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Portsmouth Chron...

Getting Them to Fit.

Two ladies, mother and daughter, entered French's dry goods store on Market street the other day. Trade had been brisk, yet Mr. French was glad to see new customers.

"Me and Sarah is jest a looking, mister. It's not likely we'll buy much, nohow, so you needn't mind us till we see what we want."

That was what the mother said when the good natured merchant wished to show them his goods. When they had taken a "good look" they proceeded to business.

"Me and Sarah wants stockings, mister. We don't want none of them cheap kind, like every girl in Barrington wears, but we want 'em sort of open worked and genteel."

"We have a fine assortment of all makes and grades. Perhaps you prefer the Portsmouth ribbed," said he.

"No! I prefer stockings, mister; so does Sarah. I have heard tell about them new-fashioned things,—that a great many folks are wearing glove corsets and busles, and I don't know what; but me and Sarah don't know nothing about such things. The old man is mighty stingy and mean with his money, and never gave us women a chance till now."

"Those are the latest style in stripes; perhaps something like that will please you," said Mr. French, holding up a pair.

"No, they won't; no sir. I've been a member of the church nigh upon forty years, and Sarah's likely to join some day, but we never wore anything like that in the family. I reckon them stockings was made for the poor unfortunates in the State prison."

The merchant was astonished at the singular suspicion of the old lady and hastened to display his entire stock of hosiery. He also endeavored to convince them that "stripes" were all the fashion. The old lady was unwilling to believe this story. He answered her that not only did ladies of the highest standing wear them, but they also had a habit of holding up the dress skirts a little so as to display this fancy hosiery.

"You don't mean to say that they wear everybody to look at their striped stockings?" the old lady inquired eagerly.

"That's just what I mean to say, and almost all of our first ladies wear them."

"Then, Sis, git off your shoes and stockings, quick. I must see how them striped ones is goin' to look."

To the astonishment of the merchant, the young lady proceeded to take off the old and put on the new.

"Now, jest you parade up and down here and hold up your skirts, and let me see how it looks," said the old lady.

By this time the merchant's son and an elderly clerk were trying to swallow spools of cotton to keep from laughing outright. The old lady noticed their depravity and resented it.

"You needn't laugh, you fellows; I've been fooled afore now, buying things that didn't fit. That's what me and Sis is here for—to git 'em to fit."

The trial proved satisfactory. The daughter was made happy in the ownership of two pairs of the most fashionable.

"Now I want to see some of the very stripedest, mister."

"Why, ma, are you going to wear striped stockings? I don't believe they will look nice for you."

"Won't they? You're agoin' to see whether they will or no as soon as he finds his very stripedest. And, young man, you've no call to stand there grinnin' in that way. I'm bound to get things to fit."

Young French disappeared in a moment to have his laugh out. The old lady gravely arrayed herself in the "very stripedest," and then she gathered her skirts up after the approved fashion and marched up and down the store, questioning her daughter and the merchant as to the precise effect. It was all satisfactory till there came a prolonged shout from several of the lady clerks who were peeping and could not restrain themselves any longer.

"I wonder if them simpletons is laughing at us. Let 'em; who cares? Now, mister, you can put up two pairs of them for me. I've been stryin' and stryin' for years to get something that would astonish my old man, so that mebbe he'll open his wallet. If this don't do it I reckon I'll have to quit. Hold up your skirts, Sis! Good bye, mister!"—*Biddeford Journal.*

—A week conclusion—Saturday night.

—The general health of General Spinner has much improved, but his autograph is no better.

—A photographer gives the following directions to his customers. When a lady is sitting for a picture would compose her mouth to a bland serene character, she should, just before entering the room say, "Broom," and keep the expression into which the mouth subsides until the desired effect in the camera is evident. If, on the other hand, she wishes to assume a distinguished and somewhat noble bearing, not suggestive of sweetness, she should say, "Brush," the result of which is infallible. If she wishes to make her mouth look small, she must say, "Flip," but if the mouth is already too small and needs enlarging, she must say "Cabbage." If she wishes to look mournful she must say, "Kerchunk," if resigned "Ejaculate."

Assignee's Notice.

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EDWARD P. KIMBALL, Assignee. Portsmouth, N. H., Aug. 28, 1876.

PULMOCINE.

JANUARY 2,

...e Railroad Disaster, ...ing, ...ty-four persons out of 170 or 174 ...wrecked train had been accounted ...cause of the disaster is attributed ...on of frost on the iron work, ... Rollins, Chief Engineer of the ..., leaves the cause of the disaster in doubt, expressing himself utterly unable to explain the mystery. He estimates the loss on the bridge alone at $70,000. It was a Howe truss, built entirely of iron and about eleven years old. It was sixty-nine feet above the water, and had an arch 100 feet long in the clear, the whole length of it being 150 feet; it had been tested with six locomotives, and at the time of the disaster it was considered in perfect condition. The iron of the bridge is twisted in endless confusion with that of the cars, while the locomotive is wrecked in every part.

Charles S. Carter of Brooklyn, N. Y., was sitting in the palace car with three others, engaged in a friendly game of cards. Suddenly he heard the window glass in the forward part of the car breaking, and almost instantly the car began to fall. He was seated with his back toward the front, and as he went down he sat as quietly as he could and held on. When the car struck at the bottom of the ravine he found himself almost unhurt, although one of the gentlemen playing with him, whose name he did not know, was killed instantly, while another, a Mr. Shepherd of New York, had a leg broken. Carter says the front of the car was much lower than the rear, and that the flames in front began to eat their way upward and spread with great rapidity. He turned to the assistance of Mr. Shepherd, and with great difficulty succeeded in getting him out, the broken leg impeding their advance.

A citizen of Ashtabula rushed down to the scene of the disaster, saw a woman struggling for life and went to her assistance. He carried her by main force to the solid ice, and then went back to the rescue of her daughter, a sweet child of three or four years of age. The wood in splintering had caught the child in its grasp and the fire completed the horrible work. The man was compelled to see the child enveloped in flames, to hear her "help me, mother," ringing out in the agony of death. In a moment she was lost, while her mother, in helpless agony, fell to the earth in a swoon.

There was a young girl, of about ten years of age, struggling in vain to release her hips from the weight which was crushing her, and close behind her were the flames which in another moment had enwrapped her. Here was a fine appearing gentleman of middle age sitting upright in his seat and unable to extricate himself, calmly awaiting the flames, which soon claimed their victim. There were bodies floating out from the wreck, and others not yet strangled by the icy flood were attempting to make their way to the shore.

There was on board a family named Bennet, on their way from New York State to Jefferson, Ashtabula County. The father and mother got out of the wreck; the children were only saved by being tossed from the arms of one man to those of another over a pile of burning wood-work. One of the four was seriously injured, and all scratched slightly. On Saturday morning the mother gave birth to a child, the event being hastened by the excitement she had undergone.

The train just about covered the bridge when it fell, as the fragments lie across the ravine, touching the base of the abutments on either end. When one stands at the foot of the ravine and looks up it seems an utter impossibility that any man could take a leap from so great a height and live, yet a number escaped comparatively unharmed, and had it not been for the fire probably not one-third would have been lost. The water in the creek is only about three feet deep, and it is thought by some that when it is dragged a number of bodies may be found.

Disastrous Wreck.

The British ship Circassian went ashore at Bridgehampton, L. I., on the 11th of December, her crew being taken off next day by the crew of the Life Saving Station. Attention was at once directed to saving the cargo, the vessel having gone on her beam ends and no hopes being then entertained of a possibility of saving her. About four hundred tons were safely got off and landed, and there were hopes of floating the vessel off at high tide on Saturday, Dec. 30th. The terrible storm of Friday night, however, proved too great a strain upon her, and she went to pieces at four o'clock in the morning. There were on board the Circassian when she went to pieces thirty-one men, sixteen of whom belonged to the Coast Wrecking Company and fifteen to the crew of the vessel. Of the sixteen men belonging to the Coast Wrecking Company only one is reported saved, while of the fifteen belonging to the ship's crew all but three are missing.

The sea was running very high and it was impossible to launch a boat or send one from the shore. Repeated trials with a mortar failed to throw a line to the ship, owing to the darkness. At 8 P. M., on Friday the mainmast went by the board, carrying three men with it. At 10 the ship broke in two, and at 3 A. M. on Saturday she parted again. The mizzenmast went over at 4.20 A. M., carrying with it all the men on board, who were crowded in the rigging. Out of the thirty-two men who were on the vessel, only four were saved, and they came ashore on a float. Such was the darkness and the violence of the storm that nothing could be ... the slightest help ... among the ... and ... Upon ... and that the ... life ...

...ing religious ... at length their songs were ...ed forever.

The Circassian was an iron vessel, originally a steamer. She registered 1900 tons. She was a blockade runner during the war, and was captured by the blockaders. This is the third time she has been ashore. She was run ashore on Cape Cod some time during the war, and was rescued by Captain John Lewis, one of the men lately drowned in trying to get her off the beach at Bridgehampton. She was driven ashore again at Lyman, N. J., in the winter of 1869, and was at that time rescued by Captain E. C. Perry, the only employe of the Coast Wrecking Company who survives the Bridgehampton disaster. She was a first-class ship. The cargo was insured for $90,000 and the vessel for $170,000.

News and Notes.

George Scammon, a man named Mitchell, and two brothers named Smith, of Saco, Me., did not return Friday from a fishing excursion, and it is feared that they are drowned.

A well-known steamer captain of Portland is reported to have eloped with a young lady who was engaged to be married to a sea captain, who provided her with money to buy her wedding outfit and then got another captain to sail his vessel for the present voyage. The steamer captain leaves a wife behind.

Melvina Cook, aged sixteen years, a domestic at Collector Washburne's in Portland, was fatally burned Sunday morning, by her clothes taking fire from a grate.

At Bangor, Me., Saturday night, James McLoon enticed John B Hoyt from his hotel and attempted to rob him, when Hoyt turned upon McLoon and thrashed him severely, nearly killing him.

In the Province of Quebec, according to the Montreal *Witness*, the Catholic clergy frequently influence the voter by threatening him with the tortures which are the portion of the wicked, and refusing the sacraments of the church in case he does not vote for the candidates of the clergy. The papers are discussing the question whether or not spiritual intimidation, if proved, should render an election void. The *Witness* takes the ground that it should. The discussion grows out of a recent election in that province, where the influence of the clergy was most actively enlisted on behalf of one of the candidates, who was successful through that potent instrumentality.

Captain Simonton, of the schooner Solon, who was so seriously assaulted at Beverly last Tuesday night, died at the Salem Hospital. Two doctors made a post mortem examination, and found the man's skull terribly fractured, so bad that it fell to pieces on being exposed.

The City Marshal of Concord has received notification to prosecute all sellers of intoxicating liquors in the city.

Political.

The democratic editors of the State have been licked into better form. They write now more like men and less like demagogues than they did a fortnight ago. They invoke the spirit of common sense more frequently than the god of battles, though they may be equally unfamiliar with it.—*Indianapolis News (Ind.)*

If the republican rogues in Washington and the republican imbeciles of the press really believed that the democracy intended to fight, as they do intend to fight rather than be cheated out of their fairly won victory, there would be a just settlement of the troubles that now confront us.—*Evansville (Ind.) Courier (Dem.)*

Rev. Charles Beecher, now a citizen of Florida, who voted the democratic State ticket, has written a letter to his son-in-law in Georgetown, which shows that even a democrat cannot be blind to the fraud and violence carried on under his own eyes in the Presidential election. He says he is as certain that there was a democratic plot to alter the returns as he is of any human event, and that he knows they were altered, for he saw them himself. He says it is also an undoubted fact that the democrats burned a bridge to stop a train to keep a U. S. Marshal from reaching Tallahassee before election, and that it is absolutely certain that a republican majority was wiped out in Jackson county by murders and intimidation.—*Newburyport Herald.*

Telegraph Charges.

There can be no doubt that the charges for telegraphing have been enormously disproportionate to the actual cost of building and maintaining the wires. The difficulty in the case has been that the principal company is burdened with a stock watered to three or four times its value, and has been trying to earn dividends on the water. Of course the moment it comes in competition with a company which makes no such effort, it is placed at a disadvantage. The public have not failed to notice that the cost of telegraphing between the most important points has been reduced during the past year quite as much as rents, or the cost of living; and that in every reduction the Atlantic and Pacific Company has led the way, and the Western Union has been driven. The Atlantic and Pacific now announces another wholesale reduction of one-third on charges between New York and Chicago, and proportionate reductions between a large number of the other more important Western points. The company which leads the way in this matter is entitled to the public good will, and is sure of more than its natural share of patronage. People are certain to encourage a competition which puts money into their pockets, and Gen. Eckert for the past twelve months has been forcing that competition at every point.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

...ayette Laighton.

"Doubting Castle."

When once deceived, some refuse to again place confidence in anything. Is this fair? Do you doubt the church and religion, because you chance to know one or two hypocrites? Would you refuse all money because you had taken one or two counterfeits? Or because your catarrh is aggravated by using the base and worthless preparations that are "puffed up" and "*run for a season*," will you condemn Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy, that has been the standard remedy for catarrh and colds in the head for nearly a quarter of a century?

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by SAMUEL W. MOSES, Grocer.

Butter, per ℔ 35 @ 40c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 30 @ 35c.
Corn per bushel, Western 60c; Northern 75c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 30 @ 35.
Flour, Sup. per bll. 6 @ 7; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 7c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 14 @ 16 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.50.
Molasses per gal., fr. Cuba 40 @ 65c; New Orleans 90
Lamb per ℔, 15 @ 18 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 75 @ 80 cents.
Pork per bll., $23 @ $25.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 11 @ 12c; Gr. 13 @ 14; Crushed 15c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 80c.; Green, 90c. @ $1.
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8: Pine $4.

A Valuable Medical Treatise.

The edition for 1877 of the sterling Medical Annual, known as Hostetter's Almanac, is now ready, and may be obtained, free of cost, of druggists and general country dealers in all parts of the United States and British America, and indeed in every civilized portion of the Western Hemisphere. This Almanac has been issued regularly at the commencement of every year for over one fifth of a century. It combines, with the sound and practical advice for the preservation and restoration of health, a large amount of interesting and amusing light reading, and the calendar, astronomical calculations, chronological items, &c., are prepared with great care, and we I be found entirely accurate. The issue of Hostetter's Almanac for 1877 will probably be the largest edition of a medical work ever published in any country. The proprietors, Messrs. Hostetter & Smith, Pittsburgh, Pa., on receipt of a two cent stamp will forward a copy by mail to any person who cannot procure one in his neighborhood.

The Colonnade Hotel.

The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., is noted for its fine location and the unsurpassed elegance of its appointments.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, means "well" on rates. To accommodate the demand for low prices, it has reduced its rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Adamson's Botanic Balsum does not dry up a cough and leave the cause behind, but it loosens and cleanses the lungs and allays irritation, thus removing the cause of the complaint. It is pleasant to take and works to a charm. Price only 35 cents. Sample free.

In the general distribution of medals, if it had been possible for the "International Jury of Award" to have given a medal to the best hotel in Philadelphia, this honor would have been received by the Colonnade, "for all the requisites of a model establishment in every respect."

Important to persons visiting New York or the Centennial. The Grand Union Hotel, New York, opposite the Grand Central Depot, has over 350 elegantly furnished rooms. Elevator, steam and all improvements. European plan. Carriage hire is saved, as baggage is taken to and from the depot free. Guests can live better for less money at the Grand Union than at any other first-class hotel. Stages and cars pass the Hotel constantly to all parts of the city, and to the Philadelphia depot. dawtr12'77

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD TWO.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD TWO will hold a Caucus at the COURT HOUSE on *Saturday Evening, Jan. 6th*, at 7½ o'clock, for the choice of delegates to the several Conventions. Per Order,

E. H. LESLIE, Secretary.

WARD THREE.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD THREE are hereby notified to meet at the "GRANITE STATE" PLANING MILL, on *Wednesday Evening, Jan. 5d*, at 7 o'clock, to choose delegates to attend the several Conventions to be held in this State previous to the next March Election, and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

Per Order.

Lost.

ON Sunday, a POCKET BOOK, containing a sum of money and papers of value to the owner only. The finder will receive a liberal reward on leaving the same at the Store of Division No. 1, S. of I., Bridge Street. W. CRITCHLEY.

A REMEDY FOR HARD TIMES.

On and after January 1, 1877, the Subscriber will sell at the following rates:

FRESH PORK RIBS, 9 cts. per lb.
PORK STEAK, 10 cts. per lb.
PORTSMOUTH SAUSAGES, 10 cts.
" SUGAR-CURED HAMS, 15 cts.
Warranted better than any Western Hams.
SMOKED SHOULDERS, 12 1-2 cts.

OTHER CUT MEAT IN PROPORTION.

HENRY M. CLARK,
23 CONGRESS STREET.

ODIORNE GENEALOGY.

THE GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF THE ODIORNE FAMILY, an octavo volume of 225 pages, will be forwarded by mail to applicants on the receipt of $2. 50. A few copies only of the edition are left. Address,

JAMES C. ODIORNE,
Jaw 31 72 Framingham, Mass.

30th Annual CHRISTMAS NOTICE, 1876.

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON,
Has just received his usual assortment of Christmas Stores, viz:

CRANBERRIES, PRUNES,
CURRANTS, DATES,
RAISINS, NAPLES NUTS,
LONDON LAYER, do. CHESTNUTS,
SEEDLESS, do. ALMONDS,
FLAVORING EXT., BISCUIT,
SHELLBARKS, CITRON,
ASSORTED NUTS, FIGS,
SWEET HERBS, SPICES,
PICKLES, SAUCES, KETCHUPS, PRESERVES,
&c., &c., &c.

SKATES! SKATES!

NEW YORK CLUB OR RINK
DOUBLE CLAMP CLUB
ACME CLUB
STRAPPED CLUB
ROCKER & HALF ROCKER
ALSO A FULL LINE OF LADIES'

CUTLERY!! CUTLERY!!

FRIEDMAN & LAUTERJUNG'S

CELEBRATED POCKET KNIVES.

A Large Assortment for the Holidays.
Every Knife Warranted!

ISAIAH WILSON,
37 CONGRESS STREET,
PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

TIMES ARE HARD
— BUT —
CHRISTMAS
IS COMING!
THEREFORE
JOS. H. FOSTER

Will sell his Stock of FANCY GOODS at prices which shall make it possible for every one to have a CHRISTMAS GIFT; he

offers many articles which cost $1 for 50 cts.,

And, for the sake of closing out his entire stock of DOLLS and TOYS he offers the New Year will almost give them away.

Beautiful large Biscuit DOLLS for *one-third of former prices*.—Small DOLLS of every price from one cent upwards.

Few this year will indulge in costly Christmas Presents, but all will find on his counters the best assortment of

NEW AND ELEGANT BOOKS,

adapted to every age and taste and at prices to suit every purse.

BIBLES, PRAYER BOOKS,
HYMNALS, POETS, *in choice bindings*,
ILLUSTRATED BOOKS,
JUVENILE BOOKS,
ALBUMS, SCRAP BOOKS,
&c., &c., &c., &c.

Come and See:—Whether You Buy or Not.

LOOK! LOOK!

WATCHES, CLOCKS,
SILVER AND PLATED WARE,
JEWELRY, SPECTACLES,
etc., etc., etc.

A Large Assortment of New Goods
— FOR THE —
HOLIDAY TRADE!

TEA SETS, CAKE BASKETS, CASTORS, VASES,
PICKLE DISHES, ETC., ETC.
ALSO, CHAINS, BRACELETS, RINGS, CHARMS,
SLEEVE BUTTONS, PINS, EAR RINGS,
STUDS, ETC., ETC.

In fact all kinds of goods to be found in our line of business. Please call and examine our goods.

WATCH REPAIRING executed by practical workman.

CLOCKS and JEWELRY repaired at short notice.

MESSRS. J. E. & J. E. HYON,
ROYAL TEMPLE, 7 CONGRESS STREET.

Christmas
PRESENTS!

Articles that are for wear, house in the house, that will bless you in giving because they are

LASTING

and carry joy and happiness with them. A thing of beauty is a joy forever. What is more

DESIRABLE

than silver and gold? SPOONS, FORKS, BUTTER KNIVES, TABLE KNIVES, CASTORS, TEA SETS, PICKLE DISHES, CAKE BASKETS, etc., etc. Now ready for our

TENTH ANNUAL SALE.

We have also RINGS, PINS, BRACELETS, BUTTONS, STUDS, SETS IN GOLD AND PLATE, EARRINGS, CHARMS, CHAINS, WATCHES. All of our Stock will be offered at

LOW PRICES.

THIMBLES in Gold and Silver, entirely different from those kept at the shoe stores, which we mark with initials without extra charge; we recommend all to call early and make your selections don't put it off until you need them, come when there is time to look carefully. We have increased our sales every year for the last nine years, and shall do our part toward this year.

HUTCHINSON and CONNELL'S.

GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS
and also a full line of
LINEN COLLARS,
FOR SALE CHEAP AT
J. E. HAM & CO'S, 27 Market Street.

WHAT HAS LONG BEEN NEEDED!

PEOPLE'S
BAKERY and DINING SALOON.
JOHN McIVER,
No. 62 DANIEL STREET,

Has just opened a new Restaurant in connection with his Bakery. Are always ready to promptly supply hot or cold cooked food or ice cream, served at the Saloon or sent home free of charge.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK
— OF —
Fall & Winter
GOODS
— AT —
No. 8 MARKET SQ.
WM. P. WALKER

having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
Cloths, Cassimeres etc.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

WINTER
SUITINGS
IS UNEQUALLED!

☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

ARMY & NAVY REGULATION UNIFORMS.

ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GENTS'
FURNISHING
GOODS,

Constantly on hand, consisting of

SHIRTS,
GLOVES,
BOSOMS,
COLLARS,
DRAWERS,
SUSPENDERS,
LINEN GOODS,
HANDKERCHIEFS

Of Every Description.

NOTICE.

THE WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE LEAGUE will hold its meetings at Rechabite Hall, THURSDAY afternoons of each week, at three o' lock, until further notice. All members are requested to attend.

G. E. RANDALL, *Secretary.*

GOLD PENS.
PENCILS.
THE CELEBRATED
MABIE & TODD
GOODS.
— AT —
Hutchinson & Connell's.

JAMES M. CARR,
Agent, have reopened that well-known
Boot and Shoe
STORE,
No. 34 MARKET STREET,
(Formerly HILL & CARR.)

would express his thanks for the liberal patronage received in the past, and solicit a continuance in the future. It will be his constant effort to fully maintain its unequalled reputation for Good and Reliable

BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS,
of every variety, at the
Lowest Possible Prices.

☞ *In Closing Out the Old Stock He*
☞ *Will Offer Extra Inducements to*
☞ *those in want of any Goods now on*
☞ *hand, and will be replenishing his*
☞ *Stock with new and the most desir-*
☞ *able Goods manufactured.*

CUSTOM WORK made to measure as formerly.
Also REPAIRING of every description done with neatness and dispatch.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

WOOD AND COAL
AT REDUCED PRICES
C. E. WALKER & CO.,
4 Water Street and 117 Market Street.
Orders left at N. K. Walker & Son's Hat and Fur Store promptly filled.

PULMOCINE.

Amusements.

AT FRANKLIN HALL
ONE NIGHT ONLY,
Wednesday, Jan. 3d, 1877.
First appearance since his return from the late Indian War,
BUFFALO BILL COMBINATION,
(HON. WM. F. CODY,)
SUPPORTED BY
CAPTAIN JACK,

The Fleet Scout of the Black Hills, just from General Crook's Command, and the most talented dramatic company ever in this city, will appear in the new drama founded on incidents of the late Indian war, entitled:

THE RED RIGHT HAND
OR,
BUFFALO BILL'S FIRST SCALP FOR CUSTER,

The scalping of the Indian Chief, Yellow Hand, by Buffalo Bill, occurred at the battle of Indian Creek, July 17, 1876.

Prices as usual. Reserved Seats to be had at Preston's Drug Store, 4 days in advance.

JOSH E. OGDEN, General Agent.

FRANKLIN HALL,
Thursday Eve'g, Jan. 4,

A THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE

Will be given in aid of the Portsmouth Reform Club, under the management of Messrs. PALFREY and SIMPSON. The evening's entertainment will consist of the BURLESQUE,

ENTITLED,

ARTAXIMINOUS
YE GREAT!

The Play contains a

Grand Civic and Military Display,
Successful Villainy,
Thwarted Ambition,
Songs, Chorus,
Terrific Combat,
Ballet,

and other numerous and startling effects!

☞ Admission, 25 cents; Reserved Seats, 35 cents.
☞ Doors open at 7 o'clock. Curtain rises at 7 30.
☞ Tickets for sale at P...

TEN...
— ENGLI...
HISTORICAL ...
Will be read by JOHN ALBEE,
ON MONDAY EVENINGS,
BEGINNING JANUARY 8, 1877, AT 8 O'CLOCK.
Tickets for Course $2.50
Sold at J. H. FOSTER'S Book-Store
☞ Hall to be hereafter advertised.

Subjects:
1. On Reading.
2. On English Language.
3. On Earliest English Literature ... Invasion.
4. Norman Period, to Chaucer.
5. Chaucer and Contemporaries.
6. English Literature from ... Spenser.
7. Shakespeare.
8. Jo...
9. Pro...
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BRICK HOUSE ... two families. Apply ... Nent No. 36 Deer St. J. C. CARR.

House ... Let.
No. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises. Oct12

To Let.
A HOUSE on Melcher Street, near Pleasant. Ten rooms, water in house; rent low to one or two tenants. If ... Apply at ... 34 PLEASANT ST.

Office Rooms To Let.
THE TWO FRONT ROOMS over the Rockingham National Bank. Apply at the Bank.

House Lots.
DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Islington, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

Will Be Sold Low.
THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. ... will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.
Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with live good BARN thereon and stone ready for stone cellar.
Also, a few large and choice NORWAY SPRUCE Trees, for Fall setting. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

House Lots for Sale.
A GREEABLY to a vote of the City Councils, the Building Lots recently laid out on Woodbury, Sullivan, Thornton, Whipple, Stark, Bartlett, Dennett, Burkitt and Creek streets, near the City Farm, by the City of Portsmouth, are now offered for sale on favorable terms. For further information apply at the office of the City Clerk, where a plan of the Lots with the prices affixed, may be seen.

JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor.

LOOK!
We have on hand a few part pieces of
ELYSIAN BEAVER,
equally suitable for Gentlemen's Overcoats or Ladies' Cloaks, which we will close out at a great discount.
☞ We mean what we say.
☞ Call and see them.
BOW STREET, No. 3,
(*New Number.*)
C. E. MYERS & CO.

OVERCOATS.
WE have on hand a few CUSTOM-MADE OVERCOATS, which we shall sell *cheap for cash.*
J. E. HAM & CO.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M	
" Way,	10.40 "	4 45 "	
Portland	9 45 "	4.45, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9 45 "	4.45 "	
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Concord Way,		4.35 "	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "	
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "	

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M, 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5 50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

OUR RULERS THAT BE.

Editors of Chronicle: Well may our City Councillors confess, it seems to me, that they have officially done those things which they ought not to have done, and have indeed left undone those things which they ought to have done. As I read the newspaper reports of their doings, from week to week, I am reminded of the anecdote of the Chicago pork dealer, who on being requested to increase his church subscription, at the moment of receiving a dispatch of a fall in the price of pork, exclaimed, "Good heavens! what are we coming to? the price of the gospel going up, and pork falling, eh?"

So with our city fathers—they vote to waste more money on the P. & D. (how would it do to call it the pull and be d——) Railroad; and almost in the same breath vote *not* to sell a portion of our useless and expensive city farm, to be converted into tax-paying instead of tax-eating property. Verily, their course passeth all understanding by common people, in either case.

On the one hand Portsmouth has now but very few paupers; and if she needs any city farm at all, the less the better; so why not sell Mr. Mason the land he wishes to improve? Why not?

On the other hand, if it be possible that more money is needed for that steam-leech, the corkscrew P. & D. R. R., let those who wasted or pocketed the hundreds of thousands already swept into that foolish maelstrom, or those bankers who have not paid the price they agreed for our city bonds, make up the deficiency. Truly,

WHY NOT?

MASONIC.

At the annual meeting of Davenport Council of Royal and Select Masters, held at Masonic Hall on Thursday evening, December 28th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Thomas E. O. Marvin, T. I. G. M.;
John R. Holbrook, R. I. G. M.;
William P. Walker, I. G. M.;
Benjamin F. Webster, Treasurer;
George E. Hanson, Recorder;
Charles W. Norton, C. of G;
Harry G. Tanton, C. of C.

WHO SHALL BE COMMISSIONER?

Eds. Chronicle: I see by an item in the papers, that there are several candidates who are willing to serve as County Commissioner for our County of Rockingham; but it is pretty certain that only one person can be elected to the position,—and a great deal more certain, that if Portsmouth sends two or more candidates to the Convention, none of them will even be nominated. This has been tried several times before.

Mr. J. C. Brown and Mr. H. A. Yeaton dividing the Portsmouth delegation, in a former Convention—Mr. J. W. F. Hobbs was nominated, from North Hampton. Even with the twenty votes of Portsmouth unanimous for a candidate, is not always to secure success, as was shown when Mr. F. W. Miller had all these, and nineteen more on first ballot, and yet was not nominated in that convention; but the next year was elected.

The office of County Commissioner is one very important to Portsmouth, which pays a large portion of the County tax, and the city should always have a representative on the Board, and might have, if only the taxpayers will see to it that the ward caucuses to elect delegates to the County Convention are not run by the wire-pullers in the interest of private parties, rather than that of the public.

Let us have the best Portsmouth man who is available. Of those named by the newspapers alluded to, Mr. Newton Johnston seems to me much the strongest. He is a very capable and worthy man, has served most efficiently on the city board of Overseers of the Poor for several years; and while his former long experience in the grocery business would be of much service in the county—he having several months ago ceased all interest in that line, is free from the objection which is always, and perhaps with justice, made to retail dealers occupying this position.

But whoever Portsmouth may select—it is idle to send more than one candidate. If our delegation attempts to ride double, [illegible] the ground.

R. C.

"ARTAXIMINOUS YE GREAT."

On Thursday evening, Jan. 4th, Messrs. Palfrey and Sanborn will make their debut as authors and burlesque actors. Their burlesque is an outgrowth from a parlor entertainment given by them in Boston last Winter before a company of literary people, by whom it was highly commended. They have spent much time and care in rewriting and adapting it for the present occasion, and the result will pretty certainly be highly entertaining to those who witness their performances, as well as creditable to themselves. They are to be assisted by a large corps of local talent, selected for their fitness for the parts assigned them, and who have been under the instruction of Messrs. Palfrey and Sanborn for several weeks. We have no doubt the Reform Club will be materially benefitted financially by this entertainment, which is to be given in aid of that deserving organization.

JOTTINGS.

Board of Trade meeting this evening, at Common Council room.

We hear there is to be a concert at Miss Morgan's Seminary on Wednesday evening, January 3d, consisting entirely of amateur talent of a high order.

The Portsmouth Philharmonic Society holds regular rehearsals at Mercantile Hall, each Tuesday evening at half-past seven o'clock. Mr. Pearson is director, and Miss Hanscom pianist. The book now in use is the "Chorus Wreath."

Leap year has gone and the harvest is past, and there are lots of old bachelors yet aimlessly drifting about with none to molest or make them afraid.

To-morrow (Wednesday) evening, at Franklin Hall, Buffalo Bill and Capt. Jack (not Capt. Jack the Modoc chieftain, who was hung, nor Texas Jack, who has appeared here several times in company with Buffalo Bill, but Capt. Jack, "the poet scout of the Black Hills,") will appear in a new drama founded on incidents of the late Indian war, entitled "The Red Right Hand, or Buffalo Bill's first scalp for Custer." See advertisement.

The teachers of the Walker School were the recipients of most elegant Christmas presents from their pupils. The master, Mr. Charles E. Buzzell, was presented with a very handsome silver and glass pickle dish, a fine book, and a pretty vase with bouquet; Miss S. F. Drake with a beautiful silver dessert spoon and a shell work-box; Miss Foye with a very nice walnut work-box, a toilet set and gilt book-mark; and Miss Young with a handsome work-box, toilet set, etc.

Besides the public watch-meetings in the churches, there were numerous private assemblages for "watching the old year out and the new year in," Sunday evening. Two was the prevailing number of watchers to a meeting, in this city.

The wrecking gang at work on the "Ceres" are making good progress; the work of slinging the schooner in chains will be completed to-day.

Schooner Abbie S. Oakes, Babbage, from Bangor for Boston, lost both anchors and chains in Pepperell's Cove in the lower harbor, on Saturday morning, and drifted ashore on Pierce's island, but came off at high water without damage. She was supplied with an anchor and chain from the navy yard.

The Boston *Post* has a despatch from this city, dated Dec. 31, saying: "Dr. Noberto J. Osorio, who has been practising here some three years, left suddenly on Wednesday of last week, ostensibly to see his family safe on the steamer at New York for Cuba. It is now discovered that he also sailed for that country with his household, leaving bills unpaid here which are estimated at about $3000."

Schooner J. D. McCarty, of Philadelphia, wrecked on Salisbury beach three weeks ago, went to pieces on Saturday. The sails and anchors and all else of value had been saved, and all but twenty tons of the cargo of coal had been taken out.

Meat consumers will do well to read Henry M. Clark's advertisement.

Frank W. Miller & Co. will very soon commence the publication of a new weekly paper in this city to be called the "Portsmouth Weekly." If will be edited by Mr. Miller and be devoted to local historical matters, literature, politics, agriculture, temperance and other moral subjects. It will be republican in politics, the agricultural portion in the interest of the Grangers while the temperance part will be radical. It is to be a forty-column quarto paper and the aim of the editor will be to follow somewhat after the Portland *Transcript*. The prospectus will be issued in a few days.—*Times.*

Schooner J. B. Ames was got off Cedar Island on Friday, the day of the heavy storm; went ashore again on Smutty-nose point, but was got off again Sunday morning; was towed into the lower harbor Monday afternoon, and will come up to the city to-day.

We find the following item going the rounds of our exchanges: "Four thousand dollars for a light station at the Isles of Shoals is among the items in the estimates by the Lighthouse Board for the next fiscal year." Four thousand dollars would not establish much of a light station—nothing much better than a tallow candle in a glass bottle. There already is a light station at the Shoals, and the estimates of $4000 is probably for the repairs of buildings at that station, and is really not sufficient to complete such repairs as they ought to be done.

The Man Without a Country.—No. 69 of "The Lakeside Library" contains the above splendid story by E. E. Hale; "They Saw a Great Light," by same author; "Familiar Quotations Humorously Illustrated," by F. H. Seymour; "A Dream-Love," by H. S. Clarke; "The Sackful of Sovereigns;" "The Parson's Pupil," by S. J. McKenna; "Our Two Squires," etc., etc. This excellent number is illustrated with over fifty engravings. Price, only 10 cents; by mail, 12 cents. Sold by all Newsdealers, or sent postpaid by Donnelley, Loyd & Co., Publishers, Chicago.

DIED.

PARRY. At Fortress Monroe, Va., Dec. 17, at midnight, of rheumatism of the heart; and was buried the 20th inst. in the Government Cemetery at the Post, Rachel Randolph, second child of Frances D. and the late Major Edward Randolph Parry, U. S. A., and grand-daughter of the late General Justin Dimick, U. S. A.

MARINE CHRONICLE

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, JAN. 1.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Reign of Arnica.

A man wearing passably good clothes, and a look of mental anxiety, entered a produce house on Woodbridge street, and finding only a clerk in possession he asked—

"Say, are you putty well posted on big words?"

"I know quite a large number of big words," replied the clerk, as he finished footing up a column of figures.

"Well, then, here's the situation," continued the stranger. "I live out here a piece, and am something of a big gun around home. When anything is going on they call me out for a speech. I made one on election day, another that night, and another next morning; and now I'm laying the sleepers for a speech to eclipse them all."

"What sort of a speech?" inquired the clerk.

"Political, of course. My other speeches were political, but were very plain. This time I want to get in some old sockers—a few regular old twisters. For one thing I thought I would declare this country in a state of—what do you call it?"

"Peace!"

"No, sir; I mean confusion, excitement and so on. There's a word to signify it, but I can't speak it."

"Abject terrorism?" suggested the young clerk.

"No, no. It's arnachy, or something of the kind."

"I guess you mean anarchy, don't you sir?"

"I do, I do! Bless me if I haven't been trying for a whole hour to get that word. That's the very thing. When called out I want to lead off with, Fellow citizens, the tryant has shown his hand and arnica reigns supreme. I guess that will knock them."

"You don't mean arnica; you mean anarchy" protested the clerk.

"That's what I mean, of course, but every time I think of anarchy I get it arnica, and I don't know but I'll have to give up the speech."

"Write it down," said the clerk.

The man took up the pen, scratched his nose reflectively, and wrote, "A-r-k-a-n-y." Holding up the paper he waved his hand and began: "Peace has fled and arkany reigns in the land."

"I told you it was anarchy," called the clerk.

"That's so—that's so. This suspense is telling on my memory like a fit of sickness. Now then, a-n-a-r-k-y, anarky, and don't you forget it. You needn't say anything about my calling in here."

"Oh, that's all right," replied the clerk; "Over seven-eighths of the best speakers in town have come to me for big words."

"Many thanks; and now, fellow citizens, peace has fled far, far away, and arkany reigns—. Hold on! Is that the right word?"

He halted at the door to examine the slip of paper, and after repeating the right word over several times he went on—

"A state of anarky is upon us, and where will it end?"

He seemed satisfied with that until he reached Woodward avenue. At that point he appeared to become inspired again, and said—

"Arnica! arnica! and where will it end?—*Detroit Free Press.*

Why His Dog Bit Him.

About a week ago we heard one of our leading citizens bragging about his watch-dog. He went on to say that Nero was a splendid watch-dog; that he would never even growl at a child, and at night he would tear anybody to pieces he found about the premises.

"Ain't you afraid," we asked, "that he will bite you some night when you come home late?"

"Not a bit of it; he is too intelligent. He knows my step as soon as I put my foot on the gallery. Why, I wouldn't take $500 for that dog. He is the most reliable biting dog in San Antonio."

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"What are you doing with Major Jones' dog?" we wanted to know.

"He gave him to me to take him out and shoot him."

"What for?" we asked, in amazement.

"Because he tackled the Major last night on his coming home, and bit him in thirteen places; he will not be down town for a week."

"But I heard the Major say that dog was intelligent; that he knew his step, and wouldn't bite him, no way he could fix it; that he would not take $500 for that animal."

"The dog ain't to blame for it," said the policeman, gazing sadly at poor Nero, "it is the Major's own fault."

"How so?" we inquired.

"Well," responded the policeman, slowly, "the dog did know his step and never ever growled at him before; but last night, for the first time since he has had the dog, the Major came home three hours earlier than usual, and perfectly sober, and somehow his step was very different from what the dog was used to; he didn't tangle up his legs as much as common, and the dog was fooled by it, took him for a perfect

stranger and bounced him. The dog ain't to blame; he missed the smell of whiskey; he didn't hear the Major whoop and cuss and fall down into the cellar, as he always does when he comes home, so Nero kept on bitin' the Major in fresh places until the family interfered."

"Come on, Nero!" and the sad funeral cortege resumed the line of march for the brush.—*San Antonio Herald.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1877.

Republican State Convention.

A republican State Convention for the nomination of candidates for Governor and Railroad Commissioner will be held at White's Opera House, in Concord, on Wednesday, January 10, 1877, at eleven o'clock, A. M.

In the primary meetings for the selection of delegates to this convention we invite the participation of every man who holds the principles of the republican party, and in view of the present somewhat critical condition of public affairs, we especially solicit the co-operation of all men who are in favor of according to every citizen of the Republic equal rights and privileges under the law, unabridged by fraud, intimidation or violence, and of peaceably acquiescing in and abiding by the result of the recent election, whenever the same shall be lawfully ascertained and declared by the constituted authorities.

A meeting of the Republican State Committee will be held at Union Hall, in White's Opera House, on Tuesday evening, January 9th, at 8:30 o'clock, to which all delegates to the Convention are invited.

DANIEL HALL,
Chairman Republican State Committee.

News and Notes.

There have been many remarkable disasters in the past year. Americans will remember most vividly those in Brooklyn and Ashtabula, but in point of the number of lives lost, these were small affairs, compared with what has happened abroad. By the cyclone and tidal wave in Southern India, in October, 215,000 persons were killed. By an inundation in China, in June, 5000 persons were drowned in the province of Fuchow alone. In March, a steamer was wrecked in the Arabian Sea and 500 pilgrims perished. The severe gales off the cost of England and Scotland in December, coast many wrecks and 250 lives in a fortnight. These are samples of the heavier calamities abroad, but after all none of them outrank in horror the December accidents in this country.

Elbert A. Woodward, ex-confiential clerk of Boss Tweed, who was arrested in Chicago some three months ago to answer to indictments for forgery and embezzlement and has since lain in the Tombs, has been discharged from custody on his own recognizance. He had previously handed over to Mr. Peckham a number of important documents to be used as evidence in the forthcoming trial of Tweed, and transferred to the city and county of New York property amounting to $150,000 besides furnishing security for the restitution of $50,000 more. The discharge was ordered by the Attorney General, that Woodward might testify for the people in the civil suits. The Attorney General also directed that he may not be re-arrested upon the civil processes pending against him. No *nolle prosequi* has been entered in the criminal cases, but it is understood that should Woodward's testimony prove as valuable as expected, he will never be brought to trial. The late prison or has gone to his residence in Norwalk, Ct.

Among the victims of the Ashtabula disaster was Miss Mary Birchard, of Fayetteville, Vt., a cousin of President-elect Hayes.

The snow-storm on Monday extended over a great extent of country. In Mississippi, two feet of snow fell at Holly Springs, and fourteen inches at Jackson and Vicksburg; one foot at Shreveport, La., and Munroe, and four inches at Oyska, delaying trains and breaking down telegraph wires and interrupting communication.

The Chinese have their own way of dealing with murderers. One Chinaman so seriously injured another in Nevada that death was expected. The Chinese company to which both belonged decided that, in case of death, the murderer must give the relatives $1,000 and pay all the cost of doctoring and burial; and in case of recovery he must settle with the physicians and pay the injured man the amount of lost wages. This is a light enough punishment, but still, it is better than pretending to punish a murderer by sending him to an insane asylum because he is crazy, and then letting him loose because he isn't.

The business of the Hazard Powder Company, of Connecticut, has been heavier since the first of August than at any other time since the war. The shipments have been mainly from St. Louis and Baltimore, where are their principal magazines, and where they fill orders from the Southern States.

Mayor Prince, of Boston, was inaugurated on Monday.

A gale of unprecedented violence prevailed on the south coast of England on Monday. Dover pier was partially destroyed. The damage is estimated at £150,000. At East Bourne there was great destruction, and the loss foots up £65,000. Nearly every town on the south coast from Dover to Portsmouth was partially inundated by the high tide. Furniture was washed out of houses. Floods caused by the heavy rains continue to be reported throughout the country, and the damage done is widespread.

The great scandal case of [illegible]ans, Vt., with the help of her brother, a lawyer, bled Romeo Hoyt, a married and wealthy man, of some $10,000 on the ground that he had made improper advances to her, has been settled. Hoyt brought suit to recover on the ground of extortion or black mail, and the Court decides in his favor.

Senator Christiancy has had a very sorry time getting down to Washington. He was robbed on a train between Michigan and Washington of $300, some valuable papers, and his baggage check, which the thieves presented at Baltimore and were given his trunk; the Senator consequently arrived at Washington without money or wardrobe. He immediately drew his mileage and a month's pay, and that night was again robbed, the burglars carrying away what clothes were left him with the $600 he had just drawn reposing in the pockets.

Mrs. President Grant, assisted by Mrs. Sartoris and Mrs. Fred Grant, held a brilliant reception at the White House on Monday.

At Biddeford, Maine, on Sunday, Bessie Livingstone, eight years old, daughter of John Livingstone of Saco, was accidently shot in the head by her brother, aged fourteen years, who was carelessly handling a revolver. She will probably recover.

George Scammon and party, who left Keunebunk on Thursday of last week to go fishing and for whose safety fears were entertained, have returned to that place.

Political.

The democrats of South Carolina managed to cast, in Edgefield County, 2,600 votes in excess of all persons, white and colored, over the age of twenty-one years, in the county, according to the State canvass of 1875. Such enterprise as this entitles the party to take equal rank with those members who reside in Mississippi and Louisiana.

Judge Stanley Matthews (Rep.) has already given Gen. Banning notice that he will contest the seat accorded him in the next House from Cincinnati. Banning was elected by a nominal majority of 65; but there is ample evidence that several hundreds of Banning's votes were fraudulent. A dozen or more of Banning's strongest supporters are on their way to the penitentiary for illegal voting, and others have fled the city.

Mr. Robinson was inaugurated as Governor of New York on Monday, and he and ex-Gov. Tilden worked in some neat electioneering twaddle on the occasion. Tilden, in a speech, said it was a great satisfaction to him to surrender the office to one so able, and one whose career furnishes assurances of his purpose to prosecute the work to which he (Tilden) had consecrated two official and three years of private life. Mr. Robinson responded, saying the administration of Tilden had been not only endorsed by the citizens of his State, but by a large majority of the citizens of the whole Union, who had chosen him as their representative at the head of the nation.

On Monday, in New Orleans, the republicans assembled early at the State House, and the democrats appeared at noon with contestants, and demanded the removal of the police and barricades. The demand was refused, and the democrats protested, and all withdrew to St. Patrick's Hall. The republican body organized and elected Michael Hahn, Speaker. The House has fifty-three members. Warmoth has sixteen adherents, and the Senate has nineteen members, making a full quorum. The democratic House also organized and elected Louis Bush Speaker. The Senate chose Mr. Ogden for President. The two Legislatures are now in good working order, and there is no excitement.

The democratic leaders in Washington express themselves very much dissatisfied with Wade Hampton, and say that he is becoming entirely too garrulous for the good of the democratic party. He is censured for writing to Gov. Hayes and exhibiting a desire to conciliate the President-elect at the expense of the democratic sentiment in the North. A friend of Tilden's has telegraphed to Hampton a warning that another mis-step, such as telegraphing to Mosby and writing a letter to Hayes, will lead to the withdrawal of the support of the northern democracy in his efforts to secure the gubernatorial chair. Tilden is reported incensed at Hampton's course, being indifferent to the result of the gubernatorial fight, now that South Carolina's electoral vote has been definitely settled for Hayes.

A delegation of disgruntled democrats from Louisiana is in Washington They report that the Congressional committee will not finish their labors before the 15th inst., and that meanwhile the democratic Judges and other State officials will be rotated by the republican Legislature. They admit that the Louisiana democrats offered to compromise on Hayes and Nicholls, the democratic candidate for Governor, but Kellogg and Packard insisted on keeping the State Government in their possession.

New Hampshire Items.

The police of Dover on Monday arrested Charlie Hooke, a clerk in the employ of Oliver Wyatt, for the larceny of money and merchandise from various stores. His operations have been in progress about a year. His plan was to go through the various cellars of the block in which Mr. Wyatt's store is situated, and thence enter the stores above. The amount of the thefts cannot at present be estimated. Hooke has confessed, as has his brother, who received the goods. Both boys have enjoyed excellent reputations.

The snow-storm of Monday night and Tuesday seriously interfered with the running of trains in this State and other parts of New England.

A Mr. Whittier, about fifty-two years old, left Munsonville for his home in Stoddard in the great snow storm on Friday last, and has not been seen since.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by SAMUEL W. MOSES, Grocer.

Butter, per ℔ 35 @ 40c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 30 @ 35c.
Corn per bushel, Western 60c; Northern 75c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.50, Smithe', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 30 @ 35.
Flour, Sup. per bll. 6 @ 7; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6⅝ @ 7c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 14 @ 16 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.50.
Molasses per gal., ct. Cuba 40 @ 65c; New Orleans 90
Lamb per ℔, 15 @ 18 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 75 @ 80 cents.
Pork per bll., $23 @ $25.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 11 @12c; Gr. 13 @14; Crushed 15c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 80c.; Green, 90c. @ $1.
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Regular Secretion Essential to Health.

The regular secretion and flow of the gastric juices, and of the bile which the use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters promotes, are effects which conduce materially to the restoration of health, when the system is disordered. Food is not digested in the dyspeptic stomach because the gastric fluid is deficient, superabundant or vitiated;—the liver becomes congested and the bowels constipated because the supply of bile is inadequate or misdirected. The Bitters rectifies all this, and removes every ill consequence of non-assimilation and bilious irregularity. Furthermore, it stimulates the action of the kidneys, by which impurities are, so to speak, strained from the blood, and any tendency in the urinary organs to grow sluggish and disordered counteracted. Whether it be used as a means of regulating gastric or bilious secretion, and relieving the overloaded bowels, or to promote complete, and therefore healthful, urination, Hostetter's Bitters may be relied upon with confidence to accomplish the end in view.

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The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., is noted for its fine location and the unsurpassed elegance of its appointments.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, offers its 650 rooms on the "new specie basis," at $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Read the testimonials of eminent citizens to the wonderful curative powers of *Adamson's Balsam* for the cure of racking coughs, colds and consumption. Price 35 cents.

In the general distribution of medals, if it had been possible for the "International Jury of Award" to have given a medal to the best hotel in Philadelphia, this honor would have been received by the Colonnade, "for all the requisites of a model establishment in every respect."

Important to persons visiting New York or the Centennial. The Grand Union Hotel, New York, opposite the Grand Central Depot, has over 350 elegantly furnished rooms. Elevator, steam and all improvements. European plan. Carriage hire is saved, as baggage is taken to and from the depot free. Guests can live better for less money at the Grand Union than at any other first-class hotel. Stages and cars pass the Hotel constantly to all parts of the city, and to the Philadelphia depot.
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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, arket Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD ONE are hereby notified to meet at the **WARD ROOM** on Elm Street, *Friday Evening, Jan. 5th*, at 7½ o'clock, to elect delegates to the various Conventions.

WARD TWO.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD TWO will hold a Caucus at the **COURT HOUSE** on *Saturday Evening, Jan. 6th*, at 7½ o'clock, for the choice of delegates to the several Conventions. Per Order.

E. H. LESLIE, Secretary.

WARD THREE.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD THREE are hereby notified to meet at the **"GRANITE STATE" PLANING MILL**, on *Wednesday Evening, Jan. 3d*, at 7 o'clock, to choose delegates to attend the several Conventions to be held in this State previous to the next March Election, and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting.

Per Order.

N. H. REGISTER AND Business Directory for 1877.

Containing besides the usual matter in almanacs and diaries, a complete list of all State, County and Town Officers; of all the professional and business men in the State; of all Institutions, Corporations, Schools, Companies, etc., etc.; a list of all acts passed by the last Legislature; the Constitution of N. H. as it is; a map and many other matters too numerous to mention, the whole for

25 CENTS.

For Sale by *JOSEPH H. FOSTER.*

A REMEDY FOR HARD TIMES.

On and after January 1, 1877, the Subscriber will sell at the following rates:

FRESH PORK RIBS, 9 cts. per lb.
PORK STEAK, 10 cts. per lb.
PORTSMOUTH SAUSAGES, 10 cts.
" SUGAR-CURED HAMS, 15 cts.
Warranted better than any Western Hams.
SMOKED SHOULDERS, 12 1-2 cts.

OTHER CUT MEAT IN PROPORTION.

HENRY M. CLARK,
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30th Annual CHRISTMAS NOTICE, 1876.

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON,

Has just received his usual assortment of Christmas Stores, viz.:

CRANBERRIES, PRUNES,
CURRANTS, DATES,
RAISINS, NAPLES NUTS,
LONDON LAYER, do. CHESTNUTS,
SEEDLESS, do. ALMONDS,
FLAVORING EXT., BISCUIT,
SHELLBARKS, CITRON,
ASSORTED NUTS, FIGS,
SWEET HERBS, SPICES,
PICKLES, SAUCES, KETCHUPS, PRESERVES,
etc., etc., etc.

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SKATES! SKATES!

SKATES — NEW YORK CLUB OR RINK, DOUBLE CLAMP CLUB, ACME CLUB, STRAPPED CLUB, ROCKER & HALF ROCKER, ALSO A FULL LINE OF LADIES' — SKATES

CUTLERY!! CUTLERY!!

FRIEDMAN & LAUTERJUNG'S

CELEBRATED POCKET KNIVES.

A Large Assortment for the Holidays.
Every Knife Warranted!

ISAIAH WILSON,
37 CONGRESS STREET,
PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

TIMES ARE HARD

— BUT —

CHRISTMAS

IS COMING!

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JOS. H. FOSTER

Will sell his Stock of FANCY GOODS at prices which shall make it possible for every one to have a CHRISTMAS GIFT; he

offers many articles which cost $1 for 50 cts.,

And, for the sake of closing out his entire stock of DOLLS and TOYS before the New Year will almost give them away.

Beautiful large Biscuit DOLLS for *one-third of former prices;*—Small DOLLS of every price from one cent upwards.

Few this year will indulge in costly Christmas Presents, but all will find on his counters the best assortment of

NEW AND ELEGANT BOOKS,

adapted to every age and taste and at prices to suit every purse.

BIBLES, PRAYER BOOKS,
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ILLUSTRATED BOOKS,
JUVENILE BOOKS,
ALBUMS, SCRAP BOOKS,
&c., &c., &c., &c.

Come and See:—Whether You Buy or Not.

LOOK! LOOK!

WATCHES, CLOCKS, SILVER AND PLATED WARE, JEWELRY, SPECTACLES, etc., etc., etc.

A Large Assortment of New Goods

— FOR THE —

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TEA SETS, CAKE BASKETS, CASTORS, VASES, PICKLE DISHES, ETC., ETC.
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In fact all kinds of goods to be found in one line of business. Please call and examine our goods.

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CLOCKS and JEWELRY repaired at short notice.

MESSRS. C. E. & J. E. DIXON,
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Articles that are for wear, for use in the house, that will bless you in giving because they are

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and carry joy and happiness with them. A thing of beauty is a joy forever. What is more

DESIRABLE

than silver and gold? SPOONS, FORKS, BUTTER KNIVES, TABLE KNIVES, CASTORS, TEA SETS, PICKLE DISHES, CAKE BASKETS, etc., etc. Now ready for our

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We have also RINGS, PINS, BRACELETS, BUTTONS, STUDS, SETS IN GOLD AND PLATE, EARRINGS, CHARMS, CHAINS, WATCHES. All of our Stock will be offered at

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THIMBLES in Gold and Silver, entirely different from those kept at the shoe stores, which we mark with initials without extra charge; we recommend all to call early and make your selections don't put it off until you need them, come when there is time to look carefully. We have increased our sales every year for the last nine years, and shall do our part toward this year.

HUTCHINSON and CONNELL'S.

GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS

and also a full line of

LINEN COLLARS,

FOR SALE CHEAP AT

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WHAT HAS LONG BEEN NEEDED!

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Constantly on hand, consisting of

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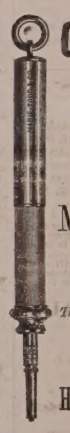
DRAWERS,
SUSPENDERS,
LINEN GOODS,
HANDKERCHIEFS

Of Every Description.

NOTICE.

THE WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE LEAGUE will hold its meetings at Rechabite Hall, THURSDAY afternoons of each week, at three o'clock, until further notice. All members are requested to attend.

G. E. RANDALL, *Secretary.*



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BOOTS, SHOES AND SLIPPERS,

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Lowest Possible Prices.

☞ *In Closing Out the Old Stock He* ☜
☞ *Will Offer Extra Inducements to* ☜
☞ *those in want of any Goods now on* ☜
☞ *hand, and will be replenishing his* ☜
☞ *Stock with new and the most desir-* ☜
☞ *able Goods manufactured.* ☜

CUSTOM WORK made to measure as formerly.

Also REPAIRING of every description done with neatness and dispatch.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

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Orders left at N. K. Walker & Son's Hat and Fur Store promptly filled.

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AT FRANKLIN HALL

ONE NIGHT ONLY,

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First appearance since his return from the late Indian War,

BUFFALO BILL COMBINATION,

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SUPPORTED BY

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The Poet Scout of the Black Hills, just from General Crook's Command, and the most talented dramatic company ever in this city, will appear in the new drama founded on incidents of the late Indian war, entitled:

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The scalping of the Indian Chief, Yellow Hand, by Buffalo Bill, occurred at the Battle of Indian Creek, July 17, 1876.

Prices as usual. Reserved Seats to be had at Preston's Drug Store, 4 days in advance.

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Thursday Eve'g, Jan. 4,

A THEATRICAL PERFORMANCE

Will be given in aid of the Portsmouth Reform Club, under the management of Messrs. PALFREY and SANBORN. The evening's entertainment will consist of the BURLESQUE,

ENTITLED,

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The Play contains a

Grand Civic and Military Display,
Successful Villainy,
Thwarted Ambition,
Songs, Choruses,
Terrific Combats,
Ballet,

and other numerous and startling effects!

☞ Admission, 25 cents; Reserved Seats, 35 cents.
☞ Doors open at 7 o'clock. Curtain rises at 7:30.
☞ Tickets for sale at Preston's, and at the door.

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5. Chaucer and Contemporaries.
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7. Shakespeare's Contemporaries and History of English Drama.
8. John Milton.
9. Prose Writers of 16th and 17th Centuries.
10. *To be announced.*

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To Let.

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To Let.

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Apply to J. C. CARR.

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A HOUSE on Melcher Street, near Pleasant. Ten rooms, water in house; rent low to one or two tenants. tf Apply at 34 PLEASANT ST.

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THE TWO FRONT ROOMS over the Rockingham National Bank. Apply at the Bank.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for house cellar.

Also, a few large and choice NORWAY SPRUCE Trees, for Fall setting. Apply to
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AGREEABLY to a vote of the City Councils, the Building Lots recently laid out on Woodbury, Sullivan, Thornton, Whipple, Stark, Bartlett, Dennett, Burkitt and Creek streets, near the City Farm, by the City of Portsmouth, are now offered for sale on favorable terms. For further information apply at the office of the City Clerk, where a plan of the Lots with the prices affixed, may be seen.

JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor.

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We have on hand a few part pieces of

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(*New Number.*)

C. E. MYERS & CO.

OVERCOATS.

W[illegible] and a few CUSTOM-MADE OVE[illegible]

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30†	P.M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

A CARD.

The New Year's Tea Party for Mothers at Faith Home, was a grand success; about forty-five mothers set down to the three heavy laden tables. Many said they never saw so many good things provided (just like the Portsmouth ladies) and of course many hearts were made to rejoice. Thanks are extended to those kind friends who so liberally sent of the best, especially to the gentleman who sent an order for groceries, and the lady who sent eighteen pounds of roast beef and many other other very nice things; also to the noble corps of workers, and to the stable keeper who so generously sent his carriages to carry home the feeble ones. After supper a very pleasant hour was spent in the chapel, with songs, and remarks from gentlemen present who would rather not be known to the public; and many were moved to tears. Our friends will not be surprised to know that we intend to meet again the first Monday in February, when we expect to have even a better time.

W. A. LOYNE.

THE TEMPLE.

"J. F." writes from Raymond as follows, concerning the late Temple:

It has been stated, since its burning, that Eld. Elias Smith used to preach in it. Eld. Smith was a Baptist minister, and settled in Portsmouth in December, 1802. While in town he became identified with the people called Christians. Mr. Smith held meetings first in a school house; next in the Court House, then near the North Church, where Dr. Buckminister preached. There were complaints that the meeting in the Court House disturbed the others, as some of the singing and speaking, there was very loud. In the warm season of 1803 a few persons, as related by Eld. Smith, in his life, written by himself, "purchased a lot on which stood a house twenty-five feet wide and about forty-five feet long. This was turned into a convenient place for meetings by making a plain pulpit, pews and a gallery." Was not this what became the Temple? Brewster in the "Rambles about Portsmouth" does not mention this structure. A history of this edifice would now be interesting. Let some one capable produce it. Let there be an account of its origin, enlargements, if any, the ministry of Eld. Moses Howe and others in it, and when it became a place for public lectures, etc.

JOTTINGS.

Buffalo Bill and Capt. Jack at Franklin Hall to-night, in "The Red Right Hand.' See advertisement.

We hear there is to be a concert at Miss Morgan's Seminary on Wednesday evening, January 3d, consisting entirely of amateur talent of a high order. Tickets twenty-five cents; for sale at Mr. Joseph Foster's bookstore.

The New Year's Ball of Kearsarge Engine Company was entirely successful, the attendance being very large and everything passing off satisfactorily. "The boys" have reason to feel flattered at the recognition of their deserving by the public, as evidenced by the amount and quality of patronage bestowed. It was the biggest ball of the season, and was thoroughly enjoyed by the participants.

A bright light, seen from this city Monday evening, was occasioned by the burning of a large planing mill in Newmarket. Some excitement was occasioned about town by a report that it was from the burning of the County Farm buildings at Brentwood.

The Portsmouth Reform Club have more than nine hundred voters on their roll; so perhaps they may exercise some influence on County and other nominations, if they start for it.

Hon. Frank A. Allen, formerly of this city, was inaugurated Mayor of Cambridge, Mass., on Monday.

The managers of the entertainment at Franklin Hall on Thursday evening, Jan. 4, in the burletta extravaganza of Artaximinous Ye Great, have concluded to reserve no seats, as heretofore announced. Hence 25 cents will admit any one to any part of the house.

Messrs. Michael E. Long, William H. Gardner, James Junkins and Charles E. Boynton have been drawn as jurors from Ward One, for the term of the Supreme Court to be held at Exeter on the 22d inst.

The train from Boston over the Eastern Railroad, due here shortly after ten o'clock, Monday forenoon, did not arrive until about half-past one. The forward engine was pretty well snowed up on arrival.

Schooner J. P. Ames was towed up on Tuesday, and taken to the vicinity of the marine railway at Kittery.

The schooner Alfred Brabrook, Capt. Phillips, which arrived at this port on Monday with over eight hundred tons of coal for the China Manufacturing Company, of Suncook, registers five hundred and sixty-two tons. Twenty years ago a ship of that tonage was not considered a small one.

Thomas Howe was arraigned before Chas. H. Bartlett, United States Commissioner, at Manchester on Monday, for perjury at Crohan the repeater's trial at Exeter last October, before the United States Circuit Court, Hon. Daniel Clark, judge. United States Attorney J. G. Hall appeared for the United States, and George Little for Howe, who was bound over in the sum of $500 to appear at the Circuit Court to be held in this city on the 8th of next May. Bail was furnished.

The first anniversary of the Reform Club takes place on Tuesday evening, the 9th inst., at Franklin Hall, for which extensive arrangements are making. An address will be given on the "Origin and Progress of this Body," followed by remarks by leading reformed men of the club. A promenade concert, picnic, supper and praise service will follow. Prominent representatives of other reform organizations are expected.

The Supreme Court (adjourned term) met in this city Tuesday forenoon, Judge Doe presiding. At the close of the forenoon session a meeting of the Rockingham Bar was held, Hon. Wm. B. Small presiding; and Hon. W. H. Y. Hackett, Albert R. Hatch, and Judge Stickney of Exeter, were appointed a committee to draft resolutions in reference to the late Daniel M. Christie.

Mr. Oliver W. Ham having resigned the Superintendency of the Creek Mission Sunday School, was on Monday evening presented by the teachers and scholars with a silver cake basket and half a dozen silver plated knives and forks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis B. Marden were on Monday evening surprised by a party of about forty friends, and a pleasant evening was passed with games "appropriate to the occasion," supper, and a social dance.

HAMPTON.

Mr. J. T. Wallace, who has held the position of Station Agent here for the past fifteen years, has been transfered to Rockport Station in Massachusetts. Mr. Wallace is a model officer, and his removal from Hampton is sincerely regretted by a host of friends. We congratulate the people of Rockport on the acquisition of so good an officer and citizen. Mr. Joseph P. Batchelder, who has been in the employment of the E. R. R. for twenty years or more, assumes charge as successor of Mr. Wallace. Mr. Batchelder is too well known for fidelity to his duties to require further praise from us.

Charles P. Akerman, also for some time past an employe of the road, has been appointed Station Agent at Hampton Falls. Mr. Akerman is a son of the late Meshech Akerman, formerly Station Agent at this place, and a native of Hampton Falls; and is well known as a trusty, faithful young man.

Mr. Wilbur contemplates building a steam box-factory, but whether on the spot of the one destroyed by fire or near the depot is as yet undecided. In either event he will give employment to a number of men.

The well known sportsman, Charles Perkins, recently brought in two seals weighing one hundred pounds each, three wild geese, two loons, and quite a string of small sea fowl as the result of one morning's work.

Charles G. Marston has taken charge of Leavitt's Mill, near North Beach, and already has his hands full of business.

David J. Lamprey, of North Hampton, is busily engaged with a large force of men and teams in filling the ice houses connected with the hotels and boarding houses in this vicinity. He also has contracts with the proprietors of the Atlantic House and other parties at Salisbury Beach, as well as at Exeter, for several thousand tons. A contract with Mr. Lamprey is a guarantee that the work will be promptly and faithfully performed.

An Act of Incorporation will be asked for from the next Legislature for a plank road from a point near Perkin's Mill to the Glade, so called, thereby shortening the distance from the Railroad Station to the South beach about one mile. METI.

—A young woman recently answered an advertisement for a dining-room girl, and the lady of the house seemed pleased with her. But before engaging her there were some questions to ask. "Suppose," said the lady—"Now only suppose, understand—that you were carrying a piece of steak from the kitchen and by accident should let it slip from the plate to the floor, what would you do in such a case?" The girl looked the lady squarely in the eye for a moment before asking: "Is it a private family, or are there boarders?" "Boarders," answered the lady. "Pick it up and put it on the plate," firmly replied the girl. She was engaged.

—A theatrical critic who had both arms and legs broken, all of his ribs staved in, and one side of his head demolished by the falling of the floor of the opera house in Sacramento, Cal., recently characteristically remarked, as he was being conveyed to the hospital on a stretcher, "This is the first time I ever knew the Peak family to bring down the house."

—A Paris paper says Baron, the singer, is of unusual height, so tall, indeed, that when he went to consult a doctor about a severe cold in the head, the physician said: "My friend, you must have got your feet wet last year."

MARRIED.

ROGERS—SHEAFE. In this city, Dec. 31, by Rev. J. Noyes, Mr. Jacob G. Rogers, of New York, and Miss Josephine Sheaf of this city.

DIED.

BEACHAM. In this city, Jan. 2, Mrs. Martha Maria Beacham, wife of Mr. Richard H. Beacham, aged 43 years, 10 months and 10 days.

☞ Funeral on Friday afternoon at two o'clock, from her late residence. Relatives and friends are invited to attend without further notice.

GODFREY. In Hampton, Mrs. Sally Godfrey, wife of Joseph Godfrey, aged about 80 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE

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"I am sure that I did," said the man.

"Mention the passage," said the deacon.

"I will," he said. "If the republicans scarcely are saved, where will the democrats appear."

"Ah," said the deacon, "you mistake; these were the words; 'if the righteous scarcely are saved, how will the wicked and ungodly appear?'"

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BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

In a late number a sketch of Gov. John Taylor Gilman and given. Now some account of his residence in Exeter will be put down.

This is on Water street, a little easterly of the old Baptist church. In that section of the village stores are mostly on the north side of the street and the house is on the south side. It is a little back from the street and a narrow passage way leads to it. The house faces the passage way and to the east. The dwelling is large, being two stories high above a basement at the north end and is quite long, so long that there are two front doors leading to the sets of rooms. A knocker is on one of the front doors at least, such as were somewhat common in old times.

All the appearances of this building are of great age. There is no appearance of any paint having been put on the outside. Of course its appearance is rather dark and dingy. Yet when Governor Gilman was in office sixty years ago and more, it may have made a fair show when compared with many other residences of distinguished persons.

The barn does not look well, and probably never did. But there was great neglect of barns seventy-five and a hundred years ago. It is small, seemingly about square, with four roof sides, and at the west rests on a foundation of round stones, built up like a common stone wall five or six feet high.

Gov. Gilman left his house here some years before his death in 1828, and resided on Front street a little westerly of Gorham Hall, formerly the Swampscott House. In his former dwelling resided Col. Peter Chadwick, Clerk of the Court for some years.

One of the grand old elms for which Exeter is noted, stood near this house in Gov. Gilman's time, also in Col. Chadwick's. It is now gone, but a small one, perhaps of twelve or fifteen years' growth, has come up in its place.

Remarkable Escape.

The schooner Ann E. Carll, of Northport, Capt. Tyler, before reported wrecked on Layo Key, south coast of Cuba, was driven about by a hurricane for four days, and on the fifth, after beating over two coral reefs she was forced hard aground on this key, a small, desolate sand island, the only inhabitants of which were a great number of alligators, which swarmed around during the first night and came near devouring the crew, being only kept off by a fire which they succeeded in kindling. The key is about sixty miles from the mainland, and out of the usual track of vessels.

Soon after the Carll had thus been wrecked, her crew were the fortunate means of saving a Spanish and an English crew, whose vessels had gone to pieces, and Captain Tyler, finding that he had to divide his scanty store of provisions with these brothers in misfortune—there being now thirty-five persons on the island—and that starvation would soon be staring them in the face, sent his mate and one seaman in a boat to Cienfuegos, about 100 miles distant, with instructions to ask assistance from the United States Consul at Havana. On hearing the facts, the Spanish Government as soon as possible sent a gunboat with provisions for the relief of the shipwrecked crews, who were found in an almost famished condition, Captain Tyler having meantime shot with his rifle three alligators, which were skinned and eaten.

The mate chartered in Havana the brig Perces Hinkley in which to ship the cargo and what was saved of the wreck to New York. They had a very rough voyage, occupying thirty-eight days, when they put in at Hatteras Inlet, with all sails blown away and all on board nearly starved, having for eight days been on short allowance of biscuit and water. The schooner had been unfortunate, having twice before been wrecked—once off Norfolk, Va., and once on Block Island. By the final misfortune Jesse Carll, of Northport, who owned about one half the vessel, loses about $7000, on which he had but little insurance.

—The time is out; the sands of the one-hundredth are quite run; but here is material for a Centennial dime novel. It is the romance of a poor young man in Washington who was too proud to ask his relatives for pocket-money, and yet felt that he must go to Philadelphia and see the great show. He joined the police force on the Centennial grounds. One day he saw in the crowd a face which had graced the social circle of his rich relatives in the District. He laid aside his badge, uniform and stick, and called in the evening. His visits became more frequent and culminated in an elopement. When the anxious father found the high-toned policeman and the bride, he was told that they were married. He would not believe it. They swore that it was so—at least the bridegroom did. The father said that a second marriage would do no harm, and, flourishing a revolver over their heads, led them before a minister. 'Tis not every man who can be married twice without changing his sweetheart; but he is living in New York to-day.

—Brown, poor as a church mouse, married a rich widow. Soon, stretched upon his death-bed, he made the following codicil to his will: "I bequeath to my loving wife all her property, provided she forever remains a widow".

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 4, 1877.

The Doomed Man.

Governor Chaney, in accordance with a time-honored custom, paid a visit to Major, the Wilton wife poisoner, at the State Prison, on the 2d inst. The condemned man, aware that but few days remained for him to live, conversed freely with the Governor on matters temporal and spiritual. When asked if he had a confession to make, he declared his innocence. He spoke feelingly of his children, and said he hoped they would mature to a true manhood and womanhood and be useful members of society.

The execution will take place in the prison, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 2 P. M., on Friday. Only a limited number of cards of admission will be issued.

The Two Governors.

The difference between the two Presidential candidates, which was so plainly shown in their letters of acceptance, and made even more plain to the public by their widely differing conduct in the Presidential canvass, has received another illustration in their recent messages to the Legislatures of their respective States. Tilden was so determined to have a good word spoken for him that he spoke it himself, his message largely glorifying his work of reform, and giving Governor Tilden and his administration a whole-souled endorsement.

Governor Hayes, in his message, congratulates the officers in charge of the State offices and institutions upon the gratifying condition of State affairs, and predicts a short and harmonious session. The State debt has been reduced during the past year almost $1,500,000. He recommends the passage of a registry law, and concludes by advising an amendment to the State Constitution, to provide for holding State election in the year in which a Presidential election occurs, on the day of the Presidential election. Gov. Hayes leaves praise of his own administration to others—where he may safely leave it.

Rochester.

ROCHESTER, Jan. 2.

Rochester is now without a representation at the county jail, but the tax collector is of the opinion that he shall have to be filling up the Rochester quota unless the taxes come in better than they have. He had $48,000 to collect and has collected $31,000, leaving $17,000 to be collected, or over $300 per day between now and March meeting. Ten per cent. interest is now being charged on all unpaid taxes, and with money at four and five per cent. it would seem a stroke of policy for the tax-payer to wipe out his tax even if he has to hire the money.

Rev. Ezra Haskell, with his Massachusetts detectives, was in Rochester to-day, and occupied the Police Court with liquor complaints. No "open bars" were found, but one man sold from a bottle and two others sold cider. Two cases were found against each, and they were bound over in the sum of $300 each. The prohibition feeling in this town runs high, and reputable citizens who have not been concerned in the liquor traffic have found their families ostracised in social life and themselves in their business affairs, because they have not been active in the prohibitory movement, or have questioned the policy of carrying it to the extreme; and several heavy tax-payers have disposed (or are attempting to dispose) of their property here, as they say they will not live in a place run entirely on the one idea plan. At present, if you are an extreme prohibitionist you are a good Christian, in Rochester; if you are a "moderate" man you are of no account, socially, morally or physically. The danger is that the whole thing will be run into the ground.

Why the various railroads do not combine and erect one grand union depot here, is a puzzle. At present each road has a small and inconvenient depot for its own business—in fact, railroad depots are stuck around in the sand almost anywhere. No matter what road you come in on, or in what direction you wish to go, you must cross all the tracks of all the other railroads before you can get anywhere. For a place with so many depots we can boast of the worst depot accommodations of any place in the world.

The letter of Hon. Charles S. Whitehouse, declining to again be a candidate for member of Congress from this district, leaves the field clear for somebody,—who, is not yet clear. Hon. John J. Morrill is a strong man, and can undoubtedly be elected if nominated,—just as certainly as Mr. Whitehouse would have been elected two years ago but for the treachery of certain individuals who had long been honored and well cared for by the republican party. Mr. Whitehouse would have been elected this year, and his friends tried hard to get him to run; but his business engagements demand his whole time, and he refused to decede to their desires. NEBO.

News and Notes.

Schooners Walter Irring and Massachusetts went ashore near Cape Cod light in a recent gale, and went to pieces. All hands saved except the cook of the Massachusetts. An unknown schooner, coal laden, was wrecked on Wood End.

Affairs in the East look very threatening. The Turkish government does not seem inclined to agree to the terms submitted by the Conference, and all the Ambassadors will quit Constantinople if the Porte finally refuses compliance.

Schooner May Queen, of Gloucester, went on shore on Coney Island Ledge at three o'clock the morning of the 2d inst., and will probably be a total loss. The life-boat from Marblehead took off the crew about ten o'clock, as soon as the signal usually given by the keeper of the lighthouse in cases of distress was discovered. The May Queen was engaged in bay fishing and went ashore in the blinding snow storm while trying to make a harbor. The crew suffered terribly until rescued by the life-boat.

A tremendous gale has been raging on the Atlantic coast of France. Two villages were threatened with destruction by high water. Several lives have been lost. One of the telegraph cables between France and England has parted.

Ex-President Lerdo and staff of Mexico are now in the state of Jalisco with about one-half of the Mexican army, and expect to make a successful fight against Diaz and regain the city of Mexico. If defeated he will flee to California.

Queen Victoria was formally proclaimed Empress of India at Delhi, India, on New Year's Day, with great display and pomp.

Melvina Cook, the girl who was burned at ex-Governor Washburne's house in Portland on Sunday, died at the Maine Hospital Monday night.

The steamship Emilie sank near Key West on the night of Jan. 1st, in six fathoms of water. Only one man and an infant are known to be lost, but a boat load of passengers are missing. Steamers have gone out in search of the missing passengers. The mails were lost.

Three bodies have been washed ashore from the vicinity of the wreck of the Circassian. Fourteen other bodies were found near Montauk Point, thirteen miles from the scene of the disaster.

An avalanche in Utah buried the Wellington Mine boarding house, and cost four men their lives.

William Harris, a hotel-waiter out of employment, nearly severed his head from his body in Boston on Tuesday night, with a razor. He leaves a wife and child.

James Gordon Bennett's marriage to Miss Ida May, which has been announced as a sure event and then contradicted several times, was finally announced to take place on Thursday, Jan. 4th, sure pop. Now it is said the young lady's father broke off the match on Saturday, Dec. 30th, by refusing his consent.

The engineers' strike on the Grand Trunk Railroad in Canada continues, with no present prospect of a settlement. The mails are delayed and trade seriously interrupted. One engineer has been lodged in jail to protect him from the strikers. Troops have been called for to protect the road.

P. S. A dispatch from Montreal, Wednesday afternoon, announced the strike ended but gave no particulars.

Barne, the "recalcitrant witness" who refuses to give up private telegrams to the House committee, was brought before the House on Wednesday and given till Friday to answer.

Nine laborers were killed and thirty injured by a railroad train running off the track near Copenhagen recently. This is the first fatal railway accident in Denmark.

New Hampshire Items.

The Dover Common Council organized on Wednesday by electing Mr. George F. Mosher, editor of the *Morning Star*, as President, and Henry A. Redfield, Clerk. The net indebtedness of the city is $207,748.17.

The Trustees of the New Hampshire State Agricultural College held a meeting in Concord on the 3d, when the resignation of President Smith, President of Dartmouth College and also of the Agricultural College, was received.

There is great excitement in Dover over the liquor prosecutions. Rev. Ezra Haskell has for three weeks been gathering evidence against the liquor dealers of Dover and other towns, and upon his complaint they are now coming into court. Michael Conlon, arraigned on four complaints, recognized in $200 on each complaint; John D. Durkin, on four cases, recognized in the same amount. There are three cases against John Meserve, three against James Morgan, four against Michael Killoran, two against John Roberts and three against Bernard Oates. All these are Dover parties. Mr. Haskell has secured evidence against every dealer in the city, and has writs made out ready to be served on dealers in Great Falls, Salmon Falls, Rochester and other places in Strafford County. Eben Capen of Barrington was arraigned on complaint of keeping for sale, pleaded guilty and paid $64, and has two writs more hanging over his head.

Capt. Ferris of Wisconsin cannot wear the laurels as the oldest Mason in this country any longer. Col. Nathan Huntoon of Unity, Sullivan county, N. H., has been a Mason seventy years, and will be ninety-five years of age if he lives till March next.

Julia Cobb, a native of Marion, Mass., dropped dead on the 1st at Woodstock. She was a school-teacher and had been in poor health.

In the will of the late William Andrews of Dover, some forty people have been remembered. The Dover Library received $2000, the Unitarian Church $1000, and the Unitarian Association $2000.

James H. Jepson, now in jail charged with attempting murder at Warner in a drunken row a few weeks ago, proves to have treated a faithful wife with unusual brutality. Tiring of her, he knocked her down with a chair, and dragged her by the hair till he forced her to a false confession of adultery, then locking her without covering in the attic, and afterwards compelling her to tell similar stories to his companions. The woman is found to have been terribly abused, and, if she does not die, can never fully recover.

Political.

The Maine Legislature organized on Wednesday by the choice of the following officers: Thomas W. Hyde, of Bath, President of the Senate; S. W. Lane and C. W. Tilden, Secretaries; E. B. Neally, of Bangor, Speaker of the House; Oramandel Smith and Edwin C. Burleigh, Clerks. The democrats supported Edwin Stone of Biddeford for Speaker of the House.

Vance, the fire-eating ex-rebel who was counted in as Governor of North Carolina, in his inaugural breathes forth fire and slaughter to a moderate extent in case Tilden is not made President. Talk is cheap.

Mr. Drew, the democratic candidate for Governor of Florida, was peacefully inaugurated on the 2d inst., the republicans acquiescing quietly as they were expected to do. The democrats now seem to have gained control of the State government.

David Dudley Field was on Tuesday elected to Congress from the seventh New York district in place of Smith Ely, Jr., resigned. Mr. Field was Boss Tweed's counsel, the adviser of Jim Fisk and the Erie Ring, and is a staunch Tilden reformer.

—Words of a dying cannibal:—"Write me down as one who loved his fellow men."

—Rhoda Boughton speaks in one of her novels of "a resurrection pie, in which all the atrocities of the past week hold dreadful rendezvous in one abominable pasty."

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Burning Fluid, per gallon, 30 @ 35c.
Corn per bushel, Western 60c; Northern 75c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 30 @ 35.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. $ @ 7; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 7c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 14 @ 16 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.50.
Molasses per gal. N. Orl. 40 @ 65c; New Orleans 90
Lamb per lb, 13 @ 18 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 75 @ 80 cents.
Pork per bbl., $23 @ $25.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, .90
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Gr. 11 @ 10c; Gr. 12 @ 14; Crushed 15c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 80c.; Green, 90c. @ $1.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	107¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	117
United States Ten-Forties cupon	113
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	113
Maine State 6s, 1889	116
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. cpn	51
Portsd. Gt. Falls & Conway 5s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	45
Boston & Maine	96
Boston & Providence	130
Boston & Albany	128
Nashua & Lowell	88
Concord	78
Eastern	5
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Cheraw	4.43
Northern N. H.	64
Old Colony & Newport	103
P. S. & P.	5
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

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NOTICE--W. T. U.

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G. E. RANDALL, *Secretary.*

—When women wore crinoline they looked like this O. Now that they are pinned back they look like this 1.

—A slight mistake at a christening.—Clergyman (who has forgotten the day of the month)—"Let me see; this is the—ah—the thirteenth, I believe!" Fond mother (not catching the idea exactly, but thinking of her family)—"Why, bless your stars! No, this is only the eleventh!"

DIED.

NORTON. In this city, Jan. 4, Mr. James Norton.

DRAKE. In Rye, Jan 3, Mary A. Drake, wife of Mr. Colin Drake, aged 51 years and 7 months.

DOW. In South Seabrook, Dec. 30, Charles Alfred Dow, aged 19 years and 9 months.

GREENE. In Hampton Falls, Dec. 19, Mrs. Phebe H. Greene, formerly of Pittsfield, aged 68 years.

BARTLETT. In Hampstead, Dec. 20, Miss Lois Bartlett, aged 56 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch E W Rowley, for this port, in Boston lower harbor Jan 2.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD ONE are hereby notified to meet at the **WARD ROOM** on Elm Street, *Friday Evening, Jan. 5th*, at 7½ o'clock, to elect delegates to the various Conventions.

WARD TWO.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD TWO will hold a Caucus at the **COURT HOUSE** on *Saturday Evening, Jan. 6th*, at 7½ o'clock, for the choice of delegates to the several Conventions. Per Order.

E. H. LESLIE, Secretary.

WARD FOUR.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD FOUR will meet at the South Ward Room on Friday evening at 7 o'clock, to choose delegates to the various Conventions.

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SKATES — NEW YORK CLUB OR RINK, DOUBLE CLAMP CLUB, ACME CLUB, STRAPPED CLUB, ROCKER & HALF ROCKER, ALSO A FULL LINE OF LADIES' — SKATES

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FRESH PORK RIBS, 9 cts. per lb.
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7. Shakespeare's Contemporaries and History of English Drama.
8. John Milton.
9. Prose Writers of 16th and 17th Centuries.
10. *To be announced.*

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JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor.

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LaFayette Laighton.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4 45 "
Portland	9 45 "		4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "		6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9 45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.25	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

PORTSMOUTH SAVINGS BANK.

The following extract from the records of a special meeting of the Trustees of the Portsmouth Savings Bank needs no explanation:

Jan. 1, 1877.

The President of the Portsmouth Savings Bank received the following letter from the Treasurer:

To the President and Trustees of the Portsmouth Savings Bank:

GENTLEMEN: My health is such that it will probably be some time before I can perform the duties of my office. I would therefore ask of you to choose a temporary Treasurer. Respectfully yours,

J. F. SHORES, Treasurer.

The President called a special meeting of the Trustees, Jan. 2d, and submitted to them the letter of the Treasurer, which having been read, on motion of Mr. Hackett, the Trustees voted to act upon the suggestion of the Treasurer and proceeded by ballot to the choice of a Treasurer *pro tem.*

Whole number of votes	13
For George Tompson	4
For Joseph H. Foster	9

On motion by William H. Rollins,

Voted, That the Committee on Accounts be requested to make the customary thorough examination into the condition of the Bank before the Treasurer *pro tem.* enters upon his duties, and report to the Trustees at their semi-annual meeting.

Voted, That the compensation of the Treasurer *pro tem.* be at the rate paid to the permanent Treasurer.

OUR CITY POLICY.

Messrs. Editors of Chronicle: Your correspondent "Why Not" appears to have hit the nail—in fact to have hit *two* nails, square on the head in his remarks concerning the Dover Railroad and Portsmouth city farm. The farm appears to be kept and run, of late years, mainly as a political machine, for either party, and a retreat for political favorites; and as for the railroad—that will doubtless constitute a perpetual sinking fund for city bonds and taxes; but why any but paid advocates should recommend this—and especially why any republicans should vote to put still more railroad power and patronage into the unscrupulous partisan hands of our B. B. and XX Congressman, to lash themselves still harder with, is really a mystery. DIO.

JOTTINGS.

The Woman's Temperance League will hold its meetings at the headquarters of the Reform Club in Badger's Block on Daniel street, until further notice.

The number of arrivals at the port of Portsmouth from foreign ports for the year ending Dec. 31, 1876, was 32, viz: 4 brigs, 887 tons: 28 schooners, 2729 tons. During the same period 573 vessels arrived from coastwise ports, viz: 1 barque, 338 tons: 10 steamers, 6379 tons: 4 brigs, 674 tons: 558 schooners, 89,033 tons. Total number of arrivals, 604, with an aggregate tonnage of 93,037 tons. This does not include fishing schooners or steamers, government vessels, or vessels putting in here for a harbor.

Mr. James F. Jenness had his left shoulder dislocated on Sunday by being thrown from his sleigh when near the young ladies' seminary. If he was driving on Miller avenue the only wonder is that he didn't break his neck also, so bad was the travelling; and if he had tried to drive through Broad street he would probably have had to add to his list of damages a broken sleigh, two broken legs for himself and four broken legs for his horse.

Sheriff Kent has appointed Charles W. Gardner, Esq., of this city, a deputy sheriff.

Schooner Sarah E. Babson, of Newburyport, which is fishing out of this port for the winter, was out in the heavy gale on Friday night, Dec. 29th, but rode it out, and has since come into port with an excellent fare of fish.

Should an alarm of fire occur while the travelling is in its present objectionable condition, people need not be surprised to see the fire engines come tearing up street behind a yoke or two of oxen, those useful and reliable but not particularly fast animals having been substituted for horses, and being now kept in readiness at the engine houses.

The train which left this city at half-past eight o'clock Tuesday forenoon, and should have arrived in Boston at a quarter before eleven, did not arrive there until after noon, and had increased to twenty heavily loaded passenger cars and seven engines before it got there.

The mammoth Cornucopia of candy, at the store of Messrs. Thompson, in Mechanics' block, was divided beiween Mr. Frank W. Miller and Mr. Payson of Harlow's Band, they each guessing the weight at five pounds, which was just one and a half ounces too little. The guesses,—which were made from sight only, as it could not be handled,—varied from three to fifty-six pounds, though there was but one guess above twenty-eight pounds.

This evening, at Franklin Opera Hall, "Artaximinous ye Great" will be presented by Messrs. Palfrey and Sanborn, assisted by a brilliant array of local talent. The play is a revised, enlarged and improved edition of the burlesque "Bombastes Furioso," and includes in its attractions original music and a ballet, political hits, etc.; and if there is less of the "blood and thunder" element in it and its performance than in a recent "dramatic entertainment" given here, we are sure it will be quite as worthy the patronage of people of taste and humor. The play is given with an excellent object—to aid the Reform Club—and tickets are only 25 cents to any part of the hall.

We have received from Roberts Brothers, publishers, of Boston, "*Sappho*," a tragedy in five acts, translated from the German of Grillparzer by Ellen Frothingham. Also, "*Sunshine in the Soul*," (one of the "Wisdom Series,") a collection of short religious poems selected by the editor of "Quiet Hours." These little books are very neatly printed and handsomely bound.

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The Cincinnati *Times* Company has issued to the subscribers to the *Weekly Times*, a very neat *Hand-book*, containing tables rendering it of value for reference, and many features of interest. It is issued to the paper's subscribers only, and is not sold.

We have received the *New Hampshire Register* and Business Directory for 1877, from the Claremont Manufacturing Co., publishers and proprietors. They say: "If you think it worth a notice, favorable or otherwise, we shall be glad to see a copy of your paper containing such notice. If you have no time or do not wish to examine it, don't copy anything out of the preface, for there isn't any, nor from the editorial, for it may take you a good while to find that." We have examined it, and find it filled with valuable matter. Besides the usual astronomical calculations and liberal room for memoranda, there is a complete business directory for every town and city in the State; lists of town and county officials; State government, legislature, etc.; tabular statement, by towns, of vote for Governor, valuation and apportionment; names of papers; list of savings banks,—and lots of other useful tables. Price 25 cents; for sale at the bookstores.

The New York *Herald* of Wednesday had a special (and exclusive) despatch from this city, detailing a raid by Michael Joyce of this city, and two other men, on the U. S. S. "Canandaigua" at the navy yard, for the purpose of stealing metal. A full account was given of a fight between the thieves and Watchmen McDonald and Falem, which resulted in Joyce's death from a bullet through the lungs, and the escape of his confederates. Of Joyce it is said "he was a citizen and a property owner of Portsmouth, and during Mayor P. G. Thomas' administration was Chief of Police." There are some trifling errors in this account; this city never had a Mayor named P. G. Thomas, and Michael Joyce was not Chief of Police under him; no such watchmen as those named are employed on the yard, and the "Canandaigua" is not at this naval station. With these exceptions the account of the affair is correct, save that there has been no raid on any vessel and no fight in repelling it.

At a republican caucus in Ward Three, Wednesday evening, delegates to the various conventions were chosen, as follows: *State*—Daniel H. Spinney, Allen Greenough; *Congressional*—Charles A. C. Gray, James M. Jarvis; *County*—Horace Wiggin, George Webber; *Councillor*—Charles Whidden, Frank E. Marden; *Senatorial*—Samuel S. Whidden, Andrew M. Gardner.

The Congressional Nomination.

The name of Hon. John J. Morrill, of Gilford, has been mentioned in connection with the republican Congressional nomination in the First District. If our memory is not at fault Mr. Morrill was among the leading candidates at the last Convention, although he had no knowledge that his name was to be presented, and quite a number of his votes came from this section of the District. His reputation for honesty, sound common sense and square dealing is unassailable, and if he is nominated he will carry the strength of the party and be elected, and worthily represent the District in Congress. The following, which we copy from the Lake Village *Times*, shows that a good man may have honor in his own country:

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—About every girl in the country asked her fellow last week what size boots he wore, and he told her a lie of three sizes, though perfectly well aware that the slippers would pinch his feet entirely out of shape. All is vanity.

—School girls have substituted pennants for pendants in earrings; their latest device consists of small bows of gros-grain ribbon in all shades, tied in rings.

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Woman's intellect is no longer cramped, as when Paul lived and wrote. Woman need no longer hide her head. Customs have changed with the changing ages, and it is not necessary for women to be always veiled in the streets, as in the days when for them to go out with features exposed was an indication of immodesty. A wider field, a nobler sphere, is opening to women. It is written in the second chapter of Acts, 17th verse, "Your sons and your daughters shall prophesy; your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams." "Your daughters shall prophesy!" That's it. The word "prophesy" includes all that is now understood by preaching. St. Paul, the defendant continued, was merely noting errors in the Corinthian church when he wrote the words, "Let your women keep silence in the churches; for it is a shame for women to speak in the church." They had babbling women among them then; and even in this favored land, babbling, gossipping women are not unknown. It was such as these that the Apostle desired to silence. The point he wished to make was that all preaching should be for purposes of edification.

Mr. See then read part of an article, written by Dr. Armitage, describing the immodesty of many of the Corinthian women, who mixed in assemblies with the other sex, talking loud among themselves, interrupting the speakers with questions, and creating disturbance in the congregation. This class of women it was to whom St. Paul referred.

The whole amount of this matter, continued the defendant, is that you want me to promise not to do it any more. With nothing against it on your statute books, with no injunction forbidding it in your Confession of Faith, without a word condemning it in the Holy Scriptures, unless it be that which I am sure does not condemn it, you still ask me not to do it any more. Brethren, you see where I stand.

Practical Christianity.

In last October, a farmer with his wife and three children left the Scotch Presbyterian settlement in Western Pennsylvania to which he belonged, and set out to the Black Hills in the hope of mending his fortunes. Ill-luck steadily followed him. On reaching the Hills, he was struck down with fever and lay helpless for weeks, nursed by the miners. In November his wife gave birth to a baby, and died the next day. The camp had now the father, who was sinking day by day, and four hapless children on its hands. A widow, Mrs. R. A. Kilbury, heard of the trouble and came to see what was to be done. The baby was weak and sickly, and after a few days she declared it impossible to keep it alive through the terrors of a winter in camp with the thermometer 30 degrees below zero. The only safety for any of the children was to go back to their home in Pennsylvania. A wagon train was to pass the camp in a few days on its way to Fort Laramie. The miners prepared a wagon, furnished it with a feather bed, and contributed money for the journey, and the brave little woman gathered together a spirit lamp, provisions, and such poor comforts as could be had for the children. The train arrived; every miner was busy making them ready; one brought his bedding, another clothes; there was not a dry eye in the camp when the poor babies were taken in to say good-by to their dying father. After he had kissed them for the last time, he turned his face to the wall, and they were hastily carried out and started upon their long and perilous journey. Their kind friend was the only woman in a train of thirteen wagons; one of her helpless charges, be it remembered, was a baby two weeks old. The cold was extreme; several times the wagons were blocked by snow; twice attacked by scouting parties of Indians; but this woman and her children were made a sacred charge. At night her wagon was placed in the center of the corral, the others forming a line of defense about it. They reached a railroad station at last, and she was put safely aboard the cars. The Pittsburg *Dispatch* states that she arrived with the children at their old home, delivered them to their grandparents and immediately started on her return to the Black Hills.

—One of the Boston women's clubs has been discussing Cleopatra, and there seems to be a good deal of feeling against her there. No special reason is given for it, but it probably arises from the fact that there is no record of her wearing a green veil and goloshes when travelling, nor that it was her custom to read Locke on the Mind and eat ham sandwiches out of a brown paper in the cars, and the natural presumption is that she was a frivolous person and probably visited in New York.—*Norwich Bulletin.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 5, 1877.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 30.

The war against the gamblers who reap rich harvests here every winter, grows decidedly interesting; and in the absence of anything startling from Capitol hill, absorbs a good deal of attention. When the *National Republican* left Fernando Wood *hors du combat*, a few days ago, it immediately trained its guns on the score of gambling dens of this city, which, with their companions in vice, the gruggeries of high and low degree, diffuse the moral poison emanating from them throughout this community, filling our jail and the Insane Asylum with their dupes, and occasionally driving the more reckless among their victims to terminate their ruined lives by the suicide's method. The *Republican* has received the active co-operation of nearly every church in the city and that of a large majority of the intelligent residents of this District, in its crusade against the gambling hells; and the result is that the old resorts have been closed, and what gambling is now done is conducted very secretly in out of the way places, but which will not remain long undiscovered. Although the testimony thus far adduced before the Board of Police Commissioners does not directly prove collusion between the police department and the gamblers, it does prove that there has been an open violation of the law for many years, with the full knowledge and tacit approval, apparently, of the police force of this city, and yesterday at the close of the investigation for the day, a lead was struck which promised startling revelations, and created much consternation in police circles. The investigation is still in progress, and there is evinced a determined purpose to drive the iniquitous combination from the District, and to thoroughly expose the means by which they have been able to defy the law and secure exemption from punishment for years.

A few months ago a marriage was announced to soon take place between a young couple, members of two of the most exclusive, thoroughly aristocratic families of Georgetown. The young gentleman in question was known about town as rather "fast," and also in a limited way by his reckless operations as a real estate broker. The denouement came just in season to save the young lady. In short, the candidate for matrimonial honors was detected in ornamenting some of the checks upon which he drew money, and some of the notes he gave for a like purpose, with the name of his father, without parental authority. Of course "genteel society" was appropriately shocked, and the marriage contract was not fulfilled. The grand jury found an indictment and this week his trial commenced. His father labored hard to save him. The crime was admitted but an attempt at defense was made on the plea of insanity. While the jury were deliberating as to their verdict, the defendent was suddenly prostrated by an alarming hemorrhage. After being out twenty-three hours the jury were discharged, unable to agree. In the meantime the prisoner was removed to his father's house, where he now lies, slowly bleeding to death.

The resignation of Mr. Durell, Commissioner of Patents, excites very little comment in political circles. He has been a very popular official and he still retains the confidence of his personal friends, among them many democrats, notwithstanding the irregularities which have recently come to light in the Pension Bureau.

The prospect for a brilliant society campaign this winter is not promising, although it may brighten up after the close of the holidays. Whether it is the result of the business depression or the uncertainties hanging about the Presidential succession, certain it is that there is little disposition manifested to indulge in the extravagant expenditures usual at this season, by the leaders of society at the National Capital. The theatres too, have had a very unprofitable season up to date. Taken all in all, the policy of retrenchment will have many new advocates here this winter. MAXWELL.

Reform!

Cronin, the bogus Tilden Elector from Oregon, testified under oath on Wednesday that he received $3000 for taking the course he did, and that he was promised an office under the Tilden administration into the bargain. Cronin's testimony was sent on in the regular Associated Press dispatches, but the democratic Boston *Post* and the "independent" Boston *Herald* suppressed it, and other Tilden and reform organs have done the same—probably under orders from "the Bureau."

News and Notes.

The store of B. Farnsworth of Wells, Me., was entered by burglars Tuesday night. The safe was blown open, fifty dollars in money and a quantity of fancy articles, cigars, etc. were taken.

Hon. E. H. Banks of Biddeford, Me., has tendered his resignation as Treasurer of York county, to accept the position of Treasurer of State.

The list of the killed, wounded, missing, and rescued persons of the Ashtabula disaster now stands as follows: Number of passengers on train 128; employes on train 19; total 147. Rescued: passengers 63, employes 9; total 72. Died since, passengers 3, employes 1; total 4. Names of known rescued 72, lost 70, unaccounted for 5; total 147.

The Presbytery of Newark, by a vote of 36 to 12, found Rev. Mr. See guilty of violating the Scriptures by allowing women to preach.

The unknown vessel reported ashore at Wood End was the three-masted schooner Charles E. Gibson, Capt. Emery, from Boston for Martinique, and she was not on shore, but anchored close in, with her head gear gone, she having been in collision off Race Point Wednesday morning with schooner Howard Macomber, the latter vessel having both masts broken short off and her hull cut down, causing her to sink at once. The Macomber's crew got on board the other vessel, saving only what they stood in. She was coal laden.

It is reported that the mail steamer Nuevo Cubano, plying between the Island of Pines and Batabano south shore, Cuba, has been captured in a similar fashion to the Montezuma. The run between these points is generally made in twelve hours, and at the last accounts the Nuevo Cubano had been out over five days. She had on board a large number of political prisoners, who were being sent to the Island of Pines to work. An uprising is expected in Vuelto Abajo, on the western end of Island. The Military Governor of Remedios has offered five dollars in gold to all Cuban deserters, and twenty dollars each if they bring a good horse. The Governor of Moron has ordered that all the able-bodied men in the city shall enlist as Spanish soldiers within eight days.

The Portland *Press* has been defendant in a libel suit brought by a Mr. Stacy, and the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff. Damages $1. Under the law in Maine only one quarter of the amount of damages is added for costs. It is understood that Stacy will appeal.

The suit of Henry W. Boody vs Samuel J. Tilden and others was before Judge Speir, in the Special Term of the Superior Court at New York, on Wednesday. The complaint was that Tilden belonged to the pool in the Chicago & Galena Union Railroad Company to consolidate it with the Chicago & Northwestern, and that Tilden overdrew his supposed profits by $22,000. The answer was that Tilden never took shares in the pool, and that the shares he owned were bought from Wm. B. Ogden. No appearance for the plaintiff being made when the case was called, the complaint was dismissed.

The New York *Commercial Advertiser* of the 3d inst. says "a very unpleasant affair took place this afternoon between Mr. May and James G. Bennett. It is known that for some reason the marriage engagement between Mr. Bennett and Miss May was broken off a few days since. This afternoon one of Miss May's brothers encountered Mr. Bennett in front of the Union Club Building, on Fifth avenue, and assaulted him with a club, striking him on the head, which so stunned Mr. Bennett that he fell. He instantly recovered himself and wrested the club from May, when a tussle took place between them, Mr. Bennett dealing Mr. May, who is a larger man than he is, some very heavy blows. Finally Mr. Heckster interfered and separated the parties. Neither was very much injured. Many rumors are afloat with reference to the true cause which prompted the breaking of the engagement. The generally accepted belief is that Miss May's friends were dissatisfied with Mr. Bennett's habits of life, and told him so, and in consequence the engagement was broken by mutual consent."

For the first time in the memory of the oldest inhabitant they have sleighing in Shreveport, La.

Commodore Vanderbilt died at 11 o'clock A. M., Thursday.

Steamship Olympia, at New York, brought into port the officers, crew and two passengers of British brig Louisa, of St. Kitts. When first sighted, the brig was lying with foremast and half of her mainmast gone. The crew became so tortured by thirst that they were once tempted to aggravate the agony by drinking sea water; others endured the torture, although their tongues became so swollen they protruded from their mouths.

The New York *Graphic* says: "There is a rumor in town that Charles A. Dana, of the New York *Sun*, has been compelled to fly the country in consequence of the criminal libel suit instituted against him by ex-Gov. Shepherd, of Washington, whose name he coupled infamously with a respectable lady. At last accounts he was in Canada." So, the "pirate of the press" has had to clear out once more, to save himself from the just punishment due his crimes (for they fully merit that name) against truth and decency. For five years he has not dared to set his foot on the soil of Pennsylvania except in disguise or in a clandestine manner. For four years he has not ventured to show his person within the limits of the District of Columbia except under the protection of Congress. For ten years he has been hiding from justice and shrinking from the presence of the law, and now once more he has been compelled to forsake his home in New York, frightened and quaking at the baying of the dogs of justice which are scenting his track. A man of very unusual ability, he has prostituted his talents and his influence to the basest purposes, until the name of his paper has become a synonym for persistent falsehood and reckless slander.

The schooner T. A. Frost, Capt. R. Bell, from Demerara with a cargo of sugar and molasses, bound to Boston, struck on the Hedge Fence in Vineyard Sound on Sunday night and filled with water. The vessel and cargo are a total loss. The officers and crew were saved.

The Italians are determined to lead the van in naval monsters. They are about to build a vessel—the Italia—of 13,000 or 14,000 tons, with novel engines and great boiler power. The engines are to be so arranged that they can steam easily on a small consumption of coal, and, as the bunkers have an enormous capacity, the vessel will thus be able to keep the sea for months together, with full engine power and a very high speed for use in emergencies. The armor talked about varies from thirty-two inches to thirty-six inches in thickness.

New Hampshire Items.

Major, the Wilton wife murderer, is to die at eleven o'clock this forenoon.

In Newmarket, Wednesday, Charles York, alias Wild Bill, was arrested for burglary committed in Biddeford, Me., recently. In the Biddeford Police Court he was bound over for trial.

At the annual meeting of the Dover Board of Trade Charles H. Trickey was elected President; Everett O. Foss Secretary; T. P. Cressey Treasurer, John Bracewell, Z. I. Wallingford, Oliver Wyatt and nine others Executive Committee.

The farm buildings of H. A. Clough, in East Haverhill, were burned Monday evening; cause, defective flue.

Antrim will celebrate its Centennial June 27, and invitations are now being sent to natives of the town and their descendants everywhere.

Clarence Gage, of Pelham, was one of the victim of the Ashtabula accident. His remains were received by his parents on Wednesday.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by SAMUEL W. MOSES, Grocer.

Butter, per lb 35 @ 40c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 30 @ 35c.
Corn per bushel, Western 60c; Northern 75c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 30 @ 35.
Flour, Sup. per bll. 8 @ 7; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 7c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 14 @ 16 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.00.
Molasses per gal., Cuba 40 @ 65c; New Orleans 90
Lamb per lb, 15 @ 18 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 75 @ 80 cents.
Pork per bbl., $25 @ $35.
Pigs, per ton, fancy $6; ground $10,
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Br. Il g12c; Gr. 13 @14; Crushed 15c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 80c.; Green, 80c. @ $1.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	107½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	117
United States Ten-Forties coupon	113
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	113
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1892	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	5
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	45
Boston & Maine	99
Boston & Providence	130
Boston & Albany	128
Nashua & Lowell	131
Concord	78
Eastern	5
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	119
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Michigan Central	45
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Old Colony & Newport	103
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—Olive Logan says a lady should drink no more than two glasses of wine in a day.

—A "dime sociable" was recently advertised to be held in Texas. Here the fifteen-cent sociable is more common.

—George W. Burns of California is the man who, when attacked by a bear, kicked the animal to death. He's a graduate of Harvard and used to kick football.

—Rev. E. D. Winslow had made arrangements to become the managing and business editor of a local London paper when John Bull backed down and concluded to respect the extradition treaty and deliver him up. This spoiled Winslow's plans, and made it necessary for him to change his place of residence without leaving his future address.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD ONE are hereby notified to meet at the WARD ROOM on Elm street, *Friday Evening, Jan. 5th*, at 7½ o'clock, to elect delegates to the various Conventions. Per Order.

E. H. LESLIE, Secretary.

WARD TWO.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD TWO will hold a Caucus at the COURT HOUSE on *Saturday Evening, Jan. 6th*, at 7½ o'clock, for the choice of delegates to the several Conventions. Per Order.

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Portland	9 45 "	4.45, 6.30 "	
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Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
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Boston & Maine R. R. -	7.40 "	4.45 "	
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

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"ARTAXIMINOUS YE GREAT"

Was given on Thursday evening as per announcement, in Franklin Hall, and although the excessively cold and disagreeable weather no doubt prevented the attendance of many who would otherwise have been there, the audience was quite as large as that which greeted the Buffalo Bill combination. There is a lot of fun in the play—capital political hits at both parties, amusing and *not offensive* local allusions, a choice "olio," singing and dancing, and other attractive features; and the audience evidently entered into the spirit of the thing and heartily enjoyed it. The entertainment will be repeated this evening, Mr. Stavers generously giving the use of the hall, so that nearly the entire receipts will go to the Reform Club; and all who enjoy a hearty laugh should attend. Admission 25 cents; reserved seats 35 cents; tickets at Preston's; curtain rises at a quarter to eight.

MASONIC.

At the stated communication of St. John's Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., holden on the 3d inst., the following named brethren were duly installed by M. W. John R. Holbrook, as officers for the ensuing year:

W. Thomas J. Mitchell, Master;
Bro. M. Thornton Belton, Senior Warden;
Bro. John S. Whidden, Junior Warden;
Bro. Isaac Dow, Treasurer;
W. John H. Cheever, Secretary;
Bro. Thomas R. Martin, Senior Deacon;
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Bro. Alfred J. Hill, Marshal;
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Bro. William E. Cooke, Junior Steward;
Bro. William B. Randall, Tyler;
W. John W. Dame, Rep. to Grand Lodge;
W. Samuel Fletcher and W. Olion G. Fernald, Standing Committee.

JOTTINGS.

Republican caucuses this evening—in Ward One at the Elm street ward room, at half-past seven o'clock; in Ward Four at the South ward room, at seven o'clock,—to choose delegates to the various conventions.

At the annual meeting of the Portsmouth Aqueduct Company, (incorporated in 1797,) Wednesday, the following officers were elected: Directors, Ichabod Goodwin, John J. Pickering, William L. Dwight, William A. Peirce and Oliver Ayres; Treasurer and Proprietors' Clerk, Oliver Ayres. It is estimated that 750,000 gallons of water are used here daily from the company's supplies.

As handsome a merchant schooner as ever entered this port is now lying at Concord Railroad wharf—the three masted schooner Alfred Brabrook, Phillips master. The perfect symmetry of the hull takes away much of her apparent size, for though she carries over eight hundred tons of coal one would hardly guess her capacity to exceed six hundred. No expense has been spared in securing the best of gear for her, and her cabin is fitted up in a style to do no discredit to a Sound steamer.

At the annual meeting of the Portsmouth Athenæum, Wednesday, the following officers were chosen: President, William H. Rollins; Directors, Albert R. Hatch, Rev. James DeNormandie, John S. H. Frink, John S. Pray and Joseph H. Foster; Secretary and Treasurer, George Annable. The Athenæum library now numbers about 12,000 volumes and is the most valuable in the State.

Mr. Thomas S. Gay and the wrecking gang had hard work to save the schooner J. P. Ames. After great exertion they had succeeded on Friday, the 29th ult, in lifting her sufficiently with hydraulic jacks to enable them to clear away some large boulders from under her bottom and lay rude launching ways; and as the tide rose the heavy gale took the schooner off into deep water. Two anchors held her at first, one on Cedar island and one in the stream; but the heavy sea soon snapped the Cedar island cable, and when the tide turned the vessel swung in shore again and bumped heavily until about half tide, when she became stationary. Owing to the sea nothing more could be done until Sunday, when the schooner was got alongside of Poor's wharf at Star island, her bowsprit having been washed away and the barrels in her hold all shaken loose by the pounding she had received. On Monday steamer Clara Batemen went to the Shoals, and the schooner's owners, fearing from the looks of the weather that another storm was coming on, in which case the vessel would probably damage the wharf a great deal, determined to try to get her in, which was done by the Clara Batemen in three hours. During the storm of Friday night fourteen barrels (a part of the wrecking gear) were washed off of Cedar island and lost.

"The Red Right Hand, or Buffalo Bill's First Scalp for Custer," drew a big audience at Franklin Hall on Wednesday evening. The play is a good one *of its kind*, and people who have a capacity for appreciating that kind of a play would enjoy it. As an extra advertisement, the arms, accoutrements and scalp of the Indian warrior "Yellow Hand," who was killed by Buffalo Bill last July, were exhibited in a store window on Market Square during the day,—an exhibition which should have resulted in keeping visitors from the play, though the actual result was no doubt just the opposite. Pandering to a depraved taste for the horrible is not very ennobling, but no doubt it often "pays" well in a pecuniary sense. An immense audience could no doubt be gathered to witness a public execution by the gallows or the guillotine,—admission fifty cents, Sunday School children half price.

The shooting of a thief on board the U. S. S. "Canandaigua," which was credited to watchmen at this naval station, occurred at Portsmouth, Virginia.

Thursday was a wretchedly uncomfortable day for travellers, cold and windy, the dry snow blowing about in a most annoying manner. The thermometer stood at six below zero at sunrise,—so we are informed, for we did not get up to see.

Extra care should be taken with fires during the continuance of the present spell of cold, blustering weather and bad travelling. The necessity of keeping hot fires in stoves greatly increases the liability to accidental conflagrations, and a red-hot funnel, or a bucket of hot ashes in the corner of the wood-shed, might easily result in a serious disaster to the city. Be careful of your fires.

Schooner T. J. Trafton, Capt. Hoyt, of this port, was out in the great gale and snow-storm of Dec. 29th. She was from Wiscasset, Me., and was in a position to have made this harbor when the storm came on, but there being no fog-signal to guide vessels in Capt. Hoyt preferred keeping to sea rather than run the risk of trying to make the harbor in such a storm; so sail was carried on until the mainsail, main-boom and fore-gaff were carried away, when the schooner was brought to an anchor somewhere near Cape Cod, and fortunately rode out the gale. After the blow was over a steamer spoke the schooner, offering to tow her in for a thousand dollars; but Captain Hoyt refused the offer, bent a jib for a mainsail and worked his vessel into Vineyard Haven, whence she was towed to New Bedford for repairs.

RYE.

On Christmas evening, the Rye Christian Sabbath school gave an entertainment in the Town Hall, consisting of vocal music and recitations by the children, and vocal music by the church choir. There were two large and beautiful trees, richly laden with a choice variety of valuable Christmas fruit, for all the members of the school, and many adults of the society. Among the recipients were the pastor and family, and the superintendent, who received valuable presents. One prominent feature was the personification of the veritable Santa Claus, who consented to dispense the presents to the anxiously waiting crowd. The music was very entertaining, one pleasing item being a flute solo by Mrs. Cornelius Philbrick. The Rye Cornet Band were present and discoursed some of their finest pieces, adding much to the interest of the occasion. Their part being a gift to aid the enterprise, the school express their appreciation of the same by unanimously adopting the following:

Resolved, That we, the Rye Christian Sabbath School, extend a vote of thanks to the Rye Cornet Band for the very acceptable music furnished by them at our late Christmas Festival. By ORDER COM.

RYE, Jan. 2, 1877.

Political.

In the Senate, on the 3d, Mr. Morton reported a resolution from the Committee on Privileges and Elections, that William Turner, manager of the Western Union Telegraph Company, at Jacksonville, Oregon, be required to answer questions, propounded by the committee, regarding the transfer of eight thousand dollars from New York to Oregon, by telegraphic order, a few days after the Presidential election.

Hon. T. W. Ferry has been re-nominated by acclamation for United States Senator by the Michigan Legislature.

The House judiciary committee has presented two reports on the question of seating the legally elected Representative from Colorado. The majority report gives a lengthy review of the facts in the case, from which the committee conclude that every condition upon which Colorado was to be admitted into the Union has been complied with, and recommend the adoption of the following resolution: "Resolved, That Colorado is a State in the Union, and that James B. Belford, Representative-elect from the said State, be sworn and admitted to his seat as such." The minority report calls for an examination of the Constitution of Colorado, to see if it is a republican form of government. That is, the minority report is so worded; the real object of course is to see if the Electoral vote of the State cannot in some way be thrown out, so that reformer Tilden can steal the Presidency.

The Massachusetts legislature organized on Wednesday by the choice of Mr. Cogswell as President of the Senate, Mr. Long as Speaker of the House and Mr. Marden as Clerk.

We say there is no fraud about it—that the Louisiana Returning board obeyed the law, and that the law was a good one constructed to interfere with assassination as a political agency. The Louisiana law was drawn to prevent murderers from realizing political power by shedding the blood of the innocent. That law has been executed. The intimidated parishes were thrown out. The law required and justice demanded that they should be thrown out.—*Cincinnati Commercial (Ind)*

DIED.

NORTON. In this city, Jan. 4, Mr. James Norton, aged 40 years.

GOVE. In this city, Dec. 31, Ida F. Gove, aged 2 years, 11 months and 2 days, daughter of Mr. Hiram Gove.

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REFORM.

Reform! A change!—so every bummer cried
As he gulped down his ration of bad whiskey.
Reform! A change!—the slums at once replied,
And all the slummites, animate and frisky,
Sent on the cry, for everything was wrong.
The nation's vaults were holding too much treasure.
A surplus in the treasury is not,
And never was, a democratic measure;
For when they last had access to the store
They robbed the vaults of every luckless ducat,
And while a democrat could find a cent,
Why then that democrat, of course, he took it.
—*Detroit Tribune.*

Does Alcohol Give Warmth?

Among other results of the Arctic expedition some curious statistics have been obtained with reference to the question of total abstinence. The abstainers who went out with the expedition were six—viz.: William Mallay, Adam Ayles, William Gore, Joiner and Self, of the Alert, and Henry Petty, of the Discovery. There were two or three other seamen who joined the temperance cause during the commission, and it is only fair to state that the novices suffered from scurvy like the rest of the crew.

Mallay was not employed on any long journeys, but was repeatedly out with supporting parties. He states that the sledging parties of the Alert suffered greater privations than those from the sister ship. They had pushed beyond the limit of animal life, and their supplies of reindeer and musk-ox were soon exhausted. They were consequently obliged to subsist entirely upon ship's stores, and this enforced abstinence from animal food made them in a special degree susceptible to scurvy. On the termination of the sledging duties at the end of July the abstainers found that they had surpassed the remainder of the Alert's crew in the number of days' sledging performed. On this occasion Ayles had been out 110 days, and Mallay 98, "and it is a remarkable fact," the latter remarks, "that neither of us was attacked by scurvy, but enjoyed good health, and were only weakened by our arduous duties in sledging work."

Adam Ayles is a teetotaller of many years' standing. He was not only out for 110 days sledging, but on one occasion he was out no less than 84 days from the ship at a time. On this occasion scurvy had attacked the party, and had gained on them so suddenly that with the exception of Lieutenant Aldrich and Ayles, the whole of the men (seven in number) were in a helpless condition. Dodge and Mitchell still managed to struggle by the side of the sledge, but the other four invalids, who had held out until the last moment, were obliged to be carried. We have already stated that of the two who were free from scurvy, Adam Ayles was one. The other was Lieutenant Aldrich, who, although not an abstainer, was next door to one, diluting his rum more than any other member of the expedition. During the whole of his sledge journeys Ayles ate and slept well, and bore the cold even better than those who were accustomed to take stimulants. The rest of the party had a double allowance of grog, 45 above proof, before turning in. They also smoked a great deal, but for his part Ayles says he neither drank nor smoked, and he took care that his allowance of grog was stopped on joining the ship. Twice a week there was beer served out, which was considered a great luxury, as it occupied much room in the travelling, and was dealt out very sparingly. He was never in better health in his life than at the present time.

Henry Petty, a teetotaller of sixteen years standing, was the only total abstainer in the Discovery. He accompanied Captain Stephenson in all his sledging excursions, and as it fell to his lot to act as cook while they were away from the ship, and he was thus obliged to get out into the cold for an hour and a half in the morning and for the same period in the evening, he was most exposed to the frost of any man in the ship. He was sledging sixty days in all. On one occasion he accompanied the captain to the Alert, a distance of some ninety miles, doing the journey in four days and eight hours, and returning in three days and a half. He had been medically examined on Tuesday by the doctor of the ship, with the rest of the crew, and he learnt that he had never been treated for scurvy. He had only suffered from a cut in the hand. He believed that his immunity from disease was entirely owing to his teetotalism. He had slept well throughout the campaign and had relished his food. He had also escaped frost-bite.

Gore, it seems, had been an abstainer until he was twenty-one years old, but in an unguarded moment while on the sledge journeys, he succumbed to the temptation and persuasion of his companions, and took to grog. Previous to breaking his pledge, Gore states that he could eat as well as any one. In fact, after devouring his portion he was in the habit of looking about for more; but no sooner had he taken to grog-drinking, than he found his appetite to fail, and he was deprived of the refreshing sleep which he had formerly enjoyed. He was the only Good Templar who joined the expedition that was attacked with scurvy, and for this he was no doubt indebted to his unfaithfulness. He gave stimulants, he remarks, a fair trial, and he is now convinced that it was the grog which did the mischief. It may be noticed that the testimony of the whole ships' companies—doctors and officers included—is unanimous

and conclusive against the serving out of stimulants during the day. They emphatically state that no work can be done upon grog, but many of them seem to cling to the belief that a glass at night was a sovereign recuperative agent and fitted them for the fatigues of the morning.

Dr. Colan, the senior medical officer on board the Alert, speaks very favorably of total abstinence as exhibited during the expedition, and his forthcoming report will possess much interest.—*London Times.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 6, 1877.

Senator Blaine.

The Convention of the republicans of the Maine Legislature for the nomination of United States Senator, Thursday evening, at Augusta, was presided over by Hon. J. S. Wheelwright of Bangor. Hon. T. W. Hyde, President of the Senate, presented the name of Hon. James G. Blaine. Hon. E. B. Neally, Speaker of the House, seconded the nomination, followed by Hon. Frederick Robie of Gorham, Roscoe L. Powers of Saco, Hon. Warren H. Vinton of Gray, and Gen. J. Manchester Haynes of Augusta. The remarks of all the gentlemen were eloquent, and great enthusiasm was manifested. The nomination was carried by acclamation. With cheer upon cheer Mr. Blaine was declared the nominee of the Convention for the full term commencing March 4, 1877. Proctor Knott, the "Mulligan Guards" and the Boston *Globe* seem to have utterly failed in the attempt to injure the noble Maine Senator in the estimation of those who know him most intimately.

Let the Eagle Scream.

Hon. George F. Drew, who was inaugurated at Tallahassee, Florida, as the democratic Governor-elect of the State, requested the retiring Governor (Stearns) to have a portion of the United States troops placed on duty in the capitol grounds, for the purpose of preserving the peace. Will the democrats please rise and explain why this is thus? Here we have the most appalling of all spectacles to democratic eyes, that of United States troops, carrying muskets with bristling bayonets attached, surrounding the capitol of a sovereign State, to intimidate the republicans from preventing a democratic Governor being inaugurated. Why don't you shriek, proud bird of freedom? *O, tempore! O, mores!* But, jesting aside, this action of Governor Drew only shows too plainly the wisdom and sagacity of President Grant in sending troops South, thereby assuring a fair and impartial exercise of suffrage and the fullest enjoyment of the rights thereby acquired. We most anxiously await an expression of opinion by our democratic friends upon Governor Drew's action.—*Washington Republican.*

News and Notes.

Eph. Horn, the noted negro minstrel and "end man," died in New York on Wednesday, aged fifty-nine years.

Schooner T. A. Frost, before reported wrecked on the Hedge Fence in Vineyard Sound, did not sink in deep water, as reported, but drifted on shore on the Vineyard, near the West Chop, with both masts cut away and the bottom stove in, and the cargo of molasses badly damaged. Wreckers are trying to save her.

A duel between James Gordon Bennett and Frederick May, brother of the lady Mr. Bennett was to marry but did not, is talked of, as a result of the street fracas between the two men. It is said that Mr. Bennett and Miss May are still on friendly terms, and that the difficulty arose from the fact that he had promised her father to abstain from the use of intoxicating liquors, but had broken his promise.

A pleasure party of three ladies and three gentlemen drove to the Hunter's Point (New York) ferry, Thursday night, to take the boat, and the boat being gone drove overboard. One lady had an arm broken, and the horses and driver were drowned.

Three more men (one of them the Brazilian Commissioner to the Centennial) have been saved from the wreck of the steamer Emilie, which foundered near Key West. Two of the men were found wading in shoal water near Harbor Key, one of them having become insane; the Brazilian Commissioner was found floating on a skylight, and was thoroughly exhausted, but is recovering.

Commodore Vanderbilt left $45,000,000 in negotiable securities.

Treasury detectives have captured a gang of six counterfeiters in Johnstown, Penn., with their machinery and a lot of bogus quarter and half dollars.

In New York, Thursday, Patrick Mulroy attempted to dry some giant powder at a kitchen fire, and succeeded in blowing out one end of the house, killing a child, severely wounding a man and another child, and badly bruising and burning himself.

Of the great hotels of this country, there are none better known or more liberally patronized than the American House of Boston. Although a very large hotel, this house is elegantly and completely furnished throughout, is kept in best of style and is altogether one of the very best of American first-class hotels.

Luther A Tucker, agent of the American Tract Society, was killed on the Ogdensburg road at Bartlett, Me., Thursday afternoon. He was walking on the track and was horribly crushed.

There are rumors of trouble in the Biddeford, Me., Post Office. A special officer has been making investigations, but no facts are yet developed.

In the Maine Legislature, Thursday, the committee on Gubernatorial votes reported the whole number 136,823; Connor had 75,867; Talbot, 60,423; Gage, 520. In joint Convention the following State officers were elected: Secretary of State, Sumner J. Chadbourne; Attorney-General, L. A. Emery; Adjutant-General, J. P. Cilley; Treasurer, E. H. Banks; Executive Councillors—First District, E. C. Farrington; Second, Charles E. Jose; Third, George A. Preble; Fourth, Charles H. Wing; Fifth, Andrew Lacy; Sixth, Charles Buffum; Seventh, L. R. King.

Two young men of Gloucester, Mass., Geo. Allen and Andrew Johnson, propose to row across the Atlantic in a dory. They advertise for parties to interest themselves in the project.

The police of Biddeford on Thursday searched the house of Ingalls Andrews and John Smith, and found a large quantity of stolen goods. Andrews is now awaiting trial for burglary. "Wild Bill," an accomplice of Andrews, arrested in Newmarket on Wednesday and bound over, is implicated in a large number of burglaries, thefts and other crimes. This brace of rascals have done a good many "jobs" in Biddeford, Saco and Newmarket, N. H.

The Directors of the railroad from Greenfield to Keene have made contracts with Kenrick & Kiernan of Boston for the completion of the road. The contract stipulates that it shall be ready for the public on the 1st of December next. Bonds have been given and work will be resumed as soon as the weather permits.

On December 16th the wind blew two hundred miles an hour on Mount Washington, with the thermometer forty seven degrees below zero!

The excitement in Dover over the liquor prosecutions is intense. From the number of cases reported thus far in the papers we judge that exactly half the inhabitants of the city have been engaged in the liquor business.

A very neat device for preventing burglary has been brought out. All the doors in a bank are so arranged that they can only be opened when two knobs or handles are turned simultaneously. Now these knobs are in connection with powerful galvanic batteries. A thief seizes one knob, and no effect follows. He then uses both his hands, taking a knob in each. Immediately his howls follows; he is unable to let the knobs go because of the violent muscular contractions set up. The torture is fearful, and the would-be robber constitutes in consequence—if he be a man of strong lungs—a most admirable alarm.

New Hampshire Items.

Elwin E. Major was hung in the State Prison at Concord, at twenty-four and a half minutes past eleven o'clock, Friday forenoon. His neck was broken by the fall, and he died with scarcely a struggle. After hanging twenty minutes the body was taken down and delivered to Major's brother-in-law. Major displayed great firmness, and made no confession of guilt.

George W. Sleeper, of Farmington, a man forty-five years old, is in Dover jail for crushing in the head of Daniel Gilbert, a boy of fifteen, with a club, while the people of Farmington were breaking out the roads with ox teams on New Year's day. Gilbert had been assaulted previously by another young man named Frank V. Young, and the latter is to be arrested for his share of the assault. Young Gilbert cannot live.

George G. Dort, druggist of Keene, while making pills, had both his hands caught in the rollers at P. B. Haywood's bakery, seriously injuring both his hands. Dr. Twitchell thinks he can save them.

Keene's expenses last year were $108,389, including $10,000 for the extension of the water works and $2000 for additional cemetery grounds.

The thermometer marked 22 degrees below zero at Littleton, and 29 below at Franconia, Thursday morning.

The Franklin Falls House, owned by P. L. Kennedy, was burned Thursday night about 12 o'clock. Loss $4000; partly insured.

Wonderful Escape.

The crew of the schooner Daniel A. Burnham of Gloucester, before reported abandoned, had a singular and wonderful experience in the gale of the 9th and 10th ult. While lying off Sable Island on the evening of the 10th, the schooner was struck by a heavy sea, which turned her completely over, the masts giving way while she was under water. Of her crew of thirteen men, all but one were below when the vessel capsized, and the rapidity of the entire transaction, which did not allow the vessel to fill proved their salvation. They were thrown from the floor to the ceiling when the schooner was bottom up, and immediately to the floor again as she righted. On coming on deck the man who had been on the lookout was found hanging over the side, by a portion of the gear, and was hauled on board. The crew remained on the wreck, on which they got some small canvas, and were heading for the land as best they could, when fortunately on Monday they encountered the mail steamer Austrian, which took them off and landed them at St. John's, N. F., the following Friday.—*Cape Ann Advertiser.*

Death of Esquimaux Joe's Wife.

Hannah Eiberling, who was known in her native land as Tookoalito—"Butterfly"—the wife of Joseph Eiberling (Esquimaux Joe,) died on Sunday, the 31st ult., at her residence in Groton, Conn. She was an Innuit, a native of Frobisher's Straits territory. Esquimaux Joe and Hannah, with one child (Pussy,) came to America with Captain C. F. Hall on his return from his first expedition toward the North Pole. The adult couple accompanied Captain Hall on his second journey to King William's Land, where Sir John Franklin perished, and were again out with Hall in the Polaris. During the vicissitudes of the expedition Hannah and Joe were with seventeen others left on an ice floe. They were picked up off the coast of Labrador after a drift of six months' duration. Joe went again north on board the Tigress, and again, two years since, in the Pandora. During the past summer he was out in Cumberland Sound, serving on board a vessel which was employed in collecting minerals. The wet and changeable climate of America caused Hannah and Joe much more physical trouble than did the intense cold of their native place, and eventually produced disease of the lungs in the woman. This was fatal to her. Hannah spoke English fluently. She was greatly respected by her American neighbors for her many amiable and lovable traits of character, and her loss is universally regretted by those among whom she lived and died. When Joe and Hannah visited England they were received by Queen Victoria and entertained in one of the palaces by order of Her Majesty.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
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Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

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CITY AFFAIRS.

At the meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen Thursday evening, a communication from the chief engineer recommending the purchase of two thousand feet of new hose and a four-wheeled hose carriage, also that the hand engines be sold, was referred to committee on fire department with chief engineer added.

Claim of Melvin P. Welch, for damage to sleigh, etc., was referred to the committee on claims.

Petition of Moses H. Goodrich Steam Fire Engine Co., No. 4, for an advance of $50 on their semi-annual pay, was granted.

The resignation of Samuel M. Joy as supernumerary police officer was accepted.

The request for the appointment of John H. Lewis to be supernumerary police officer was laid on the table.

John F. Leavitt was appointed special police without pay.

Request of the street commissioner that a horse be purchased for the use of the street department, was referred to committee on streets and mayor added, with power.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

At the republican caucus in Ward Four, Friday evening, delegates to the various conventions were chosen as follows: State—John E. Ham, Oliver Ayers, William B. Randall and Joshua Stickpole; Congressional—William H. Rollins, William A. Vaughan, Jr., John O. Ayers, Alonzo Wise; Councillor—Charles W. Gardner, William J. Doyle, Richard D. Randall, Joseph B. White; County—J. Sullivan Rand, Charles E. James, George M. Ayers, Michael J. Vaughan; Senatorial—William P. Israel, Eben N. Odiorne, Chandler M. Hayford, Charles W. Drown.

The republicans of Ward One chose delegates as follows:

State—George W. Pendexter, John H. Locke, William F. Batten, James H. Thompson, Joseph W. Hildreth, Frank B. Johnson, Nathan F. Mathes, Edward B. Prime; Congressional—Elbridge G. Peirce, Jr., John Pender, William F. Noyes, George E. Hanson, James M. Knapp, Leonidas F. Rand, Charles A. Wendell, Richard H. Waldron; Senatorial—Robert B. Adams, George W. Green, Ira W. Brock, Rufus B. Emery, Samuel A. Spinney, John Newton, Orville D. Bryant, Charles L. Simpson; Councillor—James A. Waterhouse, Charles E. Young, William Critchley, Jr., John Moore, William D. Durgin, Albert L. Payne, James W. Raitt, Meshach H. Bell; County—William Conn, Thomas Entwistle, Charles W. Shannon, William C. Ham, Hanson Hoyt, Walter C. Gray, Charles H. Besselievre, John H. Downing.

THE TEN CENTS SAVINGS BANK.

The Supreme Court has been engaged on the following questions which have arisen in the case of the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank:

1st. What rate of interest shall be allowed to the special or check depositors?

2d. What are the rights of those persons who made deposits after the Bank had failed, and before its failure was promulgated?

3. What shall be done with three hundred and nineteen small depositors whose deposits aggregate less than two dollars apiece, which have never been on interest, and amount altogether to $240. Shall they be paid in full, or is interest to be added and dividend cast on the full amount, or cast on the deposit without interest?

4th. Whether costs shall be allowed to the special depositors for their legal proceedings in their petition for priority.

5th. The number of depositors is about 3000, some 500 of whom have made no claim. The question submitted to the Court was, whether the auditor should take the Ledger accounts as *prima facie* evidence of the claims of these 500 depositors not appearing, and enter them upon the dividend sheet and report the same to the Court, or whether the time allowed be extended and the depositors return their dividends when they proved them.

The depositors of the defunct Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank will be paid a first dividend of twenty-five per cent. about the 25th inst. The Supreme Court has extended the time in which claims may be proved against the bank until the first of May, and ordered that all proven claims share alike, whether regular, special or check deposits, or protested cashier's checks. Also, that in case of special deposits no more interest shall be allowed than the bank agreed to pay, and that no interest be allowed after June 1, 1876.

JOTTINGS.

Rev. Ansel Bourn, of New York, will relate his wonderful and thrilling religious experience, at the Christian chapel, Sunday afternoon at quarter of three o'clock. All are welcome.

Workmen have for several days been trying to find a leak in the gas-pipes near the Custom House, and have dug a number of holes in Pleasant and State streets with that object in view. They find the ground frozen very hard, but to the depth of about two feet only. The gas has collected among the stones which form the road-bed, and several little explosions, enough to make the workmen jump but not enough to do any harm, were caused on Friday by the igniting of gas by sparks from the laborers' drills. One of the explosions made a noise as loud (or louder than) a musket.

"Josh Billings'" Lecture is to be given on Wednesday evening, Jan. 10, in Franklin Opera Hall.

The smelt fishermen on Great Bay have had rather poor luck so far this winter, the smelts not appearing on the old fishing grounds in anything like the numbers of seasons past. The fishermen account for this on the theory that the excessive cold has kept the fish in deep water.

While New York harbor, and almost every other harbor on the Atlantic coast as far south as Chesapeake Bay is more or less blocked with ice, and many of them frozen up solid, to the great hindrance of navigation, Portsmouth harbor has not ice enough to impede a wherry's progress. Yet certain wise men in Congress used to talk about the propriety of abolishing the naval station at this port, on account of its inaccessibility in winter.

In a case before the Supreme Court, Thursday, a witness on the stand was questioned concerning the sanity of a party in the case, and the learned counsel asked him, "Do you regard the asking of a question twice as indicating unsoundness of mind?" Witness—"Well, I don't know but that I do." Learned counsel—"Did you ever hear a lawyer ask the same question twice? and did you construe it as indicating unsoundness of mind?" Witness—"Well, yes; I think I have; I don't wish to be personal, though."

If you want to feel good, go and hear "Josh Billings."

The republicans of Ward Two hold their caucus for choice of delegates to the conventions at the Court House this evening at half-past seven o'clock.

Mr. Samuel Harden, of Hampton, whose death is recorded in the usual place, was a pensioner, having been the first man in Hampton to volunteer in the war of 1812.

At a meeting of the creditors of Benjamin Cheever, bankrupt, held at the National House Thursday, Alfred F. Howard, Esq., was appointed assignee.

The will of the late Williams N. Andrews of Dover, just admitted to probate, makes among others the following bequests: Thomas Neil of this city, $4000; each of the three daughters of Thomas Neil, $1500.

Considerable excitement has been created in social circles in Hampton recently, owing to criminal charges being preferred against a young married man by a young woman. The man in question was brought before Justice Nathan Robie of Hampton Falls. Charles C. Lamprey appeared for the prosecution, and Wm. Lamprey for the respondent. After one or two adjournments the evidence was put in, much of it being unfit for publication. The examination resulted in the respondent being held to answer to the Supreme Court, bonds being given in the sum of $500.

Political.

Chief Justice Ludeling, of the Supreme Court of Louisiana, testified before the Senate Committee on Thursday, as to the general intimidation of colored republicans in Ouhchita, by means of armed bodies of democrats, and said that his nephew, Dr. Dinkgrave, Tax Collector, was killed, he believed, by members of the democratic party, for organizing a republican club. Dinkgrave had told him he had been warned by a friend, who was a member of a rifle club, that he would be killed if he attempted to organize a republican club at Lagtown. Judge Ludeling submitted his statement in writing. He contradicted several statements of Samuel McEnery, that Judge Ray and other prominent republicans had said that they believed Wemberly killed Dinkgrave. The witness also believed that Judge Crawford and District-Attorney Harris were assassinated on account of their politics.

The democratic papers have had much to say about Gen. Sheridan denouncing Ex-Gov. Wells of Louisiana (a member of the Returning Board,) as a trickster and scoundrel. Well, Gen. Sheridan *did* denounce him,—for the reason that he removed Union men from office and put in their places men whose guns, heated in the rebel army, had not yet cooled, and who still wore the rebel grey. In General Sheridan's report to Secretary Stanton, of June 3, 1867,—the one which democrats so love to quote, he speaks as follows: "I say now unequivocally that Governor Wells is a political trickster and a dishonest man. I have seen him myself, when I first come to this command, turn out all the Union men who had supported the Government, and put in their stead rebel soldiers, some of whom had not yet doffed their gray uniform." This, certainly, ought not to render him objectionable to democratic authorities.

MARRIED.

BUNKER—PAGE. In Dover, Jan. 1, Mr. James A. Bunker, of South Berwick, Me., and Miss Carrie A. Page of North Hampton.

BRIARD—PATCH. In Kittery, Dec. 24, by Rev. S. A. Hutchinson, Mr. William H. Briard and Miss Ella A. Patch.

DIED.

TREDICK. In Dover, Jan. 4, William Tredick, Esq., aged 69 years, formerly of this city.

CRANE. In Hampton, Jan. 2, Mr. George T. Crane, aged 36 years.

HARDEN. In Hampton, Jan. 5, Mr. Samuel Harden, aged 84 years.

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—The new English clergyman at the Brick Church, New York, Rev. M. Bevan, doesn't like interruptions. Last Sunday a lady occupying a conspicuous seat in the gallery was forced to cough several times. Mr. Bevan finally turned and requested her to leave the church, saying her cough annoyed him. She left as quietly as possible, but not without being the centre of universal attention.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD TWO.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD TWO will hold a Caucus at the COURT HOUSE on *Saturday Evening, Jan. 6th*, at 7½ o'clock, for the choice of delegates to the several Conventions. Per Order.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

My Friend Moses.

His watchful eye took in all details of camp and road, while his sleepless heels commanded the respect of his comrades. So skilled was he in the use of these natural weapons that when a contraband gravely suggested that Moses' early education had been conducted by a mule, the troop unhesitatingly accepted the theory. So gleefully and neatly were his kicks delivered, so regardless was Moses of the object which they might strike, that my comrades, excepting only those who had been kicked, regarded Moses' efforts with that admiration which Englishmen are wont to accord to skillful boxers. On our first battalion drill, as we wheeled from column of platoons into line, the successful completion of the movement was hailed by Moses with a joyous kick which broke the leg of the sergeant upon the flank of the platoon at my right; the sergeant, who was an old soldier, remained in hospital a year and a half with his fracture and its sequences, but upon his return to duty he never spoke reproachfully to or of Moses. It mattered not whose horse happened to be tied near him when the column halted temporarily; he injured a general's horse, once, because of a trifling disagreement about some oats belonging rightfully to the latter, and when, one lovely evening, the chaplain tied his horse near mine and retired to the forest and his devotions, the holy man's charger was so effectually lamed that his owner completed the expedition on the caisson of a mountain howitzer. During short halts, general and staff officers, looking around a well-occupied rail fence for a tying place, were often attracted by the vacant space which members of my own troop had learned to leave on each side of Moses; then it was that the weariest patriot in the regiment would cheerfully raise his head in anticipation of the excitement which was sure to follow, and men who lived not for themselves alone would steal silently among the unwary, rousing every one who slept, knowing well that the smothered curse would be mentally retracted the instant the sleeper learned why he had been awakened. *Scribner's.*

"The Claimant" to the Front Again.

I very much fear that you are likely to be called upon to read more yet about the Tichborne case, which was almost as much discussed in New York as in London. "Would you be surprised to hear," as the Solicitor-General used to say in asking his questions, that the fat claimant's story seems not unlikely to be confirmed in a vital point? They say that one of the survivors of the Bella has been discovered; that he recognizes the portrait of the claimant as that of his fellow survivor, whom he knew only as an "English or French Count," and that a letter from him published at the time of the wreck in the Diario will be produced—that is, the complete newspaper containing it will be produced. The claimant said that he and some others were taken on board an American ship called the Osprey, after the Bella sunk, and that in this vessel they went to Australia. But everybody laughed at this story, and the Solicitor-General said that the Osprey was a "phantom ship." The new comer, however—he is a Spaniard named Ramon Ortezegui—wrote in his letter to the Diario (under date Melbourne, August 17, 1854) that "after two days, thanks to Our Lady, we fell in with the ship Osprey, in which we arrived in Melbourne on the 29th of last month." I should not have troubled you with any ordinary gossip about the well-worn Tichborne case, but the evidence now promised seems to me of very great moment. Was the letter described actually printed in the Bilboa Diario of February 22d, 1855? If so, the claimant's story of his escape from the Bella and his arrival in Australia is confirmed. His account of the escape was confused, which he accounted for by saying that at the time he was suffering much from the effect of drink. The alleged letter in the Diario says: "We five got into the launch, after having fetched a passenger (some English or French count, I am not certain which) who was ill in his berth." If the letter proves genuine, there is quite enough in it to bring up the celebrated Tichborne case all over again, and with results little anticipated a few months ago.—*London Letter.*

To Destroy Warts.

A medical exchange states that a drachm of nitrate of silver dissolved in an ounce of nitro-muriatic acid makes a solution which, applied to warts with a fine brush, will permanently cure them in four days.

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—A story told in the American colony at Dresden is of an encounter between one of the young lieutenants of the army and a stalwart American. They jostled on the sidewalk and the officer drew his sword. Thereupon the American knocked him down violently enough to stun him, and having broken the sword over his knee, laid his card between the pieces and proceeded calmly on his way.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JANUARY 8, 1877.

News and Notes.

The China *Mail* of the 15th of November publishes a report of the indignation meeting, held in Hong Kong on that day, with reference of the case of the captain and mates of the American bark C. O. Whitmore. The facts are stated to be that Capt. Thomas Peabody and John Henry Snow, both of Maine, and Charles Stafford of Engelhorn, Sweden, were guilty of atrocious cruelty to the second mate, James H. Elwood of Bath, Me., on the passage to Hong Kong. It was said, at the meeting, that Elwood was tortured in various ways, and when his wounds began to heal they were washed with salt water applied with a corn broom. Elwood lost his reason under this torture and died and was buried at sea. Peabody and his equally brutal mates were also charged with most inhuman treatment of the seamen under their command. Many American papers seem very much horrified at this case, but such proceedings are nothing uncommon in American ships; scores—aye, hundreds of men are murdered every year just as Elwood was murdered, by torture; but being only sailors nothing is ever heard of it. The mistake of Peabody and his accomplices was that they murdered an officer instead of an old sailor, and thereby made talk.

The postmaster at Georgetown, Me., reports an unknown schooner stove to pieces and washed on shore there, answering in every particular to the James Carvelon of Camden, Me., which has been missing since the great gale of the 29th ult., when she left Camden for Boston with a cargo of hay and potatoes. Her crew numbered three men.

A rupture has occurred in the diplomatic relations between Spain and China. The Spanish fleet has been ordered to Chinese waters. Unsettled claims connected with the Cuban Coolie difficulty caused the rupture. An extradition treaty has been concluded between Spain and the United States, covering twenty-six offences.

Donna Baldoinera De Larra, the founder of the Madrid "*Casas de imposiciones*," a financial institution which promised its depositors thirty per centum interest per month, has taken "French leave" of the Spanish capital, with about $700,000 belonging to her dupes. It is estimated that 19,000,000 reals were deposited in her bank, of which she returned 5,000,000 as interest, and then vanished.

Minnie Lonsdale, a young actress, died from burns caused by her dress catching fire on the stage at Newark, N. J., on the night of the 3d inst.

It is stated that the British government intends to hand over to the United States the journals of Captain Hall, the chronometer, and the Stars and Stripes banner, composing the relics of the Polaris expedition, which were dug from the ice last winter by the party under the command of Dr. Coppinger, of the Discovery.

The Travellers Insurance Company of Hartford loses $20,000 on four victims of the Ashtabula disaster. One $5000 policy had only two days to run.

Perhaps investigation would show a state of things in other cities not unlike that which has just been discovered in Hartford, where the hard times and severe weather are causing a great amount of suffering among the poor. Many families of respectable mechanics have been actually starving in silence. The agent for the union for home work has just found a number of families who have had no fire in their houses this winter. One old couple's only furniture was a bundle of straw and two tin pails, picked up in the street; in another an industrious war veteran, his wife and child had positively nothing; while in a third a babe was born, on Christmas Day, the poor mother's only covering being a single blanket. The room had no stove, and the father, who earned good wages until the stopping of the Rockville mill, had wrapped the child in his only shirt.

Cronin's Confession.

The testimony of Cronin before the Senate committee renders still more disgraceful the Oregon intrigue to confuse the Electoral count. By his own confession he is a bummer in politics, who has accepted infamy at the price of $3000 in cash and the "best thing Tilden can give." His confession is public evidence of the nature of the conspiracy, for it merits no milder name, in which Tilden is engaged. Whatever might have been suspected about Cronin and the means taken to induce him to assume the trouble and disgrace of attempting to misrepresent the voice of Oregon in the Electoral College, the charges would not have assumed such tangible shape, and would have needed the stamp and seal of absolute publicity for full effect in the present condition of the public mind, disturbed by constant assertion and counter-assertion, which is now made by his own confession. Bare assertion passes for little with the general public, but facts carry their own weight, whether as dead negroes in Louisiana or the open confession of the Oregon bogus elector. The defence of the constitution, which is carried on by the bribe of a political bummer with cash and promises, and the vindication of the honesty of election by misrepresentation of the actual decision of a State, will hereafter be regarded in a sarcastic sense, rather than otherwise. The confession of Cronin takes away the whole vantage ground by which the democratic leaders imposed, not upon the country, but upon the mass of their party, that they were being cheated out of the election. The party that shows itself so ready to cheat is not in a position to cry "thief" with effect, but on the contrary, is placed under the burden of suspicion itself. It destroys at once all the wind-blown structure of "honesty" and "right" so painfully constructed by democratic orators, and takes every shred of "character" from the democratic contestant. Cronin's fatal want of astuteness in confessing the damning evidence shows that it was a blunder as well as a crime.—*Providence Journal.*

Political.

Thomas A. Hendricks, democratic candidate for Vice President in the late campaign, in his message to the Indiana Legislature denounces the use of troops in South Carolina as an "outrage," a "usurpation" and a "crime." He was even more savage in denouncing the "crime" of using troops in the South sixteen years ago.

A St. Louis bull-dozer has written Gov. Hayes a letter threatening him with assassination.

The democrats of the Massachusetts Legislature canvassed on Friday, to discuss the proper policy to pursue on the United States Senator question. Hon. Frank W. Bird was the heavy gun of the occasion. The general sentiment appeared to be in favor of "anything to beat Boutwell"—which should be sufficient to satisfy the republicans that Mr. Boutwell is a proper man for United States Senator from Massachusetts.

To-day is the time appointed by the Tilden Bureau for the people of the country to enthuse and indignate over Tilden's election and defeat. It is quite probable the sun will set this evening as usual.

Gov. Hendricks, in his tirade against "federal troops in the South," omitted to denounce Drew, the present democratic Governor of Florida, who asked that government troops might be present at his inauguration.

It was easy in 1861 to rouse the war spirit and fill the tanks of the regiments with the flower of the South. The man who should attempt to repeat the experiment in 1877 would be hooted out of every community. Experience is a practical teacher.—*Memphis Avalanche (Ind.)*

Senator John A. Logan has been renominated by the republicans of the Illinois Legislature.

The cause of good government languishes in Boston and the Commonwealth Club has wound up its affairs and gone out of business. The Commonwealth was formed two or three years ago in the interest of an honest administration, and it had on its list of membership many of the prominent young men in both parties. But the swallow-tail element, and the young swallow tail element in particular, was in the ascendant, and the increase of swallows brought a winter of discontent, and as most of the business of politics is done by the ulters and pea-jackets, the Commonwealth proved stronger in its own cosy rooms than at the polls. It was for Bristow, but Bristow was beaten and the club died a natural death. It is a pity, but it could not be helped.—*Philadelphia Times.*

The following is said to be the course that will be taken by President of the Senate Ferry in counting the Electoral vote: "First, he will either count all the votes, opening only those from the four contested States which he considers to be the rightful ones, and announce the result to the joint convention, with the statement that it is his judgment as to the proper count. But if the two houses concurrently arrive at a different conclusion he will revise his own judgment in accordance with such concurrent decision. Or, second, he will count only the votes from the States as to which there is no dispute, and will present the returns from the four other States to the joint convention, with the statement that as to them he awaits instruction from the joint convention and by that instruction, provided it is the concurrent action of both houses, he will abide."

The Senate on Friday considered the resolution declaring that the Oregon telegraph operator shall give up the messages relating to the transfer of seventeen thousand dollars from the Tilden managers at New York to their agents in Oregon. Senator Kelley availed himself of the opportunity to defend Gov. Grover, and the Oregon question generally was discussed. Governor Grover, in his testimony before the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections, took the high ground that he had the right to set aside the laws of Oregon if he thought that they were in opposition to the laws of the United States. He admitted that he had received telegraphic advice from Abe Hewitt, Manton Marble, "Duke" Gwin and other Tilden wire-pullers.

The democratic order for private dispatches will be apt to cool now that the search has found a trail leading directly to the Tilden barrel of money. The Oregon operator will have the support of every reformer in the land in his refusal to divulge the secrets of his office.

President Ferry, of the Senate, has received by mail and messenger duplicate returns from electoral colleges of all the States.

There has been a good deal of talk because the republican vote in Louisiana has come through the hands of office-holders who were interested in making a majority for their party; yet what is the situation on the democratic side? The vote which the democrats claim elects their State and National tickets was canvassed by "Gov." McEnery and his imaginary Secretary of State, both of whom are on the Tilden electoral ticket, and both of whom sign their own report as witnesses of its correctness. The force of the old illustration of the mote and the beam is undiminished by centuries of application.

The Republic is no longer in danger to any intelligent mind from the democratic party or the republican party, from Tilden or from Hayes. While new anxieties have been developed, old ones have certainly been allayed, by this post-election doubt and struggle.—*Springfield Republican.*

Gov. Tilden was confronted with a startling demonstration of public opinion the other day. As he walked by an admiring policeman, the latter nudged a neighboring small boy and remarked with fervor, "There's yer President!" Small boy looked at the Governor for a moment, and inquired, "Is that Hayes?"—*Tribune.*

New Hampshire Items.

Rodney C. Dutton, now lying in Lowell jail awaiting trial for burglary, has been identified as the man who recently collected considerable sums in Concord, fraudulently representing himself to be the agent of Boston firms.

President Smith of Dartmouth College died on Friday. He was born at Amherst, Sept. 21, 1804. He graduated from Dartmouth College in 1830; was Principal of Limerick Academy, Maine, from 1830 to 1831, and studied divinity at Andover Theological Seminary, graduating in 1834. He was ordained pastor of the Fourteenth Street Presbyterian Church in New York city, Nov. 2, 1834; lectured as Professor of Pastoral Theology at the Union Theological Seminary from 1843 to 1844, and was dismissed from the Fourteenth Street Church, October 15, 1863, and inaugurated as the seventh President of Dartmouth College, October 18, of the same year, which position he filled to the time of his death. President Smith has published many works of interest and value, and by his well-known integrity and sterling qualities has endeared himself to the many students and friends of the college. [Later advices state that President Smith is not dead, but on the contrary is improving in health.]

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Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. scrip	51
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	68
Boston & Maine	59
Boston & Providence	130
Boston & Albany	117
Nashua & Lowell	88
Concord	78
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad (s N. H.)	31
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" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
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East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
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Concord Way,			4.35 "
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Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30† "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

*Only for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

F. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

SOFTINGS.

Somebody utters this timely and happy thought: "This is the time to go out wolf-hunting. Nothing will give you higher percentage on your time and money than chasing the wolf from your poorer neighbor's door."

Portsmouth boys are well spoken of wherever they go. Mr. Charles Adams, son of the late Hon. Joseph B. Adams of this city, having been appointed agent in Chicago of the new Chicago & Erie Railroad, the *Inter-Ocean* thus refers to him; "Mr. Adams is a man of fine business capacity, is thoroughly acquainted with and esteemed by the business men of the city, and is in many ways peculiarly qualified to do efficient service in the interest of the road. The selection of such a representative will be regarded by everybody here as an evidence of good judgment on the part of the managers."

Oliver Ditson & Co. send us three fine vocal pieces: "Clouds at Eventide," one of four German gems by Franz Lachner, "Sun of my Soul," quartet, which has new music to a favorite hymn, and "Summer Friends," by Pinsuti, a composer who has a charming talent for composing neat English songs with Italian melodies. There are also three excellent piano pieces: the "Irresistible Schottische," by Sudds, a nice "Fairy Legend," for violin (first position) and piano, by Eichberg, and a beautiful romance, "Angels' Wings," by V. B. Aubert.

The attempt to raise the schooner "Ceres" is suspended for the present.

It has been suggested by a social economist that the high collars worn by young gentlemen of elegant leisure be utilized for advertising purposes. This would add greatly to the picturesqueness of public gatherings, and would furnish an endless fund of conversation for playgoers.

Every person professing a love for temperance, should feel it a duty and privilege to attend the first anniversary of the Reform Club to-morrow evening, and encourage and strengthen the hearts of the reformed men who are doing so much for the good name of our city. A very brief historical sketch will be given, by which our citizens will learn the great amount of labor performed during the past year; all the exercises will be lively, as it will be a season of jollity and thanksgiving.

The Supreme Court now in session in this city has been engaged for the past three or four days in trying the case of Bennett vs. Clough, an action brought by plaintiff to recover of Mrs. Clough two bank books and other certain valuables to the amount of some five hundred dollars or more. The jury got the case about two o'clock on Saturday afternoon and after being out an hour or so brought in a sealed verdict, which will be made known at eleven o'clock this (Monday) morning.

Mr. Charles W. Gardner has tendered his resignation of the position of second lieutenant in the Portsmouth Light Artillery.

It is rumored around town that two detectives from Massachusetts were prospecting in this city the past week, hunting for evidence against liquor sellers, and that evidence enough to convict several was procured. Whether we are to have an anti-saloon crusade on the Strafford County plan, or the rumor is a rumor only, we shall be able to tell by-and-bye.

The republicans of Ward Two held their caucus Saturday evening, and elected the following delegates to the several conventions: State—William A. Hodgdon, Thomas E. Call, Joseph P. Morse, Benjamin W. Curtis, Aaron Young, J. Horace Kent, John Knowlton, Joseph H. Gardiner; Congressional—John H. Broughton, John H. Bailey, Charles H. Sides, Daniel L. Randall, Daniel W. Barnabee, Adolph Nelson, John H. Flagg, William H. Sise; Senatorial—William H. Hackett, Samuel Adams, Stephen J. Marston, William O. Sides, Elbridge Pryor, James C. Brown, George L. Stackpole, Warren Webster; Councillor—Alfred F. Howard, Robert C. Sides, John E. Colcord, Albert C. Anderson, J. Warren Pryor, Robert C. Peirce, Alfred H. Hanscom, William H. Deverson; County—Henry A. Yeaton, Daniel J. Vaughan, Samuel H. Kingsbury, William A. Ashe, Plumer D. Norton, Marcellus Bufford, John E. Johnston, Eben F. Brackett.

Secure your tickets for "Josh Billings'" lecture early, and avoid the rush. Nobody should miss the opportunity to hear "Josh."

The first of Mr. Albee's historical and critical lectures on English Literature will be given this evening, in the South Parish Chapel on Court Street, commencing at eight o'clock. Tickets for the course of ten lectures, $2.50, are for sale at J. H. Foster's bookstore.

An alarm of fire was occasioned at about half-past one o'clock Monday morning, by what was probably an incendiary attempt to burn the old Asa Ham house at the Creek. The house, which is unoccupied, was discovered to be on fire at one corner and on the outside, but a few buckets of water put out the flames. The building is of little value, and is owned by the Eastern Railroad.

TOO MUCH WATER.

Sunday was a sloppy day, rain falling briskly in the forenoon, and the walking became quite as bad as need be. At an early hour men were at work on the roofs of many buildings, cleaning them of snow and ice, as the water was backing up under the eaves from the gutters and doing much damage. Oren Bragdon had to move much of his shoe stock and George Hill to clear his goods in his drug store, and Dr. Potter's office was partially swamped; but no serious damage was done at either of these places.

At Mechanics' Block, men employed to clear the roof of snow and ice cut holes through the tin, and through these holes the water worked in large quantities, flooding the reading room and Tilton's music room, and doing considerable damage to the stocks of George Hanson and Isaiah Wilson.

The *Times* office was flooded, and the water ran down into Oxford's grocery store, doing much harm; several men were employed in Oxford's all the forenoon, bailing out water and moving goods.

How much the loss at these places will amount to we cannot say, but unless the reports are much exaggerated it is very considerable.

Take down those useless things, the gutters.

YORK.

YORK, ME., Jan. 5, '77.

The bill of mortality of York is unusually large the past year. The number of deaths annually for many years past have not exceeded forty, and have often footed up a much smaller number, one year reaching only twenty-two. By the following list it will be seen that there were twenty deaths during the first quarter of 1876, being more than one-half the usual number of deaths for a year.

DEATHS IN YORK, 1876.

January. Males two, aged 83, 75; females five, aged 61, 80, 5, 94, 47. Total number eight.

February. Males three, aged 75, 35, 4 weeks; females five, aged 76, 24, 17, 84, 14. Total deaths, eight.

March. Males four, aged 60, 58, 2, 5; females one, aged 65. Total deaths, five.

May. Males none; females one, aged 9 years.

June. Males two, aged 20 months, 50 years; females three, aged 22, 26, 81. Total deaths five.

July. Males none; females three, aged 33, 92, 50. Total deaths, three.

August. Males one, aged 77; females one, aged 58. Total deaths, two.

September. Males three, aged 19, 79, 86; females three, aged 14, 76, 26. Total deaths, six.

October. Males three, aged 48, 46, 76; females one, aged 84. Total deaths, four.

November. Males four, aged 10, 77, 79, 25; females five, aged 8, 15, 80, 3, 9. Total deaths, nine.

December. Males two, aged 50, 56; females eight, aged 31-2, 35, 40, 31, 11, 8, 95, 70. Total deaths, ten.

Total number of deaths for the year, sixty; of males, twenty-four; of females, thirty-six. Average age—males, fifty-one years; females, forty-three.

J. S. PUTNAM.

—The tin weddings pan out best.——It is agonizing to see a young man escort your girl to the cars, carrying an umbrella which he borrowed from you the day before.——If a man is in the stationhouse, and not very full, no can be bailed out without much trouble.——A physician having ordered a patient to take one pill three times a day, was asked how long a pill would last at that rate of rapid consumption.——Never turn a cold, hungry man away from your house. Do as the good do, and let him sit on the door steps.——The "Sword of Bunker Hill" should not be confounded with the sabre of Ben Hill, feared by the fiery Fernando.——Cronin will meet himself in Washington and divide his mileage from Oregon with himself. He is the most unanimous man in the world. In discussion with himself as to filling vacancies his talk is something like that of Dick Swiveller with the imaginary James at the fictitious banquet. Cronin is three of a kind and bound to be tray. *N. O. Republican.*

—"Married next week, I hear, eh?" remarked a friend, slapping a good young man of Burlington in a congratulatory way on the shoulder; "rich girl up Davenport way, I hear?" "Well, no," said the young man, stifling a little sigh, "things was all arranged, but I've kind o' had to put the wedding off a little while, like it might be." "What's wrong?" asked the friend, in sympathetic tones; "cold folks down on the match?" "Well, not exactly; ye see she has no parents, and she's her own boss like, but——" "Girl didn't throw you, did she? Didn't go back on you?" "Well," said the young man, hesitatingly, "n'—not exactly; ye see, two of her husbands kind of happened to find her and come in on her together, sort of unexpected like, and I've just sort of thought we'd kind of put it off like it might be." And the subject of conversation was delicately changed like.

—A minister in Lexington, Ky., lately said in the pulpit that he had seen a pack of cards and a backgammon board in the parlor of a member of his church, and after services seventeen pious men scolded their wives for carelessness.

DIED.

BROOKS. In York, Me., Dec. 17, Miss Ellen M. Brooks, youngest daughter of Col. Jeremiah Brooks, aged 31 years.

DAME. In Newington, Jan. 4th, Mrs. Sallie Dame, aged 88 years.

—Romantic young people and cruel parents still live outside of the popular novel. A youthful pedagogue at Woodsburg, L. I., lately had the temerity to fall in love with Miss Johnson of that place. The parents of the young lady appear to have been opposed to the suit, so the young people eloped; that is to say, they quietly went off and got married, but they came back armed with a certificate wherewith to mollify the stern parents. It had the contrary effect. The mother gave the young lady a severe castigation, while the father pitched the aspiring youth over the garden fence. Love and law are, however, strong, and the parents have relented, and again family discipline has been defeated.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

MR. TREAT'S SPEECH.

Delivered before the Portsmouth Reform Club, in Franklin Hall, on Sunday evening, Jan. 7th, 1877:

Ladies and Gentlemen—Brothers and Sisters of the Portsmouth Reform Club:

Next Tuesday, Jan 9th, will be the anniversary of the formation of this club, at which time we propose to celebrate the joyful occasion by a general jollification, and hope you all, with many more, will be there to assist in carrying out the programme. On that occasion Bro. Thorndike, who is appointed our historian, will enlighten you as to the particulars of the origin and formation of the club, and the success which has attended our efforts thus far.

As for myself, I will say that one year ago I had no more idea of leaving off drinking than I now have of ever taking it up again,—and I now thank God that he has given me strength thus far to throw off the degrading habit and to be able to stand here to-night a reformed man.

At the time this club was organized nearly all (as most of you know) who expressed an opinion as to its success predicted for it a short-lived existence,—some saying it would not last a month; others, that election day would surely fetch us,—more that warm weather would serve us as it did the converts made for the church in cold weather; and most of the rest that Rechabite Hall would certainly finish us as it did every organization that ever occupied it,—in short, that our club would very soon collapse and go the way of most every other temperance movement; but we have not only survived one election but three of them, and one an unusually exciting Presidential one,—and thanks to this reform club, drunkenness, instead of being the rule as formerly, has been the exception,—during all the excitement attending the campaign, very little drunkenness was seen on our streets. Through the not weather we did lose some of our members, who being weak were easily captured by the enemy; but now that cold weather has come I hope they will gather sufficient strength to throw off the yoke which has bound them, re-sign our pledge, and strive not only to keep it themselves but labor with us to reclaim others.

We have now 2435 names on our Pledge Book, and still there is room for more. Our object is to get all who are addicted to the use of alcoholic beverages to abandon the habit; and by thus cutting off the demand, the supply must inevitably cease. In short, instead of trying to reform the rum-seller, as the Woman's Crusade did, we are striving with the men and women who are using intoxicating drinks, to induce them to sign our pledge and stick to it,—and if they should find at the expiration of a year that they are less happy for doing so, why then they can again go back to their cups, with the misery, want, head-aches and heart-aches attending those who indulge in strong drinks. I for one have no fear of your doing so, even if there are 107 bar-rooms in full blast amongst us; they have no temptations for me, although I well know that as a general thing good social company can be found there, and I have had many a good time in such company over a glass of whiskey or ale, but after the drinking was over have had as all that drink do, an awful time getting sober, rising in the morning with head all swelled up, hat not big enough for you, hardly able to open your eyes for having such a head ache, mouth glued up and in a fearful condition, tongue swelled and parched and certainly not in a condition to do much talking,—not fit to tell the truth if your *wife or mother* should ask you where you were the night before,—not able to lock at food, let alone eating it,—having to take (as all drinkers know) a rum breakfast instead of anything else after (as they and I used to call it) a night's good time! Surely the good book hits the nail on the head in rum drinking, when it says he that doeth wrong shall receive for the wrong he has done; and unless you have strength enough to quit the habit, ere long you are bound to become the poor, miserable drunkard that even the rum-seller despises and wishes to keep as far from his saloon as possible; and then

"Sad is the drunkard's life,
Wasting in crime,
Far from the path of right,
Reckless of time.
Tears of repentant grief
Chill as they start;
Hardly a tender thought
Wakes in his heart.

Often a single spark
Kindles a flame;
Kindness may win him back,
Prayers may reclaim;
Go where he sit alone,
Burdened with care,
Tell him his sinful course,
Plead with him there—

Picture a happy past
Gone from his sight;
Bring back his early youth,
Cloudless and bright;
Tell how a mother's eye
Watched while he slept,
Tell how she prayed for him,
Borrowed and wept—

Point to the better land,
Home of the blest,
Where she has passed away,
Gone to her rest.
Over that reported one
Memory will years;
God, in his mercy, grant
He may return."

Let us keep up the banner of total abstinance and still bid all to come under its folds, lift up the fallen, throw the cords of

sympathy around the weak and tempted. Let manhood be written on the brow of the most degraded; give all a kind word and show it at you are interested in them; this will be the means of saving thousands of men to society and usefulness who are now looked upon as walking rum-barrels. If possible these men should be reclaimed, and the best course to pursue is to take them by the hand and show them that you have faith in their ability to be me of use to themselves and the community. The diamond is only covered up by rubbish; it may require some little labor and time to bring it forth, but nevertheless it is there, and only needs to be brought to the surface that it may shine all the brighter for having been obscured.

In accepting the Presidency of this club it was (and ever has been) my desire not only to keep clear of politics, and sectarianism in religion, but also from personal abuse. Believing the fact that personal reformation was the prime necessity, I have endeavored to get all I could to sign the pledge and stick to it. The hardest work has been to convince drinking men that they were drinking too much; there are some that think and probably act as the good old deacon did, who when approached by one of the brethren and asked if he didn't think he was indulging too often, replied, sometimes he *did* and then again he *didn't*. "What is man? A weak worm of the dust What the Lord sayeth, that shall he done. So I left it to the Lord to say whether I was goin' too far in sperits. I put the whole 'sponsibility on Him! I prayed to him if I were drinking too much, to take away my appetite for sperits. I've prayed that prayer three times, and he hasn't done it! So I am clear of the 'sponsibility, any how." Most all have some way or other to get around their feelings; some are not well, and *have* to take a little grog; others get mad with their wives and drink to spite them; and more because they have nothing else to do and drink to drive away the blues—excuses are as numerous as drinkers.

I did not believe any one could be induced to join us by abusing the rum-sellers. I have not only refrained from doing so myself but have endeavored to restrain the few intemperate temperance men we have amongst us—those who would almost dictate what you should eat, what you should wear, where you should attend church, and what hour you should go to bed.

Then again we have a few men who left off drinking expecting to get a *premium* for so doing. I have had men, after they have signed the pledge, ask me for ten cents (I don't know what they wanted it for unless it was to treat resolution); another wanted one dollar; still another a pair of boots; and yet another a whole suit of clothes—but to his credit be it said he did not want a very expensive one. Then we have those who left off expecting to get a good easy position, with just enough work to do to keep the rust off; this is the class that expect to be petted and pampered,—the ones who find most of the fault, and in fact make most of the trouble; nothing is done right unless they are consulted and have the engineering of it.

I am aware that a good many think I have altogether too much respect for the rum-sellers. It is true I do not think they are all murderers, thieves and everything else that is bad and dishonest, for I have known and still know men in the rum-traffic who are as quick to do a man a good turn as man out of it,—but as a general thing these are the men who are disgusted with the business and would get out of it could they get into something else as remunerative. There is certainly nothing ennobling or elevating in peddling out rum. I have often laughed to see some big, hearty fellow, who is able to do a good day's work, but being a little lazy and imagining that he has ability enough to get along without work takes a place, puts in one half-barrel ale, one quart whiskey, as much more rum, a few pipes and half a dozen pieces of tobacco, and then stands 'round with his hands in his pockets and tells you how business is. I think this is about the only business however, that requires no apprenticeship in order to be conversant with it,—although some think it requires a good deal of judgment to mix a hot whiskey or a rum punch,—in truth some can do it better than others, but these soon get above their business, go into politics and manage to get along by still preying on the community.

The greatest annoyance I have had to encounter during the twelve months I have been a teetotaler has come from travelling temperance orators,—these puffed up, conceited fellows who imagine that they have a mission to perform, and that that mission is to reclaim the inebriate. They will tell what a work they have done, and what mistakes others make in talking temperance; they will insist on giving you a lecture (for a consideration) that will be just a little the best you ever heard, and don't see how you could tolerate the speakers you have had heretofore; in fact it is amusing to hear them blow their own horns, and run down other lecturers. One old fellow, who claimed to be a young man himself, insisted and would hardly take no for an answer, that he could give us an A 1 lecture, and would fill our old Temple at ten cents a head if we would just let him have the doing of the advertising, etc.; besides, he had a thousand tickets; for a time I had considerable sport with this same old fellow, but it soon got to be an old story, and he bored me half to death before I got through with him. Most of these lecturers think that by telling some largely overdrawn story of the want and misery the drinking of rum has brought upon themselves or some of their friends, that they will get up steam, or as the revivalists call it, "a saving interest," and get some to sign the pledge. One man, for lack of something else to illustrate the depths of degradation to which a man could fall, went so far as to say "you all know how low and degraded it had made your President," (meaning me.) Most of them are after the dollar a little harder than any set of men I ever saw. One old fellow with a panorama couldn't even wait until his show was over before he wanted to be paid. They will tell you how hard they work and how poorly they are remunerated for the energy and talent they have to put in it; but should this class of men ever give up lecturing and go to peddling rum, God pity the poor inebriate, for I think they would double discount the man now in the rum traffic, and the old Spring Hill style of three drinks for a quarter would then certainly be one of the customs of the past.

Concluded in next issue.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 9, 1877.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

State—At White's Opera House, Concord, Wednesday, January 10th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Congressional—District No. 1—At City Hall, Dover, Wednesday, January 17th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Councillor—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Friday, Jan. 19, at 11 A. M.

Senatorial—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Tuesday, Jan 30, at 11 A. M.

County—At Town Hall, Exeter, Tuesday, Jan. 16, at 10 A. M.

Now for Arkansas.

The democrats have had a good deal to say about "the letter of the law" as a justification of the conduct of Gov. Grover, of Oregon, in giving a certificate of election to Electoral College Cronin, a man he knew had not been elected; so they will hardly allow the vote of Arkansas to be counted for Tilden, the "letter of the law" having been knocked into "pi" by the Electoral College of that State. The law of March 1, 1792, provides that "the electors in each State shall make and sign three certificates of all the votes by them given, and shall seal the same, *certifying on each* that a list of the votes of such State, for President and Vice President *is contained therein*, and shall *by writing* under their hands, or under the hands of a majority of them, appoint a person to take charge of and deliver to the President of the Senate at the seat of the government, before the first Wednesday in January then next ensuing, one of the said certificates." But when the messenger bearing the electoral votes of Arkansas presented himself to Mr. Ferry, and tendered a package which he said contained the votes cast by the Electoral College, upon Mr. Ferry's examining the wrapper of this sealed package, it was discovered that the necessary certificate of the Electors that the package contained the votes of the State, was wanting. The messenger could produce no certificate of his appointment as such, and he had nothing to show that he was what he claimed to be, a duly appointed messenger of the Electoral College of Arkansas. Mr. Ferry declined to receive the sealed package unless the messenger could prove his identity, and even then, was in some doubt whether to accept it. The messenger withdrew and shortly reappeared with some democratic members of Congress who vouched for his identity as a duly appointed messenger. Mr. Ferry again directed attention to the law above cited, and the failure of the Electors to enter the necessary certificate on the package, but concluded to receive it, and let the question of its irregularity go until the second Wednesday in February. Several days afterwards the messenger again made his appearance, and asked that he might be allowed to *withdraw* the package previously filed, and to substitute another one which, he said, met all the requirements of the statute. This request was of course refused, and the irregular certificate must stand until action can be taken by the constitutional authorities to determine its validity. The questions are, how did the messenger get the second sealed package? and if the Electors failed, on the day absolutely prescribed by existing law, to draw up the certificate in proper form as to their action, had they any legal right to meet on a subsequent day and rectify their mistake at the telegraphic request of democratic leaders in Washington.

General Leslie Coombs of Kentucky, one of the most prominent public men of that State, has just married a wife who is eighty-five years old. He is himself almost as old as his bride.

In France, the official guillotine is at work, twelve prefects having been just transferred or dismissed by the new Premier. This politic measure will increase M. Simon's popularity with the republicans. The average politician has the highest opinion of the chief who removes an opponent.—*Tribune.*

Five negroes, who killed Hansman and Portman, near Aiken, S. C., last November, have been found guilty of murder in the first degree. The murdered men were respectable German citizens. Now let us hear that some of the white men who have murdered so many negroes in South Carolina have also been convicted of murder in the first degree.

Capt. H. T. H. Pierce, of Keene, hanged himself in his barn Sunday afternoon. He was about sixty years old and leaves a family. The cause was ill health and low spirits.

It is a question whether any pedestrian ever attained so much popularity in Boston as did Miss Bertha Von Hillern, by her pluck and modest demeanor. It is a pleasure to anticipate the coming trial at Music Hall on the 19th and 20th inst., when the lady will attempt the extraordinary feat of walking eighty-eight miles in twenty-six consecutive hours. Those who witnessed the extraordinary task which she recently accomplished, feel sure she will succeed this time.

New Hampshire Items.

O. C. Moore, Esq., of the Nashua *Telegraph*, is booming up as a possible republican candidate for Congress from the Second District.

The remains of Elwin W. Major arrived in Wilton Saturday, and were taken to the cemetery and placed in a grave beside his wife's.

A stone cottage on the Ball Hill road in Manchester, belonging to C. M. Hubbard, and occupied by Thomas Burchell, was burned Saturday. Loss $2000; insurance $1000.

The ten delegates from Sandown, elected by the republicans to the several conventions in Rockingham county, are all of the name of Sanborn.

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PULMOCINE.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West, 8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord ann. North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Early for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others east or west may be dropped in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Davis Brothers' photograph gallery was visited by "backed in" water on Sunday, and the floor of the New Hampshire Bank premises was ornamented by a good sized piece of plastering which was soaked off the ceiling.

On the outside of to-day's paper will be found a part of Mr. John S. Treat's Sunday evening talk to the Reform Club. It is worth reading.

On petition of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, Judges Foster and Stanley have appointed Edward A. Abbott of Concord receiver of said road. Mr. Abbott appeared before the Court Saturday and furnished the required bonds, which were approved. He acts under written instructions with regard to the temporary management of the road.

Misses Minnie C. and Grace E. Marden on Saturday presented to an aged inmate of Fair Home an album quilt containing one thousand and ten pieces.

St. Mary's Benevolent Association, at a meeting on the 7th, passed resolutions of regret at the decease of Mr. James Norton, one of the founders of the Association, and of sympathy with his family.

At a meeting of the School Committee, Saturday evening, it was voted to rescind the vote previously passed giving masters of Grammar Schools $900 per year, and it was also voted to pay them at the rate of $24 per week while in the actual employ of the city. The compensation to the writing master remains for the present at $600, as decided upon at the previous meeting.

At a meeting of the democrats of Ward Four, holden on Saturday evening, the following delegates were chosen to the different conventions: State—Henry F. Wendell, William F. Russell, Joseph R. Holmes, Charles W. Norton; Congressional—James W. Lefavour, Alonzo K. W. Green, Richard D. Smart, Benjamin Russell; Councillor—Same delegates as chosen to the Congressional; Senatorial—James W. Nutter, Benjamin M. Bailey, George S. Leach, Thomas R. Moore; County—Albert B. Trefethen, William P. Bennett, Charles W. Brackett, William H. Smart.

See notice of "oil paintings at auction" in another column.

Don't forget the grand jollification of the Reform Club at Franklin Hall this evening. Jan. 9th, the first anniversary of the formation of the Club. Music (by Harlow's Quadrille Band), songs, speeches, refreshments, and a promenade concert. Tickets to the whole, 25 cents; doors open at 6:45; commence at 7:30.

The signal service observer at Barnegat, N. J., reports that the ship Simla of this port, 1100 tons, commanded by Capt. Albert Salter of this city, and owned by the estate of Jonathan M. Tredick, bound from Marseilles to New York, in ballast, ran ashore seven miles south of Barnegat Inlet at 11:30 o'clock Sunday night; weather foggy and blowing a gale from the east. The crew were brought ashore by life-saving crews. No lives lost. The vessel will probably prove a total loss. The Simla was built here in 1863 by Tobey & Littlefield. A later report says she lies on the beach with her hull entirely out of water, all her masts having been cut away. She was valued at $54,000, and is fully insured in Boston offices.

Ship Kate Prince, Hamilton, from Liverpool, arrived in Hampton Roads on the 6th inst., all well, but had experienced very severe weather on the passage.

The regular social assembly of the Light Artillery will be given on Thursday evening, as usual, in Mechanics' Hall.

Monday was the day set apart by the Tilden managers for the democrats to indignate in. No vibration of the earth was apparent in these parts.

Franklin Hall was well filled on Sunday evening, the attraction being an address by the President of the Portsmouth Temperance Reform Club, John S. Treat, Esq. Mr. Treat retires from the presidency of the club at the expiration of the year (Jan. 9, 1877,) and the address above referred to was his valedictory. We publish it entire as it contains much that will interest all friends of the temperance reform.

DON'T LIKE THE GUTTERS.

Much damage is done every winter by the "backing in" of water under the eaves of buildings, owing to the freezing-up of eaves-troughs or gutters. Unable to go anywhere else, the water works inside and runs down between outer and inner walls, through ceilings and among goods, discoloring wall paper and plastering and causing ceilings to fall, and inflicting great annoyance as well as serious pecuniary loss. There are but two ways to prevent this, that we can see; one is, to clear the roofs of buildings after every snow fall—nearly an impossibility, by the way, when the snow falls at night and is solidly frozen before morning; the other is, to put no gutters on buildings. Gutters *will* ice up in spite of all that can be done; and then when a thaw comes, if there is any snow on the roof, the water is bound to back in and do mischief. And what good do gutters do? What are they for? They conduct the water from the roofs to the ground, certainly, but it would get there just as easily and surely—a great deal more easily sometimes, as was shown in this city last Sunday—without them. In places where water is scarce and the saving of rain water is a necessity or convenience, gutters are of use; but in a city like Portsmouth we fail to see that they are of any service whatever except to "back in" water into buildings during the winter thaws, and spoil plastering and goods and people's tempers. In the absence of gutters the rain on a roof might increase the rain-fall on the side-walk travellers; but most people in heavy rains carry umbrellas, and they have to stand the increased rain-fall anyway in the winter, when the gutters are full of ice, and they do not seem to mind it much. The water from the roofs would fall mostly quite near the buildings, and the only real inconvenience from it would be to those who had to pass through it to enter doors; and that annoyance could be easily remedied by some trifling local shelter. We fancy that gutters are put on buildings for the same reason that doors are made with panels, not because there is any use in it but because it has been done from time immemorial; and we believe if the experiment of leaving gutters off buildings was once generally tried, the owners and occupiers of such buildings would not be in haste to go back to the old way again. EPINSRETTUG.

News and Notes.

The steamer Colombia of the Wilson line from Hull, England, for New York, is supposed to have foundered at sea.

James Gordon Bennett and Frederick May have disappeared from New York, each with a friend. Bennett made his will before leaving. The supposition is that a duel in earnest—not one of the ridiculous affairs in which one party fires in the air any the other does not fire at all, but a genuine fight in which each one tries to kill the other—is to take place, and from the known movements of the two men named it is believed it will come off at the little town of Stanstead in Canada, just across the border line.

The French steamer "L'Amerique," Captain Panzolz, from Havre for New York, went ashore at Seabright, N. J., at an early hour Sunday morning. At eleven o'clock the passengers were being landed on the beach by the men of the life-saving station, and the steamer was well up on the beach. At the time of the disaster the wind was blowing furiously, the sea was heavy and thick fog prevailed. None of the passengers were lost, and only three of the sailors. All the passengers and crew, with the exception of three sailors, were safely landed at Seabright. The mails were also saved. It is thought the steamer will be got off the beach in good condition. It will be remembered that this vessel was abandoned in the Bay of Biscay a year or two ago, and was picked up by two British vessels and taken into the Thames, when it was found that "L'Amerique's" engineers had been industriously pumping water *into* the vessel under the impression that they were pumping it out, which was all there was the matter!

There is hardly a possibility left of a peaceful termination of the Russian-Turkish difficulty.

Coles Morris, of New York, is a $500,000 defaulter.

Schooner Lacon, Capt. Dixon, of Newburyport, from Prince Edward's Island for New York with potatoes, has foundered at sea. All hands saved.

The $11,000 recently stolen from the Treasury has been returned, but the search for the thief is continued.

A duel between Bennett and May, in which the former was wounded, was reported on Monday.

Commodore Vanderbilt was buried on Sunday, the services being marked by the almost total absence of display.

The British schooner T. A. Frost, with a cargo of molasses and sugar from Demarara for Boston, before reported wrecked on the Hedge Fence in Vineyard Sound, has been towed into Vineyard Haven by revenue cutter Samuel Dexter. She had been abandoned by her captain and crew, and also by wreckers who had stripped her. Her valuable cargo was taken in charge by Captain Carson, who turned it over to the Custom House authorities at Vineyard Haven. The saving of the cargo will return quite a large amount in duties to the Government. Ever since she was taken in charge no one on board the cutter has seen either the captain or any one to represent the underwriters, which is a very singular occurrence. Upon the arrival of wreckers, they were told by the captain of the abandoned vessel to go ahead and make all they could.

Five of the six masked ruffians who robbed the house of Mr. Hillier and gagged and bound his family on the night of Dec. 23d, at Astoria, L. I., have been captured and jailed. There is not much doubt that they comprise the gang which has, during the past year, robbed several eastern vessels while they were anchored in Flushing bay and vicinity.

Washington advices say there has been a very decided change of sentiment among the democrats during the past few days, and their talk now all tends to securing a new Presidential election, they having apparently little hope of being able to deprive Hayes of his majority of electoral votes. A *Traveller* correspondent on Monday said: "Fernando Wood will to-morrow propose in the House that the only way to settle the Presidential election is by having a new election in the States of Florida, Louisiana, and South Carolina. Mr. Wood says he doesn't take any account of that Oregon matter, and would be sorry to see Tilden President on testimony such as that brought from Cronin.

OIL PAINTINGS AT AUCTION.

Our citizens are invited to view the elegant collection of Oil Paintings from the Brooklyn Art Gallery, now on free exhibition at the rooms of H. F. Wendell, No. 55 State street. It is seldom if ever that our citizens have had the opportunity to view such a rare collection. Auction sale on Wednesday, Jan. 10th, at 11 o'clock A. M., and 2:30 and 7:30 P. M.

DIED.

CAMPBELL. In Newcastle, Jan. 7, Janie Campbell, aged 11 years and 5 months, daughter of Mr. John W. Campbell.

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Daily Chronicle.

Sneezing.

Rev. Dr. E. Wentworth writes thus to the editor of the *Troy Times*: Your correspondent, Thomas J. Bowditch, had in a recent issue a whole column on superstitious connected with sneezing. He ends without giving us the physiological uses of the phenomenon. As a rule, a sneeze is the warning which nature gives that some part of the body is exposed to a cooler temperature than the other parts, and that the sneezer is "catching cold." Next to the warning, what is the use of the sneeze? It throws open the pores of the whole body, and induces a gentle perspiration; in a word, it throws off the cold. A child rarely sneezes more than twice. Perspiration is readily induced in a youth; an old man, on the contrary, sneezes half a dozen to a dozen times, with a loudly explosive "catchegue." It is harder to set him to perspiring. When one is sitting in an open window, and finds himself sneezing, nature tells him he is taking cold. He should get up instantly, walk about, and take a full tumbler of cold water to keep up the gentle perspiration that the sneeze has set in motion. If he does this, he will not be telling an hour after that he has a "cold in his head," or chest, or lungs.

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"THE BOYS OF MY BOYHOOD,"

By William Cullen Bryant;

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"TWELVE SKY PICTURES,"

By Prof. Proctor, the Astronomer,

with maps, showing "The Stars of Each Month," which it will be likely to surpass in interest and usefulness all popular science recently given to the public.

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Another serial, "His Inheritance," by Miss Trafton, is laid on the southern coast of "That Land of Lorne," by Mrs. Hodgson Burnett. Mrs. Burnett's story, begun in August, has a novel and dramatic interest which have been a surprise to her readers.

There is to be a series of original illustrated papers of "Popular Science," by Mrs. Herrick, each paper complete in itself.

There are to be, from various pens, papers on

"HOME LIFE AND TRAVEL."

Also, practical suggestions as to town and country life, village improvements, etc., by well-known specialists.

Mr. Bernard's articles on various industries of Great Britain include the history of "Some Experiments in Co-operation," "A Session of Factory in the November number, and "Food Lane, Sociable," in December. Other papers are, "The British Workingman's Home," "A Nation of Shopkeepers," "Hearing a Week for the Blind," etc.

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MR. TREAT'S SPEECH.

Concluded from last issue.

Now, my friends, brothers and sisters of the Portsmouth Reform Club, in ceasing to become your President do not imagine I do so because I am tired of being a temperance man, or that my connection with you has been unpleasant, for such is not the case; I have received nothing but kindness from each and every individual member, and while I may at times have seemed harsh and unkind, I trust you will all believe that I have ever had the interest of this club at heart; and I still propose, with the help of God, not only never to take a drink myself, but will in future (as I have in the past) endeavor to persuade all over whom I may have any influence to give up the fearful habit of drink, to sign the pledge and try to be the men their Creator intended they should be. In doing this I know that while I am benefitting them I am strengthening myself; and when I look about and see the number of men who have forsaken their cups and who to-day are good citizens—respected by all with whom they come in contact, I think it is almost impossible for any of us to feel sufficiently thankful for the work we have accomplished; and I for one feel more than recompensed for whatever trouble and labor I may have been put to. I can look back with pleasure and pride, knowing that during the Centennial year I not only drank no intoxicating drinks myself but helped to keep the temperance cause at a white heat the whole year through. We have had fairs, festivals, and picnics, no end to temperance talks—sometimes going so far as to have three meetings at different places in our city in one night, all going on at the same time; we have visited Reform Clubs in other places, and have actually participated in a Temperance Torch-light Procession?

When I review the work of the past year I wonder we have not all got tired and sick of even hearing the word temperance mentioned; and I was not much surprised to find that the old "Temple," which had witnessed so many successful meetings and where nearly one-half the names we have enrolled on our Pledge-book were signed, could stand the pressure no longer, but had to burn down before the year was out. It will not be out of place at this time for me to allude to a recent article published in the Boston *Journal*, written at Concord, claiming that the first movement looking to temperance reform in this State was started in Newport in 1873, by Mr. Osgood of Maine. In justice to our own city and to a brother member of this club, and in order that history may be set right, it is necessary for me to state that as early as September, 1872, Brother J. Horace Kent, who had reformed the June previous and was full of the desire to save those who were walking down the same road that he had just left,—with brothers Craig and Thorndike, under the auspices of the old Washingtonians, held their first meeting at the Temple, (Sept. 24, 1872,) at which time Bro. Kent made his first public remarks on temperance in this State; and I claim and no doubt he does that that meeting was the beginning of the real temperance reform movement, and from that spark has kindled the flame which has spread all over the State, and it is a matter of record that the first mutterings of the great temperance reform movement were the echoes of the earnest efforts of Bro. Kent in endeavoring to stir up the people to the terrible nature of the rum traffic in our city and vicinity.

No one need be told that intemperance is an evil; all admit the fact, even the man or woman (and some of our women, I am sorry to say, are addicted to the vice of rum drinking,) all that are slaves to the appetite for strong drink will acknowledge that no good *has* or ever *can* result from the use of intoxicating drink as a beverage. No class has been exempt from the injurious effects of its abuse. It has taken the judge from the bench and the lawyer from the bar, the preacher from the pulpit, and the physician from his practice, the statesman from the halls of legislation, the ruler from his high position, the clerk from his desk, and the merchant from his counting room; it has led the young man from high hopes and bright prospects, to the poor house, the prison and the grave; it costs more than the bread that feeds earth's teeming millions, and has produced more woe than war, pestilence, and famine. The counsels of God, and the advice of the wise and good of all times, have been against the excessive use of wine and strong drink, to prevent drunkenness and its concomitants, crime, poverty and misery. The point aimed at and the question to be solved is how can this object be attained. I do not believe it can be accomplished by legislation. You cannot legislate a drunkard into a sober man; you cannot make him a sober man by turning the rum out of his jug or taking the money out of his pocket. As long as the appetite and the desire to gratify it remains, he is not and will not be a temperance man; but convince this man that he is not only ruining himself but all who are in any way connected with him, and that if he keeps on there is no help for him, and at the same time get his confidence and make him believe that there is still hope, and if he will he can have the friends who have deserted him, and my word for it nine times out of ten you will be successful in reclaiming him.

Now a good many of my friends have

said to me, "John, I do not blame you for leaving off drinking, but why did you join the temperance folks after doing so? I don't see how you can fellowship with them; they are altogether a different breed of cats from you; I should not think you could tolerate them and their doings; in short, I should not think you would be at home with them at all." Now, friends, that is just where you (and I *used* to) make a mistake. I once thought as you do, but on nearer acquaintance I find that they are just about the same as any of us, and I have enjoyed myself as much if not more the past year than in any previous year of my life; and I tell you, boys, just as it is, that the old-time idea that you can't have a good time without filling up with *rum*, is all moonshine, although we all know,—and it is of no use for our temperance friends who have never been there themselves to gainsay it,—that there is good fellowship, good feeling, good stories told, good singing, and a good time generally, over a social drink; but, my friends, as a general thing don't all hands get more or less full? and then the next morning with its headaches and heart-aches will more than balance the short-lived pleasure of the night before. Besides, my friends, you know as well as I do that you are contracting a habit which it is almost impossible to break yourself from. How many times after such a spree have you made up your minds it should be the last! but, my friends, so long as you indulge in just *one* drink you are liable to again get intoxicated, and the probabilities are that the very time you most desire to keep sober will be the time you will get the drunkest. How annoying and disgusting it must have been to our families and friends, to see us in such a condition, for how hateful it is to us to be compelled to listen to some friend or other (half drunk) who has buttonholed us and endeavors to tell us some great exploit of his, and we knowing that if it is not altogether a clear piece of imagination it is to say the least greatly exaggerated,—hav'n't we at the same time thought if we could only have had his picture taken that it would be the very best temperance lecture we could give him? Yet at the same time should you undertake to tell him of his condition he would hoot at the idea, and almost make you believe that it was *yourself* and not *him* that was intoxicated. Indeed, it is a hard matter to convince any one that he is drinking too much; most every one thinks he is only a moderate drinker until he finds himself without money, or credit, and commences to look round for his friends.

A few days after I signed the pledge one of the worst old drunkards in our city met me on High street and said, "Hallo, John; I see you have signed the pledge. I am mighty glad of it, for you was going to the devil fast." I said, "That's so, old fellow; hadn't you better follow suit and sign too?" He answered, "There's no use my signing, for I don't drink hardly anything; indeed, I don't think I was ever drunk in my life!" And at the same time he was two-thirds full. Is it any wonder the good book says wine is a mocker?

There are some who say that so-and-so have signed the pledge and joined the Reform Club, but will in a short time be drinking again just the same as ever. To such I would say that when they do you will all know it, for it would be just as impossible for one who has been an habitual drinker to leave off for any length of time and then to commence again, without getting drunk, as it would to blow up a powder magazine or fire off (as John B. Gough says) a cannon a little at a time; and when he does, instead of concealing the fact from his friends and the public, the probabilities are that he will get in the most conspicuous place possible and show himself to the worst advantage. Was ever drunkenness a *concealed* sin? Hav'n't all of us after a spree, no matter of how short duration, wondered how we could possibly get in such conspicuous places and so thoroughly advertise our shortcomings? However carefully we might conceal and cover up whatever else we might be guilty of, let us but just get drunk and all our friends, acquintances, and more especially our enemies, know all about it. In an old town like ours there are a great many old groceries,—you may call them with truth Centennial ones,—that are run to-day by men whose fathers and grandfathers carried on the same business in the same places, and always sold rum. Now you will find it just as hard a matter to convince these men that the selling of rum, the way they sell it and their fathers before them sold it, is wrong, as it would be to convince me that it was wrong for my father, grandfather and myself to sell gravestones for the drinkers of the aforesaid rum; and they will keep right on selling it just so long as the business is considered by a majority of the community half-way respectable.

At the commencement of these remarks I alluded to the coming anniversary of the formation of this club. It is particularly fitting that we should make this a jubilee occasion, and by song and dance rejoice, that we have lived one year free from the shackles of rum. It seems to me that out of a membership of nearly 2500 that we ought to have at least 1000 to participate with us in celebrating the anniversary of the 9th of January, 1876. I might speak at length here if I had time, and had not already sufficiently wearied your patience, of the unseen results of our temperance reform in the many homes made happy, of the many hearts made glad, of the children of drunken fathers made joyous and light-hearted; but I will leave all that for our historian's eloquence on Tuesday evening. It should not require any eloquent appeal to our friends and the public to come to our anniversary and join with us in our good time, and congratulate us and wish us another equally successful. All, whether on our side or not, are forced to acknowledge the advantage gained to public weal by a temperance reformation, and as this is the cause of our coming together next Tuesday night, it will be seen that every man, woman, and child, in this good old town of ours is alike interested, and therefore entitled to admission to our gathering—for 25 cents.

And if there are any here that have not signed our pledge we would be pleased to have them do so; it certainly can do you no harm; in fact I believe it is your only safeguard. In times past, often have I left off drinking and had a nice little temperance society of my own; but sooner or later some good jovial fellow would come along and I would forget the pledge I had made to myself, take a drink and think of my nice little society afterwards. I believe had I not signed the pledge in public, no matter how many resolutions I might have made without doing so, that long ere this I should have been drinking again just the same as ever; and when every day I see the want and suffering caused by the use of strong drink I feel I cannot be sufficiently thankful that I have escaped the snares of the demon of intemperance; and I repeat again, if there are any here that are drinking,—as you value your own happiness, waste not your life any longer. Take the advice of one who has been there and knows how it is himself; resolve to give up the habit, and that to-night. Do not fear the ridicule of your companions, for none can be friends to you who would not rejoice to see you assert your manhood, sign the pledge and live up to it. Wey will you hesitate? You see what the drinking of rum has brought and is still bringing others to; can you expect to keep drinking and not in the end become one of those drunkards which you now so thoroughly despise? Come, and join this temperance army; enrol your name on the roll of honor;—and let us all so live that when our summons comes to join the innumerable host that moves to the pale realms of shade, we may go not like a quarry slave at night scourged to his dungeon, but, sustained and soothed by an unfaltering trust, like one who wraps the drapery of his couch about him and lies down to pleasant dreams.

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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1877.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

State—At White's Opera House, Concord, Wednesday, January 10th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Congressional—District No. 1—At City Hall, Dover, Wednesday, January 17th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Councillor—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Friday, Jan. 19, at 11 A. M.

Senatorial—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Tuesday, Jan 30, at 11 A. M.

County—At Town Hall, Exeter, Tuesday, Jan. 16, at 10 A. M.

The Telegraph War.

The democratic House of Representatives, which was so red-hot with indignation over the refusal of a telegraph manager to obey an order to hand over to a democratic committee all the dispatches sent by certain persons as to instantly order the "recalcitrant" manager, Barnes, to be presented before the bar of the House for contempt, had a severe attack of caution when Barnes' defense was submitted, and referred the whole matter to the committee of which that great judicial mind, Proctor Knott, is chairman. One reason for this radical change of base may be found in the fifth clause of Barnes' defence, which is as follows:

"Fifth, that by a statute of Louisiana, in which State the witness resides, and where the production of the dispatches was and could be alone demanded, there is a statute imposing a penalty upon any telegraph operator for disclosing the contents of dispatches, and an imprisonment for second offence. This law of a State is it not competent for Congress, by a law signed by the President, to overcome, much less it is competent for a single house to nullify it. The House has no power to guarantee the witness immunity for violating a penal statute of the State where he resides, or to set aside a law of the State. If this could be done as to telegrams, it would be competent for Congress, even for one branch of it, to destroy all the attributes of State sovereignty."

This, it will be seen, put the question in such a form that unless the ex-confederate House was willing to rule that a State has no laws which Congress cannot set aside, Barnes must be allowed to go clear. So the whole matter was referred to the judiciary committee.

On the other hand, the Senate wanted certain telegrams from an Oregon operator; he refused to produce them; and the Senate, by a vote almost unanimous, (only Eaton and Barnum, of Connecticut, democrats, and Burnside of Rhode Island, republican, voting in the negative,) decides that he must do as required or be in contempt.

But there is a vast difference in the two cases. The demand of the House committee was for all dispatches sent for a period of four months, no particular dispatches being specified, and no offence it was expected to prove by them being mentioned; in short, it was a "drag-net" attempt to seize a lot of private papers, in hope to find in them something to in some way incriminate somebody. The Senate committee, on the contrary, only demanded certain specified telegrams, which they claimed would prove certain specified charges.

The general sentiment seems to be that the telegraph should be as sacred as the mail, and that a man's private papers are his own; but the courts can enforce the production of private papers which bear upon any case before them, and there is no reason why telegraphic communications should be any more sacred than written letters. The Senate demand for the Oregon telegrams was simply a call for specified papers bearing on a case then on trial; the House demand for the Louisiana telegrams was an attempt to seize all a man's papers, in the indefinite hope that something might be found in them on which to found a case for trial.

Reform.

The "cox of reform" suffers from the disclosures before the Senate investigating committee on the Oregon election, which point strongly to the direct use of money by Tilden's nephew and secretary, Pelton, to influence the action of Oregon officials. Cronin's $3000 is bad enough, but Col. Pelton's connection with the transfer of $8000 to Oregon at the time of the meeting of the Electoral College is worse. And the acknowledged fact that the ex-secretary of Jeff Davis, Col. Burton N. Harrison, an intimate friend of Pelton, Tilden and reform, has been "coaching" the Oregon bankers through whom the money was transmitted as to what evidence they should give before the committee, does not mend matters any. That Tilden's barrel of money was drawn upon to directly purchase the "one vote" needed to elect him is almost a certainty.

Florida.

The republican members of the Florida committee are very indignant at the statements of democratic correspondents that the committee will unanimously report that Tilden carried the State. They say, on the contrary, that they have overwhelming evidence that Hayes carried it, and that the democratic frauds were appalling.

Louisiana.

Packard and Nicholls were inaugurated Governors of Louisiana on Monday. There was no more serious disturbance than an attack by a reform mob on Lieut. Governor Antoine, with oyster shells and other missiles, and an assault by the same parties on Gov. Kellogg's coach. The National government will not at present recognize either State government, but will keep the peace between them until the courts decide whether shot-guns or ballots are the legal election agencies in Louisiana.

The Louisiana "White League" was mustered in as State militia by "Gov." Nicholls on Tuesday, to install Nicholls' new Supreme Court. The police stations and Court House were captured by them. No blood was spilled, but it is expected plenty will be.

New Hampshire Items.

Eugene Sweeney was drowned at Dover Saturday night, in attempting to cross the Cocheco river near the Weirs.

The New Hampshire Prohibitory State Convention will be held in Whitney's Hall, Elm street, Manchester, on Wednesday, Jan. 31st, at ten o'clock A. M. "All who favor the enforcement of the law for the suppression of intemperance, are invited to be present and participate."

Parties in search of Jonathan H. Whittier, of Stoddard, who is supposed to have perished in the storm while making his way home from Munsonville Friday night, Dec. 29, have found about forty rods from the house of his son-in-law, and nearly a mile from his own home, a tin pail which he carried when he left Munsonville.

Prof. Parker of Dartmouth and family sailed from New York for the Bermudas on Thursday.

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Eds. Chronicle: The last Portsmouth *Journal* says: "In this county there appears to be a feeling that General Marston should receive the nomination, and many claim that in the present exigency, he is the strongest man that the republicans can nominate." If this be true, then are the republicans weak indeed; for as against Gen. Marston, Frank Jones would be quite likely to win again. We have seen no indications of any great "feeling" that Gen. Marston should receive a fourth nomination for Congress, except the report that he himself has been feeling about it that direction for some time. S. O. R.

From the 27th of December to the 9th of January not an offender was brought before the Police Court of this city. On the latter date a married woman was brought up, charged with a "'discussion" with another woman in which the latter had her nose scratched by the end of a stick.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?

A will was presented for probate in Court, Tuesday, witnessed by Moses H. Call. The directory was consulted and no such name could be found. The witness' signature so closely resembled the handwriting in the body of the will that an astute counsellor suggested that it must have been drawn by the late Moses H. Call; and thereupon his successor, Howe Call, Esq., came into Court and admitted that in 1873 he wrote his name that way, and the proof of the will became established.

THE LATE MR. C. H. DAVIS.

We have already mentioned the death, in Colorado, of Mr. Charles H. Davis, son of Rev. Franklin Davis, recently pastor at Newington, and now at Tamworth. The young man was formerly employed in this office, and was an industrious and pleasant companion. He has since found work in Boston and elsewhere, and about a year ago went to Colorado in hope of benefiting his health—he having weak lungs. Here he purchased the *Mount Lincoln News*, at Alma, Col., and was winning health and friends, when he was stricken down with typhoid fever. His paper, the *News*, bearing the name of "C. H. Davis, publisher and proprietor, comes to us this week in deep mourning, "that is, with the column rules and head rules inverted. Verily, the neatest tribute that can be paid to a departed type, whose own mortal form is at last imposed, is to turn upside down the very column rules he has always been so particular to keep right side up. Mr. Davis' age was 32 years.

RESOLUTIONS—S. M. B. A.

At a meeting of St. Mary's Benevolent Association, held on Jan. 7th, the following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, It has pleased Almighty God, in His infinite wisdom, to call from our midst our late friend and brother member James Norton, and

Whereas, While humbly submitting to His divine will, we sincerely express our heartfelt sorrow for the loss of our esteemed friend and brother member, whose generosity and good qualities were well worthy of our highest respect and esteem: Therefore be it

Resolved, That in the death of JAMES NORTON, this Association has been deprived of one of its founders and best members, his family of a devoted husband and loving father, and his brother and sister of an affectionate brother.

Resolved, That we sincerely tender our heartfelt sympathy to the family, and relatives of the deceased in this the time of their bereavement.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be presented to the family of the deceased, and also be published in the Portsmouth daily papers and the *Pilot*.

W. H. PALMER,
W. H. CANTY,
TIMOTHY LYNCH,
Committee on Resolutions.

SUPREME COURT.

The special verdict returned by the jury in the case of Bennett vs. Clough, was favorable to the plaintiff.

Case Picketing vs. Hatch, an action to recover money, was on trial Monday afternoon and Tuesday, and was given to the jury Tuesday afternoon, they returning a sealed verdict after being out about an hour.

JOTTINGS.

The sale of oil paintings at Wendell's auction store commences to-day.

Josh Billings' lecture will be the event of the season. At Franklin Hall, Wednesday evening.

Mr. John S. Treat, Ex-President of the Portsmouth Reform Club, does not set up for a finished scholar or an eloquent orator, but he knows what he is talking about when he speaks of the effects of intemperance, and we mistake much if his Sunday evening address before the Reform Club (of which he has been the efficient President for a year) is not appreciated by every one who may read it.

The first lecture in Mr. John Albee's course on English Literature was delivered Monday evening. In it Mr. Albee strongly protested against the pernicious character of what is termed modern literature, as seen in books and magazines written solely for selling; and he also severely denounced the publication of criticisms prepared in advance by authors and publishers. The lecture was interesting as well as instructive.

The *Journal of the Telegraph* says that there seems to be little doubt now of the speedy conclusion of a working arrangement of some nature between the Anglo-American and the Direct Cable companies, which will likely culminate in complete amalgamation as soon after as the necessary forms of law can be observed. There may be some "form of law" on this side of the Atlantic which will interfere with this arrangement, as the Direct Cable Company had to pledge themselves not to amalgamate with any other company before the right to land their cable on our coast was conceded.

Ship Simla, Salter, before reported wrecked at Barnegat, was sixty-two days out from Marseilles for New York, consigned to Salter & Livermore of the latter city, in ballast. She is double-decked, built of white oak, iron and copper fastened, and sheathed with yellow metal; is 169 feet long, 36 feet beam and 23 feet depth of hold, and of 1100 tons burden. She was classed at Liverpool in October, 1875.

Twelve persons died in Newington last year,—three men and nine women,—the oldest being nearly 86 years and the youngest 18 years. There were ten births and twelve marriages.

Fire Extinguisher Co. No. Six had an anniversary supper on Monday evening, and were not at all chary of inviting in their friends. A very pleasant evening was spent in quiet social enjoyment, clam chowder, coffee, fruit, etc., lending their soothing influence to the occasion. The officers of the company are—Richard Waldron, foreman; George Stringer, steward; Oliver Ham, clerk.

RYE.

J. T. Walker, Esq., of Rye, furnishes the following list of deaths in Rye for the year ending Dec. 31, 1876:

		Yrs.	Mon.	Days.
Jan. 3,	B. F. Waldron, aged	40	3	
" 5,	Samuel H. Hand,	72	8	12
" 23,	Mabel I. Foss,	13	8	19
" 29,	Mrs. Frances O. Mace,	43	6	5
Feb. 12,	Benjamin Marden,	86	9	
" 19,	Widow Nancy Jenness,	81	1	
" 29,	Howard Latrobe Jenness,	1	9	
Mch. 7,	Mrs. Betsey P. Locke,	78		
Apr. 12,	Josiah Jenness,	78	8	
" 21,	Mrs. Sarah L. Garland,	69		
June 10,	Miss Ida G. Locke,	17	3	
July 19,	Mrs. Ursula S. Biddle,	61		
" 21,	Widow Lovey Marden,	88	8	
Aug. 1.,	Mrs. Sarah Locke,	29		
" 15,	Miss Christy Gunker,	21		
Sept. 29,	Gilbert Rendall,	46	2	10
Oct. 3,	Widow Esther Berry,	99		
" 9,	Mrs. Frances E. Garland,	42		26
Dec. 15,	Lizzie Junkins Garland,	3	1	3

Total number of deaths, nineteen; number of males, seven; number of females, twelve.

Average age, 48 years, 2 months. Average age of males, 49 years, 5 months; average age of females, 47 years, 3 months.

Political.

The war meetings ordered by the Tilden bureau for the 8th of January, to frighten the republicans into allowing Tilden to usurpfruct the Presidency, seem to have aroused no "enthusiasm" at all—in fact, to have been terribly flat affairs, in spite of the efforts of the Tilden managers to make them imposing demonstrations. At the Indianapolis mass meeting, Dan. Voorhees presented a resolution, which was adopted, appointing a committe "to consider and devise the best method by which the people may exercise the right of petition to the Congress of the United States, whether in person or in writing." The mass meetings of Monday were only a preliminary to the proposed grand mass meeting of democrats at Washington on the day the Electoral vote is to be counted, to "exercise the right of petition *in person*" in such numbers as to overawe Congress. The scheme will not work, and we do not believe it will be attempted.

Henry Watterson, the ex-rebel colonel who runs the Louisville *Courier-Journal* and is a member of Congress, told the Washington mass meeting of democrats, Monday, that 100,000 men would be in Washington on the 14th of February "to see a fair count." Henry had better take care; he may get his neck stretched next time, instead of getting sent to Congress as a reward for his treason.

The democrats are very indignant over the insult put upon the democratic party by the Administration, in removing military stores from the Rock Island and Baton Rouge arsenals. What are they growling about? If they do not intend to inaugurate another civil war, what need they care where the munitions of war are stored? If they do intend to make another war, isn't it asking a little too much to demand that the Nation shall a second time furnish the arms, with which the attempt to destroy it is to be made?

Impromptu Tarbox, of Massachusetts, made a speech to the democratic mass meeting in Washington on Monday. The little fellow is determined to have Tilden or "wah."

News and Notes.

James G. Bennett and Frederick May on Monday fought three duels at Rouse's Point, in which Bennett was mortally wounded, slightly wounded and not injured at all; another one at St. Armands, just over the Canada line, in which Bennett was slightly wounded; a third in Vermont, result not stated; a fourth near Slaughter Station, (ominous name,) Delaware, in which nobody was hurt. Several States are yet to be heard from.

Steamer Seminole, from Savannah for Boston, ran into and sunk steamer Montgomery, from Havana for New York, on Sunday morning at half-past one o'clock, about thirty miles off Cape May. The night was very dark, with a dense fog. The Seminole struck the Montgomery on the starboard bow, cutting her down so that she sunk in about seven minutes. Nineteen of the Montgomery's company were saved, but nine seamen and four unknown Spanish passengers were drowned.

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Bennett and May fought their little duel in Delaware, Monday. Bennett was unhurt, but May was slightly wounded. [Other accounts say neither was hurt.] "A reconciliation was effected." They are two fools.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

No Intimidation--All Quiet in the Parishes.

A friend has handed us the following sketch to illustrate some of the testimony which has been introduced before the congressional committees to prove there was no intimidation practiced in the bulldozed parishes. He informs us the questions and answers which follow actually occurred before one of the sub-committees:

Now, Uncle Bob, tell me all you know that occured in your parish during the late canvass.

Bob—Yes, sir.

Well, what occurred in your parish of your own knowledge, or what occurred to you personally?"

Yes, sir. Well, you see, about two weeks before the election, three white men called at my house, just as I was taking supper. I knew them. One said to me, "Bob, where is your money," I said, "I ain't go no money? the year is been very hard; I had to live on chickens and eggs I raised." Then one says to me, "Look here, nigger, give up your money, or you are a dead nigger at once." Well, I went to my chest, where I had stored away $15 in silver half dollars; "brought them to them; they counted it, and told me that one of the half dollars was counterfeit, and if it would not pass for me to look out. I told them I would try and make it good. Then, when they left, I slept in the woods all night, fearing that another crowd might come and demand money.

What else occurred?

Yes, sir. About a week afore the election as I was driving a four-mule team with seed cotton to the ginhouse to be ginned, Mr. —— stopped me on the road and says, "Bob, how are you going to vote?" I said, "Boss, I really don't know. How are you going to vote?" He said, "I'm going to vote the democratic ticket—for General Nicholls and Mr. Tilden." I said, "Well, boss, I've been studying over the matter, and I think I'll vote that way myself." He said, "That's right, Bob, but I believe you are lying, you si—d rascal," and with that he knocked me off my mule and tried to drive the wagon over me. He remarked, "I give you this in advance."

What else happened?

Well, as I was coming home about seven o'clock from the ginhouse three white men stopped me and asked, "Bob, where have you been?" I said: "Gentlemen, I have been hauling cotton to Mr. ——'s ginhouse." One of them said to me: "You damn nigger, you can't fool us, you've been to a radical club." I said: "Gentlemen, how could I go to a club wid a four-mule team?" Then they told me to get down, which I did, and I tell you, sir, they whipped me from the word go.

Well, old man, what else occurred?

Well, sir, a few days after this some white men called on me to sign a paper that I would vote the democratic ticket. I told them that it was no use for me to sign, that I would vote without that. They told me that the reason they wanted me sign was that if any disturbance would happen I would be left out if my name was on their paper. I told them I would be glad, as it would be the first time I had been left out, if they did. Well, I signed the paper, then one of these men says to me, "Look here, nigger, who do you think you are bluffing? You damn rascal—you can't fool us. Come out here; we will give you a little to start on." Well, sir, I thought judgment had come, time them men got done with me—just look at my back?

They treated you rough, old man; now, tell me if any intimidation occurred in your parish?

Oh, no, sir; I didn't see anything of that kind since I been there.

Did you not just tell me that you ha been robbed, beaten several times, and forced to sign your name to vote the democratic ticket? What do you mean by saying there was no intimidation in your parish!

Boss, is that what you call intimidation? If so, I've been intimidated ever since the war, and expect to be intimidated when I go home. Yes, sir; I've been treated that way so often I thought slavery was not over. If you calls that intimidation, there's been a good deal of it going on ever since the war!—*N. O. Republican.*

A Substitute for Coal.

The proposition to supercede coal by the use of carbonic gas extracted from chalk has been subjected to a practical test, and with very satisfactory results. Extracted and applied to anthracite, it produces a strong flame and heat, and at so slow a rate of combustion that a good fire was maintained for twenty-nine hours in a furnace which heats a church, with only fifty-six pounds of anthracite, and an equal quantity of chalk mixed with it during that time. Through the aid of this remarkable property of chalk the lignite known as shale may be used for the production of an illuminating gas to an extent which will appear incredible. Even the coarsest clay of this similar formation is full of gas, and the experiments made in England, though imperfect, show that one ton of this substance, together with a due proportion of chalk, will yield as large an amount of gas as eight tons of ordinary coal. From these tests the inventor argues that London will be warmed and lighted at half the present cost; that smoke, dust and other nuisances

might be avoided, the entire city be lighted with gas, and the kitchen fire, with some slight alteration in the grate might supply the house with light. Finally, lignite and anthracite beds would become valuable property, and chalk would be exported as coal is now.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 11, 1877.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

Congressional—District No. 1—At City Hall, Dover, Wednesday, January 17th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Councillor—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Friday, Jan. 19, at 11 A. M.

Senatorial—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Tuesday, Jan 30, at 11 A. M.

County—At Town Hall, Exeter, Tuesday, Jan. 16, at 10 A. M.

Republican Conventions.

The Republican State Convention met at White's Opera Hall in Concord, on Wednesday, and organized by the choice of Hon. Austin F. Pike of Franklin as President, and one Vice President from each county; Secretaries, J. Horace Kent of Portsmouth, E. W. Fox of Milton, O. D. Hatch of Lancaster.

The candidates most prominently mentioned for the Gubernatorial nomination, previous to the meeting of the Convention, were Hon. B. F. Prescott of Epping, Hon. J. W. Johnson of Enfield, Major Evarts W. Farr of Littleton and Gen. Natt Head of Hooksett. The first ballot resulted as follows:

Whole number of votes cast	674
Necessary for a choice	338
Charles Holman of Nashua had	1
Nathaniel White of Concord	10
Edward Spalding of Nashua	21
James W. Johnson of Enfield	68
Evarts W. Farr of Littleton	77
Zimri S. Wallingford of Dover	80
Natt Head of Hooksett	131
Benjamin F. Prescott of Epping	285

And there was no choice. A second ballot was taken with the following result:

Whole number of votes cast	646
Necessary for a choice	324
Nathaniel White	2
Edward Spalding	2
James W. Johnson	26
Evarts W. Farr	48
Zimri S. Wallingford	51
Natt Head	166
Benjamin F. Prescott	351

And BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT was declared nominated, amid the cheers of the convention. On motion of John A. Carter, of Keene, the nomination was made unanimous. The convention then proceeded to vote for Railroad Commissioner, with the following result:

Whole number of votes	475
Necessary for a choice	237
Samuel J Tilden	1
George O. Locke	1
Frank G. Clark	91
Granville P. Conn of Concord	380

And GRANVILLE P. CONN was declared the nominee of the convention, the nomination being made unanimous. The utmost harmony prevailed, and the delegates were evidently animated only by a desire to select the best men.

The Third District Congressional Convention was held in Concord at half past two o'clock in the afternoon, and Hon. H. W. Blair of Plymouth, the present Representative from that District, was renominated by acclamation.

Louisiana.

The White League mustered in as State militia at New Orleans by "Governor" Nicholls numbers fully 5000 men, well drilled and armed, and largely officered by men who won distinction by fighting against the Union during the rebellion; in short, the White League is virtually a detachment of the late Confederate army.

The Nicholls party, having captured the police stations and Court House, beseiged the Packard party in the State House, refusing to allow provisions to be taken in. At 11 o'clock Tuesday night Gen. Auger, commanding the U. S. troops, ordered the Nicholls guard removed from around the State House, which was done.

Packard during the day telegraphed the President asking aid from the Government, and United States Marshal Pitkin also telegraphed concerning the state of affairs. The telegrams were read in a Cabinet meeting and the following telegram sent to Gen. Auger by the Secretary of War:

"Despatch just received from United States Marshal at New Orleans indicates that unauthorized armed bodies of men are organized and assembling in a manner calculated to threaten the peace and safety of the city. If this be so, notify the leaders of such organizations that they must desist on pain of coming into conflict with United States authority, sustained by the military power of the Government. Report at once the situation and your action, keeping in mind the fact that this order has no reference to the recognition of either of the claimants for the Governorship or either Legislature."

During the day Nicholls issued a proclamation urging the White Leaguers not to proceed to violence. The Nicholls legislature was in session and elected a man named Eustis to the United States Senate for the short term.

During the day the telegraph lines were cut off from the State House, and the inmates kept up communication with the outside world by means of army signals from the roof.

Several companies of United States troops arrived in New Orleans from Mobile late Tuesday night. On Wednesday, further details having been received at Washington, the Secretary of War telegraphed Gen. Auger as follows:

"It is reported that the State House in New Orleans is surrounded by a mob. If this is so, notify all persons to disperse and compel compliance with your order. It is the determination of the President to see that the legislature is not molested." When he has full knowledge of all the facts in the premises he will decide which should be recognized."

Gen. Auger accordingly ordered the Nicholls police and "militia" surrounding the State House to disperse.

News and Notes.

Gold was down to 105 3-4 in New York on Tuesday—lower than it has been before since 1862.

Fifty thousand dollars in bogus checks on the First National Bank of Lowell are on the market, and how much more is not known. The checks were passed in Alabama by "Massachusetts cotton buyers," and the persons who sold the cotton will probably be the losers.

Weston the walkist has again successfully failed in attempting to do something beyond his powers. His last exploit was to walk a less distance in six days than three opponents, each walking two days, could cover. He intended to beat them, but didn't.

Dr. Joseph G. Chinn, aged eighty, and Mrs. Catharine Lawson, aged nearly ninety, were recently married in Lexington, Ky. Five generations of the bride's descendants were present at the wedding.

In the Bennett-May prize-fight with pistols, May was hit in the right arm, near the shoulder, at the first fire. The duel was fought in Maryland, and there was no "reconciliation" at its close. Dr. Charles Phelps, Bennett's surgeon, was put in the Tombs in New York on Wednesday for refusing to testify before the grand jury.

Gravlin, who has been on trial for the murder of White at Woodstock, Vt., has been found guilty of murder in the first degree. He killed White with an axe, to prevent his testifying in a case against him, and hid his body in an old well.

A Belfast firm has received an order from the Sultan for 2500 tons of gun-barrels.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 8, 1877.

Cronin, to-day, bears an infinitesimal relation to the pompous fellow who a few weeks ago constituted himself the Electoral College of Oregon, holding the destinies of the Republic in his hand. He showed signs of distress and embarassment when he was interviewed by Mr. Morton's committee, and reluctantly confessed to the reception of a $3000 bribe for his part in the attempted cheat. This liberal provision, he said, was for paying his bills to and from Washington; but for a strictly temperate man, as the color and size of his nose proclaims him to be, confirmed by the testimony of truthful democrats, the allowance appears princely. He proved his right to the title of democrat by his assurances to his interlocutors that he paid no attention whatever to the right or propriety of his accepting the appointment as elector, but only its expediency. On the whole, democrats here feel that he has proved a very poor investment. Grover made his first appearance before the committee on the 6th, and is to be further interrogated. From the whole tenor of his testimony, it cannot be doubted that the fraud was concerted in New York and that Judge Hoadly was the party selected to work up the precedents; and unless he is able to bring forward something that will partially relieve his performance of its worst features, his party friends will have no occasion to tender him a reception, as it was generally understood they contemplated doing.

Senator Wright's speech in the Senate on Thursday upon his bill to establish a court for the trial of contested elections in the offices of President and Vice President, has attracted considerable attention; and while there is a great diversity of view as to just the best way of proceeding in the present crisis, the rebuke administered to Grover, Cronin and all the other actors, known or unknown in the attempted Oregon swindle, must have cut Grover, who listened to it, to the quick. It excited the displeasure of Senator Kelly, who felt called upon to alter his protest. It is amusing and significant to note how very careful some secrets are to preface any remarks they may make, relative to the Oregon business, by a statement to the effect that they must not be understood as endorsing Gov. Grover's views.

Mr. Morton appears to have struck a lead in his investigation of the Cronin-Grover case, which promises some very interesting data relative to the remittance of several thousand dollars from New York to Oregon in connection with Grover's action. The telegraph operator knowing to the circumstances refused to testify relative to it, and his case has been reported to the Senate. Mr. Barnes' case is still pending, and if it is decided against him the Oregon operator will be forced to answer.

Democrats here are feeling very sore towards Wade Hampton because of his letter to Governor Hayes. He is said to have been warned that a repetition of the offence will cost him all democratic support.

MAXWELL.

New Hampshire Items.

The residence of Conductor C. W. Sleeper at Rochester was entered Monday evening by more than 100 friends, who celebrated the crystal wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Sleeper in a fine style. The presents were numerous and costly.

Sixty-seven of the Dartmouth students are teaching schools in New Hampshire, Maine, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Vermont, Illinois and New York. Of Seniors there are 17, Juniors 23, Sophomores 18, Freshmen 3, and of other departments six.

Daniel R. Smith, Esq., whose funeral took place on Wednesday at South Newmarket, was a man greatly esteemed in that neighborhood. In February of 1827 he was married to Miss Deborah B. Wiggin, and they had prepared to celebrate their golden wedding next month. Mr. Smith, in the war of 1812, was in the military service, stationed at Portsmouth.

Hon. Thomas J. Melvin, formerly President of the New Hampshire Senate and a prominent business man of Chester, is now lying in a very critical condition from rupture of the blood vessels of the nose, causing severe attacks of nose-bleed.

An adjourned term of the Circuit Court of the United States will be held at Exeter on Friday.

Snow is four feet deep on a level in the vicinity of Manchester.

Daniel B. Donovan, of Concord, has been appointed by the Court junior counsel for LaPage, the murderer of Josie Langmaid at Pembroke, who is to have his second trial the 20th of February.

There is said to be a probability of three tickets being put in the field in Manchester this year. The "citizens' ticket" will be supported by the temperance men.

"Capt. McNally's rangers have, in the last few months, captured or killed about seventy-five of the worst desperadoes in Western Texas." Yet Texas has been under democratic rule for three or four years past, and we are assured by the northern democratic press that in Southern States where the democracy rules as good order prevails and life and property are as safe as in any Northern State. How orderly a State is in which "about seventy-five of the worst desperadoes" in one section of it can be killed in a few months and make no especial stir, may be imagined.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	117
United States Ten-Forties coupon	113
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	118
Maine State 6s, 1889	116
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	116
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	104½
Eastern R. R. corp	51
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	95
Boston & Lowell R. R.	66
Boston & Maine	149
Boston & Providence	130
Boston & Albany	127
Nashua & Lowell	128
Concord	78
Eastern	8½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	130
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	47
Northern N. H.	64
Old Colony & Newport	143
P. S. & P.	15
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

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Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., fl. Cuba 40 @ 65c; New Orleans 90
Lamp per lb, 10 @ 12 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 90 @ 95 cents.
Pork per bbl., $18 @ $20.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
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The Nashua *Gazette* (democratic) says the republicans of New Hampshire are selling their nominations to the highest bidder. Taut means that the republicans of this State have got to fight the democratic barrel of money next March, for the New Hampshire democracy always preface a campaign of bribery by charging the republicans with intending to do likewise.

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
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Concord rec. North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 3.30,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
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The Ward One democrats have chosen delegates as follows to the various conventions: State — Winthrop Hoyt, Henry R. Stoddard, Charles W. Stimson, Samuel Rowe, Benjamin Canney, William Ward; Congressional and Councillor — John S. Trout, Marcellus Eldredge, Daniel J. Ayers, George Lane, Franklin Ayers, Justin V. Hanscom; County—Samuel P. Treadwell, Solomon Seymour, Charles H. Garrett, Isaac Furber, Frank H. Sewey, John Moulton; Senatorial—James F. Jenness, Samuel Spinney, John W. Young, John Mooney, Ozro J. Hobbs, Edmund Clark, Jr.

The Annual Meeting of the Woman's Temperance League will be held this (Thursday) afternoon at three o'clock. All are invited.

There was a very large attendance at the anniversary celebration of the Portsmouth Reform Club, in Franklin Hall, Tuesday evening. The record of the Club's work and progress was read by Mr. Thorndike, and dancing wound up the evening. Clam chowder and other refreshments were served during the evening.

Don't fail to attend the sale of elegant oil paintings this day at 11 o'clock, at 58 State street.

The banking institutions held their annual meetings on Tuesday and elected officers for the ensuing year as follow: New Hampshire Bank—James P. Bartlett, President; Lafayette S. Butler, Cashier. Mechanics and Traders Bank—John Sise, President; George W. Butler, Cashier. First National Bank—William H. Y. Hackett, President; Edward P. Kimball, Cashier, Rockingham Bank—John J. Pickering, President; John P. Hart, Cashier. Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Company—Ezra H. Winchester, President; Jeremiah F. Hall, Vice President; George L. Treadwell, Treasurer.

From the report of Mr. B. F. Thorndike, Secretary of the Reform Club, read at the anniversary on Tuesday evening, we learn that the number of meetings held by the Club during the year was about 120. The amount paid for the use of public halls during the year was $400 dollars; paid to speakers from abroad, $210; collected at the meetings, $1507.66; amount of donations received toward establishing headquarters and a reading-room for the club, about $300, very little of this latter amount being available, as it was deposited in the unfortunate Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank. The number of persons who have signed the pledge is 2448. The largest number signing on one evening was on the evening of February 10, when 155 names were added to the pledge. The secretary reported that "of the total number of signers not more than 200 have fallen back, but the most remarkable thing is that those who were the 'hardest cases' have kept the pledge inviolate."

Rev. Charles A. Holbrook will be instituted rector of St. John's church at 11 o'clock this forenoon. Bishop Niles of New Hampshire and Bishop Neadey of Maine will officiate.

The *Times* of Wednesday says: "It was from the 21st of December (not the 27th as the CHRONICLE stated this morning) to the 9th of January that Justice Batchelder's court remained in *statu quo*." No; our item was correct.* The city police had no case before the court from the 21st of December to the 9th of January, but Sheriff Kent had a prisoner there on Dec. 27th, which case of course does not appear on the police station records.

The Light Artillery have one of their enjoyable assemblies at Mechanics' Hall this evening.

PENCILLINGS.

In the organ loft of St. John's church, written in pencil on the paint, is the following: "Charles Sherburne, James G. Salter, Abel Harris, Rogers Thorn, Tunis D. Wendell, Charles Sweetser, Thomas Bishop; Ringing bell one to time 4th July 1840 12 o'clock and Farmer Wiggin." Mr. Wiggin was then the sexton of the church, and the young men whose names are inscribed with his were a volunteer band of assistants at the noon ringing of the bell on the day specified. On the following Thanksgiving Day, in November, 1840, all these young men went to sea in the ship "Goodwin," owned by Cones & Goodwin and commanded by Capt. John S. Davis. It was her first voyage, and she sailed from Pray's wharf, the day being cold and the first night at sea a terribly severe one, with a heavy fall of snow. Mr. Samuel Young, of York, Me., was mate, and Mr. Charles Abbott second mate. It is believed that they are all now dead. Mr. Henry S. Hartshorn sailed in the "Goodwin" on the same voyage, and is believed to be the only one of all those named now living. X.

Political.

It was telegraphed from New York over the country on Thursday last that the suit of Boody vs. Tilden (in the matter of the Chicago and Northwestern "pool") was dropped from the calendar on the failure of the plaintiff to appear. The fact was that an ice-gorge in the East river prevented Boody's counsel from getting to New York till afternoon, and the defendant's counsel took advantage of the opportunity to take a snap-judgment by default. The case will be immediately put on the calendar again; and the judgment will do the defendant no good, except that it gave Tilden a chance to get a paragraph favorable to himself into the newspapers, which was, probably, the object of the procedure. Tilden's chief defence in this suit, it will be remembered, was the plea of the statute of limitations. Nevertheless, he has, since putting in his answer, made a proposition for settlement, which was rejected as unsatisfactory. The country may well congratulate itself that such a man is not likely to be its President.

The "sage of Springfield," whose political ideas are a shade more remote than can be found elsewhere in New England markets, defends the "nepotism" of the new democratic Governors of Connecticut and New York in appointing their respective sons to the place of Executive Secretary. What was an unpardonable sin in Grant, becomes pure politics in Hubbard and Robinson.—*Hartford Post.*

In the matter of the Electoral count they are slowly reaching a conclusion, in Washington, that the *Times* printed to them six weeks ago, to-wit: that the two Houses have a right to regulate the count by previous legislation; but that, if they are unable to agree upon any method, the power and duties of the count rest solely with the President of the Senate. That was the final outcome of the long controversy in 1800-1801, and it will, we think, be the final outcome of this.—*Cincinnati Times.*

A report from Charleston, S. C., says, that unfortunately for the success of the Hampton government, the so-called taxpayers who make loud proffers of taxes in advance, are not taxpayers at all, and out of a meeting of some 600 people there, Saturday, $150 were collected.

How a Fine Was Paid.

The escape of schooner Baracoa, Capt. McClintock, of Boothbay, Me., from the port of Ponce, Porto Rico, where she was detained and guarded by a Spanish gunboat to secure the payment of a fine imposed on her by the Spanish authorities for an alleged error in her manifest, has been already reported. The error was merely technical, but the fine imposed was $4300 in gold, and the schooner was to be sold in default of payment. Mr. Preston, United States Consular Agent at Ponce, in a private letter to the Consul at Porto Rico, says that the schooner must have slipped her chains, and at 11.30 o'clock A. M. went off like a bird, and before the astonished and dumb-struck officials on the gunboat could collect their senses. She got all sail set and was three miles away in the briefest possible time. As she went off she sprung her luff and saluted the port with her colors, three times three. The gunboat was sent in chase as soon as she could get up steam, but the schooner was out of sight in a very short time. The Consul states that the case of the Baracoa is a particularly hard one, the cargo having been delivered in strict accordance with the bills of lading, the mistake in the manifest having been made by the broker or the shippers, and the vessel should not have been fined. The captain being a part owner of the schooner, which was a new vessel, and not being able to stand the loss, probably determined to take the responsibility and clear off with her to save her from being seized. She has now no papers, of course, and her owners may have serious trouble in getting new ones.

A New Year's Present Declined.

At about eight o'clock on the evening of the 9th, Mr. C. C. Chase, of Manchester, heard steps at his back door, and on opening the door discovered a bundle on the doorstep, and a woman closely veiled rapidly disappearing out of the yard. He immediately gave chase and caught the woman. Returning, and examining the bundle, he found it to be a basket containing a male child, alive and thirteen weeks old, which the woman intended to desert. Mr. Chase took her and the child to the City Marshal's office, when Assistant Marshal Lanza investigated the case, which is shrouded in mystery. The facts, as given by the woman who attempted to desert the child, are as follows: She said its parents are school children, the father being seventeen years of age, and the mother sixteen, and that they belong to most respectable families of high standing in a city in southern New Hampshire, which place she refused to state. A long conversation, however, led to the inference that it is Dover or Portsmouth, probably the former place. The woman refused to state the names of the parents. She also said it was understood that Mr. Chase would adopt a child, so she took the opportunity to leave him one. In the basket was a note, the substance of which was that if the child was not wanted the parties who left it would take it away next morning, and requesting that it should be taken good care of. The woman's name is withheld. It is said that she reached Manchester on the Portsmouth evening train, was accompanied by a young lady, secured rooms in Prout's Block. Who the parents are, or who are the grandparents of the illegitimate child was not learned; it was stated, however, that they are connected with families of high standing, the heads of which are said to be interested in manufacturing in Dover. The child is quite pretty and very nicely dressed.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Modern Pirate.

It is usual to speak and think of pirates as we do of the ichthyosaurus and the dodo, as though they belonged to a past age, and have no living prototype. Yet the San Francisco *Chronicle* tells a story of a fearless sea-dog, who, although he may not carry the skull and cross bones at his peak, is yet as bold a buccaneer as ever scuttled a vessel or made its crew walk a plank. He is a Captain Hayes, and he has during the last few years been cruising about in the South Seas, seeking whom he might devour. He left San Francisco about six weeks ago on the schooner Lotus with about $5,000 in cargo and money. He came there from Manila in April or May last, where he had been imprisoned for nine months in consequence of various marine robbing adventures in which he had engaged, having been shipped as a disabled seaman by the American Consul. It is thought he has gone to Samoa, where it is predicted he will soon make himself felt in some way.

Captain Hayes is a veritable pirate, having carried on his nefarious business in Chinese waters as well as in the South Seas, and he is spoken of as a very desperate and daring man, who may again be at some of his old tricks. One of his favorite "games" was to run among the different islands in the South Seas, and get the natives to come on board his vessel under the pretence of wanting to trade with them. He would then set sail and carry his kidnapped passengers to some remote island where so-called labor trade was still carried on, collecting the usual passage money, and a very unusual bonus. Another of his pastimes was to come to some island and order the natives to supply him with whatever he wanted, under threats that he would shell their villages if not promptly obeyed. There is hardly a crime which the fellow has not committed, and certainly none which he is not capable of committing. Captain Hayes is described as rather prepossessing in appearance, tall, stout and gentlemanly looking, a little over fifty years of age, with white hair and beard, and a frank and open countenance, the very opposite of the sea-rover as generally portrayed in a marine melodrama on the stage.

An Odd Blunder.

Recently a Massachusetts police officer had occasion to take a prisoner to the Ipswich House of Correction. Arriving in Ipswich, and on his way to the jail, he was accosted in the street by a woman who asked to be directed to the County House, as the institution is locally denominated. He politely told her he was going directly there and that she might follow along with him, an offer that was accepted. Arriving at the jailer's office, the officer directed attention to the prisoner under his charge, and did not notice that the woman was called into another room. Here she was delivered into the charge of the matron, who supposed her to be also a prisoner, and not a person desiring to see a friend in confinement, as was actually the case. She was coolly informed that the rules of the prison required all persons to take a bath, and much to her amazement she was conducted without ceremony to the bath-room. In vain did she protest; a bath she was commanded to take and a bath she took. A curious custom, she thought, to insist on with visitors, but objecting did no good, and as her mission was not explained she was put through the prescribed course and a prison suit handed her to replace her own. At this point the real truth became known, and with mingled feelings of regret at the occurrence and amusement at the absurdity of the blunder, explanations followed with apologies.

New Use for Kerosene.

Persons afflicted with baldness will be glad to hear that a luxuriant growth of hair may be produced by a very simple process, described by Consul Stevens in his commercial report on Nicolaef for the past year, which has just been issued. In the summer of 1875 Consul Stevens' attention was drawn to several cases of baldness among bullocks, cows and oxen, and the loss of manes and tails among horses. A former servant of the Consul's, prematurely bald, whose duty it was to trim lamps, had a habit of wiping his petroleum-besmeared hands in the scanty locks which remained to him; and after three months of lamp-trimming experience, his dirty habit procured for him a much finer head of glossy, black hair than he ever possessed before in his recollection. Struck by this remarkable occurrence, Consul Stevens tried the remedy on two retriever spaniels that had become suddenly bald, with wonderful success. His experience, therefore, induced him to suggest it to the owner of several black cattle and horses affected as above stated, and, while it stayed the spread of the disease among animals in the same sheds and stables, it effected a quick and radical cure on the animals attacked. The petroleum should be of the most refined American qualitie, rubbed in vigorously and quickly with the palm of the hand, and applied at intervals of three days, six or seven times in all, except in the case of horses' tails and manes, when more applications may be requisite. This news will create a profound sensation in hairdressing circles, particularly among wig and chignon makers.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 12, 1877.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

Congressional—District No. 1—At City Hall, Dover, Wednesday, January 17th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Councillor—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Friday, Jan. 19, at 11 A. M.

Senatorial—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Tuesday, Jan 30, at 11 A. M.

County—At Town Hall, Exeter, Tuesday, Jan. 16, at 10 A. M.

The Candidate.

The State Convention, Wednesday, did its work well, and selected a candidate for Governor who will honorably fill the place now occupied by Gov. Cheney. Mr. Prescott, now Secretary of State, is thoroughly conversant with the affairs of the commonwealth, is an able man, and an upright and honorable as well as popular and honored citizen. He has a very large circle of warm personal friends, and will poll the full strength of the party. If the minor nominations throughout the State are made with the same wisdom, the "barrel of money" the republicans are threatened with will have to be increased to two barrels, and even then the democrats will stand no chance.

"Governor" Nicholls' Position.

Most people are aware that there are two "State governments" now in full blast in Louisiana, but some of our readers may not be aware on what grounds "Gov." Nicholls claims to be Governor and to have legal authority to appoint a Supreme Court and police, seize State arms and call out the White League as State militia. Well, his sole authority is "Governor" McEnery. Two years ago there was a somewhat similar squabble in Louisiana, between the Kellogg and McEnery factions; both factions agreed to submit the controversy to the arbitrament of a committee of the National House of Representatives, and both parties agreed to stand by the decision of that committee—known as the Wheeler compromise—by which Kellogg was confirmed as Governor and democrats who had been kept out of the Legislature were admitted. Nothing more was heard of McEnery as "Governor" until the Returning Board declared the Hayes electors and the republican State ticket elected; whereupon "Governor" McEnery immediately appointed himself a Returning Board—thereby distancing Electoral College Cronin—canvassed the vote of the State from unofficial returns, and on that canvass certified the Tilden electors and declared Nicholls elected Governor. Then "Gov." McEnery administered the oath of office to "Gov." Nicholls; and under these circumstances "Gov." Nicholls proceeded to set up a Supreme Court, call out a division of the Confederate army and overthrow the legitimate government of the State. There is no exaggeration in this; it is a simple statement of facts. Ex-Gov. Kellogg and those under him acted in conformity to the law (whether justly or otherwise, or whether the law itself is just or otherwise, we cannot say) in declaring Packard elected and inducting him into office; McEnery acted entirely outside the law, having no more legal authority to canvass the vote of the State (even had he possessed the official returns, which he did not) and declare whom he pleased elected, than Tilden or Abe Hewitt; and "Gov." Nicholls' action is simply that of a revolutionist who seeks to Mexicanize one of the United States by proving the bullet mightier than the ballot as a Governor maker.

Plain Speaking.

On taking the chair at the republican State convention, Hon. Austin F. Pike made a calm and patriotic speech, in which, while announcing the absolute confidence of the republicans in Hayes' election, he said the party will submit to whatever decision may be reached by the proper authorities. We quote as follows:

"The Presidential election has passed. The electoral colleges of all the States have voted, and yet we do not know who is to be the President-elect. We believe that our worthy candidate is duly elected, but we do not know that he is so to be declared. The right to determine this all-important question is now vested, not in the party, the conventions or the people, but in the President of the Senate, the Senate and the House of Representatives. All the usages of the Government are in that direction. Its correct determination is of more importance than that Governor Hayes should be President. Its decision is, or should be, beyond party. No trick, no fraud, no illegal procedure should be a stepping-stone to the Presidency of this Republic. Righteousness alone should be the pathway to this high office. If we want the right to prevail our duty is plain. Bluster, threats of violence and all denunciation should cease. If we want those who have the right to decide to be calm, we must be calm ourselves. If we want our Senators and Representatives to raise themselves above party into the pure light of impartial, just determination we must make no partisan appeals to them. Deeply as all republicans would regret to see a graduate of Tammany inaugurated as President; sorrowful as it would be to see the Presidential chair occupied by one who had reached it through the influence of the most dangerous political elements and by the aid of the most anti-republican religious power in the nation, it had better a thousand times be than that right and law should be disregarded. The one could be but temporary; the other all time could not efface. No true lover of his country could think of following the example of those, who sixteen years ago, tried to destroy it because an unsatisfactory President had been elected."

Hon. Henry W. Blair, in addressing the Third District convention after his renomination for Congress, said:

"The democratic party through the State Committee tender to us in substance Tilden or revolution. We tender to them as we propose to ourselves, submission to the Constitution and the laws, or to the severest penalties of their violation. When the crisis comes upon that issue, it must be and it will be sternly met. And it is a source of unfading confidence and hope that God has placed at the head of our affairs a chief magistrate, firm, sagacious, resolute, incorruptible and patriotic, who has done as much for his country and mankind as any man in the land who ever drew the sword or controlled the helm of the ship of State. Patriotic men of all parties,—and the masses of all parties are patriotic,—must be cool because there is danger. But this is no case for compromise. There is nothing to compromise. Either Hayes or Tilden is elected—and one of them should be inaugurated, and will be inaugurated, while the other must not be inaugurated because, as his opponent has been, so he has not been, and cannot be, elected, either by the people or by the House. I firmly believe that justice and the unimpeached and unimpeachable forms of law now demonstrate the election of Mr. Hayes; and I see nothing but successful treason, which is revolution, that can prevent his triumphant succession to the Presidency of the United States. To elect a President, and then to compromise away his inauguration under threats of revolution or of violence, or for plunder or from any cause whatever, is the destruction of constitutional government. It is the establishment of a precedent which will abolish elections—because, in all future time, fraud and violence before, coupled with noise and threatening after, the decision of the ballot-box, will have only to follow that precedent in order to reverse the decrees of the people at the polls whenever it is more pleasant to threaten rebellion than to acquiesce in the result of the laws of the land."

Didn't Say So.

The democratic papers—doubtless in pursuance of orders from "the Bureau" to keep on trying to bull-dose the public—are daily announcing, with a great flourish of trumpets, that some prominent republican is "satisfied Tilden has been honestly elected and will be inaugurated." Hon. John Lynch, of Maine, has been thus "honored" by the Tilden press, and though he has written two letters indignantly denying the allegation, the democratic papers still keep up the lie—at least, none of them publish his letter or retract the slander.

And now Mr. Justice Field, of the United States Supreme Court, indignantly denies that he expressed the opinion recently that Gov. Tilden had been fairly elected President, as the Tilden papers have claimed he did; but they will never tell their readers of his denial.

Then the republican members of the Florida committee of Congressmen were quoted as having "come to the conclusion that Tilden had clearly carried the vote of Florida;" whereas they not only declare in the strongest terms that both Hayes and Stearns, (the republican candidate for Governor) carried Florida, but they cite new instances of fraud and intimidation on the part of the democrats.

Also it has been reported that Representative Purnam of Florida (republican) has prepared a speech attacking the Returning Board for declaring Hayes elected. This, too, is a Tilden invention. Purnam's speech *will* attack the Returning Board, but it will attack it for having permitted the Court to interfere and dictate the return of the election of Drew (dem.) for Governor instead of Stearns, who was rightfully chosen.

News and Notes.

The revenue cutter Gallatin, before reported ashore on Cape Cod, came off unharmed on the 10th.

Steamer City of Fitchburg ran into schooner Martha A., Wednesday morning, between Point Judith and Block Island, and cut her bow off. The schooner was towed into Newport, R. I., full of water. No one hurt.

The funeral of the ten Shinnecock Indians lost in the Circassian took place in the Indian Village on Long Island, Wednesday afternoon. The attendance was very large, not only of Indians but of whites from the surrounding country. This finishes up nearly all the able-bodied men of a once powerful Long Island tribe.

At New London, Conn., on Wednesday, four men attempted to rob the Savings-Bank, at noon. One of them was chased by a watchman, but was getting away, when a boy threw himself down in front of him, tripped him, and he was caught. He had burglars' tools on him, and gives the name of Charles Brown. The other thieves escaped.

Now is the time to swear off your bad habits! If you smoke too much, resolve to do with a great deal less tobacco than you now use; if you smoke merely a little, stop it altogether. And so with your drinking habits, the only difference being that you had better drop them entirely, whether you be a single glass or a daily bottle man. If you swear, resolve to abandon the bad practice. If you sleep late in the morning, resolve to get up earlier. If you stay out all hours of the night, get in earlier. If you are dishonest, resolve to reform; if you are merely "sharp," don't do it any more. If you don't pay your debts, surprise everybody by paying them. If your wife worries you, try to put up with it. Make all the good resolutions you can think of, and keep as many of them as you can.—*St. John Globe.*

Gravlin, the convicted murderer of White at Weathersfield, Vt., cut his throat on Thursday.

New Hampshire Items.

The Rockingham quarterly meeting of Freewill Baptist Churches will convene in the church at Newmarket on the 17th and 18th inst.

The body of Mr. Whittier, lost in a snow storm near Munsonville, was discovered on the 9th in a field about one mile from his home. He had evidently wandered about till exhausted.

It has been discovered that the parents of the child left at Mr. C. O. Chase's door in Manchester, reside in Epping, and are connected with families of the highest standing in that town. Their names are withheld from publication by request.

Monroe Dickey, the Laconia "firebug," has so far recovered from his attempt at suicide that his preliminary examination has been set down for next Tuesday. The detective who worked up the case denies that there is an organized band of incendiaries in the place.

John O'Brien, sixteen years old, was killed by the cars in Keene on Thursday.

Runyon, the New York banker who transmitted the $8000 to Oregon about the time the Electoral College met, finding the Senate determined to know who sent the money to get up the political conspiracy in Oregon, on Thursday testified that the person who gave him the funds to remit was Conrad M. Jordan, cashier of the Third National Bank, where Tilden has his office, and in which he is largely interested.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	1054
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	117
United States Ten-Forties, coupon	113
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	113
Maine State 6s, 1889	116
N. H. State 6s, 1878	111
Massachusetts State 5s, Gold	113
Massachusetts City 6s, 1905	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	51
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	66
Boston & Maine	39
Boston & Providence	130
Boston & Albany	127
Nashua & Lowell	88
Concord	78
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Hancock	55
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	47
Northern N. H.	64
Old Colony & Newport	103
P. S. & P.	55
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

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Fish per lb by the qtl. Cod 5 @ 5c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
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Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
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Lamb per lb, 10 @ 12 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
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Pork per bll., $18 @ $20.
Plaster per ton, lump $8; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
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Like an ill wind, and cannot be mastered too early. What is a trifling attack of sickness to-day may, if unattended to, become a serious case in a week. Small ailments should be nipped in the bud before they blossom into full blown maladies. If this advice were attended to, many a heavy bill for medical attendance might be avoided. When the liver is disordered, the stomach foul, the bowels obstructed, or the nerves disturbed, resort should at once be had to that supreme remedy, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a few doses of which will restore healthy action and put the system in perfect order. It is a wise precaution to keep this incomparable preventive in the house, since it checks, with unrivalled promptitude, disorders which breed others far more dangerous, and in their latest developments are themselves often fatal.

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Dated Portsmouth, January 8, 1877.

WM. P. WALKER.

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A Columbia, S. C., special to the New *Herald* says that special referee Wilkes has closely canvassed the vote for State officers with clerks representing both parties, and the result is semi-officially announced as follows: Secretary of the Treasury—Leaphart, democrat; Secretary of the State—Hayne, republican; Attorney-General—James Connor, democrat; Comptroller General—Dunn, republican; Superintendent of Education—Tolbert, republican; Adjutant and Inspector General—James Kennedy, republican. Dunn, Comptroller General, is claimed to be elected over Gen. John Hagood, democrat, by a majority of one vote.

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PULMOCINE.

Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ten city for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

SUPREME COURT.

Upon the coming in of the Court Wednesday afternoon, Hon. Wm. H. Y. Hackett addressed the Court, announcing the death of the late Hon. Daniel M. Christie, and paying a high tribute to his ability, learning and fidelity as the recognized head of the New Hampshire Bar. Mr. Hackett concluded by offering the following resolution of the Rockingham Bar:

Resolved, That in the death of Daniel M. Christie the Bar loses a member who ranked among the ablest and most successful of those lawyers who have conferred distinction upon the New Hampshire Bar; one whose fame and fortune were earned by a life of most exemplary industry and unstained honor.

Albert R. Hatch followed in an address eulogistic of the learning, character and integrity of the deceased.

Chief Justice Doe, who studied his profession with Mr. Christie, responded in a feeling manner, and ordered the resolution of the Bar to be entered on the records of the Court.

The case of Nellie M. Locke vs. Wm. P. Blake (both of Raymond) was commenced on Wednesday evening and concluded Thursday at noon. This was a suit brought for the purpose of recovering money on two promissory notes to the value of nearly $2000, which the defendant claimed were given without any consideration and therefore null and void in law. The claim of the plaintiff (Miss Locke) was to the effect that the said notes were given in good faith in exchange for other notes of defendant formerly held by other parties, which plaintiff had brought up at the solicitation of Blake to save him from being "turned out of house and home," as he expressed it. The case was given to the jury at quarter to twelve o'clock, and after being out about twenty minutes they returned a verdict for the plaintiff.

Case of Theo. H. Deverson vs. the Eastern Railroad Company was next commenced, is now on trial and will probably continue this week. The jurors not drawn on this case were discharged.

REFORM CLUB MEETING.

At the annual meeting of the Temperance Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall on Wednesday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing three months:

President—James Janvrin; Vice Presidents—John S. Treat, John Pierce, Richard Lehey, Frank Thurston, Geo. W. Randall, Reuben Rand; Chaplain—Charles T. Wiggin; Secretary—Eugene A. Sanborn; Treasurer—John W. Wilson; Finance Committee—Alfred W. Haven, Sewall W. Webber, Charles Hatch; Ticket Seller—John W. Wilson; Ticket Takers—James Buckley, Robert Brewer; Standard Bearer—James Eaton; Hall Janitor—Morris Tobey; Missionary—Wm. A. Loyne; Corresponding Secretary—B. F. Thorndike.

Mr. James Janvrin, the newly-elected President, in accepting the chair made a very creditable speech, in which he thanked the Club for its confidence in him, and expressed the hope that harmony and prosperity might attend the interests of the organization during his administration.

Mr. Janvrin is a man of considerable experience in life, having passed its meridian, and will therefore bring to his new office the benefits resulting from such a fact. Moreover, he has been a very hard drinker, and having drank deeply of the bitterness arising from a free indulgence in alcoholic stimulants, he is (like his predecessor) prepared to sympathize with many of his brethren of the Club, and extend the hand of fellowship to the weak and fallen. He has been a successful mechanic (being a joiner by trade) and is well and favorably known in Portsmouth as a contractor and master builder. Mr. Janvrin is also a gentleman of more than ordinary intellectual ability, and will without doubt prove to be a worthy successor of Mr. Treat.

The following resolution was introduced and unanimously adopted:

Resolved—That a vote of thanks be extended to the retiring President, John S. Treat, for the able and impartial manner in which he has performed the delicate and difficult duties of a presiding officer for the year just closed.

The next meeting of the Club, Sunday evening, Jan. 14, will be addressed by a distinguished female temperance orator, Miss Ellen Mulloy, who has been successfully laboring in the West. This is her first appearance in New England, and consequently she is a stranger among us; but, as we have hinted, she comes strongly endorsed by those among whom she has recently mingled. Believing that she will draw a large crowd, the Reform Club have decided to hold the meeting at Franklin Hall, at five cents admission.

JOTTINGS.

At the annual meeting of the St. Mary's Benevolent Association, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, W. H. Palmer; Vice President, P. O. Keefe; Secretary, D. J. Lynch; Treasurer, Wm. Morrissey; Book Keeper, D. J. Hurley.

At the regular quarterly meeting of the Portsmouth Firemen's Relief Association, held Wednesday evening, Jan. 10th, at the Common Council room, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Willard Sears, President; George Jackson, Vice President; William S. Hazel, Secretary; Samuel S. Fletcher, Treasurer.

Gospel meetings will be held every evening next week in the chapel of Faith Home, at 7:30 P. M.; object, the outpouring of the Holy Spirit and a preparation for Christian labor in our city. Friends are invited. "Come, for all things are now ready."

The Rochester correspondent of the Dover *Democrat* says; "Hon. Thos. E. O. Marvin, of the Portsmouth Society P. C. A., has visited Rochester to make arrangements for the formation of a society. He has the cooperation of the leading men of the town. With shame we confess it, we never saw or heard of such cruelty practiced toward animals as has been allowed here."

The Rockingham County members of the new Republican State Committee are as follows: James M. Lovering, Winthrop N. Dow, of Exeter; Elbridge G. Pierce, Jr., John Pender, of Portsmouth; John D. Ordway of Hampstead, B. W. Hoyt of Epping. Daniel Hall and Andrew H. Young are the Dover members of the Strafford County representation on the committee.

The Eastern Railroad Corporation seems to be followed by ill luck, first in one form and then in another. The latest story in this regard is a report, said to be on good authority, that the corporation is out $6000 or more by the loss or theft of a package containing that amount of money entrusted to a certain party to be delivered to the Treasurer of the road. It has not turned up, neither has the messenger, as report has it, and the probability is that a handsome sum will have to be charged to the "top" side of the ledger.

Ship Simla, of this port, ashore five miles south of Barnegat, was whole and dry when heard from early Tuesday afternoon. An agent of the Boston Underwriters has gone to the wreck to superintend getting her off.

The closing auction sale of Oil Paintings at No. 58 State street (H. F. Wendell's) takes place at 11 o'clock to-day.

The democrats of Ward Two on Wednesday evening chose delegates as follows to the several conventions: State—Albert R. Hatch, Frank W. Hilton, George E. Hodgdon, Daniel J. Leavitt, Calvin Page, Geo. B. French, Howe Call, Samuel Barrett; Congressional and Councillor—Benjamin J. Parker, Charles H. Downs, Daniel P. Pendexter, William D. Varrell, Andrew P. Wendell, John Dixon, Richard T. Call, J. Albert Sanborn; County—Michael R. Perkins, Charles H. Gould, Thomas E. Call, Jr., John Conlon, Albert Hayes, Albert W. Emery, George W. Rundlett, William J. Fraser; Senatorial—George E. Marden, Frank W. Rand, James McClure, Thomas J. Sheldon, William L. Stackpole, Elbridge C. Marden, Ebenezer G. Adams, Robert H. Hall.

The "code of honor" is a wonderful thing, entirely beyond the comprehension of people who can boast the possession only of the sense wrongfully called "common," and are not "chivalry" or "first families." A man may be a notorious drunkard and debauchee without harming his precious "honor," and may pay court to a respectable woman without insulting her or calling down vengeance from her relatives; but when his drunkenness results in the match being broken off—that is an insult, and the brother who does not consider his sister insulted by the attentions of a drunkard resents the insult offered through his withdrawal, and the "honor" which drunkenness could not harm is so wounded by a blow that blood only can poultice out the bruise.

The South Millpond has presented a lively scene for several days past, numerous teams having utilized it as a trotting park. On Thursday afternoon there was raving there, the "track" being in excellent condition. There were no less than thirty two teams on the pond at one time, and there were many spirited trials of speed. Mr. Marcellus Eldredge's bay mare "Lady Franklin" was the fastest one on the pond.

James Pettigrew, a man arrested in this city on Thursday, acknowledged having escaped from the Massachusetts State Prison on the 8th of November last, and that he has seven years yet to serve.

Rev. Charles A. Holbrook was instituted rector of St. John's church on Thursday, the exercises commencing at eleven o'clock A. M. and closing at two in the afternoon. Bishop Niles of New Hampshire and Bishop Neadey of Maine officiated, seven Episcopal clergymen from other cities being present. There was singing by the choir, and communion at the close of the ceremonies. The church was crowded.

Political.

If the republican candidate for Governor in New Hampshire is all our enthusiastic correspondent paints him, his is a happy selection. And from what we hear of him from other sources we should say that our correspondent has not used the brush too lavishly.—*Boston Globe.*

The Brooklyn *Argus* (democrat) says the immense democratic gathering in the Western States resulted in no danger to the peace of the country, but the whiskey bulb indicates an area of drought throughout the entire region.

J. M. D. Frost, the ineligible Tilden elector of Missouri, has been summoned before the Senate committee on the election.

The democratic Nashua *Gazette*, in its report of a late meeting of the republican State committee announced positively that the republican nomination for Governor was sold to the highest bidder, and that Mr. James W. Johnson of Enfield, recently a partner of Frank Jones, of this city, in the beer brewing business, was the purchaser. The voting in the State convention proved (what was well known before) that the *Gazette* man lied, after the manner of democratic papers in general and the Nashua *Gazette* in particular when speaking of republicans or their doings.

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Let us ask a simple question or two. Who washed your mother's oil-cloths, and how? Who takes care of yours, and do you know how it is done?

We imagine we see where the trouble lies in part, for we confess we do not think oil-cloths are as durable as those made fifteen or twenty years ago. In "olden times," whoever did the hard work, the mistress took good care that no soap, no hot water or scrub brush was ever used on her oil-cloths, and she also saw to it that when washed they were wiped perfectly dry. If soap or hot water is used, or if left wet, they soon crack and the paint peels off.

An Irish servant girl cannot imagine that she can clean an oil-cloth without a pail of strong, hot suds and a good, stiff scrub-brush. Then she puts to her work with all the strength of a good, strong, healthy arm, and smiles with great satisfaction at the result of her labors. No doubt for a few moments, till the cloth is dry, the colors stand out clearly and the floor looks fresh and brilliant; but it takes but a few of such scrubbings to destroy the best oil-cloth ever made.

But take a pail of clean, soft, lukewarm water, a nice soft piece of flannel, and wash your oil-cloths, wipe them very dry, so that not a drop of water is left to soak in and rot the fabric, and you will have little cause to complain that your oil-cloth does not last as long as your mother's did. Also, in your selection of oil-cloth, make a careful selection of good quality. After washing and drying, if cloth is wiping out with a dish of skim milk and water, and then the cloth is rubbed over with this, and then again well dried, the freshness and lustre of the cloth will well repay the extra labor.

Meteorological.

This meteorological observation business for the benefit of Old Probabilities (that was what he used to be called, before his name was changed by the Supreme Court to "Indications,") is getting to be a stupendous thing. The navy has been drawn into the work now, and all the commanding officers of naval stations and war vessels are hereafter to take daily observations at a specified hour, agreed on by the late meteorological congress in Vienna. They will be for simultaneous by observations all the nations engaged in the international exchange. The hour fixed is 7:35 A. M. Washington mean time. The United States has now 100 land stations, and the nations with which it exchanges [illegible] The number of stations in each, are as follows: [illegible] 10; Austria, 13; Belgium, 1; Great Britain, 58; Denmark, 6; France, 48; Germany, 28; Greece, 1; Italy, 30; Japan, 1; the Netherlands, 4; Norway, 4; Portugal, 4; Russia, 27; Spain, 2; Sweden, 6; Switzerland, 2; Turkey, 5; Canada, 28.

—One night last week Mrs. Doda Emens, M. D., physician and surgeon, lectured at Syracuse, "to women only," and when she was about half through, the shrill alarm was given, "Man in the room!" and Mrs. Mary Walker, M. D., was clutched by the indignant females and bounced out of the room, and down stairs, with her hat jammed down over her eyes, and her claw-hammer coat ripped from collar to bustle. The Doctor picked herself up and called a hack, and as she climbed in she was heard to remark, "Another victim of circumstantial evidence."

—Forbearance is the key note of married life. There can be no great discord so long as the husband forgears and the wife forbears. Now this cannot be attained without some labor. Results are approached gradually in character, as they are in making a sand hill. It is grain upon grain, bo veiful upon shovelful, and load upon load that makes the mound to rise. So results of character come gradually. An act at this time, a deed yesterday, a word this morning, a word to-morrow morning, a cross answer to-day, repeated a month hence, and so on, until at last we find there is a ridge between you and your wife's or husband's affection.—*Murray.*

—A few days after the election an employe on the Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad told a lady with whom he was boarding, on Vinegar Hill, that he could get twenty-eight roosters for five cents. The landlady was at first disposed to disbelieve her boarder, but finally was persuaded that the thing could be done. Twenty-eight roosters for five cents ain't to be sneezed at, especially with a woman that boards railroaders. The landlady gave the boarder five cents to buy the roosters with, and ordered her boy, aged eighteen, to immediately repair the chicken-coop. The railroader went to Wilson's news depot, purchased a Pittsburgh *Post* containing twenty-eight roosters crowing for Tilden, and unbeknown to the landlady, nailed the paper in the chicken-coop. He then went into the house and informed the inhabitants there that he had fulfilled his contract. Rumor says that the railroader is hunting a new boarding place, and that his most intimate friends wouldn't know him. He has the appearance of a man who had been run over by a very long freight train.—*Youngstown (O.) Vindicator.*

Robinson's corn and flour tests, met with a Confession Jan 7.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 13, 1877.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

Congressional—District No. 1—At City Hall, Dover, Wednesday, January 17th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Councilor—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Friday, Jan. 19, at 11 A. M.

Senatorial—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Tuesday, Jan 30, at 11 A. M.

County—At Town Hall, Exeter, Tuesday, Jan. 16, at 10 A. M.

Our Candidates.

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT, the next Governor of New Hampshire, was born in Epping, February 26, 1833. He fitted for Dartmouth College at Phillips Academy in Exeter. He studied law, and was admitted to the Bar in Concord in 1859. He practiced law until 1861, when he became associate editor of the *Independent Democrat*, which position he filled until 1866. He was afterwards special agent of the Treasury department, and was given the general superintendence of various branches of customs. He has several times been elected to the office of Secretary of State, which position he now fills. MR. PRESCOTT has had long and varied connection with public affairs, which renders him admirably qualified for the office to which he has been nominated, while his fine presence, his ripe scholarship, his high executive ability and spotless character will render him an honor to the State and a tower of strength to the party which has nominated him.

GRANVILLE P. CONN, the candidate for Railroad Commissioner, was born in Hillsborough, Jan. 24, 1832. He was educated at the Norwich, Vt., Military University for a civil engineer, but on account of ill health relinquished his profession, studied medicine, and graduated at the Dartmouth Medical College in 1855. Afterward he located at Randolph, Vt., and was Surgeon to the Twelfth Vermont Volunteers, in the late war. Dr. Conn has resided for [illegible] years in Concord, where he [illegible] his profession [illegible] and has [illegible] and the [illegible] has [illegible] his time to [illegible]

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Second—That the United States Government is in turn bound to maintain and protect each and every citizen in the full, free and open exercise of every right and privilege appertaining to citizenship.

Third—That we view with alarm and indignation the attempt by the democratic party South, upheld and countenanced by its Northern wings, to rob the freedom of the [illegible] intimidation, violence and [illegible]

Fourth—We [illegible] democrats as disloyal and [illegible] and we [illegible] the utmost [illegible] of indignation, the conduct of the late Presidential canvass by the democrats of the South, in that they undertook by processes that shame our civilization to nullify indirectly the constitutional amendments adopted to conserve the fruits of the victory over rebellion, and to overturn the late majority against them in several of the Southern States.

Fifth—We also condemn the attitude of the democratic leaders, especially of the North, since the Presidential election in striving to secure by illegal and violent means an advantage which does not belong to them, and by such methods to "count in" Samuel J. Tilden as President of the United States. The incendiary appeals and rebellious threats of Northern democratic orators and newspapers are such as to put to shame any declarations that have thus far emanated from Southern sources, and are deserving of the severest censure and condemnation.

Sixth—We tender our earnest sympathy and pledge our undivided support to the republican members of Congress and to the national authorities in their endeavors to conserve the peace, maintain the laws, and preserve the precedents so essential to the safety and perpetuity of republican government.

Seventh—It is a matter of special congratulation that in this trying hour of our Nation's experience we have in the Presidential chair the great christian and distinguished civilian, Ulysses S. Grant. Invincible upon the field of battle, he has proved himself equally courageous and wise in administering the affairs of Government, and upon his patriotism, honesty and courage the hearts of the land rely now, as ever, with unchanging faith and confidence.

Eighth—In Rutherford B. Hayes we have a man who is not only fully identified with the great principles of the republican party and imbued with a proud appreciation of its past services, and who is fitted by ability and experience to point affairs for the succeeding years. (The high office of President of the United States, but one, also, where [illegible] administration of the Government in the interests of all the people, upon principles of honesty, economy, intelligence and fidelity [illegible] needs.

Ninth—We welcome all evidences of a disposition on the part of those lately in arms against the Government to accept in good faith and entirely the reconstruction [illegible] of the nation, and we pledge to all such [illegible] in their efforts [illegible] of their [illegible] the hands of [illegible] and fellow-citizens.

Tenth—[illegible] currency is an essential factor in the prosperity of any government, we reiterate our conviction that the nation's promise to resume specie payments in 1879 ought to be fulfilled to the end that the varied industries and interests of the land may regain their normal condition, and be freed from the uncertainties and dangers that inevitably attend a fluctuating medium of exchange.

Eleventh—The while we hail with pleasure and God speed to every instrumentality intended to promote the cause of temperance, such as State Alliances, Temperance Unions, Reform Clubs, etc., we believe that our duty does not end here, but that the cause demands the faithful execution of the laws, and that the time has fully come when temperance should be pressed all along the line, to the end that the last victim to the debasing habit of strong drink should be rescued.

Twelvth—That in our nominee for Governor and our candidate for Railroad Commissioner, we have a ticket that can confidently be recommended to the voters of the State as worthy of their support, and we hereby pledge them a triumphant election.

Vanderbilt's Will.

Following is a table showing the disposition of the property by the will:

Mrs. Frank A. Vanderbilt, U. S. bonds	$500,000
Also, house and lot, No. 10 Washington place, with furniture, plate, etc., also, New York Central and Hudson River Railroad shares (5,000)	200,000
Mrs. Phebe Jane Cross	500,000
Mrs. Emily A. Thorn	500,000
Mrs. Sophia J. Thompson	500,000
Mrs. Mar. Alicia Hillan	50,000
Mrs. Kheziah Allen, income of	4,000
Mrs. Eliza Osgood, the use of	240,000
Mrs. Catherine Lollar, income of	500,000
Cornelius Vanderbilt, Jr., son, income of	200,000
Phebe Vanderbilt, per annum, for life	1,200
Phebe Ann Blake, per annum, for life	500
Frederick W. and Virginius, per annum, for life	300
Jacob A. Vanderbilt	50,000
Annie Root	20,000
Celia Ann V. Deforest	10,000
Phebe Ann Dyckman	5,000
Mrs. Sophia White	5,000
Charlotte Hickoll	5,000
Phebe Ann Dusenbury, three daughters, each	5,000
Charles Sanderson	1,000
Dr. James Lowell	10,000
Capt. James Braisted	4,000
Lambert Wessels, "an old and faithful clerk"	20,000
William H. Thomas	25,000
Samuel Paton Hand, "son of Obadiah, a faithful servant of my mother"	5,000
Charles F. Dean	20,000
Mary Lonier, wife of Gen. Gordon Granger	10,000
Jacob Vanderbilt Schultz	10,000
William H. Vanderbilt, all the rest, residue and remainder of his estate, including the residue of the property left him by his father, and makes the following additional bequests:	
Cornelius Vanderbilt, son of William H. Vanderbilt, Harlem, N. Y. C. and H. R. R. shares	22,000
Also N. Y. C. and H. R. R. shares	31,000
William K. Vanderbilt, son of William H. Vanderbilt, N. Y. C. and H. R. R. shares	20,000
Frederick W. Vanderbilt, son of William H. Vanderbilt (when of age), N. Y. C. and H. R. R. shares	20,000
George Vanderbilt, son of William H. Vanderbilt (when of age), N. Y. C. and H. R. R. shares	20,000

New Hampshire Items.

At a meeting of the Manchester city government Nathan P. Kolder was elected City Clerk; H. R. Chamberlain, City Treasurer; David Perkins, Captain of the Night Watch; A. S. Wallace, Fourth Assistant Engineer of the Fire Department; and John Barker, City Messenger.

Gilbert Small's blacksmith shop in Amherst was burned Thursday; loss $1000; no insurance.

Hildreth's building in Suncook was burned Thursday; loss $2500; insurance $1800.

Hamblet, Simpson & Co.'s woolen mill in North Salem was partially burned on Wednesday; loss about $13,000; insurance $63,000.

Miss Helen Locke, of Bristol, a beautiful and accomplished girl of eighteen, daughter of R. B. Locke of the Bristol Flour Mills, died Thursday night from the effects of inhaling gas from red fire, burned during a tableau at a public meeting given about six weeks since by the Lodies' Literary Society connected with the New Hampshire Conference Seminary at Tilton.

News and Notes.

Schooners Joseph F. Allen and Ellen Frances, both of Gloucester, have been given up by their owners as lost. Their crews numbered fourteen men.

Two sleeping cars on the Virginia Midland Railroad were thrown from the track Thursday morning while passing Kettle Run bridge, forty miles from Washington. One of the cars went fifty feet down an embankment and the other down forty-five feet into the creek. Both cars were destroyed, but no persons were killed, though many were severely and one fatally injured.

In addition to the disasters already reported to the Gloucester fishing fleet, there are a number of vessels missing and now given up for lost. The Gettysburg and David A. Burnham have been previously reported as abandoned, with part of their crews saved, and the Ellen Frances as missing, and probably lost with her crew of four men. Schooners Franklin D. Pinkham, with a crew of ten men; D. E. Woodbury, ten men; John S. Tyler, ten men; W. T. Marchant, twelve men; and J. F. Huntress, ten men,—are all entirely given up by their owners, and are no doubt lost with all on board. Besides these the Robert Emmett, Howard Siegle and Modura B. Jerrold are long overdue, and though there is still a slight hope that they may yet return, the hope is but a slight one. Should they not return there will be some eighty or ninety names to add to the long list of Gloucester fishermen who have lost their lives during the present season, and at the best the loss of life in the vessels named will amount to fifty.

The first book printed in Palestine has just made its appearance. It has been well known that one of the Rothschilds and Sir Moses Montefiore have had a number of schools, a hospital, and other philanthropic institutions for the Jews of Palestine, built on Mount Sion at Jerusalem. They have recently added a printing [illegible] from the presses of which a work treating of the Holy Land has been issued.

Marshall P. Fessenden, of Brewster, Mass., first officer of the bark New Light of Baltimore, Md., was fatally stabbed by a seaman on board the vessel on the night of November 4th, 1876. On that night it was Fessenden's watch on deck, and they were tacking ship. He had some words with one of the sailors, which led to blows, and immediately the seaman, Collins by name, drew his knife and dealt him six rapid blows, inflicting mortal wounds, two of which, on the body, were sufficient to have killed him. Fessenden lived three days, dying November 7th, at midnight.

The Spanish ladies use the following preparation to give polished whiteness to the neck and arms: Infuse wheat bran, well sifted, for four hours in white wine vinegar; add to it five yolks of eggs and two grains of ambergris, and distil the whole. It should be carefully corked for twelve or fifteen years, when it will be fit for use. It is an excellent preparation to give a lustre to the skin.

Travellers bound for Boston will do well to stop at the old "American House" of that city, where all the comforts of a quiet first class hotel, and all the luxuries of the season at table, may be enjoyed at popular prices.

Why does not the Senatorial Committee summon Mr. John R. McLean, the proprietor of the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, and investigate him as to the disposition of money from the Third National Bank of New York? There was a very interesting check received here on the day before the October election. The amount was $7,000. This sum was payable to the order of and paid to Mr. John R. McLean, and secured the election of two democratic Congressmen, one of them the heroic reformer and economist, Banning. Why seek information beyond the Rocky Mountains, where rolls the Oregon, when there are such fat pastures smiling at home? —*Cincinnati Commercial.*

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	117
United States Ten-Forties coupon	113
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	115
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1892	111
Massachusetts State 5s, gold	7
Portsmouth 6s, C. & S.	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	34
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	103
Eastern R. R. 1st mortgage	76
Boston & Maine R. R. shares	110
Boston & Providence	130
Boston & Albany	127
Nashua & Lowell	88
Concord	78
Eastern	34
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	119
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	47
Northern N. H.	55
Old Colony & R.	103
P. S. & P.	55
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 25 @ 28c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 60c; Northern 75c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton 46.00, Smith's, per chal $5.50.
Eggs per dozen, 35c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. 6 @ 7; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per lb by ind qu. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.10.
Molasses per gal., Cuba 49 @ 65c; New Orleans 70.
Lamb per lb, 10 @ 12 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50 @ 60 cents.
Pork per bbl., $20 @ $25.
Plaster per ton, Long $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90.
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Br. 11 @ 12c; Gr. 12; Crushed 13½.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 90c; Green, 90c. @ $1.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Disease Grows Apace,

Like an ill wind, and cause be mastered too early. What is a trifling attack of sickness to-day may, if unattended to, become a serious one in a week. Small ailments should be nipped in the bud before they blossom into full blown maladies. If the advice were attended to, many a heavy bill for medical attendance might be avoided. When the liver is disordered, the stomach foul, the bowels obstructed, or the nerves disturbed, resort should at once be had to that unequaled remedy, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a few doses of which will restore healthy action and put the system in perfect order. It is a wise precaution to keep this incomparable preventive in the house, since it checks, with unrivalled promptitude, disorders which breed others far more dangerous, and in its latest developments are themselves ok a fatal.

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The Colonnade Hotel.

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In the U. S. Senate, on the 14th, the credentials of Hon. E. H. Rollins, Senator from New Hampshire for six years from March 4, '77, were presented and laid on the table. Mr. Edmunds of Vermont said that of course no one would question the election of Mr. Rollins, but the certificate of his election probably was not as full as it should be. It merely said he was duly elected, and did not so forth when the legislature met, the time of the election, etc. At some time a question might be raised about the credentials not setting forth all the facts, and he merely made these observations now to call attention to the subject.

Rural democratic papers are still repeating the thoroughly exploded story that the expenses of the republicans who went to South Carolina, Florida and Louisiana to watch the democrats sent South by Tilden, Hewitt & Co., to steal the electoral votes of those States, had their expenses paid out of the National treasury. Wonder if the "Bureau of nincompoops" has ordered them to fight it out on that line?

N. H. REGISTER

AND

Business Directory for 1877.

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Boston, south & West,	6.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord W. Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Mails for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

DELEGATE CAUCUS.

A meeting of the delegates from this city to the County Convention will be held at the Common Council room on Saturday evening, Jan. 13th, to see if the delegation will unite upon candidates to be supported in the Convention, so that our city's interest may be best served.

WM. CONN, Chairman of Ward One.
H. A. YEATON, " " " Two.

AN EAGLE ASSASSINATED.

For many years a pair of bald-headed eagles have made their winter home on Peirce's island, in this harbor, and have come to be regarded with great interest—almost affection—by the residents along the water side of the city, and the fishermen. The latter have been accustomed to save fish heads and other offal on board their vessels to throw to the eagles on the outward trip, and the birds, from being so many years unmolested, had become so tame,—or at least so accustomed to the presence of men—that they would come up to the docks at the South end and light upon the ice in the vicinity of the fishing vessels, ready to pick up whatever might be thrown to them. We are informed, also, that Mr. Charles Gray, who resides on Three-tree island, has been accustomed to expose food for them, and that they often visited his island for their meals. But, on Thursday, we are told, one of these noble birds was shot on Gray's island, by some one who visited the place in a boat, and left for the other side of the river as soon as he had secured his prize. Who he is our informant did not know, nor whether he shot the bird merely to gratify a wanton propensity to destroy life, or from a desire to get an eagle to have stuffed and mounted. Whatever the motive, the act was utterly selfish, and if one-half the petitions put up by the fishermen on behalf of the future welfare of the man who murdered the eagle are answered, cremation will appear but a joke to him before he gets through. No honorable man would be guilty of the treacherous cruelty of killing one of these birds, which, naturally wild and shy to the very last degree, had become so trusting as to be almost tame.

JOTTINGS.

The Service of Praise at Bow Mission, announced for last Sunday, was postponed, and will be given to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock. Friends are especially invited. Pieces new and old will be sung. The monthly collection will be taken for the benefit of the mission.

The traffic over the Direct Cable is very heavy, the receipts rarely falling below $5000 or $6000 a day in gold. The Atlantic and Pacific Co., which connects with the cable, has now three land wires to Boston and two to New York.

Democratic conventions: State, at Concord, Jan. 17; Congressional, First District, at Dover City Hall, Jan. 24, at 11 o'clock A. M.; Councilor, District No. 1, at New Hampshire House, Dover, January 24, at 1 o'clock P. M.; Senatorial, District No. 1, at Rockingham House, Portsmouth, January 31, at 11 o'clock A. M.; County, Rockingham, at Hoit's Hotel, Newton Centre, Jan. 18, at 1 o'clock P. M.

Emmons B. Philbrick, of Rye, seems to be generally regarded as the probable republican candidate in this Senatorial district.

The prominently named candidates for the republican nomination in this Congressional district are Gen. Gilman Marston of Exeter, Hon. John J. Morrill of Gilford, Hon. Samuel M. Wheeler and Hon. Daniel Hall of Dover, and Hon. Alonzo Nute of Farmington. From this list the republican convention can select a candidate (of several named) who will certainly carry the district against Frank Jones or any other man the democrats can put up, and it is the duty of the convention to select such a man, regardless of personal or sectional "claims." The candidate must be a man of unimpeachable record, sound common sense, and free from any suspicion of any connection with "rings." Such a man will carry the full party strength and be elected, and (without in any way disparaging any of the other candidates named) we consider that JOHN J. MORRILL fills the bill. The republicans of this section of the district will work and vote for the nominee of the convention; and we are satisfied that Mr. Morrill's nomination would be as gratifying to the majority of them as that of any other man. His personal popularity is an element worthy of consideration in selecting a candidate to support in a close district.

Mr. James Eaton, recently elected standard-bearer of the Temperance Reform Club, formerly served as color bearer in the 31 Maine Regiment, was severely wounded at the battle of Cold Harbor, and received special mention for gallantry on that occasion. Mr. Eaton also afterward received a complimentary testimonial by vote of the Maine legislature. So that it will be confidently expected that such a man will hardly sustain the standard of the Temperance cause.

Mr. Thomas Quinn, driver of Charles Rounseville's coal and flour team, met with a serious accident on Friday. He was driving on Vaughan street, sitting as usual on the edge of the pung with his feet resting on the runner outside, when Stott's grocery team in passing was swung against him, probably by inequalities in the street, and he was thrown from his seat. His foot catching in the runner he was dragged along until his boot came off, when it was found that his ankle was very badly fractured, so badly that it is feared amputation will have to be resorted to. Mr. Quinn was slightly cut and bruised otherwise. He is a poor man, we are informed, with quite a large family depending upon him for support.

The Boston *Globe* gives the following particulars of the loss of $6000 by the Eastern Railroad, already reported in this paper: The package was made up at the office in Boston, to be sent to the paymaster at Portsmouth, to replenish his funds for paying off the men. The messenger, Horace N. Smith, was given the package to hand to Conductor Leavitt, to be by him transmitted to the paymaster. On the arrival of the train at Portsmouth the paymaster met Leavitt with the question as to where the money was. Mr. Leavitt professed inability to answer the conundrum. The paymaster telegraphed to the treasurer in Boston: "Where's the money?" The treasurer replied by wire: "Leavitt's got it." Paymaster telegraphed again: "Leavitt says he hasn't seen it." Treasurer replies: "He has got it; we have his receipt for it in the book." Each conductor, when entrusted with a package of money for the road is obliged to sign a receipt for "one package, said to contain money," and to the one in question Mr. Leavitt's name was appended. He looked up the matter on his return to Boston, and at once declared that it was not his signature. It then occurred to the officers of the road that Smith was the guilty party, and he was arrested on the charge, but he was not to be found. Smith is a young man, belonging in Pittsfield, Mass., where he has a wife, two children and a widowed mother. He has been in the employ of the company several years and has on several occasions handled much larger sums of money. Smith was arrested at Springfield, Mass., Thursday evening, as he was taking the train for Albany. He was in company with a very beautiful young woman, named Mary E. Hammond, of Lyon, who had $5400 of the stolen money in her travelling bag. Miss Hammond declared she did not know Smith was a married man, and said they were bound for Omaha. They were travelling as man and wife under the name of Sargeant.

A call for a meeting of the delegates to the republican County Convention, to see if an agreement upon candidates to be presented to the Convention can be settled upon, is printed in another place. It is useless for Portsmouth to go to the Convention with a divided delegation, and there are three candidates for County Commissioner, viz.: Josiah T. Brown, Newton Johnston and George W. Pendexter. If all three of these candidates are to be supported the Portsmouth delegation may as well stay at home as to attend the Convention; with the delegation solid for either one of the candidates named, there is a chance—and only a chance—of Portsmouth securing the nomination.

Pettigrew, the escaped prisoner from the Massachusetts State Prison who was arrested in this city on Wednesday, was taken back to Massachusetts Friday morning by an officer of the prison who came here for that purpose on Thursday evening.

The South Millpond was again utilized as a trotting park, Friday, there being lots of teams there, and lots of racing. Some of the teams were driven so hard, Friday afternoon, as to take away all pleasure in the scene from humane people. Speeding horses eight or ten lengths of the pond may attract public attention to the drivers, but it is a needless cruelty to the animals.

James Goodman, a marine, fell on the ice on State street, Thursday evening, and broke his left ankle.

The alarm of fire—it wasn't much of an alarm—late Friday afternoon was occasioned by the boiling over of a preparation of naphta, or the leaking of the vessel in which it was being heated, in the upper room of Nowell's Block, opposite the Custom House. The mixture is used to stiffen "box toes" for boots. A few buckets of water put out the flames, but little harm being done; and a different style of heater,—a hot-water vessel on the outside, similar to a glue-pot,—will be used in the future. Mr. Eugene A. Sanborn had one of his hands somewhat burned in putting out the fire, he and Mr. Robert Annable being in the room when the fire occurred.

Mr. Oscar J. Pfeiffer, of this city, is "stroke" of the Dartmouth crew selected to pull in the University regatta at New London, Conn.

SUPREME COURT.

Case Deverson vs. Eastern Railroad, on trial from Thursday afternoon, was a claim for damages (set at $20,000) for injuries received on the road near Kennebunk, December 19, 1873, by a collision of freight trains, Deverson being engineer on one of the engines in collision. The case was given to the jury at six o'clock Friday evening, and at seven o'clock they returned a verdict for the plaintiff of $3000.

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MARINE.

Sch Amos Walker, Polson, for the port, did coal Charleston Jan 7.

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"WAH."

A democrat bold tossed his cap in the air,
And with many a noisy "hurrah,"
He lifted his voice right then and just there,
And lustily shouted for "wah!"

"Now fling to the breezes our banner!" he cried,
"For Tilding and order, and law,
And from mountain peak to the blue ocean's tide
Proclaim, 'Give us Tilding, or wah!'"

"Now make us a Cæsar, good editor man,
A Cæsar of paper and straw;
Set it up where its features we plainly can scan,
It will nerve us to shriek out for wah!"

So they made him a Cæsar, a terrible ghost,
All gory, and ghastly, and raw;
And when it was shown to the democrat host,
They shrieked out and bellowed for "wah!"

So loud, and resonant, and shrill was the howl,
That it rolled through the land near and fah,
And the echo came back in an ominous growl,
That gruffly and grunly said "wah!"

Then the democrat girt up his loins in haste,
And he fled as though spectres he saw;
And there came back from Canada's ice-belted waste
His timorous echo of "wah!"

—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

A Monopoly in Light.

The present price of kerosene oil, which, as everybody who uses the article is fully aware, is more than double the price of a few months ago, is due wholly to the operations of the Standard Oil Company. That corporation, by buying up numerous refineries, and by persuading or coercing all the rest which could compete with it, has gained control of the oil trade of the country and the world. The only limit to the price consumers must pay, is the price they will pay. The article is one of necessity to millions of people, and it is even now cheaper than any known substitute for the use of other millions. The company which bears rule over the price has but one problem to solve, namely, at what rate of profit the consumption can be maintained so as to give the largest actual profit. The combination is one against which hard words alone are available, for there is no legal remedy. The Standard Oil Company has done what it has a perfect legal right to do, though the cost of producing crude oil, the cost of refining, the expense of transportation, the supply and the demand, furnish no justification of its acts. For that reason it will certainly fail. No combination of the kind ever had a long existence. The remedy always finds itself. Those who are in the ring are now making enormous profits. It is said, though we do not vouch for the figures, that every freight train of cars loaded with refined oil that leaves the oil regions brings to the refiner nearly or quite $5000 profit. It may safely be said that when the monopoly breaks up, as it is sure to do, some trains will net the refiner quite as heavy a loss. At present the consumers are altogether at the mercy of the combination, without the power to take concerted action in their own defence. Those who can diminish their consumption of oil will do so, but if no relief comes in this way the greed of the managers, or treachery on the part of some refiners will sooner or later break up the monopoly.—*Boston Advertiser.*

—"Do you reside in this city?" asked a masked man of a masked lady at a masquerade party the other evening. He felt sick when she said to him in a low voice, "Don't be a fool, John, I know you by that wart on your thumb." It was his wife.

—"Great Washington," exclaimed a Burlington burglar, as a vigilant policeman caught him by the legs and hauled him out of the window, "armed policemen, mailed minions of the law, display revolvers and flourish truncheons in the faces of American citizens under the very shadow of the court house, within sound of the church bells, and under the trembling scales of justice, and the outspread arm of personal liberty! And this is free America! Oh, Grant, Grant, Grant, tyrant and usurper, what crimes hang heavy on your lawless head!" And they led the martyr reformer away and cast him into the deepest dungeon beneath the castle moat.—*Hawkeye.*

—Edward Everett Hale has a stout, clannish liking for the traits of his brother New Englanders. Speaking of "resource" he says: "I was talking only yesterday to a healthy, sober laboring man who was really starving for want of work, as are thousands of others. He said forcibly to me, 'I had a chance to go and chop wood in New Hampshire, but what do I know of chopping wood?' Now I knew in that moment that this man was not a New Englander, for a man of New England blood never owns willingly that there is anything he could not do if he ought to. And any genuine New Englander would rather do something that he never did before than the thing which he has done for the last year."

—The vicar of a popular parish in the north of London has compromised his conscience on the burial question rather ingeniously. Recently he informed the parents of a young lady, who were members of a Baptist church, that he regretted not being able to read the burial service over the remains of their daughter; but as a female pauper was to be buried in an adjoining grave, and the interments were both to take place at the same time, his conscience would allow him to stand between the two and read the service over the body of the pauper, adding that no one would notice his use of the words "sister" and "body" instead of "sisters" and "bodies," or that he made any departure from the usual practice on such occasions. The compromise was accepted.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JANUARY 15, 1877.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

Congressional—District No. 1—At City Hall, Dover, Wednesday, January 17th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Councillor—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Friday, Jan. 19, at 11 A. M.

Senatorial—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Tuesday, Jan 30, at 11 A. M.

County—At Town Hall, Exeter, Tuesday, Jan. 16, at 10 A. M.

Editorial Pencillings.

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.

The present crisis in political affairs may after all lead to most satisfactory and enduring results. The election of Gov. Hayes to the Presidency by a large majority of the electoral votes might have had the effect to convince the Southern democratic leaders that they must depend for recognition only on the democratic organization. The election of Gov. Tilden by a large majority would have equally deterred them from breaking ranks, unless a quarrel resulted over the distribution of the spoils. The closeness of the election may after all be "a blessing in disguise." It has developed one heretofore generally unknown fact, that the best men in the North and South do not desire a return to civil strife. Anomalous as may have been the apparent suggestion, it is no longer disputed that there is a disposition already developing in the democratic party at the South and among the republicans of the North for a union of the best interests of both. The bulk of the soldier element which was called into action on the memorable fields where a common bravery led each to respect the other, was drawn from members of the republican party of the North and of the democratic Southerners. With great unanimity, unprejudiced observers who have travelled through the South unite in recognition of the fact that those who saw bloodshed and smelled powder in the rebellion want no more of it. To-day, the Southern whites have a greater interest in obtaining control of their States, for protection against imbecility and mismanagement, than in having Mr. Tilden elected. Notwithstanding the gallantry of such men as Governors Chamberlain and Kellogg, it is patent to every observer that the Southern States may be better governed by white men than by the freedmen, who are naturally improvident and lack the proper education to render them capable of governing themselves or their neighbors. It is not in the nature of things to suppose that citizens of any State will quietly submit to be ruled by an incompetent class, and in order to secure their most vital interests there are tens of thousands of Southern democrats who are willing to unite for a beneficent government. Necessity may yet bring the most radical opponents in close conjunction, and when that occurs there will be peace for the South and the Nation. It is not the best class of Southern men who uphold and practice bull-dozing. This class needs encouragement to divorce itself from lawlessness, but so long as it can attain proper government only by means of a "solid South," so long will it remain in the democratic organization. With Governor Hayes in the Presidential chair, there will be a golden opportunity for securing a support from the South which will forever abolish the "color line." With the republicans of the North there is danger for eight years yet in a "solid South." Their necessities stare them in the face and demand conciliation that shall ensure continued success. The next apportionment of Congressmen under the coming census of 1880 will increase the power of the North and West, and correspondingly diminish that of the South. A temporary triumph of but four or eight years will not satisfy any far-seeing Southern statesman; and there are numbers of leading Southerners who must see that the future will most assuredly reward those who first lead the way to an enduring peace. The discussions in the newspapers regarding a possible coalition between Northern republicans and Southern democrats has some foundation, there being considerable fire where there is so much smoke. The contempt that these Southerners have for Northern "copperheads" is sufficient cause for a permanent divorce.

A Southern View of Gov. Chamberlain.

Since the Hampton-Tilden party in South Carolina inaugurated the rifle-club campaign, the democratic papers of the North have not wearied of denouncing Gov. Chamberlain as the epitome of everything corrupt in the way of a political scoundrel, and he and his officials have been alluded to as "the infamous Chamberlain gang" more frequently than by any other term. But in fact Gov. Chamberlain is a man of scrupulous honor and integrity, a man who as Governor drove away from the State treasury the thieving "Moses and Whipper gang" through whose aid the Hamptonites now seek to gain control of the State, and whom the Northern democratic papers now so affectionately refer to. His integrity, honor, courage and fidelity as a chief magistrate, have been fully admitted by the democratic press of South Carolina. A majority of the South Carolina democrats would have supported him for re-election, if the politics of that State had not been interfered with by Wade Hampton and the rifle clubs, no doubt at the dictation of the Tilden managers, who knew that Tilden's only chance of carrying the State lay in a straight democratic nomination and a campaign conducted on the "Mississippi plan." That Gov. Chamberlain's administration has been honest and honorable, and that the South Carolina democrats themselves acknowledge it, the following extracts—all from straight-out democratic papers except one, and that one is a resolution passed by a democratic convention—sufficiently prove:

Mr. Chamberlain has earned the gratitude and deserves the confidence of the whole people. By supporting Mr. Chamberlain the whole country will secure, without revolution, a Government in every way satisfactory. The democrats in South Carolina are in the minority or else they could, and would, as a party, obtain control of the State by their own efforts.—*Charleston News and Courier, July*, 1876.

We can't say hard things against Chamberlain, who is manifestly striving to give our impoverished people an honest government. This is what they want. Give it to them, and everything else, low taxes and prosperity, will follow.—*Marion Star, March*, 1876.

He (Chamberlain) has accomplished such a herculean task in breaking down the barriers of corruption and fraud, and gives such promise of being able, ultimately, to storm and carry the very citadel itself, that we take pleasure in writing him down a model Governor.—*Charlotte Observer*, 1875.

No mortal man, with all the surroundings that environed Governor Chamberlain when he took the Executive chair, could have done more for the State than he has done. His history as Governor has been pure, unspotted and unstained.—*Horry News, September*, 1875.

There is nothing but defeat ahead of us on any [party] ticket that can be put forth. The name of General Hampton is electric, and will thrill through the nerves of every white man in South Carolina; but what of that? If every one of them voted for him, and ten thousand more besides, he would still be in a hopeless minority.—*Marlborough Planter, August*, 1876.

Governor Chamberlain, we feel constrained to say, has planted his foot firmly on the highest round of virtuous fame. His brave and superb conduct in the very pinch of the emergency has won for him a historic fame outside of all party lines, and above cavil or dispute. He stands now in the calm attitude of a man in a higher atmosphere than those miserable men who would hawk at and hound him down.—*Greenville News, Dec.*, 1875.

Mr. Chamberlain will accept a nomination for re-election, not because of the emoluments of the office, which are pitiful, nor for the love of politics, which are not to his taste—but because, in two years more with a sound, intelligent and upright Legislature, he can, with the knowledge he has of our conditions and wants, complete the work now begun, and make South Carolina as contented and progressively prosperous as any State in the South.—*Charleston News and Courier, August*, 1876.

We would like to be convinced that we are wrong, but until that is done, until some one shows us how 30,000 republican majority, with a leader like Governor Chamberlain in command can be wiped out at the polls, we shall not draw our support from him who, by his many official acts, has satisfied us that he is doing the best he possibly can do with the material he has—and much better than any democrat in the State could do with the same material!—to give us what we want for ourselves and our families.—*Marion Star, June*, 1876.

In the eyes of the State and of the Nation, Governor Chamberlain, an avowed and thorough republican, arises before us as a champion around whom from centre to circumference, clusters our hope. * * * No man now living in the State embodies in his individual person so much influence on the side of good government. If the incentive be to reform our State government, then Governor Chamberlain is certainly the man who seems to have been providentially brought forward to our help.—*Sumter Watchman, February*, 1876.

Governor D. H. Chamberlain has illustrated by his conduct the noble ends which may be achieved by a stranger who differs with many of us in matters of political faith, but who unites with good men of all views in measures of earnest reform; and this people will sustain him to the end.—*Resolution at Sumter meeting, January*, 1876.

News and Notes.

There is a dangerous "ice gorge" in the Ohio river at Cincinnati and Pittsburg. Steamer Calumet has been sunk at Cincinnati, and damaged $40,000.

The house of William Henry Brown, in Middletown, Rhode Island, was destroyed by fire early Thursday morning, and Mr. Brown's body was almost entirely consumed. A partial investigation of the circumstances leads to a suspicion that Mr. Brown was murdered, and that the house was set on fire to destroy the evidence of the greater crime. The earliest alarm was given when the building was well-nigh destroyed, by Mr. Brown's son Charles, to whom the estate had been deeded, and who, although usually staying there nights, seemed on this occasion to be staying over night at the house of a married sister, some distance away. There are other suspicious circumstances. A coroner's jury on Saturday brought in a verdict which resulted in the arrest of Charles S. Brown, the deceased's son.

Steamer Moctezuma, captured by the Cuban patriots some time ago, has been chased ashore by a Spanish war steamer on the coast of Venezuela, and burned by the Cubans to prevent her recapture.

Lucille Western, the well-known actress, and a native of Boston, died in New York on Thursday night.

The schooner F. W. Hulse, of Thomaston, Me., Captain William Pearse, being overtaken in a storm off Bowery Bay, L. I., dropped anchor early Thursday morning. The captain awoke to find the cabin invaded by river thieves, who were holding revolvers at the heads of the crew. Captain Pearse at first offered resistance, but a blow from the butt of a pistol felled him to the floor, making him quite passive. The crew dared not give the alarm and the pirates ransacked the cabin, securing about $4000 worth of property. They placed it in two boats, which they had pulled to the schooner, and left, going in the direction of the Long Island shore.

Steamer Old Dominion arrived at New York on Friday, bringing the crew of the shipwrecked barque America, totally lost on Cape Henry some weeks ago. The Old Dominion also brought a crew of Irish fishermen from Galway, one of the men being aged eighty-six and another ninety years. They were picked up ninety miles at sea, their vessel unmanageable, and the captain's hands frozen.

A serious riot took place at the Westboro (Mass.) State Reform School on Friday evening. About 100 boys engaged in the uprising, and the signal was given by shutting off the gas in the school-rooms. The fight was a desperate one for a few minutes, every article of furniture in two of the rooms being completely demolished. The officers succeeded in keeping the rioters in the rooms until help was summoned, and then subdued them by the free use of water from the hydrant. None of the officers or men were seriously hurt, and none of the boys escaped.

A petition for placing the Portland & Rochester Railroad in the hands of a receiver is before the Maine courts.

It is as hard to get at the true inwardness of the Bennett-May duel as it was to find out the truth about a battle between the Turks and Servians, or to understand the Schleswig-Holstein question. Frederick May is said by some to be dangerously wounded, while others insist that only blank cartridges were used. The most absurd (and therefore most likely to be true) story of the lot is that Bennett and Miss May were married and left for Europe soon after the duel.

The passengers who embarked in the Britannic in New York harbor on the morning of Saturday, Dec. 16, although doubtless aware of her speed, hardly reckoned upon being landed in Liverpool on Sunday evening, the eighth day out; but such was the case. Averaging 382 nautical miles a day, the Britannic steamed along the Maury track, which, swerving to the southward, occupies a much longer time, and touched at Queenstown shortly after midnight, on Saturday last. After a brief delay off the harbor, the Britannic continued her course up Channel, crossing the bay at the entrance to the Mersey at 5:55 P. M. Sunday, and landed her passengers, thus enabling them to catch the Sunday evening trains and spend Christmas with their families. The Britannic's passage to Queenstown was seven days, twelve hours and forty-two minutes, and to Liverpool, including all detentions, eight days, five hours and fifteen minutes, performances, we need scarcely add, never before equalled.—*Liverpool Journal of Commerce, Dec.* 27.

Political.

Casbier Jordan of the Third National Bank of New York was examined before the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections Saturday morning about his employment of broker Runyan to purchase a draft of eight thousand dollars on Oregon. He testified that it was a transaction of honor between himself and Col. Pelton, Gov. Tilden's nephew and secretary and chief of the "Literary Bureau;" and that he supposed the money was used for electoral purposes, but did not know. He states also that Tilden owns $68,000 worth of stock in the bank of which he is cashier, and is also a director.

It was rumored in Washington on Saturday that James F. Casey, brother-in-law of President Grant and Collector at New Orleans, had been elected United States Senator by the Nicholls Legislature of Louisiana. Gammon.

The democrats of the Illinois legislature on Friday nominated John M. Palmer for U. S. Senator. The independents nominated William B. Anderson.

The Boston *Globe's* Washington dispatch of Friday says: The rumor to-night is that the Senate Committee on the Electoral Count has agreed upon two propositions; first, that the vote of any State not having dual returns shall not be thrown out unless by the concurrent vote of both houses; second, that in the States where there are contests and dual returns, the matter shall be referred to a tribunal outside of both Senate and House and the presiding officer of the Senate. It is not believed that the outside tribunal is the Supreme Court, but that it is a joint committee of the two houses with powers which were suggested by the Senate during the Jefferson-Burr controversy in 1800. Mr. Hewitt left for New York tonight, it is believed to convey the proposition to Gov. Tilden, and also to consult with him about calling a National Democratic Convention in this city on the 12th of February. Mr. Hewitt said to-day, that rather than one drop of blood should be shed, he was in favor of Hayes and peace.

The democratic party is so strong in Georgia that it is top-heavy and has already begun to topple over. Even the venerable Robert Toombs has become so much of a bolter that he says he will not be bound by any "nasty convention," and the faithful are denouncing him as a radical in disguise. A split in the party is inevitable, and when it comes it will be a happy day for the colored voter, for his favor then will be of great importance to both sides, each of which will see to it that his ballot is cast. *Tribune.*

Congressman Holman, democrat, of Indiana, has been one of the most earnest opponents of "republican corruption and extravagance," and a determined advocate for retrenchment in everything except the expenditures for National buildings in Indiana. Recently he has urged the payment of the Superintendent of the House folding department during the recess of Congress, and is disgusted to have it shown that his anxiety therefor is owing to the fact that the said Superintendent spent the whole of the recess in Indiana, working for Holman's re-election. Democratic reform is a queer thing.

Disease Grows Apace,

Like an ill wind, and cannot be mastered too early. What is a trifling attack of sickness to-day may, if unattended to, become a serious case in a week. Small ailments should be nipped in the bud before they blossom into full blown maladies. If this advice were attended to, many a heavy bill for medical attendance might be avoided. When the liver is disordered, the stomach foul, the bowels obstructed, or the nerves disturbed, resort should at once be had to that supreme remedy, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a few doses of which will restore healthy action and put the system in perfect order. It is a wise precaution to keep this incomparable preventive in the house, since it checks, with unrivalled promptitude, disorders which breed others far more dangerous, and in their latest developments are themselves often fatal.

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BRICK HOUSE No. 58 State street, for one or two families. Also tenement No. 36 Deer St. Apply to J. C. CARR.

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A HOUSE on Melcher Street, near Pleasant. Ten rooms, water in house; rent low to one or two tenants. tf Apply at 34 PLEASANT ST.

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THE TWO FRONT ROOMS over the Rockingham National Bank. Apply at the Bank.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.

Also, a few large and choice NORWAY SPRUCE Trees, for Fall setting. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

House Lots for Sale.

A GREEABLY to a vote of the City Councils, the Building Lots recently laid out on Woodbury, Sullivan, Thornton, Whipple, Stark, Bartlett, Dennett, Burnitt and Creek Streets, near the City Farm, by the City of Portsmouth, are now offered for sale on favorable terms. For further information apply at the office of the City Clerk, where a plan of the Lots with the prices affixed, may be seen.

JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor.

Lost.

ON SATURDAY, Jan. 6th, either on Cabot or Islington street, a POCKET-BOOK containing a small sum of money and a few cards with the owner's name. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at this office.

Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER gives notice that he has been duly appointed Executor of the will of LEWIS BRUCE, late of Portsmouth, in the County of Rockingham, deceased, testate. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.

Dated Portsmouth, January 9, 1877.

WM. P. WALKER.

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AT REDUCED PRICES.

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Orders left at N. K. Walker & Son's Hat and Fur Store promptly filled.

GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS

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THE WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE LEAGUE will hold its meetings at the headquarters of the Reform Club in Badger's Block on Daniel street, until further notice.

G. E. RANDALL, *Secretary.*

LOOK!

We have on hand a few part pieces of

ELYSIAN BEAVER,

equally suitable for Gentlemen's Overcoats or Ladies' Cloaks, which we will close out at a great discount.

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WE have on hand a few CUSTOM-MADE OVERCOATS, which we shall sell *cheap for cash.*

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THE GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF THE ODIORNE FAMILY, an octavo volume of 225 pages, will be forwarded by mail to applicants on the receipt of $2.00. A few copies only of the edition are left. Address,

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30th Annual

CHRISTMAS NOTICE, 1876.

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON,

Has just received his usual assortment of Christmas Stores, viz.:

CRANBERRIES, PRUNES,
CURRANTS, DATES,
RAISINS, NAPLES NUTS,
LONDON LAYER, do. CHESTNUTS,
SEEDLESS, do. ALMONDS,
FLAVORING EXT., BISCUIT,
SHELLBARKS, CITRON,
ASSORTED NUTS, FIGS,
SWEET HERBS, SPICES,
PICKLES, SAUCES, KETCHUPS, PRESERVES,
etc., etc., etc.

LaFayette Laighton.

PULMOCINE.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	5,00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

SUPREME COURT.

Exceptions were taken in the case Deverson vs. Eastern Railroad Company, in which the jury on Friday brought in a verdict for plaintiff of $6000.

On Saturday forenoon the Court was engaged in revising the docket, adjourning at noon *sine die*.

The regular January term commences at Exeter on Tuesday.

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, the claim of O. M. Coleman for damages to sleigh, etc., on Vaughan street, was referred to committee on claims.

The annual reports of the City Solicitor. City Marshal and Chief Engineer were read and accepted.

The quarterly report of the City Marshal was received and referred to the committee on police.

The report of the committee on accounts was presented and E. D. Coffin's bill of $12.50 was ordered to be paid. The committee reported without recommendation bills of John Dame and William H. Hackett. The bill of the former for cash paid for carrying 74 persons to the county house of correction, amounting to $89, was referred to the committee on police, and the bill of Wm. H. Hackett, for salary as City Solicitor, and fees, $141.50, was ordered to be paid.

Voted, that the annual reports of city officers be printed with the city accounts.

The subject of insurance of city property was referred to the committee on city lands, to report.

The committee to whom was referred the request of the street commissioner for a horse, reported recommending that the old white horse be sold, and two horses purchased for the street department. The report was adopted and the subject referred to the same committee, with power.

Voted, that Stephen W. Weeks, be allowed a hearing before the Board in reference to his claim for damages to his horse.

The request of Mrs. Robert Gray for leave to cut down a tree on Congress street, was referred to the committee on streets with power to trim the tree,

Voted, that the committee on fire department be requested to examine Franklin Hall with reference to its safety, and report on the same.

Voted, that the Mayor be added to the committee to whom was referred the Chief Engineer's recommendation for the purchase of hose, etc.

Adjourned for two weeks.

"AN EAGLE ASSASSINATED."

Editors Chronicle: An article in your paper headed "An Eagle Assassinated," as I think does considerable injustice to the gentleman who killed that so-called "noble bird." In the first place, this bird was not one of the two that have made their home on Peirce's island for years past, as the eagle in question is not bald-headed, and according to such eminent authority as Audubon, Wilson and Dr. Coues, the bald-headed eagle does not become bald-headed until after he is three years of age. Then this eagle, being less than three years old, cannot be one of the two mentioned. It is very doubtful that the same two eagles have for years past made their home on that island; no proof of it whatever. This island is merely a natural roosting place for these birds during the day, and if two should be shot to-day, the chances are that two others would occupy the same tree to-morrow, as (contrary to the general supposition) the birds are very plenty, four having been seen on the same island Friday,—and I have no doubt that several can be seen any day. This is the case in every harbor on the coast. Why they should be called noble, or why they should be taken as emblematic of anything concerning this country, is past understanding, and can only be explained by the very general ignorance of the habits, etc., of this bird. There is nothing noble about him except his size; in everything else he is far from noble, being a thief and pirate, never getting his own food, but stealing it from the gull, crow and other birds, preferring to eat carrion rather than earn an honest living. He is not averse to a lamb, or to an occasional child. [The fact of his having carried off children being well authenticated.] And this is the Emblematic Bird of America!—better fitted, perhaps, to be an emblem of the country in its present condition than any other. Every Natural History collection of any magnitude has several specimens of this bird, and why it should be considered selfish or dishonorable to shoot this bird for a private collection I cannot understand. The law does not protect the eagle, nor does it protect *any* bird at *any* time of the year, that is destined for a natural history collection or for use by a taxidermist. If this were not the case the history of birds would be unwritten. By publishing this, Messrs. Editors, you will be giving the public a few generally unknown facts in regard to this pirate of birds, and will also be doing an act of justice to the gentlemen who killed the bird—not wantonly, but in the interest of science. A

JOTTINGS.

Somebody late last fall, one night, drove up alongside the fence of Elwyn's field, corner of Miller avenue and South street, and catching a couple of Mr. Jim Sheldon's best lambs from his flock, threw them into their wagon and drove off. Last week, on Thursday night, they (or some other persons) repeated the operation, and carried off two more,—though this time the thieves had to break into the slaughter-house shed to get them. Mr. Sheldon thinks this is "returning" to *his* mutton once too often.

There was a change in the weather, Friday night; snow fell. On Saturday several snow ploughs were at work on the South Millpond, clearing the driving track.

Schooner General Taylor, Capt. Thurlow, owned in Newburyport and bound to that port from Eastport, Me., with a cargo of fish, frozen herring, potatoes, etc., went ashore on Odiorne's Point at about two o'clock, Saturday morning, during a thick snow storm. The crew took to their boat and succeeded in landing in safety, though the sea was heavy enough to smash the schooner to pieces in a few hours, not a vestige of her remaining at noon on Saturday.

A rumor was current on the streets, Friday evening, that the rolling stock and locomotives of the Eastern Railroad had been attached. There was an attachment (said to be in the interest of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire) put on the coal and other property of the Eastern Railroad in Massachusetts, Friday, but it did not interfere with the running of the road.

The contract steamer "Enterprise," having been taken from the hands of the contractor, is to be fitted for sea immediately under the supervision of the naval authorities.

The annual report of the City Marshal shows the following arrests for the year ending December 31, 1876: Drunks, 334; tramps, 84; assault, 57; brawl and tumult, 23; larceny, 24; vagrancy, 24; deserters, 12; truants, 5; disorderly conduct, 13; disorderly houses, 7; insult, 3; fighting, 3; disturbing religious meeting, 2; begging, 2; suspicion, 3; playing ball, 3; threatening life, 2; cruelty to animals, 3; Sabbath breaking, 12; breaking the peace, 4; malicious mischief, 4; selling liquor, 2; open bar after 11 o'clock, 2; breaking glass 2; arson, 1; assault with knife, 1; assault and battery, 1; bastardy, 1; practising medicine without authority, 1; highway robbery, 1; obstructing sidewalk, 1; fast driving, 1; peddling without license, 1; horse thief, 1; debt, 1; gambling, 1. Total, 642. There have been 668 persons lodged during the year, and $598 in fines and costs collected.

The ship Simla, wrecked near Barnegat Inlet, will be a total loss. She lies high on the beach, the tide ebbing and flowing through her. The Coast Wrecking Company have given her up, and although the agent of the Boston Insurance companies and her captain still remain on the ground, they have no hopes of saving her.

Eds. Chronicle: Why were a majority of the School Committee so earnest to increase the slightly reduced salaries of the teachers? Do they not know that the earnings of the tax-payers generally are reduced far more than that? aye, in very many cases to nothing? EQUALITY.

New Hampshire Items.

Mr. H. C. Reynolds, who for the last twenty years has been the agent of the Amoskeag Axe Manufacturing Company, died in Manchester on Friday morning, of consumption. He was fifty-six years old.

The Unitarians of Peterboro' have voted to allow Mrs. A. W. Tucker, their pastor's wife, to preach for them, when she desires e relieve her husband.

On Tuesday, Jan. 9, Dennis Sheridan, a resident of Groveton, was killed at J. R. Brown's mills in Maidstone, Vt., while engaged in rolling logs from a sled to the slip of the mill. A skid extending from the sled to the slip flew up as a log was being rolled by him, and struck him on the head. Death occurred in about four hours. He was 30 years old and leaves a wife and one child.

Gov. Stearns' administration in Florida was not so bad as his enemies have tried to make out, if the following comparison by the Jacksonville *Union* is trustworthy: "Gov. David S. Walker turned over to Gov. Reed, in 1868, the sum of $1.50 in the State Treasury. Gov. Stearns turns over to Gov. Drew about $145,000 in cash in the Treasury. Gov. Walker turned over to Gov. Reed a public credit on State bonds equal to 15 or 20 cents on a dollar. Gov. Stearns turns over to Gov. Drew a State credit on bonds at 95. In 1868 scrip could be bought for 30 cents. Now it is rarely less than 80. In 1868 there was not enough money in the State Treasury to buy candles for schoolhouses. Now there are common schools established in nearly every county and $30,000 in cash on deposit in the State Treasury to the credit of the School Fund. The J., P. & M. Railroad has never changed hands but to show that its proceeds were consumed by lawyers's fees or eaten up in expenses. The State has run the road since June 1, and without paying expenses until November, and reports a net balance of profits on hand of $11,000. This is the record of 'thieving carpet-baggers' and 'desperate adventurers.'"

—Scene in the grand jury—Foreman:—Gentlemen, it is not necessary to administer the oath of secrecy to this witness, as he is a member of the press, and nobody would believe anything he might divulge, anyhow.

—One of the sights in Des Moines, Ia., the other day, was a member of the chaingang working on a culvert, with his hands encased in lavender kids.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Barque Quickstep, Barnaby, from New York, chartered to load at Manila for San Francisco, arr at Batavia previous to January 10th.

A REMEDY FOR HARD TIMES.

On and after January 1, 1877, the Subscriber will sell at the following rates:

FRESH PORK RIBS, 9 cts. per lb.
PORK STEAK, 10 cts. per lb.
PORTSMOUTH SAUSAGES, 10 cts.
" SUGAR-CURED HAMS, 15 cts.
Warranted better than any Western Hams.
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ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY,
LIVERPOOL, ENG.....Assets $10,000,000 (gold.)
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PHILADELPHIA.....Assets $1,250,0000.

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INSURANCE AGENT,
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CAPITAL AND ASSETS REPRESENTED
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THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA,
[Of Philadelphia, Penn.
Assets.....$5,167,547
LIVERPOOL and LONDON and GLOBE,
U. S. Office, New York.
Assets, (Gold).....$28,425,160
PHŒNIX,
Of Hartford, Connecticut.
Assets.....$1,906,161
QUEEN,
Of Liverpool and London, U. S. Office, N. Y.
Assets, (Gold).....$10,500,000
ORIENT,
Of Hartford, Connecticut.
Assets.....$766,622
SPRINGFIELD,
FIRE & MARINE,
Springfield, Mass.,
Assets.....$1,390,965
IMPERIAL & NORTHERN.
COMBINED,
Assets, (Gold).....$25,000,000

LIFE AND ACCIDENT DEPARTMENT.
TRAVELERS.
LIFE & ACCIDENT.
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Assets.....$3,701,361
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LIFE.
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Catarrh, Headache, Bad Breath, Hoarseness, Asthma Bronchitis, Coughs, Deafness, &c.,
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TRY IT! Safe, Reliable, and only 35 Cents.
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BOARD OF TRADE.
THE Regular Meetings of the Portsmouth Board of Trade are the FIRST and THIRD TUESDAYS of each Month. The next Regular Meeting will be held on *Tuesday, January 2*, when business of importance will come up.
F. W. MILLER, Secretary.
WILLIAM H. SISE, President.

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The "Brilliants"
From their peculiar construction of the GLASSES and FRAMES are UNRIVALLED for
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Parties who have worn the various kinds offered for sale in this vicinity, and now wear the "BRILLIANTS" say that they *surpass all others in the ease and comfort they afford.*
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Yours truly, GEORGE DRAPER.
BOSTON, January 1, 1877. 3awtJan'78

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J. E. HAM and COMPANY
having a great assortment of
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
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We shall continue the sale of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, etc., by the yard, at prices according to the times. Also, a full line of
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MR. DENNIS SHEA, *Sir:* The Water Cement Pipe you laid for us over three years ago has proved perfectly satisfactory to us in every respect, and although a part of it froze up last winter, we can't see any injury done. The Pipe you laid by you in a thorough manner, and we believe it to be the *Best Water Pipe known*, and if we have any more shall surely lay the same, and you are to do the job if alive and well. Yours, D. CUMMINGS & CO.

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—A FEW MORE OF THOSE
CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,
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JO HN H. BROUGHTON,
Dec. 28, 1876. Mayor of Portsmouth, N. H.

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Scientific skill cannot go beyond the effects of these remarkable preparations. **Chronic Rheumatism** of many years' standing, Neuralgia, Weak-Back, Fever Sores, **Weeping-Sinews**, Sciatica, Caked Breasts, Distorted Joints and Sprained Limbs of the worst kind are cured by the White Centaur Liniment.
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REV. GEO. W. FERRIS,
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Males	441
Females	111
Children	13
Insanity	61
Temporary insanity	60
Poverty, finances, etc.	98
Family or domestic troubles	45
Whisky	37
Love	54
Murderers	9
Ill health	26
Tired of life	8
Mortification	8
Hung themselves	117
Shot themselves	143
Poison	113
Stabbed	15
Drowning	80
Cut throat	46
Religion	13
Other methods	25

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

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Curious Hotel Customs in Sweden.

On arriving at the inn, which is good and clean, and makes up forty beds, one is struck with a peculiarity of all similar places in Sweden, the apparent indifference to visitors exhibited by the proprietor. No head waiter, with attendant circle of porters and chambermaids, awaits the arrival of the guest. The luggage is put down at the entrance, and the traveller must seek for himself his rooms and the information he requires, while the landlord with his hands in his pockets, regards his efforts from a window with languid curiosity. There is no intentional incivility, but it appears not to be the custom to welcome the coming guest although to speed the parting guest there is abundance of hand-shaking and hearty good wishes. The curious custom of the Smorgos prevails at these inns, and indeed everywhere throughout Sweden; it consists in a standing refreshment provided at a side-table free of charge, and comprising bread and butter, cheese, caviare, dried fish and reindeer flesh, sausages, and other similar delicacies, to be taken immediately before each regular meal, and washed down with branvin and other neat spirits. In connection with this performance the Swedes have an objectionable habit which may be called the community of forks, as the same implement passes rapidly from mouth to mouth and from dish to dish; the rights of private property are flagrantly disregarded—*Fortnightly Review.*

—The handsomest thing you can do just now is to hand some money to the poor.

—At Clapham Junction, near London, no less than 952 trains pass daily, their rate of succession, during the busiest part of the day, being seventy-five trains per hour, or one every forty-eight seconds. At this point there are thirteen lines of railway, and one alone has thirty-five "points" or switches, with thirty interlocking signals, all controlled from a single "box."

—The Japanese toilet mirror is an entirely new invention for seeing all sides of the head at once. It hangs flat against the wall by a gilt chain when shut; when open —with the two mirror leaves on either side of the head, and the third mirror in front— it forms the best looking-glass that can be had, and quite supersedes the hand glass so long in use. As yet they have not been largely imported to this country, but will be shortly.

—Matthews and Young, the actors, had some grudge to pay off on a surly toll-bar keeper. It should be premised that just beyond the bar there was a road which led back into the town. Dressed precisely alike, driving gigs almost exactly similar, with horses of the same color, making up their faces to the same expression and putting to him the same grotesque questions they drove through his gate in an apparently endless succession of precisely similar individuals.

—It was New Year's night at Cole Camp, sixteen miles from Sedalia, Mo., and there was a bar in the ballroom. A young man, while dancing near the counter, staggered, fell to the floor, and broke his nose. It was so common an incident that no attention was paid to it. The man lay on the floor for half an hour, and the dance went on. A physician came in, felt the man's pulse, and gravely remarked that he would die in a short time. The dance went on. In twenty minutes the man was dead. As the waltzers whirled by the corpse, they chatted pleasantly about the cause of death. Some thought that it was the bad quality of the whisky; others attributed it to undue indulgence in Kimmel; others said it was the shock caused by the fall; others mentioned heart disease. But the dance went on at Camp Cole until daybreak, although the man under the bar had increased his distance from Sedalia.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 16, 1877.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

Congressional—District No. 1—At City Hall, Dover, Wednesday, January 17th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Councillor—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Friday, Jan. 19, at 11 A. M.

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County—At Town Hall, Exeter, Tuesday, Jan. 16, at 10 A. M.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 12.

The opinion of a large majority of people here relative to the Bennett-May duel is to the effect that it was a most ridiculous burlesque, devoid of every feature of true manhood; and every additional detail received concerning it brings that verdict nearer unanimity. The whole affair has been purposely invested with such an air of deadly purposes and sanguinary results by its participants, to conceal its (as is believed) farcical realities, that were the two principals to suddenly lose the importance they have and which is inseparable from the possession of wealth, they would only be spoken of in terms of ridicule and derision. This sentiment is heightened by the impression fast obtaining that the fighting was all done with blank cartridges, notwithstanding the dismal dispatches of last evening intimating that Mr. May's wound is likely to prove fatal. Whether true or false, it is not generally believed that there was a scratch received by either of the combatants.

Everything connected with the deliberations of the House and Senate committees, appointed for the purpose of devising a satisfactory plan for counting and declaring the electoral vote, has been jealously guarded from public sight and hearing; and newspaper men have found it exceedingly difficult to obtain any information that would serve to indicate the progress made or the character of the method that would be finally adopted; but there is reason to believe that the majority of the Senate committee have agreed as to the proper line of procedure to be observed on the 14th of February, and have so far matured the plan as to send it to the House committee for its concurrence and to request a conference. There is also a rumor current that one of the democrats of the House committee has shown a very marked unwillingness to assent to the plan proposed by the balance of his political associates on that committee, and that it is to be enlarged by the addition of three more members (two democrats and one republican) which will make it stand six to four.

The investigation ordered by the House of the relations of our police to the gamblers and other disreputable characters, and also of Mr. Murtagh's alleged attempt to blacken the character of Mr. Whitthorne by enticing him into some place of ill repute and arresting him there, with a view to modify his report upon Secretary Robeson's administration of the Navy Department, began yesterday at the Capitol; and the committee manifested a very commendable disposition to make it thorough without regard to politics. There is a general desire that all the facts may be brought out, that the innocent may be relieved of unjust suspicion, and the guilty punished, and that the good work already accomplished in closing up the gambling hells may be strengthened and accelerated, till the Nation's Capitol City shall have been thoroughly purged of every violator of legislative enactments and moral obligations.

The "hard times" have had a very noticeable effect in restricting the wasteful extravagance of a class of people who suddenly leaped from the obscurity of comparative poverty to the leadership of society in many cases, in the flush times of fat contracts, making the most vulgar and ostentatious display of their suddenly acquired wealth. But the aristocratic "first family" leaders of days anterior to the Board of Public Works, who had a monopoly in that particular line and who were crowded aside by their parvenu rivals, are enjoying the revenge that the business prostration has brought.

The hotels (and Washington can boast of several excellent ones) are preparing for the invading army that always comes with every inauguration of a President. Thus far visitors have been few and hotel receipts correspondingly disheartening; but it is expected that by next month there will be a change for the better. KNOX.

An "Ice Gorge."

By the moving of the ice in the Alleghany river at Pittsburg, Pa., Sunday, immense damage was done. Three hundred coal boats and barges, many tog boats and several passenger steamers, were smashed up and sunk. Several lives are reported lost, and the damage to property is estimated at $2,000,000. A Sunday dispatch from Pittsburg says:

"At 6:15 o'clock this morning word was received in the city that the advance guard of the expected gorge was over the dam and would be on the flats in the river and the wharfed steamboats in a few minutes. Such activity as was immediately thereafter manifested on board the boats was never before seen on such short notice. Whistles screamed, engines puffed, commands were given in sharp, decisive tones, boats rushed here and there, and the river seemed really alive. The vanguard soon appeared above, booming along with a roar and a crash, carrying everything before it, embracing in its grasp huge barges, millions of pieces of broken timbers, beams, planks, etc., the remains of many costly barges and flats, which were rent to pieces in dashing over the dams above. On came the roaring, irresistible monster with a wild shriek as of pain. Now and then a barge would strike a bridge pier, or the great fleet anchored below the Suspension Bridge, and rearing up would stop and after trembling a moment break into fragments and be scattered in pieces over the seething mass of wave, ice and wood. During the next half hour, up to 7 o'clock, barges, flats and boat houses passed by, some sinking as they struck the pier, others going into the Ohio at a rapid rate, 130 having gone by up to that hour. Among them was noticed Fawcett's pumping-boat, with a light burning brightly within, but with no appearance of having any one on board. It is supposed that the men escaped. A two-story frame house, unoccupied, struck a barge below the Suspension Bridge, and was shattered to pieces. A fleet of eight loaded and five empty barges, and ten loaded flats, with the towboat keeper wedged in the middle, came gliding down and taking the south pier of the railroad bridge, divided in two parts, one part veering off to the north side, and the other to the south. It is believed that seven towboats have been totally lost, and others are badly damaged. The number of coal barges and boats that came down can only be estimated; the best estimate places the number at about 300. About one-third of these boats were laden with coal."

At Cincinnati the steamer Calumet, about forty loaded barges and many empty ones, were carried off by the ice.

News and Notes.

C. A. Richardson of Fall River, Mass., successfully terminated a long walk in Exeter, at ten o'clock Saturday night. The conditions were fifty hours of continuous walking without rest. In the last hour he walked eight miles.

During a trotting carnival at Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Saturday afternoon, two trotting horses collided, and the shafts penetrated each horse's breast, killing both instantly. Loss $2500.

S. Morris and his child, eleven years of age, were burned to ashes with his cottage on Thursday night at Cranberry Park, N. J. His wife and another child were saved.

The greatest revival of religion ever known in Newpuryport is now in progress. Three weeks ago, Rev. Mr. Hammond, the Evangelist, commenced his labors there at the invitation of the Evangelical ministers. At first the effects were not apparent, nor the chief operator popular, but now no meeting house or hall is large enough to contain the audiences. The City Hall, which will accommodate 1500 people, and the Baptist Church, which will seat 600 people, are used simultaneously. Meetings are held morning, afternoon and evening, and the revival has extended to Newbury, Rawley and Amesbury. Mr. Hammond will continue there another week, laboring a portion of the time at Amesbury; thence he will probably leave for Washington, where he did a similar work last winter. All concede him to be a most wonderful man, and his power over the human mind seems greater than any man has ever displayed in Newburyport since the days of Whitefield.

Not long since an American Protestant chapel at Yen Ping Fu, China, was burned by fanatical Chinese. Complaint was made by the American consul, and the chapel was rebuilt, the incendiaries were punished, and the books and furniture destroyed were paid for. About the same time the Chinese quarter of Antioch, California, was burned by American fanatics. Complaint was made by the Chinese, but nothing has been done to punish the incendiaries, to rebuild the houses or to pay the losses incurred. There seems to be a wide difference between American and Chinese justice.

Steamer George Cromwell sailed from Halifax for St. Johns, N. F., on the 3d inst., and has not yet arrived. It is feared she is lost.

The trial of the suit of the owners of the American ship Harvest Queen against the White Star steamship Adriatic was commenced Friday, in the United States District Court in New York, before Judge Blatchford. The ship was run down and sunk off the Irish coast by the steamer on the night of Dec. 30, 1875. The ship, cargo, captain, officers and crew were lost. The amount claimed is $225,000. The trial will probably occupy two weeks.

Schooner "Annie B.," (well known as the vessel on board which the mate and a seaman were murdered off Deer Isle, Me., two years ago, by one of the crew, who was acquitted of the charge of murder because he was insane, and discharged from the Insane Asylum because he was sane,) left Boston Dec. 8th for Halifax, N. S., has not since been heard of, and is supposed to be lost with all hands.

Important testimony was given on Thursday before the coroner's jury now investigating the Ashtabula disaster. Joseph Tomlinson, in the employ of the Canadian Government as Superintendent of Lighthouses, testified that that he drew the plans for the Ashtabula bridge; he did not approve of a wrought iron Howe truss bridge over a long span; all the strain accumulates on the end braces. These braces in the Ashtabula bridge he considered weak and warned Mr. Stone of that fact. This warning, he says, made Mr. Stone angry and led to Tomlinson's resignation. He thinks if the braces had been made according to his pattern, of good material and placed in their proper positions, the bridge would have been perfectly safe.

The schooner Empress, of Rockland, Me., arrived there Saturday, having been blown off and lost a portion of her cargo. On the 9th inst. she took off the crew of the schooner Laura, of Searsport, and the Laura was abandoned.

The horse-distemper, or cerebro-spinal meningitis, has broken out in the horse-railway stables in Boston.

James Gordon Bennett, who has been concealed on board the *Herald* yacht for the past few days, boarded the City of Richmond, of the Inman line, bound for Liverpool, off Sandy Hook Saturday afternoon. The *World* says that Howland Robbins and Miss Jeanette Bennett accompanied Mr. Bennett to Europe.

In Boston, Sunday, a horse driven by Benjamin Hawes ran away, killed Mr. Augustus G. Hill, a man 73 years old, and then killed himself by running into a horse-car. Hawes and a companion named Fessenden were arrested.

Schooner Champion, from Prince Edward Island for Boston, has been abandoned at sea. Crew saved and carried to New York.

Maria Augier, 65 years of age, was burned to death by her clothes taking fire while she was lying drunk on a lounge in a house of indifferent reputation in Boston, Saturday forenoon.

The suit of Henry J. Boody vs. Samuel J. Tilden has been reopened, and set down for trial in February.

A rumor was current in New York on Monday that Bennett's antagonist, May, had died from a wound received in the duel.

Mr. J. H. Caxton, a resident agent of a New York and Boston house in Italy, has been compelled to fight a duel, in which he came off victorious. It seems, according to the report, that while a party of gentlemen of whom Messrs. Caxton and one Bernard Suscipi, a portrait painter of Rome, were two, sat dining in a fashionable cafe in Turin, Suscipi indulged in bitter sarcasms upon American politics. Caxton retorted in gentlemanly language and without losing his temper. At last Suscipi made certain comments upon the average virtue of American women, which instantly enraged Caxton, who sprang upon Suscipi, pulled him by the collar to the floor and felled him with a violent blow, at the same time bidding him crave the pardon of his (Caxton's) female relatives. Suscipi attempted to resist, but was again knocked down. Next day a challenge was sent. Tivoli was selected as the locality, and Suscipi received a painful but not serious wound in the right side.

Louisiana.

The following dispatch was sent to Gen. Auger, commanding U. S. forces at New Orleans, on Sunday night, by President Grant:

"It has been the policy of the Administration to take no part in the settlement of the question of the rightful government in the State of Louisiana, at least not until the Congressional Committees now there have made their report. But it is not proper to sit quietly by and see the State Government gradually taken possession of by one of the claimants for Gubernatorial honors by illegal means. The Supreme Court set up by Mr. Nicholls can receive no more recognition than any other equal number of lawyers convened on the call of any other citizen of the State. A Returning Board, existing in accordance with the law and having judicial as well as ministerial powers over the count of the votes and in declaring the result of the late election, have given certificates of election to the Legislature of the State, a legal quorum of which House, holding such certificates, met and declared Mr. Packard Governor. Should there be a necessity for the recognition of either, it must be Mr. Packard. You may furnish a copy of this to Mr. Packard and to Mr. Nicholls."

Political.

The Senate sub-committee of the Committee on Elections, sent to investigate the Presidential election in Florida, with Senator Sargent as Chairman, has returned. They have examined over 450 witnesses in Florida, and by holding sessions in Tallahassee, Jacksonville and Gainesville the witness fees paid have been less than $2000. The evidence taken shows that not only the republican national ticket, but also the republican State ticket was fairly elected, although in some districts the intimidation of the negroes reduced the republican votes. The returns cannot be so distorted by the democrats as to deprive Hayes and Wheeler of the vote of the State.

Pinchback, of Louisiana, having failed to secure his election as United States senator from the Packard Legislature, has turned "reformer" and joined the Nicholls party. Warmoth ditto.

The democratic leaders are not yet decided to call for the presence in Washington of "one hundred thousand democrats" on the 14th of February, "to see a fair count." They are not clear that it will have just the effect on the public mind—particularly in the way of terrifying the republican party—that it is designed and desired to have.

Frost, the ineligible Elector from Missouri, testified before the Senate committee on Saturday that he did not appear at the meeting of the College, but his place was filled by another. He produced a pardon signed by President Johnson removing his disabilities.

New Hampshire Items.

A fire in Plymouth, Sunday morning, damaged a building, owned by Mrs. J. F. Morton and occupied by Lyman C. Payne, tinsmith, and Wm. L. Horner, restaurant, to the amount of $300; fully insured.

The petition to Gov. Cheney for the pardon of Thomas Weir, who shot Caleb Dyer, the head of the Enfield Shakers, has been withdrawn, the Shakers themselves following the petition with a remonstrance.

Mrs. Salomi P. Sanborn, of Hill, an invalid lady 73 years old, entered a closet the door of which fastened with a spring lock, on Saturday morning, when all other members of the family were absent for the day. The door closed and held her a prisoner for nine hours, at the end of which time she was discovered by a man who heard groans while passing the house, and sought for the cause. She was insensible when found, and her limbs were frost-bitten, yet it is thought she will recover.

—Remember that one square meal is better than all the "Heaven pity the poor" poems ever written.

Disease Grows Apace,

Like an ill wind, and cannot be mastered too early. When is a trifling attack of sickness to-day may, if unattended to, become a serious case in a week. Small ailments should be nipped in the bud before they blossom into full blown maladies. If this advice were attended to, many a heavy bill for medical attendance might be avoided. When the liver is disordered, the stomach foul, the bowels obstructed, or the nerves disturbed, resort should at once be had to that supreme remedy, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a few doses of which will restore healthy action and put the system in perfect order. It is a wise precaution to keep this incomparable preventive in the house, since it checks, with unrivalled promptitude, disorders which breed others far more dangerous, and in their latest developments are themselves often fatal.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, the largest in the city, gives its guests the choice of rooms, and offers a reduction of rates on all its floors.

The Colonnade Hotel.

The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., sustained its well-merited reputation, and, if possible, earned greater, with its patrons, during the "Centennial Exhibition."

NO CHANGE OF CARS, no delay and vexation of transfer in New York, but a continuous ride, in the same car, from Boston to Richmond and Danville, are advantages which commend the N. Y. & N. E. Railroad to the hard-worked man of business as well as to the invalid or tourist seeking the summer skies of Florida and the South.

THE FAME OF GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP as a remedy for eruptions, sores, burns, pimples, blotches and rheumatic and gouty pains has spread far and wide. Physicians recommend it, and the demand for it constantly increases.

Important to persons visiting New York or the Centennial. The Grand Union Hotel, New York, opposite the Grand Central Depot, has over 350 elegantly furnished rooms. Elevator, steam and all improvements. European plan. Carriage hire is saved, as baggage is taken to and from the depot free. Guests can live better for less money at the Grand Union than at any other first-class hotel. Stages and cars pass the Hotel constantly to all parts of the city, and to the Philadelphia depot.
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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIALE is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 35 @ 38c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 290.
Corn per bushel, 60 @ 60c; Northern 75c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 34c.
Flour, Sup. per bll. 6 @ 7; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Land Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 49 @ 65c; New Orleans 90
Lamb per ℔, 10 @ 12 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 90 cents.
Pork per bll., $18 @ $20.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, .90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 11 @12c; Gr. 13; Crushed 13½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 80c.; Green, 60c. @ $1.
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	117
United States Ten-Forties cupon	113
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	113
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1873	111
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	51
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 78	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	66
Boston & Maine	96
Boston & Providence	130
Boston & Albany	127
Nashua & Lowell	83
Concord	78
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	47
Northern N. H.	64
Old Colony & Newport	103
P. S. & P.	65
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	

Lost,

ON FRIDAY afternoon, probably between the Post Office and Eastern depot (via Market and Deer streets) a heavy GOLD RING; Chinese inscription on outside, in blue enamel; date, initials and Latin inscription on inside. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving the same at this office, or with J. Albert Sanborn.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 25TH, a Dividend of 25 per cent. will be paid on all allowed claims against the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, to be paid at their Banking House in Market Street. Deposit Books must be presented by the person who made the deposit, or by the person in whose name the deposit stands; otherwise, an order for the Dividend, duly witnessed, must be brought with the book. Blanks for this order will be furnished.

EDWARD P. KIMBALL, Assignee,
Portsmouth, Jan. 15, 1877.

American and Swiss

WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

CLOCKS and JEWELRY.

—AT—

Messrs. C. E. & J. E. DIXON'S,
7 CONGRESS STREET.

Fine Watch Repairing and engraving.
Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

WHAT HAS LONG BEEN NEEDED!

PEOPLE'S
BAKERY and DINING SALOON.

JOHN MCIVER,
No. 62 DANIEL STREET,

Has just opened a new Restaurant in connection with his Bakery, and all can now be promptly supplied with well-cooked food of all kinds served at the Restaurant or sent home free of charge. 2aw

N. H. REGISTER
AND
Business Directory for 1877.

Containing besides the usual matter in almanacs and diaries, a complete list of all State, County and Town Officers; of all the professional and business men in the State; of all Institutions, Corporations, Schools, Companies, etc., etc.; a list of all acts passed by the last Legislature; the Constitution of N. H. as it is; a map and many other matters too numerous to mention, the whole for

25 CENTS.

For Sale by
JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

STEPHEN D. SCRIGGINS
Has removed his
PAINT SHOP
FROM No. 18 FLEET STREET to No. 7 VAUGHAN STREET, opposite the American Stable, and having larger and better accommodation for
Carriage Work,
Would solicit a continuance of patronage.

JAMES M. CARR,
DEALER IN
BOOTS & SHOES
No. 34 MARKET STREET,
(Formerly HILL & CARR,)

Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*

All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

John Malsbenden,
MERCHANT TAILOR,

Keeps on hand a good assortment of seasonable goods for Gentlemen's wear, which will be made up in the latest style, or as ordered.

CLOTHES WILL ALSO BE
Altered, Cleansed or Repaired
SATISFACTORILY.

DONT FORGET THE PLACE!
Under Frankin Hall - - - Fleet St.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK
— OF —
Fall & Winter
GOODS
— AT —
No. 8 MARKET SQ:
WM. P. WALKER
having received a full assortment of
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
Cloths, Cassimeres etc.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

WINTER
SUITINGS
IS UNEQUALLED!

Particular attention paid to the making of

ARMY & NAVY REGULATION UNIFORMS.

ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Constantly on hand, consisting of
SHIRTS,
GLOVES,
BOSOMS,
COLLARS
DRAWERS,
SUSPENDERS,
LINEN GOODS,
HANDKERCHIEFS
Of Every Description.

CITY DRUG STORE.

H. W. BRIANT,
PHARMACIST,
Cor. Market & Daniel Streets.

Prescriptions compounded with all possible care and of the purest materials.

The special attention of the Medical Faculty is directed to the Elixirs and other non-official pharmaceutical preparations manufactured on the premises, which the Proprietor guarantees of full strength, and equal in point of manufacture to any in the market.

An inspection of the above respectfully solicited
A FULL LINE OF ALL SUCH ARTICLES
as may be found in
A First-Class Drug Store,
may always be found at his establishment.

THE
DOMESTIC FLUTER
Patented October 31, 1876.

For fluting pillow-shams, cambric dresses, skirts, aprons, and all garments trimmed with ruffles; also making fluting of woolen goods for dress-trimmings. This fluter is pronounced by competent judges to be the simplest and most desirable; safe to use in regard to heat, and no fear of cutting the material.

ISAIAH WILSON, AGENT
For Portsmouth and vicinity.

SKATES! SKATES!

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NEW YORK CLUB or RINK
DOUBLE CLAMP CLUB
ACME CLUB
STRAPPED CLUB
ROCKER & HALF ROCKER
ALSO A FULL LINE OF LADIES'

ISAIAH WILSON;
37 CONGRESS STREET.

Amusements.

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET.
Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

For Rent.

ONE-HALF HOUSE No. 11 Washington Street.
nov17 Apply at House.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 58 State street, for one or two families. Also tenement No. 30 Deer St.
Apply to J. C. CARR.

House to Let.

NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises. oct18

To Let.

A HOUSE on Melcher Street, near Pleasant. Ten rooms, water in house; rent low to one or two tenants. tf Apply at 34 PLEASANT ST.

Office Rooms To Let.

THE TWO FRONT ROOMS over the Rockingham National Bank. Apply at the Bank.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Whipple, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $100 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon, and stone ready for House cellar.

Also, a few large and choice NORWAY SPRUCE Trees, for Fall setting. Apply to
FRANK W. MILLER.

House Lots for Sale.

AGREEABLY to a vote of the City Councils, the Building Lots recently laid out on Woodbury, Sullivan, Thornton, Whipple, Stark, Bartlett, Dennett, Burkitt and Crock Streets, near the City Farm, by the City of Portsmouth, are now offered for sale on favorable terms. For further information apply at the office of the City Clerk, where a plan of the Lots with the prices affixed, may be seen.
JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor.

Lost.

ON SATURDAY, Jan. 6th, either on Cabot or Islington street, a POCKET-BOOK containing a small sum of money and a few cards with the owner's name. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at this office.

Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER gives notice that he has been duly appointed Executor of the will of LEWIS REDER, late of Portsmouth, in the County of Rockingham, deceased, testate. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.
Dated Portsmouth, January 9, 1877.
WM. P. WALKER.

WOOD AND COAL
AT REDUCED PRICES.
C. E. WALKER & CO.,
4 Water Street and 117 Market Street.
Orders left at N. K. Walker & Son's Hat and Fur Store promptly filled.

GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS
and also a full line of
LINEN COLLARS,
FOR SALE CHEAP AT
J. E. HAM & CO'S, 27 Market Street.

HAROLD,
Tennyson's New Poem.

"THE BARTON EXPERIMENT,"
By the Author of "Helen's Babies."

The Illustrated London Almanac.
DAY BOOKS, JOURNALS, LEDGERS and DIARIES
FOR SALE AT
Goodrich's Bookstore
CITY BUILDING, - - MARKET SQUARE.

NOTICE--W. T. L.

THE WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE LEAGUE will hold its meetings at the headquarters of the Reform Club in Badger's Block on Daniel street until further notice.
G. E. RANDALL, *Secretary.*

LOOK!

We have on hand a few part pieces of
ELYSIAN BEAVER,
equally suitable for Gentlemen's Overcoats or Ladies' Cloaks, which we will close out at a great discount.

We mean what we say.
Call and see them.

BOW STREET, No. 3,
(New Number.)
C. E. MYERS & CO

OVERCOATS.

WE have on hand a few CUSTOM-MADE OVERCOATS, which we shall sell *cheap for cash.*
J. E. HAM & CO.

ODIORNE GENEALOGY,

THE GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF THE ODIORNE FAMILY, an octavo volume of 22 pages, will be forwarded by mail to applicants on the receipt of $2.10. A few copies only of the edition are left. Address,
JAMES C. ODIORNE,
1aw 3t.p2 Framingham, Mass.

30th Annual
CHRISTMAS NOTICE, 1876

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON,
Has just received his usual assortment of Christmas Stores, viz.:
CRANBERRIES, PRUNES,
CURRANTS, DATES,
RAISINS, NAPLES NUTS,
LONDON LAYER, do. CHESTNUTS,
SEEDLESS, do. ALMONDS,
FLAVORING EXT., BISCUIT,
SHELLBARKS, CITRON,
ASSORTED NUTS, FIGS,
SWEET HERBS, SPICES
PICKLES, SAUCES, KETCHUPS, PRESERVES, etc., etc., etc.
LaFayette Laighton.

PULMOCINE.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P.M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 5.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.30 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The selectmen of Ward Two have drawn the following persons as jurors, for the Supreme Judical Court which commences at Exeter to-day: Frank W Miller, Frank E. Dearborn, Albert W. Parsons, Nathan Tarlton.

In the usual place for such announcements will be found a notice of the death of the oldest lady in the city, Mrs. Elizabeth Pritchard, who died on Sunday at the age of ninety-six years and four months. She was present at the dedication of Langdon Park in May last, and planted a tree with her own hands. She has two children, nine grandchildren and twenty great-grandchildren living. She was greatly beloved by all who knew her.

The following is the number of persons now at the almshouse: Paupers 22, convicts 2, boarders 8, male help 1, female help 2, superintendent's family 3; total 38.

Miss Emma Molloy, of Indiana, gave a most interesting address before the Reform Club on Sunday evening, in Franklin Hall, which was filled with an attentive audience. President Janvrin of the Reform Club presided.

Mr. Winslow A. Noweli, a Portsmouth boy, was unanimously nominated by the republicans of the State Assembly of Wisconsin for the position of Chief Clerk of that body, and was elected by a vote of sixty-one to thirty-nine. Mr. Nowell evidently has the confidence of the people among whom he has cast his lot in life. Though a strong republican, he has been more than once chosen to the position of Secretary of the Board of Public Works of Milwaukee, (where he resides,) when the Board was strongly democratic; and the press of his adopted city and State spoke in most flattering terms of his services and worth, in urging the Assembly to elect him as its Chief Clerk.

At a regular meeting of Fraternity Lodge, I. O. O. F., of South Newmarket, the following officers were installed by D. D. Grand Master Henry E. Perry, for the current term: N. G., H. Jenness Paul; V. G., Joseph Huse; Sec., Henry E. Perry; Treas., Samuel P. Badger; Con., Samuel P. Chase; War., D. F. Davis; O. G., G. S. Littlefield; I. G., J. S. Clark; R. S. N. G., W. H. Ruodlett; L. S. N. G., E. A. Locke; R. S. V. G., N. G. Howard; L. S. V. G., G. W. Pease; R. S. S., H. B. Andrews; L. S. S., J. W. Robinson; Chap., E. G. Hill.

THE RAILROAD WAR.

We have already chronicled the fact that Edward A. Abbott of Concord has been appointed receiver of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, on petition of the road. The *Times* explains this by saying:

"The Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire has brought a bill in equity against the Eastern Railroad Company, seeking to set aside the lease of the New Hampshire road on the ground that the Eastern Railroad had no legal right to lease a road outside of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts; that the insolvency of the Massachusetts corporation prevents the terms of the lease being complied with; that the capital and debt of the Eastern Railroad have been immensely increased since the lease was made, by the expenditure of large sums in speculations by the Eastern Railroad, building unprofitable branches, purchasing real estate at extravagant prices, etc. It is claimed that as the Eastern Railroad is insolvent a receiver may be appointed by the company to take possession of the road, with power to make contracts, etc., for its use. The bill will open the question as to the validity of the Eastern Railroad lease of the New Hampshire road, and from the former decisions of the Supreme Court of this State in a case where similar questions were decided, it is expected that the Eastern Railroad will be decreed to pay for the use of the New Hampshire road or set apart some of its income for its rental, as the directors of the latter contend that it is by no fault of the New Hampshire road that the earnings of the line have been perverted in unwarrantable outlays, over which they had no control, and in the expenditures of which they had no voice. Ex-Chief Justice Sargent and Samuel C. Eastman, Esq., of Concord are counsel for the New Hampshire road. The suit is before the Supreme Court in Rockingham county, and possibly may be removed by the defendants to the United States Circuit Court. A writ of foreign attachment has been served upon the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad and other corporations."

The Dover *Democrat* sees the iniquitous Boston & Maine Railroad at the bottom of it all, with a scheme to again get absolute control of the Dover carrying business. It says:

"And now there is considerable talk because the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire is reported to have gone into the hands of a receiver. If the report be true, there is nothing to frighten anybody who may feel interested in the securities, in the form of stock, held by the city of Dover in the Portsmouth & Dover road. It is safe to say that no receiver eor court or any other authority can vitiate the deliberately made and carefully written contract between the Portsmouth & Dover road and the Eastern in New Hampshire. We do not understand that any such thing is proposed or contemplated by anybody connected with the Eastern. It is said, however, that the stockholders of the Eastern in New Hampshire would like to have the lease of their road to the Eastern in Massachusetts set aside, because they get no dividends under the present lease, and they allege that the lease has been repeatedly violated by the Massachusetts Company, and is or should be declared void on that account. They hope, probably, to get better terms under a new contract. But however this may be, the lease with the Portsmouth & Dover cannot be affected. The Eastern in New Hampshire and Massachusetts both, are bound to make the stipulations of that lease good, no matter whose hands they may fall into. These miserable attempts to get up frequent scares have their purpose, and generally originate with a rival corporation. Probably the Boston & Maine would like to lease, or contract for the running of the Portsmouth & Dover and the Eastern in New Hampshire both, and thus break up the competition which has been so beneficial to Dover. This is possibly the bottom plan of this movement for a receiver. But it will be a long day before this competing line of transportation will be swallowed up in that way. Every interest worth consulting or weighing is opposed to it and will oppose it to the bitter end."

Autographical Collections.

Governor Cheney has received at the State house from Mrs. C. F. Deihm of New York, the centennial autograph and photograph albums, some account of which may be familiar to our readers. Accompanying the volumes was a letter soliciting the autographs of the State officials and distinguished and prominent men of the State, and they are to be sent to other States for a like purpose. Photograph albums, two in number, one of which is to be locked in a safe and not to be opened till 1976, and the other to be preserved by Mrs. Deihm, are very ponderous but elegant volumes, bound in Russia leather, appropriately inscribed upon the covers, and contain 1500 pages. Written in the albums are the names of the president, cabinet officers, members of the senate and house, and government officials at Washington, besides the names of many of the distinguished men of the country. Whoever records his name in it is entitled to the space below his name, so that when these books are opened in Memorial Hall in 1976, whoever bears his name, and is a lineal descendant, can record his name below his honored ancestor of one hundred years before. Included in a safe with the above described book will be albums to contain the photographs, with signatures, of the leading parties connected with the Centennial, also, the leading men of our country; a Presidential album, to contain the photographs, with the signatures, of all the Presidents and Vice Presidents of the United States from 1876 to 1976; also an album to contain the Judges of the Supreme Court, Cabinet officers, President of the Senate, or President pro tem., and Speaker of the House; also, every twelve years, the six oldest Senators and six oldest Members in service; an album to receive the autographs of Foreign Ministers and visitors from all foreign countries, to be deposited in the safe with the other books, and the solid gold and silver inkstands and pens, which are of the most elegant and costly description. One of the pens was presented by the poet Longfellow. The memorial articles will be placed in the safe, probably in the spring, by President Grant and other distinguished officials. Hon. Peter Cooper will then close one door and William Cullen Bryant the other. The enterprise is one of considerable magnitude, curious and interesting, and will unquestionably be successful. The articles mentioned can be seen at the office of the Secretary of State. *Patriot.*

—M. Garnier, the architect, says: "If ever I should build a penitentiary, I would make a facade so dismal that it should be less sad to be in the building than to look at the outside of it."

—The untutored Indian is rapidly adapting himself to our civilization. A Wisconsin squaw blew herself higher than a kite last Monday, by simply filling a kerosene lamp while it was lighted.—*Hawkeye.*

An Honest Physician,

solicitous for the welfare of his patrons, would have them obtain all the knowledge they can respecting their systems and the diseases to which they are incident, fully conscious how much easier is his task of treating patients is when they are well informed in those matters pertaining to health and disease. Good nursing plays such an important part in effecting cures, and is so little understood by the masses, that hundreds of the best physicians have aided in the circulation of "The People's Medical Adviser" to disseminate its admirable teachings on the care of the sick. Nor do sensible people appreciate this popular work less because its author does not advise every man to attempt, under all circumstances, to be his own physician. The sale, so soon after its first publication, of nearly one hundred thousand copies of this work, only serves to create increased demand for it, and never before has it sold so rapidly as of late. It has been enlarged to over nine hundred pages, illustrated by two hundred and eighty-two engravings and colored plates, elegantly bound in cloth and gilt, and will be sent post-paid, on receipt of one dollar and fifty cents. Address the Author and Publisher, R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.

DIED.

PRITCHARD. In this city, Sunday, Jan. 14th, Mrs. Elizabeth Pritchard, aged 96 years and 4 months.

☞ Funeral at her late residence (with John H. Wells) on Islington street, on Wednesday at 2 o'clock P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

JENNESS. In this city, Sunday, Jan. 14th, Isabel Eleanore Jenness, eldest daughter of J. Horace and Caroline S. Jenness, aged 5 years and 11 months.

DAVIS. In this city, Aug. 15, at the residence of his son, No. 7 Cass street, Mr. Clement M. Davis, of Durham, aged 81 years, 4 months.

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—There is an ink famine in Cincinnati, and the editors have filled their horns with oil of vitriol. The *Commercial* has offered to take the sheriff's printing for less than he wishes to pay the *Enquirer*. Whereupon the *Enquirer* intimates that Mr. Halstead is "a consummate liar," "a conscienceless, unprincipled, low-lived, beefy, cringing, fawning, merchantable self-seeker," "a man without a friend," "a filthy blackguard," "a mangy dog," "a poor, infirm, weak, and despised old man," and "a thief." The *Commercial* playfully retorts that "it is melancholy to behold a corn-fed child of nature losing the fine curvatures of youth while still in the twenties." The *Gazette* comes to the rescue of the young proprietor of the *Enquirer*, by remarking that Mr. Halstead has found "what he has not before encountered, one who will come down to his level in personal journalism, and use his own weapons upon him." The newspaper readers of Cincinnati are getting their money's worth nowadays and are saved the trouble of buying a police or sporting paper on Sunday.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

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Another serial, "His Inheritance," by Miss Tout, you will begin on the completion of "That Lass o' Lowrie's," by Mrs. Hodgson Burnett. Mrs. Burnett's story, begun in August, has a pathos and dramatic power which have been a surprise to the public.

There is to be a series of original illustrated papers of "Popular Science," by Mrs. Herrick, each paper complete in itself.

There are to be, from various pens, papers on

"HOME LIFE AND TRAVEL,"

Also, practical suggestions as to town and country life, village improvements, etc., by well-known specialists.

Mr. Barnard's articles on various industries of Great Britain include the history of "Cooke's Experiments in Co-operation," "A Scottish Leaf Factory," in the November number, and "Toad Lane, Rochdale," in December. Other papers are, "The British Workingman's Home," "A Nation of Shopkeepers," "Ha'penny a Week for the Child," etc.

A newly illustrated series will be given on "American Sports by Flood and Field," by various writers, and each is a different sport. The subject of

"HOUSEHOLD AND HOME DECORATION"

will have a prominent place, while the latest productions of American humorists will appear from month to month. The list of shorter stories, biographical and other sketches, etc., is a long one.

The editorial department will continue to employ the ablest pens both at home and abroad. There will be a series of letters on literary matters, from London, by Mr. Welford.

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The First Steam Whistle on the Missouri.

The story of the first steam-whistle on the Missouri is amusing. Its introduction dates back to 1844. At that time the settlers on the Missouri River were in the habit of making regular yearly visits to St. Louis to do their trading for themselves and friends. They were not provided with daily intercourse with the outside world, and many who lived back from the river seldom, if ever, saw a steamboat more than once a year. It happened that during the fall of 1844 the new steamboat Lexington started up the Missouri River loaded down to the guards with freight. Among the passengers were Judge Joseph C. Ranson, now of this city; Theodore Warner, of Lexington; Ben Holliday, afterward the famous overland stage proprietor; Col. Pomeroy, of Lexington, and a planter of Platte County, named George Yocum.

The steamer Lexington was provided with a steam whistle—the first used on the Missouri River—and as it happened no one knew about it except Warner, who was a wag and a lover of a joke. The night after leaving St. Louis the passengers were collected together playing cards (for fun) in the cabin, when the talk turned upon steam boat explosions, then very common.

"I feel perfectly safe on this boat," said Warner, as he dealt the cards.

"Why?" inquired Yocum, the planter.

"Why," echoed the rest of the company.

"I will tell you why," said the wag, carefully studying his cards. "This boat is provided with a new patent safety-valve, which notifies the passengers on board when it is about to blow up. It is a concern which makes a most unearthly noise, and when you hear it it is time to get back aft or jump overboard."

Notwithstanding the fact that Warner told his story with the most solemn and earnest countenance, some were skeptical. Not so however with the planter. Next morning when the Lexington was steaming up the long, straight stretch of river just below Washington, Mo., the passengers were at breakfast. The meal had been called, and all were busily engaged in doing justice to the kind of meals they were accustomed to serve on steamboats in those days. Suddenly the whistle commenced to blow, the first time on the trip. The passengers looked at each other a moment, and horror and dismay spread itself over their faces. The first man to realize the situation and act was Yocum, the planter, who, with hair erect and blanched face, jumped up, crying as he pulled over one after another of the passengers:

"Run, run for your lives; the d——d thing's going to bust. Follow me and let's save ourselves."

Of course there was a stampede for the rear of the boat, and it was only by the exertions of some of the crew that the more excited were restrained from jumping into the river.—*Kansas City Times.*

A Good Word for Young Bennett.

Whatever may be the result of this affair I do not care, for right is generally sure to get the advantage in the end; but I notice with pain the inclination or desire (so prevalent in the American breast) to kick a man the moment the shadow of trouble falls over him, and it is so in the case of Bennett. It is said he is a coward. Is it the act of a coward to sail the yacht Henrietta, a mere chip upon the ocean, across the Atlantic in midwinter—a feat the like of which was never attempted before nor accomplished since? They say he is an idler. Can anybody accomplish what he has accomplished—the mastery of seamanship, the knowledge of all the languages of Europe, an understanding of the politics of the world, and especially of his own country—can a man do all this and more that I may mention and be an idler? They say also that Bennett is a selfish, thoughtless fellow, who pays no attention to his paper and cares nothing for his employes. Has he not during the past five years spent more than two hundred thousand dollars and accomplished more than the whole world beside, in the explorations of Africa, the discovery of Livingston and the fixing of geographical boundaries? Has he not pensioned at full pay scarcely less than a half-dozen of his father's old collaborators who have become too old to be of use in the office? Has any servant of the paper become sick that he has not been relieved by his generosity? To my own knowledge he has given leave of absence, with full pay and allowances, to two or three *Herald* workers, with permission to be absent a year or more, and a present of some hundreds of dollars besides. When he is at home he devotes as much time to his paper as any editor in New York, and when he is out of the country he is in constant communication with his editors by telegraph. That he takes exercise and improves his muscles and digestion by polo and other sports ought not to be urged against him. Would it not be well for young men to follow his example? although I don't think it absolutely essential for young men to get drunk and get themselves thrashed by young May. —*Washington Letter to Cincinnati Commercial.*

Lessons in Political Economy.

The Toronto *Mail*, of recent date, gives its readers a lesson in the elements of a political economy, by asking a few pertinent questions: Will some free trader kindly

tell us how it comes that the United States are able to monopolize the supply of small arms and small arm machinery to Russia, Germany, Turkey, Egypt and Greece, although the cost of material and labor is cheaper in free trade England? Also, how it comes that thousands of our people leave this free trade country every year to work in the work-shops and factories of a country that has been "suiciding" with a protective tariff ever since 1861? Also, how it is that American furniture manufacturers, who buy their material in this country, are able to undersell our furniture men? "Also, how it comes that under a killing protective system iron furnaces increase and multiply, while under a beneficent free trade policy our iron and coal deposits remain sealed? Also, how it comes that American cutlery is driving Sheffield out of the English market? Also, how it comes that American-made linens are seriously interfering with the sale of the products of Belfast, American-made woollens with the trade of Leeds, and American-made cotton fabrics with the staples of Lancashire? Also, how it comes that 40,000,000 of people, as sharp in business as we are, and just as well able to distinguish between what is beneficial and hurtful, persevere in their protective policy, although they have ever before them the evidence of free traders that they are rapidly going to ruin?

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17, 1877.

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REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

Congressional—District No. 1—At City Hall, Dover, Wednesday, January 17th, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Councillor—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Friday, Jan. 19, at 11 A. M.

Senatorial—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Tuesday, Jan 30, at 11 A. M.

Timely Aid to Mariners.

The aid which the United States revenue steamer Gallatin rendered the schooner R. C. Thomas, Captain Thorndike, of Rockland, Me., off Wellfleet last week, no doubt saved the lives of six seamen. The schooner found anchorage there during the heavy snow storm of Monday week, and became ice-bound with others. When the Gallatin cut through to her assistance four of the sailors were suffering terribly from frost-bite, their hands and feet having burst open. The men had worked as long as they could stand up, and the bloody hawser and ropes told how hard they had striven to escape what seemed impending death. They were surrounded for miles by a composit of ice and snow seven feet thick—impossible for them to cut through or walk over, and they had only half a barrel of flour on board in the way of provisions. When relieved they had been in the ice eight days, and their sufferings were terrible. The Gallatin's officers furnished temporary medical assistance, supplied them with provisions and towed the vessel to Provincetown. The men are now in the hospital and will probably be spared the loss of their limbs. No doubt the assistance rendered by the cutter saved the lives of the men.

The Gallatin arrived at Boston Saturday night, and sailed again Tuesday morning. During her last cruise she saved from loss property valued at about $100,000. The Secretary of the Treasury in his report spoke of the importance of Congress being liberal with the revenue marine, and such acts as the above, which are frequently found on the logs of the northern cruisers, show how invaluable this government service is to the merchant marine.

News and Notes.

A considerable quantity of wreckage has been washed ashore on the coast of Devonshire, England, in the neighborhood of Plymouth, and it is believed, from the discovery of the name of George Green painted on certain portions of it, that the vessel in question was the American ship George Green, built in 1849 at Medford, Mass., and which hails from Boston, her owner being Mr. C. B. Green.

The Atlantic cable of 1866 has broken, the break being located about thirty miles from Heart's Content, Newfoundland.

Manager Orton, of the Western Union Telegraph Company, is still in charge of the Sergeant-at-arms of the House, for contempt.

Mrs. Frances L. Stockman has been awarded $4500 by a jury, in a suit against the city of Boston for damages sustained by a fall occasioned by a hole in a sidewalk.

Cy Curtis, alias Billy McCue, and Scott Lord, State Prison birds, made a daring attempt to escape from the police station in Saco, Me., Sunday night. Officer Adams allowed them to step into the corridor to warm themselves, when Curtis grabbed a pan of ashes and threw it into the officer's face, blinding him. They were about to rifle the officer's pockets for the keys, when another officer entered, covered them both with a revolver, and put them in a cell. Both had been sentenced, and were awaiting the arrival of warden Rice.

The light-house at Hooper's Straits, Eastern shore of Chesapeake Bay, Maryland, has been destroyed by the ice.

Political.

Mr. Nichols has now 10,000 well armed and thoroughly disciplined men in New Orleans "to see a fair count," including regiments from Texas, Alabama and Mississippi. They are revived regiments of the late rebel army. "Gen." Ogden, Nicholls' commander-in-chief, says "If a drop of blood is shed every radical in Louisiana shall be wiped out, and I believe the only mistake is that they were not disposed of before." Gen. Auger has about 1200 men under his command. The chief judge of Nicholl's supreme court is given as authority for the statement that Nicholls on Saturday telegraphed to Washington that the electoral vote of the State would not be interfered with.

The New York *Tribune* says a "still hunt" with a barrel of money for ammunition does great execution, but it is sure to leave a bad-smelling trail behind it. The nearer that $8,000 check is traced to Gov. Tilden's pocket the less interest do the democratic editors take in the subject. They are so indifferent to it that they forget to print the news even; but they are more than ever convinced that Chandler is an awful rascal, that Morton is a monster of trickery, and that Hayes is the deluded victim of the most horrible conspiracy against the people's will ever concocted in a free republic. It is an impressive spectacle.

The *Evening Democrat*, of New Orleans, earnestly advocates the murder of Gov. Packard by the democrats.

The democrats of the Massachusetts Legislature on Monday evening nominated Judge Josiah G. Abbott as a candidate for United States Senator.

Looking back at the experience of the past two months, candid Southerners must see that they have made a great mistake. They had a decent administration in South Carolina under Gov. Chamberlain, and for the first time since the war the affairs of the State were managed with common honesty. At the beginning of the campaign the Conservatives seemed disposed to support Gov. Chamberlain for re-election. If they had kept to their first sensible purpose the success of this reform candidate would not only have advanced the immediate prosperity of South Carolina, but encouraged respectability and honesty in every part of the South. Taught, however, that the National exigencies of the party called for a strictly democratic ticket, they suddenly turned upon the man whom they had formerly praised, and to strike him down they clasped hands with some of the worst of the corruptionists whose enmity he had earned. What is the result? South Carolina is on the verge of anarchy; Governor Chamberlain, who was trying to do well, is thrown back into the arms of the carpet-bag adventurers; and Southern republicans receive notice that respectability will not pay.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

On Tuesday Hon. James G. Blaine was elected United States Senator from Maine for the short term, which ends March 4, 1877, and the long term, which ends March 4, 1883. The vote in the Senate stood—James G. Blaine, republican, 26; William P. Haines, democrat, 2; absent 3. The vote in the House stood—James G. Blaine, 113; William P. Haines, 31; absent 6.

The Massachusetts Senate and House balloted for United States Senator on Tuesday. Boutwell led in the Senate and House, but there was no choice. In the Senate Boutwell had 17 to Hoar's 12, with 11 for Rice and Abbott. In the House Boutwell had 79, Hoar 76, Abbott 63, and 25 scattering.

New Hampshire Items.

An important case has been on trial in the Supreme Court at Keene, before Judge Foster, wherein Willard G. Jones of Rindge, who was the owner of a pew in the Congregational Church, was the plaintiff. Certain improvements were made, after which the plaintiff claimed a pew in the original location, but was ejected by force. He had refused to sell his pew at a Committee's appraisal and a lawful tender was made. He brought a suit for his seat and nominal damages for being deprived of his sanctuary privileges. The Judge ordered a verdict for the defendants. It is understood that the case goes to a higher Court on law questions.

The dwelling of Abel Daley, Jr., of Groton, was burned Sunday night, with its contents. Loss $800; insurance $500.

Mr. Whittier, who was lost in the snow near Munsonville, has not been found as reported.

The dwelling house of E. G. Varrell at Lake Village was burned Monday night. Loss $900; fully insured.

A school house was burned at East Swanzey Tuesday morning. The fire is supposed to have caught from the chimney. Loss $3000; insured for $2500.

The dwelling house of Benjamin F. Martin in Bennington, was burned Sunday morning, with most of the contents. Loss $1200; insured.

—Ole Bull hates the music of Wagner and the future.

—Russian war vessels in the Caspian are hereafter to use petroleum instead of coal. Experiments with the new fuel have proved so satisfactory that within a few weeks the furnaces of seven vessels have been altered to suit the material.

—The following item of Yale College news appeared in the New Haven *Palladium*:—"Professor Marsh will deliver his celebrated lecture on the evolution theory to the Senior Class to-morrow morning, at 11:30. The class regrets very much that quite a number will be unable to attend on account of the Colombia foot-ball game."

—We owe that popular musical composition, "Tommy, make room for your uncle," to our English cousins, who have a facility for striking a lower comique plane than we can reach unassisted. It seems that it is now pushed out of favor by "You get more like your dad every day," a song which is on all London lips. Other English songs which contest the popularity of this are: "The jolly Jeremiahs," "I wouldn't be a Hemperor," "He isn't a marrying man," and "I'll strike you with a feather," which never fails to knock down the house.

How Our Lives are Endangered.

It is the duty of the press to warn the public of possible dangers. The flaming theatre is not the only horror imminent. Having access to certain tables of casualties through the courtesy of a famous statistician, we find the following enumerations:

Since 1840 1,000 people in the United States have met their deaths through bursting blood vessels by immoderate laughter.

Allowing 500 for the number destroyed in 1811 by the burning of the Richmond Theatre, the recent Brooklyn and other minor casualties, we find the danger in sixty-five years from laughing at comedy and farce to be twice as great as that by fire or panic. It seems conducive to the public safety, therefore, that managers put only serious dramas on the stage.

At least this would seem so were it not for the appalling fact that 2,000 people have died in sixty-five years from hypochrondria superinduced by witnessing such plays as "Hamlet," "The Robbers," and "Lear." Therefore, the danger from witnessing the melancholy drama is four times greater than that from fire or panic.

Following these tables further, we find that in sixty-five years 4000 women have been choked by swallowing pins held in the mouth. Either the manufacture of pins should be discouraged or women should be taught not to make pin-cushions of their mouths, for the danger from this source is ten times greater than by going to the theatre.

The following are the risks for sixty-five years:

Careless handling of firearms	35,000
Swallowing oxalic acid by mistake	10,000
Wearing thin shoes	1,000,000
Cut in halves in saw-mills (The danger of attending saw mills is then ten times greater than going to the theatre.)	6,000
Swallowing rotgut	25,000,000
Disappointed affections (better go to the theatre every day in the year than take the chances to life of falling in love.)	11,000,000
By falling from windows	10,000
Struck by lightning	7,500
Killed by overturned coaches	3,000
Found dead in bed	11,500
(Beware of a bed. It is twenty times more dangerous than the theatre.)	
Killed by slipping on orange peel	5,000
By drinking ice-water in hot weather (Ice-water is 800 times more dangerous than the theatre.)	40,000
Sewed to death on shirts	100,000
Chewed up by impudent familiarities with menagerie tigers and elephants	500
Fell down shafts	4,500
Blown up shafts	3,000
Colds and pneumonia developed in cold and damp churches (Hence it will be seen that the cold church is 150,000 times more dangerous than the hot theatre.)—*N. Y. Graphic.*	7,500,000

—If the wicked stand on slippery places they do more than the average good man can do.

—"Hullou, Bill, how's your mate Jack!" "Oh, 'e's dead, poor old Jack is, through catchin' a cold a sweepin' up the snow." "Poor chap! hi am sorry. Ah well, 'e won't 'ave to sweep up no snow where's 'e's gone to."

—A school committee man in Carroll County recently brought charges against one of the local teachers, the specifications of which are as follows: "1, Immoirality; 2, Parshality; 3, Keeping disordiy school; 4, Carrying unlafie weeping." The man who wrote this charge intends to keep the "school" himself next session.

—A drunkard asked a Detroit police captain if he "knew the f-feller who said that f-freezin' to death was simply a b-beautiful dream?" "I think his name was Shakespeare," replied the official. "W-well, C-captin', after I get t-thoroughly t-thawed out, will you let me see this Mis'r Shakespeare for about t-ten seconds!"

—An embryo politician, scarcely four years of age, residing in Third street, was visited by a physician a few days since, who prescribed for him, remarking that he was "a pretty sick boy." The little fellow turned to the man of physic and said: "Hi don't 'ant t' die et; hi 'ant t' know who's 'lected first." The doctor gave it up and the boy still lives.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

—"Oh, you say this gentleman was about fifty-five," said Canning to a pert young woman in the witness-box; "and I suppose now you consider yourself to be a pretty good judge of people's age, eh? Ah, just so. Well, now, how old should you take me to be?" "Judging by your appearance, sir," replied the witness, "I should take you to be about sixty; by your question I should suppose you were about sixteen."

—An Alabama paper says the well-to-do privates of the late war take great comfort in seeing the fiery generals, colonels and majors of other days now selling peanuts, drawing beer or in other ways making a humble living. It is safe to say that a majority of the Southern general officers are to-day pensioners of some sort on friends, corporations or stock companies. It is the heart, and not the shoulder strap that makes the hero.—*N. O. Repub.*

—An elderly woman sat beside her cake, fruit and shellfish stall at a corner of McGill street, in the city of Montreal. A small boy purloined a lobster. Running with it half concealed, he was stopped and taken to the woman. She was urged to have him arrested and punished. "No," she replied, "I will not. The good Lord above knows he is some one's poor boy; I know not who he is. But if the child will promise not to steal again, I'll give him the lobster and two apples besides. What may not a poor boy do if the hunger be on him?" That humble widow presented the Boy's Home at Montreal annual Christmas gifts of apples, nuts and confections. In 1870 she died. The pen which writes to-day wrote then, as a note-book just consulted bears evidence:—"Mrs. D——y belonged to the Roman Catholic Church, but her religion was the highest, widest and deepest of all Catholicity—the religion of charity and mercy. It was taught her by terrible events, and simplified in practice by a soft, womanly refinement."—*Toronto Globe.*

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Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	125¾
Nashua & Lowell	85
Concord	78
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	151
Michigan Central	47
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	102¼
P. S. & P.	25
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

Lost,

ON FRIDAY afternoon, probably between the Post Office and Eastern depot (via Market and Deer streets) a gentleman's heavy GOLD RING; Chinese inscription on outside, in blue enamel; date, initials and Latin inscription on inside. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving the same at this office, or with J. Albert Sanborn.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 25TH, a Dividend of 25 per cent. will be paid on all allowed claims against the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, to be paid at their Banking House in Market Street. Deposit Books must be presented by the person who made the deposit, or by the person in whose name the deposit stands; otherwise, an order for the Dividend, duly witnessed, must be brought with the book. Blanks for this order will be furnished.

EDWARD P. KIMBALL, Assignee,

Portsmouth, Jan. 13, 1877.

American and Swiss

WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

CLOCKS and JEWELRY.

—AT—

Messrs. C. E. & J. E. DIXON'S,

7 CONGRESS STREET.

Fine Watch Repairing and engraving.
Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

WHAT HAS LONG BEEN NEEDED!

PEOPLE'S

BAKERY and DINING SALOON.

JOHN McIVER,

No. 62 DANIEL STREET,

Has just opened a new Restaurant in connection with his Bakery, and all can now be promptly supplied with well-cooked food of all kinds served at the Restaurant or sent home free of charge. 2aw

N. H. REGISTER

AND

Business Directory for 1877.

Containing besides the usual matter in almanacs and diaries, a complete list of all State, County and Town Officers; of all the professional and business men in the State; of all Institutions, Corporations, Schools, Companies, etc., etc.; a list of all acts passed by the last Legislature; the Constitution of N. H. as it is; a map and many other matters too numerous to mention, the whole for

25 CENTS.

For Sale by

JOSEPH H. FOSTER,

STEPHEN D. SCRIGGINS

Has removed his

PAINT SHOP

FROM No. 15 FLEET STREET to No. 7 VAUGHAN STREET, opposite the American Stable, and having larger and better accommodation for

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Would solicit a continuance of patronage.

JAMES M. CARR,

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BOOTS & SHOES

No. 34 MARKET STREET,

(Formerly HILL & CARR,)

Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*

☞ All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

John Malsbenden,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

Keeps on hand a good assortment of seasonable goods for Gentlemen's wear, which will be made up in the latest style, or as ordered.

CLOTHES WILL ALSO BE

Altered, Cleansed or Repaired

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Under Franklin Hall - - - Fleet St.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

— OF —

Fall & Winter

GOODS

— AT —

No. 8 MARKET SQ.

WM. P. WALKER

having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

Cloths, Cassimeres etc.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

WINTER

SUITINGS

IS UNEQUALLED!

☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

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ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Constantly on hand, consisting of

SHIRTS,
GLOVES,
BOSOMS,
COLLARS
DRAWERS,
SUSPENDERS,
LINEN GOODS,
HANDKERCHIEFS

Of Every Description.

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H. W. BRIANT,

PHARMACIST,

Cor. Market & Daniel Streets.

Prescriptions compounded with all possible care, and of the purest materials.

The special attention of the Medical Faculty is directed to the Elixirs and other non-official pharmaceutical preparations manufactured on the premises, which the Proprietor guarantees of full strength, and equal in point of manufacture to any in the market.

An inspection of the above respectfully solicited

A FULL LINE OF ALL SUCH ARTICLES

as may be found in

A First-Class Drug Store,

may always be found at his establishment.

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Patented October 31, 1876.

For fluting pillow-shams, cambric dresses, skirts, aprons, and all garments trimmed with ruffles; also making fluting of woolen goods for dress-trimmings. This fluter is pronounced by competent judges to be the simplest and most desirable; safe to use in regard to heat, and no fear of cutting the material.

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NEW YORK CLUB OR RINK
DOUBLE CLAMP CLUB
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ROCKER & HALF ROCKER
ALSO A FULL LINE OF LADIES'

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Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET.
Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

For Rent.

ONE-HALF HOUSE No. 11 Washington Street. nov17 Apply at House.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 58 State street, for one or two families. Also tenement No. 38 Deer St.
Apply to J. C. CARR.

House to Let.

NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises. oct12

To Let.

A HOUSE on Melcher Street, near Pleasant. Ten rooms, water in house; rent low to one or two tenants. If Apply at 34 PLEASANT ST.

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THE TWO FRONT ROOMS over the Rockingham National Bank. Apply at the Bank.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.

Also, a few large and choice NORWAY SPRUCE Trees, for Fall setting. Apply to

FRANK W. MILLER.

House Lots for Sale.

AGREEABLY to a vote of the City Council, the Building Lots recently laid out on Woodbury, Sullivan, Thornton, Whipple, Stark, Hartlett, Dennett, Burkitt and Creek Streets, near the City Farm, by the City of Portsmouth, are now offered for sale on favorable terms. For further information apply at the office of the City Clerk, where a plan of the Lots with the prices affixed, may be seen.

JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor.

Lost.

ON SATURDAY, Jan. 6th, either on Cabot or Islington street, a POCKET-BOOK containing a small sum of money and a few cards with the owner's name. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at this office.

Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER gives notice that he has been duly appointed Executor of the will of LEWIS BRUCE, late of Portsmouth, in the County of Rockingham, deceased, testate. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.

Dated Portsmouth, January 9, 1877.

WM. P. WALKER.

WOOD AND COAL

AT REDUCED PRICES.

C. E. WALKER & CO.,

4 Water Street and 117 Market Street.

Orders left at N. K. Walker & Son's Hat and Fur Store promptly filled.

GENTLEMEN'S NIGHT SHIRTS

and also a full line of

LINEN COLLARS,

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Tennyson's New Poem.

"THE BARTON EXPERIMENT,"

By the Author of "Helen's Babies."

The Illustrated London Almanac.

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FOR SALE AT

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CITY BUILDING, - - MARKET SQUARE.

NOTICE--W. T. L.

THE WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE LEAGUE will hold its meetings at the headquarters of the Ferra Club in Badger's Block on Daniel street, until further notice.

G. E. RANDALL, *Secretary.*

LOOK!

We have on hand a few part pieces of

ELYSIAN BEAVER,

equally suitable for Gentlemen's Overcoats or Ladies' Cloaks, which we will close out at a great discount.

☞ We mean what we say.

☞ Call and see them.

BOW STREET, No. 3,

(New Number.)

C. E. MYERS & CO.

OVERCOATS.

WE have on hand a few CUSTOM-MADE OVERCOATS, which we shall sell *cheap for cash.*

J. E. HAM & CO.

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THE GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF THE ODIORNE FAMILY, an octavo volume of 225 pages, will be forwarded by mail to applicants on the receipt of $2.0. A few copies only of the edition are left. Address,

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30th Annual

CHRISTMAS NOTICE, 1876.

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON,

Has just received his usual assortment of Christmas Stores, viz.:

CRANBERRIES, PRUNES,
CURRANTS, DATES,
RAISINS, NAPLES NUTS,
LONDON LAYER, do. CHESTNUTS,
SEEDLESS, do. ALMONDS,
FLAVORING EXT., BISCUIT,
SHELLBARKS, CITRON,
ASSORTED NUTS, FIGS,
SWEET HERBS, SPICES,
PICKLES, SAUCES, KETCHUPS, PRESERVES, etc., etc., etc.

LaFayette Laighton.

PULMOCINE.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40	A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P.M
" Way,	10.40	"	4.45 "
Portland	8.45	"	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	8.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	8.45	"	4.45 "
Great Falls	8.45	"	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	8.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	"	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 8.45	"	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10	A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,			10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,			11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.			11.20 "
Concord and North,			10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,			10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Wanted at this office, a copy of the N. H. GAZETTE of April 6, 1876, to complete files.

Schooner General Taylor, before wrecked on Odiorne's point, was owned by the master, Capt. Jesse A. Thurlow, and others, and was uninsured. She was twenty-two tons burden, and was built in 1848. Capt. Thurlow had $500 insurance on the cargo; and Mr. John E. Plummer of Newburyport, who had on board dried fish to the value of $1000, had $800 insurance. The schooner's cargo consisted entirely of dried fish and frozen herring, she not having had on board any potatoes as reported.

Our contributor, "A," in his communication headed "An eagle assassinated" (in answer to a previous article under the same heading in our columns, speaking disrespectfully of the gunner who shot an eagle on Three-tree island,) showed that the "assassinated" bird could not be one of the two that have for many years had their winter quarters on Peirce's island, questioned if there *were* any such two eagles, and asserted that so far from being rare birds, as is commonly supposed, bald-headed eagles are very numerous. We have since been informed by others that they have been seen in unusual numbers this winter at Dover Point, on Gerrish's island and around Little Harbor and the adjacent creeks; and a Kittery acquaintance assures us that three of these birds—one venerable, white-headed old fellow, and two younger ones with brown heads on them—have spent a portion of almost every day for a month past in a group of lofty elms near his house.

Judge Batchelder held court on Tuesday, when a lady named Jessie West was brought up on a charge of drunkenness, having been found lying helpless beside the curbstone, and unable to give an intelligible account of how she came there. The Court considered the slippery condition of the sidewalks a rather lame explanation of the affair, and fined the unlucky lady $8, costs $6.90.

Under the heading "Beware of them," the Manchester *Union* says: "For the past two or three months two fellows, named respectively Augustus J. Rogers and Herbert Weare, with their wives, and representing themselves as sewing machine agents, have been going about the city and sponging people of their board. Wherever they take up their quarters they inform the people that they draw their pay only once a month, and after the expiration of the time stated they will take up their quarters elsewhere, leaving their bills unsettled. This game has been played on three boarding-houses in this city, and those running such establishments had better beware of these fellows." We copy the *Union's* warning by special request of a friend, who says the parties referred to are now in this city.

On Tuesday morning, about six o'clock, as two young women and a boy were going up State street on their way to the factory, where they work, when near the head of Washington street they were attacked by a man who caught hold of the boy and threw him down, and then seized one of the young women. The woman broke away from him, and she and her female companion ran from the place with all speed, screaming "murder," the outcry soon bringing men to the spot, though too late to catch the rascal. What the fellow's motive was is not clear; he is said to have had a knife in his hand when he assaulted the party, but we do not learn that he attempted to injure any of them with it. It may have been only the freak of a drunken man, but six o'clock in the morning is rather early for a man to be so far advanced on a new drunk as to act that way, and rather late for him to be able to act so on the tail end of an old drunk; he was sober enough to save his hide by running off before help arrived, anyway.

Mr Samuel Hamilton, of Rockland, Me., a deaf mute, is in this city soliciting subscriptions in aid of the New England Industrial Home for Deaf Mutes, being fully accredited to receive the same by the General Agent, Mr. William B. Swett of Marblehead, Mass.

The First District Republican Congressional Convention meets at the City Hall, Dover, at eleven o'clock this (Wednesday) forenoon.

A few days ago the crew of the schooner Mary E. Caswell caught a seal off Jaffrey's Point, weighing over 150 pounds, and brought it into this port.

A few evenings since, while our oldest lawyer was celebrating his golden wedding, our wealthiest physician said to Mr. and Mrs. Hackett: "You are a young-looking couple to be celebrating your golden wedding. How can you explain this?" "In the same way," said Mr. Hackett, "that I can explain how you came to be rich before you became old—you have kept about as clear of the lawyers as we have of the doctors."

Schooner Paragon, Shute, from Charleston, S. C., for this port Dec. 22d, arrived at Vineyard Haven on the 14th inst., having encountered violent gales during the entire passage. On the 1st, in a hurricane, lost part of deck load, and the vessel sprung a leak, at one time having six feet of water in the hold; also lost boat and split sails; was ten days without getting an observation.

The Republican County Convention for Rockingham County was held at Exeter on Tuesday. Mr. Newton Johnston of this city was nominated for County Commissioner.

The police on Tuesday arrested four marines for being deserters from their post, and returned them to the barracks at the navy yard.

The snow seriously interferes with the running of railroad trains pretty much and through the northern half of the Union. In the interior of this State the blockade has been heavy, but the Eastern Railroad seems to get along quite as well as any. The Pullman train from the eastward was somewhat late, Tuesday morning, but no absolute stoppages are reported.

The delegates from this section of Rockingham County to the democratic county convention to be held at Newton to-day (Wednesday), will present the name of Col. Edwin A. Peterson of Greenland, as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer.

—The body-servant of Washington is nearly all dead.

—The Colorado House of Representatives has a woman for engrossing clerk. She engrosses the attention of the members.

—To Indianapolis belongs the honor of having invented a comb which can also be used as a stove-handle and a tack-hammer.

—The New Englanders who settled in Kansas have not only made that commonwealth a sound republican State, but have endowed it with exceptional facilities for common school education in the shape of three thousand public school-houses, built at a cost of $2,250,000, and supported by a State School Fund of $2,300,000.

—A story is told of a stalwart New Yorker who was fond of dressing in the extreme of style, that during the war he wanted to enlist, and presented himself to the examining surgeon. Much to his surprise the surgeon said he could not receive a certificate. In great wrath and disappointment he demanded the reason; "I have no objection to telling you," said the doctor. "If you enlisted I'm sure you would always be found foremost in the fight. Being foremost in the fight, wearing that wonderful shirt collar, you would continually give rise to grave embarrassments and misunderstandings, for the enemy would be sure to take you for a flag of truce."

—A Newport lady was shocked one morning by a ragged urchin's oaths, and raising the window offered him a quarter if he would stop swearing and go away. He departed without saying a word. The next morning there was a detachment of men and boys under her window, and blasphemy was varied with extortionate demands for a subsidy. The Providence *Journal* preaches a sensible sermon from this little text. "Give work to the able-bodied," it says: "give food and shelter to the sick; give sympathy to the distressed and consolation to the afflicted; but beware how you give alms to the lazy." The public cannot be cautioned too often against setting a premium upon vagrancy through indiscriminate charity. The eyes should be opened before the pocket-book.

—A few days ago, a policeman in Sacramento met a Chinaman who evidently had been roughly used by some one, as his nose was bleeding freely and his clothes were covered with dirt. The officer inquired, "What's the matter, John?" and received answer, "Heap dam Irishman. He hittee me down, so, you sabbee; he lun way. My nose catchee heap sick." As the assailant had evidently got out of sight, the officer kept on talking with the celestial, who proceeded to unbosom himself as follows: "Melican man and Chinaman no likee catchee fight; Hishman heap likee fight; sposem take two tousan Hishman and two tousand Chinaman, too, put 'em on bench, stip 'em, everybody catchee knife, palps hatchet, Hishman lick Chinaman, Chinaman all go backee China; Chinaman lick Hishman, all Hishman go backee where he come flom. Sabbe? I think pletty good."

—A correspondent of a Chicago paper gives the following account of Col. Robert G. Ingersoll's capture by Gen. Forrest: "Ingersoll was reconnoitering with a small detachment and came upon a nest of sharpshooters greatly outnumbering them. The first indication of danger was that Ingersoll noticed a butternut drawing a bead on him. With the readiness that has saved him from defeat in many a lawsuit, he cried out: 'What do you want to shoot me for? I've been wanting to acknowledge your old Confederacy for the last two seconds.' The fellow appreciated the joke. Of course he didn't shoot. The squad was led to headquarters. The joke soon circulated through the camp, and the rebs would flock about the prison tent, curious to catch a glimpse of 'that Yank.' Forrest treated him very kindly, and when he was exchanged returned to Ingersoll his horse, with a note addressed to 'the man who saved his life by a joke in the face of death.'"

DIED.

PRITCHARD. In this city, Sunday, Jan. 16th, Mrs. Elizabeth Pritchard, aged 90 years and 4 months.

☞ Funeral at her late residence (with John H. Wells) on Islington street, on Wednesday at 2 o'clock P. M. Relatives and friends invited.

FURBISH. In Eliot, Me., Jan. 14, Mary Furbish, aged 93 years, 6 months, 5 days.

MELOON. In Newcastle, Jan. 15, Miss Mary W. Meloon, aged 18 years, 12 days.

ALLARD. In this city, Jan. 7, Clifton Allard, son of Mr. Isaiah Allard, aged 13 years and 9 months.

ACHORN. In this city, Jan. 16, Adell G. Achorn, only child of Mr. J. B. Achorn, of Portland, Me., formerly of this city.

SMITH. In South Newmarket, Jan. 6, Daniel R. Smith, Esq., aged 89 years, 7 months and 7 days.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch Wingaer Sheck, Perkins, for this port from Hoboken, arr at Vineyard Haven Jan 14.

A REMEDY FOR

HARD TIMES.

On and after January 1, 1877, the Subscriber will sell at the following rates:

FRESH PORK RIBS, 10 cts. per lb.

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PORTSMOUTH SAUSAGES, 10 cts.

" SUGAR-CURED HAMS, 15 cts.

Warranted better than any Western Hams.

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INSURANCE AGENT,

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Assets, ... $3,167,547

LIVERPOOL and LONDON and GLOBE,
U. S. Office, New York.
Assets, (Gold) $28,425,160

PHŒNIX,
Of Hartford, Connecticut.
Assets, ... $1,906,161

QUEEN,
Of Liverpool and London, U. S. Office, N. Y.
Assets, (Gold) $10,560,000

ORIENT,
Of Hartford, Connecticut.
Assets, ... $766,622

SPRINGFIELD, FIRE & MARINE,
Springfield, Mass.,
Assets, ... $1,390,965

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COMBINED,
Assets, (Gold) $25,000,000

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LIFE & ACCIDENT.
Of Hartford, Conn.
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LIFE.
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THE Regular Meetings of the Portsmouth Board of Trade are the FIRST and THIRD TUESDAYS of each Month. The next Regular Meeting will be held on *Tuesday, January 16*, when business of importance will come up.

F. W. MILLER, Secretary.
WILLIAM H. SISE, President.

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From their peculiar construction of the GLASSES and FRAMES are UNRIVALLED for

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Yours truly, GEORGE DRAPER.

BOSTON, January 1, 1877. 3tawtian178

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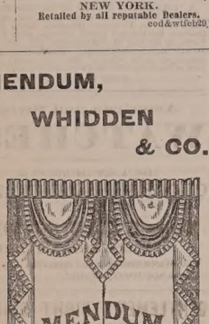

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Senator Logan is the most uneasy speaker in the Senate. He rarely speaks from his seat, but prefers to walk to the center aisle where he can face the chair and talk to its occupant. As he warms up he advances from the aisle, and when very impassioned, he generally manages to make his way to the space in front of the President's desk, where he indulges in his favorite gesture, which consists of shaking his forefinger in a very deliberate manner. On such an occasion he is very interesting, because he is both earnest and vigorous. He is as well listened to as any other member of the Senate.

Mr. Merrimon, of North Carolina, is another Senator who talks a great deal on almost every subject that comes up. Sometimes he interests, but more frequently his long harangues drive the other members to the cloak room. He is unquestionably a fair minded man although an extremely prejudiced one.

Mr. Bogy, of Missouri, is ambitious in the oratorical line, and always chips in when a constitutional question comes up. He is extremely tiresome, and can clear the floor more expeditiously than any other member. Nothing delights him more than to make copious quotations bearing on the subject upon which he happens to be speaking.

Mr. Dawes, of Massachusetts, is very halting in his speech, and conveys the idea to persons unfamiliar with his style that he is not quite sure of what he is going to say. But such an impression would be an erroneous one, as he never speaks until he is ready and has something to say, which is generally to the point.

Senator Davis, of West Virginia, is mainly conspicuous for the constant fire of questions he keeps up, indicating him to be the possessor of a very suspicious temperament. His hearing is not the best, and he imagines that something may be concealed beneath everything that he does not understand at the first blush.—*Washington Nation.*

Lessons in Politeness.

According to the author of *La Politeness Francaise*, a work recently published in Paris, a gentleman, when he gives his hand to a friend, must press his friend's hand but not shake it. If he is about to shake hands with a peasant, he must present his hand ungloved, or the peasant will consider himself insulted. If he is about to shake hands with a lady, he must keep his gloves on. When he offers to conduct a lady to the piano, he must, in taking her hand, half close his own. In dancing with a lady, he must "not permit himself" to squeeze her hand; and he must, if he wishes to show himself a true gentleman—or, at least, "unveritable gentleman"—spend 18,000 francs, or $3,500, a year on his gloves. A gentleman who spent this much a year on his gloves, of various kinds and colors, would probably, if only for the sake of consistency, treat himself every day to at least one new hat. All, however, that we are told on the subject is that a gentleman's hat should always be "bright and brilliant." A gentleman never altogether separates himself from his hat, though it is not etiquette to wear it in a room. In the street, on meeting an equal of his own sex, he takes it off for a moment. On meeting a lady, or superior of his own sex, he remains uncovered until he is told to put his hat on. Do not eat in the street, do not smoke a pipe in the street, do not smoke a cigar in the street, if you are walking with a lady—"not even if you happen to be this lady's husband." It seems odd to tell a gentleman who is supposed to spend $3,500 a year on his gloves not to smoke a pipe in the street, but we have reproduced

this caution as we find it. When you bow, bow properly, but not so deep that your vertebral column will make a right angle with your legs. If an officer in uniform salutes you, do not make yourself ridiculous by returning his salute in military fashion. A lawyer will not only think you silly, but will be greatly irritated if, visiting him on a matter of business, you ask him how he is, inquire after the health of his wife, express a hope that the children are all well, and so on. This sort of talk should be reserved for friends whose time is not valuable or who have no right to charge for it.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 1877.

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REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

Councillor—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Friday, Jan. 19, at 11 A. M.

Senatorial—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Tuesday, Jan. 30, at 11 A. M.

Too Thin.

Col. Pelton, Tilden's nephew and private secretary, and manager of his "Literary Bureau" for furnishing original political editorials to the democratic press, tells a very queer story about that transmission of money from Tilden headquarters to Oregon, to buy an electoral vote, and endeavors to make out that Tilden not only knew nothing about the matter but was frightfully and virtuously indignant when he learned of it—Pelton and one or more members of the National Democratic Committee being entirely responsible for the whole transaction. People who believe that Samuel J. Tilden, chairman of the Democratic State Committee of New York, was ignorant of the intended ballot-box frauds the famous circular signed with his name enabled the Tammany gang to carry out, will possibly believe he was ignorant of the attempt of Pelton and the National Democratic Committee to buy the Oregon vote; but the general verdict must be, even among the democrats, that the story is "too thin."

Republican Congressional Conventions.

The Republican Congressional Convention for the First District met in Dover on Wednesday. Many delegates and friends of the various candidates arrived in Dover on Tuesday night, crowding the hotels; and skilled makers-up of political probabilities considered the outlook favorable for the nomination of Gen. Gilman Marston on the first or second ballot, with Hon. John J. Morrill of Gilford very near him, and Hon. Alonzo Nute of Farmington not distanced; other candidates previously mentioned were regarded as practically out of the race.

The Convention was called to order by Col. Daniel Hall, of the State Committee, who introduced Hon. Samuel M. Wheeler of Dover as Chairman of the Convention. Mr. Wheeler made a brief, patriotic speech on taking the chair, alluding to the present National exigency, and saying he feared republican defeat at Washington only from lack of republican firmness and steadfastness; and regarding New Hampshire as the chief battle-ground of the republic in the coming balloting, and the First Congressional District as the vital section of the State—urged harmony and effort on every member of the Convention, to overcome the combined powers of rum, money and bunkerism. The first ballot resulted as follows:

Whole number of votes	257
Necessary for a choice	129
Samuel M. Wheeler had	1
C. H. Parker	5
J. G. Hall	7
J. H. Ela	9
A. F. Nute	18
John J. Morrill	80
Gilman Marston	137

And Hon. GILMAN MARSTON of Exeter was declared to be nominated, and on being sent for entered the hall and accepted the nomination in a brief but earnest address.

The Second District Republican Congressional Convention at Concord, Wednesday, nominated Hon. James F. Briggs, of Manchester.

Democratic State Convention.

The Democratic State Convention was held in Concord on the 17th, organizing with the following officers: President, J. S. H. Frink, Greenland; Secretaries, James O. Lyford, Canterbury, James H. Henderson, Dover, John B. Mills, Manchester; Vice-Presidents, one from each county.

It was given out among the delegates assembled in Concord the night before the Convention, that the rumor so industriously spread abroad that Hon. Daniel Marcy had written a letter declining to accept a second nomination for Governor was baseless, and many delegates seemed to think Mr. Marcy had been misrepresented in the interests of the "young democracy." It was considered certain that Mr. Marcy would be nominated unless he withdrew; in the latter contingency there were plenty of democratic patriots ready to be sacrificed on the altar of their country, among them being Frank A. McKean of Nashua, Warren F. Daniells of Franklin, and Horatio Colony of Keene.

Harry Bingham proposed the name of Daniel Marcy. John G. Sinclair proposed Frank A. McKean. A ballot was taken, with the following result:

Whole number of votes	524
Necessary for a choice	263
Scattering	12
Frank A. McKean	127
Daniel Marcy	385

And Daniel Marcy was declared the nominee of the Convention.

Albert Jackson, of Manchester, moved the nomination by acclamation of Thos. J. Dinsmore, of Alstead, for Railroad Commissioner.

The Massachusetts Senatorship.

The Massachusetts Legislature balloted in Convention for United States Senator, Wednesday. Two ballots were taken, but no choice was effected. The first ballot stood:

Whole number	275
Necessary for a choice	138
Hoar	95
Boutwell	93
Abbott	61
Rice	17
Seelye	4
Bullock	4
Sanford	1

A second ballot resulted as follows:

Whole number of votes	276
Necessary for a choice	139
Boutwell	93
Hoar	95
Abbott	62
Rice	17
Seelye	4
Bullock	4
Sanford	1

The Convention then adjourned to noon of Thursday.

Portland's Railroad Investments.

The Portland & Rochester Railroad is in a bad financial condition. A few years ago, by a vote of the people of Portland, the City Council loaned the road $450,000, taking a first mortgage on the road. Some time after the road wished to negotiate another loan, but found it impossible to do so on a second mortgage. Consequently some of the officers went before the City Council and persuaded them to make the city responsible for the additional bonds issued, the road promising to pay the interest and put a certain sum into a sinking fund. They have done neither. After Mayor Fessenden came into office, being of a practical turn of mind, he began looking into these matters, and came to the conclusion that the City Council had no right to vote an additional loan, after the citizens had expressly voted that the city loan should be $450,000 and no more. And it is on this ground that a bill in equity was filed praying for the appointment of a receiver for the road, the hearing being set for Wednesday, Jan. 17, at Saco.

The Portland & Ogdensburg Railroad is even more largely indebted to the city of Portland than is the Portland & Rochester, and has likewise failed to pay the interest on its bonds. Some time since a Commission was appointed to make a thorough examination of the affairs of the two roads, and they have been at work on the Ogdensburg road for some time. They have an expert, who is going to the very bottom, and the report will soon be given to the public. What its tenor will be is not known although there are rumors that some startling facts will be presented.

News and Notes.

On Thursday last the lighthouse in Hooper's Straits, which served as a beacon at the entrance of Tangier Sound, and for the navigation of Pocomoke River, was carried out on the Chesapeake about four miles, with the crew on board. The boats belonging were caught by the fallen house, which remained afloat on the ice, and at the last advices it was west-northwest of its proper location, where there is about seven fathoms of water. The ice is still keeping it afloat, and no assistance could be given the lightkeepers from the shore.—*Baltimore Sun, 15th.*

M. Max Outrey has been appointed Minister of France to the United States.

By the explosion of a boiler attached to a threshing machine on the farm of Albion Bradbury, at Bloomington, Hennepin county, Minn., John D. Layman, Lucius Layman (his son,) and George Bradbury, were instantly killed.

Jack Kehoe, bodymaster and head chief of the Mollie Maguires, who has been on trial at Pottsville, Penn., for the murder of Langdon, was found guilty of murder in the first degree, the jury being out two hours. This is the third prisoner convicted of this crime, Dougherty and Campbell having been convicted of murder in the second degree a few weeks ago. Langdon was a ticket boss at Honeybrook colliery, and incurred the enmity of some of his employes because he had docked them for not preparing their coal well. The murder was committed in 1872, and three weeks before the death of Langdon, John Kehoe, then a miner, told him he would be killed for this docking. On the 14th of June of that year, while Langdon was making arrangements for a Sunday gathering to celebrate the nation's birth, he was followed by Kehoe and his followers, who insulted, threatened and spit upon the flag. That night Langdon was foully struck down and beaten so badly that he died in a few hours.

Dwight G. Parker, of Portland, has brought a suit against the *Press* publishing company of that city, to recover $25,000 damages for injuries received by falling through an unguarded elevator-way in the *Press* building some time ago.

Advices from General Miles, under date of December 21, state that he has just returned from a successful campaign against Sitting Bull and other hostile chiefs. His command numbered 439 men; they marched over 600 miles in forty-five days and defeated Sitting Bull in three engagements, driving him back to the Yellowstone River. General Miles was compelled to return for supplies, but will start out at once in pursuit of the fugitive chief. Sitting Bull's force numbered over 2000 lodges and over 1000 well armed warriors, but was completely routed. There is but little doubt of his capture or surrender at an early day. Most of his lodges and a large number of his ponies were captured, and all his robes and provisions destroyed. The cold was intense and the sufferings of the troops were severe. It is rumored that Sitting Bull has departed for the British possessions, where he always obtained rifles and ammunition.

Steamer Perit, from St. John, N. B., for New York, went ashore on Cape Cod on the 17th, and started leaking badly.

Rear Admiral Joseph Smith, U. S. N., died on Wednesday, at the age of eighty-seven years. He was the oldest officer in the navy.

Capt. Humphrey, of the ship George F. Manson, of Bath, Me., reports a collision at sea with the steamship Ambassador of Liverpool. The latter was sunk. Capt. Humphrey returned to Bombay, where he was exonerated from blame by the courts. The extent of damages to the ship is not stated. She was on the passage from Bombay to Akyab.

Political.

Hon. William Windom was re-elected United States Senator from Minnesota on the 16th.

The Illinois Legislature on the 16th unsuccessfully balloted for a United States Senator to succeed Hon. John A. Logan. The vote stood—Logan 97, Palmer 89, Davis 7, Anderson 7, Washburn 1, Blank 1.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer*, the leading democratic organ of the West, stigmatizes the republican Cincinnati *Times* as "a newspaper devoted to the destruction of the democratic party and *the perpetuation of the Common School System.*" And in another issue the *Enquirer* says: "If the *Times* is strengthened and encouraged by the flow of democratic patronage this year, we may expect a vigorous campaign *in behalf of the Public Schools* next year." It is not often a democratic paper will acknowledge the fact that the democratic party is squarely opposed to the common school system.

Hon. T. W. Ferry was re-elected to the United States Senate from Michigan on the 16th.

One of the democratic Congressmen sent to Louisiana to assist in casting the electoral vote of that State for Tilden, comes back with a statement that his committee could not find a single instance in which republicans had been intimidated by democrats! That's the kind of a committee-man the reformers appreciate. He will no doubt be ready to swear that the colored republicans in the parishes which two years ago gave republican majorities by the thousand but this year threw not a single republican vote, stayed away from the polls on purpose to give the peaceable democrats a bad name, and for no other reason.

David Dudley Field, boss lawyer for Boss Tweed and the Tammany Ring, having been sent to Congress by Tilden to look after his interests there, and placed on the proper committee for that purpose by the democratic Speaker, Salary-grab Randall, has been endeavoring to get at the true inwardness of the dispatches sent to Florida and the other "disputed States" by Hon. Zach. Chandler, who has been before the democratic committee to give evidence. Having got all the dispatches they could (and more than they wished) they found that all the telegrams sent indicated a firm belief that the republicans had honestly carried those States and that Hewitt, Tilden & Co. would make a determined effort to defraud Gov. Hayes of the vote of one or more of them, and urged the republicans to stand firm for their rights, and neither allow themselves to be bullied or swindled by the "reformers." Mr. Chandler's belief in the republican victories and his suspicions of Tilden and Hewitt are to-day shared by a large majority of the honest men of the country.

—Cronin has a very large nose, and it is out of joint.

—Job's turkey was too poor to boil,

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Butter, per ℔ 35 @ 38c.
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Fish per ℔ by the qll. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
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Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., Ft. Cuba 40 @ 65c; New Orleans 50
Lamb per ℔, 10 @ 12 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 35 @ 50 cents.
Pork per bll., $18 @ $20.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, .90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Dr. 11 @ 12c; Gr. 12; Crushed 12½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 90c.; Green, 90c. @ $1.
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	106½
U. S. Sixes 1881. coupon	114
United States Ten-Forties coupon	113½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109½
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	51½
Portsm. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	68½
Boston & Maine	99½
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	125½
Nashua & Lowell	85
Concord	102½
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	47
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	102½
P. S. & P.	55
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

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CLARENCE O. WALKER, C. of R.

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January 16, 1877.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 25TH, a Dividend of 25 per cent. will be paid on all allowed claims against the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, to be paid at their Banking House in Market Street. Deposit Books must be presented by the person who made the deposit, or by the person in whose name the deposit stands; otherwise, an order for the Dividend, duly witnessed, must be brought with the book. Blanks for this order will be furnished.

EDWARD P. KIMBALL, Assignee,

Portsmouth, Jan. 13, 1877.

N. H. REGISTER AND Business Directory for 1877.

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SWEET HERBS, SPICES,
PICKLES, SAUCES, KETCHUPS, PRESERVES
etc., etc., etc.

LaFayette Laighton.

PULMOCINE.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West.	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.30 " 6.30 "	
Dover,	10.30 " 5.50 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box in the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Haverly's Minstrels are to give an entertainment in Franklin Hall on Wednesday evening, Jan. 24th.

Hon. J. S. H. Frink, of Greenland, was chosen President of the Democratic State Convention at Concord, on Wednesday.

Greenough & Co., of Boston, propose publishing a new directory of this city early in the summer, the renumbering of the buildings rendering this necessary.

Orders having been received at the navy yard to fit the Enterprise for sea immediately, some seventy-five men were "required" on Tuesday, and work was commenced Wednesday morning.

Mr. Henry M. Clark on Tuesday made 645 lbs. of sausages in three hours and ten minutes, at his steam sausage works.

Advertising is what does the business. A gentleman advertised "a ring lost" in the CHRONICLE, and his ad. had only had one insertion when he found the missing ring in the pocket of his "other coat." Advertise—it is the life of trade.

We have received from the publishing house of Roberts Brothers, another volume by Rev. James Martineau, LLD., entitled "*Hours of Thought on Sacred Things*," being a collection of sermons delivered by this eminent English divine, and like all his former works, furnishing food for thought to every careful reader.

At a church sociable in the vestry of the Methodist church in Seabrook, recently, a young physician and his youthful lady-love presented themselves as candidates for the holy order of matrimony, and the nuptial knot was then and there tied to the great edification of the assembled multitude.

The *Milford Enterprise and Wilton Journal*, Milford's bright and readable local paper, comes to us this week with its columns lengthened and a seventh column added to each page. We are glad to note this evidence of the prosperity of the *Enterprise*, for it shows that the people in and around Milford appreciate their lively and enterprising local sheet as it deserves. It is a fearlessly republican paper, yet is far from being bitterly partisan, and is generally moderate in tone in whatever it may be discussing; but it can speak very positively on occasion, as the following comment on the Bennett-May duel will show: "Both parties have become unpleasantly notorious, the 'code of honor,' we suppose has been satisfied, but we feel that it would have been a blessed dispensation had some of the fates directed a ball to the heart of each contestant so that two less fools might be numbered on the face of the earth."

A queer divorce case has recently been decided by the Supreme Judicial Court in session at Saco, Me. A young man residing at Kittery Point, in February, 1876, came to this city with a fourteen-years-old girl of the same place, and the pair were married (the girl's relations knowing nothing of it) and immediately started for home. The girl stopped for the night at the house of a friend on the road, leaving her husband to go home alone; and next day the bride, having repented her haste, informed her guardian of the affair and a suit for divorce was commenced, and has just resulted in the pair being unmarried.

On Wednesday morning, by request, the CHRONICLE copied from the Manchester *Union* an item regarding two "beats" named Augustus J. Rogers and Herbert Weare, who with their wives have been swindling the boarding house keepers in Manchester by pretending to be sewing machine agents getting their pay but once a month, and then decamping before the month was out. Our item included a statement that the precious quartette were in this city. Our information was correct, for they had been for a week stopping at the Franklin House on Vaughan street, and when the landlord on Wednesday sought to collect the amount due him they incontinently departed, leaving their baggage in his hands. How much the aforesaid baggage will bring at auction we have not heard.

The Improved Order of Red Men have a grand powow "on the sleep of the 18th Sun, Cold Moon, G. S. D. 386, at the 7th Run, 50th Breadth"—which means at half-past seven o'clock this evening. Members are requested to read the advertisement.

The Woman's Temperance League have elected the following officers for the ensuing year; President, Mrs. B. F. Thorndike; Vice Presidents, Mrs. A. W. Haven, Mrs. James Sanborn; Recording Secretary, Miss C. E. Randall; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Sarah Yeaton; Treasurer, Mrs. John A. Goss; Trustees, Mrs. Joseph A. Grace, Mrs. Joseph M. Edmonds, Mrs. Andrew J. Beck.

Mr. Wm. A. Loyne, the volunteer missionary, acknowledges receipt of two barrels of crackers from some charitable friend of the poor, for distribution among the needy. It affords rare sport to send a liberal donation to the destitute and then listen to the guesses as to where the gift came from. Try it.

Number One, Volume One, of the *Greenland Gem*, a semi-monthly "independent amateur paper" published in Greenland at twenty cents for three months' subscription, and edited by Ernest Holmes, was issued on the 15th inst. It is very well printed and contains fewer errors than the first issues of amateur papers usually do.

NORTH HAMPTON.

The following is a list of the deaths in North Hampton during the year 1876.

Jan. 15, Moses Shaw, aged 54 years.

Jan. 19, Etta Knowles, aged 17 years and 6 months.

Jan. 29, Almena Breed, aged 10 months.

March 20, Stacy Marston, aged 72 years and 5 months.

March 29, Deacon Samuel Chapman, aged 84 years.

April 3, Andrew Warner, aged 62 years.

June 8, Nellie Mow.

Aug. 27, Frank P. Dow, aged 24 years and 5 months.

Nov. 19, Mary Taylor, aged 54 years.

Dec. 13, Hattie Hobbs, aged 30 years.

The Prisoners of San Marino.

At the last dinner given by Marshal MacMahon, says *l'Europe Diplomatique*, the Duc de Broc, the Charge d'Affaires of San Marino, after explaining to the Marshal the institutions and manners of the little State, told the following anecdote: A tourist last year having climbed up to San Marino and visited the cathedral, the library, the museum, and the admirable model hospital founded in 1865, felt a desire to see the prison too. Following the indications given him, he soon came to an ancient-looking edifice, with one of those forbidding and trebly-locked gates which can belong only to a prison. He rang lond and long, but no answer came save the echoes repercussed from the hollow, empty cells. He was turning to leave, when a man, who had evidently been engaged in agricultural pursuits, came running across the fields toward him, and asked him politely, if he wished to visit the prison. "I do," replied the tourist; "are you the jailer?" "No, signor," was the answer; "the jailer died six months ago, and no successor has yet been appointed, but I can show you the prison in all its details." So saying, he overturned a large stone and picked up a huge key which had been hid under it. "Well, but," insisted the tourist, "how about the prisoners?" "I am the prisoners," was the reply, and the tourist, struck by the singularity of the plural, followed his guide, who turned out indeed to be the only prisoner of the republic. He excused his truancy by explaining that he found his cell very dull in such fine weather, and relieved his feelings of *ennui* by cultivating the prison lands and gardens, which would otherwise run to weeds. Then, again, he was necessarily obliged to go into the town for his victuals, and that was why the authorities left him the key of the prison. His conscience evidently reproached him with not being a consistent prisoner, but the tourist's approval of his conduct must have comforted him.

An Indian Story.

Mr. Charles G. Leland relates a story of the good minister of a Massachusetts village and a whiskey loving Indian, who in time of revival became one of his converts. The excellent clergyman rejoiced at having "reached another," while the Indian, in return, one night expressed with solemn joy his assurance, "Me no go Hobamoco (that is, perdition)—Injun soul save—all right." But the day after this affecting scene, the minister, thoughtfully riding along, discovered his convert lying in a rocky corner near the road, deeply, dreadfully tipsy. Sighing much and sadly the minister rode on, but was scarcely a rod from the spot when his ear was struck by a guttural grunt which was solemnly and impressively repeated. Turning his head he saw the Indian maintaining himself with the greatest difficulty in a sitting posture and gazing sternly at his friend, as if from the height of some great idea, while he beckoned to him as one having authority. Slowly the minister rode back and paused. "Ugh!" grunted the Indian; "you know that little business me talk to you 'bout last night?" "Yes, Benjamin, I do know," was the reply; "It was about your salvation." "Yes," grunted the unabashed Indian, "me 'clude to let dat little business go. Injun soul," he added, with a patronizing smile, as if wishing to diminish the clergyman's disappointment, "Injun soul berry poor concern—small 'fair—no great matter anyhow."

Anagrams.

Mrs. Eleanor Davies, an old-time lady, imagined herself to be prophetess, and fancied that the spirit of Daniel was in her, because she could transpose her name into "Reveal, O Daniel." Her anagram was faulty, however, lacking an s and containing an l too much. Her surprise and consternation were great when one day she saw an anagram of the name "Dame Eleanor Davies" which read "never so mad a ladie." Here are a few examples of anagrams. They answer as it were to the original word: Astronomers, moon starers; telegraph, great help; gallantries, all great sins; encyclopædia, a nice cold pye; lawyers, sly ware; misanthrope, spare him not; old England, golden land; Presbyterian, best in prayer; punishment, nine thumps; penitentiary, nay, I repent it; radical reform, rare mad frolic; revolution, to love ruin.

—Mons. Theirs calls Mons. Gambetta "the frantic lunatic," and Mons. Gambetta returns the compliment by calling Mons. Thiers "the spectacled serpent."

MARRIED.

COLCORD—WALTON. In Seabrook, Jan. 16, Dr. Daniel W. Colcord and Miss Jeannette Walton, both of Seabrook.

DIED.

EATON. In Seabrook, Jan. 12, Mrs. Mary Jane Eaton, aged 43 years, 8 months.

CASWELL. In this city, Jan. 17, Mrs. Lydia L. Caswell, aged 30 years, 2 months, 3 days, wife of Mr. Henry N. Caswell.

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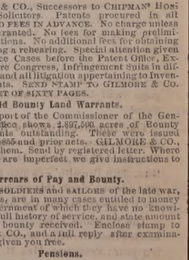

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Cork Tree in California.

Several experiments have been made with the cork tree in various parts of the State, with considerable success. There is a prospect that it will soon be more extensively introduced, Sontag & Co., of this city, having sent an order to Spain for three pounds of seed, which will be distributed gratuitously to farmers throughout the State. This valuable tree grows abundantly in Spain, Portugal, and Italy, in thin, rocky ground, and is very tenacious of life. It is a species of oak, with a soft and elastic bark. When the tree is fifteen years old the barking is commenced, and may be repeated every eight or ten years afterward, the crops improving both in quality and quantity at each operation. Trees thus barked, it is said, will live 150 years. The cork is removed in July and August. This is done by making incisions around the tree and longitudinally to the root, when the pieces are easily detached. These are then soaked in water, pressed under heavy weights, dried before the fire and stacked or packed in bales for transportation. The cork-cutters divide the sheets of cork into narrow strips, and, after cutting these of a proper length, round them into cylindrical form with a very sharp, thin-bladed knife. Spanish black is made from the parings of cork. Cork manufacturers in the Eastern States and Europe have a large market in California and the demand is increasing correspondingly with our wine product. It is said that a full-grown tree will yield at each cutting the value of the tree for commercial purposes. It makes an excellent shade and good timber. The latitude of San Francisco is the same as the southern portion of Spain and Portugal, the climate similar, and the soil of the foot-hills of the Sierra is not unlike the soil in which the tree has been so successfully grown in the Old World. When the tree is once firmly rooted in the ground no more care and attention to it is required than with the oak. In Spain large tracts of land are devoted to its culture and each year only a section of its bark is stripped, which insures an annual crop.—*California Paper.*

Brown's Matrimonial Method.

"Brown, I don't know how it is that your girls all marry off as soon as they get old enough, while none of mine can marry."

"Oh, that's simple enough. I marry my girls off on the buckwheat straw principle."

"But what is that principle? I never heard of it before."

"Well, I used to raise a good deal of buckwheat, and it puzzled me to know how to get rid of the straw. Nothing would eat it, and it was a great bother to me. At last I thought of a plan. I stacked my buckwheat straw nicely and built a high rail fence around it. My cattle, of course, concluded that it was something good, and at once tore down the fence and began to eat the straw. I dogged them away and put up the fence a few times, but the more I drove them away the more anxious they became to eat the straw, and eat it they did, every bit of it. As I said, I marry my girls off on the same principle. When a young man that I don't like begins calling on my girls I encourage him in every way I can. I tell him to come often and stay as late as he pleases, and I take pains to hint to the girls that I think they'd better set their caps for him. It works first rate. He don't make many calls, for the girls treat him as coolly as they can. But when a young fellow that I like comes around, a man I think would suit me for a son-in-law, I don't let him make many calls before I give him to understand that he isn't wanted around my house. I tell the girls, too, that they shall not have anything to do with him, and give them orders never to speak to him again. The plan always works first rate. The young folks begin to pity each other, and the next thing I know they are engaged to be married. When I see that they are determined to marry I always give in and pretend to make the best of it. That's the way I manage it."—*Dubuque Telegraph.*

The Sparrow and the Butcher Bird.

A correspondent of the Providence *Journal* calls attention to the savage slaughter of the English sparrows by what is popularly known as the butcher bird, and he naturally enlists one's sympathy for the victims of such ornithological atrocity. Butt a correspondent of the Boston *Transcript* takes the side against the sparrow. He inquires:

"I would like to be told what are the qualities which make the English sparrow a sacred bird? Not his song, for he has none; nor his beauty, for he has but little. It cannot be his disposition, for he is quarrelsome. I have been an observer of the sparrow for some years, and it is my belief that he is nothing but a dirty scavenger. He quarrels with and destroys the eggs o the bluebird, who is his superior in all good birdly qualities. I am told that before the importation of the sparrows, the purple martin, one of the most sociable and friendly birds, was common in this vicinity. Now he is never seen. As a foe to insects, the sparrow is, I think, overestimated. On my premises, a tree which was attacked by caterpillars, and its foliage destroyed, had no help from the sparrows, but the orioles alone cleared out the pests. See, too, the houses in the best part of the city bedaubed

by the dirty presence of the sparrows.

Now, as to the butcher bird, Wilson, the ornithologist, says, 'he preys occasionally on other birds, but insects, and particularly grasshoppers, I believe to be his principal food, having at almost all times, even in winter, found them in his stomach. In the month of December, when the country was covered with snow, I shot one whose stomach was filled with large black spiders.'"

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 19, 1877.

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OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

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For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

REPUBLICAN CONVENTIONS.

Councillor—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Friday, Jan. 19, at 11 A. M.

Senatorial—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Tuesday, Jan 30, at 11 A. M.

The Democratic Nomination.

The Concord correspondent of the Boston *Globe*, writing of the nomination of Hon. Daniel Marcy for Governor, says: "The nomination fell flat upon the Convention, especially on the younger members, who regard Mr. Marcy's official record as very damaging to the party. An effort was made looking to his withdrawal. Telegram after telegram was flashed over the wires to Portsmouth, but to no purpose. No answers came back, and the result is that Mr. Marcy is the nominee of the Convention. Just what the effect will be on the party in the approaching struggle remains to be ascertained." And editorially the *Globe* says: "The democrats of New Hampshire may not realize it, but it is the fact that they have nominated the man the republicans can easily beat. The trouble with Marcy is that he has a record."

Mr. Marcy's nomination not only "fell flat" on the Convention that "flashed telegram after telegram over the wires to Portsmouth" to get him to withdraw, but it also fell flat on the democratic party at large, if we may judge from the manner in which the democrats of this city regard it. The fact is that the possibility of his being again renominated, after his overwhelming defeat last year, was not considered at all by the great mass of the party, who up to the meeting of the Convention cherished the blissful delusion that his chronic candidacy for office was at an end. But according to party custom he was entitled to a renomination, and as he would not take himself out of the way, notwithstanding the urgent entreaties of the party wire-pullers, he received his second nomination for Governor at the hands of the democrats, and will receive his second (and worst) defeat at the polls in March. Mr. Frink, in his address to the Convention, said it could not be justly charged against the democratic party of New Hampshire that they had ever nominated a candidate solely for his "availability;" this statement is certainly true in so far as the action of the late Democratic State Convention is concerned.

Convenient Forgetfulness.

Colonel Pelton, the great "reformer's" nephew and private secretary, when examined by the Senate committee on privileges and elections developed a most marvellous and convenient forgetfulness. He knew Smith Weed of New York, and remembered that he went to South Carolina immediately after the election, but didn't know who sent him or what his mission was; witness received no dispatch in December from the President of the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad, and has no knowledge of a despatch in which the question was asked whether they would be willing to pay $3000 for an electoral vote. There was such a suggestion made, but witness "could not remember" whether it came from a person residing in South Carolina, or one who had gone there from New York. A letter was received at one time from one of the Southwestern States, saying an Elector could be had for money; the letter did not come from Oregon; "does not remember" that there was a proposition of that kind from South Carolina. Witness "did not remember" having received a despatch from Mr. Weed saying that a colored Elector's vote in South Carolina could be purchased; thinks he would remember such a letter or despatch if it had been received. Col. Pelton has an excellent memory (or conscience) for a Tilden politician to have; it enables him to testify that he "does not remember" the particulars of circumstances he must have known all about and which it is simply impossible he should have forgotten. Tilden evidently knows how to choose suitable tools to do his work with.

Can It Be True?

The republicans in this vicinity are "getting even" with those democrats who, for years, have been fond of reporting Gen. Grant as a hard drinker and much of the time in a state of intoxication. They assert that Mr. Tilden has been intoxicated most of the time during the last six weeks; that he has quarrelled with many of his friends, including Mr. Hewitt; that he is dejected over the loss of so much money during the Presidential campaign, and so on! Some of these rumors come down to details, and assert that Barnum and Gwin beat him to the amount of over a million of dollars for campaign expenses, and that Mr. Tilden, if he loses the object of his ambition, will soon "drink himself to death!" I suppose, of course, that five-sixths of these stories are false, but as Gov. Tilden is no teetotaler, but likes strong drink full as well as Gen. Grant does, our democratic friends, if he becomes President, will doubtless have an opportunity of knowing how it feels to have their party chief set down as "drunk" every time he takes a glass of wine. Gen. Grant says that it will seem very pleasant to him to taste the sweets of private life, and especially of escaping misrepresentation. Gov. Tilden already knows what it is to have his private acts trumpeted to the world, but it is nothing to what is coming if he takes the Presidential chair. There he will soon become a "sot"—that is, if he, like Gen. Grant, is fond of a glass of wine with his dinner—and he will be regarded by his political enemies as one of the worst men that ever lived. A good and upright republican told me the other day that he believed Tilden to be "far more corrupt than Tweed in his palmiest days?"—*Wash. Cor. Springfield Republican.*

Good Works.

Mr. Frink, on taking the chair at the Democratic State Convention, told the assembled "reformers" some wholesome truths. Said he:

"They who wish the minority to arbitrate for the majority would incite civil war."

That must have sounded oddly enough to the fellows who passed the famous (and infamous) resolutions at the meeting of the Democratic State Committee not long before. The democrats are the only ones who propose to "incite civil war." Mr. Frink added:

"The attempt to incite the acceptance of a challenge to battle has fallen impotent."

That is true, for nothing in this world ever fell flatter than the democratic war-meetings on the 8th of January. "Tildea or war," the office-seekers' slogan, excites no enthusiasm among the democrats and no terror among the republicans, though it does call forth a good deal of derision from both parties.

Counting the Electoral Vote.

The committees of the House and Senate appointed to confer on the subject of counting the Electoral vote, have reached an agreement and reported the result of their deliberations in a bill to both houses, embodying the following points:

First—The President of the Senate is accorded no power except the purely clerical one of opening the envelope and announcing its contents after it shall be handed to him.

Second—All disputed cases shall be referred to a tribunal which shall consist of five members of the Senate, to be appointed by the President of the Senate; five members of the House to be appointed by the Speaker of the House; and five Justices of the Supreme Court, four of whom shall be the four longest in service, and the fifth shall be selected by them.

Third—The vote of any State may be thrown out by concurrent vote of the two houses, even though the proposed tribunal may have decided in favor of counting it in.

The Massachusetts Senatership.

On Thursday there was more balloting, as follows:

THIRD BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	274
Necessary for a choice	138
Hoar	100
Boutwell	88
Abbott	62
Rice	17
Seelye	3
Bullock	4

FOURTH BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	274
Necessary for a choice	138
Hoar	104
Boutwell	83
Abbott	62
Rice	17
Seelye	4
Bullock	4

The Convention then adjourned.

News and Notes.

Iglesias, late Chief Justice of Mexico, and subsequently the head of one of the armed factions contending for the Presidency, has lost his whole army in a battle with Diaz, and now asks permission to retire to private life.

Schooner Ellen Frances, of Gloucester, before reported lost, has turned up all right.

The Grand Union Hotel of New York, opposite Grand Central Depot, is one of the most popular of the New York city first class hotels. It is so conveniently located to the Grand Central Depot, that all expense of carriage and baggage expressage is saved its guests. Persons contemplating visiting or passing through New York, will do well to give the Grand Union a trial. The Grand Union supplies every advantage afforded by a first-class hotel, while the rates of charges are moderate, being suited to the stringency of the times.

British schooner Rockport, of St. John, N. B., from Picton for New York with potatoes, has been abandoned at sea.

While the Pennsylvania Legislature has voted a million of dollars to place the militia of that State on a war footing, if necessary, the Legislature of Virginia has after much debate voted that the annual salary of Col. James McDonald, Adjutant General of that State, shall be $100, with no extras of any description.

Steamer August Andre, long overdue at New York from England, arrived at Halifax on the 17th in tow of steamer Switzerland, having lost her rudder and had her machinery disabled by bad weather.

The Union Trust Company of New York was swindled of $64,000 on Wednesday by a forged check.

Schooner Lucy May, of Haverhill, Mass., sailed from Haverhill for Jacksonville, Fla. Dec. 10, was spoken off Cape Ann on her outward passage by schooner J. D. McCarthy, which was wrecked next day on Salisbury Beach, and nothing has since been heard of her.

Benjamin F. Hawes, the driver of the horse which ran down and killed Mr. A. G. Hill in Boston on Sunday, has been acquitted of blame by a coroner's jury, as the horse was entirely beyond his control at the time.

We are again called to chronicle another disgraceful homicide in Abbeyville. On New Year's night, Theo. Le Blanc was shot while standing at the bar of Trahan's coffeehouse, by some unknown person, with a double barrelled shotgun loaded with buckshot, and instantly killed. The assassin was outside, and shot through the window, and then disappeared in the darkness. It was about ten o'clock, and several persons were in the coffeehouse at the time, but no one saw the assassin. LeBlanc was shot in the back, and in falling drew his pistol and fired, the ball taking effect in the leg of Mr. Bibi Trahan. Theo. Le Blanc is the person who, about two months since, killed Mr. Richard Le Blanc, Jr., not 100 feet from the place where he was himself killed. No arrests have yet been made. The deceased was a desperate character, and had been involved in so many difficulties that suspicion can not attach to any one more than another of the several parties. The coroner's jury failed to trace the deed to any one in particular. It will probably never be known who did the crime. These homicides are a disgrace to civilization, and arise from a lax administration of the law. Juries fail in all cases to convict for homicide, and thus the injured parties are encouraged to obtain that redress at their own hands which they fail to obtain from the tribunals of their country.—*Abbeyville (La.) Banner.*

Political.

Alvah W. Sulloway was nominated for Congress by the democrats of the Second District on Thursday.

In the Illinois Legislature, Thursday, the eighth ballot for U. S. Senator was taken, and resulted as follows: Logan, 99; Palmer, 86; Anderson, 7; Davis, 4; Haines, 1.

Bogy's Louisiana Report.

The Washington correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press* says:

Senator Bogy, on the part of the committee sent by Mr. Hewitt to observe the canvass of the vote by the Returning Board of Louisiana, has completed his report. It is a formidable paper, with accompanying documents, making fully 4000 pages. It declares Tilden elected on the face of the returns, and that the Returning Board exercised powers of revision not recognized by the State constitution. It also denies that any intimidation was practiced. Among the documents are several thousand affidavits in support of the last statement. One package contains 950 affidavits, in printed form, not one of which was signed by the parties themselves, but evidently by a clerk, as all are in the same handwriting. Senator Bogy has taken frequent occasion to characterize the testimony presented by the republicans as manufactured. That furnished by this gentleman is about as glaring a case of the manufactured as has yet appeared.

The Sunny South.

In Texas snow has fallen to the depth of from six to eighteen inches, crushing in roofs and freezing numbers of horses and cattle to death. A negro froze to death in Houston, and one in Dallas. In Louisiana trains have been snow bound and a negro froze to death in Shreveport. In Mississippi members of the Legislature were snowbound and for two days no quorum could be had. Persons have crossed the river on ice at Vicksburg for the first time in the history of that section. In Alabama, Tennessee, Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Virginia, the snow and cold are unprecedented. In Georgia and South Carolina sleet has been very destructive to trees and telegraph lines. The Mississippi river has been gorged with ice as far south as Ozark Island, nearly one hundred miles below Helena.

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Eggs per dozen, 34c.
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Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
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Lamb per ℔, 10 @ 12 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 90 cents.
Pork per bll., $13 @ $20.
Plaster per ton, lump $4; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 11 @12c; Gr. 13; Crushed 13½c.
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U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114
United States Ten-Forties coupon	118¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109½
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	51½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	68½
Boston & Maine	99½
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	125½
Nashua & Lowell	88
Concord	78
Eastern	84
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	47
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	102½
P. S. & P.	56
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

—He who loves wisely loves very well.

—Watterson double-leads his editorials, to give them weight.—*N. O. Repub.*

—A commercial traveller in a Yankee city handed a merchant, upon whom he had called, a portrait of his betrothed instead of his business card, saying that he represented that establishment. The merchant examined it carefully, remarked that it was a fine establishment, and returned it to the astonished and blushing traveller, with a hope that he would soon be admitted into partnership.

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Local Matters.

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" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	3.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	3.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	5.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

OH! OH!! OH!!!

Hon. John S. H. Frink, in his address to the Democratic State Convention on taking the chair, said the first duty of the Convention was to select worthy members of the party as candidates for the highest offices in the State, and continued as follows:

"Such a wealth of material from which to make a selection is the only embarrassment to be met. Wealth alone has never been able to purchase a nomination. Education alone has been the passport to party honors."

And then the Convention renominated the candidate left over from last year—Hon. Daniel Marcy of this city!

[P. S. From the full text of Mr. Frink's speech, as published in the *Post*, we learn that what Mr. Frink said was "Education alone has *not* been the passport to our party favors"—a superfluous statement, the truth of which no one will dispute.]

JOTTINGS.

Henry F. Wendell, Esq., is the Portsmouth member of the Democratic State Committee.

Who is going to engineer the course of subscription assemblies this season? Don't all speak at once,—but go ahead, somebody.

The *Times* mildly hints that the reason work has been commenced at the navy yard in fitting the contract steamer "Enterprise" for sea, is that the State election is approaching. The navy yard bugaboo is about played out. "Navy yard influence" was a scarce article in this market last March, but the republicans carried the State in spite of that lack, and in face of the terrible "Belknap battery," too; and our municipal election was won by the same party without "navy yard aid," as was the Presidential contest in this State. We question if an old-time democratic howl against navy yard influence would be popular in this city just now, even were a thousand men to be set to work there instead of a few score; for the democratic merchants and business men have found out within the past two years that ten or twelve thousands of dollars distributed monthly among the laborers and mechanics of the city was an excellent thing for trade, even if the larger part of said workmen were republicans. And no "navy yard aid" need be invoked by the republicans to defeat Hon. Daniel Marcy.

The Boston *Globe* says: "It is a fact worthy of notice that while every other port on the Atlantic coast north of Hatteras is more or less obstructed by ice, Boston harbor is open and clear, and inward and outward bound vessels arrive and depart without the least trouble. There is a little ice in some of the docks, but it in no way interfers with navigation, and sailing vessels and steamers can load or unload at the East Boston and North End wharves as easily as in summer. This is no unusual occurrence, however, for during no winter since 1844, when a channel was cut through the ice for the Cunard steamer Britannia, has navigation been seriously interrupted. It is seldom that there is any dangerous floating ice; and the arrangements made for keeping strong steamboats moving about in very cold weather, render the freezing up of the channel almost impossible." Portsmouth harbor is on the Atlantic coast and north of Hatteras, but it is not now and never has been obstructed by ice, not even in the year that Boston harbor was so badly choked that a steamer passage had to be sawed through the ice; and no "strong steamboats" are ever required to keep the channel from freezing up.

The renomination of Hon. Daniel Marcy for Governor, after the crushing defeat he received last year when everything was in favor of the democracy, shows that the democratic leaders do not entertain the ghost of a hope of victory this year. Neither of the favorite "war-horses of the young democracy"—Sulloway and Daniells,—were trotted out before the democratic convention to show their paces, though Frank A. McKean, a second-rate nag, did put in an appearance. Sulloway and Daniells are too valuable to be broken down in a hopeless race against Hon. B. F. Prescott, but the democrats evidently think Capt. Marcy won't be injured by another defeat, when he shows up in so fresh a condition after his experience of last March.

We are informed that the upper rooms in the old Custom House building have been rented by parties who intend to at once commence the manufacture of clothing by wholesale, and expect to give employment to one hundred or more girls.

Schooner Alfred Brabrook arrived in New York on Saturday, the 13th inst., making the run from this port in forty-eight hours. A very different passage was made by the ship St. Stephen, which arrived at New York on the 17th from Bath, Me., having been thirty-one days on the way.

Assistant Paymaster Charles W. Littlefield, U. S. N., is detached from the Wabash and ordered to the Palos, attached to the Asiatic squadron.

A motion has been filed before the Supreme Judicial Court of Rockingham county, now in session at Exeter, in behalf of the Eastern Railroad Company, to transfer the suit in equity brought by the Eastern in New Hampshire to the United States Circuit Court for the district of New Hampshire.

Schooner "Satellite" on Thursday afternoon went up the river with a load of brick for Dover. So we are informed, but we don't know how she could get up to Dover, as the Cocheco must be frozen over.

The Republican Councillor Convention for this District meets at the Court House in this city, at eleven o'clock this forenoon.

Mr. Ralph Reinwald, formerly second leader in the Marine Band, is now leader and director of the Dover Cornet Band.

The number of *Littell's Living Age* for the week ending January 20th contains "The Hellenic Factor in the Eastern Problem," by Rt. Hon. W. E. Gladstone; an instalment of "The Marquis of Lossie," by George MacDonald; "How Russians Meet Death," a characteristic sketch by Ivan Turguenief, translated by Lady George Hamilton; Melancthon, a chapter in the History of Education; The Feast of the Roofs, a Christmas Fairy Tale, from the French, by Helen Stanley; with a liberal supply of choice poetry, and miscellany. The back number containing the first instalments of MacDonald's new serial are sent to new subscribers for 1877. For fifty-two numbers, of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3000 pages a year), the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4 monthlies or weeklies with The Living Age for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Gay, Boston, are the publishers.

Messrs. Editors: Some maliciously inclined person has, without the shadow of a cause, circulated libellous and silly stories around the city, calculated to do great injury to acting missionary Loyne, not only personally but in the excellent work in which he is engaged. I desire through your columns (and am joined in this denial by many who know whereof they affirm) to most emphatically contradict such scandalous and unfounded reports, which on the lips of some people "will gather as they roll," and earnestly commend Mr. Loyne to the continued support of the public.

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YORK.

The dwelling house of Mr. Theodore Johnson, of York, with its entire contents, was destroyed by fire Thursday morning. Mr. Johnson awoke at four o'clock and found the house in flames; the family barely escaped with what clothing they had on, which at that hour was small. The house was well filled with good furniture. Cause of fire supposed to be a defective flue. Loss, one thousand; not a dollar insurance.

How She "Fixed" Him.

An amusing scene occurred in one of the Boston city courts a few days ago, when a lady who was testifying in a case was being closely questioned by her counsel as to her former business connections with the opposing lawyer, to whom it appears she went with her business before he was retained by the other side. She was asked if she hadn't been in his private office on business one day, and she said she had. Hadn't she been there at a certain time and remained closely closeted with him for quite a while? The lady declined to answer this query, assigning as a reason that she would compromise herself by so doing. The effect upon the eminent legal gentleman of the opposition may be imagined. He tried to explain the circumstances, but the Court only increased the embarrassment by observing that it could readily be seen that the lady ought to be excused on the ground she had given. The joke was that her legal opponent was entirely innocent of anything amiss.

—Mrs. Julia Ward Howe said, in response to a St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* reporter's remark that he admired Englishmen for their freedom from shoddy: "Don't deceive yourself. Let me tell you about Mrs. Paran Stevens, whose husband was a very wealthy hotel proprietor in Boston. She made a great display of her money, and endeavored to gain the entree into the best society in Boston, but without success. Afterward she went to New York, and her personal beauty, large fortune, and elegant parties soon won for her an admitted position into the best society of the city. Finally she went abroad, and in London it was given out that her daughter was the most wealthy heiress in America. The Prince and Princess of Wales took her to their houses: took her daughter out riding with them; the Queen showed them great attention, and the Prince of Wales made every effort to secure Miss Stevens as a wife for one of his young noblemen who had lost all his money in betting on horse races. The young lady had the good sense not to marry the nobleman."

—Watch the earnest student of events as he early emerges from his house and steps upon the slight layer of snow that during the night has been sprinkled from the sky upon the glassy surface of his front sidewalk. See how artistically he flourishes and carves the air with his feet and arms, and then sits down like a die, and, getting up, suddenly turns and views the well-outlined map which he has drawn of the situation.

—Scene on steamer of the—— line: Passenger—"Can you tell me, sir, how many miles we've come from New York, and whether we've crossed the Gulf Stream yet, and—" Captain—"Madam, I advise you to ask the cook." Passenger—"Excuse me, sir; I supposed I was addressing that person."

—The time approaches when a fellow boys for his chum's sister a highly ornamental valentine, the great centre of attraction of which is a picture of the fabled boy who has decidedly more wings than overcoat.

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The Welsh Language.

No Welsh is heard in the streets of Cardiff. It is preached in some pulpits and spoken in some homes, and the most cultivated burgesses take pride in their knowledge, be the same more or less, of the Welsh language and literature; but for the common uses of life the English language is as much the language of Cardiff as it is of New York. If the people of Cardiff differ in any marked respect from those of London and Liverpool, it may be, perhaps, in a certain bright alacrity of manner not altogether characteristic of the typical Englishman. As for the Welsh language, even the slight knowledge of a beginner in the study of this noble tongue is sufficient to show that the descendants of the Cymry are amply warranted in their affectionate pride concerning it. It is a terrible tongue to look at, but it is musical to hear, having seven vowels, and being full of soft liquid sounds. It is a most copious language too, containing no fewer than eighty thousand words; and from this fact, with others which the student early recognizes, it is easy to believe that it has greater scope for the utterance of poetical sentiments than the English language has. The pronunciation is easy and flowing, so that, with its many and incessantly recurring vowels, it is an easy language to sing, much more than the English, and only second in this respect to the Italian. A stranger encountering the name of Ebbw Vale (one of the fair valleys near the flowing Usk) might easily suppose it to be a jaw-breaker of a word to pronounce, but the pronunciation is ebboo. So with cwrw (beer), pronounced kooroo. Wherever w occurs in Welsh, it has the sound of double o as in pool.—*Wirt Sikes, in Harper's for February.*

The Real Sea-Serpent at Last.

In the Straits of Malacca the sea-monster so repeatedly seen, and so repeatedly declared to be mythical, appears at last to have been carefully observed by competent witnesses. The creature was seen by the passengers and crew of the ship Nestor, on her voyage to Shanghai, and on her arrival at Shanghai the master of the ship, (Mr. John Keiller Webster, and the surgeon, Mr. James Anderson, made a statutory declaration of what they had seen before a magistrate, as a mode, we suppose, of formally attesting that they spoke in good faith. The creature, which resembled a huge salamander, only that instead of being about six or eight inches long, these dimensions must be multiplied by at least seventy-five or 100, the body being from forty-five feet to fifty feet in length, the head twelve feet, and the tail, it is said, no less than 150 feet) was first seen at 10:30 on the 12th of September, fifteen miles northwest of the North Sand Lighthouse, in the Straits of Malacca. The weather was fine, the sea smooth and the air perfectly clear. The Chinese on deck were terribly alarmed and set up a howl. The whole watch and three saloon passengers saw the creature clearly, and observed its movements. It travelled for a long time about as fast as the steamer, appearing to paddle itself by the help of "an undulatory motion of its tail in a vertical plane." The body and tail were marked as those of the salamander are marked—with alternate bands, black and pale yellow in color. "The head was immediately connected with the body, without any indication of a neck." Both witnesses state positively that the only resemblance was to some creature of the frog or newt kind, while one of them (the surgeon) says that, the longer he observed it the more he was struck with its resemblance to a gigantic salamander. Its back was oval in form. No eyes or fins were seen, and it did not blow or spout in the manner of a whale. The greater part of its head was never seen, being beneath the surface. Probably the creature is of a race which survives from that very different world in which creatures of gigantic size seem to have been so much commoner than now. There appears to be no manner of reason for doubting the very express evidence so succinctly and soberly given.—*London Spectator.*

Moody and Sankey.

The Boston *Commonwealth*, of the 13th inst., had this announcement: "The Moody and Sankey tabernacle is ready for occupancy. The selected singers for the tabernacle choirs now number 2,000 voices, and five complete choirs of 362 voices each are now fully organized and ready for work. The first choir will sing only on Monday and Thursday evenings, the second on Tuesday and Friday evenings, the third on Wednesday evenings, the fourth on Sunday mornings at eight o'clock, and the fifth on Sunday evenings. Six other choirs are to be organized to sing at the day-time sessions throughout the week, excepting Sundays. The services will not begin for three weeks yet, as Mr. Moody writes that he must have a fortnight's rest after his labor in Chicago."

A Gigantic Time Piece.

The monster clock by Messrs. E. Dent & Co., London, for the Crystal Palace, which has been in course of erection during the past six months at the south end of the building, is now completed and in working order. This clock is almost a counterpart of the great Westminster clock (which was built by the same firm), with the exception of the striking and chiming apparatus, and the dial is the largest ever yet constructed, being forty feet in diameter, or nearly 1,300

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Daily Chronicle.

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REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Senatorial—District No. 1—At Court House, Portsmouth, Tuesday, Jan 30, at 11 A. M.

Demagogism.

The speech of Mr. Frink, as chairman of the Democratic State Convention, goes far to prove true what has always been charged of him by those who know him best—that notwithstanding his professed impartiality and the fairness claimed for him in political matters, he is at heart and in practice an unscrupulous and bitter partisan. Certainly his remarks showed the demagogue rather than the statesman,—the partisan and not the patriot.

Besides the cheap statement, after all the frauds, intimidations and assassinations proved upon his party—that the republicans are "attempting to cheat Tilden out of his election"—Mr. Frink has the effrontery to say that "hundreds of republicans concede the election of Mr. Tilden, or distrust the election of Mr. Hayes." This may be all true, but we have never yet met *one* such republican! Alluding to State matters also, he says, in the democratic party "wealth alone had never been able to purchase a nomination." Heaven save the mark! Daniel Marcy and Frank Jones not nominated for their money,—but for their "education!" Education in what, pray? their party tactics? And this is also an endorsement of the Senate steal of Gov. Weston, by Judge Frink, is it not?

Republican County Convention.

The Convention for Rockingham County, at Exeter, was presided over by Hon. S. Pillsbury of Londonderry as chairman—Moses. A. Perkins of Exeter being secretary, and Henry A. Yeaton of Portsmouth chairman of committee on credentials. As a matter of local interest and for record, we give the ballotings, of which there were six, although but five have been given before:

FIRST (INFORMAL) BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	109
Necessary for a choice	55
Arthur W. Dudley of Brentwood, had	2
John Elkins of Danville	3
William D. Cochran of Windham	4
George W. Pendexter of Portsmouth	5
Albert Field of South Newmarket	9
Cyrus Brown of Portsmouth	18
Joseph C. Burley of Epping	22
Moses B. Dow of Plaistow	23
Newton Johnston of Portsmouth	23

Mr. Pendexter's name was then withdrawn.

SECOND BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	111
Necessary for a choice	56
Arthur W. Dudley had	1
John Elkins	2
William D. Cochran	3
Albert Field	3
Cyrus L. Brown	17
Newton Johnston	24
Joseph C. Burley	26
Moses B. Dow	29

Mr. Field's name was withdrawn in favor of Mr. Johnston.

THIRD BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	112
Necessary for a choice	57
Scattering	4
Cyrus L. Brown	19
Joseph C. Burley	29
Newton Johnson	29
Moses B. Dow	31

FOURTH BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	109
Necessary for a choice	55
John Mills had	1
William D. Cochran	2
Cyrus L. Brown	17
Moses B. Dow	24
Joseph C. Burley	30
Newton Johnston	35

FIFTH BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	110
Necessary for a choice	56
William D. Cochran	2
Cyrus L. Brown	3
Moses B. Dow	25
Joseph C. Burley	26
Newton Johnston	54

Mr. Dow was here withdrawn in favor of Mr. Johnston. Mr. Brown also withdrew for the same.

SIXTH BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	109
Necessary for a choice	55
Cyrus L. Brown had	1
William D. Cochran	8
Joseph C. Burley	37
Newton Johnston	63

And Newton Johnston of Portsmouth was declared the nominee, when the Convention dissolved.

The Massachusetts Senatorship.

On Friday the Legislature again met in Coevention and balloted for United States Senator, the first ballot (the fifth one of the series) resulting as follows:

Whole number of votes	278
Necessary for a choice	139
Paul A. Chadbourne had	1
Seelye	1
Bullock	2
Rice	19
Boutwell	47
Abbott	62
Hoar	146

And Hon. George F. Hoar was declared elected.

The Bennett-May Farce.

The New York *Tribune* has an account of the Bennett-May affair from a party present at the duel. It says: The first shot fell to May. If he could kill or disable his antagonist while the words "One, two, three," were delivered in rapid succession by the other's second he was safe; if he should fail it would be his turn to be a target for the bullet of his opponent. If, however, he fired before or after the words he was by the code a coward; in case he killed his opponent, a murderer. The arrangements having been completed the two principals took their positions at a distance of about 12 yards apart. The pistols were loaded and baded to them and the seconds retired to one side. Then came the question "Are you ready?" Immediately, and before the "one" could be given, May raised his pistol, took a hasty aim and pulled the trigger. The weapon missed fire. On receiving the intimation that it was his turn Mr. Bennett raised his pistol, cried scornfully "I could kill you now if I wished," and pointing it into the air fired quickly. The duelists then saluted one another, when suddenly, overcome by shame and mortification, to the utmost amazement of all present, Frederick May turned and hurried away, unable longer to face his disgrace. It was no impulse of generosity on the part of Mr. Bennett, as all felt, which caused him to fire in the air, but a sudden desire to repay with interest the mortification which he had felt in the public lashing before the Club House. No words passed between the two principals at any time during the meeting, except Mr. Bennett's remark when he fired his pistol in the air, and the "propositions" so often mentioned were mere myths. As soon as the tall form of the retreating duelist was out of sight the rest of the party returned to the railroad station.

News and Notes.

Two light-keepers in the lighthouse at Hooper's Straits, Chesapeake Bay, which was recently carried away by the ice, lost their lives. The lighthouse was seen on the ice four miles away from its original site, for several days, but no help could be rendered the unfortunate men.

Mr. Woods, agent of the Truckman's Express Co., at Biddeford, Me., has left for parts unknown with about $1000 of the company's money.

William Orton has been discharged from custody by the House of Representatives.

John Newton Carpenter was killed in Pawtucket, R. I., Thursday, by the fall of a rock from a bank he was excavating. He was found with his head under a stone that had to be lifted by a derrick.

A despatch from Montreal says the Delisle Village municipal election Wednesday terminated in a brutal free fight, in which some forty men were engaged. The town hall was completely sacked and the polling booth wrecked. The French Canadian roughs would not allow the English to vote, and consequently all the French candidates were elected.

The Barque Everett Grey, of Yarmouth, Me., Captain Jacob G. Loring, cleared at Boston the 26th of last October, bound for Gloucester, Eng., and not having been heard from since, she is given up as lost. The cargo consisted of corn, valued at $20,-733, which was fully insured. The barque was 592 tons register, and was owned by Richard Harding, Captain Loring, and others. She was valued at $23,000. Her crew numbered thirteen men, all told.

Henry Ludwig of Sing Sing, New York, was blown to atoms Thursday, by an explosion of nitro-glycerine. He was digging up some, when he struck a can in which it was contained. He had kept it buried near his residence a year, unknown to his neighbors. A number of small buildings were destroyed.

Fred May, one of the survivors of the battle of Slaughter's station, arrived in Washington on Tuesday, the 16th, unkilled and unhurt.

Since the reduction of prices at that popular and standard first class house, the American of Boston, it is a well known fact that the traveler can get the best accommodations at a more reasonable rate than at any other house in that city.

Four more Gloucester fishing vessels are given up for lost, with all hands, viz.: schooner Modena B. Jerauld, with a crew of eleven men, which sailed for La Have Banks on the 26th of November; schooner Howard Steele, with a crew of eleven men, and schooner Robert Emmett, with a crew of nine men, also sailed Nov. 25th; schooner Wyoming, with a crew of ten men, sailed Nov. 15th. None of these vessels have been heard of since the great gale of December 10th and 11th, and little hope remains that they will ever be heard of.

Horace E. Brown, a Wall street "curbstone broker," has been arrested on suspicion of forging the $64,000 check recently paid by the Union Trust Company of New York.

The Turkish grand council on Thursday rejected all the propositions of the European powers. The Ambassadors will leave Constantinople at once, and war will probably commence immediately.

Thomas Blake of the 1st New Hampshire Regiment, on the fly-leaf of his Bible, some time at the end of the last century, wrote: "It was the only Bible in my regiment. I lent it to soldiers who were serious minded and wished to read it Sunday. When at West Point, 1780, a soldier under sentence of death sent for it and kept it four days before execution, and returned it with his thanks. At Saratoga, 1781, the army under command of Col. H. Dearborn, poorly clothed and badly paid; there were many desertions, and all non-commissioned officers and privates on oath not to desert or leave service for the time he engaged—the penalty being, May I never prosper in this world nor be happy in the next if I break this my solemn oath—each man repeated these words with his hand on this Bible and kissed it, after which desertions were few." This Bible is now in the Old South collection in Boston.

The total losses of the Gloucester fishing fleet for the year 1876 are set at 212 men, a large proportion of them married men, with young families; 27 vessels, aggregating 1693 tons, and worth $150,000.

Democrats who think that hard times in the United States are due to republican mismanagement are invited to a careful study of the recently published statistics of the iron trade of Germany. The capital invested by thirty-two of the largest iron and steel manufacturing companies in that country amounts to $78,035,000, and the net loss, exclusive of interest and depreciation in the value of property, was $1,795,000. Only six of the companies paid any dividend whatever, and the most fortunate of these six was one of the smallest companies which divided six and two-thirds per cent. The Prussian Mining and Iron Company of Dusseldorf, with a capital of $2,700,000, actually lost $605,000 on last year's operations, and $215,000 on those of the year before. The net loss of the thirty-two companies in two years has been $2,770,000.

Political.

Ex-Gov. Saunders, republican, has been elected United States Senator from Nebraska.

The main disclosure made by Mr. Chandler's dispatches is that he got wind of that $8,000 check even before it was started for Oregon. Such a man is a terrible obstacle to "reform."—*Tribune.*

A new development in the Mississippi plan. As it seems from the testimony given by Congressman Lynch, when colored citizens desire to hold a political meeting, permission is asked of the democratic powers that be, and the democratic club votes on the proposition!

In the first district Gen. Gilman Marston has received the exceptional compliment of a renomination to Congress after having served three terms in that body. He is a native of Orford, this State, but owing to the fact that he is still a single and modest man his age is an unknown quantity. He is one of the ablest men at the New Hampshire bar, and as leader of the gallant Second New Hampshire Volunteers and one of "Fighting Joe Hooker's" brigadiers, he has a reputation of a national character. He is somewhat eccentric in character, but is able, incorruptible and democratic. He ought to beat his opponent easily, and if the voters of the First District put brains before money and fitness before unfitness, Gen. Marston will beat the wealthy brewer of Portsmouth easily. The latter may spend twice $30,000 to secure his re-election, or double the amount that he spent to secure his first election, and we shall believe that he will spend in vain.—*Nashua Telegraph.*

How the copperhead orators and the Boston *Transcript* and other assistant democratic papers, do hate Wm. E. Chandler. Well, the more they abuse him, the stronger will be republican attachment for him.

Col. Henry O. Kent, of Lancaster, who left the republican party in a huff six or seven years ago because the party had tired of keeping him in office, and who has been on the democratic ticket ever since, has been nominated *once* more for Congress by the democrats of the Third District.

—The *Hawkeye* tells of a Burlington elder, a very explicit and conscientious man, always given to explaining himself very clearly, who began his prayer on a recent occasion as follows: "Paradoxical as it may appear to Thee, O Lord!"

—The female stag has four hind legs.

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Lamb per ℔, 10 @ 12 cents.
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50 @ 60 cents.
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Rye, Northern, per bushel, .90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Dr. 11 @12c; Gr. 13; Crushed 13½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 60c.; Green, 90c. @ $1.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	106½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114
United States Ten-Forties coupon	111
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109½
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	6¾
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	68½
Boston & Maine	99½
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	125½
Nashua & Lowell	83
Concord	78
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	47
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	102½
P. S. & P.	55
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

Cloud Banners of the Alps.

Among the most exquisite scenes which delight the eye of the European traveller are those wonderful rose-colored cloud-banners, floating from the Alpine cliffs. But it is only in the sunlight that Nature hangs out these beautiful tokens. So it is only in the glow of health—the sunlight of our inner being—that nature reveals those physical cloud-banners, the "rosy cheek" and "cherry lip," to praise which every poet of the earth has invoked the Muse to aid him. But they are as rare as the cynical Hood conceived Christian charity to be. Woman, eager to retain this charm, resorts to French art and rouge. The effect is similar to that which would be produced by substituting auctioneers' flag for the delicate glowing cloud-banners of the Alps. If woman would aid Nature instead of adopting art, would seek health instead of vainly trying to mask disease, she would not only win the greatest charm of womanhood—health—but she would avert much misery both from herself and others. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has received the highest praise from thousands of pale, delicate, suffering women. One bottle often affords more relief than months of treatment by caustics and other medicines. It is harmless in any condition of the system, and its use often renders the modest invalid exempt from that most trying of ordeals—a personal consultation with a physician. It is the duty of every woman to become familiar with the causes and symptoms of the many diseases to which her peculiar organization renders her liable, and also to learn the proper means of preventing these maladies. The People's Medical Adviser contains an extensive treatise upon "Woman and her Diseases." The Author also advises courses of domestic treatment, which will often render the services of a physician unnecessary. Every woman should read it. A copy of the Adviser can be obtained by addressing the Author, Dr. R. V. Pierce, at Buffalo, N. Y. Price $1.50 (postage postpaid). Favorite Prescription is sold by druggists.

Happy Influence of a Great Specific.

For the preservation or recovery of health and strength, the diet should be wholesome and nutritious. When it happens that the alimentary processes are disturbed by improper or half mastricated food, the best remedy for the evil results of abusing the digestive organs is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a most agreeable, prompt and gentle remedy for dyspepsia, and for the bilious and evacuative irregularities which result from it. The liver and bowels, in common with the stomach, experience its beneficent influences. The refuse of the system is carried off through its natural outlet, a healthy flow and secretion of the bile is promoted, and a powerful impetus is given in assimilation in consequence of its use. It healthfully stimulates the bladder and kidneys when they are inactive, and by its tonic and regulating action fortifies the system against malaria.

The Colonnade Hotel.

Unequalled in its location, and unsurpassed in its arrangements, for the convenience and comfort of the traveling public, the Colonnade Hotel on Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, holds the highest rank.

Why suffer from that cough when *Adamson's Botanic Balsam* will speedily and surely cure you? Children like it. Sold by druggists and dealers at 35 cents.

THE FAME OF GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP as a remedy for eruptions, sores, burns, pimples, blotches and rheumatic and gouty pains has spread far and wide. Physicians recommend it, and the demand for it constantly increases.

Important to persons visiting New York or the Centennial. The Grand Union Hotel, New York, opposite the Grand Central Depot, has over 350 elegantly furnished rooms. Elevator, steam and all improvements. European plan. Carriage hire is saved, as baggage is taken to and from the depot free. Guests can live better for less money at the Grand Union than at any other first-class hotel. Stages and cars pass the Hotel constantly to all parts of the city, and to the Philadelphia depot.

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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

Notice.

THE members of New Hampshire Lodge, No. 17, I. O. O. F. are hereby notified to meet at Odd Fellows Hall, Sunday, Jan. 21, at 12 o'clock, M., to attend the funeral of our late Brother, Thomas Abrams, of Kittery, Me. THORNTON BRITTON, *R. S.*

Lost.

ON Wednesday afternoon, between Market and Pleasant streets, a POCKET BOOK containing a sum of money. The finder will be rewarded by leaving the same at this office.

$10 REWARD!

WILL BE PAID the Finder of a GOLD LOCKET and CHAIN lost on Middle or Austin street on the 16th inst. on leaving them at 22 Middle Street.

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Depositors Secured by a Special Deposit Fund of

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"Against all Possible Loss of Every Kind and Nature."

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The Board of Direction is composed of the following gentlemen, viz:

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January 16, 1877.

PULMOCINE.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 22TH, a Dividend of 22 per cent. will be paid on all allowed claims against the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, to be paid at their Banking House in Market Street. Deposit Books must be presented by the person who made the deposit, or by the person in whose name the deposit stands; otherwise, an order for the dividend, duly witnessed, must be brought with the book. Blanks for this order will be furnished.

EDWARD P. KIMBALL, Assignee,

Portsmouth, Jan. 13, 1877.

N. H. REGISTER AND Business Directory for 1877.

Containing besides the usual matter in almanacs and diaries, a complete list of all State, County and Town Officers, of all the professional and business men in the State; of all Institutions, Corporations, Schools, Companies, etc., etc.; a list of all acts passed by the last Legislature; the Constitution of *N. H.* as it is; a map and many other matters too numerous to mention, the whole for

25 CENTS.

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JOSEPH H. FOSTER,

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No. 34 MARKET STREET,

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Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*

All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

John Maisbenden,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

Keeps on hand a good assortment of seasonable goods for Gentlemen's wear, which will be made up in the latest style, or as ordered.

CLOTHES WILL ALSO BE

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DON'T FORGET THE PLACE!

Under Franklin Hall - - - Fleet St.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

— OF —

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WM. P. WALKER

having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

Cloths, Cassimeres etc.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

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Constantly on hand, consisting of

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Of Every Description.

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H. W. BRIANT,

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Prescriptions compounded with all possible care, and of the purest materials.

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For fluting pillow-shams, cambric dresses, skirts, aprons, and all garments trimmed with ruffles; also making fluting of woolen goods for dress-trimmings. This fluter is pronounced by competent judges to be the simplest and most desirable; easy to use in regard to heat, and no fear of cutting the material.

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THE TWO FRONT ROOMS over the Rockingham National Bank. Apply at the Bank.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $100 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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Store corner State and Washington streets.
Apply to A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjoent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.
Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.
Also, a few large and choice NORWAY SPRUCE Trees, for Fall setting. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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Fine Watch Repairing and engraving.
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NOTICE--W. T. L.

THE WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE LEAGUE will hold its meetings at the headquarters of the Reform Club in Hodgen's Block on Daniel street until further notice.

G. E. RANDALL, *Secretary.*

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We have on hand a few part pieces of

ELYSIAN BEAVER

equally suitable for Gentlemen's Overcoats or Ladies' Cloaks, which we will close out at a great discount.

We mean what we say.

Call and see them.

BOW STREET, No. 3,

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PURE, WINTER STRAINED

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THE GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF THE ODIORNE FAMILY, an octavo volume of 32 pages, will be forwarded by mail to applicants on the receipt of $2.40. A few copies only of the edition are left. Address, JAMES C. ODIORNE,

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30†	P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 8.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	8.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.45	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.30 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "	
Dover,	10.38 " 5.50 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

COUNCILLOR CONVENTION.

The First District Councillor Convention of the republican party was held in this city on Friday. The meeting was called to order by Elbridge G. Peirce, Jr., and Dr. Levi G. Hill, of Dover, was chosen President, and Caleb Moulton, of Hampstead, Vice President; Secretaries, George E. Lane, of Exeter, William D. Knapp, of Great Falls. Five ballots were taken, as follows:

FIRST BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	148
Necessary for a choice	75
Charles Sanborn of Sandown had	7
Oliver Wyatt of Dover	13
Joshua B. Smith of Durham	33
Albert L. Eastman of Hampstead	34
Warren Brown of Hampton Falls	61

SECOND BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	144
Necessary for a choice	73
Charles Sanborn had	1
Oliver Wyatt	1
Joshua B. Smith	37
Albert L. Eastman	47
Warren Brown	68

THIRD BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	146
Necessary for a choice	74
Joshua B. Smith had	29
Albert L. Eastman	57
Warren Brown	89

FOURTH BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	141
Necessary for a choice	71
Joshua B. Smith had	35
Albert L. Eastman	59
Warren Brown	67

FIFTH BALLOT.

Whole number of votes	142
Necessary for a choice	72
Warren Brown had	68
Joshua B. Smith	74

And Joshua B. Smith, of Durham, was declared the republican nominee for Councillor from the First District.

JOTTINGS.

The democrats of Rockingham county, in convention at Newton on Thursday, made nomiations as follows: for County Treasurer, Samuel P. Treadwell, of this city; for County Commissioner, Josiah S. James, of Raymond; for Register of Deeds, Andrew J. Hoyt, of Exeter.

Schooner Mayor Jones, of this port, Spaulding master, arrived at New York on the 17th, eleven days from St. Marc.

The Kearsarge Flûte and Drum Band, Abraham Kay leader, assisted by the "Empire Jubilee Singers," will gike an entertainment in the Town Hall at North Hampton on the evening of Saturday, Jan. 27th. We do not know much about the vocalists, but we can assure the North Hampton people that they will get the full worth of their money in music from the Kearsarge Band.

Subject at Bow Mission, Sabbath afternoon: What shall it profit a man if he gain the world, and lose his soul?

Col. Hackett will sell by auction to-day at twelve o'clock, at his office, certain desirable stocks. See advertisement.

The Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Co. have an advertisement in another column which it will harm no one to read, and the reading of which may be of decided benefit.

Mr. Charles W. Randall, residing at No. 16 Water street, on Thursday morning had two nice pigs, weighing in the neighborhood of a hundred pounds each, in a pen in his yard. He fed them in the morning, when they were all right and ate heartily; but at noon they were found to be ill, and both of them died at about one o'clock in convulsions, probably from having been poisoned with strychnine. Mr. Randall thinks the poison was in the pigs' trough when he poured their food into it in the morning, but that they did not swallow it until later in the forenoon, when they had nearly emptied the trough. He has no suspicion as to who put the poison there, we believe, and the cowardly sneak, whoever he is, will probably take good care not to be detected; he left his tracks in the snow, where he climbed over the yard fence, and that is all the track there is of him so far. It is a pity the miserable scoundrel could not be put where he belongs, behind the prison bars, as would be done should he be convicted.

The annual report of the Odd Fellows Mutual Relief Association of Rockingham County for the year just ended shows the number of members to be 995. Cash on hand January, 1876, $1952.44; admission fees from twenty-five members, $122; eight assessments, $8992; special assessments received for second relief, $986; interest received, $114.25; making a total of $12,-166.69. Paid during the year, nine reliefs, amounting to $9023; expenses paid, $300.-35; cash on hand January, 1877, $2843.34.

Ten dollars reward is offered for the return to No. 28 Middle street of a locket and chain recently lost. See advertisement.

A golden eagle weighing eleven pounds and measuring eight feet from tip to tip of the wings, was shot in Eliot on Thursday, and attracted a great deal of attention in Mr. Briant's drug store on Friday. Mr. Briant intends having the bird stuffed and mounted.

The Canadian Government has warned the Direct Cable Company that it will hold that corporation to the strict fulfillment of its contract, and cut off its connection with the shores of the Dominion if it makes a sale to a rival. This is right. No more telegraph monopolies. The United States Government should give the Direct Cable Company a similar warning, the ocean telegraph companies having played fast and loose with their promises and the public interests about long enough.

THE EAGLE.

He is the sovereign of the air; the king over the feathered tribes; among the ancients sacred to Jove; renowned among all nations.

He soars majestically aloft, wheeling in successive gyrations till lost to sight.

He gazes on the sun. He has given a name to a constellation in the heavens. Horace, the Latin poet, styles him

"The royal bird to whom the king of heaven
The empire of the feathered race has given."

Milton denominates the eagle "the bird of Jove." And Shakspeare, speaking of the king of the forest trees, says of it:

"Whose arms gave shelter to the princely eagle."

And again, Euripides, the Grecian dramatist:

"The Pleiades show themselves in the East,
The Eagle soars in the zenith of heaven."

What though he exercise his kingly right and levy tribute on inferiors? He is appropriately our national emblem, for we have dispossessed the Indian and appropriated his inheritance, as being ourselves the highest type of enlightenment and culture. Rome, mistress of the earth, had the eagle for her symbol. Cæsar was about to lead an army into Parthia, to recover the Eagles lost by Crassus, when he was assassinated. Our English ancestors have the royal lion in their armorial ensigns; ours, the "princely eagle."

Is it not grand to behold him soaring majestically over our noble Piscataqua? He is friendly to man unless pressed by excessive hunger.

There is a Western regiment possessed of a living eagle that accompanied them throughout the late war; they deem it priceless.

Let us venerate and protect the eagle. Even the Most High has deigned to use this simile:

"Like as an eagle stireth up her nest, fluttereth over her young * * so the Lord alone did lead him." (Jacob.)

January 19, 1877. W. R. P.

NORTH HAMPTON.

The following deaths occurred in Hampton during the year 1876:

Jan. 11, John S. Towle	aged	73
Feb. 4, Simon N. Dearborn	"	90
Mar. 13, Frank Page	"	21
Apr. 1, Ebenezer James	"	77
" 2, Mrs. Benjamin Hobbs	"	36
May 1, Mrs. Betsy Nudd	"	82
" 12, Jeremiah Elkins	"	57
" 25, John Perkins	"	76
Sept. 4, Oliver Lamprey	"	76
" 10, Ellen Young	"	23
Oct. 20, Mrs. Ira Page	"	80
" 28, Mrs. Joseph Godfrey	"	80
" 30, Alfred Palmer	"	60

Mr. Joseph Marston, of North Hampton, owns a horse which is unusually intelligent. As an instance of his sagacity the following is given; the children at Mr. Marston's are in the habit of driving with the team to school, a distance of some two miles, and on arriving there they all get out, leaving the horse to go home alone. Giving him the word he obeys by striking a three minute gait, avoiding all obstacles till he trots provdly into his master's yard.

New Hampshire Items.

At the Democratic Senatorial Convention in Epping, Thursday, Dana Sargent of Hudson was nominated for Senator in the Second District.

The Congregational Church in Great Falls, which has been remodelled, enlarged and newly furnished, was dedicated Wednesday night, a very large audience being present. Sermon by Rev. C. D. Barrows of Lowell; prayer by Rev. George B. Spaulding of Dover.

A Nashua physician recently vaccinated a family of twelve persons and charged twelve dollars. A few days thereafter he took a dozen cabbage plants in part pay, as he supposed, but upon final settlement learned to his surprise that Mr. Farmer charged doctors' prices—"one dollar a head."

Franklin Moore, half-brother of John P. Moore of Manchester, died at Detroit, Mich., Wednesday, Jan. 17th, aged 74 years. Mr. Moore was a native of Manchester, and left there for Detroit in company with Zachariah Chandler in 1832. Mr. Moore and Chandler carried on business together at Detroit for many years, but finally dissolved partnership. Mr. Moore's wife was a sister of Mr. Chandler.

—The Freemasons of England support three charities, one of which pays annuities to aged masons and widows, while the other two are schools for the children of masons, one for boys and one for girls. The sum contributed last year for their support was over $195,000.

MARRIED.

BURLEY—CONNER. In Exeter, Jan. 17, Mr. Harrison G. Burley, of Newmarket, and Miss Fannie E. Conner, of Exeter.

DIED.

PARKS. In this city, Jan. 19, Nellie A. Parks, wife of Wm. H. Parks, aged 22 years.

PAYNE. In this city, Jan. 19, Mary E. Payne, wife of Albert A. Payne, aged 32 years and 4 months.

RAMSDELL. In York, Me., Dec. 16, Mr. John Ramsdell, aged 60 years.—Dec. 23, Miss Mary Ramsdell, aged 70 years.—Dec. 28, Mr. Rufus Ramsdell, aged 59 years. [Thus within a fortnight two brothers and a sister, comprising an entire family, passed away. Typhoid pneumonia was the cause.]

SIMPSON. In York, Dec. 18, Widow Dorcas Simpson, aged 94 years.

BLAISDELL. In York, Jan. 13, Mr. James Blaisdell, aged 75 years.

GOODWIN. In York, Jan. 17, of pneumonia, Mr. Charles E. Goodwin, aged 49 years.

FOLSOM. In Newmarket, Jan. 17, Mrs. Viola M. Folsom, wife of Mr. William T. Folsom, aged 29 yrs.

ABRAMS. In Kittery, Me., Jan. 18, Mr. Thomas Abrams, aged 67 years.

A REMEDY
FOR
HARD TIMES.

On and after January 1, 1877, the Subscriber will sell at the following rates:

FRESH PORK RIBS, 10 cts. per lb.
PORK STEAK, 10 cts. per lb.
PORTSMOUTH SAUSAGES, 10 cts.
" SUGAR-CURED HAMS, 15 cts.
Warranted better than any Western Hams.
SMOKED SHOULDERS, 12 cts.
OTHER CUT MEATS IN PROPORTION.

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HARTFORD, CONN., Assets $3,200,000.
HOME INSURANCE COMPANY,
NEW YORK, Assets $6,000,000.
FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
PHILADELPHIA, Assets $3,300,000.
ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY,
LIVERPOOL, ENG., Assets $18,000,000 (gold.)
PENNSYLVANIA FIRE INS. CO.,
PHILADELPHIA, Assets $1,600,000.

Business men and owners of Property desiring every security by insurance against loss and damages by fire, will find it for their interest to place their risks in the above companies, some of which have been represented in this vicinity for nearly fifty years.

All losses will be promptly adjusted and paid by the undersigned.

JOHN SISE,
INSURANCE AGENT,
OFFICE NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE.

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$104,357,655,00.
In the following companies:

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THE INSURANCE COMPANY OF NORTH AMERICA,
Of Philadelphia, Penn.
Assets, $5,167,347
LIVERPOOL and LONDON and GLOBE,
U. S. Office, New York.
Assets, (Gold), $28,425,160
PHŒNIX,
Of Hartford, Connecticut.
Assets, $1,905,161
QUEEN,
Of Liverpool and London. U. S. Office, N. Y.
Assets, (Gold), $10,500,000
ORIENT,
Of Hartford, Connecticut.
Assets, $766,622
SPRINGFIELD,
FIRE & MARINE,
Springfield, Mass.,
Assets, $1,390,965
IMPERIAL & NORTHERN.
COMBINED,
Assets, (Gold), $23,000,000

LIFE AND ACCIDENT DEPARTMENT.
TRAVELERS,
LIFE & ACCIDENT.
Of Hartford, Conn.
Assets, $3,761,361
CHARTER OAK,
LIFE.
Of Hartford, Conn.,
Assets, $13,500,000
NEW ENGLAND MUTUAL,
LIFE.
Of Boston, Mass.
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A North Carolina Railroad Blockade.

Major W. W. Rollins, the President of the Western North Carolina R. R., arrived in this city yesterday afternoon, and gives a graphic account of his trip between Henry's, the head of his road, and Salisbury. The train left Henry's on Monday morning last about seven o'clock. Snow was falling at the time, with the thermometer registering eighteen degrees below zero. Soon after starting the track grew very heavy, but the train managed to reach Old Fort. The snow was falling at a terrific rate, and with each turn of the wheels progress became more and more difficult. Four miles below Old Fort the engine gave out of water and the train came to a dead stop. The locomotive was cut loose, and with Engineer Marsh, Route Agent Ramsay, and four negroes, started alone to the tank, which was three miles distant. About half way it ran into a snow drift, which stopped it entirely, and after repeated efforts to get through and as many failures, the engineer essayed to put back to the train and discovered to his utter consternation that he could neither go forward nor backward. Bound fast by the snow, the engineer and his party remained on the track the whole of that long, cold night, with no covering save their ordinary clothing, no shelter except what was afforded by the cab, and no fire except what they could keep in the furnace of the engine by burning such fence rails and other wood as they could dig out of the snow. Provisions were sent to them from the train, and the next morning water was carried in buckets for a distance of a quarter of a mile through snow thirty-six inches in depth on a level, reaching to the waists of the men, until enough was had to raise steam in the engine. Then by repeatedly running back, then under full headway striking the snow bank with the plough on the pilot, the locomotive finally made its way through this drift, to find the road filled with others almost immovable. Meantime a large force of convicts had been sent for, and these pushed the train back to Marion, where the passengers were provided with all necessary comforts. The bare engine proceeded down the road at a slow rate, the snow being shovelled out before it in many places, until about the third day it reached Icard, where it found the train from Salisbury. A special engine, the heaviest on the road, had been sent out from Salisbury, with the snowplough loaded down with castings, and three engines, distributed along the road cleared the track in five days, and the train which left Henry's Monday morning, reached Salisbuey, a distance of 117 miles, Friday night at 12 o'clock. Major Rollins states that in many places the snow had drifted to the depth of fifteen or twenty feet. The cuts of the railroad on top of the snow were filled with all kinds of birds, which had frozen to death and dropped down the banks. While waiting on the road a whole covey of patridges were seen all frozen to death, and some of the crowd reached them

and broke off the heads of some, their necks snapping like corn stalks. At Catawba River a yearling was seen some little distance out in the stream, its hind legs having sunk through the ice, leaving its head and fore legs upright. It was frozen to death. The poor brute had no doubt gone out on the ice to try to get some water. The rivers and creeks all along the line of the road having first frozen over, and then been covered entirely by the snow, people and animals go over them as over the level earth. There is no sign anywhere of a running stream. With the apprehension of the people that they and their stock will freeze or starve to death before the snow melts is intermingled the dreadful fear that when the thaw does come it will deluge the whole face of the earth, carrying with it destruction and death.—*Raleigh* (*N. C.*) *News.*

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The Compromise Bill.

The plan proposed by the Congressional conference committee for counting the electoral vote, is the grand topic of discussion among political men and papers. Most of the extremists on both sides oppose it, asserting that it will assuredly elect the opposing candidates; some of the more temperate and cautious journals—notably the New York *Tribune*—object to it as being plainly and undeniably in defiance of the letter and spirit of the Constitution; while others see in it only a grab-bag scheme, in which the Presidency is put up to be won by the turn of a copper,—the latter class thinking it would more dignified to put the office up and let the most skillful gamblers on each side (say John Morrissey and Minister Schenck) play a little game to decide who shall have it. Senator Morton would not sign the compromise bill, he being the only member of the committee who refused; Henry Watterson, Salary-grab Randall and Honest Old Fernando Wood, denounce the compromise and bleat for "wah!" but the general belief, in and out of Congress, is that the bill will pass by a large majority, and that under its provisions the Presidential dispute will be settled if not satisfactorily at least peaceably.

No decision that may be reached will or can be satisfactory; no doubt a large proportion of the democrats as firmly believe Tilden and Hendricks were elected as the entire body of the republicans do that Hayes and Wheeler were; if Hayes is inaugurated the democrats will feel that they have been cheated out of the election; and if Tilden is inaugurated the republicans will know that he owes his elevation to fraud and murder before the voting day and on that day, and the corrupt use of the barrel of money since. But under the compromise we may feel assured that whatever the decision may be, the defeated party will peaceably acquiesce in it, and that the threats of the bloodthirsty Watterson and the warlike Fernando to Mexicanize the United States unless their pet plans are adopted will not be carried out.

As to the constitutionality of the compromise, opinions differ; but we feel safe in saying that if not opposed to, it is at least outside of, the Constitution. That document apparently gives the entire President-making power, in the first instance, to the States, and makes Congress merely the clerk to record the decision of the States; the compromise takes that power away from the States and vests it absolutely in Congress. But the framers of the Constitution did not foresee that two sets of electoral votes might be presented from a State, and consequently did not provide for such a contingency—they could not foresee that Samuel J. Tilden would ever be a candidate for President, so they did not provide safeguards enough against trickery and fraud. But Tilden has been a candidate; three States, of which the governors are republicans, have forwarded not only legal electoral votes for Hayes but bogus sets for Tilden; and Oregon, of which the governor is a democrat but in which the Hayes electors were chosen, has sent a double set of votes—one set thrown by electors certified by the governor, giving Hayes two votes and Tilden one, the other set giving three votes for Hayes. In view of this muddle some plan must be adopted to sift the legal from the illegal votes; if the votes of all electors certified by the governors of States are counted, then the votes of South Carolina, Louisiana and Florida will be counted for Hayes; but one of Oregon's votes will have to be counted for Tilden, which will give him the Presidency,—and demonstrate the power of money to buy the highest office in the Nation's gift, as it will hardly be questioned, even by the most pronounced "reformer," that the money which purchased the infamous action of Gov. Grover was from Tilden's barrel.

Whether the country would suffer more from the capsizing of the Constitution than from the elevation of a man to the Presidency by open bribery, we cannot say, nor whether the proposed compromise will elect the Tammany reformer in place of the man already elected by the people of the several States,—but at least we shall be spared the horrors of a war incited and led by Watterson the sober, Fernando the honest, Knott the funny, Randall the just, *et als.*

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 17.

Mr. Thompson, Sergeant-at-arms of the House, and Mr. Watterson, promoted from his position as editor of the Louisville *Courier-Journal* to represent a Kentucky constituency in the House, as a reward for his arduous labors in Mr. Tilden's behalf at the St. Louis convention and prior thereto, have "jumped" many democratic veterans and find themselves much talked about as "leaders." There is no visible cause for this sudden popularity other than their exceptional devotion to the cause of political purification as personated by Mr. Tilden. It was currently reported and generally believed last week that their zeal had carried them so far as to quarrel with Mr. Hewitt, because that gentleman opposed the proposition to summon a democratic mob to meet in this city on the 12th proximo, to frighten members of Congress believing Governor Hayes to have been legally elected to succeed President Grant, into an abandonment of their honest conviction in the premises, and to so far intimidate as to deter them from making any opposition to the usurpation of the Presidential chair by Mr. Tilden. According to the same authority—common report—Hewitt found himself in a hopeless minority when the matter was submitted to those representatives of his party here who are recognized as its law-givers. He fled from the reproaches showered upon him to New York, only to meet the frowning face of his inexorable chief. He was in his seat yesterday with a back-load of democratic petitions from Vermont, but no opportunity was offered for reading them; and whether the report of his frigid reception is true or false has not yet transpired. Many suppose he returned thus burdened with party desires and aspirations, as a penance for presuming to question the policy and patriotism of the proposed invasion; and the apparent result of the quarrel is accepted as showing that the "Tilden or blood" element has an overshadowing influence in the party councils.

Mr. Barnes has been disciplined after a manner peculiarly gratifying to statesmen after the order of Mr. Proctor Knott. When last arraigned, and standing in the immediate and awful presence of the Speaker, he was constrained to promise compliance with Morrison's demands, provided he could lay his hands on the offending telegrams. Such an unreasonable reservation was regarded as trifling with the dignity of the august tribunal, and as only aggravating the original offense; and he was hurried away to a dark dungeon with all modern improvements. When all the circumstances are considered the conviction becomes very persistent that Mr. Barnes' punishment was predetermined from the first moment that he dared question the propriety of parading before the committee private dispatches of which he was the custodian, to gratify partizan malice. Mr. Orton, in his rejoinder to the charge of contempt, said that the condition of his health forbade the journey he was ordered to make to New Orleans; that he did not have the required telegrams in his possession, and that he had not designedly placed himself in contempt of the privileges of the House. His case was referred back to the Judiciary Committee, and he remanded to the parental surveillance of the Sargeant at Arms. The plea of ill-health and of not being in possession of the required papers will probably be regarded as wholly irrelevent and too preposterous to deserve much consideration; and it is agreed that he is doomed to expiate his obstinacy in company with his subordinate, Barnes.

Every development in the investigation of the Oregon conspiracy seems to prove that both Cronin and Grover were only "jumping-jacks," moved by wires in New York which were held in a hand invisible to the public; but the trick was so characteristic that all who express themselves are of one mind as to its author. Cronin's princely fee, considering the time consumed and the expense incurred, proved the desperation underlying the whole movement. Mr. Pelton, conductor of the Bureau of political information, has been satisfactorily (to republicans) connected with the sending of several thousand dollars to Oregon. The funds have also been shown to have been obtained of an officer of a bank of which Tilden is a director. Further revelations, totally incompatible with the pretension of "honesty and reform," will surprise no one here.

President Grant's action in the Lousiana case is gratifying to every one opposed to allowing the White Leaguers of that State to profit by their shocking barbarities during the late campaign; and the President's determination, expressed when Nicholls first set up his bogus government, to await a thorough understanding of every point in dispute before interfering, is generally approved and its wisdom acknowledged. Had Nicholls succeeded in his usurpation, organized republicanism, it is conceded here, would have disappeared from that State.

The theatres and hotels have thus far had a very discouraging season. Very few strangers are here. The Centennial and the general business prostration account for this falling off in the number of visitors. Almost every one who could raise the money "by hook or crook" went to Philadelphia; hence they have no money to come here now. The absence of our usual winter visitors has also contributed to the almost apathetic dullness prevailing in "society" circles. The contrast between the present and past seasons, is almost startling. However, as we get nearer the 4th of March we are likely to be reinforced by a crowd of office-seekers and place-hunters, whoever may be declared President.

Notwithstanding two severe rains and several days of soft weather, a long line of snow borders every sidewalk, the obstinate remnants of the great storm of the 1st inst., which covered far-off Texas, even, with a white mantle. The continued ice blockade of the Potomac has brought, with our other afflictions, an oyster famine. LOGAN.

News and Notes.

Senator Anthony, of Rhode Island, was stricken with paralysis on Saturday, but hopes of his recovery are entertained. His death would be a National loss.

Miss Bertha Von Hillern finished her walk of 86 miles in 24 hours at 10:48 P. M., on Saturday, in Boston Music Hall, having 12 minutes to spare. About 2000 people were present at the close, and the lady received a perfect ovation.

A notorious fellow, named Bud Blunt, was arrested at Webb City, Mo., for violating a city ordinance, and not being able to pay the fine assessed was lodged in the calaboose. Subsequently he was released, and in a spirit of revenge he, with his brother and a large number of followers, procured several guns and pistols and opened fire on the citizens promiscuously. Some 200 shots were fired, and seven persons were badly wounded, including two of the rioters. Several houses were fired into, two horses killed and two men severely beaten. The citizens rallied and ten rioters were arrested.

Communication between Trieste and Vienna has been interrupted three days by a tremendous landslip. Some 80,000 cubic metres of rock and earth fell on the Trieste railway track and into the river Sau, destroying the road and blocking up the river. Two houses containing families were overwhelmed and the inmates are still buried.

A man named E. Betts was arrested in Boston on Friday, for forging endorsements on a number of notes, for sums of a few hundred dollars each.

Schooner Lucy May, Freeman, of Haverhill, Mass., concerning whose safety much concern has been felt, has arrived at Jacksonville, Florida, thirty-seven days from Newburyport. She had a hard time of it on the passage, having had her boat carried away by a sea, her cabin set on fire by the capsizing of the stove, and other damage done.

Col. Harwood, light-house engineer, has received reports from steamers Heliotrope and Tulip, sent to the relief of Hooper's Straits light-house, carried from its station by the ice. The light-house was found adrift five miles from its location, where the steamers securely anchored it. A small boat was seen on the hard ice a mile from the station, with no one in it. Nothing has been heard of John S. Cornwell and Alex. S. Conway, keepers of the light, but it was believed and hoped they had succeeded in reaching the shore. How it would astonish the crew of a vessel to be run into by a lighthouse. It would be as much of a surprise as when a ship was run down by a church in Massachusetts Bay, long ago.

The practice of advertising the Centennial Exhibition awards in garbled forms has led to a lawsuit in Baltimore. One piano agent issued circulars claiming that his goods had been characterized as better than any other make, the truth being that no comparisons were made in any of the judges' reports. A rival agent sues for an injunction restraining the other from lying.

Schooner Annie B., from Boston Dec. 8, for Halifax, before reported overdue, arrived at St. John, N. B., safely, and subsequently sailed on her return to Boston.

It is announced that the owners of the late Brooklyn Theatre have resolved to rebuild it at a cost of $80,000. The new theatre will be provided with a fire-proof drop curtain, and will be constructed with special reference to facilities for egress in case of fire or panic.

Political.

The Western Union Telegraph Company having decided to give up all the political telegrams of both parties, on demand of the Congressional committees, "Scott" telegraphs the *Traveller* as follows: "Simultaneously with the announcement that the Western Union Telegraph Company have decided to surrender all political despatches, leading democrats admit that there will be found among the files of the company a number of very damaging despatches signed by Col. Pelton, Tilden's secretary. These despatches, the democrats admit, have a very ugly look and will create something of a sensation, but they claim that all were sent without Tilden's approval or knowledge, and that he was very indignant when he heard of the contents. It is the purpose to try and break the force of the disclosures, rendered certain by the production of these despatches, by endeavoring to show that Tilden was not aware of their character. It is not believed, however, that such explanation will satisfy the country, as Tilden made the same excuse when the Tilden circular was fastened upon him."

The Tennessee Legislature has succeeded in electing a United States Senator, James E. Bailey, on the seventy-second ballot.

New Hampshire Items.

Ex-Gov. Fred Smyth has presented to Frederick Smith Post, No. 10, G. A. R., of Newport, a check for $50, in aid of the Post's permanent charity fund.

The examination at Laconia of Dickey, charged with setting fire to the Unitarian church in that town, was concluded Friday. The evidence was confirmatory of previous witnesses in establishing Dickey's presence near the church when the alarm was given, and in an intoxicated condition. Hon. E. A. Hibbard, counsel for the prisoner, agreed to submit the case without argument. Dickey was held in $5000, $2500 on each complaint, and stands committed.

Samuel Miller of Exeter, upwards of 80 years old, committed suicide Friday by hanging.

The State Antiquarian Society has $75 above its liabilities, its 2905 books are being catalogued, and 2868 articles have been added to the museum within six months.

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January 10, 1877.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 22TH, a Dividend of 25 per cent. will be paid on all allowed claims against the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, to be paid at their Banking House in Market Street. Deposit Books must be presented by the person who made the deposit, or by the person in whose name the deposit stands; otherwise, an order for the Dividend, duly witnessed, must be brought with the book. Blanks for this order will be furnished.

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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	5.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

A WITHDRAWAL.

To the Depositors of the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank:

With all due appreciation of the act including my name in your committee, I will most respectfully state that the committee have performed all that to me seems incumbent upon them, and as I do not discover any way in which I can further be of essential service in that capacity I hereby decline acting as such any further, but shall hold myself individually ready in the future as in times past to serve my fellow citizens in any way within the compass of my ability.

ANDREW J. PENHALLOW.

STOCK SALES.

Col. William H. Hackett on Saturday sold at auction the following stocks:

Twenty-five shares National Mechanics & Traders' Bank, at $109;

Ten shares National Bank of New Hampshire, at $111;

Fifteen shares Rockingham National Bank at $67 (par $50), and ten shares at $65.75;

Three shares First National Bank at $154.75.

JOTTINGS.

Haverley's Ministrels will give a really good variety entertainment at Franklin Hall on Wednesday evening, and the troupe's reputation here will attract a good audience. Concerning this Company the Lowell *Times* says: "The entertainment of this veteran organization, at Music Hall, Wednesday evening, was among the best minstrel exhibitions we have ever attended. The band and orchestra were fine, the quartette was a good one, the jokes were new, and each performer seemed well fitted for the part he took. * * The farces were, like the jokes, new and original, and we do not hesitate to commend the entertainment, which we pronounce first-class, to the patronage of the amusement-loving public."

Capt. Thurlow, of the wrecked schooner Gen. Taylor, of Newburyport, judged himself off Whale's Back light, in a thick snow storm on Friday night, (the 12th). He hove to his vessel and listened to hear the bell. He says it can be only heard faintly at leeward, and if at leeward of Whale's Back in an easterly blow, the chances are that one hears the breakers on Odierne's Point, where fifteen vessels have been wrecked since the present nearest resident of the shore has occupied his home. The interest of commerce and the claims of humanity require some immediate action in regard to a steam whistle at Whale's Back, and we hope our Representative in Congress will see to it that a proper appropriation for this imperatively demanded necessity is at an early day granted.—*Journal.*

A dividend of two dollars per share on stock of the Kearsarge Mills will be paid on Thursday, the 25th, to those who held stock on the 19th inst. Portsmouth stockholders will be paid at the Agent's office, at the mills.

The suit of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, against the Eastern Railroad Company, entered in the State Court for this County, has been removed on the motion of the Eastern Railroad Company to the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of New Hampshire, where future proceedings will be had.

Schooner Ella M. Johnson, which arrived at Newburyport on the 15th, picked up in the bay one hundred and sixty boxes herrings, which floated out of schooner Gen. Taylor, wrecked on Odierne's point on the morning of the 13th.

Harper's Magazine for February has arrived at Moses Brothers' periodical depot. This number is fully up to the usual standard of the magazines which is all that need be said. The New England News Co., of Boston, are agents for furnishing eastern dealers.

With the close of 1876, Mrs. Daniel E. Leavitt resigned her position as organist at the Middle street Baptist Church, after a service of twenty-one years, the society at their annual meeting last week expressing their appreciation of her talents and services. The members of the society very much regretted her determination to resign. Mr. Cole of Boston has been engaged for the position.

The scheme of consolidating the Anglo-American and Direct Cable ocean telegraph companies, to the end that the tolls may be put back where they were in the good old days of the original monopoly, seems likely to fail. The Dominion Government has notified the Direct Cable Co. that such a flagrant disregard of the company's promises will be followed by the prompt withdrawal of the concessions granted by that government; and Secretary Fish, in a letter to President Eckert of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company, after reciting the assurances given by the Direct Cable Company that their articles of organization prevented any amalgamation with another company, or any combination to raise rates—assurances necessary to obtain a landing place for their lines—expresses the official opinion, in the President's name, that "the control of the United States over its jurisdictional waters extends to the right of discontinuing and preventing their use by a cable whose proprietors may violate any of the conditions on which the Government has, by quiescence or silent permissission, allowed its landing, as well as to the resistance and prohibition of an original landing."

The Portland, Saco & Portsmouth railroad has declared a dividend of three per cent., now payable at the Eastern Railroad office in Boston.

Steamer Mabel Bird, from Boston, arrived in the lower harbor Friday evening, came up to the city on Saturday morning, and was loading ice on Saturday at Eastern Railroad wharf, for the Oceanic Hotel at the Shoals. She is to take out two cargoes. The ice comes in over the Great Falls & Conway Railroad.

The Masonic fraternity of Greenland will give their second annual dramatic entertainment at the Town Hall in Greenland on Wednesday and Thursday evenings of this week, when they will present the new and popular drama, "One Hundred Years Ago." In addition there will be vocal and instrumental music, and tableaux; and after the entertainment, oysters and hot coffee will be served to those who wish, at a reasonable price.

Scarlet fever is so prevalent in Kittery as to be almost an epidemic among the children; and cases of scarlet fever among children and typhoid pneumonia among both children and adults, are alarmingly common in York.

The record for no corresponding year since Stratham was incorporated as a town shows a less number of deaths than the Centennial year 1876. Below is a list. Feb. 19, Hanson Caverly, aged 69 years, 11 months; April 8, James M. Bowley, 57 years; April 10, Mark F. Young, 59 years; April 28, Mrs. Hannah P. Folsom, 90 years, 6 months; Sept. 21, Benjamin F. Adams, 76 years; Nov. 2, Mrs. Mary G. Wingate, 40 years, 6 months; Dec. 15, John T. Smith, 56 years, 3 months. One of the above named, Benjamin F. Adams, was not a resident, but was stricken down while on a visit to relatives in that town.

Rev. J. E. Bell, of Providence, R. I., delivered a temperance lecture in Hampton Town Hall on Friday evening, and at its close a Reform Club was started with forty members, and officers as follows: President, Albert Snow; Vice Presidents, M. Wesley Cole, James E. Godfrey; Secretary, Walter Palmer; Treasurer, C. A. Weare; Chaplain, Rev. J. Knott; Marshal, Plummer Noyes.

The Exeter *Gazette* complains that the running of trains on the Concord & Portsmouth Railroad is not such as to accommodate its patrons from that section. It says: "Considerable annoyance is occasioned to the people of this vicinity, coming from Concord, over the Portsmouth & Concord Railroad. The train arrives at Newmarket Junction about fifteen minutes after the train for Boston on the Boston & Maine Railroad has left, thus giving the passengers a chance to stop at the Junction over night, or hiring a team to get home with. The roads should make some arrangement whereby they can connect, if they desire to satisfy the public."

City Marshal Jasper G. Wallace, of Dover, died very suddenly on Saturday morning. He attended to his duties on Friday, and retired at midnight in apparent good health.

—A gentleman in a stage coach, passing through the city and observing a handsome edifice, inquired of the driver what building it was. The driver replied: "It is the Unitarian church." "Unitarian!" said the gentleman; "and what is that?" "I don't know," said Jehu; "but I believe it is in the opposition line."

The Code of Bosh.

Letters from one of the seconds in the duel have also been exhibited to us, which make the following facts clear: that May, as the challenged party, having the right to a choice of weapons, chose cavalry sabres; that Bennett's friends objected, on the ground that this gave May an advantage; May's friends yielded their choice, and assented to duelling pistols; that the distance was twelve paces; that no witnesses were present, even the surgeons remaining at a distance, and the only persons on, or in sight of, the duelling ground being the two principals and their two seconds; that the word was given thus—"Ready, fire, one, two, three, stop"—the parties not to move their pistols from the perpendicular until the word "Fire" was pronounced, and not to fire after the word "Stop" was pronounced, and the seconds having the right to shoot down either man who disobeyed this requirement; that Bennett and May fired almost simultaneously at the word "One;" that neither was touched; that Bennett's friends then professed themselves satisfied; that the parties straightway separated, the whole affair scarcely occupying ten minutes. These, we have reason to believe, are, so far as they go, the exact facts.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

DIED.

HOLMES. In Greenland, Jan. 19, Carrie P. Holmes, aged 29 years, wife of Mr. Joseph A. Holmes, and only daughter of Dr. C. M. Weeks, of Kingston, Jamaica.

☞ Funeral from her late residence, on Tuesday, Jan. 23, at two o'clock, P. M. Relatives and friends are invited to attend without further notice.

BOYLE. In Boston, Jan. 18, Annie A. Boyle, daughter of John J. and Hanna E. Boyle, aged 3 years, 9 months 6 days.

MARINE CHRONICLE

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, Jan. 19.

Sch Daylight, Reed, Hobeken.
Sch J W Sawyer, Orchard, New York.
Sch Wingaersheck, Perkins, New York.

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In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

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IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION,

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effect has secured almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

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IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Heetic Fever, AND ALL **Symptoms of Consumption.** TRY IT.

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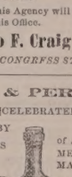

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serving one boy pounding another, interfered and inquired what it was for? He was informed by the larger boy that he was licking his companion for swearing. "But don't you swear?" inquired the gentleman. "No sir, I am a Christian, and I am teaching him not to swear."—*Newburyport Herald.*

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 23, 1877.

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A Wet Blanket.

The Concord correspondent of the *Mirror*, writing on the evening of the day on which the democratic State convention renominated Hon. Daniel Marcy for Governor, talks as follows concerning the wet blanket thrown on the democracy by that action:

"Daniel Marcy is the democratic candidate. If you had told the delegates to the convention that this would be so yesterday morning, nine out of every ten would have scouted the idea. If you ask them to-night why this is thus, nine out of every ten will fly into a passion and tell you it's none of your business. The simple fact is the average delegate has gone home not only thoroughly mad, demoralized and disgusted, but totally unable to account satisfactorily for the day's performance. Of course it is understood that Marcy has been nominated because he would not take himself out of the way, and his opponents were not able to throw him overboard, but why he has insisted upon again commanding the ship which everybody believes he will wreck is not understood. One thinks Frank Jones is at the bottom of it, being willing to strengthen himself by sacrificing all the rest of the ticket; another declares that Marcy is the worst load Jones could have been called upon to carry, and that Jones knows it, and that Marcy has been induced to stick by a few Hessians who want a chance to handle and steal his money; and there are still others who see in the old man's perversity a disposition to punish and snub the young democracy and the Pearson wing, whose child McKean was known to be. Nearly all the delegates came here without the least suspicion that Marcy would be a candidate, and the surprise which followed their discovery of the facts in the case soon changed to an intense and unyielding opposition, which has grown more bitter and outspoken every hour since. If he had been here and could have seen this he probably would have got out of the way, but those who had him in training not only kept him out of the way but took care that no communication by telegraph or messenger should be opened with him, and when at a late hour last night it was proposed to send a special train to Portsmouth after him, they coolly announced that he had gone to sea for a four days' cruise and could not be found."

The Compromise.

The proposed compromise is the subject of infinite discussion just now, and it is supported by various papers and persons from widely different reasons, and opposed by others from reasons just as different. The New York *Times* opposes it because the power of counting and declaring the Electoral Vote is by the Constitution vested solely in the President of the Senate; the *World* opposes it because the power of counting the vote is vested solely in the House of Representatives. Watterson, Proctor Knott, the Chicago *Times* and other "Tilden or wah" institutions, oppose it because it will result in the inauguration of Hayes; extreme republicans oppose it because it will cheat Hayes of a fairly won election. All the Washington papers oppose it—the radical republican *Republican* and the radical democratic *Union* with equal bitterness. Some Tilden papers oppose it because Tilden is fairly elected and no one has any right to admit a question of that fact, and some Hayes papers oppose it because Hayes is fairly elected and no one has any right to admit a question of that fact. And the extremists on both sides oppose it because it is a concession to the infamous and unscrupulous opposition, who seek to set aside the expressed will of the people by violence, trickery and fraud, and if their schemes are allowed to succeed then farewell to a constitutional government.

But so far as we can judge from an extensive and varied course of reading—of newspapers—a large proportion of the people, and particularly the business classes, are pleased with it, believing it will ensure a peaceable settlement of the Presidential dispute, and one that will be as near satisfactory as any settlement can possibly be—for whichever candidate is declared elected the adherents of the other will be dissatisfied. To us the proposed tribunal seems as fair as could be hoped for. There is no use in saying the Constitution in so many words gives one man or any body of men power to decide which of two conflicting returns are the genuine ones. The Constitution provides only for a count of the Electoral votes, and does not vest judicial powers concerning them anywhere. But somebody or some tribunal has got to exercise judicial powers in the premises now, to decide which of the sets of votes from Oregon, Louisiana, Florida and South Carolina are the legal ones; whether the vote of Arkansas, which was shockingly (to the democrats) informal, is to be counted; whether the democrat who organized himself into an Electoral College in Vermont was the genuine article or not; and other questions. An exigency not provided for in the Constitution having arisen, it must be provided for outside the Constitution, and the decision of the proposed tribunal will be less liable to impeachment than the decision of the republican Senate or the democratic House could possibly be. The members of that tribunal—men of National reputation and solemnly sworn to impartiality—will act with a full knowledge that the eyes of the country—and we might say of the whole civilized world—are upon them, and that their acts and their expressions of opinion will go down in history as long at least as this Nation shall exist; and under these circumstances we cannot believe any one of them will court lasting infamy for the sake of a momentary partisan triumph.

New Hampshire Items.

The boat-house of the Dartmouth navy was crushed by snow on Saturday night, and the eight boats in it, three of which were six-oared shells, were totally destroyed. Loss about $1500.

The Directors of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company, of Manchester, propose to stop the manufacture of steam fire engines, partly because in connection with their extensive works in other departments they cannot produce at profit, and partly because they propose ultimately to reduce operations of their great machine shop to the necessary repairs of their mills, etc. They offer for sale to responsible parties the good-will of the steam fire engine department, with special tools and patterns for carrying on the business.

Joseph G. Wallace, City Marshal of Dover, who was found dead in his room at the American House in that city, Saturday morning, died of heart disease. He was Colonel of the First Regiment New Hampshire State Militia. He was a gallant soldier and during the war was Lieutenant in the First New Hampshire Volunteers and Captain of Company C, Fourth New Hampshire Volunteers. He was wounded at Pocotaligo, October, 1862, and Drury Bluff, May 15, 1864. He was in the battles of Pocotaligo, Morris Island, siege of Wagner, Sumter, Drury Bluff, Bermuda Hundred and Mine Run, and was in service from April, 1861, to September, 1864.

John Willis, Deputy Sheriff and a prominent citizen of Gorham, was run over and instantly killed Saturday while walking on the Grand Trunk Railroad near Milan Station.

News and Notes.

The sum total of the losses to the Gloucester fishing fleet for the year 1876, with the addition of the ten vessels lost in the December gale, gives the terrible aggregate of 212 men and 27 vessels. Of the lost fishermen of 1876 it is known that 54 left widows, and that 112 children were made fatherless. Of the total number of men lost, 167 went down with their vessels, 21 were lost overboard, and 24 were lost in dories while attending to their trawls. The nearest approximation to the losses of 1876 were in 1873, when 174 lives were lost, and 31 vessels, valued, with their outfits, at $118,700.

Charles Collins, chief engineer of the Lake Shore Railroad, has committed suicide. Apprehension that he might be blamed by the public, if not by the judiciary, for the Ashtabula disaster, unsettled his mind.

Mr. Harrison E. Maynard, of the firm of Maynard & Sons, flour merchants, of Boston, was taken with apoplexy in St. Paul's church on Sunday and died in fifteen minutes. His wife and daughter were in the church at the time, but knew nothing of the matter until they reached home.

Schooner Jennie A. Crocker, Capt. Brown, of Bath, Me., left New York for Providence Dec. 5th and has not since been heard of. Supposed lost with all hands.

The American schooner Francis Lewy was sunk by a collison with a steamship in Formosa Channel. Six lives were lost, including two Americans, mate and steward. Property lost, $30,000.

Charles Walever was buried under thirty feet of earth by a forty-foot well caving in upon him at Ilion, N. Y., at noon Saturday, was rescued alive at midnight the same night, but lived only about an hour and a half.

Barque Nancy Bryson, from Pernambuco for New York with sugar, has foundered off Hatteras. Crew saved.

Herbert H. Young was killed on the Maine Central Railroad at Bangor, and R. W. Jackman was killed on the Grand Trunk Railroad near Portland, on Saturday.

Two colored politicians in South Carolina have fought a duel which commands admiration when compared with the Bennett-May farce. They meant business and exchanged four shots. Both were wounded, one of them three times.

Senator Anthony, of Rhode Island, is rapidly recovering. His complaint was not paralysis, but a case of poisoning from eating a partridge which had been feeding on laurel buds.

Political.

Advices from Washington, Sunday, say the principal opposition to the compromise scheme in Congress comes from the republicans in the Senate and the democrats in the House.

The republicans did a wise thing last week, in nominating Benj. F. Prescott of Epping for Governor. Mr. Prescott was a graduate of Dartmouth, is a fine scholar, a polished gentleman, with a commanding form and feature, a temperance and a progressive man. He has been Secretary of State for several years, and was so courteous to all parties, and so ably filled his position as to win the respect of his political opponents. His occupation is that of a tiller of the soil, and the old homestead under his labor and guidance has been very productive, and he has the honor of being called an excellent farmer.—*Rochester Courier.*

Gov. Kellogg found the debt of Louisiana on taking the gubernatorial chair four years ago to be $24,093,407, with further contingent liabilities amounting to $21,500,000. The total interest bearing debt is now $11,500,000. Fraudulent claims have been rejected, made as much by native democratic thieves as by republican carpet baggers. He found taxation for State purposes at the rate of 21 1-2 mills on the dollar, and for parish purposes even greater in many sections. He is guilty of reducing taxation for State and school purposes to 14 1-2 mills on the dollar, and has secured the enactment of a law by the provisions of which parish taxes cannot exceed the State taxes.

"Webb" telegraphs the Boston *Journal* from Washington that the democrats in Congress will support the compromise bill "as a party measure," and that democrats there say Tilden has sent word directing them to favor it.

The attempt to frighten the republicans into conceding Tilden's election is pretty generally confessed to be a failure. The few sensible leaders among the democrats have seen the folly of the movement from the start, but there is a small faction of blusterers who still persist in keeping up a hubbub. Why their uproar hurts no one except themselves is fairly explained by *Harper's Weekly:* "The republicans who are disposed to regard the situation as patriots and not as partisans are the very last people in the country to be frightened by threats, or 'committees of safety,' or mass conventions to overawe Congress. They have seen service in the field, and they have the reticence of courage. The entire performance of the 8th of January, so far as they are concerned, totally defeats its own purpose, and makes a reasonable and just settlement more difficult, because it confirms the suspicion that the dominant desire with many of the democratic leaders is not a lawful adjustment, but a partisan advantage at all costs and by any means."

The disintegration of the democratic majority which has begun in Georgia is already foreshadowed in Tennessee. The election of Isham G. Harris to the United States Senate has created such dissatisfaction that the republicans are claiming a sure success at the next election. An ex-Confederate at Nashville said to the correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial* last week: "The democracy have played the old scratch, as usual. They have hurt the party more than they dream. Wait until next election and you will see changes that will nearly pat the republicans in possession of the Legislature. Then the effect in the North will be bad. I was here at the beginning of the war, and know that Isham G. Harris, more than any other man, took Tennessee out of the Union. He fairly 'bulldozed' her out. He did all that a man could do to fire the Southern heart. Had Andrew Johnson been Governor instead of Harris, Tennessee never would have seceded. I went with the South myself, though I always doubted the wisdom of secession. I have acted with the democratic party since, and may continue to act with it; but I tell you frankly there will be a shaking up of dry bones in this State if the old secession element, as represented by Harris, undertakes to ride the party and crush opposition."

Confederate Bonds in London.

It is a significant fact that immediately after the election, when it was thought in England that Mr. Tilden was elected President, the old Confederate bonds were quoted in the London money market. This was indignantly denied by the democrats when it was first reported, but that it is true is proved by a copy of the London *Observer*, recently received at the Treasury Department. In the money article in that paper reviewing the transactions of the week ending Nov. 11, the following statement appears: "As a curious incident it may be mentioned that some dealings took place in the Confederate loan, in view of Mr. Tilden's election, the quotations being 2 1-2 to 3 1-2." This is conclusive evidence that it was believed in England that with the accession to power of the democrats the rebel debt would be assumed and the Confederate bonds paid. The democrats may deny any such purpose, but it is evident that the English must have had some ground for their belief, or they would not have acted so promptly.

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—The French papers are full of anecdotes of M. Chaix d'Est Ange, the famous advocate. It is recalled that in 1810, while defending a murderer upon whom was found a poniard, he declared the instrument was a Masonic emblem, and showed that he carried one himself. Whereupon the advocate for prosecution had him fined for carrying murderous weapons.

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January 16, 1877.

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There will be gospel meetings every evening this week in the chapel at Faith Home. Services at 7:30. Scripture reading by Miss Hutchins (blind). Friends are invited. It is expected Rev. John A. Goss will preach Wednesday evening.

The *American Journal of the Medical Sciences* for the first quarter of the year 1877, is issued; edited by Isaac Hays, M. D., assisted by I. Minis Hays, M. D.; Henry C. Lea, publisher, 706 and 708 Sansom street, Philadelphia; $5 per year, —or the *Journal*, with the "Monthly Abstract of Medical Science," subscription to which alone is $2.50, and the "Medical News and Library," subscription to which is $1, will all three be sent for a year to one address for six dollars, *in advance*.

The *Tribune Almanac and Political Register* for 1877, edited by Edward McPherson, can be procured at Foster's bookstore at twenty-five cents per copy, and is a book no one interested in politics can afford to be without. It contains an immense amount of statistical matter, including full election returns from each State and Territory; the Constitution of the United States, and the Amendments; the political platforms of *all* the parties; in short, there is hardly a question can be asked respecting the past political history of the United States that is not answered in this book.

A mare belonging to Mr. Clarence B. Mason dropped dead on the South Millpond trotting track, Monday afternoon. So far as we can learn the animal had not been overdriven, and was going at only a moderate pace when she fell dead.

There will be preaching every evening this week at the Methodist vestry on Daniel street. The pastor, Rev. James Noyes, will be assisted by Rev. Mr. Strout of Eliot, Maine. There is considerable interest manifested, and the meetings thus far have been well attended. All are invited.

Workmen have commenced repairing the roof of the iron building used as a boiler-shop in the navy yard, which was crushed in recently by the snow.

SEABROOK.

Seabrook (reckless of the fact that Henry Watterson and Proctor Knott have decided on "wah" in this country, and that Russia and Turkey propose to make things lively in Europe,) has engaged in a little war on its own account, on the school question. It seems that in school district number five, which includes a great part of South Seabrook, there are one hundred and thirty children of suitable age to attend school; the town allows the district so much money per scholar, and last year there were two schools; but this year the Prudential Committee, against the protest of many of the residents, has given all the money to a single teacher, paying her at the rate of forty dollars a month. For the first term of thirteen weeks one hundred scholars reported, and the average attendance was sixty-nine; for the second term sixty-nine reported and the average attendance was forty-eight. The School Committee of the town was petitioned by fifty-two voters to divide the scholars into two schools, but owing to some technical question he has been unable to act until recently, and now the Prudential Committee refuses to submit. The teacher complains of "persecution," and writes: "no doubt the entire district would favor a division of the scholars, but the majority of the people have too much honor to attempt it under present circumstances;" considering that as she came to the town from Maine expecting to receive all the school money, it would not be honorable to now divide it. A protest against the way the money has been spent has been handed the selectmen of the town; and the State Superintendent of Education, who recently visited the town, counselled a division of the school. Possibly the conference committees of Congress, after they get through "overthrowing the Constitution of the United States by resolution," may find a job to attend to in Seabrook.

SCARLET FEVER.

The Boston Board of Health has issued the following circular, a copy of which has been sent to every householder in that city; and in view of the fact that the disease is alarmingly prevalent in many parts of the country, and in towns in this immediate vicinity, we reproduce it in the hope that it may be of service in assisting to prevent the scourge from becoming general in this city:

"The Board of Health issues the following circular of recommendation with the hope that those not familiar with the care of scarlet fever may be benefitted thereby. Scarlet fever is like small-pox in its power to spread readily from person to person. It is highly contagious. The disease shows its first signs in about one week after exposure, as a general rule, and persons who escape the illness during a fortnight after exposure may feel themselves safe from attack. Scarlet fever, scarlatina, canker rash and rash fever are names of one and the same dangerous disease. When a case of scarlet fever occurs in any family the sick person should be placed in a room apart from the other inmates of the house, and should be nursed as far as possible by one person only. The sick chamber should be well warmed, exposed to sunlight and well aired. Its furniture should be such as will permit of cleansing without injury, and all extra articles, such as window drapery and woollen carpets, should be removed from the room during the sickness. The family should not mingle with other people. Visitors to an infected house should be warned of the presence of a dangerous disease therein, and children especially should not be admitted. On recovery the sick person should not mingle with the well until the roughness of the skin, due to the disease, shall have disappeared. A month is considered an average period during which isolation is needed. The clothing, before being worn or used by the patient or the nurse, should be cleansed by boiling for at least one hour, or if that cannot be done, by free and prolonged exposure to out-door air and sunlight. The walls of the room should be dry-rubbed, and the cloths used for the purpose should be burned without previous shaking. The ceiling should be scraped and whitened; the floor should be washed with soap and water, and carbolic acid may be added to the water (one pint to three or four gallons). The infected clothing should be cleansed by itself and not sent to the laundry. In case of death from scarlet fever the funeral services should be strictly private, and the corpse should not be exposed to view. Because children are especially liable to take and to spread scarlet fever, and because schools afford free opportunity for this, the Board of Health has excluded from school every child from any family in which a case of the disease has occurred, and has decreed that the absence shall continu four weeks from the beginning of the attack, except in cases subject of the discretion of the board, and that the scholar to be re-admitted to his school-room, must have the certificate of a physician that the required time has passed."

—The Washington correspondent of the Louisville *Courier-Journal* writes: "Those who are familiar with society in Washington cannot avoid observing that all the girls have attenuated forms. We, who are accustomed to the fine development of Western and Southern women, look with astonishment at the thin arms and scraggy necks that are exposed to view. To render the attenuation more apparent, young ladies have adopted the close-clinging skirts and corset waists laced down the back. Thus attired our girls can be likened to nothing but an exclamation point. There is as much symmetry of form in one as the other. When these girls dance the German humane persons are inclined to petition the gentlemen to handle them with them care, lest they break in two at the fifteen-inch waist."

—James Wright was a few days ago, by the merest chance, saved from being carried over the American Fall at Niagara. He was clearing the ice from the tail-race, below Witmer's Mill, when the ice on which he was standing suddenly gave way, precipitating him into the rapids. The current in an instant swept the bewildered man far below the mill; but, fortunately, he was thrown against some stationary shore ice, to which he clung with desperate tenacity, and called lustily for help. Assistance was at hand, and his rescuers, by joining hands, reached him, and by tying a rope around his body finally rescued him from his perilous position. He was found to have suffered a dislocation of his shoulder.

—The Providence *Press* relates the following story of a gallant colonel of a Rhode Island Regiment during the earlier portion of his military life. The regiment being at "order arms," our colonel desired to put the column in motion. He therefore gave the order "forward, march!" and rode off without looking behind him. No man moved in the ranks, and after riding a short distance Col. —— discovered the fact. He turned, saying, "What have I done now?" and was informed that it was impossible, from a military standpoint, for a column to move when at "order arms." "Oh, well," rejoined the matter-of-fact colonel, "pick up them things and come along." They came.

—One of Commodore Vanderbilt's associates in his various railway enterprises is Sam. Berger, a wag as well as a director. At one of the meetings the Commodore said he did not see how it was that Jay Gould got at all the facts and figures about the New York Central. "I'll tell you how you can prevent his knowing anything about your roads," said Sam. "How?" asked the Commodore. "Elect him a director," was the reply. The autocratic fashion in which the old man managed the road is well known.

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TULLEY. In this city, Jan. 21, Mr. George H. Tulley, aged 26 years, 8 months.

MARSTON. In Newburyport, Jan. 19, Mrs. Elizabeth Marston, aged 82 years, 4 months, widow of the late Benning Marston of this city.

LOCKE. In Rye, Jan. 20, Capt. Richard R. Locke, aged 82 years and 6 months.

PARKER. In Kittery, Jan. 20, Ralph Percy Parker, eldest child of Peirce and Mary E. Parker, aged 6 years and 2 months.

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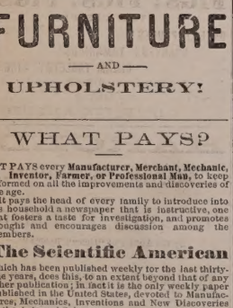

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I never until this fall realized the debt we owe the press, and I never appreciated the advantages of living in a country that elects its own rulers. My husband is a democrat, and my father, who boards who us, is a republican. On the 7th of November I took down my last winter's cloak, and I couldn't keep back the tears. That cloak cost $25, but it was short, and of course I couldn't wear it this season. It didn't seem as if I could wear my double Paisley shawl all winter, but I thought of the sufferings of the poor, our heavy church debt, and of the many obligations William had to meet the 1st of January, and I concluded I would not say a word about it. I might be a dowdy, but I would go calmly forward—up the church aisle—supported by the smiles of an approving conscience.

When William came home that night he said New York had gone for Tilden, and there was a glow upon his brow and a light within his eye I hadn't seen there for years. The biscuits were light as a feather, and said I, "William, what do you think I had better do about a cloak, this winter? You know they don't wear short cloaks. I suppose you don't feel as if you could afford a new one?"

"See about it," said William, scraping the last drop of peach juice from his preserve plate. That's a dreadful vulgar habit, and I told William so over and over again, and I do wonder, that being a genuine, elegant democrat, he will persist in it.

The next morning, when I passed through the sitting-room, William sat shivering over a closed register in his stocking-feet, his hair uncombed, but he cried out from the top of his paper, "Democratic victories everywhere!" "Intense excitement and rejoicing!" We had waffles and maple molasses for breakfast, and I made the coffee myself. William had made one earnest dab at his head with the hair-brush, but had evidently missed. Father called for toast, and said he had neuralgic pains all down the left side of his face. William read aloud soothing morsels from the democratic paper, such as "Indiana gives Tilden 10,000 majority!"

"What do you think, this morning, about my having a new cloak, William?"

"Of course you can have a new cloak, if you need one. 'Full returns not yet received from Oregon, Nevada, Florida and Louisiana, but they are undoubtedly ours!"

"Um!" said father.

I felt a good deal of anxiety about family prayers, Williamism't a professor. Father leads devotions, and I was afraid he would be too supplicatory; but he prayed mostly for the heathen, Jews, and such like, but didn't refer to the democrats, and only once—just after the heathen—alluded to our suffering country.

When William came up to dinner, he said returns of democratic majorities were pouring in from all quarters, and said I: "William, I've been thinking the matter over, and I do believe it would be the best economy to buy a fur cloak. Everybody is wearing fur. It might cost more at first, but it would be the cheapest in the end—fur is so durable."

"How much will it cost?"

"Mrs. Colonel Tucker's sealskin sacque was $200, last winter, but I don't feel as if, in our circumstances, we can afford that. Furs are cheaper than last Fall, and I think I could get a good desirable article, not so rich as some, but still good enough for people in our circumstances, for $150."

"Hm!" said father.

William had taken out a blank check, and was reflecting, when in whisked the President of the democratic club, and said Florida and South Carolina had gone for Tilden, and William was wanted down to the club-room to see about the illumination. He filled out the check, and I immediately went down street and selected the cloak.

That evening a shade of anxiety—a scarcely perceptible tinge of melancholy—had settled on William's countenance, while father's neuralgia was better. William asked if I had done anything about my cloak, and, if I hadn't he should suggest waiting awhile; furs might be cheaper. He said, when I asked him about it, the illumination had been postponed.

The next morning I heard the boys in the streets screaming that Hayes was elected, and when I went down father was sitting on the front stairs, coatless, and with his vest on one shoulder, while William balanced himself on the edge of the hat stand. Both patriots were stocking-footed. They had just taken in the morning papers. Very little conversation was made at the breakfast table, but father was extremely polite to William, and said he didn't know when he had eaten buckwheat cakes that tasted so much as they did when he was a boy.

At noon, William didn't stay to dessert, but father, having eaten his own pudding, drew William's untasted plate to himself.

The tears were welling to my eyes, and father kindly inquired why I wept.

"I've been thinking my old hat fixed over won't look at all suitable with my new cloak, but William is so blue I can't bear to ask him for money.'

"Mercy on me!" said father, "don't cry over a bonnet. Go down and get what you want and bring the bill to me."

My hat was to be of seal-brown. "Two feathers or three?" asked the milliner. I thought of the hundreds out of employment, of the destitution and want the winter would behold, of the vanity and pride of dress, but

while I hesitated a newsboy, just out with the afternoon papers, yelled: "Florida and Louisiana both sure for Hayes!" I knew how father would feel, and said: "O, three, certainly."

For two or three days there was a look, not so much of pure melancholy as of gloom, wrath and vengeance commingled in William's countenance, and he sprinkled pepper on his beefsteak fearfully. Father said that he awaited the action of the Louisiana Returning Board with confidence in their integrity, and sipped his tea with a spoon. I never knew father to sip his tea before with a spoon in my life.

By and by it was reported that electors' names had been omitted from republican votes in Louisiana, and father said there was a chill in these November days that struck to the very marrow, and William said he intended to arrange his business so that he could spend two or three weeks of winter in some Southern clime, say in Georgia or Louisiana. That afternoon I went shopping, and at tea-time laid on the cloth four or five samples of seal-brown merino.

"William," said I, "which of those do you call the best piece of goods?"

His opinion coincided with mine. I held two bits off at a distance. "Ever so many women that I know have dresses off that piece," said I. I laid the bits down, and sighed. Then I held them off again, and said; "How dreadful it is to be poor!"

"If you want a dress so badly, get it, Mary Ann," said William.

"I really don't know as in our circumstances I ought, William."

"If there's anything I hate to see, it is a shabbily-dressed woman; get it." So, in order to satisfy William, I had to get the merino.

Since that time Hayes has been sometimes elected and sometimes Tilden. All disguises have fallen off in our family, and though my father and William treat each other with forced politeness, such words as "corruption," "nigger," "bulldozed," has become familiar language in what I once hoped would be a refined Christian household.

"William," said I, as I rang for more baked potatoes one morning, "I never allowed myself to read the Beecher scandal—much as I wanted to—and if it was worse than this I'm glad I didn't."

One day, when Louisiana went for Hayes, father promised me a new parlor carpet. If the question isn't settled soon, I think I can easily get the house refurnished, and, perhaps, have a new China set and a silver dessert service. I am sorry the Centennial is closed, for I know I could just as well spend another fortnight in Philadelphia, and I do believe I could have that lovely pink coral set I wanted so badly.

I don't understand politics, but I am so glad I live under a republican form of Government, and I do feel sure, if any one makes good resolutions and tries to be economical, and really means to be a good wife and daughter, a way will open out of difficulties.—*Lancaster (Penn.) Examiner.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 24, 1877.

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Reform.

State Senator Nash, of South Carolina, on Monday testified before Sayler's committee in Washington, that he was chosen as Elector on the republican ticket in November, and was afterward approached by Mr. Childs, President of the Carolina National Bank, with an offer of $18,000 down and $40,000 contingent if he would vote for Tilden. The democrats say "Childs is a high-toned man and an invalid, who will hardly be able to appear before the committee," but "will probably squelch Nash with a deposition." Let's see; what was it the democrats said about "a very convenient illness" at the time Hon. James G Blaine was stricken down by disease and lying at the point of death?

The Telegraph War.

Saturday morning information was received at the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Office in Pittsburg, Pa., that the Western Union Telegraph Company had organized a large force of men in the oil region for the purpose of destroying the wires of the Merchants' National Telegraph Company, which were being operated by the Western Union under a lease acquired by consolidation of an old line in 1874. This lease being about to expire, and knowing that the wires which extend through the oil regions would revert to the control of the Atlantic & Pacific Company, which has lately purchased a controlling interest in the stock of the Merchants' National Company, the Western Union Company, it is said, preferred a suit for damages rather than allow these important connections to fall into the hands of their opponents, and proposed taking advantage of the adjournment of the Court and the absence of the Judges on Saturday to complete the work of destruction before an injunction could be issued to restrain them. In this, however, they were baffled, as the Atlantic & Pacific Company employed eminent counsel in Pittsburg, and had an injunction issued in chambers through Judge Ewing at 6 P. M., and served the same on all the officers that could be found, at once, and telegraphed copies of the same to all points in the oil regions, special messengers being sent out by train to get off at different points and take the road with horses in search of the gang. Armed with this injunction they followed their trail by the marks of destruction, one party having cut down the poles and destroyed the wire for seven miles before the messenger on horseback overtook them and stopped the outrageous work. All the wires between Franklin and Oil City were also destroyed, and probably in other points not yet heard from. The Superintendent of the Western Union Company having absented himself from the office in Pittsburg, could not be personally served with the papers, though the subordinates, wherever found, were supplied with copies before 8 P. M., and as the work of destruction began at 1 A. M., there seems likely to be serious litigation over the affair, which must result finally to the advantage of the plaintiffs in the eye of the law, and the public will no doubt see in the outrage the object of the monopoly to crush out the opposition telegraph company, even by such bold proceedings as the employment of gangs of men at midnight to cut down and destroy property not their own, rather than it should legitimately fall into the hands of its owners.

President's Message.

In reply to a resolution of the House of Representatives, passed early in December, 1876, requesting the President to transmit to that body copies of all orders or directions from him, or from either of the Executive Departments, to any military commander or civil officer, relating to the service of the army in Virginia, South Carolina, Louisiana and Florida, since the first of August last, together with all reports from any said military or civil officers, the President on Monday sent to the House of Representatives the following message. After stating that the House resolution reached him on the 9th of December, the President says:

"It was immediately, or soon thereafter, referred to the Secretary of War and the Attorney-General, the custodians of all retained copies of orders or directions given by the Executive Department of the Government covered by the above inquiry, together with all the information upon which such orders or directions were given. The information, it will be observed, is voluminous, and, with the limited clerical force in the Department of Justice, has consumed the time up to the present. Some of the communications accompanying this have been already made public, in connection with messages heretofore sent to Congress. It is a class of information which includes the important documents received from the Governor of South Carolina and sent to Congress with my message on the subject of the Hamburg massacre; also the documents accompanying my response to the resolution of the House of Representatives in regard to the soldiers stationed at Petersburg; there have also come to me, and to the Department of Justice, from time to time, other earnestly written communications from persons residing in the South, some of which I append hereto, as bearing upon the precarious condition of the public peace in those States. These communications I have reason to regard as made by respectable and responsible men. Many of them deprecate the publication of their names as involving danger to them personally. The reports heretofore made by the committees of Congress of the result of their inquiries in Mississippi and in Louisiana, and the newspapers of the several States recommending the Mississippi plan, have also furnished important data for estimating the danger to the public peace and order in those States. It is enough to say that these different kinds and sources of evidence have left no doubt whatever, in my mind, that intimidation has been used and actual violence to an extent requiring the aid of the United States where it was practicable to furnish such aid.

In South Carolina and Florida, and in Louisiana as well as in Mississippi, Alabama and Georgia, the troops of the United States have been but sparingly used, and in no case so as to interfere with the free exercise of the right of suffrage. Very few troops were available for the purpose of preventing or suppressing the violence and intimidation in the States above mentioned. In no case except that of South Carolina was the number of soldiers in any State increased in anticipation of the election, saving that twenty-four men and an officer were sent from Fort Foote to Petersburg, Va., where disturbances were threatened prior to the election. No troops were stationed at the voting places in Florida and Louisiana, respectively; the small number of soldiers in the said States were stationed at such points in each State as were most threatened with violence, where they might be available as a posse for the officer whose duty it was to preserve the peace and prevent the intimidation of voters. Such a disposition of the troops seemed to me reasonable and justified by law and precedent, while its omission would have been inconsistent with the constitutional duty of the President of the United States, to take care that the laws be faithfully executed. The statute expressly forbids the bringing of troops to the polls, except where it is necessary to keep the peace, implying that to keep the peace it may be done, but this even, so far as I am advised, has not in any case been done. The stationing of a company, or part of a company, in the vicinity where they would be available to prevent riot, has been the only use made of troops. Prior to, or at the time of the election, they were so stationed that they could be called in an emergency requiring it by a Marshal or Deputy Marshal as a posse to aid in suppressing unlawful violence.

The evidence which has come to me has left no ground to doubt that if there had been more military force available it would have been my duty to have disposed of in several States, with a view to the prevention of the violence and intimidation which have undoubtedly contributed to the defeat of the election law in Mississippi, Alabama and Georgia, as well as in South Carolina, Louisiana and Florida. By article 4, section 5, of the Constitution, "the United States shall guarantee to every State in the Union a republican form of government, and on application of the Legislature, or of the Executive, when the Legislature cannot be convened, against domestic violence." By act of Congress, Revised Statutes of the United States, sections 1034-5, the President, in case of an insurrection in any State, or of unlawful obstruction to the enforcement of the laws of the United States by the ordinary course of judicial proceedings, or whenever domestic violence in any State so obstructs the execution of the laws thereof, and of the United States, as to deprive any portion of the people of such State of their civil or political rights, the President is authorized to employ such parts of the land and naval forces as he may deem necessary to enforce the execution of the laws, preserve the peace and sustain the authority of the State and of the United States. Acting under title 69 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, I accompanied the sending of troops to South Carolina with a proclamation such as is therein prescribed.

The President is also authorized by act of Congress to employ such part of the land or naval forces of the United States as shall be necessary to prevent violation and to enforce the due execution of the provisions of title 24 of the Revised Statutes of the United States for the protection of the civil rights of citizens, among which is the provision against conspiracies to prevent by force, intimidation or threat, any citizen who is lawfully entitled to vote, from giving his support or advocacy in a legal manner toward, or in favor of, the election of any lawfully-qualified person as an Elector for President or Vice President, or as a member of the Congress of the United States. Revised Statutes, 1989: In a case falling under this title, I have not considered it necessary to issue a proclamation to precede or accompany the employment of such part of the army as seemed to be necessary. In case of insurrection against a State Government, or against the United States, a proclamation is appropriate, but in keeping the peace of the United States at an election at which members of Congress are elected, no such call from the State or proclamation by the President is prescribed by the statute, or required by precedent.

In the case of South Carolina insurrection and domestic violence against the State Government were clearly shown, and the application of the Governor thereon was duly presented, and I could not deny his constitutional request without abandoning my duty as the Executive of the National Government. The companies stationed in other States have been employed to secure the better execution of the laws of the United States and to preserve the peace of the United States. After the election had been held, and where violence was apprehended by which the returns from the counties and precincts might be destroyed, troops were ordered to the State of Florida and those already in Louisiana were ordered to the points of greatest danger of violence.

I have not employed troops on slight occasions, nor in any case where it has not been necessary to the enforcement of the laws of the United States: In this I have been guided by the Constitution and the laws which have been enacted and the precedents which have been formed under it. It has been necessary to employ troops occasionally to overcome resistance to the internal revenue laws, from the time of resistance to the collection of the whiskey tax in Pennsylvania under Washington to the present time.

In 1854, when it was apprehended that resistance would be made in Boston to the seizure and return to his master of a fugitive slave, the troops there stationed were employed to enforce the master's right under the Constitution, and troops stationed at New York were ordered to be in readiness to go to Boston if it should prove to be necessary. In 1859, when John Brown, with a small number of men, made an attack upon Harper's Ferry, the President ordered United States troops to assist in the apprehension and suppression of him and his party, without a formal call of the legislature or Governor of Virginia, and without the proclamation of the President. Without citing further instances in which the Executive has exercised his powers as commander of the army and navy to prevent or suppress resistance to the laws of the United States, or where he has exercised like authority in obedience to a call from a State to suppress insurrection, I desire to assure both Congress and the country that it has been my purpose to administer the Executive powers of the Government fairly, and in no instance to disregard or transcend the limits of the Constitution.

(Signed) U. S. GRANT.

Executive Mansion, January 22, 1877.

News and Notes.

A suit has been commenced in capias, in the United States District Court of New York, against Samuel J. Tilden to recover $150,000, the alleged balance due of income tax. Monday afternoon a capias was issued and served on Mr. Tilden, returnable on the 6th of February.

The London *Standard* says it is now beyond doubt that the American ship George Green, Capt. Wilcox, has been lost, with all on board. An inquest was held at Kingston, Devonshire, on a body identified as the captain's wife.

On Monday evening, in Providence, a coasting party on a "double runner" ran into a sleigh, and a number of persons were thrown under the horse. Martin Boyle, aged 44, was instantly killed; Mrs. Boyle was severely injured, and several others slightly. No one of the sleighing party was hurt.

A story comes from Missouri to the effect that Philip Ames, with the assistance of his wife's sister, murdered his wife and child, and then attempted to escape with his paramour, but a mob attacked them, shot the woman dead, hung the man and then burned the bodies of the two to ashes.

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Important to persons visiting New York or the Centennial. The Grand Union Hotel, New York, opposite the Grand Central Depot, has over 350 elegantly furnished rooms. Elevator, steam and all improvements. European plan. Carriage hire is saved, as baggage is taken to and from the depot free. Guests can live better for less money at the Grand Union than at any other first-class hotel. Stages and cars pass the Hotel constantly to all parts of the city, and to the Philadelphia depot.

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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

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WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

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Fine Watch Repairing and Engraving.
Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

THERE IS NO REASON

Why any one should suffer with **Sick Headache, Dyspepsia** or **Biliousness.** The cure is in a box of

LITTLE GIANTS!

SOLD BY ALL THE DRUGGISTS.

Trade Mark on Square Boxes.

$10 REWARD!

WILL BE PAID the Finder of a GOLD LOCKET and CHAIN lost on Middle or Austin street on the 16th inst. on leaving them at 25 Middle Street.

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Trust and Guarantee Company!

Depositors Secured by a Special Deposit Fund of

$100,000 as GUARANTY

"Against all Possible Loss of Every Kind and Nature."

The Company continues to receive sums on deposit as a "SAVINGS BANK," allowing interest therefor. The plan of this institution cannot be better exemplified than by the following extract from a communication from a prominent Bank Examiner:

"I am satisfied that yours is the only true principle upon which a "Savings Bank" ought to be established and which affords *perfect security to every depositor.*"

The Board of Direction is composed of the following gentlemen, viz:

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DANIEL MARCY, WILLIAM H. HACKETT,
JOHN SISE, THOMAS H. ODION,
EDWIN A. PETERSON.

GEORGE L. TREADWELL, Treasurer.

January 16, 1877.

NOTICE--KEARSARGE MILLS.

A DIVIDEND OF TWO DOLLARS per share, to Stockholders of 15th inst., will be paid on THURSDAY, January 25th. Portsmouth Stockholders will be paid at the Agent's office, at the Mills.

R. B. ADAMS, Agent.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 25TH, a Dividend of 25 per cent. will be paid on all allowed claims against the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, to be paid at their Banking House in Market Street. Deposit Books must be presented by the person who made the deposit, or by the person in whose name the deposit stands; otherwise, an order for the Dividend, duly witnessed, must be brought with the book. Blanks for this order will be furnished.

EDWARD P. KIMBALL, Assignee,

Portsmouth, Jan. 13, 1877.

SPECTACLES & EYE GLASSES!

The "Brilliants"

From their peculiar construction of the GLASSES and FRAMES are UNRIVALLED for

Strengthening and Preserving the Eyesight!

and for their lasting qualities.

Parties who have worn the various kinds offered for sale in this vicinity, and now wear the "BRILLIANTS" say that they *surpass all others in the ease and comfort they afford.*

TRY A PAIR.

We warrant them to give perfect satisfaction. A full assortment of sizes, set in Gold, Steel and Rubber of the Finest Quality, also the "SKELETON EYE GLASS," the neatest of all varieties, all warranted not to break from any imperfection in the manufacture, can always be obtained of

H. B. Buzzell & Son,

SOLE AGENTS,

No. 14 Pleasant Street, - Portsmouth.

Dealers in Room Paper, Curtains, Books, Toys, Stationery, Fancy Goods, &c. Agents for Morton's Gold Pens, Holders and Pencils.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

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Fall & Winter GOODS

— AT —

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WM. P. WALKER

having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

Cloths, Cassimeres etc.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

WINTER SUITINGS

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Particular attention paid to the making of

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ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Constantly on hand, consisting of

SHIRTS,
GLOVES,
BOSOMS,
COLLARS
DRAWERS,
SUSPENDERS,
LINEN GOODS,
HANDKERCHIEFS

Of Every Description.

JAMES M. CARR,

DEALER IN

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No. 34 MARKET STREET,

(Formerly HILL & CARR,)

Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*

All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

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MERCHANT TAILOR,

Keeps on hand a good assortment of seasonable goods for Gentlemen's wear, which will, be made up in the latest style, or as ordered.

CLOTHES WILL ALSO BE

Altered, Cleansed or Repaired

SATISFACTORILY.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE!

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H. W. BRIANT,

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Prescriptions compounded with all possible care and of the purest materials.

The special attention of the Medical Faculty is directed to the Elixirs and other non-official pharmaceutical preparations manufactured on the premises, which the Proprietor guarantees of full strength, and equal in point of manufacture to any in the market.

An inspection of the above respectfully solicited

A FULL LINE OF ALL SUCH ARTICLES as may be found in

A First-Class Drug Store,

may always be found at his establishment.

THE

DOMESTIC FLUTER

Patented October 31, 1876.

For fluting pillow-shams, cambric dresses, skirts, aprons, and all garments trimmed with ruffles; also making fluting of woolen goods for dress-trimmings. This fluter is pronounced by competent judges to be the simplest and most desirable; safe to use in regard to heat, and no fear of cutting the material.

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NEW YORK CLUB OR RINK
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STRAPPED CLUB
ROCKER & HALF ROCKER
ALSO A FULL LINE OF LADIES'

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HAVERLY'S MINSTRELS!

FRANKLIN OPERA-HOUSE,

ONE NIGHT ONLY,

WEDNESDAY EVEN'G, JAN. 24.

J. H. HAVERLY . . . . . Proprietor.
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The largest and most refined minstrel organization in the world. **A CONGRESS OF STARS** in one of their chaste and elegant entertainments, introducing all the latest Ethiopian novelties of the day—in a style and manner peculiar alone to this talented Troupe.

Prices as usual. Seats three days in advance at Franklin Bazaar, under Opera-House.

22-24 E. A. TINKHAM, General Agent.

OLD FOLKS CONCERT!

THE YOUNG PEOPLE connected with the UNIVERSALIST SUNDAY SCHOOL, assisted by able volunteer talent, will give an OLD FOLKS' CONCERT

IN COSTUME

AT THE

Universalist Church, Thursday Eve'g,

JAN. 25TH.

Doors open at 7 o'clock; commencing at 7:45.

Admission 20 cents for adults; 10 cents for children. Tickets can be had at James M. Carr's, Market Street.

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 38 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

For Rent.

ONE-HALF HOUSE No. 11 Washington Street. nov17 Apply at House.

House to Let.

NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises. oct13

To Let.

A HOUSE on Melcher Street, near Pleasant. Ten rooms, water in house; rent low to one or two tenants. tf Apply at 34 PLEASANT ST.

Office Rooms To Let.

THE TWO FRONT ROOMS over the Rockingham National Bank. Apply at the Bank.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.

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Store corner State and Washington streets.

Apply to A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.

Also, a few large and choice NORWAY SPRUCE Trees, for Fall setting. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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PURE STRAINED HONEY in small bottles, also, HONEY COMB, for sale by

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FIGS! FIGS! FIGS!

VERY CHEAP!

DATES! PRUNES!
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NOTICE--W. T. L.

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G. E. RANDALL, *Secretary.*

LOOK!

We have on hand a few part pieces of

ELYSIAN BEAVER,

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We mean what we say.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30†	P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "	
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "	
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	4.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Concord Way,		4.35 "	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "	
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "	

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "	
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Sagamore Lodge, No. 258, Knights of Honor, are to dedicate their new Hall on Market street, formerly known as "Washington Hall," on next Monday evening, Jan. 29th. The Grand Officers of the State are expected to be present and perform the dedication exercises, and also to install the officers for the coming year.

Haverly's Minstrels appear this evening in Franklin Hall; see advertisement.

The young people of the Universalist Sunday School are to give an Old Folks' Concert in costume at the Universalist church tomorrow evening, commencing at a quarter to eight o'clock. See advertisement.

The Boston *Post* says of Haverley's Minstrels: "This troupe has brought by far the ripest and yet the freshest fun of its kind that has been enjoyed here for a long time. There is novelty in the jokes and originality in the way of presenting them. * * * The entertainments presented by this troupe are so new that they are like a refreshing wave of original fun, but at the same time they are such as the most fastidious cannot object to. They are intended for the best audiences the city can furnish."

Eds. Chronicle: I would again call the attention of the Eastern Railroad managers to the fact, that by night a light of some kind at or near the junction of the Portland, Saco & Portsmouth and Portsmouth & Dover railroads, near the toll-house, is absolutely necessary and is what the public really demands. That junction is truly a dangerous place, especially "when darkness prevails." Now would it not be cheaper for the Company to thus provide a suitable light, than in some future—and perhaps not far distant,—day to pay for somebody's life for the lack of such provision? P.

Lt. Col. Jasper G. Wallace, of Dover, is to be buried this afternoon at two o'clock, with military honors. In accordance with the regulations, six companies will act as escort. The Portsmouth Light Artillery and Portsmouth Cavalry have been invited to take part, and will do so.

The Rink was flooded with fresh water on Tuesday, so there will probably be good skating there to-day.

Some time Monday night the house of Mr. Jacob Haddock, at No. 83 Islington street, was entered through a window and an overcoat, hat and pair of boots stolen. The thief rifled the pockets of a vest, taking therefrom some change.

Schooner Elizabeth M. Smith, Capt. Raymond, arrived at Newburyport from Boston on Monday, having in tow the fishing schooner Lone Star of Portsmouth, which was sunk at the Isle of Shoals and taken to Boston for repairs. [Probably Laighton Brothers' schooner yacht Lone Star is the vessel referred to.] The E. M. Smith will take on board the spars of the wrecked schooner J. B. McCarthy and proceed to Portsmouth. The schooner is manned usually by the Captain's own family, consisting of himself, three daughters and a young son, but in the absence of one of his daughters he was obliged to ship a man to perform her duty. They are perfectly at home on board. They can cook, hand, reef and steer, and make themselves as useful as menfolks.

Hickey and McCarthy, of the Portsmouth Light Artillery, will have a competitive drill with two others in Newburyport on the night of Jan. 31st, for the champion medal, now held by Hickey and McCarthy.

In our report of the republican County Convention an error occurred, our reporter having stated that Mr. Cyrus L. Brown of this city, one of the candidates for County Commissioner, withdrew after his vote had fallen off to three. The fact in the case was that Mr. Brown withdrew (in favor of Mr. Newton Johnston, who was finally nominated,) at the close of the fourth ballot, when his vote was seventeen, the same as it was on the first formal ballot. But for this action of Mr. Brown's the nomination of Mr. Johnston could not probably have been effected and Portsmouth would have had no member in the board of County Commissioners.

About one in five of the school children of Newington have the measles.

YORK.

Our worthy and much esteemed citizen, Capt. Joseph Weare, at Cape Neddick, lies dangerously ill of pneumonia. He has the best of care in the family, and, of course, the best medical aid that can be procured—and this is in the persons of Dr. J. J. Hazen of York, and Dr. F. E. Potter of Portsmouth. Should Capt. Weare do other than well, he would be very much missed in the community, as he has been Postmaster at Cape Neddick for the past twenty years, and is a very useful, kind and obliging citizen, respected by all. P.

NORTH HAMPTON.

Things have been very dull in this place this winter so far, but signs of life have shown themselves of late. Mr. Thomas Chase, of Seabrook, on Jan. 22d opened a singing school in Centennial Hall, which is well attended.

The ladies of the Christian Society projected a Fair to be held in the church on the evenings of Jan. 23 and 24.

The ladies of the Centre will hold a Fair and Festival in Centennial Hall on the evenings of Jan. 30 and 31. The entertainment will consist of dialogues, songs, instrumental music, etc., and Mr. Chase will lead a quartette of male voices. Refreshments will be furnished in abundance. Admission—adults 25 cents; children under 15 years of age, 15 cents. If stormy, the festival will be held the first fair evening. J. W. B.

New Hampshire Items.

All the woollen mills (flannels) of Harrisville have shut down on account of low water. Nearly all the factories in Western New Hampshire are obliged to run part of the time only.

The police of Manchester were engaged Monday in making a large number of raids on beer saloons in Ward Five.

Frank Twist, of Hudson, froze both feet a few days since while running on a bet, and it was found necessary to amputate them.

In the Supreme Court at Manchester, Monday, Allen Williams was arraigned for trial on an indictment for arson, committed in Peterboro last August. The property burned was mortgaged by the respondent to the Peterboro Bank and Albert Scott, the latter having foreclosed and taken possession.

The Directors of the New Hampshire General Hospital have accepted the proposition of Ex-Gov. Straw for the free use of the Amoskeag Company's old farm buildings at the lower end of Elm street in Manchester for temporary hospital purposes. The property will soon be put in condition, and thus a need long felt in the community will be supplied. A long list of members at $10 each has been received to supply funds for immediate uses. The subscription for life membership is $100. Local physicians will render service gratuitously.

The Supreme Court met at Exeter, on Monday morning, and adjourned over until Wednesday, when the case of Charles U. Bell of Boston vs. John S. Lamprey was to be taken up.

James Emmons has been appointed Clerk of the Manchester Police Court, vice Thos. D. Luce, resigned.

Frank Sherborn was arrested at Great Falls, Monday, and bound over in $500. He is charged with knocking down Eben Randall, on High street, on Saturday last, and taking his pocket-book. Sherborn has just been released from a three years' term at Concord for highway robbery. He was committed to Dover jail.

At Plymouth, Tuesday, a box shop, dry house, and several cars at Whitefield, owned by Browns Lumber Company, were burned. Loss from $15,000 to $20,000. No insurance.

The main and outbuildings of James Varnum, of Candia, together with the household furniture, were consumed by fire Monday. It is supposed to have been an incendiary fire. Loss $800; insured for $300.

Rev. G. E. Lovejoy of Candia has resigned his pastoral charge.

Rev. Thomas Goodwin of the Baptist society at Suncook has resigned, his resignation to take effect the first of April.

Political.

When the Confederate House asks President Grant questions, his answer is always more than satisfactory to that body. In his message on the use of troops in the South, sent to the House on Monday, he says if he had had more troops at his disposal it would have been his duty to have placed them in the South, "with a view to the prevention of the violence and intimidation which have undoubtedly contributed to the defeat of the election laws in Mississippi, Alabama and Georgia, as well as in South Carolina, Louisiana and Florida." He also reminds the democrats that the last democratic President, James Buchanan, ordered United States troops to Virginia to assist in suppressing John Brown and his party, without receiving a formal request from the Legislature or Governor of that State and without himself issuing any proclamation.

John R. Macpherson, democrat, was elected U. S. Senator from New Jersey, Tuesday, by a majority of one.

—In the Superior Court at Boston, recently, a stable keeper was on the witness stand, being cross-examined as to the identity of a certain hack, and was asked where he had seen it. "At the depot, on the street, at the stable, in my own yard and at funerals," was the answer. "Well, you don't have many funerals out there, do you?" was asked. "Yes, considerable many; but I can't say we have as many as we would wish," was the very ingenuous reply.

—General Fisk tells with great effect the story of the colored color-bearer, who when the command of the captain of his company rung out the order for the men to fall back, thinking their exposure too serious, kept on alone in advance. When again personally ordered to fall back, lest the colors might be lost, he shouted to his captain, "Dese colors never fall back! You jess bring up the men to them, and they won't be lost."

MARRIED.

ENTWISTLE—TAYLOR. In this city, Jan. 18, by Rev. L. L. Harmon, Mr. William Entwistle of Lewiston, Me., and Mrs. Lucy Taylor of this city.

PARKS—CORNERS. In this city, Jan. 22, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. Charles E. Parks, of Portsmouth, and Miss Eliza A. Corners, of York, Me.

DIED.

PARROTT. In this city, on the 21st inst., Hannah Parker Parrott, daughter of the late John F. Parrott.

☞ Funeral from St. John's Church on Thursday at half-past 12 o'clock.

PARKER. In Kittery, Jan. 22, Mary E. Parker, only daughter of Peirce and Mary E. Parker, aged 4 years and 11 months.

Dr. A. J. Flagg's

COUGH & LUNG SYRUP.

A Safe and Sure Remedy.

The Cough and Lung Syrup

is the remedy that during the past fifteen years has won for DR. FLAGG an extensive reputation as a SPECIALIST for THROAT and LUNG Diseases. After so many years trial it can be truthfully said that it has NEVER FAILED, even in the Worst Cases. It is purely Vegetable, and its effect upon the system is at once Soothing and Tonic.

It Will Cure a Common Cold

In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION,

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

Remember that it

CURES COLDS, CURES COUGHS,

CURES CATARRH, CURES CONSUMPTION.

DR. WM. M. LADD, a leading Druggist of Claremont, certifies as follows:

For many years I have known Dr. A. J. Flagg as a successful practicing physician, and can assure the public that his representations relative to the Cough and Lung Syrup can be strictly relied upon. It has been used in his extended practice with marvellous success, and I know it to be all that he claims for it.

WM. M. LADD, M. D.

CLAREMONT, N. H., September, 1875.

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PRICE 50 CENTS. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

OVERCOATS.

WE have on hand a few CUSTOM-MADE OVERCOATS, which we shall sell cheap for cash.

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—OF—

Fall & Winter Goods

AT

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J. E. HAM and COMPANY

having a great assortment of

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CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, &C., &C.

We are prepared to make all kinds of

GARMENTS in the Latest Style.

SATISFACTION GUARANTEED. Our Stock of Goods for

Winter Suitings

is equal to any other Stock to be found in the city.

We shall continue the sale of CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, etc., by the yard, at prices according to the times. Also, a full line of

Gent's Furnishing Goods always on hand.

J. E. HAM & CO.

Portsmouth, Oct. 2, 1876. TAILORS.

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PEOPLE'S

BAKERY and DINING SALOON.

JOHN McIVER,

No. 62 DANIEL STREET,

Has just opened a new Restaurant in connection with his Bakery, and all can now be promptly supplied with well-cooked food of all kinds served at the Restaurant or sent home free of charge. 2aw

STEPHEN D. SCRIGGINS

Has removed his

PAINT SHOP

FROM No. 13 FLEET STREET to No. 9 VAUGHAN STREET, opposite the American Stable, and having larger and better accommodation for

Carriage Work,

Would solicit a continuance of patronage.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

—A FEW MORE OF THOSE—

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

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CHOICE CHOICE

Porto Rico and New Orleans

MOLASSES!

FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

A REMEDY

FOR

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FRESH PORK RIBS, 10 cts. per lb.

PORK STEAK, 10 cts. per lb.

PORTSMOUTH SAUSAGES, 10 cts.

" SUGAR-CURED HAMS, 15 cts

Warranted better than any Western Hams

SMOKED SHOULDERS, 12 cts.

OTHER CUT MEATS IN PROPORTION.

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PHILADELPHIA, ... Assets $3,300,000.

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LIVERPOOL, ENG., ... Assets $18,000,000 (gold.)

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JOHN SISE,

INSURANCE AGENT,

OFFICE NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE.

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AGENCY,

CAPITAL AND ASSETS REPRESENTED

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Assets, ... $5,167,547

LIVERPOOL and LONDON and GLOBE,

U. S. Office, New York.

Assets, (Gold), ... $28,425,160

PHŒNIX,

Of Hartford, Connecticut.

Assets, ... $1,906,161

QUEEN,

Of Liverpool and London. U. S. Office, N. Y.

Assets, (Gold), ... $10,500,000

ORIENT,

Of Hartford, Connecticut.

Assets, ... $766,622

SPRINGFIELD,

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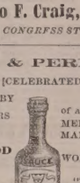

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Four of the Hackett family emigrated from Liverpool, England, on the 28th of July, 1850, to-wit: James, Thomas, Timothy and Pierce. The remainder of the family, including the parents, eight in number, sailed from the same port in the month of October, 1851. The family subsequently settled on the now Simmons farm, on Mound Branch, in this county, in the month of December, 1852, when the present town of Butler contained but two log houses, erected by John E. Morgan, the founder of the town. The head of the family, Pierce Hackett, Sr., died in the month of August, 1858, and was buried in the cemetery on Mulburry Creek, in this county.

In 1861, when the national trouble broke out, the family became scattered, and all excepting two of the boys, who were then too young, took part in the war on one side or the other. At the close of the war, when the olive branch appeared, each settled down to his respective business or trade, and for the first time in the history of the family since their landing in America, and on the twenty-sixth birthday of the youngest of the family, there was a "grand union" of the family at the residence of Pierce Hackett, Jr., on Monday, December 25, 1876, they coming from the four points of the compass, and consisting of the mother and ten sons. After a fraternal greeting and congratulations, beginning with the oldest, fifty-one years old, and closing with the youngest, then the aged mother, in the most solemn and impressive manner, offered up praise and thanksgiving to the Giver of all good gifts for the enjoyment of so happy a meeting, after which all sat down to a sumptuous Christmas dinner, the mother doing the honors of the table as she was wont to do in their boyhood days. The following day the whole family visited the grave of the father, which is only a short distance from the place of meeting.

They assembled at Butler Tuesday to take pictures in a group; after which came the separation to their respective residences and callings. The eldest, John J., to Kansas City, Mo., where he is proprietor of the Kaw Valley Hotel; James, to Joplin, Mo., where he is proprietor of a blacksmith shop; Thomas, to Sedalia, Mo., where he has been long and favorably known as a merchant tailor; Timothy, to Fulton, Bourbon County, Kas., where he had been a student of Blackstone, and is ready to get litigants either in or out of trouble, according to the length of their purse; Pierce and Richard, who are farmers, living on Mulberry Creek, in this county; Samuel and William, who are proprietors of a blacksmith shop in Nevada, Mo.; George, to Utah Territory, where he has long resided and been favorably known as a master millwright; last, but not least, Christopher, who is an expert tailor and a resident of Sedalia, Mo.

The family originally consisted of thirteen children, all boys, three of whom died in England.—*Bates County (Mo.) Record.*

How Pate de Foie Gras is Made.

We enter one of the most famous factories in Strasburg. A cool yard greets us, and a bland Frenchman, who has become Germanized, like his geese, by the force of circumstances, points to some hundred feathered bipeds huddled together in a corner. Their proprietor explains that they are all nine months old, and have cost him, lean as they are, about 2 francs 50 centimes apiece; he then makes a sign to half a dozen bare-armed girls, and six geese are collared and marched away to a cellar, half underground, where wide and sloping stone tables are arranged in tiers. In the murky light, it becomes apparent that hundreds of geese are already lying strapped on their backs and gasping on the upper tiers. Our business being for the moment at the lower tables, the six girls take each their goose, lay him gently but firmly on the stone, and then tie down his wings, body and legs tight with plaited whipcord, the legs and wings being well spread out. The bird's neck is left free, and it seems that during the first three days he makes a violent use of it; but afterward he may be trusted to lie still for the next seven weeks; that is, till the hour of release and killing. On the upper tiers are birds who have been lying for three, five or six weeks, respectively, waiting to be fed by half-a-dozen other girls laden with wooden bowls. Each of these bowls is filled with a thick white paste, made of parboiled maize, chestnuts and buckwheat; and the mode of administering the dinner is for the girl to catch the

goose by the neck, open his bill with a little squeeze, and then put three or four balls of the paste down his throat with the middle finger. This is done six times per day. But now we have done with the women, for a man climbs upon the topmost tier of all, and proceeds to examine the birds who may be "ripe." He has an eye as judicious as that of a gardener inspecting melons; and his is the responsible task of pronouncing what birds would die of a natural death within twenty-four hours if not despatched beforehand. If a goose dies of natural death he is good for nothing. He must be unstrapped and executed at the precise psychological moment when nature is growing tired of supporting him, and the knack of detecting that moment can only come of long practice. This inspector has not been a minute on the table before he certifies four geese ready for the slaughter. All four of them have stomachs of the size of pumpkins, and it is a sincere relief to these when a couple of men climb up, loose their bonds and bear them out of the cellar to a pent-house across the yard, full of knives and chopping-blocks. A click with the chopper on the neck of each, a rip with the knife, and in less than five minutes after their transfer from the cellar the carcasses of the four victims are lying in a heap, while their livers are being conveyed with all respect and care to the truffling-house. The carcasses, shrivelled out of all knowledge, are sold for about eightpence apiece to peasants, who make soup of them; the livers are first cleaned, then put to scale, and our four geese are declared fine birds, for their *livers weigh from two and a half to three pounds each*. The next step is to take each liver and lard it with truffles in the proportion of one-half pound of truffles to one pound of liver, and then to convey it to an ice-house, where it remains on a marble slab for a week, that the truffle perfume may thoroughly permeate it. At the end of a week, each liver being removed, is cut into the size required for the pot which it is to fill, and introduced into that pot between two thin layers of mince-meat made of the finest veal and bacon fat, both truffled like the liver itself; and one inch depth of the whitish lard is then spread over the whole, that none of the savor may escape in baking. When the cooking is over, it is packed and shipped to the four points of the compass.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Daily Chronicle.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 23.

Probably Col. Pelton has the most treacherous memory of any man in the United States. It appears to be almost a complete blank relative to the disposition of the $3000 fund which he sent to Oregon with a view to purifying the politics of that distant State, it is supposed. Mr. Morton's committee has ascertained that that amount of money was forwarded there about the time of Cronin's startling achievement; that it was sent by a gentleman holding a confidential position in a bank of which Mr. Tilden is director; that no record of the transaction was made on the books of the bank, although the money sent was a part of its funds, and that the remittance was made at the instance of Colonel Pelton, Mr. Tilden's nephew, and chief director of the "Bureau of Nincompoops."

The investigation of the late election in Mississippi is in progress and shows that the same system of terrorism prevailed that was made available to wrest the State from republican control in 1875, and which only failed of success in the last election in Louisiana, by the legal interposition of the Returning Board. It is sufficient to say that the atrocious rules of procedure were observed in Mississippi that have characterized the White League rule where they have determined to succeed in other States of the South.

Secretary Chandler's testimony before the democratic committee has not helped them out of their Oregon dilemma as they hoped it would, by convicting the National Committee of villainies that would offset their own. Nothing was elicited that would not endure the severest scrutiny.

Something of a sensation was created in the Senate on Friday by Senator Bogy, who disgraced the position he holds by his low abuse of Governor Packard. The coarse vituperation to which he resorted was characteristically Bourbon. No such display has been made in the Senate before this session. It was good democratic work, entirely gratuitous, and coming from any other man would have been grossly insulting. Senators Sherman and Morton attempted to pierce his thick hide, but its powers of resistance would shame a rhinoceros, and he was not sensibly affected.

The ninth annual session of the Woman Suffrage Convention was held at Lincoln Hall, this city, on the 16th and 17th insts. The large hall was crowded both evenings, although the attendance during the first day was not large. The usual amount of talking was done; and among the resolutions was one, calling for the appointment of a committee of five women to count and declare the electoral vote, and to engage a hundred thousand women to take care of General Watterson's army of democrats which he proposed to encamp in this city on the 14th of February to bull-doze members of Congress, not kindly disposed toward Mr. Tilden's pretensions. Formidable petitions were presented for transmission to Congress, from almost every State and Territory, demanding the enfranchisement of women. To those who regard the wonderful revolution of public sentiment wrought by these tenacious agitators within the past twenty-five years, their final victory seems near at hand. Mrs. Stanton and Miss Anthony appear as determined as in more youthful days; and the little army of devoted adherents were, as usual, full of enthusiasm. They have many warm friends in Congress, who are enlisted for the war, and the cause is now treated with the utmost respect in both houses of Congress.

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The Mountain Labored, and Brought Forth a Mouse.

After all the democratic blather about impeaching Secretary Robeson, and the action of the democratic House in referring the question to Proctor Knott's judiciary committee and having it shelved there, so that "the prospective impeachment of a Cabinet officer for high crimes and misdemeanors" could be used as a political weapon during the Tilden and reform campaign, nothing has come of the partisan crusade against him but the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted by the judiciary committee on Tuesday, to be submitted to the House as their report:

Resolved, That the articles of impeachment ought not to be preferred against George M. Robeson, Secretary of the Navy, for the violations of law which have occurred in his department, because there is therein no criminal intent or corrupt motive on his part which would constitute such violations high crimes or misdemeanors under the meaning of the Constitution.

Resolved, That the Judiciary Commitee be discharged from any further consideration of this subject.

Tilden, Cronin & Co.

On Tuesday, before the Senate committee on the Oregon election, J. W. Lazwell, one of the Oregon democratic candidates for Presidential elector, testified that he was present at the meeting of the Oregon Electoral College in December last. He went to the meeting of the college because he understood that the republican electors were going to take electoral certificates from Cronin by force. Witness understood Secretary of State Chadwick to say, as he handed the envelope containing certificates of electors, "Gentlemen, here are your certificates." Heard republican electors ask Cronin for their certificates and Cronin replied, "I will see hell froze over before I will give them up." At this point witness was dismissed for the day.

The democrats have had much to say about the "conspiracy to defraud Mr. Tilden of the electoral vote" of certain States; the testimony of this Tilden electoral candidate proves beyond question that there was a "conspiracy" to deprive Mr. Hayes of the vote of Oregon. Lazwell was not elected, and does not pretend that he had any idea that he was, or that he was to have a chance to vote, yet he "went to the meeting of the College"—and why? Because he "understood that the republican electors were going to take electoral certificates from Cronin by force." From this it is evident that he must have been previously notified of Grover's intention to give to Cronin, who was not elected, the certificates of the two republicans whose election was acknowledged even by the shameless partisan Grover, and instructed to be on hand to assist in preventing the republican electors from getting their certificates from the fiery-nosed hero, should they attempt it. Tilden's "conspiracy" to secure an electoral vote for himself was well planned, and it was not his fault that his tools, Grover and Cronin, botched the job so badly. Had Grover given Cronin his own certificate and the two republicans theirs, or had he given one of the republicans all three certificates and Cronin then insisted on voting in the College, Tilden would have had his one needed vote, for there is no provision in the laws of any State empowering its Electoral College to expel a member duly certified by the Governor, and present. The trouble was that Cronin was altogether too unanimous.

Mr. Tilden most be satisfied that his investment in Oregon electoral votes—for no one can doubt that the money sent to Oregon by Col. Pelton (who is "the nephew of his uncle" as well as his private secretary and manager of the "Bureau of nincompoops,") came from Tilden's barrel—would have yielded a better return, at least in reputation, had it been devoted to the payment of his income tax.

News and Notes.

William Duff, of Saco, on Tuesday night broke into the house of William H. Deering in that place, and stole all he could lay his hands on. He was arrested Wednesday, and confessed the crime.

The screw-pile light-house, forty-five feet in height, on Thomas's Point Shoals, in the Chesapeake, one mile from the shore, was abandoned by the keepers on Thursday, Jan. 18th. The tenants were Mr. Burchinal, the keeper; Capt. Miller, his assistant, wife and son. Mr. Burchinal reported to the lighthouse engineer's office at Baltimore that for days the heavy drift ice had plunged against the lighthouse, causing it to vibrate with such violence that the lens, weighing 500 pounds, was broken, the oil butts overturned, and the structure canted to such an extent that the fog bell could not be rung; and the other machinery was all disarranged. On Wednesday night no other light could be shown except one in the window, and next day it was decided to abandon the lighthouse and use the old one on the shore, about a mile distant, and which was lit on Thursday night. By means of a small boat and cutting a way through the ice, all hands were safely landed.

A man named Flanders set a barn on fire at Hyde Park, Vt., Sunday, and then attempted to shoot the owner as he came to the rescue of his horse, but being unsuccessful gave himself up. No cause is assigned for this action.

The University of Michigan had last year 101 female students, distributed as follows: Medicine, 37; law, 2; homeopathy, 2; literature 60. "The experience of the past year," writes the president of the university in his annual report, "confirms the opinion we have been led to form by the experience of former years, that women who come here in good health are able to complete our collegiate or professional course of study without detriment to their health."

Two valuable horses came into collision in Providence on the 23d, and each was penetrated by a shaft. One of the animals, valued at $2000, was instantly killed; the other, valued at $3000, was very badly injured.

Eugene Christ, who some time ago attempted to murder Mary Kelley in New York because she would not marry him, has been sent to State Prison for fourteen years.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue is informed by the Collector of Internal Revenue for South Carolina that the malt distiller Redmond, who recently wounded Deputy Collector Barton, and killed Hendricks, accompanied by an armed force of twenty roughs on the morning of the 20th inst. surrounded the house of Barton, near Eastby, and under penalty of instant death, compelled Barton to pay him $100. The party then took one of Barton's horses and rode off.

The British iron-screw steamer Lotus left New Haven Monday for Constantinople direct, bearing the most valuable cargo ever taken out of that port. It is composed of rifles and ammunition for the Turkish government, as follows: 70,000 Martini-Henry rifles, 70,000 bayonets and scabbards, 1000 Winchester guns, 10,000,000 cartridges, 15,000,002,400 Martini shells, 15,000,000 bullets and 50,000,000 gun wads. The Martini-Henry rifles are shipped by the Providence Tool Company of Providence, and the balance of cargo by the Winchester Repeating Arms Company of New Haven. The total value of the cargo is $1,769,100.

Political.

Senator Logan withdrew from the contest in the Illinois Legislature, Tuesday evening, and Charles B. Lawrence was unanimously nominated in his stead.

Representative Butts, of South Carolina, was seated on Tuesday.

The democratic party in Georgia is finding out that a party may become "too unanimous" to be tranquil. Having wiped out the republican party of their State so effectually that the democratic majority can be figured out to any required size, they are now fighting bitterly among themselves over the United States Senatorship. There are two leading candidates; William Schley, who is supported by the extreme fire-eating Bourborns, led by Herschel V. Johnson and Bob Toombs; and the "moderate" candidate—Ben Hill, no less!—who is the favorite of the young men of the party. A majority of eighty thousand in a single State is not an easy thing for a party to carry without getting ricketty under the load.

When the Senate committee was in New Orleans, a copy of the Morehouse *Clarion* was produced in evidence, containing the following editorial paragraph: "The radicals are making desperate efforts to organize in the parish. Democrats, now is the time to make your desperate struggle. Go to every meeting they may attempt to hold; break them up. Hunt every night meeting. Do not let them have a single one secretly, and you will soon strangle the life out of radicalism in Morehouse." This advice was so well followed, and backed up so vigorously by the whipping or killing of every prominent republican leader, that good order and a sweeping democratic victory prevailed in that parish on election day, though the republicans had always carried it before by heavy majorities. It is pleasing to add that there was no intimidation in that parish,—the democrats say so themselves,—and its vote should be counted for Tilden and Nicholls.

Secretary Chandler denounces as a deliberate forgery the dispatch purporting to advise Gov. Stearns of Florida to hold that State for Hayes and Wheeler, and assuring him that money and troops would be sent him for that purpose. Now let us see if those democratic organs that have paraded the dispatch as genuine will have the fairness to expose it as a forgery.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	106¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	121
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109¾
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	105¼
Eastern R. R. scrip	5¾
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	67
Boston & Maine	99¼
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	136
Nashua & Lowell	82
Concord	84
Eastern	5¼
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	26¼
Northern N. H.	65¼
Old Colony & Newport	102¼
P. S. & P.	55
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 35 @ 38c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 65c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Scaltbs', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 34c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. 6 @ 7; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish; per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay, per ton, $16 @ 18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 40 @ 60c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, $1.
Pork per bbl., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, .90
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Br. 11 @10c; Gr. 13; Crushed 18½c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
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Though we would by no means be understood as deprecating, but rather as recommending, professional aid in disease, there are multitudes of instances when it is neither necessary or easy to obtain. A family provided with a comprehensive household specific like Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, is possessed of a medicinal resource adequate to most emergencies in which medical advice would be otherwise needful. That sterling tonic and corrective invariably remedies, and is authoritatively recommended for debility, indigestion, liver disorder, an irregular habit of body, urinary and uterine troubles, incipient rheumatism and gout, and many other ailments of frequent occurrence. It eradicates and prevents intermittent and remittent fevers, relieves mental despondency, checks premature decay, and invigorates the nervous and muscular tissues. Sleep, digestion and appetite are promoted by it, and it is extremely useful in overcoming the effects of exhaustion and exposure.

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THE FAME OF GLENN'S SULPHUR SOAP as a remedy for eruptions, sores, burns, pimples, blotches and rheumatic and gouty pains has spread far and wide. Physicians recommend it, and the demand for it constantly increases.

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EDWIN A. PETERSON.

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January 16, 1877.

NOTICE--KEARSARGE MILLS.

A DIVIDEND OF TWO DOLLARS per share, to Stockholders of 19th inst., will be paid on THURSDAY, January 25th. Portsmouth Stockholders will be paid at the Agent's office, at the Mills.

R. B. ADAMS, Agent.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 25TH, a Dividend of 2½ per cent. will be paid on all allowed claims against the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, to be paid at their Banking House in Market Street. Deposit Books must be presented by the person who made the deposit, or by the person in whose name the deposit stands; otherwise, an order for the Dividend, duly witnessed, must be brought with the book. Blanks for this order will be furnished.

EDWARD P. KIMBALL, Assignee,

Portsmouth, Jan. 13, 1877.

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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Fifty thousand pounds of cod were landed at Tredick's wharf on Tuesday. Schooner Rover's Bride landed 13,150 lbs., the largest fare landed there this winter.

The Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of New Hampshire commenced a two-days' session at Sons of Temperance Hall in this city on Wednesday forenoon, the attendance being large. A dinner was given at the Methodist vestry at noon. Speeches were made by Rev. James Noyes, Rev. William H. Alden, and Rev. Joseph W. White of this city, Geo. Fox Guppy of Dover, Rev. A. C. Hardy and J. D. Fife of Fisherville, and Rev. J. D. Waldron of North Sutton.

The Portsmouth Heavy Artillery, Portsmouth Light Artillery, and City Guards went to Dover on a special train at one o'clock on Wednesday to attend the funeral of the late Col. Jasper C. Wallace.

The Old Folks' Concert by the young people of the Universalist Sunday School, in the church this evening, is expected to be a very pleasant affair. See advertisement.

The Democratic Congressional Convention for the First District met on Wednesday at Dover City Hall. James R. Jackson was elected President, with the usual number of Vice Presidents and Secretaries. The Committee on Credentials reported two hundred and fifty-six delegates. Frank Jones was renominated by acclamation.

In another place in this paper will be found a description, taken from the *Pall Mall Gazette* of London, of the method of preparing the costly delicacy, *pate de foie gras*, from which it appears that the groundwork is a goose's liver, artificially diseased! If you are fond of the "delicacy" don't read the article referred to.

WILL HE "STICK?"

The question which is agitating the democratic mind in this State just now, next to "Who is to be the next President?" is "Will Mr. Marcy take himself out of the way and let us put up some man whose overwhelming defeat is not a foregone conclusion?" He has not yet accepted the nomination, and the democrats hope he will not.

As far as democratic success is concerned we do not imagine it will make much difference whether he accepts or not, for we are satisfied the republicans can elect Mr. Prescott over any candidate the democrats can put up; but the democrats would make a much better showing with almost any other candidate,—and they know it, and many of them privately acknowledge it.

But we cannot see why they should blame Mr. Marcy for sticking to the nomination, if he wants another defeat. The democrats bungled their gubernatorial nomination as badly as Tilden's tools in Oregon did his electoral-vote-stealing conspiracy. Capt. Marcy was by party usage entitled to a renomination, and it was their business to find out if he wanted it before trying to shelve him, instead of assuming—as they evidently did assume—that he would meekly stand aside to make room for another candidate. Possibly the cool way in which it was sought to shoulder him off the track by fostering and spreading the belief that he would not be a candidate this year, may have roused his antagonism—he is not a non-resistant, we believe—and determined him to "go for" a nomination he might have been induced to forego had he been treated with common courtesy by the leaders of the "young democracy" before the convention.

New Hampshire Items.

The Strafford County Democratic Convention resolved that "the present prohibitory law is partisan in its effect." That is but another way of saying that nearly all the liquor dealers are democrats, which is undoubtedly true.

The democratic County Convention of Strafford County pronounced against the prohibitory law and in favor of a licence liquor law.

The democracy of the Fifth District on the 23d nominated William J. Walker of Dover for Senator, he receiving twenty-eight of thirty-one votes. A motion to make the nomination unanimous was defeated by the vote of the temperance men, for Mr. Walker is landlord of the New Hampshire House, and has been complained of several times for violation of the liquor law. His chief recommendations are the wealth of his wife and the reputation of being a jolly good fellow.

C. W. Abbott, a well-known manufacturer of carriages and sleighs in Keene, has failed. His indebtedness amounts to about $4100; assets, $1300.

The committee appointed by the Governor and Council under a joint resolution passed at the last session of the Legislature to investigate the affairs of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane, held its first meeting in Concord on the 23d. It is the intention of the committee to make a thorough, just and impartial investigation, and to give all persons who desire a chance to appear and be heard.

Story of Cat and Dog Life.

In Beatrice, Gage County, Neb., lives a gentleman by the name of M—, who owns a very fine greyhound named Queen. Now, Queen is a great favorite in that part of the country, not only on account of her beauty and gentle disposition, but also from the fact that she and her pups are noted wolf-hunters. She has several times, unaided, run down and killed wolves, and one day this summer, with two of her full-grown sons, captured and killed three wolves. About two months ago Queen had a litter of little ones; and a few days after one of Queen's friends, a cat occupying the same stable, had a new family of little kittens. Shortly after the new arrival the order was given to "drown some of the pups," but the executioner finished the whole of them. Poor Queen was inconsolable, and went about crying and searching everywhere for the missing ones, looking up, in the most beseeching way, to each one of the family. After awhile she went back to the stable, and then her whining ceased. In the afternoon Mr. M— went to the stable, and found Queen in her nest with the old cat and her four kittens affectionately cuddled up in her "arms." Mother puss did not seem to like this after awhile, and evidently thought that the new mother was getting the most attention from her babies. So when Queen was out for a few minutes, she took the kittens one at a time and carried them to her own nest. Queen returned to find her home again desolate, and went immediately and took the kittens all back, the cat following. This performance went on for three or four days, the cat carrying the kittens one way and Queen taking them back, until mother puss changed her plan, and, while Queen was absent, carried one of the kittens up into the loft, to which Queen could not climb. Next day puss took another, and then a third, leaving Queen but one, which she tended most zealously.—*Our Dumb Animals.*

Was Farragut Lashed to the Rigging?

A writer in *Scribner* for February, who was an eye-witness of the battle in Mobile Bay, takes the negative of the above question as follows: When the fleet had crossed the bar and was inside of Sand Island, and had approached to within about one mile and a quarter of Fort Morgan, Admiral Farragut coolly and deliberately ascended the starboard main rigging and halted just beneath the top. Passing his arm up through the "lubber's hole," he seized the foot of the pilot, Martin Freeman by name, who was standing in the maintop, giving orders to the helmsman. The Signal Quartermaster, in obedience to the orders of Captain Drayton took up a hammock-lashing to secure the Admiral to the shrouds, so that in case he should be killed his body would not fall overboard or on deck, but by Freeman's advice the Admiral would not allow it to be passed around him. The Quartermaster returned with his lashing to the deck, and Farragut, the brave, passed the long line of torpedoes and the Confederate forts and fleet unscathed—while still clinging to the foot of his trusty old pilot, Martin Freeman. This is the truth which the historian should receive and record, if he chooses to make a note of what was but an incident in that terrible action. Many survivors of that day will vouch for the above account. As for Martin Freeman, he still lives in the immediate vicinity of the bay where the battle was fought—being the principal keeper of Horn island Lighthouse in Mississippi Sound. Should any one chance to question this writer's assertion in regard to the above matter, he is respectfully referred to Mr. Freeman, who was probably better acquainted at the time with the movements of Admiral Farragut than any other individual in the fleet—Captain Percival Drayton perhaps excepted—and he is known as the heroic and loyal son of South Carolina and Fleet-Captain of the West Gulf Squadron. The philosophy of Admiral Farragut's chosen position is easily explained. During the noise of the battle he naturally desired to be so stationed that no human voice could be heard aloft, should it be necessary for him to communicate with the pilot, by tightly grasping the foot of that person the signal would be noticed; and, as a fact, Mr. Freeman did respond, and by bending down lent his ear to the "lubber's hole" for such orders as the Admiral wished to give him.

—The Rjukan, a Norwegian ship, was recently wrecked in plain sight of land, off the New Jersey coast. The crew were saved by boats from the shore, under great difficulties. When Captain Hanson believed that all his crew were surely landed, he started for the shore. The Rjukan had nearly careened out of sight when he bade farewell to his vessel. As he reached land, he discovered that a man was missing. Everybody stared at the ship, and saw a man leaning over the bulwarks. He was waving a handkerchief. A boat was sent for him and he was saved. As he calmly strutted around the beach, he said that he had been below to find a box of paper collars. When the surf boat reached the ship he was in the cabin, eating preserves. There is a guardian angel whose business it is to take care of fools, otherwise there would be some hope of the race dying out.

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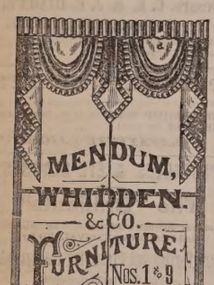

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Short time his sleeping dust's here's covered down,
Not so his ascended spirit or renown."

The name "Increase" Mather, it is said, was not given to his son, who was born in Dorchester in 1639, especially from the increase of the family of children, although that was considerable, and might have entered into it, but increase in other forms of prosperity. He (Increase) graduated at Harvard College in 1656, then under 18 yerrs of age. He became minister of the North Church in Boston, the second constituted in the place, May 27, 1669. For a time he was colleague with Rev. John Mayo, the first minister of the church. After 11 years there was a vacancy of the Presidency of Harvard College, and Mr. Mather was chosen to the office. But the church in Boston would not consent to releasing him, so he did not accept. In 1685, after the death of President Rogers, he was again elected. He accepted on condition that he could continue to reside in Boston. Probably his pastorate continued, but his son Cotton Mather became colleague.

He continued President of the College 16 years, resigning in 1701. He was a noble friend of the College and did much for the promotion of its interests. Four sons were graduated there. He had the degree of D. D. conferred on him. He had popular preaching talents and this was a great benefit to the College, as it was then understood that the institution was designed chiefly to prepare young men, designed for the ministry, for that calling. Besides this, Dr. Mather was a good scholar and urged education as essential to the church and civil affairs. After resigning the Presidency, he lived 22 years, and died Aug. 23, 1728, aged 84. His pen was prolific and a variety of his works were published. They were on religion, politics, history and philosophy. Some time in his later years he was in England to obtain a new charter for the Provincial Colony, the former one having been annulled by the arbitrary Governor Andros.

Rev. Cotton Mather was son of the above, and his name "Cotton" was undoubtedly given him in honor of his step-grandmother, the widow of Rev. John Cotton. It would require great space to give any just account of this learned and excellent man. Suffice it that he was born in Boston in 1663. Such was his scholarship, that at 12 he entered Harvard College and graduated in 1678, when under 16 years of age. May 13, 1684 he became preacher in the North Church. The degree of D. D. was conferred on him by a college in Glasgow, Scotland. He gave evidence of being a man of deep-toned piety. It is said his very thoughts were pure and in communion with God, and his constant study was to be useful. How can I do most good to my flock and the world, was a question constant with him. Few ministers were ever more laborious particularly in literary labors. He published in his life time 382 books. Some of them to be sure were small, but some large volumes. To one of them, "The Way to do Good," Dr. Franklin acknowledges himself much indebted. The only shadow over Dr. Mather, we now think of, is, he was a believer in the reality of the New England witchcraft delusion. This appeared in his writings. Dr. Mather died in much peace Feb. 13, 1728, aged 65 years.

—Kate Henderson, one of the contestants in a pedestrian match in Lansing, Mich., was whipped several times by her husband to compel her to continue walking. At length she informed the spectators and they had the husband arrested.

—Mr. Theodore Thomas' unavoidable failure to give his promised concert at Watertown, on Saturday, has caused a poet of that town to burst into this pathetic strain: "Oh, Thomas, oh, Thomas, Why did you stay from us, And not keep your promus?"

—In the village of Harbottle, Northumberland, Eng., no child has died during the last twenty years; a farmer and his three shepherds have between them forty-seven children, and during the past thirty years not a death has occurred in their families.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 26, 1877.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

GRANVILLE P. CONN,

OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,

GILMAN MARSTON,

OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,

JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

The Compromise Bill.

The compromise bill was discussed by the Senate on Wednesday. Conkling, Thurman, Bayard, Edmunds and others spoke in its favor; Morton, Sargent, Blaine and others against it. The debate continued well through the night, and at a quarter past one o'clock Thursday morning a motion to adjourn was defeated by a vote of 25 to 41.

At about six o'clock Thursday morning, after an all-night session, voting commenced on the offered amendments to the bill. The first amendment made it the duty of the commission to go behind the returning boards of the States, and received only one vote; a second, prohibiting the commission from going behind the returning boards, was defeated, 18 to 47; a third, providing that the commission shall sit with open doors, was also voted down, 13 to 47. At a quarter before seven o'clock the final vote on the bill was reached, and resulted in its passage, as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alcorn, Allison, Barnum, Bayard, Bogy, Booth, Boutwell, Burnside, Chaffee, Christiancy, Cockrell, Conkling, Cooper, Cragin, Davis, Dawes, Dennis, Edmunds, Ferry, Frelinghuysen, Goldthwaite, Gordon, Home, Johnston, Jones of Florida, Jones of Nevada, Kelley, Kernan, McCreary, McDonald, McMillan, Maxey, Merrimon, Morrill, Price, Randolph, Ransom, Robertston, Saulsbury, Sharon, Stevenson, Teller, Thurman, Wallace, Whyte, Wyndom and Withers—47.

Nays—Messrs. Blaine, Bruce, Cameron of Pennsylvania, Cameron of Wisconsin, Clayton, Conover, Dorsey, Eaton, Hamilton, Hamlin, Ingalls, Mitchell, Morton, Patterson, Sargent, Sherman and West—17.

Absent, or not voting—Messrs. Anthony, Harvey, Hitchcock, Logan, Norwood, Oglesby, Paddock, Spencer, Wadleigh and Wright—10.

There are two vacant seats—Louisiana and Tennessee. Sixteen republican Senators and one independent republican voted for the bill, while fifteen republican Senators and an independent republican voted against it. Senator Eaton of Connecticut was the only democrat who voted nay.

The bill was sent to the House at half-past 12 o'clock, P. M., and the House agreed to take a final vote on it at four o'clock Friday afternoon.

Political.

Judge David Davis, of the United States Supreme Court, was on Thursday elected United States Senator from Illinois, by the democrats, to succeed John A. Logan.

Thomas Jefferson, when President of the Senate, counted the vote which made him President of the United States, and decided to admit the informal vote of Georgia, which secured his election. Had the vote of that State been thrown out Aaron Burr would have been the successful candidate.

J. G. Thompson, the Ohio democratic bugle master and Sergeant-at-Arms of the House, has neglected to summon the Ohio witnesses called for by the republicans to tell what they know about the distribution of the Tilden funds in that State. There have been several indications of late that this fellow Thompson is running the House. At any rate his action indicates that there is something hidden which won't look well.

The democrats on the House committee for overhauling telegrams seem to think the thing has been carried quite as far as is proper; those Oregon telegrams from Tilden's nephew, transferring money, have satisfied them that prying into other people's affairs in that way is infamous business.

Sunset Cox's committee unanimously reports that there is not a shadow of evidence in support of Abe. Hewitt's charge that his letters were tampered with in the New York post-office during the Presidential campaign.

The democratic criticism on the newly elected Senator in New Jersey, Mr. MacPherson, leads one to believe that he is a Reformer who believes in putting money where it will do the most good. His nomination was a surprise, but may be accounted for from the fact that his opponent, Mr. Green, refused a tender of six votes in consideration of $10,000. One Jersey democratic paper innocently claimed the nomination for him because he gave $50,000 to carry the State for the democrats.

The Indianapolis *Journal* remarks that the latest specimen of democratic reform is the catching of the democratic Attorney-General of that State in a gambling saloon, and his giving the name of Smith at the station house. Reform seems to be necessary in Indiana.

Tennessee has evidently made up her mind to try a little experiment in repudiation. Mr. Redfield writes to the Cincinnati *Commercial* from Chattanooga: "So far as we may judge from appearances, the Legislature will scale the debt. It is an outrage that all the citizens of the State should be brought into disgrace, but I fear the debt-paying portion are in a minority. If the holders of the State's obligations can get off without a deeper shave than 40 per cent., they may consider themselves fortunate. This would reduce the debt to about $14,000,000. The present rate of taxation—four mills—will easily pay interest on this and administer the Government. But there is a pressure in the Legislature for decreased taxation. It is even proposed to make the tax lower than four mills. Think of the infamy of this, when but three or four States in the Union, whether North or South, in debt or out, have a lower tax than four mills. That amount of taxation is insignificant. Nobody feels it unless he is immensely rich, and then, of course, he is proportionately able to pay. A farmer, say with $2,000 worth of land, has only to pay $8 State tax. With the State owing an honest debt for her public buildings and internal improvements, to think of lowering the rate of taxation below four mills is nothing better than downright repudiation."

News and Notes.

Charles Wright and nine others, seamen on the American bark C. A. Whitmore, have arrived at San Francisco by the steamer Alaska from Hong Kong. They were sent home by the United States Consul at Hong Kong as witnesses against the captain and officers of the bark for killing J. N. Elwood, the second mate, by brutal cruelty. The accused left the bark in Hong Kong and secreted themselves, as previously reported.

Albert Potter, foreman of the Union Ice Company of Providence, died while eating at a restaurant in Woonsocket, on the evening of Jan. 24. He was probably choked by a piece of steak. He leaves a wife and three children.

Prof. Richard Somers Smith, aged 63, chief of the department of drawing at the Naval Academy, died suddenly at Annapolis, Jan 22d. He was a graduate of West Point and formerly President of Girard College, Philadelphia.

Two half sisters of Eugene Sue, twin daughters of his mother and Dr. Nathaniel Niles, who was secretary of legation at Paris during a part of Jackson's Administration, have brought suit at New York against the executor of their father's estate for a larger share than they are now getting of the $1,000,000 which he left. One of these ladies is the wife of George Adam Badeau, formerly Consul-General at London, and the other had for her first husband a nephew of Martin Van Buren, and for her second and present one a Belgian gentleman. Sue's half sisters were the original of his Rose and Blanch in his Wandering Jew.

A fire broke out in the Stonehill Colliery, near Bolton, England, while the miners were at work, and is still burning. Fifteen miners are known to have perished. It is impossible to recover the bodies.

Ex-Secretary of War Belknap, who was indicted ten months ago, has got tired of waiting for a trial, and on Jan. 24th notified District Attorney Wells that he should apply to the Court on the 29th for an immediate trial of his case.

British brig Tycoon has had a hard time of it in getting from Demarara to Boston. She arrived at Vineyard Haven Dec. 31st, and sailed next day for Boston with a Vineyard pilot on board, expecting to round Cape Cod and anchor in Boston harbor in a few hours. Instead of this she was blown off the coast and battered about until she was compelled to run for the West Indies, and arrived at Bermuda on the 15th of January with her sails blown away, vessel leaking badly and crew worn out.

P. Culhane's house in Hamilton, Ontario, was burned Tuesday night, Jan. 23. Two children were suffocated and one fatally burned.

Prof. Benjamin Silliman of New Haven is dangerously ill.

New Hampshire Items.

At a few minutes past one o'clock Wednesday afternoon, a French boy, named Elmer Michaud, aged eleven years, was crushed to death by being caught in the pit by the elevator at the No. 1 mill of the Nashua Corporation at Nashua. He was found with the elevator resting on his back. The boy had probably hid himself in this place, and the elevator coming down, caught him as he attempted to make his escape, in which condition he was found by another boy who shifted the rod, sending the elevator up, but the French boy died in a few moments after being released. He was not employed at the mill, but had run away from school and thus lost his life.

John S. Sargent of Sutton has been arrested on suspicion of having set fire to the store of McAllister & Johnson at South Sutton, which was burned November 23. Part of the goods taken from the store were found secreted in a cider barrel in Sargent's house. He has made a partial confession and implicates another party. Sargent was committed to await trial before the April term of the Supreme Court.

The members of the Granges in New Hampshire held a meeting at Concord, Wednesday, Jan. 24, when it was voted to form a Grangers' Aid Association and a Grangers' Mutual Fire Insurance Company. The meeting was fully attended.

David Ewing of Claremont, overseer of the Monadnock Mills Company, was instantly killed Tuesday afternoon, being caught in the shafting while engaged in putting a belt on the same, completely tearing him to pieces. He was 25 years old, and leaves a wife and child.

"Will Daniel Marcy withdraw?" is the question now said to be agitating the bosoms of the young democracy of this State. Notwithstanding the threat of hundreds to bolt, "Old White-Oak" is not likely to be frightened off the track by the bulldozing of the "indiscreet young gentlemen" of the party, as the *Patriot* gingerly calls them.—*Telegraph.*

E. M. Topliff, of Manchester, has been chosen chairman of the Republican State Committee, and George E. Jenks, of Concord, secretary; advisory committee, Daniel Hall of Dover, William E. Chandler of Concord, A. W. Quint of Manchester, C. H. Roberts of Concord, A. A. Woolsen of Lisbon.

A few days since as a freight train on the Concord railroad was passing the "land slide" below Hooksett, the engineer discovered a fox on the track ahead. Immediately detaching the engine from the train, "Old Zach," as he is called, gave chase to the animal. Knowing the snow banks on either side were so high that he must keep to the track, "Zack" armed himself with a few sticks of wood, and perched on the front of the engine prepared to dispatch his foxship. But on nearing the animal it proved to be a small yellow dog. That engineer looked mad and swore a little as he returned to his train, and since that time it hasn't been safe for any of the boys to say "fox" to him when in reach of the wood in his tender.

The democratic Councillor Convention for the First District met at Dover on Wednesday, and nominated William Rand of Rochester by acclamation.

All Meat, No Cat.

The skeleton of a cat walked into Ryan's store. Ryan, seeing her bawled out:

"Mickey, didn't I tell ye a month ago to fade that cat a pound of mate a day until ye had her fat?"

"You did, and I'm just after fading her a pound."

"Has that cat ate a pound this morning?"

"Yes sir."

"Shure, I think it's a lie ye're telling. Bring me that scales. Now bring me that cat."

The cat turned the scale at exactly one pound.

"There, didn't I tell ye she had eaten a pound of mate this morning?"

"All right, my boy; there's yer pound of mate, but where the divil's the cat?"

Champion Yarns.

A number of men were gathered about a stove last night in the rear of a saloon, discussing the present cold snap as compared with various other cold snaps within their recollection or experience.

"When I lived in Maine," remarked a man who had been born on the Pacific coast and never lived anywhere else, "when I was in Maine in '54 it was the coldest winter I ever heard of. The snow was sixteen feet on a dead level, and you never saw so many sun-dogs in your life. The nails started out of the timbers, making explosions like a gun. Vegetables froze so solid that they could not be boiled, and trees contracted so with the cold that they shrunk up inside the bark."

"Speaking of sun-dogs," chipped in a man from the other side of the stove; "Sun-dogs is a sign of cold weather. When I was in British Columbia I saw flocks and flocks of 'em and was chased several miles by over fifty." At this point it was quite evident the man was slightly off his track and he was fired out.

"Boys," chimed in Kettle-Belly Brown, "when I was on the Arctic expedition with Dr. Hayes, I saw some devilish cold weather." Everybody bent to listen, for they knew that a master hand was at the keys. Pausing for a moment to gather inspiration for the effort, the sublime artist continued his voluntary. "When we struck the Arctic ice belt we took to the floes and pushed ahead on foot. I was one of the advanced scouts about a hundred miles ahead of the main gang. Each man carried a red-hot stove on his back to keep warm. Sometimes a fog would come up in the afternoon and a cold current of air sweeping down on us at night would freeze us all up in the fog-bank, so we had to clear a space with hatchets and wait for the thaw. I never saw ice get so solid. You could hold a chunk in the flame of a candle for two hours before it would begin to melt. It was just like metal, so help me Davy Jones. Talk about this being cold! Why, it's regular tropical weather."

Here Brown began to stir up the fire and stuff wood into the stove, while none of his auditors spoke a word for the next minute, but sat wrapped in silence and meditation. Pulling out *vox humana* stop, Brown dashed his hands over the keys again—"They all froze to death but me, and I kept right on to the North Pole. Here's a chip I cut off of it just to show I was there. Anybody who's ever seen the Pole will recognize it. I see you all recognize it. I like that country."

"What made you leave it then?" asked somebody.

"The whiskey froze up, and I had to come further south;" and the tears welled up as he recollected how much he had missed during his ten long years in the Arctic regions.—*Virginia (Nevada) Chronicle.*

—Weston is still making tracks in England.

—Artificial violets are sold in Paris to a great extent. They resemble the natural ones and have the same perfume. They are made of Chinese silk, dyed.

—One of our clergymen was a little surprised, three months after he had married a couple, by receiving a call from them. They brought their marriage certificate and wished it torn up. Upon questioning a little, the worthy gentleman wormed out the secret that the man wished to free himself from his present yoke, so that he could marry a younger woman. The parties thought that the simple destruction of the certificate by the clergyman who performed the ceremony, would be a sufficient divorce.—*Woonsocket Patriot.*

—Columbus was the first iron-founder in America. He cast an anchor.

—Dr. Hall says a duel is a public calamity. The Lowell *Courier* says: "So it is when neither side hits."

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Nashua & Lowell	83
Concord	78
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
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January 16, 1877.

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" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.50 "	"
Concord and North,	10.30 "	6.30 "
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POLICE COURT.

On Thursday Judge Batchelder was regaled by the story of the misdoings of James and John Lee. These two individuals, though fishermen, are not to be confounded with the James and John who once fished in the Sea of Galilee, being men of quite another sort. It was brought out in evidence that James and John, accompanied by a third person, one evening between the hours of seven and nine o'clock entered the house of Mrs. Phebe A. Hanscom, (who resides somewhere at the South End,) blew out the only light in the room, and then while the third person held Mrs. Hanscom the Lees made a mainsail haul of everything they could lay their hands on, and carried off a mirror, eight pictures and frames, mantel ornaments, thermometer, table cloth, childrens' shoes, work-basket, etc. Judge Batchelder ordered them to appear before the Supreme Court at Exeter on the second Tuesday of April to explain away any suspicious circumstances connected with their exploit, and to make sure that they would obey his order bound them over in the sum of $200 each.

JOTTINGS.

The New Hampshire State Board of Agriculture will hold meetings at Academy Hall, Greenland, on Tuesday, Jan. 30, in the forenoon, afternoon and evening; all who take an interest in Agriculture are invited to attend.

The hull of the wrecked ship Simla, of this port, ashore on the Jersey coast seven miles below Barnegat, was sold on Tuesday, Jan 23d, together with her sails and rigging, for $2475. The sale was made by J. S. Smith, agent of the Boston underwriters, and the largest purchasers were James Powers & Co., of Boston.

Thursday being the day when the assignee of the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank commenced paying the first dividend of twenty-five per cent. to depositors, there was quite a run on the institution.

The North church clock sprung a leak Wednesday night, soon after midnight, and struck ever so many o'clock for about five minutes; at the end of that time, finding its efforts to get up a false alarm of fire unavailing, it stopped its clanging and for the rest of the night behaved as a clock of respectability and good moral character is expected to do.

The public schools at Kittery Foreside were closed on Thursday, to remain closed for an indefinite period, owing to the alarming prevalence of scarlet fever in the town.

Mr. Thomas J. Sheehan, of Water street, slipped on the ice while crossing the street in front of his place of business on Tuesday, and in falling struck his face against an awning host. Being a tall, stout man he struck very heavily, and his face was so badly cut as to need the services of a surgeon to dress it.

Messrs. Hayes & Son brought into market this week 2500 lbs. of superior pork, which was fatted on corn raised on their farm.

The *Times* says all the shares in a ship of about 1300 tons has been taken up here by B. F. Jacobs, Charles H. Mendum and others, and work will be commenced on the vessel immediately. She is to be commanded by Capt. Jacobs, formerly of the ship Grandee.

The annual meeting of the Portsmouth Odd Fellows Mutual Relief Association was held on the evening of Wednesday, Jan. 24th, at Odd Fellows' Hall. The reports of the officers were presented, showing the Association to be in a prosperous condition. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, William W. Cotton; Vice President, William Livingstone; Secretary, Robert G. Archibald; Treasurer, Isaac Dow; Directors, James F. Hartshorn, Isaac Dow and Allen P. Rand of Piscataqua Lodge, No. 6, John H. Rose, Leshe Whitehouse and Charles Hein of New Hampshire Lodge, No. 17, and Charles W. Gardner, William S. Hazel and Charles N. Merrill of Osgood Lodge, No. 48.

Mrs. Emma Malloy, the eloquent temperance advocate, is to speak at the anniversary of the Woman's Temperance League, which takes place on Friday, February second.

The dwelling house and outbuildings belonging to the heirs of Nathan Norton of Greenland were burned on the afternoon of Wednesday, Jan. 24th. The fire took in the floor, probably from a defect in the chimney. Most of the furniture was saved. Loss about $2500.

The Directors of the Young People's Union are doing a good work in the evening school which they have established for adults, and which is held twice a week at their rooms. This room is open to any one over fifteen years of age, who is unable to attend the public schools. Calling in on a recent evening we found about thirty men and women, white and colored, studying in a way that proved they meant to make the most of their time. The teachers seemed as much interested and as earnest as the scholars. We understand that funds are needed to pay the expenses of the school; and we hope the citizens will respond liberally to any call which may be made upon them, as there can be no doubt that the school is doing a real good.

The New Hampshire Bull-Dozers.

The desperate attempt of the democrats, begun before the State Convention and still continued, to bull-doze Daniel Marcy off the ticket, deserves the severest reprobation from all lovers of fair play and decency. Mr. Marcy is one of the last men we would ever vote for as Governor of New Hampshire, but he is, at least, entitled to honorable treatment at the hands of his party friends, and the usages of civilized war from his political enemies. He is an honest, an honorable and a liberal man, a good neighbor and a politician of more positive convictions and courageous independence than any of the young bucksters who are aching to step into his shoes. He has his weak points, but they are largely the fault of others. He was born a great many years ago, but he can hardly be held accountable for that. He is an intense copperhead, but that is doubtless largely due to his prosperous business connection with the Southern slave trade before the war. He made, when in Congress, a very treasonable and exceedingly foolish speech, but it was written for him by a New Hampshire editor, and it faithfully spoke the sentiments of the New Hampshire democracy. He was disastrously beaten last year, but it was not by his consent, and though he may not come within 5,000 votes of an election in March, it is by no means certain that any other candidate of his party could do any better. He is certainly a larger, a more independent, and a better-known man than Frank McKean, and a much better representative of the party. Furthermore, the nomination belongs to him. He has bought and paid for it. It is his by purchase, by immemorial custom, and by the decree of Frank Jones. He is just as good and strong a candidate as he was a year ago, when the whole party went wild with joy over his nomination, and when the whole State, from Strawberry Bank to Canada, resounded with his praises. And yet a whole State Convention spent two days and a night in yelping at his heels to frighten him off the track, and after all his competitors were shamed out of the way, gave him barely 385 out of 725 votes, and refused to endorse his nomination in its platform. And since the convention adjourned, there has been no tempering of the abuse which is heaped upon the old man, and no cessation in the efforts to make him give up his place to another.—*Mirror.*

A True Mule Story.

This mule fell hind-feet backward into an old dry well sixty feet deep; it is supposed that the edge of the well caved in with him. All efforts to rescue him were fruitless, as he was completely wedged in. Finally, the owner of the mule, supposing that the poor creature was severely injured by the fall, decided that it would be more merciful to have him killed than to allow him to starve to death. Not knowing any other way of despatching him, he had a cart load of dirt thrown in upon him. But, instead of allowing himself to be buried alive, his muleship quietly shook off the dirt and pressed it down with his feet, thus raising himfelf several inches above his original position. Another load was thrown in, with the same result; and then some one said that if the mule would continue trampling down the dirt, it was possible that he might be extricated; it would be no harm to try, any way. Acting on this suggestion, all the farm-hands went to work filling the well, carefully pouring the dirt in on the sides, so as not to hurt the mule. It was slow work filling that deep well, but a hearty interest was awakened by the perseverance with which the poor animal trampled down the dirt, and all worked with willing hands. Slowly but surely, inch by inch, did he ascend, until the great well was filled within a few feet of the top; then, as complacently as if nothing had happened, his muleship stepped out safe and sound.—*St. Nicholas.*

—A few years ago Australia imported a cargo of rabbits for the purpose of freeing the pastures from noxious weeds, and frightening mischievous animals from the grain fields. It is now importing weasels for the discussion of the rabbits, with a tolerably fair hope of having some day to import rattlesnakes to exhort the weasels.

—"Is this your wife?" asked Justice Morgan of John Rowell, a Morrisania fisherman, in the Harlem Police Court, as he pointed to a modest looking woman, who had charged Rowell with assaulting her. "She's one of them, your Honor," replied the prisoner. "What! have you more?" "Only one more, judge; and when one don't behave I send for the other." "And you have children by both?" "I have, judge." "And does your plan work?" "Pretty fair, judge; pretty fair."

—Woman's distress in these hardest of hard times is a touching thing. Martha B—— of San Francisco, hearing how much the manager of the Benevolent Society was doing for the poor, appealed to him for a few things. She said she would like half a pint of cream every day for her tea and coffee, one gallon of the best port wine, and a little change, so that whenever she returned from a theatre she could have a few plates of nice Eastern oysters. She was also in need of a few pairs of twelve-button gloves and some perfumery, a nice bronze drop-light, and a piano.

DIED.

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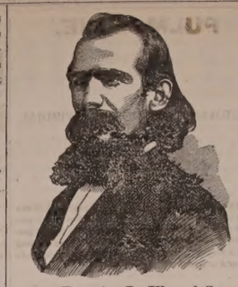

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Sea Serpent.

Captain Drewar, of the bark Pauline, of London, at Cork, Ireland, from a long voyage, favors the public with the following extract from his log:

Bark Pauline, July 8, 1875, latitude 5 degrees 13 minutes north, longitude 34 degrees west, Cape San Roque, northeast coast of Brazil, distant twenty miles, at 11 A. M., the weather fine and clear, wind and sea moderate, observed some black spots on the water, and a whitish pillar some thirty feet high above them. At the first sight I took all to be breakers, as the sea was splashing up fountain-like about them, and the pillar a pinnacle rock, bleached with the sun, but the pillar fell with a splash and a similar one rose. They rose and fell alternately in quick succession, and good glasses showed me it was a monster seaserpent coiled twice round a large sperm whale. The head and tail parts, each about thirty feet long, were acting as levers, twisting itself and its victim round with great velocity. They sank out of sight every two minutes, coming to the surface still revolving; and the struggles of the whale and two other whales that were near, frantic with excitement, made the sea in their vicinity like a boiling cauldron; and a loud confused noise was distinctly heard. This strange occurrence lasted some fifteen minutes, and finished with the tail portion of the whale being elevated straight in the air, then waving backward and forward, and lashing the water furiously in the last death struggle, when the whole body disappeared from our view, going down head foremost to the bottom, where, no doubt, it was gorged at the serpent's leisure; and that monster of monsters may have been many months in a state of coma, digesting the huge mouthful. Then, two of the largest sperm whales that I have ever seen, moved slowly thence toward the vessel, their bodies more than usually elevated out of the water, and not spouting or making the least noise, but seeming quite paralyzed with fear; indeed, a cold shiver went through my own frame on beholding the last agonizing struggle of the poor whale that had seemed as helpless in the coils of the vicious monster as a bird in the talons of a hawk. Allowing for two coils round the whale, I think the serpent was about 160 or 170 feet long, and 7 or 8 feet in girth. It was in color much like a conger eel; and the head, from the mouth being always open, appeared the largest part of its body. It is curious that the whale, that lives on the smallest food of any fish in the ocean, should itself be but a meal for another monster; for I think it as feasible that the serpent swallowed the whale as that a boa-constructor can consume a whole bullock.

I am aware that few believe in the existence of the great sea-serpent. People think that as so many vessels are constantly on the ocean, it would be seen oftener. But the northeast coast of Brazil, noted for its monster reptiles, is peculiarly adapted for the growth of sea monsters. The temperature of the air and water is seldom below 81 degrees, the shore for a thousand miles is bordered by a coral wall or reef, and numerous banks and reefs extend for a considerable distance from the land, while there are strong and various currents and no ports; so that ships, for business or pleasure, seldom go near it. Unexpected circumstances led me to the home of the sea serpent, and I think it may be allowed that the serpent retains some portion of that cunning mentioned in Scripture. At least it has wit enough not to leave a good feeding ground and secure home, to go wandering about the ocean like a fish, and be tortured and captured for man's pleasure or profit. I think Cape San Roque is a landmark for whales leaving the South for the North Atlantic. The warm water is also good for its breeding; and if the Crystal Palace Company, or some enterprising Barnum, offered a suitable reward for the serpent's capture, I am sure a steam whaler, with suitable hooks baited with some animal and steel wire lines, would effect its capture while following a profitable whaling business.

I wrote thus far little thinking I would ever see the serpent again; but at 7 A. M., July 13, in the same latitude and some eighty miles east of San Roque, I was astonished to see the same or a similar monster. It was throwing its head and about forty feet of its body in a horizontal position out of the water as it passed onwards by the stern of our vessel. I began musing why we were so much favored with such a strange visitor, and concluded that the ship's band of white paint, two feet wide above the copper, might have looked like a fellow-serpent to it, and no doubt attracted its attention. It was put on to keep the vessel's side clear and free from barnacles, which it does remarkably well; and if the agitators about the deep load line gain their wish, it would be both useful and practical to mark the vessel thus, in place of disfiguring it with plague spots that would be constantly rubbed off. If the shipowners, with two competent surveyors, so decided, much misery, uncertainty and perpetual lawsuits would be avoided. While thus thinking, I was startled by the cry of "There it is again!" and a short distance to leeward, elevated some sixty feet in the air, was the great leviathan, grimly looking towards the vessel. As I was not sure it was only our freeboard it was viewing, we had all our axes ready, and were fully de-

termined, should the brute embrace the Pauline, to chop away for its backbone with all our might; and the wretch might have found for once in its life that it had caught a Tartar. This statement is strictly true, and the occurrence was witnessed by my officers, half the crew and myself; and we are ready at any time to testify on oath that it is so, and that we are not in the least mistaken.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 1877.

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JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

News and Notes.

Two schoolboys at Lawrence, Mass., Willie Rose, aged eight years, and Fred Dow, aged nine, had a fight Thursday afternoon. The Dow boy took from his pocket a knife, opened it, and holding the Rose boy with his left hand, deliberately plunged it full length into the latter's neck with such force that he was unable to withdraw it. Becoming frightened, he ran away, and a gentleman who was driving by in a sleigh carried the wounded boy to the Central Police Station. A doctor was called, and with difficulty removed the blade, which had entered the flesh two inches, the point being imbedded in a bone. The wound, strange to say, is not of a dangerous nature. The Dow boy will be tried by the Juvenile Court.

The past season has been a dull one with many of the first-class hotels, but that old and standard favorite, the American of Boston, has evinced its enterprise and success by making many alterations and improvements, not the least of which is the introduction of wash fonts and running water in one hundred and fifty of its rooms that were not so supplied before.

A terrible double murder was committed Tuesday night in Gentry settlement, Saline county, Ark. Two women named Taylor and Slaner, wives of esteemed planters, were both murdered in cold blood. They were stopping at the same house, their husbands being gone to Little Rock with produce. The murders were committed for the purpose of robbery.

The partial mobilization of the Russian army has brought to light a whole list of frauds perpetrated by surveyers of magazines and leading members of the Commissariat. Millions of cartridges were discovered void of powder, and many barrels supposed to contain munitions were filled with sand and stones.

Consequent upon the confession of Miles Ogle, the counterfeiter, the detectives at Cincinnati captured over one hundred finely executed plates. Among them were plates for the manufacture of $10 notes on the banks of Richmond, Lafayette, and Muncie, Indiana. They also recovered 40,000 counterfeit fifty cent pieces found buried near Brighton, in the suburbs of Cincinnati. These pieces so closely resembled the genuine, that none but experts could distinguish the difference between them.

Free trade in ships has been proposed again this Winter. It was hoped by American shipbuilders that the suggestion would bring on a discussion of the whole subject of the comparative cost of shipbuilding in this and other countries, and the needs of the industry here. The builders are ready for it; they court it and would value it. At the present time they are building iron vessels every cent as cheap as the English, and in many respects better; and in New England it is claimed that were the duty on copper plates removed, wooden ships could be built as cheap as they are constructed in Canada, as they are, in fact, already made better and stronger. The subject, however, seems to arouse very little attention. There have been a momentary stir in New England and an exchange of shots through the press in California, lively but brief, and that is all. It is to be feared the matter will rest here for this Winter. The people at Washington are too busy saving the country to give shipping interests much of a hearing now.—*Tribune.*

At the same time that remarkable shipments of muskets and munitions of war are being made from this country to Turkey, the news comes from Birmingham in England, whose principal industry is the manufacture of rifles, that never before at a time of impending war was business so dull. In the United States the facilities for producing arms have been much improved and developed, and the arms are made so cleverly and cheap, that a serious blow has been given to this branch of England's commerce.

Political.

The *status quo* still rages in New Orleans.

The Wade Hampton tax installments do not come forward promptly in South Carolina. The patriots prefer signing petitions to paying taxes.

Some people do not know the difference between a statesman and a mere politician. The former is one who acts in all things so as to please the Boston *Globe*; the latter is one who acts according to his own convictions, without consulting the *Globe* man.

The White Liners in New Orleans were jubilant when they heard that the Senate had passed the compromise bill. They regarded it as more of a Tilden victory than the Oregon purchase was.

It is fortunate for the Republic that the democratic ballot-box stuffer who can vote forty times can shoulder but one musket.

One of the kid-glove fire-eaters of the South in a revolutionary speech delivered at the 8th of January pow-wow in Washington, tried to belittle Vice-President Ferry by calling him a "lumberman from Michigan." It would be well for these high-toned gentlemen who despise honest labor to remember that the American people are willing to have the constitutional functions of the Vice President exercised by a "lumberman from Michigan" as any one else. All the people ask is that the duties of the office be honestly and faithfully performed.

Fernando Wood is talking impeachment again. This reminds us that he has not returned the book which he stole from the Congressional Library. — *Washington Republican.*

The Grand Tribunal, constituted by the new electoral plan, is to have "the same power, if any, possessed by Congress." In plain English, Congress has empowered the committee to determine whether Congress was empowered to empower the committee.—*Cincinnati Times.*

Ben Hill was on Friday elected U. S. Senator from Georgia.

Frank Hereford was on Friday elected to fill the vacancy made by the death of Senator Caperton, and H. G. Davis was chosen for the long term, by the democrats of the West Virginia legislature.

The Washington *Republican* calls "the plan" the "dice-box compromise," and the Manchester *Mirror* alludes to it as "the Presidency in a grab-bag."

The American people want to know what the democratic House is going to do with the rebel claims. The Judiciary Committee have had an amendment to the Constitution prohibiting the payment of these claims under consideration. Their duty was to report the matter within twenty days. Twice twenty days have expired, but not a word has been heard from the committee on the subject. Every time a resolution is presented in the House demanding them to report on the matter it is slaughtered by a strict party vote. The Northern democrats deceived the public by passing the original resolution. They did it with bluster and pomp and much exhibition of sincerity. That sincerity was a fraud and a deception. They were not in earnest. They dare not report an amendment favorable to the resolution. They are kneeling to their Southern allies like a bastinadoed elephant to his rider. They have been cowed by their Southern friends.

New Hampshire Items.

At Columbia, on the 19th inst., when R. W. Jordan and deputy sheriff Leavitt went to the house of Patrick Toland to attach some property, Toland's wife made for Jordan with a dipper of hot water, which she threw in his face, severely scalding his face, neck and breast, and injuring, if not ruining the sight one eye.

The thermometer marked 32 degrees below zero at Concord, Friday morning, 20 below at Lancaster, 22 below at Claremont, 20 below at Exeter and 22 below at Newton.

The LaPage trial has been postponed till Feb. 26.

In the Supreme Court at Exeter the jury in the case of Dumas vs. the town of Hampton, for injury to his horse on the highway, rendered a verdict of $184 damages. In the case of Bell vs. John S. Lamprey, the verdict was for Bell for the amount of the note, some $3000.

The annual meeting of the New Hampshire Press Association was held at the Phenix Hotel, Concord, on Thursday. It was voted to make the annual excursion to Mount Mansfield, Vt., in June. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, George E. Jenks of Concord; Vice Presidents, E. C. Bailey of Contoocookville, Charles Marseiles of Exeter, George C. Ide of Claremont; Recording Secretary, P. B. Cogswell of Concord; Corresponding Secretary, Howard F. Hill of Concord; Treasurer, Thomas W. Lane of Manchester; Executive Committee, Frank W. Miller of Portsmouth, William E. Moore of Manchester, F. P. Whittemore of Nashua; Auditors, William H. Gilmore of Concord, J. C. French of Manchester.

Mr. Laren Grover, of Concord, was frozen to death Wednesday night while returning to his home from Pittsfield in a sleigh. He was sixty-eight years old, and leaves a wife and son.

There have been only four mornings at Colebrook since the 14th of December when the mercury has not been from three to 28 degrees below zero.

Charles W. Gray's jewelry store at Farmington was closed a few days since, but as he expected to fix up matters it was kept quiet until Wednesday, when it was learned that his liabilities are about $4000; assets amount to about $1500.

George, eldest son of Rev. George M. Rice of Dublin, was seriously, if not fatally injured Tuesday afternoon, while coasting in the streets of that place.

Mr. Frank Robbe, of West Peterborough, treated a sick hen recently, successfully. He cut open the crop, extracted a bunch of sweet hay and sewed up the opening. The hen was immediately relieved, and on the third day after laid an egg.

Mrs. Agnes Ewing of Claremont recently dropped dead while stepping from her house to the wood-shed.

Amateur Fishermen in the Woods.

In the February number of *Scribner*, Mr. Edward Seymour describes "Trout-Fishing in the Rangeley Lakes," which are famous for brook trout (not lake trout,) weighing as much as eight or ten pounds. "The Oquossoc Angling Association," composed of New Yorkers, Jerseymen and "Down-Easters," has a permanent camp there, some of whose characteristics are thus described:

There are some peculiar features in the arrangement of the camp buildings which will be of interest to those who are not familiar with such institutions. The main camp is a substantial board structure one hundred feet long by thirty feet wide. At its extreme Westerly end is a well equipped kitchen, and adjoining it is a large dining-room. Then comes the main apartment, which is occupied as a sleeping and sitting-room. This room takes the full width of the main building (thirty feet,) is about sixty feet in length, and from the floor to the gable is thirty feet in the clear, giving it a most spacious appearance and securing thorough ventilation. There are no partitions in this apartment, but twenty-five or thirty beds are ranged along its sides, and at its extreme easterly end is a large open fire-place, around which the weary anglers gather after their long day's sport, and entertain each other with the rehearsal of their experiences and exploits. As one huge log after another blazes up,—for the nights are seldom so warm that a fire is oppressive,—story after story passes around. It rarely happens that some one of the circle has not captured a six or eight pound trout during the day, and the one who has been so fortunate is of course the hero of the hour. With what kind of fly the fish was captured, how long it took to land him, the narrow escape which the lucky angler had from losing his prize just as the guide was netting him, are points which must be rehearsed over and over again. Could one-tenth of the fish stories which have thus been rehearsed around this famous old fire-place in Camp Kennebago be put on record, they would make a book which would throw far into the shade any volume of piscatorial experience that has ever yet seen the light. Before eleven o'clock the weary anglers are all in their beds, and the camp sinks into a silence which is undisturbed save by some obstreperous snorer, at least until daylight the next morning, when some fisherman who has had poor luck the previous day starts out with a desperate determination to retrieve his fortunes by testing the virtue of early fishing.

Wild Beasts in New York.

The Central Park Menagerie is enlivened in winter by the presence of animals from the travelling shows whose season is over; there are at present there, among this class, three elephants and a rhinoceros. The latter is the second largest one in captivity in this country, weighing about three tons. He is perfectly docile and extremely lazy. The elephants, which belong to Mr. Barnum, are also good specimens. One of them had some trouble with one of his tusks the other day, and, being angered by the pain, seized it with his trunk and pulled it from his head. Since then he has been rather ugly. Four weeks ago the lion Canada's mate gave birth to a pair of cubs, male and female. They are not yet on exhibition, but Mr. W. A. Conklin, the zoologist in charge, kindly showed them to the *World* reporter. They are kept with their mother, in the quietest corner of the Menagerie building, in a cage covered with canvass. The cage is divided in the middle by the ordinary bars, and there is a gate leading from one side to the other. The old lioness usually stays in the same apartment with her cubs, but when the keepers wish to look at them it is necessary to get her in the other side of the cage. To do this a keeper places a large piece of raw beef in the corner of the unoccupied side. Then he draws the bolt of the gate with a long iron hook, and the lioness catching sight of the meat, jumps for it, and when she turns again the gate is shut. A piece of canvas is then drawn between her and the cubs, so that she cannot see any one is near them, for when she does so she immediately becomes enraged. Mr. Conklin put his hand through the bars and tried to play with them, but they drew back and hissed at him. They are about fourteen inches long, and are great pets with Mr. Conklin. There are also two young panthers about a week old, but they are not yet large enough to be very interesting. There is a sick lion about a year old. He was once very ugly, but is now extremely docile.—*World.*

Sails Superseding Steam.

A remarkable change in the character of the ship building on the Clyde has for some time been going on, and during last year it reached very large proportions. This is the substitution of iron sailing vessels for iron steamers, and the change is ascribed in some measure to the increase of late years in the price of coal, an increase which makes it difficult to run steamships at a profit. In 1873 there were built on the Clyde 115 iron screw-steamers of 218,000 tons, and only twelve iron sailing ships of 19,000 tons were launched. But in 1876 only eighty-three iron screw-steamers were built, while ninety-seven iron sailing ships of 96,000 tons were constructed. This is an increase of more than eight-fold in three years. The change is one which will be welcomed by sail makers and sailors, who generally dislike steamers for reasons of their own.

Oysters and Charity.

The Vermont *Chronicle* (Congregationalist) looks at some things from a peculiar standpoint. For example, speaking of giving, it remarks:

Among others, there is the hot oyster way of charity. The benevolent people of a church or community come together once a week, while the inclement season lasts, and eat oysters for the poor. The comfortable and well-to-do classes get the oysters, and the poor people get the profits. The oysters cost eighty cents on the dollar, and the poor get twenty cents on the dollar. We sometimes wonder whether poor people have any taste for oysters, and whether this kind of charitable goodness is not more profitable for this life than it is for the life to come. But of this bivalvular beneficence it may be safely said that, so long as oysters last, charity never faileth.

—Money is powerful, but gold has hard times trying to keep up!

—An eccentric Englishman some time ago left his daughters by will their weight in one-pound bank notes. The eldest received $256,000, and the youngest $286,720.

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Flour, Sup. per bll. 6 @ 7; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 5 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 13½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 40 @ 48c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, $1.
Pork per bll., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, .90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 11 @12c; Gr. 13; Crushed 13½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8: Pine $4.

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U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114½
United States Ten-Forties cupon	113½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	109½
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N. H. State 6s. 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
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Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	67
Boston & Maine	99½
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	126
Nashua & Lowell	82
Concord	78
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	71
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	50½
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EDWARD P. KIMBALL, Assignee,

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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

This (Saturday) evening there will be a special prayer meeting in the chapel at Faith Home. Friends are invited. Service at 7:30.

Subject at Bow Mission, Sunday: "The Pearl of Great Price." Through the kindness of the Reform Club, sixty more seats have been supplied to accommodate the congregation.

The old folks' concert given by the young folks in the Universalist church, Thursday evening, was so satisfactory to the large audience that the performers were urgently requested to repeat the entertainment on Friday evening, which was done. The choruses were especially well given, and the trio and quartette singing was very good,

Charles W. Gardner, Esq., of this city, delivered a lecture on the "Treatment of Dumb Animals," in the Town Hall at Rochester, Thursday evening, and notwithstanding the zero weather there was a good audience in attendance. Mr. Gardner was followed by Hon. Thomas E. O. Marvin, President of the New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, in a short address. Several of the prominent citizens of Rochester also spoke earnestly in behalf of the humane work of the S. P. A. C. After the conclusion of the addresses, Joseph Swasey, Esq., was elected chairman of the meeting and a permanent organization was effected, by the choice of Dr. B. W. Sargent, President; Joseph A. White, Treasurer; Joseph Swasey, Secretary. The meeting adjourned to meet again next Friday evening, for the choice of a board of directors and other officers.

The Nashua *Telegraph* and Concord *Patriot* say the "schooner Rover's Bride, owned in Portsmouth, came in on Wednesday with 13,150 *barrels* of prime cod, the largest catch of cod this winter." How pleased that schooner's crew and owners would be if that story were only true. They would even be glad to compromise on one thousand barrels, but they wouldn't like to have all their fare on board at once, in a sea-way.

It is said in the shipping columns of the Boston papers, of the ship Simla, recently sold as a wreck on the Jersey coast, that "the purchasers intend to get the vessel off on the first spring tides." If they do they will make a good thing of their purchase, for they only gave $2750 for the wreck, and before the ship went ashore she was valued high enough to carry an insurance of $54,000. But if the prospect of getting her off had been brilliant the underwriters would hardly have given her up so cheaply.

Schooner Mary E. Caswell started for the Shoals, Friday morning, but did not go far, the current sweeping her on shore on Peirce's island, where she stuck for that tide. Oscar Laighton, Esq., of Appledore, one of the schooner's owners, was on board, and as he would not be balked in his proposed trip to his rocky kingdom by such a trifle as a vessel going ashore, he chartered the steamer Clara Bateman, to take him out and went in style, notwithstanding the lack of wind.

Friday morning was the coldest one of the season in this vicinity, the thermometer standing at from thirteen to seventeen degrees below zero, the former being the temperature near the river and the latter at the Plains. As there was no wind the weather was not very uncomfortable, and the mercury rose rapidly as the day advanced.

The engine of the extra freight train on the Eastern Railroad went off the track in Biddeford Thursday evening. With the aid of a wrecking crew it was got on after five hours' hard work. Two freight trains were delayed. Damage slight.

The recent death of ex-Chief Justice Shepley leaves Hon. Mark Dennett of Kittery as the only surviving member from York County of the Maine Constitutional Convention of 1820. The latter is now 92 years of age and still in the enjoyment of excellent health.

A FINE SHIP.

The Boston *Advertiser* gives the following particulars concerning the new ship "Gov. Goodwin," now on the stocks at East Boston, more than one-half of which vessel is owned by Portsmouth parties:

"We would call attention to the ship now being built by Messrs. Campbell & Brooks, at their yard in East Boston, for the house of M. F. Pickering & Co. It is said by competent judges that she promises to be one of the best specimens of the mercantile marine ever built in East Boston. The model is similar to that of the ship Champlain, noted for her quick passages and carrying capacity. The frame from which she is being built is of white oak that has been in dock two years, and was originally cut for a 2000-ton ship. The surveyor of the timber pronounces it to be one of the best frames ever brought to Boston. Her dimensions are 207 feet on keel 218 feet on deck, 24 feet hold, and 42 feet extreme beam, to register about 1600 tons. She will be through treenailed with locust, square fastened, butt and bilge bolted with yellow metal up to 22 feet. Her poop will extend to the mainmast and her cabins will be finished in the best East Boston manner. She will be fitted with patent windlass and all the latest improvements. She will be named the Gov. Goodwin, and be commanded by Capt. William Lester of Stratnam, N. H., formerly of the clipper ship, Invincible. Messrs. Campbell & Brooks' reputation as shipbuilders is second to none in East Boston, and they will spare no pains to make this ship one of the staunchest afloat."

Capt. Lester's reputation in this city, of which he is a native and where he is well-known, is A 1, he having commanded some of the finest clipper ships out of New England and proved himself, by his success, a thoroughly capable shipmaster. Portsmouth has been almost as famous for producing first-class masters as for building first-class ships, and Capt. Lester has done—and will no doubt continue to do—his part toward keeping up the city's old-time reputation in this respect.

HE WILL STICK.

The Concord correspondent of the *Globe*, in his report of a meeting of the democratic State Committee at Concord on the 25th, says: "Among the prominent gentlemen present was Hon. Daniel Marcy of Portsmouth, gubernatorial nominee. He talked quite freely regarding his nomination and said that had he been aware of the feeling among the younger members of the party he would not have been a candidate under any consideration whatever. He says he instructed Mr. H. Wendell of Portsmouth, a delegate of the State Convention, not to let his name go before the convention unless it was the unanimous wish of the convention, and he did not understand that there was any feeling against him until some time after the nomination was made. The report that he will not accept the nomination, and that another convention will be called to nominate a younger man, and a man without a record, is pronounced by prominent members of the Committee to be without foundation. Mr. Butterfield, Secretary of the Committee, says it would not be policy to swap horses while crossing a stream, and that the young men will harmonize the differences of opinion that may exist, and support the regular ticket on the second Tuesday of March."

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, William H. Kenniston was appoined special police without pay at Franklin Hall.

The use of the South Ward Room was granted to Professor Edwards for Sunday evening for a sacred concert, he to provide a police officer.

The application of John Smith for use of South Ward Room on the evening of Jan. 30th for a party, was granted on condition that he have a police officer present.

The committee on claims, to whom was refered the claims of Melvin P. Welch and Henry B. Colson, reported that said parties have leave to withdraw. The report was adopted.

Committee on bills on second reading, to whom was referred a bill entitled "An ordinance relating to publishing the city ordinances," reported the same without amendment. Said bill was read a second time and passed in concurrence.

The committee on police, to whom was referred the City Marshal's quarterly report of fines and costs, and his bill of $89, reported that the amount and bill were correct. The report was accepted and the bill ordered to be paid.

Stephen W. Weeks appeared by counsel in support of his claim for damages to his horse; and after hearing Mr. Weeks' statement the claim was referred to the committee on streets.

James M. Locke's bill for painting stable, $93.18 was approved.

The subject of printing the city accounts was referred to the committee on printing, with power.

Adjourned for two weeks.

—Cannibals, not of the genus exhibited by Barnum, but real eaters of human flesh, are reported to have been discovered by missionaries on the islands of New Britain and New Guinea, on the north-eastern coast of Australia. These natives are nude savages of the oriental negro type, who live more like beasts than human beings. Rev. George Brown, a Wesleyan missionary, reports that he saw women roasting the leg and thigh of a man who had been killed in a fight. In another hut smoke-dried human flesh was hanging. In another he counted thirty-five jaw bones of men and women. Cannibalism seemed to be common throughout the islands, not as a religious rite, but as an ordinary means of subsistence. The natives assured the missionary that the accounts heretofore published of a race of tailed human beings were true, and they were certain that these strange creatures were not monkeys.

—"Why laws, honey, is you here yet; ain't done gone for and died?" "No, ma'am, I'se here fur sure, but I'se had an orful time." "Did yer hab de yellum fever?" "No, wuss dan dat." "What dat? Wuss dan de yellum fever? Wat did you hab?" "Why, I hab de carbolics," said the other, with a lugubrious look and a sniff of the nose. She had been disinfected out of her house.—*Savannah News.*

DIED.

PARKER. In Kittery, Jan. 26th, of scarlet fever, Harry Sanborn Parker, son of Peirce and Mary E. Parker, aged 1 year and 3 months. [This was their third and last surviving child, two others, a boy of six years of age and a beautiful little girl of four, having died within less than a week previously, of the same terrible disease.]

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch Thomas Martin, for this port, passed down from Newcastle, Del, on the afternoon of Jan 24, in tow.

Sch Clara E Simpson, Talpey, sld from Baltimore, Jan 24.

Ship Sagamore, 1347 tons register, built at Portsmouth, in 1857, yellow metalled in 1874, has been sold for $17,000.

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The Cough and Lung Syrup

Is the remedy that during the past fifteen years has won for DR. FLAGG an extended reputation as a SPECIALIST for THROAT and LUNG Diseases. After so many years trial it can be truthfully said that it has NEVER FAILED, even in the WORST CASES. It is purely Vegetable, and its effect upon the system is at once **Soothing** and **Tonic.**

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In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION.

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

Remember that it,

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January 16, 1877.

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ORIENT, Of Hartford, Connecticut. Assets $766,622

SPRINGFIELD, FIRE & MARINE, Springfield, Mass., Assets $1,390,963

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TRAVELERS, LIFE & ACCIDENT, Of Hartford, Conn. Assets $3,701,361

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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There is a curious story told of the manner in which Frederick the Great could deal, where other men had failed, with a prima donna of the period who was inclined to set too little store by the public. This great artist seemed to catch a cold, which had the effect of rendering her hoarse and consequently unable to sing, whenever anybody or thing had displeased her.

One day a certain opera was to be performed at Berlin before the King himself. At the appointed hour the manager came forward and said: "Ladies and gentlemen, we grieve to inform you that our prima donna has a sore throat, and that the representation announced cannot therefore take place." The stolid Teutonic audience seemed no whit surprised, and was moving out tranquilly, when the King rose and commanded the musicians to keep their places. The audience sat down again and waited patiently on events.

In less than a quarter of an hour the manager reappeared and spoke as follows: "Ladies and gentlemen, I have the most unfeigned pleasure in informing you that our prima donna is completely cured of her sore throat and will have the honor to sing before you to-night." Surely enough the famous singer soon appeared, and never had she sung better. Her triumph was complete.

The King's prescription had been a very simple one. The prima donna, having dismissed the unhappy manager, was sitting comfortably before the fire in her own room and rather pleased at the idea of having spoiled the pleasure of several hundreds of persons, when the door was violently thrown open, and there entered an officer followed by four dragoons. "Mademoiselle," quoth the officer, "the King, my master, has sent me to ask after your health." "The King is very good; I have a bad sore throat." "His Majesty knows it, and has charged me to take you at once to the military hospital, where you will be cured in a few days." Mademoiselle turned pale. "You are jesting," she simpered; but Prussian officers, she was informed, never jested. The lieutenant gave the order to his men, who seized Mademoiselle and carried her out of the theatre.

A coach was in attendance; the lady was deposited therein; the officer took his place beside, after shouting his address to the driver, "The military hospital," and off they went, the dragoons riding alongside. In a few seconds, "stay," said the lady; "I think I feel better." "The king is anxious, Mademoiselle, that you should be quite restored, and even that you should sing to-night." "I will try," murmured the prisoner. "Back to the theatre," cried the officer to the coachman. Arrived there, Mademoiselle began to think she had yielded too easily. "I will sing, since His Majesty commands me," she said, "but God knows how." "You will sing," replied the officer, "like the great artist you are." "I shall sing like an artist with a bad cold." "I think not." "And why!" "Because a couple of dragoons will be in attendance behind the scenes, and at the least *couac* they have orders to arrest you and carry you off again to the military hospital." The hoarseness was now completely gone.

Prevention of Scarlet Fever and Diphtheria.

The Chicago *Tribune* publishes a very interesting paper written by Dr. G. D. Beebe of that city, upon scarlet fever and diphtheria, with some interesting observations on the entire class of contagious diseases. The *Tribune* has an editorial on the subject, in which it is stated that Dr. Beebe stands in the front rank of his school (homeopathy). That paper also asserts that the physician named is simply actuated by a desire to contribute to the general good, in announcing that he has found a remedy in the treatment of the two diseases named, which have spread throughout the country in a very malignant type during the past few weeks. Dr. Beebe began his search, as long as ten years ago in the case of diphtheria and more recently in scarlet fever, for an agency that would attack and defeat the reproductive parasites which he believes to be destroying the essentials of the blood in those diseases. He first found that carbolic acid, administered internally, was effective as an antiseptic, but the objection to it was that it could not be diffused in sufficient quantities to insure success without risking its poisonous effects. Sulphite of soda was found to be diffusive enough, but to lack energy. It was finally in a combination of the two—sulpho-carbonate of soda—that the desired agency was discovered, and its use during the present epidemic this winter of scarlet fever and diphtheria has abundantly demonstrated its efficiency. Dr. Beebe cites a large number of cases where in towns or neighborhoods visited with the scourge the use of this antiseptic has saved families from attack, while all those not using it were seized with disease. He freely communicates to physicians all that his own experience has taught him as to the manner of administering it and the quantity to be given.

—"I hear your rich uncle is dead," remarked a Chicago sport to a brother swell. "Yes," solemnly replied the party addressed, "he's dead." "Did he leave you anything?" asked the friend. "Well, I should think so!" said the mourner. "What?" "He left me—out!" And the procession moved sadly on.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JANUARY 29, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 24.

Possibly it has never occurred to a class of Washington correspondents who have united to stigmatize as unpatriotic every member of Congress who cannot see his way clear to support the compromise measure of the Joint Committee, that other than partizan considerations may have had some weight and influence upon dissenters. Since we have all been reared in the faith that the superstructure of our Republic is based upon the individual right of every American citizen from least to greatest to the ballot; and that such right is absolute and inviolable; and that any attempt to restrict or compromise it is, in their view, essentially revolutionary, the proposition on the part of the Committee for Congress to ignore the verdict of the 7th of November, and to delegate its powers in the premises to a party unknown to the laws or the constitution in such a connection, appears sufficiently startling to account for their hesitancy and to shield them from the imputation of excessive partisanship. This may be said: Although there is a wide-spread conviction—in the case of some States amounting to a certainty—that the fear of personal violence deterred tens of thousands of republicans from voting, the ultimate result reached by the electors of the several States on the 6th of December was in strict conformity to law; that however arbitrary the methods of Returning Boards may have appeared, their necessity was recognized by both parties and they existed under laws which were passed by a union of republicans and democrats. The certificates in the custody of the President of the Senate shows Hayes to have 185 of the 369 electoral votes, his one majority being just as conclusive of his election as one hundred would have been. The failure of the constitution to explicitly designate who should count and declare the vote was the only loop-hole through which it was sought to thrust Mr. Tilden into the Presidential chair. But inasmuch as it is expressly provided that "the President of the Senate shall, in the presence of the Senate and House of Representatives, open all the certificates," it is submitted that the republicans have not unreasonably maintained that the presumptions are all in favor of the President of the Senate as the party intended by the framers of the Constitution to count and declare the vote. This position is reinforced by the precedents; and yet it is sought, apparently, to drive dissenting republicans into the advocacy and support of a "compromise" which they believe to be unconstitutional, inexpedient, unwise and at open variance with the spirit and intent of the fundamental law. But it is generally conceded that the "plan" will be adopted; and the patriotism and devotion of the republican supporters will not be generally questioned.

The Western Union Telegraph Company has forfeited about all the esteem remaining to its officials among honorable men, for its cowardly surrender, after its pompous, grandiloquent announcement that it was determined to stand between its patrons and the rapacity of partizan Congressional committees. It is alleged that fears of unfavorable legislation incited the disgraceful capitulation.

Poor Colonel Pelton, who challenged the admiration of the New York *Sun* to such an extent that its pirate editor, in a burst of enthusiasm, dubbed him a nincompoop, finds his party ungrateful. He was so indiscreet as to put his foot into the Oregon business so decidedly that the sending of money to the conspirators was readily traced to him, and but for his "defective memory" might have caused him trouble. But with the announcement of the purpose of the telegraph company to deliver up to the enemy the dispatches of members of the Democratic National Committee, a tremor seized certain prominent democrats, shaking them almost out of their boots; and as if to anticipate the unearthing of damaging telegrams, the statement was at once put out that Pelton had sent several telegrams unauthorized as Secretary of the Committee, and that his Uncle Tilden had threatened to send him adrift if the offence was repeated. There is evident a purpose to cast upon him all the sins and iniquities of the party, as a vicarious atonement; and they have promptly notified all whom it may concern that they disavow all responsibilities. LOGAN.

Public Opinion.

The whole thing, then, looks like a joint high circumlocution instituted for the purpose of getting the opinion of one of the supreme judges—name at present unknown. Should the scheme be adopted, that judge will be a truly Great Unknown, and when he is selected will be equivalent to a majority of 40,000,000 of people and 369 electoral voters.—*New Orleans Times.*

We do not see that either party is in a position to defeat the scheme of arbitration. If either party accepts the responsibility of defeating it under the circumstances, that party will be placed at a disadvantage before the country.—*Cincinnati Commercial* (ind.)

That Congress should propose to remit the settlement of the Presidential controversy to a tribunal unknown to the Constitution, and possessing not the slightest shadow or suspicion of constitutional power or authority, is virtually a confession by Congress that the executive part of the Constitution was an experiment which at last has utterly broken down.—*Chicago Times,* (dem.)

Men of America! consider this proposal calmly. Is this the ripe fruit and crowning glory of self-government? Shall we select one man, and empower him to throw out the votes of any State or States if he thinks fit? When such a plan has been adopted, will it not be wise to avoid the disgrace and peril of quadrennial disputed elections by abolishing the empty form of elections by the people?—*New York Tribune,* (ind.)

A lot of republican Congressmen quail before the disgraced fillibusters, and, in the name of compromise, consent to set aside the constitution, to take away from the people the elections of President in the future, and to throw the election of Hayes into a lottery.—*Cincinnati Gazette,* (rep.)

We are not yet prepared to accept the conclusion that the Constitution is a patent India rubber pedestal which can be contracted or elongated at pleasure.—*Toledo (O.) Commercial.*

If one man is to decide the dispute, why should it not be the officer designated by the Constitution to perform important duties in connection with it rather than a judge picked from the Supreme Court bench? *New York Times,* (rep.)

If this does not hold out the promise of a fair and impartial solution, we should like to know in what respect it fails, and what other method must be accepted as a substitute.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat,* (rep.)

Among the grandest results to be anticipated from the passage of the electoral bill is that it will vindicate the cardinal principle of republicanism—the sovereignty of the people.—*Richmond Enquirer,* (dem.)

The established method of counting the electoral vote is the only equitable mode, no matter what Congress may do, and we had better abide by the constitutional method, which is settled by precedents from Washington down to Grant.—*Dayton (O.) Journal.*

Respect for the Constitution is endangered after the assuption by Congress of power to set it aside. As Hayes is legally elected and Tilden is legally defeated, the latter can afford to agree to any kind of a plan which gives him a new shuffle and cut. *Cincinnati Gazette,* (rep.)

It is about the same as submitting the whole case to Justice Davis or Justice Bradley, one of whom is certain to pronounce in favor of Tilden and the other most likely to do so.—*New Orleans Times,*

While there was no distinct proposition which could be acted upon as a basis of adjustment, the people stood back. They have now come to the front, thrust aside the politicians, and insist upon compromise. Their will is irresistible.—*New York Sun,* (copperhead.)

The chances of Hayes becoming the President backed by the consent and with the approval of both branches of Congress and of the whole people, are infinitely better under this compromise bill than without it.—*Chicago Tribune,* (rep.)

We believe that Mr. Hayes is fairly elected, and that this commission will so decide; but if this bill becomes a law, and the commission acts, it will be the duty of all good citizens to acquiesce in whatever is done. *Knoxville (Tenn.) Chronicle.*

The plan may be adopted. It is barely possible that it is the best that can be done; though we don't believe it. It may be best that it should be adopted; though we don't believe that.—*Detroit Post.*

The Compromise Bill.

The Electoral count bill passed the House, Friday afternoon, after a brisk debate, by a vote of 191 ayes to 86 noes.

The grand totals were, for Senate and House together,—democrats voting aye, 159; republicans voting aye, 32; democrats voting nay, 18; republicans voting nay, 68. The democrats were largely in favor of the bill, but over two-thirds of the republicans were opposed to it.

Bull-Dozing Pays.

When the Oregon Secretary of State Chadwick handed the package through the door to Cronin he said: "Gentlemen, here are your certificates;" but when the republican electors demanded the certificates from Cronin, he said, "I'll see hell freeze over first." The spirit of this remark is the same that has actuated the democratic party through the Presidential campaign up to the present moment. When Mr. Tilden received the news of his nomination he took a few friends into his library and, crowding them snugly into a corner, said, in a whisper, "Boys, the people did it; now let us have an aggressive campaign." Orders were immediately forwarded to Southern politicians urging them to adopt the system of intimidation, and prosecute it at all hazards. After a close calculation it was determined that with Indiana, New York, New Jersey and Connecticut in the North, and all the Southern States, except Florida and South Carolina, the democracy would fight a successful campaign. The plan of intimidation was adopted and prosecuted with a merciless force which made the constitutional rights of the black race a nullity and the liberties and privileges of American citizenship a farce. When the election battle was over and they discovered the result to be close, the spirit which had actuated them in their lawlessness continued, and they sought refuge in Cronin, who cried to the republican electors, "I'll see hell freeze over before I will give to you your rights." They have kept alive this wanton spirit of menace and bluster ever since, and at last the ends for which it was created have been secured. By it they have bull-dozed the Senate of the United States into the compromise of a victory won by republican votes at the ballot-box. With the democracy bull-dozing pays.—*Washington Republican.*

Rumored Peace for Cuba.

For days a report has been current in Havana, and it is credited by many Spaniards, that an arrangement has been entered into between the Spaniards and Cubans, as follows: Peace is to be declared and autonomy is granted to the island. A Spanish Captain-General is to remain for five years, after which the governing power is to be elected by the people; also, that Martinez Campos would visit Cuba, accompanied by Maximo Gomez, the latter to receive the position of Mariscal de Campo in the Spanish army. Similar reports, or reports hinting at such an arrangement, have been whispered about for weeks. These reports may be mere fabrications, but many prominent persons give credence to them. Jovellar is away from Havana, and the object of his trip is stated to be an interview with Campos at Las Cruces to consummate the above mentioned arrangement.

A Diabolical Plot.

A plot to destroy the hoisting works in the "C" and "C" shaft at Virginia city, Nev., was discovered on Monday morning, the 22d. Just as the engineers had changed shifts, the man who had just come on tried the water corks and was astonished to find no water in the lower one. He turned on the pumps at once, but was still unable to fill the boilers. It was then discovered that the blow-off cocks of the small boilers had all been turned open, so that the water was blown out as fast as the pumps forced the steam and water from the blow-offs. The pipes are carried a long distance down hill from the works, so that the engineer could not tell at first what the trouble was. A few minutes later there would have been a terrible explosion, resulting in the destruction of the works and great loss of life. On the previous Friday night an attempt was made to fire the hoisting works of the Consolidated Virginia mine, which was discovered and frustrated by the watchman. The incendiary escaped. The force of watchmen around all the works of the Bonanza mines has been increased, and all are supplied with shot-guns. The belief here is that both these attempts have been made by scoundrels in the employ of "bear" operators in San Francisco.

News and Notes.

Eaton Logwood, one of the colored men who received such horrible treatment at the hands of the Ouachita bulldozers at the time they took the life of Primus Johnson, and whose testimony before the Returning Board and the Senate Investigating Committee created such a profound sensation, has finally succumbed to the force of the injuries he received. He died in this city, of the wounds inflicted, and, at his request, his body has been forwarded to Ouachita for interment.—*N. O. Repub.*

Mr. Henn, the conductor who was in charge of the train wrecked at Ashtabula, returned to his duty last week. As his neared the new bridge he grew so agitated that he grasped a seat nervously for support, and as it passed off the bridge said: "Thank God I'm over, and now I'm not afraid to go over it a thousand times."

Concerning the statement that Senator Christiancy's family has lately been increased by an infantile integer, the Washington *Star* says that neither the Senator nor Mrs. Christiancy, who ought to be posted in the matter, believe the report.

Stephen Jenney & Co.'s oil works in South Boston were blown up and destroyed, Friday evening, through a tank of naptha taking fire. A large quantity of kerosene, amounting to several thousand barrels, was burned. John Corliss, an employe, was crushed to death by the falling walls when the building blew up, and his body was recovered. A girl nineteen years old was drowned while crossing a dock on the ice, on her way to the fire. A fireman was badly injured by the blowing up of a pipe leading from an oil tank.

The "Bishop expose" of Spiritualism in Boston Music Hall in aid of the Old South Fund drew about $1100 gross. The memorial fund received only about $80. The "expenses," as certified to the Committee, were about $800, the largest item of which was a month's board for Mr. Bishop and his assistant at the Parker House, amounting to about $400. There was incidentals, rides, entertainments, etc. Of the $320 left as the net proceeds, the "expositeur" received three-fourths, as by previous arrangement he could claim.

American barque Oliver Thurlow, from Liverpool for Sandy Hook, ran down and sunk Dutch barque Njaal, and put back to Liverpool with the crew of the latter.

—Col. Ellis Spear, recently appointed Commissioner of Patents, is a native of Warren, Maine, and is about forty-four years of age. He is a graduate of Bowdoin College. He enlisted in the early part of the war as a private, but was speedily promoted to the rank of Colonel, and served to the end of the war. Col. Spear received his first appointment in the Patent Office as clerk, and has gradually worked his way up to his present position of Commissioner.

—A gentleman said, when a pretty girl trod on his toes, that he had received the stamp of beauty.

—The New York *Herald* is not in favor of a dual government.

Beware of Fruit Tree Peddlers.

For the past two years various gangs of men have canvassed different portions of the country with samples of fruit in glass jars, and large numbers of people have become victims to their fraudulent practices. These men do not grow their stock themselves, nor is it grown in Ohio, as represented, but is picked up in different parts of the country wherever they can buy the cheapest trees. The fruit shown by them in their glass jars is seldom of the variety represented by them, but consists of the largest variety they can obtain; it is named to suit the purchaser when it is real, but is often wax, and being in liquid the deception is not perceived by the purchaser. The trees sold by them are shipped hundreds of miles without being boxed to protect them, and without moss sufficient to keep the roots moist. That this fraud may be entirely successful, customers are warned by these imposters not to open their trees, as exposure would injure them; and the victim is generally home before he discovers the fraud. The prices obtained by these parties are simply fabulous, and are often for plants that do not exist. For instance, they sell a "strawberry plant" which they call "The Alpine Tree Strawberry" (a "thing" unknown to nurserymen) at an enormous price, and deliver a plant of some common variety.

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Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 13½ cents.
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Molasses per gal., 1L Cuba 40 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 31.
Pork per bll., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Dr. 11 @13c; Gr. 13; Crushed 13½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	106¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	113¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109½
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	51½
Pacta. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	67
Boston & Maine	99¾
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	126
Nashua & Lowell	88
Concord	78
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	56½
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	102½
P. S. & P.	55
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

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" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
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*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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JOTTINGS.

The annual benefit ball of Mr. John Smith will be given at the South Ward Room on next Tuesday evening, Jan. 30th.

Gen. Gilman Marston, our nominee for Congress from this District, deserves a rousing majority, and we doubt not will receive it. We should have been pleased had the Convention seen proper to bestow the nomination upon our own distinguished townsman, but next to him Gen. Marston would have been our individual choice. A brave soldier, his military career, commencing with the first Bull Run and only ending at the fall of Richmond, is a matter of State pride. Honorable scars received in the service of one's country constitute a far better claim to public confidence than dollars accumulated in the manufacture of ale. Gen. Marston's acknowledged ability and legislative experience are a full guaranty that the First New Hampshire District will not be the cypher in the next National House that it is in the present. Now, boys, for Gil. Marston and victory! —*Lake Village Times.*

The discussions at the State Farmers' meeting in Greenland on Tuesday will be the raising of corn, milk and grass. The Board will have a session at Epping on Wednesday, and on Friday at Londonderry.

The South Millpond was the scene of much sport and considerable excitement, Saturday afternoon. The fast nags were out in large numbers, and trials of speed were numerous; slow nags, too, were not scarce, and many of them exhibited their slowness to the admiring crowds, which were very large, the pleasant weather tempting people out for an airing. One driver was thrown out by the capsizing of his sleigh, but he hung on to one rein and ran with the frightened horse for awhile, then tripped and fell in the snow, and was dragged some distance before the horse stopped. No damage was done, except to the driver's temper.

The "independent" Boston *Herald*, in warmly advocating the re-election of Congressman Frank Jones, says he "never has been disagreeably partisan." We do not suppose his partisanship ever has been "disagreeable" to the *Herald*, but no more bitter and unscrupulous a partisan than he was ever sent to Congress from the First Congressional District of New Hampshire, or any other, by any party.

At sunrise on Friday morning, when the thermometer marked from thirteen to eighteen degrees below zero in and about Portsmouth, the temperature at the Appledore House, at the Shoals, was twelve degrees above zero.

The following named persons are the petit jurors from this city for the second and third weeks of the Supreme Court, in session at Exeter: Charles E. Boynton, Michael E. Long, James Junkins, William H. Gardiner, Frank E. Dearborn, Frank W. Miller, Albert W. Parsons, Nathan W. Tarlton.

In the equity suit brought by the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire against the Eastern Railroad Company, the defendants have filed a motion before the United States Court to have the *ex parte* order in the case appointing a Receiver of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire and its earnings, rescinded, and that the Receiver be enjoined and restrained from taking any action under the order of appointment until the further order of the Circuit Court. Upon this motion a hearing will be had at the United States Court-house in Boston on Tuesday forenoon.

The navy department has ordered the Enterprise to be ready for sea by the 1st of March.

Did the public but know the character of Mr. Albee's lectures, the neat little chapel on Court street would not accommodate half his audience. Scholarly, interesting, instructive, we expected; but hardly that they would be so entertaining, amusing, "popular," so to speak. We have never had any lyceum course to equal it. The fourth of the course will be given this evening. Tickets 35 cents., or $2.50 for the series.

An accident that might easily have been serious occurred on the South Millpond, Saturday afternoon, Mr. Nathaniel Hanscom, an elderly gentleman, being struck by a team which was racing with another, and knocked senseless. Mr. Hanscom was taken to his home in a hack.

Political.

The Supreme Court of South Carolina has dismissed the case against the Hayes Electors in that State. As the Supreme Court referred to is the "infamous Moses" concern which has been so persistently run in the interests of Hampton and Tilden since the election, the democrats will hardly claim the electoral vote of that State any longer.

The New York *Commercial* calls attention to the fact that Gen. Woodford, who was legally elected Governor of New York in 1870 and was squarely counted through the instrumentality of Samuel J. Tilden, then chairman of the democratic State Committee, is now, as United States District Attorney, the chosen means of prosecuting Gov. Tilden on the charge of defrauding the Government of his income tax.

The Hartford *Post* says that Ex-Gov. Jewell of Connecticut, supports the electoral compromise. At an informal meeting of republican members of the Legislature he stated that while he believed Hayes and Wheeler were fairly and legally elected, and honestly entitled to their respective offices, he feared the course proposed might result adversely to the republican candidates; but he nevertheless deemed it the duty of the republicans in Congress to accept the bill, and of members of the Legislature, if they said anything, to endorse the measure, and trust to the fairness of men and the justice of the republican cause.

Sheriff W. P. Wallace (reformer) was arrested in Cincinnati, Friday, on a United States warrant charging him with fraudulently and corruptly procuring the escape of C. W. Young, under indictment for illegal voting at the October election, and an important witness in contested election cases now on trial.

New Hampshire Items.

The election of Judge Davis by the Illinois Legislature, as Logan's successor, will leave one vacancy in the United States Supreme Court, and the friends of Charles Doe of Rollinsford, Chief Justice of the New Hampshire Supreme Court, suggest his name for that position. Judge Doe is an eminent jurist of broad and liberal views, who would fill the position with honor to himself and credit to the State. Levi Woodbury, who died in 1851, was the only man ever appointed to the Supreme Bench from this State.

Col. Daniel Hall of Dover was married at Rochester, on Thursday, by Rev. George B. Spaulding, to Miss Sophia Dodge of the latter place.

Edward T. Wight of Contocookville, was found lying beside the Northern Railroad track in Concord, Thursday evening, insensible. He was injured so badly that he must die. His skull was fractured, his head badly cut, and his right arm broken. It is supposed he fell from a passing train, but it is not known how the accident happened.

The revival meetings in Dover are increasing in interest and attendance. The Franklin Street Baptist Church was filled each evening last week.

John L. Bowers, an old and esteemed citizen of Nashua, died there Friday morning of diphtheria at the age of sixty-five, after a two days' sickness.

—M. Brillat-Savarin, travelling in the country, stopped at an inn, where he found four turkeys being roasted; he demanded one for his dinner, and was told that they had all been prepared for a gentleman. "For one gentleman?" asked the famous epicure incredulously. "Yes, Monsieur." "He has doubtless a large party with him." "On the contrary, he is alone." "Do you happen to know his name?" "I think it is a M. Brillat-Savarin." "It must be my son," exclaimed the astonished father, and asked to be shown into the room where the young fellow was dreaming of coming pleasures. The father demanded an explanation of the turkeys. "The fact is, Sir," said the son, "there is a particular slice of the turkey of which I am extremely fond, and which, whenever I am in your company, you eat. Being alone I determined to regale myself on my favorite morsel without stint." The epicure forgave him instantly.

—The Boston & Albany Railroad made a trial, a few months since, of the recent recommendation of a prominent railroad man to run engines without wiping. An engine was run on the Boston & Worcester division about four months without rubbing down, and at the end of that time it was a sorry looking sight. In fact, the train men used to say that the machine looked so bad the road was ashamed to run it in the daytime, and it always run nights until it was cleaned, since when the experiment has not been repeated.

—There is a story about Miss Broughton, author of "Joan," which whether it be true or not, might so easily have been true that it is worth telling. It is that she had her first novel cladestinely published and handed it to her father (a dissenting minister, we believe,) asking him casually what he thought of it, and that after looking it over he prohibited her from reading such books on the ground that she was not old enough to be uninfluenced by their morbid character.

—Rev. Dr. E. G. Taylor says that while visiting a colored school in the South, he asked a tiny darkey what he studied for and what was his object in attending school. Hesitating a moment, the little fellow answered, "to git offis."

—An Englishman, lately imprisoned for beating his wife, said, as he was locked up, "I've one comfort, anyhow; and that is, that I'm not sent to jail for doing a mean thing."

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At the end of a month the gentleman paid a visit alone, and, after making another purchase, observed that his daughter was about to be married, and that he thought of sending to Paris for a set of diamonds. The jeweler could not allow such a chance to slip through his fingers. He had the most beautiful set in Europe, the property of a princess; he was sure that only a Milord Inglese could buy them, and begged his customer just to inspect them. The price was only 400,000 francs. The inspection was made, but no decision come to that day. The next day another inspection was made and Milord agreed to take them. The jeweler was delighted. He thought it would be best to ask if he should send them round that evening, but he received a perfectly straightforward answer. "I do not keep so much money about me. I must draw upon my bankers in London. I will give you 500 francs to close the business, and the jewels you can deliver against cash in the course of next week." The deposit was paid, and the jeweler satisfied beyond a doubt that he was dealing with a most perfect gentleman.

Eight days after he was requested to call the same morning at 11 o'clock and bring the diamonds, for which he would be paid. He arrived at the moment and found his customer in his dressing-gown, sitting alone at the set of drawers referred to, a front flap of which turned down so as to form a writing table. The jeweler advanced respectfully, and laid the casket open on the flap in question. "Milord" just examine the jewels remarked that of course he did not wish his daughter to know anything of the transaction at present, and then proceeded to take out a large handful of beautiful crisp notes.

At that moment the door opened, and in bounded the young lady in question, as the jeweler afterward said, "just like a golden fawn." Nothing was more natural than that Milord should close up the flap, and ask the young lady to go away, and he wished to be alone.

But she was a spoiled child and would have her own way. She had come to tell "papa" that the tailor was waiting for him in the next room and that he must go, and that she was quite sure the jeweler would like her company better than his; besides she had a locket she could not open and the jeweler must help her. The jeweler was not proof against the playful charms of the young lady; he saw his goods safe, not exactly under his eyes, but next door to it. So he begged her father to go and he would wait. "Milord" left the room and the poor dupe enjoyed half an hour of delightful flirtation with the young lady. There was something very winning in her ways, and then she was a young bride. The time passed like a dream, and at last the young lady passed off to go and hurry her father.

The jeweler sat in silent meditation; his thoughts were engrossed with the sweet girl who had just left. Then he began to wonder how long his customer would be. Then he went and tried the flap of the drawer. It was "all right;" It was locked. So he sat down and mused again. After some three hours he began to think that he must be forgotten. So he rang the bell and requested the waiter to just remind "Milord" that he was waiting, but to do it very politely. The waiter replied that Milord and the Signorina had gone out an hour ago. There was nothing to do but to wait, and wait he did. Neither returned. *Table d' hote* passed, and, although the poor man began to have a presentiment that something was wrong, the landlord was consulted, but was sure that his guest was a real gentleman, whose only fault was forgetfulness. So again he waited until past the small hours of the night.

At early morning the landlord again returned, and he also began to think the case suspicious. The jeweler was furious. He made a dash at the drawers, and with the aid of a poker broke open the flap. His next move was to take the casket. He thrust his head into the compartment, and sank back into the arm-chair. He saw nothing before him but a square open void

leading into the set of drawers in the next room The landlord did likewise, and so did the waiters. Then they sat and looked at each other, and at last ordered restoratives for the jeweler, who had fainted.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JANUARY 30, 1877.

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News and Notes.

President Grant signed the compromise bill on Monday forenoon.

The injunction suit of the Merchants National Telegraph Company vs. the Western Union Telegraph Company, to restrain the latter company from removing or interfering with the poles, wires and fixtures of the former company, was decided in favor of the plaintiffs, the injunction being continued until further notice. The lines of the Merchants National Telegraph Company are now in possession of the Western Union Company, under a lease, which expires March 1, 1877, at which time they will fall into the hands of the Atlantic & Pacific Company, under a working arrangement recently entered into. To prevent the control of the lines passing to its competitors, the Western Union Company attempted to tear down the lines, leaving the Atlantic & Pacific Company to bring suit for damages as their remedy.

Schooner Island Belle, of Rockland, Me., was abandoned at sea Jan. 24th, the captain and three men being taken off by steamer Celtic. The mate and three seamen had previously died from exposure and freezing. The captain's wife and child were taken off the schooner by steamer California on the 5th of January, but the captain and crew would not then abandon the vessel, hoping to save her. She sailed from St. John, Newfoundland, for Boston, on the 7th of December.

Newton Havers is under arrest at Hudson, N. Y., for conspiracy with roughs to murder a man named Post, and his family, and then burn the bodies in Post's dwelling, Havers' object being to burn up notes and other evidence of his indebtedness to Post, who is his uncle.

The loss by the destruction of the South Boston oil refinery is estimated at $50,000; insurance, $25,500.

On Sunday afternoon and evening Moody and Sankey commenced their work in Boston, the Tabernacle being crowded, and "overflow meetings" held at the Berkeley street and Clarendon street churches.

Prince Gortschakoff, Russia's prime minister, is dangerously ill. Russia has issued a circular letter to the powers repudiating the treaty of Paris.

Servia has decided to treat for peace with the Porte, independently of Russia.

The following is the general order issued by Brig. Gen. Crook, announcing the close of the Powder River expedition: "The Brigadier General Commanding announces the close of the Powder River Expedition, and avails himself of the opportunity to thank the officers and men composing it, for the ability, courage, endurance and zeal exhibited by them during its progress. With the mercury indicating such extreme degrees of cold as to make life well nigh unbearable, even when surrounded by the comforts of civilization, you have endured, with uncomplaining fortitude, the rigors of the weather from which you had less to protect you than the Indian is usually provided with. The disintegration of many of the hostile bands of savages against whom you have been operating, attests the success of the brilliant fight made by the Cavalry with the Cheyennes on the North Fork, and your toilsome marches along the Powder River and Belle Fourche. The uniform good conduct of the Command has rendered it difficult to distinguish one above another. It is a matter for solemn regret that you have to mourn the loss of the distinguished and brilliant young Cavalry officer, First Lieutenant John A. McKinney, 4th Cavalry, and the gallant enlisted men who fell with him in the lonely gorges of the Big Horn Mountains. May the fostering care, by a grateful country, of those who are personal sufferers in their deaths, prove Republics are not ungrateful."

Steamer Newport, aground for several weeks in New Haven harbor, was hauled off on Sunday.

Antonio Blitz, better know as "Signor Blitz," years ago famous as a sleight-of-hand performer, died in Philadelphia on Sunday, aged 67 years.

British ship Ada was burned in the Pacific on the 14th of October, and the captain and crew made the voyage to the Marquesas Islands, 2400 miles, in open boats. One man was drowned by the upsetting of a boat, and all hands endured great suffering.

The gold mining machinery of the Dublin gold mine has been shipped to Mexico.

The ship "City of Montreal," which arrived at Liverpool recently, reports a sad story of the sea. She sailed from New York for Liverpool, and on the 9th of December sighted a vessel waterlogged and dismasted. She proved to be the "Maria," of Belfast, and although the "City of Montreal" was so near, yet she was unable to relieve her, owing to the terrific gale. Thirteen of the crew were observed on the quarter deck, and the "City of Montreal" was compelled to sail away, leaving them to their fate. The same vessel also passed on the 18th ult., a vessel bottom upwards, and apparently about 300 tons burden.

"We find that he came to his death from trying to cut out Joe Willet in courting Susie Jackson," was the verdict recently of a coroner's jury in Arkansas.

New Hampshire Items.

Dr. J. G. Graves of Nashua authorizes the statement that he will sell any part of his real estate at fifteen per cent less than the appraised value.

The Stratford House at Stratford Hollow, a store and several barns, were burned on Monday. Loss $12,000.

The Nashua *Telegraph* says the explosion of the South Boston oil works, Friday evening, was distinctly heard in Nashua, the distance between the two places being forty-five miles.

Zabastian Norrington (colored) of Claremont was badly hurt Saturday by being jammed between the platform and cars at the Concord and Claremont station.

In the Supreme Court at Manchester Lucy Garland vs. Nancy Towns was on trial before a jury all last week. The action was brought to recover damages for injuries caused by the falling of large icicles from defendant's block on Elm street upon plaintiff's head, Feb. 4, 1873. The case has excited considerable local interest, and the jury returned a verdict Saturday afternoon of $4708.33 for plaintiff. The damages were laid in the writ at $10,000.

Political.

An article from the Cleveland *Leader*, throws a good deal of light upon the attempt of Mr. Tilden to buy an electoral vote in Louisiana. The editor of the *Leader* vouches for the high character of Judge Levisee, and says the Judge is prepared to establish the truth of his statement (namely, that he was, on the 5th of December, 1876, offered one hundred thousand dollars to cast his vote for Samuel J. Tilden for President), by conclusive proof, whenever it shall be thought desirable to do so.

The following telegram from Abe Hewitt to Senator Kelly of Oregon, giving instructions to Gov. Grover how to do what he did do in Tilden's interest, has been put in evidence before the House Committee: "Upon careful investigation, the legal opinion is that votes cast for a Federal office-holder as elector are void, and that the person receiving the next highest number of votes should receive the certificate of appointment. The canvassing officer should act on this rule, and the Governor's certificate of appointment be given to the elector accordingly, and the subsequent certificates of the votes of the electors be duly made, specifying how they voted. This will force Congress to go behind the certificates, and open the way to go into the merits in all cases, which is not only right, but will relieve the embarrassment of the situation."

"I prefer that Hayes should be counted in, and let the republican party take the responsibility of a fraudulent count, than that Congress should stultify itself by delegating any of its powers to any one." That was the way Impromptu Tarbox, of Massachusetts, talked about the electoral count bill before it passed the Senate; and then when the question of its passage came before the House, he voted for it like a little man.

Another Duel.

The abominable form of duello, known as shooting on sight—a relic of bloodthirsty and barbarous age—appears to be revived in our community. Mr. Albert Nicholson, for many years head book-keeper with Christiansen, Frerichs & Co., on Front street, had a difficulty with Mr. Evarts Pendleton, a young stockbroker, concerning the indiscreet use of a lady's name. The bitter feeling never died out, and they recently came to blows, after a party, at which they were both guests. Mr. Nicholson drew a pistol, but was persuaded to put it up again on learning that his antagonist was unarmed. In the excitement of the moment, while the muzzle of the weapon was pointed upward, it was accidentally discharged in the air, of course without injury to any one. Mr. Pendleton, being excessively agitated, imagined his enemy had fired at him, and he swore a fearful oath that, after daylight, he would shoot Mr. Nicholson "on sight," whenever he met him. The latter, nothing loath, walked up to his antagonist, having first surrendered his revolver to a friend, and warned him that he should hold him to his threat, and bade him keep well heeled and his eyes open, as he accepted his challenge and would put a hole through Mr. Pendleton wherever he found him. The entreaties of their mutual friends were in vain, and the parties separated, vowing vengeance. Under the circumstances, it was thought best by gentlemen who witnessed the scene to lodge a complaint against the principals at once, and have them bound over to keep the peace. Officers, accordingly, were dispatched early on the following morning to make the arrests, and prevent the impending bloodshed. The disgust of the parties who interfered can be better imagined than described, when they learned that Mr. Nicholson had left that morning for Los Angeles and the southern counties, after asking leave of absence for four weeks to recuperate his health, while Mr. Pendleton had received a telegram which compelled him to go North and visit Portland, Oregon, where an aged relative was lying sick. However, Mr. Pendleton is hunting for Mr. Nicholson in Oregon all the time, and Mr. Nicholson lies in wait all day for Mr. Pendleton behind an orange tree in San Diego. *San Francisco News Letter.*

American Processions.

I never ventured out to witness a London demonstration without leaving my watch and purse at home, and even—if I meant to go into the thick of the crowd—substituting a wide-awake for my chimney-pot hat, which would seem to be as irritating to a certain class of London roughs as a red rag to a bull. I well recollect congratulating myself on having taken these precautions when, on the second meeting after the Hyde Park riot, I saw in Trafalgar Square respectable people bonneted and violently robbed in full view of the police. Here I wandered about through the crowd along the whole line of the procession with a perfect sense of security. I do not mean to say that there were not plenty of thieves against whom it was advisable to keep one's coat well buttoned; New York has her full share of them. But I nowhere ran the slightest risk—not, at least, that I could detect—of being violently robbed.

At some points along the route the crowd, consisting impartially of men, women and children, lined the pavement four or five deep; yet I saw no jostling or scuffling for places, or any unseemly horse-play—none of those dangerous "charges," by which the London rough creates a panic, endangering limb and life. The respect with which each party treated the other's procession was also very remarkable, all the more so considering that they were on the eve of a most exciting election; but on this feature of American politics I have already commented in my letter from Indianapolis.—*New York letter to London Times.*

—A chap who had, perhaps, read a newspaper item about how a street car was cleared of passengers in short order when a man in the centre of the car announced that he had the smallpox, tried the game on. Getting aboard the car, he sat down beside a big-fisted man and remarked, "I don't suppose you object to riding beside a smallpox patient, do you?" "Not in the least," replied the big man, "but as some of the other passengers may, I shall heave you out!" Thereupon he took the joker by the collar and leg, carried him to the platform, and shot him far out into a big snow-drift.

—The census takers of the Young Men's Christian association of Jersey City report that there are "thirty-five saloons to each church in that city." Whereupon, the Norristown *Herald* says: "Why a church should have so many saloons we can't understand. We should think that ten would suffice for the largest church in the city."

—There is money enough spent for bread in this city every day to give every man a paper of tobacco and a pipe.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 35 @ 38c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 65c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 24c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. 6 @ 7; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $15 @ $15.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 13½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 40 @ 60c; New Orleans
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, $1.
Pork per bll., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, .90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 11 @12c; Gr. 13; Crushed 13½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 55c. @ $75.
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	109
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114
United States Ten-Forties coupon	113
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1878	111
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. scrip	513
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	87
Boston & Maine	99
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	126
Nashua & Lowell	82
Concord	78
Eastern	9½
Portland, Saco & Portsm.	60
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	181
Michigan Central	56½
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	102½
P. S. & P.	125
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		8.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		8.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		8.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		8.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

PATRONS' RELIEF ASSOCIATION.

At the recent meeting of the New Hampshire State Grange, Patrons of Husbandry, a Patrons' Aid or Relief Association was formed, similar to those existing among other Orders, and the following officers elected for the year: President, Dudley T. Chase of Claremont; Vice President, Frank W. Miller of Portsmouth; Secretary, George L. Stearns of Manchester; Treasurer, John J. Bell of Exeter; Directors, Isaac Story of Hopkinton, F. L. Taylor of Danbury, Wm. Childs of Bath, George A. Wason of New Boston, and Louis T. Sanborn of Hampton Falls.

The number of members is to be limited to one thousand, and the assessment at the death of any of them will be one dollar. These fraternal Relief Associations are coming to be very popular, and many claim that they are the cheapest and safest form of life insurance.

It was also voted to organize a Patrons' State Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and the following directors were chosen: Kimball Webster, Hudson; J. D. Lyman, Exeter; Isaac Story, Hopkinton; Ora Smith, W. Chesterfield; C. C. Shaw, Milford; A. S. Wilkins, Amherst; L. F. Webster, Enfield; John E. Hall, Landaff; Jacob B. Smith, Strafford Corner; H. E. Felch, Bradford.

SERVICES AT THE CITY FARM.

A very interesting service of praise was enjoyed Sabbath afternoon at the City Farm, the old people and inmates generally participating. Remarks were made appropriate to the occasion. Much praise is due the Superintendent and family for the interest taken in religious services at the house; few services are more interesting than those held here from week to week, and it is purposed to have a service of praise monthly in the future. On this occasion a number of friends were present from the city, which added much to its interest. Miss Julia Hutchins sang very appropriate pieces, and presided at the organ with grace and acceptance. Friends and neighbors are cordially invited to attend the services which are held at the Farm every Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. May we not expect good results from Christian labor in this as well as in other parts of mission work? A WORKER.

THE TEMPERANCE MEETING

At Franklin Hall on Sunday evening was unusually interesting. The attendance was large, and the audience comparatively quiet, although the galleries were more or less disturbing during the evening, as is customary in this Hall. The address of the evening (the author of which we regret that we did not learn, as it was really an ably written essay,) was read by Mr. James Marden, a reformed man, and an earnest worker in the Club. Mr. Marden's voice was clear and loud, and accompanied with an earnestness of manner that would have been extremely satisfactory to the writer of the discourse could he have been present and heard it.

But what gave the meeting a peculiar degree of enthusiasm and life was the singing of the White Family, who kindly volunteered for the occasion. The singers are four in number, father, mother and two daughters, forming as fine a quartette as it has been our good fortune to listen to for some time. Their singing is pure and full of harmony, and free from mannerisms and that foolish affectation so common now-a-days. Misses Ella and Josephine, soprano and alto, have remarkably strong and flexible voices that cannot fail to delight the ear.

We learn that Mr. White will give a concert in Franklin Hall on Wednesday evening, Jan. 31, and as the admission has been fixed at the low price of 25 cents, the hall should be well filled. They gave a concert in Trefethren's Hall, Kittery Foreside, last Saturday evening, where they were well received and gave entire satisfaction. G.

"BUMMING."

Eds. Chronicle: "Professor" Edwards, as he is pleased to style himself, gave a concert at the South Ward Room on Sunday evening to an audience of a dozen or so. Is it just fair to our tax payers to be obliged to pay for the heating and lighting of a Hall for any bummer that desires to howl for an hour or two in any of our city buildings? We would suggest to our aldermen that they use a little more caution in relation to the granting of such privileges, and if these favors are to be bestowed, that they should be given to those who *intend*, at least, to pay their bills. A TAX-PAYER.

JOTTINGS.

Miss Hattie L. Hill, teacher at the Academy, slipped on the icy sidewalk adjoining that building, corner of Middle and Islington streets, Monday morning, and fell on her left arm, causing a bad fracture of the radius bone.

At a recent meeting of the city government it was decided to purchase two thousand feet of hose, the matter being referred to the committee on fire department, with the Mayor and Chief Engineer Marston added, to decide on what kind of hose is best and to procure the same. We learn that the contract for the whole amount has been awarded to Messrs. Samuel Eastman & Co., of Concord, for their best oak leather hose. The committee we believe were unanimous in their opinion that this firm's goods were far superior in quality to the manufacture of any of their many competitors, and their hose has been too well known for its good work in our own city during the past few years to need any commendation from us. Leathern hose is fast superceding other makes on account of its greater durability, which makes it very much more economical in the long run than hose which may cost less in the first instance but which has to be soon replaced.

Superintendent Batchelder and other officials of the Eastern Railway were at Dover, on Saturday, completing arrangements for the speedy erection of a large passenger and freight depot for the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad.

The "cutest" little patent in cutlery on exhibition at the Centennial was the invention of a Dover man, Dr. A. J. Young. The article is a folding pocket scissors, which when "condensed" is but two inches long and can be carried in the pocket handily and without risk of puncturing holes in garments or corpus. Marx Bros., 430 Broadway, New York, are the sole proprietors, and such has been the demand for the scissors that the supply has been inadequate. Marx Bros. (well known merchants, formerly of Dover) are making arrangements to enter into the extensive manufacture of these very necessary articles, and will send a sample on application by mail or express for one dollar. Their terms to agents are liberal.

The Hall of Sagamore Lodge, Knights of Honor, was dedicated Monday evening, and the officers of the Lodge installed, by the officers of the Grand Lodge of the State.

Revenue Cutter Hamilton, at Fortress Monroe, Jan. 29, reports schooner George L. Treadwell,, of this port, ashore on Chincateague shoals, and bilged. She was boarded by the cutter on Saturday afternoon at which time wreckers were stripping the vessel and removing the cargo. The George L. Treadwell was a fine vessel, one of Valentine Doane & Co.'s fishing fleet, and had been on a trip to the West Indies.

The "Two Orphans" will appear at Franklin Hall on Thursday evening, Feb. 1st. See advertisement.

The Grand Lodge of the Knight of Pythias of New Hampshire will hold their annual session at Pythian Hall, in this city, on Thursday.

—A loving woman writes from St. Louis to her husband, and the Western papers publish the letter as follows: "We ben marrage 18 munth; My Dear hus ben; I resieve your let and I was so glade to here from you my darling I cry all night jest to think that you was sick and i was not ther to wate on you but how some ever my dear i hope that you put your trust in god my darling you said you would be home in a few days, but my dear darling it seems as two munth sent you write in to me that you wood be home. I often wonder how long before my darling walter will come home, come home, there is no place like home, don't fuill to come home. My Dear Darling when you come home please to bring me an alpacker dress 19 yords." That is just the sort of woman this country needs more of. Hers is the spirit of devotion that makes nations rich, virtuous and strong. Her orthography is not first-chop, perhaps, but her domestic status could scarcely be improved. Such a letter is not to be derided. Better is economical spelling where love is than a soul who soars after the infinite, wears a four-story bustle, and has one eye on another man. And the despicable biped who could receive such a letter from any woman and exhibit it on account of its writing ought to be drowned in a sack and his clothes be disinfected in a bonfire.—*Graphic.*

—There is a little boy in South Norwalk who has watched with envious eyes his comrades slide down hill, while he, having no sled was compelled to take up with an old chair or a barrel stave. His foster-mother finally told him to pray for one. He took his mother's advice, and one evening prayed as follows: "Now I lay me down to sleep, I want a sled; I pray the Lord my soul to keep, I want a cutter." The grandfather of the little fellow was informed of the prayer, and was so pleased that he bought a sled, and a few mornings after it was left by his bed, so that he could see it as soon as he awoke. As his eyes firt rested upon it, the good lady behind the door was both surprised and shocked to hear him say, "Well, now, where the devil did that come from?"

—People are feeling a good deal more tenderly toward Adam just now. The fact that he fell and fell badly, has led to the belief that they must have had a city government in Eden and an ordinance directing that the ice should be removed from the sidewalk, and that the other residents never paid any attention to it.—*Norwich Bulletin.*

—Small-pox is still reported on the increase in London, and the Queen and members of the Imperial household have been vaccinated.

MARRIED.

WEBBER—THOMAS. In this city, Jan. 24, by Rev. E. M. Grant, Mr. Thomas E. Webber and Miss Eleanora F. Thomas, both of West Harpswell, Maine.

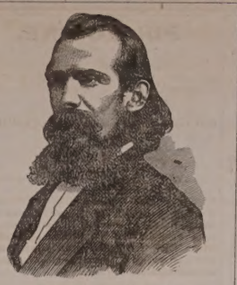
DIED.

PARKER. In this city, Jan. 28, of membranous croup, Jennie Susan Parker, daughter of Mr. Benjamin M. Parker, aged 2 years and 9 months.

FITZGERALD. At Port Townsend, Washington Territory, Dec. 17, Mr. George H. Fitzgerald, formerly of this city, aged 36 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch Sallie B. Bateman, for this port from Philadelphia, ar at Vineyard Haven, Jan. 26.



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Mr. Roessle is certainly a strikingly handsome man, and no one appreciates the fact more fully than himself. He seems to labor under a conviction that he is, by birth, a prince at least, if not a grand duke; his occupation as a hotel keeper he considers far beneath him, but since he must pursue it, he will never abate a jot of his personal dignity to please a guest, and the consequence is that the elegant Theodore loses many a customer through his arrogance. To royalty alone does he bow his haughty head, and then he does lower it conclusively, be it to Kalakaua or Prince Arthur. When Kalakaua was coming great was the rivalry among the hotels, for they all desired the swarthy potentate's ducats, and were ready to indorse the Civil Rights bill in his person, for Kalakaua's capillaries have a decidedly African kink. Roessle supposed the king was secured for the Arlington, but a day before his arrival somebody whispered that Wormley's was after all the preferred place. Roessle was in a state of frenzy. He grew cream-colored directly (white he could not be with the Spanish skin of his); he ordered a carriage and drove headlong to the State Department. It was a day when the Secretary was especially occupied, when his minutes were precious beyond all estimate and Mr. Roessle could not be admitted. He considered a minute; he remembered Iago's advice; he put money in a palm of the janitor, and unannounced presented himself. Mr. Fish was astonished at the audacious intrusion, and said so, but Theodore had a mission, and he would do it or die, so he stormily stated his grievance, declaring Kalakaua already promised to him, and demanded that Mr. Fish should see that promise kept. The Secretary concentrated all the scorn he possibly could, and discharged it at Theodore with the withering question: "What do you suppose I care about the quarrels of you boarding-house keepers?" It is said that Mr. Roessle gasped just once, and sought his carriage like a man who has viewed the wine when it was red. The driver heard him mutter feebly: "You boarding-house-keepers!" and when he once more stood within the halls of the Arlington the dreadful words once more left his lips. Then Theodore was himself again, and the way bell-boys, porters, clerks and cooks caught it for the next twenty-four hours made them deem that an earthquake would be amusing as a change.—*Wash. Cor. Cleveland Plaindealer.*

Was Napoleon III. an Ass.

How Sumner first met Louis Napoleon he used thus to relate. Said Sumner:—"I was then (in 1838) young, enthusiastic, determined—a thorough Yankee—and had been a good deal petted and caressed in Lady Blessington's circle. One evening Louis Napoleon arrived unexpectedly, and she called Count d'Orsay and told him we must be made known to each other. So it was Count d'Orsay, that prince of dandies, a man who, if he had lived in antiquity, would have been worshipped as a sort of demi-god of fashion, who gave a charm to everything he did by his consummate grace, and who converted dandyism into a fine art. It was this man who brought together the representative Republican and the representative of the Napoleons. I have always regarded my conversation with the prince as memorable. I spoke with enthusiasm of the prodigious resources, the immense wealth of our country. When I was silent he replied: '*Eh bien!*—What will you do with it?—this immense wealth. *Voulez vous vous battre?*' (Will you fight each other?) I replied, 'I hope we shall find something better to do than that.' But he replied, '*Voulez vous vous battre.*' That night I said to myself, this evening has not been thrown away, for it has given me the measure of that man. A few days later I chanced to be standing by Lord Lyndhurst at a party, when he was joined by Brougham. 'By the way,' said Lyndhurst, 'this is the first time I have seen you since we met the prince at Lady Blessington's.' 'Yes,' said Lord Brougham, 'a d—— ass!' 'A d—— ass!' re-echoed Lord Lyndhurst. I congratulated myself upon having myself confirmed, although I had not expressed my opinion in quite so epigrammatic language as the two ex-chancellors. In after years, soon after Napoleon's escapade at Rouen, I met Bancroft, who had just returned from Europe, and asked him what he thought of the prisoner of Ham. 'He is an ass,' was the sententious reply."

—Ghosts should speak a dead language.

—There isn't much danger of sunstroke at this season, but a sponge in the hat may prevent the top of the head from being frost-bitten.

—The Weymouth *Gazette* tells of a little girl of seven or eight years in that town, who, whenever her father is on a spree, and wherever he may be at the time, presents all the manifestations of an inebriated condition.

—In Virginia Mr. Allen Hannah has married Miss Hannah Allen, and Miss Hannah Allen is Mrs. Hannah Hannah, and is, perhaps the only woman in the world whose whole name can be spelled backward the same as forward.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 31, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

GRANVILLE P. CONN,

OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,

GILMAN MARSTON,

OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,

JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 27.

Except President Grant, no man has been the target of more democratic filth than the Secretary of the navy. Nearly every organ, led by the unscrupulous renegade of the New York *Sun*, has boiled over with it and with threats of his ultimate punishment. A committee of the House subjected him and his administration of naval affairs to a microscropic examination for eight months. His private affairs were pounced upon as a bird of prey would seize its victim, and turned up to the gaze of gossips and news mongers. Consistently with their bull-dozing propensities, their report and thousands of pages of testimony were ostensibly referred to the Judiciary Committee for its opinion as to his liability to impeachment, but, as is believed, to secure what benefit they could derive during the last campaign from keeping his innocence in doubt. The report finally made a few days ago, admits that there exists no ground for impeachment.

Mr. Field, Tweed's right bower in his effort to retain the millions stolen from the city of New York, produced a precious specimen of a witness Thursday. He testified to being a telegraph operator in Florida in November and to reading a dispatch, which, if true, would convict Secretary Chandler of a guilty purpose and of being an idiot, which the democrats don't believe. He (the witness) gave ample evidence of having been properly instructed, refusing to answer questions that would at once have revealed the truth or falsity of his testimony, on the ground that it would criminate him, in which he was probably correct. Mr. Chandler pronounces his statements unqualifiedly false, which so far as I am informed, democrats believe.

Much indignation was excited by the cowardly surrender of the telegraph companies through fear of democratic menaces. But now that the telegrams of the Democratic National Committee are likely to be examined, they (the democrats) have suddenly and suspiciously ceased their importunities for having all the telegrams made public, of both committees, for which they were too anxious when it seemed probable that the companies would resist such a purpose. Indeed, according to the *Star*, the story has already been put out that Colonel Pelton, Secretary of the Committee, chief "nincompoop" and Tilden's nephew, sent several unauthorized dispatches, for which the reformer threatened to discharge him, should he again be guilty of a like indiscretion. Suspicious people regard this as an attempt to explain away, in advance, any damaging revelations—getting an anchor out to windward, so to speak. Poor Mr. Pelton appears to have been the scape-goat of the campaign.

Mr. Hewitt is not very enthusiastic over Cox's report, in the little matter between himself and Postmaster James. In fact, he regards it as the dullest and most uninteresting kind of reading wherewith to beguile melancholy hours between sessions.

LOGAN.

News and Notes.

The steamer Nankin, at Baltimore from Cardiff, picked up at sea the captain, crew and passengers of the Portuguese bark Amizade, from St. Michaels for New York, which was dismasted and in a sinking condition. The Amizade had on board Captain Tripp, Mate Rogers and Supercargo Braley of a New Bedford whaler, which had been condemned at St. Michaels, and who were bound home.

B. O. Halloway, a trial justice at Tamassville, Darlington county, S. C., was fatally shot near his own house Saturday morning. The negroes were terribly excited by the murder, and the whites organized a strong patrol for protection. Sunday morning the patrol was fired on, and two men slightly wounded. Both parties are reported to be on a war footing, and a bloody encounter may occur at any moment.

Four rogues, each with burglars' tools, were arrested in Newark, N. J., on Saturday. They had been inquiring of a janitor's child about his habits, and one of them tore up a forged check on being arrested. One of them was James Spalding of Boston.

Steamer Perit, ashore on Cape Cod, has broken up.

The grasshoppers were kinder to the Minnesota farmers than their creditors are now. The destruction of their crops left them without means to pay the interest on their mortgages, and the money-lenders of several counties have been so heartless as to bring foreclosure suits and dispose of many of the farms. The epithets which are discharged by the farmers' conventions at their common enemies have a sharp edge. For instance: "Prairie wolves," and "money sharks," "heartless Shylocks." This double-barreled resolution appears rather formidable when it is borne in mind how the Missouri night-riders were run to earth in the swamps not long ago: "Resolved, That we are willing to pay our creditors every dollar we owe them as fast as lies in our power, but to have our property taken from us, leaving our families destitute, a charge upon the county or State, is an outrage that we will no longer submit to, and before the God of heaven and our fellow-men, we will resist all further attempts to beggar ourselves and our neighbors."

The steamer Newport, which was ashore at the mouth of New Haven Harbor, and was got off on Sunday, sustained not the slightest damage, not a bolt in her hull having started. In order to float her, it was necessary to dredge out an artificial channel 700 feet long and from six to fifteen feet deep. After she went ashore a violent gale came on, which, with the accumulated mass of ice in the vicinity, drove her up into a farmer's oyster bed, and it was a work of considerable difficulty to extricate her. Captain Moses B. Tower, who superintended the job, was assisted by the officers of the United States cutters Grant, Mosswood and Dexter.

The Boston *Globe* displays commendable enterprise in reporting the Moody and Sankey revival meetings in the new Tabernacle. Now if only Moody might convert the editor of that sheet wouldn't old Satan howl over the loss of his most trusted lieutenant?—*Concord Monitor.*

No tidings have yet been heard of the ocean steamer Colombo, nor of the Halifax and Newfoundland packet steamers George Cromwell and George Washington. All are long overdue, and no hope is entertained that they will ever be heard of again.

Peter Wintermute, who shot and killed Gen. McCook, at Yankton, Dakota Territory, two years ago, died of consumption at his father's home in Horseheads, Chemung county, N. Y., on Saturday.

Charles V. Hand, who initiated the mustang-racing business at Fleetwood, is alleged to have been robbed, Saturday, of $25,000 worth of diamonds, and one of the alleged robbers, W. F. C. McCarthy, has been arrested, and his confederate escaped with the jewels.

The white whale in the New York Aquarium died on Saturday.

Adams Block, at Biddeford, Me., was burned Sunday. Loss, $15,000; insurance, $7,000.

J. B. Ford & Co., New York publishers, having failed to meet their obligations in their first compromise with their creditors, approved a year ago, have gone into bankruptcy again, and now offer thirty cents on the dollar, payable in sixteen monthly installments. Their nominal assets are $34,000. Included in the assets is the contract with Henry Ward Beecher to write a life of Christ, which is indorsed "value uncertain."

Taken in was Chief-of-Police Whitney of Bayonne, N. J., the other day. He found a pretty girl at the railroad depot, who told him tearfully that she had run away from her home in Boston with a man, under promise of marriage, but had repented and got off the train at Bayonne, when he was asleep; she was so ashamed of what she had done, though, that she wouldn't tell her name. Whitney's heart was melted, and he took her home. She borrowed $10 of him to buy some much needed underclothing, promising to be gone but two hours, and hasn't been seen since.

A young bank clerk of Toronto, named Barber, has been paid $100,000 by a number of men of high position to plead guilty to charges of embezzlement preferred against him and accept the penalty of five years' imprisonment, rather than stand a trial which might expose them as his accomplices.

The schooner Lottie Ames, Nash, of and from Rockland, Me., for Port Royal, with granite, ran on the Bantam Ledge, six miles East of Sequin Light, in a thick snow storm, Sunday night, and will be a total loss. The crew were saved and landed at Boothbay.

Ship Dakota, of Bath, Me., 1370 tons register, bound from New Orleans for Liverpool with cotton, was struck by lightning 400 miles off the Azores, and burned, on the 17th of January. The crew, twenty-three in all, laid by the burning vessel in boats for three days, and were then picked up by German brig Lidwig.

Political.

Senators Edmunds, Morton and Frelinghuysen, republicans, and Thurman and Bayard, democrats, and Representatives Payne, Abbott and Hunton, democrats, and Garfield and Hoar, republicans, are the Congressional members of the compromise committee.

The report of the Senate Florida investigating committee declares that the count was legal and constitutional; that the Hayes Electors had 45 majority on the face of the returns, and that the decision of contests resulted in a majority of 940 for Hayes.

The South Carolina courts hold that the gubernatorial election in that State is still undecided, and that Governor Chamberlain consequently holds over until a decision is reached, and his authority must be recognized and respected.

The voice of the bull-dozer is silent in the land; the democratic editor will not henceforth have to write "conspirators" in every other line all over his editorial page, and the paper mills which were started to furnish petitions for Mr. Watterson's army will have to suspend. These are some of the results of the adoption of the Conference bill. The removal of these obstructions will leave a clear field for Mr. Fernando Wood to impeach the President, the whole Cabinet, and a portion of the Circuit Judges, and will give Proctor Knott unrestricted leisure to sit down and contemplate the unbroken line of superb and picturesque blunders he has made since he ceased to be a great American humorist.—*Tribune.*

Tilden and Reform.

The Washington correspondent of the Boston *Herald* says: "The sub-committee of the Senate committee on privileges and elections appointed to examine political telegrams turned over to them by the Western Union Company, have got hold of about forty telegrams relating to Oregon election affairs. This morning in the Senate, Mr. Mitchell, a member of the committee, called Mr. Morton to his desk and the two ran over the dispatches together, and with evident satisfaction. They claim that the telegrams will show that the man Patrick, of Omaha, who has figured in the Oregon investigation, was sent to Oregon by Colonel Pelton; that a sum of $8000 was sent from New York and deposited in a San Francisco bank to the order of Patrick, and that Patrick drew the money from the bank. The committee refuse to disclose the text of the telegrams. Several of them are signed by Colonel Pelton. The statement of the transaction abovee referred to is in direct contradiction to certain parts of Pelton's testimony before the committee. Morton and Mitchell say they have got him in a bad scrape and they propose to make it warm for him."

The correspondent of the Providence *Journal* on Saturday wrote: "The testimony in the Oregon case, taken yesterday, in connection with that given by Cronin, places Tilden, Pelton, his nephew, and Hewitt, and through them the democratic party, in a position which cannot fail to fasten the attention of the whole country. It will be remembered that Cronin testified that one Patrick claimed to be acting at Salem (Oregon) for Tilden, and promised Cronin any office or about anything else he wanted. The telegrams produced yesterday showed that the eight thousand dollors deposited under Pelton's manipulation in New York was not wanted by telegraph, as the same amount reached San Francisco in time by express. Pelton was telegraphing to Senator Kelley to save one vote in Oregon, and promised all the money needed. Patrick was found to have been in direct communication from Salem, Oregon, with Tilden, and while these dispatches were in cypher, they were so far interpreted by some other evidence as to show that the telegrams referred to corrupt transactions in Oregon. The signatures were fictitious, but identified as Patrick's. About twenty-two telegrams between the various parties named are in the possession of the committee, and some are resting till certain traces of evidence which they disclose have been followed further."

Onions for Sleeplessness.

I now wish to suggest a new, but simple remedy for want of sleep. Opiates in any form, even the liquor opii, sedat and chloronyne, will leave traces of their influence the next morning; I therefore prescribe for myself—and have frequently done so for others, onions, simply common onions, raw; but Spanish onions stewed will do. Everybody knows the taste of onions; this is due to a peculiar essential oil contained in this most valuable and healthful root. In my own case they never fail. If I am much pressed with work and feel I shall not sleep, I eat two or three small onions, and the effect is magical. Onions are also excellent things to eat when much exposed to intense cold. Mr. Parnaby, Troutdale fishery, Keswick, informs us that, while collecting trout and salmon eggs in the Winter, he finds common raw onions enable both him and his men to bear the icy cold semi-frozen water much better than spirits, beer, etc. Finally, if a person cannot sleep, it is because the blood is in the brain, not in the stomach; the remedy, therefore, is obvious; call the blood down from the brain to the stomach. This is to be done by eating a biscuit, a hard boiled egg, a bit of bread and cheese, or something of the kind. Follow this up with a glass of milk, or even water, and you will fall asleep, and will, I trust, bless the name of its author.—*Anonymous.*

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 35 @ 38c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 65c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 34c.
Flour, Sup. per bll. 6 @ 7; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qll. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 13½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 40 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, $1.
Pork per bll., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90c.
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Sc. 11 @12c; Gr. 12; Crushed 12½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109½
Middle State 6s, 1888	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	5½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	67
Boston & Maine	99½
Boston & Providence	135
Boston & Albany	136
Nashua & Lowell	82
Concord	78
Eastern	5½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	110
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	56½
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	16½
P. S. & P.	65
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

A Dead Man's Order.

The New Orleans *Republican* tells this wicked story: A sugar maker, who might as well be called Onesimus Smith as anything else, died recently in one of our country parishes. He was not long ill, and the day before he died he had ordered a bill of goods through his commission merchant in New Orleans. The news of the man's death flew on the wings of wire, but the requisition for supplies came along in a slow steamboat way, and arrived two or three days afterward. A portion of the order was sent to a wholesale drug-house for an article used largely in sugar making. It was a well-managed drug-house and its order clerk below was in the habit of communicating through a speaking-tube with the book-keeper above before filling an order, the object of this shouting whispers back and forth through the tin communicator being to ascertain if the person ordering goods is entitled to credit. In the case we refer to, the order clerk shouted up, "How's accounts of Onesimus Smith?" And the information was slid down, "Accounts O K, but we've advices that Smith's dead." "That's all right," said the man below, "he's sent for ten barrels of sulphur."

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Though we would by no means be understood as deprecating, but rather as recommending, professional aid in disease, there are multitudes of instances when it is neither necessary or easy to obtain. A family provided with a comprehensive household specific like Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, is possessed of a medicinal resource adequate to most emergencies in which medical advice would be otherwise needful. That sterling tonic and corrective invariably remedies, and is authoritatively recommended for debility, indigestion, liver disorder, an irregular habit of body, urinary and uterine troubles, incipient rheumatism and gout, and many other ailments of frequent occurrence. It eradicates and prevents intermittent and remittent fevers, relieves mental despondency, checks premature decay, and invigorates the nervous and muscular tissues. Sleep, digestion and appetite are promoted by it, and it is extremely useful in overcoming the effects of exhaustion and exposure.

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Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R.R.		9.45 "	"
Concord east, North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.30, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

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JOTTINGS.

The concert this evening at Franklin Hall by the White Family quartette will be worth attending. Those who heard them at the Temperance meeting on Sunday night speak in the highest praise of their music. The two girls, Ella and Josephine, are especial public favorites, and justly so, as their voices are fine, and their manners winning. They will sing in character tonight, with change of costume at each representation.

Two young roughs, named Morrissey and Welch, had a prize-fight "for the honor of it," at about half-past seven o'clock Monday evening, on Church Hill. They had a squabble at noon of that day, and then arranged for a regular set-to in the evening, and at the time appointed were on hand with ropes and stakes and all the other paraphernalia necessary to the orderly and respectable conducting of a prize-fight. When all was ready they knocked each other about some, and Morrissey gave Welch a good thrashing, or else it was Welch whipped Morrissey—we are not sure which way the battle went, and don't care, either. We were told which was the victor, but have very carefully forgotten.

Schooner George L. Treadwell, of this port, before reported wrecked on Chincoteague Shoal, was bound from Portsmouth, Va., for New York, with a cargo of corn.

The American House, on Vaughan street, having been recently enlarged and put in thorough repair, is offered for rent at a reasonable figure to a responsible person. The recent improvements have made it a really fine house, and for a man who knows how to keep a hotel we should think the stand a most desirable one, as it is close to the business centre of the city and on the direct line of travel to and from the railroad stations.

The Portsmouth Light Artillery are perfecting arrangements for a grand military and civic ball, to be given in Franklin Hall on the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 6th. Harlow's orchestra will furnish the music, and the management intend to get up a ball that will compare favorably with any given this winter.

The store of Messrs. Dow & Hobbs, at North Hampton depot, was broken into Monday night. The burglars effected an entrance by cutting out a pane of glass with a piece of a file, and then unfastening the window. The thieves got some eight or ten dollars, mostly in coppers, and also stole cigars, candy, herrings, overshoes and other articles, the owners estimating their loss at about $25. The thieves enjoyed a quiet lunch of crackers, cheese and herring, in the store, and then took the railroad track in the direction of this city, as was indicated by the finding of several small articles taken from the store, along the track. There is a suspicion that the outrage was not committed by tramps, but by some persons who knew all about the store, and "lost" the small articles along the track on purpose to lead suspicion in the wrong direction. The post-office is in the same building as the store, but nothing is missed from that. Messrs. Dow & Hobbs' store was burglarized about a year ago, on which occasion the thieves got about sixty dollars.

"The Two Orphans" will be produced at Franklin Hall on Thursday evening. It is an emotional play of a high order, abounding in thrilling situations, and possessing the power of holding the closest attention of audiences during its entire enactment. It has been put upon the stage hundreds of nights in Boston, New York and other large cities, and at each presentation has been witnessed by a large number of people. It is a play well worth seeing. The troupe that appears here to-morrow night has as its leading actor, Edwin Byron, the boy tragedian, who, a short time since, filled a very successful engagement at the Boston Theatre, and who is reported to be an extremely fine actor. The troupe brings scenery especially adapted to the play.

The Democratic Senatorial Convention meets at the Rockingham House in this city to-day, to nominate Marcellus Eldridge, Esq., of this city, it is understood.

At a special meeting of the Good Templars, held Monday evening, the following officers were installed by Grand Deputy Templar F. E. H. Marden, for the ensuing quarter: F. E. Vennard, W. C. T.; Mrs. R. Dixon, W. V. T.; C. F. Larrabee, W. S.; H. F. Grant, W. F. S.; Charles Humphries, W. T.; Mrs. A. Holbrook, W. Chap.; George S. Woods, W. M.; Horace Hanscom, W. I. G.; Frank Pierson, W. O. G.; Miss Lizzie Hanscom, W. D. M.; Percy I. Lowd, W. A. S.; Mrs. R. Smart, W. R. S.; Mrs. R. Dixon, W. L. S.

Prof. Bartlett, of the Congregational Theological Seminary of Chicago, was on Tuesday elected President of Dartmouth College. He is a nephew of the late Hon. Ichabod Bartlett of this city, and a brother of the late Judge W. H. Bartlett of Concord.

SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The Republican Senatorial Convention for the First District was held at the Court House in this city on Tuesday, the convention being called to order at a quarter to twelve o'clock, and organizing by the choice of the following officers:

President, Joseph P. Morse, of Portsmouth;

Secretary, John A. Mathes, of Newmarket;

Committee on Credentials, Messrs. Collins of Seabrook, Hatch of Greenland, and Sides of Portsmouth;

Committee on Resolutions, Messrs. Hackett of Portsmouth, Weeks of Greenland, and Cole of Hampton.

The committee on Credentials reported forty-seven delegates present, and a vote for a candidate for Senator was taken, with the following result,—Messrs. Plumer D. Norton, of Portsmouth, and E. G. Hill, of South Newmarket, being appointed to assist in counting the votes:

Whole number of votes cast	47
Necessary for a choice	24
Nathaniel C. Smith of Newmarket had	2
William Sanborn of Seabrook	7
Emmons B. Philbrick of Rye	38

And EMMONS B. PHILBRICK was declared the nominee of the Convention, his nomination being made unanimous.

Messrs. Charles A. Shannon, Charles H. Sanborn and Wm. O. Sides were appointed a committee to inform Mr. Philbrick of his nomination, and he appeared before the Convention and accepted the nomination in a brief speech. The resolutions of the Republican State Convention were adopted as the resolutions of this Convention; and after earnestly commending the candidate selected to the voters of the district, the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

New Hampshire Items.

The receipts of the city of Manchester, for 1876, were $368,374.44, and the disbursements $367,152.97.

The body of Mr. Whittier, who was lost on Friday, Dec. 29, in the worst storm there of the season, in going from Munsonville to his home in Stoddard, has not been found, nor is there any prospect of finding it till after a thaw, if ever. A can of kerosene and a tin pail, with some other articles, which he had bought at Munsonville, were found placed between two large rocks, within about a mile of his home.

Josiah F. Twiss of Londonderry has not had his feet amputated, as reported a few days ago, but on the contrary there is a good prospect of his recovery with the loss of one or two toes.

A few weeks since, after a severe storm, Mr. William Upton discovered some partridges in his barn at Peterborough, and after closing all means of exit, captured seven fine birds alive.

George B. Davidson, who was badly mutilated by the premature discharge of a cannon at Franklin last October, has so far recovered as to be out. He is to have some wooden hands with which he will be able to feed himself.

Miss Elnora Major, sister of the man who was executed in this State, a short time since, has written a letter briefly reviewing her brother's trial, conviction and execution. She states her emphatic belief in his entire innocence of the murder of his wife, and gives evidence in the support of her belief. She says New Hampshire is red with the blood of her brother, whose life was wrongly taken.

The coroner's jury in the case of Sheriff Willis, killed at Stark by the cars the 20th inst., rendered a verdict that Willis came to his death by misfortune, not using ordinary care and prudence in going upon said railroad in front of a moving train.

Frank Ruddy, John Belford, Harry Carroll and James King were arrested at Laconia, on Saturday afternoon, for violation of the liquor law. The complainants' counsel refused to proceed without counsel fees in advance, which were furnished by Samuel W. Sanders. The examination was postponed until Monday.

Rev. Dr. John C. Lord, who died at Buffalo recently, was born at Washington, this State, in 1805, and received his education in the Plainfield and Meriden Academies and at Hamilton College. He labored in the pulpit of the Pearl street church thirty-eight years. He was the leading clergyman of the Old School Presbyterians in western New York.

How a Duel was Avoided at Baltimore.

A few evenings ago a scene occurred in the Mount Vernon Hotel, Baltimore, that would have resulted in an affair of the May-Bennett type had it not been for the punctilious propriety of one of the persons concerned. It seems that the son of a prominent Marylander was walking on Charles street in company with two ladies, and for some reason failed to bow in recognition to a young male acquaintance who passed him by. The young man is from Virginia, has a little money inherited from a relative, only lately returned from Europe, and is of the high-spirited Southern type. The next evening the two gentlemen met in the Mount Vernon Hotel, and the Marylander spoke to the fiery Southerner, who thereupon snubbed him in a decided manner, intimated that he was no gentleman, and remarked that he could name a friend and know where to find a pair of pistols. The Marylander gave no attention and turned on his heel, whereupon the fiery Southerner went up to him, and in the hearing of several persons said: "If there is anything else I can do to insult you, just mention it;" to which came the crushing reply: "There is nothing that you can do that will insult me." This seems to have settled the matter, with the exception that the two young men are sworn enemies.

—Junior—"The acids formed from iodine are idiotic acid, and—" Professor—"You may be seated."

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Sch. Frank Jameson, Jameson, for this port from Philadelphia, arr at Vineyard Haven Jan 27.

Ship William H Marcy, Marcy, from New York for San Francisco spoken Dec 4; lat 16 N, lon 31 W.

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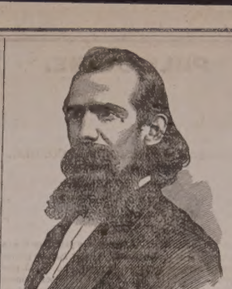

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Hard Drinking in England.

A singular instance of the power of absorbing liquor was lately brought to light at a London police court. Three Britons and a son of France drank at a sitting two champagne cups, nine bottles of champagne, thirty large and thirty-seven small glasses of brandy, twenty-one bottles of soda, a single bottle of very old brandy, and they smoked twenty-five cigars. On the day following, the same jovial party again assembled and drank nineteen large and thirty-two small glasses of brandy, one bottle of old brandy, one bottle of chablis, six bottles of champagne and as many champagne cups. Numerous cigars were smoked on this occasion, but no inventory was taken thereof. The object of this joyous sacrifice to Bacchus, twice repeated, was asserted to have been a conspiracy on the part of three of the revelers to obtain the signature of the fourth to a bill of exchange for £500. The bill appears to have been signed and put into circulation, and hence the proceedings before the London police court. The signer of the bill, a certain Le Hunt Doyle, is the possessor of £3,000 per annum, and it came out in the evidence that one of the jubilant conspirators had declared his intention to suck it all out of the hard-drinking Doyle. The servant of Doyle stated that his master was never sober, and that as soon as he had slept off the effects of one drinking bout he called for "a split," that is soda-water and brandy, and commenced his bibulous practices. The circumstances is only worth remarking as testifying to the fact that the race of hard drinkers in Great Britain is not yet extinct.

Mastering Vicious Horses.

Yesterday afternoon an exhibition was given at the corner of Ninth and Howard streets of a new and very simple method of taming vicious horses, which is claimed to be superior to any in use. The first trial was with a kicking or bucking mare which, her owner says, has allowed no rider on her back for five years. She became tame and gentle in as many minutes, and allowed herself to be ridden about without a sign of her former wildness. The means by which this result was accomplished consists of a piece of light rope, which is passed around the front jaw of the mare, just above the upper teeth, crossed in her mouth, and then secured back of her neck. It is claimed that no horse will kick or jump when thus secured, and that a bucking horse, after receiving this treatment a few times, will abandon his vicious ways forever. A very simple method was also shown by which a kicking horse can be shod. It consists in connecting the animal's head and tail by means of a rope fastened to the tail and then to the bit, and drawn tightly enough to incline the horse's head to one side. It is claimed that it is absolutely impossible for the horse to kick on the side of the rope. At the trial yesterday a horse which for years had to be bound on the ground to be shod, suffered the blacksmith to operate upon him without attempting to kick while secured in the manner described.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

The French Version.

"Monsieur Adam he wake up, he see une belle demoiselle asleep in ze garden. Viola de la chance! 'Bon jour, Madame Iv.' Madame Iv she she wake, she hold her fan before her face. Monsieur put up his eye glass to admire the tableau. Zey make one promenade. Madame Iv she feel hungry; she sos appel on ze arbre. Serpent ze promenade sur l'arqre, make one walk on ze tree. 'Monsieur le Serpent,' says Iv, 'weel you not have ze bonte to peek me some appeal? J'ai faim,' 'Certainement, madame,' says ze serpent, 'charme de vous voir.' 'Hola, non ami! ar-r-etez-vous,' says Adam, 'stop, stop! Que songez-vous faire? What madness is zeis? You must not peek ze appel.' Ze snake he take one pinch of snuff, he say: 'Ah, Monsieur Adam, do you not know zere is nossing prohebeet for ze ladies! Madame Iv, permit me to offer you some of zis fruit defendu.' Iv she made one courtesy; ze snake he fill her whole parasol with appel; he say: Eritis sicut Deus. Monsieur Adam he will eet ze appel, he will become like un Dieu—know ze good and ze evil. But you, Madame Iv, can not become more of a goddess than you are now.' And zis finish Madame Iv."

—An Irishman, on being told to grease the wagon, returned in an hour afterward, ane said "I've greased every part of the wagon but them sticks the wheel hang on!"

—One of the revenges brought about by Time's whirligig was seen in Fulton street recently when a celebrated patent medicine man whose wealth was once held to be as fabulous as Monte Cristo's was vainly soliciting a quarter in order to buy a drink.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—Hens that have plenty of water, bone, oyster shells, lime, scraps, green feed, etc., will pull feathers as bad as any. Of course hens suitably fed are not so apt to learn the habit. The first experience I ever had was this winter. I did not want to experiment in diet, but pared her bill down so she could not hold on to a feather. It cured her. That is the only remedy I ever knew to be sure. If I had a common hen that pulled feathers, I would cut her head off to begin with, but a valuable hen can be managed so we can get the eggs for breeding.—*Journal and Record.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 1, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,
EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.
For Register of Deeds,
GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.
For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

The New Electoral College.

The trangular compromise committee to elect a President for the people of the United States is composed of men of high personal character and acknowledged ability, the membership being as follows:

On the part of the Senate: George F. Edmunds, of Vermont, Frederick F. Frelinghuysen, of New Jersey, Oliver P. Morton of Indiana, republicans; Allen G. Thurman, of Ohio, Thomas F. Bayard, of Delaware, democrats.

On the part of the House: James A. Garfield, of Ohio, George F. Hoar, of Massachusetts, republicans; Henry B. Payne, of Ohio, Josiah G. Abbott, of Massachusetts, Eppa Hunton, of Virginia, democrats.

On the part of the Supreme Court: Nathan Clifford, of Maine, Stephen J. Field, of California, democrats; Samuel F. Miller, of Iowa, William Strong, of Penesylvania, Joseph P. Bradley, of New Jersey, republicans.

This gives the republicans eight members of the commission, and the democrats seven; but it is not likely that any question submitted to the commission will be decided by a party vote,—and if a question should be so decided it would be left exactly where it was before being considered, Congress still being the final judge. Whatever decision may be reached regarding the vote of any State, if the majority in favor of the decision is large it will doubtless be accepted by both branches of Congress as conclusive, if not satisfactory; and the question as to who is to be the next President now virtually depends on this tribunal. If not the best possible way out of the Presidential snarl, at least it is a way out, and a peaceful one; Field Marshal Henri Wattersohn has revoked his order for the assembling in Washington of one hundred thousand "unarmed" members of the democratic White Leagues and Rifle Clubs to bully Congress into declaring Tilden elected, and the shout of "wah" is no more heard in the land.

News and Notes.

St. John people are much excited over the release of Robbins, the murderer of Camp, on the schooner Annie B., and threats are freely made that the death of the St. John man will be avenged by his death. A party of men on the steamer New Brunswick, which stopped over at Scott's Landing one night recently, tramped eight miles to a singing school in Deer Isle, expecting to see Robbins, whom it is thought they would have lynched.

Richard Barke, a married man, aged twenty-five years, ate some clam chowder in a Westfield, Mass., saloon Saturday night, and after going home was taken with convulsions, and died in ten hours. Two other men who ate of the chowder also had convulsions, but will recover. Some think there was verdigris in the kettle, while others incline to the opinion that the trouble was in the clams.

Schooner Kate and Luella, Capt. Bonsell, from Baltimore for New York with coal, was spoked Dec. 16, and has not since been heard of. Another to add to the fearfully long list of "missing" vessels.

The discovery of an extensive conspiracy for swindling the United States government by means of fraudulent undervaluation of goods, and false invoices, is announced. It is said that several United States consuls in Europe, many European merchants, and firms of high standing in New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago and other cities, are implicated.

Mayor Shelton of New Haven delivered his first message to the City Council on Friday evening. Although the city government has been for some years in the hands of the democratic reformers, he finds room for retrenchment. He finds the city with a debt of $120,050 in temporary loans, negotiated to pay the current expenses of the past five months. Resources all told amount to $79,654, with nothing in the treasury and no other resources except the tax payable next July, the bulk of which is not realized until September. The city debt proper is $1,751,981.

A nicely-arranged elopement has been successfully carried out in Newport. A youth of about nineteen, and a damsel two years his junior, hired a horse and sleigh to go to Fall River. The couple was a runaway one. They proceeded to Fall River and Providence, sent the sleigh back on the boat, and have remained away since. They are both respectably connected, and it is thought are married. The guardian of the girl went in search of her.

Clarance Sargent of Sutton, charged with arson and robbery, was committed to jail at Concord, Tuesday, in default of $2000 bail.

Political.

The democrats of the House of Representatives had a sharp eye upon the retention of the "Irish vote," when they passed a resolution of inquiry designed to haul the President over the coals for declining to receive, unless through Sir Edward Thornton, the congratulatory resolutions of the "Irish nation" on the centenary of American independence, which Mr. John O'Conor Power, M. P., asked to present. It seems the Secretary of State, at the request of the committee to whom the matter was referred, transmitted for its information the correspondence on the subject which passed between the department and Mr. Power. Mr. Power came before the committee and made his statement. The committee, after a full consideration of the matter, have come to the conclusion that it is a matter which does not call for any action on the part of Congress, but that all communications to this Government from aliens must come through the regularly accredited channels. This sustains the action of the President and the Secretary of State, which the democrats knew was right and proper when they passed the resolution to enquire into it; the whole thing was but a transparent partisan trick—a pandering to the prejudices of the Irish voter.

The democracy in accepting the tripartite covenant have utterly abandoned their old State sovereignty creed, the same men who once insisted that any State could overthrow the Union at will and that the general government had no powers except such as were expressly delegated to it by the Constitution, now insisting that a mere resolution of Congress—or one branch of it—is sufficient to take from a State the rights expressly reserved to it by the Constitution.

New Hampshire Items.

At the annual meeting of the New Hampshire Fire Insurance Company, at Manchester, ex-Gov. E. A. Straw was re-elected President; ex-Gov. J. A. Weston Vice-President; George B. Chandler, Treasurer; John C. French, Secretary. The old Board of Directors was also re-elected.

There is a mystery surrounding the injuries to Edward T. Wright of Contoocook, found terribly bruised beside the railroad track recently, and fears of foul play, as his money and watch are missing.

E. M. Hixon and George H. Corey, hailing from Sharon, Mass., were arrested at Newmarket, Jan. 30th, on a charge of swindling. They have been going about the country pretending to establish agencies for the sale of a burglar alarm, but really to obtain promissory notes for the sale of worthless patent rights for burglar alarms.

John Shea, of Manchester, has been held in $1000 for forging the name of Patrick Shea to a pension voucher for $72.

The new Congregational Church just completed in Pittsfield cost, exclusive of the land, $15,275. It is to have a $1000 organ.

Riddle's block, Manchester, was partially burned on Wednesday. Loss $10,000, largely from water.

The New Hampshire State Board of Agriculture meetings held on Tuesday at Academy hall in Greenland,—forenoon, afternoon and evening,—were well attended and of great interest and profit. The discussions took a wide range, considerable time being devoted to the subject of preparing soil, and the culture of corn, grass-es, cereals, fruits, vegetables, and also stock raising and milk producing, which were participated in by a goodly number of prominent agriculturists from home and abroad. The evening session had reference to such topics as were adapted to the ladies and young people, at which time the hall was packed to its utmost capacity, some four hundred being present. Some of the members of the Board went to Stratham in the afternoon, where a very interesting meeting was held, at the conclusion of which the company adjourned to Greenland.

Nasby's Plan.

Nasby steps forward now with his plan for the settlement of the presidential dispute. Nothing but its late appearance could have prevented its adoption. He suggests that a representative republican and a representative democrat decide the question by a game of seven-up, and adds:

I wood sejest ez the representative republikin for this purpose Mr. Frelinghuysen of Noo Jersey. For the representative dimocrat ther ain't no need for my namin him at all. The entire dimocrisy in one voice wood exclaim, "Jonn Morrissey." Spoze it wuz agreed to have it seven-up and the best two in three. Think uv these reports from the Associated Press: "The Presidential Games!—Frelinghuysen two! Morrissy one!—Thanksgivin in the churches!—The Freedmen Jubilant! Later!—Morrissey turns Jack, and makes High, Low, and Game!—End uv the First Game—Morrissey shows out on high and low!—Frelinghuysen accuses him uv cheatin!—A day of fastin ordered, and the gin mills illuminate!" Then the second game: "The first game conceded to Morrissey!—The South jubilant!—Frelinghuysen deals! Morrissey begs!—Frelinghuysen gives him one, and Morrissey claims a misdeal, wich the umpire allows! Morrissey makes four! The niggers discurridged and the South jubilant! Second hand—Frelinghuysen makes high and low, and Morrissey jack and game!—and Morrissey one pint to go and his deal!—The Presidenshial question settled!—Morrissey turns jack, winnin the rub, and electin Tilden and Reform!—Congratulatory despatch from the President elect!—Chagrin uv the republikins!—Morrissey serenaded—"I simply did my dooty!" Morrissey to be secretary of the treasury."

Fools.

Rev. J. Benson Hamilton preached on Sunday evening from the text, "Thou fool." Fools he divided into two classes, "natural-born fool," and those who achieve foolishness by their own endeavors. To the second class he devoted his attention, dividing it into the following: "Social Fools," "Business Fools," "Pious Fools," and "Political Fools."

Social fools he said are the butterflies of fashion, who have no care for the realities of life, and no love for rational amusements, while business fools are those to whom life is all business, and who neither invite nor permit in their lives any of the recreations or gratifications which sensible people enjoy. Among political fools he classes the self-sufficient egotist who thinks the country will go to ruin unless he saves it; the accidental editor, who thinks the liberty of the country depends on his defending it with his scissors, and who calls slander argument; the loud-mouthed fool who talks about war while he hunts up his old certificate of disability or tries to think of some country relative out of whom he can spunge his board till the danger is over, and the party which prates about retrenchment and reform and never practices economy, or which pretends to be the friend of temperance and all the time caters to the liquor dealers. Pious fools, the speaker said, are those who live in the past, who in the age of gas are always mourning for tallow-dips, who wear the long and stupid sermons of the old time, who cling to the old time bigotry and superstition, and those who while professing to live for Jesus live really for pleasure, wealth, reputation, political fame, or ecclesiastical dignity.—*Mirror.*

—An honest blacksmith, when urged to start a libel suit, answered: "I can hammer out a better reputation on my anvil than all the lawyers in Christendom can give me."

—A Western paper, in describing an accident recently, says, with much candor: "Dr. Jones was called, and under his prompt and skillful treatment the young man died on Wednesday night."

—A colored individual in Terrebone, La., has been developing business qualifications. He got up a grand excursion to New Orleans, sold three hundred tickets at $3 each, went down to town in advance "to get everything in readiness," and stayed there, writing back that he anticipated trouble, and it would be dangerous for his victims to come to the city.

—On the night of October 10, 1859, the barns of Abram Baliss of Hicksville, L. I., were burned, the evidence being conclusive that the fire was the work of an incendiary. John Murphy, a neighbor, was suspected, but his family insisted that he was at his home from early in the evening until the fire broke out. His wife and he have recently quarrelled, and now she accuses him of having fired the premises.

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Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
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U. S. 10 Sixes, 1867	111
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Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
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Portsm. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
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—The Constitution says that all States shall be equally represented in the Senate. Yet, in wanton violation of this Illinois sends a man weighing 360 pounds.—*N. Y. Graphic.*

"Wives as They Were."

Susan B. Anthony may appeal to women to insist upon having equal rights and privileges with men. Yet she must not become impatient, or forget that "large bodies move slowly." It is but a few years since wives were a little better than slaves, while to-day wealth and science vie with each other in doing woman's service and seeking to better her condition. Many diseases that have hitherto cursed her existence are by the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription readily cured. Her property in most of the States is now secured to her against the debts of her husband. And as water never rests until it finds its level, so the rights of woman will, if necessary, agitate themselves until every point be gained, and every difference equitably adjusted.

MARRIED.

TAUNT—ENGLISH. At the Navy Yard, Jan. 31, by Chaplain J. F. Taunt, U. S. N., assisted by Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, rector of St. John's church, and Rev. S. A. Hutchinson of Kittery, Lieut. Emery H. Taunt, U. S. N., and Miss Mary English, daughter of Capt. Earl English, U. S. N.

LONG—VARRELL. In Medford, Mass., Jan. 13, Mr. Charles W. Long of Salisbury and Miss Lizzie M. Varrell of York, Me.

PERKINS—SIMPSON. In Eliot, Me., Jan. 24, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Mr. Strout, Mr. Warren G. Perkins of Middleton, Mass., and Miss Lottie Simpson of Eliot.

BURLEY—CONNER. In Exeter, Jan. 17, Harrison G. Burley, of Newmarket, and Miss Fannie E. Conner of Exeter.

WENTWORTH—HURD. In Great Falls, Jan. 17, Moses Wentworth of Wolfeborough Junction, and Rena F. Hurd of North Berwick, Me.

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Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.40 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.30 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "	
Dover,	10.30 " 5.30 "	

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MOTHERS' TEA PARTY.

It will be remembered what a good time the mothers had at our last tea party, and that we made a statement that we expected to meet again. We purpose thus to do next Monday evening. It is suprising what a wonderful effect a good cup of tea has upon our social natures; how it quiets, and prepares the way for a social service, which on this occasion will follow, in the Chapel, and consist of addresses and music. If our friends desire to aid by contributing anything for the table, we shall be happy to receive it. We expect about sixty to set down, and ask our friends to send in their gifts early, in order that we may know what is needed after all is sent in. Tea on the table at 6 o'clock P. M.

W. A. LOYNE, Missionary.

SENATORIAL CONVENTION.

The Democratic Senatorial Convention for the First District met at the Rockingham House on Wednesday. The Convention was called to order by Henry F. Wendell, Esq., of this city, a member of the Democratic State Committee, and permanent officers were chosen as follows:

President, Uri Lamprey, of Hampton;

Secretary, Frank W. Rand, of Portsmouth;

Committee on Credentials, Messrs. Whittier of Hampton, Rowe of Kensington, Spinney of Portsmouth, and Simpson of Greenland;

Committee on Resolutions, Messrs. Miller of Portsmouth, Garland of North Hampton, Pease of South Newmarket, and Trefethen of Rye.

The Committee on Credentials reported forty-eight delegates present, and on motion an informal ballot was taken with the following result:

Whole number of votes cast	48
Necessary for a choice	25
Jerome C. Butler of Portsmouth had	6
Gilman H. Jenness of Rye	8
Marcellus Eldredge of Portsmouth	34

On motion of Harrison Burleigh, of Newmarket, Marcellus Eldredge was nominated by acclamation as the democratic candidate for State Senator from this district. The resolutions of the Democratic State Convention were adopted as the resolutions of this Convention, and after commending the candidate to the voters of the District the Convention adjourned without day.

ANCIENT RECORDS OF YORK.

The following extracts from the ancient court records of York County, Me., are given *verbatim et literatim*:

"At a Court boulden at York, July 4, 1659. Wee p'sent William Tompson for rebellion against his father and Mother In Law.

The Court fines Tompson for his offence 30s, and he is to pay 5s for ye officer's fees, wch 35s Capt. Raynes Ingageth to pay Into the Treasury In his behalfe.

William Tompson binds him selfe to this Court, In a bond of Twenty pounds unto the Treasur'r of this County, that he will be of good behaviour towards all men, especially towards his father and Mother, under which bond hee is to Caution untill the next County Court.

Wee p'sent John Barton, servant to William Ellingham, for being a Comon swearer and a Drunkard, which he acknowledged. The Court fines Barton for his offences either to pay Three pounds, or to receive 20 lashes on the bare skinne. William Ellingham, in the behalfe of his man Barton, Ingageth him selfe to pay or cause to be payed (3s) in the County Treasury.

Wee p'sent Elizabeth Stoner, the wife of Sylvester Stoner, for abusing her husband by many revilling and reproachful speeches, as calling of him Roge and Rascall."

A BEER CAMPAIGN.

It is evident that the democrats of this section intend to run the campaign on a beer basis—Frank Jones, brewer, for Congress, and Marcellus Eldredge, brewer, for State Senator. They no doubt hope to keep the political pot a brewing so fiercely as to lay the republican party on its bier. Temperance democrats will meet at the breweries on the morning of election day, sing "We'll drink no more" in chorus, and then form in line, march to the polls and vote the XXX ticket.

THE RAILROAD WAR.

On Tuesday, in Boston, in the United States Circuit Court, Judge Shepley sitting as for the circuit of New Hampshire, the clerk of the New Hampshire circuit, William H. Hackett, Esq., being present and officiating, a hearing was had on the motion of the Eastern Railroad that the action of the State court in appointing a receiver for the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire be rescinded by the Court now having jurisdiction, or that the receiver so appointed be enjoined from taking any action under the order of the State court. The grounds on which the motion was urged were that the proceedings before the State court were ex parte and were sedulously kept from the knowledge of defendants, and that equity requires that the whole matter should be reopened that defendants may have an equal opportunity to be heard. Judge Shepley announced that a decision would be rendered at the opening of Court on Wednesday morning.

On Wednesday the Court passed upon the motion, and "holds that when a case is removed as this was from a State Court to the Circuit Court, all orders issued by the court and upon which no action has been taken, become inoperative. So that, in this case, the receiver having been appointed by an order of the State Court, and having never acted under the same, cannot now act as such receiver. The court does not pass upon the question of the power of the Circuit Court over a case removed from the State court before the return day of the next law term, the decision of this point not being regarded as material to the case."

A BRILLIANT WEDDING

Took place on Wednesday at the Commodore's residence on the Navy Yard, the parties most interested being Lieut. Emery H. Taunt, U. S. N., son of Chaplain J. F. Taunt, U. S. N., and Miss Mary English, daughter of Capt. Earl English, U. S. N., the present Commandant of the Yard. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. F. Taunt, assisted by Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, of this city, rector of St. John's church, and Rev. S. A. Hutchinson of Kittery. The house was darkened from the sunlight, and lighted with gas, and the parlors were beautifully decorated with flags, evergreens, smilax, and a profusion of flowers most tastefully arranged; from the ceiling of the parlor in which the wedding was solemnized depended a marriage bell of smilax and white rosebuds, beneath which the bride stood during the ceremony; and as the happy couple entered the room their path was strewed with flowers.

The bridesmaids were Misses Lena, Frank and Josie English, Miss Mamie Eastman and Miss Lulu Williamson; the groomsmen were Dr. Rixey, U. S. N., and Lieut. Arthur, U. S. N.

The ushers were Chief Engineer Williamson, U. S. N., and Lieut. Whipple, U. S. M. C.

The bride's dress was a heavy, white, corded silk, with train, and overskirt and vail of white tulle, looped with orange blossoms; her hair was decorated with a coronet of flowers, which fastened the vail. She wore a beautiful set of diamonds, and no other jewelry.

The bride's mother wore a black velvet dress, trimmed with very wide black thread lace, and diamond ornaments.

The groom's mother was dressed in a pearl-colored silk, trimmed with velvet of the same shade, and wore diamonds.

The bridesmaids were dressed mostly in white silk, beautifully trimmed with flowers. All the toilettes were in exquisite taste.

The wedding presents were numerous and elegant, among them being a very heavy necklace and locket, a tortoise shell and ostrich feather fan, a heavily embossed silver tea set, a large gold cross set with pearls, several sets of gold lined silver spoons, silver knives and forks, etc.

After the ceremony there was a reception of the immediate personal friends of the two families, and the officers of the navy; there was dancing, Harlow's orchestra furnishing the music; and a supper, elegant to look at and attractive enough to have tempted an anchorite.

Lieut. Taunt, with the fair prize he has captured, started on a brief cruise at an early hour in the evening, the young couple carrying with them the best wishes not only of their own personal friends and acquaintances, but of many others of whom neither of them ever heard.

JOTTINGS.

We are pleased to be able to announce that George W. Guppy, Esq., of the *Times*, has so far recovered from his dangerous illness as to be able to appear on the street.

The Byron Combination at Franklin Hall to-night, in the "Two Orphans." See advertisement. This company appeared in Manchester Monday evening, and the *Union* of that city says: Some of the characters were carried out with a degree of excellence seldom surpassed. Miss Annie Hayes as "La Frochard" was nearly perfection. "Louise and Henriette," the two orphans, could not have done better, and Pierre Frochard was excellent, especially in the closing act.

The second anniversary of the Woman's Temperance League will be celebrated at Franklin Hall on Friday evening, Feb. 2, at half-past seven o'clock. The exercises will consist of a brief anniversary address by a young lady, songs by a quartette of the best musical talent of the city, and an eloquent speech from Mrs. Emma Molloy, of Indiana, the foremost crusader of the West. If you would learn what the Woman's League has accomplished since it has been organized, attend the anniversary gathering. Ten cents will be charged for admission.

The Democratic Convention held on Wednesday at the Rockingham House was remarkably "full," and several of the delegates present appeared in high spirits.

The Prohibitory Convention met in Manchester on Wednesday, nominated the same candidates as last year for Governor and Railroad Commissioner, and decided to put a full ticket in the field. They probably hope to secure the election, in this district, of those "ramrod prohibitionists," Frank Jones and Marcellus Eldredge.

—An eighteen-year-old Osceola (Mo.) girl is more than Spartan. She had been sitting up with her fellow in the darkened kitchen, and went out to get some wood; stepping on what she thought to be a piece of rope, she stooped to pick it up, and was bitten on the thumb by a rattlesnake. Instead of fainting, she called the young man to kill the snake, and then cut off her thumb with a case-knife.

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How to do up Shirts.

A lady gives the following in the *Ohio Farmer*: "To three tablespoonfuls of common starch, well boiled in one quart of water, add a lump of lard the size of a pea, a tablespoonful of loaf sugar and a little salt. Let it cool until you can use it without burning your hands. When the clothes are thoroughly dry, dampen your shirts in a thin, cold starch, roll them up and let them lay an hour before ironing. When ready to iron have a bowl of clean, cold water at hand, dip a clean handkerchief into it and wring it out dry; then stretch the shirt on a shirt-board, and with the dampened handkerchief wipe off every particle of starch that appears on the surface, taking care always to wipe downward. Be careful not to have the iron too hot. The more pressure you use on the starched surface the finer polish you will have. I have done up shirts in this manner for many years, and know that it will produce a fine polish equal to any laundry work. I forgot to mention in its proper place that you should never boil the starch until the shirts are ready to hang up to dry. No shirt can be done up nicely without a shirt-board. The one I have is two feet long and one foot wide—an inch board planed smooth, and covered on one side with six thicknesses of flannel, the top one being soft, white flannel. The first five thicknesses are stretched over tightly and tacked securely on the edge of the board all round. The white flannel, outside, is stitched to the edges of the others, so that it can be easily removed for washing when necessary. Old blankets or shawls that have done their duty as such, can be used for this purpose to advantage."

—A pedlar called at the residence of S. S. Chalfaut, near Thornvill, Ohio, on Friday evening last and obtained permission to lodge over night. During the night he chloroformed the entire family and ransacked the house, carrying off $900 in money and $35,000 in drafts. The robber was traced to Lancaster, but not apprehended.

—At Woodstock, Vt., recently, a lady took her little one to a gallery for its picture, and while the artist was busy she was fixing up the child by wetting its face and hair with what she supposed was clear water, but was a solution of nitrate of silver. After exposure to the air a short time, the appearance of the child can be better imagined than described.

—"Sam" Barger got word one evening while at dinner that Commodore Vanderbilt would like to see him. Hastily partaking of a little food, he repaired to the old gentleman's residence, forgetting in his hurry to put a cigar in his pocket. After the business was finished Sam said: "Commodore, you brought me away from my dinner in such a hurry that I didn't get my smoke! I believe I would like to try a cigar." (The Commodore was smoking a delightfully fragrant Havana.) "All right, sam," he replied, "you will find a match on the mantelpiece." Sam smoked when he got home.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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For Register of Deeds,
GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.
For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting The Vote.

The counting of the Electoral Vote commenced on Thursday, Feb. 1st, at one o'clock, in Representatives' Hall.

Speaker Randall appointed Cook of Georgia and Stone of Missouri tellers on the part of the House—both democrats. Kasson of Iowa protested that it was unusual and an invasion of the rights of the minority that no Representative of the minority should be appointed teller. Speaker Randall, to justify himself, said he had notified the President of the Senate and he would govern himself accordingly. Kasson: "Then it will appear that the President of the Senate did not do this till forced to do so by the Speaker." Fernando Wood: "That is an impertinence on the part of the gentleman from Iowa."

At five minutes before 12 the Secretary of the Senate appeared at the door of the House announcing that the President of the Senate had appointed Senators Ingalls and Allison tellers on the part of the Senate. As the minute-hand reached the hour of 1 o'clock the Senate in a body, preceded by the Sergeants-at-Arms of the two houses, appeared at the north door of the hall of Representatives, entered and took seats on the first four rows on the democratic side of the hall. The votes were brought in two square mahogany boxes and placed on the Speaker's table. The two boxes were carried by the Doorkeeper of the Senate, who was guarded by six special policemen. The boxes had something of a funeral look, and as they were brought into the hall a special solemnity seemed to fall upon that body.

At 1.05 Vice President Ferry said: "The Joint Convention for counting the votes will come to order; in obedience to the Constitution of the United States the two houses have met for the purpose of opening the certificates and counting and declaring the result of the election for President and Vice President of the United States for four years commencing March fourth next." The vote of Alabama was then taken from the box, the seals broken and the vote read by Teller Allison. The Arkansas certificate was next handed to the Tellers and ordered counted without objection

After the certificate of Alabama was read, there was a momentary pause. It had been reported that Representative Haralson and Senator Spencer would join a motion under the new law, objecting to the counting of Alabama, but they did not and the vote was ordered counted.

The votes of California, Colorado, Connecticut and Delaware were unobjected to and therefore counted.

When Florida was reached, three sets of votes were opened, all objected to and referred to the commission, and the Convention adjourned.

News and Notes.

The National Tube Works, of Boston, are in trouble, U. S. Treasury officials having discovered, as is alleged, large frauds upon the government, in obtaining large drawbacks on exported pipe, claimed to have been made from importedm aterial, while the material was really of American production, and not entitled to drawback.

Base ball rules have been amended for 1877. The national league have resumed the lively for the dead ball. Other important changes in the rules are: The home club in all cases goes first to the bat. A player not going to the bat within a minute after being called by the umpire is declared out, as also when he runs to the first base inside the foul line. When a runner is struck by a hit ball he is out. The object of this last would seem to be to allow every advantage to the "out," and it is further decreed that the runner must go around and back of a fielder who obstructs his path to capture a ball.

A dispatch from London announces the wreck of ship John H. Kimball, Capt. D. M. Humphreys, on the English coast. The officers and crew were saved. She was a ship of 1266 tons, built in 1873.

A St. Louis school-teacher in one of the city's poorer districts revealed to the committee recently that two-thirds of the children in school had scarcely anything to eat on account of the poverty of their parents, and were sent to school for the purpose of keeping warm, as in many cases the parents were not only destitute of food, but fuel to keep up a fire.

Four young men were swept over the falls at Louisville, Ky., by the capsizing of a skiff, and two of them, Thomas Peterson and Patrick Brophy were drowned.

President Garrett and other Baltimore capitalists are said to be organizing a new cable company, to lay a wire between that city and some point on the French coast. The bill for this purpose, in which they ask the requisite Congressional permission, provides that the cable shall be laid within three years, and the tariff about eight cents a word, and that there shall be no union or sale of the new line to any other cable company.

Mr. Gatchell, the new superintendent of the Washington police, reports that he has found seventeen suspected gambling-house, seventy-one houses of ill-fame, one hundred and seventy-six places where liquor is sold without a license, and twenty-five assignation houses. He has expressed a determination to rid the city of those places, and will commence movements in this direction immediately.

Political.

The democratic House, after refusing the State of Colorado representation for three months, on Wednesday graciously permitted Representative James B. Belford to take his seat.

The following is one of the dispatches sent from the Tilden managers in New York to Patrick, of Oregon, just before the meeting of the Oregon electoral college: "Secure your points *at all hazards*. Communicate with me immediately, giving prospects."

The New York *Sun* is unexpectedly behind the times. It has just discovered the existence of the Electoral bill and denounces it in a two-column "double-leader" as "an infraction of the Constitution and a most dangerous and alarming departure from the established usage of the Government."

Col. Pelton, Tilden's nephew and private secretary, is either wonderfully forgetful or a magnificent liar. Before the Senate investigating committee he testified, under oath, that he knew Patrick of Oregon, but on being asked to translate a cipher despatch alleged that he was unable to do so, and couldn't remember the meaning of any cipher words in a despatch sent to him by Patrick on the 27th of November!

The democrats of North Carolina, having got full control of the State government, are endeavoring to intrench themselves so that no possible adverse majority can ever oust them from power. A bill has been introduced in the legislature taking from the people the election of all county officers, sheriffs, commissioners, treasurers and coroners, and empowering the Governor to appoint them, and also all justices of the peace. This will give the democrats exclusive control of the election machinery in every county in the State, and when all their arrangements are completed they think they will be able to easily uphold the cause of reform against fifty thousand radical majority. The colored men of the State are holding meetings to consider a plan of wholesale emigration.

"Secure your point at all hazards," was the order of the Tilden plotters in New York to the Tilden conspirators in Oregon. Literally rendered the order would read: "Employ any knavery, break any law, and we will foot the bill." The order was literally carried out.

Clams.

The most productive land in the State is the clam flats upon the banks of the Merrimac. It costs nothing for fencing or top dressing; it is self-supporting and self-planting, and the more the soil is turned over the faster the crop matures and the greater its abundance. No land produces so much to an acre or so sure a crop. It is always reliable, and the products never glut the market. Every day in the year men are employed in these fields, and the products are sent in every direction. One hundred men are employed in this industry, and they have their money as soon as they deliver their clams. A hundred barrels a week go by rail into the interior. Then we have some thirty peddlers that supply the neighboring towns. Gillett's express takes every morning from fifty to one hundred gallons for Boston. This one express leaves from $25 to $50 a day in ward one alone. Lovett's and Woodwell's expresses also carry a large quantity each. The gross receipts for the year make many thousand dollars. The Merrimac River clams are considered the best in the country. They are good boiled, stewed, fried or pickled, or in chowder; they are tender and relishing, and upon the whole a valuable local product. Some dealers were in the habit of swelling their clams over night in cold water, but as soon as the trick was discovered they abandoned it.—*Newburyport Herald.*

Russia Leather Goods.

Russia leather pocket-books for fifty cents a piece, offered by street peddlers, of course excited the suspicion that they must be a mere imitation article, but the passer who, attracted by their appearance, halted for a moment for examination, was struck with the fact that they were not only soft, well-dressed leather, but stood the infallible test of smell by which the genuine "Russia" is distinguished. The conclusion reached, therefore, was that the stock offered by the vender must have been in some manner illegitimately obtained, or was part of somebody's failed stock. The real fact, however, is that the secret of the Russia leather perfume has been discovered by an American, and that we can make Russia leather goods now in America much cheaper than they can be imported. And ere long, owing to the superiority of our tannage, may export these goods to Russia and Austria; Vienna being the place where Russia leather is manufactured into the beautiful portmanteaus, handbags, pocket-books, card-cases and hundreds of other articles, all fragrant with the peculia and agreeable perfume.

The red hue of Russia leather is simply a staining process that is no secret, but the discovery of the scent is what we have to do with, and it is a wonder that some enterprising Yankee did not discover it before.

The Hon. Marshall Jewell, our late minister to the Court of St. Petersburg, was a practical tanner, having in his youth been apprenticed to and thoroughly learned the business, and like a practical man, besides attending to the diplomatic business of his office in the country into which he had been sent, instead of allowing that to be his sole occupation, made an examination, as far as practicable, into the system of government, finance, methods of business, and the position and progress of the manufactures of the country. Among other examinations he visited all the tanneries possible, and examined the different methods of curing and tanning hides. In this, many facts interesting to Americans were developed. One, that the Russians cannot make as good sole leather as is made in this country, the American sole leather now being the best used; and another, what he specially sought, the source of the Russia leather scent. This is owing to the presence of birch-bark tar, which is used in dressing the skins, in place of tallow and grease, the latter substances being so largely used as food among the lower classes. This tar, which is carefully saved as it exudes from the wood when burned, was first used as a substitute for wheel grease in Russia, as it is to this day, and then for the filling and dressing of skins.

By a system of careful inquiry, and literally following his nose during his visits to some of the great Russian tanneries and curriers' shops, Mr. Jewell found this compound in a great kettle ready for use, and thus the mystery was solved. It is not an expensive article, costing something like ten dollars a barrel, and he immediately ordered ten barrels and sent them to various leading leather manufacturers in this country with instructions, and the result is that genuine Russia leather goods are now made in America, and doubtless will soon be sold at prices fifty per cent. below former prices. *Commercial Bulletin.*

The Fearful Ride of a Tramp.

He boarded a train at Omaha, and after having been ejected from several trains, he reached Green river, in Wyoming. Here the train men became more vigilant, and the dead-head saw that he must find a very secure hiding place. Accordingly, while the train men were busy, he crawled into the fire box of a stationary engine that was standing on a flat car, and which was going through to San Francisco. Soon after the train started some one shut the engine door, and the man was a prisoner. He could not sit down, and could barely turn around, and in this way he rode for four days and nights, without a mouthful of food or drink, excepting a few crackers he had in his pockets. When the train arrived at Verdi, Nevada, a distance of nearly nine hundred miles from Green river, he attracted the attention of the conductor by scratching on the inside of the engine with his finger nails. He was liberated almost dead with cold and hunger.—*Truckee Republican.*

—In Texas quack doctors have to pass a rigid examination in medical science before they can collect their bills.

—One of the bills now pending in the Wisconsin Legislature abolishes sentences of imprisonment for specific periods in punishment of crime, and leaves convicts in prison until the warden believes they are "thoroughly reformed."

—The report that Senator Christiancy was rejoicing in an addition to his family is denied. The report has been the occasion of considerable annoyance, in the way of letters of congratulation and numerous gifts for the non-existent little stranger.

What the Bilious Require.

Sance torpidity of the liver is the chief cause of its disorder, it is evident that what the bilious require is an alterative stimulant which will arouse it to activity, an effect that is followed by the disappearance of the various symptoms indicative of its derangement. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters invariably achieve the primary result mentioned, besides removing the constipation, flatulence, heart-burn, yellowness of the skin and whites of the eyes, pain in the right side and under the right shoulder, nausea, vertigo and sick headache, to which bilious invalids are peculiarly subject. As a remedy for chronic indigestion, mental despondency and nervousness the Bitters are equally efficacious, and as a renovant of lost vigor, a means of arresting premature decay, and a source of relief from the infirmities to which the gentler sex is peculiarly subject, they may be thoroughly relied upon.

The Colonnade Hotel.

The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., endorsed by eminent and distinguished visitors as a model establishment, will be an exception hereafter to the general complaint of high prices.

The large sale of *Adamson's Botanic Balsam* is because when once used it becomes a household remedy. Children like it; it cures their colds and prevents the croup. Sold everywhere at 35 cents.

Important to persons visiting New York or the Centennial. The Grand Union Hotel, New York, opposite the Grand Central Depot, has over 350 elegantly furnished rooms. Elevator, steam and all improvements. European plan. Carriage hire is saved, as baggage is taken to and from the depot free. Guests can live better for less money at the Grand Union than at any other first-class hotel. Stages and cars pass the Hotel constantly to all parts of the city, and to the Philadelphia depot.
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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

Lectures.

TICKETS for the remaining lectures of Mr. Al bee's course, $1.50. For sale at Foster's Book Store.

Lost.

ON Tuesday Jan. 30, a very old POCKET BOOK, containing a sum of money. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at this office.

Portsmouth Gas Light Company.

THE annual meeting of the Stockholders of the PORTSMOUTH GAS LIGHT COMPANY will be holden in the office of the Superintendent on Market street, on Tuesday, March 13, at 3 o'clock, P. M., for the choice of officers for the ensuing year, and for any other business which may legally come before them. DAVID KIMBALL, *Clerk.*
March, 1, 1877.

Notice.

THE Subscriber gives notice that she has been duly appointed Executrix of the will of LUCY M. WILLEY, late of Portsmouth, deceased.
Dated Portsmouth, Jan. 22d, 1877.
KATE A. FLETCHER.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.*
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N. F. Mathes & Co.

Announce to the Public, that they

Will now Retail

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS

FOR CASH AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Also, everything kept in a first class grocery store now selling at a great reduction from former prices, such as

Pure CANDIES	20 cts.	℔ lb.
Granulated SUGAR	12½	"
A Coffee "	11½	"
B " "	11	"
Brown "	10	"
Fine Breakfast TEA	38	"
" Oolong "	40	"
Extra " "	50	"
" Fomosa "	65	"
Japan "	32	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK "	12½	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35	"
" " Rio "	30	"
" Green Java "	28	"
" " Rio "	25	"
CURRANTS	8	"
Box RAISINS	12	"
Good Bar SOAP	6, 8, 10	"

And also everything kept in our line, at the very lowest prices for CASH! All goods sold by us will be as represented; Please call and examine. Goods sent to any part of the city free of charge. Remember the old stand.

N. F. Mathes & Co.,

NO. 48 MARKET STREET.

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 12 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

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JOSEPH S. GRANT,
2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

SUGAR CURED HAMS AND BACON
Ferris & Co's,
Sugar Cured Hams and Bacon,
ARE THE BEST SOLD,
—FOR SALE BY—
Butler & Laighton.

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.

ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, *via* Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

SHAKER APPLE SAUCE
FOR SALE BY
BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

GREAT BARGAINS
—IN—
ROOM PAPERS!

In order to make room for the New Spring Patterns, I will sell my present stock of

ROOM PAPERS AND BORDERS
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!
Until Thursday, March 1.

Brown Blanks for 5 and 6 cents; White Blanks from 8 to 12 cents; Satins for 15 and 20 cents.
Gold Papers from 20 to 50 cents.
Borders from half a cent per yard upwards.

All persons who intend to paper their rooms this Spring will do well to secure these bargains.

JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

Wanted.

A Protestant WOMAN to do general housework. Must bring the best of recommendations. Apply at this office.

Situation Wanted

BY a competent and reliable Woman, as a House-keeper or Chamber maid. Any person desiring to secure a good and faithful worker can do so by calling at this office.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK
—OF—
Fall & Winter GOODS
—AT—
No. 8 MARKET SQ.
WM. P. WALKER
having received a full assortment of
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
Cloths, Cassimeres etc.,
is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and
Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.
HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR
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IS UNEQUALLED!
☞ Particular attention paid to the making of
ARMY & NAVY REGULATION UNIFORMS.
ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.
Constantly on hand, consisting of
SHIRTS,
GLOVES,
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DRAWERS,
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HANDKERCHIEFS
Of Every Description.

JAMES M. CARR,
DEALER IN
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No. 34 MARKET STREET,
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Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*
☞ All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

John Malsbenden,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
Keeps on hand a good assortment of seasonable goods for Gentlemen's wear, which will be made up in the latest style, or as ordered.
CLOTHES WILL ALSO BE
Altered, Cleansed or Repaired
SATISFACTORILY.
DON'T FORGET THE PLACE!
Under Franklin Hall - - - Fleet St.

CITY DRUG STORE.
H. W. BRIANT,
PHARMACIST,
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Prescriptions compounded with all possible care, and of the purest materials.

The special attention of the Medical Faculty is directed to the Elixirs and other non-official pharmaceutical preparations manufactured on the premises, which the Proprietor guarantees of full strength, and equal in point of manufacture to any in the market.

An inspection of the above respectfully solicited
A FULL LINE OF ALL SUCH ARTICLES
as may be found in
A First-Class Drug Store,
may always be found at his establishment.

THE
DOMESTIC FLUTER
Patented October 21, 1876.

For fluting pillow-shams, cambric dresses, skirts, aprons, and all garments trimmed with ruffles; also making fluting of woolen goods for dress-trimmings. This fluter is pronounced by competent judges to be the simplest and most desirable; safe to use in regard to heat, and no fear of cutting the material.

ISAIAH WILSON, AGENT
For Portsmouth and vicinity.

SKATES! SKATES!
SKATES — NEW YORK CLUB OR RINK, ROCKER CLAMP CLUB, ACME CLUB, STRAPPED CLUB, ROCKER & HALF ROCKER, ALSO A FULL LINE OF LADIES' — SKATES
ISAIAH WILSON,
37 CONGRESS STREET.

Real Estate.

To Let.
HOUSE No. 55 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

For Rent.
ONE-HALF HOUSE No. 11 Washington Street. nov17 Apply at House.

House to Let.
No. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises. oct13

To Let.
A HOUSE on Melcher Street, near Pleasant. Ten rooms, water in house; rent low to one or two tenants. if Apply at 34 PLEASANT ST.

Office Rooms To Let.
THE TWO FRONT ROOMS over the Rockingham National Bank. Apply at the Bank.

House Lots.
DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
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Brick House No. 56 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
Apply to
A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.
THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.
Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.
FRANK W. MILLER.

SPECTACLES & EYE GLASSES!
The "Brilliants"
From their peculiar construction of the GLASSES and FRAMES are UNRIVALLED for
Strengthening and Preserving the Eyesight!
and for their lasting qualities.
Parties who have worn the various kinds offered for sale in this vicinity, and now wear the "BRILLIANTS" say that they *surpass all others in the ease and comfort they afford.*
TRY A PAIR.
☞ We warrant them to give perfect satisfaction. A full assortment of sizes, &c., in Gold, Steel and Rubber of the Finest Quality, also the "SKELETON EYE GLASS," the nearest of all varieties, all warranted not to break from any imperfection in the manufacture, can always be obtained of
H. B. Buzzell & Son,
SOLE AGENTS,
No. 14 Pleasant Street, - Portsmouth
Dealers in Room Papers, Curtains, Books, Toys, Stationery, Fancy Goods, &c. Agents for Morton's Gold Pens, Holders and Pencils.

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VERY CHEAP!
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Dry Preserved and Pot Preserved!
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American and Swiss
WATCHES.
ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF
CLOCKS and JEWELRY.
—AT—
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7 CONGRESS STREET.
Fine Watch Repairing and engraving.
Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

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PURE STRAINED HONEY in small Bottles, also, HONEY COMB, for sale by
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Tennyson's New Poem.
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By the Author of "Helen's Babies."
The Illustrated London Almanac.
DAY BOOKS, JOURNALS, LEDGERS and DIARIES.
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CITY BUILDING, - - MARKET SQUARE.

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CHOICE ORANGES and LEMONS,
20 Cents Per Dozen at
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LOOK!
We have on hand a few part pieces of
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equally suitable for Gentlemen's Overcoats or Ladies' Cloaks, which we will close out at a great discount.
☞ We mean what we say.
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THE GENEALOGICAL HISTORY OF THE ODIORNE FAMILY, an octavo volume of 400 pages, will be forwarded by mail to applicants on the receipt of $3.00. A few copies only of the edition are left. Address,
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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, south & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M	
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "	
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "	
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "	
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "	

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	†10.10 A. M., 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.00 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.20 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, February 1st.

Albert E. Chamberlain, for being a common drunkard, was sentenced to three months at Brentwood and to pay costs, $6.90.

John McCloskey, for being drunk, was fined $3, costs $6.90. The same fellow, for resisting the police in the execution of their duty, was bound over in $100 to appear at a higher court.

John Griffy and Jennie M. Hanscom were before the Court on cross complaints, Griffy being charged with breaking and entering the house of William M. Hanscom, and Mrs. Hanscom with assaulting Griffy. The evidence seemed to show that the man forced his way into Hanscom's house and assaulted him, and that Mrs. Hanscom remonstrated, with a tea-kettle. The complaint against the latter was dismissed, and Griffy was bound over for a higher court.

JOTTINGS.

Tickets for the remainder of Mr. Albee's course of lectures, $1.50. For sale at Foster's book store.

The Byron Combination gave a really good entertainment on Thursday evening, to a fair audience; the performance merited a large audience.

The White Family gave a good concert at Franklin Hall on Wednesday evening, although the audience was not so large as the performance merited. Misses Ella and Josephine looked charmingly in their various jaunty costumes, and sang in a manner that won for them the most unbounded applause. The quartette singing was also good, and the glass piano a novelty. We understand that Mr. White is meeting with rare success in the towns round about us, in some instances singing two nights successively in one place to good audiences.

A boy named Welch, while skating on the North mill-pond Wednesday evening, broke through the ice and would have been drowned had not a companion rushed to his rescue with a fence rail and hauled him out therewith.

Mr. Horace Lunt, of Boston, read in the town hall at Newington to a good audience, Wednesday evening. His selections were happily chosen from Twain, Carlton, Moreley, Bret Harte, and other noted authors.

Mr. Henry L. Garrett, of this city, died suddenly of heart disease Thursday morning, in Greenland. He was at his store on Market street, Wednesday.

The school in Newington has been closed, the number of scholars having fallen from fifty-four to eighteen on account of the prevalence of the measles.

The young people connected with the Universalist Sunday school, with assistants, will soon present a new cantata.

Messrs. N. F. Mathes & Co. advertise Teas, Coffees, Sugars, etc.,—a full line of groceries,—at prices to suit the times, for *cash*. See advertising columns.

Thirty-seven able-bodied men occupied the corner near the post-office, Thursday afternoon, while a man was shovelling snow and ice off the roof of Exchange Building, to see that he did not fall off and hurt himself.

Governor Cheney has issued an order on the draping of the armories of the Second Regiment, and the wearing of crape on the swords of the officers of that regiment, as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Lieutenant Colonel Jasper G. Wallace, of Dover.

The Latest Rat Story.

It was in the summer of '57, on board the steamer Chester Ashley, that we were laid up on account of low water, on the Arkansas River. The boat had become so overrun with rats that we were in danger of having the whole freight list to pay for. Our cargo consisted almost entirely of bacon and flour, and they had perforated it in every direction. As a last experiment to get rid of them we had the entire load carried ashore, and then commenced a grand rat hunt. The animals all took to the hold, among our innumerable salt boxes, and under the dunnages found shelter, that but few could be dislodged and killed. It was in this emergency that the genius of the chief engineer shone forth with dazzling brilliancy.

"Let's," said he, "turn steam into the hold and run 'em out."

This being agreed upon, and while he was raising steam in the nigger boiler, the rest of us went around stopping them all except one hole which came through the deck a few feet from the ice-chest. This ice-chest was a favorite resort for the old rodents, for in it were kept the delicacies of the table. Pies, fruit and choice cake were in there. I suppose the rats looked upon this place as a sort of free Saratoga. At all events, they would put in a few hours of every night there, and this might represent their seasons.

The ice-chest was about eight feet square, with the opening on top, that is, our opening; the rats had theirs through the back, close down to the deck. This we also left open, and this arrangement left the rats only one hiding place on the main deck.

Steam now being ready, and a cook opened to let it into the hold, I took my station where I could see the "varmints" as they defiled from their unteasable cover to one they thought more promising, and it was a study for a saw mill man. As the steam filled the hold they commenced the line of march; first came a venerable old chap on whose head the frosts of many winters had settled. He passed along with a measured gait, slowly moving his head from side to side, as though he said, "Boys, I am afraid you've got us this time," and he seemed to be astonished that no missiles were hurled at him, but was allowed to enter the ice-chest unharmed. During his march, another—not a "sister"—kept his head out of the deck hold, watched his progress, and when he saw him safely housed, out he came too, and made the march unmolested. This seemed to be all they waited for, for they then poured out in an unbroken stream, and they were all there.

The wife whose babe first smiled that day;
The fair fond bride of yester eve;
The aged sire; the matron grey;

and all the young bucks kept coming until I thought they had some way of getting from the chest to the hold again and were keeping up an unbroken circle. But at length there happened breaks in the procession, then these breaks became more frequent and of greater duration, and after a while they came in single individuals and in more of a hurry, for the holds were getting hot, and later they came slower and less hair on them, and the last one looked sick, didn't seem to care whether he got anywhere or not, as he passed me he cast a look of holy scorn and holy sadness, as if to say, "You fellows think you're smart; you ought to be ashamed," and, to tell the truth, I was. I felt the same impulse to save its life that actuated Pocahontas on a historical occasion, and from an association of ideas, I named this rat John Smith.

And now they were all in the chest and the hole plugged. We called a council of war as to the best way to finish them. The engineer wanted to carry out his design and turn the steam on them and cook them alive; but the old man wanted some fun; he had a couple of imported Scotch terriers, full of blood and long hair, and there was just such a chance to try their metal as he had long yearned for. So he raised the lid top, dropped them in, and closed the door with the remark, "Go for 'em, boys." Then he took out his watch.

They must have "went for 'em," for the sounds that followed were a mixture of yelps, howls and tiny squeaks, mingled with a rattling, surging sound, as though the life within was combined and trying to knock out first one end of the chest and then the other. The old man would sing out at intervals, "Go for 'em boys!" then he would wink at us, shut one eye, double himself half up, and raise his right leg as though he were in an ecstacy of enjoyment.

At length all inside became quiet, and he looked at his watch again. "Sixteen and a half minutes," said he. "Now, men let us turn the chest over and count the rats, for I think them pups have knocked the spots off all former records."

We turned it over, the lid flew open, and a whole flood of rats came pouring out like bees from an upturned hive.

We had to clear the track until they all escaped, and when we looked int he box, those dogs were in more small pieces than ever dogs, not made into sausage, were before. They looked as though they had been dead a month, and one solitary rat kept them company—and it was John Smith.

A Story About Vanderbilt.

"A Traveller" writes to the Cincinnati *Times*: An amusing thing came under my observation between Vanderbilt and Lloyd, the map man, in New York, in 1867. Lloyd wanted a pass over the Central Railroad for one of his agents, and Vanderbilt refused it. A week after this Lloyd completed his famous Relief Railroad Map of the United States, a shade larger than the New York Herald, printed on one sheet of strong banknote paper, on a lightning press, and sold it, like a newspaper, all over the country; the sale was tremendous, several news dealers ordering 100,000 copies at a single order. Lloyd had the railroads on this map about as broad as an ordinary penholder, very distinct and clear. To make old Vanderbilt angry he lifted out of the electrotype plate the New York Central Railroad from New York City to Buffalo, and the Lake Shore Railroad and its connections from Buffalo to Chicago, and issued the cheap ten-cent map without their lines on the map at all. There was a white, canal-like blank space in the map where these railroads had been leading from New York to Chicago, that looked curious enough. Well, Lloyd mailed copies of every edition, not only to Vanderbilt, but to all the stockholders, bondholders, ticket agents, freight agents, and all in any way connected with the Central Railroad. Old Vanderbilt swore and raved and threatened to sue Lloyd for damages, but every issue made, Lloyd would mail the Commodore and his crowd copies of the railroad map without his line and connections shown on it, until Vanderbilt yielded and sent passes by the wholesale to Lloyd, and to the day of his death he never refused Lloyd, the map man, all the passes he wanted. Vanderbilt would jump up and down every time he saw a copy of that map with the canal from New York to Chicago running along the course of his track, and his track invisible.

—A lady who drew a gentleman's dressing gown at a recent church fair, now wishes to draw a good-looking young man to put in it.

MARINE CHRONICLE

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED Feb. 1.

Sch Frank Jameson, Jameson, Philadelphia.
Sch Mary E Anderson, Smith, New York.

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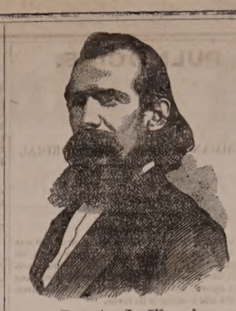

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There is to be a series of original illustrated papers of "Popular Science," by Mrs. Herrick, each paper complete in itself.

There are to be, from various pens, papers on

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The extreme danger of placing a hat in the aisle immediately outside the pew is universally known. The first lady that sweeps up the aisle carries with her a confused mass of defenceless hats, which are deposited in the shape of a terminal moraine in front of the pew which is her final goal. Of course the hats which have been subjected to this process are reduced by attrition to a rounded form and are covered with scratches, reminding one of the marks of glacial action on granite boulders. However interesting they may be to the geologist, they are of no further value as hats, and can rarely be bent into a shape that will allow their owners to wear them home. Next to the aisle, the pew seat is the most dangerous position in which a hat can be placed. Statistics show that out of every one hundred hats thus situated, sixty are sat upon by their owners, thirty-five are sat upon by other people, and only five escape uninjured. It is a curious fact that more men sit down on their hats after repeating the Creed than after reading the Psalms or performing any other perpendicular part of the service; and another curious fact is the attraction which a hat thus exposed upon a seat exerts upon a fat person. Neither of these facts has ever been satisfactorily explained, although they are matters of general notoriety. A man may enter a remote pew in a strange church, and place his hat on the seat in a position where it is impossible for a fat man to perceive it on entering the church. Nevertheless, experience has shown that in six cases out of ten the sexton will show a fat man into that precise pew within ten minutes after the hat is in position, while other and further fat men will, from time to time hover about the locality, with the evident desire of ascertaining if the hat is still susceptible of further smashing. There is clearly a law of nature at work here which needs to be definitely formulated, and it is discreditable to science that this has not yet been done.

As to putting one's hat on the floor underneath the seat, no one who follows this reckless course can expect anything but disaster. If there is a small boy in the pew, he will infallibly discover that hat, and kick it to the further end of the pew within the first thirty minutes of the service. If there is a lady in the pew, a surgical operation will be required to remove her boot from the interior of the hat; while in any event the hat is certain to absorb every particle of dust within a radius of eight feet, and to fasten itself to the floor with the aid of forgotten Sunday-school gum-drops. Neither under the seat, on the seat, nor in the aisle, can the worried hat find rest, and the plan of establishing a hat pound in the vestibule, where hats could be ticketed and kept during the service, would simply result in converting a church into a hat-exchange, where the sinners would secure all the good hats, and the saints would be compelled to content themselves with worn-out and worthless ones.—*Home Journal.*

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3. Clipping—The clipping of horses at this season is considered to be at least imprudent, and by this society, inhuman; owners are respectfully urged to allow the animals to retain the covering which nature has provided.

4. Check Reins—Work horses, if at all, should be checked very low; they can thus pull to greater advantage, protect their eyes from rain or snow, and are less liable to stumble or injure themselves. It will be noticed that the city railway companies have largely abandoned the use of check reins.

5. Bits—It is prudent to warm with the hands, or otherwise, bits before placing them in the horse's mouths.

—They have pretty little girls for pages in the Kansas Legislature, and the House won't adjourn till Christmas.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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Tilden's Correspondence.

We venture to say there is not a man in the nation who believes such a dispatch as the following could be found in any telegraph office in the land, addressed to Governor Hayes:

"PORTLAND, OREGON, December 1.

Hon. S. J. Tilden, 15 Gramercy Park, New York: Heed scantiness cramp emerge peroration hot-house survivor bronze of pirmeter dottish hot-house exactness of services highest cunning dottish of a galvanic survivor by accordingly respectful merciless of Senator in consequence coalesce.

GOBBLE."

It would occasion the greatest surprise if any such dispatch had been sent to Governor Hayes. No one is astonished that it was sent to Tilden. It seems to be generally regarded as quite in form for him to be found engaged in all sorts of schemes and intrigues for the carrying on of which recourse had to be had to a thieves' dictionary.

The Rules of the Commission.

The Electoral Commission has adopted the following rules, under the authority of the recent act of Congress:

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Rule 4.—The objectors to any certificate or vote may select two of their number to support their objections in an oral argument; and in like manner the objectors to any other certificate may select two of their number for a like purpose, but under this rule not more than four persons shall speak, and neither shall occupy more than two hours.

Rule 5.—Applications for a process to compel the attendance of witnesses or the production of written or documentary testimony may be made by the counsel on either side, and all processes shall be served and executed by the Marshal of the Commission or his deputies. Depositions hereafter taken for use before the Commission shall be sufficiently authenticated if taken before any Commissioners of the Circuit Courts of the United States or any clerk or deputy clerk of any court of the United States.

Rule 6.—Admission to the public sittings of the Commission shall be regulated in such manner as the President of the Commission shall direct.

Rule 7.—The Commission will sit, unless otherwise ordered, in the room of the Supreme Court of the United States, and with open doors excepting when in consultation.

After the rising of the Congressional Convention, Thursday, the three sets of electoral votes from Florida, with the objections made to the counting of each set, were laid before the three-cornered Commission.

On Friday, Field and Ran. Tucker argued the Florida case from the Tilden standpoint.

Democratic Mare's Nests.

David Dudley Field, the Tammany lawyer sent to Congress by Tilden to advance his interests, turns out to be adept in all the arts of the Tombs pettifogger, but entirely innocent of statesmanship, or even judicious shrewdness. He manages Tilden's affairs as he would a court case—before a Tammany jury. Recently he made a great splurge over "an altered return of the Louisiana Returning Board," presented by one Littlefield, an acknowledged forger and perjurer; all the democratic papers in the land hastened to shout, "That settles it! that gives Tilden the vote of Louisiana!" But it turns out that the same fellow (Littlefield) offered the same precious document to Congressman Morrison, when the latter was in New Orleans hunting up evidence to help Tilden, and that Mr. Morrison, bitter partisan though he is, refused to have anything to do with it or with its holder; further, that even if Littlefield's self-condemning story was true it would not interfere with the electoral vote; and finally, that his story is false in every partirular, and utterly without foundation, and proved so by the records. Also, it was brought out in examination—but *not* through the questioning of Mr. Field—that Littlefield had been mildly "coached" by Mr. Field before he was called before the committee. Whether or no he received a wholesome fee—for travelling and legal expenses—from Mr. Tilden, as Cronin did, is not stated.

Next Mr. Field trots out one Maddox, who testifies before the committee that he came to the North as a messenger from Ex-Governor Wells, of the Louisiana Returning Board, empowered to sell the electoral vote of Louisiana to Tilden in case the republicans would not pay the price asked. Maddox swears that he offered to sell the vote of Louisiana to John Morrissey for $550,000, but that eminent reformer was not willing to pay more than $100,000; also Mr. Maddox saw President Grant and the Secretary of War, but didn't manage to dispose of his wares. The story may be true, or have a basis of truth; but so far it has much more the appearance of being a desperate trick resorted to by the men who sought to buy an electoral vote in Louisiana and one in South Carolina, and who did buy Gov. Grover of Oregon and the ruby-nosed Cronin, in Tilden's interest. If the whole affair should turn out to be a job put up by the Tammany-Tilden counsel, David Dudley Field, no one would be surprised.

On Friday, Maddox was again before the committee, and testified that he is a man of the highest honor and "acted on broad moral grounds" in trying to get Tilden's friends to buy Louisiana.

Gen. Anderson, one of the Returning Board, was before the committee and gave the lie direct to all Maddox's statements, so far as he was concerned or knew. Gen. Anderson also testified that Dr. W. A. Robeson, a democratic State senator of Louisiana, offered him $200,000 to secure the State for Tilden.

The Eastern Muddle.

European dispatches says Russia does not care to encounter the Turkish troops in their present condition, nor does she wish to abandon the campaign altogether. She trusts that she can support the strain of a prolonged mobilization better than Turkey. She will therefore keep the troops on the frontier, thus compelling Turkey to do the same. If Turkey follows Russia's example, it is expected that before many months the people will demand peace at any price, because of the consequent financial collapse. If, however, Turkey in desperation decides to anticipate the Russian attack, the Russians are sufficiently confident of the result, as they would then fight in their own country. The Russians, in order to redouble their pressure on Turkey, will probably cross the Pruth, if not immediately, at least at a later stage. It is not likely that she will attempt the Danube until Turkey's fighting spirit is sensibly diminished by delay. With the view of these contingences the Russian army is continually being increased, while all the southern fortresses are being made ready for defence. It is because of these circumstances that Turkey thinks it is necessary to ask Servia for guarantees against participation in a possible resumption of hostilities. Russia is employing her time well. War preparations are continued with energy and on a larger scale than before. Nothing has been done hitherto which would indicate that the beginning of war is very close at hand, but the preparations leave no doubt of a determination to follow up war if it breaks out. The reserve observed hitherto and the feverish activity in arming may be taken as tolerably sure indications that Russia will not speak until she is quite prepared for any contingency which may follow.

The mobilization of the Russian Imperial Guard has been ordered to take place as soon as practicable.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 30.

The weight of opinion as heard in and about the House, Senate and hotel lobbies, relative to the final decision of the arbitration commission, is favorable to a victory for Hayes. Well-known democrats have expressed themselves in that direction since the final vote in the House Friday afternoon; and the feeling is almost universal among members of that party, that, even if Hayes is declared winner, a portion of the republican party has so committed itself to a conservative policy by the incoming administration, that they have gained much by the stubborn contest made in Tilden's behalf; and I believe a large majority of the dissenting republicans, content with their record in opposition, are rather glad than otherwise that a peaceful way out of what promised to be an almost interminable struggle, has been found by the compromise plan of the Joint Committee. It is argued that had either Hayes or Tilden been seated under the circumstances as they existed prior to its adoption, had there been no open revolt, the next four years must have been exceedingly stormy ones, deranging business and increasing the irritation already felt; but as now arranged, no impediment exists to the practical pacification of the country and to the dismission of war issues from national politics; and, indeed, the situation must be regarded as hopeful when we see such leaders as Conkling and Edmunds on the republican side of the "bloody chasm" extending clean hands to Thurman and Bayard upon the other.

The election of Benjamin Hill to the Senate from Georgia, is also received with much pleasure by moderate men of both parties, who are apparently waiting for the hallowed work of reconciliation. Mr. Hill has come to be better understood during the past year, and the cordial congratulation tendered him by Mr. Blaine is pointed to as a significant indication of our progress towards an era of good feeling and positive friendship between sectional constituencies.

Charity is to be popularized and society leaders and their followers are to be utilized in the good work of feeding and clothing the hundreds of perishing ones with which our city abounds. Organized efforts are also being made to actively interest every resident who is able to contribute an hour's time, a loaf of bread or a cast-off garment. Soup houses have been established and the butchers have responded very liberally. Invitations from the ladies of several of our leading hotels for "pound parties," charitable masquerades, hops, etc., are already out, filling up the evenings of the present week. Even the pupils of some of our schools are devising entertainments for the same commendable purpose.

The first fruits of the reorganization of our police department were plucked at two policy shops of the "Division," a very disreputable locality, which the police raided on Saturday night, capturing their keepers, quite a number of patrons and all the paraphanalia. Major Richards, Chief of Police, and several of his detectives, have been suspended from the active duties of office, pending their trial on charges preferred against them, and Mr. Gatchell, President of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, is acting Chief of Police.

Moulton, the real estate man who absconded after victimizing some of our banks and many of our citizens to the estimated extent of $100,000, and who returned here with the view, evidently, of compromising on a small per centage, has been lodged in the District Jail. It is reported that he received a severe pommeling at the hands of some of his exasperated creditors. He waived an examination when arrested, and begged the reporters to remember mercy. He appeared haggard and utterly broken down. KNOX.

News and Notes.

Gold was down to 104 7-8 on Thursday, closing at 105. This is the lowest since March, 1862.

The commendations of those who have been its guests, is the best advertisement for the American House of Boston. This great hotel is centrally and most conveniently located, is supplied with all modern improvements, and is a most desirable home for the visitor to Boston.

The King of Sweden, the Crown Prince and Prince John of Glucksburg have been initiated in to free masonry.

The Senate committee on the election reports that Frost of Missouri, Halliday of Virginia and Williamson of New Jersey, Tilden electors in their several States, were all ineligible; that vacancies in each case were filled, which the remaining electors had legal power to do in New Jersey and Virginia, but not in Missouri. The committee further say that according to the Grover-Cronin rule three republicans were chosen in place of the three democrats named.

Consumption.

This dread disease, if allowed to have its own way, is sure to become incurable. The great trouble with persons afflicted is that they fail to procure proper remedies in season, forgetting that "A stitch in time saves nine," and that likewise diseases can be broken up or averted if persons will only give the matter attention, as soon as they discover that they are thus threatened. The inventor of the Cough and Lung Syrup, Dr. A. J. Flagg of Claremont, N. H., claims for his remedy—and not without reason—if taken in the early stages of the disease, never failing cure, and even in the worst cases, relief will be attained, and life prolonged. This remedy is for sale by all druggists, at fifty cents per bottle.

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Where there is so much rivalry as in the manufacture of family medicines, he who would succeed must give positive and convincing proof of merit. This is an age of inquiry. People take nothing for granted. They must know the *"whys"* and *"wherefores"* before acknowledging the superiority of one article over another. Among the few preparations that have stood the test, those manufactured by R. V. Pierce, M. D., of the World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y., have for many years been foremost. The truth of any statement made concerning them can be easily ascertained, for Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery are now prescribed by many physicians in curing obstinate cases of catarrh and incipient consumption. The Discovery has no equal in curing coughs, colds, bronchial and nervous affections. It allays all irritation of the mucous membrane, aids digestion, and when used with Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets readily overcomes *torpid liver* and constipation, while the Favorite Prescription has no rival in the field of prepared medicine in curing diseases peculiar to females. If you wish to *"know thyself"* procure a copy of "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," an illustrated book of nearly 1000 pages, adapted to the wants of everybody. Price $1.50, postage prepaid. Address the author, R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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" Oolong "	40	"
Extra " "	50	"
" Fomosa "	65	"
Japan "	32	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	12½	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35	"
" " Rio "	30	"
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" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland,		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	†10.10 A. M.	5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

KNIGHTS OF PHYTHIAS.

At the annual session of the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire, K. of P., held at Pythian Hall in this city on Thursday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

P. G. C., Daniel E. Rollins, of Exeter; G. C., W. O. Sides, of Portsmouth; G. V. C., Chas. M. Lang, Concord; Prelate, Geo. W. Tilton, Epping; G. K. of R. and S., W. E. Moore, Manchester; G. M. of E., L. K. Peacock, Concord; G. M. at A., F. W. McKinsley, Manchester; G. I. G., Fred Newman, Hillsborough; G. O. G., J. H. Pingaree, Rochester; S. Rep., Daniel E. Howard of Concord, James F. Seavey, of Dover.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, February 2d.

Charles Newell was arraigned for drunkenness, and the offence being proved, and it being shown that he was only two days out of the County House at Brentwood, he was sent to jail for thirty days, costs being taxed at $6.90.

JOTTINGS.

One of the city horses came near taking a cold bath on Thursday, in the dock at Pier wharf. The horse had drawn a sled-load of snow off the street to the wharf, whence it was dumped into the dock, and in turning around the sled went off the wharf and would have taken the horse with it had it (the sled) not landed on a pair of steps. As it was the horse's hind feet were within a foot of the edge when the sled brought up, and a couple of shovels went into the drink. One of the shovels was recovered.

Schooner George L. Treadwell, of this port, before reported ashore on Chincoteague Shoal, and stripped, lies in a very bad position. So the ship-news columns of the metropolitan papers say. Capt. Taylor, master of the schooner, telegraphed from Franklin, Accomac County, Virginia, dated Jan. 31, as follows: "The report made by revenue cutter Hamilton about this vessel, ashore on Chincoteague Shoals, is incorrect. The vessel at this date is in good condition, and could be saved if a steam pump and tug could only come to the rescue. The cargo is lost. The vessel is slightly hurt, but as yet not bilged."

Subject at Bow Mission, Sunday: "The Cross a Burden, or a Crown."

Mr. B. F. Thorndike will address the Reform Club at Franklin Hall, Sunday evening, at 8 o'clock. His subject will be "Temperance, and its relation to politics,—the Church—and the Rum Traffic." The speaker will give his experience, and observations of an eight years' residence in Portsmouth. The Braxton family of Jubilee Singers have volunteered to furnish music for the occasion. The usual fee of five cents will be charged.

We don't wish to be considered oversanguine or sanguinary. But we venture to predict that if Frank Jones goes to Congress again from New Hampshire he will go on his beer.—*Lowell Courier.*

At the Prohibitory Convention, Rev. George M. Park said he had been an earnest prohibitionist for years, but his confidence in the party had somewhat abated lately. When he saw the party helping to send the most noted brewer in the State to Congress, and throwing up its hat, when this man's triumph was announced, he questioned somewhat about the sincerity of its members. He believed it was the duty of those present to help elect temperance men and defeat liquor men by whatever party nominated, and to prevent the brewer from going back to Congress.

Eastern Railroad meeting in Boston on Monday, February 5th. Stock certificates in great demand. A special train will leave here at seven o'clock A. M., and run to Boston fifteen minutes ahead of the regular train.

Work in the bureau of construction at the navy yard was entirely suspended on Thursday evening.

The new church of the Universalist society at South Berwick, Me., was dedicated on Thursday, nearly if not quite one hundred visitors from this city being present. Invocation by Rev. E. M. Grant of this city; sermon by Rev. A. J. Patterson, D. D., of Boston Highlands, formerly of this city; address by Rev. S. S. Davis, of Biddeford; prayer by Rev. G. W. Quimby, D. D.

The December number of the *West Shore*, an illustrated monthly paper published at Portland, Oregon, contains a portrait gallery of prominent citizens of Washington Territory, including a good likeness of one of the Sons of Portsmouth, of whom it says: "Oliver F. Gerrish, senior of the firm of O. F. Gerrish & Co., of Port Townsend, was born at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, in 1831. Receiving a liberal education, he early turned his attention to mercantile pursuits in his native city. In January, 1864, he came to the Pacific Coast and engaged in business the same year at Port Townsend, where he has continued to the present time. He has repeatedly been elected one of the Commissioners of his county without distinction of party, is President of the Puget Sound Telegraph Co., which position he has filled since the construction of the line, and has occupied other positions of trust and responsibility, all of which he has filled with marked ability—his business habits and training having made his influence felt in every position."

Messrs. Butler & Laighton advertise new Turkey prunes for sale very cheap; also Albany biscuit, which are equal if not superior to any imported biscuit.

On Friday morning two big black Newfoundland dogs—noble-looking fellows—took a notion that they would eat each other, at the corner of Market street and Market square, and proceeded to carry out their benevolent intentions in the most expeditious manner and with the least possible annoyance to the public. They chewed and shook, and mopped up the sidewalk with each other for a brief period, making no other noises than a few harsh growls; then one of them got a good grip and held on; a well-behaved crowd collected, including a man with a bucket of water which he poured on the dogs, and the owners of the two animals, who after choking them apart led them away to do penance in disgrace. It was the best-regulated and most decorous dog-fight for a long time.

REMARKABLE FORTITUDE.

On Friday morning Robert E. Rich, Esq., slipped upon an icy sidewalk, and in falling fractured his leg so badly as to preclude the possibility of its ever being made serviceable again, notwithstanding which he was navigating around town on crutches during the afternoon. There is no wonder that a man who can display such pluck and fortitude as that should win an enviable war record, as was done by Lieut. Rich.

SEABROOK.

The school war in South Seabrook still rages. The School Committee has ordered a division of the scholars into two schools, but the Prudential Committee has made no provision for carrying out the order; each committee has secured counsel, and lively times are anticipated. In 1866 the town paid to this district $170; the amount has been increased almost every year since, and this year the district receives over $400; but though the sum received is so large, only about half the children of the district can receive any benefit from it.

Mr. Charles Knowles, while splitting wood some weeks ago, had one of his eyes injured by a flying splinter; a cataract resulted, and on Monday, Jan. 29th, he went to Boston to have it removed.

Quite a religious interest is prevailing in South Seabrook; meetings are held every night. Since the visit of the Young Men's Christian Association in December some thirty persons have risen for prayers. On Sunday evening, Jan. 28th, the vestry was filled, it being the tenth anniversary of the first meeting held in the district schoolhouse, which resulted in the formation of a church society and the building of the Congregational church. Fifty children did the singing; and Rev. Wm. A. Rand gave an address, reviewing the past and giving the outlook for the future. Forty grown persons were present who were children when Mr. Rand commenced his work. Rev. Frank Winn was present from Amesbury, Mass., and gave an account of the revival now in progress there.

Mr. Sumner Beals met with a painful accident on Thursday. He runs a shoe express to Lynn, and was at the Seabrook freight station; he had drawn his box-sleigh up beside a car and was standing on the seat trying to unfasten the car-door, when his horse started and tumbled him over the back of the sleigh. He struck on his head on the ice, and received a cut extending from the top of his head to the centre of his forehead and thence to the right temple, the scalp being torn away from the skull so as to fall on the side of his head. He replaced the scalp as well as he could, drove to the passenger station and took the cars for Hampton, where a doctor was procured. ENO.

New Hampshire Items.

Thomas Gould, John M. Whon and G. W. Alden of New York, auctioneers, who have been selling a large bankrupt stock of dry goods, etc., at the auction rooms of Shattuck & Emerson, in Concord, were arrested Thursday evening for selling by auction without a license and arraigned before the Police Court. The hearing was postponed until Monday. The arrest occasioned no little excitement among the dry goods men, who claim that their trade has been materially injured by this auction sale.

The station agent of the Concord & Portsmouth Railroad at West Epping had both legs cut off by the upward train, Wednesday.

—No two nations agree exactly with each other as to what constitutes female beauty. The Moors estimate women by their weight, as we do beef cattle, and purchase them at so much a hundred. The favorites of the Chinese have deformed feet, black teeth and long nails. A girl painted sky-blue, with a ring through her nose, is the acme of loveliness to a Tonga islander. The Venetians almost worship red hair; and so national tastes vary.

MARRIED.

DANIELSON—RAYMOND. In this city, Jan. 29, by Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, Mr. Frederick N. Danielson and Miss Frances E. Raymond.

DIED.

GARRETT. In Greenland, Feb. 1, Mr. Henry L. Garrett, aged 38 years, 8 months.

☞ Funeral at Middle Street Baptist church at two o'clock this (Saturday) afternoon.

WHITTEMORE. In Keene, Dec. 25, Mrs. Lydia J. Whittemore, daughter of Joel and Eliza Gates, aged 40 years, 7 months and 6 days.

GATES. In Keene, Jan. 14, Joel Gates, aged 84 years and 19 days.

In Keene, Jan. 18, Eliza Gates, widow of Joel Gates, aged 81 years, 2 months and 26 days.

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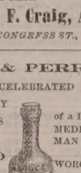

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Maine's State Prison.

In the first place, how came Thomaston to be fixed upon as the location of the prison? One reason is, it was at the time a central position and had an accessible harbor, quite a consideration before the advent of railroads. But there was another reason, and a young lady and a love affair were mixed up with it. Lord Finker, an English nobleman, but not at all in sympathy with the American cause, owned a vast tract of country, including that whereon the prison is now located. He lived in Boston, where Captain Knox (afterwards our own honored General Knox) had a company of picked men that he was in the habit of drilling daily. Their splendid evolutions and the personnel of their stalwart, handsome commander, attracted the attention of the nobleman's daughter, Lucy; in brief, she fell in love with our young American captain, sent for him, and told him frankly and plainly that if he wanted a wife, she was ready to fill that position. They were married, war broke out (not in consequence of the marriage, however), the nobleman fled to England, a portion of his estates were confiscated, but a vast area fell to Knox's wife, and Knox became the possessor of land in Thomaston and vicinity thirty miles square. There he built a magnificent mansion and exhibited a hospitality hitherto unparalleled. He made friends of the Indians, and would provide barbecues for them, slaughtering whole oxen and flocks of sheep, which his visitors would consume in and about his mansion, remaining for days at a time, and waking the echoes with songs, laughter and story-telling. But the mansion, which overlooked the sea and vast extent of country, was allowed to decay, and about six years ago the historic pile was taken down. Even the bones of Knox were not allowed to remain where they were originally laid at rest, but were dug up and carted to another place, and they tell the story now that in their new resting place they are mixed with the remains of another person; so that Knox & Company could with propriety be engraven upon the tombstone. William King, our first Governor, came into possession of the property. A commission was appointed in 1823 to locate the State House and State Prison; they made a tour of observation all over the United States, for the purpose of adopting the best plans, and as the Chairman of the Commission, Dr. Rose, lived in Thomaston, local pride, coupled with the influence of Governor King, owner of the land, had weight in locating the prison at Thomaston, and about six acres were bought for that purpose, the price paid being $8000. The report of Dr. Rose, in the light of the present plan of the prison management and discipline, is a literary curiosity. He would have the very appearance of the structure itself a terror to the trembling victim on whom the iron door is closed, and admit just enough light into the lonesome cell to allow the condemned man to read the New Testament.—*Kennebec Journal.*

A Very Singular Case.

A year ago a telegraph operator in Ohio was charged with the robbery of Adams Express Company, near Akron, but on being tried was finally acquitted. He then left the locality and went to Chicago. During the recent work of Moody and Sankey in that city he has experienced religious influence and in consequence made a confession of his guilt. He at once went back to Akron, gave himself up, and, as he could not be tried twice for the same offence, was put on trial for perjury and convicted. The perjury consisted of the false testimony which he gave on his own behalf on his former trial. For this he has just been sentenced to three years' imprisonment in the penitentiary. On pronouncing sentence, the judge manifested deep feeling and confessed that he discharged his duty reluctantly, remarking that the case was without a parallel in his experience. This is an instance of sincerity that puts at least one man's character on a solid footing before his fellow-men.

Solid Cider.

Who has not heard of hard cider? But who has ever heard of solid cider? Well, we have. It was on exhibition at Philadelphia. The water of the cider is all evaporated, leaving a substance looking something like dried glue. The solid residue of the cider is rolled around a wooden roller, like cloth, and is ready for transportation across the ocean or elsewhere. If liquid cider is wanted, a piece is cut off and water poured on, when it is dissolved, and ready to drink, and it is said to be equal to the cider just from the press.—*Coleman's Rural World.*

—A snow storm such as has not occurred in the memory of man began on the 19th of December in Schleswig, Jutland, the Danish Islands and Sweden and Norway, and continued until Christmas. During all this time travel by ordinary roads and by railways was greatly impeded, and finally at many places suspended, and the steamboats between Copenhegen and Stockholm were obliged to discontinue their trips for some days. On the Danish State railways the snow lay twelve feet deep between Fridericia and Aarhus, fourteen feet deep between Aarhus and Randers, and Randers and Alborg, and seventeen feet deep at Vendussel.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

GRANVILLE P. CONN,

OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,

GILMAN MARSTON,

OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,

JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,
GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Another Lie Nailed.

An article appeared recently in the New York *Sun*, giving an account of a revival meeting in Waterbury, Conn., at which the subject of temperance was discussed. Mr. George H. Cowell, who was chief clerk under Postmaster General Jewell, was present, and the *Sun* stated that Mr. Cowell said that he had seen President Grant so drunk, within the past twelve months, that he was unable to attend to business. Also that in the middle of last August the President was drunk for ten days, etc. This infamous slander has been extensively circulated by democratic papers, with infinite relish, but we have failed to see one that has copied the following extract from the *Sun*, dated two days after the article containing the slander:

"*To the Editor of the Sun—Sir:* My attention has been called to a recent article in your columns giving an account of a temperance meeting held in the Methodist church in this city on the evening of the 28th ult. While some stirring remarks were made by two of the speakers upon the strength of the rum power and the prevalence of drinking in high places, it is a sufficient refutation of the statement that I saw the President under the influence of liquor last August, to say that at that date I was in Denver, Colorado, and did not return East until several weeks thereafter. Although not a political admirer of General Grant, I should hardly deem it either modest or patriotic to set myself up as a public censor of the personal and social habits of the head of the nation.

GEO. H. COWELL.

Waterbury, Conn., Jan. 4."

A Queer Case.

A queer lawsuit is now in progress in Putnam county, New York, the object being to decide who married Mary Knox. That she was married to somebody is certain, and by a Rev. Mr. Dean. Mary swears her husband is John A. Merritt; Mr. Merritt swears he is not her husband, and will not be bull-dozed into officiating in that capacity; Merritt's counsel insists that Mrs. Knox's brother personated Merritt at the wedding; the clergyman who officiated is confident that he married Miss Knox to a man who in some respects resembled Mr. Merritt and in other respects Mr. Knox, but he doesn't think it was either of them, though he cannot tell who the guilty party really is; the court can't tell either, and unless other evidence can be produced it seems likely that Miss Knox will be in the same predicament in which Massachusetts places a woman whose husband is granted a divorce on account of her marital infidelity—that of a married woman without a husband.

News and Notes.

Herr Barth, the German explorer, surveying possessions in Africa for the Government of Portugal, committed suicide in Loando while delirious with fever. Herr Mohr, another German explorer, of the expedition searching for the sources of the Congo River, is dead.

Rev. Phoebe A. Hannaford has been removed from the pastorship of the First Universalist church of Jersey City, the members having voted in favor of employing a male pastor. She will start a church of her own. Quite a number of the above church are going with her.

The London Board of Trade have received through the Foreign Office, a note from the United States Minister forwarding a gold watch and chain, which have been awarded by the President of the United States to Capt. Thompson, of the steamer England, for his services to the American schooner Middlesex, and the French steamer St. Germain. Capt. Thompson rescued the crew of the Middlesex on a dark night, and at considerable risk, and afterwards the St. Germain, many of the passengers being citizens of the United States.

John Seidler, while in a well at Middle Village, near Washington, D. C., on Friday, was buried forty-eight feet deep by the caving in of the earth. He was alive some hours after the accident, manifesting this by pulling on the well-rope.

The President, Secretary and Actuary of the defunct Security Life Insurance Company have been indicted for perjury, and the Vice President for grand larceny and embezzlement.

At Brownfield, Me., on Wednesday, Arthur Pendexter, a boy of twelve years old, attempted suicide by taking Paris green. After taking the poison he threw away the cup so the other children could not get it, and informed Mrs. Moore, his father's housekeeper, what he had done. Antidotes were administered and his life saved. It seems his father had been engaged in a series of lawsuits, and his father's troubles had so worked upon the child's feelings as to drive him to the desperate act.

Two women and a man are under arrest in Philadelphia. They comprise the "Charity Relief Association." They hired a house, put out a sign, collected money from benevolent persons, and pocketed the proceeds. They are said to have operated in the same manner in other cities. The man professes to be a clergyman and looks like one. The women are glib, pretty and accomplished in the trick of getting subscriptions out of susceptible men.

Ship John H. Kimball, of Bath, Me., previously reported totally wrecked in the North Sea on the voyage from Amsterdam to Cardiff, was a new ship, and insured to the amount of $64,000.

British ship British King left Shields, Eng., May 28, for San Francisco, was spoken July 2, but has not since been heard of and is supposed to have gone down with all on board.

Steamer Georgia, the new vessel of the Pacific Mail Co's fleet, which got ashore in the Straits of Magellan on her outward passage to California, has been floated off and will proceed to San Francisco.

Steamers George Cromwell and George Washington, of the Halifax and Newfoundland line of packets, are still missing and both probably lost. The Cromwell had thirty-eight passengers on board.

Will A. Woods, the Biddeford defaulter, writes a letter to the *Star* explaining the cause of his crime. He says he used the money intending to replace it, but couldn't. He had only $27 when he ran away.

Political.

The Electoral Commission devoted Saturday to hearing arguments of counsel on the course to be pursued in dealing with the Florida certificates.

Maddox, Congressman Field's great gun of a witness, on Saturday produced the two letters from Ex-Gov. Wells concerning which the democratic lawyer and witness have had so much to say. One of these letters asks Maddox to lay the situation in Louisiana before the President, and the other warns Senator West that immense sums of money have been sent to Louisiana to be used in Tilden's interest; and that is all.

On Thursday, Maddox swore that he talked with Gen. Anderson, of the Returning Board, about selling out the State to Tilden; on Friday he swore that he did not mention the matter to any member of the Board but Wells. On being confronted with his statement of the day before, he said the reporter must have misunderstood him.

Fernando Wood, the noble hearted patriot who recommended the secession of New York city from the Union in 1861, and whom patriotic Americans in London refused a seat at their banquet once on a time, and who now represents one of the slum districts of New York, is heading the movement to impeach the hero of Appomattox for sending troops into the Southern States during the last canvass.—*Lake Village Times.*

William P. Wallace, the newly-installed Sheriff, was Friday arrested by the United States Marshal, on the charge of conspiring and aiding the escape of Charles Young from the custody of the United States Court, by whom he was held on the charge of illegal voting. Young was under arrest, and had also been partially examined as a witness, when he was run off. It was believed that he was an agent and procurer for those higher up in the management of the conspiracy, and that he would expose them if himself left to suffer any penalty. The kind of aid he found at hand for his escape shows how well founded was his opinion. Young fled to Philadelphia, where he was arrested for the murder of a colored school teacher in 1871, the occasion being that the teacher had taken an active part in the election, it being the first time that colored men were allowed to vote in that State. The arrest and the probable consequences will make a vacancy in the office of Sheriff of this county; for the penalty is both fine and imprisonment, and the case shown by the ex parte testimony is a most heinous one. This is only an incident of the outrageous frauds by which this county was carried by the democrats last fall.—*Cinn. Gazette.*

That cipher dispatch to Gov. Tilden from Oregon is one of the hardest nuts his friends have had to crack. With that injudicious haste which is characteristic of them they have rushed in with various explanatiops, intended to show that it was an entirely harmless message, as if it were the most common thing in the world to conceal a straightforward piece of information in cipher. Mr. Tilden himself, it will be noticed, is silent, and no one has ever pretended to speak for him. There is an anecdote told of the late President Wayland of Brown University which seems to fit this case. The celebrated Doctor had frequently labored to impress the truth of Baptist doctrines upon a wayward and brilliant son of the university, and while he had sometimes effected silence he had not secured conviction. With a desire to help the Doctor on in his work, a good but not especially powerfully-minded deacon of Providence one day accosted the unregenerate person and besought him earnestly to pay heed to the Docter's teachings. The man listened patiently for a time, and then said: "Thank you, Deacon, thank you. I've no doubt you believe what you say, and I respect you for saying it; but there's Dr. Wayland, confound him! *he* knows better."—*N. Y. Tribune.*

New Hampshire Items.

Rev. E. Livermore, Episcopal rector at St. Peter, Minn., has in his possession a portrait of his grandfather, Samuel Livermore, a delegate to the Continental Congress, and a number of old and interesting letters. In a letter written to Judge Livermore, in 1778, President Mesbock Weare (the Governor of New Hampshire was then called President) begs the New Hampshire Representatives at Washington to be very economical, "for we had great difficulty," he says, "in getting hard money for your last draft for $50. We tried in Boston and other places, and at length got it in Providence." In another letter President Weare requested Judge Livermore to return to New Hampshire, in order to be elected Chief Justice, "for," adds the good old President naively, "I think it is advisable that the Chief Justice should be a person educated to the law."

Charles R. Whittaker, an adopted son of Peter Whittaker, of Hancock, died Friday morning of hydrophobia. His death took place sixty-three days after being bitten. His struggles were very severe and his death a hard one.

The youngest daughter of Peter White of Orford, thirteen years old, coming in contact with the stove, her clothes took fire. She, all in flames, rushed to the bed of her mother who was dangerously ill. The cries of both brought the father to their assistance, and he tore the child's clothes off, in several instances taking the skin with them. Though barely escaping death, she is not now considered in danger.

The City Council of Dover on Thursday night voted to reduce the salary of the Marshal to $750, of the Assistant-Marshal to $650, and of policemen to $600. The Council voted to postpone the election of Marshal to some other time. John Bruce was elected Health Officer, *vice* Colonel Wallace, deceased.

Frank P. Holt of Munsonville lost his left hand by being caught in the machinery in Colony & Sons' mills at Keene, Thursday.

—The aversion of the lordly tramp to any form of manual labor receives fresh proof almost daily. Any ordinary able-bodied tramp will work harder, suffer greater privations, and expend more brain force, in an effort to beat somebody out of a nickel, than would be required of him to earn an honest living for a week. At Logan, Ohio, a few days since, a number of tramps were arrested and placed in the lock-up preparatory to being put to work on the roads, according to a pleasant custom in vogue among the miners. The haughty instincts of the tramps rebelled at the prospect of shovelling. It was for them a moment of awful trial, but ingenuity, born of desperation, triumphed. In their lonely prison cells the tramps carefully removed what clothing they had, and stuffed it in the roaring stove, and when the cruel task-masters came to marshal them forth with pick and shovel, it needed no arguments to convince them that the prisoners were in no fit condition to face the winds of winter. It is not stated whether these waggish vagrants are to be supplied with clothing at the expense of the citizens, or kept on indefinitely in their present state around the warm stove in the lock-up. It will occur at once, though, to all intelligent persons, that they have, by this happy discovery, virtually abolished involuntary servitude in cold climates, and for this they will no doubt receive the honest gratitude of their kind.

—The *Jewish Gazette* in New York says the Bennett-May duel was the culmination of a Jesuit plot to get Bennett out of the way, and then, Miss Bennett, his sister, having fulfilled her twice-postponed intention to enter a convent, not only her own property, but also the *Herald* itself (of which she would be heir in case of James Gordon's death,) would fall into the hands of the church.

—Mr. Walker of Augusta was shot at the other day, and the ball lodged in a plug of tobacco in his pocket. The moral is obvious.

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—The Southern magnate generally makes the utmost of his brief authority. Judge Mackey, of South Carolina, wears a gown in court in the English fashion, and Mr. Redfield, of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, has been told that the judge, in the rural districts, has the sheriff, with a drawn sword, to escort him back and forth from the court house to his hotel, thus strongly impressing the natives.

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Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	†10.10 A. M., 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The Light Artillery's military and civic ball at Franklin Hall to-morrow evening will be a fine affair. Harlow's orchestra will furnish the music, and the large and efficient corps of floor managers will include Lieut. W. O. Sides of the Light Artillery, Lieut. Shirley B. Cunningham of the Heavy Artillery, Capt. Jacob Haddock of the City Guard, Lieut. Wm. Y. Evans of the Veteran Artillery Association, Lieut. M. T. Betton of the Portsmouth Cavalry, and other well-known military men.

The young people attending the Middle street church have formed themselves into an organization to be called "The Young People's Society," for social and useful designs, and have elected the following officers: President, Mrs. Emma B. Wendell; Vice President, Miss Lucy A. Junkins; Secretary, Miss Anna M. Rand; Treasurer, Miss Williametta Conn; Committee on Work, Mrs. Horace E. Frye, Miss Lizzie Randall, Miss Ellen M. Rand, Miss Belle M. Parker, Miss Maggie Nutter.

The second Mothers' Tea Party at Faith Home will be given this evening at six o clock. Addresses and music will follow, in the chapel of the Home. Contributions for the table are solicited, and should be sent in as early as possible.

The house of Mr. Nehemiah Pickering, one of the oldest buildings in Newington, was burned on Thursday afternoon, with most of its contents and an adjoining shed. The fire caught in the shed, it is supposed from a barrel of ashes, the family being away from home when the fire broke out. Loss about $1000; insurance $600, in Farmers' Mutual.

Carpenter Joseph Cox is ordered to the navy yard, and Carpenter Leonard Hanscom is ordered from the navy yard to the Trenton.

Schooner Mary S. Hontvet, Capt. John Hontvet, of this port, caught 27,300 pounds of fish, and the Grace Choate 20,000, in two days, landing the same at Portland. The net profits to the former in two weeks fishing is $1600.

Mr. John R. Poor, the projector of the Oceanic Hotel at Star island, Isles of Shoals, has arrived home from Kingston, Jamaica, after an absence of several months.

At a meeting of the Direct United States Cable Company, in London, Friday afternoon, the amalgamation party's first resolution for a committee to consider the subject, was defeated on a division. A poll was taken, the result to be announced on Monday.

The Republican City Committee have secured the rooms in Frye's block, formerly the navy pay office, for the republican headquarters during the campaign. The rooms are being prepared for their occupancy as rapidly as possible.

H. P. Smith, the Boston express messenger who stole $6000 from the Eastern Railroad, writes that he committed the crime while drunk, the second time he was ever in that condition. He says he intended to leave a good share of the money with his wife, and promises to be a better man in the future.

Mr. John P. Sweetser is manufacturer's agent in this city for the "Patent Oxygenator" gas burner, which is claimed to give a better light than the common burner and to use one-third less gas. From a two-years' trial of a burner constructed on the same principle, though less convenient and ornamental than the "Patent Oxygenator," we are satisfied that a considerable saving in gas is effected, though we cannot say how much; and the light is certainly better and less trying to the eyes.

The second anniversary of the Woman's Temperance League was celebrated Friday evening at Franklin Hall. The exercises, which were largely attended, consisted of a brief anniversary address, quartette and instrumental music, and a speech by Mrs. Emma Molloy, the foremost crusader of the West. The League is doing very effective work.

NOT RECEIVED.

Among the disappointed ones this morning, is probably the young lady whose postal card was stuck up in the post office yesterday undelivered for want of proper direction. It ran thus:

"DEAR ——: Can you let me have a Certificate for Monday, and oblige

Your's truly,
ABBY."

How much happiness lost for want of a suitable direction. Abby must be more careful at the anniversary of the next free ride to Boston.

SUPREME COURT.

In the Supreme Court at Exeter, the case of Thompson vs. Major, an action of trespass on land in Derry, occupied four days, and resulted in a verdict for the plaintiff (the jury being out all night) of $8.05, being nearly a dollar less than the amount confessed.

Lucy J. Lefavour vs. Smith and Healey, an action for trespass on land belonging to her in Chester and taking grass therefrom; verdict for the plaintiff.

Sanderson vs. Peabody; action to recover $12,000 due on account; jury unable to agree.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 146.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

The slight allusions that have been made to the excellencies of Rev. Richard Mather and wife indicate that their children would be likely to be good. There were six, all sons, four born in England, two in this country; four of them became ministers.

1, Rev. Samuel Mather. He was born at Murh Woolton, England, where his father resided when he preached at Taxteth, May 13, 1626. He came to this country at the age of 9, graduated at Harvard College, 1643. He began to preach first in Rawley, was invited to the North church in Boston, but was minded to go to his native country. He sailed in 1650, spent some time at Oxford, and a college there conferred on him the degree A. M. He went to Scotland and at Leith preached two years. Next to Dublin. He was ordained Dec. 5, 1656. The degree A. M. was conferred on him by Trinity College, Dublin. This was during the Protectorate of Cromwell. In 1661 the monarchy was restored, Charles II. being placed on the throne. Puritanism in the form of Congregationalism, had but little favor. Mr. Mather suffered arrest, a short imprisonment, but firmly maintained the right, doing good in all possible ways till his death Oct. 29, 1671, aged 45. He was buried in Dublin. The Mathers were famous as authors. Rev. Samuel began. Seven publications of his appeared from the press.

2, Rev. Nathaniel Mather. He was born at Murh Woolton, Eng., March 20, 1630, came to America five years later, graduated at Harvard College, 1647, some years later followed his brother to England, preached in Harborrnton, had the favor of Cromwell to preach in 1656 in Barnstable, where he continued six years. Next at Rotterdam in Holland. Then to Dublin as the successor of his brother Samuel. He finally took charge of a Congregational church in London, where he died July 26, 1697, aged 67. Dr. Isaac Watts prepared the epitaph for his tombstone. His publications were four.

3, Rev. Eleazar Mather. He was born in Dorchester, Mass., in 1637, graduated at Harvard 1656, and was ordained first pastor of the church in Northampton, Mass., in 1661. His ministery was short. His health declined and in the summer of 1669, about three months after the death of his father, Rev. Richard Mather, he died, aged 32. Fifty-seven years after Mr. Mather's death, the celebrated President Edwards began to preach in the church in Northampton.

4, Rev. Increase Mather. He married Maria, daughter of Rev. John Cotton, an early minister of Boston and pastor of the first church that existed there. He became minister of the North church in Boston, was President of Harvard College, and died August 23, 1723, aged 84. The celebrated Rev. Cotton Mather was his son.

Surprise an Indian.

The Indian has actual and common experience of many articles of civilized manufacture, the simplest of which is as entirely beyond his comprehension as the most complicated. He would be a simple exclamation point did he show surprise at everything new to him, or which he does not understand. He goes to the other extreme, nor feels surprise at anything. He visits the States, looks unmoved at the steamboat and locomotive. People call it stoicism. They forget that to his ignorance the production of a glass bottle is as inscrutable as the sound of the thunder. A piece of gaudy calico is a marvel; a common mirror a miracle. He knows nothing of the comparative difficulties of invention and manufacture, and to him the mechanism of a locomotive is not in any way more matter of surprise than that of a wheelbarrow. When things in their their own daily experience are performed in what to them is a remarkable way, they do express the most profound astonishment. I have seen several hundreds of Indians, eager and greatly excited, following from one telegraph pole to another a repairer, whose legs were encased in climbing boots. When he walked, easily, foot over foot, up the pole, their surprise and delight found vent in the most vociferous expressions of applause and admiration. A white lady mounted on a side-saddle, in what to the Indian women would be almost an impossible position, would excite more surprise and admiration than a Hoe printing press in full operation.—*Ex.*

—A man who looked like a countryman was lately walking in the street with a packet in his hand, sealed and addressed, with a memorandum that it contained a thousand dollars in bank notes. As the bearer appeared to be at loss, he was accosted by a man, who asked him what he was looking for. The simple countryman placed the packet in his inquirer's hands and requested that he would read the address, as he was unable to do so, and had forgotten it. The reply was made, as with agreeable surprise, "Why, this letter is for me! I have been expecting it for a long while." The messenger upon this demanded a dollar for the carriage of the package, which was readily paid. The new possessor of the packet hastened to an obscure corner to examine his prize; but on breaking the seal, he found nothing but a few sheets of paper, on which was written the simple word "Done!"

—"The sentence of the Court is," said Judge Porter, a popular Irish magistrate, to a notorious drunkard, "that you be confined in jail for the longest period the law will allow; and I hope you will spend the time in cursing whiskey." "Be jabers I will, and Porter, too," was the answer.

—Bear and forbear—The bear and his hunter.

DIED.

CHASE. At Chase's Mills, York, Me., Feb. 2, Mr. C. Edward Chase, of the firm of J. Chase & Son.

Dr. A. J. Flagg's

COUGH & LUNG SYRUP.

A Safe and Sure Remedy.

The Cough and Lung Syrup

Is the remedy that during the past fifteen years has won for DR. FLAGG an extended reputation as a SPECIALIST for THROAT and LUNG Diseases. After so many years trial it can be truthfully said that it has NEVER FAILED, even in the WORST CASES. It is purely Vegetable, and its effect upon the system is it once Soothing and Tonic.

It Will Cure a Common Cold

In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION,

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat.

TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

Remember that it

CURES COLDS,
CURES COUGHS,
CURES CATARRH,
CURES CONSUMPTION.

DR. WM. M. LADD, a leading Druggist of Claremont, certifies as follows:

For many years I have known Dr. A. J. Flagg as a successful practicing physician, and can assure the public that his representations relative to the Cough and Lung Syrup can be strictly relied upon. It has been used in his extended practice with marvellous success, and I know it to be all that he claims for it.

WM. M. LADD, M. D.

CLAREMONT, N. H., September, 1875.

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JOSEPH S. GRANT,
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Found,

WITHIN a month, on Islington street, a piece of JEWELRY. The owner can have the same by proving property and paying for this advertisement, at NO. 46 ISLINGTON STREET.

Lost.

ON Tuesday Jan. 30, a very old POCKET BOOK containing a sum of money. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at this office.

OVERCOATS.

WE have on hand a few CUSTOM-MADE OVERCOATS, which we shall sell *cheap for cash.*

J. E. HAM & CO.

SUGAR CURED

HAMS AND BACON

Ferris & Co's,
Sugar Cured Hams and Bacon,
ARE THE BEST SOLD,
—FOR SALE BY—
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COOKING PRUNES.

FIFTEEN HUNDRED pounds new Turkey PRUNES, selling for 9 cents per pound at

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ALBANY BISCUIT.

LARABEE & Co's Albany BISCUIT, better than English Biscuit, for sale by

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OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.

ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a box of OYSTERS.—*the first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

A REMEDY
FOR
HARD TIMES.

On and after January 1, 1877, the Subscriber will sell at the following rates:

FRESH PORK RIBS, 10 cts. per lb.
PORK STEAK, 10 cts. per lb.
PORTSMOUTH SAUSAGES, 10 cts.
" SUGAR-CURED HAMS, 15
Warranted better than any Western
SMOKED SHOULDERS, 12 cts.

OTHER CUT MEATS IN PROPORTION.

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Established 1851.

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Business men and owners of Property desiring every security by Insurance against loss and damages by fire, will find it for their interest to place their risks in the above companies, some of which have been represented in this vicinity for nearly fifty years.

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JOHN SISE,
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Assets $5,167,547

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Of Hartford, Connecticut.
Assets $1,906,161

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Assets, (Gold) $10,500,000

ORIENT,
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Assets $766,622

SPRINGFIELD,
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COMBINED,
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TRAVELERS,
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The Company continues to receive sums on deposit as a "SAVINGS BANK," allowing interest therefor. The plan of this institution cannot be better exemplified than by the following extract from a communication from a prominent Bank Examiner;

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January 16, 1877.

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JOHN MCIVER,
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Has just opened a new Restaurant in connection with his Bakery, and all can now be promptly supplied with well-cooked food of all kinds served at the Restaurant or sent home free of charge. faw

THERE IS NO REASON
Why any one should suffer with Sick Headache, Dyspepsia or Biliousness. The cure is in a box of
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CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,
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THE OLDEST ESTABLISHED HOSPITAL
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No. 9 Beaver Street, - - - Albany, N. Y.
SURE CURES AND LOW PRICES.

Dr. YOUNG,
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The above named private Hospital was established in Albany in 1835 by Dr. Lispenard and for a number of years its affairs were presided over by that gentleman, but for the past 20 years, Dr. Teller, who is now deceased, transacted the business of the Institution.

Owing to the great demand for more spacious apartments on account of the large increase of business, the Hospital has been removed to No. 9 Beaver Street, two doors above its old location, where patients will find magnificently furnished rooms for their reception, and are so arranged that patients do not come in contact with one another, seeing only the doctor, thereby avoiding the unpleasantness of meeting others, which always occurred at the old office.

LADIES will find rooms provided for their especial accommodation and entirely private.

YOUNG MEN, addicted to secret habits, who have impaired their health and destroyed the vigor of their minds, thus depriving themselves of the pleasures of married life and also those afflicted with private diseases of any nature, are advised that in consulting Dr. Young they will find a physician fully qualified to cure and restore them to full health and manly vigor.

Dr. Teller's great work for the married, or those contemplating marriage—100 pages—full of plates,—price 25 cents. Sent to all parts, under seal, by mail post paid.

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ON AND AFTER JANUARY 25TH, a Dividend of 20 per cent. will be paid on all allowed claims against the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, to be paid at their Banking House in Market Street. Deposit Books must be presented by the person who made the deposit, or by the person in whose name the deposit stands; otherwise, an order for the Dividend, duly witnessed, must be brought with the book. Blanks for this order will be furnished.

EDWARD P. KIMBALL, Assignee,
Portsmouth, Jan. 13, 1877.

STOVES, RANGES, FURNACES.

WE invite the attention of our friends and the public generally, to our large and varied Stock of STOVES and other wares usually kept in a first-class

Stove and Kitchen Furnishing Store.

Buy The EMPRESS PORTABLE RANGE,

made by BARSTOW STOVE CO. Every RANGE we sell is fully warranted to do all we claim for it. All who think of buying a good COOKING or HEATING APPARATUS are invited to call and examine our Stock. Goods cheerfully shown, whether purchased or not.

Gas and Kerosene Fixtures,
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CLOTHES WRINGERS.
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GREAT BARGAINS
—IN—
ROOM PAPERS!

In order to make room for the New Spring Patterns, I will sell my present stock of

ROOM PAPERS AND BORDERS
AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES!
Until Thursday, March 1.

Brown Blanks for 5 and 6 cents; White Blanks from 8 to 12 cents; Satins for 15 and 20 cents.
Gold Papers from 30 to 50 cents.
Borders from half a cent per yard upwards.

All persons who intend to paper their rooms this Spring will do well to secure these bargains.

JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

Notice.

THE Subscriber gives notice that she has been duly appointed Executrix of the will of LUCY M. WILLEY, late of Portsmouth, deceased.

Dated Portsmouth, Jan. 29th, 1877.

KATE A. FLETCHER.

Centaur Liniments.

The lame can be healed and the wounded made whole. We now know just what the Centaur Liniment will do. They will not mend broken bones or cure Cancer, but they will extract soreness, allay pain, cure Rheumatism and a larger range of flesh, bone and muscle ailments than any article ever before discovered.

Scientific skill cannot go beyond the effects of these remarkable preparations. Chronic Rheumatism of many years' standing, Neuralgia, Weak-Back, Fever Sores, Weeping-Sinews, Sciatica, Caked Breasts, Distorted Joints and Sprained Limbs of the worst kind are cured by the White Centaur Liniment.

It will destroy the pain and heal without a scar, all ordinary Burns and Scalds. It will extract the poison of bites and Stings, and the frost from Frozen Limbs. It is very efficacious for Ear-ache, Tooth-ache, Itch and Cutaneous Eruptions.

Mr. Josiah Westake, of Marysville, O., writes:

"For years my Rheumatism has been so bad that I have been unable to stir from the house. The first three bottles of Centaur Liniment enabled me to walk without my crutches. I am mending rapidly. I think your Liniment simply a marvel.

C. H. Bennett, Druggist, Rock Prairie, Mo., says:

"Centaur Liniment sells better and gives the best satisfaction of anything in the market."

What the Centaur Liniment has done for others it will do for you. It is handy, it is reliable, and it is cheap.

The Yellow Centaur Liniment
is worth its weight in gold to owners
of horses and mules.

This Liniment has cured more Sprained, Sweenied, Ring-boned and Galled Horses in three years than have all the Farriers in the country in an age. Its effects are simply wonderful.

We have thousands upon thousands of certificates as strong as the following:

"My horse was lame for a year with a fetlock wrench. All remedies utterly failed to cure and I considered him worthless until I commenced to use Centaur Liniment, which rapidly cured him. I heartily recommend it.

REV. GEO. W. FERRIS,
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RILEY SICKLES.
FALLS STATION, WYOMING CO., PA.

It makes very little difference what the case is, whether it be Wrench, Sprain, Poll-Evil, Ringbone, Scratches or Lame ness of any kind, the effects are the same. Livermen, Stage proprietors, Farmers, &c., should never be without the Yellow Centaur Liniment. It is sold everywhere, and warranted in its effects.

Laboratory of J. B. Rose & Co.,
46 DEY ST., NEW YORK.

Castoria.

It is a mistake to suppose that Castoria is not adapted to grown persons as well as Children. They only need to increase the quantity. But children have so many complaints for which Castoria is adapted—like Wind Colic, Sour Stomach, Worms, Toller, Teething and Croup, that it is especially recommended for them.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Blue-Glass Cure.

A New York correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune* writes as follows of tests he has made of General Pleasonton's blue-glass cure: "A lady of my family, about six weeks ago, had a violent hemorrhage of the lungs, and for ten days raised more or less blood daily. She was very much weakened by the loss of blood, and considerably frightened withal. I obtained some blue glass and placed it in the window where she was in the habit of sitting, the blue glass constituting one-half of the lower sash of the window. The lady sat daily in the associated lights, allowing the blue rays especially to fall upon the nerves of the back of the neck for about an hour a day. The second day the sun's rays being unusually strong, she got "too much glass," and at night felt peculiar sensations in the back of the neck, among the nerves, and an unpleasant fulness in the head. The sensations wore off next day, and since then she has not remained so long at a time under the blue glass.

But from the first she began to grow stronger, her face soon gained its natural fulness, and in a week she was, to all appearance, as well as ever. Of course she was not cured of the trouble in her lungs in so short a time, but the soreness in her chest has passed away, and she begins to feel well again. After sitting in the associated light for a week a large number of red pimples came out on her neck and shoulders, an indication that the treatment was bringing out to the surface the humors of the blood. In a letter to me General Pleasonton says, 'I am satisfied that if this treatment shall be continued through the winter and spring any tuberculous development that may exist in the lungs will be arrested, its pus absorbed into the circulation, and then thrown off from the blood in the excretions (as has occurred already in the spots on the body), the wounds of the tubercles will be cicatrized and the lady restored to a condition of good health.'

In the same letter General Pleasonton relates an agreeable incident which occurred to him but a few weeks since. A lady and her daughter called to see him, and announced that they had come from Corning, N. Y., to Philadelphia, for the express purpose of thanking him for saving the daughter's life. Four years ago she was afflicted with a violent attack of spinal meningitis. Her sufferings were indescribable, but continuous. Every possible remedy had been resorted to during these four years, but the patient received no benefit. Her nervous system at last became so disorded that the slightest sound or the most gentle agitation of the air threw her into the most agonizing suffering. She was wasted away in flesh, could not sleep at night, had no appetite, and her life was despaired of. Hearing of General Pleasonton's discovery in associated lights, her parents determined to try it. A bay window was fitted with alternate panes of blue and plain glass, and the young lady sat daily in the light which streamed through them. Her physician, of course, laughed at the idea, pronounced the whole thing a humbug, etc., as is the habit of professional gentlemen whenever any new idea is broached. The physician was dismissed, and the young lady relied wholly on the blue-glass treatment for her restoration to health. The lady says that on entering the room thus lighted the pains from which she was suffering almost immediately ceased. They would return in a modified form on leaving the room, but grew less from day to day. Very soon her condition began to improve, her appetite returned, and with it her strength, she began to gain flesh, her sleeplessness disappeared, and, in short, she was speedily restored to health.

A singular feature of this young lady's case was that her hair all came out and she became bald as an egg. Her physician examined the scalp with a microscope, and declared that there were no roots of hair remaining, and that consequently, she would never again have a natural growth of hair. Under the blue-glass treatment, however, the hair did begin to grow, the young lady discarded her wig, and when she called upon General Pleasonton she showed him a luxuriant growth of hair which any young lady might envy."

—Dentists should not jaw each other.

The auctioneer takes an interest in what he sells.

—Years ago there was a very queer old clergyman in the diocese of Canterbury, England, named Patten, of whom a hundred anecdotes are told. Going one day to order a wig, the barber, young in business, readily accepted the order, and then ventured to ask his guest to dine. The invitation was accepted, a bowl of punch followed to which the divine did full justice. After it was over, the barber was beginning to measure, but Patten said: "No, no, you sha'n't make the wig." "Why not," exclaimed the astonished host, "have I done anything to offend you?" "Quite the contrary, you're such a good fellow that I haven't got the heart to take you in. I'll go to somebody else. You know if you'd made the wig you'd never have been paid for it." If report be true there are in New York just now divers milliners, tailors, hatters, and possibly wig makers, who had much rather have given their guests half a dozen dinners than taken their liberal orders for the last three years.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

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GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Reform Literature.

The following are some of the telegrams which passed between the "reform headquarters in New York and the reformers in Oregon, relative to stealing an electoral vote in that State. "Corse" telegraphed to "Col. N. T. Pelton, New York," as follows: "Glory to God; hold on to the electoral vote in Oregon. I have 100,000 men to back it up." Abs. Hewitt telegraphed Judge Strong, at Salem, Oregon: "Tilden has 185, *including one* from Oregon." Geo. L. Miller telegraphed from Omaha, Nebraska, to "Col. W. T. Pelton, 15 Gramercy Park, N. Y.," as follows: "Ignorant whole business; partner powerful motives to a Gould order; can it not be done through A. Kountze, twelve Wall, or myself or both? Kountze, Tildenish Republican; reliable beyond doubt. Last resort protect everybody and use Davis' answer." Had such despatches as these, and the famous cipher despatch to Tilden, been brought out against Gov. Hayes or any of the prominent republican managers, what a howl would have ascended from the democratic and "independent" papers, — some of which have published the telegrams in their news columns, but not one of which, so far as we have seen, has had a word to say editorially in denunciation of the evident corruption and trickery of Tilden and his tools.

Experts on Saturday testified before the Senate committee on the Oregon election that the dispatch addressed to "N. T. Pelton of New York" and signed "J. H. N. Patrick," and the cipher dispatch to "Sam. J. Tilden of New York," signed "Gobble," were written by the same person and in the same kind of ink.

A Democratic "Fair Count."

On Saturday, before the Senate committee on the election, J. T. Leicester of Hines County, Miss., testified that he had duplicate keys for all the ballot-boxes in the county, and about fifteen of them were given out to the Inspectors. He confessed that the object was to enable those men, if there were too many republican votes, to extract them and substitute democratic votes. He did not know that such had been done. He did not use his own key.

Political.

That slang dispatch sent to S. J. Tilden at Gramercy Park, is attracting general attention, as well as it might. What kind of a message must it have been to be so carefully covered up in thieves' slang? And what kind of business must the men have been engaged in, both the one who sent it and the one who received it? The signature to the dispatch is generally printed "Gebble." We notice the Indianapolis *Journal* maintains that it should be printed "Gabble." We think the *Journal* is in error. Men who send such dispatches do not gabble. They keep as shady and as dark as possible. They only talk when the necessity is vehement and pressing. On the other hand, there is a natural fitness in the signature "gobble." The man that sent the message and the man to whom it was sent were engaged in a desperate attempt to "gobble" the Oregon vote. The appropriateness of recognizing the infamy of the transaction they were busied in is sufficiently manifest to need no argument. *Cinn. Times.*

Col. Pickett, the Tilden witness who acknowledges himself to be an "honorable man" and to have "acted on broad moral grounds" in attempting "to negotiate, if possible," in New York, "money enough to pay Gov. Wells and his fellow-members of the Returning Board" of Louisiana to do "what was right and proper; that is to say, to determine the State for Tilden,"—this highly honorable and broadly moral patriot is the man who sold the rebel archives to the United States government for $75,000.

"Retrenchment and reform" were great words with the democrats in Congress before the election; but what was "retrenchment" then is "two-cent economy" now. Last week Mr. Holman introduced a bill to pay members of the House $4500 per year instead of $5000, but was overwhelmingly voted down in committee of the whole, and was taunted with having been left out in the cold by his constituents at the late election, and with having nearly destroyed the heavy democratic majority in the House by his "two-cent economy," which had disgusted the people. He retorted that such taunts came with poor grace from men who had spouted so loudly and persistently about "democratic retrenchment and economy," at the late session.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* and New York *Sun*, Tilden-and-reform organs, were sweet enough on the compromise until Judge Bradley was selected as the fifth judge; now they snarl and howl about a "packed jury." Did they anticipate the commission would be a "packed jury" in Tilden's favor if Judge Davis was selected, and was that why they favored the plan until Bradley was chosen?

News and Notes.

Minnie F. Striley, aged five years, Annie M. Striley, aged eight, and Nellie Voorhuse, aged eleven, were drowned in Salem Saturday evening. They had been playing on the ice, and it is supposed walked off its edge, as the darkness came on.

Peace negotiations on the Turkish questidn have been stopped, and an early conflict between Turkey and Russia is anticipated.

A fire at Trenton, N. J., on Sunday evening, burned the sheds of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and destroyed $200,000 worth of locomotives.

Mary Flood, formerly of Lynn, Mass., was fatally stabbed by her husband, James Flood, in New York on Saturday. Cause, jealousy.

Hon. Lucius H. Noyes, President of the Lamoille County (Vt.) Bank and editor of the Lamoille *Newsdealer*, died of paralysis at his residence in Hyde Park, Vt., Sunday morning. The deceased was sixty-five years of age, and leaves a wife and several children.

Guilford White, a Boston lawyer, has been found guilty of receiving $30,000 in United States bonds knowing them to have been stolen.

All the troops but two companies, which were sent to South Carolina prior to the election, have left, including two batteries for Boston and one for Portland. The two companies in South Carolina are still quartered at the State House.

The Lewister (Me.) *Journal* contains the following: "'An excellent year for bears,' State Treasurer Hatch reports, was year 1875, $2,745 having been allowed for bears killed during that period, or 549 bears, at $5 each. The town of Wesley, Washington County, bears off the palm, having received bounty for killing 32; Lowell, Penobscot County, comes next with 24; Princeton and Topsfield, Washington County, each 22; Carroll, Penobscot County, 15; and numerous towns for smaller numbers. Everybody understands that as a matter of fact a large number of the bears reported to be killed in Maine, are really killed in the provinces and brought here for the bounty."

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New Hampshire Items.

A mad dog ran through the streets of Suncook on Sunday, and before being killed bit some twenty others. Fifteen of the dogs that were bitten have been killed, but some alarm is felt lest the others that were bitten may cause trouble.

James Mahan, an inmate of the Reform School, was caught by the police of Manchester on Saturday night in the act of breaking into the cigar store of Ira P. Fellows, and a State prison sentence of five years for breaking into a jewelry store in 1875 will be enforced.

By a slight fire in the Medical College building at Dartmouth College, Monday, damage was done to the amount of about $700.

A Philanthropic Witness.

The estimable Col. Pickett, of the ex-confederate army, who, according to his own story, so kindly endeavored to negotiate the sale of the Louisiana Returning Board to Messrs. Hewitt and Morrissey, is certainly one of the most remarkable witnesses that ever responded to the persuasive tongue of Mr. David Dudley Field. A million of dollars was the extraordinary price which he wanted for the souls of Wells and Anderson. People not familiar with that sort of traffic might imagine that Col. Pickett would rather hesitate at such an avowal, and be at loss for a motive strictly agreeing with a sense of honor; but Col. Pickett is not as other men are. To be sure he was to receive a commission on the purchase amounting to $75,000, but it was for the high and noble purpose "of charity among the widows and orphans of the late confederate soldiers." When Col. Pickett made this remark, he was surprised to find that the committee laughed. Perhaps, also, Mr. Field muttered an objurgatory epithet under his mustache. There is really nothing to be done with a witness like that. The witness who offered to aid in robbing a bank in order to get means to distribute flannel pocket handkerchiefs among the brethren of Africa, would hardly create more consternation in a court of justice than this charitable confederate, who, according to his own account, was engaged in trying to perfect an infamous bargain. There must be some consistency about false testimony, or it destroys its own effect, and a witness who gives State's evidence can not be too careful of his own character, or he will not be believed when he tells even of his own crimes. If Col. Pickett had said he was trying to make the bargain for a "raise" for himself, his motives would have been consistent, and though very few would be likely to believe that Wells and Anderson were fools enough to trust such an instrument even if they were base and bold enough to desire such a bargain, we could have waited with some patience for the refutation of the story. As it is now, it must be the laughing stock even of democrats. Oh, much too charitable Pickett!—*Providence Journal.*

—The Fort Dodge (Iowa) *Times* chronicles the marriage of Dr. Nicholson and Miss Sherman, and adds: "The romance of this marriage is the fact that Dr. Nicholson's wife on her death bed, two years ago, selected the bride and named the wedding day."

Pedestrianism.

Miss Von Hillern's next walk at Music Hall is to be a hundred miles in twenty-eight hours instead of twenty-nine hours, as previously announced. The lady is training in Chicago, and her great improvement, she feels confident, justifies this change. She will come to Boston again this week. Mrs. M. C. Chester of North Chichester, N. H., thinks she can easily beat the little German lady's time, and as an evidence of her ability she will devote a day to walking around the Public Garden, with the intention of doing fifty miles in twelve hours. —*Post.*

—An Oil City boy was threatened with a whipping recently, when he called for a compromise. His argument was, that it had been stated that he must be whipped, but nothing could be found to show who should hold the whip. There were numerous precedents in favor of the father using the rod, but nothing could be found in the law which expressly stated that he should do the whipping. Therefore the boy called for a compromise bill, when disputed questions should be left to a committee composed of his sister and mother, they to choose a third disinterested party, to whom all objections should be left; and he wished as a beginning to file an objection to being whipped. But the president of the whip overruled the objection and proceeded to the count, while a variety of musical notes certified to the full receipt of all returns.—*Oil City Derrick.*

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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 8.30† P. M.
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	8.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	*10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M.
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	5.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.30 "

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THE EASTERN RAILROAD.

The annual meeting of stockholders in the Eastern Railroad in Massacuesetts was held in the Melonson in Boston on Monday, the attendance being much smaller than on former occasions of the kind.

The Directors' report was received. It refers to the suit brought against the Massachusetts corporation by the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, and other matters, and says:

"A comparison of this financial report with the statement of the corresponding period of the previous year shows that—

The gross income has decreased $356,-319 72.

The operating expenses have decreased $282,495 65.

The net earnings have consequently decreased $73,824 07.

A further analysis shows that the earnings of the Passenger Department have decreased $266,671 98.

The expenses of the Passenger Department have decreased $174,366, 44.

The net earnings of the Passenger Department have decreased $92,505 54.

The earnings of the Freight Department have decreased $84,145 39.

The expenses of the Freight Department have decreased $108,128 21.

The net earnings of the Freight Department have increased $23,982 82.

It also appears that—

The total number of passengers has decreased 589,763.

The number of passengers carried one mile has decreased 5,748,055.

The passenger mileage to and from other roads has decreased 2,060,774.

The number of tons of freight carried has decreased 27,378.

The number of tons of freight carried one mile has decreased 1,462,980.

The freight mileage to and from other roads has decreased 961,634.

The miles run by passenger trains have increased 20,137.

The miles run by freight trains have increased 3,268."

The Directors reported the property of the corporation in generally good condition. During the past year five miles of track have been relaid with new steel rails, and nine miles with re-rolled iron rails, and 56,283 new ties have been used. For the coming year it is estimated that twenty miles of new steel rails will be needed, for renewal of track now laid with iron. It has been found necessary to replace the wooden bridge over the Saco river near North Conway, on the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad, by a combination bridge of approved construction, which will be completed within a month. Insurance to the amount of $560,000—covering all the property of the Company which is liable to damage by fire—has been effected on satisfactory terms.

JOTTINGS.

Grand military and civic ball of the Portsmouth Light Artillery at Franklin Hall this evening. Music by Harlow's Orchestra. Supper furnished by Mr. John McIver, and set in Franklin Hall banquet room. Floor managers, Lieut. W. O. Sides of the Light Artillery, Lieut. David Urch of the Heavy Artillery, Capt. Jacob Hadlock of the City Guard, Orderly Sergeant Wm. Kennedy of the Veteran Artillery Association, Lieut. M. T. Betton of the Portsmouth Cavalry, and others.

Mr. E. H. Balch was thrown from his sleigh between this city and Rye, on Saturday, and seriously injured internally.

On and after to-day working hours at the navy yard will be as follows: from 8 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 1 o'clock to 5 P. M.

The special train from this city to Boston on Monday morning at seven o'clock, to convey certificate holders in the Eastern Railroad in Massachusetts, consisted of ten crowded cars. The regular train fifteen minutes later had seven cars.

A despatch from London, Monday, says the scheme to amalgamate the Direct Cable and Anglo-American telegraph companies has been defeated.

The Artistes' (ladies) Quartette, of Boston, will give a grand vocal and instrumental concert in Franklin Hall on Thursday evening, assisted by Mr. Walter Emerson, cornet soloist of Boston Cadet (formerly Gilmore's) Band, and Mr. J. P. Weston, pianist and director. The quartette is composed of Mrs. O. T. Kimball, first soprano, Mrs. G. H. Oakes, second soprano, Mrs. Flora E. Barry, first alto, and Miss Julia A. Welle, second alto. The Boston *Transcript*, speaking of one of their concerts, says they "again surprised and delighted their audience by the rare perfection of the union of the four voices, which seem to be as like each other in the shadings of quality and character as is possible for the voices of different individuals to be. An equally sympathetic blending of styles, all evidently based on similar and excellent training, adds to the accord, and as each lady is an accomplished vocalist, some exquisite effects are obtained. In Miss Wells the quartette possesses a phenomenal contralto which enriches the harmony with low notes surprisingly like those of a male voice. The quartette cannot fail to find great favor at concerts, lyceums, etc." Admission 35 cents; reserved seats 50 cents; for sale at Preston's. Doors open at 7 o'clock; concert to commence at 7:45.

Several persons have spoken to us concerning the annoying rowdyism of numbers of young men, and the equally improper if not quite so prominent hoydenism of certain young girls, at the temperance meeting in Franklin Hall on Sunday evening. Not a few of these silly young men, and young girls who it may be hoped are more silly than depraved, act as tho' they thought these meetings were gotten up solely to afford them an opportunity to flirt with each other in public, to show off their wit by making uncouth and disgusting noises, and to illustrate their good breeding by an exhibition of brazen immodesty. If they could manage to behave with common decency, or to make an approach thereto, the public would have quite as high an opinion of their good sense and virtue. At the Bow Mission meetings, too, we are informed, this class of "hoodlums" is becoming very aggressive. A few summary arrests, with Police Court comments next morning, would possibly have a good effect.

Oregon Weather.

The *West Shore*, of Portland, Oregon, of date December 30, 1876, has an editorial on "the weather." Under a representation of a small but very jubilant rooster, it says:

"Here we are, past Christmas, and hardly a sign of winter as yet. Whilst people east of the Rocky Mountains are at present suffering from severe weather, we of Oregon and Washington are still gathering roses and other flowers from shrubs in bloom in the open air. We have had a sufficiency of rain and enough pleasant weather to plow advantageously—a larger acreage has been plowed and sown this season than over before known in the history of this country—and the prospect for the next season's business is very flattering in all departments. California is still suffering from drought, which occurs every third year, but this season seems to be worse than ever before known there. So far, but very little plowing has been done, and the outlook for agriculturists there is very discouraging. Our rooster, therefore, still crows that Oregon and Washington is the land for immigrants. We have no grasshoppers, chinchbugs, drought or hard winters. Crops never fail here; live stock, of all kinds, thrive outdoors on native grasses at all seasons; four water-powers are unlimited. We challenge the world on flax and hops. Our gold, silver, copper, cinnabar, iron and coal mines are inexhaustible. Our timber, for ship-building, cannot be equalled anywhere. Our salmon fisheries add millions to the wealth of our country; but we want none but live and industrious men to help to build up our vast resources and occupy the yet vacant lands. No sluggards need apply. We need workers, no drones."

—The Coroner of Chicago, in an annual report, says that of fifty-five suicides in that city within a year only four were victims of love. He alludes to one of these as a man who "blew out what little brains he had on account of the tortures to which he was subjected by his mother-in-law." The Coroner also says: "Mothers-in-law have always been a great power of mischief to the world, and, alas, the plague is so universal and enduring that we must despair of ever seeing it overcome. The miseries caused by mothers-in-law is eternal, even as mothers-in-law themselves are immortal."

—A violin, just bought by a Russian for $2,000, has a curious history. It was sold by its maker, Stainer, to a certain count, who promised in exchange, to pay $250, to furnish Stainer a good dinner as long as he lived, $50 the first of each month, a complete outfit once a year, two barrels of beer, his lodgings, fire, lights, and in case that he married, as many hares as he required for his table, and two baskets of fruit for himself and two for his old nurse annually. These conditions were fulfilled for eighteen years, until Stainer died.

—Some sheep belonging to a farmer named Reed, having been stolen in the neighborhood of a colliery village in Durham, England, while the thief was still undiscovered a local preacher, having a collection to make, thought he would turn the event to a good account; so he said: "We have a collection to make, this morning, and for the glory of God, whichever of you stole Mr. Reed's sheep don't put anything on the plate!" Of course, everybody soon joined in the collection.

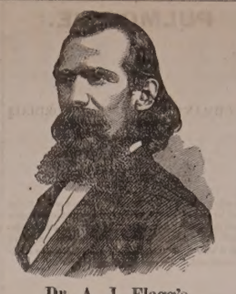
—Old Mr. Bledsoe, although he is a very profane, wicked man, looks very youthful for his years. One of his neighbors remarked to Mrs. Bledsoe recently, "The old man is wearing well, isn't he?" "Oh yes," replied the good woman, "he's swearing well enough as it goes, but considering the opportunities and practice he's had, he might put a little more polish into it."

—Sidney Smith wrote of a Miss Markham: "In carving a partridge, I splashed her with gravy from head to foot; and though I saw three distinct brown rills of animal juice trickling down her cheek, she had the complaisance to aver that not a drop had reached her. Such circumstances are the triumphs of civilized life."

—I have known folks who have never committed a blunder, whose hearts were as dry as dust; and others who have constantly transgressed, whose sympathies were as quick as those of an angel.—*Celia Burleigh.*

MARINE CHRONICLE

Ship Yosemite, Mack, at San Francisco Jan 20, was 253 days from Boston. Reports had moderate weather to the River la Plata; then had heavy SW gales; broke jibboom, lost sails, water tank, binnacle, and compass, and did other damage, and put back to Rio Janeiro, where we arrived Aug 25; repaired and sailed Oct 3; was 43 days to Cape Horn; was 13 days from 50 S in Atlantic to 50 S in Pacific; crossed the Equator in Pacific in lon 113 W; 29 days thence to port; had moderate and fine weather from Rio to San Francisco.



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In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

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IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION,

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

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Nobody can't let nobody be.
The girls is flounced from top to toet
An' that's the hull of what they know.
The men is mad on bonds an' stocks,
Swearin' an' shootin' an' pickin' locks,
I'm real afraid I'll be hanged myself
Er I ain't laid on my final shelf.
There ain't a cesture but knows to-day
I never was lunatic, any way.
But since crazy folks all go free,
I'm dreadful afraid they'll hang up me!
There's another matter that's pesky hard!
I can't go into a neighbor's yard
To say 'How be you?' or borrow a pin,
But what the paper'll have it in.—
'We're pleased to say the Widder Green
Took dinner on Tuesday with Mrs. Keene.'
Or, 'Our worthy friend Mrs. Green has gone
Down to Barkhamstead to see her son.'
Great Jerusalem! can't I stir
Without a raisin' some feller's fur?
There ain't no privacy, as I say,
No more than if they was the Judgment Day.
And as for meetin'—I want to swear
Whenever I put my head in there.
Why even Old Hundred's spoilt and done
Like everything else under the sun;
It used to be so solemn and slow,
Praise to the Lord from men below,—
Now it goes like a gallopin' steer,
High diddle diddle, there and here;
No respect to the Lord above,
No more'n of He was hand and glove
With all the creatures he ever made,
And all the jigs he ever was played.
Preachin' too—but here I'm dumb,—
But I tell you what! I'd like it some
If good old 'Parson Nathan Strong
Out o' his grave would come along,
An' give us a stirring taste o' fire—
Judgment an' justice is my desire.
'Tain't all love and sickish sweet
That makes this world not t'other complete.
But law! I'm old! I'd better be dead
When the world's a turnin' over my head;
Sperits talkin' like tarnal fools,
Biblical text—and Sunday schools,
Crazy creatures a murderin' round—
Honest folks better be under ground,
So fare-ye-well! this airthly scene
Won't no more be pestered by Widder Green."

A Volunteer Interpreter.

The regular Chinese interpreter was called down to the city criminal court one morning, so that when Ah Sing was placed on trial in the police court, and the examination of a Chinese witness became necessary, a call for a volunteer interpreter was in order. A queer-looking individual with a sun-burned nose, responded, stating that his name was Tim Dolan, and he could "shpake Chiny loike wan 'o the rail pigtails." He looked as though he had resided longer in the county Cork than in Hong Kong. He was evidently sadly in need of the $3 which would reward his services if satisfactory, but after a few questions he was allowed to proceed, and was stationed alongside the moon-eyed witness.

"What is his name?" said the clerk.

Throwing back his head and assuming a look of deep profundity, Mr. Dolan slowly and carefully queried: "Kow me san chung wah san foy?" and then hurriedly added, "John, ye divel, what's yer name?"

"No sabe, you no good?"

"He says his name is Sam You, and he's feeling purty well this morning," said Mr. Dolan, complacently.

"Well, gwon an' git the hull story," said Colonel Dudley, whose massive intellect was concentrated on the defensive side.

"Go ahead shpakin, an' give me a show, ye dirty baste," said Mr. Dolan sotto voce, and then apparently applied an opprobrious epithet to the witness, the meaning of which he had been here long enough to know. Sam You's indignation went up to 212 degrees, and in choice Chinese billingsgate he returned the compliment, villifying Mr. Dolan most outrageously; yet all that brass-bound individual did was to look sympathetic and remark here and there: "D'ye mond that now?" "The woorst I iver heerd." "Did he paste ye, poor fellur?" "Did iver I hear the loikes 'o that!" and like expressions of pity and sympathy. Then he began to translate:

"He says he wor goin' along Dupont shtreet wid a friend lasht evenin'——"

"What was his friend's name?"

"McCarthy, yer arn't," said he, unthinkingly.

"What, a Chinaman by the name of McCarthy?"

"Av coorse. I knowed a big family of Chinymin in Hong Kong be the name o' McCarthy. Ye cudn't tell 'em from any other only by offrin' 'em whisky. The name was the cause o' that."

"What was his first name?"

"Ah Tim."

"Well, go on."

He went. He thought he had been struck by a cyclone or run into by a locomotive, for the regular interpreter had come in and paid his respects to the impostor with his number ten, doubled soled.—*San Francisco Post.*

That Pomade.

A lady of thirty, a plump and jolly brunette, sees with some anxiety a dark, downy line pencilling itself on her superior lip. She does not care to compete with the bearded woman, and consults the advertisements. She finds just what she wants—a depilatory pomade, warranted to remove the most obnoxious moustache woman ever had in five applications. She obtains a box at a price of ten francs, and follows the directions on the label with care. The moustache thriveson the depil-

story, and after a while madame yields to the inevitable, and consoles herself by reflecting that it might be worse. Three or four years roll by, and she sees with alarm that her hair is beginning to thin. A trifle of moustache can be borne, but a bald head never, and again she has recourse to the advertisements. She finds the article she needs—a miraculous pomade to increase the thickness and beauty of the hair. On visiting the shop she is stupefied. It is the same shop, the same attendant, the same bottle at the same price, the same pomade as far as she can judge from appearance. Only the label has been somewhat changed. The merchant, on being examined, admits that it is the same pomade. It failed so utterly to remove hair that he turned it into a hair invigorator. With great joy the customer buys a pot and applies it—and her hair goes on falling out faster than ever!—*Paris Creme des Chroniques.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 7, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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OF EPPING.

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For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Correspondence.

Our Washington correspondent, under date of Feb. 2, gives an account of the opening of the Congressional vote-counting convention, and adds:

"Within the past few years members of Congress appear to have imbibed the erroneous impression that none except high and mighty officials, their families or personal favorites have any right to a seat in the galleries on extraordinary occasions. "Reserved for the families of members of Congress" has come to be a standing order, although no authority anywhere exists for granting special privileges to this order of nobility or patricians above the plebians to whose partiality and that of others of like view, Senators and Representatives are indebted for their more or less temporary elevation. It is self-evident that the capacities of the House galleries are limited. That was the pretext urged for the virtual prohibition against entering them yesterday directed against everybody save those provided with tickets. The whole seating capacity was apportioned to the different Representatives and Senators, each receiving three tickets. Of course their families if present, must go in, and if not, their outside favorites were sufficiently numerous to monopolize all the seats. There was another way of arranging the matter which would have been far more satisfactory to the thousands present at the Capital, if not as pleasing to the beneficiaries of the plan adopted. The doors should have been open to all well-behaved applicants till the seats were filled, and then inexorably closed to all comers. It is the boast of some of the favored few that they made a handsome speculation out of their tickets, which are said to have commanded in some instances as high as $20. Let us have peace, fair play and no snobbery.

Field is playing his last hand with a desperation and recklessness when the immense stake—the whole patronage of the Government for four years, — is considered, in strange contrast with the cool, cautious subtlety with which he fought the New York authorities in behalf of the avaricious old thief, Boss Tweed. But his witnesses prove altogether too much. Littlefield, if believed, is a scoundrel, deserving the penitentiary. If his story is untrue, such a tale as he has concocted should make him an outcast from the presence of honorable men. But his own testimony, according to the *National Republican*, convicts him of perjury. He swore he was instructed by Wells to change the 178 votes of Vernon parish so as to elect the republican candidates. Now one of these offices of Senator, Judge and District Attorney, was already democratic, and the other two republican, not needing the votes, as he testified. Certified affidavits are now on their way to Washington that will cook his goose. Pickett appears to have been a soldier of fortune—a sort of free-booter—serving where there was most to be made. While professing great regard for the "lost cause" he sold it out to the Federal Government for a consideration. Maddox, while nominally working to suppress Jeff Davis, appears to have been hob-nobbing with that patriot during the war, in Richmond. In short it appears to have been a scheme to buy the State of Louisiana for Tilden, reserving a good share of the purchase money as their percentage; and failing in which they put in an appearance in the interests of "reform." How far this attempt to bias the Arbitration Commission will be successful remains to be seen, but there is no doubt as to their deserts.

The low price of gold and our excellent financial standing abroad are being urged in favor of an immediate effort at a return to specie payment; and as soon as our Presidential succession is determined, it promises to become the most prominent topic until the happy consummation shall have been reached."

Counting the Votes.

On Monday the compromise committee heard Mr. Evarts on behalf of the republicans, and Mr. O'Conor on the other side. After the hearing of the arguments the commission took a recess, and after the recess held a brief secret session for consultation, at the close of which an announcement was authorized that there would be no public session on Tuesday.

The republican managers will object to the counting of the vote of Mississippi, on the ground that the present governor is no governor at all, being in fact merely a State senator, never having been legally chosen to the position he now holds.

Tammany Tactics.

David Dudley Field is up to his old tricks. He cannot get over his old habits, and has introduced all the tactics of the Tammany Ring lawyer into his management of Proctor Knott's committee, or what was Proctor Knott's committee until Tilden sent Field to Congress to take charge of it. He has had printed, privately, partisan, unfair and grossly partial compilations of evidence concerning the Louisiana and Florida cases taken in committee, and laid it before the electoral commission, without the authority of the committee and even without the knowledge of the republican members. The *Tribune* considers this tricky proceeding a gross violation of the privileges of the House; but whether that is so or not, it is a gross violation of decency and fair play, and the cause which needs bolstering up by such means and such a man cannot be a good one.

On Friday, at Field's instance, his committee in secret session decided not to comply with the demand of J. Madison Wells to be heard in answer to the "broadly moral" Maddox, and also passed a resolution to the effect that the refusal to give him a hearing should not be entered on the records of the committee! But the democratic partizans could not shut the mouths of the republican members, and Field was forced to grant Wells a hearing on Monday.

On Monday Governor Wells was examined, and squarely denied nearly every statement of Fields' witness Littlefield; and Senator West, without waiting for a summons, appeared and made a personal explanation in relation to a letter of Governor Wells addressed to him, which was read before the committee on Saturday. He said that about the time that the letter should have been delivered to him, he was informed by the Secretary of War that a man by the name of Maddox was in Washington attempting to trade off the vote of Louisiana. He (Mr. West) immediately denied that he had any such authority, and telegraphed to New Orleans to a friend, in substance as follows: "Tell Governor Wells that a man by the name of Maddox is here, professing to be authorized to speak for him and the Returning Board of Louisiana. What does this mean?" The answer came back as soon as the wire could bring it: "Mr. Maddox has no such authority."

Wells swore that Duncan F. Kenner, on behalf of the democrats, offered him $200,000 to have the State returned for Tilden; Field did not press cross-examination on that point. Wells convincingly disproved many of the most positive statements of Maddox, Littlefield and Pickett.

South Carolina.

By the count of the Supreme Court of South Carolina, the statement of which has heretofore been suppressed by the democrats, the republican candidates for all the State officers are elected by the following majorities: Secretary of State, 1719; Attorney General, 2160; Treasurer, 2145; Comptroller General, 2345; Superintendent of Education, 2133; Adjutant General, 2219.

News and Notes.

"Edinboro Bey," a very grand Turk indeed, who was a guest of Gen. Newton's at the blowing up of Hallett's Point reef, moved in the "best society" of New York, cashed a bogus draft on Brown Brothers for $800 gold, and swindled various other bankers, has gone to New Orleans, it is believed. The next grand Turk will be looked at sideways, before being worshipped to any great extent.

A despatch from St. Johns, Newfoundland, states that fourteen bodies, bedding, pork and flour have washed ashore at Mistaken Point, Cape Race. The bedding was marked "George Washington." The merchandise and bedding undoubtedly belonged to the steamer George Washington, which has been missing for some weeks, and was one of the New York, Halifax and Newfoundland line, to which also belonged the missing steamer George Cromwell. Eighty-five or more lives are supposed to have been lost in the two steamers, the Cromwell alone having taken out thirty-eight passengers.

The number of vessels belonging to, or bound to or from ports in the United States, reported totally lost and missing during the past month, is 84—of which 42 were wrecked, 17 abandoned, 2 burned, 4 sunk by collision, 2 foundered and 17 are missing. The list includes 3 steamers, 8 ships, 18 barques, 8 brigs and 47 schooners, and their total value, exclusive of cargoes, is estimated at $1,320,000.

The House of Representatives passed the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation bill on Saturday. It cuts down the salary of the President, and many other officials of high and low degree, and in the bill, as reported, the salaries of Congressmen were reduced from $5000 to $4500, but the economists struck off the reduction of their own pay, while the other reductions were made.

The many friends of Hon. Charles A. Shaw will learn with regret of his financial embarrassments. It is the direct result of recent failures and the unprecedented decline in real estate. Mr. Shaw acquired a large property by his own unaided exertions, through industry and sagacity. He is known throughout the country, and is respected for his many generous acts both of a public and private nature, as well as for his ability and integrity in business matters. He begins anew the battle with energy and pluck. Such men do not stay down long at a time.—*Globe*,

According to the New York *Herald*, Charles O'Conor recently asked Secretary Fish to accompany him on a visit to the President, and apologized to the latter for the intemperate and unjustifiable language of the letter written to a St. Louis "friend" some time ago, and published in the republican papers with comments not at all complimentary to Mr. O'Conor. The apology was received in a proper spirit, and the President and Mr. O'Conor conversed for some time.

John Longenecker, employed at a rolling mill at Lebanon, Pa., while stepping across the axle to which are attached the shears used in cutting iron, fell and had his head severed from his body. He was about 40 years old.

David Raggio, a Chicago burglar, was found in the street dying from a bullet wound. He refused to tell how he had been shot or where. Just before this, however, three masked men had entered a Mrs. Mitchell's residence, seized her, tried to rob her of diamonds, and one of them had been shot by her.

Quite a temperance reform is going on in Trenton, N. J., led by Mr. Osgood, a reformed drunkard, of Gardiner, Me. One hundred men marched in procession Sunday to the Methodist Church to hear a temperance address and sign the pledge. It is estimated that one thousand signed the pledge last week.

Mr. Josiah Bartlett, formerly editor of the Bangor *Whig*, and later Hon. James G. Blaine's private secretary, has assumed the chief editorship of the Boston *Traveller*.

The Moody and Sankey meetings in Boston are very largely attended, and "overflow" meetings are held each day and evening. A great deal of religious interest is being created.

The New York *Herald* says the schooner Bovine recently sailed from New Bedford and laid off Barnegat, where, from boats from the shore she was laden with 10,000 stand of arms, 40,000 cartridges and large quantities of knapsacks, medicines and army stores, which she afterward safely landed in Cuba for the patriots. Another vessel is said to be loading in another part of the country for the same destination.

In the District Court at Salem, Mass., on Monday, was tried the action brought by the Marblehead woman who was so unceremoniously subjected to a bath at the House of Correction in Ipswich a short time ago. It will be recalled that the woman, who was in reality a visitor, was mistaken for a prisoner, and was compelled to take a bath and to don a prison suit. The case was decided by a fine of $25 imposed on Miss Carrie Trussell, the matron of the institution. Though the matron actually committed the act, it is stated that the real fault lay with another prison official.

To keep moths out of old clothing it is recommended to give the clothing to the poor.

Political.

There are papers that assert a belief that Mr. Field was elected to Congress by Mr. Tilden to bring out Pickett and Maddox and was as much a part of the Tilden machinery as the Cronin conspiracy. The story of these men is brought out too late and covers too much surface.

There seems to be a tendency to overwork Mr. David Dudley Field. The dirty work of the democratic party is too mountainous a task to be put upon the shoulders of one man, even if he is used to it.—*Tribune.*

Col. Preston B. Plumb, the Senator-elect from Kansas, is said to have been successful as a printer, an editor, a lawyer, a soldier, a legislator, and a banker. He will be forty years old next October.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 35 @ 38c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 65c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 30c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. 6 @ 7½; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 5 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 25 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 13 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 40 @ 60c; New Orleans 60
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, $1.
Pork per bll., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, .90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Sr. 10½ @11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 12c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	113½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	113½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107½
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	52½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	51
Boston & Lowell R. R.	67
Boston & Maine	100
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	126½
Nashua & Lowell	93
Concord	75
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	115
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	50½
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	102½
P. S. & P.	55
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	5

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Extra " "	50 "
" Fomosa "	65 "
Japan "	32 "
Extra Japan "	65 "
Clear PORK	12½ "
Leaf LARD	14 "
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35 "
" " Rio "	30 "
" Green Java "	38 "
" " Rio "	25 "
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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	*10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
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Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Under the heading of "New Hampshire," the Boston *Transcript* of a recent date says: "For the past two days the harbor at Portsmouth has been filling with drift-ice. This morning it is packed solid and navigation is impossible. All the vessels have hauled into the wharves to avoid impending danger. The steamer Mabel Bird is trying to force a channel out, but is making little or no headway. The ice is very heavy and if the wind continues from the same quarter, the harbor may be closed for several weeks and the events of the winter of 1875 repeated." This harbor has never been closed to navigation by ice, and never will be while its tides keep up their present velocity. It was the harbor at Portsmouth, Virginia, probably, to which reference was intended.

The "Mothers' Tea Party" at Faith Home, Monday evening, was a complete success, in the number of poor people enjoying it and the pleasure furnished them. About sixty-five were entertained at bountifully supplied tables, waited upon by ladies moving in the best social circles. After tea about one hundred and seventy-five persons attended service in the chapel and parlor, Rev. John A. Goss being the chief speaker. There was some spirited singing, which was greatly enjoyed.

It is the republican ward committee of Ward One that has secured the room in Frye's block for headquarters, not the City Committee.

A horse belonging to Mr. Floron Barri was found dead in his stall Tuesday morning, having got "cast" sometime during Monday night.

MR. MARCY'S LETTER.

Hon. Daniel Marcy's acceptance of the democratic nomination for governor, in the shape of a column-long letter to the committee appointed to notify him of his nomination, is published. He says he does "not feel at liberty to decline the nomination"—rather a superfluous declaration; announces his certain conviction that Tilden carried Louisiana, and his astonishment that any person could imagine otherwise; and hopes (in this State) "to see the establishment of a judiciary which shall be alike impartial and permanent, according to the plain intention of the constitution; the appointment of good men to the subordinate civil offices of the State for the sake of the public service, and not as the reward of party zeal" —an excellent sentiment to be expressed by a man who, as a member of the legislature, worked and voted faithfully with his party in the schemes for gerrymandering the State and its cities for partisan reasons, for turning out all republican officials and putting in democrats "as the reward of party zeal" in the latter, and the re-organization of the courts in order to secure a democratic preponderance in the judiciary. Mr. Marcy "trusts men will be elected to office, or at least presented as our candidates, who do not seek personal profit or aggrandizement,"—but he trusts to a rotten reed in that matter, as the democrats in this State are not given to nominating such men. But the most important declaration in his letter is his re-affirmation of his adherence to the old Bourbon theory that a State is above the Union, that a State constitution is superior in binding force to the Constitution of the United States. He "regrets to know that any party in the State is willing * * to proclaim any allegiance paramount to that which their own constitution exacts." He says the democratic party of this State are thoroughly convinced that Tilden is elected, and "many of the better republicans" believe so too,—rather a more moderate way of putting it than was that of the democratic State central committee, who modestly announced that all men who disagreed with them on this matter were either dishonest or feeble-minded! He closes with a patriotic appeal to all good men to abide by and sustain the decision of the compromise committee, whatever opinion they may have held concerning the wisdom of appointing such a commission.

THE CABLE MONOPOLY.

The attempt of the would-be monopolists of ocean telegraphs to effect an amalgamation of the Direct and Anglo-American Cable Companies has failed in its first stage,—an attempt to appoint a committee to consider the matter. An adjourned meeting of the shareholders of the Direct Company was held in London on Monday, when the motion of Mr. Pender, manager of the Globe Trust Company, made at the meeting last Friday for the appointment of a committee to consider the subject of amalgamation, was defeated. Mr. Pender, Chairman of the Globe Company, had a majority of forty on the face of a poll, but objections were lodged with the company against the votes of the nominees of the Globe, and other large shareholders favorable to amalgamation, beyond the one hundred votes allowed to each of them, as being the highest number of votes which can be counted, under the Direct Cable Company's articles of association, for any one shareholder. The Chairman ruled that the objections were valid, and ruled out six hundred and forty-nine votes tendered by the Globe, and other large shareholders and clerks in their employ, on the ground of illegality. An amendment, proposing a vote of confidence in the directors and negativing Mr. Pender's resolution, was passed, and declared by the Chairman to be carried by a majority of five hundred and nine votes, and Mr. Pender's resolutions were thrown out by a majority of six hundred. The Globe Trust Company has resolved to test the question in courts, and protracted litigation is threatened. The meeting then adjourned until the 5th of March. Possibly the warning of the United States government that the connection of the Direct Cable with this country at Rye Beach would be severed if the monopoly was organized, and a similar notice by the Dominion government relative to the connections with its coast, may have influenced the vote of the Company.

New Hampshire Items.

The trial of Thomas Gould and others at Concord, for the violation of the statutes in selling a large stock of bankrupt goods at auction in that city, they being residents of New York, was decided in favor of the defendants.

William Weber, a hermit who lives on a small farm in the town of Thornton, on the side of the Welch mountain, about three-quarters of a mile from the main road and about the same distance from the inhabitants, was found a few days since in a pitiable condition at his house. He had frozen his feet so badly that he was unable to get out, but has been for weeks alone in his misery. He has four head of cattle which have had no water for several weeks. They have free access to the hay-mow for food, and the snow-bank for drink.

The Cocheco Manufacturing Company's free bath and reading room for their operatives at Dover was opened on Monday evening by an informal reception of prominent citizens and their wives.

The Rockingham Farmers' Insurance Company held its annual meeting at Exeter on Monday, electing William Conner, John S. Hobbs, George B. Webster, Porter Cram and Joseph Judkins directors.

The Methodists of Exeter are having a spirited revival. Over one hundred have been converted.

Edward B. Chapman, of Greenland, recently took one hundred and forty bass at one haul of his net.

—At a spiritualist seance in Paris, recently, the ghost of a long since dead atheist put in an appearance and was interrogated. At last inquired one, "How about the other world?" "There is no other world," replied the spirit doggedly. This spirit might well have been Irish.

—People can no more thrive on one idea than they can be nourished by one kind of food. Anything will pall after a season; "always partridges" is as sickening as perpetual salt pork. One-idea men are great nuisances.

—The Ohio Penitentiary was recently entered by some thieves while the guards on duty were asleep, and much valuable property carried off, including the loaded guns of the slumbering guards.

—The Spring style of vests will be so short and the trousers will be cut so high in the neck that our best young men will be able to button their collars directly on the waistbands.

—A precocious New York boy, who has just begun to read the newspapers, asked his father, recently, if the word "Hon." prefixed to the names of Congressmen, meant "honest."

What the Bilious Require.

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Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable room, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

To Consumptives.

The advertiser, a retired physician, having providentially discovered, while a Medical Missionary in Southern Asia, a very simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of *Consumption*, Asthma, Bronchitis, Catarrh, and all throat and lung affections,—also a positive and radical specific for Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all Nervous Complaints, feels it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive, he will cheerfully send (free of charge) to all who desire it, the recipe for preparing, and full directions for successfully using, this providentially discovered remedy. Those who wish to avail themselves of the benefits of this discovery without cost, can do so by return mail, by addressing with stamp, naming this paper, DR. CHARLES P. MARSHALL, 33 Niagara Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PELMOUNE COROLLA is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

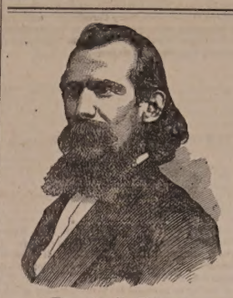
MARINE CHRONICLE

Ship W H Macey, Macy, from New York for San Francisco, spoken Dec 14, lat 9 8, lon 30 10 W.

—In one sense to run in debt is to a man's credit.

Lovers, Take Warning.

Whatever partiality Cupid may entertain for fragrant flowers and perfumed tresses, he has an unconquerable aversion to odorous noses; and unless homeless and shelterless will never venture within shooting distance of Catarrh. Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy is a safe and reliable cure for this disgusting disease. Dr. Pierce's Medicum Books are given away at all drug stores.



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"Yes, sometimes it's daily, and then when the compositors get drunk it don't come out for several days. If a man wants gun wadding he goes and pays four bits for a paper. Whenever they start a new city government they print a lot of ordinances; then there's a grand rush for the paper. Sometimes it comes out twice a week and sometimes twice a day."

"Much shooting?"

"O, yes; the boys are all on the shoot. Every man carries about fourteen pounds of firearms hitched to his belt, and they never pass any words. The fellow that gets his gun out first is the best man, and they lug off the other fellow's body. Our graveyard is a big institution, and a growing one. Sometimes, however, the place is right quiet. I've known times when a man wasn't killed for twenty-four hours. Then again, perhaps, they'd lay out five or six a day. When a man gets too handy with his shootin' irons and kills five or six, they think he isn't safe, and pop him over to rid the place of him. They don't kill him for what he has done, but for what he's liable to do. I suppose that the average deaths amount to 100 a month; but the Indians kill some."—*Virginia (Nev.) Chronicle.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

GRANVILLE P. CONN,

OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,

GILMAN MARSTON,

OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,

JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,
GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Stray Notes.

NEW YORK, Feb. 6.

The *Tribune* notes a visible increase in the volume of business done in New York during the past week, as compared with the corresponding week of last year, notwithstanding the twelve months' shrinkage in values.

President Grant's plain, common-sense messsage on resumption is likely to fall flat on the irresponsive set of statesmen who were accidentally elevated to Congressional prominence though the machinations of the independent marplots whose mission in 1874 was to damage republican ascendency and make "a change" essentially for the worse.

Mardi Gras will be celebrated here for the first time on Easter Monday, and it is anticipated that 500,000 strangers will come to the city to witness the pageant, which will primarily represent the landing of Columbus.

The eminent statesmen of both parties who gave their earnest support to the bill erecting the Tribunal for settling the vexed question of the Presidency, have marred or made their fortunes. The compromise was a republican surrender, made necessary by the want of backbone on the part of a few republican Senators. The continued support these weak-backed representatives desire of the men to whom they owe their present positions, will be obtained only by the "succeed-fulness" of their curious bantling.

Ex-Gov. Wells of Louisiana appears to be more than a match for David Dudley Field, Mr. Tilden's "man Friday." The admirable manner in which the Louisianian offered to "protect" himself unless the House committee saw fit to do so, is decidedly refreshing to all persons who abominate the abuse of witnesses by pettifoggers dignified by the term "attorneys-at-law."

The streets of New York, which have for weeks been choked with ice and slush, are becoming more passable as Spring approaches.

The Elevated Railroad, a half-forgotten and exceedingly neglected convenience, has grown to a high degree of popularity this Winter. The great need of Gotham is rapid transit, and the horse railroad corporations oppose it as detrimental to their interests.

The St. Cloud Hotel, corner of Broadway and Forty-Second Street, has attained noted success through the management of the Rand Bros., (Thomas, John and George,) who are sons of Portsmouth, and hereditarily successful public caterers. The rooms are elegantly furnished and the cuisine, under the management of Mr. Brazil, is a temptation to the most critical of gourmands. The St. Cloud patronage is steady, and its guests cling to its associations with a tenacity that bespeaks the attention of any traveller afflicted with more time than he can well dispose of. The cheery presence of Mrs. Rand, who has a mother's genuine pride in the success and capabilities of "the boys," is no small element of attraction for the ladies to whom she has made the St. Cloud a veritable home. Portsmouth people will find always a warm welcome beneath the St. Cloud's sheltering tiles.

The plaint of the New Yorker, that "there are days when one cannot lay up a cent," is changed to a more hopeful strain, consequent upon the peaceful settlement of the Presidential controversey, which may bring a renewed confidence and increased activity of business.

The disease which has attacked some of the Life Insurance companies is an insidious one and liable to be contagious. Marble palaces for elegantly furnished offices are not always signs of thrift.

The New York dailies are running very close to the wind, financially. Advertising agents, however, think they observe evidencies of increased patronage in their line during the ensuing year.

The Brooklyn horror was ruinous to the interests of theatrical managers, here and hereabouts.

A Needed Reform.

While we believe all of the proposed amendments to the State constitution are judicious and should be adopted, there is one that is of more direct importance than all the rest put together, as a money-saving provision for the people. We refer to the amendment which proposes to provide for the settlement of civil cases in which the amount in dispute does not exceed one hundred dollars, (title to real estate not being in question), without the intervention of a jury. The wisdom of this amendment needs only to be made manifest to the people to insure its overwhelming endorsement; and nearly every paper in the State has advocated it in the strongest terms, not one having spoken against it. Many people, probably, are not aware of the immense cost to the public of settling the petty disputes which constantly occur, for petty reasons or from no reason at all; certainly we had no idea of it until a short time ago. Judge Foster, in recently charging a jury at the end of a two-days' trial, in a case where the amount in dispute was $24.25, said:

"Every jury trial costs the county $100 per day. This trial of a cause in which less than $25 is involved has probably cost the county of Cheshire $150, to say nothing of the cost to the parties. Experience has shown that on an average probably fifteen days a year have been spent in each county in the trial by jury of cases in which less than $100 was involved, thus entailing an expense on each county of $1500 per year and an expense to the State of $15,000 per year, and for the twenty years past a total of $300,000, and this is a very low estimate. I believe that most suitors would be better satisfied with equally just and equitable results, obtained by a cheaper method, while the tax-payers would be relieved of an enormous burden."

A few examples of lawsuits involving trifling amounts, in which the expenses *to the people* have many times exceeded the sums in dispute, will serve to illustrate the need of the proposed reform. The first of the following paragraphs was taken from the correspondence of a Boston paper:

"Some years ago two well-to-do farmers in Strafford county went to law to settle a dispute concerning a calf that had by his growth during the summer in the pasture lost his identity. The value in controversy did not exceed five dollars, and yet the expense to the county of trying the case over and over again was as many hundreds. Besides, it ruined the parties in litigation, they having spent every cent of their money and exhausted the entire value of their farms ere they obtained satisfaction! Another case of a like character (save that the amount contended for was much less) occurred in Grafton county a while since, where a suit was brought to recover thirteen cents! The trial lasted more than a day and cost the public more than one hundred dollars. A still more remarkable lawsuit took place not many years since, where two parties went to law to recover the value of *three sour apples* that had fallen from a tree of one of the parties contesting, rolled under the fence into the inclosure of the other and had been appropriated by the one against whom the suit was instituted. Three hundred dollars were added to the list of county charges by this silly contest, to say nothing of the money paid to the lawyers by the two parties who maintained the quarrel."

At the present term of the Supreme Court at Manchester, the first case tried was an action brought by a woman against the town of Candia to recover damages alleged to have been caused by a defective highway. It had been tried three or four times before. It occupied ten days of the present term, and as much time at each previous trial. The taxable costs were $2,000; attorneys' fees, $1,000; cost to county, $2500; total, $5,500. The verdict was *one dollar*. The town, which was the defendant, loses $2,000, the plaintiff owes her lawyers $1,000, the tax-payers of the county are victimized $2,500, and nobody except the lawyers is a cent better off. The next case was a dispute about a sheep, whether a man should pay $6 or more. The trial lasted a day and a half, at a cost to all parties, including the county, of $500 or thereabouts. The third case involved the value of an old sleigh, worth $10, and the trial cost all concerned about $300.

A case tried before the Supreme Court at Exeter, recently, was one in which a Mr. Thompson sued a man named Major for trespass in passing over a piece of land forty rods long by two rods wide, which had for more than a hundred years been used as a way to a farm now owned by the plaintiff. The plaintiff claimed that the land was an old highway which came off his land, and in 1865 he procured a vote of the town of Derry discontinuing the highway, which, as he claimed, caused the land to revert to him. The defendant confessed $4 damage. It took four days to try the case, a large number of witnesses being examined, the jury was out all night and then compromised on a verdict of $3.05. Cost to the county, $500; to the parties, $500 more.

We might cite hundreds of similar illustrations. And these are occurring at every session of our county courts. Yea, more; such cases, or cases of not much greater importance, are the rule rather than the exception; and it is this fact that aggravates the matter, and causes it to so greatly merit public attention. The cases mentioned above are fair samples of cases constantly arising in every country, and they show how the people are taxed to allow obstinate litigants the luxury of going to law. What is wanted, as the Manchester *Mirror* pithily observes, is "a one-horse, cheap town court, which will give us more lawsuits for the same money, and, without infringing upon our inalienable right to go to law when we please, save us a percentage of the present enormous expenses."

It rests with the people to say whether they will have a reform in the matter or not. If they prefer to pay a heavy tax for the privilege of allowing others to squable about trifles, they can so order it; but we can see no reason why any citizen should vote against the proposed amendment, and we hope to see it approved by a unanimous vote.

Gen. Miles' Fight.

Gen. Miles, in command of the Yellowstone expedition, reports to Gen. Terry under date of Jan. 20, as follows: "I have the honor to report that this command fought hostile tribes of the Cheyenne and Ogallala Sioux, under Crazy Horse, in skirmishes on the 1st, 3d and 7th of January, and in a five hours' engagement on the 8th inst. Their camp consisted of some 500 lodges, extending three miles along the valley of Tongue river, below Hanging Women's creek. They were driven through the canyons of the Wolf or Panther Mountains, in the direction of Big Horn Mountains. Their fighting strength outnumbered mine by two or three to one; but by taking advantage of the ground we had them at a disadvantage, and their loss is known to be very severe. Our loss is three killed and eight wounded. They fought entirely dismounted and charged on foot to within fifty yards of Capt. Casey's line, but were taken in front and flank by Capt. Butler's and Lieut. McDonald's companies. They were whipped at every point, driven from the field and pursued as far as my limited supplies and worn-down animals would carry my command. The Indians appear to have plenty of arms and ammunition, but otherwise are in a destitute condition. Some of the prisoners now in our hands were captured with frozen limbs and were living on horse meat. The weather has been very severe, and the snow is from one foot to three feet deep. The command is in good condition."

Counting the Votes.

The following came over the Western Union wires on Wednesday afternoon at five o'clock, and we give it for what it is worth: "Commission by one majority voted not to take any evidence about Florida election, but count certificates of Hayes and Wheeler electors, provided electors are all eligible."

—An epitaph on a negro baby at Savannah begins, "Sweet blighted lily."

—A Connecticut debating society is asking, "Is it wrong to cheat a lawyer?" Perhaps not, but it isn't customary.—*Providence Press.*

—"The singing of "Hold the Fort" and "Pull for the Shore" is to be interdicted in the public schools of Patterson, N. J., on the protest of a Jewish rabbi of that city. Nothing can prevent their use, however, by sleighing parties and quadrille bands.

—When the late Dr. Lord was wooing, the lady's friends having objected to the marriage, it was decided to wed without their permission. When her absence from home was noted, there was found addressed to her relatives a note from her chosen husband which explained matters briefly as follows: "The Lord gave and the Lord hath taken away; blessed be the name of the Lord."

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 35 @ 38c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 65c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 25c.
Flour, Sup. per bll. 6¼ @ 7¼; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9 @ 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 35 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound, 13 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., it. Cuba 40 @ 60c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, $1.
Pork per bll., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, .90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 10½ @11½c; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	113½
United States Ten-Forties cupon	113½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	107½
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1575	111
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1898	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	52½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	67
Boston & Maine	99½
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	126½
Nashua & Lowell	82
Concord	78
Eastern	5½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	57
Fitchburg	115
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	56½
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	102½
P. S. & P.	55
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	5

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Patrons of a first-class hotel justly consider themselves entitled to comfortable room, a bountiful bill of fare, and courteous treatment in the office. All these, combined with a notable degree of elegance throughout, are to be found at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa.

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LEAD PIPE, of any size or thickness.
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" Oolong "	40	"
Extra " "	50	"
" Fomosa "	65	"
Japan "	32	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	19½	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35	"
" " Rio "	30	"
" Green Java "	28	"
" " Rio "	25	"
CURRANTS	8	"
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February, 1, 1877.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

† Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,		10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.25 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.30 "	
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The concert by the "Artistes' Quartette" is to be given in Franklin Hall this evening. Each of the four ladies is an accomplished singer and well-known soloist. Mrs. Kimball is the soprano of King's Chapel, Boston; Mrs. Oakes and Mrs. Barry were employed as soloists in the famous Thomas' Concerts in Boston last season, and Mrs. Barry is the contralto in King's Chapel choir; Miss Wells is the contralto at Rev. Dr. Ware's church in Arlington street, Boston. We could easily fill a column with most flattering criticisms from the Boston papers, on the quartette as a whole, and its individual members; but we can see no need of doing anything of the kind, for the high reputation of the quartette will doubtless fill the hall with lovers of the highest order of vocal music.

The great success of the recent farmers' meeting at Greenland, under the auspices of the State Board of Agriculture, has led the Board to appoint another meeting for the same place on Tuesday, Feb. 20th, at which time and place fruits, fertilizers, etc., will be the subjects of discussion. Prof. Stockbridge, of Amherst College, originator of the the "Stockbridge fertilizers" which are just now attracting so much attention from farmers, will probably be present.

The *Times* of Wednesday evening says:—"Butcher birds have made their appearance here, and are, it is said, driving the English sparrows off, which nobody will regret, we think, as they are a nuisance and never should have been introduced." The *Times* is not alone in its dislike of the pugnacious, noisy, aggressive little foreigners.

The ball given by the Light Artillery on Tuesday evening was in every way a success, being well managed and well attended. The floor was filled full enough for the convenience of the dancers, for whose pleasure a good order of dances (twenty-two in number) was provided, Harlow's orchestra making the music. A good and substantial lunch was very nicely served in the upper hall by Mr. McIvor, at a ridiculously low price per plate. The whole affair reflects credit on the managers.

Capt. Frank Williams, who resigned the command of the Heavy Artillery some weeks since, was on Tuesday evening unanimously re-elected by the company. Capt. Williams was presented with a handsome sum of money and a beautifully framed certificate of honorary membership, during the evening. He has not yet accepted the position to which he has been so flatteringly re-elected.

Mr. Thomas Moore, of North Hampton, last week started for his home from this city on the cars, with some $400 about him. At Greenland depot he was assaulted by two men who knocked him from the carplatform to the ground, evidently with the intention of robbing him; but they were seen by the conductor of the train and the station master, and fled on their approach without having succeeded in getting Mr. Moore's money.

MASONIC MUTUAL RELIEF ASSO'N.

At the annual meeting of the Masonic Mutual Relief Association, held last week, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, William P. Walker.
Vice President, John R. Holbrook.
Secretary, John H. Cheever.
Treasurer, William H. Sise.
Trustees, Edmund M. Brown, Samuel C. Whittier, Joseph H. Gardiner, Charles W. Norton, Marcellus Eldredge, Charles W. Gardner.
Auditing Committee, William A. Ashe, John Lowd, William T. Betton.

The present membership of the Association is 320. Amount of funds at interest, $895; number of deaths, three; amount paid to families of deceased members, $894.

New Hampshire Items.

A New York paper recently stated that Henry M. Pollard, the republican Representative from the Tenth Missouri District, is the first Alumnus of Dartmouth that has been sent to Congress. The facts in the case are given as follows by the College paper: "There have been 63 members of Congress and 16 United States Senators among the graduates of Dartmouth, not including two Congressmen and one Senator-elect. The upper house of the Canadian Parliament has also contained one Dartmouth man, and the lower house three."

Mr. Madison Colby of West Henniker, who lost nine sheep in the first snow storm of the season, found them all alive and well on January 30, having been out in the cold and snow for forty-four days, and subsisted upon the bark and small limbs of a clump of witch-hazel bushes in which they were found.

News and Notes.

Dr. Beebe's remedy for scarlet fever and diphtheria, which is rather in the nature of a preventive—sulpho-carbolate of soda—attracts much notice and excellent reports are given of its efficacy. The dose of an adult is four grains, pulverized with an equal amount of sugar; and half that quantity for children under ten years of age. To prevent atmospheric contagion the dose should be taken morning and evening. When either disease is in a building with non-infected persons the latter should get four doses a day. In the treatment of either disease the dose may be repeated every two hours, in addition to other indicated remedies.

Rear-Admiral James Alden, U. S. N., died in San Francisco on the 6th. Admiral Alden was a native of Maine, and entered the service in 1828, since which time he has seen twenty-four years of sea service. His career in the late war was exceptionally brilliant, and he was one of the most popular officers in the navy.

Schooner Mary E. Oliver of Boothbay, Me., is ashore near Pensacola, Florida, and the captain, George E. Dunham, also of Boothbay, is dead. The vessel was about 150 tons and new. The cause of the captain's death is not stated.

Schooners Bessie Gardner, Helen and Engine, and new brigantines Clarence and Centennial, all belonging to Yarmouth, Nova Scotia, are missing and supposed to be lost at sea with all hands.

Richard T. Taylor, cashier of the First National Bank of Franklin, Ind., has stolen $100,000 and run away.

At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of Manchester, England, on the 6th, the President stated that the exports of Manchester goods to the United States were now *nil*, and there is a considerable trade in Manchester in cotton fabrics manufactured in America.

An English hardware agent who has been trying to drum up trade in Canada, sends to the Manchester *Guardian* a few doleful lines which may please Americans in the trade: "I have just returned from a trip through the lower provinces. I find that the whole country is overrun by American travellers soliciting orders for their manufactures at almost any price to secure a sale. I feel sure in my own mind that a very large proportion of the hardware trade is altogether lost to England. For instance, of Birmingham and Wolverhampton wares they have secured many of the leading lines, namely, door locks, mortise locks, chest and till locks, cupboard locks, butts and hinges, carriage bolts, gas and boiler tubes, scales, and to a great extent hollow-wares. From all I can learn they are in a position to retain the hold they have got."

A Boston correspondent of the Pall Mall *Gazette* describes at much length and minuteness a boat ride which he enjoyed behind a couple of sperm whales off Lynn, the whales being harnessed and driven by a Yankee. The English seem to be much excited about it, but we assure them it is a very common thing. In Boston the severest punishment a father can inflict on his daughter is to prevent her from going out to drive her whales down the bay in the afternoon.—*Graphic.*

Political.

The latest trick of David Dudley Field's is the most discreditable yet. He had a lot of the Florida testimony taken by his committee which bore strongly against the republicans picked out from the whole mass, omitting the cross examinations and rebutting evidence, got it printed secretly and then put it before the Electoral Commission as part of the evidence the democrats submit.—*Springfield Republican.*

And now it has been discovered that one of the Tilden electors in West Virginia was ineligible, being an alien and never naturalized.

Even an able and commonly sensible man can "slop over" sometimes. Mr. Charles O'Conor some time ago wrote a letter in which he used the language of the blackguard rather than of the gentleman, in alluding to the President; and in his argument before the electoral commission, on the Florida case, he said: "There lives not a man, as far as I know, on the face of the earth, who, having the faculty of blushing, could look an honest man in the face and assert that the Hayes electors were truly elected." That was not merely twaddle; it was an insulting falsehood, for Mr. O'Conor knew when he said it that quite as honest and as able men as himself were firm in the conviction "that the Hayes electors were truly elected," and that but for democratic frauds and ruffianism their majority would have been overwhelming. The democrats' declaration that all who refuse to accept their statements as gospel are fools or swindlers, is insolence, not argument.

Those who read of Mr. David Dudley Field's piece of contemptible trickery, not to say crime—for it involved forgery and falsehood—in printing the garbled testimony of the Special Committee on Privileges of the House, will feel that the republicans treated that shameless attorney too leniently. They should have presented his offence to the House.

—In one sense to run in debt is to a man's credit.

—Many of the white men in California will not sit at a hotel table with a Chinaman, but will follow him two miles after dark to borrow money of him.

—A German looked up at the sky, and remarked: "I guess a leedle it vill rain somedime pooty queek." "Yees de, eh?" replied an Irishman; "What business have yees to purtend to know about Amerriken weather, ye furriner?"

BORN.

FERNALD. In Great Falls, Jan. 30, to Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fernald, a daughter.

DIED.

CASWELL. In this city, Feb. 5, Mr. Andrew J. Caswell, aged 48 years.

☞ Funeral from No. 70 Pleasant street this (Thursday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.

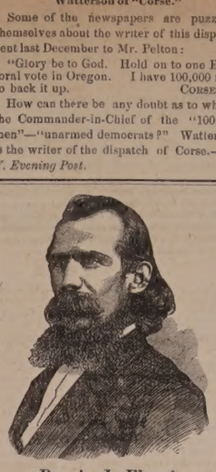
BROWN. In Rye, Jan. 5, Abigail Brown, widow of Mr. Simon Brown, aged 90 years, 10 months.

Watterson of "Corse."

Some of the newspapers are puzzling themselves about the writer of this dispatch sent last December to Mr. Felton:

"Glory be to God. Hold on to one Electoral vote in Oregon. I have 100,000 men to back it up. CORSE."

How can there be any doubt as to who is the Commander-in-Chief of the "100,000 men"—"unarmed democrats?" Watterson is the writer of the dispatch of Corse.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*



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Daily Chronicle.

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The New Democratic Recruits.

They may not succeed in getting Mr. Tilden into the White House and the party into power, but it must be a great comfort to the democratic leaders to consider the number and quality of the recruits they are gathering in. A remarkable fine body of men they are. Here go marching in just now Littlefield and Maddox, converts and recruits, just so many subtracted from the republicans and added to the ranks of the Reformers. Littlefield seems upon his own confession to be a forger, and Maddox—he is the sort of person who buys and sells Returning Boards on broad moral grounds. These two have abandoned the republicans and gone over where they won't be so lonesome. And we are glad to see that they are welcomed joyfully as new recruits. So too, not long ago, there was much rejoicing among democrats on the accession of Pinchback. When this person went over he did so with the confession that the party with which he had been acting, and with whose "workings" he has been "familiar from its inauguration down to this date," "for corruption, venality, and dishonesty had not its equal anywhere on the face of God's earth," and had not "from head to foot, from center to circumference, an honest drop of blood in it." There was not, to be sure, the same degree of pleasure exhibited by the democrats in welcoming his coming as by the republicans in speeding his parting; but that could hardly be expected, for Mr. Pinchback had weighed very heavily on his party for a long time, and there was a great sense of relief at his going, which his new associates could not appreciate.

We are quite well aware that neither political party rejects recruits. There are no requirements, as in an army, touching age, size, weight, and physical condition, nor any regarding moral character, reputation, etc. To a political party all's fish that comes to its net. And it is interesting to observe what transformations of character are brought about by political changes. Here is Mr. Pinchback, who but a few weeks ago was, in the opinion of the democratic press generally, a very bad and mischievous man, so corrupt and disreputable that he tainted the whole organization with which he acted, and it was a disgrace almost to belong to the same political party with him. The only thing that saved the disgrace, in fact, was the resolute and persistent refusal of the party to give him countenance and support. There was a limit beyond which the present republican Senate would not go, and that was found when Pinchback stood at the door and asked admission. There was no democrat but held Pinchback to be thoroughly corrupt and bad. Since the transference of his allegiance to that party, however, he seems to have suffered a sea change into something rich and strange. In the twinkling of an eye he has become "the Hon. P. B. S. Pinchback" to those who a little while ago knew him as "darky Pinchback." So we presume would any of the Louisiana Returning Board or any of the Packard Legislature become at once gentlemen beyond question by a simple change of politics, even though the change were brought about in so questionable a manner as by purchase and sale.

The republican party has some very ragged edges. There's a fringe on it, loosely caught but always fluttering and always conspicuous, that the better portion of the party have neither affiliation nor sympathy with, and would like to be rid of. These fellows are a continual scandal and disgrace. Democrats constantly point to them as specimen republicans, and make the most of their misdoings by way of party capital. But isn't it a little remarkable that the bad character of these fellows, which is so conspicuous and glaring while they remain on the edge of the republican organization, not only ceases to offend when they go over to their own place, but actually becomes almost sweet and clean by comparison with the overpowering badness of the mass into which it falls? Loose methods and bad leadership, and the recklessness that comes of power long left unrestrained, have wrought great mischief in the republican organization; but the respectability, purity, and honesty of the masses of the party are such that the prominence of corrupt men in it is recognized by the public as if by instinct to be utterly incongruous and absurd. Nor should the readiness, the eagerness, in fact, with which the democrats gather into their own fold the disreputable characters whom they have denounced republicans for having any dealings with, be passed without comment.

We had a very notable instance of this in South Carolina. No part of the machinery of fraud, by which the Ring conducted operations and managed so long to keep control of the State, was more vigorously denounced than the Judiciary, of which Chief-Justice Moses was the head. It was only a few months ago that Gov. Chamberlain was receiving what seemed to be very hearty and sincere commendations from Gen. Wade Hampton and his supporters for the manly and courageous stand he had taken against the Ring, and especially against the election of Moses and Whipper to the bench. But it happened, in the division into factions that followed, that the democrats found an opportunity to gather in the very worst of the members of the Ring, including the Supreme Court—and they did it. And one would suppose, from the respectful and civil manner in which

they have been talking for the past three months about the authority and dignity of the South Carolina Supreme Court, that they really believed in it. Not at all. They've only gathered it in.

So the Pinchbacks and Moseses, the Littlefields and Maddoxes, and their like, who have in one way and another brought disgrace to the republican party during the past seven or eight years, drop easily and naturally to their places in the democracy.

No process is needed to assimilate or absorb them. There was a little flutter of hope and expectation among the leaders some little time ago over a report that Mr. Benjamin F. Butler was coming to them in some sort of attorney's guise in the Presidential dispute. We do not remember that a single voice was raised against it, though for sixteen years the first article in the creed of democracy has been that Butler is one of the worst men in politics, and it is an article to which a great many republicans subscribed. There are still many more of the same sort whose departure from the republican party would be hailed with full as much gratification by those they separate themselves from as their accession would be by the eager searchers for recruits to whom they might join themselves. All honest republicans are glad to see that sort of folk packing their carpet-bags to leave, and the democracy getting ready to gather them in. There's nobody but wishes the democrats much joy of their recruits.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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Counting the Votes.

The first vote taken in the electoral commission was taken on Wednesday, on the following, which was proposed by Judge Miller:

"*Ordered*, That no evidence will be received by the Commission which was not submitted to the Joint Convention of the two houses by the President of the Senate, with the different certificates, except such as relates to the eligibility of F. C. Humphreys, one of the Electors."

The vote was of follows: Yeas, Justices Bradley, Miller and Strong; Senators Edmunds, Frelinghuysen and Morton; Representatives Garfield and Hoar,—eight. Nays, Justices Clifford and Field; Senators Thurman and Bayard; Representatives Abbott, Hunton and Payne,—seven. Mr. Abbott submitted the following:

"*Resolved*, That in the case of Florida, this Commission will receive the evidence relating to the eligibility of F. C. Humphreys, one of the persons named in certificate No. 1 as Elector."

The resolution was adopted by the following vote: Yeas—Justices Bradley, Clifford and Field; Senators Bayard and Thurman; Represenatives Abbott, Hunton and Payne—eight. Nays—Justices Miller and Strong; Senators Edmunds, Frelinghuysen and Morton; Representatives Garfield and Hoar, seven.

It will be seen that the first resolution was adopted by a party vote, the second one being carried by the vote of the seven democrats and Judge Bradley. The republicans in Washington were greatly elated by the decision, and the democrats correspondingly depressed.

On Thursday, evidence and arguments were heard on the eligibility of Humphreys, a Florida elector, who was one of the witnesses.

The National Captives.

Salary-grab Randall and Thompson of Ohio, the first-named Speaker of the House and the latter Sergeant-at-Arms, don't mean to let any republican who may show "contempt" for the democratic party go unpunished, for lack of any stretch of authority on their part. The outrageous manner in which the white members of the Louisiana Returning Board have been treated is shown in the following.

"James Wilson, of Louisiana, has been acting the part of a missionary of prison reform. Seeing in the newspapers the reports that the Returning Board, held in confinement by the House, were ill-treated, he went to see them, but was refused admittance. He then went back to Speaker Randall, who referred him to the Sergeant-at-Arms, who sent a deputy down with Mr. Wilson with an order to admit him, but the order was repudiated by the jailor, who claimed that he was instructed to admit no one. Wilson went back to Randall and reported the matter, saying he should introduce a resolution in the House unless he was admitted. Randall sent for the Sergeant-at-Arms, and after consultation, it was decided that they had better let Wilson into the prison. He then went down again with the Sergeant-at-Arms and had an interview with the prisoners. Kenner and Cassanove, the two colored men, are confined in the room of the Committee on Territories and have very pleasant quarters, but Wells and Anderson are in the dungeon. Wilson says it is not a fit place for beasts to live in. The walls are damp and slimy and the water drops from the ceiling. Going back to Randall, Wilson said the men must have better quarters or he would call the attention of the House to it. Randall and the Sergeant-at-Arms, after a consultation, promised that a change should be made. None but democratic newspaper men and democratic emissaries from Louisiana are admitted to see Wells and Anderson."

On Thursday, Mr. Hale of Maine presented to the House a communication from Messrs. Wells and Anderson, stating that the dungeon or cell where they are confined is unhealthful, the air poisonous, without sunlight or outside air, and that the lungs of one of them (Wells) are already seriously affected and he is now sick. There is a gas leak. The Speaker interfered on Wednesday and put them in a better room, but the Sergeant-at-Arms (Thompson, of Ohio, who seems to have been "running" the House for some time past,) moved them back to the damp dungeon. The letter was very respectful in terms. They protested that they were not convicts, but officers of a State, and longer confinement might be dangerous to life. No man is permitted to speak to them without the presence of the Sergeant-at-Arms. Mr. Hale offered a resolution providing that the Sergeant-at-Arms remove them to a suitable, safe, properly lighted and ventilated room.

A sharp debate ensued, and Sergeant-at-Arms Thompson was severely censured for his inhuman conduct in confining the prisoners in such a hole as he has, where no sunlight enters. The democrats voted down the resolution to remove the prisoners to better quarters, but what they hope to gain for their party by such brutal scoundrelism is not clear. Such cowardly inhumanity will not tend to raise "reform democracy" in public estimation.

News and Notes.

Rear-Admiral Wilkes, U. S. N., died in Washington on Thursday, aged about 76 years.

Secretary Morrill has been dangerously ill with typhoid pneumonia, but is better, and his friends no longer fear a fatal result.

In Stanley township, Mo., a few days since, Frank J. Astor was taken from home, without his clothes, by a party of men, and hung to the limb of a tree for some unknown crime.

B. S. Hickok, postmaster at Southbury, Conn., a man heretofore much respected, confesses that he has been robbing the mails.

Queen Victoria opened Parliament on Thursday.

Prince Gortschacoff has resigned, and Count Adlerberry has been appointed Prime Minister of Russia.

The big river steamer Bostona was sunk at Sciotoville, Ohio, Thursday, by a towboat. No lives were lost.

Midhat Pacha, the recently deposed Turkish minister, is dead. Committed suicide with scissors, probably.

Chaplain H. H. Clark has been detached from the Charlestown station and ordered to the United States ship Trenton, now fitting out at Brooklyn.

The crew of schooner Alfred Brabrook mutinied in New York harbor, Wednesday morning, and three of them were locked up by the police. They claimed to have been worked beyond endurance.

British ship Aminta, at New York from Calcutta, was boarded by a sea during a cyclone in the Indian Ocean, and had five men swept overboard and drowned.

The locomotive engineers of the Boston & Maine Railroad are threatening a strike in consequence of the refusal of the management to advance their wages from $3.40 to $3.50 per day. The engineers also demand that each 100 miles run be considered a day's work, with three and a half cents per mile for all excess over 100 miles. Until the cut down a year ago, the engineers received $3.75 per day. The officials of the road are negotiating for engineers not connected with the Brotherhood. The longest run made by any engineer now is 130 miles in a day, or from Exeter to Portland and return. John McArthur of Cleveland, O., is in Boston advising in reference to the proposed strike.

There is one man in Brooklyn who the salary of the President of the United States cannot tempt from his local duties, and that is Sheriff Daggett, whose income is $80,000 per year. Hereafter Brooklyn boys who are good will be told that they may become Sheriff, not President.—*N. Y. Herald.*

Bushnell Forrest, the second son of the ex-Confederate General Forrest, was one of the most poorly clad and impoverished of a party of snow shovellers who marched up to the New York Central Railroad station at Syracuse last week to draw his pay for work. It is much to the young man's credit that he is willing to work, however humble the occupation may be, rather than starve, beg or steal. Bushnell Forrest shovelling snow off a railroad track is respectable; trying to "bum" a living off others on the strength of having once been in better circumstances he would be despicable.

Miss Linney of Sacramento, Cal., was loved by a Mr. Roberts, but refused to marry him until he could support her in opulence. He went to San Francisco, embarked in mining speculations, and recently returned to her with the information that he was worth $100,000. She expressed herself satisfied and appointed a day for the wedding, when he coolly said that he had changed his mind and a breach of promise suit has been commenced.

Maine's fleet of vessels was sadly thinned out in January, the following having been wrecked: Barque Everett Gray; brigs D. R. Stockwell, Rebecca J. Page and Nellie Antirim; schooners Walter Irving, Massachusetts, T. R. Hughlett, R. Macomber, James Garcelon, Starlight, Island Belle, Laura, John Aviles, James A. Crocker Albert Treat, James K. Lawrence and Lottie Ames—one barque, three brigs and thirteen schooners.

Charles Wood was on Wednesday convicted of murder in the second degree, at Pittsfield, Mass., for the murder of Mrs. Hazard at Otis. He was sentenced to State prison for life. The case was one of cowardly, unprovoked and brutal murder of a helpless old lady, by a worthless scoundrel.

The British steamer Ethel, bound from Bilboa for Newport, Wales, went ashore on the 7th on Lunday Island, and became a total wreck. Nineteen persons were drowned.

An explosion took place on the 7th in the Faso Colliery, near Bolton, England, and ten men were killed.

When the bill prohibiting pool-selling, lotteries, and other games or devices of chance was before the House of Representatives on Tuesday, a motion was made to amend it so as to allow churches to indulge in grab-bags, ring-cakes, and other "benevolent devices" at their fairs. Mr. Pillsbury, of Lewiston, very properly objected to such exception, and said the churches asked for no such privileges. He wanted gambling of all kinds, however sugar-coated, cut up by the roots. The churches will say "amen." The proposition to amend was defeated, and the bill passed. Benevolent managers of fairs may hereafter dispense with grab-bags, ring-cakes, fish-ponds and such little devices that feed the desire to try one's fortune in a lottery.—*Lewiston (Me.) Journal.*

Political.

The Reform democracy of Hamilton county, Ohio, have passed a vote of censure upon Sheriff Wallace, not because this unhappy democratic official secured his election by fraud, or because he has been indicted for conniving at the escape of important witnesses of that fraud, but because he has appointed "partisan republicans to office."

Now that the vote of Colorado has been counted for President, the democrats of the House begin to see that it is a State, and on the 6th ended their farce of pretending that it was not by voting to pay Representative Belford his salary from the time he was elected.

The examination of Major F. C. Humphries, the Hayes elector in Florida whom the democrats asserted to be ineligible on account of his being a United States Shipping Commissioner, took place before the House committee on Wednesday. Major Humphries produced official letters showing that he resigned his position in September, previous to the election, and that his resignation was accepted, and his successor acting more than a month before the election.

The democratic papers are grieved over the "partisanship" displayed by the republican members of the three-cornered counting commission, in the Florida case. As the democratic members of the commission twice voted solidly in favor of their party views, and the republicans only once, it seems possible that there may have been some partisanship among the democrats too.

Ex-Gov. J. Madison Wells, as a witness, not only eludes the grasp of investigation with a slippery and eel-like readiness, but in his delivery of sudden galvanic blows when captured he more specifically resembles the *gymnotus electricus*. His evasive wriggling and doubling through the mud of Mr. Field's cross-examination is constantly a matter of fresh and picturesque interest; but the shocks which stagger Mr. Field whenever he gets hold of his man with both hands are, after all, the most exhilarating features of this great moral exhibition. *Tribune.*

The *Graphic* says that the Oregon slush-money has been traced as near to Tilden as the Marsh money was traced to Belknap, and as near as the Credit Mobilier money was traced to Brooks and Colfax. Belknap ought to be set up as a reformer.

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Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.*	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.19 A. M. 6.50,	*10.15 P. M
" " Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,	10.59 "	5.50 "

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E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Lieut. Robert E. Rich, who recently sustained a compound comminuted fracture of his leg by a fall on the ice, is out again, apparently all right, or at least as right as he was before. The injured limb was skillfully treated by Dr. E. A. Tilton, on the Spauldingsglueteckhammerhemptwine system, with the gratifying result above noted.

Dr. George H. Everett, of New York, is to give a series of lectures on hygieine at Franklin Hall, commencing this (Friday) evening, when his subject will be "Muscular Christianity, or the True Temperance Reform," admission being free (for this lecture) and the front seats reserved for ladies and their escorts. Dr. Everett is warmly commended by the press, the Des Moines *Register* speaking of him as "a graceful, earnest speaker," and "in his profession a gentleman of high culture and stern professional training;" the Trenton *Gazette* says he "tells few anecdotes and no worn-out stories" and is "a sensible and gifted man;" the Cincinnati *Gazette* calls him "an earnest speaker, and a popular lecturer possessing talent of a high order." Dr. Everett, jointly with Dr. Susan Everett, M. D., is author of a work called "Health Fragments," a book which, while not aiming to run physicians and surgeons off the track, gives in a popular form a great deal of information regarding the human anatomy, hints on dress, exercise, food, etc., which cannot fail to be of great value to the non-professional reader. His lectures will be illustrated by manikins, charts and paintings.

Work in the bureau of construction at the navy yard was resumed on Thursday, and the prospect is that the Enterprise will be fitted for sea without much more delay.

The appropriations for the fortifications on Jerry's Point and Gerrish's Island have been stricken out of the appropriation bill.

Schooner George L. Treadwell, of this port, before reported ashore on Chincoteague Shoals, is now reported to be a total loss, with her cargo of corn. Her sails, rigging, anchors and chains were saved.

The St. John (N. B.) *Globe* says: "Mrs. Kent Mason-Clayton's preaching in St. James Church, Montreal, has caused some sensation in that city." The lady referred to preached in this city some months ago, and preached well, too, we are informed. But we neglected to give her preaching a "puff" after she had left the city, and were reminded of our neglect in a rather pompous letter from her husband, in which he demanded to know the reason his wife's preaching had not been noticed. We apologized at the time by printing his letter under the heading of "Cheek," but when we commence to do a commendable act we like to keep it up, so we hereby apologize some more.

Mad dogs are all the rage just now, if it is winter. This cannot be blamed to the "Centennial year," because that is past, thank goodness! Possibly it is a trick of Sam. Tilden's—he is "up" to almost everything in the shape of a dodge. Suncook had a mad dog a week ago, and Manchester had one on Saturday, and both bit numerous other dogs before being killed. Portsmouth has had no mad dogs yet, but there are plenty of them to run mad if they take the notion. The papers all over the Union, during the past month, have contained more accounts of rabid dogs and human deaths from hydrophobia than ever before in the same time.

Owing to the hard times the Concord Railroad, on the 6th, made a reduction in the number of its employes in Manchester, discharging five firemen and two cleaners and changing the employment of three engineers to that of firemen. Three other engineers were put back to shifting, that is in charge of the engines that are used about the yards and depots. The pay of the engineers who have been put on shifting engines will be $1.50 per day instead of $2.75, and that of the firemen who have been put back to cleaning will be $1.25 in place of $1.60. Substantially the same changes have been made at Concord.

Robins have come. One was seen in this city on Wednesday, and another (or the same one) in Keene on Thursday. The little red-breasted ninnies had better go South again.

The National Tube Works of Boston.

It is fortunate for the National Tube Works, remarks a contemporary, that their financial condition is strong, for such an attack as has lately been made on them, which does not appear to be borne out by facts, would ruin a company of moderate strength. The animus of the matter is shown by the fact that while it was published as a special to Boston, it was also published the same day in the papers of Pittsburg and other Western cities, although not in so gross a form. The facts in the case are learned to be as follows: First, no notice has been given to the company of any claim or suit by the Government, the first knowledge of it either being obtained from the article in the Boston *Journal* of the 31st ult. Second, the whole amount of the drawback claimed or received from the Government for six years is only $18,000, instead of $150,000 as reported, and for the last three years only $5000. For the last two years no drawback has been claimed on any goods exported. Third, in the years 1870 to 1873, the company imported English iron, on which they paid the Government over $200,000 gold as duties, and had on hand all the time plenty of English iron, and could have gained nothing by using American iron and pretending it was English. There was no motive for fraud. In 1870 the company thought a trade might be opened with Canada, and that market taken from English manufacturers, and as iron was then low in England, they gave some small orders, which they increased to a very large quantity, just as the market in England began to advance. From these importations the pipe was made upon which drawback was claimed. They have also exported pipe made of American iron, and sometimes in the same shipments with that made from English, but as their entries will show, they have always been kept separate, and drawback claimed only on the English iron. Nearly all the information the Government claims to have has been obtained from the books of the company, which were voluntarily offered to the Treasury agents a year ago, and the subject was then thoroughly investigated and dropped. The first news the company had of anything further was from the article that appeared in the Boston *Journal*. We are informed that the discharged clerk, with whom the charge originated, called at the company's office within a month, offering to get the matter settled if he could have some money, which offer was of course promptly declined.

New Hampshire Items.

John W. Rivers was Tuesday evening elected City Marshal of Dover, and Josiah Stackpole, Assistant Marshal.

One hundred jurors are to be drawn for attendance at the Supreme Court on the 26th, at Concord, from which to select a jury to try Joseph La Page, the murderer of Josie Langmaid. The trial will occur in the City Hall. It is expected that Judges Stanley and Allen will preside.

Mrs. Polly Calley died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Wooster Call, in Franklin, Jan. 31, at the advanced age of 94 years. She was a native of that part of Hampton which is now Kensington. She married Elder Benjamin Calley of Sanbornton, with whom she lived until his death, about 25 years ago. They had two sons and one daughter, all of whom are now living. She lived to see the fifth generation, having one great great grand child.

"I want you to vote for me. I have not a drop of democratic blood in my body. I am just as good a republican as I ever was." These are the words of Henry O. Kent to at least two republicans in the town of Lancaster. Verily, the democrats are hard up for candidate timber.—*Colebrook News.*

Mrs. Lucia McNelley died at Claremont on Sunday from the effects of severe burns received by her clothing taking fire from a stove a few weeks ago.

Frank G. Bean, in the employ of the Boston Ice Company at Meredith, had his leg crushed by being caught in some machinery. It was amputated above the knee.

President Bartlett, the new President of Dartmouth, will assume his duties April 2, and the college will have a holiday on that occasion. President Bartlett has a son who will enter the next Freshman class.

Pulpit advertising reached its climax at Holliss, when a notice was read from the pulpit on Sunday, stating that the drama "Neighbor Jackwood" would be played in the Town Hall on Tuesday evening.

No paupers in Sandown.

Ninety cents buys a bushel of potatoes at Littleton.

The paper mills at Bennington are greatly troubled by the want of water.

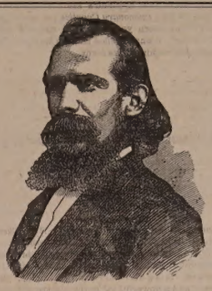
The report that Mr. John L. True, the station agent at West Epping, had both his legs cut off by a passing train is untrue.

This forenoon a man called at a house in ward one and offered some silk—which was put up in boxes and carried in various pockets in his clothing—for sale. The lady hesitated, whereupon the man said he was troubled with a sore throat and should prefer to step into the house out of the cold air. He was admitted. He told a pitiful story, and the lady, more in sympathy than because she wanted his wares, purchased a box of the silk for one dollar. She handed him a five dollar bill out of which to take his pay. He put it in his pocket and without tendering the change started to leave the house. The lady demanded her change, whereupon he threw four boxes of silk upon the table with the remark "There it is!" and left the house. She reported the transaction to the police station and one of the officers went in search of the rascal. At last accounts he had not been captured. He is a fraud. Look out for him. Don't be sold by him.—*Nashua Telegraph, 7th.*

The "independent" Springfield *Republican* denounces the contemptible trickery of David Dudley Field in his management of what used to be Proctor Knott's congressional committee. As that "independent" paper has for years been able to see no evil in anything done by a democrat and no good in anything done by a republican, this denunciation of Mr. Tilden's Attorney-at-Congress at first sight seems remarkable; but it is easily explained when it is remembered that Field, as the trusted counsel of that wholesale thief and corruptor of justice, Jim Fisk, once had Sam. Bowles imprisoned in the Tombs on a charge of "libelling" the pure and virtuous Fisk! Hence these tears.

Pickett and Hewitt—the two names go well together. And the ideas the two men entertained of morals are sweetly consonant. Pickett testifies thus: "I was to negotiate, if possible, money enough to pay Governor Wells and his fellow members of the Returning Board to do what I considered right and proper. Mr. Hewitt, with whom I endeavored to make the negotiation, I am happy to say, informed me that had our positions been reversed, if he had been in my place and I in his, he would have done precisely what I did."

—The late George Dawson said he hated theology and botany, but loved religion and flowers.



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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Eugenie's American Ancestry.

Yes, the Empress Eugenie's grandfather was the United States Consul at Malaga under Andrew Jackson's Presidency, and was also engaged in the highly honorable—though not either aristocratic, diplomatic, or consular—occupation of selling groceries. This American family afterward settled in Glasglow, and the "Misses Kirkpatricks" whom we saw in Paris were its youthful representatives, and her Majesty's very first cousins, being daughters of the Countess de Montijo's sister, and granddaughters (like Eugenie) of the American Consul and grocer at Malaga. So there you have it. The scandal against Eugenie was, you remember, that she was born three years after the death of the Count de Montijo, and was the illegitimate daughter of a dissolute noble who traced his lineage back to the Montezumas, whose arms Eugenie has always quartered with her Napoleonic bearings, without the addition of the bar sinister. Like a sensible and honorable woman Mme. de Montijo has shown that Eugenie was born in wedlock; that Count de Montijo descended from the Montezumas, and that she herself was the daughter of the American Consul aforesaid. There is no bar sinister anywhere around. But with such a lineage as this, is it any wonder that the proud Castilian Bourbon, Isabella Segunda, whose son is now [illegible] the throne of Spain, refused so long to recognize Eugenie as a sister-sovereign? And I verily believe that there are persons in English aristocratic circles who would have been better pleased to find the blue blooded bar sinister on Eugenie's escutcheon than to learn of her honorable descent from an American democrat.—*London cor. N. Y. Graphic.*

The Discovery of Gas.

Great was the amazement of England when, at the close of the last century, William Murdoch discovered the use of combustible air or gas. So little was the invention understood and believed in by those who had not seen it in use, that even great and wise men laughed at the idea. "How could there be light without a wick?" asked a member of Parliament, when the subject was brought up before the House. Even Sir Humphrey Davy ridiculed the idea of lighting towns by gas, and asked one of the proprietors if they meant to take the dome of St. Paul's for a gas meter. Sir Walter Scott, too, made himself merry over the idea of illuminating London by smoke, though he was glad enough, not so long after, to make his own home at Abbotsford light and cheery on wintry nights by the use of that very smoke. When the House of Commons was lighted by gas, the architect imagined that the gas ran on fire through the pipes, and he, therefore, insisted on their being placed several inches from the wall, for fear of the building taking fire, and members might have been seen touching the pipes with their gloved hands, and wondering they did not feel warm. The first shop lighted in London by the new method was Mr. Ackerman's, in the Strand, in 1810, and one lady of rank was so delighted with the brilliancy of the gas-lamp on the counter, that she asked to be allowed to take it home in her carriage. Mr. Murdoch was, however, too busy with other pursuits to continue to study the use of gas, and, though he was undoubtedly the first to apply it to practical purposes, many others laid claim to the honor, and other people quickly reaped the benefit of his cleverness and ingenuity. In this he shared the general fate of inventors.

Boys Don't Smoke.

A writer tells an anecdote of two well known American clergymen, one of whom undertook to rebuke the other for using the "weed."

"Brother H——," he exclaimed, without stopping to ask any other question, "Is it possible you smoke?"

"I must confess I do," the other quietly replied.

"Then I should quit it, sir!" the gentleman energetically continued. "It is a very unclerical habit, and I must say a very uncleanly one. Why, sir, even a hog would not smoke!"

"Brother H—," responded his amused listener, "do you smoke?"

"I! No, sir," he answered gruffly, with much indignation.

"Then, pray, which is more like the hog; you or I?"

—Dentists should not jaw each other.

—There is a man down in Texas who thought it would be a good plan to enclose his ostrich pasture with wire; but before he had finished the work the birds had eaten about forty yards of the fence. Then he said "I vum," and replaced the wire with chapparal.

—Susan Shrock of Princeton, Ky., had the reputation of being a wonderfully trustworthy fortune-teller, though she was not an old hag, as is the conventional seeress, but young and handsome. She predicted, some time ago, that C. Lewis Hollingsworth would meet his death at the hands of highwaymen, that his horse would return home alone, and that his body would never be found. A few days ago his horse returned home riderless, and Susan's reputation stood high until it was discovered that she, too, had disappeared and that Hollingsworth had taken his best clothes and all the money he could raise.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

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FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

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JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting the Votes.

On Friday the commission, by a vote of eight to seven, decided that the Electoral Vote of Florida was given for Hayes and Wheeler.

The vote was a strict party one, which shows that the hopes of those who looked to see some of the democratic members of the commission rise above partisanship are to be disappointed. Tilden had no shadow of claim to the electoral vote of Florida, either in law or equity, but there was not one democratic member of the committee had the honesty to acknowledge it.

Portland's Railroad Investments.

The Railroad Commission appointed by a vote of Portland City Council September 4th last past, to investigate the affairs of the Portland & Ogdensburg and Portland & Rochester Railroads, has reported to the City Council. They report that the total debt of the Rochester road, secured and unsecured, is $1,715,742, on which the interest is $100,000 per year and increasing, while the earnings are only $20,000. Of this debt the accumulated interest, discount and commissions aggregate $787,158, showing the wastefulness of building the road on credit. Save this wastefulness the Commission approve the management of the road, except in some minor matters mentioned. They recommend that the city dispose of entire its interest in the road and turn the proceeds into a sinking fund to redeem the bonds. The road is already put in the hands of a receiver. On the Ogdensburg road they find the total debt $2,997,290, with assets of about $54,000; also rolling stock of about $144,000; yearly interest on debt, $175,000; net earnings, $72,815. They find the waste in interest, disbounts and commissions to be $926,491. The Commission suggests that the citizens opposed to the loan notes will not feel gratified to learn that Ogdensburg paid over $2000 and Rochester about $600 of the cities' money to carry through the notes; also that the loan of $20,000 to the Canada road was hardly prudent. They, however, commend the uprightness of the managers. They advise the city to make no further advances, and at a favorable opportunity to dispose of its interest in the road. They thing it inexpedient to appoint a receiver at present, but advise the city to remain passive. They report that the city debt at the end of the financial year, March 31st proximo, will be $6,038,200, of which $2,000,000 is secured by the sinking fund, and $4,000,000 is a railroad loan, secured only by the bonds of these two roads. They recommend that the sinking funds be extended, and that the expenses be rigidly cut down to meet the debt without increasing the taxes. It winds up with an emphatic assertion that the city can never repudiate.

The Portland *Advertiser* thus concisely shows how Portland's railroad investments have turned out:

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Portland & Ogdensburg,	2,185,800
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Galt's wharf,	130,000
Total,	$4,110,664

But for these investments, the city would be free of debt. The only security for this sum is the mortgage claim upon the two roads. The commissioners do not recommend an enforcement of this claim, which would involve unknown liabilities for the maintenance and operation of the lines and for possible damages."

The Littlefield Conspiracy Unveiled.

The democrats had announced that they had a dynamite witness in the person of one Cavanac, democratic counsel before the Returning Board in New Orleans, but he had not been on the stand ten minutes before he practically unveiled the Littlefield conspiracy. He said he examined the return from Vernon parish when it was opened in the presence of the board; that it only contained two votes for Hayes, and was ordered to be canvassed by the board with only these two votes. If there have been any changes in the returns, he said they certainly have been made since the return was opened and canvassed, and that the result was published in the newspapers. This fully proves the republican theory that Littlefield made the changes after the parish had been canvassed. It could not therefore have been ordered done by the Returning Board, as nothing was to be accomplished. This testimony of a leading democratic witness is the strongest proof yet taken of Littlefield's conspiracy to change the return.

News and Notes.

A day or two ago a man called at the residence of a citizen of the Bunker Hill District, and informed the servant he wanted to see the master of the house. That gentleman came to the door, when the man said, "I have been and heard Moody and Sankey and have reformed. Here is $20 which I defrauded you of ten years ago."

John W. Richards, of Dixmont, Me., was arrested in Lawrence, Mass., on Thursday, on a charge of adultery, he having ran away with a niece of his wife. Before leaving Dixmont he beat a brother-in-law, named Croxford, over the head with a sledstake, so that he will probably die, in which event Richards will be tried for murder.

James Gordon Bennett's dogs have been sold at auction, in obedience to a telegraphic order sent by him from Europe, and went dog cheap. A pair of Gordon setters, said to have cost $1000, went for $40. Several other setters sold for about the same price. Four English mastiffs brought from $12 to $14 apiece, while two noble Newfoundland dogs, highly bred, and said to have cost a large sum, sold for a good deal less than their value. A pup brought $25, while of a lot of spaniels only one brought $25, the others selling at prices ranging from $15 to $20. It is reported that Mr. Bennett's stable will soon be sold under the hammer.

The famous shorthorn cow "Tenth Duchess of Geneva" is dead. This animal was bought by Lord Bective at New York Mills, State of New York, in 1873, for over $30,000.

John O'Mahoney, the ex-Fenian leader, died in New York Tuesday night.

The American House, of Boston, has a great reputation for the excellence of its table, the cleanliness and comfort of its rooms, and the air of perfection which pervades every department. The location of the house is unsurpassed, and the charges are reasonable.

All hope seems to be abandoned respecting the steamship Colombo, which left Hull, England, sixty days ago, for New York.

Two of the men who recently began a raid on the illicit South Carolina whiskey distillers have been killed, and several wounded.

Mary Palmer of New York, aged twenty-five, has just got $1,000 in a breach of promise case against Aaron Strauss, aged sixty. The striking feature is that Strauss was a married man when he courted the girl, and his lawyer says that, as a lover, "he was as foolish as he was old."

An unfortunate affair recently occurred in Stamford, Conn., apparently through misapprehension, which has caused some excitement. Two young men, Edgar L. and Addison Studwell, in returning from Long Ridge, about four o'clock in the morning, from certain circumstances were taken for burglars or incendiaries by a family named Ferris, and were boldly attacked by three of the brothers armed with axes and clubs. They defended themselves with equal courage, using a pistol, but were finally overcome, badly beaten, tied, carted into town, and delivered to an officer. The Ferris family were morbidly sensitive about incendiaries, having had two barns burned in a couple of years.

That runaway cashier of the First National Bank of Franklin, Ind., is the champion bank robber of the age. He carted off the whole concern, loading a wagon full of all the bank books and all the available funds, amounting to $140,000, and left behind him only the bank building and a curt note saying that Chicago speculation did his business and that it was useless to attempt to find him.

Brig Alberta, Captain Hinkley, of Machiasport, Me., left New York for Falmouth, England, December 8th. As nothing has been heard from her fears are entertained that she is lost with all hands.

Thomas Riley, of Boston, committed suicide Wednesday evening by throwing himself in front of a locomotive. His mind was deranged.

Committees have been formed in New York and Boston to receive subscriptions to the fund for providing a pedestal for the colossal statue of Liberty Enlightening the World, to be erected on Bedloe's island, New York harbor. The Boston committee consists of the following named gentlemen: Charles Francis Adams, Thomas G. Appleton, Richard Frothingham, Charles C. Perkins, Frederick O. Prince, Joseph W. Revere, Alexander H. Rice, Sam. H. Russell, Horace Binney Sargent, John Collins Warren, Robt. C. Winthrop.

The case of the United States vs. Wm. W. Belknap, late Secretary of War, has been *nolle pros'd* by the Attorney General, on the ground that the evidence would not probably suffice to secure a conviction.

In 1876, $64,620,000 worth of property was burned in the United States.

Fifteen Protestant churches have been established in Brazil since 1859.

The nineteen piano-making firms in Boston turn out about 8000 pianos a year, aggregating an annual business of $2,500,-000; more than half of which, however, is done by three firms.

The Oregon Vote.

Senator Mitchell of the Committee on Privileges and Elections, charged with the investigation of the Oregon electoral vote, will submit his report to the Senate early next week. After reviewing the case in all its details, showing Watts' participation in the action of the Electoral College of the State, the report sums up in the following propositions: First, conceding that Watts was ineligible, the Governor of the State had no jurisdiction to discriminate, and his action in the premises was void. Second, that the question of Watts' eligibility was never raised before any tribunal; he did not take his seat in the college on the ground that he was made an Elector by the votes of the people, but in consequence of his election by a majority of the college, and therefore his vote cannot now be challenged; third, under the laws of Oregon the Electors present on the day of the meeting of the college fill any vacancies occasioned by death, refusal to act, or neglect to attend, or otherwise; therefore admitting for argument sake, but not as a fact, that the election by the people was void, the college had full authority to fill the vacancy. Fourth, the Governor's certificate, on its face, shows that two republican Electors were elected; there were a majority of the College, and the only ones contemplated by the law to fill a vacancy; their record is the only one admissible, and it shows that Cronin did not attend the meeting or participate in its proceedings; that he set himself up as the Electoral College of Oregon, and proceeded to fill the other two places without a shadow of authority under the law governing the case.

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Boston & Lowell R. R.	66¼
Boston & Maine	99¼
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	127¼
Nashua & Lowell	3
Concord	78
Eastern	5¼
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	115
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Extra " "	50	"
" Fomosa "	65	"
Japan "	82	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	12½	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35	"
" " Rio "	30	"
" Green Java "	28	"
" " Rio "	25	"
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Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 5.30 "	
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

THE CONCERT.

The concert given on Thursday evening in Franklin Hall by the Artistes' Quartette of Boston was one of those entertainments with which the people of Portsmouth are favored at very rare intervals. We should feel that we were well nigh offering an insult to the gifted ladies who compose the quartette did we remark that the audience was not so large as the performance merited. Such a concert deserves an attendance that would compel seekers even for "standing room" to turn away unsupplied. The wonderful power of their voices, with their purity and sweetness of tone, brings them into favor with even the most unappreciative, while to the lovers of artistic merit their singing must be a source of the greatest delight. We cannot undertake to comment in detail upon the concert of Thursday evening, but will simply say that the whole entertainment was a string of musical pearls. If they could be induced to visit us again we dare say they would be favored with a good house. Col. F. W. Hilton, proprietor of the Rockingham House, to whom their coming is due, deserves the thanks of the citizens of Portsmouth, for the treat they afforded us.

JOTTINGS.

Leslie Norman, of this city, the young colored man sent to State prison some time ago, in company with Thomas Conners, for firing a dwelling in Barnstead at the instigation of a third person, was pardoned by the Governor and Council at their recent meeting.

The schooner George L. Treadwell, of this port, wrecked on Chincoteague Shoal, on her passage from Virginia to New York, registered 113 tons, and was built at Essex, Mass., in 1875. The steamtug Nettie, with wrecking schooner Henrietta in tow, arrived at Norfolk on the 4th, from the wreck, and reported that they found the Treadwell listed over very badly, and righted her, but in doing so discovered that about sixty feet of her keel was gone, and her cargo of corn coming out through her bottom. The vessel was in such a bad condition that nothing could be done to save her.

Capt. Thomas E. O. Marvin, of the Ports mouth Light Artillery, has been appointed an aid on the Governor's staff, with the rank of Colonel. Col. Marvin has resigned the captaincy of the Light Artillery.

The truth of the report of an attempt to rob Mr. Thomas Moore, of North Hampton, by two men who knocked him off a carplatform at Greenland depot, is denied by persons who were present at the time and say he was not knocked off by any one. A correspondent says Mr. Moore had a considerable sum of money about him, left the cars at Greenland, and was accompanied to his home by a gentleman living near the depot, and that neither he nor any one else around the depot knew anything of an assault with intent to rob until they saw the account in the papers.

The annual ball and promenade concert of the Second Light Battery (Section A) of Dover, was given on Friday evening in Dover City Hall. Harlow's orchestra, of this city, furnished the music, and a number of Portsmouth's military men (among them Col. T. E. O. Marvin) went up to take part in the affair, which was entirely successful and gave great pleasure to the participants.

The Reform Club will hold their meeting as usual at Franklin Hall, Sunday evening. Dr. LePoer of Lowell, Mass., will be the speaker. Subject, Physiology of Delirium Tremens—Alcohol on the Brain. The Fitchburg *Press* says, of one of the doctor's lectures: "It was the most original temperance lecture we ever listened to. He is deeply read, and eloquent."

Schooner T. J. Trafton, of this port, from Wiscasset, Me., at Philadelphia, Feb. 7th, had a boat stove and her stern slightly damaged on the 6th inst., by collision with the oysterboat Mary Ann, while being towed up the river.

Subject at Bow Mission, Sunday after noon, "Render unto Cæsar the things that are Cæsar's."

The anchors of the schooner J. D. McCarthy, wrecked on Salisbury Beach while on the way to this port, were recovered on Wednesday.

The first annual ball of the Veteran Artillery Association will take place on Thursday evening, Feb. 22d, and the management are determined to make it as much of a success in its way as the clam-bake at Hotel Wentworth last Autumn was in that line.

Schooner Alfaretta, of this port, has been purchased by Capt. John J. Thurlow of Newburyport, and will be fitted for the fishing business. Capt. Thurlow was master and part owner of schooner General Taylor, wrecked on Odiorne's Point some weeks ago in a snow-storm, for want of a proper fog-signal at this port.

A woman, in attempting to cross Puddle Dock on the ice, Friday forenoon, broke through when about the middle and went down up to her neck, but managed to scramble out unaided and get ashore unharmed, though very wet and frightened.

On Friday afternoon Mr. Henry Peyser saw a horse dash past him up Market street, and remarked that it looked something like his team. Not long after he was accosted by some young men who had stopped a runaway horse near Mr. John Sise's insurance agency on Market Square, and after a brief inspection of the animal became satisfied it was his. A little later the wreck of a sleigh was produced, but that Mr. Peyser positively refused to own until his son recognized it. No particular damage was done except to the sleigh, which was pretty thoroughly demolished.

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, the annual reports of the school committee and the high school committee were received, read, accepted and ordered to be printed.

The pay-roll of inquests on the bodies of Abram Dudley and John Bragg ($88.93) was referred to the committee on claims.

Samuel P. Treadwell's bills for discounts on taxes, $6192.38, and commissions, $764.61, and for real estate sold for taxes unredeemed, $497.56, were approved.

The committee on fire department, who were requested to examine Franklin Opera Hall, reported that the doors on the outside of the hall, which open inward, should be made to open outward, and that Mr. Stavers had agreed to make the change.

Repairing bell-frame of the North church was referred to the Mayor with power.

Communication from L. W. Brewster, appealing from the award of the committee on printing for printing the city accounts, was received and laid on the table.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred the claim of S. M. Weeks, reported that the railroad crossing on Islington street is in good condition and that they had no evidence that it had not been so ever since its construction. The report was accepted.

The committee on accounts reported the usual monthly batch of bills, which were ordered to be paid.

The subject of gas used by the tenants of the Elm street ward-room and other public buildings was referred to committee on city lands and buildings to report to the full Board.

The application of Thomas Gay, for rental of upper story of the spring market, was referred to the committee on city lands and buildings.

Andrew Sherburne's bill for use of water at Plains school-house for five years ($30) was referred to the committee on claims.

Adjourned for two weeks.

New Hampshire Items.

Mr. Joseph Hazelton, a well-known resident of Hudson, one day last week assisted a friend to dress a sore. While engaged in the operation a portion of the virus became attached to a slight scratch on his finger. Since that time his fingers, hand and arm have swollen badly and have assumed a dark color. Wednesday afternoon he became insane and commenced an assault on his friends; he also attempted to damage his dwelling by breaking the glass in the windows, and then fled to one of his neighbors barefooted over the icy roads, where he was cared for until his friends arrived and took him in charge. His physicians do not expect him to live.

It is reported that the Souhegan Mill property in Milford has been sold to the Columbia Company at Greenville, and Milford residents hope for better days.

Albert Griffith of Keene was dragged under a loaded ox sled, a few days ago, and several of his ribs were broken and he appeared to be otherwise internally injured so that it was thought on Wednesday he could not survive.

Mr. B. P. Burns of Hollis, on Sunday, picked off the snow eight young live grasshoppers. A small spot of bare ground was within a few feet of where they were found, and they probably hibernated in the grass, the sun bringing them into activity.

Jemima Eldredge, about 70 years of age, started January 18th, from the house of Moses Cooper, in Effingham, to walk to the house of a Mr. Piper, her brother-in-law, who lived about a mile distant in Wakefield. Not returning when expected and never arriving at Mr. Piper's, search was made which resulted in finding her body, the next Saturday, about forty rods from her destination. It is supposed she became bewildered, wandered from the road and was unable to proceed farther through the deep snow.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council held in Concord on Thursday, John Farr was appointed Justice and Albert S. Batchelder Special Justice of the Police Court at Littleton. A new Police Court was established at Exeter; John J. Bell was appointed Justice and George E. Lane Special Justice. Captain Thomas E. O. Marvin of Portsmouth was appointed aid on the Governor's Staff, with the rank of Colonel. The petition for the pardon of Thomas Weir, now serving out a life sentence in the State Prison for the murder of Caleb Dyer, the head of the Enfield Shakers, was withdrawn.

Edward T. Wight of Contocookville, found beside the railroad in Concord some time ago terribly injured, has recovered sufficiently to charge one Barney Murphy of Concord with the assault.

—Sidney, Australia, has its hoodlums, who go about in gangs of twenty or thirty, break street lamps, maltreat policemen, tear down fences and sign-boards, assault and hustle quiet folks at high noon, and practice theft and robbery. They are locally known as "larrikins."

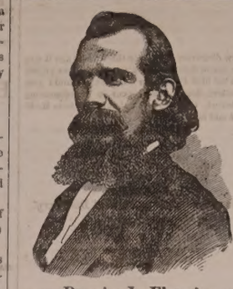
—The following notice is posted conspicuously in a Scotch office: "Shut the door, and when you have done talking on business serve your mouth the same way."

—The editor of a Turkish journal in Constantinople has been whipped to death for telling the truth. This never has happened in America.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch Stephen Woodbury, Farrell, for this port from Hoboken, passed through Hell Gate Feb 7.

Sch Golden Gate, Ance, from this port, arr at Boston Feb 8.



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"You must retire, mister, the Commission is to meet in secret session."

"In a moment," answered the stranger.

"But you must come now; no spectators are allowed here."

"I have a word to say to the Commission," was the response. "I am entirely non-partisan, and have a suggestion to offer."

The messenger thinking he was an insane man—many of whom come to the capital with one mania or another—seized him by the arm and attempted to remove him by force. The Commission were just taking their seats on the bench.

"Just one moment," gasped the stranger, "just one moment, I beg you, in the name of 45,000,000 of anxious people."

"What does the man want?" asked Justice Clifford.

The messenger released him.

"If the honorable Commission will allow me a word," said the stranger, "I would like to make a suggestion."

"Are you an objector or an attorney?" asked the presiding Justice.

"Neither; I represent the non-partisan press, and from a totally unbiassed standpoint I wish to suggest a basis of compromise which will be acceptable to the honorable Commission, I have no doubt, and carry with it the confidence of the people. I desire to suggest that the Commission agree upon a compromise with Charles Francis Adams as President."

"Take him out!" roared Justice Clifford to the messenger; "remove him at once."

The messenger obeyed orders and rushed the stranger out into the corridor, when he sought refuge in the bosom of a friend until he could control his emotion, and then went to the House reporters' gallery and asked if there was a ticket of admission for Samuel Bowles.—*Cor. N. Y. Graphic.*

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The man who cultivates fruit for profit had better confine himself to only a few, and those known to be adapted to his soil and climate. Our promological, horticultural and agricultural societies are perhaps somewhat at fault in this matter, for they invariably offer the largest premium for the greatest number of varieties, and it is not strange that there should be some strife for the highest prize. The man who only exhibits a dozen varieties of pears by the side of another who spreads out a collection of two or three hundred, appears to be rather "small potatoes," although he may be in reality the more extensive cultivator of the two, and deserves more credit for possessing wisdom enough to avoid such indiscriminate planting of second rate sorts. *Moore's Rural.*

Moody on Miracles.

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For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

News and Notes.

Simon Cameron, now nearly eighty years of age, is defendant in a breach-of-promise suit brought against him by Miss Mary S. Oliver, aged forty or thereabouts. Miss Oliver asks $50,000 as a salve for her wounded feelings.

Henry Barrows of Pelham, Mass., a farmer, hanged himself Friday morning in a fit of insanity.

The State Council of Sovereigns of Industry of Maine will meet in Augusta on the 21st inst.

Samuel Cantrell, of New York, a very wealthy retired merchant, shot himself to death on Friday, through fear of coming to poverty.

Troops have arrived at Greensboro, N. C., preparatory to making a raid on illicit distilleries in the mountain regions in that State. The illicit distillers of North and South Carolina and Georgia have, of late, been carrying on this business in the most open manner, and when raided on by revenue officials have made armed resistance, and during the past three weeks have killed three or four Government officers. During the past few days the revenue officers, assisted by United States troops, have captured over forty illicit distilleries in the State of Georgia. The Government is organizing a raid on this class of law-breakers in South Carolina. Revenue officers and troops are stationed at various points in North and South Carolina, and it is hoped that illicit distillation in these two States will soon be broken up.

Who shall persist longer in calling woman's the weaker sex? There was Miss Jennie Dailey, daughter of ex-Judge Dailey, on Wednesday night, going through all the musical intricacies and complications of a solo at an entertainment in a Williamsburg lyceum. The place was crowded to excess, and one of Miss Dailey's leaves of music fluttered away from her, fell on the footlights, commenced to blaze, and the audience, full of Brooklyn Theatre horror recollections, began to rush. Miss Dailey, expensively gloved, white-kidded—three, may be six-buttoned—brought her graceful proportions to a lean-over, grasped the burning music in her expensive, immaculate kid, squeezed it and smothered it, regardless of ruin to $3 glove. Vocal impromptu fire department was successful; the panic was stopped, and Miss Dailey resumed her solo. *N. Y. Paper.*

Schooner Jolly Tar of St. Margaret's Bay has been lost at Boone Bay, Newfoundland. All hands drowned.

At Franklin, Ind., Friday morning, R. T. Taylor, the defaulting cashier of the First National Bank, was found in the back room of a doctor's office in an unconscious and apparently dying condition. He was removed to his own residence. The doctors declare him insane. He had no money with him, but said his travelling bag, supposed to contain the money taken from the bank, was left in a caboose car. It is believed the loss to the bank will reach $175,000. The general ledger and other books of importance are still missing.

At Hampshire Hall, Boston, Friday evening, about forty of those dissatisfied with the action of the Convention held in that place, Wednesday and Thursday, to consider the condition of the poor, held a meeting and ventilated their ideas. Two of the speakers expressed a hope that 100,000 of the poor of Boston would rise and butcher the wealthy citizens if they did not share a portion of their money with them. This was a little too revolutionary for most of those present and they thereupon cleared out.

The contention in the Direct Cable Company has done good by the information it has elicited respecting transatlantic telegraphy. The rivals represent a very large amount of capital, $35,000,000 being nominally invested in the Anglo-American and $6,000,000 in the Direct Company. The latter with only one cable has now acquired 31 per cent. of the ocean telegraphing, thereby reducing considerably the traffic of the older corporation. This inroad upon a dangerous monopoly of course chiefly benefited this country, since Canada yields only three per cent. of the total traffic. The Direct Company is essentially a foreign corporation, only 172 of its 65,000 shares being held in this country. The support it receives here and from the London press is therefore clearly due to public interest in the maintenance of a healthy rivalry in the telegraphic business of the two continents. As many as 58,520 shares were represented at the recent voting. Although it was attended with great complexity, the monopolists met a signal defeat. The attempt will doubtless be renewed to quench the greed for large dividends at the public expense.—*New York Tribune.*

Trinity church, Boston, was consecrated on Friday. This church has cost fully $750,000, and there is not a dollar of debt on it. At the administration of the Lord's Supper in connection with the services of consecration an incident occurred illustrative of the growing harmony among the clergy of all denominations. Among the congregation were Rev. Edward Everett Hale, Rev. Rufus Ellis, Rev. James Freeman Clarke and other Unitarian clergymen, who approached the altar and received the Holy Communion at the hands of the Episcopal Bishops. It is doubtful if such an occurrence was ever witnessed before.

Charles Henry Simpson and Martin Henry, both colored men, were hung at Port Tobacco, Maryland, on Friday, for the murder of John W. Everett in July last.

Schooner General Grant, of Gloucester, struck a rock off Long Harbor, N. S., and is a total wreck. Crew saved.

Probably no two hotels in the country have been so much looked up to and talked of as models to be imitated and emulated as the Tremont and Revere Houses of Boston, and in the lusty winter of their age they still defy the competition of many of their more pretentious rivals. Messrs. Chapin, Gurney & Co. now manage both houses, than whom none know better how to minister to the wants of sojourners at a hotel. Both houses are well patronized, and continue to be famous as resorts for the most distinguished artists, diplomats, and scions of nobility.

Among the most interesting articles which the Old South collection has been the means of bringing to light lately are a pair of ballot boxes, found in an old chest which was formerly the property of Gen. Joseph Warren. The chest was part of the furniture of the old Warren House at Roxbury and has remained in the possession of the family. General Warren was a members of St. Andrew's Lodge and Grand Master of the Masons of Massachusetts. Such articles as those in question would naturally have been entrusted to his keeping, and the quaint old chest was a most appropriate receptacle for them. The boxes are in a very good state of preservation, and are well filled with black and white balls. They are deposited in the collection by a member of the family.

The Boston & Maine Trouble.

The Committee appointed by the locomotive engineers in the employ of the Boston & Maine Railroad corporation who are dissatisfied with their present condition and treatment by the officials, having submitted a list of propositions which were utterly ignored by President White, they at once telegraphed for Mr. P. McArthur of Cleveland, Ohio, Grand Chief Engineer of the Locomotive Brotherhood. Upon his arrival in Boston he at once consulted with the engineers and addressed a communication to President White, requesting an interview with that gentleman and a Committee of the engineers for the purpose of coming to an amicable settlement if possible, but that official declined and would listen to no proposition whatever. There being no other alternative the Committee submitted the following final propositions Friday afternoon:

"BOSTON, Feb. 1, 1877.

To the President and Superintendent of the Boston and Maine Railroad: We, the undersigned, a Committee representing the locomotive engineers in your employ, most respectfully submit the following propositions for your approval:

First—On and after Feb. 1st all engineers who have been in the company for the term of two years shall receive $3.50 per day, the present schedule and miles run per day to constitute a day's work.

Second—All firemen promoted by the company to the position of engineer shall receive, for the first year, $2.50 per day for the same service.

Third—For the second year they shall receive $3 per day for the same service.

Fourth—All engineers running shifters shall receive $3.25 per day, provided they have been in the employ of the company two years.

Fifth—The oldest men in the employ of the company to have the preference of trains and engines when vacant, if found competent and worthy; and in case of a surplus of men the work to be equally divided among the whole."

These propositions were also ignored by the President, and as all efforts on the part of the engineers to secure a peaceful compliance with what they demand as their rights, it has been determined to strike, and McArthur states that in so doing they will be supported by some 12,000 engineers. In anticipation of trouble upon the line of the road, and in response to a telegram from Reading, Superintendent Furber with a number of men went to that place Friday evening.

Political.

It is several weeks since David Dudley Field seized the bank accounts of Hon. Z. Chandler and Hon. R. C. McCormick, officers of the National Republican Committee. When will the Senate Committee examine the accounts of Col. Pelton, Messrs. Hewitt, Borman and Tilnen? Let us know how the bar'l of money was used by the party of purity and reform.

While the democrats are bemoaning the "partisanship" of the High Tribunal, perhaps it may comfort them to know that their distinguished counsel, Judge Jerry Black, has invented yet another brand-new way of settling the dispute. As the Judge expounds it to his friends in Washington, its charming simplicity is only equalled by its thoroughness. "Count Cronin," says the Judge. "Thus throw the election into Congress. Let the House elect Tilden. Let the Senate elect Wheeler. Then kill Tilden, and thus the whole affair will be promptly settled *without bloodshed!*" Most of Judge Black's friends in Washington seem to entertain the same kindly estimate of the man they are struggling to get into the Presidential chair.—*Tribune.*

When Mr. Charles O'Conor said in his argument before the Commission that no honest man could say that the Hayes electors of Florida were elected without blushing, Mr. Evarts replied, "I can say so without blushing, and I believe that I am an honest man." If Mr. O'Conor heard it, his gentlemanly instincts must have made him blush.—*Wash. Repub.*

The Electoral bill assumes a more rosate hue in the opinion of some editors as the probability of a decision favorable to their side increases. Thus the Council Bluffs *Nonpareil* says: "A careful review of the situation as it now presents itself convinces us that the Electoral bill means Hayes. We didn't like the measure when it was broached, and we don't like it now, but we accept its meaning with a cheerful promptness bordering on alacrity."

The public will be surprised to learn that it has misjudged the democratic party. The discovery has been made by the Raleigh (N. C.) *Sentinel*, a journal which appears to be impressed with the "dignified silence" of its party in connection with the Presidential question. It says: "What the bearing of the democratic party has been, every man knows. Not a democrat's voice has been raised in threat; not a democratic shot has been fired. The democrats have been restrained from holding meetings lest they should alarm timid people. Since November last they have preserved the most dignified silence, waiting in perfect confidence for the final judgment of the law. A sublimer instance of self-government by a people has never been seen in the history of the race." The confounding of the democratic party with the people in the last sentence is the best thing since the three tailors of Tooley-street.

Ex-Detective James White, on trial in the United States District Court at Cincinnati, charged with procuring illegal votes to be cast at the late Presidential election, was on Friday found guilty and remanded for sentence. He is a "reformer," of course.

President Grant is the target of a deal of abuse for his alleged pardoning of all the whiskey thieves. As usual this abuse has one part of fact to nine parts of fiction to rest upon. McDonald, one of the parties pardoned, is so ill of consumption that he cannot live but a short time, while McKee is a broken down, old man. Maguire, once a personal friend of the President, and Joyce are serving out their sentences, all efforts to secure pardon being fruitless.

—Admiral Porter once paid a visit to the late Admiral Alden as they were lying in the Mississippi river, waiting for an upward movement. A rebel battery on shore sighted the steamer, and sent a few flying shot which scattered among the rigging where the men were taking a look at the country. The tars came tumbling down helter skelter. "Look here, Jim," said Admiral Porter, "I thought you told me you had a brave crew." "So I did," replied Alden, "but they ain't on duty just now."

—An organ was some time ago introduced in a parish church in the north of Scotland, and some of the members took offence and left. One of these soon after met another member and inquired "hoo the organ was gittin' on?" "O, fine," was the answer; "jist blawin' awa the chaff an' keepin' the corn."

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Great Falls	9.45 "		4.45 "
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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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JOTTINGS.

The ladies of the reform club are making arrangements to hold a fair at Franklin Hall on the evenings of Feb. 27th and 28th and March 1st. Contributions are respectfully solicited.

George H. Everett, M. D., of New York, gave the first of his series of lectures at Franklin Hall Friday evening, to a large audience. The doctor paid especial attention in this lecture to diet, to the effects of certain food upon the system, in short, to what it is best to eat and what we should not eat, and gave much good, sound advice, not only his own experience but that of many. His condemnation of white flour bread, or as he termed it, bread made from flour with all that is good in the wheat thrown out, and his commendation of graham flour, oat meal, beans, and many other things that have been held up as the best for the health of the people, was strong. The second lecture, on Saturday evening, was also largely attended, ably delivered, interesting and it is to be hoped useful. The third lecture will be given this (Monday) evening. See advertisement.

In the Superior Criminal Court, at Boston, Saturday morning, the grand jury returned an indictment against Horace P. Smith, the defaulting messenger of the Eastern Railroad Corporation, who, on Tuesday, Jan. 24, fled with $6000, funds of the corporation which had been entrusted to his care to give to a conductor. It will be remembered that in order to conceal his crime for a time and thereby effect his escape, Smith placed the conductor's name upon the receipt book at the Treasurer's office, thereby adding forgery to the list of his other offences. In Court, Saturday morning, he pleaded guilty, and was remanded to jail to await sentence, which will probably be imposed on Wednesday.

The upper channel can buoy in the harbor, near the stone beacon, has been shirking its watch for several days. On Friday it kept under water nearly all the time, only showing at slack tide, and on Saturday it was not on the lookout at all. It is either full of water and sunk, or held under by the fouling of its mooring chain—most likely the former.

The Constitution of New Hampshire, as amended by the late Constitutional Convention, has been distributed in pamphlet form to the citizens of Portsmouth. Voters should carefully consider the several amendments proposed, that they may vote understandingly on the question of their adoption when the time comes. The men to be elected in March will hold office but a year or two at most; the vote for or against any or all the Constitutional Amendments will be felt for many years—possibly as long as New Hampshire is a State.

Attention is invited to the advertisement of the Inman Line of New York and Liverpool steamers, in another column. The vessels of this line are among the largest and finest afloat, ably officered and fully manned, and found in everything which experience or science has discovered or invented to increase the comfort and secure the safety of those who "go down to the sea in ships."

A SPECULATION.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 7th.

Representative Frank Jones is just now busy in distributing among the republican voters of his district two thousand copies of Ben. Perley Poore's Congressional directory, bound in a cheap showy cover, and lettered in gilt with the names of the persons to whom they are sent, and the "compliments of Frank Jones" added; the cost of this useful book in its gaudy clothing is 39 cents per copy. Of course he expects those who receive it to vote for him at the coming election. It must be considered a compliment by each of those men to reflect that Frank Jones expects to buy his vote for 39 cents. He also has a well known substitute broker from Maine busily engaged in begging or buying agricultural reports of democratic Senators and Representatives, to be used in the same way. A list of the names of those whom he estimates at thirty-nine cents could be published herewith, but it is considered best to wait and see who are captured by the bait. His lieutenant is a pretended republican, who boasts that he and Jones can carry the district for either party any time they try.

Republicans of the First District, remember that the control of the House of Representatives may turn on your votes, and don't be bought by 39-cent books, especially by a man who confidently expects to buy you. Keep watch and see how many 39-cent men he finds. SENTINEL.

New Hampshire Items.

Samuel Colcord's shingle mill in Exeter was burned Friday.

Franklin Holtt, of Durham, forty-nine years of age and the eldest son of Gen. Alfred Holtt, died a few days ago of dropsy. This is the first death in Gen. Holtt's family of thirteen children.

A few evenings since, Henry Clough, of East Weare, accompanied by a young lady, drove nine miles to attend a party, with a pair of four-year-old oxen attached to a wood sled. It is unnecessary to add that Mr. Clough and lady enjoyed the drive very much.

James Smith of St. Louis has presented the Peterborough Town Library with the sum of $3000. He formerly resided there and makes this gift "as a token of his regard for his native town." The library at present contains upwards of 3000 volumes, and this addition will increase its usefulness and value to a great degree.

Edward L. Perkins of Boston has brought an important bill in equity in the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of New Hampshire against the Nashua Card and Glazed Paper Company, through its officers, alleging that he (Perkins) was the first inventor of the machine for making pasteboard; that he received letters patent for the same for seven years from Nov. 28, 1876, and that the Nashua Company have infringed upon this patent. Defendants make a general denial, and contend that plaintiff was not the original inventor of said machinery for which letters patent were granted; that they are null and void, and of no force or effect, because Perkins consented and allowed his invention to be in public use for more than two years before his application for a patent.

In the Supreme Court at Exeter, the effort to break the will of Sarah A. Chase of Fremont has failed, the verdict being for the defendants. The sum involved was $20,000, principally bequeathed to the town of Fremont.

The Wilton Unitarian Society have called Rev. Mr. Tindell of Fall River.

Mrs. Justin Spear of Manchester has died from being thrown from a sleigh.

In the Supreme Court at Concord, the jury disagreed in the case of Rev. Harlan P. Gage and wife of Boston vs. the city of Concord, a suit brought to recover damages of $2500 for injury received in a fall upon the street February 6, 1875. The jury was out all night.

Francestown Savings Bank is in trouble. It is the old story of bad investments and depression of stocks. The depositors will be cut down 20 per cent.

J. L. Merrill, of Nashua, died on Friday night from the effects of drinking water that ran through lead pipe. He was formerly keeper of the city farm and was a highly respected citizen.

Rev. Silas Ketchum, late of Maplewood, Mass., a zealous antiquarian and President of the New Hampshire Antiquarian Society, has been called to the Congregational Church at Henniker.

A. J. Sherburne's stable at Pittsfield was burned Friday night; loss about $4000. Insured. Two horses were burned in the stable.

Why He Wept.

He left her and stepped out to see a friend between acts.

"Why, Edward," said she, when he returned, "there are tears in your eyes."

"Yes, pet," replied he solemnly. "I suppose there are—I saw such a sad sight when I was out."

"You did dear—what was it?" inquired she.

"Such a sad sight,"—continued he, keeping his face away that she might not smell his breath—"I discovered a young man whom I have known for years drinking whiskey."

"You did?"

"Yes, standing right in plain sight before me, partaking deeply and carelessly of the dreadful intoxicating glass."

There was a little pause, when the young lady suddenly said:

"Edward, was he standing right in front of you?"

"Yes, pet," was the reply.

There was another pause, when the young lady asked again:

"Edward, don't most of the fashionable saloon counters have great mirrors right on the walls behind them?"

Edward flushed a little and looked quizzical as he replied that he "believed" they did. And there he permitted the subject to drop.—*Chicago Journal.*

Who Set Fire to Richmond?

New light seems to be thrown upon the old controversy as to the responsibility for the partial destruction of Richmond at its evacuation by the Confederate forces at the close of the war. In a suit pending in the Circuit Court at Richmond, entitled Graham vs. the Mutual Assurance Society of Richmond, this question has been raised. The company sets up the defense that the burning of the city was an act of war and that it is not, therefore, liable to pay the amount which would otherwise be due upon its policies. Numerous attempts have heretofore been made to prove that Richmond was burned by order of the Confederate General Ewell, a Confederate officer having already testified that he fired the city by direct order of General Ewell. Ewell had always refused to give any evidence on this point, but in the case now pending, the attorneys have entered into a stipulation by which this fact is admitted. It is further asserted that Gen. Ewell caused the burning of the city, in obedience to a statute of the Confederate Congress requiring the officer in command at Richmond to set fire to the city whenever it fell into the hands of the Union forces.

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CALL. At Kittery Point, Feb. 7, John Call, Esq., aged 70 years, 5 months.

LYNN. In Charlestown, Mass., Feb. 10th, Clarence Albert Lynn, only child of Albert C. and Emma S. Lynn, aged 1 year, 1 month.

MARINE CHRONICLE

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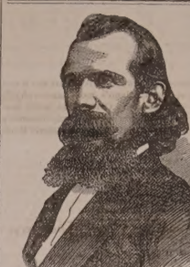

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Experiment with Torpedoes.

The following account of some experiments with submarine torpedoes made at Chetham, England, by the Royal Engineers attached to the School of Submarine Mining, in the presence of the Duke of Cambridge and his staff, will probably repay perusal. It is taken from a recent number of the London *Engineering*:

"The officials at Chetham had received advices from the War Office, stating that on a given date the Duke of Cambridge, Commander-in-Chief, and a numerous suite of ladies and gentleman, among the latter being many foreign attaches, and officials of various grades—would visit the 'school' for the purpose of witnessing a series of torpedo trials. The day specified arrived, as also did the expected visitors, who mustered in great force, owing perhaps to the weather, which was beautiful. The usual preliminaries having been gone through, the business of the day commenced. * * * The principal feature of the programme, the *coup de grace*, as it were of the day's performance, consisted in the blowing up of a raft by means of a torpedo. This raft, on which were placed a number of dummies to represent soldiers, was towed along by a small tugboat toward the spot where it was generally supposed the fatal torpedo which was to bring about the destruction, had been placed. We designedly used the word "supposed," because actually the torpedo was affixed to the bottom of the raft and exploded from the tugboat by means of a very simple arrangement of two insulated wires and a voltaic battery. On the raft arriving at a favorable spot—that is to say, in full view of the expectant visitors—the charge was ignited, the shock tearing the raft asunder, and hurling the dummy sons of Mars into mid air, much to the delight of the spectators, who, on the conclusion of the trial, went their way, no doubt fully impressed with the efficiency of our system of submarine mining, and also with a high appreciation of and respect for the energetic officials who had been entrusted with its practical development."

The whole affair has a striking resemblance to Barnum's famous buffalo hunt at Hoboken, and after this we certainly should no longer have it count against us that we are fellow citizens of that enterprising but mendacious showman.

A Big Gas-Light.

The immense vein of gas was struck on the night of Oct. 4, at a depth of 810 feet, and was so strong as to render further drilling impossible. The well is about two miles from Bradford, on the Bruce Rodgers farm. Running from the well are two-inch pipes, attached to which are three gas jets of the same size, the gas belching forth from these pipes with such a terrible rush and noise as to render conversation, pitched in the ordinary tone, inaudible for fully one-fourth of a mile away, and the roar can be heard five or six miles away. The blaze from each of the three pipes is sent by the force of the gas to a height of from twenty-five to forty feet, the heat being so intense as to melt the snow entirely away for a distance of at least one hundred feet, and also keeping the ground so warm during all the cold weather of the winter that grass, strawberry vines and other plants may grow. In many places where the crowd of sight seers have worn the ground, it is very dusty. The light is so strong that a newspaper may be read half a mile away. On very dark nights the illumination is grand. The light has frequently been seen in Ocean, Salamanca, and other towns twenty miles away.—*Bradford New Era.*

Important Virtue of Tomato Leaves.

A statement comes from South America that a singular property of tomato leaves had been discovered by a fruit grower. Having cut down some tomato vines, he used them as a mulch around his peach trees. He soon discovered that the curculios, which had been destroying his fruit, had abandoned the trees surrounded by the tomato vines. Following up this accidental discovery, he found that the free use of tomato vines proved a perfect protection, not only against the curculio, but against other noxious insects. He found, also, by steeping in water some fresh leaves of the tomato, and sprinkling the infusion upon other plants, the innumerable insects which covered them were driven away.

Some gardners in this city have tried the above remedy, some by accident and others by intention, and their success has been remarkable. One gentleman had all his apple trees ravaged by the curculio until last year, when he secured a splendid crop. He knows of no cause for his exemption from the curculio except the tomato plants that were grown for the first time among his trees.—*Nashua Telegraph.*

—It is now generally believed that Mr. Bennett went to Europe because, according to the terms of the duel, the principals were to stand on different sides of the Atlantic and shoot, and Mr. May won the toss for the American shore.

—Englishmen still sell their wives, though the price has risen. At Crowle, in Lincolnshire, a certain William Light, a pork butcher, sold his wife the other day for £40. The articles of sale were drawn up at a solicitor's office, the money was paid, and the wife handed over to the purchaser, Chapman Pidd, landlord of the Fishmongers' Arms

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 13, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,
BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,
OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,
GRANVILLE P. CONN,
OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,
GILMAN MARSTON,
OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,
JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,
EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,
GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting the Votes.

The first decision of the Electoral Commission in the disputed election case was communicated to Congress on Saturday.

In the convention by the two houses, after the formal opening by President *pro tem.* Ferry, the decision of the tribunal in the Florida case was read by the Secretary of the Senate as follows:

ELECTORAL COMMISSION,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 9, 1877.

To the President of the Senate of the United States, presiding in the meeting of the two Houses of Congress, under the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for and regulate the counting of votes for President and Vice President, and the decision of questions arising therefrom, for the term commencing March, 4, A. D. 1877:"

The Electoral Commission mentioned in said act, having received certain certificates and papers purporting to be certificates and papers accompanying the same of the electoral votes from the State of Florida and the objections thereto submitted to it under said act, now report that it has duly considered the same pursuant to said act, and has decided and does hereby decide that the votes of Frederic C. Humphreys, Charles H. Pearce, William H. Holden and Thomas W. Long, named in the certificates of M. L. Stearns, Governor of said State, which votes are certified by said persons, as appears by the certificate submitted to the Commission and herewith returned, are the votes provided for by the Constitution of the United States, and that the same are lawfully to be counted as therein certified namely: four votes for Rutherford B. Hayes of the State of Ohio for President, and four votes for William A. Wheeler of the State of New York for Vice President. The Commission also has decided, and hereby decides and reports, that the four persons first before named were duly appointed Electors in and by said State of Florida. The ground of the decision, stated briefly, as required by said act, is: That it is not competent under the Constitution and the law as it existed at the date of the said act, to go into evidence *aliunde* the papers opened by the President of the Senate in the presence of the two houses to prove that other persons than those regularly certified to by the Governor of the State of Florida, in and according to the determination and declaration of their appointment by the Board of State Canvassers of said State prior to the time required for the performance of their duties had been appointed Electors, or by counterproof to show that they had not, and that all proceedings of the courts or acts of the Legislature or of the Executive of Florida, subsequent to the casting the votes of the Electors on the prescribed day, are inadmissible for any such purposes. As to the objection made to the eligibility of Mr. Humphreys, the Commission is of opinion that without reference to the questions of the effect of the vote of an ineligible Elector, the evidence does not show that he held the office of Shipping Commissioner on the day when the Electors were appointed. The Commission has also decided, and does hereby decide and report, that as a consequence of the foregoing, and upon the ground before stated, neither of the papers purporting to be certificates of the electoral votes of said State of Florida, numbered two and three by the Commission, and herewith returned, are certificates for the votes provided for by the Constitution of the United States, and that they ought not to be counted as such.

Done at Washington this day and year first above written.

(Signed)
SAMUEL F. MILLER,
W. STRONG,
JOSEPH P. BRADLEY,
GEORGE F. EDMUNDS,
O. P. MORTON,
FREDERICK T. FRELINGHUYSEN,
JAMES A. GARFIELD,
GEORGE F. HOAR,
Commissioners.

Objection was made by David Dudley Field to the counting of the vote of Florida, and the Senate withdrew that the two houses might seperately consider and determine the question, in accordance with the provision of the Electoral law.

The Senate confirmed the decision of the Commission by a party vote, thus deciding the vote of Florida for Hayes and Wheeler.

The House, by a party vote, took a recess until ten-o'clock Monday forenoon, the democrats wanting to gain time before the counting of votes is proceeded with.

On Monday, in the House, Field and Knott endeavored to have passed a resolution arraigning the Commission for not taking testimony, and recommitting to the Commission the Florida case, already disposed of by that tribunal. Fernando Wood deprecated any filibustering, and Speaker Randall ruled that the House could not instruct the Commission in its duties. The House by a strict party vote decided that the Tilden vote of Florida should be counted. The Senate entered at a quarter past two, and the Houses went into joint convention. The Senate resolution affirming the decision of the Commission was read, and Mr. Ferry announced that the vote of Florida would be counted for Hayes and Wheeler, which was done.

Georgia's eleven votes were recorded for Tilden, and Illinois' twenty-one for Hayes, without objection. A democratic Congressman had on his desk objections to the vote of Illinois, but did not present them.

The Boston & Maine Trouble.

The engineers on the Boston & Maine Railroad struck at four o'clock Monday afternoon, wherever their engines happened to be. Their orders from their head chief were to wait by their engines for two hours, and then, if they received no orders to the contrary, to draw the fires, blow the water out of the boilers and quit. These men certainly have a right to say that they will not work for $3.40 a day, or for a greater or less sum; but abandoning, except at regular stations, trains filled with passengers who have no part in the dispute, is an outrage on the public, and will go far toward depriving the strikers of any outside sympathy they might otherwise have received.

A "Reform" Measure.

The democratic reformers in the House, having stopped all work in the government printing office by delaying an appropriation, on Friday sought to put through a resolution authorizing the Louisiana committee to have the testimony taken by it printed at a private printing office. Mr. Hale made a point of order that the resolution should go to the Committee on Printing. This point was overruled, whereupon Mr. Hale made another point, that the resolution involved an appropriation and should go to the Committee of the Whole. This was overruled, and Hale then made a third point of order, that the resolution was contrary to law, which expressly provides that all printing for the House should be done at the government printing office. This point the Speaker was forced to sustain, to the evident disgust of the democratic side of the House. Hale said the remedy was for the House to hurry through the appropriation, so that work can be resumed at the government printing office. The failure to provide money for the government printer was a sharp trick of the democrats to enable them to subsidise at the government expense certain private printing offices owned by democrats, and they would have succeeded but for Mr. Hale.

How They "Economize."

Democratic "economy" shows itself in a variety of disguises. When the Southern investigating committees were ordered the democratic House appropriated $35,000 to pay the exposes; the republican Senate insisted that $50,000 would not pay all the bills, and raised the appropriation to that amount, but the House shouted "democratic economy" and stuck to the original sum. Now we are informed that in the deficiency bill is an item to refund to Sergeant-at-arms Thompson the sum of $37,948, advanced by him to the democratic committees of the House over and above the $35,000 appropriation originally made; and Congressman Foster, of Ohio, when the deficiency bill was introduced, asserted that at least $50,000 more would be needed to pay the bills contracted by the democratic committees, and his statement was not questioned by the democrats. Democratic "economy" consists in appropriating a small sum of money to pay for a big job, calling on the people to see how saving the democrats are, and then quietly appropriating "to cover deficiencies" a sum much larger than the original appropriation.

News and Notes.

The following advertisement appeared in the Buenos Ayres *Herald*, of December 12, 1876: "Young men with small salaries can find good board and comfortable bedroom for $650 per month, at Mrs. Brennan's, 178 Corrientes." It may be unnecessary to remark, in explanation, that that country is blessed with a paper currency, and that the people are anxiously looking forward to resumption of specie payment.

The old fort in Marblehead, Mass., built during the war of the Revolution for the protection of Salem harbor, is now garrisoned by a large bull terrier. He never strays beyond the line of earthworks, and is so fierce that all who approach the fort are compelled to beat a hasty retreat.

Earl Russell has given notice to the House of Lords that he will move that England shall cease all diplomatic intercourse with Turkey, on the ground that the nation is still barbarous and unworthy of notice among the enlightened people of Europe.

President of the Senate Ferry has received from Montana a quill two feet long, taken from the wing of a black eagle, with which to sign the certificate of the election of President. The sender requested Mr. Ferry to use the quill end in case Mr. Hayes is declared elected, and the feather end in case Mr. Tilden is counted in. Secretary Morrill made a splendid pen of the big quill.

The Dominion Department of Marine and Fisheries has procured a valuable gold watch for presentation to Capt. Osborne of the American bark C. E. Jayne, for rescuing the crew of the wrecked British ship Bethlehem.

Two well diggers were at work in Bloomington, Ill., and had, after reaching forty feet, begun to bore deeper with a drill. Suddenly there was an outburst of gas, which was lighted by the flame of a candle, and the explosion killed both of the men.

The exceptions taken to the rulings and sentence of John D. Lee, the Mountain Meadow murderer, of Utah, have been overruled by the Supreme Court of the Territory and the Second District Court ordered to fix another day for the execution. It is probable that an appeal will be taken to the United States Supreme Court.

Midhat Pacha, late prime minister of Turkey, has not committed suicide, as was reported, having arrived at Brindisi all right.

Four Rear-Admirals of the United States Navy have died since this year came in.—Smith, Alden, Wilkes and Bailey.

The Lake Shore and Michigan Southern Company have settled with the widow of L. C. Crane of New Haven, Conn., whose husband was killed at Ashtabula, by payment of the sum of $5175.

The extradition of William J. Sharkey, the murderer, who escaped from New York prison in 1873, while under sentence of death, is to be again demanded from Spain under the treaty just made with that country. Sharkey has been under surveillance ever since he left Havana. When last heard from he was acting as an interpreter for Americans at Madrid.

Steamer Bavaria, Williams, from New Orleans for Liverpool, has been burned at sea. Passengers and crew saved after being nineteen hours in the ship's boats.

Gov. Newbold, of Iowa, has gone on the record as having delivered the shortest inaugural message in the history of States. After taking the oath of office he said: "I'll do the best I can,"—and that was all.

Bob McBride, editor of the Eldorado (Ia.) *Ledger*, was cowhided recently by Mrs. Hart, wife of the editor of the *Herald*. The lady is of diminutive size and Bob was soon able to disarm her, when he took her under one arm, the whip under the other, and marched down the street to the amusement of an immense crowd which had gathered around. The cause for the attack was insulting language used by McBride in his paper concerning her.

By a gunpowder explosion at Adhemabad, India, on Saturday, fifty persons were killed and 1000 wounded.

Sir William Fergusson, President of the Royal College of Surgeons of Great Britain, and Sergeant Surgeon to the Queen, died Saturday.

A decree has been issued by Captain-General Jovellar, of Cuba, in which, after setting forth that the war against the insurgents is resulting very advantageously to the Spaniards, he pardons all political prisoners confined on the Isle of Pines, natives or residents of Cuba west of the Trocha, provided said prisoners are only confined by order of the authorities and not by any sentence of the Court.

The Boston *Post* says: "A Montana man has sent Senator Ferry the feather of a black eagle, and wants him to use the quill to certify the election of President in case Hayes is counted in. Wouldn't a steal pen do?" It would certainly be just the thing to use in case Tilden is counted in.

A Wonder-Working Remedy.

No remedial agent has ever been offered to the sick and debilitated at all comparable to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, in cases of remittent and intermittent fevers, constipation, nervous ailments, rheumatism and disorders involving constitutional weakness or physical decay. It literally "works wonders." The botanic ingredients which its spirituous basis holds in solution, act like a charm upon the brain, liver, bowels and nervous system. There is nothing in its composition that is not salubrious. It contains some of the most potent tonics of the vegetable kingdom and the juices of the best aperient and anti-bilious roots and herbs, combined with a perfectly pure stimulating element. The bitters are peculiarly adapted to those engaged in laborious or unhealthy occupations, as by its use strength is sustained and the ability of the system to resist atmospheric and other influences prejudicial to health largely increased.

The Colonnade Hotel.

The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., by its judicious reduction of rates, will maintain its famous reputation of a model first-class house, alive to the demands of the time.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, although the largest and finest hotel in the city, will be an exception, hereafter, to the general complaint of high prices. It has reduced from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Why throw away so much money trying worthless medicines, when for 35 cents a remedy can be procured that will cure coughs, colds, sore lungs and croup? Give it a trial. *Adamson's Balsam* will do it.

Important to persons visiting New York or the Centennial. The Grand Union Hotel, New York, opposite the Grand Central Depot, has over 350 elegantly furnished rooms. Elevator, steam and all improvements. European plan. Carriage hire is saved, as baggage is taken to and from the depot free. Guests can live better for less money at the Grand Union than at any other first-class hotel. Stages and cars pass the Hotel constantly to all parts of the city, and to the Philadelphia depot.
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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 8.30 P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 8.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	8.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	4.35 "
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Schooner Stephen E. Woodbury, from New York with coal for the bureau of equipment, arrived at the navy yard Monday morning. The coal is for the bunkers of the new sloop-of-war Enterprise.

Admiral Bailey, whose death is reported in another column, was in command of this naval station from 1865 to 1867.

The Portsmouth Savings Bank has just received from Col. William H. Hackett, administrator of the will of Mrs. Samuel M. DeMerritt, who died four years since, the sum of four thousand dollars, with interest, in trust, to hold the same forever, the accumulations on which "are to be appropriated for two scholarships for indigent young men from this city at college and while in college, the beneficiaries to be selected by the pastors for the time being of the Unitarian, Episcopal, Orthodox, Methodist, Baptist, Free Will Baptist, and Christian Baptist churches in said Portsmouth, together with one lay member from each of said churches, who shall be chosen by the members of their respective churches" as often as there is an appointment of a scholarship to be made. The stringent proviso is made, however, that, "the scholarship in no case shall be conferred on a person who uses profane or indecent language, strong drink or tobacco in any form." The City Missionary Society have also received from the same source the sum of one thousand dollars in trust, the annual interest of which shall be used for the legitimate purposes of said society forever.

On Thursday evening last, it being the twenty-fifth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Uriah Blaisdell, a party of their friends (with the knowledge of their children) conspired to give them a surprise, which was successfully carried out, the visitors assembling at their residence on North street at seven o'clock. When all had assembled, Mr. and Mrs. Blaisdell were invited into a room from which they had previously been excluded, where they found a richly-engraved tea set of silver, comprising six pieces, with pickle dish, pie and fish knives, and other articles, all of the metal appropriate to a silver wedding. An excellent supper had been provided by the children of Mr. and Mrs. Blaisdell, unknown to the latter, and its merits were tested to the satisfaction of all present. A large wedding cake was cut by Mr. Solomon Seymour, who enlivened the occasion by suitable and entertaining remarks. After supper a few hours were pleasantly spent in singing and social converse, and the party separated with mutual good wishes for each other's long life and happiness.

A CHANCE FOR AN INVESTIGATION.

A paragraph with the above heading appeared in the Portsmouth *Journal* of last week, containing a personal allusion to myself that calls for a reply from me. Furthermore the item related to the matter of printing the city accounts, and as the average reader will not comprehend the cause of the complaint of the *Journal* unless a little light is shed upon the subject, we shall tell our side of the story. The pith of the charge of Mr. Bwster is that one printer bid $2.70 per page for the printing of the city accounts, and got them while he (Brewster) bid twenty-one cents lower ($2.49 per page) and yet didn't get them. Which is true, but needs an explanation, or, as Mr. Browster meekly suggests, "an investigation."

The printing was not put into the market for competition, the committee deeming it unwise to do so, in the light of facts that clearly showed abuses to have frequently grown out of such a course of proceeding in past years. The city records of the past ten years were carefully examined in regard to the prices that had been received for the work in question, and the manner in which it had been awarded. They received an application from Mr. Charles W. Gardner, who stated that he did not want to go through the farce of bidding, yet he would like to have the job, and was willing to do it at a fair price. Mr. Brewster also applied, but wanted to bid for it. He was informed that he could have the privilege of bidding if he desired, but was given to understand that the work was not put into the market. As an instance of the pernicious results of the system of bidding we may mention the fact that although the printing of these accounts a few years ago, (in '73, I believe,) was let out to the lowest bidder, Mr. Brewster was awarded the job at the exorbitant price of $3.90 per page. This was done by a pleasant little trick of the lucky printer, which is more ingenious than honest, viz.: that of buying off his competitors, thereby obtaining a clear field, and getting a *fair* price! So the present committee reasoned that he then (at $3.90 per page) either grossly cheated the city government or was, the present year, defrauding himself in offering the low price of $2.49 per page—a total difference of about one hundred and twenty dollars.

The committee further concluded that the time had come when the monotony of awarding the job in question to the office of the *Journal* should be relieved, and others as deserving be allowed a share of the city printing, provided their prices were reasonable. And by the term "reasonable" I mean that price which would satisfy a private individual who had a similar job to be done.

In conclusion, I wish to unite with the editor of the *Journal* in the adroit but truthful remark that "the Board of Aldermen are not responsible for this," as the business was put into the hands of the printing committee with power to act. They have acted in accordance with what they regarded as the best interests of the city, and are quite willing for the matter to go on record before the public, being confident that it will bear the most thorough investigation.

SAMUEL A. SPINNEY,
Chairman of Printing Committee.

New Hampshire Items.

An incendiary attempt on the Governor Hill Block in Concord was made Saturday night, by some one who saturated partitions with naphtha and then fired it. The attempt was a failure, owing to its prompt discovery.

Silas Whitcomb of West Swanzey hanged himself on Sunday in his barn. He was about forty-five years old, and leaves a wife and two daughters.

Rev. E. J. Carpenter, an Orthodox minister of Swanzey, about sixty-five years of age, was thrown out of his sleigh on Saturday. Soon after he was taken with vomiting and died very suddenly.

Political.

The Boston *Post* says: "It was solely to eliminate that spirit [the spirit of partisanship] from the great dispute that induced the democrats to consent to the creation of a limited tribunal." Talk about the democrats "consenting" to the Electoral Commission is rather thin, considering that a decided majority of the republican Congressmen voted against it, and the measure was carried by democratic votes in both Houses.

There has been some talk among the extreme democrats of fillibustering until the 4th of March in case the Electoral Commission decides adversely to Tilden, thus defeating the election and rendering another one necessary; but the shrewder ones assert that nothing of the kind will be attempted, they having sense enough to see that such action would place them in a very bad light before the country.

Eph. Holland, a notorious rough, prize fighter and "sporting man" generally, was arrested in Cincinnati for procuring illegal votes to be thrown for Banning, Tilden and reform, jumped his bail of $6000 and fled to New York, but has been again arrested and taken back for trial. He was the chief manager of the Goss-Allen prize-fight, and one of the leading engineers in the "reform" scheme which secured a certificate of election to Banning and has already sent a dozen or more reformers to the Ohio penitentiary.

The Boston *Post* regrets very much that "three out of the five" judges on the Electoral Commission should "prove their partisanship" as it assumes they have done by their votes. But it has no tears to shed over the "partisanship" of the two democratic judges. The explanation of this is, that from the democratic point of view it is "statesmanship" for a democrat to vote with his party through thick and thin, and "partisanship" for a republican to stick to a republican view.

Rear Admiral Bailey.

Rear-Admiral Theodorus Bailey, U. S. N., died in New York on Saturday, aged about 74 year. He entered the navy as a midshipman in 1818, was commissioned a Lieutenant in 1827 and served in that capacity until 1849, when he was promoted a Commander. He received a Captain's commission in 1855, and in the latter part of 1861 was ordered to the steam frigate Colorado, with which he took part in the bombardment of the Confederate works near Pensacola, Fla., as second in command. At the engagement of the Mississippi forts Captain Bailey took a gallant part. He led the right, in the Cayuga, the right being composed of the first division of gunboats and second division of ships, Captain Farragut having the post of honor in the Hartford on the left. Before the squadron had fairly passed the forts the Confederate fleet of gunboats and rams appeared and took part in the fight, but were encountered by Captain Bailey in the Cayuga, who was considerably in advance of the rest, at a moment when no supporting ship was in sight. By skilful steering he frustrated their attempts to butt and board him, and had forced three to surrender when the One Idea and Varuna hove in sight. At five o'clock the Cayuga came upon the camp of the Chalmette Regiment, Colonel Z. Szymanski, on the right bank of the river. Casting anchor, Captain Bailey immediately opened on it with grapeshot and canister, and obliged the whole force to surrender, with all its equipments. Captain Bailey had the honor of being sent ashore to demand the surrender of New Orleans. On the reorganization of the navy in 1862 he was made Commodore, and, as Acting Rear Admiral, succeeded to the command of the Eastern Gulf blockading squadron, where he was very successful in breaking up blockade running on the Florida coast. He was promoted to a Rear-Admiral July 25, 1866, but in the following October he was placed on the retired list.

DIED.

SAUNDERS. In this city, Susie Saunders, infant child of Henry W. and Amanda Saunders, aged 3 weeks.

MARINE CHRONICLE

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, Feb 12.

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Sch Stephen E Woodbury, Ponse, Hoboken.
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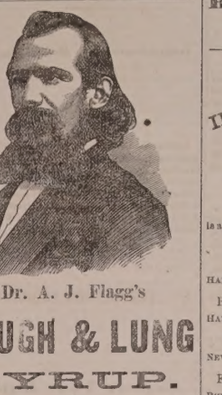

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January 16, 1877.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

End of a Desperado.

The Matamoras (Mexico) *Republic* announces the death, at an advanced age, of Angelo Townsend, a man whose career in crime began in Canada West upward of twenty-five years ago, by the murder of a Postmaster in a small town in that country. From Canada West he fled to New York, where he resided, under an assumed name, until forced to abandon that city in order to escape punishment for a dual murder committed while engaged in a row with some sailors in a house of prostitution.

At that time the mining regions of Illinois furnished an asylum for those desirous of escaping from justice; and thither went Townsend, hiring out under an assumed name as a compositor in the office of the Galena, Ill., *Gazette*. An item clipped from a New York exchange offering $5,000 reward for the apprehension of one Angelo Townsend, indicted for murder, was handed him (to be "set up,") by the editor of said paper one day during his service in that office. He finished the "take," and, putting on his coat, quickly repaired to his boarding house, and, packing up his effects, hastily left the city. His sudden disappearance excited suspicion that he was the person described in the notice of reward, and vigorous search was at once instituted by the officers. No trace of the runaway was discovered, however, except a report that a man, partially answering to the description of Townsend, had hired out as a cook on a Mississippi steamer bound for New Orleans.

He was next heard of in New Mexico, and his identity fully established. Here he became the head of a small band of desperadoes, whose murders and robberies are matters of record in the criminal annals of the Territory. Once he was apprehended by a posse of officers, and taken to Galveston for a trial on the charge of murder and arson. While arraigned in the very bar of the court he succeeded in making his escape,—not, however, until he had stabbed to the heart the Sheriff, who sought to intercept him in his flight from justice. He secreted himself on board of a trading vessel bound for Vera Cruz, and, reaching that port without detection, made his escape to the fastnesses of the western border of Mexico, where he again called around him a half dozen or more escaped convicts and practiced villains, who saw in him a valiant and congenial leader. During the Maximilian invasion of Mexico Townsend left his brigand retreat and joined the cause of the Emperor, remaining in his service until his surrender and ignoble death, when he repaired to the city of Mexico, broken down with age, and incapacited from performing labor by reason of in the thigh. During his later years he had been an inmate of a charity hospital in San Luis Potosi, and on his death bed detailed the history of his life, which was published in connection with the announcement of his death.

The Rule of Contraries.

It doesn't require any astrologist, or medium, or gypsy with a dirty pack of cards. It is very simple, lies in a nutshell, and can be expressed in a very few words. The plan is this: If a girl expresses a fondness for majestic men with large whiskers, just make up your mind that she will marry a very small man with none. If she declares that "mind" is all she looks for, expect to see her stand before the altar with a very pretty fellow who has just sense enough to tie a cravat bow. If, on the contrary, she declares she must have a handsome husband, look about for the plainest person in the circle of her acquaintances, and declare "that is the man," for it will be. Men are almost as bad. The gentleman who desires a wife with a mind and mission marries a lisping baby, who screams at the sight of a mouse and hides her face when she hears a sudden knock at the door. And the gentleman who dreaded anything like strong-mindedness exults in the fact that his wife is everything he detested. If a girl says of one, "Marry him! I'd rather die!" look upon the affair as settled and expect cards to the wedding of these two people. If a man remarks of a lady, "Not my style at all," await patiently the appearance of his name in the matrimonial column in connection with that lady's. And if any two people declare themselves "friends and nothing more," you may know what will come next.

Too Candid by Half.

Truth and candor are becoming in a parson, but a story is told in the *Watchman* of one whose outspoken manner did not conduce to immediate popularity. In the general class, as it is called, Brother B—— said he had not enjoyed his mind very well through the week. There the pastor interrupted, saying, "Well, Brother B., if you will find some work and not let your wife do quite so much for the family, you will have more enjoyment." Sister B. said prayer had not given her the usual pleasure. "That is not strange," said the pastor; "go and be reconciled with sister Y., and prayer will be a pleasure." Brother D. sometimes doubted whether he knew Christ. "Any man will who is careless about paying his debts," was the pastoral response. Brother E. was very happy in the Lord, which met this—"You would be a happier man if you would not fret so much in your family." Sister F. was at peace, and the blood cleansed from all sin.

"Well, then, my sister, let your faith reach your purse, and give more to the Lord." Brother M. found pleasure only in saving others. "Then be more careful in your business, and correct your tricky reputation." Of course this thinned out the class.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 14, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 12.

At no time during the campaign nor since its close have the leaders—the recognized oracles of the bogus democracy—shown such deep dejection as since the vote upon the reception of evidence in the Florida case; nor is there observable among many of them, any attempt to conceal the keen disappointment that has overtaken them. This is especially the case with those of them who urged the arbitration plan. Such unrepentant irreconcilables as Proctor Knott, however, find a little consolation in their record against the measure; and they lose no opportunity to harrow up the already overwrought sensibilities of their democratic fellows who voted to submit the cause of the reformer to arbitration, by reiterating, "I told you so." Mr. Hewitt, than whom no man, probably, has a more intimate knowledge of the disreputable tricks and ingenious swindles resorted to since the election to force Tilden into the White House, until the very utterance of "reform" has come to be regarded as the synonym of everything rascally and villainous, appears to have bent all the powers of his great mind to a correct diagnosis and prognosis of the case, and lugubriously announces that should Hayes be "counted in" he would be the last President that would ever be known to the Republic. Such weight as this conclusion is entitled to, will undoubtedly be accorded it; but he and other similarly endowed statesmen must forgive a little natural incredulity on the part of less prophetic citizens, when it is remembered how regularly every four years like predictions have been indulged in since Mr. Lincoln's election in 1860; and how Hewitt's party, for the four years immediately succeeding that event, exerted itself to make their predictions good, even to the extent of deluging the land with the lifeblood of hundreds of thousands of its citizens; but every presumption is against Mr. Tilden as desiring the perpetuation of the Republic under the control of the republican party.

A great deal of indignation has been excited by the outrageous treatment to which Messrs. Wells and Anderson have been subjected by their democratic custodian, Thompson, Sergeant-at-Arms of the House. Mr. Randall has disavowed all knowledge of it, and the less malignant of that party have condemned it. The place selected for their incarceration was in the "crypt,"—really a dungeon—where the sunlight never comes, which is damp, the moisture oozing from the walls, and which is in every way unsuited for human occupation even by vigorous men, for a few hours. Mr. Wells is above seventy years, yet he with his companion Anderson have been confined to this "hole in the wall" for days, and allowed communication with no one except under the surveillance of his keeper. It is an act of inquisitors. As a consequence he is seriously ill, unable to leave his room, and under the constant care of a physician. No one ought to be shocked, considering his antecedents, that Sam Cox made this old man's outrageous treatment a subject of jest and mirth in the House when it was under discussion, or that this exhibition of democratic brutality appears to strike others on his side as something remarkably funny, which they encouraged with smirks and giggles of satisfaction and approval.

David Dudley Field makes ineffectual attempts to hide his chagrin by the wildest and most irrelevant sallies of what would be taken for wit by his party friends under less depressing circumstances. But David has not added to his fame (acquired before police magistrates, and in his contest with the tax-ridden people of New York City in behalf of the chief among thieves, and the one altogether lovely with his party a few years ago,) in his reckless attempt to prove fraud on the part of the Louisiana Returning Board, by the testimony of such vagabond witnesses as Littlefield, Maddox and Pickett. Indeed it seems to be the impression that he has damaged rather than aided the cause of his client. There is now no doubt that he aimed to induce the Commission to go behind the Louisiana returns by the aid of this trio of adventurers; but the unsavory record of the three, as well as their self-confessed perjury and corruption has served to absolutely discredit their testimony even with democrats, who regard them with ill concealed feelings of disgust and contempt for general nastiness and bungling.

The critical condition of Secretary Morrill for some days past has been a source of great anxiety to his host of personal friends, and to the intelligent thousands all over the country, who appreciate his valuable services as head of the Treasury Department. Hon. A. H. Stephens who has, as was supposed, been dying for the past week, has for the thousandth time surprised every one by rallying again, and confident hopes are now indulged that he may again take his seat in the House.

The Southern Pacific railroad lobby is waiting for the lowest point of Congressional exhaustion, when by a vigorous onset, it hopes to accomplish something favorable in its behalf, while the purpose to oblige the Union and Central Pacific roads to provide sinking funds out of which to reimburse the Government for aid rendered in their construction, is being fought with grim determination by their Congressional friends.

LOGAN.

Counting the Votes.

After the votes of Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas and Kentucky were counted, in joint convention on Monday, then came the certificate from Louisiana, showing eight votes for Hayes and Wheeler. Mr. Ferry stated that the certificate had been received by mail, and that no corresponding one had been received by messenger. (The messenger appointed for that purpose was Thomas C. Anderson, one of the Returning Board.) This was authenticated by Gov. Kellogg, he being himself one of the electors. The certificate having been read, the presiding officer handed to the tellers another certificate from Louisiana (with a corresponding one received by mail), showing eight votes for Tilden and Hendricks. This was authenticated by McEnery, as Governor of the State. Still a third certificate was opened and read, a corresponding one having been received by mail (with votes for Hayes and Wheeler) authenticated by Deslonde, Secretary of State.

[A certificate, received by mail by Mr. Ferry, was then read. It commenced by certifying that John Smith had been chosen elector from the first district; John Smith, No. 1, from the second; John Smith, No. 2, from third; John Smith, No. 3, from fourth; John Smith, No. 4, from fifth; John Smith, No. 5, from sixth, and John Smith, A, and John Smith, B, electors at large. At this point Senator Sargent said it was evident the return was a burlesque. Mr. Ferry said it had been received by mail, was properly endorsed, and it was his duty to submit all papers received by him. Mills, of Texas, insisted on the paper being read, and it was done. The certificate gave the electoral vote of John Smith of Louisiana, who seemed to be even more numerous than Cronin of Oregon, and quite as unanimous, to Cooper and Carey. Afterward the paper was omitted from the record of the joint convention.]

All these certificates were objected to by one party on the other; and the certificates, with the papers accompanying the same, together with the objections, were then submitted to the Electoral Commisson for judgment and decision. The Senate then withdrew.

The Electoral Commission met at 4:30 P. M., and received the papers in the Louisiana case. Senator McDonald and Representative Jencks appeared as objectors for the democrats, and Senator Howe and Representative Hurlburt for the republicans. The Commission then, on motion of Justice Field, adjourned to Tuesday at eleven o'clock A. M.

Those "Partisan Judges."

Serious a matter as the long dispute over the election has been, it has some comical features, and not the least ludicrous is the wailing of such rabidly-partisan democratic sheets as the Hartford *Times* and New Haven *Register* (papers that are quite as narrow and bitter and almost as mean in their political warfare as the New York *Sun*) over the "partisanship" of the Supreme Court judges on the Electoral Commission. Well, it *is* to be regretted that *one* of the democratic judges could not rise above his party and vote for honor and justice. It would perhaps be too much to expect this of Judge Field, for he is David Dudley Field's brother; but Judge Clifford, though a strong democrat, has always been considered a just man, and perhaps if the democratic papers keep up their appeals to the judges to "rise above party" Judge Clifford may yet succeed in doing it.

The Boston & Maine Trouble.

The strike of the Boston & Maine engineers seriously incommoded the public, but did not entirely stop passenger transportation. As soon as Superintendent Furber was warned that the strike was to take place at four o'clock Monday afternoon, he ordered all freight trains to be switched off on sidings wherever they might be, and the "preventer" engineers were distributed to the best advantage to take charge of engines as soon as they were abandoned by the regular engineers.

When the train from Boston for Portland reached a point just beyond Wells, Me., the engineer cut loose from his train, ran ahead, worked his engine back and forth on the track, so that nobody could get at it, drew the fire, blew off the water, and left the engine cold. The engineer of the three o'clock train from Boston for Newburyport performed a similar operation about two miles from Topsfield, Mass. This cutting loose from the trains is supposed to have been a little matter of individual spite against the substitutes, who were known to be on board the trains ready to take charge of the engines. After the time of the strike all the trains which were sent out were run by new men, a little late.

The train from Dover to Winnepisaukee was taken up by a conductor. On the Lowell branch a depot baggage master took a train to Boston. A train from Lawrence, with a Lawrence policeman as engineer, was pelted with bricks and snowballs at Haverhill, Mass., and the cab windows broken, but no other violence was reported.

Milton J. Davis and Jerome Cook, two of the striking engineers, were arrested at Kennebunk and put under $5000 bonds to answer charges of having run away with the company's property.

The strikers are backed by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, a powerful organization, with a reserve fund, it is said, of $300,000. All the striking engineers and firemen, whether members of the Brotherhood or not, will be paid full wages by the association during the continuance of the strike or until they get other employment. The railroad authorities say they will never take the strikers back to work on any terms, but the latter are confident that they will go back, and on the terms already submitted.

The Telephone.

The first newspaper despatch ever sent over a telegraph wire by the human voice was published in the Boston *Globe* of Tuesday. It was an account of a public exhibition of the telephone in Salem by Prof. A. Graham Bell, its inventor, Mr. Thomas A. Watson being at the Boston end. The audience in Salem could hear a song sung in Boston, the tones being distinctly audible all over the hall; the Boston operator heard the applause of the Salem audience, and distinguished the voices of persons whom he knew when they spoke to him at the Salem end; and the despatch was sent by one *Globe* reporter in Salem to another in Boston, they talking together in an ordinary tone of voice.

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A Small Partisan.

The Washington correspondent of the Boston *Post*, who is as narrow in his partisanship as is the paper he writes for, thus refers to the burlesque certificate from Louisiana, read in joint convention on Monday: "The insult excited much indignation in members of both parties, and after the paper was read Mr. Ferry, by unanimous consent, ordered it suppressed. A man of ordinary sense would have exercised his discretion and suppressed the document. Mr. Ferry's allowing it to be read looked like an attempt to take petty revenge on Congress for depriving him of discretionary power and justified the taking it away from him." That correspondent is perfectly aware that Mr. Ferry had no more right to suppress the burlesque certificate than he had to suppress the McEnery one, both having been received by mail, each being properly endorsed, and each being really of the same value. Before the Electoral Bill was passed the democratic cry was that in counting the vote the Vice President had *no discretionary power whatever;* and this feeble attempt of the *Post's* correspondent to blame Mr. Ferry for not exercising a power of which in the same sentence he says he had been deprived, shows him to be even smaller in his partisanship than he had previously shown himself to be—which was not needed.

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February, 1, 1877.

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" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

St. Valentine's Day.

Lent commences to-day.

Schooner Velocipede, Capt. Jamieson, of this port, landed during the week ending Feb. 10th sixty thousand pounds of fresh fish, stocking one thousand and twenty dollars on one week's fishing. The Velocipede has stocked since Dec. 22d, four thousand dollars, on fresh fish.

George Kennard, a brakeman upon the Eastern Railroad, has been arrested for the embezzlement of $280, he being entrusted with that amount to deliver to the Lynn station agent, which the latter failed to receive.

Lieut. Emery H. Taunt is ordered to this navy yard.

The public school of Newington have reopened, the measles (on account of which the school was closed) having abated.

Voters who have not yet decided how they will vote on the proposed Constitutional Amendment for cheapening and simplifying the administration of the law, may amuse themselves with the following, which is far from being an extreme case: Mrs. Kehoe sued the town of Derry for $7; and the case has just been tried, after being in court almost two years. It was tried at Exeter, by jury, in the Supreme Court, and the trial cost the tax-payers of the county $50. The case has probably cost Mrs. Kehoe as much as $50 more, and the tax-payers of Derry as much as $50 more; $150 spent on a $7 lawsuit! Mrs. Kehoe lost the case and at once gave notice of review. So the case will be tried again. As it was in the court nearly two years before the first trial, it will probably take two years more to reach the next trial and the county will have the privilege of investing $50 more, and Mrs. Kehoe $50 more, and Derry $50 more; $300 for $7!"

Plain Speaking.

In the House of Representatives, Monday, when David Dudley Field and Proctor Knott were trying to upset the decision of the Electoral Commission on the Florida case, Mr. Carr of Indiana, the democratic successor of the late Speaker Kerr, denounced the democratic leaders of the House for creating the Commission, and charged the democrats with treachery and dishonor for attempting to overthrow the result of the Commission. Mr. Carr said the democrats were estopped from raising any question against the Commission. The democratic leaders had proved themseves incompetent, or treacherous, or corrupt. He concluded: "In the name of the democratic party I absolve the Commission from all charges, save, it may be, that of a mistake; and in the name of the same great power I arraign the democratic majority of the House, and denounce it for faithlessness to its trusts." Field made a speech quite worthy of Fisk's and Tweed's adviser, declaring the decision of the Commission "an insolent mockery."

Observance of Lent.

The following has been issued by Archbishop Williams for the government of the Catholics during Lent, which begins to-day:

1. All the days of Lent, except Sundays, are fast days of obligation.

2. By dispensation the use of flesh meat is allowed, once a day only, on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays in Lent, except the Saturdays in Ember week and Holy week. The use of meat on Sundays is not limited as to the number of times.

3. Besides lard, fat rendered from any kind of meat may be used in preparing food on any day in Lent. This dispensation is also extended to the days of abstinence and fast days throughout the year.

4. A collation, not exceeding the fourth part of an ordinary meal, is allowed in the evening, at which eggs, fish, butter, cheese and milk may be used.

5. The use of flesh meat and fish at the same meal is not allowed.

6. The following persons are exempt from the obligation of fasting: All under twenty-one years of age and those of advanced age, the sick, those who cannot fast without grave injury to their health, women in pregnancy or nursing infants, and all those whose duties are of a very laborious or exhausting nature. Those who are excused from fasting are not thereby freed from the obligation of abstaining from flesh meat, except in case of sickness or the like.

Political.

Hon. Ira M. Gifford, of Iowa, who Littlefield swore offered him money to go to Washington with the Vernon parish return, saying he could get $100,000 from the National Republican Committee for the suppression of that evidence, publishes a denial of this story. He says: "Littlefield said prominent democrats (including Gov. Palmer) had approached him, and offered him large sums of money to disclose what he knew of the Returning Board. He being a republican, however, preferred to keep silence for a less sum than the democrats offered. Gov. Palmer approached him in various ways and intimated that he could get $10,000 for his information." Possibly Gov. Palmer did attempt to bribe Littlefield, but few people will believe it on the unsupported oath of an acknowledged perjurer, forger and thief like Littlefield.

The latest important witness raked up by David Dudley Field to testify before his committee was a man from Louisiana, who gave evidence convicting himself of fraud and forgery in such a hilarious manner as to convince the committee that he was pretty drunk. He thought he wasn't, but acknowledged that he had taken a little something during the day, and on being asked to name the intoxicating drinks he had imbibed replied, "a glass of ale, a glass of cider, a toddy, a cocktail, and a couple of cigars." Further questioning developed the fact that he had also fortified himself with two more toddies just before entering the committee room. The subsequent proceedings interested Field no more.

Since the decision of the High Commission with reference to Florida, the eulogy of Senator Conkling in the democratic newspapers has been absolutely suspended. This seems sudden.—*Tribune.*

The $8000 bribe money with which Tilden put up the Cronin job is the only one of the numerous election investments from that "barl" from which there is now any hope of realizing anything, and that hope is slim. In spite of some rather bothersome technicalities, the republicans have the best case there too.—*Springfield Republican.*

A Newburyport man who had expressed his anxiety to shoulder a musket and go and see Tilden inaugurated, was made the recipient of a box by express, last week, containing a wooden gun with Quaker accoutrements, and a full uniform of the Tilden National Guards. There was much "laffure" among his fellowmen.

In West Killingly, Conn., this winter, the authorities have furnished lodgings and shelter to 134 tramps, 131 of whom say that they voted for Tilden.

At a Hibernicon exhibition at a Roman Catholic Fair in Waterbury, Conn., on Wednesday night, some persons in the audience hissed a picture of Abraham Lincoln. Father Walsh, at the close of the entertainment, administered a just rebuke to those persons, and said that while he was not a republican, he considered President Lincoln an honest man and a martyred patriot. His remarks were heartily applauded by the more respectable portion of the audience.

New Hampshire Items.

The Laconia car shops are to start up with 175 or 200 hands, and the Laconia Manufacturing Company is employing a large number of operatives.

An attempt to break jail was made Sunday by the Hooke boys and Sherborn, confined in Dover jail for burglary. The jailer examined all the cells Sunday, and found a broken steel saw, cold chisel, knives filed like saws and other tools, and an inch-and-a-half iron grating sawed off, the nuts on the bolts broken, and other evidences of an escape planned.

Isaac Richmond was arrested in Lowell, Mass., on Monday, for embezzling from a Mr. Lucas, of Dover. Richmond was removed to Dover for examination.

Capt. David Wadsworth, of Nashua, takes charge of the county jail at Manchester, March 1st.

Cogent Reasons for a Grand Success.

Conspicuous among the highest examples of success which the present century can show is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. The record of the triumphs over disease is to be traced in the written acknowledgments of thousands who have experienced its beneficent effects, and the evidence of its popularity is to be found in the vast and growing demand for the article in North And South America, Mexico, Guatemala, the West Indies, Australia and Europe. The reasons for its unparalleled success are cogent ones. The accumulated evidence of nearly thirty years shows that it is a certain remedy for malarial disease, as well as its surest preventive; that it eradicates dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaint and nervousness, counteracts a tendency to gout, rheumatism urinary and uterine disorders, that it imparts vigor to the feeble, and cheers the mind while it invigorates the body.

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ALLEN. In this city, Feb. 9, Capt. James Allen, formerly of Kittery, Me., aged 86 years.

EMERY. In Kittery, Me., Feb. 10, Isadore T. Emery, aged 8 months.

MOODY. In York, Me., Feb. 11, Miss Joanna Moody, aged 74 years, 11 months and 16 days.

SHAPLEIGH. In Eliot, Me., Feb. 10, Mr. James G. Shapleigh, aged 86 years.

LYDSON. In Eliot, Me., Feb. 11, May Lydson, wife of Mr. John Lydson, aged 69 years and 6 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch William Oliver, Jones, for this port old from Baltimore Feb 9.

—A wedding party invaded the County Clerk's office at Alton, Ill., nine days ago, and demanded a marriage license. "Certainly," said the genial clerk; "what are the ages?" The bridegroom's age was thirty-four; the bride's fourteen. The clerk hesitatingly suggested that it was against the law to issue a license to a girl under eighteen without the consent of her parents. Thereupon the bride's father stepped forward with his consent and blessing. "Why, she has already been married," said he, "and is now a widow." The clerk was convinced that a maiden who had a husband under ground was old enough to have another above ground.

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More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

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Daily Chronicle.

News and Notes.

The steamer Bavaria, recently burned at sea, and her cargo, were valued at half a million dollars.

Forty fishing smacks are missing from the ports of Yarmouth and Lowestaft, England, with two hundred men, and are supposed to have been lost in a recent heavy gale.

At Southold, Long Island, Monday, Ida Tinker, twenty-two years old, and a young man named Benjamin Franklin, were both drowned. They had passed Sunday night on a smack in the harbor, and in going ashore their boat capsized.

Llewellyn Nute of Wiscasset, Me., was waylaid near that town Saturday night by three men, who beat him insensible and robbed him of $120. He was then put into his sleigh, where he was subsequently discovered. No arrests.

Schooner C. P. Gerrish of Lubec, Me., Captain Pike, from New York for St. John with coal, went ashore at Petit Menan Thursday night, and is a total loss. All hands saved.

Archbishop Bayley of Baltimore is not in favor of "mixed marriages," and has issued some stringent regulations. These include the refusal of absolution to any Catholic young man who visits a Protestant young lady with a view to matrimony, and to any Catholic lady who receives the visits of a Protestant with the same end in view. The Archbishop of Baltimore should read the story about Mrs. Partington's attempt at sweeping back the Atlantic ocean with a twenty-fire cent corn broom.

Patrick F. Dennehy, serving a life sentence in the Rhode Island State Prison for murder, knocked down the overseer on Monday afternoon, and attempted to grasp his revolver. Elisha Peck, another prisoner, came to Denneby's assistance, but two other prisoners, Hackett and Mitchell, protected the officer. Denneby and Peck then ran into the yard and seized a plank, and were about to scale the walls, when the watchman on the wall kept them in check with a rifle until the warden and other officers appeared and placed the mutineers in irons.

Ex-Field-Marshal Henry Watterson makes the following announcement in a letter from Washington to the *Courier-Journal*: "The first of my 100,000 Kentuckians has already arrived at the capital. He is in arms, too—and he weighs eleven pounds."

An account of a remarkable cure from blue glass comes from Providence. The wife of a prominent manufacturer has been for three years afflicted with paralysis, which destroyed the use of her lower limbs, and after trying electricity and various other remedies in vain, she induced her husband to have a front window fitted up with the blue glass. This was done, and on the first sunny day the lady was placed in the blue light and left to herself. About two hours after some members of the family heard a noise in the room, and fearing that she had fallen from her chair, they rushed in and found her walking about the room. Continued blue-light baths have still further increased her strehgth and a permanent cure is hoped for.

The Roman Catholic Bishop O'Hara, of Pennsylvania, has issued a letter excommunicating the Ancient Order of Hibernians, and directing the clergy of his diocese to deny members of that order the sacrament.

The American Hotel block and Arcade building at Watertown, N. Y., have been purchased by Mrs. Judge Schley, formerly Mrs. Henry Keep, and they will be turned into a home, for the aged and infirm, to be called "Henry Keep's Home for the Infirm."

Henry Ward Beecher preached in Mr. Moody's church in Chicago, Sunday. The crowd was almost unprecedented. People gathered around the building from seven o'clock in the morning, and by the time of opening there were more seeking admittance than could have possibly been put into a building five times the size. Upwards of 20,000 people were turned away.

The youngest contributor to the Centennial Exhibition was Miss Mabel Thyng, aged three and a half years, the daughter of an artist in Salem, Mass. The little woman exhibited an outline drawing of a bell and a pear.

—Cider plays a great part in a Norman wedding. A young girl is seated upon a full cask, and she must drink both the first and last glass it contains in order to be married within a year.

—In Marlboro, Vermont, it is said are living a man and wife aged respectively 65 and 103 years. They were married when the man was a youth of 19 and the woman a maiden of 57. The woman had, when a girl, been courted by the father of the man who finally became and is now her husband.

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Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	105½
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Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	67½
Boston & Maine	68½
Boston & Providence	132
Boston & Albany	127½
Nashua & Lowell	98
Concord	78
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
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Strange Sea Monsters.

Professor Richard P. Proctor writes, to the *Echo*: The sea-serpent has long been regarded by most persons as simply a gigantic fraud. Either the object which appeared like a sea-serpent was something altogether different—a floating tree entangled in seaweed, the serpentine outline of distant hills half lost under a scudding haze, a row of leaping porpoises, or, if a single living creature at all, then one of a known species seen under unusual and deceptive conditions—or else the circumstantial accounts which could not thus be explained away were concoctions of falsehood. Yet, as the naturalist Gosse long since pointed out, in his curious essay on "The Great Unknown," it is altogether unlikely that men know all the forms of animals which exist in the ocean, and the antecedent probability against the theory of existence of creatures such as the great sea serpent has been described to be is not sufficient to outweigh the evidence which has been given respecting such creatures.

No one who has read the account given by the officers and men of the Dædalus, for instance, can for a moment suppose that they were deceived in any one of the ways ingeniously imagined. We must assume that they all told untruths before we can reject the belief that some as yet unknown sea creature was seen by them. That creature may quite possibly not have been a serpent, properly so called; the picture drawn by one of the midshipmen may have been incorrect in details (as Professor Owen insisted it must have been;) but, unless the whole affair was a fraud, a sea animal was seen which had all the appearance of a gigantic serpent. And the idea of fraud in such matters is not nearly so reasonable as many seem to imagine. Travellers are sometime said to tell marvellous stories; but it is a noteworthy fact that in nine cases out of ten, the marvellous stories of travellers have been confirmed. Men ridiculed the tale brought back by those who had sailed far to the South that the sun there moves from right to left, instead of from left to right, as you face his noonday place; but we know that those travellers told the truth.

The first account of the giraffe was laughed to scorn, and it was satisfactorily proved that no such creature could possibly exist. The gorrilla would have been jeered out of existence but for the fortunate arrival of a skeleton of his at an early stage of our acquaintance with that prepossessing cousin of ours. Monstrous cuttlefish were thought to be monstrous lies, till the Alecton, in 1861, came upon one and captured its tail, whose weight of forty pounds led naturalists to estimate the entire weight of the creature at four thousand pounds, or nearly a couple of tons. In 1873, again, two fishermen encountered a gigantic cuttle in Conception Bay, Newfoundland, whose arms were about thirty feet in length, (the fishermen cut off from one arm a piece of twenty-five feet long,) while its body was estimated at sixty feet in length and five feet in diameter—so that the devil-fish of Victor Hugo's famous story was a mere baby cuttle by comparison with the Newfoundland monster. The mermaid, again, has been satisfactorily identified with the manatee, or "woman-fish," as the Portuguese call it, which assumes, says Captain Scoresby, "such positions that the human appearance is very closely imitated."

As for stories of sea-serpents, naturalists have been far less disposed to be incredulous than the general public. Dr. Andrew Wilson, for instance, after speaking of the recorded observations in much such terms as I have used above, says: "We may, then, affirm safely that there are many verified species of evidence on record of strange marine forms having been met with, which evidences, judged according to ordinary and common sense rules, go to prove that certain hitherto undescribed marine organisms do certainly exist in the sea depths." As to the support which natural history can give to the above proposition, "zoologists can but admit," he proceeds, "the correctness of the observation."

Certain organisms, and especially those of marine kind, (*e. g.*, certain whales), are known to be of exceedingly rare occurrence. Our knowledge of marine *reptilia* is confessedly very small; and, best of all, there is no counter objection or feasible argument which the naturalist can offer by way of denying the above proposition. He would be forced to admit the existence of purely marine genera of snakes which possess compressed tails, adapted for swimming, and other points of organization admittedly suited for a purely aquatic existence. If, therefore, we admit the possibility—nay, even the reasonable probability—that gigantic members of these water snakes may occasionally be developed, we should state a powerful case for the assumed and probable existence of a natural "sea-serpent."

We confess we do not see how such a chain of probabilities can be readily set aside, supported as they are in the possibility of their occurence by zoological science, and in the actual details of the case by evidence as trustworthy in many cases as that received in our courts of law. When we remember how few fish or other inhabitants of the sea are ever seen compared with the countless millions which exist, that not one specimen of some tribes will be seen for many years in succession, and that some tribes are only known to exist because a single specimen or a single skeleton has

been obtained, we may well believe that in the sea, as in heaven and earth, there are more things "than are known in our philosophy."

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,
GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting the Votes.

The arguments of counsel before the Electoral Commission commenced on Tuesday. The democrats wanted six hours to present their arguments but the republicans wanted the four hour rule adhered to; and the Commission finally compromised on four and a half hours for each side. Trumbull, Matt Carpenter and Judge Campbell appear as counsel for the democrats, and Evarts, Stoughton and Shellabarger for the republicans. The Commission decided to sit until nine o'clock at night to hear argument, and Carpenter made a strong opening on the democratic side, arguing against the legality of the Louisiana Returning Board; but at half-past six he was so ill from the smoke of the candles with which the room was lighted that he could not proceed, and on motion of Mr. Abbott the Commission adjourned to ten o'clock Wednesday forenoon.

The Commission heard the rest of the counsel on Wednesday. A decision in the case is expected on Saturday.

News and Notes.

Mr. Arthur Cheney, of the Globe Theatre, Boston, was found on Fourth Avenue, Tuesday, insensible from a fall on the ice. He was found to be badly injured.

Fred May, one of the heroes of the battle of Slaughter's Station, is engaged to a daughter of the late Paran Stevens.

By a collision on the Troy & Boston Railroad, near the Hoosac tunnel, on Tuesday, one brakeman was killed, another had his legs broken, and a conductor was badly injured. No passengers were seriously hurt.

The Iglesias party in Mexico are reported to be gaining ground rapidly in the western part of the country.

The trial of the suit of H. H. Boody vs Samuel J. Tilden, for an accounting in an alleged joint transaction on Chicago and Salina Union stock in 1864, commenced Tuesday in the New York Superior Court. The plaintiff claims that the defendant was over-paid $26,000, through a mistake as to the profits of a pool. The defendant denies he ever was in the pool, says he was not over-paid, and he is not liable for accounting.

The Boston & Maine engineers' strike still continues. Tuesday evening there was a meeting in Faneuil Hall, which was addressed by Mr. Arthur, President of the Brotherhood of Engineers. Many of the substitute engineers have been bought off by the strikers, some of them at high prices. Other railroad companies are warned that if they loan engineers to the Boston & Maine the Brotherhood will order a general strike, if necessary to carry their point.

Chief Justice Church of New York, in a note to the New York *Times*, for the purpose of correcting a wrong impression, incidentally states that he has "always held the opinion that the authentication of the election of Presidential Electors according to the laws of each State is final and conclusive, and that there exists no power to go behind it." Judge Church is not only a good lawyer, but a very thorough-going democrat.

Concerning a current newspaper item stating that William Sabin of Sexton, Vt., has had 2874 fits in eight years, an average of 1 1-3 per day, a Vermont paper says not so; he has had but 3337 in nine years, or less than 1 1-4 a day. Besides, there is no such man as William Sabin of Sexton, Vt., and there is no such place as Sexton, Vt.

The Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal Company has been put in the hands of receivers, and the New Jersey Central Railroad also.

The Senate bill authorizing Latrobe, Frick and Garrett to lay Atlantic cables was passed by the House on Tuesday.

Henry Astor, a member of the rich Astor family, must pay to a little five year old girl, named Josephine Ash, twenty-five thousand dollars. The suit was commenced in Dutchess County, New York, some few months ago. The plaintiff is a daughter of one of Astor's tenants. He visited the house of his tenant, one Sunday, in an intoxicated condition, and donning a surplice, he began to preach in mimic fashion. The little girl was in the room, seated in a high chair, and because she laughed he knocked her on the floor, injuring her spine permanently. The jury rendered a verdict for twenty-five thousand dollars, and a motion for a new trial was promptly refused by the judge, who said that the verdict was a righteous one. The matter was carried before the General Term, and on Friday the motion was refused. The press and public say amen.

Political.

Hon. Zach. Chandler, Secretary of the Interior, receives the following deserved compliment from the New York *Tribune*—a paper that has never been over-lenient toward what it has regarded as Mr. Chandler's political mistakes. Speaking of the Californian who wrote to the Secretary offering him a sum of money if he would render a favorable decision in a certain case, the *Tribune* says "He ought to have known that this Secretary of the Interior, whatever his mistakes may have been, has never been for sale at any price."

It makes a big difference whose ox is gored. When the House committee on privileges and elections demanded the production of the bank accounts of Hon. Zach Chandler and Gen. McCormick, Chairman and Secretary of the National Republican Committee, the democrats howled for joy; but the drag proved only a "water-haul." Now the Senate committee has demanded of Conrad N. Jordan that he produce the bank accounts of Abe Hewitt, Uncle Tilden and Nephew Pelton, and the banker having failed to obey the order has been declared in contempt and his arrest ordered. The democrats have just discovered that it is a gross outrage—as indeed it is—to overhaul a man's private papers on the mere suspicion that something may be discovered against him.

Representative Purman, of Florida, on Tuesday in the House made a remarkable speech, in which, after defending the carpet-bag governments of the South, he declared that the Tilden electors were chosen in Florida, and that Cowgill, one of the Returning Board, was knowing to the frauds that gave the State to Hayes, and "said he would decide the case for Hayes if the frauds were properly covered up." Mr. Purman has been considered a strong republican, and his statement, if made before, would have had weight; but coming as it does after the electoral vote of Florida has been irrevocably counted for Hayes it gives rise to the ugliest suspicions concerning his motives and his truthfulness.

Hon. Daniel Marcy does not believe in putting men in office as a "reward of party zeal." John G. Thompson, chairman of the democratic State committee of Ohio, and Sergeant-at-Arms of the United States House of Representatives, acts in a way to lacerate Mr. Marcy's feelings on this point; for he has long had nearly every Ohio delegate to the Tilden convention on the pay roll of the House as deputy sergeants-at-arms, and has recently added to their number the southern telegraph operators who were kicked out of their positions by the Western Union for betraying their trusts. Littlefield, Maddox and Picketa, the fellows who commit wholesale perjury on "broad moral grounds" in the interests of Tilden and reform, are not yet appointed but probably soon will be.

New Hampshire Items.

Samuel J. Osgood, Past Grand Master in New Hampshire and Grand Representative to the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows of the United States, died at Laconia, Wednesday morning.

Henry L. Ames of Royalston, Mass., twenty-eight years old, who eloped with his step-daughter, not yet fourteen years old, early in 1876, was arrested at Canaan in this State on Monday evening, where they have been living as man and wife. In default of bail he was sent to jail.

The town of Rumney boasts a snow-drift thirty feet high in one of the main roads, over which all travel has to climb.

A lady in Brookline is said to be the heaviest woman in the State. She weighs 396 pounds, and is but 30 years old.

The Temperance Reform Club of Keene are holding a weekly meeting in the City Hall, the City Fathers giving them the use of the same. The meetings are crowded, and new names are added to the lists nightly. The various religious Societies help all they can, the clergymen making short addresses. It is the best temperance movement ever made in this country, and is doing a great deal of good.

How They Raised a Dinner.

In the early days of Eureka, when coin was scarce and credit difficult to obtain, it used to worry some of the pioneers to keep a full larder. There were four jolly good fellows living in New York canyon, the owners of several fine locations, but bankrupt in purse, and their credit at the stores overdone. Their laziness was proverbial, and they lived by their wits and grew lean on their capital. While at breakfast, discussing the last remnants of provisions in the cabin, and already hungry in anticipation of the coming famine, it was suggested that a beef stew would be in order for dinner, provided the ingredients could be obtained. There was good water and excellent salt on hand; but the butcher was obdurate, and the grocery keeper hard of heart, and it needed considerable ingenuity to complete the list necessary to the concoction of the savory dish. After much consultation a plan was finally agreed on that promised success, and the quartet started for town to put the scheme in execution, one of the party providing himself with a couple of stout pins bent in the form of a hook—a necessary outfit if the plan worked. On arriving in town, two of the party lounged around the door of a grocery, where potatoes, onions, and other vegetables were temptingly exposed for sale, while the party with the pins and his companion proceeded to the butcher shop. One halted on the threshold and gazed up and down the street while the other engaged the butcher in an animated conversation, in the course of which he pointed to our friend, and hinted that it would be a most excellent joke to fasten a piece of meat to the idler's coat. The butcher saw the point and handed over a huge round steak, which, with the aid of the pins, was fastened to the apparently unconscious victim's coat-tail. As soon as it was secured in the desired position, he moved slowly up the street, leaving the butcher convulsed with laughter at the success of the joke. The attention of the bystanders was attracted to the strange appendage. Some shouted, others laughed, and the victim increased his pace to a run, followed by the mob. As he passed the grocery, the confederates stationed at that point put in execution their part of the scheme by liberally pelting him with potatoes and onions, an example followed by the bystanders. He did not stop—that was not in the play—but he was soon out of view up the canyon, going at a gait that would have astonished a race-horse. The excitement over, the three partners sauntered up the street, stopping by the way to fill their capacious pockets with the vegetables so freely used as missiles, and then joined their companion at the cabin, indulging their mirth over the complete success of their stratagem. The quartet partook of a savory beef stew at dinner, much to their gratification, and to the disgust of the butcher when the joke was explained to him. *Eureka (Nev.) Sentinel.*

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Leaf LARD	14	"
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" Green Java "	28	"
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A MANUSCRIPT BOOK belonging to the Portsmouth Board of Trade. Will the finder kindly give information of the same to the Chronicle Office. feb13

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West, 8.00; 10.40 A. M., 4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way, 10.40 " 4.45 "
Portland 9.45 " 4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland) 9.45 " 6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way 9.45 " 4.45 "
Great Falls 9.45 " 4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R. 9.45 "
Concord and North, 7.40, " 4.35 "
Concord Way, 4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R. 7.40 " 4.45 "
Dover, 7.40, 9.45 " 4.45 "
†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West, 10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way, 10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East, 11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R. 11.20 "
Concord and North, 10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover, 10.20 " 5.50 "
*Mostly for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals acknowledge the receipt of two donations of twenty dollars each for the benefit of the society.

The Portsmouth Cornet Band give a promenade concert and dance at Congress hall this evening. Tickets fifty cents.

All the rage now—chemiloons.

The State Board of Agriculture, and the local agriculturists, are preparing for an extensive and interesting conference at their series of meetings in Greenland on the 20th. The arrangements are in a forward state, and those who are active in promoting the meeting, anticipate a big time, and a profitable season of discussion for the farmers.

At the annual meeting of the Portsmouth Gas Company, held Tuesday evening, Ichabod Goodwin, Christopher C. Jackson, Charles A. Shannon, Aaron Akerman and John Sise were chosen Directors, David Kimball Treasurer and Clerk, and Andrew J. Penhallow Auditor. The company has nearly finished a new gasometer, fifty-four feet deep and forty-nine feet in diameter, and are now charging $3.22 net per 1000 feet of gas. The affairs of the company are in a prosperous condition.

Some one asks "when will the smaller animals, cats, etc., be protected and considered to have rights as well as the brutes who go about on two legs calling themselves human beings?" There was one who recently deliberately kicked a harmless playful kitten, wounding it so that it was revolting to look at. In this instance it was the most wicked cruelty, for which there is no excuse. The perpetrator of the act must be a wretched being ranking lower than the lowest of dumb creatures.

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BORROWED ITEMS.

We clip the following items from a Boston paper, having got tired of seeing them going the rounds unnoticed:

"Abel Lamprey of Portsmouth was thrown out of a sleigh on Saturday by his horse taking fright, and his right leg broken."

"A Portsmouth farmer had a cow that was taken sick last October, and after suffering four days it was killed. A post-mortem examination revealed eighteen nails and pieces of nails in its stomach, some of the nails being three and one-half inches long."

"Reports come from the towns around Portsmouth of an unprecedented scarcity of water. In many places wells and streams that never before failed now being dry, farmers are forced to drive stock a long distance, while supplies for domestic purposes are equally scarce. Unless rain comes soon a serious time is anticipated."

We do not know who Abel Lamprey is, never having heard of the gentleman; nor have we heard of his breaking his leg, except in the Boston papers. Neither did we hear of a man finding an iron mine in a cow, and don't believe it. Further, we have heard no particular complaints of scarcity of water—or rum, either—in Portsmouth or vicinity; and if water should get scarce in this city it won't matter much, as our two big brewers are running for office, and beer will be plenty enough for a month to come.

THE CABLE WAR.

The ocean-telegraph "fusionists" in England, foiled in the attempt to gobble up the Direct Cable Company by a stockholders' vote, have transferred the contest to a London law court, where it is sought to compel the Direct Company to carry out Mr. Penn's resolution appointing a committee to consider the expediency of amalgamation. Meantime the Anglo-American Company declares that it will give no quarter if its rival persists in serving the public at the rates which have reduced its dividends so largely. The New York *Tribune* remarks:

Viscount Monck, who makes this threat, ought to be wise in time. When a company with $27,000,000 capital and four cables threatens to destroy one with only $6,000,000 and a single cable, public sentiment is likely to be strongly aroused on the weaker side. As the only object of the Anglo-American Company in seeking to get control of the Direct Cable is to restore the former oppressive and exorbitant rates, which the rivalry of the latter company has forced down to a point something near reasonable, the recent action of the American Congress in passing the bill granting permission to the projected Baltimore line to lay cables between this country and Europe may have some influence in deciding the question. And it is pretty certain that the Anglo-American Company should manage to get control of the Direct Cable in connection of the latter with the shores of the Dominion and at Rye Beach would be summarily severed by the two Governments which, however, would not much annoy the monopolists, who only care to restore old rates and do not really need the Direct Cable to use; but it would be bad for stockholders in the Direct Cable Company.

The Irish Shrafting.

In a rather retired part of the south of Ireland, near to the once famous Skibbereen, a curious and not uninteresting custom prevails, called "shrafting." It takes its name from Shrove (otherwise Shraft) Tuesday, on which day a regular matrimonial "Tattersall" is held, where all the "likely" boys and girls in the parish are on view, and all the "matches" in the year are made. For days before there is quite a stir in the neighborhood, and a twitter runs through the entire female population. There is a universal sticking and buying of ribbons; every girl you meet on the road holds out her hand for a sixpence; and you can't speak to a domestic servant without her hanging out signals of distress. Indeed, there is this objectional side to the proceeding, that it disorganizes one's establishment; for just as you have caught and trained a neat-handed Phyllis for yourself, she is sure to be pounced on and carried off by some of the coast-guards, who always attend the shrafting from the fishing village near at hand. The shrafting is in itself a pretty sight, and would furnish a subject for the pencil of any wandering artist, if such came that way. The girls stand in a row on the village green, under the spreading branches of a fine old copper beach tree. There is every expression on their faces—anxiety, curiosity, timidity, dull stupidity, sharp shrewish interest; and here and there you come on such a pretty country beauty, with that indescribable half-arch, half-shy look in the eyes which Maclise has caught in perfection. At a little distance are clustered a lot of shame-faced looking men—"the boys," as they are called—all in their Sunday suits, and evidently ill at ease, eyeing with some distrust the superior attractions of the coast guards, who are like the red coats, favorites among the ladies. But that in reality matters little, as the real conduct of the affair is in the hands of "the powers that be," the fathers and mothers, who haggle and quarrel over their respective children, sometimes breaking up the negotiations abruptly, and carrying off either son or daughter, as the case may be, as they would an unsalable beast from a fair. Of course, little bits of romance crop up here, as elsewhere; cases of money versus love, and young hearts sold to the highest bidder, just as they are in a Belgravian drawing-room. By the by, what wouldn't our fashionable mothers and worn out chaperones give for a shrafting to be held once a year in Hyde Park; how much trouble and expense it would save; and what glorious fun it would be to see the Countess of D— and old Lady Mantower having a hand-to-hand fight over the persons of Lord Fizznoodle and the Honorable Emilia!—*English Paper.*

How the Accounts Were Furnished.

Clearly the best account of the recent duel was that given by a very grave business man, Mr. Lawrence R. Jerome. After being sworn, he stated to the grand jury that he was interviewed by reporters in bed before he got off his night-cap, was shadowed by them as if he were a great criminal, and interrogated by them at the moment when partaking of the strengthening potato and the invigorating chop. "Mr. Foreman," said he, "while I really knew nothing about the affair, I kept furnishing the reporters with most of the news that filled the papers relating to the duel. They persisted that I had something to do with arranging the preliminaries for the fight, and knowing that it was bread and butter to the reporters, and that they were paid by the yard for all such exciting information, I furnished them with principals and seconds on every occasion when asked. I did this, I repeat, to benefit the reporters mainly. I assure you, Mr. Foreman, I didn't know the first thing about the duel, but they would insist upon it that I knew all about it. I am glad the affair is brought to a close; I am glad to be here to relieve my mind and the public on this very exciting subject. I am a man of peace; I am a respector of the laws of the land; I would not counsel the shedding of blood in any other way except according to law and the doctors. There are some bloody minded men in the community, but I am not one of them. I hope, Mr. Foreman, you are satisfied that I am a law abiding citizen, and opposed to the use of firearms except in case of defense and invasion. If you have done with me, Mr. Foreman, I would like to retire and resume my pleasant occupation in Wall street, where I will be most happy to see any member of the grand inquest and to attend to any business in my line to the entire satisfaction of all parties." Mr. Jerome withdrew, and the grand jury joined in roars of laughter.

—Mr. Christiancy (Rep.) of Mich., in presenting to the United States Senate a petition from the citizens of Michigan, asking adoption of a sixteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States prohibiting States from disfranchising persons on account of sex, said he was informed that there was not a single drunkard, gambler, or person of vicious life among the petitioners, and he believed the statement. His observations in the State of Michigan, where over forty thousand votes were given for female suffrage, satisfied him that the people advocating this amendment were among the most thoughtful and intelligent people of the country.

—The *bal-masque* was first introduced in Paris in 1715, but was nearly put an end to at once, owing to an incident which took place in 1721. Six men carried a palanquin, and made their way to the centre of the theatre, amid jokes of every nature. There they deposited their burden and withdrew. Becoming impatient at the unknown not drawing aside the curtains, a charming *danseuse* in domino peeped inside to invite the occupant to a *menuet*. She drew back in horror. The crowd tore open the screen, and before them was a corpse, a man with a dagger in his heart. The mystery never was cleared up.

—Isaac Wilson, aged fourteen, James Phalon, aged thirteen, and Eddie Wilson, aged eight, all of San Francisco, inspired by dime novels, plundered a butcher's shop, and with the money they got bought a horse and a shot-gun and started for the canyons to be robbers. Finding travel in the mountains rather light, they returned to town, where they were very soon arrested.

—A fond father wrote: "It generally takes twenty years of training to eradicate the word 'nice' from a woman's vocabulary. The falls of Niagara, the Psalms of David and the progress of the human race were all 'nice' to my eldest daughter till she got married."

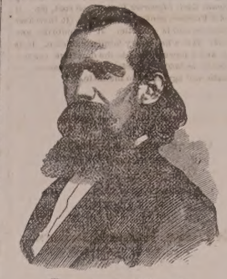
DIED.

YOUNG. In York, Me., Feb. 1, Julia Young, daughter of Mr. Moses Young, aged 13 years and 8 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Ship Frolic, Bush, from San Francisco arr at Liverpool Feb 12.

Barque Quickstep, Barnabee, at Batavia, Jan 10, for Manila.



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There are to be, from various pens, papers on

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 29, 1

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

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Very plain styles are now preferred for dressing the hair for the street and for mornings in the house. Cable cords or twisted ropes of hair in two thick loops are worn at the back of the head, drooping low, as chatelaines. The switches made up of short hair on stems will not answer for these ropes, as long hair is needed to keep the ropes smooth. These loops are fastened together at the nape of the neck with a long brooch of gold or of faceted steel. The ribbon bows, worn last season for tying chatelaines, have fallen into disuse, though a small bow with ends is sometimes placed on the crown of the head to conceal the termination of the loops. The front hair is worn in large waves if it is thick enough, but if not, an invisible or false front is used, and is surmounted by a nest of finger puffs directly on the top of the head. Light blonde hair is still worn rough and fluffy, but it is not regularly creped. Dark hair is worn smoother than fair hair, and must be laid flatly in long waves, or in the water waves that require so little hair, or more stylish still, in the Montague locks that are made of thick curves laid irregularly on the forehead. Side locks, just in front of the ear, are turned toward the face. These locks and the Montague curls are glued down with bandoline to keep them in place.

Hair oils and pomades have happily gone entirely out of use; only the cleanly bandoline is used. The special object with the hairdresser is to follow the shape of the head, displaying its natural outlines, and, above all, not increasing the size. Experienced hairdressers study each head to bring out its good points and conceal its bad ones. If it is too flat on top, some finger puffs are added there; if it is too long, the back hair is placed very low, or else in a knot just on top; if it is a round and very small head, the classic Grecian coiffure is made very dressy for evening by a few short, natural-looking curls, worn drooping behind, while the front hair and sides are in long, loose waves. Yellow ivory or else tortoise shell combs are worn in the back hair, placed a trifle to one side. Side combs are also used again. The French twist is worn by ladies who find high coiffures unbecoming. It is rolled very high and as small as possible, and it is finished on top by a Recambier bow of hair, or else a cluster of hair loops. The coiffures of the time of the First Empire are said to be coming into use again. These are liked by brunettes with thick massive hair, and are copied from portraits of Josephine and Hortense. The front hair is short, thick curls parted in the middle. *New York Tribune.*

—The Norfolk (Va.) *Landmark* says, that on the night of the first appearance of Miss Neilson, the Grand Duke Alexis engaged a negro hackman to take himself and suite to the wharf. On reaching the street at the conclusion of the entertainment, he was approached by the darkey, who said, "Is you de Juke?" On being answered in the affirmative, the sable John remarked, "Well, sah, de carriage is waitin." The Grand Duke was struck with the simplicity of American manners.

—One of the lady teachers in the Peoria High School went out coasting a short time ago. But the cunning of her girlhood had forsaken her, for she steered wildly, and before she got half way down the hill she ran into two sleds and over three boys, knocked the overshoes off a fat man, scared a woman with a market basket and a baby into convulsions, ran under a cow, and knocked a howl as long as a clothes line out of a Dalmatian dog, and finally went bulging through a rail fence and scalped herself and broke her leg. And she only weighed 102 pounds when she started. Truly, in the midst of life we are in mischief.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—The "cultured" clergymen and laymen of Boston find a good deal to say condemnatory of Mr. Moody's intellectual qualities. They sneer at his eloquence, make fun of his diction and logic, and declare that while many of his statements are positive they would not bear argument. It is singular that religion is most attractive to the masses when expounded by these "uncultured" evangelists. Moody, according to all accounts accomplished wonders in Chicago, where a score or more of "cultured" clergymen accomplished very little except to erect handsome church edifices and get their congregations hopelessly in debt. The same is true of New York and will no doubt be the case in Boston. Theological seminaries are able to give a man a knowledge of certain theories of religion, but practical Christianity is ignored, and consequently more than half the ministers turned out are mere professionals—preach for a living and that is all. Moody's success is owing to his earnestness and apparent sincerity, and because he does not split hairs on certain points of theology. Religion is nothing more than a faith, and that preacher is the most successful who appeals to the sympathetic nature of his hearers. It does not do to investigate into the matter too far. If Moody was a learned man he would not enter upon his work with half the earnestness and sincerity that now characterizes it. The man seems to be christianizing the clergymen, for which result the country owes him a debt of gratitude. When all clergymen become simple Christians the glaring social evils now upheld by the church will gradually disappear.—*New Haven Union.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 16, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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Reform Telegrams.

The Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections on Wednesday evening were occupied with the examination of Alfred B. Hinman and A. W. Shaw of Detroit, who have had business transactions with J. H. N. Patrick of Omaha, Nebraska, and who have communicated with him by telegraph, in cipher, for years past. The key to the cipher used by them is "the Household English Dictionary," and by the aid of this key the following translation of the cipher despatches, relative to the Oregon electoral case, were made out:

PORTLAND, Nov. 28.

W. T. Pelton, 15 Gramercy Park, New York: Certificate will be issued to one democrat; *must purchase republican elector* to recognize and act with democrat, and secure vote and prevent trouble; deposit $10,000 to my credit with Kountz Brotbers, Wall street. Answer. J. H. N. PATRICK.

I fully endorse this. J. K. KELLY.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29.

J. H. N. Patrick, Portland, Oregon: No. How soon will Governor have decided certificate, if you make obligation contingent on result in March? It can be done if necessary. (No signature.)

PORTLAND, Nov. 30.

W. T. Pelton, 15 Gramercy Park, N. Y. Governor all right; without reward will issue certificate Tuesday; this is a secret. The republicans threaten if a certificate is issued to ignore the democratic claim and fill the vacancy, and thus defeat the action of the Governor. One elector must be made to recognize the democrat to secure a majority. Have employed three lawyers; editor only republican paper; as one lawyer's fee $3000; will take $5000 for republican elector; must raise money; can't make fee contingent; sail Saturday; Kelly and Billings will act; communicate with them; must act prompt. (No signature.)

NEW YORK, Dec. 1.

J. H. N. Patrick: Can't you send a special messenger and convene Legislature by Tuesday, and elect an elector if necessary. *The expense would be paid.* See proceedings other States telegraphed you. Consult Governor and Senator. Answer. (No signature.)

PORTLAND, Dec. 2.

W. T. Pelton, 15 Gramercy Park, New York: Impossible to convene Legislature. P. left before telegraph arrived. Can't draw the $. Deposit Charles Dimond, 115 Liberty street, to order Bush & Ladd, Salem. Must have it Monday. Can't understand laughable Everett House, last your telegram. K. for. P.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.

Hon. James H. Kelly: Telegraph Hemlock go ahead; you shall be reimbursed; do not fail; all important; advise progress. (No signature.)

SALEM, Oregon, Dec. 5.

W. T. Pelton, 15 Gramercy Park, N. Y.: Can't you deposit the eight, Charles Dimond, subject the order Ladd & Bush, Salem; can't get money here; must have it Wednesday; telegraph me Salem. Vier will not fail "dectrinal." (No signature.)

San Francisco, Dec. 6.

Hon. Jhn. H. Kelly: The eight deposited as directed this morning. Let no technicality prevent winning. Use your discretion. (No. signature.)

Political.

The Boston *Post* puts the cipher dispatches (from Patrick in Oregon to Nephew Pelton in New York, showing the need of "purchasing one republican elector" and demanding the money to pay for him, and the answers from New York showing that the money was sent and urging the corruptionists to go ahead as they "will be reimbursed,") under the heading "Nothing of Importance Developed." Bringing bribery home to Tilden's front door is not of any great importance, certainly.

A striking illustration of the hard times among politicians as well as among other folks is afforded in the fact that among the special police sworn in at the Capitol the other day were two ex-Governors, one ex-Judge and one ex-Congressman, and several prominent State politicians who have been hanging about Washington for months waiting for something to turn up.

Now it is a partisan Commission, a mongrel court, and a fifteen-headed anaconda.

About Mr. Maddox's character. The opinion of those who know him best seems to be that he never had any.

A vigorous yelp comes up from Washington for a leader for the leaderless democracy. The utter failure of all those who have attempted to drag the party out of the mire has made clear their inability to achieve the task, and a new man is now demanded. The Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati *Enquirer* sends this wail over the wires: "The main trouble is that the democrats are without a consulting head. The rank and file have lost faith in Hewitt. He has too many bonds and too much dyspepsia to view the situation from a practical standpoint. Col. Pelton is here, but his judgment is as vapid as a school-girl's composition. If he didn't happen to be the nephew of his uncle he would be too small a factor in the squabble to be seen through a microscope. It needs a man of nerve and brain to sail the ship. The head for the occasion is wanting, although all the smallfry think they could manage affairs, if given the chance."

A Washington correspondent says the apostasy of Mr. Purman, the republican member of the House from Florida, was not at all unexpected. It is openly charged that he has had the speech delivered by him prepared for a considerable period, during which he has been trying to get the promise of office from the republicans as the condition of its suppression. Failing to draw the republicans into negotiation, he has carried his wares into the democratic market, and his price is said to be a liberal slice of the honors and emoluments of office of representation in the forty-fifth Congress. Purman has a certificate of election, but his seat is contested by a democrat, who, in consideration of Purman's secession from the republican party, is to consent to a division of the spoils.

The real estate pool committee of the House has "struck ile." A contractor was examined on Thursday, and implicated a good many prominent persons in unrighteous practices. The most prominent persons mentioned were ex-Senator Sprague of Rhode Island, who, he said, was interested in a patent, and Col. W. T. Pelton, Tilden's secretary, who, he said, had to do with several pavement contracts. Eldredge of Wisconsin, formerly a democratic leader in the House, and two republican ex-Congressmen from Pennsylvania, were also smirched.

News and Notes.

Gov. Packard, of Louisiana, was shot at and wounded in the knee, on Thursday.

The following message in a bottle has been found on the Scotch coast:—"The Pete Durbrovacki was wrecked near St. Kilda on the 17th of January. Captain and eight of the crew are at St. Kilda." The Austrian bark Pete Durbrovacki left Glasgow, Jan. 12, for New York. St. Kilda is an island in the Atlantic, 82 miles west of Harris, (Hebrides.)

Considerable excitement having been caused recently at Rising Sun, Indiana, by the robbery of graves by resurrectionists, the citizens have been making efforts to prevent such occurrences. On Wednesday the body of a little girl was buried, and friends hired two men to watch the grave. Mayor Gillispie also sent two watchers to the grave, not knowing of the action of the relatives of the deceased. The result was a fusillade between the watchers, each being mistaken for body-snatchers. Henry Summers of the Mayor's party was slightly wounded, and Joseph Jones of the other party dangerously wounded, receiving the whole load of shot in his side.

Two schooners were capsized in Tangier Sound during the gale on Monday. The crew of one were picked up by a passing vessel, but all hands on board of the other perished. It is also reported that three oyster pungies were capsizad and it is feared the crews were lost.

By a coal-mine explosion in France, on the 13th, fifty-five miners lost their lives.

The strike of the engineers of the Boston & Maine Railroad, so far as the corporation is concerned, is at an end. The company have succeeded in employing all the firemen and engineers necessary to run the trains, and a notice has been posted on the door of the Superintendent's office in Boston that no more engineers or firemen are wanted. Superintendent Furber says that the thing is probably ended and that the road has come out ahead.

Detectives in New York on Wednesday captured, at Solar's restaurant on University place, Billy Connors, a notorious cracksman, and one of the seven men who on the night of the 26th of January, 1875, bound and gagged the cashier of the National Bank of Northampton, Mass., with his family, blew open the bank vaults, and carried off $720,000 in money and securities which never since have been recovered. Connors and his wife were living sumptuously at the restaurant. The prisoner was committed to prison. Two of Connors' confederates, Robert Scott and J. H. Dunlap, arrested in Philadelphia, had a preliminary hearing and were committed in default of bail to await a further hearing.

John F. Haines, once a three card monte man, is engineering a big temperance revival at Saco.

Sentimental suicides are becoming very common in the United States. About a fortnight ago a young lady, who was engaged to be married and apparently happy, committed suicide in Marion, Iowa. A few mornings after the funeral, her lover called a young lady cousin into his room, and, remarking hastily that he was going to his sweetheart, shot himself in the heart. A brother of the dead girl went to the house to see her lover's remains, and, catching sight of the pistol, seized it and did his best to shoot himself, but did not succeed.

There was a Yale "rush" at Sachem's Wood last Saturday evening. The Freshmen collected near a fence on the crest of a ridge and brandished a heavy cane—their "banger." Their leader posted half a dozen of his strongest men in the centre to protect the precious hickory, and then marshalled the rest of his host to meet the onset of the enemy. With shout and shriek the Sophomores sprang upon the Freshmen, their plan of battle being to break the cordon around the "banger-holders," and then to send in their stoutest men to capture the prize. The course of the combatants was turned down the side of the ridge toward the street; a hundred voices shouted at once; the Sophomores seized the "banger;" the whole undergraduate mass plunged down the bank; the Freshmen recovered their prize; one young fellow was trodden under foot and carried off the ground badly hurt, and finally, after a half-hour's struggle, the Sophomores bore away the trophy. When the battle was over the boys marched down the street with torn shirts, red backs and wet faces, singing college choruses.

We have taken wood, potatoes, corn, eggs, butter, onions, cabbages, chickens, stone, lumber, labor, sand, calico, sauerkraut, second-hand clothing, coon-skins and bug-juice on subscriptions, in exr time, and now a man writes us to know if we would send the paper six months for a large owl. There are few things an editor would refuse on subscription, and if we come across any fellow who is out of owl, and is in need of one, we will do it.—*Osborne (Kan.) Farmer.*

San Francisco papers cry aloud for street sprinklers and talking of impeaching their aldermen for letting dust accumulate.

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Eastern R. R. scrip	321
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	66¼
Boston & Maine	99
Boston & Providence	152
Boston & Albany	127
Nashua & Lowell	88
Concord	78
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	113
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	56¼
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Hay per ton,	$16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon,	25 to 40 cents.
Lard per pound,	13 cents.
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Molasses per gal.,	H. Cuba 49 @ 58c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels,	45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel,	$1.
Pork per ℔,	$20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump	$6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel,	.90
Soap per ℔, No. 1,	7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br.	10¼ @ 11½; Gr. 12¼; Crushed 13c.
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" Fomosa "	65	"
Japan "	23	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	12½	"
Northern Smoked HAMS	13	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	25	"
" " Rio "	30	"
" Green Java "	28	"
" " Rio "	25	"
CURRANTS	3	"
Box RAISINS	12	"
Best Double Crown New Loose Muscatel RAISINS	13	"
New Valencia "	10	"
New Turkey PRUNES	8	"
New FIGS	15	"
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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P.M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		3.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		3.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		3.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		3.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		3.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 3.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	3.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 "	3.50 "

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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The experiment tried in Liverpool of opening cheap coffee houses for the sale of cocoa, coffee, tea and bread, to counteract the influence of the grog shops, is proving very successful. Eighteen have already been established, and though most of the sales are for only a half penny, they not only meet expenses, but will pay a good dividend on the outlay. They are considered a most effective weapon against intemperance in Liverpool, and would undoubtedly prove so in this city, if it were practicable to establish them in sufficient numbers to enable a man to get a temperance drink at a small price whenever he wants it. Many a man takes a punch or a glass of whiskey when he would prefer to take a cup of good, hot coffee or tea at the same price; but the whiskey is for sale everywhere, right under the thirsty man's nose, while the coffee or tea can only be procured at the expense of time and trouble. Why not establish temperance bar-rooms?

The Bow Mission service on Sunday will be an object lesson entitled "The Voyage of Life," and as it is intended exclusively for the children (should there be enough of them to fill the room) an usher will be in attendance to seat all the children first, after which, should any room remain, parents and others will be welcome.

A little son of Rev. A. C. Hardy, formerly of this city and now of Fisherville, while sliding down the side of a ravine near his father's house in Fisherville recently, ran into an apple tree and received a very severe shock and bad bruises. He was taken up insensible, but medical aid was summoned and he soon recovered consciousness. No bones were broken, and his injuries are not dangerous.

E. C. Spinney, Esq., of Kittery, is shipping large quantities of pressed hay the present winter from the towns of Eliot, Kittery and York to the Boston market, which is said to be of a superior quality.

Col. William H. Hackett, having some legal business to transact at the Shoals on Thursday, chartered the steamer Clara Bateman to take him out, and improved the occasion to give a few of his friends a breath of salt air.

The number of letters sent from the post office here for the four weeks ending Feb. 10, was 3676.

Work has again been suspended at the navy yard.

It is reported that Mrs. Dolly Bidwell, the well-known actress, who is now closing an engagement in Boston, is to leave the stage on and after this week and embark on the sea of matrimony. A rich New York broker is said to be the happy man.—*Times.*

A rare and exquisitely beautiful Australian plant, with a long name which we are very glad we have forgotten, is in bloom at Pearson's green-house on Broad street. It is a thing of beauty, though it will probably not last forever.

The annual report of the school committee for 1876, gives the following summary of expenditures: For teaching, $20,257.57; care of rooms, $884.51; fuel, $1819.14; books and stationery, $290.95; printing, $84.75; contingent expenses, $282.79; making a total expenditure of $23,623.71. The appropriations were as follows: General appropriation for 1876, $20,000; revenue from literary fund, $639.45; supplementary appropriations, $3,500; total, 24,139.45. There remains unexpended the sum of $515,74.

Dr. Everett's lectures at Franklin Hall have been attended by audiences limited only by the capacity of the room, and the general verdict is that they are the most practical and useful lectures on hygieine delivered in this city for many years.

POLITICAL NOTES.

The Boston *Post* says: "The Democratic County Committee of Rockingham county met at Newmarket Wednesday to discuss campaign interests. The members appear to be sanguine and hopeful of success." We venture the assertion that the democratic committee of Rockingham county have no hope of success, however sanguine they may "appear to be," for the democracy know that there is no more doubt of the success of the republican County ticket than there is of the success of the republican State ticket—and "Old White Oak" will be left further to leeward this year than he was last.

On the Congressional ticket the republicans of the first district have got to make a fight; they will make a fight; and although they will have to contend against money and beer we believe the fight will be successful, and that the district will be represented in the next Congress. No comparison can be made between the fitness of Hon. Gilman Marston for Congress and the unfitness of Hon. Frank Jones, nor is any needed, for both candidates are well known. "The era of good feeling" got along some time ago, so reference to candidates' war records is not permissible; but it should not be urged against Gen. Marston that he fought gallantly for the Union all through the war, while Mr. Jones gave all his influence to the other side. If fitness for the position of Congressman decides the question, Gen. Marston will be triumphantly chosen; if money and beer are omnipotent, Frank Jones will secure another term.

The democratic nominations have great pecuniary strength in this district. The democrats acknowledge that their candidate for Governor "bleeds" well, if he does not run very well; and the money he puts out to help himself will of course help the Congressional and Senatorial tickets also. Then the candidates for Congressman and State Senator are both brewers, both well to do, and both ready to contribute liberally to the cause of reform; indeed, it is popularly supposed that Frank Jones' first (and last) election to Congress cost him six if not ten years' salary as Congressman, and that he will expend as much or more this year rather than be defeated. Besides this, the Eastern Railroad was made to do good work in Mr. Jones' interest at the last election, — but whether or no he can make use of that concern this year we cannot say.

But though the democrats have the advantage in money and beer, all the advantages are not on their side. The republican candidate for Governor is as strong as the democratic candidate is weak—Benjamin F. Prescott's name is worth more than Daniel Marcy's money; Emmons B. Philbrick is popular, fully the equal of Marcellus Eldredge, and will carry the full party strength, which the latter we do not believe will do; and Gilman Marston is immeasurably the superior of Frank Jones in every requisite for a Congressman, except in the manufacture of beer. And it is encouraging to the republicans to remember that the Cambridgeport foundries, the Gloucester fishing schooners and the marine barracks at the navy yard, will not this year be enabled to take any important part in the elections; their old wards, Three and Six, in which they voted two years ago, no longer exist as they then did, and every name on the check list has to have a residence set against it. This will make a difference of at least two hundred votes in favor of the republican candidates; and as the republican majority in this Congressional District at the Presidential election was eight hundred, we are confident that anything like the usual republican canvass will result in sending Gen. Marston to Congress by a rousing majority.

The final issue of the Presidential contest, also, will exert a marked effect on the election here. If President-elect Hayes is inaugurated, the democratic candidates may as well withdraw; if Tilden is counted in, the republicans will have to fight to hold their own.

New Hampshire Items.

A Mr. Piper of Alton is drawing wood to this village with a team of six fine looking cows. They make a nice team for all purposes for which oxen are used, and to their other good qualities add that of affording an abundant supply of milk, butter and cheese. To work them moderately, feeding them well at the same time, does not injure them for either breeding or dairy purposes. So it is said.—*Wolfeborough News.*

A daughter of Warren Eastman of Claremont was probably fatally burned Wednesday noon, while eating dinner in the Pearl street school, her clothes taking fire from the stove, completely burning them off before aid could reach her.

—When the Young Athenian on the fence asked,—Shall I marry, or remain single? the Old Greek answered,—Do either, and you will repent!

—The Norristown *Herald* says that the Tennessee farmer who reported that shower of snakes in Tennessee "wouldn't let the telegraph operator smell his breath."

—A lady in Charlestown, Mass., heard her little son use a bad word, which he picked up on the street. In correcting him she said, "Eddie, do you know that God hears you when you say bad words? He does hear you and it grieves Him very much." Presently Eddie came to his mother and said, "Mamma, does God hear you when you scrape the bottom of the flour barrel?"—*Boston Transcript.*

A Dedham, Mass., business man wended his way home to dinner, and, arrived at the house, was surprised to find all the doors locked. Fearing that some serious mishap had befallen the partner of his joys and sorrows, and none of the neighbors being able to give him any information, he procured a hatchet and broke an entire window sash to fragments. Upon crawling into the room, he found the following note lying on a table: "Dear Hubby, I have gone to hear Moody and Sankey. You will find the key to the front door on the left-hand corner of the porch, and some cold ham in the pantry. I will pray for you." The husband's remarks on reading the note showed the need of somebody praying for him.

Overhead telegraphs are rapidly disappearing throughout Europe. In London the telegraph department, which is now in the hands of the State by purchase, has done a great deal to abolish the long lines of wire dangerously stretching overhead, and to carry them along in iron pipes underground. In Prussia scarcely a telegraph post remains. Germany in general will probably follow Prussia in particular in this respect. France and Italy are also "following suit." The great difficulty is the cost, which is heavy in towns. It is estimated that $2,500 per mile would about cover the expense of laying down the iron pipes under London pavements—quite apart from the cost of the pipe themselves, and of the continuous wires between them. In small towns and in country places it is less expensive.

DIED.

MELCHER. In Boston, Feb. 15, Captain George Melcher, aged 80 years.

☞ Funeral from the Unitarian church on Saturday, at 2 30 P. M.

—A hint to mothers—Treat your babies kindly, but not cordial-ly.

—An English merchant was dining with a Chinese mandarin, when it struck him that perhaps the dish which he had eaten of so heartily might have been stewed cats, for he heard that they ate cats in China. The Chinaman didn't know English, so his guest, anxiously pointing to the dish, inquired, "Miow, miow?" "No, no," said the mandarin, "bow-wow."

—Gov. Bross illustrates the marvelous growth of Chicago by saying that in 1850 he saw a wolf pass his door on Michigan Avenue, now the principal residence street of the city. His friends amuse themselves by telling him that he has had better luck than the general run of Western editors. The wolf generally squatted in front of their doors and howled.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

—There is a man living at Craddox, Ky., who is six feet and eleven and a half inches high.

—A gentleman had occasion to correct his daughter, aged four, recently. After it was over and she had sat a while, she went to her mother and inquired, "Don't you think it would do papa good to go out doors?"

—The Manchester, Eng., butchers are buying up patriarchal old bulls and matronly cows, which they kill and exhibit as real American beef, not frozen, retailing the tough carcasses at a low price. The customers, disgusted at the experiment of trying to eat the stringy meat, return and demand their "Hold Hinglish roast beef," when the butchers supply them, at the old price, from an American carcass.

—The charges of ungentlemanly conduct and unfairness made against the American crews at the Centennial regatta, last summer, by the London Rowing Club and correspondents of London papers, have been pronounced groundless by Mr. Charles Barrington, of the Irish crew and son of Sir Croker Barrington, who says he saw the race from the best position, and that the Englishmen were beaten on their merits.

—A bank book was presented at the Springfield Institute for Savings one day last week, which had not been seen by the bank officials since the original deposit was made thirty-two years ago. The amount of the deposit was $300, while the interest alone has mounted to $1649. During all this time the owner of the book had never entered the bank or asked a question as to her property, which she now comes to claim.

—*Hague's Dramatic Journal* supplies the following proverbs: "What cannot be cured—must be eaten fresh. A bird in hand—will fly away unless held tight. Little pitchers—don't hold much. There's many a slip—on a skating rink. Judge not a man by the coat—that he steals. Boys will be boys—they can't be girls. It's an ill wind that—blows your hat off. You can't make a silk purse out of—unbleached calico.

—A Western lawyer, who was defending a young man in an action for damages for having kissed a girl without her permission, "rose to the occasion," and exclaimed: "Gentlemen of the jury, look at the fair plaintiff, and see if she's a bit damaged. *No, sir.* She's as pooty as an angel at this very minute. Besides, gentlemen, my client could kiss a dozen gals without damagin' any of 'em a bit, and he's willin' to be put to the test at any time—yes, *now*, if the court please." The jury let him off light.

—There was a grand ball at Indian Rock, D. T., a fortnight ago. Among the lovely girls who danced were Miss Three Bears, dressed in a beautiful new calico worth 12 1-2 cents a yard and trimmed with blue beads; Miss Bellyfat, the Uncapapa chief's daughter, arrayed in buckskin embroided with beads, and in leggins of scarlet cloth; and Miss Antelope, Running Antelope's ruddy daughter, dressed in a beautiful blanket and black cloth leggins, wit hair closely oiled to her head.

—A Nebraska paper notices a man whose wife whose comb ned weight turned the scales at 830 pounds. He weighed 480 and the lady 350 pounds. Ten children have been born unto them, seven of whom are now living. With pride does the old gentleman turn to his offspring, and especially to a nineteen-year-old son, who weighs 200 pounds, is as strong as an ox and as good natured as his father. A six-year-old girl weighs over 100, and the remainder holds out in the same proportion.

—Not long ago, several boys were standing around a bonfire in Manchester, England, when suddenly a sharp sound was heard like a clapping of hands, and one of the boys, a lad about fifteen years old, dropped dead. On examination the surgeon found that a bullet had entered the boy's head exactly at the top, penetrated the skull and brain three inches downward, and then smashed the bones at the nose. Although the bullet had been battered to an almost shapeless mass, the goverument mark upon it was clearly discernable. The ball had been fired from a Snider rifle, and as the police frequently complained that volunteers discharged their pieces into the air, there was no doubt death had been caused through such culpable carelessness and ignorance. The momentum of a bullet falling half a mile is about equal to its velocity when fired from the muzzle of a gun.

—A department clerk in Washington with $1500 a year lives in three rooms on the fourth floor of a tenement house, with his wife, two children, and—a mother-in-law. The front room serves for a parlor and dining-room; they have a gas stove for cooking in the little room, and the mother-in-law has a turn-up bedstead there. In the back room the rest of the family sleep. Their servant comes in the morning and goes home at nightfall; and they have six table boarders! Dishes too elaborate for the gas stove are ordered from a restaurant; and no lady enters the Epiphany on Sunday who wears more elegant dry goods than the enterprising feminine who engineers that *menage*. The crowding and confusion of the week are as naught when she devoutly bows her beplumed head and murmurs the Litany, conscious all the while that in so doing she can scan the dresses in the pew before her, and decide how to make over last year's costume.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 17, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

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GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting the Votes.

The arguments of counsel in the Louisiana case closed at 4:30 P. M. on Thursday, and the Commission then held a session with closed doors, adjourning at 5:30 to 10 o'clock Friday forenoon, after adopting an order that a vote should be taken on the admissibility of the evidence proffered at four o'clock Friday, afternoon. The Secretary was ordered to notify counsel that the decision of the Commission would be communicated to them at 4:15 o'clock. It is understood there was no discussion upon the question before the Commission beyond the preliminary arrangements.

A despatch over the Western Union Line, dated Washington, 5:30 P. M., Friday, says: "The Commision, by a vote of eight to seven, decided not to admit evidence."

The New Orleans Sensation.

The attempted assassination of Governor Packard of Louisiana occasioned much excitement in Washington. Despatches from New Orleans say the assailant, who gives the name (probably the true one) of Wm. H. Welden, gained admittance to Packard's office by claiming to be a correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press*,—with which paper, however, he has no connection. He suddenly drew a pistol and aimed it at Packard's head, but the latter struck down his hand and the bullet but slightly grazed his knee. Welden was instantly shot by a bystander, but was not dangerously wounded. He is probably insane. Some of the republicans considered the assault a democratic attempt to get rid of Packard; and some of the democrats asserted it to have been only a put-up-job by the republicans. The two parties evidently have no high opinion of each other.

News and Notes.

The New York *Sun's* charge against Gen. Babcock, turns out to have arisen from a blunder of the clerk of Holman's committee, who fancied he had discovered a defalcation of $600,000, more or less, and at once notified the *Sun*. Babcock's accounts are proved to be correct within less than eleven dollars.

Prominent merchants and business men in Montreal and New York, several United States inspectors, the railroad baggage-master and telegraph operator at Montreal, and others, have been detected in wholesale smuggling of goods from Canada into the United States. Many arrests have been made, among them one McClanahan of Montreal, who is worth $500,000.

A large barn, on South street, Biddeford, owned by Postmaster Hamilton, with forty tons of hay, farming tools, etc., was burned to the ground Wednesday evening. Insured for $1000.

Thirty-five thousand valentines went through the New York post-office on the 14th, the largest number that ever passed through that office; at Boston the number was 10,000, a falling off from former years.

Schooner Grecian Bend has been abandoned at sea; crew saved. Schooner M. M. Knowles, 382 tons, from Boston for Turk's island, is five months out and missing; supposed lost, with all hands. Fishing schooner Mary Burnham, of Gloucester, sailed Dec. 28th, has not been heard of since, and is supposed lost, with her crew of eleven men.

The store of William Stens & Co., lace dealers, in New York, was robbed of from $25,000 to $40,000 worth of laces on Wednesday night.

Chicago had one of the coolest robberies ever known there, a few days ago. Two men, under plea of examining the gas-meter, entered the front door of the house of A. S. Seeley, a rich citizen, while three others gained admittance at the kitchen. Old Mrs. Seeley, the servant-girl and a boy were seized and threatened with knives if they made a noise, while the robbers took out a small safe, and, though people were constantly passing within eight feet, broke it open with sledges and cold chisels, securing $600 in money and over $200,000 in notes, deeds and bonds. They then ransacked the house, stole $75 in jewelry, fastened the inmates into a closet, broke the burglar alarm, and quietly escaped.

New York is not to be afflicted with Mardi Gras mummeries, the police authorities forbidding the street show as against the law.

Zachariah L. Barton, a carpenter, committed suicide in his shop in Boston, Thursday, by cutting his throat with a drawshave. He had previously made attempts on his life, at one time firing three pistol-shots at himself, at another time hanging himself, and at another time cutting his throat with a razor. Mental depression resulting from the death of his wife a year or more ago was the cause.

Reform a la Tilden.

"It is the people have done this. They want reform, and they know they can get it *here*" [pointing to himself].

That was the modest way in which Samuel J. Tilden "whispered to a few friends" on being informed that he had nominated himself as the democratic candidate for President,—that his wholesale advertising of his virtues through paid-for puffs in the newspapers, and the golden arguments taken to St. Louis by his chief striker, John Morrissey, had not been wasted. Mr. Tilden evidently considered himself the incarnation of true reform; and he was so anxious "the people" should have the article of reform they wanted, and of which he is sole patentee and manufacturer, that he was willing to expend a whole bar'l of money to secure it for them. Republican corruption in politics needed putting down, and the great reformer was willing to do it if it *did* take $3000 to buy a democratic elector, $5000 to buy a republican elector, and any needed amount to buy Gov. Grover and Senator Kelly. Of course neither Tilden, Pelton, "Patrick," Grover or Kelly expected their cipher telegrams would be deciphered; if they had they would have been more careful; but the fact that they have been found out in their bribery schemes does not in the least impugn the purity of their motives. "The people" wanted reform—that is, Sam. Tilden; and he tried to purchase it for them.

Political.

A democratic exchange insists that the Oregon Pelton-Patrick telegrams should not injure Mr. Tilden's good name. Well, they don't.

The Washington correspondent of the Boston *Globe* says: "The sensations of the town here are the complicity of Colonel Pelton, Tilden's private secretary, with the District real estate pool and the reported shortage in Babcock's accounts. The former cannot be doubted, and the democratic leaders are utterly disgusted with that and the Oregon cipher despatches, which are the worst yet published. Babcock had published to-day a statement to the effect that his accounts had been audited and found all right, and further developments are awaited."

Samuel J. Tilden is the first man who ever attempted to buy the Presidency of the United States.

The democrats would like to know if a private citizen has any rights a Congressional committee is bound to respect. Here is a Senate committee demanding the bank accounts of Hewitt, Tilden and Nephew Pelton during the campaign, that they may know where the bar'l o' money was sent. The bank account of the republican managers, ransacked by the democratic House committee, revealed nothing which the democrats could use to advantage; then what an outrage it is to overhaul the accounts of Pelton and Tilden, which will show where the bribe-money for Oregon came from. Let's have fair play.

It is easy enough to see now what prompted the democratic assertions (made when the Western Union Telegraph Company decided to give up all telegrams demanded) that Tilden's nephew and private secretary, Pelton, had sent "indiscreet" telegrams, during the campaign, and that Tilden was so angry "when he found it out" that he threatened to discharge him if he did so any more. They feared the cipher telegrams would be explained, and hoped to make Pelton a scapegoat for Tilden. But it is too thin.

The democracy consider the seizing of telegrams the meanest thing.

When President Tilden delivers his inaugursl message, it is understood he will denounce republican corruption to the extent of two columns, and urge a Constitutional amendment making bribery punishable with disqualification for holding office—not to be retroactive, however.

New Hampshire Items.

Dr. George A. Crosby, of Manchester, was married in San Francisco on Wednesday evening to Miss Mary J. Bryant, daughter of the Mayor of that city. The newly married couple intend visiting several important places of the South, spending from four to six weeks, after which they go to Manchester, which is to be their home.

James Draper's house in Enfield was burned Thursday.

The Station Master at Shelburne, Thomas J. Hubbard, fell dead at his house Wednesday evening.

On the 3d inst. Rev. Joseph C. Emerson, formerly pastor of the Methodist church in Fisherville, started from Fernandina Island, Fla., in a sail boat to attend a conference meeting at Jacksonville, a distance of forty miles. Nothing further has been heard from him. A few days since the boat and Mr. Emerson's personal baggage were picked up, and there seems to be no doubt that the missing man has been drowned. Mr. Emerson was widely known in this State, and his death will be much regretted.

Lawrence Fox, a Manchester barber, about twenty-six years old, somewhat under the influence of liquor, on Tuesday night, the 13th, stabbed Mary Ann Kelley, aged about twenty-two years, with a jack-knife in the left breast, the blade penetrating the lung. He has been paying attention to her for some time. The girl's mother says Mary refused to marry him, whereupon he stabbed her. The girl's statement is somewhat conflicting, but it is evidently a love affair. Fox is under arrest. The stabbing has been kept quiet awaiting the result of her injuries, her condition being considered critical.

Mrs. Charlotte Coney, aged forty-six years, was found frozen to death a mile from Nashua, Thursday afternoon. She left her house the previous evening under the influence of liquor, and wandered into the woods to the spot where she was found.

'Bout Ship.

Whatever the result of the great civil commission, sitting in Washington, to settle the Presidential controversy, it will forever remain the brightest page of "the Centennial year"—the general concession, we mean, of both political parties to a fair and legal settlement of the controversy.—*New Haven Register, Jan. 30.*

We know now what we did not dream could be the case—that the Commission is a partisan tribunal, deserving of no respect, and as such, we firmly believe, it will pass into history.—*New Haven Register, Feb. 12.*

History of a Picture.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.33 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.30 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.30 "

*Really for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

A despatch from Washington came over the Atlantic & Pacific wires Friday afternoon, announcing that "The Tribunal will take evidence," and the democracy grasped at it like a thirsty man at a straw when the other end is stuck in a mint julep. [This strikes us as being more expressive that the old simile of a drowning man catching at a straw.] Sounds as of jubilation were heard, the *Times* office roosters showed themselves on the outer wall, and the democratic headquarters was thrown open; but then came another despatch saying the Commission had voted *not* to take evidence, and straightway the wet blanket with which our democratic brethren have so long been covered again enveloped them. The *Times* office roosters were immediately cooped up once more.

Mr. Horatio W. Trefethen of Kittery has been appointed a branch pilot on the Piscataqua river.

There is a little war going on among the knights of the razor in this city. The regular price of a shave is fifteen cents; hair cutting and shampooing, twenty-five cents each. But one barber reduced the prices to ten cents for a shave and fifteen for hair cutting, and now another one announces shaving for six cents.

The Appledore House at the Shoals has been enlarged during the winter by the addition of two wings, giving thirty more rooms. It won't make any difference; the ever-popular Appledore will be over-crowded during the season, no matter how many additions the Laighton Brothers may make to it.

Dr. R. Miles Le Poer will speak again at the Reform Club meeting, Sunday evening, at Franklin Hall. Five cents will give you a good seat.

Travellers on the morning trains hence to Boston deplore the action of the managers of the Eastern Railroad who have farmed out the sale of newspapers on the cars to a man who has a monopoly of the transfer coach system in Boston. We were on the second train last week and not a paper was to be bought in the cars, the passengers at Newburyport and Salem getting out and purchasing of the local dealers. The managers cannot afford to let the patrons of the road be disappointed in this matter, as without their papers they will spend their time in berating the officials of the road for this neglect.—*Journal.*

We learn that George E. Hodgdon, Esq., is contemplating a removal from this city, to North Carolina, probably, in a short time, to take up his residence there for the future. We wish him the best of luck—if he *did* engineer the democratic gerrymander of Portsmouth through the Legislature, under the Weston administration.

Mr. Wilbur, of Hampton, and Mr. Frank Rand, of Greenland, have decided to build a box factory, saw and grist mill, near the Eastern Railroad station in Greenland. The proprietors are men of enterprise, fully capable of managing the business, and will give it their personal attention. Mr. Wilbur has had many years experience in the mill business, and there is little doubt the undertaking will be a success.

Mr. Matthew J. Lowd, of Greenland, while endeavoring to back a load of wood into a yard on Middle street in this city a few days ago, upset the load, on which he was riding, and was thrown to the ground, the wood falling upon and around him. Those who saw the accident thought he must be killed, but he got out with no further hurts than a few bruises and a slightly wrenched back.

James W. Blake, of Hampton, recently shot a bald-headed eagle measuring seven feet from tip to tip of its wings.

In his lecture last Sunday evening Rev. B. F. McDaniel stated that the *Worcester Spy* was the oldest newspaper of continuous publication in this country. This honor belongs to the NEW HAMPSHIRE GAZETTE, published at Portsmouth, which is the *Spy's* senior by fourteen years, having been established in 1756.—*Exeter News-Letter.*

A North Hampton correspondent of the Exeter *News Letter* says that at a recent levee in North Hampton "the singing by Miss Carrie Seavey of Portsmouth, a little girl only four years old, was something extraordinary."

Judge Nathan Clifford's boyish days were passed in the town of Greenland.

The band concert and dance of the Portsmouth Cornet Band, Thursday evening, was but moderately attended, there being little left over after paying expenses. The concert was a good one, the band showing very great improvement in playing.

In the Supreme Court at Exeter, Monday, case Mary A. Dow vs. Eastern railroad, to recover $650 for a horse killed, and a wagon and harness destroyed by reason of being struck by the Bangor Express train, while the team was standing on the track at Hampton Falls, after milk cans had been unloaded from it into a car standing on a side track, was decided. The defence was that the railroad was not liable, but the plaintiff was in fault in leaving the horse on the track after the cans were unloaded into the car, and thus contributed to the accident by the negligence on the part of her servant. The plaintiff claimed that the horse and wagon and harness were worth six hundred and fifty dollars. The jury gave a verdict for one half the amount claimed. Marston for plaintiff; W. H. Y. Hackett and William H. Hackett for deft.

A SURPRISE.

Not long since a letter was found by the ladies of the family of one of our well known citizens, thrust under the front door of the fine new house into which they had recently moved. The letter was not signed with any name, but simply gave notice to the ladies that the friends of the head of the house proposed on a certain evening to "give him a surprise," and the writer thus generously gave the ladies warning, that they might be found with their lamps trimmed and burning. The note said the invaders would "bring their own music," so it was assumed that dancing was on the programme of the evening's entertainment.

The thoughtful warning was heeded, and when the eventful evening arrived it found the house brilliantly lighted up, the larder over-stocked with choice confections and rare game, meats, ices and other eatables, the costly carpets covered with canvas for the merry dancers to prance about on, and all other preparations made for a royal good time,—for the "beneficiary" of the evening is not one to do anything of that kind at the halves.

All was ready. Then they waited. Not a blessed soul came—which is probably where the "surprise" came in. But it was a mean joke to perpetrate, anyway, whoever did it.

MONEY AND EDUCATION.

When Mr. Frink took the chair at the democratic State convention he made a speech, in which he said: "Wealth alone has never been able to purchase a [democratic] nomination. Education alone has not been the passport to our party favors." Then the convention nominated Mr. Marcy for Governor—proving *one* of Mr. Frink's statements true, at any rate.

Now the Exeter *News-Letter* asks conundrums about Hon. Frank Jones' nomination, as follows: "If Jones was not nominated for his money, then what on earth was it done for? He has sat in Congress two years, a failure so conspicuous and so self-conscious that he talked of resigning during the first session. There is not a man of his constituency who can point to a single act of his as a representative that can be called creditable to either himself or the district. * * Jones was nominated two years ago with the clearly implied understanding that he was to put $50,000 into the canvass; * * he expended much more than this, so zealous was he in behalf of his own election, and * * the use of his position as a director of the Eastern Railroad has added largely to the financial embarrassment of that concern. These are not things to be guessed at. They stand out conspicuously, forming one of the most disgraceful chapters in the political history of the State. And now he comes forward again, presenting not a single claim of service rendered in behalf of a re-election, but presuming that there is enough cheap purchasable material in the district to elect him again. We wonder if there is."

But the democratic nomination for State Senator from this district gives the best illustration of which exerts most influence in securing a democratic nomination—money or education. The prominent candidates before the convention were Mr. Marcellus Eldredge, of this city. G. Harrison Jenness, Esq., of Rye, and Col. Jerome C. Butler, the candidate of last year. What especial fitness Mr. Eldredge has for the position to which he aspires, beyond being a man of large means, we do not know; he has never been a leader in public affairs; but Mr. Jenness is a man of education and extensive information, an able speaker and well known newspaper correspondent, an earnest and efficient worker in the cause of education, and has filled various positions of public trust with honor to himself and his constituents. But though possessed of a comfortable property, honestly earned by hard work, Mr. Jenness is not wealthy, so Mr. Eldredge secured the "prize" of a democratic nomination,—and we are glad of it, in a party view, for we are confident Mr. Jenness would have received quite a number of votes, on the score of his eminent fitness for public life, which Mr. Eldredge will not receive.

Certainly, Mr. Frink spoke truth when he said "Education alone has not been the passport to our party favors."

—When Herbert Spencer's friends dine with him they always sit down to a dinner of Herb's.

—Another humiliation for poor Tweed! A water-proof-oil company has taken for its trade-mark the portly figure of the old man, standing in a heavy rain storm, with a shabby umbrella over his head, but with his huge diamond still gleaming in his shirt front. How people do like to kick a man when he is down!

—McCullough was once playing the part of the "Prince of Morocco" in the Merchant of Venice, at the old Metropolitan Theatre, when the boys put up a job on him. You know they put three caskets on a table, one of which the Prince opens. Some wag got the caskets from the property man and fixed a jack-in-the-box inside, so that when the lid was opened the jack would fly up. John walked up, bent over the box and turned the key, when up flew one of those elongated jacks with a red wooden head, and hit John on the nose. You never saw such an astonished man since Balaam's ass attempted to draw his master into a conversational debate, and, of course, the whole effect of the scene was lost amid the roar of the audience. As soon as McCullough got behind the scenes he suspected poor Jack Billings, who had no hand in the trick, and blackened an eye for him.

—Horace Maynard of Tennessee, Minister to Turkey, was once amusingly served by a counterfeiter, whom he defended and by a great effort managed to get acquitted. His client gave him a handsome fee and immediately left the town, and poor Maynard presently found that he had been paid in counterfeit money. If every lawyer who defends a scamp could be paid in his client's own rascality, this world would be better in a hurry.

—Unless a large sum of money is raised inside of a month the Yale University crew will be disbanded, as the navy is in a precarious financial condition.

DIED.

BERRY. In Greenland, Feb. 9, Miss Sarah A. Berry, aged 23 years, 9 months, 19 days.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Ship Columbus, Rogers, from San Francisco arrived at Liverpool, Feb 11.

Sch Josephine, Fickett, for this port from New York arr at Vineyard Haven Feb 23.

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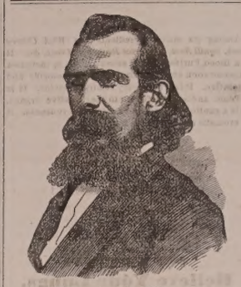

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IN THE BLACK FOREST.

In the midst of the Black Forest, in Germany, lies hidden the picturesque village of Zorlitz.

The principal building in the village is the little wooden Lutheran church, the only house of worship.

The pastor of this church, a year or two ago, was Herr Brocken, or Father Brocken, as he was affectionately called by his people. He was a kindly, simple-hearted man.

Here he had dwelt twenty years, the father, the pastor and guide of simple people; here his wife had recently died; and here he hoped to be buried. He was childless, his family consisting of an old housekeeper and a young girl known as his niece.

This niece of the pastor was the idol of the good people of Zorlitz. She tended the peasants in their illnesses; she visited the quaint old houses like a sunbeam, bringing with her always warmth and sunshine.

One afternoon in June, at the time we have indicated, our heroine, after making a call upon a sick old woman, began the ascent of the steep hill in the direction of the parsonage. When half-way up the slope, she turned aside into the woods, pursuing a shaded path at an easy pace, swinging her broad-brimmed hat by its ribbons from her arm, and carolling a German song in a sweet voice that roused the birds to emulation.

She was about seventeen years of age, tall, slim, and graceful, with a beauty unmistakably English, and yet more unmistakably patrician.

This girl, with her wonderful beauty, which would have made a sensation in the queen's drawing room, with her exquisite refinement of looks and manner that declared her gentle birth and breeding, possessed a grandly generous nature, a warm heart, and impulsive temperament, and, withal, a personal magnetism that attracted every one to her.

She had been thoroughly well educated, the good pastor and his wife having gloried in her keen intellect, and in her thirst for knowledge. They had taught her various languages, music, for which she had a positive genius, drawing and painting, and various feminine arts; but her accomplishments were among the least of her charms.

The path along which she was walking came out upon a spring, whose clear pool was shadowed by bending trees. This was a favorite resort of the young girl, and she sat down upon the green bank, the song dying on her lips, and a strange gravity overspreading her face.

"Oh, dear," she said, sighing; "I am so tired of this dear, stupid old Zorlitz. I wish that I could see something of the world outside. I have read of the great towns, of different peoples, of life beside which ours is stagnation. I am growing discontented. Must I live here all my life, and die, and be buried here, knowing nothing of any better existence? If it were not for leaving uncle I'd beg to be allowed to go somewhere as governess. But I can't leave him, and he will never leave Zorlitz. And yet I'd give half my remaining life for a change—if I might only go somewhere and see something of the world."

Did some mischievous spirit hear her complaint and resolve to grant her wish? For a change in her life was close at hand—a change greater than even her vivid imagination would have dared conceive. That very hour was the last she would ever know of commonplace existence. Perhaps it was as well that she could not read the strange future before her, else she might have shrunk from it in terror and misgiving, preferring the safe shelter of the Zorlitz parsonage in the depths of the Black Forest to the whirling vortex, the perils and troubles lying in wait for her in the great "world outside."

She was still musing discontentedly when a sudden rifle-shot rang out sharply upon the air—a deer went flying past—and a stinging pain in the girl's left arm sent a thrill of faintness quivering through her.

A low cry escaped her as she realized that she had been shot. That cry was echoed from the horrified lips of two huntsmen, who bounded into the glade, and halted abruptly at sight of her.

"By Jove!" cried one, speaking in the English language. "A perfect Diana, Glenham! And you've shot her!"

The other raised his hand in an imperious gesture, commanding silence, and advanced towards the fainting girl, his countenance still wearing an expression of horror, in which were now mingled a deep pity and keen remorsefulness.

The girl had fainted quite away by the time he had reached her. Flinging down his unlucky rifle, the young man devoted himself to her recovery with peculiar gentleness and reverence, and with an assiduity that speedily recalled her to consciousness. She opened her eyes upon the strangers, blushed vividly, and arose unsteadily to her feet, retreating a few paces.

"A perfect little queen!" cried the gentleman who had before spoken. "Who would have dreamed of finding such a magnificent little beauty in this wilderness! I say, Glenham—"

The girl's pale face flushed scarlet.

"Pardon," she said, speaking in English, with an accent as pure as that of the gentleman; "but I understand English."

The two young men were, for the moment, covered with confusion. Then the one who had been called Glenham addressed himself to the young lady, avowed himself the author of her injury, lamented his own awkwardness, and begged to be permitted to examine her arm to ascertain the extent of her wound, and to endeavor to alleviate her suffering.

His evident sorrow, his chivalric courtesy, impressed the girl, who quietly gave assent, and permitted him to examine her arm.

"My friend, in his chagrin at his awkwardness, has forgotten to introduce himself," said the gentleman who had first spoken. "Permit me to remedy this deficiency. He is Gordon, Earl of Glenham, of Yorkshire, England. And I have the honor to be his very good friend, Maldred Crafton. We came on an exploring and hunting expedition to these wilds, little expecting to find here a fellow-countrywoman."

The young lady acknowledged the introductions with a bow, and responded:

"I fear that I cannot lay claim to the same nationality with yourself. I am Cecil Rosse, the niece of Herr Brocken, the Lutheran pastor of Zorlitz."

To the girl, reared in that secluded region, seeing, besides her aged relative, only the rude peasants of Zorlitz, young Lord Glenham appeared a very demi-god.

He was strikingly handsome, with a distinguished presence. He was about twenty-eight years of age, yet he retained a youthful freshness of feeling, was chivalrous and noble in the highest degree, and was not only unmarried, but he had never loved.

His companion, Maldred Crafton, was his intimate friend and distant relative, who possessed a small fortune, was about thirty years of age, and also unmarried. The intimacy between the two men was inexplicable, for never were two persons more unlike than Lord Glenham and Maldred Crafton. His lordship was too noble and unsuspicious to discern the real nature of his kinsman, which was sly and scheming, intensely avaricious, and utterly unscrupulous. Yet Crafton's exterior was plausible and insinuating; he was singularly gentle in his manners; and his black eyes and swarthy features had been too well trained to reveal the secrets of his soul.

Cecil Rosse was not sufficiently skilled in physiognomy to read the characters of these two men. She only knew that she liked Lord Glenham, and with her liking came an instinctive faith in him. As for Crafton, she felt for him a singular distrust and an aversion that was destined to grow and strengthen into a stronger emotion.

An increased pallor and sudden compression of her perfect lips brought Lord Glenham hastily to her assistance. Her wound was but slight, and when Lord Glenham had completed his small attempt at surgery, and the wounded arm had been well bandaged, Cecil Rosse thanked him courteously and avowed her intention of hastening home.

"We will accompany you, Miss Rosse," said the earl. "No, do not refuse. You are not able to go alone. Lean upon me—else I shall think you have not forgiven me!"

Cecil took his arm and led the way by the forest-path in the direction of her home. A few minutes' walk brought them out upon the steep village street and very near the parsonage. As they entered the little garden-gate, the old housekeeper, Gretchen, came out to meet them with loud expressions of alarm at the evident weakness of her young mistress. She fairly worshipped the pastor's neice, and Chill forced a smile and discouraged her arm from its support as she said:

"Hush, Gretchen, you will alarm my uncle. I am not seriously hurt."

She hastened to explain the recent accident, and then invited her companion to enter the house.

"Not now," answered Lord Glenham. "But we will avail ourselves of your kind invitation to-morrow."

He raised his hat courteously, and waited until Cecil had entered the dwelling with her old servant, and then he led the way down to the village.

At a little distance from the parsonage Lord Glenham halted and looked back, a new light in his eyes, a new glow on his face.

"So he loves her, too?" thought Crafton, his soul convulsed with baffled fury. "But he has not won her, and he never shall. For I love her, too—this patrician beauty of the Black Forest—I love her, and I swear by all that is holy that she shall be my wife. My wife, and not his. He will woo her openly; that I cannot do, lest he know me for his rival. Yet it shall go hard if I do not undermine him, cause her to refuse him, and then win her for myself. The first thing to be done is to discover how this English-looking and English-speaking young lady happens to be the niece of a German pastor. Ah, my lord, cherish your little fancies, dream your little dreams, while I step in and win the prize before your very eyes!"

The next day the young Englishmen called. Their interview with the old pastor was a pleasant one. Cecil was transcendently lovely. Both of the young men were desperately in love with her, and each resolved, if possible, to win her for his wife.

They settled themselves comfortably at Zorlitz, hunted in the forest, and visited the parsonage daily. Absorbed in his books, the Herr Pastor paid little heed to the visitors, whom Cecil entertained. June faded into July, and August came and went, and still the Englishmen lingered at Zorlitz. No one but sharp-eyed old Gretchen suspected that they were the lovers of "little Cecil," or saw the change in her young mistress.

"She loves the English lord," the old woman said to herself, well contented. "And he loves her. The Herr Pastor is failing—no one can see it but I—but when he dies the little fraulein will have a grand home and a protector, and will not be driven to earn her own living, as I have often feared."

I was plain to Crafton that the young earl was the favored lover of Cecil, but this conviction by no means dampened the ardor of his own love, or caused him to desist from his suit.

"I shall win her!" he said to himself, grimly. "I can work and wait. In spite of any obstacle in my path, in spite of Glenham's beauty, rank, and wealth, in spite of the fact even that the girl loves him and dislikes me, I will win her! I devote myself, mind and body, heart and soul, to the task—but if I should fail—as I shall not—I would utterly destroy the girl before any other should possess her!"

The hard, evil look in his eyes attested to the truthfulness of this declaration.

As the month of August draw to a close, Lord Glenham began to make preparations to quit Zorlitz, as he had to return home to keep his engagements with a party of guests whom he had invited to spend the month of September with him at his shooting-box in the Scottish Highlands. On the eve of his departure he called upon Herr Brocken, avowed his love for Cecil, and asked for her hand in marriage. The old pastor was deeply moved, and after considerable hesitation, revealed to the young man a secret which affected him profoundly. On recovering from the shock, he asked:

"Does Cecil know her history?"

"No; I have not dared yet to tell her."

"Then keep it a secret still from her. She must never know it. And give her to me, Mein Herr, if she will marry me, and let me guard and protect her—"

"You are generous, my lord, but this cannot yet be. You shall not marry her on a generous impulse. Besides, she is too young. Go back to your own country for one year, leave her to me, and if, another summer, you still love Cecil, come and claim her. But now you must not speak to her of love. She is but a child—she is only seventeen."

Lord Glenham was forced to acquiesce in the old pastor's decision.

Cecil was called in, and the earl took leave of her in her guardian's presence. His lordship's tongue was silenced upon the subject of love, but his eyes told the tale his lips had been forbidden to utter, and the girl's soul thrilled under his worshipping gaze.

"I am going away, Cecil," said his lordship, with a tenderness he could not repress. "I am going home to England, but I shall return next summer. Good-by, Cecil—good-by, my darling!"

The sorrow in her sweet eyes robbed him of his self-control. He caught her to his breast and showered kisses on her pure young face in an irrepressible agitation. Then gently, putting her from him, he wrung the pastor's hand and dashed from the house.

An hour later Lord Glenham and Maldred Crafton left Zorlitz on they way to England, the latter promising to himself a speedy and secret return.

That evening, as the good old pastor sat alone in his study, meditating upon the great event of the day, the door opened and old Gretchen came in, bearing in one hand a lighted candle, in the other a small packet upon which was impressed the London postmark.

The pastor torn open the packet as soon as Gretchen had retired. Two English banknotes fell upon his knee, and a folded sheet of paper, upon which he saw handwriting, followed them.

The old scholar started, recoiling, his gentle face growing troubled and perplexed.

"A letter?" he muttered. "The first letter I ever received from Cecil's former guardian. I have received fifty pounds from him every year, but never a scrap of writing before. What has he to say to me? Does he intend to take the child from me? Is the long mystery of fourteen years to be cleared away at last?"

Herr Brocken unfolded the mysterious letter, a strange agitation quivering through all his nerves. He believed himself to stand upon the threshold of the solution of the strange mystery of Cecil's origin. A blur obscured his vision. He removed his spectacles and wiped them with a trembling hand. Then he spread out the sheet of paper, his eager old eyes fairly devouring its contents.

The letter, as he noticed after reading it, was written upon plain white paper, without water-mark or imprint of any sort whatever. The handwriting was coarse, and slanted backwards, with evident attempt at disguise. There was no date to the letter, which was as follows:

"HERR BROCKEN: It is now fourteen years since I left with you the little, nameless child whom you agreed to bring up, and in all that time I have never written a line to you, nor have I heard from you directly, but I am aware that the child is, unfortunately, still alive. I have remitted regularly to you for her support the sum of fifty pounds per annum. I remit that sum herewith, as usual, in Bank of England notes. As she is now about seventeen years old, and quite able to make her own way, I shall not send any more money for her. As this is the first, it will also be the last communication you will ever receive from me.

"I suppose that she has been brought up in accordance with my instructions, as a German peasant-girl. I suppose, also, that she is contented with her lot, since she has never known any other. If she should marry some wood-carver of your people, then my best wishes for her welfare will have been fulfilled.

"It is scarcely necessary for me to repeat what I told you fourteen years ago, that the girl has no friends save those she may have made at Zorlitz; no relations; and that the best she can do for herself is to live and die in the obscurity of the Black Forest. My care and concern for her end herewith. Neither she nor you will ever hear from me again."

There was no signature to this epistle. Herr Brocken read it over the second time and sighed heavily.

"The unknown guardian washes his hands of Cecil," he muttered. "All connection between the girl and her early past is now completely severed. She will never solve the mystery, will never know her origin. I almost wish that I had not sent Lord Glenham away, and yet I could not do otherwise. According to the traditions and usage of the world, a girl like Cecil, no matter how great her beauty, genius, and goodness, is no fitting wife for a great lord."

The door opened while his eyes were riveted on the paper, and Cecil came in slowly, half shyly.

The pastor made a movement to put the letter in his desk, but changed his purpose.

"My dear," he said, "you seem somehow less of a child to me than usual to-night. My heart is heavy and sore with many burdens. Shall I lay them upon your young shoulders?"

The tender young face at once grew stronger, with a gravity and courage that touched the old scholar.

"I did not know that you were bearing secret burdens, uncle," said Cecil. "Let me help you. Do you need money?"

The pastor glanced at the two bank-notes on his desk.

"No, dear, it is not any fear of poverty that troubles me," he said, gently. "I feel strangely weak. I realize to-night that I am growing old. I may not live another year, and there are things you ought to know. I will tell them to you now. Cecil, this handsome English lord asked me to-day for my consent to address you as your sztor."

The girl blushed and paled, and her eyes glowed with a swift and dazzling splendor.

"What did you say, uncle?" she whispered after a little pause.

"I bade him wait a year. I told him that you were too young to marry."

"He loves me! He loves me!" Cecil said to herself softly, her glorious young beauty radiant as a star. "And he is coming back next year! Oh, uncle, I am the happiest girl in all the world to-night!"

The old pastor sighed and stroked her hair with a shaking hand. A great struggle was going on within him. At last a look of decision settled upon his careworn features, and with his trembling hand resting on Cecil's head he told her her history as far as he knew it. He also informed her that he had told it to Lord Glenham, and that it seemed to make him love her all the more. He then handed her the letter from her unknown guardian, closed his eyes and leaned back in his chair. His face looked singularly worn and sorrowful in the dim light, and there was a weariness in the drooping features that told of extreme physical weakness. No one marked the rapid change of expression in the young face at his knee, the passionate anguish in the sweet eyes, the tense lines about the lovely mouth, the bitterness, horror, and despair indicated in all her perfect features.

The letter fell at last from Cecil's hand, and the bright head drooped to the pastor's knee, while Cecil gave way to a burst of passionate weeping.

"My child," said the old scholar, arousing himself with his former bewildered expression, "hush, dear, you pain me. I would have kept this from you if I had dared. Lord Glenham may come back. Goodness, beauty, and genius are of more value than ancestry. Put the letter in your pocket. It may prove a clew some day."

He took from the desk a small packet, which he opened.

"My good wife wrote out the history of your coming here," he said, "and here it is. We both signed it. And the good wife, who was clever with her pencil, made that night, after your guardian's departure, a sketch of his face. Here it is. It can perhaps do you no good, but as the man might have been your father, we preserved it for you!"

Cecil seized the paper eagerly, and stared at the picture with great, devouring eyes.

It represented a young man with a fair, English face; a heavy, cruel mouth; small, blue eyes, the left one having a peculiar droop; and with a large mole on the left cheek. The face was hard, cold, and unpleasant, and Cecil shuddered as she slowly studied it, feeling a quick sense of repulsion towards it.

"Do you think that he was my father?" she asked.

"The good wife thought not. But he might have been. Men can be very cruel to their own flesh and blood when they are supremely selfish. Keep the picture, dear. And now, dear Cecil, we must say good-

night."

Cecil knelt down beside him, and he laid his hands on her head and blessed her. Then he embraced her tenderly, as she arose, and dismissed her.

The old pastor leaned back in his chair. His long, scanty locks fell around his venerable face, and his eyelids drooped wearily.

"Poor little Cecil!" he said to himself, yet without seeming to realize his words. "I seem to have the gift of second-sight to-night. A terrible future yawns before her. Poor little one! God shield her!"

When morning dawned, he still sat in his easy-chair, but his head was thrown back, the gentle smile was frozen on his features, which were rigid as marble.

The old pastor had gone to join his good wife. He was dead, and Cecil Rosse was left alone in the world to meet the terrible perils in store for her!

The grief of Cecil, when, the next morning, she discovered the old pastor sitting dead in his chair, was indescribable. She felt that she was now indeed alone, and without a guide in the world. But old Gretchen, and all the neighbors comforted her, and by the time the funeral ceremonies had ended, and the affairs of the pastor's estate had been settled, she had recovered her usual elasticity of spirits and had resolved upon her course, which was to go to England, accompanied by Gretchen, and see if she could not find some trace of her family. As they set out, old Gretchen, looking back at the forest-village through her tears, muttered:

"I hope that we ain't rushing straight into trouble! And yet a creeping feeling comes over me that there are dark days ahead! I wish I could read the future!"

The above we publish as a specimen chapter; but the continuation of this story will be found only in N. Y. Ledger. Ask for the number dated March 3, which can now be had at any news office or book-store. If you are not within reach of a news office, you can have the Ledger mailed to you for one year by sending three dollars to Robert Bonner, publisher, 180 William street, New York.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

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OF CONCORD.

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OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,

JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting the Votes.

On Friday, after the decision of the Commission not to overthrow the rights of the State of Louisiana, reserved to it (as to all other States) by the Constitution of the United States, the counsel for both sides rested their cases, declining to argue further. The Commission then again went into secret session, and adopted the following resolution, offered by Senator Morton:

Resolved, That the persons named as electors in certificate No. 1 were the lawful electors of the State of Louisiana, and that their votes are the votes provided by the Constitution of the United States, and should be counted for President and Vice-President.

Justices Miller and Bradley and Representative Hoar were appointed a Committee to draft a report of the decision, with a brief statement of the reasons therefor, to be signed by the members agreeing therein, and to be transmitted to the joint session of the two Houses, as required by the Electoral act.

On Saturday the Senate sent to the House a notice that the Senate was ready to meet the House to proceed with the count. Salary-grab Randall, the Speaker, for half an hour refused to recognize the Secretary of the Senate—a boorish insult never before offered by one branch of Congress to the other, it having always been the practice to suspend even the roll-call to receive a message from the other House. The House, without receiving the Senate's message, adjourned to Monday; and the Senate did likewise on being informed of the action of the House. The Republicans were very indignant at Randall's course in refusing to recognize the Secretary of the Senate. It is believed that no precedent for such a proceeding can be found in the history of the government. The course of Randall is regarded as the first step toward revolution,—or, rather, the second, the first having been taken when, in obedience to caucus dictation, he appointed both tellers in counting the vote from, his own party, a thing never done before by any Speaker.

The Situation.

The democracy all over the country are terribly exercised and demoralized by the action of the Electoral Commission. When they forced its acceptance upon the republicans, in spite of the adverse vote of a majority of the republican Congressmen and the earnest opposition of very many of the leading republican papers of the country, they announced it as a tribunal whose decisions no true patriot and honest man would combat; and democratic conventions in their resolutions, democratic governors in their inaugurals, and democratic candidates in their letters of acceptance fully endorsed it; now the whole lot of them are hopping mad, Judge Bradley is "Joe Bradley," and they now say the Commission is an infamous partisan concern, and that the democracy cannot in honor submit to any such decisions as have been given. The trouble is that the Commission has decided that a man who was not legally elected shall not steal the Presidency.

Satisfied that they had no chance of winning under the Constitutional method of counting the vote, the democrats were willing to "compromise" on anything that would give them a chance; and they would undoubtedly have acquiesced in the findings of the tribunal they created, had those findings been entirely in favor of the democratic party,—and so would the republicans, for not one, even of the most bitter opponents of the Commission among the republican leaders and papers, but has insisted from the moment the Electoral Bill was passed that the decision of the Commission must be accepted by the republicans as final, even though Mr. Hayes was thereby cheated of his election. The republicans, the "compromise" having been forced upon them by the democracy, have steadily announced that they should consider themselves bound by its decisions; the democrats, having created a tribunal to suit themselves, now announce that they will not be bound by its decisions because they are not in their favor!

What the democratic hot-heads propose to do is not yet made clear, nor is it certain that the rule-or-ruin men will be able to bull-doze the honorable men of the party, who still consider their solemn pledges worth standing by, into any extreme measures. The scheme most talked of is the filibustering dodge, by which the House, through objecting to the vote of each State and then taking a recess until next day, can prevent the completion of the count under the Electoral Bill until after the third of March, thus forcing a new election upon the country. But we are not quite prepared to believe the democrats so utterly reckless as to take this course; if they do, the country will not have to wait long to find it out. The democratic party never has paid any respect to its most solemn pledges, we know; but the party that by mere factious opposition should prolong the uncertainty and uneasiness of the past four months until next autumn would be utterly crushed at the polls, and the democratic leaders know it.

As a conclusion we quote a few sentences from the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, the leading Tilden and reform paper of the west: "*The Electoral Tribunal owes its creation and present existence to the Democrats.* The plan is to reconcile whatever line of battle is determined upon with the policy which called the Grand Overturning Tribunal into life. *It is a Democrat baby*, and its decisions must be treated with tender hands. * * * *The Grand Tribunal is organized for the steal of a Presidency*, and opinions differ whether it is not a good plan to stop the thief."

The thief has been stopped. The "Grand Tribunal" which was "organized to steal a Presidency" and "owes its creation and present existence to the democrats," has refused to "steal a Presidency" for them, and given it to its rightful owner. And we very much mistake the temper of the republicans if democratic clamor will bull-doze them, after having twice won the Presidency, into yielding another point to the supporters of the great claimant.

News and Notes.

At Wilkesbarre, Pa., Wednesday, the privilege of a High Mass at the Catholic Church, was denied over the remains of Mayor Kearney, as he was a prominent Free Mason. He was interred, however, in the Catholic Cemetery, by special permission of Bishop O'Hara.

Miss Annie Bragdon, of Hyde Park, Mass., died of hydrophobia on Saturday, from the effects of a dog-bite inflicted last September. At least two other persons were bitten at the same time by the same animal.

Herbert and Willie Thorpe, aged seven and ten years were drowned, in Canton, Mass., on Saturday, by falling into a pond through the ice.

Joe Coburn, the notorious prize fighter and bully, on Thursday shot two police officers without any provocation, and will be likely to transfer his residence from behind the bar of his drinking saloon to State prison. Coburn was drunk when he did the shooting. Both the officers will recover.

John Leon, of New York, on Friday shot, stabbed and beat his married daughter, a Mrs. Massoni, fatally injuring her, and stabbed her father-in-law, John Massoni, who attempted to protect his son's wife. The murderer was arrested.

The strike on the Boston & Maine Railroad is a total failure at present, the road now having all the help needed and running its trains very nearly on time. How it may turn out in the end, if a general strike on all the railroads throughout New England (which is hinted at by the strikers) is ordered by the Brotherhood, we cannot say, but we believe even that would fail. Such a strike would be a public calamity, however it might result to the engineers or the railroads.

James F. Dugan, a young man, was burned to death Wednesday in an effort to rescue a favorite dog from a burning stable on Staten Island.

The Great Reformer.

The democratic and "independent" papers do not seem very much shocked at the revelations of the Oregon despatches—not enough shocked to make them say much editorially. The story that Tilden was ignorant of the shameful attempt to buy up the electoral vote of Oregan will not bold water, for the despatches sent to Pelton by the immaculate Patrick (endorsed by the reform Senator, Kelly,) were sent to Tilden's residence at Gramercy Park and not to the Liberty street bureau; and the one which announced the success of the infamous scheme was sent direct to Tilden himself, and translated from the thieves' Latin in which it was sent reads as follows:

PORTLAND, OREGON, Dec. 1.

To Samuel J. Tilden, 15 Grammercy Park, New York:

I shall decide every point in the case of post-office elector in favor of the highest democratic elector and grant the certificate according on morning of sixth inst. Confidential. (Signed) GOVERNOR.

Verily, Tilden's method of introducing his patent article of "reform" is as queer as the article itself.

The Oregon despatches seriously compromise two prominent democratic officials, Senator Kelly and ex-Governor (now Senator-elect) Grover, of Oregon. Kelly had sworn that the money sent for to Tilden was intended solely to pay lawyers, but it was proved that he "fully endorsed" the scheme to buy a republican elector and a democratic governor. He however explains that he did not know the contents of the cipher despatch to which his name was signed, as Patrick lied to him about it, which is possibly the truth. Gov. Grover's case is much worse. He testified on oath before the Senate committee that he had given no information to any person whatever in regard to issuing the electoral certificates prior to the date of his action. One of the despatches signed "Governor," which unquestionably came from him, and was addressed to Mr. Tilden, dated the 1st of December, six days in advance of the meeting of the Electoral College, states that he should decide every point in favor of the highest democratic elector and grant a certificate accordingly. This despatch convicts Grover of perjury as flatly as Tilden's contradictory oaths convicted that model reformer.

New Hampshire Items.

Hannah A. Titcomb, wife of Benj. F. Titcomb of Milton Mills, committed suicide by hanging on the 14th inst., the result of insanity.

The Knights of Pythias of Dover gave a grand society ball on Friday evening, the Boston Cadet Band furnishing the music.

The daughter of Warren Eastman, of Claremont, who was burned badly while at school on Wednesday, died Friday morning, after much suffering. She was aged seven years.

Manchester is going for the dogs. A large number of dog owners were before the police court on Saturday, charged with neglecting to muzzle their dogs.

The Eagle Hotel, at Gorham, was considerably damaged by fire Thursday evening.

A Novel Ship-Launch.

One of the most striking engineering operations of the time is the launching of the immense iron steamer L'Amerique, stranded high and dry on the sands of the New Jersey coast. A net work of massive chains, ropes and blocks surrounds the ship and resolves itself into five immense hawsers firmly anchored out at sea. Two of them are the direct pulling power worked by the engines, while others are to carry the great ship gently out toward the sea as she is dragged along. All the cables are tightened by the engine power until they are stiff and straight, and draw the ship by their elasticity, until they hang by their own weight, when they are again tightened. The process is necessarily slow, to avoid straining the ship, but it has already been removed three hundred feet, and with a favorable wind and tide it is expected that a movement of one hundred feet more will see L'Amerique afloat, sound and uninjured, and all that it will be necessary to do will be to put on a new coat of paint on her bottom, and she will be ready to resume her voyages. Great walls of sand and mud surround her which are not dug away, and the work is done by the main force of dead pulls on the hawsers. It seems almost incredible that there should be sufficient power in the engine to do it, as well as strength in the hull to endure such a strain, but it is being done, and if no heavy storm intervenes to cast her higher up, she will be afloat in a few days. If we are not mistaken, it is the first event of the kind in naval history, and its success will be desired almost as much in the interest of mechanical science, as by the owners and the wrecking company who have undertaken the work.

Cogent Reasons for a Grand Success.

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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
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MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
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E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Harper's Magazine for March is out, and for sale at Foster's, Moses Brothers' and Lowd's bookstores. It has eight illustrated articles, with eighty-three illustrations, and the usual amount of varied and entertaining reading matter.

In view of the present apparent certainty of President Hayes' inauguration, it may not be premature to suggest to the local democracy that they need not throw away the big white shirt that they had made to carry in the procession with which they proposed to celebrate Tilden's election, nor the five hundred tin horns imported by Congressman Jones to be blown by the processionists. We presume the republicans will purchase the political material referred to if offered cheap, for use in *their* procession, —that is, unless the democratic clubs should conclude to join in a grand jollification by both parties, as they on the day after election suggested the republicans should do. Should the democrats conclude to take part in the rejoicings over the inauguration of the legally elected President they will want their big shirt and tin horns for their own use.

The members of the High School enjoyed a rich musical treat on Saturday. Misses Emma and Nellie Bailey, of Bridgeton, Maine, who are the guests of Charles A. Shannon, Esq., were present and favored the school with unusually fine music upon the piano, and some excellent singing. Miss Emma is a remarkably fine pianist, and her singing of a portion of Tennyson's idyl, "The Brook," was particularly good. Miss Nellie Sang twice, and very sweetly too. The exercises on the part of the school consisted of compositions, declamations and music. Mr. Bartlett, Chairman of the Committee, made some excellent remarks, and was followed by Mr. Shannon, to whom the credit of having furnished the school with so rich an entertainment is due.

Commander George C. Remey is ordered to the command of the Enterprise.

First Lieutenant B. R. Russell, U. S. M. C., is ordered to duty at the marine barracks at Washington.

The ship Thriumphant, commanded by Capt. Libbey of this city, arrived at Liverpool on the 15th inst., having made the passage from San Francisco in 113 days.

The schooner Louisa A. Johnson, from Philadelphia with coal, struck on York Ledge, Friday morning, owing to the carelessness of the helmsman, all hands but he being below at breakfast when she struck. She came off leaking badly, and filled so rapidly that she had to be ran ashore in a cove near Portland Light. The vessel is a total loss, with no insurance. The crew saved only their clothing. Part of the coal may be saved by divers. The vessel was owned at Port Jefferson, N. Y., registered 226 tons, and had on board 500 tons of coal.

INHUMAN PARENTS.

Many of the readers of the CHRONICLE are probably not aware of the active existence in our city of a Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. But such is the case and the fact carries with it the inference that there are some among us who are cruel to their little ones. One of the officers of the above-named organization relates the following as illustrating the cases for the relief of which the Society was formed:

A family named Nolan, consisting of a father, mother and child of about six years, last summer lived in Newington. The father, some time during the autumn, was sent to Brentwood for drunkenness, leaving the mother—whose habits were exceedingly dissipated—alone with the little girl, who, by the way, is a deaf mute. It soon came to the knowledge of some of the officers of the aforementioned Society that the child was being neglected and abused. An investigation revealed the fact that the mother would shut the little dumb girl alone in the house at night after putting her to bed, and visiting the city, would spend the night in a drunken debauch. It was further found that the inhuman mother was in the habit of whipping the child, and otherwise maltreating it.

An effort was at once made to get the little girl away from its mother's custody and into the care of some one who would at least treat it kindly. A number of obstacles to the consummation of this presented themselves, one after another. In the first place, a home must be secured. The Governor of the State was appealed to, to know if the child could be sent to the Hartford Deaf and Dumb Asylum for Orphans, there being a State appropriation for the support of a certain number of such children there. The application was not successful, because the beneficiary was not old enough. The Home for Little Wanderers in Boston was visited, but none but residents of the State of Massachusetts were there admitted. The North End Mission, the Children's Mission, the Orphan's Home (all of Boston) were next successively applied to, but in vain. The Orphan's Asylum at Franklin, in this State, was next sought. The Superintendent, the President and others were written to over and over again, without eliciting even a response to one single letter! It was afterward found through the inquiries of a third party that the Asylum was limited in its capacity, and full.

While these avenues of charity were being sought the little deaf and dumb girl was in the keeping of its mother, who meanwhile got drunk, and was sent to Brentwood for six months. Pending her departure the county commissioners were applied to and the child was allowed to accompany her mother to the County House, where she would at least be looked after and properly clothed and fed, until some better place was obtained for her. After much writing, waiting and watching for a suitable home, and when everything seemed to mock at the perseverance of those who had the matter in charge, a good friend suggested that there might be a place for the little one in the Orphans' Deaf Mute Asylum in Concord, under the patronage (we believe) of the Episcopal Church in that city. The application was made by the kind friend referred to, and resulted in securing for the little unfortunate a nice, comfortable home in the Asylum. The little girl was at once taken from her temporary residence in Brentwood, brought to this city, provided with plenty of warm clothing, (not omitting a pretty doll and other playthings), and on Thursday last she was taken to the Home that was so long and so patiently sought for her, and where we trust she is now happy.

Political.

Michael Ryan, charged with being an accomplice with Eph Holland in the Cincinnati election frauds was arrested in New York Wednesday, and committed without bail by the United States Commissioner. Other arrests are expected.

Charles H. Pearce, one of the Florida Electors, may be a convicted felon, sure enough, but that does not count in Florida. He served one term as a democratic Senator, and the fact that he was a felon did not injure him as a candidate.

"After all," the Louisville *Courier-Journal* remarks, "we are ready just now to say that the course of those republicans who are denouncing Justices Clifford and Field for voting contrary to the judicial majority on the Commission is no more illogical than the action of those democrats who are violently denouncing Justices Bradley, Miller and Strong for voting against them."

The New York *Evening Post* trusts that "the 'Household English Dictionary' is not a trustworthy key. If it is, we have reached the most disgraceful part of the Presidential business; and Mr. Field will have to rise in the House of Representatives and make another speech on fraud."

The New Orleans democracy are greatly excited over the decision in the Louisiana case, and the *Democrat*, "Governor" Nicholls' official organ, yells for "wah." The White Leagues are said to have been ordered to New Orleans, and things look squally down there. Were a man of James Buchanan's stamp in the Presidential chair a White League rebellion would no doubt come off at once, but as it is they will probably talk some before they commence to clean out the national forces.

Judge Abbott, who occupies the seat in Congress to which Mr. Frost was elected, and who owes his seat to one of the worst partisan outrages of the present partisan House, considers the decision of the three-cornered Commission on the Louisiana case "infamous" for its partisanship.

The Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States who left the bench to join the rebellion was selected to make the closing argument for Mr. Tilden in the Louisiana case before the Electoral Commission.

—On February 12, 1869, Hon. Murray McConnell, one of the wealthiest citizens of Jacksonville, Ill., was found lying dead in his own residence, his head crushed in apparently by repeated blows from an iron poker. From that day to this no light had been shed on the question of who was the perpetrator of the horrible deed. One Robinson, a hotel clerk of Jacksonville, was arrested and tried for the crime, but was acquitted by the jury, the evidence proving utterly insufficient to fix the offence upon him. Thursday last a prisoner in the McLean County Jail, at Bloomington, named John Pierson, who was arrested for swindling and who has served at least five terms in the Illinois Penitentiary, confessed to the State's Attorney, that he is McConnell's murderer. He relates that he went to McConnell's office to ask for money to leave the city with; that McConnell called him vile names and ordered him out of the house, whereupon he picked up the fire poker and struck him several times with it. He then fled, and did not stop on his travels until he had reached Sedalia, Mo. Pierson is about fifty years old and is known as a desperate character.

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Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 23
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., ft. Cuba 40 @ 60c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, $1.
Pork per bll., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, lbr. 10½ @ 11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Ex-Slaves in Congress.

We have in Congress now several men who about ten years ago were plantation slaves. We have a man who twenty years ago was sold on an auction block for $1,300. He sits in the hall of the house of representatives by the side of H. B. Payne, the banker millionaire of Cleveland. In 1860, when the latter was laboring in the Charleston convention to secure the nomination of Stephen A. Douglass, and to postpone the war, the former was picking cotton in the fields of Alabama. There is another man who was sold by a North Carolina planter to a planter in Alabama because he was discovered at night with a spelling book in his hand. There is a man in the United States Senate, sitting next to Frederick Theodore Frelinghuysen (as bright an example of statesmanship and aristocracy as we have in this country), who ten years ago could neither read nor write, and who was emancipated from slavery by Abraham Lincoln.—*Washington Letter.*

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A Pathetic Tale.

An affecting story comes to us from Oakland. It appears that a wealthy middle-aged Englishman had become somewhat jealous of his young and pretty wife, a not uncommon incident, we are sorry to say, in the lives of wealthy middle-aged men in this part of the globe. A young New Yorker, with engaging manners and a cutaway coat, was the cause of all his disquietude, so the disturbed Benedict concluded to try the threadbare dodge of ostensibly going up to Sacramento for a week. The second day, however, he quietly returned and let himself quietly into the house as a domestic smelling committee of one. In the library were several coats of mail brought over from the shore of Albion's ancestral home. It struck him as a happy idea that he should hide in one of these, which he managed to do with great difficulty, as the armors were clamped upright to the floor, and he had great trouble in letting himself down into one, and then screwing everything all snug and tight afterwards. This done, he awaited developments. This was in the afternoon. To his great astonishment nine o'clock passed without any one calling, or his wife coming down stairs. About one A. M. he fell asleep through fatigue, and began snoring. The butler thought he heard burglars about, so he came down stairs in his nightgown, with a double-barrelled gun under his arm. The jealous gentleman had just begun to dream he was an iron-clad when a handful of quail shot took him in the breast-plate, and, amid his terrified shrieks, the butler promptly put the other load into the pier-glass, under the impression that another burglar was drawing a bead on him. After the whole neighborhood was aroused the mistake was discovered, and the battered party extracted by the aid of a blacksmith. Amid the snickers of the entire assembly the chagrined man crawled up stairs to his bed-room. A small note was sticking on the pincushion. His wife had eloped the morning before!"—*San Francisco Mail.*

A Great Pickpocket.

She wore one of those pockets behind, in which, beside her handkerchief, she had deposited an apple, a handful of peanuts, a quarter of a pound of gum-drops, a little bottle of ammonia, and some other trifles. She and her swain, after admiring the complexion of the huge beast, turned their backs upon him to watch the monkey and the live kangaroo, and gaze into each other's eyes; to do this the better they leaned back against the rope which enclosed the stately monarch of the south, who saw the apple protruding from the pocket of the unconscious fair one. He hesitated a moment and was lost to all sense of honor or self-respect, for with shuffling movements he emulated the example of our common mother, plucked and ate the fruit, scooped out the gum-drops and peanuts with a sly wink at his nephew, who was looking with anxiety at the proceedings. But the lion mouthful the majestic beast took in the ammonia bottle by mistake, the cork came out, and about an ounce of hartshorn ran down the throat of the beast. This beverage is said to have a reviving and stimulating influence, and in this case it proved its power, for a more revived elephant was never seen on earth. The big elephant has learned a lesson in morals which will probably induce him to let other people's pockets alone, though nobody dares to carry a bottle within range of his proboscis.—*Kansas City Times.*

"Felt it Pull, of Course!"

There was a Sunday School celebration within a hundred miles of Chicago, not long ago, and the minister made a speech to the children, in which he endeavored to teach the nature of faith. So he told them the following story by way of illustration:

In the deepening twilight of a summer's evening a pastor called at the residence of one of his parishioners, and found seated in the doorway a little boy with hands extended upward, holding a line.

"What are you doing here, my little friend?" inquired the minister.

"Flying my kite," was the prompt reply.

"Flying your kite!" exclaimed the pastor; "I can see no kite—you can see none."

"I cannot see it, but I know it is there, for I feel it pull!"

The children were all deeply interested, and the clergyman continued:

"Now in a few days the mother of the little boy was about to die, and she said to him:

"My son, when I am an angel I will come if I can and be with you and shield you from all harm, and watch to see that you grow up a good man. Will you try to think sometimes that I am by your side?"

And the little boy said he would.

"Now, my dear children," said the minister, "when that blessed angel came back from Heaven and hovered over her child, and placed her hand among the fair golden hair, how did he know that she was there, for he could not see her?"

"Why, he felt her pull, of course!" roared the class in unison, and with the promptness of absolute necessity.

The speaker sat down all of a sudden, and the exercises concluded with the singing of a hymn.

—North Carolina has a newspaper called the *Pee Dee Bee.*

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 20, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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Counting the Votes.

The democrats in Congress had a caucus in Representatives Hall on Saturday night. More than a dozen speeches were made, some of which were of a heated tone, but the cool and temperate sort prevailed, and the caucus ended by the adoption of a resolution offered by Mr. Reagan of Texas, which pledged the democrats in Congress not to make any factious opposition to the continuance of the electoral count, while it protested against the action of the Electoral Commission relative to Florida and Louisiana. This resolution was adopted as a substitute for one offered by Mr. Cochrane of Pennsylvania, which proposed that the House should, by taking recesses from time to time, prevent the completion of the electoral count before the 4th of March. The members who advocated the idea embodied in Cochrane's resolution were Hurd of Ohio, Thompson of Massachusetts, Lynde of Wisconsin, Southard of Ohio and Jones of Kentucky. The members who opposed any attempt to interfere with the Electoral Commission were Singleton of Mississippi, Reagan of Texas, Young of Tennessee, Tucker of Virginia, Senator Bayard of Delaware, David Dudley Field and Senator Kernan. The vote against Mr. Cochrane's resolution stood more than two to one, and the vote by which Reagan's resolution was adopted was 66 to 40. The advocates of the filibustering policy were in a minority of less than one-third, and good order and good sense prevailed. It is settled once for all, therefore, that the democrats will make no objection to the continuance of the work of the Electoral Commission.

The Senate and House met in joint convention on Monday at 11 o'clock, and the decision of the Commission in the Louisiana case was read. Gibson of Louisiana then sent a formal objection to the counting of the vote of Louisiana to the Speaker's desk, and an hour was spent in reading it; a second objection, signed by Thompson of Massachusetts, and a third, signed by the men who voted in the democratic caucus Saturday night to filibuster till March 4th to prevent the election of a President, were also sent up and read. At one o'clock the Senate withdrew, and on motion of Fernando Wood, the House took a recess until Tuesday at ten o'clock A. M., twenty-three democrats voting against taking the recess. The recess was ordered by 140 yeas to 130 nays.

Congress.

The state of legislation in Congress is such that unless earnest efforts are made by both democrats and republicans an extra session of the Forty-fifth Congress will be rendered unavoidable. There are but eleven working days of this session, and only two of the Appropriation bills have become laws leaving ten to be disposed of. The Consular, Diplomatic, and Pension bills have been passed. The Indian, Fortification, and Military Academy bills are before the Conference Committees and will be acted upon this week. The Legislative, Judicial, and Post Office bills are ready for the action of the Senate and will be called up as soon as the legislative business is resumed. The Naval and Deficiency bills are before the Senate Committee on Appropriations, and will be reported this week. The Sundry Civil, River and Harbor, and Army bills have not yet passed the House of Representatives. The General Appropriation bills are in a more backward condition than usual, and it will be necessary to have prolonged sessions to finish up the business before the 4th of March.

How The "Reform" Campaign Was Conducted.

Eph Holland, the notorious "sporting man" of Cincinnati who engineered the Goss-Allen prize fight and was assistant-engineer of the "reform" campaign in Ohio in the October election, was recently arrested in New York and taken back to Cincinnati. Holland acknowledges that he had a man from Chicago, named Burns, with twelve men; a man named Fairchild from Pittsburg, with eight men, and Mike Gleason from New York with eighteen men, who cast about 500 votes. He received 1000 from the democratic Committee, and was promised more from individual politicians who failed to pay him the money. These frauds (and others previously exposed, the perpetrators of which to the number of a dozen or so are now in the Ohio penitentiary,) gave the "Bounding Banning" an election to Congress over Judge Stanley Matthews, by a majority of sixty-seven; and this exposure of the manner in which Banning was elected will probably result in his bounding out of Congress, unless the democrats should have majority enough to be able to do as they did in the Frost-Abbott and Platte-Goode cases, where they gave the seats to men whom they did not even pretend had a shadow of right to them, simply because they were democrats.

"A Obstnit Pack."

Not long ago a deputy sheriff, in attendance upon a court in one of the interior counties of this State, found in the jury room, after a disagreeing jury had been discharged, a note addressed to the Judge and evidently written by a juror, in which the magistrate was informed that it was of no use to keep the jury longer, as "the juror are a obstnit pack, Mr. Judge you might just as well send us home." It was subsequently found that the "obstnit" part of the jury numbered eleven, and the impartial portion of the jury consisted solely of the writer of the note.

There is another jury, now in session in Washington, the majority of which is being denounced by wholesale as "a obstnit pack," and with about as much propriety as the eleven New Hampshire jurors were denounced by their one opponent. A majority of this National Jury hold one opinion and the minority another; and this minority, and their supporters outside the jury room, are unsparing in their maledictions against the "partisanship" of the majority, because the latter do not yield to the former, who have given "a strict party vote" on every question brought before them.

Nothing but a "party vote," it seems, was expected of the Congressional members of this jury,—though at least two members, the democratic Senators Bayard and Thurman, are on the record as having in the past vigorously denounced the theory that Congress had any right to go behind the electoral certificates given by a State in accordance with its own legal forms; but it was hoped that the Supreme Court Judges would give an impartial and non-partisan decision. Now the majority of these judges are of the opinion that Congress has no right to "go behind the returns," but the minority are not satisfied with that opinion, and the action of the majority in not yielding to the opinion of the minority is roundly abused as being obstinate and partisan. The fact that every democrat on the Commission voted steadily against the State Rights theory which has been the corner stone of the democratic structure for fifty years, seems to make no difference to the democracy; Tilden could be elected (they say) by utterly ignoring that theory, so it is partisanship on the part of the republicans not to ignore it. The democracy have always maintained that all rights not specially granted to the central government by the Constitution were reserved to the States, while the republicans have maintained that rights not specially reserved to the States were vested in the general government; but in this electoral vote business there is no valid reason for a controversy, as the Constitution expressly reserves to the States the sole right to deal with the question, and until it became necessary to set aside the Constitution by resolution of Congress in Tilden's interest, neither republican or democrat ever pretended that a right expressly reserved to the States could be taken from them by anything short of a Constitutional Amendment. Yet this is just what the democratic minority of the national jury wanted to do, and because the majority would not assent to such an extreme centralizing view "the juror are a obstnit pack."

As the one dissenting juror had more to say about obstinacy than did the other eleven, even so the minority of the Commission have done about all the talking in that body about partisanship; and yet, to the outside observer, it would seem that the "obstnit pack" of eleven did not possess all the obstinacy in the New Hampshire jury, nor the majority of the Commission display all the partisanship.

News and Notes.

Rear Admiral Charles Henry Davis, the senior officer of this grade in the service, and Superintendent of the Naval Observatory, died at Washington on Sunday, aged 69 years. He was born in Boston and was a brother-in-law of Prof. Pierce of Harvard. He was for many years stationed at Cambridge in connection with scientific duties as relating to the Nautical Almanac. He entered the service Aug. 12, 1823, and was appointed a Rear Admiral in 1863. By the rules of the navy he should have been retired seven years ago, but he, together with Rear Admiral Rodgers, received the thanks of Congress for services rendered on the Mississippi during the war, which entitled them to ten years' extra active service. This being the case his death will cause no vacancy, Admiral Davis has been in the service for about fifty-three years, his last foreign station being at the head of the Brazilian Squadron.

Chief Engineer Wood, U. S. N., will soon be relieved as Chief of the Bureau of Steam Engineering. Chief Engineer Wm. R. Shock is mentioned as his probable successor.

A life buoy marked "George Cromwell," has been picked up in Placentia Bay, Newfoundland. The steamer, no doubt, struck on Cape St. Mary's on the night of the 5th of January. Cape St. Mary's is 25 miles west of Cape Race, where the George Washington of the same line was wrecked. The land in the neighborhood is rugged and affords little chance of saving life. It is supposed all hands were drowned. About the 11th inst. wreckage began to land seven miles south of Placentia Harbor, including butter, a cabin door, a life buoy, and a case of geese.

Thomas Lockwood died of hydrophobia in Providence, Monday.

The Wamsutta Mills operatives in New Bedford struck on Monday.

Joe Coburn, the prize-fighter who shot two policemen in New York, is confined in the Tombs without bail, and the probability is that this notorious ruffian will soon be inside the penitentiary. Good job, too.

William H. Sidle, assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Minneapolis, Minnesota, was shot in the head and mortally wounded, Saturday, on the street in that city, by a young woman named Noonan, whom he had seduced and deserted. Sidle was highly connected.

At the telegraphers' reception in Chicago on Feb. 12, the dancers waltzed to music played in Milwaukee, 85 miles away. A waltz and several marches were transmitted by means of the wonderful telephone, the wires playing as distinctly and perfectly as human hands. The telephone or vocal telegraph is a flexible disk, two feet or more in diameter and very thin, connected with a powerful magnet and communicating by means of wires with a similar disk and magnet at the other end of the line. This sensitive disk receives and communicates the acoustic vibrations. The cheapness and simplicity of the instrument adapt it for use at spiritualistic seances, where it will be a decided improvement upon the accordions and banjos now employed. The music of the spheres will then be of a higher order than negro minstrelsy. When the art patrons of New York come to their senses and build a hall for Mr. Thomas's orchestra, connections can be made with the concert rooms of the principal cities, and classical music will be on tap near and far, with the travelling expenses of the musicians reduced to a minimum.—*Tribune.*

Maine has repealed the law giving bounties for the wolves and bears. Too many bear and wolf scalps were brought from the British Provinces into Maine, to collect bounty on.

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Conspicuous among the highest examples of success which the present century can show is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. The record of the triumphs of disease is to be traced in the written acknowledgments of thousands who have experienced its beneficent effects, and the evidence of its popularity is to be found in the vast and growing demand for the article in North and South America, Mexico, Guatemala, the West Indies, Australia and Europe. The reasons for its unparalleled success are cogent ones. The accumulated evidence of nearly thirty years shows that it is a certain remedy for malarial disease, as well as its surest preventive; that it eradicates dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaint and nervousness, counteracts a tendency to gout, rheumatism urinary and uterine disorders, that it imparts vigor to the feeble, and cheers the mind while it invigorates the body.

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When lips like Cupid's bow reveal a double row of pearly teeth, whose natural beauty is heightened by the aid of SOZODONT. Feminine loveliness acquires irresistible power from this agreeable and healthful auxiliary.

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PERSONS whose Taxes for the years 1875 and 1876 remain unpaid are requested to pay immediately, if they wish to save the expense of my advertising, &c., according to law.

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TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of BENJAMIN NORTON, late of Portsmouth, in said County, deceased, intestate, and all persons interested in said estate, greeting:

You are hereby notified that PLUMER D. NORTON, administrator of the estate of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth in and for said County, on the third Tuesday of March next, at 10 o'clock A. M. for examination and allowance.

At the same Court the Report of the Commissioner of Insolvency on said estate will be taken into consideration for acceptance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

Dated February 20, 1877.

By order of the Judge,

WOODBURY M. DURGIN, Register of Probate.

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Announce to the Public, that they

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B " "	11 "
Brown "	10 "
Fine Breakfast TEA	29 "
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Extra " "	50 "
" Formosa "	65 "
Japan "	32 "
Extra Japan "	65 "
Clear PORK	12½ "
Northern Smoked HAMS	13 "
Leaf LARD	14 "
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35 "
" " Rio "	30 "
" Green Java "	28 "
" " Rio "	25 "
CURRANTS	8 "
Box RAISINS	12 "
Best Double Crown New Loose Muscatel RAISINS	12 "
New Valencia "	10 "
New Turkey PRUNES	8 "
New FIGS	15 "
Good Bar SOAP	6, 8, 10 "
Whole Dried PEAS	8 cts. ℔ qt.
Split "	8 "
WALNUTS	4 and 6 "
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FANCY CRACKERS of all kinds at lowest prices

And also everything kept in our line, at the very lowest prices for CASH! All goods sold by us will be as represented; Please call and examine. Goods sent to any part of the city free of charge. Remember the old stand.

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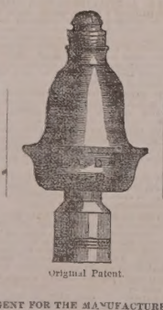

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All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

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A MANUSCRIPT BOOK belonging to the Portsmouth Board of Trade. Will the finder kindly give information of the same at the Chronicle Office. feb13

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	5.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P.M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 8.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	4.35 "
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

[Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 5.50 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or West may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Hon. Frank Jones has written a letter—or at least a letter is published over his name—accepting the democratic nomination for Congress from this district. The "heft" of the letter is an explanation of why he voted for the three-cornered Commission, the reason being that he supposed it would elect Tilden,—which, we may remark, the people neglected to do in November.

The Kearsarge Flute and Drum Band are to give a concert in Newmarket Town Hall on Saturday evening, Feb. 24th. Messrs. Hickey and McCarthy will also give their champion lighning drill, as an additional attraction on the same occasion.

The Farmers' Meeting at Greenland Academy, this afternoon and evening, will be addressed by Hon. John B. Smith, of Durham, on fruit growing; Hon. James O. Adams, of Manchester, on manures, animal and chemical; and Col. John M. Weare, of Seabrook, on better stock. The farmers of the County are invited to be present, take part in the discussion, and give their methods of preparing and applying manure and fertilizers; also tell the way they best succeed with their fruit trees, time of trimming, manner of preparing fruit for market, etc. If time admits, Mr. Adams will give a special address in the evening, adapted to the tastes of a miscellaneous audience. The young folks are especially invited.

The blue-glass epidemic has broken out in this city, but as yet it presents only a very mild type of the complaint. Several windows are of the same color as the feelings of Tilden's supporters. The blue-glass cure is to be tried on the sinners who attend the Moody and Sankey meetings in Boston, judging from the following, which we clip from a Boston paper: "A coat of blue paint on a portion of the windows on the south side of the monitor roof of the Tabernacle softens the rays of the sun very materially as they stream in upon people on the platform. All the windows on that side are to be colored in the same manner."

The Kittery Reform Club will give an entertainment in Trefethen's Hall in that town on the evening of Thursday, Feb. 22d, the first anniversary of the Club's formation. Mrs. Roberts will read Whittier's poem, "The Reformers of England," and other pieces; "Irish Assurance, or Yankee Modesty," will be presented by members of the Club, to be followed by "A Drop Too Much," a temperance drama; and a class of ten children, directed by Col. Littlefield, will furnish vocal music for the occasion. The Kittery Reform Club has done and is doing a good work, and the members mean to give a good evening's amusement to all who may attend their anniversary celebration.

If Hon. Frank Jones had not already had himself renominated for Congress, we fancy he would now willingly allow some other man to be nominated. Wonder if he doesn't now regret that he didn't stick to the resolution he announced some time ago, not to be a candidate for re-election.

Rev. E. M. Grant, of this city, will lecture in the Universalist church in Biddeford next Sunday evening, on the subject of temperance and reform clubs.

The flags at the navy yard were displayed at half-mast on Monday, and a salute of minute guns fired, as a mark of respect to the late Rear-Admiral Bailey.

PORTSMOUTH SAVINGS BANK.

A special meeting of the corporators of the Portsmouth Savings Bank was held on Monday afternoon, when the by-laws were changed, fixing the rate of interest to be paid on deposits on and after the first of July next, at four per cent. per annum. This restores it to the rate paid in former times, before the high rates paid in Manchester, Newburyport and other cities induced our people to send their money out of town to be placed in savings banks in order to receive a higher rate of interest than was paid here.

This action will of course increase the extra dividends which are made every two years, and we think will commend itself to all; we have had enough of high rates of interest and non-payment of principal; and the bank, in following the lead of many of the largest and soundest institutions of Boston and New York, has done well. It never was in a better condition than now, and never stood higher in the confidence of the public.

THAT INVESTIGATION.

The disappointed *Journal* man occupies nearly a column of last week's edition of his paper in assailing me for interfering with the annual installment of pap that he has hitherto so regularly drawn from the city treasury. I do not propose to waste much paper in replying extendedly to his whimperings, for two reasons, one of which is, that I recognize the fact that it is reasonable and natural for Mr. Brewster to miss and be loth to lose a job which he had held for so many years that he had come to regard it as his right, and concerning which none should say, "why is this?" The other reason is that I have acted in accordance with my best judgment, and while I may have erred, I have so far satisfied my conscience that I should do just so again under similar circumstances. In regard to his flings about "bribery," and so forth, I have only to say that such charges have no other foundation than in the imagination of one who well "knows how it is himself,"—in other words, Mr. Brewster evidently gauges me by his own narrow measure when he sarcastically accuses me of being "influenced." He mournfully says "the time for a paying job in the printing line has passed away," and then adds: "we could print the city accounts at some profit for $2.49 per page!" Well may he sigh when he remembers his old prices of $3.90 or more per page! An unfair profit, surely, according to his own words. His generous allusion to my "grant of assent" is funny, but admitting it to be true, I think an honest hog is to be preferred to a dishonest man. I hope the readers of the CHRONICLE will forgive me for investing the *Journal* man with the importance that is implied by condescending to reply to a second wail of his. I promise not to repeat the offence.

SAMUEL A. SPINNEY.

THAT FOG-SIGNAL.

A bill has been introduced in the National House of Representatives by Hon. Frank Jones, providing for the erection of a Daboll fog whistle in the lighthouse on Whale's-back, and the Appropriation Committee have agreed to recommend that a sufficient sum be appropriated for the same. Mr. Jones' bill will become a law and the long-needed signal will ere long be put in place. All the mariners doing business at this port and along this coast unite in thanking Mr. Jones for introducing and successfully managing the matter in Congress.—*Times.*

We are glad to be able to say that Mr. Jones has done one thing for the benefit of the public during his stay in Congress; that he has done his duty in bringing to the attention of Congress a matter which all the papers of this city—the CHRONICLE and *Journal* in particular—have earnestly advocated, viz., the establishment of a suitable fog-signal as a guide for vessels entering Portsmouth harbor. But the thanks of "all the mariners" to Mr. Jones "for introducing and successfully managing the matter in Congress" may as well be delayed until Congress has acted upon it, notwithstanding "the Appropriation Committee have agreed to recommend that a sufficient sum be appropriated for the same." The *Times* predicts that "Mr. Jones' bill will become a law and the long-needed signal will ere long be put in place;" we predict that it will not be done with any appropriation made by this Congress, nor during the present year. A recommendation of the appropriation committee does not appropriate any money, and a big appropriation is needed to provide a fog-signal on Whale's-back. The buildings on White Island have been in a disgraceful condition for years; the light-house authorities have earnestly besought money to put them in proper condition, and a year ago the appropriation committee included $6000 for that purpose in their estimates, but the money was not appropriated, and the buildings are still a disgrace to the government. The democratic committee may be willing to help a democratic candidate along in his race for a seat in the next Congress, by promising almost anything; but it will be time enough for "all the mariners" to give thanks for the success of Mr. Jones' efforts when they hear the fog-horn's dulcet tones as they feel about for the harbor's mouth in a fog or run for shelter in a southeast snowstorm.

Mr. Jones has done well in introducing the subject in Congress, and we are willing he should make out of it all the political capital to which he is entitled; but before a fog-whistle is placed on Whale's-back just so much red tape has got to be measured, and a place has got to be prepared for the whistle's reception. In that exposed situation a fog-signal must be placed high enough to be out of the way of the sea and the heaviest of the spray—sixty feet above the high-water level, at least; there is no room for it and its gear in the new tower; and the old tower, which was condemned years ago by the light-house engineers as being unsafe for a light-house, is quite as unsafe now for a signal-tower. Before a fog-signal is placed in it, it must be taken down and rebuilt, and we do not imagine that can be done for less than thirty thousand dollars. [The cost of the new tower was about $90,000.] This sum, or whatever larger or smaller sum the light-house engineers may decide is needed for this purpose, we do not dare hope will be appropriated by the present Congress, in addition to the sum required for the fog-signal; and we therefore fear that our contemporary's glorification of Hon. Frank Jones for procuring a fog-horn to be placed on Whale's-back is a severe case of hallooing before you are out of the wood. We shall be only too happy to find that we are mistaken.

New Hampshire Items.

G. W. Hancock, for many years employed by the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company of Manchester, died suddenly Saturday night in an apoplectic fit, aged sixty-three years. He was a prominent citizen and in high standing in the Masonic brotherhood.

A child of Byron C. Spooner, of Bethlehem, sixteen months old, was burned to death on Sunday.

Michael Christie, a Nashua saloon keeper, is under arrest for a felonious assault on a Mrs. Pond, Monday.

D. W. Pollard, twenty-one years of age, whose parents reside near Nashua, committed suicide in the insane hospital at Jacksonville, Ill., a day or two ago, where he was employed as apothecary. He attended an entertainment held in the institution on Wednesday evening, and immediately after its close the report of a pistol was heard in his room, and his friends going in found him unconscious on his bed with a revolver in his hand and a bullet in his right temple. He had also taken a dose of chloral. In a farewell note no reason was assigned, but mental anguish of late was referred to. He was not in trouble, debt, or love, or even known to be insane; hence his deliberate suicide is unaccountable.

The Problem of Life.

The Irishman who *read* the newspaper wrong side up, when asked what news, replied, "Big storm at sea; ships upside down." Equally understood are the works and dissertations that treat upon those vital questions whereon hinge the success or failure of every person's life. To many, life is a sealed book, and though they live to old age, they die ignorant of the power that lies dormant within them. The recent work, "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," from the pen of R. V. Pierce, M. D., of Buffalo, N. Y., discusses these matters fully and ably in their various phases. Price $1.50. Nearly 1,000 pages, illustrated, bound in cloth and gilt, and about 100,000 copies have already been sold. Address the Author, R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

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Butter, per ℔ 30 @ 38c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 90c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 22c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. $ 7¼; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9½ @ 10½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 33
Lard per pound, 13½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 40 @ 60c; New Orleans 60
Oats per bushel, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, $1.
Pork per bll., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
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LEAR, In this city, Feb. 16, Mr. Samuel B. Lear, aged 24 years and 7 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

SAILED Feb. 19.

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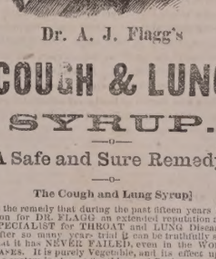

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Editorial Pencillings.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19th.

The decision of the Electoral Commission in the Louisiana case practically settles the Presidential election in favor of Gov. HAYES. Each of the decisions of the Commission has been indicative of its coming action on disputed points. That in regard to Florida settled the question of going behind the Returning Board of Louisiana, and left nothing but the ineligibility of electors on which democrats might hang a hope. The decision in the Louisiana case that the two office-holders who were chosen electors while in office, but who resigned the office before the Electoral College met, were clearly eligible, establishes in advance the eligibility of Watts, the Oregon post-master, and shows that Cronin had no claim in law, there being no vacancy in the Electoral College until Watts resigned. The vacancy then made was immediately filled by his re-election, his resignation as post-master having then been tendered and accepted.

Thus, the Commission makes precedents for the future: First, that each State is the sole judge of the legality of its own electoral college, Congress having no authority to reverse its action; Second, that any Federal office-holder may be a candidate for elector, and if chosen has only to resign and be re-elected by his associates to be eligible as an elector, if he has previously resigned his Federal office. The establishment of these points effectually annihilates Mr. Tilden's claim to the Presidency, and leaves that disappointed individual not even the recollection of having conducted his campaign honorably or creditably. The Commission decides rightly, yet how absurd was its erection into a tribunal. To be sure, it was a means of letting down easily the defeated democracy, whose fierce utterances had placed them in a position they could not abandon readily without being laughed at. Yet, how much more sensible would it have been for them to have shown more discretion and submitted to the inevitable! It plainly belongs to the President of the Senate to count the electoral votes and announce the choice of the electors for President. The abandonment of this position by the Senate was a republican surrender, ludicrous as it now proves, but nevertheless dangerous. It would have been just as sensible action on the part of Gen. Meade to have abandoned the vantage ground at Gettysburg, which he had secured by outmarching Lee, and to have gone down on level ground and there met Lee's impetuous assaults, had some "independent" Major-General of "statesmanslike" proclivities declined to go into battle unless it were done. After all, one man decides the matter of the succession to the Presidency, and why should not that man have been the President of the Senate, as provided by the Constitution, rather than an Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. (Just though he be,) who had no right to adjudicate the case except by special and needless legislation? Given the Tildenites the position that the Hayes men had when Congress assembled in December, does any man dream for an instant that they would have yielded their vantage ground? Not any!

A singular result of the situation is the attitude of the democracy in deserting their favorite doctrine of State sovereignty for temporary possession of the public purse. Their defeat is accomplished by the triumph of their principles. Certainly, to be consistent they should rejoice thereat. For a score of years they have expressed oft-repeated fears of the centralization of power by some authority outside the States. In the contests before the Commission they have upheld a policy that tends most surely to centralization of power. Had their modern views been upheld by the Commission, it would not have been difficult at some future election when the contest should have been again close and the party in the minority in the election possessing a majority in both Houses of Congress, for the latter to vitiate the expression of the popular will and thus retain power. The democracy have gone further than this in their claims the present winter, boldly declaring that the lower House of Congress has the power of declaring a non-election by the people! As a means for the self-perpetuation of power the position they have held was most appropriate.

The democracy as usual show their utter lack of manliness. Like little school-boys whipped fairly, they whimper and growl, but do not dare attempt revolution. The Commission was a project of Hewitt's, the chairman of their National Committee. In the Senate, a majority of the republicans voted against it, while every democratic Senator but one supported it. In the House, a majority of the republicans opposed it, while the democracy nearly unanimously favored it. It was a democratic measure, carried through by democratic votes. Its results should be accepted without murmur by its progenitors and defenders. Republicans would have acquiesed quietly had the decision been adverse to their convictions. Democrats will acquiesce—finally—but not with grace.

A singular thing connected with the contest is the entire lack of sympathy between the democratic candidate for President and the party itself. There is and has been no warm bond of union between them. Tilden was emphatically alone. He obtained his nomination only by purchase. He engineered the campaign alone, and very nearly won by the lavish use of his ample fortune. Gov. HAYES remained throughout a dignified spectator, showing no greed, no anxiety for office. The one leaves to future aspirants for the Presidency, the record of a mis-spent opportunity and misapplied energy, fraught only with disappointment and unendurable failure; the other has no regrets to entertain and no chagrin at results. There are men who have means of judging well, who declare that Tilden will follow Clay, Webster, Calhoun and Greeley to a premature grave, so intense has been his application to the one desired end. It is a shame, however, to class him with such men. They were men of heart and conviction. He is not supposed to be actuated by other than self-interest. A man who presided over the deliberations of a State committee which deliberately defrauded the republicans of New York and counted in Gov. Hoffman by 10,000 majority when the actual vote was to the contrary, cannot be expected to be held up as a virtuous example for future generations to emulate. He sits his horse finely, because he has nerve and is a stoic. On the street his walk is like that of a partial paralytic, self-contained but always subject to a mental strain. Such men break at last, but never in the region of the heart. A gentleman whose silent cogitations were rudely interrupted by a barking dog, sent the animal off howling by a well delivered movement of sole leather, whereupon another person stepped up and remarked: "Sir, why did you kick my dog?" Replied the kicker; "Is that *your* dog?" "Yes, sir." "Well, he is mad." "No more mad than you are, sir." "Not mad! Well, then, what an infernal fool he must be. If any one had kicked me like that I should have been mad clean through." Tilden has received a severe lift from the American people, and when he reflects on the wasted "sinews of war" he has parted with in the last year, he must be about the maddest individual in these United States. He has the reputation, however, of being a famous wine-bibber, and may drown his sorrows in old Burgundy.

The democratic organs have of late teemed with denunciations of the "partisan" republican Judges, knowing that the best legal minds in the rank of the democracy deemed the decisions of the Commission just. The two democratic Judges on the Commission have been partisans from the start, refusing to join the majority, and placing their partisanship above their sense of honor and justice. No democrat seems to exist who is not a partisan, and yet when beaten in matters of equity or law, they one and all with one accord cry out that their opponents are "partisans." Considering the fact that the Louisiana case is just settled, only two weeks before the 4th of March, how ridiculous it would have been (even if the Commission had a right so to do) to have gone behind the action of the Returning Boards of Florida and Louisiana, and taken testimony, which to have been impartial would have consumed months of time, carrying over the disputed question of the Presidency until a new election would have been necessary next Fall. The feast to which the democracy thus invited the country through their seven representatives on the Electoral Commission would have been a paralyzation of business and a continuance of the unnatural excitement of the past six months that would have been disastrous in the extreme. The business men of the nation are to-day thankful for deliverance from such a prolonged suspense as must have ruined them.

Lieutenant George W. Rand of the Seventh Regiment, N. G. S. N. Y., (the junior proprietor of the St. Cloud Hotel,) and Lieut. Daniel Sherwood of the Twenty-Second, sailed in Steamer Colon on Thursday for California. Lieut. Rand thus takes a similar trip to the Golden State in 1877 to that of his brother Charles in 1852, although he will cross the Isthmus by rail instead of wasting forty-eight hours on the back of a mule in transit. A large number of friends from the St. Cloud Club and the military organizations, assembled to bid the excursionists bon voyage, and gave them an enthusiastic send-off which must have "warmed the cockles of their hearts." Messrs. Rand and Sherwood will remain several weeks in California, returning overland.

The career of Capt. Charles E. Rand was as eventful an experience as any "Son of Portsmouth" can boast. At the age of eighteen he joined the great army of gold-hunters, embarking on Steamer Georgia with 500 other passengers. He began the tramp across the Isthmus and held out until sunstruck, was then placed on a mule by his comrades and left to find his way alone, arriving at Panama in advance of his companions. Some fifteen of the number were robbed while crossing the Isthmus. He engaged in business and mining in California for six years, and became a prominent leader of the Vigilance Committee which finally exterminated the thieves and murderers who infested the country. One of his prominent acts was with others of the committee to capture at sea arms destined for the so-called "Law and Order" party, using his own vessel, the "Julia," for the purpose. He was arrested by the United States authorities on the charge of "piracy on the high seas," and millions of dollars' bail was offered for his release by the Vigilance Committee, which was composed of the most prominent merchants and best men of the city. The jail was strongly guarded by the Committee that he might not be spirited away. He declined an offer of rescue at their hands and at the trial the Committee filled the court house with its armed adherents, ready to rescue him if found guilty. The jury, however, acquitted him and he was carried out of court on the shoulders of the wildly enthusiastic multitude. Outside, a procession of ten thousand persons, headed by bands of music, was formed and took up its march about the city playing and singing the "Pirate's Chorus," the guns of Fort Vigilante joining in the chorus. The occasion was the climax in the eventful contest wherein the real friends of law and order prevailed over the organization styling itself the "Law and Order" party. From that time the Vigilance Committee ruled supreme and as a result the city and State soon became as orderly as it had been hitherto lawless, the Committee soon after disbanding.

Returning East in 1858, Capt. Rand engaged with his father and eldest brother, (Thomas B.), in keeping the Nahant House at Nahant, Mass., and the Sagamore House at Lynn. Shortly after the opening of the Rebellion, in 1861, he raised a company of volunteers and received the first three years commission as Captain issued by Governor Andrew. His company was assigned to the First Massachusetts Regiment, which was afterward brigaded with the gallant old Second New Hampshire. Between these organizations a warm friendship was soon formed, which was cemented by mutual exposures and bravery until they were mustered out when peace was declared. Participating in most of the battles of the glorious old Army of the Potomac, Capt. Rand received a mortal wound at Chancellorsville in the same night charge in which Stonewall Jackson received his death-wound. Capt. Thomas B. Rand, of the Thirty-Third Massachusetts, was also engaged in the same battle, but did not hear of his brother's death until the next morning, his body having been buried outside the Union lines. It was impossible at that time to recover the remains owing to the retreat of the Union army, but after the close of the war Capt. Thomas B. Rand with considerable difficulty recovered his remains, which now repose in the family lot at Forest Hills Cemetery, near Boston. His life was a record of bravery and indomitable energy, and he was a worthy representative of a family which has distinguished itself on many a battle-field. His father's great-great-grandfather and mother were among those who came over from England and were killed by the Indians in the Indian war. His father's grandfather was a chaplain in the Revolutionary Army and died in active service. His father's uncle was one of the hollow square to guard the gallows at the execution of Andre, the British spy. His grandfather volunteered in the Revolutionary Army at the age of sixteen, and was betrayed with our Army at West Point by the traitor, Benedict Arnold. His father's two elder brothers served out two enlistments in the war of 1812. His own father volunteered in the New Hampshire militia at the age of fifteen and served through all the grades up to a Brigade Major and Inspector, which duty he performed for many years. His mother is the daughter of Gen. Ira Brown, who once commanded the first division, New Hampshire militia. As before mentioned, Charles E. and Thomas B. were in constant service during the Rebellion, both being senior captains of their regiments, a singular coincidence, both acting most of the time as Majors. In this connection, it is proper to say that another brother, John H. Rand, while a student at Harvard University rendered efficient service in guarding the Watertown Arsenal and was commissioned at an early stage of the Rebellion to raise a company of students at the time of Banks' retreat up the Shenandoah Valley. Lieut. George W. Rand now represents the military order of the family as an officer in the famous New York Seventh.

Counting the Votes.

The democrats in Congress held another caucus Monday afternoon, after the rising of the joint convention, to decide on some concerted course of action. Vance made a furious speech, and introduced a motion binding the democrats to prevent the inauguration of Hayes. Salary-grab Randall and Proctor Knott favored the election of Tilden by the House, no matter what the law might say. No vote was taken, and the caucus finally took a recess until after the Oregon case is disposed of.

The joint convention reassembled at twenty minutes to two o'clock, Tuesday. The resolutions adopted by the Senate and House respectively were read, and Mr. Ferry directed that the vote for Louisiana be recorded in accordance with the decision of the Commission. The eight votes were then entered as cast for Hayes and Wheeler.

The count was then proceeded with. The certificates of the votes of Maine, eight for Hayes; Maryland, eight for Tilden; Massachusetts, eleven for Hayes, were read and recorded.

When the vote of Michigan was reached, Mr. Tucker, of Virginia, objected to the counting the vote of electors on the ground that on the 7th of November one held the office of U. S. Commissioner. The Senate then withdrew at 2.20.

When the House was called to order, after the Senate withdrew, Speaker Randall, evidently in pursuance of some prearranged plan, recognized Mr. Southard, of Ohio, to make a motion that the House take a recess until Wednesday at 10 o'clock. Mr. Hale made a point of order that it was not in order, and Randall was promptly overruled.

Several democrats said they hoped the House would proceed now and consider the objection, and not take a recess.

After considerable wrangling the House, by a rising vote, 86 ayes to 163 nays, refused to take a recess.

The democrats who wanted a recess were not satisfied with the vote, and demanded the yeas and nays, which were ordered.

The House, by a vote of 57 to 192 refused to take a recess until Wednesday, and went ahead considering the objections to one of the Michigan votes.

New Hampshire Items.

Mr. Ralph Lovejoy of Hollis, aged 89 years, makes no ado of walking a mile and a half to attend prayer meetings, and the other evening he took his hand sled and went out coasting with the other boys.

A son of Mr. John Roach of Hopkinton, eight years old, was seriously wounded on Friday by the discharge of a gun which he was attempting to draw toward himself by the muzzle.

The Grand Jury for Strafford County came in Tuesday afternoon bringing in 253 indictments, for liquor selling, gambling, houses of ill fame and burglary. Nearly every liquor seller in the county is indicted. Some have a large number each. It has been a clean sweep of all kinds of crime, larger than ever before known in the county.

DIED.

JENKINS. In this city, Feb. 19th, Mrs. Hattie A. L. Jenkins, wife of Mark L. Jenkins, and only daughter of Samuel Langdon, Esq., and the late Hannah Langdon, aged 40 years.

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DODGE. In this city, Feb. 19, Mr. John S. Dodge, aged 65 years.

CLEMENTS. In Hampton, Feb. 2, Mrs. Mehitable Clements, aged 76 years, widow of Charles W. Clements. Feb. 15, Hiram L. Clements, aged 47 years, son of the late Charles W. Clements.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	9.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.25 "
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Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
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JOTTINGS.

The schooner George L. Treadwell, Taylor, of this port, wrecked some time ago on Chincoteague Shoal, has been floated. She will be taken to Norfolk for repairs.

On Saturday last, while Mr. Alvin H. Emery was walking on Islington street, near Cass street, he fell on the ice and fractured his left leg. This is the third time Mr. Emery's leg has been broken.

Mr. E. T. Anderson, a colored graduate of Lincoln University, will lecture in Franklin Hall on Friday evening, on "the present condition and future prospects of the colored youth of the South." The subject is one which though important is little understood; and this, with the low price of admission—ten cents—should suffice to fill the hall.

Mr. Henry Saywood of the schooner Flying Fish, while hauling his trawl on Monday off the Shoals, brought up the arm of a man, which had probably been detached from the body in hauling to the surface.

Twenty-five heavily-laden freight cars from Dover came down over the Portsmouth & Dover railroad on Monday night, for transportation over the Eastern Railroad, a large portion of the freight being from the Cocheco Mills.

At a regular meeting of the Portsmouth Light Artillery, Tuesday evening, Col. Thomas E. O. Marvin and Lieut. Charles W. Gardner, having resigned their positions in the company, were elected honorary members of the organization, and a committee appointed to have the certificates of honorary membership engrossed and suitably framed. William O. Sides was elected Captain, Edward H. Leslie First Lieutenant, and Joseph R. Curtis Second Lieutenant.

The crew of fishing schooner Velocipede, Capt. Jamieson, have shared $425 per man since the 26th of October last, the proceeds of "winter fishing" with trawls, out of this harbor. Not bad to take these hard times, —but a man who gets a dollar by catching fish for it in the winter time is honestly entitled to it.

Sheldon & Company have just published another novel by Mrs. Annie Edwards, entitled, "A Point of Honor." All who have read "Ought we to visit her," "Steven Lawrence, Yeoman," or any of the other works of Mrs. Edwards, will be anxious to read this new story by one who is acknowledged to be one of the most fascinating novel writers of the day.

Among the requests for prayers at the Moody and Sankey revival in Boston on Monday, was one "for an unbeliever, a terribly urgent case, in Portsmouth, N. H." We consider it indelicate for them to refer to the *Times* editor in such a public manner.

H. S. N. H. S.

The High School Natural History Society seems to be quite an institution. There are now more than one hundred and twenty members; a small majority of whom are young ladies. The society has five hundred and twenty-five specimens of curiosities, many of which are valuable. A new case has recently been purchased, and the one previously owned by the society nicely fitted up for the geological specimens, of which there is a good collection. This has been done at an expense of twenty-three dollars. The Committee were willing to render assistance, but the young people chose to be independent and paid the bill themselves. The society publishes a monthly paper, called "*The Naturalist*." Once a month, on Wednesday, the last hour is given to the society. The paper is read and there are other exercises, including declamation, recitations, compositions and music. The teachers are present, but merely as members. The young people manage their deliberations and go through with their exercises with as much dignity as the Electoral Commission. This experience cannot fail to be of use to them hereafter.

The officers of the society are: President, Samuel W. Foss; Vice President, J. Herman Emery; Secretary, Ira A. Stevens. There are also a Treasurer and a board of twelve Directors.

The editors of the *Naturalist* are Charles A. Davis and Ira H. Leveen.

News and Notes.

Rear Admiral Louis M. Goldsborough died in Washington on Tuesday morning—the sixth Rear Admiral to die within about a month. Admiral Goldsborough entered the navy in 1812, from the District of Columbia.

The keeper and his helper at the new Southwest Ledge lighthouse, near New Haven, have resigned on account of the vibrations of the building during the violent storms of December. It is proposed to strengthen the rip raps and breakwaters surrounding the building.

The Boston & Maine Railroad is running trains regularly, on the new time table, and the strikers are still firm and confident. The road has all the help it wants, and offers of plenty more; but the strikers say many of the new engineers are men who have been discharged from other roads for drunkenness, dishonesty or incompetency. It is asserted that there have been several narrow escapes from accident, in one instance the coolness and promptness of a switchman alone preventing a collision between trains running in opposite directions on the same track.

Donn Piatt, editor of the Washington *Capital*, a man of much ability and one of the most reckless and mendacious slanderers that ever disgraced the American press, is to be subjected to a criminal prosecution for advocating the assassination of President-elect Hayes. He is also likely to have to answer before the courts for some of his outrageously slanderous lies about President Grant. The fellow had been allowed to go on unchecked until he seems to have fancied himself above all law, moral or material.

A sea-monster fifteen feet long and weighing 3000 pounds, was captured off the Isles of Shoals about six weeks ago by a fishing vessel, which put out from Newburyport, Mass., commanded by Capt. George Woodman, and manned by twelve men. They were fishing for haddock and cod at the time, when this monster, evidently after some of the fish, got wound up in 260 feet of the trawl. As soon as this was discovered, several ropes were made fast to him, and he was hauled on deck, which he no sooner reached than he commenced a terrible struggle, doing $50 worth of damage with his tail. None of the fishermen knew what it was, and of the thousands who have since examined it, none have yet been able to give it a name. It has three rows of under teeth, a very large mouth, and is certainly one of the wonders of the deep.

Political.

The democracy, incensed at the part taken by Senator Mitchell, of Oregon, in the exposure of the infamous business carried on by means of the Patrick-Pelton-Tilden cipher despatches, take sweet revenge in calling Mr. Mitchell "Hipple-Mitchell." That's too severe for anything.

The Brooklyn *Argus*, Demas Barnes' paper, which has fought the Brooklyn Ring and Tilden for months past, died on Saturday. The democracy will not support an anti-ring paper.

The democrats, having adopted the theory that the Constitution can be set aside by a resolution of Congress, now propose to go further and maintain that it can be abrogated by a clause in an appropriation bill. They propose to ingraft on the Army bill a provision that no troops shall be used to sustain State governments in South Carolina or Louisiana, though the Constitution expressly provides that such aid shall be rendered under certain conditions.

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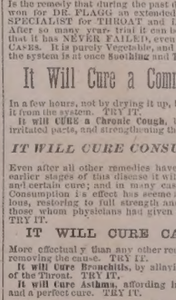

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Fertilizing Influence of Snow.

Snow is often called "the poor man's manure;" and if it is true that it has any manurial value, the farmer's prospects for the next season are certainly flattering. The body of snow upon the ground in all the Northern and Middle States is very great, and millions of acres of land are covered by it as with a blanket of the whitest wool. It is probable that seldom, perhaps never, has so wide an area of our country been covered as during the month of January, 1877. The question whether snow is capable of affording to lands any of the elements of fertility is one often asked; and in reply, the Boston *Journal of Chemistry* says that it very probably is. The atmosphere holds ammonia and some other nitrogenous products, which are without doubt brought to the soil by snowflakes as well as by rain drops. Experiments both here and abroad would seem to prove the truth of this conclusion. Rains are not only valuable for the moisture which they supply, but for what they bring to us from the atmosphere. During a thunderstorm nitric acid is produced in considerable quantities; and dissolved in the rain drops to a high degree of attenuation, its effects upon soils are highly salutary, as the nitrogen permeates the entire soil.

Leghorn Hens.

If a man keeps Leghorns he must have no garden, or he must cover the top of his hen yards. That Leghorns are great layers and active hens, there can be no denying, but they are great flyers. We have built our yard a lath and a half high, says the *Poultry Review*, but what do these saucy things care for that? Although they have the whole outside world to range in, yet the garden seems to have a greater attraction than all the rest. One day we found it necessary to feed a weak chicken in the garden by itself, so that it might be sure of its share. A few minutes afterward, on looking out of the window, we discovered the weak chicken in the henyard and two Leghorn hens finishing up its food. We went out, but the two robbers had fled. Going around the corner, we found them rolling in a flower bed. A Leghorn will do as much mischief in a garden in five minutes as anything we know of.

Corn Fodder.

A few years ago Dr. Nichols of the Boston *Journal of Chemistry* tested the comparative value of hoed and sowed fodder by chemical analysis. He reported that the corn fodder grown by the ordinary process, had eighty-three per cent. of water, while that sown broadcast had ninety-two per cent. In the last case there was only eight per cent. of solid matter, and of this only a part was nutritious. The fodder on which ears had grown was much richer in starch and sugar, though if left too long uncut, these nutritious elements quickly changed to woody fibre of very little digestible value. That sowed corn does not become hard and "woody," is partly owing to the fact that it contains so small a proportion of solid matter. All kinds of corn fodder should be cut before the change from sugar and starch to fibre, has gone very far. In field corn this may be known by the ears becoming fairly "glazed." When cut at this time, both corn and fodder will be at at their best. Sowed corn is the richest when cut two or three weeks after "tasseling." At this time the stalk has accumulated all the nutrition it can hold, and will try to develop a small ear of corn if given half a chance.

Seed Potatoes.

Farmers should have an eye to their seed potatoes for planting next spring. The experience of thousands of farmers in various sections of the country goes to show that large potatoes for seed are no better than medium sized ones, only that in a dry season, if planted whole, they sustain the plants by the moisture in them better than small potatoes. It is not advisable to plant the very small ones, they should be fed out, but select those for seed that are rather too small for marketing. But in a rich soil, and in a sufficiently moist season, potatoes no larger than walnuts will produce good crops. When one buys any of the new varieties in small quantities and desires to produce the largest possible crop, each potato may be cut into as many pieces as it has eyes, and one eye may be put in a hill.

Old Rose Bushes.

Never give up a decaying rose bush till you have tried watering it two or three times a week with soot tea. Make the concoction with boiling water, from soot taken from the chimney or stove in which wood is burned. When cold, water the bush with it. When it is used up, pour boiling hot water on the soot a second time. Rose bushes treated in this way will often send out thrifty shoots, the leaves will become large and thick, the blossoms will greatly improve in size and be more richly tinted than before.—*D. H. Jacques.*

—Self-made man—A man who has made a fool of himself.

—In his last Boston lecture, Joseph Cook spoke of "that sublime treatise on conscience which we call Macbeth."

—A religious journal republishes the information that "Punch" and "Judy" are derived from the names of Pontius Pilate and Judas Iscariot.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 22, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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Counting the Votes.

When the vote of Michigan was reached, Tuesday, objection was made to the vote of one of the electors, and the houses separated. A motion to take a recess of the House was voted down, 165 to 86. The House then adopted a resolution that the vote objected to be counted.

In convention, Michigan was counted for Hayes and Wheeler,—eleven votes; Minnesota, five for Hayes; Mississippi, eight for Tilden; Missouri, fifteen for Tilden; Nebraska, three for Hayes.

Objection was made to one vote from Nevada on technical grounds, and the convention rose. The House then took a recess to ten o'clock Wednesday. The Senate voted to count the disputed vote from Nevada, and then took a recess to Wednesday forenoon.

On Wednesday the House resolved (as in the case of the Michigan elector) that there was no cause for rejecting the vote of the Nevada elector; and the Senate was notified that the House was ready to meet in convention, at 11:50 A. M.

In convention, the vote of Nevada was counted, three for Hayes. The count proceeded until Oregon was reached, when objections were made by both parties, and the convention rose. Mr. Ferry at once certified the certificates and objections to the Commission.

The Commission assembled at ten minutes past one, to consider the Oregon question, pending a decision on which the count is stopped.

Specimen Reformers.

Ex-Gov. Grover, of Oregon, telegraphs from Salem, Oregon, as follows: "I desire to state that I have never sent to Governor Tilden any telegram signed 'Gobble' or 'Governor,' and I denounce all such pretended telegrams as base fabrications as far as I am concerned. I have never used a cipher nor a fictitious signature in a letter or despatch in my life."

But this disclaimer of Grover's does not cover the whole question. He may not have "sent the telegram" or used "cipher;" but *somebody* sent the telegram to Tilden exactly describing what action Grover would take and did take in the matter of the "post-office elector," six days before the action was taken, though Grover swore before the Senate committee that he had informed no one what he intended to do previous to the meeting of the electoral college of Oregon. The truth of the matter probably is that Grover wrote the despatch to Tilden in plain English, and handed it to Patrick; the latter translated it into the "heel scantiness cramp galvanic survivor" despatch, and as the word "Grover" was not in the "Household English Dictionary" the word "Governor"—translated to "Gobble"—was used by Patrick as a signature. The reform Senator-elect possibly told the truth in saying he sent no cipher despatch and never used a fictitious signature; but it requires a vast deal of credulity to believe he did not commit reckless and willful perjury before the Senate committee.

What did Colonel Pelton, Mr. Tilden's nephew, mean when he testified before the Senate committee that he did not know the key to the cipher telegrams? There is a suggestion of perjury in that denial in view of the Oregon disclosures. Mr. Hewitt, Chairman of the National Democratic Committee, testifying before the Senate committee on the 19th, swore that he had never used the "galvanic survivor" cipher, *but had seen Pelton use it!* He (Hewitt) had a copy of the key, and would turn it over to the Senate committee if desired; and he had never seen any of the cipher telegrams which passed between Oregon and New York, at the democratic headquarters. He further testified that Pelton lived in the same house as Samuel J. Tilden, and ate at the same table. Hewitt, though as strong a partisan as Hon. Zach. Chandler, is said to be also as rigidly honest a man as he; and if so his evidence not only convicts the "nephew of his uncle" of perjury, but will satisfy every unprejudiced man that the Oregon infamy was engineered by the Great Sleuth in person.

The Railroad Strike.

There is but little change in the position of the strike of the engineers and firemen on the Boston & Maine Railroad, but the fears of the public of a catastrophe grow space, and apparently with just cause. On Tuesday, as the Medford train was being pushed into the Boston depot by the shifting engine "Lion," it left the rails in consequence of a misplaced switch, and went bounding over the sleepers for about sixty feet, striking a train standing upon the side track. The collision raised both trains from the ground, and as they crowded against each other the seats were wrenched out of position, and the sill timbers sprung, one of them being broken. The panels of the front car of the incoming train were stove in half its length, and the timbers of one trunk were smashed. The train was quickly stopped, and all excitement allayed, but some of the women were badly frightened and screamed frantically. The damage done was not serious, but the escape from worse consequences was very fortunate. There was danger of the cars tipping over, and had this been the case the cars would undoubtedly have caught fire, when the most terrible results would have followed. It is said that the switchman had not had time to replace the switch.

At Portland, an accident happened at midnight to the freight train bound for Boston; the engine was burned out at Wells. The engine was the "Saco," the largest on the road. It is a most significant fact that workmen are changing the boiler plugs in all the locomotives, replacing the iron ones with lead ones. The "Granite State" arrived in Boston burned so badly that, with but little more heat, she would have burst. The flues of the "Maine" dropped in, and the crown sheet of the "Mercury" has a crack eighteen inches long.

The Lowell and Eastern Railroads are doing a rushing business by reason of the strike. The old patrons of the road are not disposed to accept Superintendent Barber's statement that the new engineers are competent men or the Railroad Commissioners' that the road is safe for travel.

Charles Randall, an ex-engineer on the Boston & Maine Railroad, was arrested at the depot in Boston on Tuesday evening, while putting a shackle into the machinery of a locomotive in such a manner as to burst one of the cylinders when the train started. He was drunk at the time and was armed with a loaded revolver. He was discharged from the road three months ago for drunkenness, and expelled from the Brotherhood at the same time for the same cause. The engineers were in session when they heard of it, and denounced the act most emphatically, and refused his request for bail to get him out of the station house. The Brotherhood decided to stand firm, believing that the situation is more hopeful for them now than at any time since the strike. There will be no strikes on the other roads.

On Tuesday evening, at Portland, Loring V. Walker, engineer on the Grand Trunk Railroad and a member of the Brotherhood, was arrested for obstructing United States mails on the 14th of February by inducing engineers to quit work. He was bound over in $2500 for examination. His bail was furnished.

A Victory for Tilden.

The case Boody vs. Tilden has been decided, and in Tilden's favor. It will be remembered that this was a suit brought to recover some $20,000, over-payment received by Tilden on a stock speculation, and that the democratic papers all denounced the suit as a "campaign trick." But a few days ago, in the Superior Court of the city of New York, the plaintiff, Mr. Boody, completed his evidence, showing clearly that Mr. Tilden had drawn over $20,000 more than belonged to him. When it came Tilden's turn to put in his defence or to go into an accounting to see how much money, with interest, he should repay, he, through his counsel, insisted upon his plea of the statute of limitations as a bar to his being required to account and pay back the money that he had withdrawn. The plea, of course, as a mere legal bar to the collection of an honest debt, had to be sustained by the Court, and Mr. Tilden, by thus setting up the statute of limitations against the debt, now amounting with interest to more than $40,000, avoids payment. Mr. Tilden's political opponents will not envy him the pleasures he may derive from the enjoyment of this money. His enemies would rather be Mr. Boody and lose the money than Mr. Tilden and hold on to it by the aid of such a plea, and will congratulate the democratic party, and especially our country, in being relieved, through the decision of the Electoral Commission, of Mr. Tilden as a leader and a possible President.

News and Notes.

At a meeting of the Executive Committee of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company in New York on Monday, the resignation, of the following named Directors were received and accepted: C. J. Osborn, S. M. Mills, A. B. Chandler, W. H. Guion and James D. Smith. The following-named gentlemen were elected to fill these vacancies: J. W. Garrett of Baltimore, Thomas A. Scott of Philadelphia, Cornelius K. Garrison, Hugh Jewett and James R. Keene. A report was presented by President Eckert, in which he proposed the construction of 10,000 miles of new lines, covering the new territory and completing the system. A cash subscription of $600,000 for the purpose was made and the work of construction will begin immediately. This powerful rival of the Western Union has forced a large reduction of rates within a year, and with such men as Garrett, Tom Scott and Garrison in its board of direction its power must rapidly increase.

The probability that additional cables would be laid were the present ocean telegraph companies to amalgamate, appears to be restraining further steps in that direction. The supposition is well founded. According to its returns the Anglo-American Company's total receipts for the last half-year were $1,368,860, of which only $216,565 were needed for working expenses; and yet the rates have been very much reduced since the Direct Cable commenced to work. A business so profitable as this can not fail to attract capital seeking a good investment, and if the Anglo-American Company should succeed in gobbling the Direct Cable and restoring the old rates, there would be an additional inducement to the grantees of the Baltimore line to hurry up with their wires. The addition of Mr. J. W. Garrett's name to the list of grantees of the latter, and his subsequent election as a director of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company, is considered by many to mean that the Baltimore cable is to be rushed across the ocean as soon as possible, in the interests of the latter corporation.

The three-masted schooner Kate M. Hilton, of Bath, Me., recently crossed the Atlantic in 15 days, said to be the shortest passage on record for a vessel of this kind.

While we are wondering over the telephone, the French are examining an invention by which photographs can be sent by telegraph. The process is not yet explained, but the Paris and Lyons police have been successfully using it for the detection of criminals.

The barkentine John C. Smith, of Belfast, Me., recently made the passage between Mobile and Havre in twenty-seven days, said to be the quickest time ever made between the two ports.

Donn Piatt, of the Washington *Capital*, is out in a card in which he says that in advocating the assassination of President-elect Hayes he did not mean to advocate his assassination.

New Hampshire Items.

Capt. Colton R. Simpson, an eccentric character of Concord, was found dead in the barn at his residence in the edge of Pembroke on Saturday. He was 78 years old. Heart disease was the probable cause of his death.

Thomas J. Hubbard, for more than twenty-five years agent for the Grand Trunk Railroad at Shelburne, dropped dead in his house on the evening of Feb. 14th, the day before his 70th birthday.

Some days ago, a novel accident occurred in Landaff. Messrs. C. D. Eastman and Holman Titus were riding in a sleigh, with a yoke of oxen walking behind them, when a dog came up and snapped at their heels; they suddenly started and furiously ran over men, sleigh, horse and all, taking the harness from the horse, the horse from the sleigh, and the sleigh from the men—leaving them reasonably bruised and not a little scared, and the whole institution demolished generally.

The house of H. H. Marshall, in Hanover, was destroyed by fire Thursday morning. Nothing of value was saved. Loss $3000; no insurance.

Frank P. Colby of Meredith, twenty-three years old, who forged his uncle's name to a note, and sold the note to Thomas E. Ladd, of Laconia, for $110, is wanted by the authorities.

A meeting of the Trustees of Dartmouth College was held in Concord on the 20th. Professor Young was unanimously requested to remain as one of the Faculty of the college, and it was voted that he be appointed Professor of Astronomy, distinct from the chair of natural philosophy, and that the funds necessary to establish the chair should be raised by an appeal to the Alumni and friends of the institution, as soon as practicable.

Pembroke has a mystery. In a house occupied by two ladies, a heavy rumbling noise closely resembling the slight shock of an earthquake, accompanied by a jarring of the whole house, has been heard at daybreak almost every morning all through the winter. The noise and jar is sufficient to suddenly awake a sound sleeper. This is vouched for by a large number of persons who have slept in the house, and no one is accounted as able to explain it.

Miss A. B. Harris of Warner has a relic of old times that is deserving of mention. It is a stove that has been in family use for fifty years, and which is still good for longer service. The stove is one of the old Jame's patent, and was cast in 1825. It was the first stove brought into Warner, and the second of its patent ever sold in the United States.

W. L. Dunham's house at Canaan was burned Sunday, with part of its contents. Loss, $700; insurance, $400.

Rev. Dr. Graves of Manchester has decided to accept the call to the Baptist Church at Lebanon, Ky.

Walter Aiken's house, near Franklin Falls, was burned on Tuesday; the furniture was saved. Loss $50,000; no insurance.

At Dover, on the 20th, Charles Hooke, for breaking and entering, and larceny, was sentenced to three years in State prison; and his brother, William Hooke, for receiving stolen goods, to a similar term. Frederick Sherburne got eighteen months and Henry Keenan four years, for stealing from the cars of the Boston & Maine and Eastern railroads. Patrick Burke was fined $50 and costs for selling liquor.

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A Graduate of Lincoln University and now a student at Newton Theological seminary, will deliver a LECTURE in

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
" Way,	1.00 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	5.30 "
Hubbard, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
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*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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JOTTINGS.

To-day being the anniversary of the birth of Washington, no paper will be issued tomorrow from this office.

The bells will ring for half an hour at sunrise, noon and sunset, to-day; and a salute will be fired at noon, at the navy yard. The post-office hours will be as follows: general delivery, open from eight o'clock to twelve, and from five to six; box office open from eight in the morning to nine at night, as usual.

The Veteran Artillery Association give their first annual ball this evening in Frank lin Hall, Harlow's orchestra furnishing the music. The committee having the matter in charge have spared no effort to make it an entire success, and those who are fortunate enough to be there will enjoy the pleasantest dance of the season.

This evening the Kittery Reform Club celebrate their first anniversary by an entertainment in Trefethen's Hall at the Foreside, the attractions being select readings, dramas, vocal music, etc.

The Board of which Dr. John M. Parsons of this city is Chairman, appointed by the last Legislature to examine into the general affairs of the Insane Asylum at Concord, having attended to that duty propose visiting the Hospitals for the Insane at Augusta, Maine, and at Worcester, Reading, Northampton and Taunton, Mass., reporting the result of the visits to each at the next session of the Legislature.

The second series of farmers' meetings, held at Greenland on the afternoon and evening of the 20th, were very successful and largely attended. At the first session an address was made by Hon. James O. Adams of Manchester, on animal and chemical fertilizers. It was followed by a paper on better stock, from Col. John M. Weare of Seabrook. In the discussions which ensued, Messrs. Hayes and Miller of this city, Warr on Brown of Hampton Falls, Emmons B. Philbrick of Rye, and other prominent agriculturists took part. In the evening Mr. Adams presented a paper on the history of agricultural progress in New Hampshire for the past one hundred years.

Among the democratic Congressmen who voted in the House on Monday against taking a recess to Tuesday, were Messrs. Bell and Jones, the democratic Congressmen from this State. We hope to see Mr. Jones defeated by Gen. Marston, and have no doubt he will be; but we feel obliged to say that in thus voting with the conservative men of his party he did himself credit. Having approved the Electoral Act and voted for it, he would not stultify himself by countenancing factious opposition to the continuance of the count because the decision of the Commission was what he had hoped it would be; thus showing that in advocating the submission of the Presidential question to reference he acted in entire good faith, intending to abide by the decision of the referees, whatever it might be.

Spring is approaching. The festive hand-organ man made his appearance in this city on Tuesday, but didn't play any. Let us hope his machine is frozen up, and will not thaw out until after election, at any rate. Human nature can stand only a certain amount of affliction at once.

"Well, Dick, me boy," said an Irish democrat on Monday to a well known politician of his party on Market street, "how does things look now?" "Oh, we're gone up," said Dick; "they've got us, and we might as well get down to it as comfortably as we can." "That's so, I'm afraid," said the other; "you can't take the eight-spot with the seven, anyway." "Yes, you can, sometimes," was the answer. "An' when, I'd like to know?" "Oh, in the 'civil game of forty-five,'" answered Dick. "Ah, but that's an Irish game; this I'm speaking of is an American one."

Rev. James A. Hubbell of New Haven, Conn., has been unanimously extended a call to become pastor of the North Congregational church, at a salary of $2500 a year.

It may not be out of place to notify the readers of the *Whig* that Representative Frank Jones, the wealthy brewer who now represents the first district of New Hampshire, is maneuvering for his re-election in a highly Tildenish manner. It is said that he is using his ample means lavishly to secure his re-election, and some of his ways are amusing, and when they are let out, as they are very likely to be before election, there will be many a laugh go up at the expense of the great XXX ale man. *Bangor Whig.*

Mr. Anderson's lecture on the present condition and future prospects of the colored youth of the South, will be given tomorrow evening in Franklin Hall; admission 10 cts. Mr. Anderson is a student at Newton Theological Seminary, and a graduate of Lincoln University, and his lecture has been well received in other cities. The Braxton Family will enliven the occasion with some of their best songs.

Political.

Dr. Redfield, the southern democratic correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, puts the whole Louisiana question in the following nutshell: "Louisiana was carried for Tilden by wholesale murder, violence, intimidation and bull-dozing, on the 'Mississippi plan,' in five parishes. The net democratic gain in these five parishes is more than the majority which Tilden has on the face of the returns."

When the hundred extra policemen at the Capitol, to serve during the count, were drawn up in the rotunda to be sworn in, fifty appointed by Sergeant-at-Arms French of the Senate stood by themselves, and those of the House by themselves. Upon calling on all in French's line who could take the iron-clad oath to hold up their right hands, all but three did so, and two of these, having left their right at Gettysburg in the service of the Union, held up their left, and so the whole fifty took the iron-clad. When Thompson's line was called on, only three hands went up, and the remaining forty-seven were were obliged to ask for the modified oath. The Boston *Herald's* Washington correspondent says: "The fifty extra policemen employed by the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Representatives are about the worst crowd of vagabonds and loafers who ever were congregated in Washington."

Meeting Judge Swayne, of the United States Supreme Court, after the decision of the Electoral Commission in the Florida case, Representative Abram S. Hewitt, of New York, said, "Judge, isn't it painful to note the fact that the judges on the Electoral Commission do not rise above partisanship, but uniformly vote on party lines?" The judge, assuming a distressed expression of countenance, but with a merry twinkle in his eye, replied, "Why, yes, my dear sir, it was a subject of mortification to me, and I have seriously thought of remonstrating with Brothers Clifford and Field on that subject; but you know it would be rather a delicate matter for me to do, and perhaps you had better speak to them yourself."

A Baltimore telegram states that the democratic leader of that city, who went to Cincinnati in Oc ober with a large gang of experienced ballot-box stuffers to aid the cause of Tilden and Reform, was Harry McCoy, Chairman of the Maryland Democratic Executive Committee and one of the leading democrats in the State. Holland, in his confession, mentions the man and it is stated that he divided his forces between Cincinnati and Indianapolis. For this and other valuable services, McCoy was on the Tilden slate for Naval Officer of Baltimore.

The Patricks are old hands, it seems, in the business of corruption. An extract from the testimony of James E. Lyon in the Emma Mine investigation, sets forth that Trenor W. Park once employed these skillful agents to corrupt a Utah jury in a case in which he was interested, and that the only question which seems to have arisen between the parties to this remarkable bargain was as to certain balances which Park had failed to pay. Perhaps it was because he learned wisdom from this little transaction that in the later and more important one Mr. Patrick was so inflexible in demanding the money before he did the work.

The democrats in Congress are getting tired of David Dudley Field's statesmanship. At the democratic caucus Saturday evening, to consider the situation, after the resolution to filibuster on the count of the electoral vote had been rejected, Field offered a resolution for the appointment of a committee of five to inquire whether it be expedient to withhold the appropriations for the support of the army. Mr. Willis of New York moved to lay the resolution on the table, saying that to withhold such supplies would be revolutionary. The effect would be to alarm the country and therefore he should oppose any such legislation to the bitter end. Field withdrew his resolution.

The New York *Tribune* closes an article on the democratic arguments and claims in the Florida and Louisiana cases as follows: "In short, the legal claims set up by the democrats in this contest have been at every point and in every particular disowned and denied by democrats hitherto, and rejected as a basis of action. It is nothing more than the naked truth to say that four months ago the entire democratic party would have accepted as indisputable the identical positions which the Commission has now taken. In view of these facts, it is not a decent thing for democrats to denounce the Tribunal for its course. Neither is it creditable to the democratic members of the Commission that not one of them was found independent enough to vote for the very same legal principles which four months ago he would have accepted without hesitation."

A Full Vote.

A full republican vote in this State on the second Tuesday of March will mean a good deal. Among the things that it will mean may be named the following:

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DODGE. In this city, Feb. 16, Mr. John S. Dodge, aged 65 years.

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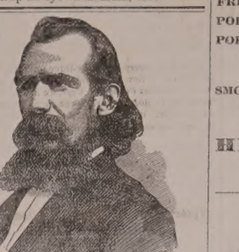

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Daily Chronicle.

Didn't Stand the Test.

A young man read in a paper a few days ago that if you wanted to find out if the woman you had selected for your future spouse had a good temper you ought to take occasion to step on her dress, or snap the sticks of her fan, or in some way annoy or discompose her. "If," said the great authority who presides over the column of advice, "if she betrays no sign of ill temper, she will prove a model wife." Accordingly the young man seized an opportunity when his sweetheart was rigged in her most killing array to step on her trail and pull out about three yards of gathers, with a rip like a peal of thunder, exposing about three quarters of the frame-work that makes her dress stick out behind. But instead of meeting the accident with perfect equanimity, she turned round and jabbed her parasol in his eye, called him a long-haired loper, and asked him why he didn't wear his feet sideways. He expresses himself thankful that he didn't marry the girl before finding out what sort of a temper she had; but the doctor doesn't think his eye will grow out again.

—"Fall of the leaf"—A decline in to-bacco.

—Sleep can be courted by laying a jug of hot water at your feet on retiring. And profanity can be courted considerably quicker if the cork to the jug comes out.

—At the restaurant the guest called the waiter to him and remarked: "This goose with wine sauce would be most palatable but for a slight mistake. The age is in the goose and not in the wine."

—"Are those genuine sausages?" asked the, of the butcher. "Ya," said the butcher, "dey ish genuine." "Made of dog and cat, and all that," observed the man. "Nein! nein! dey ish not!" indignantly replied the butcher; "I makes no dog's and cat's meat in mine sausages." "Well, then," said the man, walking off, "I don't want them; I'm after the genuine article." The butcher was perplexed to lose the customer, and, gazing wistfully after him, reproachfully muttered: "Ya, ya—it is sometimes better uff I toldt de truth."—*Chicago Journal.*

—Two ladies unknown to each other, were standing at the shawl counter of a St. Louis store, examining the same garment. The first expressed her desire to buy it, but said she was unable to do so as her husband had told her that she must retrench as much as possible. "Then I will take it," said the other, "and you may charge it to Mr. ——." The effect of the name upon her who couldn't afford to buy the shawl was electrical. "That's my husband!" she shrieked, and a scene ensued which resulted in the clerk putting the shawl back upon the shelf.

—At a late masked ball in Washington there was a gentleman present, a very well-known member of Washington society, not in a masque, but simply a looker-on. This gentleman has been blessed with quite a prominent nose, of which feature he is not vain. After the signal was given for unmasking, a young lady stepped up to our friend, playfully tapped him on the shoulder and said: "Why don't you take off your mask?" He answered: "I have no mask on." She still persisted—"Oh! but then you know your false nose is such a complete disguise, no one can recognize you." That was a little too much for our friend, who remarked as he walked off, "If I had been given the privilege of choosing my own nasal organ, I might have done better. As it is, I must simply grin and bear it."

—A travelling show in the West consisted of "human curiosities" all from one family. The head of the concern was a Samson and sword swallower. His wife was the fat woman. His daughter, with her hair bleached and her eyes painted, was the Circassian girl. His son-in-law was the door-tender. His three-year-old son, dressed in trousers, was the dwarf, "aged 15." His son, in a cage, was a Fiji cannibal. In a Wisconsin village there was a family row, and in the ensuing trial in Court the secrets of their business came out. But they have become reconciled, and once more the old man lifts weights and swallows swords, the Circassian girl flirts with the fellows, the door-tender shouts the merits of the exhibition, the dwarf toddles on his platform and kisses the women, and the cannibal howls in his cage.

—In an ancient neighborhood of Munich, behind the post, and best entered from Maximilian street, is a little square remarkable for its ugliness. All the houses are old, and one feels upon entering it as if one had suddenly walked back to the middle ages. On the east side stands a time-gray, low, irregular building, resembling in architecture, or by its want of it, nothing of the present age. This is the royal Hof Brauerei. After 10 A. M. a constant stream of thirsty souls flows along the streets and narrow alleys leading toward its dismal-looking portals. Its beer is celebrated as being the finest in the world, and is the standard by which all other beers are judged. It is the poetry of beer; it is to all other brewings what Shakspeare is to the drama; what the coliseum is to other antiquities. None of the beer is exported or sold; it is all drunk on the spot, and when it gives out no other brewery can supply a drop comparable with it. The Parisians, who have heaped every luxury, from the poles to the tropics, in their capital of the world, have not enough money in the Bank of France to purchase a cask of it. It is said that Maximilian II. resolved that the best beer in the world should be made at the royal brewery in Munich. It has never been expected that it would yield any revenue, but merely pay its expenses. It is now under the protection of the present king, and the ingredients are inspected by an officer of the royal household.—*Galaxy.*

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for four years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. I have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. I have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.00.
Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from Maj. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875.

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Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

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"Certainly, sir; that is a matter of daily occurrence. All that is necessary for you to do is to give me a description of the dog, so that no mistake can be made: call again in about in half an hour and the dog will be here."

"It is a yellow dog, with small ears, and is about so high," said the stranger, placing his hand eighteen inches from the floor. He then took his departure with the remark that he would call again soon. The operator then sent his messenger boy to look for a dog as near to the description as possible, which he soon succeeded in finding. It was at once brought to the office, and secured to the operator's desk by means of a piece of telegraph wire. After a little coaxing the dog was made to lie quietly down, and everything was in readiness for our rural friend. Punctual to the time appointed he made his appearance, and asked if the dog had come.

"I will see," said the operator, and stepping up to the instrument he tapped a few times on the key; at the same time inserting his leg under the desk he managed to step on the dog's toes, which caused the canine to yelp. "Ah! he's coming," said the operator, and then tapping more furiously on the key, he at the same time kicked the dog from under the table, who, not relishing this kind of treatment, barked furiously and ran around the office with the wire attached to his neck. "Fifty cents, sir," said the operator, turning round to the countryman. "Uncommon nice dog; must be worth $50; but he is the hardest dog I ever received over the wires; he is so muscular, you see, that he broke the wire; in fact, a piece of it is now attached to his neck, which he broke off."

During the whole of this operation the countryman gazed on the operator with eyes wide open and full of surprise; but when the dog came out from under the table and was seen by the countryman, that was the culminating point, and he was struck with amazement. After looking at the dog a moment or so he said: "Say, Mister, he ain't so big as he was, and he is darker; how is that?"

"Oh! that is easily explained," said the operator; "you see the chemicals employed in making electricity of course darken his original color, and the velocity with which he passed over the wire caused him to contract in size; but after you expose him to the air for a short time he will soon assume his original size and color."

"Du tell!" said the countryman, and, after placing fifty cents on the counter, picked up the dog, and walked out of the office, remarking that "the man who invented them telegraphs must be a very knowledgable man."

The Railroad Troubles.

The Boston & Maine is still engaged in moving the large quantity of freight which has accumulated. Superintendent Furber has not resigned nor does he intend to. The following instructions have been given to the employes of the road:

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Referring to the above, the strikers ask how it is possible for any one to approach the engineers when they are guarded by police, who have instructions not to allow any one to approach them without an order from the Superintendent, and why it is necessary to caution the engineers, if they are competent men?

—Scene—United States Supreme Court room, while Senator Howe was speaking on the Louisiana case. Mrs. Tyler, widow of President Tyler, who occupied a seat next to Mrs. Howe, says to a lady friend on her left: "O, my gracious! when will that tiresome old man get through?" Mrs. Senator Howe (who is unknown to Mrs. Tyler), sharply: "There is no law to compel people to remain if they don't like it." Lady friend of Mrs. Tyler (loud enough to be heard by Mrs. Howe): "That lady evidently doesn't know that she was speaking to the widow of President Tyler." Mrs. Eugene Hale (who sat on the left of the last speaker, and loud enough to be heard by

Mrs. Tyler, to a lady friend): "And Mrs. Tyler probably is not aware that the lady on her right is the wife of Senator Howe." Here the curtain fell.—*Washington Star.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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Counting the Votes.

On Wednesday, the Commission heard arguments pro and con in the Oregon case, and held a night session, adjourning to 10 o'clock Thursday forenoon.

On Thursday the Commission assembled as per adjournment, and after hearing some argument evidence was admitted as to the eligibility of Watts, the disputed republican elector, after which Mr. Evarts summed up for the republicans and Mr. Merrick for the democrats. At a quarter to eight o'clock, P. M., the Commission adjourned to 10 A. M. Friday, without coming to a vote.

A despatch over the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph line, late Friday afternoon, says: "Oregon counted for Hayes and Wheeler." A few minutes later a despatch came over the Western Union line, as follows: "Vote eight to seven, for Hayes and Wheeler."

News and Notes.

Four men were killed by an explosion in a nail factory at Pomeroy, Ohio, Wednesday evening. Seven others were dangerously hurt; and a boy was blown seventy feet into the air, yet escaped serious injury.

The President has issued a proclamation giving effect to the extradition treaty with Spain.

An evening paper says that members of the high Commission are receiving anonymous threatening letters. It is a fact that two of the republican members of the Commission and one republican Judge have received letters of a very threatening character at different stages of the electoral count.

Doun Piatt, the democratic editor of the Washington *Capital*, was on Wednesday arrested for inciting insurrection and rebellion, and advising the assassination of Mr. Hayes. He gave bail in $5000.

A train of cars was thrown from the track of the Boston & Lowell Railroad, near Billerica, Wednesday evening, by a large stone purposely placed on the track. Supposed to have been done by a fellow who was ejected from a previous train for nonpayment of fare. Several passengers were hurt, but none killed. The damage to engine and cars was about $1200.

A pleasant instance of true generosity and its reward occurred at Rockport last week. A woman who supported two children by hard work was asked by a fellow-worker in the mill to aid in making up a purse for a poor woman. Though having only sixty cents left to carry herself and children through the week, she gave twenty-five cents, and a little later the person returned and told her that she was the one for whom the purse was intended, and handed her $25.

The Pope has become very much altered. His feet do not carry him any longer. His face, formerly fresh, and of a jovial expression, is now shrunk and of a listless aspect. He rarely leaves his bedroom, and receives visitors there, between 5 and 7 in the afternoon, more reclining than sitting in an armchair. He has a large table before him on which a few candles only are placed; between them there stands a crucifix. His memory is failing him very much in matters of quite recent occurrence, though he remembers well the things of a long time past. Many doubt whether he will complete his 80th year.

Capt. Kane, of the American Schooner F. E. McDonald, writes from Goree, on the west coast of Africa, Jan. 24, stating that on his outward voyage from Boston, whence he sailed Dec. 27, he fell in with the wreck of the British barque Maria, Cap. Grayson, having on board only two of a crew of fourteen men, the others having perished from exposure and want. The wreck was discovered with mast gone and full of water. The men were taken on board, but one of them died in four hours after. From the survivor it was learned that the barque was bound for Belfast, Ireland, from Doboy, Georgia; that she sprang a leak in a gale, and filled with water, so that it was impossible to obtain any provisions or fresh water. The lumber with which the vessel was loaded prevented her from sinking, but the weight of her masts turned her upon one side until they broke away. When she righted the men regained the deck, but having no food they soon began to die of starvation. The vessel was wrecked thirty-four days before being discovered, and the survivors were kept alive only by eating the flesh of those of the crew who died.

The first base-ball game of the season was played on the Boston grounds, Thursday, between the reorganized Boston club and a picked nine, resulting in a victory for the former, the score being—Boston 2, picked nine 1.

At Petersburg, Ind., on the 22d, four men were instantly killed by the explosion of a boiler in a portable saw mill and four others were severely injured.

Some weeks since a young man and woman put up at a hotel in Jefferson, Texas, as man and wife, and next day the woman was found foully murdered. Recently the man was arrested in a Western city for the murder, and it is now found that his real name is Ferguson, and that the woman he killed was a Mrs. Kirby of Baltimore, with whom he eloped last Autumn. Since his arrest he has attempted suicide.

At a ball in Pickens county, Ga., recently, Mrs. Suthard, eighteen years old, attacked Mrs. Cowart, aged twenty-six, because Mr. Suthard danced with the latter, who was a divorcee. The two women clinched and fell to the floor, and Mrs. Suthard cut Mrs. Cowart's throat from ear to ear, killing her instantly.

New Hampshire Items.

Nine persons of the name of Leathers, living in Barrington, had their names changed to Blaisdell at the last term of the Probate Court.

Brookfield is having an incendiary excitement. Several houses have been burned on different Sunday nights, and it is said that they were all owned by witnesses in the famous Joseph Buzzell murder case.

The clothing store of Warren & Pike, Manchester, was broken into Thursday night, and $100 worth of goods stolen.

James Collins, an employe of the Boston, Lowell & Nashua Railroad, at Nashua, was run over by a dump car on Thursday and one of his legs broken in two places.

The dead body of a man, supposed to be John Macdonald of Frampton, Canada, was discovered in a mill-race at Nashua on Thursday.

The engine house at Hillsborough Bridge station was burned about 6 o'clock Thursday morning. Loss about $800.

The Cocheco Manufacturing Company of Dover has given St. Thomas' Church $500 toward the liquidation of the church debt. This amount reduces the debt one-half.

F. A. Faulkner of Keene, the referee in the celebrated divorce case of Jane D. Janvrin vs. George Janvrin, made his report to the Supreme Court at Exeter, Wednesday, in favor of Mr. Janvrin.

There was a slight fire Thursday morning in the tenements over Sullivan Brothers' store, Manchester. Damage $300.

Mike C. C. Webster, a grocer in Stickney's Block, Concord, was drawing petroleum from a barrel in the cellar of his store, Wednesday evening, the petroleum ignited from a lamp in his hand. The fire was extinguished; loss probably not more than $2000.

William White, alias J. W. Murphy, who was arrested in Spencer, Mass., on Tuesday, for stealing a gold watch in Nashua, was arraigned on Wednesday and his trial was sent up to a higher court. White was placed under $1000 bonds, and in default of bail was sent to jail. His trial caused considerable excitement and the court room was crowded, the officers having had a hard time in securing him.

A three-days' Musical Convention held at Newmarket under the conduct of S. A. Ellis of Lawrence, closed with a grand concert Wednesday night. It has been very interesting and successful throughout. The Convention will probably be repeated next year.

Political.

The Boston *Post*, in its "headlines," referring to the presentation to the Commission of the Oregon infamy, says: "The democrats make a strong case, and again hope for justice." This reminds us of the Irish magistrate, who, when a fellow convicted of brutally abusing his wife pompously announced that all he demanded was "justice," replied: "Well, you can't get it here; this Court has no power to hang you!"

We shall look with curious interest to the vote of Senator Thurman when the Electoral Commission decide the Oregon case. No man in the country has taken stronger or more emphatic ground against a minority candidate obtaining any advantage from the ineligibility of his opponent. He has repudiated the whole doctrine as vicious and unrepublican. We shall see whether Senator Thurman and his democratic associates will now "rise above party," or whether they will stick to their party when they know that Mr. Tilden's claim to an Electoral vote in Oregon is only based on a wrong and fraud.—*Nashua Telegraph.*

Well, Mr. Thurman has voted on the Oregon question; and he didn't "rise above party" to any great extent.

But it is final, and it is best that it is so. The tribunal was born in the sore travail of an imperilled republic, and though its offspring be deformed and prove sharper than a serpent's tooth to its parentage, it was the accepted law of the nation, and its judgment is the lawful judgment of the sovereign power of the country. Oregon justly belongs to Mr. Hayes, and the only additional wound that the shattered trust of the nation can now suffer, would be for a partisan vote to decide that State. If there shall be seven votes against counting Oregon for the candidate for whom the people admittedly voted, it will prove that even when the gravest problems of law and justice were to be solved before the first judicial tribunal of free government, Hayes had a party and Tilden had a party, but the republic had none.—*Philadelphia Times.* (*Dem.*)

The democrats are now convinced that they have been victimized by some republican conspiracy in this Tribunal matter. The country has heard of that gentleman who succeeded, during the progress of a square game of old sledge, in tucking all four jacks up his coat sleeve; and it will be remembered that, when his adversary went out on a supernumerary jack, which he placidly turned up, the former attracted much sympathy by his bold avowal that there had been cheating somewhere around that board.

The story is printed that if the democrats delay the count until after the 4th of March, John Sherman will resign from the Senate, when the Ohio Legislature will immediately elect Hayes to the vacancy, and the Senate will make Hayes President *pro tem.*, and consequently acting President until another election.

—A New Hampshire man having spoken disrespectfully of a venerable Sucker as an "Illinoyster," the latter resorts by calling his defamer a "New Hampshyster."

Wonders of Modern Science.

The perfect *accuracy* with which scientists are enabled to deduce the most minute particulars in their several departments, appears almost miraculous if we view it in the light of the early ages. Take for example the electro-magnetic telegraph—the greatest invention of the age. Is it not a marvelous degree of accuracy which enables an operator to *exactly* locate a fracture in a submarine cable nearly three thousand miles long? Our venerable "clerk of the weather" has become so thoroughly familiar with those most wayward elements of nature that he can accurately predict their movements. He can sit in Washington and foretell what the weather will be to-morrow in Florida or New York, as well as if several hundred miles did not intervene between him and the places named. And so in all departments of modern science, what is required is the knowledge of certain *signs*. From these the scientists deduce accurate conclusions regardless of distance. A few fossils sent to the expert geologist enable him to accurately determine the rock-formation from which they were taken. He can describe it to you as perfectly as if a cleft of it were lying on his table. So also the chemists can determine the constitution of the sun as accurately as if that luminary were not ninety-five million miles from his laboratory. The sun sends certain *signs* over the "infinitude of space" and the chemist classifies them by passing them through the spectro-scope. Only the presence of certain substances could produce these solar signs. So also, in medical science, diseases have certain unmistakable signs, or symptoms, and by reason of this fact, Dr. Pierce, of the World's Dispensary, has been enabled to originate and perfect a system of determining, with the greatest accuracy, the nature of chronic diseases without seeing and personally examining his patients. He has spared neither pains nor expense to associate with himself, as the Faculty of the World's Dispensary, a large number of medical gentlemen of rare attainments and skill—graduates from some of the most famous Medical Colleges and Universities of both Europe and America. By aid of Dr. Pierce's system of diagnosis, these physicians and surgeons annually treat, with the most gratifying success, many thousands of invalids without ever seeing them in person. In recognizing diseases without a personal examination of the patient they claim to possess no miraculous powers. They attain their knowledge of the patient's disease by the practical application of well established principles of modern science to the practice of medicine. And it is to the accuracy with which this system has endowed them that they owe their almost world-wide reputation for the skillful treatment for all lingering or chronic affections. This system of practice and the marvellous success which has been attained through it, demonstrate the fact that diseases display certain phenomena, which being subjected to scientific analysis or synthesis, furnish abundant and unmistakable data to guide the judgment of the skillful practitioner aright in determining the nature of diseased conditions. The amplest resources for treating lingering or chronic diseases, and the greatest skill, are thus placed within the easy reach of every invalid, however distant he or she may reside from the physicians making the treatment of such affections a specialty. The peculiarities of the scientific system of practice are fully explained in the Appendix of "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser,"—a book of over nine hundred large pages, which is so popular as to have reached almost one hundred thousand copies within a few months of its first publication. It is sent (post-paid) by the Author, to any address, on receipt of one dollar and fifty cents. Address, R. V. Pierce, M. D., World's Dispensary, Buffalo, N. Y.

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
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Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
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Boston, south & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
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Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	6.50 "

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A pleasant company of invited guests met at the residence of Gen. M. F. Wentworth of Kittery, Wednesday afternoon, to witness the marriage of Mr. William J. Hobbs, of Boston, Paymaster on the Eastern Railroad, and Miss Jessie A. Wentworth, Gen. Wentworth's youngest daughter. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. S. A. Hutchinson, pastor of the Baptist church in Kittery. The newly-wedded pair took the evening train for Boston.

The 22d was very quietly celebrated in this city. The bells were rung for a half-hour at sunrise, noon and sunset, and a salute was fired at noon, at the navy yard. The evening entertainments were the Veterans' ball and the meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen. There were more drunken men,—and noisy drunken men,—on the streets in the evening than for months past; whether this was owing to too much patriotism, to the Electoral Commission or to Hon. Frank Jones' return from Washington, we cannot say. The lockup was pretty well filled with the celebraters, but they were turned out in the morning, after getting sober.

Mr. William Ellison, who has for some time past carried on the business of repairing clothes-wringers on Penhallow street, has removed to No. 22 Daniel street, where he will continue the business. In addition, he will electro-silver-plate any articles handed to him for that purpose, such as spoons, castors, table cutlery, watches, pistols or other metal goods, at a cost of about half that of new work. He will warrant all work leaving his shop. See advertisement.

The twenty-third grand ball of the Amoskeag Veterans, of Manchester, was given in Smyth's Hall in that city on the evening of the 22d. The Germania Band of Boston furnished the music, and the affair was as entirely succe-sful as previous ones have been. Among the guests reported present from this city were Col. T. E. O. Marvin, Col. J. Horace Kent, R. Edwin Rider, Esq., and F. P. Frazier, Esq., of the Direct Cable staff at Rye Beach. A. C. Wallace was chosen battalion commander; D. A. Simons captain of Company A.; Z. F. Campbell, captain of Company B.

The first annual ball of the Veteran Artillery Association was given in Franklin Hall on the evening of Washington's birthday anniversary, and attracted many who have not appeared on the waxed floor before this season. The affair was capitally managed, and was in every way an entire success. Fifty two hundred and fifty persons sat down to supper, a second table being required though plates for one hundred and fifty were laid at the first one; but there was an abundance for all, and of the best. Dancing was kept up until about four o'clock.

Hon. Frank Jones is in town, having returned from Washington to spend Washington's birthday,—and incidentally, no doubt, to look after a re-election to Congress. If he doesn't go back to Congress before the 4th of March he won't have to go back at all.

The reform club of Kittery celebrated their first anniversary Thursday evening in good style at Trefethen's hall, the programme including dramas, readings, and vocal and instrumental music. The attendance was large.

WRECK.

Barque Charles R. Lewis, Capt. Race, left Boston in ballast on the night of the 20th, bound for Portland, in tow of steaming Elsie, Capt. Frost, belonging to the Boston Tow-boat Company. At three o'clock on the morning of the 21st, the tug (which had a coast pilot on board) was passing inside Race Ledge, the moon had gone down, and in the darkness the snow upon the land gave the impression that they were so near the shore. In consequence of this idea, they kept too far off the shore, and about an hour before high water struck on Stone's Rock, inside of York Ledge. The vessel was moving through the water quite fast, and struck the tug a heavy blow, driving her further on, and she soon filled. The barque also struck the rock, but being light got came off, and taking on board the tug's crew proceeded under sail to Portland, where she was taken into the dry dock and found to have sustained no injury except to her copper. Captains Robinson and Rand, of this city, went down to the wreck on Thursday. The Elsie was partly out of water at high tide, and two steam lighters from Boston, the Oak and Aid, were secured to the wreck in such a manner as to keep her from sinking when pulled off the rock, which was done on Thursday night, the raft being brought up to this city on Friday forenoon by steamers L. A. Belknap and C. A. Mills; Capt. Albert Rand, of steamtug Clara Bateman, being the pilot. The wreck was beached at Russell & Odion's.

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, the claim of Henry Peyser, for damage to sleigh on Myrtle street on Feb. 9th, was referred to the committee on claims.

Claim of William H. Grant for damage to sleigh on Vaughan street, was referred to the mayor to report at next meeting.

The request of John E. Colcord for sale to him by city of a lot of land on Pleasant street, was referred to committee on city lands and buildings, if the Council concur. Sent down.

Mayor's report respecting Portsmouth & Dover Railroad was accepted and adopted. Sent down.

Petition of Kearsarge Flute and Drum Band for use of ward-room on Elm Street two evenings per week, was granted, they to pay for gas used; the claim for gas to be adjusted by the city clerk.

The committee on city lands and buildings, to whom was referred the request of Thomas S. Gay, reported, recommending that the petition be granted and he allowed to make the desired alteration at his own expense. The report was accepted.

Committee on claims reported the payroll for inquest on Abram Dudley, and recommended that it be paid. The report was accepted and the bill ordered to be paid.

Claim of Woodbury Locke for damage to sleigh, was referred to the committee on claims.

Voted, That the subject of insurance on city property be referred to the committee on city lands and buildings with the Mayor added, with power.

Voted, That the city accounts be distributed in the usual manner.

Repair of belfry in Franklin school house was referred to committee on school houses with power.

Adjourned for two weeks.

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DIED.

ROBINSON, In this city, Feb. 22, Mr. William C. Robinson, aged 64 years, 9 months, 20 days.

☞ Funeral on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from No. 2 Salter street. Relatives and friends are invited to attend without further notice.

☞ The funeral of Mrs. Hattie A. L. Jenkins will take place to-day (Saturday) at 1 o'clock p. m., from the residence of her father, Samuel Langdon, Esq. Should the weather be stormy, it will be postponed until the following Monday.

DRISCO, In this city, February 21, Mrs. Jane B. Drisco, widow of the late Joshua H. Drisco, aged 74 years.

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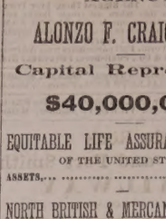

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Daily Chronicle.

A nimble fellow—The man who ran up a flag.

—A canary bird in Chicago lost its voice two years ago. Blue glass restored it.

—In Texas wild turkeys are a dollar a dozen and whiskey is only fifty cents a drink.

—There is at the present time in the Mexican treasury the sum of seventeen cents in specie. It has slipped into a crevice and cannot be got at.

—A finely dressed lady and very intellectual looking slipped on a piece of orange peel on Fifth avenue yesterday and sat down awfully hard. "My!" she exclaimed, "the velocity of that descent unnerves me!" "I beg pardon," said the gentleman, who assisted her to rise, "you are a Bostonian, I fancy." And she was!—*N. Y. Mail.*

—State Senator Frank Stewart has introduced a bill into the Nevada Legislature, for the prevention of cruelty to women. It provides that women beaters shall be tied to a stone post erected for the purpose, wearing a placard on their breasts marked "Woman beater" or "Wife beater," as the case may be, and further punished by imprisonment and fine.

—Two young men in Cooke county, Tenn., stole a girl apiece and were leaving the vicinity, when the girls' fathers came upon them with revolvers, and took their daughters from them. The kidnappers immediately opened fire upon the parents, who replied in like manner. Some twenty shots were exchanged, when the Sheriff appeared and arrested the boys.

—Jennette M. Robinson of Chicago asserted that for seven years paralysis prevented her from uttering a word, and that in an instant, in answer to prayer, she was cured. A reporter recognized her as a woman who, under the name of Mary Davis, had only a year ago been a remarkably glib witness in a lawsuit. The exposure of the fraud seems to have been complete.

—Do not pick your teeth with a fork, it is apt to scratch off the enamel. If your bread and butter falls on the floor, don't pick it up and swear over it, but kick it under the table and talk about roses. Just because you feel sociable, don't pass your chewing tobacco to the ladies; some Montana people do it, but it's not considered to be in good taste in Danbury. Don't use your knife in eating soup; you might cut your tongue. Don't clean your finger-nails at table, for then all the company will know they are dirty; if you keep quiet they may not be observed.

—Senator McDougall was on his way to Washington from New York, and stepping off at a station in that unaccountable State of New Jersey to get a drink the train got away from him. Thinking to overtake it by a cut off he looked around for a vehicle for that purpose. No time to spare, and the fastest wagon hitched up happening to be a hearse, he crawled into it. The driver drove furiously enough, but still had occasion to come to a sudden halt, which waked up the passenger, who immediately asked if he had caught the train. "No," said the Jehu, "just stopped to take a drink." "Well," says McDougall, "you needn't go on just yet," as he began crawling out: "the corpse is dry, too."

—William Smith, aged 70, who lived near Liberty, Ind., became widowed some years ago, and had since lived in entire seclusion, was dead, demented. A few weeks ago he offered $5000 to any one who would furnish him a wife. The announcement created merriment at the time, but nothing further was thought of it till this morning it was announced that the old man was married to Miss Phœbe Johns, a highly respected young lady, aged seventeen. The old man's offer had been taken in hand by Powell Slade, with whose family the young woman lived, and Slade received the $5000, $2000 of which was paid to the girl's father, the girl herself receiving as an inducement a deed from the old man for his farm of 200 acres of very valuable land.—*St. Louis Republican.*

—There was a sudden sensation in an Oakland church, on a late Sunday. It appears that a young lady member of the choir became so anxious to examine a certain exasperatingly pretty bonnet in a pew back under the organ loft, that she lost her balance, and turned a somersault down upon the unsuspecting congregation. The minister had only reached "tenthly," when he was shocked by a dissolving view of striped stockings; and the millionaire underneath and just selected his smallest coin for the heathen, when a pair of two-inch heels took him in the back of the neck like the last dying lick of a pile-driver. When the dust cleared away the church was found to be empty, and since then the flock have meekly, but firmly, informed the vestry that unless the choir is fenced in, or a net stretched over the heads of the congregation, as required by law, they will stay away from the sanctuary.—*Pittsburg Gazette.*

—The Washington correspondent of the Cleveland *Herald* tells the story of Charles O'Conor's wooing in the following interesting paragraph: The young and beautiful widow of Commodore McCrackes of our navy returned from abroad after her husband's death, and finding her financial affairs in a complicated state, went to Mr. O'Conor, to get his legal advice in disentangling them. Mr. O'Conor, upon examination, discovered that the Commodore had died insolvent, and the beautiful widow was left to the cold mercies of a selfish world without a penny to call her own. This he was obliged to break to her, whereupon she held up her hands in piteous dismay, crying: "Oh, Mr. O'Conor, what shall I do? I who have lived in luxury all my life!" "Madam," said the great lawyer, "the best advice I can give you is to marry me." Whereupon they were married.

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—The steamship Victoria of the Anchor line, which recently arrived at Glasgow from New York, reports having encountered terrific weather, and during one night storm there appeared strung all over the trucks, yards and stays of the vessel, at a distance of two or three feet apart, large balls of phosphorescent fire, giving the ship the appearance of being covered with Chinese lanterns, though the light was far more brilliant. Occasionally one would fall and burst with a loud report, and soon all disappeared as suddenly as they came.

—His name is David Williams, and he attended a prayer-meeting in Sandy Creek, N. C., recently. When he was returning home a curious thing happened. His beard suddenly seemed to be on fire. He raised his hand to brush it off, or to see what it was, and his hand seemed to partake of the same light. He then rubbed his hand over his coat sleeve, and the sleeve became lighted up in the same way. He says the phenomenon lasted about two minutes and then disappeared. The question naturally arises had Mr. Williams been anywhere else than at prayer-meeting?

—At a recent swell wedding in New York the crowd outside was so great that it was impossible for the bridal cortege to drive to the church door. They had to alight a block from the church, and walk that distance in satin slippers, and the bride carrying four yards of train to the church. Mr. Brown received them and informed the bride that it was impossible to get her in the church. "Well," said she, "how can there be a wedding if I am not there?" Some such announcement as this caused the crowd to fall back, but the struggle to get in was compared to the crush at the Centennial opening day.

—Last night an attempt was made to rob Muhl & Graff's liquor store by boring holes with an auger near the bolt and lock. The thief was at his work from twelve to two o'clock this morning, being observed all the time by persons who live across the street. At about two o'clock the window in the house opposite was raised, and some one shouted to the robber, who looked up unconcernedly from his work and said: "Oh, don't make such a fuss about it," and walked away. He returned after a few minutes and apologised for coming back, saying he had forgotten his tools, and picking up his auger walked away.—*Pottsville Chronicle.*

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, FEBRUARY 26, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,
BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,
OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,
GRANVILLE P. CONN,
OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,
GILMAN MARSTON,
OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,
JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,
EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,
GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting the Votes.

On Friday, as soon as the decision of the Commission giving the electoral vote of Oregon to the candidates to whom the people of Oregon gave it, was known, the democrats of the House took a recess and called a caucus, which lasted for two hours. Proctor Knott, Salary-grab Randall, David Dudley Field and others strongly urged filibustering to prevent the completion of the count; Ben Hill, John Young Brown of Kentucky, Blount of Georgia and others insisted that the democrats should abide in good faith by the decision of the Tribunal they had created. During the debate, David Dudley Field explained the provisions of a bill drawn up by him to provide for a new election in April next, and during the interregnum authorizing the Secretary of State to act as President until a successor is elected. It was finally voted that the House on Saturday should take a recess until Monday.

The Boston *Globe's* correspondent, under date of Friday night, says all the indications are that the fillibusters will carry the day and defeat the count under the Electoral Act of their own passing. He further says: "The republicans are, of course, prepared for all emergencies, and their leaders say that if the House will not finish the count in its chamber, the Senate will call a joint assembly to meet in its chamber to finish the count, then declare Hayes elected and inaugurate him."

On Saturday, at 10 o'clock A. M., the Senate sent to the House a message that the Senate was ready to go into convention. A resolution was passed by the House, 157 to 89, that the House was ready to receive the Senate. Vance of Ohio endeavored to move for a recess, but was not recognized.

At 11:45 the Senate entered, and the decision of the Commission on the vote of Oregon was read. Objection to the decision was made by Senator Kelly, and the Senate withdrew.

Representative Clymer moved a recess till Monday; voted down, 158 to 112. Mr. Lane moved a recess to 9:30 P. M., but the Speaker ruled the motion out of order as a dilatory motion. Discussion followed on the question of counting the vote of Oregon.

Go Ahead with the Count.

If the democrats, under the lead of such reckless tricksters as Sam. Randall and David Dudley Field, refuse to allow the Electoral Vote to be counted under the Electoral Act which they bull-dozed the republicans into accepting, the duty of the republicans will be plain,—to proceed with the count *according to the provisions of the Constitution*, as should have been done at first. Let the President of the Senate open and count the votes, declare the candidates having the highest number elected, and let them be inaugurated. come what will. There has been quite enough yielding to the howlings and threats of the extremists of the defeated party; beaten at the polls, they were allowed to submit the question to a tribunal of their own invention, the republicans yielding their rights and pledging themselves (as did the democrats) to accept the findings of that tribunal; and now the democrats say "we won't submit to the decision of our own court, because they are not in our favor!"

Let the count proceed according to the Constitution, and not only the republican party but the entire business interests of the country will sustain it.

Partisan Judges.

The blind partisanship of the democratic members of the Electoral Commission is shown by their vote on the Oregon question. Not even Justices Field and Clifford pretended that Cronin was elected, or that Grover's violation of the law gave the red-nosed candidate any claim to be considered an elector; the proof that Watts, the "disputed" republican elector, resigned his office on the 13th of November, and that another man took full charge of the office next day, was clear; and it was shown that the two republican electors concerning whose eligibility there was no question, acted strictly according to law in filling the vacancy in the electoral college. Yet Clifford and Field voted with Thurman and Bayard and the three democratic Representatives, to give Tilden the election on account of Grover's scoundrelism!

News and Notes.

Ship Admiral, Capt. Blanchard, of Yarmouth, Me., 2210 tons register, was wrecked on the coast of Patagonia, Feb. 8th, on the voyage from New York for San Francisco. All hands saved; vessel and cargo, together valued at $210,000, a total loss.

The Paris *Figaro* names a distinguished prima donna whom it charges with having eloped from St. Petersburg with the tenor Nicolini. It states that the Marquis of Caux followed them, and judicial proceedings for separation have commenced.

In the Portland City Council, Wednesday, a proposition was received from D. N. Stanton, New York, to purchase that city's interest in the Portland & Ogdensburg Railroad for $250,000, about 10 per cent. of what the city has put in. A committee was appointed to consider it.

Edward Ivory, a negro in Augusta, Ga., put on a white shirt and went to a bar-room, fell asleep, and William Henry Sullivan made pictures with a lead pencil on the glossy bosom of the shirt. Maddened by the indignity as he awoke, Ivory immediately killed Sullivan with a revolver.

William M. Shaw, an engineer of the Grand Trunk Railway, was arrested at Portland on Friday for obstructing mails on the Boston & Maine, February 14, and held in $2500 bail. He says he was at the station, but did not interfere.

Political.

Gov. Nicholls can, in three hours' time, put upon the streets an army, organized, drilled, and armed, exceeding in number all the available United States troops in the South. Should Mr. Packard be recognized the serious question will be presented whether or not to use this force and to what extent.—*N. O. Times.*

Unless business men wish to become literally men without any business, they will without distinction of party use every means in their power to show their detestation of the rebellious faction now threatening to delay the count of the electoral vote. If the plots succeeds, there is an end of the spring-trade and nobody knows what will come afterwards.—*Worcester Gazette.*

Tilden's parade in offering his bank account for inspection, after his friends had secured an agreement to the contrary, is excessively absurd, when it is remembered that his bank cashier had for weeks refused to show his books and was on the point of being committed for contempt.

The New York *Nation*, one of that class of "independent" papers that has ever been ready to believe the worst of the republicans on the poorest evidence, and to question the strongest evidence against the democrats, speaking of the Oregon despatches, remarks: "That correspondence of this character should be traced to the house of a Presidential candidate is an unprecedented scandal, and it is not mitigated by the fact, if fact it be, that Mr. Tilden knew nothing of the corrupt negotiations his 'Zach,' Mr Pelton, was carrying on with the Oregon politicians. Mr. Tilden is nothing if not shrewd and watchful, and, whether he knew of Pelton's operations or not, we can conceive of no adequate excuse for his leaving it in the power of so foolish and unprincipled a person to compromise him so directly by *sending from his own house* offers of money to buy up Governors and electors. Blunders of this kind are crimes, and the discovery of this one is doing a great deal to reconcile people to the decision of the Commission."

How much better it would have been for the reputation of the Supreme Court if Justices Clifford and Field could have abandoned their partisanship and voted with the majority in behalf of equity and law. But they were blind and stubborn men.

Whenever you hear a man assert his belief that Tilden was honestly elected, set him down as either a knave or a bigoted ignoramus.

The attempt of the democratic counsel to prove that Watts (the republican "ineligible" elector in Oregon) was postmaster on the 6th of December, was a pitiful failure. Postmaster General Tyner was put on the stand, and testified that Watts' resignation was tendered by telegraph on the 13th of November. It was accepted, and a special agent under instructions took charge of the office on the 14th, the next day, and remained in charge till a new postmaster was regularly appointed. Sixth Auditor McGrew testified that Watts' accounts had been audited and settled, and that pay was only allowed him to the 14th of November. Mr. Watts, the Elector, was then put on the stand, and testified as to the fact of his resignation, as stated by the Postmaster General.

This Mr. Chandler is a very bad man. Mr. David Dudley Field's Committee have had his bank account for six weeks past, and have been so dumbfounded at the appalling corruption disclosed therein that so far they haven't been able to gasp out a report. And Mr. David Dudley Field isn't a man who scares easily at corruption either! —*N. Y. Tribune.*

The democratic Cincinnati *Enquirer* says: "That man who denies a democrat a good, substantial growl is less than human."

When an editor sets out to tell a lie, it is is well for him to tell one that will take his antagonists' breath away by the audacious brazenness of its mendacity. The following, from the Boston *Post*, is a brilliant example of the kind of a lie we speak of: "Threats and opposition to a peaceable settlement have come only from the republican side."

The New Haven *Union* (democratic) says: "The 'bluff game' is not popular with the democrats, which is proof that the party is possessed of abundant good sense and patriotism. The Commission plan was really a democratic measure, and to refuse to accept its rulings would be a shameless exhibition of bad faith and treachery. It is proper to protest and point out the gross partisanship displayed by the republican majority, but the verdict must be accepted and lived up to." But this "shameless exhibition of bad faith and treachery" is just the exhibition Tilden's lieutenants are endeavoring to get the democrats to make.

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WENDELL. In Beverly, Mass., Feb. 23, Mrs. Lydia A. Wendell, aged 63 years, 5 months, wife of the late Daniel W. Wendell of this city.

☞ Funeral from her late residence, No. 19 Russell street, this (Monday) afternoon at two o'clock.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Osgood Lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. F.

MEMBERS of Osgood Lodge, No. 48, I. O. O. F. are hereby notified to meet at the hall on Monday, at one o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother, FRANK HALL. Per order of the N. G.

Assignee's Sale of Real Estate.

WILL be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, on

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At twelve o'clock, noon, will be sold the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the South side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then designated.

After the sale of the above, will be sold, on the premises, the HOUSE and LOT at corner of Bartlett and McDonough Streets, and also two tenement HOUSE Numbers 1 and 3 on Rockingham Street.

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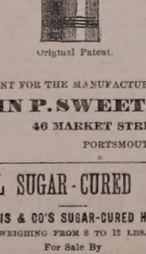

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Boston, South & West,	5.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P.M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "	
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "	

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E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

An alarm of fire was occasioned at about half-past five o'clock Saturday morning, by the blowing of the whistles of the steamers that towed in the wrecked steamer Elsie and her supporting lighters.

Saturday brought a change in the weather, which for the time of year had been remarkable for several weeks. A raw northeaster blew through the day, and a cold rain gave the long idle umbrellas something to do to pay for their living. Toward evening the rain changed to snow.

A salute of minute guns was fired at the navy yard on Saturday, as a mark of respect to the memory of the late Rear-Admiral Goldsborough.

W. H. Brackett and John A. Tucker, of Greenland, take from ten to sixteen bushels of oysters per day from Great Bay, dredging them with horses. They find a ready sale for all they can get.

Mr. Fernald has some forty men at work in the old Raynes ship yard, getting out the frames of a thirteen-hundred-ton ship to be launched about September next, for Charles E. Mendum, Capt. Jacobs and others. She is to be commanded by Capt. Jacobs.

John Albee, Esq., gives his eighth lecture this evening at the Unitarian chapel on Court street. These lectures are of deep interest and profit, and have nightly increased in popularity.

The Congregational Church at Greenland is one hundred and seventy years old and has had but seven pastors, the first serving fifty-three years, the second forty-eight. Four died in office and are buried near the church. The present pastor, Rev. Edward Robie, D. D., has been settled over the church twenty-five years.

Gardner Bunker of Rye had his shoulder dislocated, and was otherwise seriously injured, by being thrown from a load of wood Tuesday of last week. His injuries, although severe, are not considered fatal.

A telegram was received in this city on Saturday by one of the parties interested, that thirty horses from Canada would arrive at the Kittery depot on the evening train from Portland, having come down over the Grand Trunk to the latter city. The horses are owned by Mr. Cottle of Kittery, and Messrs. Herbert, Cochrane and H. R. Stoddard of this city.

Before the Supreme Court holden at Exeter, Friday, Mary E. Cross of this city was divorced from Charles W. Cross. Hodgdon for libellant.

The Supreme Court adjourned at Exeter on Saturday, to March 26th, to reassemble in this city to try several cases.

THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATES.

The Concord correspondent of the Boston *Post*, writing of the democratic candidate for Congress from this district, says: "He has the advantage and prestige of being a successful candidate, having wrenched the district from the hands of the republicans two years ago, and that when he was opposed by a popular and well-deserving man of the opposition." True; but it is not an advantage to Mr. Jones that the means by which he "wrenched the district from the hands of the republicans" and defeated the "popular and well-deserving" republican candidate, Hon. Charles S. Whitehouse, are well known. His specie—ous arguments will hardly suffice this time to secure the slaughter of the republican candidate in the house of his friends; and the dead men of the Point of Graves, the Cambridgeport foundrymen, the marines at the navy yard, and the crews of the Gloucester fishing vessels that may happen to be in this port on election day, will not find their way so clear to vote for the democratic candidate as they did two years ago, in wards three and six; nor will Dover aid Mr. Jones this time, charm he never so wisely. The republicans of the first Congressional district propose to send Gen. Marston to Congress, and to elect Mr. Jones to stay at home and attend to his private business; and they will do it. The democrats are discouraged, and will put no heart into the campaign; and the republicans, though confident of success, do not propose to conduct one of the "still hunts" in which they are invariably beaten. It will be Ex-Congressman Jones after the 4th of March.

The *Traveller* thus refers to the nominations in this State: "The republicans have a strong ticket, and they know it. What is more, the people know it. At the head of the republican ticket is a man of talent and energy, familiar with the routine of government and the interests of the State; a gentleman in active sympathy with his party, and destined, we believe, to be the worthy successor of the present worthy incumbent of the gubernatorial chair. Opposed to Mr. Prescott is Hon. Daniel Marcy, who is—Daniel Marcy, nothing more, nothing less. His voice is an echo from the past, his methods the worst which the politicians of the present have devised. A worthy man in all the relations of social life, he would yet be a most dangerous one to place in the chief magistrate's office. In his political ideas he has never got past the resolutions of '98. If he should live twenty years longer, however, he might imbibe the larger political opinions which become general with the choice of James Madison. Nothing but unnatural length of years will make him as modern as Andrew Jackson, certainly nothing short of a complete metempsychosis will ever convert him into a Union man. His nomination was made in opposition to the younger and abler element of his party, and in every way is he a weak candidate."

POPULAR DELUSIONS.

Several popular beliefs have received rude shocks during the past winter; one of them is, the idea that cold and clear weather in winter is more healthful than more moderate weather; and another is, that hydrophobia is virtually a hot weather complaint, and not to be feared in winter. As to hydrophobia, it is quite within the mark to say that more cases of rabies in animals, and deaths of persons from the effects of dog bites, have been reported in the papers within four months past, than for ten years previously; and the mad-dog scare has extended all through the North, and not without good reason. A committee of the Massachusetts legislature had a hearing last week on a bill to give towns greater powers on the dog question; and the hearing drew out a considerable mass of evidence tending to show that Spitz dogs were especially dangerous pets, and that their bite was worse than that of any other kind, even in health, while it was almost unvaryingly fatal in case the dog was at all affected with rabies. Manchester and Suncook, in this State, have taken vigorous measures to prevent the running at large of unmuzzled dogs, both those places having had mad dogs about, and a boy having died with hydrophobia in Suncook. This city has kept on the even tenor of its way undisturbed either by mad dogs or any extra precautions against them; there is a municipal law taxing dogs, but it is directed at increasing the revenue rather than to diminishing the number of dogs, and hundreds of these animals, licensed and unlicensed, roam about our streets at will, unmuzzled. Most of them are worthless curs, yet they are probably valued by their owners; but we think there is hardly one among them worth a human life. Should some person be bitten by one of them, and die a horrible death in consequence, we should probably have a red-hot crusade against the whole canine race; but until then Portsmouth's swarm of dogs will roam unmolested and unreduced.

The notion that has generally prevailed that open winters are unhealthful and that severe winters, with cold, sharp air, are conducive to health, is likely to change with this season's experiences in New England, where the winter has been unusually dry and severe, but where diphtheria, scarlet fever and kindred ills have been more than usually prevalent, and fatal. Schools have been closed in many towns throughout New England, the Middle States and the West, owing to the prevalence of scarlet fever and measles, and in some places these complaints have amounted to an epidemic.

New Hampshire Items.

The liquor prosecutions before the Supreme Court at Dover were continued through last week. At the trial of case State vs. Ricker, Friday, the case was so conducted as to make it appear that Hale and Poud, the Massachusetts detectives employed to get evidence against the liquor dealers, were on trial, instead of Ricker. But the testimony of a Massachusetts official against Hale and Pond was buried out of sight by the commendation of solid citizens from Newburyport and other Massachusetts towns, including editors, ex-mayors and deacons. A favorable verdict for the defendant was however confidently looked for.

Prof. Young has decided to remain at Dartmouth, and will decline Princeton's call. Tutor Emerson gives up the chair of Assistant in Natural Philosophy, and the Trustees are to appoint a successor.

The news of the decision of the Commission in the Oregon case was most favorably received by the republicans of Manchester, Friday night, and is regarded as settling the Presidential question. The first meeting of the Hayes and Wheeler Guards since the election was held at their armory that night. The object of the meeting was to make preparations for celebrating the grand republican victory achieved. It was unanimously voted to hold an inauguration ball Monday evening, March 5th. The various committees were appointed, and there is every prospect of a grand affair. The Strauss Club of Boston, eighteen pieces, will furnish music.

Dartmouth College is to have a three-days' recess at the New Hampshire election, March 12th, 13th and 14th. The term ends the 21st. In accordance with the new law passed last June by the Legislature many of the students will vote in town this year.

It is thought from a variety of evidence that John McDonald, whose body was found in the Jackson Manufacturing Company's canal at Nashua on Thursday, met his death by four play.

Enoch R. Call, while driving across the railroad track at Canaan, Friday, with a yoke of oxen, was struck by an accommodation train and instantly killed.

There was shipped from the main mica ledge known as the Ruggles' mine, in Grafton, during the month of January, 3,600 pounds of mica, which sold for $2 per pound. Among the other exports from that town in the same month were 7,000 bushels of charcoal.

The Manchester *Dispatch* speaks a good word for the hand-organ man, as follows: "A hand organ was heard in the streets on Thursday. By the way, why should these itinerant musicians be debarred from playing on the side streets. The music they furnish is the only music ever heard by hundreds of poor children, whose homes are barren of any of the attractions that make other homes so pleasant. We who go to Smyth's Opera House and pay to listen to instrumental or vocal music should be the last to shut out one ray of enjoyment from the lives of the poor, and if a hurdy-gurdy or a poor strolling ballad singer can please them for an hour, why prevent it?"

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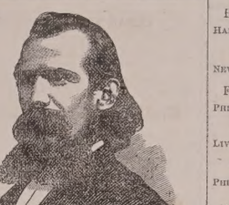

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You are hereby notified that ELMER D. NORTON, administrator of the estate of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth in and for said County, on the third Tuesday of March next, at 10 o'clock A. M. for examination and allowance.

At the same Court the Represent of the Commissioner of Insolvency on said estate will be taken into consideration for acceptance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may think have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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Sophs vs. Freshes.

Washington's Birthday, at Wesleyan College, Middletown, Conn., from time immemorial has been the occasion of the collegiate year to the two lower classes for deciding the vexed point, which of them is superior in point of shrewdness and muscle? To celebrate the day the Freshmen endeavored to fire a national salute at midnight of the evening previous and early morning of the holiday. Sophomores' self-constituted duty is to spike the cannon, if possible, or in some other way prevent the Freshmen showing their patriotism in this military fashion. Sometimes, to prevent serious trouble, the Faculty have interfered; but this year nothing has been said by them, and consequently the Freshmen decided to achieve the honorable feat of firing their big gun. For some days before the 22d, this year, both Sophs and Freshes had been busy—the Freshes to get their ammunition and cannon secured from the others' power, and the Sophs to spike the gun and destroy the powder. Wednesday night both classes were on duty all night long, and the strictest privacy on both sides prevailed.

The country round about Middletown was continually watched by Sophomores in teams; two cannon, engaged by the lower class, were bribed from the owners by the offer of large sums of money; a supply of powder, purchased by the Freshes, was in some mysterious way obtained by the other side; and the Sophs, at 11 P. M. Tuesday, felt reasonably sure that the Freshes had been outwitted. But this was not the case, for soon after midnight the booming of cannon awoke the echoes of the still night air, coming from two directions at the same time. The Freshes had proved themselves masters of the situation. Having been beaten at home, they had sent to Meriden and Haddam; had there obtained cannon and ammunition; had planted their guns on hills to the north and south of the city, and celebrated their own victory together with their patriotic observance of the day.

The Freshmen claim that the Sophs have spent $150 in their endeavor to prevent their action. A ludicrous incident of the row was when the Sophomores, having fraudulently gained one of the guns from a farmer having it in charge, were compelled at the muzzle of an empty double-barrelled shot-gun to return the stolen property.

A Pious Diplomat.

Some few days ago, says the Wheeling, West Virginia, *Leader*, a minister from one of the neighboring towns came to Wheeling on a short visit. He was out calling pretty late one night and upon returning home he was suddenly met in a lonely part of the city by a highwayman, who thrust a pistol at the clergyman and demanded his "money or his life."

The minister was startled, but his presence of mind did not forsake him, and he thus addressed the would-be thief in the most solemn and affecting tone:

"My good man, you shall have every cent I possess. I give it to you willingly, but I hope you will listen to me for a few moments."

The preacher then fell to work and went over a whole sermon, and in the most melting terms beseeched him to forsake his present mode of making a living. The stars twinkled above in undimmed glory, and the sad winds whirled around the adjacent corner. It was an impressive occasion, and the silent influences of night in conjunction with the eloquent and sweetly modulated tones of the preacher, caused the robber to soften and grow penitent. The preacher saw this, and watching an opportune moment, exclaimed, "My friend, you have done me wrong, though you shall have my money. But get down on your knees and ask forgiveness for your sins."

The penitent thief got down on his knees and when he had completely unhinged, the preacher kicked him in the stomach, and then ran up street like a narrow guage engine.

—Dr. Lushington being told a story said, "Since you were an eye witness I am bound to believe it; but I would not believe it if I had seen it myself."

—They have a "citizens' movement" in Pittsburg, Penn., and it was all going on very smoothly till one man got up in the meeting and asked: "Ain't I nominated for mayor?" "No," said the meeting. "Nor for treasurer?" "No." "Nor for controller?" "No." "Then damne if I don't make it warm for this movement, that's all."

—The gardener of the University of Berlin has found that hyacinths may be propagated by their leaves, thus revealing a new way to raise a large number of specimens of rare varieties. The leaves should be cut off as close to the bulb as possible, put in a saucer and covered with a thin layer of sandy leaf-mould. The saucer having been placed in a green-house close to the inner surface of the glass, in eight or nine weeks the leaves will develop bulbs.

—The undergraduates of Harvard held a meeting on Monday evening to take steps toward forming a rifle corps, composed of students from any class of the college or department of the University. The object of the organization is to afford to all students an opportunity of learning the use of arms and military tactics during their collegiate course. There will be bayonet and skirmish drills, guard duty, broadsword exercise, and blank cartridge and target practice in the spring.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

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FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

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GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting the Votes.

After the close of the arguments, Saturday, the House voted, 151 to 87, not to count the vote of Watts for Hayes; the Senate voted, 40 to 24, to count the three votes of Oregon for Hayes. The Senate was notified of the action of the House, and that the House was ready to receive the Senate to proceed with the count.

In convention, the vote of Oregon was counted, three for Hayes. The certificate of Pennsylvania was then opened, and announced as giving twenty-eight votes for Hayes; objection was made to one vote, on the ground that the electoral college had no power to fill a vacancy, and the houses separated.

In the House; Vance of Ohio moved a recess until ten o'clock Monday, which was carried, 133 to 121.

In the Senate, after discussion, it was agreed without a division that the disputed vote should be counted for Hayes, proving that the objection to it was simply a filibustering move.

Monday, in convention, the vote of Pennsylvania was counted for Hayes. The certificats of Rhode Island was opened and read. Objection was made to the vote of one of the electors, and the houses separated at 3:30 P. M.

How They Inspected the Count.

A good deal of fun has been poked at Ex-Gov. Palmer and Judge Trumbull, of the democratic "inspectors" who went to New Orleans to look after the count, and Judge Kelley, the republican Congressman from Pennsylvania who was there on the same errand, since the pure-hearted Littlefield testified that the three grave and reverend seigneurs went with him to a quadroon ball in New Orleans. It seems now that Trumbull went there as an artist, to study a peculiar phase of Southern society, and Palmer went to keep him company; while Kelley, being a republican, went to have a good time, and actually cut a double-shuffle on the floor, to the great admiration of the democratic magnates and the lemon-colored sirens. And now it is said that both Judge Trumbull and Governor Palmer have become quite bald since they visited that New Orleans dance house. The news has reached home.

Vessels Wrecked.

The storm of Saturday night and Sunday was very severe in New Jersey and southern New York; and several buildings and many trees were blown down, windows blown in and other damage done.

The schooner Josiah Hedden, Capt. Macker, of Stepney, Me., from Bonaires for Philadelphia via New London, with a crew of seven seamen, experienced the height of the gale and to make Plum Gut Island ran into the inlet, where she soon struck a rock or shoal. A high sea was running, which broke continually over her, forward and amidships, as she lay with her head to the sea with poop deck completely dry. A signal of distress was heard by the crew of schooner Walter Freeman of Bridgefield, Conn., Capt. Harry Somers, bound for Port Jefferson with a cargo of oil and a crew of nine, with the mate. The Freeman was also overtaken by the storm and the crew were strenuously working to save their own vessel. Nearing the spot where the ill-fated vessel had struck it was seen that the Hedden was sinking, and the crew hanging to the bulwarks. By means of a small line fastened to a large oil can, which was thrown overboard from the Freeman and drifted to the Hedden, communication was obtained with that vessel and a hauling line was thrown out, to which a hawser was attached, one end to the mast-head of the Hedden and the other to the anchor of the Freeman. A boatswain chair was then roughly constructed and an attempt at rescue was made, but owing to the violence of the storm and tossing of the fast sinking vessel the mate and three of the crew were washed overboard and carried out by the sea. All attempts to save the Hedden were futile, and she sank with the cargo. The captain and the two seamen rescued with him were unconscious, and powerful stimulants were resorted to in resuscitating them. The Freeman, in her turn, became also disabled and was taken by the force of the storm to the extreme end of the island, where she became a total wreck. She had hardly struck the shore, however, when the disaster was observed by the crew of Life Saving Station No. 11, who, manning boats, sped to the assistance of the victims of the wreck. Before they arrived three of the crew of the Freeman were washed overboard, and though strenuous efforts were made to rescue them, they were drowned and their bodies were washed out to sea. The remainder of the crew, including the captain and two rescued seamen of the Hedden, were safely conveyed to the shore. Both vessels and cargoes are complete wrecks. The schooner Benjamin Willes, from Babylon for Philadelphia, capsized in Jones Inlet and three of the crew, including the captain, were drowned. Great damage is done at all the ports of Long Island.

News and Notes.

A large public meeting was held in Wakefield, Mass., Saturday evening, to consider the Boston & Maine Railroad strike. The strikers were upheld, and a vote of want of confidence in the present management of the railroad was passed.

At a recent meeting of the Directors of the South Boston Railroad, Miss Etta E. Pickernell and Mr. N. J. Wales were appointed receiving clerks at a salary of $900 each.

The captain and seven men, of Danish barque Peti Dubrevacki, have been taken by a gunboat from the desolate island of St. Kitts, 150 miles westward of the Hebrides, where the barque was wrecked some time ago. Knowledge of the crew's perilous condition was received at the Shetland islands through the drifting ashore there of a bottle containing a note.

The barn belonging to Jacob Whitehouse at Blackberry Hill, Berwick, Me., together with hay and grain, was burned Thursday night; loss about $300, no insurance. The fire was probably the work of a tramp.

Fox's Theatre, in Philadelphia, was burned Sunday morning, and also the Mercantile Library Building and Rogers' wagon factory. Five persons were badly hurt, two of them it is feared fatally, by the falling of a building.

Tuesday, Feb. 27th; the 70th birthday of the poet Longfellow.

Secretary Morrill is slowly but surely recovering from his recent dangerous illness.

War between Russia and Turkey is "inevitable" some more.

Hiram Young of Barnston, Province of Quebec, having trouble with his wife, left her, taking his boy, four years old, with him to the Caledonia Springs Hotel at Newark, Vt., kept by his wife's uncle. On Saturday Mrs. Young, with her little girl two years old, and her mother, went to Newark to see Mr. Young. On arriving everything appeared pleasant, and the two little children went into the shed to play. In a short time Mrs. Young went out, and seizing an axe split both children's heads open and mangled them in a fearful manner. They lived about twenty minutes. The mother is under arrest and is supposed to be insane.

Washington's birthday at Trenton, N. J., was celebrated by the dedication as a monument of the "Swamp Angel," the great gun which acted such a conspicuous part during the siege of Charleston.

A city of Mexico report, dated Feb. 16, announces the return of Gen. Diaz, who had been sworn in pending the counting of the vote in the Presidential elections, in which, so far as is known, the Diaz electors have an immense majority. Diaz was welcomed at Gaudalajara by a procession of 70,000 men and on his return to the Capital he was met with loud rejoicings of the troops and people. Don Jose Mata, formerly Minister to Washington, has been appointed Secretary of the Treasury.

New Hampshire Items.

The stockholders of the Second National Bank of Nashua held a meeting Saturday afternoon and voted to instruct the Board of Directors to increase the capital stock of the bank by a sum not exceeding $50,000, nor less than $25,000.

A detective who has been working up the numerous cases of burglary in the vicinity of Sutton, has discovered at the house of James Barnes, a noted character in that place, about $300 worth of shoes. After a long tramp in the woods, by Barnes' direction, a Paisley shawl and two silk dresses, valued at $150, were found. Edward Lavolette and Joseph Rivers, two ben thieves, now serving out sentence, will be brought up on a habeas corpus and arraigned for larceny of the goods, Barnes having stated that these parties deposited their ill-gotten gains in the places where they were found.

Asa Wentworth, once tried for the Parker murder in Manchester in 1846, and which remains a mystery to this day, died at Saco, Maine, Feb. 18th, at the age of 63 years. He had resided in Saco since 1848.

The *Dispatch* says that some twenty or more delinquents have been fined $2.00 each in the Manchester police court for neglecting to comply with the order to "muzzle the dogs."

The Universalist Society of Nashua, Rev. James Gorton, pastor, have been holding a series of religious meetings during the past week, which have been addressed by prominent ministers of the Church from abroad.

A public meeting of citizens of Nashua, irrespective of party, was held Saturday night, to consider the proposed constitutional amendments. A series of resolutions favoring their adoption was passed with but a few dissenting votes.

Fifty persons were baptized at the Methodist Episcopal Church at Plymouth, Sunday morning, being the result of the recent revival.

Mrs. Hannah Barrett, the wife of a Revolutionary soldier, died in Franconia on Feb. 20th, aged 95. Her husband died some thirty-five years ago.

The first republican rally of the State campaign in Manchester was held in Smyth's Opera House Saturday night, and was largely attended. E. P. Richardson, Chairman of the Republican Club, called the meeting to order. It was addressed by General Stevens of Nashua in an eloquent and enthusiastic manner. The Hayes and Wheeler Guards, Captain Pushee, with the Manchester Cornet Band and Stokes & Batchelder's Drum Corps, were present.

Rev. J. B. Breed of the First Baptist Church, and Rev. J. D. Tilton of the Baker River Baptist Church, in Rumney, have tendered their resignations on the condition that the two churches unite as one church.

Curtis C. Bowman of Littleton dropped dead from heart disease Saturday. He was 58 years old and was one of the oldest residents of Littleton.

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[L. S.]

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Whole Dried PEAS	8 cts.	℔ qt.
Split "	8	"
WALNUTS	4 and 8	"
Good BROOMS	17 cts. each.	

FANCY CRACKERS of all kinds at lowest prices

And also everything kept in our line, at the very lowest prices for CASH! All goods sold by us will be as represented; Please call and examine. Goods sent to any part of the city free of charge. Remember the old stand.

N. F. Mathes & Co.,

NO. 48 MARKET STREET.

Assignee's Sale of Real Estate.

WILL be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION, on

Thursday March 22d,

At eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on the premises, the HOMESTEAD of J. C. Carr, situate at Number 95 State Street. The estate is well known as a desirable situation in one of the best neighborhoods in Portsmouth.

At twelve o'clock, noon, on the same day, will be sold, on the premises, the double-tenement HOUSE and LAND Number 23 Gates Street.

At half-past two o'clock in the afternoon will be sold four desirable LOTS OF LAND on Lincoln Avenue, containing about five thousand feet each; these lots are in a desirable locality, and well worth the attention of buyers.

On Saturday the 24th

At twelve o'clock, noon, will be sold the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then designated.

After the sale of the above, will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets, and also two tenement HOUSE Numbers 1 and 2 on Rockingham Street.

The sale of the first named estate will be subject to the right of homestead of Mrs. Carr; all others to be sold in the proper release of dower, etc. The estate being unincumbered, the assignee's deed will give a perfect title. Terms of sale, Cash on Delivery of Deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine title, etc. A payment will be required on day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars enquire of

ALFRED F. HOWARD, Esq., Assignee of J. C. CARR, in Bankruptcy.

PORTSMOUTH, Feb. 20, 1877.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT, Auctioneer.

OUTFITTERS, TAKE NOTICE!

We have just received a new lot of NICKERSON'S

Excelsior Black Oil Clothing.

They are very soft, durable, and perfectly water-tight.

We have also EAGER'S

Best Yellow Oil Clothing,

The reputation of which, as a first-rate article, has been fully established in this vicinity.

NIPPERS, WHITE MITTENS, SOCKS, JUMPERS, MATTRESSES, QUILTS,

In fact, everything necessary to make a person warm and comfortable.

These Goods have all been bought recently, at the lowest market rates, and will be sold for cash at a small margin from cost.

BOW STREET, No. 3,

(New Number.)

C. E. MYERS & CO.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

— OF —

Fall & Winter GOODS

— AT —

No. 8 MARKET SQ.

WM. P. WALKER!

having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC

Cloths, Cassimeres etc.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

WINTER SUITINGS

IS UNEQUALLED!

☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

ARMY & NAVY REGULATION UNIFORMS.

ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

Constantly on hand, consisting of

SHIRTS,
GLOVES,
BOSOMS,
COLLARS
DRAWERS,
SUSPENDERS,
LINEN GOODS,
HANDKERCHIEFS

Of Every Description.

JAMES M. CARR,

DEALER IN

BOOTS & SHOES

No. 34 MARKET STREET,

(Formerly HILL & CARR,)

Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowes Prices.*

☞ All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

John Malsbenden,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

Keeps on hand a good assortment of seasonable goods for Gentlemen's wear, which will be made up in the latest style, or as ordered.

CLOTHES WILL ALSO BE

Altered, Cleansed or Repaired

SATISFACTORILY.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE!

Under Frankin Hall - - - Fleet St.

CITY DRUG STORE.

H. W. BRIANT,

PHARMACIST,

Cor. Market & Daniel Streets.

Prescriptions compounded with all possible care and of the purest materials.

The special attention of the Medical Faculty is directed to the Elixirs and other non-official pharmaceutical preparations manufactured on the premises, which the Proprietor guarantees of full strength, and equal in point of manufacture to any in the market.

An inspection of the above respectfully solicited

A FULL LINE OF ALL SUCH ARTICLES as may be found in

A First-Class Drug Store,

may always be found at his establishment.

THE

DOMESTIC FLUTER

Patented October 31, 1876.

For fluting pillow-shams, cambric dresses, skirts, aprons, and all garments trimmed with ruffles; also making fluting of woolen goods for dress-trimmings. This fluter is pronounced by competent judges to be the simplest and most desirable; safe to use in regard to heat, and no fear of cutting the material.

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For Portsmouth and vicinity.

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SKATES — NEW YORK CLUB or RINK, DOUBLE CLAMP CLUB, ACME CLUB, STRAPPED CLUB, ROCKER & HALF ROCKER, ALSO A FULL LINE OF LADIES' — SKATES

ISAIAH WILSON,

37 CONGRESS STREET.

Amusements.

REFORM CLUB FAIR

The Ladies of the Temperance Reform Club have completed arrangements for a grand Fair to be held

AT FRANKLIN HALL,

ON THE

27th and 28th of February and 1st of March.

Neither time or labor has been spared in endeavoring to make this a success. Especial attention is invited to the fact that a hot supper may be obtained on each evening of the fair for 25 cents. Each purchaser will be furnished with a cup of the celebrated centennial coffee.

Grand matinee for children Wednesday afternoon. Admission 5 cents. General Admission for adults, 15 cents.

The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. Harlow's Band has been engaged for the last night of the Fair, when the tickets will be 25 cents.

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 66 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

For Rent.

ONE-HALF HOUSE No. 11 Washington Street. nov17 Apply at House.

House to Let.

No. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises. octtf

Houses to Let.

ALSO, one very desirable Estate for sale: price $1100—terms easy. Apply to A. J. PENHALLOW, tmch10 No. 35 Court Street.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.

House No. 36 Deer Street.

Brick House No. 56 State Street.

Store corner State and Washington streets.

Apply to A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.

FRANK W. MILLER.

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No. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

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"DEAR FEAST OF LENT."
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JOSEPH H. FOSTER'S,

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American and Swiss

WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

CLOCKS and JEWELRY.

— AT —

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Fine Watch Repairing and engraving. Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

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Warranted PURE WHITE LEAD. — Well-known throughout New England as the WHITEST, FINEST and BEST.

LEAD TAPE, ⅛ in. wide, on reels for Curtain Sticks.

LEAD RIBBON, from 2½ to 8 inches wide, on reels for Builders.

LEAD PIPE, of any size or thickness.

At lowest market prices for goods of equal quality.

FRANCIS BROWN, Treasurer, Salem, Mass.

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THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, and Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

HAROLD,

Tennyson's New Poem.

"THE BARTON EXPERIMENT,"

By the Author of "Helen's Babies."

The Illustrated London Almanac.

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VERY CHEAP!

DATES! PRUNES!
ORANGES! TAMARINDS!
CREAM TABLETS! GINGER

Dry Preserved and Pot Preserved!

FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	6.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 2.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	2.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	5.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The Philharmonic Society meets each Tuesday evening at Mercantile Hall, and all singers who can read church psalmody are invited to join.

The Ladies of the Temperance Reform Club will open a Fair at Franklin Hall this (Tuesday) evening, and an attractive entertainment is promised. Donations intended for the Fair should be sent to the Hall this (Tuesday) forenoon. See advertisement in another column.

The Republican Committee of Ward One has organized for the present year as follows: Chairman, John H. Locke; Secretary, George W. Green; Treasurer, George W. Pendexter; Executive Committee, Jas. A. Waterhouse, Leonidas F. Rand, Charles A. Shannon.

A large and brilliant company gathered at the residence of Marcellus Eldredge, Esq., Monday evening, to celebrate the tenth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Eldredge. The lady was kept in ignorance of the affair until the last moment, having been inveigled out of the way at the proper time by Mrs. Frank L. Hilton, of the Rockingham, and returned just in time to receive the unexpected but welcome guests. The evening was spent in the heartiest enjoyment by all present, a sumptuous banquet, music, dancing, etc., filling the time up to a late hour.

York Council, Sovereigns of Industry, of Kittery, a few weeks since voted to surrender their charter and disband; and the store conducted by the order was sold. Some of the members, however, wished to preserve the charter, and having secured a sufficient number of members to hold it the Council was last week reorganized, with Mr. John R. Dinsmore as President and Mr. Edwin C. Nealley as Secretary.

An examination of the tug Elsie, of Boston, now lying beached on Three Tree Island, in this harbor, shows that her keel is gone. She will be taken on the marine railway at Kittery for repairs.

Carpenter William T. Laighton is detached from the U. S. S. Wabash, and placed on waiting orders.

Charles W. Gardner, Esq., was the speaker before the Reform Club on Sunday evening. At the close of the meeting nineteen names were added to the list in the pledge-book.

The formal opening of the new room in Exchange Building for the Young People's Social Union connected with the Methodist church, takes place on Wednesday evening, Stephen W. Clarke Esq., principal of the high school, delivering the initial address.

The Kearsarge Flute and Drum Band had a large audience at their entertainment at Newmarket, Saturday evening, notwithstanding the unfavorable weather.

Mr. Henry R. Stoddard was kicked in the face by a horse on Monday, and we are informed was considerably injured. The horse was unshod, fortunately, for had his hoofs been ironed Mr. Stoddard could hardly have escaped with his life.

The spring school of haddock has struck in on this coast. On Sunday 500,000 lbs. were landed in Boston.

In the Supreme Court at Exeter, Saturday, the jury in the horse case of Evans vs. Titcomb, both of East Kingston, which was on trial three days, were unable to agree, after being out all night. They stood eleven for Evans to one for Titcomb. Amount in dispute, $75; cost of the case to the county, about $300; cost to each litigant, not stated.

Political.

Judge Davis expresses openly his astonishment at the democratic attacks upon Judge Bradley. A more upright man, he says, never sat on the bench.

The burst of admiration with which the democratic press greets the independent action of Messrs. Seelye and Pierce shows how thoroughly they appreciate a man who rises above party—provided the man who rises does not belong to their party.

The democratic members of Congress said to the republicans, "You drew the cartridges from our shotguns in the South, and you intimidated our rifle clubs by United States bayonets. By this partisan interference with a free and unanimous expression of democratic opinion you elected your man. Therefore give us one more chance or we will set up a President of our own." This modest request was acceded to, and the Tribunal was created. And now it is undoubtedly the proper thing for the democracy to say to the Tribunal, "Hand over the keys to the White House or we'll pry the doors open with a jimmy." *Tribune.*

"Says the Boston *Post*, "There is a large class of persons in New York that think Joe Coburn is really a martyr because the officers of justice interfered in his notorious surroundings. He hardly possesses one important quality of a martyr—meekness—for he tried the best he knew to make a wholesale assassin of himself, and only desisted when his resources were exhausted. Coburn belongs to what the *Journal of Commerce* calls 'the sacred caste of ruffians,' and before this murderous attack he was walking about with two indictments for violent assault hanging over his head." This Mr. Coburn was sent to the New York penitentiary on a three years' sentence, some time ago, for stabbing a police officer; but his "political services" were valuable to the democrats, and he was released after a few months' confinement.

The democrats lost their greatest chance for fillibustering on the State of Maine. It is said to be a fact that one of the electors was a Postmaster when elected, never resigned, was Postmaster when he exercised the office as an elector, and still holds the Postmastership. Had this point been raised it is very possible that the democrats might have secured the one vote they want to throw the election into the House.

The Chicago *Tribune* denounces Justices Clifford and Field for steadily casting partisan votes, and applauds Justices Miller, Strong and Bradley for looking above party, and "upholding State rights with great moral firmness."

A prominent republican and democrat of Rowley made a wager of a ten-pound goose on the result of the election last November. The day the Commission began to act it was agreed that two pounds per day should be added to the weight of the bird until the result was declared. Anybody having a goose weighing about 100 pounds can find a customer in Rowley.

The *Graphic* doubts if Mr. Tilden will be the available candidate for the democrats in 1880. There are some methods of reform to be explained—the Oregon despatches, the Holland disclosures relative to Cincinnati, the miscellaneous performances of nephew Felton and many other transactions now apparently irreconcilable to the general idea of political honesty.

—The Rochester *Democrat* says: "The sale of Bibles in Chicago is said to be three times as great as it was a year ago. Mr. Moody drew attention to the work and they think it is a new book."

City Ordinances.

CHAPTER 60.

THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH.

In the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

An Ordinance relating to the Portsmouth and Dover Railroad.

Whereas the sum of one hundred thousand dollars is required to pay the debt of the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad and to complete the road, and the Legislature has authorized the issue of the new stock at par to that amount, and empowered the present stockholders to subscribe for and take the same;

Be it ordained by the city councils of Portsmouth;

SECTION 1. That His Honor the Mayor be authorized and instructed to subscribe for four hundred and forty shares in said new stock at one hundred dollars each in the name and behalf of the city of Portsmouth, and that His Honor the Mayor issue to the City Treasurer his warrants to pay for the same.

SECTION 2. For the purpose [of] obtaining money to pay for said stock, His Honor the Mayor is authorized and directed to issue bonds of the city to an amount not exceeding forty-four thousand dollars, payable in twenty years from date, with coupons attached for interest at six per cent per annum, payable semi annually, and to dispose of the same at not less than the par value thereof; said bonds shall be signed by the Mayor and countersigned by the Treasurer and the dates and amounts thereof recorded by the City Clerk, and the coupons shall be verified in such manner as the Mayor shall direct.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall not be in force until the city of Dover shall have determined by proper ordinance to subscribe for its proportion of said new stock; nor until a like proportion shall be subscribed by private individuals to make up the full sum of one hundred thousand dollars.

Passed Dec. 21st, 1876.

JOHN W. DAME,
President Common Council.

JOHN H. BROUGHTON, *Mayor.*

A true copy.

Attest, MARCELLUS BUFFORD,
City Clerk.

CHAPTER 61.

THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH.

In the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six.

An Ordinance relating to the publishing of City Ordinances.

Be it ordained by the City Councils of the City of Portsmouth, as follows:

SECTION 1. All by-laws and ordinances hereafter passed, and all by-laws and ordinances of the City not heretofore published, and all such resolutions and orders as the Mayor and Aldermen may direct, shall be published in the Portsmouth Journal and Daily Morning Chronicle.

SECTION 2. An ordinance entitled an ordinance in amendment of the Second Chapter of the City Ordinances passed March 25th, 1875, is hereby repealed.

Passed January 25, 1877.

JOHN W. DAME,
President of the Common Council.

JOHN H. BROUGHTON, *Mayor.*

A true copy,

Attest, MARCELLUS BUFFORD,
City Clerk.

MARRIED.

HYGUNE—DANIELSON. In this city, Feb. 24, by Rev. L. L. Harmon, Mr. Charles Hygune and Miss Ella Frances Danielson.

WENTWORTH—WILLEY. In this city, by Rev. L. L. Harmon, Mr. Edwin H. Wentworth, of Haverhill, Mass., and Miss Myra E. Willey of Union Village.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Ship Frolic, Bush, from San Francisco, arr at Liverpool, Feb 13.

Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, from Philadelphia, arr at Portland Feb 22.

Ship Jean Ingelow, Tanton, from Manilla for New York spoken Oct 6, lat 9 45 N. long. 11 01 E.

Ship Grandee, Sullaber, from New York for Melbourne, spoken Jan 1, steering South, no lat & c.

HONOR?

A short time before the recent Presidential election, Mr. John W. Young and myself made a bet on the result of said election, Mr. Young betting $100 against $100 that Tilden would be chosen. The money was deposited in the hands of Jeremiah Sanborn, tobacco and cigar dealer on Daniel street. A few days ago Mr. Young, foreseeing the result of the Electoral Commission, came to me and said it was an unfair thing, and wanted to withdraw his money, and declare the bet off. I refused, thinking that he could not get Sanborn to give up the stakes or his (Young's) portion of them he went and got a party to serve a trustee process on Sanborn, which he knew would hold in law over and above the bargain made by the bet, because the betting has not the sanction of law. I wish the public to know of the contemptible trick that they may be on their guard against a man so lost to all sense of honor.

THOMAS MURPHY.

ELECTRO-SILVER PLATING.

PARTIES having KNIVES, FORKS, SPOONS, CASTORS, WATCHES, PISTOLS, or other metal goods, needing replating, can get it done in the best manner at about half the cost of new work, by calling on the Subscriber.

CLOTHES-WRINGERS REPAIRED.

☞ New Rollers put in old wringers, etc.

All Work Warranted!

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Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

— AND —

SMALL PIG HAMS,

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— AND —

DUTCH CHEESE.

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A Safe and Sure Remedy.

The Cough and Lung Syrup

Is the remedy that during the past fifteen years has won for DR. FLAGG an extended reputation as a SPECIALIST for THROAT and LUNG Diseases. After so many years trial it can be truthfully said that it has NEVER FAILED, even in the WORST CASES. It is purely Vegetable, and its effect upon the system is at once Soothing and Tonic.

It Will Cure a Common Cold

In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION,

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectual than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat.

TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

Remember that it

CURES COLDS,
CURES COUGHS,
CURES CATARRH
CURES CONSUMPTION,

DR. WM. M. LADD, 3 ending Druggist of Claremont, writes as follows:

For many years I have known Dr. A. J. Flagg as a success ful practising physician, and can assure the public that his representations relative to the Cough and Lung Syrup can be strictly relied upon. It has been used in his extensive practice with marvellous success, and I know it to be as I that he claims for it.

WM. M. LADD, M. D.

CLAREMONT, N. H., September, 1875.

DR FLAGG: My Dear Sir: Your Cough and Lung Syrup has proved a great benefit to me, giving relief from severe Coughs and Soreness of the Lungs, when all other remedies had proved ineffectual. I have never taken a medicine more pleasant to the taste or more satisfactory in its results.

Prepared only by

DR. A. J. FLAGG & CO.,
Claremont, N. H.

PRICE 50 CENTS. SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS.

Musical Instruction!

MR. S. W. COLE,

(Organist at Middle Street Baptist Church,)

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity, that he is prepared to receive pupils on the Piano Forte and Organ. Having secured a Henry F. Miller Pedal Piano, with Pedal Bass constructed precisely like that of Pipe Organs, rare facilities are offered those who wish to learn Organ playing. Terms $15 for twenty-four lessons of one hour each.

Mr. Cole refers by permission to Dr. E. Tourjee Director of the N. E. Conservatory of Music; Prof. J. W. Tufts, Organist and Director of Music at King's Chapel, and C. H. Morse, Prof. of Music at Wellesley Female College.

Orders left at his residence, No. 91 State Street, or at D. H. Montgomery's Music Store, will receive prompt attention.

Taxes to be Paid.

PERSONS whose Taxes for the years 1875 and 1876 remain unpaid are requested to pay immediately, if they wish to save the expense of my advertising, &c., as I am going to collect.

S. P. TREADWELL, Collector.

PULMOCINE.

A REMEDY FOR HARD TIMES.

On and after January 1, 1877, the Subscriber will sell at the following rates:

FRESH PORK RIBS, 10 cts. per lb.

PORK STEAK, 10 cts. per lb.

PORTSMOUTH SAUSAGES, 10 cts.

" SUGAR-CURED HAMS, 15

Warranted better than any Western

SMOKED SHOULDERS, 12 cts.

OTHER CUT MEATS IN PROPORTION.

HENRY M. CLARK

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Established 1851.

JOHN SISE,

NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE,

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ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY,
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HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE CO.
HARTFORD, CONN., ... Assets $3,200,000

HOME INSURANCE COMPANY,
NEW YORK, ... Assets $6,000,000

FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
PHILADELPHIA, ... Assets $3,300,000.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY,
LIVERPOOL, ENG., ... Assets $18,000,000 (gold.)

PENNSYLVANIA FIRE INS. CO.,
PHILADELPHIA, ... Assets $1,000,000

Business men and owners of Property desiring every security by insurance against loss and damages by fire, will find it for their interest to place their risks in the above companies, some of which have been represented in this vicinity for nearly fifty years.

All losses will be promptly adjusted and paid by the undersigned.

JOHN SISE,

INSURANCE AGENT,

OFFICE NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE.

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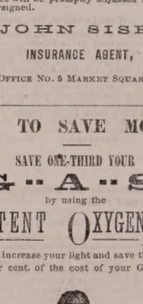

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FERRIS & CO'S SUGAR-CURED HAMS,

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FIFTEEN HUNDRED pounds new Turkey PRUNES, selling for 9 cents per pound at

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25 DOZEN BOTTLES

At Lower Prices Than Ever!

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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Those Cartridges.

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Some weeks ago, while the above personage was carefully manipulating his ladle, a sudden eruption (of a different nature from that caused by dampness, with which metal-makers are familiar) took place in his kettle. From the molten fluid issued a sharp report, accompanied by a splashing of metal, that caused him to vacate his position with great celerity. Conceiving that the liquid was developing a property with which he was totally unacquainted, and that it would be a nut for the Technological Institute to crack, he treasured the matter for future consideration. A few days after, however, as another lot of old type was going the way of its predecessor, a second eruption occurred. This time his agility was taxed to its fullest extent, and stood by him for a bound of about fifteen feet. Regaining his presence of mind, he now courageously resolved upon investigation; and, assuming a sidewise position, cautiously reapproached that treacherous molten sea. Judge of his horror when he descried, floating upon its surface, in the shape of a copper capsule, the key to all this mischief. Then it was that he gave audible expression to his indignation by exclaiming, "Cartridges! infernal cartridges!" He was mad; and his madness acting as a spur to do something desperate, he again seized the ladle, and began a vehement stirring. But the end was not yet. Another little joker concealed in the dross was warming up quite rapidly, and ere many seconds had elapsed, *bang!* it went, sending forth hot lead and sulphurous fumes with a force that even accelerated the rapid exit of our friend from the horrid apartment.

Now, when we consider that he whose duty it is to superintend this metal-making is one who holds his existence as of some consequence in the community,—that he is the head of a happy family, and an odd-fellow in good standing, who carries his wand on great occasions with a dignity becoming his position,—we cannot but sympathize with him in his conclusions that his life is too valuable to be jeopardized by destructive missiles carelessly left in his way. We therefore consent to the publication of the following note, premising that the terrible bombardment through which the writer has passed must be an excuse for the use of what otherwise might be termed strong language.

Sir: In your next issue, please to request the printers of New England not to send any more pistol cartridges in their old type. The type is acceptable, but the cartridges are dangerous. Three times I have had an explosion in my kettle, owing to the carelessness of a type-sticker or a printer's devil. If my existence is again threatened, somebody will be pretty sure to hear from Yours indignantly, JOE.

—Mrs. Fannie Mussman runs a saw-mill in Carroll County, Ark., and a young woman, name not given, has pre-empted a homestead of timber land at Marble Grove, Barron County, Wis. She had a "raising-bee," and conquered the hearts of the male settlers by providing among the refreshments a jug of orthodox whiskey.

—There is a correspondent of the Hartford *Post* who is wrestling with the problem how is it that sirloin steaks from American beef are sold in the London market for *nineteen* cents a pound after paying toll to eleven different sets of men through whose hands it has passed, and yet he has to pay *thirty* cents a pound for the same kind of meat for his table. When he finds out will blet us know?

—The Lewiston *Journal* says that on Thursday evening Rev. Joseph Cook ventured the first allusion that he has made to his personal history. He informed us that he is a bachelor, but he more than hinted in allusion to a beautiful Greek profile which he once encountered, that there was a soft place under his waistcoat, that the audience was left to draw an inference that there was only one other face in the world by which he could have been so moved. Hence we have faith to believe that the modern Plato will not die in his sins.

—Louisville *Courier-Journal*: "Fashions that would speak for themselves: for grass-widows, lawn; for elderly women, moire antique; for democratic belles, anything but rep; for women inclined to baldness, mohair; for women with poodles, muslin; for shippers' wives, alpaca; for the Misses Neverready, delaine; for sailors' wives, serge; for dairy-women, calico; for soldiers' wives, bombazine; for debtors' wives, ticking; for women with profane husbands, kersey; for careless servants, crash; for Mrs. Sitting Bull, whoop skirts."

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 28, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,
GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting the Votes.

In the House, Monday, after the convention had attended the counting of the vote of Pennsylvania, and the houses had separated to consider the objections to one of the Rhode Island electors, (Mr. Slater,) Poppleton of Ohio popped up with a motion to take a recess to 10 o'clock Tuesday, but was voted down, 178 to 83. Wood of New York moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to take a recess, and to lay the motion on the table, which was agreed to, 182 to 67. After the debate, the House without a division agreed that the vote of Mr. Slater should be counted. Proctor Knott then introduced a dilatory motion, but was ruled out by the Speaker. The Senate was then notified that the House was ready to meet in convention to continue the count.

In the Senate, after a few brief remarks, a resolution that the vote of Mr. Slater should be counted was unanimously agreed to.

Both houses having acted on the Rhode Island case, the convention again met and the vote of that State was counted for Hayes and Wheeler. The next certificate opened was that of South Carolina, giving its vote for Hayes, followed by the bogus certificate of the Tilden electors; objection being made to each the convention rose, and the papers in the case were certified to the Commission.

The Commission assembled at 6:30 P. M., and received the papers, and then adjourned to 10 o'clock A. M., Tuesday.

Stray Notes.

NEW YORK, Feb. 26.

Mr. Tilden will never be a Presidential nominee again. His late campaign has made him *aliunde*.

Should Senator Sherman take the Secretaryship of the Treasury the silver men will rejoice. He is most eminently qualified for the position.

If the democratic seven, who voted in the Electoral Commission against giving HAYES and WHEELER the three votes of Oregon, are not partisans in the extremest sense of the term, why did they not vote with the other eight, knowing that HAYES and WHEELER had an undisputed majority of 1200 in the State?

Advices to republicans here from New Hampshire predict a rousing majority for BEN. PRESCOTT for Governor, and the choice of a unanimous republican delegation to Congress.

Hon. WILLIAM E. CHANDLER is mentioned as a possible Cabinet officer. His most inveterate opponent will not question his capacity and ability to fill the place with credit to himself and the Nation.

Among the probabilities of the coming Summer is a Black Hills excitement rivalling that of California in 1849.

New York yesterday experienced the heaviest gale of the Winter.

It is reported that Senator AARON H. CRAGIN has been offered the Presidency of a new company owning a valuable patent steam motor for the propulsion of horse cars. It has no similarity to the "Keely motor."

Mardi Gras is set for April 4th, and a grand turn-out is expected.

The raid of the office-seekers on Washington is in full blast. President GRANT most willingly lays down the cares of office which President HAYES seems as willing to assume. The moral of it is that "satisfaction seldom satisfies."

The Southern men of to-day who seem to be "peers" and not "vassals" are Chamberlain, Ben. Hill, Kellogg, Madison Wells, Lamar and John Young Brown.

The individual who wins the most renown as an advocate before the Electoral Commission is STANLEY MATTHEWS of Cincinnati. Mr. Evarts' reputation had already been made. Mr. Matthews has leaped into the front rank of advocates.

With or without three republican representatives of New Hampshire, the republicans hope to control the organization of the next House of Representatives, although the democracy will have one majority on the Clerk's roll.

The politicians of the South seem to want home rule, good offices and liberal public expenditures, caring more for these than for the triumph of the democracy which encouraged them to rebel in 1861 and left them to bear the consequences.

Mr. Tilden seems to be at the bottom of the attempts to prevent the declaration of the Electoral vote, while Gov. Hendricks as firmly advocates thus far a rigid adherence to the agreement on which the Electoral Commission was formed.

News and Notes.

J. P. Hassler, late cashier of the Carlisle (Pa.) Deposit Bank, hanged himself on Monday. He was a defaulter since October. On Monday the bank officers instituted criminal proceedings, and Hassler was unable to secure bail. He was found hanging from the same rafter on which the cashier preceding him, William M. Bertram, hanged himself in 1865.

On Thursday night last, in Thomasville, N. C., while William Thomas and a Miss Forney were before the altar to be married, the bride dropped dead before the ceremony was concluded.

Two workman were killed, four fatally injured and a seventh seriously hurt, Monday, by the fall of a scaffolding at the iron furnace at Bethlehem, Pa.

The French steamer Amerique was moved higher on the beach by the recent storm, and the heavy seas tore away her rudder and rudder post. Otherwise she is uninjured. Her crew were landed safely. She lies broadside on now, but her captain has not left her, and has great hopes yet of getting her afloat.

The whaling steamer Spitzbergen, belonging to Dundee, was lost near Bergen. All hands (twenty-two) perished.

Gen. Diaz has been elected President of Mexico, and Ignatio Vallarte Chief Justice. Diaz intends issuing a manifesto calling on Liberals of all shades to support him.

Rev. C. Thorpe, D. D., rector of Bury, Province of Quebec, has eloped with a lady member of his congregation. He left a wife and two children behind. It is said that Thorpe had been administering to his wife a medicine that contained slow poison.

General McArthur, Postmaster of Chicago, is said to be a defaulter to the tune of $38,000. He has gone into voluntary bankruptcy, and his bondsmen are also said to be bankrupt.

Senator Thurman on Monday resigned his position on the Electoral Commission on account of ill health, and Mr. Kernan was unanimously chosen by the Senate to take his place.

Governor Hayes has received for valentines a large number of drawings of knives, pistols and other deadly weapons. Last week the mail brought him a knife about two feet long, one edge hacked like a saw, probably for sawing the bones, the other side for cutting the flesh. This was wrapped in several thicknesses of paper, and inside was a note, saying, "This is the knife with which the editor of the *Capital* was to assassinate you, as you went from the White House to the Capitol. It was taken from his pants' leg while he was asleep."

The Anglo-American Cable Company gives notice that on the first of March the tariff will be reduced to one shilling sterling per word for transatlantic messages. The failure of the company to secure control of the Direct Cable and thereby re-establish the old monopoly, and the grant by the United States government to the Baltimore line of a charter containing provisos that there shall never be any amalgamation with any other line and that the tariff shall never exceed one shilling per word, probably account for this action of the Anglo-American Company.

A Providence *Journal* reporter, who was sent to report the proceedings at the annual meeting of a charitable society in that city, says he found he was the only man present, as the society is composed exclusively of ladies. The ladies looked askance at the male intruder, sang "Return ye ransomed sinners home," and finally asked him to go out, which of course he did, after making arrangements with one of the officers of the meeting for a report of the proceedings. As the reporter stepped through the door the audience struck up a hymn commencing "Believing we rejoice to see the curse removed.

The naval necrology for the past year is as follows: 8 rear-admirals, 2 commodores, 3 captains, 4 commanders, 1 lieutenant-commander, 1 lieutenant, 1 midshipman, 3 cadet midshipmen, 2 medical directors, 3 pay directors, 1 assistant paymaster, 1 past assistant engineer, 3 boatswains and 2 captains in the marine corps. During 1876 there were 50 resignations in the navy and 15 dismissals, the latter ranking as follows: 1 lieutenant-commander, 1 ensign, 1 pay inspector, 9 cadet midshipmen, 1 assistant engineer, 1 boatswain and 1 acting boatswain.

Death has removed an aggravating thorn from Brigham Young's side. Amasa M. Lyman, one of the apostles and founder of the Mormon settlement in San Bernardino, in South California, is dead. He differed vastly from Young in religious views, and the Prophet did his utmost to crush him and destroy his influence with the Mormons. It was to the deceased that the country is indebted for the particulars of the Mountain Meadow massacre.

The Montana Legislature has changed the name of the Little Big Horn River to Custer River, in memory of the brave cavalry leader who met his death on its banks.

Political.

The most jubilant men about town last night over the Oregon news were Tammany hall democrats. There was general rejoicing, hand-shaking and "What will ye drink, boys?" And on every hand was heard, "Well, we have got rid of the old fraud at last." Indeed, there was more hearty rejoicing on the part of democrats than among republicans.—*N. Y. Com. Adv.*

When ex-Gov. Isham G. Harris of Tennessee was elected to the United States Senate, Mr. H. V. Redfield suggested that the report that he had become a citizen of Mexico offered an opportunity for an investigation. And now Mr. Phocion Howard of Springfield, Ill., comes forward and says the rumor is true. He adds, in a letter to the Chicago *Tribune*: "As one of the discharged officers of the late rebellion, I, too, sought employment in Mexico, only I espoused the cause of Liberalism and was enrolled among the followers of Juarez. I remember to have seen in Senor Romero's office at Washington, 1865, a list of ex-Confederates who had taken an oath to the Empire under Maximillian, and Isham G. Harris's name was close on the list to that of the late Sterling Price's of Missouri."

New Hampshire Items.

Edward Ford, of Orford, was seriously injured between Thetford and Hanover on Monday afternoon, being struck on the back of the head by a railroad bridge while walking on the top of the cars. Mr. Ford is a son-in-law of W. P. Gould, President of the Bradford, Vt., Savings Bank, and was a Representative in the last Legislature.

The second trial of La Page, the murderer of Josie Langmaid, commenced on Monday.

The funeral services of Mrs. Frank Haley, wife of the pastor of the Seabrook and Hampton Falls Congregational Church, took place Monday. After prayer at the parsonage the remains were taken to the church, where selections of Scripture were read by Rev. Mr. Burgess, pastor of the Baptist Church at Hampton Falls, the choir sang a hymn, and Rev. T. V. Haines, of the North Hampton Congregational Church, offered prayer. After the singing by the choir of the hymn "Home at last," Rev. George Spaulding of Dover delivered a just tribute to the worth of the deceased, in an eloquent address. At the close of the services the body was laid in the parsonage lot in the church cemetery.

Public Opinion.

The assurance of the certainty of a thing is always established by public opinion. The truth of this may be seen in the rapidly increasing reputation of Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup, as a sure remedial for all diseases pertaining to the Throat and Lungs. In the town of Claremont, N. H., where is located Dr. Flagg's Manufactory, there has been sold within the last fifteen months, 1400 bottles of this invaluable Syrup. Sold by all Druggists.

The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., exhibits the secret of its great popularity and success by wisely maintaining its old standard of excellence since its reduction of rates.

Important to persons visiting New York or the Centennial. The Grand Union Hotel, New York, opposite the Grand Central Depot, has over 350 elegantly furnished rooms. Elevator, steam and all improvements. European plan. Carriage hire is saved, as baggage is taken to and from the depot free. Guests can live better for less money at the Grand Union than at any other first-class hotel. Stages and cars pass the Hotel constantly to all parts of the city, and to the Philadelphia depot.
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WARD ONE.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Elm Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councilor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot three persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
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Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

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In 10 Minutes once a Day.

Doubles the Strength in three months. Does not Fatigue nor Exhaust. Refreshes and Invigorates. Removes Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Tones the Nervous System. Improves the Circulation. Warms the Extremities. Increases the general Vitality.

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ROOMS 1 & 2 BADGER'S BLOCK,

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A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in the subject of Physical Culture.

Choice Flower and Garden Seeds,

STRAWBERRIES, PEACHES,

ETC., ETC., ETC.

New Sorts, by Mail,

PLANTS of the newest and finest improved sorts, carefully packed and prepaid by mail. My collection of Strawberries took the first premium for the best Collection, at the great show in the Mass. Horticultural Society, in Boston. I grow over 100 varieties, the most complete collection in the country, including all the new, large American and imported kinds. Priced descriptive Catalogues, gratis, by mail. Also, Bulbs, Fruit Trees, Roses, Evergreens, Choice Flower, Garden, Tree, Evergreen, Herb, or Fruit Seeds in packets of either 50 cts., $1.00, by mail.

C. C. The True Cape Cod Cranberry, best sort for Upland, Lowland, or Garden, by mail prepaid. $1.00 per 100, $5.00 per 1,000. Wholesale Catalogue to the Trade. Agents Wanted.

C. C.

B. M. WATSON,

Old Colony Nurseries and Seed Warehouse,

Established 1842. PLYMOUTH, MASS.

An Old-Time Rampus.

On Monday, in the House, Mr. Hewitt took advantage of Mr. Hoar's absence to attack that gentleman and the Electoral Commission. The democrats crowded about Hewitt's seat, and when he said that although the democrats had been cheated, deceived and defrauded they must abide by the decision of their pet Tribunal, he was met with shouts of "Coward," "That is cowardice," and other words which could not be heard for the confusion which prevailed. Cate, of Wisconsin, stood in front of Hewitt, shaking his fist at him, and shouting that his advice was that of a coward. Great excitement ensued, and for a minute it looked as though there was to be a democratic fight. Hewitt announced that in case a war actually did come he would lead a democratic army, and cries of "Lead us now," "Now is the time," etc., were made. The scene was a striking reminder of the days of '61. When Cate said it would be cowardice for the democrats to submit to the decision of the Tribunal, Mr. Yeates of North Carolina forced his way through the circle, and with flushed face and excited manner exclaimed, addressing himself to Mr. Cate and the democrats who were opposing acquiescence: "Those who denounce us now as cowards, when the pinch came fifteen years ago, turned against us". This sharp reminder that the Southern ex-rebels place no faith in the protestations of the Northern dough-faces, was one cause of the confusion and uproar which followed.

TAKE NOTICE.

N. F. Mathes & Co.

Announce to the Public, that they

Will now Retail

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS

FOR CASH AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Also, everything kept in a first class grocery store now selling at a great reduction from former prices, such as

Pure CANDIES	20 cts.	℔ lb.
Granulated SUGAR	12¼	"
A Coffee "	11¼	"
B " "	11	"
Brown "	10	"
Fine Breakfast TEA	32	"
" Oolong "	40	"
Extra " "	50	"
" Fomosa "	65	"
Japan "	23	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	12¼	"
Northern Smoked HAMS	12	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35	"
" " Elo "	30	"
" Green Java "	28	"
" " Elo "	25	"
CURRANTS	8	"
Box RAISINS	12	"
Best Double Crown New Loose Muscatel RAISINS	12	"
New Valencia "	10	"
New Turkey PRUNES	8	"
New FIGS	15	"
Good Bar SOAP	6, 8, 10	"
Whole Dried PEAS	8 cts.	℔ qt.
Split "	8	"
WALNUTS	4 and 6	"
Good BROOMS	17 cts. each.	

FANCY CRACKERS of all kinds at lowest prices

And also everything kept in our line, at the very lowest prices for CASH! All goods sold by us will be as represented; Please call and examine. Goods sent to any part of the city free of charge. Remember the old stand.

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FIGS! FIGS! FIGS!

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ORANGES! TAMARINDS!

CREAM TABLETS! GINGER,

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We have just received a new lot of NICKERSON'S

Excelsior Black Oil Clothing.

They are very soft, durable, and perfectly water-tight.

We have also EAGER'S

Best Yellow Oil Clothing,

The reputation of which, as a first-rate article, has been fully established in this vicinity.

NIPPERS, WHITE MITTENS, SOCKS, JUMPERS, MATTRESSES, QUILTS,

In fact, everything necessary to make a person warm and comfortable.

These Goods have all been bought recently, at the lowest market rates, and will be sold for cash at a small margin from cost.

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Particular attention paid to the making of

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Constantly on hand, consisting of

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Of Every Description.

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Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*

All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

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Keeps on hand a good assortment of seasonable goods for Gentlemen's wear, which will be made up in the latest style, or as ordered.

CLOTHES WILL ALSO BE

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Prescriptions compounded with all possible care, and of the purest materials.

The special attention of the Medical Faculty is directed to the Elixirs and other non-official pharmaceutical preparations manufactured on the premises, which the Proprietor guarantees of full strength, and equal in point of manufacture to any in the market.

An inspection of the above respectfully solicited

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For fluting pillow-shams, cambric dresses, skirts, aprons, and all garments trimmed with ruffles; also making fluting of woolen goods for dress-trimmings. This fluter is pronounced by competent judges to be the simplest and most desirable; safe to use in regard to heat, and no fear of cutting the material.

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Amusements.

REFORM CLUB FAIR

The Ladies of the Temperance Reform Club have completed arrangements for a grand Fair to be held

AT FRANKLIN HALL,

ON THE

27th and 28th of February and 1st of March.

Neither time or labor has been spared in endeavoring to make this a success. Especial attention is invited to the fact that a hot supper may be obtained on each evening of the fair for 25 cents. Each purchaser will be furnished with a cup of the celebrated centennial coffee.

Grand matinee for children Wednesday afternoon. Admission 5 cents. General Admission for adults, 15 cents.

The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. Harlow's Band has been engaged for the last night of the Fair, when the tickets will be 25 cents.

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HOUSE No. 38 ISLINGTON STREET.
Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

MERCER GOODRICH

Has an Extensive Stock of

SCHOOL BOOKS,
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I shall open next month a complete line of ROOM PAPERS, CURTAINS, BORDERS, TASSELS, &c., &c.

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Lard and Sperm Oil,

FOR SALE BY

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 5.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		6.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.20 " 6.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.50 "	
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

At the Reform Club Fair this evening, a very attractive stage performance will be given. The programme begins with an Old Folks' Concert, after which the Empire Glee Club will produce for the first time in this city "Old Joe Skimmerhorn, or Plantation Life in Old Virginia." The Fogerty Musketeers will also parade and execute some of their astonishing evolutions.

Fishing schooner Winnie Weston, of Portland, ran into the stone beacon in going out of the harbor, Tuesday morning, breaking her bowsprit short off at the bow and causing the vessel to leak. She caught her heel on the shoal before striking the beacon, and the tide swung her against it. She hauled in to Tredick's wharf to repair damages, as soon as she floated.

The Boston *Post* of Tuesday had an editorial on the New Hampshire election, principally noticeable for the absence of that exuberantly confident style in which the *Post* has always hitherto referred to the democratic prospects in coming elections. It urges the democrats not to "lie down under" their discouragement, but to make a good fight. It is particularly anxious about Congressman Jones and Capt. Marcy. Of the latter it says: "Daniel Marcy, the old shipping merchant of Portsmouth, is an excellent type of New Hampshire's best men. He is the embodiment of honest purpose, successful enterprise, strong will, and ingrained democracy." No one in this city will dispute the "strong will and ingrained democracy"—democracy of the most ancient and ultra-Bourbon pattern.

Mr. George Batchelder has resigned the position of Superintendent of the Eastern Railroad, to take effect March 1st.

The wonderful fish weighing a ton and having a mouth three feet across and filled with three rows of teeth, which was caught off the Shoals some weeks ago and exhibited in Manchester and other inland places as an unknown sea monster, turns out to be a ground shark, of the kind known to fishermen as the nurse-fish. It is not at all rare, being not unfrequently captured by fishermen, who save the liver and let the worthless carcass go; as much as three or four barrels of liver being sometimes taken from one fish. It is very "logy," and if hooked on a trawl will follow the slender line quietly to the surface, though its great weight and strength make it an ugly customer when it once settles down to business.

Reports from all over the State indicate that the democrats are on a "still-hunt," seeking to trade off democratic votes on the governor question for republican votes for Congressmen. That these efforts will be attended with any marked degree of success we do not believe, for the republicans know as well as the democrats do that Hon. Daniel Marcy stands a little better chance of being struck by lightning on the 13th of March than of being elected Governor on that day, so there is no possible advantage to be gained by them in any such "trade;" and they are also fully alive to the importance of having New Hampshire represented in the next Congress by three republican representatives. The democrats of this Congressional district will not be able to buy in Hon. Frank Jones by selling out Hon. Daniel Marcy. The Concord correspondent of the Boston *Journal* says: "Marcy and Frank Jones have joined hands in the hope of re-electing the latter to Congress. Marcy gives $10,000 for campaign purposes, but with the understanding that at least one-half of it shall be expended in the 1st District. Jones is arranging to put out large sums of money in the close towns of his district, and although very wealthy himself, he will have additional aid from the democratic lobby at Washington."

THE HEALTH-LIFT.

Some people who read this may not know exactly what the "Health Lift" is; and we are of that number. All we know of it is that it is a gymnastic cure for dyspepsia, indigestion and their innumerable attendant complaints, and that it is spoken of in the highest terms by those who have tested its efficacy. This invention is not intended or adapted solely for men, but even more for women. We believe the class of people who suffer the most for want of *proper exercise* in our towns and cities are ladies, particularly invalids and those who are in poor health from some chronic complaint, like dyspepsia, disease peculiar to the sex, or convalescent. We know many forms of exercise which men can easily secure, are not open to women; but the Health-Lift, which is well patronized by gentlemen, is claimed to be just the thing for ladies.

The Health Lift Co. have established a branch agency in this city, in Badger's Block on Daniel street, where they have fitted up two rooms for the convenience of ladies and gentlemen, and where the agent will be pleased to wait upon all who may desire to test the value of this new curative power. We hope the ladies of Portsmouth will avail themselves of the privilege of visiting the agency here, which can be done free of charge, and examine into the merits of this system of cumulative exercise. Mrs. Mary Mapes Dodge, editor of *St. Nicholas* magazine, says of the Health Lift, she having tried its virtues, "It is enough to be able to thank it for renewed health and strength, and the blessings in their train. It takes *ten minutes* a day, and gives in return, I verily believe, *added years* of life and happiness." Miss Ida F. Sweetser, of the Brooklyn *Argus*, and leading soprano in Dr. Cuyler's church, finding herself restored to health by the use of this agency, says: "Whatever treatment of chronic disease and weakness may be good for others, of this one thing I feel sure, that nothing ever before devised can, for one moment, compare with the Health-Lift for *woman*."

See the advertisement in another column.

AN OPEN LETTER.

PORTSMOUTH, Feb. 27.

It is reported that the Member of Congress from this District is absent from Washington, and is at home attending to his District; in other words, he is at home to lay plans and make combinations to induce his election, and to multiply complications to defeat his opponent. Is this exactly the time for a Member of Congress to be absent? Is there not an emergency in public affairs which absorbs the attention of the whole people? a condition of things that causes a deep feeling of solicitude? Does it indicate the highest order of patriotism and a high sense of duty, for a Member of Congress to be at home closeted with politicians to conserve his own interests, while the gravest public responsibilities are ignored and neglected? Is this man fearful of his record at Washington? Does he remain at home to avoid a record! Is he in sentiment with Thompson of Massachusetts and with those who are doing all in their power to keep in peril and in doubt the Constitution of the Republic? Or is he not?

If not, why not make a record fit and becoming an intelligent and patriotic constituency? Does it comport with the highest perception of public duty to dodge the great issue at Washington, when men of all parties demand an immediate solution of the great question?

Mr. Jones, your constituents are watching your movements with a scrutiny that you do not comprehend; you may deceive *yourself*—you cannot deceive *them*. The business men of this State and of the country will mark every delinquent; they will hereafter promptly and decisively depose from public position all officials who neglect or trifle with questions that concern the people. Party ties are strong, yet there is a limit to their tension; there is a point where and when human or party endurance ceases to be a virtue. If you are capable of appreciating the *will* of the people, then resume your seat at Washington and offer your co-operation to your Southern associates who are illustrating their good sense and their patriotism by withstanding the machinations of the Great Conspirator of Gramercy Park. The people of this District are well qualified to take care of their political affairs, and your welfare as a public man will be best conserved by a deep and earnest devotion to the public interests.

PLAIN TALK.

A CHILDREN'S HOME.

Through the efforts of Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, rector of St. John's church, a Children's Home has just been opened in this city on Mt. Vernon street, under most favorable auspices and support, its object being for the reception of homeless children under twelve years of age, without distinction of creed or color, of the following classes: Motherless children whose fathers, especially seafaring men, are obliged to be away from home, and who have no proper person to care for their children during absence; children of poor parents who are obliged by long-continued sickness to neglect their families; those rendered temporarily homeless by fire or other accidents; those whose homes have been broken up by the intemperance or desertion of father or mother, the remaining parent paying according to ability a certain sum at regular periods; and children left orphans or abandoned, whose friends or relatives bring them temporarily to this institution while finding a proper home for them elsewhere.

It is proposed to speedily establish a Day Nursery in connection with the Home, where small children will be left during the day while their parents are at work. Children old enough are to be sent to school, and, when desired, will be allowed to attend such places of religious worship as parents or guardians may select. Those placed at the Home are not surrendered to the institution, but held subject to the request of their parents or authorized relatives, while those who accept its advantages are, if able, expected to pay a small sum toward the support of their little ones. The institution will, however, be mainly sustained by charity, the donations for which are already encouraging.

The following officers have been chosen: Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, President; Miss Susan E. Christie, Secretary; Miss Alice Pierrepont, Treasurer; Miss Lizzie Hannaford, Matron; Dr. S. C. Whittier, Visiting Physician; Hon. Albert R. Hatch, Hon. Daniel Marcy, T. Salter Tredick, Commodore Charles W. Pickering, Advisory Council; Mrs. Major Hooper, Mrs. C. W. Pickering, Miss E. H. Pearson, Miss Julia V. Whipple, Mrs. T. Salter Tredick, Mrs. John Harrat, Board of Managers.—*Times.*

YORK.

YORK, Me., Feb. 21.

Pursuant to previous notice, the Ladies' Circle of the First Christian church of York gave an antiquarian supper, at the Sea Cottage, last evening. About three hundred people were present, but the tables were equal to the emergency—only more so. The fragments would feed much people! The whole was a brilliant affair and a perfect success. Our brass band (for the want of a name we write it "Our," as being in its infancy it has no name,) made its *debut* on that evening, furnishing music for the occasion, and to say that the boys did well would be drawing it mild. The crowd was surprised in two ways—surprised to see the band there, and more surprised to hear such fine music for the first time from a band of "Old York Boys." Much credit is due the boys, and they will doubtless receive the hearty co-operation of every patriotic citizen who likes to know that old York isn't dead yet.

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A Pretty Kettle of Fish.

A despatch from Halifax says the question of precedence having arisen between certain Queen's Counsel, an affidavit was read in the Supreme Court, Saturday, setting forth that the seal attached to the Commission of the Queen's Counsel, appointed by the Government, was not the great seal of the province, but the old seal which had been ordered returned by the Imperial Government in 1869. The Premier of the local Government admitted the Government had been using the old seal. The Court expressed astonishment at such contempt for Her Majesty's authorized and expressed opinion, and said that all acts requiring the great seal, done since 1869, were totally void. This state of affairs leaves Nova Scotia without a Parliament and without a Government, with all the grants of marriage licences, and consequently marriages, and all commissions since 1869, totally void. The greatest excitement prevails in consequence. The Chief Justice, after intimating that it would require Imperial legislation to rectify the matter, adjourned the Court ten days for full inquiry.

HONOR?

A short time before the recent Presidential election, Mr. John W. Young and myself made a bet on the result of said election, Mr. Young betting $100 against $100 that Tilden would be chosen. The money was deposited in the hands of Jeremiah Sanborn, tobacco and cigar dealer on Daniel street. A few days ago Mr. Young, foreseeing the result of the Electoral Commission, came to me and said it was an unfair thing, and wanted to withdraw his money, and declare the bet off. I refused. Finding that he could not get Sanborn to give up the stakes or his (Young's) portion of them he went and got a party to serve a trustee process on Sanborn, which he knew would hold in law over and above the bargain made by the bet, because the betting has not the sanction of law. I wish the public to know of the contemptible trick that they may be on their guard against a man so lost to all sense of honor.

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The public of Marblehead were from the first, as below stated, on the side of their much respected townsman; his crew were an unruly and dissolute set, much more likely to have prevented their captain from going on an errand of mercy than he was to have hindered them, and the form of government on a Marblehead fishing smack was then a pretty unlimited democracy.

A recent correspondent of the *Evening Post*, writing from Marblehead, gives a version of the legend of Flood Ireson so wildly at variance with all the most trustworthy testimony, that the writer of the following lines, an old Salem boy, long acquainted with people who were living when and where the famous "ride" took place, feels himself constrained, even at this late day, and especially in this era of vindication, to help rescue the memory of the worthy old skipper from the calumny which has been heaped upon it.

The brave women of old Murdlehead or Mobblehead have had a bad eminence assigned them in this matter which is not their due. A few old fish-wives may have thrown their feather beds out of the window, but as to the story of the men's giving their victim over to the tender mercies of the women, and of their punching him with "marline spikes" to make him sing the rhymed history of his own disgrace—to me who have been familiar with the tradition of the occurrence from childhood (having been born only five years after) and who have often talked since with older Marblehead people on the subject, this ornamentation of the story is utterly new and seems clearly a sailor's yarn.

But the mere question of accuracy as to details, even though the fame of "the women of Marblehead" were involved in it, is far less important than that of the alleged object of their holy indignation.

I asked a Marblehead man the other day, "When did the tide begin to turn in favor of Flood Ireson?" He answered, the moment the first outbreak had spent itself, or rather so soon as the great body of sober citizens heard of what was going on. Another told me that when one who had been a cabin boy on board Ireson's schooner grew to manhood and no longer stood in fear of the crew, he confirmed the skipper's story and exonerated him from all blame, laying it where it belonged.

At all events, the people of Marblehead have been for years entirely satisfied that Ireson suffered unjustly, and very indignant that their ancestors and ancestresses should be eulogized in the glowing strains of poesy for what was only the momentary ebulition of the rage of a parcel of wharf boys, for whom to have been carted and tipped into a cold bath would have been a wholesome treatment.

As an illustration of the intensity of conviction and feeling in Marblehead on the subject to this day, it may be mentioned that a year or two ago a stranger lecturing there, began by recognizing the happy auspices under which she spoke, namely, to the descendants of those brave women, who so famously chastised Ireson's inhumanity. At this point she was interrupted by a volley (if one may say so), of hisses. "I am afraid," said she, looking timidly around, "I have offended some one." "You have insulted," cried a voice, "the whole people of Marblehead."

John Chadwick, a native of Marblehead, in his charming paper on the old town in the July number of *Harper's Magazine* for 1874, says, "It was in the night that the wreck was discovered. In the darkness and the heavy sea, it was impossible to give assistance. When the skipper went below he ordered the watch to lie by the wreck till *morning*, but the watch willfully disobeyed, and afterward, to shield themselves, laid all the blame upon the skipper. I asked one

of the skipper's contemporaries what the effect was on the skipper. "Cowed him to death," said he; "cowed him to death."

Ireson died only about twenty years ago. For many years the old man used to push round a handcart through the streets, selling the fish he had caught from his dory.

C. T. B., *in Salem Gazette.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, MARCH 1, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

GRANVILLE P. CONN,

OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,

GILMAN MARSTON,

OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,

JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting the Votes.

On Tuesday, Montgomery Blair and Judge Black argued the South Carolina case for the democrats, before the Commission. The republicans waived their right to argue, and the Commission went into secret session at 1:45 P. M. At seven o'clock a vote was taken, and resulted in counting the vote of South Carolina for Hayes by a vote of eight to seven.

Mr. Morton offered a resolution of thanks to the presiding Judge, Clifford, which was adopted. A resolution offered by Mr. Strong was adopted authorizing the members of the Commission to file the remarks made by them during the consultations of the Commission, and have the same published with the proceedings of the Commission. A resolution removing the injunction of secresy was adopted.

The Commission adjourned to Friday, March 2d, unless sooner called together.

On Wednesday, at 12:15, the Commission's decision in the South Carolina case was read. Objection was made by Phillips of Missouri, who sent up a printed volume of reports to be read as part of his objections; Mr. Ferry refused to receive it, and the houses separated.

In the Senate, after discussion, a motion to hear evidence was voted down, 43 to 18; Bogy of Missouri introduced the same resolution in another shape, and was voted down, 21 to 4. The vote to sustain the finding of the Commission was taken at 3:10.

In the House, after the Senate withdrew, Springer of Ohio moved a recess; voted down, 170 to 92. A motion was made to take a recess till evening, but was ruled out of order by the Speaker. An appeal from this ruling wes taken, and Fernando Wood (no less!) insisted that the appeal should not be allowed, as it was a dilatory motion. The anarchists attempted to filibuster, John Young Brown, Wood and other democratic leaders fighting them at all points, and Randall ruling in such a manner as to demoralize them. Abbott, Hunton and Payne, democratic members of the Commission, voted with the anarchists every time.

The filibusters succeeded in preventing the commencement of discussion until three o'clock, which would make it at least six o'clock before the convention would reassemble.

Democratic Partisanship.

Democratic devotion to party was never more strongly shown than in the vote of the Electoral Commission on the South Carolina case. In face of the fact that a partisan committee of the House, having so extreme a partisan democrat as Sayler for its chairman, and sent to South Carolina expressly to make a report that the State had gone for Tilden, was compelled to report that even after counting for Tilden all the fraudulent votes thrown by the democrats in Hamburg and other counties, the Hayes electors still had a clear majority of about 1300,—in face of this, and in spite of their oaths, the "impartial" and "judicial" democrats on the Commission voted solid to give the vote of that State to Tilden! No wonder the democratic fuglers howl about the "disgraceful partisanship of the Electoral Commission."

England's Trade.

The loss of trade to Great Britain has of late given much uneasiness to the manufacturers in that country, who dread a calamity, without in the least knowing how to avert it. The amounts of exports and imports in the month of January in six years, including 1877, show serious changes as follows:

	Imports.	Exports.
January, 1872	£30,590,791	£20,298,547
1873	27,397,673	18,879,980
1874	31,274,404	19,472,567
1875	32,375,675	16,986,760
1876	30,673,747	16,654,512
1876	32,897,380	15,946,080

They are beginning, in England, to ask one another whether the principle of free trade is quite the blessing they have been led to suppose it. As ours readers know, the course of this country's foreign trade is exactly the reverse of the above statement; that exports have been steadily increasing, while the imports have fallen off.

A Plucky Policeman.

On Monday evening, Feb. 26, John S. Kennedy was garroted and robbed of $41, by three men, in the Bunker Hill District of Boston. From his description of his assailants the police identified one of them as a noted thief named James Courtney, just out of jail, and another as John Donovan. On Tuesday evening two officers, Carr and Freeman, went to a thieves' resort and found the two men they wanted, and each seized one, Courtney surrendering at once to officer Carr. Donovan, however, with his wife and four grown daughters, attacked officer Freeman, the "Savannah Boy" and "Chicken Rice," two noted roughs, and six other men, also joining in the attempt to prevent the arrest; and Courtney, taking courage from the attack on Freeman, gave officer Carr so much to do that he could render no help to his brother officer. Freeman, after a long struggle in which his coat and shirt were torn to rags, and his head, body and arms badly bruised, drew his revolver and shot "Chicken Rice" in the bowels, inflicting a dangerous wound. The roughs and abandoned women drew off for a moment as Rice fell, and on renewing the attack seemed to take less interest in it than before; and the two prisoners were taken to the lockup by their captors. Returning with a wagon and more officers, Freeman took Rice to the City Hospital, where it is feared that unless inflammation sets into the wound he will recover. Officer Freeman is counted one of the bravest and coolest members of the Boston police; and he is the same man who shot Ed McSweeney in Finnegan's saloon on Water street, Boston, in August, 1875, when McSweeney and two other armed roughs attacked him,—for which job McSweeney was sent to the House of Correction for eighteen months, after he got out of the Hospital. We should say Mr. Freeman was an invaluable police officer.

News and Notes.

Vanderbilt's will is to be contested in the courts, objections to its filing having been made by four of the heirs.

John Murphy was arrested Tuesday at Lowell on a charge of wrecking a train on the Boston and Lowell Railroad, in Billerica, last Wednesday night. He strenuously denies his guilt. He was held to bail in $10,000, to appear March 10.

The Lawrence *American* advises the Boston & Maine Railroad to get the present trains to running on something near schedule time before attempting to restore all the left-off trains. The cost of the strike to the railroad is significantly illustrated in the fall of the stock from $100 to $94; there are 70,000 shares of this stock, showing a market depreciation of $420,000 from the effects of the strike, and the stock is likely to go lower before the end of three months. Three members of the Brotherhood of Engineers were brought before the court at Portland, Feb. 27th, on a charge of obstructing the mails by interfering with the running of trains; but two of them were discharged, the government admitting that there was no evidence against them; and the third was released on reduced bail, and it is not likely the case will again be brought up.

The new and uncompleted Roman Catholic church at Biddeford was sold under the hammer, Feb. 27th, and bought by the building creditor for about $13,000. It has already cost over $40,000. The York County Savings Bank has a claim for $10,000 on the building.

Turkey, Servia and Montenegro have signed a treaty of peace, and Russia has ordered the demobilization of her armies. That was the report on Wednesday.

Adelina Patti-Caux denies that she eloped with the tenor Nicolini.

Edward Rice, alias "Chicken Rice," shot by a Boston policeman on Tuesday night while attempting to rescue a thief from arrest, died on Wednesday.

The ship Elizabeth Gondey, of Yarmouth, N. S., Captain Ferry, sailed from San Francisco, August 28th, for Antwerp, and on the 6th of October went ashore on Elizabeth Island, in the Pacific. To ease her the masts were cut away, but a heavy sea was running, which compelled all hands to abandon her. They landed on the island and found shelter in a cave. Several attempts were made to obtain stores from the wreck, but all failed. In exploring the island the men found an encampment which had probably been occupied by some shipwrecked crew. A number of empty cans, tins, bottles and a flour barrel were near it. The barrel was rehooped and repaired to hold water. A tin of soup and bouilli was also found, and some twelve good cocoanuts were obtained from the trees. Sea fowl were quite plentiful, and some fifty were killed. Several heavy showers enabled them to replenish their water. Two human skulls were found in a cave, but not the bodies or bones belonging to them. On the 12th of October Captain Ferry, his daughter and six men left in the boat for Pitcairn's Island, leaving five men behind. On the 18th the boat was seen from the City of Vienna, Captain Crockett, bound from San Francisco for Liverpool, and her crew were taken on board. Captain Crockett next went to Elizabeth Island and rescued the men left there. Considering the circumstances attending the wreck, it is wonderful that all hands were saved. On the passage the ship Ben Cruachan was spoken, and not only supplied the Vienna with provisions and stores, but took on board part of the crew of the Elizabeth Gondey. The others were safely landed in England February 18th.

New Hampshire Items.

In the Supreme Court at Dover, Alonzo Place was found guilty on a charge of selling liquor, the jury being out five hours and a half.

C. H. Longley's carpenter shop, in Peterboro', was burned Feb. 27th. Loss on shop, $1000; insurance, $500. The tools and lumber were a total loss.

—Mr. Beecher says a million dollars is a very poem. We desire to state that this article of poem will be accepted if we have to crowd out advertisements to make room for it.

—Joaquin Miller wears diamond rings.

—The real value of self-possession depends on how much one's self is worth.

Breathing Miasma Without Injury.

There is no exaggeration in the statement that thousands of persons residing from one year's end to another in fever and ague regions on this Continent and elsewhere, breathe air more or less impregnated with miasma, without incurring the disease, simply and only because they are in the habit of using Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as a preventive. It has frequently happened, and the fact has been amply attested by the parties themselves, that persons surrounded on all sides by neighbors suffering the tortures of this shivering and burning plague, have enjoyed absolute immunity from it, thanks to the protection afforded by the Bitters. Nor is that standard anti febrile cordial less efficacious in remedying than in preventing chills and fever, bilious remittents, and disorders of a kindred type. Taken between the paroxysms, it speedily mitigates their violence, and eventually prevents their recurrence. These facts, convincingly established by evidence, appeal with peculiar force to travellers and sojourners in malarious districts.

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J. E. MAYNARD, Esq., of Boston, offers thirty head of the fleet, fast st and best lot in New England, selected with great care for their kind, safe and reliable qualities. These Horses were not picked up for auction sale, but for private sale, and every animal will be as represented to buyers. Mr. Maynard's name is a sufficient guarantee to horsemen. Read his advertisement and then send for a catalogue.

Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup is daily working its cures and raising patients from their beds who have been given up to die by their physicians. Almost every day, Dr. Flagg is receiving complimentary letters bearing testimony to the curative properties of this great remedy.

BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

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The Grand Central Hotel, New York, is becoming more popular every day since its reduction from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street,** and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

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Extra " "	50	"
" Formosa "	65	"
Japan "	32	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	12½	"
Northern Smoked HAMS	13	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35	"
" " Rio "	30	"
" Green Java "	28	"
" " Rio "	25	"
CURRANTS	8	"
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Boston, South & West,	3.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30†	P. M
"	10.40 "	4.45	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9 45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	4.45	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

We are requested to ask the members of the Hayes and Wheeler Guards to look up their uniforms and torches, as it is quite probable they may again come in use.

On and after to-day the rate of messages over the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Co's wires, to New York, Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland, will be twenty-five cents, except where more than 500 miles from the office in this city.

Our correspondent, "Plain Talk," in his communication dated Feb. 27, speaks pretty plainly to Hon. Frank Jones for being at home while the filibusters in Congress were doing their worst to defeat the election, and keep the country for another year in the state of uncertainty and suspense that has had such a disastrous effect upon the revival of business which commenced before the Presidential election. But Mr. Jones' stay at home must have been very brief, as his name (with that of Mr. Bell, the other democratic Member of Congress from this State,) appears in the list of those who on Monday, Feb. 26th, voted with the republicans and Southern democratic leaders, against factious opposition to the count's progress.

George Henderson and Frank Varney, two thieves who committed a burglary in this city some three years ago, have been arrested in Farmington, Henderson being caught on the morning of Feb. 26th, and Varney on the evening of the same day. After escaping from this city they were arrested in Massachusetts, but broke jail and went to the West, and have but recently returned.

J. E. Maynard, Esq., of Boston, offers for sale thirty trotting and family horses, claimed to be one of the finest lots ever offered in New England. Mr. Maynard is one of the most widely-known dealers, and his reputation as a "square" man is of the highest. Read his advertisement.

It was rumored yesterday that Mr. Batchelder, Superintendent of the Eastern Railroad, has been removed, and a Mr. Dingley, brother-in-law of President Rockwell, appointed in his place. It was also reported that the change will take place March 10, when the offices of superintendent and freight agent will be merged. A later statement is that the successor of Mr. Batchelder, the retiring Superintendent of the Eastern Railroad, will be Mr. John Hornby, late assistant superintendent of the Marquette, Houghton and Ontonagon Railroad, in the Lake Superior mining region, who is said to have been recommended for the position by the bondholders, and not Mr. Dingley, as has been reported. Mr. Hornby will be styled Master of Transportation.—*Boston Globe, Feb. 28th.*

A man came into our office on Wednesday, and wanted to sell us a private letter from a prominent democrat of this city (and one of that party's candidates for office) to his wife, his idea being for us to use it as a political weapon! Who the man is we do not know, nor want to; *what* he is his proposition plainly enough shows. Now we want the writer of that letter defeated; we have no doubt he will be defeated; and we will do all we can in honor do, to defeat him; but we trust it is not necessary for us to say that we would not meddle with his private correspondence on his family affairs, even if it would exert an injurious effect on his political prospects, which we very much question. We are slow to wrath, and consequently merely declined to make a bargain with the letter-merchant; but our indignation at the insult implied in his offer has been increasing until the present writing, and we now feel the spirit move us to notify the letter-man that we have as much contempt for him as we sincerely trust our readers would have for us did they think us capable of such conduct as he suggested.

We have received the first number of the first volume of the *Monthly Reader*, published by J. L. Shorey, of Boston, (publisher of the *Nursery*, the best children's magazine in the world,) at fifty cents a year in advance. The *Reader* contains sixteen pages, a little larger than those of the *Nursery*, is nicely printed in large type on fine paper, and profusely and handsomely illustrated, the reading matter being such as the youngest readers can understand and enjoy. It is intended to supplement and not to supplant the reading books used in the primary schools, and we think will achieve great popularity with children, primary teachers and school committees.

Owing to constantly increasing business, Pearson's hot house on Broad street is again in process of enlargement, though it has now fully three times the capacity it had originally. Despite the hard times, the artistic taste displayed by Mrs. Pearson in making up bouquets, wreaths and fanciful designs in flowers, has kept the demand ahead of the production throughout the winter.

The Friendship Club, of this city, gave a dance at Trefethen's Hall in Kittery on the evening of Tuesday, Feb. 27th, with an athletic exhibition by members of the club at intermission. The attendance was large, the receipts satisfactory to the club, and the entertainment satisfactory to its patrons.

Portsmouth Grange, P. of H., had the annual supper and dance on Wednesday evening, the attendance being confined to members of the order.

The ladies of the Reform Club will close their Fair this (Thursday) evening, with a grand promenade concert. They are endeavoring to raise a sufficient sum to obtain a reading room for the society, and solicit the aid of all who approve their work.

The Young People's Social Union connected with the Methodist society dedicated their new room in Exchange Building Wednesday evening. An address was given by Stephen W. Clarke, principal of the high school, as previously announced. Only a limited number were invited.

The Portsmouth Cavalry contemplate giving a grand ball some time the present month.

A train from Dover for Boston, over the Eastern Railroad, passed through this city on Monday,—the second or third from that city run on the same terms,—taking passengers for $2 for the round trip from Dover, to enable them to attend the Moody and Sankey meetings. No such trains have been run from this city as yet; perhaps the railroad authorities consider the people of Portsmouth past saving, as possibly a good many of them are; but we should like to see the efficacy of concerted prayer tried on Bro. Guppy, of the *Times*.

Steamtug Elsie, recently stove by blundering on Stone's rock, and brought into this harbor for examination and temporary repairs, started for Boston Wednesday morning, escorted by the steamers that came from Boston to assist her. Her owners saved about $12,000—the value of the Elsie—by their promptness in moving her from her perilous situation on Stone's rock, for if she had remained there about a day longer she would have been knocked off into deep water or broken up by the heavy sea which set in.

An important business change is announced in another column, Charles H. Mendum, Esq., retiring from the firm of C. H. Mendum & Co. Messrs. S. H. Ayers and T. K. Locke will carry on the business at the old stand, under the firm name of Ayers & Locke; and as they are well known as members of the old firm ever since its formation, there is no doubt the liberal patronage hitherto enjoyed will be continued under the new arrangement.

Political.

The great Judge Hoadley, of Cincinnati, (how many people in the country ever heard of him before his celebrated opinion that Cronin had been legally elected?) seems to have been quite extinguished by the decision of the Electoral Commission. His masterly exposition of law, upon which so large a proportion of the democratic party proceeded to blow their trumpets, seems to have had about as much effect upon the Commission as Mrs. Partington's broom upon the inflowing tide. On the simple question of Cronin's election (which was the point where Mr. Hoadley's greatness seems to have exhausted itself,) the Commission, democrats and all, voted unanimously in the negative.

The Democratic State Committee of Connecticut on the 27th passed resolutions instructing the Congressmen from that State to filibuster to prevent the completion of the vote counting.

A Terrible Scare.

We read somewhere that the wicked flee when no man pursueth. They understand this at Great Falls,—those jolly liquor-sellers, we mean. Several of them are indicted, and it rather appears as though they expected every day to be gobbled up by the officers of the law. At any rate, a few days ago, several of them, Locke, Wentworth, Grant & Co., were over on the Berwick side of the river—and it appears that they spend a good portion of their time just on the borders of Maine—having a friendly sit-down and jolly chit-chat at Grant's Hotel. Of course no Sheriff from this side could with impunity venture to trespass on that jurisdiction. But a Boston runner happened along, and that sort of chap is always up to some sort of fun. This sober and serene runner, therefore, took it into his head that he would "drop in" upon these brethren in a hurry and inform them of a very serious difficulty that was to happen to them speedily. He was all out of breath running, as he wanted to give them seasonable warning. He told them he had just discovered that a New Hampshire Deputy Sheriff had been with a requisition from Gov. Cheney upon the Governor of Maine for their surrender, and that he had the papers from the Maine Governor all right, and was coming down upon them with a strong force to capture them immediately. This was the signal for the most remarkable stampede on record. They stopped not on the order of their going, but went out at once by the back way, and thence in all directions. One or two went into the hog-pen, one or two more hid in the hen coop; others took to the woods, and one big, pussy fellow, not so spry as some of the rest, crawled away up stairs and hid in the attic. It was a mighty lively sort of a shedaddle all round. The hens cackled in that coop, and the swine in that pen acted just like that other old herd who once got the devil in 'em and ran down a steep hill into the sea. Whether these lively fellows have yet ventured back to the peace and quietude of their happy homes, our reporter is not informed, but the whole thing was a first-rate scare put up by that uncircumcised Boston runner. Verily, the wicked flee when no man pursueth.—*Dover Democrat.*

Mrs. Hayes's Wardrobe.

Mrs. Hayes' wardrobe is the subject of a special leaded telegram from Cincinnati to the Chicago *Inter-Ocean*. Mr. Jenkins reverently and picturesquely says: "By good fortune your correspondent obtained a description of the dresses as decided upon by Mrs. Hayes and her intimate lady friends and advisers. The inaugural dress will be of elegant black silk, cut princesse in style, and will be high in the throat, with long sleeves, and, of course, full train. It will be trimmed with black velvet, blue satin and Valenciennes lace, and although rich and elegant is pronounced very plain. The cost will be $500. The evening or reception dress will be of Quaker gray, with corsage waist, square neck, demi-sleeves and full train. It will be trimmed with Valenciennes lace fringe and flowers, and will cost $800. The morning dress will be of blue cashmere, handsomely trimmed with silk of the same shade, with fringe to match, with demi-train and princess epolonaise."

—The wide Byron collar is to be the favorite this season for ladies.

—The same crowd which answered an advertisement for a barkeeper in a New York saloon went across the street and answered an advertisement for a bank clerk.

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BREESPORT, Chemung Co., N. Y., October 16th, 1876.

R. V. PIERCE, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.:

Last Spring I was attacked with congestion of the lungs; soreness over the liver, severe pain in the joints, a burning fever, and a general giving way of the whole man. Failing to find relief in remedies ordinarily prescribed, and not expecting any benefit, but to satisfy friends, I tried a bottle of your Golden Medical Discovery. When I had taken it I was so much improved that I continued, taking three in all, and it effected my entire cure. Your medicines have only to be used to be appreciated. If every family would give them a trial, nine-tenths of the doctors would, like Othello, find their occupation gone.

Yours gratefully,
L. B McMILLAN, M. D.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Ship Grandee, Shillaber, from New York arr at Melbourne previous to Feb 25.

Barque Armenia, Salter, from Mauritius, arr at Colombo Jan 18.

Sch Clara E Simpson, Talpey, from Baltimore, arr at Providence Feb 26.

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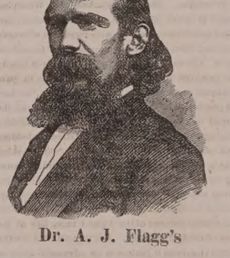

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In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

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More effectual than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

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TRY IT.

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Unique Dinner Ticket.

The new dinner ticket used at the late annual meeting of the New England Society, in New York City, was a unique and beautiful affair, and is thus described:

"The vignette combines a world of thought, the Plymouth Rock, Bible, Pilgrim hat and sword, so arranged as to mark some favorite chapter in that good book, with the date of the landing. A little below is the seal of Plymouth Colony. At the bottom, in the centre, is an early Massachusetts coin, at the right of which is the arms of New Hampshire, in which is seen the tall figure of the veteran General Stark in a pelting rain; before him is the chaplain of a Massachusetts regiment, who inquired why they did not have some fighting. The old hero replied, "If the Lord sends sunshine to-morrow, you will have plenty of fighting." The rain ceased, and the decisive battle of Bennington was fought.

The next is Maine, with John Smith, of Pocahontas memory, writing the history of the State, with Indians in the distance.

Above that is Vermont, representing Gen. Ethan Allen, surprising Fort Ticonderoga, and demanding its surrender. Captain De la Place, the commander, who was in his night-clothes, inquired, "By what authority?" Allen replied, "In the name of the great Jehovah and the Continental Congress!"

At the left of the old coin, Rhode Island is represented. The eccentric but conscientious Roger Williams, the defender of Liberty, is seen as he escaped from Massachusetts. He laid the foundation of a town, which, in acknowledgement of God's goodness, he named Providence.

Connecticut comes next, showing a man in the act of depositing the Charter in a tree, now known as the "Charter Oak."

Massachusetts is last, representing the landing of our Pilgrim Fathers, which speaks for itself."

Captain Costentenus' Fyrrhic Victory.

Captain Georges Contentenus is a noble Greek Albanian, made familiar to the public at Barnum's Circus last fall. He has a weakness for pictures, and possesses a collection as large as and decidedly more unique than the John Taylor Johnston gallery prior to its breaking up. The noble Albanian, however, carries his collection on his back—is, in point of fact, tattooed in a most remarkable manner. Recently on one of his reception days at the New American Museum in the Bowery, the gentlemanly master of ceremonies having done his office, namely, the introduction of the Captain and the story of his wonderful experience at the hands of different tribes of savages, the dead silence consequent upon the endeavors of the hearers to digest the arithmetical statements of "six months, three hours a day," or "seven million punctures with a needle, each puncture bringing a drop of blood, and each drop a tear," was broken by an individual in a light green shirt and an alcoholic atmosphere. This personage cynically and unfeelingly remarked, "Sh humbug!" and glared defiance at the Greek. Hardly had the remark been uttered before the Captain hastily plucked up a sharp knife from a table near by—not from a concealed pocket, because the only garment worn by the Captain is a gold pocket-handkerchief, in comparison with which Mark Twain's umbrella would be an ulster—and plunged it into his own neatly-frescoed leg, grazing the femoral artery and inflicting a slight wound, it is true, but a sufficient one to set at rest forever the question of imposture in his case. It is needless to add that the sceptical party in the green shirt was heavily "sat upon" thereafter, and was glad to slink away diminished.

Kid Gloves.

A Parision has started the manufacture of kid gloves at New York, and finds that his production of a first-class article, at a low price, is appreciated by the public. In making a pair of kid gloves three persons are employed—the cutter, the sewer and the thumb maker. The sewing, with the exception of button holes, is done by machines. The work of the cutter looks simple, but it requires a skillful hand and eye, as any one may imagine when he thinks of the perfection of fit which gloves are made to attain. A table, pair of scissors, knife and pot of powder are all the implements needed by the cutter. An ordinary skin will make two pairs, and a very fine one three pairs of gloves. After the skin has been dried, it is carefully stretched and manipulated to ascertain if it has any flaws in it. It is then cut into strips twice the width of the glove, enough then generally remaining to cut into smaller strips for the thumbs. After the fingers have been suitably shaped by the scissors, the gloves are passed into the hands of the sewers, and from them to the thumb makers, from whom they quickly come in a finished state.

—The spirit in which some people pray, was aptly illustrated lately by a five-year-old girl, who convalescing from an attack of scarlet fever, was suffering greatly from ear-ache. Something prompted the little one to petition above for relief, and this was the way she did it: "Oh, Lord! Oh, good Lord, cure my earache," continuing to repeat it over and over. Her mother, hearing her murmuring, asked, "What are you saying, my dear?" "None of your business," was the reply. "I ain't talking to you; I'm talking to the Lord."

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, MARCH 2, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

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FOR COUNCILLOR,

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FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,
GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,
GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,
NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Counting the Votes.

The joint convention reassembled at 6:20 P. M., Wednesday, and the Secretary of the Senate read the decision to sustain the finding of the Commission. Jones of Kentucky wanted to know if a quorum of the Senate were present, but was squelched by Mr. Ferry. The House resolution against the decision of the Commission was then read, after which the vote of South Carolina was recorded for Hayes.

Tennessee and Texas were counted for Tilden.

Vermont's papers were opened, and on demand of Poppleton of Ohio were read at length. After the reading, Poppleton asked if there were no other papers, as he had been informed that two certificates had been received from Vermont. Mr. Ferry replied that he had received but one certificate. Hewitt said he had a package purporting to be a return of the Electoral Vote of Vermont, which he had received by mail, and he now tendered it as the Electoral Vote of the State of Vermont! Mr. Ferry declined to receive this precious document, the law forbidding him to receive any returns after the first Thursday in February. Springer of Illinois sprang around like a jumping-jack, demanded to have Hewitt's papers read as a part of his (Springer's) objections to the counting of the vote of Vermont, and finally, after being steadily sat upon until the convention rose, called out that he now made the point of order that, there being duplicate returns, the case had now gone to the Electoral Commission and could not be considered by the two houses! No attention, however, was paid to it nor to a proposition made immediately afterwards by Mr. Mills of Texas, that the House proceed to elect a President, Speaker Randall declaring that, under the terms of a previous agreement, the House would now (7:20) take a recess until 10 o'clock Thursday morning.

In the House, Thursday, Fernando Wood moved to proceed with the count. The filibusters interposed all sorts of dilatory motions, but were defeated on the first one by a vote of 174 to 65. After twelve o'clock, when a new legislative day commenced, the filibusters insisted on an extended reading of the journal, which is never done; a roll-call was demanded by the republicans, on dispensing with the further reading of the journal, and resulted in yeas 175, nays 85—more than the necessary two-thirds.

Mr. Caulfield, after the defeat of the filibusters by a two-thirds vote, insisted that the President of the Senate should open the alleged duplicate from Vermont. Gov. Hendee informed Caulfield that the leader of the democratic party (Hewitt) had kept the copy too long. Fernando Wood pressed his point of order that the House must immediately proceed to consider the objection of Vermont. Mr. Hooker of Mississippi insisted that there were dual returns, and that the Vermont case must go to the Electoral Commission. Mr. Reagan of Texas, Ex-Postmaster General of the Confederacy, maintained that there was no pretense that the alleged democratic return from Vermont is regular, and that if the whole affair was not fraudulent the democracy of Vermont had been derelict in springing such a question at this late hour.

A resolution was offered that the House would not be ready to proceed with the count until the Senate returned Hewitt's "electoral vote return" to the House. Wood offered as a substitute a resolution that the vote of Sollace of Vermont be not counted, and Randall ruled that debating must now commence. An extraordinary scene of confusion ensued, Randall was denounced as a usurper, and a free fight among the democrats seemed imminent; but the Sergeant-at-Arms and his deputies entered and enforced order, and at 2:10 debate commenced.

The convention was expected to meet at 5 o'clock.

Letter from Hon. H. W. Blair.

WASHINGTON, D. C.,
February 27, 1867.

My Dear Sir: Although the Democratic party in Congress in bad faith, and in violation of the electoral bill which it forced upon the country, is endeavoring by filibustering and tricky devices for delay to prevent it, there is now very little doubt of the inauguration of Hayes and Wheeler, and the public attention is turning to the election in New Hampshire.

The election in New Hampshire is specially important for two reasons:

First. As an indication of the verdict of the most intelligent and conservative State of the Union upon the comprehensive system of frauds and shams and lies and crimes, by means of which the democratic party has endeavored to cheat the American people out of their own Executive.

Second. Because the control of the national House of Representatives will largely, if not wholly, depend upon the result in New Hampshire.

It is unreasonable to suppose that the freemen of the United States, who have for twenty years proffered and sacrificed their lives and fortunes, and all save their sacred honor—in the former at the ballot-box and on the fields of war to defend the principles of the Declaration, the supremacy of the Constitution, and the integrity of the national life—will deliberately recant their convictions, disgrace their own record, and sanction the wicked policies and destructive principles of that party which seems to have existed for the last thirty years only to organize every evil force in the country for its ruin.

Such self-stultification by our people is not possible. Yet lethargy and over-confidence may betray us into a fatal snare.

It is now ascertained that the next House of Representatives will be very close; that its practical control will depend upon the result in New Hampshire, which is the only State whose members remain to be chosen. If the democracy organize and hold the next House, control the appropriations, and defeat every essential measure of republican policy, the hard-won victory which is now assured to us after such extraordinary vicissitudes and providences, will be substantially lost. The brightening prospects of industry, and the upspringing impulses of renewing hopes, which show their tiny blades like the coming mantle of green all over the country, even where the deep snows and howling winds of the frigid but vigorous North conceal, but cannot prevent, the irrepressible processes of nature, will suddenly vanish as the blossoms of June would shrivel in the icy breath of winter.

Yet the most serious result will not be the arrest of material development, but the prostration of the moral forces of the country, of schools, the aspirations for knowledge and higher life among the developing population which so soon will be the American people, and all of the great reformatory impulses and measures upon the success of which the whole future depends.

Thus great consequences should keep us ever upon the alert. We are really the outpost of hope to the nation. Such we have been for years, and although we might desire relief from its dangers, responsibilities, and excessive labors, still we know, and the nation knows, that the flag of no forlorn hope ever was borne more bravely to honorable victory than by us during the whole history of the great party whose success once more depends upon our next rally to the polls. Confined as I am, to my post, I naturally feel a great anxiety for the result, the importance of which I keenly realize, and yet to control which I can do so little. But I have the best reason to believe that the utmost vigilance is imperatively necessary. It should be remembered that the democratic party this year will be reenforced by the unemployed, but not discharged ballot-box stuffers and tricksters, whose services gave the majorities against us in Connecticut, New Jersey, and New York last fall. I desire to impress specially upon the minds of all republicans that there has never been so much danger of our being defrauded as there is this spring. Let there be the closest attention to the ballots, the names of candidates, the counting and the declaration of the votes, the record thereof, as actually made, and the *returns* to the Secretary of State. Should there be any error committed or wrong perpetrated, be very careful to call attention to it at once, and preserve all the evidence most accurately in writing. Had I not special reasons for reminding you of these things at this time I should not presume to do it, for I well know the great vigilance of our friends. But for that vigilance I should have no hope of success.

I assure you that there are no chances to be thrown away. As usual, we have all we can possibly do. Do not be deceived by the apparent inaction of the National Democracy. Their loss of the Presidency only makes it the more necessary that they retain this House as a great debating society, and as a mud-scow to accumulate the fifth of scandal and defamation to be used in future campaigns for the recovery of their baneful power. They are desperate to accomplish this; you know the silent forces which they use and the methods to which they resort.

The eyes of the nation are upon you. I conjure you not to leave any honest means untried, or possible legitimate effort not put forth to win a victory which shall crown the inauguration of Hayes and Wheeler with overwhelming joy.

I am truly yours, H. W. BLAIR.

Trying It On.

Two Fifth avenue belles, as a practical test of the generosity of their friends, dressed themselves in old clothes, and, as the shades of night were falling, went out upon the avenue and solicited alms of every gentleman they met. A shake of the head or a muttered remark that they were "busted" was all that was vouchsafed by the greater number of passers-by. Their masquerading lasted an hour, they met nearly all their acquaintances, they gained only ten cents, and though fair to see even in their poor attire, no Cophetua asked these maidens to share his fortune. They then turned their attention to the houses on the avenue, and their success furnished a striking commentary on the modern proverb that charity begins and ends at home. A crust of bread was all that could be spared from the tables of Dives. These damsels had much sport in getting beneath the crust of conventionality, and pronounced their experience superior even to private theatricals.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

—The editor of a Turkish journal in Constantinople has been whipped to death for telling the truth. We never heard of a like transaction in this country.

—The man at the wheel has a stern duty to perform.

—Edmund Yates says, in his London *World*, "Countrymen and lovers of the late Benjamin Franklin may possibly 'rear up' at the intelligence that in the archives of the British Colonial Office is a letter from Benjamin Franklin asking for an appointment as distributor of the very stamps which brought about the independence of the United States."

—Now it is solemnly stated that it was *not* Miss Minnie Sherman who declined at a Washington ball to dance with Arthur of England. It was Miss Helen Cox, whose father was then Secretary of the Interior, who, when invited to dance a round dance by Prince Arthur, said her mother objected to those dances. Prince Arthur consulted his card, and then found the only square dance for which he was disengaged would not come off before three o'clock in the morning, and Miss Cox told him she must return home before that hour. The locket sent by Prince Arthur to Miss Sherman was sent as an acknowledgment of Gen. Sherman's politeness in presenting the Prince with a very handsome rifle which H. R. H. had admired. The locket contained a picture of Prince Arthur.

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Japan "	52	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	19½	"
Northern Smoked HAMS	13	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35	"
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" Green Java "	28	"
" " Rio "	25	"
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Boston, South & West, 8.00.	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" " Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The North Church bell will not be rung from and after Monday, March 5th, until further notice, on account of repairs to the frame being made.

Ship Chocorua, Matthews, of this port, arrived at Anjer January 10th, and a telegram to that effect reached this city on Wednesday, Feb. 28th. On the Monday and Tuesday previous several of the owners of the vessel endeavored to get their shares insured, but owing to the great length of time the ship had been unheard of no agent would take the risk; and when the good news came the owners were glad the insurance men were so cautious.

Mr. Gardner J. Greenleaf advertises for sale carriage material and blacksmiths' supplies in large variety and of the best quality.

A friend on Thursday informed us that we need not have been in so much of a hurry to credit Hon. Frank Jones with hastening back to his station in Congress, instead of remaining at home to electioneer for a seat in the next one, as he received earnest calls by telegraph from Washington to return, and was urgently advised to do so by some of his political friends here, who recognized the fact that he could do nothing worse for his political prospects than to absent himself from the national Capitol during the electoral crisis.

The Boston *Post* says Mr. William J. Hobbs, paymaster on the Eastern Railroad, recently married to a daughter of Gen. M. F. Wentworth of Kittery, has been presented with a very handsome French mantel clock and set by his friends.

Messrs. Rider & Cotton advertise for sale at No. 69 Market street, iron and steel, carriage makers' and house builders' hardware, painters' supplies, ship chandlery, etc.

The American House, Boston, has been long and favorably known as one of the best hotels in the East. Its central location, only a few rods from new Washington street, and within two minutes' walk of State street, Faneuil Hall, the old State House and City Hall, makes it equally desirable for business or pleasure. It was the first hotel in Boston to introduce the greatest of modern conveniences, a Passenger Elevator, and the proprietors have ever been ready to adopt any improvements that might add to the comfort of their guests. The latest change, and one that will be appreciated by all, is the reduction in prices, which are now placed at $3.00, $3.50 and $4.00 per day. The large number of its apartments, its long and spacious corridors, general convenience of arrangement, liberality of management and uniform excellence of its table, have given it a wide spread reputation, and enable its managers to offer inducements to be found at but few other New England hotels.

On Wednesday evening some one stole Mr. C. Hiram Hayes' horse and carriage from where it was standing on Congress street, Mr. Hayes at the time being in Grangers' Hall participating in the jollification going on therein. Mr. Hayes discovered the theft when the entertainment broke up, and notified the police, but the team could not be found and Mr. Hayes went home at three o'clock Thursday morning, giving it up as lost. Not long after the police found the team hitched on Warren street, the horse bearing marks of having been badly driven, and took it to Beacham's stable where Mr. Hayes reclaimed it later in the day.

New Hampshire Items.

The City Government of Concord has passed an ordinance directing police officers to kill every dog found unmuzzled in any street or public place of the city.

Mr. John Cole of Orford, 90 years old, while sitting in his chair on Monday, died instantly and without a struggle. He was a prominent advocate of the "Free Soil party" in its infancy.

There are three men in the Illinois House of Representatives, who were born within a dozen miles of each other in New Hampshire: Henry A. Neal, born in Tuftonborough; John P. Fox, born in Centre Harbor, and Moses J. Wentworth, born in Sandwich. Besides, there is W. H. Thompson, born in Durham.

A man and his wife, named Kirby, bound from Chicago to Newmarket, got out of money at Harper's Ferry, and started to walk from there to New Hampshire. When near the Rainy House, between Washington and Baltimore, last Friday, and both walking on the track, a train came along on each track, which so bewildered the woman that she ran in front of the trains and was instantly killed, her body being horribly mangled. She was buried by the railroad company at Baltimore.

E. J. Hurley, confined for selling liquor, escaped from jail at Laconia on Monday night.

Rev. Cyrus Richardson, pastor of the First Congregational Society of Keene, has voluntarily relinquished $200 of his salary for the present year. An Ecclesiastical Council convened at Gilmanton Iron Works on the 22d ult., Rev. S. S. N. Greeley moderator, and Rev. L. S. Coan, scribe, by approbation of which the pastoral relation of Rev. George Rogers to the Congregational Church in that place was dissolved on account of failing health.

Wiggin & Roberts' steam saw mill, located in the Ossipee Mountains, was burned Feb. 20th, by which a large number of hard working men are thrown out of employment. Loss estimated at $5,000; no insurance.

Political.

The democratic New Haven *Union* says: "The Electoral Commission, as a 'non-partisan tribunal,' is the biggest fraud of the nineteenth century!" True,—as was proved by the vote of the seven democratic partisans on the Oregon and South Carolina cases. Some sanguine people did at one time hope that at least the two democratic judges might soar above partisanship into the cool atmosphere of judicial serenity occupied by the republican eight, but their hopes were disappointed.

Mr. D. D. Field will arrive home after his Congressional career in much the same condition that ex-Gov. Weller of California found himself after having been shipwrecked. A friend met him in San Francisco and inquired if he had lost much. "Lost everything, sir," said Mr. Weller, "everything but my reputation." "Governor," replied the friend," "you travel with less baggage than any man I ever knew."

The democrats, with cool assumption, have a good deal to say about its being better to be on the right side crushed than on the wrong side triumphant. No doubt, no doubt. But to be on the right side triumphant rather than on the wrong side cru hed is a good deal better yet. That's the position in which the republican party finds itself to-day.

Democratic opinions of Mr. Tilden are now in order. Here is one from the Boston *Herald's* Washington despatches: "John O. Whitehouse, democrat, from the Poughkeepsie (N. Y.) district, says that Tilden is a fraud, and he will do nothing to allow such a shyster to get into the White House. He says there is bad blood in the whole Tilden family, and he doesn't like bad blood in anybody." The next gentleman will please step forward. One at a time.

It seems possible that Judge Hoadly would not have lost his Oregon case if he had a copy of the Household Dictionary in his pocket. When his stock of authorities was so ample, the omission of this little dictionary seems strange and sad.—*Cincinnati Commercial (Ind.)*

We feel confident that Hayes will not be President four years, because he has no legal title to the office. He may be removed by force and he may be removed by legal means. Let us exhaust legal means first. Do not let us kick up a big row now until legal means shall have been exhausted. Then it is time enough to talk about force. *Troy Press (dem.)*

That Octoroon Ball.

The Des Moines (Iowa) *Register* says that a gentleman in that city has received from a friend in New Orleans a graphic description in a private letter of the part Hon. Lyman Trumbull took in the now celebrated octoroon ball at Mrs. Patterson's. The writer says:

Trumbull and Palmer were rather late in arriving, and when they came in the ball was already in full progress. They were at once surrounded by a bevy of the octoroons, each anxious to secure a word or a smile from the great men. Governor Palmer was a little "offish" in manner, despite all the attentions lavished upon him, but Trumbull is a genuine man of the world, and conducted himself in a way to win the admiration of all. When in Rome he always does as the Romans do. The music of the dance struck up, and one of the girls with whom Trumbull had been laughing and joking, smiled brightly at him, and with her head arched on one side and her arms enticingly extended, said, "Senator, won't you dance with me?" "Why, of course I will," responded the old fellow, gallantly, and he caught the fair one around the waist and went circling down the hall, while Palmer looked on like a poor boy at a frolic. The Senator went round and round, to the music of a lively waltz, and showed some skill as a dancer, but ever and anon he would bump against the other couples, and nearly took his agile partner off her feet with the rapidity of his evolutions. At times he grew so dizzy that his partner (Lurline by name) had to stop and hold him up until the giddiness passed away, and he went at it again with renewed vigor. The Senator was loudly applauded throughout the room, and he undoubtedly made the sensation of the evening. Finally a dance something like a northern quadrille was put on the floor, and Palmer was induced to take part, but he did so in a very spiritless manner. In this dance there is the the figure of "gents' solo," which gives the gentlemen an opportunity to display their skill. As the gentlemen dance this figure one after another, there is generally a sort of competition between them, and each one tries to do his best. Several Southern gentleman had danced this figure with great spirit, and at last Trumbull's turn came. He was thoroughly fired up with the spirit of the occasion, and sailed gayly out on the floor to the music of "Jump Jim Crow," and then to the astonishment of all, he gave some regular plantation steps. To describe it in technical language he "rocked back on his hind feet" a little, then "cut the pigeon-wing" to the right and left, and came around on the "alligator circle" and retired to his place on the figure of "the windin' blades," a rare and difficult movement which it would be as difficult to describe as to perform. He knew that he had succeeded, for shouts for "the Judge" came from all parts of the room, and the great democrat's face smiled with the consciousness of triumph. Palmer, however, was utterly discomfitted, and refused to dance any more, though he lingered about for hours talking to the olive-hued maidens. And so the night wore on, Senator Trumbull's enjoyment growing more pronounced with every passing moment.

—The miner's dream of life is ore.

—A lady who determined to surprise her husband, a few nights ago bought him a new pair of rubbers and placed them by the bed-side. The man stayed out so late that his wife fell asleep, and when he came in his eyes fell upon the overshoes. Grabbing her by the hair he yelled out: "This once happy home is desolated by a faithless woman's perfidy," and pointed to the overshoes. It took nearly two hours to explain, and then he forgave her.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111¼
United States Ten-Forties cupon	109¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	108¾
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1896	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	92½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	66
Boston & Maine	94
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	126
Nashua & Lowell	89
Concord	78
Eastern	4½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	132½
Manchester & Lawrence	121
Michigan Central	50½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	20½
P. S. & P.	55
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

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Butter, per lb 30 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 30c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 19c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. 6½ @ 7½; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9½ @ 10½
Fish per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 25
Lard per pound, 13 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., R. Cuba 40 @ 60c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 90.
Pork per bbl., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, imp $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Dr. 10½ @11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

MARINE CHRONICLE

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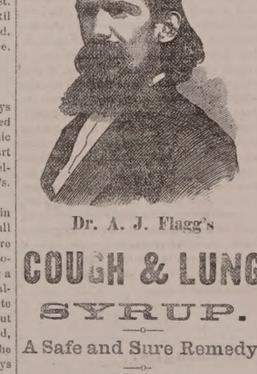

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Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effect has become almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectual by than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat.

TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

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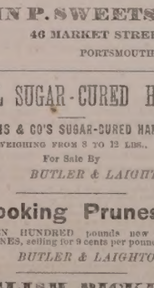

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

South Carolina.

The New York *Graphic* has the following dispatch from Beaufort, S. C., under date of March 1st:

The whole country north of here is in arms. An assault has been made on the blacks of Cambahee plantations, fifty miles south of Charleston, by Wade Hampton's illegal militia, numbering more than 1000 men, and they are resisted by Gov. Chamberlain's friends irregularly gathering about his sheriff as a posse. The difficulty which has now apparently become a pitched battle between the two governments originated in an attempt of the white planters of Cambahee and adjacent islands to cheat the black laborers of their wages. Regular contracts were made between the planters and laborers, but when pay day came, the former put off the latter with checks running from ten cents to one dollar to be used as currency to be redeemed in from six months to two years. These orders immediately fell in value till they were worth next to nothing, and at last the hands refused to work unless paid in money according to contract. It is one of the leaders of these strikers whom Hampton's sheriff is now trying to arrest. The sheriff has called out a thousand men to help him to "enforce the law," and the colored man is surrounded by twelve or fifteen hundred laborers, who refuse to concede Hampton's right to arrest anybody until the government is duly recognized by the President. The "Blue Store," near Green's Ford, is the focus of the excitement, but many white men are present from Charleston eager to participate. The blacks are the more numerous, and will act solely on the defensive, while the whites are armed with superior weapons. At the same time, the blacks and friends of Chamberlain are in the majority of five to one in this part of the State, and they are more independent and manly and less servile than in any other part of the South. Should there be a struggle it will be brought about by the determination of the Hampton forces to take the Chamberlain forces prisoners.

Another account says that a few days ago a store was robbed in Waterboro, Carleton County, and as the thieves were identified warrants of arrest were issued by a trial justice recently appointed by Wade Hampton. Three of the negroes were arrested, but the fourth resisted the constable, and, collecting a crowd, said he did not recognize a Wade Hampton's trial justice, and would die in his tracks before he would submit to arrest under the warrant. The justice, upon the return of his constable without the prisoner, under order of the Sheriff summoned a posse of ten white and black men, and deputized them to make the arrest. The posse proceeded to the "Blue Store," about eight miles from Green Pond, where they found the thief surrounded by a mob of one hundred negroes, all armed, who swore he should not be arrested. The posse of ten attempted to make the arrest, but were completely surrounded and with difficulty succeeded in making their escape, after first receiving a volley from the mob. Fortunately, no one was seriously hurt. The Sheriff, after consultation with Wade Hampton, sent out couriers in every direction and 1000 men, white and black, organized to meet at the Blue Store fully armed and prepared to make the arrest not only of the thief, but of all parties concerned in firing upon the posse. The negroes have massed in large numbers, all armed, in the same vicinity, and they swear that the thief shall not be captured. If the posse should be resisted a bloody encounter is expected.

Latest—the terrible insurrection at "Calf Pen" turns out to be a case of great cry and little wool. A posse of 200 men, black and white, charged the rioters, who fled without firing a shot. Twenty were arrested—nobody hurt on either side.

Harrison Phelps, a farmer near Antioch, Cal., quarrelled with his wife because she was too intimate with a man named Taylor, her "fellow" in her girlish days in the East. Mrs. Phelps left the ranch, but her husband soon sent for her, promising to deed her a half of his 320 acres. She demanded eighty more, and got them. For a time everything was serene, but one day Phelps learned that his wife had actually deeded the extra eighty acres to the man, Taylor. Taylor then became the victim of Phelps' little shot-gun.

Minnie Dyer, formerly the wife of Wankeen Miller, was married at Portland, Oregon, Feb. 7th, to Mr. T. E. L. Logan. She is said to be a woman of culture, intelligence and beauty, and is credited with the authorship of fully one-half the poems in Wankeen's first published book.

The Supreme Bench of the Dominion of Canada has given a decision unseating one Langevin, a member of the Dominion House of Commons, on the ground that any intimidation, course or threat of excommunication employed by any church for political reasons vitiates the election of the candidate in whose favor such means are employed. Justice Taschereau, a brother of the Archbishop of Quebec, delivered a similar opinion in French. This is a very important decision in view of the fact that the Catholic church in Lower Canada has virtually controlled the elections in many districts by threats of excommunicating any one who should vote contrary to the dictation of the priests.

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Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, MARCH 3, 1877.

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THE COUNT FINISHED.

The debate on the Vermont returns, when once commenced, proceeded rather more peaceably than the previous proceedings. Hewitt growled some about the loss of the bogus returns of the single-barrelled Aldrich Electoral College, but was stopped by the appearance of a page with the precious documents in his possession. Proctor Knott offered a resolution that the count should not proceed until the package was opened in presence of the convention; voted down, 148 to 116. Another similar resolution was defeated by the same vote. Lane of Oregon moved to reconsider; Hale of Maine moved to lay the motion to reconsider on the table; carried, 171 to 89. Wood's resolution that the vote of Mr. Soilace be not counted came in as an order; and Mr. Waling moved to lay it on the table; rejected, 167 to 64. Poppleton moved to reconsider; voted down, 168 to 65. The question then recurred to Wood's motion; Caulfield raised a point of order, but was overruled by the Speaker, and Wood's motion was passed. O'Brien of Maryland moved to reconsider; Garfield moved to lay O'Brien's motion on the table.—carried, 171 to 56. Other dilatory motions were voted down, and Wood's resolution was adopted. Clark of Missouri (at 10:05 P. M.,) moved to reconsider; Hale moved to lay Clark's motion on the table,—agreed to, 177 to 59. The Senate was then notified that the House was ready to go into convention.

The Senate entered the hall of the House at 10:55 P. M. The President of the Senate announced that the joint meeting of the two houses was resumed, and said the two houses not having concurred in sustaining the objection, the vote of Vermont would be counted; five votes for Rutherford B. Hayes and five votes for William A. Wheeler.

The certificate from Virginia was then opened. After asking for objections and hearing none, the Chair directed the vote to be counted eleven votes for Tilden and Hendricks.

The West Virginia certificate was opened and read, and in the absence of objections, five votes were scored for Tilden and Hendricks.

The certificate of Wisconsin was opened and handed to the tellers. Senator Allison read the papers, and at the conclusion the Chair asked if there were any objections to counting the State of Wisconsin. Mr. Lynde of Wisconsin presented objections to counting the vote of Daniel W. Downs, one of the Electors for the State of Wisconsin, because he held the office of Pension Surgeon and Examining Surgeon for the Pension Office prior to and on the day of the Presidential election, and on December 6, 1876, on which day he assumed to cast his vote as an Elector, and that his vote cannot be constitutionally counted.

After the reading of the objections the Senate retired, at 11:25 P. M., and the final struggle in the House began.

Upon returning to their chamber the Senators at once passed a resolution that the disputed vote of Wisconsin should be counted, and the House was notified.

In the House, filibustering was again carried on, under the lead of Blackburn of Kentuckey, O'Brien, Mills of Texas and Lynde of Wisconsin, Springer, Poppleton and others. Fernando Wood continued his determined opposition to the anarchists, and at four o'clock the Senate was notified that the House was ready to proceed with the count.

At a few minutes past four o'clock the Senate entered the House, and President Ferry called the convention to order for the last time. He announced that the objection to the vote of Wisconsin was not sustained, and the vote was therefore counted for Hayes and Wheeler. The tellers were then directed to foot up the full returns, the footings were formally announced, President Ferry signed the parchment roll upon which the count is declared with the pen from the feather of the mountain eagle, and declared **HAYES** and **WHEELER** elected. And then, at 4:16 A. M., the convention adjourned without day.

Didn't Get Excited.

President Hayes was asleep in his room in a car at Marysville, Pa., (where the train stopped for water,) on his way to Washington, when the railroad manager received a dispatch that the count was finished. He at once took the dispatch to the stateroom of President Hayes, knocked until he was answered and then read the welcome news. Receiving no response he read it again in louder tones, when the President-elect said, "I hear you; don't wake up everybody in the car! Good night."

The Long Contest Ended.

The long agony is over, and the candidates chosen in November as President and Vice President for four years from the 4th of March, 1877, have been confirmed in their just rights; RUTHERFORD B. HAYES and WILLIAM A. WHEELER were on Friday morning, at sixteen minutes past four o'clock, declared elected President and Vice President of the United States, they having 185 electoral votes to 184 for Samuel J. Tilden and Thomas A. Hendricks.

"Hayes has 185 votes and is elected." So telegraphed Hon. Zach. Chandler on the day after election, and his assertion, after months of anxiety and uncertainty, is confirmed by the Electoral Commission appointed to settle the points in dispute. That a large portion of the better class of democrats will but faintly regret the defeat of Mr. Tilden, after the first bitterness is over, we feel assured, for the exposure of the means adopted by him to secure his election has effectually stripped him of the "reformer's" cloak which he donned in furtherance of his schemes. The extremists among the democrats, those who would prefer to see the country ruined rather than to lose the chance of getting office, may storm and foam at the mouth; but they cannot carry their party with them in any such measures as they would be glad to adopt, if we may credit their own words. The republicans, of course, will rejoice; and so will the entire business portion of the community regardless of party, for the final and peaceful settlement of the vexed question insures a revival of manufactures and trade, and a speedy end to the "hard times" that have borne so heavily on all classes since the disastrous panic of 1873.

The prolonged contest over the Presidency has not been without some compensating advantages. The conduct of many of the northern democratic leaders in repudiating and striving by every means in their power to defeat the decisions of a tribunal of their own creation, and whose findings they were at first loud in asserting no true patriot and honest man would attempt to dispute, no matter what those findings might be, should and we believe will result in the retiring to obscurity of many of the men who have made such a shameless exhibition of dishonesty, bad faith and reckless disregard of the most solemn agreements. On the other hand, the conduct of the "rebel brigadiers" in the House—at least all the *prominent* southern leaders—has done more within a week to dissipate the natural and not unreasonable suspicions of the northern people regarding the honesty of their professions of devotion to the Union as it is, than ten years of mere talking on their part would have done; they have shown a sense of honor in maintaining that a solemn compact is not to be lightly broken, which is in bright contrast to the course of the anarchists who endeavored to nullify the action of their own Tribunal because its decisions were not as they had expected them to be.

The rearrangement of party lines has been made one of the possibilities of the near future. With the democratic party of the north hopelessly divided, as it now seems to be, and the democratic party of the south recognized as a conservative and anti-war element, the old issues would seem to be driven into their grave at last and only waiting to have the earth heaped over them; and this new condition of affairs will have to be recognized by the republican party—as we believe it will gladly be—or the party will find itself in the way of something very uncomfortable to contend with at the next Presidential election.

But the most significant lesson to be learned from the peaceful settlement of the Presidential contest is that of the power of the American people to settle without bloodshed a dispute that would have caused any throne in Europe to rock to its base if not to go down in a sea of blood. With millions of men on each side firmly convinced that their side had honestly won a national victory, in any other country war would have been inevitable; but the Great Republic still stands secure, and all the more firm for the jarring which has but indicated some weak points about the foundation which need attention.

News and Notes.

President Grant on Friday issued a proclamation convening the Senate in extra session at noon on the 5th of March.

President-elect Hayes, Gen. Sherman and Gov. Denison arrived in Washington on Friday, and called upon President Grant and the Cabinet.

Mr. Hayes' resignation of the governorship of Ohio, dated Feb. 28, to take effect March 2d, was filed in the proper place, on the latter date, and Lieut. Gov. Thomas L. Young was at once sworn in as Governor.

The coroner's jury in the case of "Chicken Rice," shot by Officer E. W. Freeman of the Boston police, exonerated Mr. Freeman from all blame, fully justifying his action in the matter. The Donovan women, who swore that the shooting was wanton and unprovoked, and that no attack was made on the officers, were proved to be utterly worthless characters, as were the thieves and bullies, with whom they were associated, and the officers' torn clothing and bruised bodies proved the truth of the latters' story.

British barque Ellenhausen, at Portland from St. John, N. B., was struck by lightning on the passage, one man being killed and another fatally injured. The vessel was not hurt.

A man called at the Treasury Department in Washington on Thursday, and sent in a card bearing the name of Littleton to a lady named Stover, employed in the redemption division. The lady went out, and the man immediately fired two shots at her from a revolver, but didn't hit her. Mr. Wilson, chief of the loan division, seized the shooting, when he fired a shot at himself, but did little injury, thereby showing himself to be an execrable marksman. How he failed to hit some of the many persons in the corridor at the time is inexplicable.

John McColl was hung at Yankton, Dakotah Territory, on the 1st inst., for the murder of John B. Hickok (Wild Bill) in the Black Hills in August last.

The United States Supreme Court has decided the so-called Granger cases, involving the question whether the legislatures of Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois and other Western States have the right to regulate the carrying of freight and passengers on all railroads in their respective States. The Court holds that the States have such power of regulation. All the Justices concurred except Justice Field. The Court has also decided the case of Munn & Scott against the State of Illinois, affirming the right of the State to fix by law the maximum of charges for the storage of grain in warehouses at Chicago and other places in the State.

New Hampshire Items.

At the trial of La Page, at Concord, for the murder of Josie Langmaid, Thursday, William H. Cate, a new witness, testified that he was drawing dirt on the morning of the murder and met La Page near Deacon Moras's at eight o'clock. Another important new witness was John B. Payne, living about half a mile from the South Pembroke Academy. A Frenchman came to his house on the morning of the murder, just after the 8:25 academy bell rang, with an axe on his shoulder, and wanted a job wood-chopping. Witness saw him pass on towards the academy to Mr. Guild's house. Recognized La Page in court, Wednesday, as the man, and was the first time that the witness had seen him since the morning of the murder.

There was a grand republican rally at Nashua, Thursday evening, the City Hall being crowded. Hon. Wm. Avery and Ex-Senator Henry R. Pease, both of Mississippi, addressed the meeting, which was a most enthusiastic one.

The Tilton cotton mill, which has been idle for two years, will start up soon with about 400 hands.

A Hopkinton young lady is to be married soon after a somewhat romantic courtship. Her lover lives in the Sandwich Islands, and, until she came to Boston to meet him, a few days ago, they had never seen each other but fifteen minutes, which was at Nashua, four years ago. A correspondence followed the accidental meeting and the match bids fair to be a happy one.

Arrangements have been made by the republicans of Concord to have a grand rally and torchlight demonstration on Monday evening to celebrate the election of Rutherford B. Hayes and William A. Wheeler as President and Vice President of the United States. All the companies that did duty in the November campaign will appear in uniform. Music, cannon, fireworks, etc., will contribute to its success, and many able speakers will be present.

Bad Specks.

Bad specks on the teeth are almost as unpleasant as bad specs in the money market. To prevent them or to get rid of them, use SOZODONT. It is literally a specific for every blemish that disfigures the teeth, and whitens them without endangering the enamel.

The great American conjunctive – Spalding's Glue.

BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

MRS. JOHN LANE,
Cor. Pleasant and Prospect Sts.

Adamson's Botanic Balsam is prepared from the choicest extracts of barks, roots and gums, and is highly recommended for its great curative properties. It cures all throat, chest and lung difficulties. Price 35 cents.

The Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., exhibits the secret of its great popularity and success by wisely maintaining its old standard of excellence since its reduction of rates.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

Portsmouth Gas Light Co.—Dividend.

THE DIRECTORS of the Portsmouth Gas Light Company have declared a semi-annual Dividend payable at the Office of the Treasurer, No. 36 Market Street, on Monday, March 5th, 1877.

DAVID KIMBALL, Clerk.

TEAS TEAS TEAS

25 BOXES

New Oolong and Japan Teas,

From 33 cents to $1.00 per pound.

We have received a large lot of Tin Caddies and Canisters, holding from one to twenty pounds each, and shall present each customer purchasing the same, full of Tea, with a Canister or Caddie. We have in our stock as fine qualities of Tea as can be found anywhere in the United States.

DATES DATES DATES

1500 Pounds New Dates,

SELLING CHEAP AT

BUTLER & LAIGHTON'S.

COFFEE COFFEE

WE can sell you the best pound of Fresh Ground Old Gov't Java COFFEE to be found in the city. Our Coffees are fresh roasted every week and ground in our store when sold.

Butler & Laighton,

1 MARKET SQUARE.

SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS.

FERRIS & CO'S SUGAR-CURED HAMS,

WEIGHING FROM 8 TO 12 LBS.,

For Sale By

BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Rockingham ss.

City of Portsmouth.

WARD ONE.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Elm Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot five persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Court Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot four persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the constitution proposed by the constitutional convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this 24th day of February, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest
NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Office of Jacob Haddock on Islington Street, near the Creek in said Ward, on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To vote in your votes for Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot one person to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot two persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT E. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT E. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

Checklist Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECKLISTS, give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, March 1st, Wednesday, March 7th, and Monday, March 12th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M., and from 7 to 9 o'clock, P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the lists of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 9 A. M. and from 1 to 2 o'clock, P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted, and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Checklists.

SALE OF NAVAL VESSELS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
February 27, 1877.

The Navy Department will offer for sale at public auction the following named vessels:

At the United States Navy Yard, Portsmouth, N. H., on Tuesday, the 27th of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock, M., the U. S. Ship "SARINE" of 1,475 tons measurement.

At the United States Navy Yard, New York, on Thursday, the 29th of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., the U. S. Steamer "SUSQUEHANNA" of 2,123 tons measurement.

At the United States Navy Yard, League Island, on Saturday, the 31st of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., the U. S. ship "POTOMAC" of 2,457 tons measurement.

The vessels will be offered as they lie on the day of sale. They may be examined at any time previous to the day of sale on application to the commandants of the yards where they are respectively, who will exhibit to persons desiring to bid an inventory of such articles as may be sold with them.

Thirty (30) per centum of the purchase money must be deposited at the time of sale, and the balance paid in cash when the sale is confirmed by the Department; the vessels to be removed within ten days from the date of such confirmation.

The Government reserves the right to withdraw the vessels, or either of them, from sale, to confirm the sale, and to reject any bid or offer which may be considered inadequate. Hawtwch27

Foreclosure of Mortgage.

ON the fourth day of September last, I took possession of a piece of land in Portsmouth in the County of Rockingham, at the Point of Graves so called, bounded northerly by land formerly of Thomas Currier, southerly by the Piscataqua River, Southerly by the city privileges of the city of Portsmouth, and westerly by Mechanic street, together with the wharf and the buildings on said lot and all the machinery and fixtures therein, being the same formerly called the Franklin Foundry, and have ever since held possession of the same for condition broken of a mortgage of the premises made by Eliphas Drake Jr. to Alfred W. Haven, James W. Emery and Joshua W. Peirce, dated the twenty-third day of July A. D. 1858 and recorded in the records of said county Lib. 356 fol. 131, to secure three notes of said Drake of six hundred dollars each, one of which, payable to said Emery has been paid, and one payable to said Haven and one payable to Joshua W. Peirce have been assigned with said mortgage to me. Said possession was commenced and is held for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage.

OLIVER AYERS.

Portsmouth, March 2, 1877. 4-10-17

PULMOCINE.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street,** and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

TAKE NOTICE.

N. F. Mathes & Co.

Announce to the Public, that they

Will now Retail

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS

FOR CASH AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Also, everything kept in a first class grocery store now selling at a great reduction from former prices, such as

Pure CANDIES	20 cts. ℔ lb.	
Granulated SUGAR	12½	"
A Coffee "	11½	"
B " "	11	"
Brown "	10	"
Fine Breakfast TEA	32	"
" Oolong "	40	"
Extra " "	50	"
" Fomosa "	65	"
Japan "	32	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	12½	"
Northern Smoked HAMS	12	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35	"
" " Rio "	30	"
" Green Java "	28	"
" " Rio "	25	"
CURRANTS	8	"
Box RAISINS	12	"
Best Double Crown New Loose Muscatel RAISINS	12	"
New Valencia "	10	"
New Turkey PRUNES	8	"
New FIGS	15	"
Good Bar SOAP	6, 8, 10	"
Whole Dried PEAS	8 cts. ℔ qt.	
Split "	8	"
WALNUTS	4 and 6	"
Good BROOMS	17 cts. each.	

FANCY CRACKERS of all kinds at lowest prices

And also everything kept in our line, at the very lowest prices for CASH! All goods sold by us will be as represented; Please call and examine. Goods sent to any part of the city free of charge. Remember the old stand.

N. F. Mathes & Co.,

NO. 48 MARKET STREET.

OUTFITTERS, TAKE NOTICE!

We have just received a new lot of NICKERSON'S

Excelsior Black Oil Clothing.

They are very soft, durable, and perfectly water-tight.

We have also EAGER'S

Best Yellow Oil Clothing,

The reputation of which, as a first-rate article, has been fully established in this vicinity.

NIPPERS, WHITE MITTENS, SOCKS, JUMPERS, MATTRESSES, QUILTS,

In fact, everything necessary to make a person warm and comfortable.

☞ These Goods have all been bought recently, at the lowest market rates, and will be sold for cash at a small margin from cost.

BOW STREET, No. 3,

(New Number.)

C. E. MYERS & CO.

HEALTH LIFT!

A Thorough Gymnastic System

FOR LADIES and GENTLEMEN

In 10 Minutes once a Day.

Doubles the Strength in three months. Does not Fatigue nor Exhaust. Refreshes and Invigorates. Removes Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Tones the Nervous System. Improves the Circulation. Warms the Extremities. Increases the general Vitality.

RECOMMENDED BY LEADING PHYSICIANS.

Portsmouth Branch Agency

OF THE

New York Health Lift Co.

Exercise and Sales Room:

ROOMS 1 & 2 BADGER'S BLOCK,

9 DANIEL STREET, PORTSMOUTH.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in the subject of Physical Culture. tmch28

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

For Rent.

ONE-HALF HOUSE No. 11 Washington Street. nov17 Apply at House.

House to Let.

NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises. octl8

Houses to Let.

ALSO, one very desirable Estate for sale: price $1100—terms easy. Apply to A. J. PENHALLOW, tmch10 No. 35 Court Street.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tobbetts.
House No. 36 Deer Street.
Brick House No. 56 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 2 Rockingham Street.
Apply to A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for house cellar.

FRANK W. MILLER.

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

—APPLY TO—

JOSEPH S. GRANT,

2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

FOR LENT!

Taylor's "HOLY LIVING AND DYING."
A'Kempis' "IMITATION OF CHRIST."
Keble's "CHRISTIAN YEAR."
Huntington's "HELPS TO A HOLY LENT."
Haven's "LESSONS FOR LENT."
"DEAR FEAST OF LENT."
"ROSARY FOR LENT."
Clarke's "STEPS OF BELIEF."
Faber's "HYMN OF JESUS."
"CHANGED CROSS."
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"MORNING AND NIGHT WATCHES."

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in great variety of style and price at

JOSEPH H. FOSTER'S,

1 CONGRESS BLOCK.....Portsmouth, N. H.

Choice Flower and Garden Seeds,

STRAWBERRIES, PEACHES,

ETC., ETC., ETC.

New Sorts, by Mail,

PLANTS of the newest and finest improved sorts, carefully packed and prepaid by mail. My collection of Strawberries took the first premium for the best Collection, at the great show of the Mass. Horticultural Society, in Boston. I grow over 100 varieties, the most complete collection in the country, including all the new, large American and imported kinds. Priced descriptive Catalogues, gratis, by mail. Also, Bulbs, Fruit Trees, Roses, Evergreens, Choice Flowers, Garden, Tree, Evergreen, Herb, or Fruit Seeds, 25 packets of either for $1.00, by mail.

C. C. The True Cape Cod Cranberry, best sort for Upland, Lowland, or Garden, by mail prepaid. $1.00 per 100, $5.00 per 1,000. Wholesale Catalogue to the Trade. Agents Wanted.

C. C.

B. M. WATSON,

Old Colony Nurseries and Seed Warehouse,

Established 1842. PLYMOUTH, MASS.

American and Swiss

WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

CLOCKS and JEWELRY.

—AT—

Messrs. C. E. & J. E. DIXON'S,

7 CONGRESS STREET.

Fine Watch Repairing and engraving.
Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

PURE BEES' HONEY!!

PURE STRAINED HONEY in small Bottles, also, HONEY COMB, for sale by

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS.—the *first arrived since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at **FREEMAN'S Oyster House,** and get them opened fresh from the shell.

MERCER GOODRICH

Has an Extensive Stock of

SCHOOL BOOKS,
AUTOGRAPH ALBUMS,
PORTEMONNAIES, BILL BOOKS,
PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, BLANK BOOKS,
NOTE PAPERS, LETTER PAPERS, GOLD PENS,
BILL PAPERS, LEGAL PAPERS, PENS,
INKS, and ENVELOPES. Also,
CENTENNIAL VIEWS,
FRANG'S CHROMO
CARDS, &C.

☞ I shall open next month a complete line of ROOM PAPERS, CURTAINS, BORDERS, TASSELS, &c., &c.

City Building, - - Market Square.

PURE, WINTER STRAINED

Lard and Sperm Oil,

FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	10.10 A. M.	3.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	3.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.30 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

EFFECT OF THE GOOD NEWS.

A dispatch from this city to the Boston *Journal*, Friday, says: "The reception of the news of the result of the electoral commission this forenoon called forth lively demonstrations of joy among the republicans. The streets are lively with music, cheering and singing." The republicans of Portsmouth showed their joy in their faces plainly enough, but it did not break forth in song to any great extent that we heard, nor did we hear uproarious cheering; in fact, the democrats made more noise in ten minutes, on the morning after election day, than the republicans made all day Friday. The "music" which paraded the streets consisted originally of a bass drum, carried by two well known republicans (who are about as popular with the democrats as they are with their own party) and beaten vigorously by one of them; a little later the music was reinforced by a tin fish-horn, he "band" then mounted a wagon, the horse was covered with the stars and stripes, and the establishment paraded about town for an hour or so, the band discoursing the sweetest and most inspiriting music of which it was capable,—there being frequent breaks in the music, however, as one or other of the performers stopped playing to exchange congratulations with some republican or retort the good natured jibes of some democrat. But there was more mirth than music raised by that band.

During the evening a joyous crowd was assembled at the republican headquarters, and congratulations were exchanged and songs sung, and *the* drum beaten some more. At half-past seven o'clock a big bonfire was started on Market square, and made a brilliant show while it lasted; but the pouring rain was not favorable to the long continuance of out-of-door sports, and by nine o'clock the fire had been allowed to die down.

EASTERN RAILROAD AFFAIRS.

George Bachelder has retired from the office of Superintendent of the Eastern Railroad and is succeeded by Mr. Hornby, a brother-in-law of President Rockwell, who has had charge of a Western Railroad. The general management of the road is to be under the personal charge of the President, and the operating departments to be divided into three sub-departments, of transportation, maintenance of way, and department of rolling stock, with a Master at the head of each department. The business department is to embrace ticket department, freight and purchasing department, each with a general agent, who reports to the President, and is under his immediate order and subject to his suspension or removal. The change is brought about after mature consideration of the Directors, and it is thought will prove a saving to the road. *Journal.*

When the new Board of Directors came into power the detail management of the road was found to be without a proper system, and Gen. Rockwell at once consulted with the most experienced and ablest managers of railways in the country upon a proper remedy for the then existing state of affairs. He soon found that a great corporation like the Eastern could only be managed by having one recognized Executive to whom all other departments should be subordinate, instead of to each other. The result of consultations and observations to which the directors have devoted much time and research is the adoption of the new system by which the General Management of the Road is placed under the personal charge of the President.

The Management is understood to cover the Operating Department and the Business Department. The Operating Department is to be divided into three sub-departments, viz.: of Transportation, of Maintenance of Way, and of Rolling Stock. Then there is Master at the head of each of these three sub-departments, who has the exclusive charge of all employees in the department, and reports to the President.

The Business Department is divided into three sub-departments, viz.: Ticket, Freight and Purchasing Departments. There is a General Agent at the head of each of these three sub-departments, who has the exclusive charge of the affairs of his department, and reports to the President.

The six heads of departments, viz.: of Transportation, of Maintenance of Way, and of Rolling Stock, and General Ticket, Freight, and Purchasing Agents, are to be the general officers of the railroad, and appointed by the President with the approval of the board of directors; and will act under the immediate direction of the President, who has full power to suspend or discharge them.

Thus it will be seen that each department is in a degree independent of any other, and accountable to the Executive, not through a Superintendent, but directly. The plan has been found to work well on other railroads, and if any employee does not come up to the requirements of the President or cannot acquiesce in the results of the new dispensation of course he must give way to a successor.

THE PROSPECTS.

The Republican Committee of Rockingham County had a meeting in Exeter on Thursday, the attendance of working republicans being very large. Gen. Marston, Col. Daniel Hall, Emmons B. Philbrick, Esq., of Rye, candidate for Senator from this district, and others, addressed the meeting. The reports from the various towns were eminently encouraging, and there seems no doubt that the eight hundred republican majority in this Congressional district, thrown at the Presidential election, will be fully maintained or even increased. Gen. Marston was enthusiastically applauded by his hearers, who expressed themselves confident of a republican triumph at the polls, which should give that gallant soldier the seat in Congress now held by Hon. Frank Jones of this city. The reports from town committees show that the republicans are not trusting to the election's carrying itself in their favor, or relying on the apparent apathy and real discouragement of the democracy, but are doing good work toward bringing out a full vote for the unexceptionable candidates of the party. The prospect is much more cheering to-day for the triumph of the entire republican ticket —Congressman, Councillor, Senator—in the First District, and the candidates for County officers, than it was for the victory won at the Presidential election a week before it occurred. Then the democrats were spurred to tremendous exertions by a confident anticipation of victory, and visions of "post-offices" and other good things which seemed to them to be within easy reach; but now they are putting no heart into their work, feeling themselves heavily handicapped by their gubernatorial candidate, (while Mr. Prescott's nomination strengthens the local republican ticket,) and their encouraging hopes of dividing among themselves the post-offices, custom-house billets and navy yard positions have been rudely dispelled by Tilden's defeat. That Gilman Marston's qualifications for member of Congress are immeasurably superior to Frank Jones', in everything except the possession of wealth, is undeniable; and Mr. Philbrick will stand the most rigid comparison with Mr. Eldredge as a fit and proper person to represent this district in the State Senate, though he is not so wealthy a man. Equally good are our County candidates; there is not a man among them but will make as capable an official, to say the least, as the opposing candidate; and the indications are that these good nominations will be endorsed as they should be at the polls. All that is needed is for the republicans to bring out their full vote, and this they propose to do.

JOTTINGS.

As the weather last Sunday was so unfavorable, the Service of Praise at Bow Mission will be repeated to-morrow afternoon at four o'clock. A fee of five cents will be taken at the door to pay the expenses of the Hall.

At the annual meeting of the City Mission Society, recently held, Rev. James DeNormandie was re-elected President: Rev. L. L. Harmon, Vice President; John S. Rand, Treasurer, and Joseph H. Foster, Secretary. This Society has a fund of $2,000, the interest of which is annually expended for the poor.

The young people attending the Universalist church are preparing for an Easter Festival to be given in the church on Easter Sunday.

The ice in Great Bay is rapidly breaking up, though it is unusually early in the season for that performance.

The Eastern Railroad Co. have leased the North Mill to Mr. Charles S. Holmes of Saco, who took possession on the 1st inst. Mr. Holmes is a practical miller and will remove with his family to this city.

Steamer Perkiomen (steam collier No. 10) arrived at this port on Friday afternoon, in about sixty hours from Philadelphia, and hauled in to Concord Railroad wharf to discharge her cargo of coal. She is the first arrival of the steam colliers for this season.

Lieut. Charles Seymour, and Masters James C. Cresah and Lyman G. Spalding are detached from the Alliance and ordered to the new sloop Enterprise at this station.

The city's bonds issued for the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad subscription, are said to have been sold in Boston at $106, a handsome advance on the price received by the city.

Joseph G. Simpson, of Greenland, met with an accident recently which resulted in breaking one of his legs. He was driving a team, when his oxen took fright, and he in endeavoring to stop them jumped from his sled, made a misstep and slipped, the sled running over him.

The boiler for the new steam saw-mill and box-factory at Greenland arrived there on Tuesday, the 27th ult., having been hauled from Hampton by fourteen yoke of oxen. The weight of the boiler is eight tons. The mill is to be one hundred and ten feet long by fifty feet wide, and will be fitted with the latest improved machinery. About fifteen hands will be employed in the mill.

The beautiful piece of property formerly belonging to Mr. Albert Blaisdell, in Greenland, has changed hands recently, and a fine house is to be put up on the site of the mansion burned some time ago.

The number of births in Hampton for the year ending Feb. 14th, was twenty-four.

The check-list of Hampton Falls, as posted, has 173 names, of which twenty-two are Browns, ten Sanborns, eight Chases and eight Prescotts.

On Thursday a married woman left this city at nine minutes past eleven o'clock in the forenoon, on an Eastern Railroad train, left the train at North Hampton and drove to Exeter, attended a hearing in a divorce case before Judge Doe, and got back to this city at three o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, an unmarried women. Bring on your Bertha Von Hillern, and let's see if she can beat that time.

Twenty-four jurors of Rockingham County having addressed a letter to both gubernatorial candidates, expressing their dissatisfaction with the law for settling small civil suits as it now stands and asking how reform in the matter can be secured, the republican candidate, Hon. B. F. Prescott, replies that the desired end will be attained by an affirmative vote of the people on the second and tenth questions submitted by the late Constitutional Convention, and expresses the hope that this will be done. Hon. Daniel Marcy's answer has not been made public, if he has yet made one; but as there can be no possible suspicion of anything partisan in these proposed amendments we think it extremely probable Mr. Marcy will favor them.

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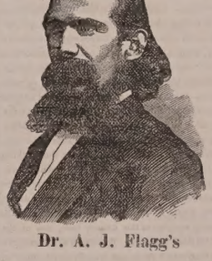

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It would seem at first that no barriers could limit the range of birds, and that they ought to be the most ubiquitous of creatures. This, however, is far from being the case; many groups of birds are almost as strictly limited by barriers as the mammalia. The petrels and the gulls are among the greatest wanderers; but most of the species are confined to one or other of the great oceans, or to the arctic or ant-arctic seas. The sandpipers and plovers wander along the shores as far as do the petrels over the ocean. Great numbers of them breed in arctic regions and migrate as far as India and Australia, or down to Chili and Brazil; the species of the new and old worlds, however, being generally distinct. In striking contrast to these wide ranges we find many of the smaller perching birds, with some of the parrots and pigeons, confined to small islands of a few square miles in extent, or single valleys or mountains on the mainland. Those groups of birds which possess no powers of flight, such as the ostrich, cassowary, and apterwyx, are in exactly the same position as the mammalia as regards the means of dispersal, or are perhaps even inferior to them; since, although they are able to cross rivers by swimming, it is doubtful if they could remain so long in the water as most land quadrupeds. A large number of short-winged birds, such as toucans, pittas, and wrens, are perhaps worse off, for they can fly very few miles at a time, and on falling into the water would soon be drowned. It is only the strong-flying species that can venture to cross any great width of sea, and even these rarely do so unless compelled by necessity to migrate in search of food, or to a more genial climate. Small and weak birds are, however, often carried accidentally across great widths of ocean by violent gales. This is exemplified by the large number of stragglers from North America which annually reaches the Bermudas. No less than sixty-nine species of American birds have occurred in Europe, most of them in Britain and Heligoland. They consist chiefly of migratory birds which in autumn return along the eastern coast of the United States, and often fly from point to point across bays and inlets. They are then liable to be blown out to sea by storms; and it is almost always at this time of the year that their occurrence has been noted on the shores of Europe. Birds which frequent forests and thickets are secure from such accidents, and are restricted in their range by the extent of the forests they inhabit. Mountain chains, and even large rivers like the Amazon, limit the range of many birds.—*Harper's for March.*

Why is Sea Water Saltish?

The question has puzzled men of science in all ages, and upon which they have formed various opinions; one of which is, that at an early period of the world's formation, the earth was entirely covered with a watery atmosphere; that at that epoch the earth was one volcanic mass of fire, which put the surrounding atmosphere into an excessively burning heat—hotter, twice over, than boiling water now is; that this incalculably hot atmosphere, acting on the fiery surface of the volcano which it encompassed, produced its natural results, and drew out of the ardent earth certain acids into its own aquatic body then undergoing condensation into sea water, assisted by the acids existing in that atmosphere itself at the time. The chaotic mass of fiery rocks were so acted upon by the atmosphere by carbonic, sulphuric and other influences, that they gradually cooled down in submission to the watery element with which they had so long contended, and then the saltish sea took its saline bath; retired to its ocean caves, leaving behind it earth and its surface fit for an animal life. Two-thirds of the globe may be said to be covered by the sea; and therefore, taking an average depth at 3,000 yards, and that this body of water contains 3 1-2 per cent. of salt, we have consequently existing in the sea no less than sixty millions of millions of tons of salt. Were all this water to be dried up then we should have a deposit of dry salt over the entire bottom of the seas of the thickness of 105 yards. This is equal to a thickness of 300 yards of salt, were it all taken from the sea and spread over the whole surface of the dry land. This shows that there is as much salt in the water of the ocean as would cover the entire surface of the globe with dry salt to the thickness of 67 yards, as a superficial coating. The dashing of the waves against the land, the rains and rivers of our time are adding to the saltish water in the sea; but other agents are at work in an opposing direction, so that very likely the sea is gaining a little, if any at all, of saline matter. That, therefore, the saltish water was created in a primeval period, long before man appeared on earth; and the problem still remains for scientific investigation. Why is sea water saltish?

—A rainy day in Oregon is called "wet-foot weather."

—How even the whims of the rich are respected by almost everybody. Vanderbilt expressed a desire for an absence of pomp about his obsequies, and an entire stranger took off the piece of mourning crape on the door. It was worth $20, but even that did not hinder him from carrying out the last wishes of the deceased Commodore.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

GRANVILLE P. CONN,

OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,

GILMAN MARSTON,

OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,

JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Mr. Ulysses S. Grant.

To-day the great man who for eight years past has been President of the United States is again but a citizen, with no more power under the Constitution and the laws than any other citizen. He entered the White House fresh from the long and bloody conflict which well nigh shattered the Union to fragments, having had no previous training save that of the soldier, and at a time when the country was burdened with an enormous debt, its business as badly inflated as its currency, the passions and prejudices of the war yet at a white heat, the South in the height of the terrible turmoil resulting from the complete overturning of its social and labor systems, and when many of the reckless and unscrupulous adventurers who thrust themselves into positions of prominence and power during the war were still holding their positions.

Under such conditions it was impossible for him to avoid making mistakes, and mistakes he has made. The same obstinacy which enabled him to steadily carry the Union armies to a triumphant closing of the rebellion, unmoved by minor disasters or popular clamor, was less advantageous to the public when it made him so firmly stand by men who were unworthy of his confidence; and in other minor matters no doubt a different course from the one taken by him would have been better; yet his administration will go down in history as one of the most memorable in the life time of the Republic. As a man, he has been accused of corruption and jobbery, perjury, neglect of duty, drunkenness, imbecility, crafty and desperate wickedness, "Cæsarism" and many other failings and misdeeds, by his personal and party opponents; yet his name will shine brightly as the successful general and wise and upright Chief Magistrate of the United States, centuries after the memories of his traducers have faded into utter forgetfulness.

Under his administration the national debt has been reduced at a rate never before known in the history of nations; taxation has been greatly diminished; gold, which when he took his seat was so high as to be out of sight, has dropped to a premium of less than five per cent.; in spite of the panic and the consequent business lethargy, the credit of the nation has steadily improved until its bonds bring a premium in gold in the European markets; a dangerous dispute with a great nation has been amicably settled, to the honor of both countries; important treaties have been made with foreign governments; the bonds of Union between North and South have been strengthened; and the Republic to-day occupies a prouder position among the nations of the world than the wildest enthusiast could have anticipated a few years ago.

Ulysses S. Grant may safely leave his fame and the record of his administration to history; his many and great achievements will obliterate his comparatively trifling errors from the memories of future generations, and his name will be remembered with those of George Washington and Abraham Lincoln, and stand as high on the roll as theirs.

News and Notes.

Good morning, President Hayes!

President Hayes will be publicly inaugurated to-day, with considerable ceremony.

President Grant telegraphed to Gen. Anger at New Orleans on Friday, informing him that hereafter the troops must be used in Louisiana for the purpose only of preserving the public peace, and in aid of the civil authorities when the latter are powerless to do so. A telegram was also sent to Gov. Packard to the effect that the policy of maintaining a State government by Federal troops must be abandoned, as such use of the Federal forces was against public sentiment and unjust to a majority of the people.

Both Houses of Congress had long sessions on Friday, notwithstanding the previous long ones when engaged on the electoral count; and the appropriation bills were considerably advanced. The army appropriation bill, with an unconstitutional clause tacked on prohibiting the use of troops in Louisiana or South Carolina, passed both Houses. The Senate appointed Morrill, Howe and McDonald a committee to make suitable arrangements for the inauguration of President Hayes.

The man who attempted to shoot Mrs. Stover in the Treasury Department at Washington, turns out to be a Michigan farmer named Deitz, a disappointed suitor for her hand. He will be tried for assault with intent to kill.

About a year ago James B. Ramsdell stole a team from his employer, Mr. Downing of Kennebunk, Maine. He was caught and sent to Auburn jail for one year. Ramsdell was recently discharged, and on last Monday came to Downing, offering to work for his board in order to repay Downing for the trouble and expense he had been to. Downing accepted the offer. While Mr. Downing was in Biddeford on Wednesday, Ramsdell, with a dirk in one hand and a pistol in the other, ordered Mr. Downing's son to pass over all his father's money in the house, and with a considerable sum and other valuables decamped.

Julius Levy, of Memphis, Tenn., was married three weeks ago. On Friday he fatally shot his wife and then blew his own brains out. Cause, a dispute about some property.

Some of the New York city officials, though not the Mayor, permitted the remains of the late Gen. Aguilera, Vice President of the so-called Cuban Republic, to lie in state in the Governor's room of the City Hall, and ran up the Cuban flag over the building. The Spaniards in the city are indignant and excited and certainly they have good reason. There is a strong Cuba influence in New York, and this may account for the action of the city officials, though it does not justify the insult to Spain.

The little girl who skips herself to death with a jumping rope appears early this year. The first case is already reported from Vincennes, Ind.

The mills of the Great Falls Manufacturing Com. were shut down on Friday, on account of scarcity of water, but will probably start up again soon if the rainy weather continues.

The Boston & Maine strikers were all paid their month's wages on Thursday, by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

The treaty of peace between Turkey and Servia has been formally signed.

England has ordered her entire Mediterranean fleet to concentrate at Malta immediately. This of course withdraws all British men-of-war from Grecian and Turkish waters.

Miss Bertha Von Hillern, at seven o'clock Friday evening, commenced walking in Boston Music Hall, on an attempt to walk one hundred miles in twenty-eight hours. At midnight she had completed twenty-two miles.

Hi! what does this mean? Here we have the "independent" Boston *Globe* calling the editor of the "independent" Springfield (*Charles Fran*— no, the Springfield *Republican*, "Sam-bowles!"

The number of vessels belonging to, or bound to or from ports in the United States, reported totally lost and missing during the past month, is 44, of which 26 were wrecked, 6 abandoned, 2 burned, 3 sunk by collision, and 7 are missing. The list includes 4 steamers, 4 ships, 10 barques, 6 brigs and 20 schooners, and their total value, exclusive of cargoes, is estimated at $1,152,000.

Edward A. Samuels, of Boston, "the friend of New England birds," has been inquiring into the charge that thousands of sparrows and snow-birds are killed and sold in the markets, and finds that the only birds thus sold have been a few Lapland long-spurs, which are neither handsome, sociable, musical, nor of any value agriculturally, and may certainly be eaten if the reed-bird or rice-bird may be devoured without sentimentality. Mr. Samuels also agrees, too, that the butcher-bird is a benefactor, in that our best birds are driven off by the sparrows, insufferable little tyrants who will be pied for by the head before long.

A Parisian Match.

Adolph Z. is young, not unprepossessing, and a clerk in a wealthy banker's office in Paris on a salary of $600 a year. The banker has a pretty daughter of eighteen. Adolph has not a cent, but that does not deter him from waiting upon his employer one morning and saying: "Sir, I have the honor of asking your daughter's hand in marriage." The banker, astonished, rang the bell, and told the waiter to throw Adolph out of the window. "As you please," calmly said the young clerk, "but before that is done learn that I am about to become a partner in the London house of Bathurst & Co." At this the banker softens. "The proof, sir, the proof of what you say." "Give me forty-eight hours in which to go to England, and I will bring you the proof." Adolph hurries to London, presents himself at the office of Bathurst & Co., and says: "I have come to propose that you take me as a partner," and, as Mr. Bathurst looks as though he thought Adolph demented, he adds: "I am about to marry the daughter of M. P., of Paris." Adolph is thereupon asked to be seated, they converse and come to terms. The bright young man returns to Paris, carrying to his future father-in-law the proof of his statement, and the young people are wedded.

—A Frenchman has invented a skillful talking machine. It will lecture. By the way, young and enterprising canvassers ought to make a good thing selling this machine to sewing societies and other associations that have a good deal of talking to do.

—A Cincinnati paper says: The other day one of the clerks in a Washington street store found the porter crammed among the boxes down cellar, with pen, ink and paper before him. "Writing a letter, eh?" queried the clerk. "Yes; writing to the old man in Buffalo." He handed up the half-written letter for inspection, and presently the clerk remarked: "I see you spell jug 'g-u-g;' that isn't right." "O! course not," replied the porter, "but you see I am writing to the old man, and he always spells that way. If I put the other 'g' to it he would think I was putting on style over him and forgetting that I was his son. He's good-hearted and I don't want to hurt his feelings." The letter went off with only one "g" at the end of "gug."

—"Ah!" mourned a widow, recently bereaved. "What a misfortune! I know what kind of a husband I have lost; but how can I know what kind of a husband his successor will be?"

—The latest hotel swindling dodge it practiced as follows: Checks are stolen from some baggage room and then the fraud goes to a hotel and puts up, handing the checks to the porter with a request that he will call at the baggage room and get the luggage. The porter calls and of course finds the baggage has not yet arrived, the baggage-master believing that all is well as he is ignorant of the fact that the checks are stolen. On the strength of the expected baggage, that never comes, the beat manages to secure hotel accommodations for a longer or shorter period, and then departs.

—At a golden wedding in New York thirty grandchildren and great-grandchildren of the aged pair marched into the room, two and two, the larger first, then the smaller, until the rear was brought up by toddlers of two years. Each child carried a bouquet of flowers, which decreased in size, as did the bearers, until the last two bore each a single blue violet. Filing past their grandparents, each child presented the flowers to them, the boys to their grandmother and the girls to their grandpaps, and in making the presentation, each recited one verse of a poem descriptive of the occasion.

Breathing Miasma Without Injury.

There is no exaggeration in the statement that thousands of persons residing from one year's end to another in fever and ague regions on this Continent and elsewhere, breathe air more or less impregnated with miasma, without incurring the disease, simply and only because they are in the habit of using Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as a preventive. It has frequently happened, and the fact has been amply attested by the parties themselves, that persons surrounded on all sides by neighbors suffering the tortures of this shivering and burning plague, have enjoyed absolute immunity from it, thanks to the protection afforded by the Bitters. Nor is that standard anti-febrile cordial less efficacious in remedying than in preventing chills and fever, bilious remittents, and disorders of a kindred type. Taken between the paroxysms, it specially mitigates their violence, and eventually prevents their recurrence. These facts, convincingly established by evidence, appeal with peculiar force to travellers and sojourners in malarious districts.

After much study and a long series of experiments, Dr. A. J. Flagg, of Claremont, N. H. has succeeded in producing a remedy which will cure almost every form of disease of the Throat and Lungs. Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption yield to it more readily and naturally than to any other known remedy. This medicine goes directly to the immediate seat of the disease, and its beneficial effects are at once manifested. The ingredients of the Cough and Lung Syrup are of the very best kind, having been prepared regardless of expense, and the patient can rest assured that the medicine is perfectly pure. It can be procured of any respectable druggist.

One of the pleasantest recollections of the Centennial trip to Philadelphia thousands of people will connect with their pleasant quarters and agreeable treatment at the Colonnade.

Bad Specks.

Bad specks on the teeth are almost as unpleasant as bad specs in the money market. To prevent them or to get rid of them, use SOZODONT. It is literally a specific for every blemish that disfigures the teeth, and whitens them without endangering the enamel.

The great American conjunctive — Spalding's Glue.

BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

MRS. JOHN LANE,
Cor. Pleasant and Prospect Sts.

Adamson's Botanic Balsam is prepared from the choicest extracts of barks, roots and gums, and is highly recommended for its great curative properties. It cures all throat, chest and lung difficulties. Price 25 cents.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod&w2

Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of the above ward are hereby notified that the caucus for the choice of three (3) Representatives to be supported at the Polls, March 13th 1877, is to be holden in the Ward Room on Elm street at 7:30 P. M., Friday, March 9th, 1877.

PER ORDER.

Portsmouth Gas Light Co.—Dividend.

THE DIRECTORS of the Portsmouth Gas Light Company have declared a semi annual Dividend payable at the Office of the Treasurer, No. 36 Market Street, on Monday, March 5th, 1877.

DAVID KIMBALL, Clerk.

TEAS TEAS TEAS

25 BOXES

New Oolong and Japan Teas,

From 22 cents to $1.00 per pound.

We have received a large lot of Tin Caddies and Canisters, holding from one to twenty pounds each, and shall present each customer purchasing the same full of Tea, with a Canister or Caddie. We have in our stock as fine qualities of Tea as can be found anywhere in the United States.

DATES DATES DATES

1500 Pounds New Dates,

SELLING CHEAP AT

BUTLER & LAIGHTON'S.

COFFEE COFFEE

WE can sell you the best pound of Fresh Ground *old Gov't Java COFFEE* to be found in the city. Our Coffees are fresh roasted every week and ground in our store when sold.

Butler & Laighton,

1 MARKET SQUARE.

SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS.

FERRIS & CO'S SUGAR-CURED HAMS,

WEIGHING FROM 8 TO 12 LBS.,

For Sale By

BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Rockingham ss.

City of Portsmouth.

WARD ONE.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Elm Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot two persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Court Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot one person to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the constitutional convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this 24th day of February, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the office of Jacob Babcock on Islington Street, near the Creek in said Ward, on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot one person to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

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Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Water street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot two persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT B. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT B. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

Checklist Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECKLISTS, give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, March 1st, Wednesday, March 7th, and Monday, March 12th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock, P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the lists of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 A. M. and from 1 to 2 o'clock, P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted, and whom the board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Checklists.

SALE OF NAVAL VESSELS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
February 27, 1877.

The Navy Department will offer for sale at public auction the following named vessels:

At the United States Navy Yard, Portsmouth, N. H., on Tuesday, the 27th of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock, M., the U. S. Ship "SABINE" of 1,475 tons measurement.

At the United States Navy Yard, New York, on Thursday, the 29th of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock, M., the U. S. Steamer "SUSQUEHANNA" of 2,213 tons measurement.

At the United States Navy Yard, League Island, on Saturday, the 31st of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., the U. S. ship "POTOMAC" of 1,457 tons measurement.

The vessels will be offered as they lie on the day of sale. They may be examined at any time previous to the day of sale on application to the commandants of the yards where they are respectively, who will furnish to persons desiring to bid an inventory of such articles as may be sold with them.

Thirty (30) per centum of the purchase money must be deposited at the time of sale, and the balance paid in cash when the sale is confirmed by the Department; the vessels to be removed within ten days from the date of such confirmation.

The Government reserves the right to withdraw the vessels, or either of them, from sale, to confirm the sale, and to reject any bid or offer which may be considered inadequate. Hawtch207

Foreclosure of Mortgage.

ON the fourth day of September last, I took possession of a dwelling house in Portsmouth in the County of Rockingham, at the Point of Graves so called, bounded northerly by land formerly of Thomas Currier, deceased, easterly by the Piscataqua River, southerly by the wharf and buildings on said lot, and all the material and fixtures there in, being the same formerly called the Franklin Foundry, and have ever since held possession of the same for condition broken of a mortgage of the premises made by Phineas Drake Jr. to Alfred W. Haven, James W. Emery and Joshua W. Peirce, dated the twenty-third day of July A. D. 1853 and recorded in the records of said county Lib. 536 fol. 131, to secure three notes of said Drake of six hundred dollars each, one of which, payable to said Emery has been paid, and one payable to said Haven and one payable to Joshua W. Peirce have been assigned with said mortgage to me. Said possession was commenced and is held for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage.

OLIVER AYERS.

Portsmouth, March 2, 1877. 4-10-17

PULMOCINE.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street**, and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

TAKE NOTICE.

N. F. Mathes & Co.

Announce to the Public, that they

Will now Retail

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS

FOR CASH AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Also, everything kept in a first class grocery store now selling at a great reduction from former prices, such as

Pure CANDIES	20 cts.	℔ lb.
Granulated SUGAR	12½	"
A Coffee "	11½	"
B " "	11	"
Brown "	10	"
Fine Breakfast TEA	33	"
" Oolong "	40	"
Extra " "	50	"
" Fomosa "	65	"
Japan "	33	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	12½	"
Northern Smoked HAMS	13	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	25	"
" " Rio "	20	"
" Green Java "	28	"
" " Rio "	25	"
CURRANTS	8	"
Box RAISINS	12	"
Best Double Crown New Loose Muscatel RAISINS	12	"
New Valencia "	10	"
New Turkey PRUNES	8	"
New FIGS	15	"
Good Bar SOAP	6, 8, 10	"
Whole Dried PEAS	8 cts.	℔ qt.
Split "	8	"
WALNUTS	4 and 6	"
Good BROOMS	17 cts. each.	

FANCY CRACKERS of all kinds at lowest prices

And also everything kept in our line, at the very lowest prices for CASH! All goods sold by us will be as represented; Please call and examine. Goods sent to any part of the city free of charge. Remember the old stand.

N. F. Mathes & Co.,

NO. 48 MARKET STREET.

OUTFITTERS, TAKE NOTICE!

We have just received a new lot of NICKERSON'S

Excelsior Black Oil Clothing.

They are very soft, durable, and perfectly water-tight.

We have also EAGER'S

Best Yellow Oil Clothing,

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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
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MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
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Portland and East,	11.30 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

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E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

REPUBLICAN MEETING.

The Republicans of this city are requested to meet at the Court House this (Monday) evening, to arrange for a celebration of the election and inauguration of Rutherford B. Hayes and William A. Wheeler as President and Vice President of the United States.

PER ORDER.

JOTTINGS.

Hon. Frank Jones having succeeded to the title of Ex-Congressman Jones, it behooves the republicans of the First District to confirm that title "by a large majority."

The North church bell-frame being now undergoing repairs, the bell will not be rung at one and nine o'clock P. M., nor as a fire alarm, until further notice. In case of fire the bell of the Methodist church on State street will give the alarm.

The reform club will receive about $275 from the Fair held last week.

On Saturday each window in the second and third stories of the old custom-house building, corner of Daniel and Penhallow streets, was decorated with a small American flag. The two stories are occupied by Messrs. Moore & Tilton, wholesale manufacturers of men's clothing.

Passed Assistant Paymaster Joseph Foster of this city, has been nominated to be a Paymaster in the Navy from February 23, 1877, vice Paymaster Rufus Parks, nominated for promotion.

A correspondent writes: "Why was the fourth of March selected as the Presidential Inauguration Day? In an ancient almanac I find perhaps the true answer, viz: for the reason that the date seldom occurs on Sunday. If this is a fact, it shows the regard our fathers had for the Sabbath. Twice in our history Inauguration Day has occurred on Sunday. First, the second inaugural of James Monroe, March 4th, 1821; second, the inaugural of Zachary Taylor, March 4th, 1849. Taylor's inauguration took place the next day. The third instance occurs this year, March 4th, 1877. This will occur three times in one century, or one year after every seven leap years."

The readers of the CHRONICLE who may this summer have occasion to visit Boston, will thank us for reminding them that the American House more than sustains its well-earned reputation as one of the best hotels of New England. Particular attention is paid to the comfort of guests, and a desire to please is apparent in all parts of the house. Put the American down in your note book, and stop there when in Boston.

The Forty-fourth Congress is a thing of the past—thank Providence!—and we are under the impression that our prediction that no appropriation for a fog-whistle on Whale's-back would be made by it has proved only too correct. We feared at the time that the *Times* was a little premature in offering the "united thanks" of "all the mariners doing business at this port and along this coast" to Hon. Frank Jones "for introducing and successfully managing the matter in Congress."

The question is often asked, "What is the difference between a registered letter and any other?" The difference is that a registered letter does not go in the mail proper. It passes from hand to hand outside the mail pouches, every person through whose hands it passes being required to sign a receipt for it on receiving it, and secure a receipt for it on passing it over to the next in transit. The person holding the last receipt is thus always able to show who is accountable for the loss. The responsibility rests upon the man who has signed a receipt for the registered package, and who is not able to produce the package or a receipt from somebody else for it. The safest way to send money is by money order. Where it does not go to a money order office it should always be sent in a registered package. Money ought not to be sent in an ordinary letter under any circumstances. There is no possible way of "tracking" such a letter.

Mr. I. O. Wright has been appointed ticket agent and telegraph operator at the Eastern Railroad station in Hampton, *vice* Mr. William Fairbanks, transferred.

It is with pleasure that we record the fact that the two democratic Congressmen from this State, Hon. Samuel N. Bell of Manchester and Hon. Frank Jones of this city, were not included in the squad of reckless and dishonorable men who were so eager to overthrow by trickery and violence the decision of a tribunal they helped create,—who in reckless contempt of good faith and brazen defiance of every principle of honor, so shamelessly violated the solemn compact entered into by both parties and especially endorsed by the democratic party, through the resolutions of its conventions, the declarations of its candidates and the columns of its party press, that the decision of the Electoral Commission should be accepted as final let it be what it might. Messrs. Jones and Bell voted steadily with Col. Blair, the republican Congressman from this State, and the other republicans and honorable democrats in favor of completing the count and in opposition to the filibusters; and if it is said that they could not in honor have done otherwise, as Bell and Jones voted to establish the Commission while Blair voted against it, it should be remembered that such consideration was not sufficient to prevent many other democrats from acting differently, and that it would not have taken a change of many votes in the House to have defeated the election entirely.

Political.

The Boston *Post* has at last discovered that Tilden isn't elected, and taken the standing heading, "Tilden's Election," from the place it has occupied for four months. It says the democratic rooster accepts the situation and "has gone into training for New Hampshire." That rooster won't need any training at all for all the crowing he'll have to do over the New Hampshire election; dy'e mind that now?

A plucky democrat in Salem, Mass., who had kept a big Tilden and Hendricks flag flying in front of his place of business ever since the election, on Thursday took it in, ripped off the names and ran it out again.

The Chicago *Times* (democratic) calls Hewitt "stale oyster;" Bayard is "a rock-rooted demagogue" and "paleozoic lizard;" Thurman is a "wabbler upon a pre-Adamite political swivel;" Le Moyne is "a lamb;" Carter Harrison is "a bag of wind;" Ben Hill is "a blatant Bourbon mountebank;" John Young Brown is "a bloviant humbug;" Lamar is "a backboneless poltroon;" Kernan is "a political invertebrate."

Three of the prominent anti-anarchists among the southern democrats during the disgraceful filibustering last week were Col. Henry Watterson, Milton J. Durham and John Young Brown, all of Kentucky. In the midst of the greatest confusion Mr. Brown, standing in the aisle by his seat, denounced the rowdy element in the House which was disgracing the name of the American Congress in unmeasured terms. It will be remembered that he was the member censured by a vote of the previous House for unparliamentary language toward Gen. Butler, who had enraged him by some remark.

Judge Abbott of Massachusetts, democrat, with Messrs. Sayler and Lawrence, signed a despatch sent from Columbia, S. C., on the 28th of December, certifying that after careful examinating of the returns from all the precincts of the State, they find that all the Hayes and Wheeler electors have a fair majority on the face of the returns. On Tuesday, Feb. 27th, Judge Abbott, as Electoral Commissioner, found arguments for throwing out the Electoral Vote of South Carolina and he and his six democratic colleagues voted to disfranchise the State. And this same Judge Abbott has been one of the loudest blowers about republican "partisanship" in connection with the Commission he disgraced!

It is quite evident that the bombshell of surprise which the filibusters kept hinting was to be exploded in the republican camp, was the return of the Vermont Cronin electoral college which they were informed had been forwarded by mail to Mr. Ferry, and which he would be obliged to open, thus affording an almost certain means of delaying the count until after the 4th of March. Mr. Ferry presented but one certificate, and on its reading inquired if there were any objections? Poppleton, of Ohio, jumped up, and, looking about in a dazed way, asked if there were not a contesting certificate from Vermont. Mr. Ferry answered in his passive way that he had received but one certificate of the vote of Vermont. Hewitt would not believe it, and, flourishing a packet which he said he had received by express—a package containing the electoral certificate from Vermont, insisted on sending it as such to Mr. Ferry. Very calmly, but inflexibly, Mr. Ferry said the law forbade his receiving any certificate at the time, and accordingly refused to take it.

Says the New York *Sun*: "Our respected cotemporary, the New York *Times*, seems anxious that returning board Hayes should be 'treated like a gentleman.' Then let him prove himself a gentleman. No gentleman keeps stolen property." Who, in Heaven's name, has been telling the editor of the New York *Sun* what a gentleman would or would not do in any contingency?

During the late Congressional election campaign in Massachusetts, one hundred and fourteen "independents" signed a published invitation for Congressman Charles P. Thompson to address the electors at Salem, he being a candidate for re-election, and Dr. George B. Loring his republican opponent. When the late democratic House voted to give Goode of Virginia the seat in Congress to which Mr. Platte was unquestionably elected by an overwhelming majority, "Our Charlie" denounced the outrage in the strongest possible terms; last week he was one of the worst filibusters on the floor of the House. The explanation is that his patriotic non-partisanship in the Platte-Goode case was a bid for re-election from a strongly republican district; but when the questions of the Presidency and democratic good faith were on trial he could afford to show himself in his true character, as he had been repdiated by his constituents. Dr. Loring fills the seat in the present Congress that "Our Charlie" ratled around in in the last one.

New Hampshire Items.

On Friday, at the trial of La Page in Concord, expert testimony was offered regarding the stains found on La Page's clothing and on Josie Langmaid's garments. Some of this evidence was entirely new, and proves conclusively that murder was not the only crime of which the unfortunate girl was the victim. Julienne Rousse, La Page's sister-in-law, whom he outraged and attempted to murder in Canada and the admission of whose testimony against him in the trial last year resulted in his getting a new trial on exceptions, was put on the witness stand Friday, but her evidence was mainly excluded by the Court. The general expectation seems to be that La Page will be again convicted; but if he is acquitted he will be at once re-arrested on a charge of having outraged and murdered Henrietta Ball at St. Albans, Vt., some years ago, the evidence being almost conclusive that that demoniac crime was his work.

—Dr. Young says man and wife are like soul and body, always at variance yet loth to part.

—A man stopping at a Chicago hotel was put into a room on the top floor, the bell in which was out of order. After wrestling with it for half an hour he went to the window and collected a crowd on the street by waving a pillow-case, whereupon he shouted loud enough to be heard in Omaha, "Some or you fellows go to that office and tell them to send up a cocktail."

DIED.

HALLIBURTON. In this city, March 2d, Mrs. S. A. Halliburton, aged 85 years.

☞ Service at St. John's church this (Monday) afternoon at three o'clock.

RUSSELL. In this city, March 3d, Mrs. Elizabeth Russell, aged 84 years, wife of the late Benjamin Russel.

☞ Funeral on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, from the residence of Mr. Benjamin Russell, No. 57 Water street.

GRANT.—In this city, March 2, infant son of John H. and Myra Grant, aged 13 months.

HALL.—In Newcastle, Feb. 28, Mr. Franklin Hall, aged 46 years and 7 months.

SHAW.—In Hampton, Feb. 28, Miss Jennie Shaw, aged 19 years, daughter of the late John Shaw.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch Mary J Adams, Coombs, from Bristol, Me, for Woods Hole, arr at Salem Feb 27.

Ship Jean Ingelow, Tanton, from Manila Sept 19 for New York, spoken Dec 26, lat 34 20 S, lon 53 22 E.

Ship Grandee, of this port, in 1873, made the passage from New York to Cailao in 84 days; thence San Francisco in 31 days. In 1876, New York: Cailao in 69 days; thence to Hampton Roads in 86 days. Dec 2, 1876, left New York under command of Capt Joseph H Stubbs, and made the passage to Melbourne in 81 days.

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An Old-Time Duel.

A correspondent of the Chicago *Tribune* writes that paper the following account of a famous duel fought long ago, as it was related to the writer by Mr. N. N. Jones of Normal, Ill., whose early life was spent in the South:

During the winter of 1836 I was stopping in Vicksburg, Miss. Early one morning a report was circulated through the town that a duel was to be fought on the other side of the river, which is in the State of Louisiana, and in which vicinity at that time no one lived. Following the example of others, I obtained a passage in a small row-boat and went over. The boatmen did a lively business that day. Some persons estimated the number of men and boys that were present, and who witnessed the duel, as high as three thousand. On landing I soon joined a group of persons, among whom was one dressed in a white suit, cut in military style. He was apparently about twenty-two years of age, was about five feet in height, and weighed about one hundred pounds. He was a handsome little gentleman, and was surrounded by friends. I soon learned that he was one of the two who were to exchange rifle-shots at thirty steps; that his name was Menafee (a brother of Dick Menafee, a member of Congress from Kentucky, much noted for his eloquence,) and a Vicksburg merchant of high standing. The white suit, I learned, was chosen because it was thought to be not as easy to draw a bead on white as on a dark color. The bosom of his coat had the appearance of being padded. He appeared to be a little nervous, and took a little brandy now and then, possibly to quiet his nerves or fortify his courage.

In about a half hour two men were seen coming up the bank of the river. They proved to be Colonel McClurg, a lawyer of Jackson, Miss., and his second. McClurg had acquired some notoriety as a duelist, having, as report said, already killed his fifth man. He was a Kentuckian by birth and education, as also was his opponent, Menafee. He was about ten years older than the latter, and in appearance he very much resembled Abraham Lincoln, though he was not quite as large a man. He soon afterward acquired notoriety for bravery during the war with Mexico. He volunteered and led the forlorn hope at the Bishop's Palace at Monterey, and after the war was sent by President Taylor as Minister to Brazil. On his return home from there he died. I read in a newspaper a short time afterward that he said before he died that he had but one desire to live to satisfy, and that was to fight a duel with Jeff. Davis. He said that he had challenged him twice already; that he was a bad man, and would bring trouble on this country some day if he lived—which has, as we all know, proved true.

The seconds, after throwing "heads and tails" awhile for positions, and who should give the word, etc., stepped off the distance—thirty yards—placed their men facing each other, neither of them speaking to the other. McClurg took from his pocket a large bowie-knife and a horse-pistol—there were no six-shooters made at that time—and gave them to his second; he then unbuttoned his vest and shirt, and showed to his opponent that there was nothing to prevent his bullet from an entrance to his heart. Menafee did not follow his example. The rifles were now handed to the principals by their seconds. One of the seconds took a position half way between the duelists, and about twelve feet out of the direct line in which the deadly balls were expected to pass. He then said, "Gentlemen, are you ready?" Each one answered and said, "All ready." He then said, "One, two, fire, stop!" At the word "two," Menafee fired; I think McClung did not fire; as I heard but one report, and saw the latter club his gun, throw it some distance from him and say to his second: "D—n you, you didn't cock it right!" The second probably had neglected to set the triggers.

No one being damaged, preparation went on for another round, and in about thirty minutes they took their positions again; the second said as before, "One, two, three, stop!" At the word "two," Menafee, after the report, reeled part way round and fell, being wounded in the head. Hundreds immediately surrounded the prostrate man. McClurg to all appearance was perfectly cool. I went to where he was standing, in about five minutes. His second came running from where Menafee lay, and said to him, "You have killed him!" McClurg then said, "Give me my pistol and bowie-knife, and let them come on!" evidently expecting to be mobbed by Menafee's friends. I was told afterward by one who was there that a brother of Menafee's did start to go to McClurg, but was stopped by a friend who told him that his brother had become conscious, and said he would fight again as soon as he was able. Poor fellow, he lived but two days. McClurg and his friend left the ground immediately.

McClurg, who had received a beating with a billiard-cue from Menafee, was the challenging party; Menafee accepted the challenge. Having the right to choose the place of meeting and arms to fight, also the distance, Menafee chose to fight at his own home, with rifles, at thirty steps. It was said that he had practiced with his rifle until he could hit a silver dollar at every shot. He did not shoot in the second encounter, and, very luckily, in his fall his

gun was not discharged. Had it been, undoubtedly some of the spectators would have been wounded or killed, and as there was a wall of men several tiers deep on each side, and not more than thirty feet from the direct line of the bullet's passage; and what few trees there were close around were also full of spectators.

The Sheriff of the county was present, but did not make any attempt to prevent the duel from taking place. He was, however, prompt in doing his duty to prevent liquor being sold on the ground unlawfully. A man that had brought over the river a quantity for sale was prevented from selling it, unless he would pay to the Sheriff $50, that being the price for a license.

This was the first and last duel I ever witnessed. I could scarcely realize that which I saw was a reality. I was disgusted at the sight, and resolved that I would never see another.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, MARCH 6, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

GRANVILLE P. CONN,

OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,

GILMAN MARSTON,

OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,

JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

President Hayes' Cabinet.

President Hayes was sworn in on Saturday evening, in the Red Room of the White House, in presence of Senator Sherman and General Grant, Chief Justice Waite administering the oath of office. The inaugural ceremonies took place on Monday, and though quite imposing were less extensive than in years past, owing to the brief time allowed for preparation.

The *Globe's* Washington correspondent telegraped on Sunday that John Sherman had been offered the Secretarship of the Treasury, and had accepted; that Gen. Joe Johnston of Virginia had been invited to be Secretary of War, Mr. Evarts to be Secretary of State, Mr. McCreary to be Attorney-General, and Carl Shurz to be Secretary of the Interior. Hancock of Texas, Key of Tennessee and Josiah G. Hill of Georgia were mentioned for Postmaster-General. Senator Cragin of New Hampshire was considered likely to be Secretary of the Navy. It was not considered probable that Joe Johnston would accept a Cabinet position.

The Forty-fourth Congress.

The second and last session of the Forty-fourth Congress ended at 12 o'clock, noon, on Sunday, by constitutional limitation. The army appropriation bill failed of a passage through a disagreement between the two Houses, and it is probable that a called session of Congress will take place in June, though a Washington correspondent says: "In regard to the question of an extra session, in consequence of the failure of the Army Appropriation bill, the reporter was informed by an official of the War Department, likely to be well-posted, that under some sections of an old law the War and Navy Departments can be carried on for two years without any special appropriation, and that the Departments of the Secretaries of War and Navy can be honored by the Treasury Department. If that be so, then the calling of an extra session is not altogether a matter of certainty." The legislative appropriation bill passed, with the President's salary unreduced. The navy bill appropriates $850,000 more for the pay of the navy than the bill of last year. The payment of claims allowed by Southern Claims Commission was provided for. The post route bill passed, with the provision for fast mail trains stricken out. The equalization bounty bill was indefinitely postponed in the Senate by a vote of 31 to 28, Senator Cragin voting for and Senator Wadleigh against the postponement. The Senate postponed the specie resumption bill until next December, by a vote of 27 to 22. Speaker Randall and Senator Ferry, at the moment of adjourning without day the houses over which they have respectively resided, made the customary farewell speeches. Mr. Randall's valedictory is somewhat criticised as a partisan harangue and not in good taste; but it had the merit of being short.

The Constitutional Amendments.

In the absorbing attention devoted to the National election, our State election has aroused less interest than usual, and the fact that important changes in the State Convention are to be voted on next Tuesday has been almost lost sight of. A full vote on these amendments is important, that the wishes of the entire body of voters may be manifested, either for or against the adoption of any of the proposed changes; they should neither be defeated or adopted by the failure of any large number of voters to do their duty; we therefore urge every citizen to vote "Yes" or "No" upon each of the questions submitted. The questions are as follows:

1. "Do you approve of striking out the word "*Protestant*" in the Bills of Rights, as proposed in the amended constitution?"

As we consider that the State has no business to interfere with any religion in any way, we shall make sure that one "Yes" goes into the box in answer to that question, if everybody else in the State votes against it.

2. "Do you approve of so amending the constitution that the General Court shall be authorized to provide for the trial of causes in which the value in controversy does not exceed one hundred dollars and title to real estate is not concerned, without the intervention of a jury, as proposed in the amended constitution?"

This amendment, if adopted, will save thousands of dollars annually to the taxpayers of the State, expedite the administration of the law, and make it possible for a poor man to collect a small debt without the cost of collection many times exceeding the amount recovered.

3. "Do you approve of the biennial election of governor, councillors, members of the Senate and House of Representatives, and biennial sessions of the legislature, as proposed in the amended constitution?"

It is urged in favor of this amendment that it would save one-half the expenses of running the Legislature, but we are not clear that it would do so; the Legislature has just about so much work to perform each year, and if every second year the amount should be doubled and the length of the session correspondingly increased, the saving effected by having no session in the "off year" would not amount to much. But the labor and cost and turmoil of the election would be gotten rid of one year in every two, which would be a decided gain.

4. "Do you approve of a House of Representatives based upon population, and constituted and chosen, as provided in the amended constitution?"

5. "Do you approve of a Senate of twenty-four members, to be constituted and chosen as provided in the amended constitution?"

These amendments will reduce the size of the House and increase the Senate to something near the proper proportions. That the Senate as now constituted is ridiculously disproportioned to the House, and the latter cumbrous and unwieldy to the last degree, is acknowledged on all hands; and the plan proposed to remedy these evils is as fair a compromise between the larger and smaller constituencies as could be devised. If this amendment is not adopted, one of the most important objects for which the Constitutional Convention was called will be defeated.

6. "Do you approve of the election by the people of registers of probate, solicitors and sheriffs, as provided in the amended constitution?"

Those who believe the special qualifications required for the efficient filling of the offices mentioned will be more likely to be found in the nominees of a party caucus than in the carefully-selected appointees of the Governor and Council, will vote "Yes" on this question.

7. "Do you approve of abolishing the religious test as a qualification for office, as provided in the amended constitution?"

As the religious test has for many years been a dead letter, it should be removed for that reason if for no other; and the State has no business to say anything about religion, anyway.

8. "Do you approve of prohibiting the General Court from authorizing towns or cities to loan or give their money or credit to corporations, as proposed in the amended constitution?"

As the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad "loan" is still fresh in mind, we shall not narrow up the feelings of the voters of Portsmouth by making any remarks on this question. We presume they will all vote on it.

9. "Do you approve of changing the time for holding the State election from March to November, as proposed in the amended constitution?"

This we hope to see approved; we shall thereby escape having to fire "the first gun" in every Presidential campaign, shall be able to keep our representation in Congress always full (we have no Representatives in Congress now,) and shall avoid having two elections every Presidential year. And November is a better time for election than March.

10. "Do you approve of authorizing the General Court to provide that appeals from a justice of the peace may be tried by some other court without the intervention of a jury, as proposed in the amended constitution?"

11. "Do you approve of authorizing the General Court to increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace to one hundred dollars, as proposed in the constitutional amendment?"

Those who vote in favor of question second will also vote for numbers ten and eleven, and for the same reasons. Those who vote "No" to question second will vote against these.

12. "Do you approve of the proposed amendment prohibiting the removal of officers for political reasons?"

Bosh.

13. "Do you approve the proposed amendment prohibiting money raised by taxation from being applied to the support of the schools or institutions of any religious sect or denomination, as proposed in the amended constitution?"

This question should be answered "yes," for the same reason that questions one and seven should be. No government has any right to say that any man must be a Catholic, a Protestant, a Hebrew or a Pagan, or that he shall not be either one he chooses, so long as he does not infringe on the rights of other men; and no government has a right to take a Pagan's money to support a Christian school or a Catholic's money to support a Protestant school. We hope this amendment will be adopted, as we have no doubt it will be.

In conclusion, we again urge every man to vote on the amendments, that there may be no question as to what the people of the State desire, whether it be to adopt or reject the various amendments proposed.

News and Notes.

Joe Coburn, the notorious prize-fighter and bully, has been convicted in New York of assault with intent to kill. It is to be hoped this ruffian will get the extreme penalty of the law.

The body of an unknown man, about forty years old, was found Saturday night in a field in Cranston, R. I., having become exposed by the melting of the snow. He was clad in new clothes throughout, had sandy beard and whiskers and had been dead several months.

Miss Bertha Von Hillern completed her walk of 100 miles in twenty-eight hours at Boston Music Hall, Saturday night, with thirteen minutes and thirty-two seconds to spare. A brilliant audience of some 4000 Beacon Hill and Back Bay residents witnessed the last ten miles of her walk, and gave her something very like an ovation at its close.

A three-masted schooner, supposed to be named "Mary L. Lucy" or "Mary L. Lunt," went ashore at Barnegat Friday night and all hands were lost.

The Philadelphia *Ledger* says: The four steamships of the American Steamship Company, the Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, all built in this city and of American iron, have made such favorable impression on the English underwriters that they have been accorded a rate of insurance lower than that of any other steamers in the Transatlantic trade, except two of the Cunard ships, and those two pay the same rate as the American line.

New Hampshire Items.

The identity of the man found dead in a Nashua canal is established. His name was John McDonald, a native of the Province of Quebec. His death was accidental.

The republicans of Dover opened the State campaign Saturday night by a meeting, which was addressed by Hon. Daniel Wheeler, Judge Leonard of Louisiana, and Hon. Jacob H. Ela.

The Hayes and Wheeler Continental Guards, of Dover, are to have a torch-light procession this week.

The Manchester prohibitionists on Saturday night nominated H. H. Huse for Mayor.

Professor A. C. Young, of Dartmouth College, has accepted the chair of astronomy at Princeton, to the great disappointment of the students and faculty of Dartmouth.

The case for the government in the La Page trial was rested on Saturday, and the defence opened. The line of defence will be an attempt to prove an alibi. It is considered that the government has made out a stronger case than at the first trial.

Political.

Abram S. Hewitt has resigned the position of chairman of the Democratic National Committee.

The New York *Sun* is in a state of mind over President Hayes' election, comes out in mourning, and urges unceasing war on the new administration. What's the matter with Dana now? Everybody knows the motive for his long-sustained course of reckless slander and falsehood about President Grant—rage at having been refused the Collectorship of the port of New York; but Hayes hasn't refused Dana any office.

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Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of the above ward are hereby notified that the caucus for the choice of three (3) Representatives to be supported at the Polls, March 13th, 1877, is to be holden in the Ward Room on Elm street at 7:30 P. M., Friday, March 9th, 1877. PER ORDER.

WARD TWO CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of Ward Two are hereby notified to meet at the Court House on Friday evening, March 9th, at half past seven o'clock, for the purpose of nominating four candidates to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may before the meeting. PER ORDER.

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ON AND AFTER MARCH 5th, 1877, all offices within 500 miles circuit, 25 cents; all offices east of Missouri River over 500 miles, 35 cents. The present system of half-rate night messages will be discontinued from this date; 25 words will however be transmitted at night for delivery the following morning for the price of the ten-word day message under the same condition in other respects that now govern half-rate night messages.

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WARD ONE.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Elm Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot one person to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Court Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot two persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this 24th day of February, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest
NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Office of Jacob Haddock on Islington Street, near the Creek in said Ward, on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

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WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Water street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot two persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

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Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT E. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
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JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

Checklist Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECKLISTS, give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, March 1st, Wednesday, March 7th, and Monday, March 12th, 1877, from 9 o'clock, A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 6 o'clock, P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the lists of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 A. M. and from 1 to 2 o'clock, P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of publishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted, and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Checklists.

SALE OF NAVAL VESSELS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
February 27, 1877.

The Navy Department will offer for sale at public auction the following named vessels:

At the United States Navy Yard, Portsmouth, N. H., on Tuesday, the 20th of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., the U. S. Ship "SABINE" of 1,475 tons measurement.

At the United States Navy Yard, New York, on Thursday, the 29th of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., the U. S. Steamer "SUSQUEHANNA" of 2,213 tons measurement.

The vessels will be offered as they lie on the day of sale. They may be examined at any time previous to the day of sale on application to the commandants of the yards where they are respectively, who will exhibit to persons desiring to bid an inventory of such articles as may be sold with them.

Thirty (30) per centum of the purchase money must be deposited at the time of sale, and the balance paid in cash when the sale is confirmed by the Department, the vessels to be removed within ten days from the date of such confirmation.

The Government reserves the right to withdraw the vessels, or either of them, from sale, to confirm the sale, and to reject any bid or offer which may be considered inadequate. 1tawtuth27

Foreclosure of Mortgage.

ON the fourth day of September last, I took possession of a tract of land in Portsmouth in the County of Rockingham, at the Point of Graves so called, bounded northerly by land formerly of Thomas Chapman, easterly by the Piscataqua River, Southerly by the city privileges of the city of Portsmouth, and westerly by Mechanic street, together with the wharf and the buildings on said lot and all the machinery and fixtures therein, being the same formerly called the Franklin Foundry, and have ever since held possession of the same for condition broken of a mortgage of the premises made by Phineas Drake Jr. to Alfred W. Haven, James W. Emery and Joshua W. Peirce, dated the twenty-third day of July A. D. 1859 and recorded in the records of said county Lib. 356 fol. 131, to secure three notes of said Drake of six hundred dollars each, one of which has been paid to said Emery has been paid, and one payable to said Haven and one payable to Joshua W. Peirce have been assigned with said mortgage to me. Said possession was commenced and is held for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage.

OLIVER AYERS.

Portsmouth, March 2, 1877. 4-10-17

PULMOCICLE.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street**, and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

TAKE NOTICE.

N. F. Mathes & Co.

Announce to the Public, that they

Will now Retail

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS

FOR CASH AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Also, everything kept in a first class grocery store now selling at a great reduction from former prices, such as

Pure CANDIES	20 cts. ℔ ℔.
Granulated SUGAR	12½ "
A Coffee "	11½ "
B " "	11 "
Brown "	10 "
Fine Breakfast TEA,	32 "
" Oolong "	40 "
Extra " "	50 "
" Fomosa "	65 "
Japan "	33 "
Extra Japan "	65 "
Clear PORK	12½ "
Northern Smoked HAMS	13 "
Leaf LARD	14 "
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35 "
" " Rio "	30 "
" Green Java "	28 "
" " Rio "	25 "
CURRANTS	8 "
Box RAISINS	12 "
Best Double Crown New Loose Muscatel RAISINS	12 "
New Valencia "	10 "
New Turkey PRUNES	8 "
New FIGS	15 "
Good Bar SOAP	6, 8, 10 "
Whole Dried PEAS	8 cts. ℔ qt.
Split "	8 "
WALNUTS	4 and 6 "
Good BROOMS	17 cts. each.

FANCY CRACKERS of all kinds at lowest prices

And also everything kept in our line, at the very lowest prices for CASH! All goods sold by us will be as represented; Please call and examine. Goods sent to any part of the city free of charge. Remember the old stand.

N. F. Mathes & Co.,

NO. 48 MARKET STREET.

OUTFITTERS, TAKE NOTICE!

We have just received a new lot of NICKERSON'S

Excelsior Black Oil Clothing.

They are very soft, durable, and perfectly water-tight.

We have also EAGER'S

Best Yellow Oil Clothing,

The reputation of which, as a first-rate article, has been fully established in this vicinity.

NIPPERS, WHITE MITTENS, SOCKS, JUMPERS, MATTRESSES, QUILTS,

In fact, everything necessary to make a person warm and comfortable.

☞ These Goods have all been bought recently, at the lowest market rates, and will be sold for cash at a small margin from cost.

BOW STREET, No. 3,

(New Number.)

C. E. MYERS & CO.

HEALTH LIFT!

A Thorough Gymnastic System

FOR LADIES and GENTLEMEN

In 10 Minutes once a Day.

Doubles the Strength in three months. Does not Fatigue nor Exhaust. Refreshes and Invigorates. Removes Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Tones the Nervous System. Improves the Circulation. Warms the Extremities. Increases the general Vitality.

RECOMMENDED BY LEADING PHYSICIANS.

Portsmouth Branch Agency

OF THE

New York Health Lift Co.

Exercise and Sales Room:

ROOMS 1 & 2 BADGER'S BLOCK,

9 DANIEL STREET, PORTSMOUTH.

A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in the subject of Physical Culture. tmch26

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 52 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

Houses to Let.

ALSO, one very desirable Estate for sale: price $1100—terms easy. Apply to A. J. PENHALLOW, tmch10 No. 25 Court Street.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, Islington, Broad and Spring Streets, at Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Laid Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tobetts.
House No. 36 Deer Street.
Brick House No. 58 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 3 Rockingham Street.
Apply to A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for house cellar.

FRANK W. MILLER.

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is now, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main traveled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

—APPLY TO—

JOSEPH S. GRANT

2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

TEAS TEAS TEAS

25 BOXES

New Oolong and Japan Teas,

From 32 cents to $1.00 per pound.

We have received a large lot of Tea Caddies and Canisters, holding from one to twenty pounds each and shall present each customer purchasing the same full or Ten, with a Canister or Caddie. We have in our stock as fine qualities of Tea as can be found anywhere in the United States.

DATES DATES DATES

1500 Pounds New Dates,

SELLING CHEAP AT

BUTLER & LAIGHTON'S.

COFFEE COFFEE

WE can sell you the best pound of Fresh Ground Old Gov't Java COFFEE to be found in the city. Our Coffees are fresh roasted every week and ground in our store when sold.

Butler & Laighton,

1 MARKET SQUARE.

SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS.

FERRIS & CO'S SUGAR-CURED HAMS,

WEIGHING FROM 8 TO 12 LBS.,

For Sale By

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Choice Flower and Garden Seeds, STRAWBERRIES, PEACHES,

ETC., ETC., ETC.

New Sorts, by Mail.

PLANTS of the newest and finest improved sorts, carefully packed and prepaid by mail. My collection of Strawberries took the first premium for the best Collection, at the great show of the Mass. Horticultural Society, in Boston. I grow over 100 varieties, the most complete collect on in the country, including all the new, large American and imported kinds. Priced Descriptive Catalogues, gratis, by mail. Also, Bulbs, Fruit Trees, Roses, Evergreens, Choice Flower, Garden, Tree, Evergreen, Herb, or Fruit Seeds, 25 packets of either for $1.00, by mail.

C. C. The True Cape Cod Cranberry, best sort for Upland, Lowland, or Garden, by mail prepaid. $1.00 per 100, $5.00 per 1,000. Wholesale Catalogue to the Trade. Agents Wanted.

C. C.

B. M. WATSON,

Old Colony Nurseries and Seed Warehouse, Established 1842. PLYMOUTH, MASS.

American and Swiss

WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

CLOCKS and JEWELRY.

—AT—

Messrs. C. E. & J. E. DIXON'S,

7 CONGRESS STREET.

Fine Watch Repairing and engraving. Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.

ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, *via* Portland, a lot of OYSTERS.—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at **FREEMAN'S Oyster House**, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

MERCER GOODRICH

Has an Extensive Stock of

SCHOOL BOOKS,
AUTOGRAPH ALBUMS,
PORTEMONNAIES, BILL BOOKS,
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NOTE PAPERS, LETTER PAPERS, GOLD PENS,
BILL PAPERS, LEGAL PAPERS, PENS,
INKS, and ENVELOPES. Also,
CENTENNIAL VIEWS,
FRANG'S CHROMO
CARDS, &C.

☞ I shall open next month a complete line of ROOM PAPERS, CURTAINS, BORDERS, TASSELS, &c., &c.

City Building, - - Market Square.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30	P.M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord, Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50	P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30	"
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50	"

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the eight mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

REPUBLICAN CELEBRATION.

A large and enthusiastic meeting of the republicans of Portsmouth was held in the Court House on Monday evening, Dr. B. W. Curtis in the chair, Ephraim Urch, secretary. It was resolved to celebrate the National victory by a torchlight procession on Wednesday evening, in which the Hayes and Wheeler Guards and Boys' Battalion will take part. Republicans generally, of this city and surrounding towns being cordially invited to join. Citizens on the route of procession (which will be announced to-morrow) are invited to illuminate their houses. The following committee of arrangements was appointed:

Edward B. Primo, H. C. Locke, J. H. Locke, Ward One; Joseph P. Morse, Thomas E. Call, Samuel Adams, Ward Two; Charles H. Hayes, William Sladen, Charles A. C. Gray, Ward Three; Michael J. Vaughan, Oliver D. Locke, William H. Rollins, Ward Four. On motion, the following were added: B. W. Curtis, Wm. H. Sise, Wm. O. Sides, W. A. Hodgdon, W. R. Foster, D. J. Vaughan. B. W. Curtis was chosen chairman of the committee.

A meeting of the committee will be held at half-past ten o'clock this (Tuesday) forenoon, at the republican committee room over Henry M. Clark's store.

Oil for torches will be furnished at Rufus K. Oxford's store.

JOTTINGS.

Two young men of Kittery, named Haven Fernald and John Brooks, neither being yet twenty-one years of age, started from Gloucester, Mass., at twelve o'clock Thursday night, in a fourteen-foot dory containing all their trawl-fishing gear, and arrived at this port at ten o'clock Friday forenoon, having rowed the entire distance.

A good many democrats in this city are boiling over with indignation at Hon. Frank Jones' course in voting against the anarchists during the last three days of the Presidential count, and not a few of them declare in the most emphatic language that they will not vote to send him to Congress again. We have heard a good deal of just such talk before; but when election day came the "straight ticket" was carried all the same, and it will be this time, too. Don't talk too savagely, boys; the more you blow about it now the more "crow" you will have to consume next Tuesday. Talk is cheap; draw it mild, please.

The republicans of Kittery fired one hundred guns at noon on Monday in honor of the inauguration of President Hayes and Vice President Wheeler. They also had an inauguration ball in Trefethen's Hall in the evening, the attendance being very large.

The announcement of the immediate issue of the *Portsmouth Weekly*, by Frank W. Miller & Co., will be found in another column. It would seem to be rather a hard time to start any new business, particularly a new paper in Portsmouth; but Mr. Miller will make it go if anybody can.

Steamer Perkiomen sailed for Philadelphia shortly after four o'clock Monday afternoon, having discharged her cargo of coal.

If any republican feels moved to vote for Frank Jones on account of his having voted against the shameful breach of faith attempted by the Proctor Knotts and Hewitts and Springers and Poppletons in the Presidential count matter, let him remember that there would have been no question and no anxiety as to how Gilman Marston would have voted had he been in Congress at the time. If their respective records as Congressman are to decide the election, it will take more than three figures to express Gen. Marston's majority. As to which of the two candidates will make the most creditable Representative, no just comparison can be instituted, for Gen. Marston is eminently fitted to represent with credit the District and the State, while Mr. Jones simply is not.

The rite of confirmation was administered to eighteen persons at the evening service in St. John's church, Sunday, by Bishop Niles.

NO "TRADE" DOWN HERE.

The republican papers in other parts of the State report the democrats as exceedingly desirous to trade votes with the republicans,—to give democratic votes to the republican nominee for Governor, in exchange for republican votes for a democratic Congressman. They may have some success at this business in other places, but we have not heard of their attempting to engage in it in this city, and they will meet with no success if they do. The republicans of this section are as well aware as are the democrats that there is not a ghost of a chance of Mr. Prescott's defeat and Mr. Marcy's victory; and they also fully appreciate the vital importance of New Hampshire's representation in the present Congress being unanimously republican, and propose to do their share toward making it so. If the inland districts will do as well proportionately as the seacoast will, Gen. Marston's majority over Mr. Jones will be larger than was that of Hayes over Tilden in this district; there will be no trading off of votes in Portsmouth, in Frank Jones' favor. On the contrary, if their own statements can be relied on, not a few democrats will "scratch" Mr. Jones, even if they do not go the length of voting for Gen. Marston; and it is more than hinted that some democrats who think the beer interest more prominently represented on their ticket than it should be, to the neglect of interests of more importance to the welfare of the community, will vote for Emmons B. Philbrick in preference to Marcellus Eldredge.

RYE.

RYE, March 5th.

The meeting at the Town Hall, on Saturday evening, 3d inst., was fully attended, and presided over by Emmons B. Philbrick, Esq. The proposed amendments to the constitution were discussed by G. H. Jenness, Esq., Ex-Judge C. T. Garland, and David Jenness, Esq., the latter gentleman being the delegate from this town to the Convention. There was some difference of opinion in regard to the proposed amendments, although it seemed to be the general idea that a majority of them should be adopted. The music by the Rye Cornet Band, who kindly volunteered their services, was a pleasant feature of the evening, and take it all in all the meeting was a success.

Not much is said as yet about election. The democrats, of course, are not feeling quite so jubilant as they did the day after they voted for Tilden, while the republicans are much better satisfied than they were then. The latter's joy is deep, but quiet. They never like to hurt any one's feelings, so they concluded to dispense with ringing the "town bell" when the news came that Gen. Hayes was to be the next President sure, for fear that it might cause anguish among their democratic friends, who perhaps consider it a "democratic bell" and nothing else, for they did ring it until their arms got tired, for three nights, when they thought Tilden was elected!

The check-list is posted, and on it are the names of 341 voters. The population of Rye is about 1000, so it would seem that the proportion of the "sturdy yeomanry" to women, children and "aliens" is more than one to three,—a showing which it is not probable that many towns in this State or any other can equal. The Jennesses make the largest show on the list, thirty-two, all of whom reside in the South and West school districts. Next come the Rands, twenty-four; Philbricks, twenty-one; Lockes, sixteen; Browns, fourteen; Fosses, thirteen; Seaveys, Odiornes and Caswells, eleven each. As far as writer of this is aware there is not a naturalized or colored voter in the list, and nearly all are to the "manor born." The "members from Gosport" may be exceptions.

The parties stand at present at about two to one, the democrats of course having the majority, as they have had for fifty years. The largest democratic vote since 1856, when the republican party was organized, was 212, in 1868; the smallest 153, in 1873. The largest republican vote was 104, in 1875; the smallest sixty-three, in 1863. The largest democratic majority during this time was 142, in 1863; the smallest fifty, in 1873. The above refers to State elections. Gen. Scott in 1852 received but thirty-one votes in Rye.

YOURS, NAT.

MR. JONES' RECORD.

PORTSMOUTH, March 5th.

Eds. Chronicle:—Doubtless your readers have been much interested as from time to time you have informed them through your columns of the great things ex-Congressman Jones has done or has failed to do during his term of service at Washington. We believe in giving to all their just due, whether they are political friends or foes, and were pleased to see Mr. Jones recording himself on the side of law and order during the early stages of the great filibustering movement of the past few weeks in Congress; but your statement of this morning does injustice to the great brewer, from the fact that at the moment when every true friend to a republican form of government was needed to record himself on the right side, Mr. Jones "lost his head" and voted with those who did their level best (or worst) to destroy *all government*. The Boston papers of Friday last record "Jones of New Hampshire," when the question was put on Mr. Knott's amendment to Mr. Caulfield's resolution then under debate, as voting "Yea." The amendment required the bogus Vermont Electoral package to be opened, and declared that the House would not meet the Senate in joint convention until it was opened! The excitement was intense. It was immediately following the most riotous proceedings that had taken place during the whole of the count, and was the time of all others that "Jones of New Hampshire" should have voted with Bell and Blair as he had previously done. We hope every voter will examine this record for himself, and then consider the cheek of such a man coming home to his constituency and asking for a re-election.

Messrs. Editors, we have heard a great deal about a "fair count," and no doubt but we have had it; now let us have

A FAIR RECORD.

A Lady Wants to Know

the latest Parisian style of dress and bonnet; a new way to arrange the hair. Millions are expended for artificial appliances which only make conspicuous the fact that emaciation, nervous debility, and female weakness, exist. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is sold under a positive guarantee. If used as directed, *art* can be dispensed with. It will overcome those diseases peculiar to females. Dr. Pierce's Memorandum Books are given away by druggists.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch John E Sanford, Berry, for this port cld from Baltimore March 3.

Sch R Vanneman, Brower, for this port cld from Philadelphia March 1.

Ship Jean Ingelow, Tanton, from Manila Sept 19, for New York, spoken Feb 15, lat 2 43, lon 29.

Sch Mary J Adams, Coombs, from Boothbay for Woods Hole, arr at Vineyard Haven March 2.

Sch John L Tracey, Meservey, for this port cld from Wilmington NC Feb 28.

Breathing Miasma Without Injury.

There is no exaggeration in the statement that thousands of persons residing from one year's end to another in fever and ague regions on this Continent and elsewhere, breathe air more or less impregnated with miasma, without incurring the disease, simply and only because they are in the habit of using Hostetter's Stomach Bitters as a preventive. It has frequently happened, and the fact has been amply attested by the parties themselves, that persons surrounded on all sides by neighbors suffering the tortures of this shivering and burning plague, have enjoyed absolute immunity from it, disease, simply protection afforded by the Bitters. Nor is that standard anti febrile cordial less efficacious in remedying than in preventing chills and fever, bilious remittents, and disorders of a kindred type. Taken between the paroxysms, it speedily mitigates their violence, and eventually prevents their recurrence. These facts, convincingly established by evidence, appeal with peculiar force to travellers and sojourners in malarious districts.

After much study and a long series of experiments, Dr. A. J. Flagg, of Claremont, N. H. has succeeded in producing a remedy which will cure almost every form of disease of the Throat and Lungs. Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption yield to it more readily and naturally than to any other known remedy. This medicine goes directly to the immediate seat of the disease, and its beneficial effects are at once manifested. The ingredients of the Cough and Lung Syrup are of the very best kind, having been prepared regardless of expense, and the patient can rest assured that the medicine is perfectly pure. It can be procured of any respectable druggist.

One of the pleasantest recollections of the Centennial trip to Philadelphia thousands of people will connect with their pleasant quarters and agreeable treatment at the Colonnade.

Bad Specks.

Bad specks on the teeth are almost as unpleasant as bad specs in the money market. To prevent them or to get rid of them, use SOZODONT. It is literally a specific for every blemish that disfigures the teeth, and whitens them without endangering the enamel.

The great American conjunctive – Spalding's Glue.

BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge, and item out where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

MRS. JOHN LANE,
Cor Pleasant and Prospect Sts.

F. A. FERRIS & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

— AND —

SMALL PIG HAMS,

GOSHEN PINE APPLE

— AND —

DUTCH CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

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Dr. A. J. Flagg's

COUGH & LUNG SYRUP.

A Safe and Sure Remedy.

The Cough and Lung Syrup

Is the remedy that during the past fifteen years has won for DR. FLAGG an extended reputation as a SPECIALIST for THROAT and LUNG Diseases. After so many year trial it can be truthfully said that it has NEVER FAILED, even in the WORST CASES. It is purely Vegetable, and its effect upon the system is at once Soothing and Tonic.

It Will Cure a Common Cold

In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION.

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption it has effected almost instantaneous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectual y than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat.

TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

Remember that it

CURES COLDS,
CURES COUGHS,
CURES CATARRH
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DR. WM. M. LADD, a leading Druggist of Claremont, certifies as follows:

For many years I have known Dr. A. J. Flagg as a successful practicing physician, and can assure the public that his representations relative to the Cough and Lung Syrup can be strictly relied upon. It has been used in his extended practice with marvellous success, and I know it to be all that he claims for it.

WM. M. LADD, M. D.

CLAREMONT, N. H., September, 1875.

DR. FLAGG My Dear Sir: Your Cough and Lung Syrup has proved a great benefit to me, giving relief from severe Coughs and Soreness of the Lungs, when all other remedies and physicians had failed. I have never taken a medicine more pleasant to the taste or more satisfactory in its results.

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Claremont, N. H.

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NEW YORK.....Assets $6,000,000

FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
PHILADELPHIA.....Assets $3,300,000.

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PHILADELPHIA.....Assets $1,000,000

Business men and owners of Property desiring every security by insurance against loss and damages by fire, will find it for their interest to place their risks in the above companies, some of which have been represented in this vicinity for nearly fifty years.

All losses will be promptly adjusted and paid by the undersigned.

JOHN SISE,

INSURANCE AGENT,

OFFICE NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE.

Taxes to be Paid.

PERSONS whose Taxes for the years 1875 and 1876 remain unpaid are requested to pay immediately, if they wish to save the expense of my advertising, &c., according to law.

S. P. THEADWELL, Collector.

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SAVE ONE-THIRD YOUR

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It will increase your light and save thirty-five per cent. of the cost of your Gas.

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—M. Herold's bill for repressing dueling in France, which is now under consideration in the Senate, makes it a misdemeanor punishable by a period of imprisonment ranging from a month to a year and a fine ranging from $20 to $200. When a wound is inflicted the penalty will be imprisonment for from three months to three years and a fine of from $40 to $400. If the wounds result fatally, the minimum period of imprisonment will be one year, and the maximum five years, and the amounts of the fine from $200 to $2000. Any provocation to a duel, or an insult having that object in view, will render the person guilty of it to from six days to three months' imprisonment and a fine of from $20 to $200; and the same punishment is applicable to those who make any accusation in public charging a man with having refused a challenge or failed to propose a duel. The seconds fare nearly as badly as the principals.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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Called to the duties of this great trust, I proceed in compliance with usage to announce some of the leading principles in the subjects that now chiefly engage the public attention by which it is my desire to be guided in the discharge of those duties. I shall not undertake to lay down irrevocably principles or measures of administration, but rather to speak of the motives which should animate us, and to suggest certain important ends to be attained in accordance with our institutions and essential to the welfare of our country. At the outset of the discussions which preceded the recent Presidential election, it seemed to me fitting that I should fully make known my sentiments in regard to several of the important questions which then appeared to demand the consideration of the country. Following the example and in part adopting the language of one of my predecessors, I wish now, when every motive for misrepresentation has passed away, to repeat what was said before the election, trusting that my countrymen will candidly weigh and understand it and that they will feel assured that the sentiments declared in accepting the nomination for the Presidency will be the standard of my conduct in the path before me, charged as I now am with the grave and difficult task of carrying them out in the practical administration of the Government, so far as depends under the Constitution and laws on the Chief Executive of the nation.

The permanent pacification of the country upon such principles and by such measures as will secure the complete protection of all its citizens in the free enjoyment of all their constitutional rights is now the one subject in our public affairs which all thoughtful and patriotic citizens regard as of supreme importance. Many of the calamitous effects of the tremendous revolution which has passed over the Southern States still remain. The immeasurable benefits which will surely follow sooner or later the hearty and generous acceptance of the legitimate results of that revolution have not yet been realized. Difficult and embarassing questions meet us at the threshold of this subject. The people of those States are still impoverished, and the inestimable blessing of wise, honest and peaceful local self-government is not fully enjoyed. Whatever difference of opinion may exist as to the cause of this condition of things, the fact is clear that in the progress of events the time has come when such government is the imperative necessity required by all the varied interests, public and private, of those States. But it must not be forgotten that only a local government which recognizes and maintains inviolate the rights of all, is a true self-government.

With respect to the two distinct races, whose peculiar relations to each other have brought upon us the deplorable complications and perplexities which exist in those States, it must be a Government which guards the interests of both races carefully and equally. It must be a Government which submits loyally and heartily to the Constitution and the laws of the Nation and the laws of the States themselves, accepting and obeying faithfully the whole Constitution as it is. Resting upon this sure and substantial foundation the superstructure of beneficent local government can be built up and not otherwise. In furtherance of such obedience to the letter and the spirit of the Constitution, and in behalf of all that its attainment implies, all so called party interests lose their apparent importance, and party lines may well be permitted to fade into insignificance.

The question we have to consider for the immediate welfare of those States of the Union is the question of government or no government, of general order and all the peaceful industries and the happiness that belong to it, or a return to barbarism. It is a question in which every citizen of the nation is deeply interested, and with respect to which we ought not to be in a partisan sense either republicans or democrats, but fellow-citizens and fellow-men to whom the interests of a common country and a common humanity are dear. The sweeping revolution of the entire labor system of a large portion of our country and the advance of four millions of people from a condition of servitude to that of citizenship upon an equal footing with their former masters, could not occur without presenting problems of the gravest moment, to be dealt with by the emancipated race, by their former masters and by the General Government, the author of the act of emancipation. That it was a wise, just and providential act fraught with good for all concerned is now generally conceded throughout the country. That a moral obligation rests upon the National Government, to employ its constitutional power and influence to establish the rights of the people it has emancipated, and to protect them in the enjoyment of those rights when they are infringed or assailed, is also generally admitted.

The evils which afflict the Southern States can only be removed or remedied by the united and harmonious efforts of both races, actuated by motives of mutual sympathy and regard, and while in duty bound and fully determined to protect the rights of all by every constitutional means at the disposal of my administration, I am sincerely anxious to use every legitimate influence in favor of honest and efficient local self-government as the true resource of those States for the promotion of the contentment and prosperity of their citizens. In the effort I shall make to accomplish this purpose, I ask the cordial co-operation of all who cherish an interest in the welfare of the country, trusting that party ties and the prejudices of race will be freely surrendered in behalf of the great purpose to be accomplished in the important work of restoration of the South. It is not the political situation alone that merits attention.

The material development of that section of the country has been arrested by the social and political revolution through which it has passed, and now needs and deserves the considerate care of the National Government within the just limits prescribed by the Constitution and wise public economy; but at the basis of all prosperity for that as well as for every other part of the country lies the improvement of the intellectual and moral condition of the people. Universal suffrage should rest upon universal education. To this end liberal and permanent provision should be made for the support of free schools by the State Governments, and if needs be supplemented by legitimate aid from National authority.

Let me assure my countrymen of the Southern States that it is my desire to regard and promote their truest interests, the interests of the white and of the colored people, both and equally, and put forth my best efforts in behalf of a civil policy which will forever wipe out in our political affairs the color line and the distinction between North and South, to the end that we may have not merely a united North or a united South but a united country.

I ask the attention of the public to the paramount necessity of reform in our civil service—a reform not merely as to certain abuses and practices of so-called official patronage, which have come to have the sanction of usage in the several departments of our government, but a change in the system of appointment itself; a reform that shall be thorough, radical and complete—a return to the principles and practices of the founders of the Government. They neither expected nor desired from public officers any partisan service. They meant that public officers should owe their whole service to the Government and to the people. They meant that the officer, should be secure in his tenure as long as his personal character remained untarnished and the performance of his duties satisfactory. They held that appointments to office were not to be made or expected merely as rewards for partisan services, nor merely on the nomination of members of Congress as being entitled in any respect to the control of such appointments. The fact that both the great political parties of the country, in declaring their principles prior to the election, gave a prominent place to the subject of reform of our civil service, recognizing and strongly urging its necessity in terms almost identical in their specific import with those I have here employed, must be accepted as a conclusive argument in behalf of these measures. It must be regarded as the expression of the united voice and will of the whole country upon this subject, and both political parties are virtually pledged to give it their unreserved support.

The President of the United States of necessity owes his election to office to the suffrages, and the zealous labors of a political party, the members of which cherish with ardor and regard as of essential importance the principles of their party organization; but he should strive to be always mindful of the fact that he serves his party best who serves the country best.

In furtherance of the reform we seek and in other important respects a change of great importance, I recommend an amendment to the Constitution prescribing a term of six years for the Presidential office and forbidding a re-election.

With respect to the financial condition of the country I shall not attempt an extended history of the embarrassment and prostration which we have suffered during the past three years. The depression in all our varied commercial and manufacturing interests throughout the country which began in September, 1873, still continues. It is very gratifying, however, to be able to say that there are indications all round us of a coming change to prosperous times. Upon the currency question, intimately connected as it is with the topic, I may be permitted to repeat here the statement made in my letter of acceptance that in my judgment the feeling of uncertainty inseparable from an irredeemable paper currency with its fluctuations of values is one of the greatest obstacles to a return to prosperous times. The only safe paper currency is one which rests upon a coin basis, and is at all times and promptly convertible into coin. I adhere to the views heretofore expressed by me, in favor of Congressional legislation in behalf of an early resumption of specie payment, and I am satisfied not only that this is sure, but that the interests, as well as the public sentiment of the country, imperatively demand it.

Passing from those remarks upon the condition of our own country to consider our relations with other lands, we are reminded by the international complications abroad, threatening the peace of Europe, that our traditional rule of non-interference in the affairs of foreign nations has proved of great value in past times and ought to be strictly observed.

The policy inaugurated by my honored predecessor, President Grant, of submitting to arbitration grave questions in dispute between ourselves and foreign powers, points to a new and incomparably the best instrumentality for the preservation of peace, and will, as I believe, become a beneficent example of the course to be pursued in similar emergencies by other nations. If unhappily questions of difference should at any time, during the period of my administration, arise between the United States and any foreign government, it will certainly be my disposition and my hope to aid in their settlement in the same peaceful and honorable way, thus securing to our country the great blessings of peace and mutual good offices with all the nations of the world.

Fellow Citizens: We have reached the close of a political contest marked by the excitement which usually attends the contests between great political parties, whose members espouse and advocate with earnest faith their respective creeds.

Circumstances were perhaps in no respect extraordinary, save in the closeness and the consequent uncertainty of the result. For the first time in the history of the country it has been deemed best, in view of the peculiar circumstances of the case, that the objections and questions in dispute with reference to the counting of the electoral votes should be referred to the decision of a tribunal appointed for this purpose. That tribunal, established by law for this sole purpose, its members all of them men of long established reputation for integrity and intelligence, and with the exception of those who are also members of the supreme judiciary, chosen equally from both political parties, its deliberations enlightened by the research and the arguments of able counsel, was entitled to the fullest confidence of the American people. Its decisions have been patiently waited for and accepted as legally conclusive by the general judgment of the public. For the present, opinion will widely vary as to the wisdom of the several conclusions announced by that Tribunal. This is to be anticipated in every instance, where matters of dispute are made the subject of arbitration under forms of law; human judgment is never unerring, and is rarely regarded as otherwise than wrong by the unsuccessful party in the contest. The fact that two great political parties have in this way settled a dispute in regard to which good men differ, as to the facts and the law, pursued in solving the question in controversy, is an occasion for general rejoicing. Upon one point there is entire unanimity in public sentiment—that conflicting claims to the Presidency must be amicably and peaceably adjusted, and that when so adjusted the general acquiescence of the nation ought surely to follow.

It has been reserved for a Government of the people, where the right of suffrage is universal, to give to the world the first example in history of a great nation in the midst of a struggle of opposing parties for power, hushing its party tumults to yield the issue of the contest to adjustment according to the forms of law.

Looking for the guidance of that divine hand by which the destinies of nations and individuals are shaped, I call upon you Senators, Representatives, Judges, fellow citizens, here and everywhere, to unite with me in an earnest effort to secure to our country the blessing not only of material prosperity, but of justice, peace and union—a union depending not upon the constraint of force, but upon the loving devotion of a free people; that all things may be so ordered and settled upon the best and surest foundations, that peace and happiness, truth and justice, religion and piety may be established among us for all generations.

Frank Jones a "Ring" Candidate.

[From the Concord Monitor.]

It seems that Frank Jones's candidacy in the First District is by no means popular with many democrats. Even the happy and generous thought of contributing gilt-edged Congressional Directories to his adherents, containing information of a thrilling character and calculated to arouse a spirit of lofty emulation in the youth of his district, has not sufficed to exercise the spirit of dissatisfaction rife in certain parts thereof. We have before us a letter written by one of the "faithful," in which some hard but truthful statements concerning the honorable Frank are put down with a refreshing directness of speech which ought to cause that individual's ears to tingle, if there is any truth in the old maxim. The writer begins by averring that Jones's nomination was uncalled for, and is a disgrace; that Jones's influence has been overrated; that even at home he has lost ground; and that the young Irishmen and the longshoremen of Old Strawberry Bank are by no means pleased with his patronizing airs. But the writer's chief objection to Jones is in consequence of his railroad ring connections which secured for him the Congressional nomination—a nomination which belonged to Carroll county, whose choice was ex-State Senator Mason. Dr. Mason, who favored retrenchment and nominations effected on the merits rather than the financial power of aspirants, is able, moderate, self-sustained, and of the strictest integrity. He was supported by the best men of his party,—among them the venurable Isaac Adams, whose support no man connected with rings of any description could secure. This was well understood. Hence the Jones Ring began a systematic depreciation

of Dr. Mason and of Mr. Adams. Nevertheless, says the writer of the letter before us, Hon. Paul Wentworth, John H. Plummer, Hon. M. H. Marston, Hon. S. H. Jackson, honest John L. Hersey, J. B. Whittier, Hon. A. Haley, W. H. Hobbs and L. G. Moulton, supported Mason as did prominent democrats in Belknap county. But the ring, of which Jones was the head, J. W. Sanborn the body and J. Q. Roles the tail, (the tail wagged the dog) set up a great cry of money, money,—and money secured Jones' nomination by inducing men to act as delegates who had no right to do so. For example, a Newmarket man cast the vote of Tamworth for Jones, and nearly all the undelegated towns in the district were "gobbled" in like manner. How the Jones-Sanborn ring rewarded their henchmen for their work is recorded in this letter. "Col." A. L. Meserve, Roles and Sanborn, Commissioners in 1876, and Roles defeats Frank R. Hobbs for Treasurer; but the writer says this was done to get the resolution in favor of Jones' nomination in, after which, as one of Jones' henchmen put it, "Adams' man, Friday, may now shift for himself." The writer goes on to say:

Now it may be too much to ask that Dr. Mason shall come out from his dignified retirement to defeat Jones, but as a democrat of almost a half hundred years, as a man who holds party dear, but rights dearer, and the democratic party too dear to vote for Jones, and for the sake of the young men of the party, I appeal to the democrats of old Carroll to save us from the disgrace of electing Frank Jones. Shall we leave our young men to vote for Jones, or desert their standard and vote for Gen. Marston, the republican candidate? Let us have a democrat and a man in the field. Let Isaac Adams, if he will, lend us in this hour of our trial his great name. If not, let John H. Plummer, (doomed by Roles and Sanborn to defeat) John Hale Moulton or Hon. S. H. Jackson, men whose names will be long held in remembrance as men not afraid to "bolt" when it meant honest democracy, come forward, or let Frank K. Hobbs of Ossipee be a young man's candidate. Gentlemen, have you forgotten the Wolfborough Convention? Have you forgotten Roles and Sanborn? Have you forgotten Putnam and his base refusal to call a new convention? Have you forgotten how you have been outraged, beaten, humiliated? If not, then "up and at them!"

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 7, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

GRANVILLE P. CONN,

OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,

GILMAN MARSTON,

OF EXETER.

JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Washington Matters.

Senator Ferry was re-elected President pro tem. of the Senate, at its first session, Monday. The credentials of Messrs. Kellogg of Louisiana, Morgan of Alabama and Lamar of Mississippi, were referred to committee, objection being made to the men being sworn in. "Gobble" Grover, of Oregon, did not appear.

In the Senate, Tuesday, objection was made to the swearing in of Lamar. Mr. Blaine advocated his immediate admission, but it was refused, and the Boutwell report on Mississippi affairs was read as part of the objection. After a long discussion, it was decided by a vote of 57 to one to seat Mr. Lamar.

A delegation of New Hampshire gentlemen, including Senator Wadleigh, Senator Rollins, Governor Cheney, ex-Governor Smyth, General Natt Head, Colonel N. G. Ordway, Hon. Samuel Emery, Colonel Waterman Smith, Captain Thompson, Hon. John C. Tasker and Colonel James C. Christie, called upon President Hayes on Monday evening to urge Ex-Senator Cragin for Secretary of the Navy.

New Hampshire Items.

The republicans of Concord had a grand torch-light procession and illumination, and displays of fireworks, Monday night. The Hayes and Wheeler Guards of Manchester, one of the finest campaign organizations in the State, gave a concert and ball Monday evening, in honor of the inauguration of the President of the people's choice. About 200 couples participated in the grand march.

The first regular meeting of the Rockingham Silver Mining Company was held at Newmarket on Monday evening, and a Board of five Directors chosen. John C. Love of Philadelphia, President; George F. Hollis of Boston, Secretary and Treasurer; W. H. Huntington of Newmarket, Clerk. Work is progressing favorably at the mine, under the direction of Orin Murray, the Superintendent.

Warnum Greene's dwelling in Exeter was burned on Saturday night. Cause, defective chimney.

Jimmy Blanchard, the "St. Alban's pet," is in trouble for burglarizing a store in Mont Vernon, in company with his brother.

The drug and grist mill of I. D. Edgerly at Wadley's Falls, in Lee, four miles from Newmarket, was totally destroyed by fire Tuesday morning, together with eighteen to twenty tons of drugs, new machinery, etc. The loss is estimated at $12,000; insured for $6000.

Political.

The New York *Sun* displayed an American flag at half-mast and union down, from the flag-staff on its building, on inauguration day. A crowd of roughs attempted to force an entrance to haul down the flag, but were beaten back by the police. Why any crowd of roughs should wish to prevent Dana from advertising himself as an ass is a mystery.

Moses M. Butler, republican, was elected Mayor of Portland, Monday, over Roswell M. Richardson, democrat, by 584 majority. The republicans carry five out of the seven wards. The republican candidates in Auburn, Saco and Lewiston were elected.

The late House of Representatives passed a resolution declaring Tilden elected, and after the adjournment the democratic caucus issued an address to the country,—a perfectly legitimate method of getting rid of their superfluous indignation.

A squad of republicans commenced to fire a salute at St. Albans, Vt., Monday morning, but were attacked by a mob of democratic roughs and their cannon thrown into the lake. Let us have peace.

Fernando Wood was roundly abused by the minusters during the closing hours of the electoral struggle. He took it all with great good nature. Late in the evening some democrats spoke of him as "the great high priest of the republican party." Subsequently Mr. O'Brien of Maryland, one of the most persistent of the revolutionists, but neither a strong man nor a popular speaker, occupied ten minutes in debate without commanding the attention of half a dozen members. When he closed Fernando Wood met him in the aisle, and extended his hand in mock congratulations. Mr. O'Brien refused to receive it, whereupon Mr. Wood raised his hands over Mr. O'Brien's head as if in the act of conferring a blessing. The scene was so funny that the entire House broke out into loud roars of laughter.

The Boston *Post* has returned to its old occupation of extracting sunbeams from cucumbers, and says: "the decision of the Electoral Commission has caused the same demoralization among republicans there [in New Hampshire] that is evident here" [in Boston]. It congratulates the democrats of New Hampshire that they "have the privilege of giving the first word of assurance that all is well, and we look to hear them speak up loud." But it carefully avoids making predictions of democratic success in this State—the first time it ever failed to do so just previous to election here. The prospect is too hopeless for even the *Post* to be happy over.

So far as known Cronin and John Morrissey are the only democrats who have got anything to show for their labor in the cause of Tilden and reform. Tilden himself is out about half a million dollars and whatever character he had when he entered the contest. Hewitt confesses that he is out a hundred thousand dollars. Pelton is bankrupt in reputation and probably in purse; and so on through the list. But Cronin and John Morrissey were shrewder than the rest. The former demanded his pay in advance, and he is ahead about $3,000 that he knows of, while Morrissey pocketed big commissions on the pools deposited with him, and then declaring all bets off saved his own losses. These two, therefore, are model reformers and stand in a first-rate position to represent the democratic party four years hence. Let the word be passed around—Morrissey and Cronin in 1880.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

News and Notes.

By the burning of the Bateman House, in Kansas City, Butler County, Penn., Monday morning, Mrs. Bateman, her three daughters and a lodger named Mr. Byron, of the firm of Sprague & Co of New York, were burned to death. N. Bateman was badly burned in endeavoring to save his family, but could only rescue his son, and he was fatally injured. About sixty persons were in the hotel when the fire broke out.

Patrick Fitzgerald was set upon by four young fellows as he was crossing a bridge at Ansonia, Conn., Sunday night. As they refused to heed his warning to stand clear he very properly opened fire on them with a revolver, and in consequence of being hit in the abdomen with a bullet John Bressel will die.

At an adjourned meeting of the Direct United States Cable Company, held on Monday in London, a committee of investigation was appointed, composed of gentlemen nominated by Mr. Pender, Chairman of the Globe Telegraph Company. This is a victory for the amalgamationists, as far it goes.

The wholesale dry goods store of Simmons & Gregory, in St. Louis, was burned on Monday. Loss $500,000; insurance heavy, in eastern companies.

A "rakish schooner" is reported as cruising off the Bahamas, boarding Spanish vessels and taking whatever is fancied.

Bosnia is again in insurrection against the Porte.

The man found dead in Cranston, R. I., has been identified as Patrick Clinton, of Providence, missing since Nov. 20th.

Chief Justice Moses of the South Carolina Supreme Court, died on Tuesday. He was the father of the "robber Governor" Moses.

Judge Davis' resignation as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court reached the President on the 6th.

Secretary Morrill is again able to attend to business.

Joe Coburn has been sent to State Prison for ten years.

Five bodies from the wreck of the three-masted schooner Margaret and Lucy have washed on shore at Barnegat. The number of her crew is unknown, all hands having been lost. She was only one day out from New York when wrecked.

—Mr. James Merry, a prominent Scotch iron-master, horse-racer, and Member of Parliament, who has lately died, was apparently, in spite of his blood and training, more Calvinistic in heart than in head. Once upon a time, happening to meet Mr. James Baird, his opponent in politics and rival in iron, shortly after the latter had given his celebrated half-million to the Church of Scotland, he taunted him with it, and hinted that the *patronus*, whose praises are in all the pulpits of the Scotch Establishment, knew nothing about its theology. Baird challenged him to proof, and Merry bet a sovereign that his friend could not repeat the Lord's Prayer from beginning to end. Baird, who was not without a stratum of fun in his composition, quickly repeated the psalm beginning "The Lord is my shepherd," whereupon Merry, ignorant and discomfited, produced a sovereign, with "Well, I could not have believed it."

—Vermont is a remarkable State. The Governor has pardoned one Hobbs of St. Johnsbury, who has been some months in jail because he couldn't pay a fine for drunkenness, and we are told that under the present laws there is no way by which a man unable to pay a fine for drunkenness can escape imprisonment for life, except through the pardon of the executive.

—When they cry "Wolf!" in the Government of Saratoff, Russia, it means something. During the last two years the wolves there have devoured, according to the official returns, 11,000 horses, 10,000 horned cattle, 33,000 sheep, 5,000 swine, 1,000 dogs and 18,000 fowls. They have also, during the same period, attacked 68 persons, devouring two on the spot, and inflicting fatal wounds on twelve others.

—An old Comstocker, being reproached by his prospective mother-in-law that he was much too old for her daughter, that he was even bald-headed, replied: "Madam, my baldness is no indication of age—it runs in the family. In fact, Madam," said he, in a sudden gush of confidence, "I was born bald-headed!"

The eternal fitness of things is illustrated in the announcement that Rev. Dr Shimeon, who has recently arrived in this country from Jerusalem, is the guest of Rev. Dr. Shurtoff.—*Worcester Press.*

Checklist Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECKLISTS, give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, March 1st, Wednesday, March 7th, and Monday, March 12th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock, P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the lists of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 9 to 10 A. M. and from 1 to 2 o'clock, P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted, and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,

Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Checklists.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of the above ward are hereby notified that the caucus for the choice of three (3) Representatives to be supported at the Polls, March 13th, 1877, is to be holden in the Ward Room on Elm street at 7:30 P. M., Friday, March 9th, 1877. PER ORDER.

WARD TWO CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of Ward Two are hereby notified to meet at the Court House on Friday evening, March 9th, at half-past seven o'clock, for the purpose of nominating four candidates to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting. Per Order,

E. H. LESLIE, Sec.

WARD THREE CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of Ward Three are hereby notified to meet at the "Granite State Planing Mill," on Friday evening, March 9th, at half-past seven o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may before the meeting. PER ORDER.

WARD FOUR CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of Ward Four are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward, on Friday evening, March 9th, at 7 o'clock, to nominate candidates for Representatives to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting. PER ORDER.

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ESTABLISHED IN 1843.

F. S. WINSTON, PRESIDENT,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1876.

DR. REVENUE ACCOUNT. CR.

To balance from last account,	$75,414,929 42	By paid death and endowment claims,	$4,459,458 92
" premiums received,	15,136,703 38	" " annuities,	24,611 49
" interest and rents,	4,878,260 34	" " dividends,	3,701,759 34
		" " surrendered policies and additions,	6,319,783 21
		" " Commissions (payment of current and extinguishment of future,	670,967 49
		" " Contingent guarantee account,	56,199 83
		" " Expenses and taxes,	684,02 35
		Balance to new account,	79,526,900 87
	$95,429,887 12		$95,429,887 12

DR. BALANCE SHEET. CR.

To reserve at four per cent.,	$77,502,602	By mortgages on real estate,	$60,836,305 19
" claims by death, not yet due,	610,790	" United States and State bonds, etc.,	19,673,369 33
" premiums paid in advance,	24,372 43	" real estate,	4,246,745 46
" contingent guarantee fund,	654,242 59	" cash in banks and trust companies at interest,	2,183,001 73
" surplus for division,	2,368,181 57	" interest accrued,	1,932,294 16
		" premiums deferred, quarterly and semi annual,	923,332 98
		" premiums in transit, principally in December,	137,195 16
		Balances due by agents,	18,349 76
	$83,360,188 59		$83,360,188 59

Premiums deferred and in transit in the foregoing Balance Sheet, have been subjected to a deduct on of twenty-five per cent. by the Insurance Department, for the estimated cost of collecting the same.

From the surplus for Division, $3,368,181 59, as appears in the Balance Sheet, a Dividend will be apportioned to each Policy which shall be in force at its anniversary in 1877.

We have ascertained that the expenses of the Company are only **six and seven-tenths per cent.** upon the income of the year.

RICHARD A. McCURDY, Vice President,
ROBERT A. GRANNISS, 2d Vice President, ISAAC F. LLOYD, Secretary,
W. H. C. BARTLFIT, LL. D., Actuary, O. H. PALMER, Solicitor.

The Report of the Examination by the Insurance Department.

ALBANY, February 1, 1877.

HON. WILLIAM SMYTH, Acting Superintendent New York Insurance Department:

In accordance with instructions received from you under appointment No. 983, I report the completion of the examination into the affairs of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

Made at a time when the annual investigation by the Trustees—as called for by the Company's charter—was in progress, the work was considerably facilitated by each department representative acting with one of the said Trustees, thus giving a double force with a check that was invaluable as to the correctness of the labor performed.

The valuation of the Policies in force has been made in the department under the supervision of Mr. D. H. Keefer, our Actuary, and have occupied his attention with that of the rest of our actuarial force not engaged in New York.

The investments of the Company, with other admissible assets, make a total of $82,076,706.87.

Thus the Company has been successfully managed in everywhere conceded; and it is very necessary that the custodians of this sacred trust fund should be men eminently competent to guard zealously the moneys that in the future afford the protection guaranteed by contracts with the holders of ninety, two thousand, one hundred and twenty-five policies.

The Company does not need other endorsement by the Department than is shown in the assets and liabilities enumerated below, exhibiting a surplus, as regard policy-holders, of $ 6,262,879.44.

A schedule giving in detail the information necessary for valuation of property, verification of title, &c. each of the seven thousand, one hundred and fifty six (7,156) mortgages has been compiled, and with a list of uncollected and deferred premiums is now on file in the Department.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN A. McCALL, JR., Deputy Superintendent.

The Superintendent in person was present during the examination of the United States securities, bonds and mortgages and other stocks and bonds owned by the Company, and took part in said examination. He desires to join with his Deputy in assuring the public that the system of management and accuracy of detail, as well as the checks and individual responsibilities imposed on each person who has anything to do with the loaning or investing the funds of the Company, command his most hearty approval. The President and all other officers of the Company were most prompt and courteous in affording every information; while so perfect is the organization of each department that any special item required was at once furnished with all its necessary and satisfactory vouchers. This will account for the fact that a corporation of such vast magnitude and importance could be fully and satisfactorily examined in a few weeks, which under ordinary circumstances, would have required as many months.

WILLIAM SMYTH, Acting Superintendent.

JAMES P. BARTLETT,

Agent for Portsmouth and Vicinity,

OFFICE AT NEW HAMPSHIRE NATIONAL BANK, PORTSMOUTH.

TAKE NOTICE.

N. F. Mathes & Co.

Announce to the Public, that they

Will now Retail

GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS

FOR CASH AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Also, everything kept in a first class grocery store now selling at a great reduction from former prices, such as

Pure CANDIES	20 cts. ⅌ lb.
Granulated SUGAR	12½ "
A Coffee "	11½ "
B " "	11 "
Brown "	10 "
Fine Breakfast TEA	32 "
" Oolong "	40 "
Extra " "	50 "
" Fomosa "	65 "
Japan " "	32 "
Extra Japan "	65 "
Clear PORK	12½ "
Northern Smoked HAMS	13 "
Leaf LARD	14 "
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35 "
" " Rio "	30 "
" Green Java "	28 "
" " Rio "	25 "
CURRANTS	8 "
Box RAISINS	12 "
Best Double Crown New Loose Muscatel RAISINS	12 "
New Valencia "	19 "
New Turkey PRUNES	8 "
New FIGS	15 "
Good Bar SOAP	5, 8, 10 "
Whole Dried PEAS	8 cts. ⅌ qt.
Split "	8 "
WALNUTS	4 and 6 "
Good BROOMS	17 cts. each.

FANCY CRACKERS of all kinds at lowest prices

And also everything kept in our line, at the very lowest prices for CASH! All goods sold by us will be as represented; Please call and examine. Goods sent to any part of the city free of charge. Remember the old stand.

N. F. Mathes & Co.,

NO. 48 MARKET STREET.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street,** and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Atlantic & Pacific

TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

Another Reduction of Rates.

ON AND AFTER MARCH 5th, 1877, all offices within 300 miles circuit, 25 cents; all offices east of Missouri River over 300 miles, 35 cents. The present system of half rate night messages will be discontinued from this date; 20 words will however be transmitted at night for delivery the following morning for the price of the ten-word day message under the same condition in other respects that now govern half-rate night messages.

Per Order, THOMAS T. ECKERT, Pres't.

FOR LENT!

Taylor's "HOLY LIVING AND DYING."
A'Kempis' "IMITATION OF CHRIST."
Keble's "CHRISTIAN YEAR."
Huntington's "HELPS TO A HOLY LENT."
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"DEAR FEAST OF LENT."
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F. A. FERRIS & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

— AND —

SMALL PIG HAMS,

GOSHEN PINE APPLE

— AND —

DUTCH CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

Charles E. Laighton & Son,

EXCHANGE BUILDINGS.

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

Houses to Let.

ALSO, one very desirable Estate for sale: price $1100—terms easy. Apply to A. J. PENHALLOW, No. 35 Court Street.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $100 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tobbets.

House No. 36 Deer Street.

Brick House No. 56 State Street.

Store corner State and Washington streets.

House No. 3 Rockingham Street.

Apply to A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House or Barn.

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NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

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JOSEPH S. GRANT,

2 AND 4 ROW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

TEAS TEAS TEAS

25 BOXES

New Oolong and Japan Teas,

From 32 cents to $1.50 per pound.

We have received a large lot of Tea Caddies and Canisters, holding from one to twenty pounds each, and shall present each customer purchasing the same full of Tea, with a Canister or Caddie. We have in our stock as fine qualities of Tea as can be found anywhere in the United States.

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1500 Pounds New Dates,

SELLING CHEAP AT

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COFFEE COFFEE

WE can sell you the best pound of Fresh Ground Old Government Java COFFEE to be found in the city. Our Coffees are fresh roasted every week and ground in our store when sold.

Butler & Laighton,

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SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS.

FERRIS & CO'S SUGAR-CURED HAMS,

WEIGHING FROM 8 TO 12 LBS.,

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Choice Flower and Garden Seeds,

STRAWBERRIES, PEACHES,

ETC., ETC., ETC.

New Sorts, by Mail.

PLANTS of the newest and finest improved sorts, carefully packed and prepaid by mail. My collection of Strawberries took the first premium for the best Collection, at the great show of the Mass. Horticultural Society, in Boston. I grow over 100 varieties, the most complete collection in the country, including all the new, large American and imported kinds. Priced descriptive Catalogues, gratis, by mail. Also, Bulbs, Fruit Trees, Roses, Evergreens, Choice Flowery, Garden, Tree, Evergreen, Herb, or Fruit Seeds, 25 packets of either for $1.00, by mail.

C. C. The True Cape Cod Cranberry, best sort for Upland, Lowland, or Garden, by mail prepaid. $1.00 per 100, $5.00 per 1,000. Wholesale Catalogue to the Trade. Agents Wanted.

B. M. WATSON,

Old Colony Nurseries and Seed Warehouse,

Established 1842. PLYMOUTH, MASS.

American and Swiss

WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

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Fine Watch Repairing and engraving. Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.

ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at **FREEMAN'S Oyster House,** and get them opened fresh from the shell.

MERCER GOODRICH

Has an Extensive Stock of

SCHOOL BOOKS,

AUTOGRAPH ALBUMS,

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INKS, and ENVELOPES. Also,

CENTENNIAL VIEWS,

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CARDS, &C.

☞ I shall open next month a complete line of ROOM PAPERS, CURTAINS, BORDERS, TASSELS, &c., &c.

City Building, - - Market Square.

Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	9.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

GRAND REPUBLICAN DEMONSTRATION.

This evening the republicans of Portsmouth and adjacent towns will celebrate the great National Victory with a torch-light procession, for which the following programme has been arranged:

Procession will form at seven o'clock P. M. sharp, as follows: 1st Division, on Congress street, right resting on Market square; 2d Division, on Congress street, right resting on Fleet street; 3d Division, on Pleasant street, right resting opposite North church. The order of procession will be as follows:

FIRST DIVISION.

Platoon of Police.
Chief Marshal, David Urch.
Aids, John S. Perry, O. M. Knight, H. H. Ham, Jr., Wm. A. Payson, Charles C. Akerman.
Battalion of Cavalry.
Portsmouth Cornet Band.
First Battalion Hayes and Wheeler Guards, D. J. Vaughan commanding.

SECOND DIVISION.

Kearsarge Fife and Drum Band.
Second Battalion Hayes and Wheeler Gaurds, W. O. Stokes commanding.
Boys' Company Hayes and Wheeler Guards, Clinton Stokes commanding.
Hayes and Wheeler Broom Brigade.

THIRD DIVISION.

Visiting organizations and citizens.

The procession will march at half-past seven o'clock, over the following route:

Up Congress street to Summer, through Summer, State, Pleasant, Washington, State, Chapel, Daniel, Market, Deer, Vaughan, and Elm, countermarch on North street, through Railroad avenue to Deer, Bridge, Islington, Cabot and Middle, countermarch at Cass street, through Middle, Court and Pleasant streets to Market square, and dismiss.

Oil for torches will be furnished at Rufus K. Oxford's store. Citizens on the line of march are requested to illuminate their houses.

JOTTINGS.

A grand instrumental and vocal concert, complimentary to the Nowell brothers, Willis and George, will be given under direction of Julius Eichberg, of the Boston Conservatory of Music, in the Middle street church on Monday evening, March 19th. The instrumental portion of the concert will include a quartette of violins, organ playing by Mr. Cowles, said to be one of the best organists in the country, violin solos by Willis Nowell, (including the celebrated "Hungarian Airs" by Ernst,) and a duet for violin by Nowell and Van Raltie. Mrs. Jenny T. Kempton and Mr. W. H. Fessenden will be the vocalists of the evening. Tickets at fifty cents each, (securing reserved seats,) will be on sale at Preston's on Wednesday, March 24th, and the first comers will get the best seats, as no favoritism will be shown. This will be one of the most remarkable concerts given here for years, and the low price of the tickets will undoubtedly fill the church. All lovers of first-class music should attend.

Thomas H. Philbrick, for drunkenness, was ordered to pay $9.90, fine and costs. For brawl and tumult, Philbrick was sent to jail for thirty days, costs being taxed at $6.90.

Robert E. Williams, an Eastern Railroad freight conductor, dropped dead in the saloon car at 10:45 Monday evening, when his train arrived at Newburyport. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause. Deceased was a member of the Ancient Land Mark Lodge of Masons, about forty-one years of age, and resided at Portland, where he leaves a wife and two daughters.

The *Times* is anxious that we should know that the appropriation committee of the late national House of Representatives kept the promise they made to help Ex-Congressman Jones to a re-election by appropriating money for a fog-whistle on Whale's-back. We are well aware that an appropriation was made—$2300! They might as well have appropriated twenty-three cents, for the sum devoted for this much-needed signal wouldn't pay for the whiting needed to keep the brass-work of it clean, not to mention putting the condemned tower in a safe condition for its reception.

A further reduction of tolls over the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company's wires is advertised in another column.

We have not yet seen in a single democratic paper of this State an expression of confidence in Mr. Marcy's election. Considering that "bluff" is one of the strongest points in democratic electioneering, this total absence of bragging is a striking illustration of the hopelessness with which they look upon his prospects. Nor are they any more demonstrative about the matter in private conversation, for many of them frankly acknowledge that they expect Mr. Prescott's majority to be much larger than Gov. Cheney's was last year. Under these circumstances we do not think many republicans will vote for Frank Jones for Congressman or Marcellus Eldredge for State Senator, for sake of taking the same number of democratic votes from Daniel Marcy, who won't have enough by thousands to elect him anyway. The full republican vote of this district will be thrown for Gilman Marston for Congressman and Emmons B. Philbrick for Senator—and both will be elected, too.

WELL DONE, NEWCASTLE.

The annual town election, held at Newcastle on Tuesday, was carried by the republicans by forty majority, a gain of twenty-nine over the vote of last March, and of twenty-five over the majority given for Hayes at the Presidential election. This is very encouraging for Frank Jones. The following were elected as officers of the town for the ensuing year:

Town Clerk—Howard M. Curtis; Selectmen—Charles E. Whitehouse, John W. Bickford, George Vennard; Prudential School Committee—J. Mahlon Bickford, Veranus C. Rand, Rufus A. Preble, Jr.; Super. School Committee—Rev. B. F. Grant.

A GOOD OMEN.

The democrats are promising to make a lively campaign from now to the 13th. A political meeting in this city, addressed by Mr. Patrick A. Collins of Boston and Hon. E. S. Cloveland of Hartford, Conn., was held on Tuesday evening; and one is to be held on Thursday evening, which will be addressed by Ex-Speaker Randall (we shall never call him Salary-grab Randall any more, even if he did have as much as Ben Butler to do with engineering the back-pay steal through the House, and still has his share of the plunder in his pocket,) of the National House of Representatives, who refused to entirely suit his rulings to the wishes of the late filibusters in Congress, and Hon. George M. Beebe of New York, the furious filibuster who had to mount a desk to get his voice up to a satisfactory pitch in denouncing Mr. Randall and his rulings, and all the democrats—including Frank Jones, who would not vote to defeat the electoral count. Mr. Beebe we believe is a remarkable man, though we must acknowledge that we never heard of him until his wonderful performances in the last days of the late Congress, one of which is described as follows by the New York *Tribune*:

"It was filibustering, to be sure, and they made a bear garden of the chamber, and they all talked together at once, and it was the sort of thing that doesn't set up republican institutions very much in the estimation of foreign nations; but then let us get one crumb of comfort out of it all—it did reveal Beebe. In the midst of the confusion, high above the uproar, Beebe, mounted on a desk, waved his wild arms with the strenuous motion of a lame windmill, and howled with the unquenchable anguish of a storm-driven mule. Up to this time the country, which in various capacities he has assiduously served whenever called on for at least sixteen years, hardly knew Beebe—if we may be allowed the expression—from a side of sole leather. It was worth going through all the tempestuous scenes of Thursday in the House to have Beebe revealed to us. Heart disease was nothing so impressive as the abrupt and precipitate appearance of Beebe on a desk. It is to be regretted that Beebe's remarks were lost in the confusion; up to this hour no one knows what Beebe definitely wanted except to out-howl his fellow patriots who were engaged on the floor in a determined effort to reform the Government from the inside. But though we have not his remarks, nor the remotest idea whether he cried 'Fire,' or 'Auction,' or 'Man overboard,' thank Heaven and the industrious reporter we have his attitude in all its picturesqueness, and the general effect he produced, as of a great outspread hovering clamor. Beebe has not heretofore been conspicuous. He became so on Thursday, and the world will not willingly lose sight of him. * * * Mr. Josh Billings, we believe it was, who remarked that one hornet with his business end in working order could break up a whole camp-meeting. The wonder is that Beebe, whose business end seems to be his chin, which that day was in uncommonly good working order, didn't break up Congress."

That's the kind of a hairpin Mr. Beebe is, who is to be imported to instruct the voters of New Hampshire as to their duty to vote for Frank Jones.

In addition to these meetings in this city, others are advertised for Epping, Rye, Raymond, Candia, Dearfield and other places in this District. We simply speak the entire truth when we say we are glad to see these indications of activity on the part of the democrats; we are not in the least afraid of their winning even a partial victory in a sharply contested election; but we *are* afraid of them—as they have shown us we have good reason to be—when they go on a "still hunt" and the republicans persistently refuse to wake up. When the democrats "lay low" it is impossible to get out the full republican vote; but when they conduct an open campaign, with speeches and brass bands and processions, the reserve vote of the republican party always comes out—and it will do so this year, in force enough to more than overcome the influence of the "still hunt with money" of the three democratic candidates.

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The Leading Life Company of the World. In these times when the "*Mushroom* Life Companies" are going to the wall and are compelled to wind up, it will afford the public great satisfaction to know that the old "Mutual Life Company, of New York," is beyond question as sound and reliable as the Bank of England. In consequence of the failure of the Continental, Security and other Life Companies which created a distrust in the public mind, the Trustees of the Mutual called upon the Superintendent of Insurance, at Albany, to make a *thorough* examination of its affairs in order to satisfy its policy holders and the public, that everything with them was "sound to the core." This has been done and the Annual Statement contained in our columns this morning speaks for itself.

It will be seen that its assets are now more than $82,000,000, with a surplus of over $10,000,000,—a gain of over $3,000,000 the past year, its receipts being over $20,000,000, having paid for death claims and endowments nearly $4,500,000, with an excess of interest receipts, *over losses* and Endowments, paid in 1876, of $420,000. Its business is conducted on the most economical system, its ratio of expenses upon income being less than 7 per cent. for the year. The figures are truly immense, showing the remarkable progress and success of this great Company during the past thirty years; in 1848 its assets were only $550,000. Managed by men whose past fidelity and success are witnessed by the prosperity which has attended the Company, it offers to those who desire life insurance an opportunity to obtain it with perfect confidence that the money they invest in this way, will not fail them in time of need.

Those who are disposed to insure, and especially young men, should look into the office of Mr. Bartlett, where they may be posted up on the subject of Dividends and other advantages of insuring with this great financial institution.

DIED.

AKERMAN. In Oakland, Cal., Feb. 14th, Mrs. Margaret S. Akerman, aged 83 years and 9 months, wife of the late Earnet Akerman.

ODION. in this city, March 6th, Mrs. MARY Odion aged 73 years, wife of Mr. Thomas Odion.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Ship Jean Ingelow, Tanton, from Manila Sept 10, arr at New York March 4.

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FRANK W. MILLER, Clerk of Publishers Portsmouth Weekly, Portsmouth, N. H.

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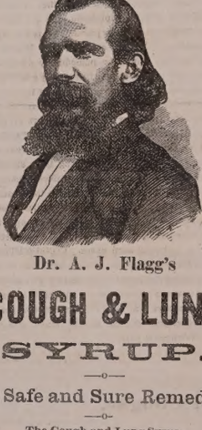

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The Cough and Lung Syrup

Is the remedy that during the past fifteen years has won for DR. FLAGG an extended reputation as a SPECIALIST for THROAT and LUNG Diseases. After so many year- trial it can be truthfully said that it has NEVER FAILED, even in the WORST CASES. It is purely Vegetable, and its effect upon the system is at once Soothing and Tonic.

It Will Cure a Common Cold

In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION.

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption it has effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectual than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat.

TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

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DR. WM. M. LADD, a leading Druggist of Claremont, certifies as follows:

For many years I have known Dr. A. J. Flagg as a successful practicing physician, and can assure the public that his representations relative to the Cough and Lung Syrup can be strictly relied upon. It has been used in his extended practice with marvellous success, and I know it to be all that he claims for it.

WM. M. LADD, M. D.

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Business men and owners of Property desiring every security by insurance against loss and damages by fire, will find it for their interest to place their risks in the above companies, some of which have been represented in this vicinity for nearly fifty years.

All losses will be promptly adjusted and paid by the undersigned.

JOHN SISE,
INSURANCE AGENT,
OFFICE NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE.

Taxes to be Paid.

PERSONS whose Taxes for the years 1875 and 1876 remain unpaid are requested to pay immediately, if they wish to save the expense of my advertising, &c., according to law.

S. F. TREADWELL, Collector.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Suggestions for March Work.

The *American Agriculturist* for March 1st gives seven columns of practical hints and directions concerning work to be done on the Farm, Garden, Orchard, etc., from which we extract the following:

Barley.—Skillful management is required to succeed with this crop. Peculiar soils are required to produce a clear, thin-skinned, bright-colored sample, such as brings the best price in the market. A friable, clean, mellow, dry, limestone clay-loam is perhaps the best soil, but some lighter soils, that are warm and rich, will produce good barley. The soil must be thoroughly worked, and free from weeds. Barley should always be drilled, and the seed placed at an even depth below the surface. There is no better crop with which to sow to clover.

Oats will succeed upon soils where barley would fail. A rough sod and a moist soil will grow good oats; it is the best spring crop for a reclaimed swamp or a newly broken clayey meadow. Two-and-a-half bushels of seed per acre, is light seeding; 3 bushels, if drilled, or 3 1-2, if broadcast, is sometimes sown with good results. The thick seeding yields a finer stalk, which makes a more desirable fodder than stouter straw.

Oats and Peas, sown together, produce a very nutritious fodder. The two crops together, upon one acre of good soil, will yield nearly, if not quite, as much fodder as would an acre of each sown separately. We have sown two bushels of oats and six pecks of peas to the acre. If sown early, the fodder may be cut for soiling cows or horses in May or June, and a succession for continuous use may be sown every two weeks until early in May. Roll the ground after sowing, so that the crop may be cut with a mower, which may easily be done, as the oats support the peas and prevent lodging.

Clover Seed may be sown upon the snow, or when a frost has hardened the surface. One great advantage of sowing upon the snow is, that a very even spread can be made, as the seed can readily be seen, and the foot marks remain as a guide for the next breadth sown. The most inexperienced need make no lapse or misses. A good quantity of seed for each cast, is as much as can be held between the first and second fingers and the thumb. Walking at an easy gait, this will use up about 8 quarts of seed per acre. If the wind is blowing, walk so that it blows across the path; the effect is then equal both going and returning, but it is not so if it blows first on the face and then on the back.

Standing Water.—A very important work is to let off any water that accumulates upon the surface. This requires constant attention, and the use of the hoe or a shovel. Whether there is a crop in the ground or not, it is equally necessary to do this thoroughly, else the soil is soaked and dries very slowly. The amount lost through water remaining upon fields, would each year buy for every farmer who permits it, a good paper and more books than he could well study in a year.

Pigs.—The high price of pork has greatly stimulated the breeding of a good class of pigs. With the prevalent diseases, which now destroy so many hogs in the West, there will be a premium for good management. It is very clear that cleanliness, and a variety of healthful food, will prevent diseases. Make a good start now, with the young pigs. Provide warm, clean pens for the brood sows, as a beginning, and so arrange that they may have a clean pasture lot to run in; not a bare, muddy piece of waste ground, but a good piece of clover or grass, in which they may procure the bulk of their food. Breed only from thoroughbred boars; keep the best stock, and keep them healthful and growing.

Poultry—Cleanse the poultry-houses and nest-boxes from lice. We have lined our poultry-house with Johns' Asbestos roofing, at a cost of a few dollars only, and there is no fear of vermin of any kind in it hereafter. The smell of carbolic acid from the tar is very strong, but not disagreeable, and will thoroughly disinfect the house. Provide a warm corner in the stable for the earliest brooding hens, and give extra care to the young chicks. March and April chicks will give a plenty of eggs next winter.

Asparagus.—When the weather is settled, rake off the litter and fork in the fine manure lightly. In inland places, sow on refuse or other salt, 2 lbs. to the square yard. Set new beds with one-year roots. In field culture 3x3 and even 4x6 feet are allowed between the plants. For the family garden 2x2 feet or 18x18 inches is usual. Give each plant a shovelful of good manure, cover this with 2 inches of earth, set the plant with its crown at least 6 inches below the surface, and cover it; when the shoots appear, fill up the furrow gradually.

Novelties.—While we very often caution against trusting to novelties for a main crop, there is nothing more interesting than to test and compare these. One sometimes draws a real prize, but he must be prepared for some disappointments.

—The following, from the Lowell *Courier*, is poetry: "Eight Democratic Commissioners were to insure Tilden's chances to the White House heaven—One tumbled into John A. Logan's seat in the Senate and then there were seven."

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

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JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

Cabinet Nominations.

On Wednesday President Hayes sent the following nominations to the Senate:

Secretary of State, Wm. M. Evarts.

Secretary of the Treasury, John Sherman.

Secretary of War, George W. McCrary.

Secretary of the Navy, Richard W. Thompson.

Secretary of the Interior, Carl Schurz.

Attorney-General, Charles Devens.

Postmaster-General, David M. Key.

The Senate went into executive session, but adjourned without acting on any of the nominations.

Political.

The one vote against the swearing in of Mr. Lamar as Senator from Mississippi was given by Senator Wadleigh of New Hampshire, who said that he voted against the admission of Pinchback of Louisiana, and considered Lamar's case precisely similar. Senator Spencer was paired with Merrimon of North Carolina.

Mr. Tilden has been generally credited with making some pretty heavy outlays during and since the Presidential campaign. He can reimburse himself by disposing of some of the useless wares left on his hands. The Albany *Journal* attempts a catalogue of these as follows: "One livery of Reform; a large and varied assortment of campaign lies done up in wrappers; one bureau and one cabinet. The bureau is rather the worse for wear, but the cabinet—which was made early on the morning of Nov. 8, last—has never been used; one verbal fidelity entitled 'usufruct,' protected by patent and pronounced by Rickard Grant White and others the most eminent word in the language; a coil of telegraph wire sufficient to connect New York City with central Oregon; one dictionary (very rare); one bunch of keys—to cipher; one bob o' link; one nephew; job lot of nincompoops."

Kellogg's credentials as Senator from Louisiana were referred to the committee on privileges and elections, (when appointed,) Wednesday.

Senator Sargent of California is chairman of the Senate Naval Committee, in place of Cragin; Spence on Military Affairs, in place of Logan; Dawes on Claims, in place of Wright; Morrill on Appropriations in place of Sherman, transferred to the Cabinet.

News and Notes.

Japanese troops captured four steamers from the insurgents of Satsuma at Kumamoto, and the other provinces are quiet.

The military court at Matamoras, before which Gen. Cortina was tried, have found him guilty of kidnapping, the penalty attached to which in Mexico is death.

While the democrats of Wiscasset, Me., were saluting their Tilden and Hendricks campaign flag previous to its final removal, on the afternoon of the 6th, a premature discharge of the cannon blew off both arms of Dennis Munsey, and John Jones, Jr., lost one hand and a finger of the other.

L. G. Bishop of Princeton, Ky., recently eloped with a widow in that town, leaving behind him a wife and children, and taking $4000 in money belonging to his father-in-law. The same day another married man left home to elope with the same woman, but upon arriving at the depot he found her company engaged by Bishop, whereupon he went home again as if nothing had happened.

John Q. Hoyt, of New York, has failed, with liabilities of $1,578,000.

By the burning of three stores in Bond street, New York, Wednesday, property to the value of $1,500,000 was destroyed and 300 persons thrown out of employment.

The Minnesota legislature has just passed a law restoring the death penalty. The escape of the Missouri banditti from a summary punishment for a crime most atrocious in itself and dangerous to society, in spite of the universal feeling that they should suffer it, has produced a sudden revolution in public sentiment, and once more murderers will pay with life for life. In a State like Minnesota, which is to some extent a frontier State, and notwithstanding the general peaceableness of its inhabitants, it is felt that with more or less border desperadoes, the death penalty cannot be safely dispensed with. The severity of earthly punishment for crime, must depend to some extent upon its frequency and danger. A solitary assassin may be locked up for life, but a dozen must be hanged. Punishment has a deterrent as well as a reformatory aspect, and in spite of theory about the horror of life imprisonment, there is nothing so powerful as the dread of death upon the minds of the criminals. Mercy to them is cruelty to society, and for every guilty man that escapes, an innocent man is endangered.—*Providence Journal.*

New Hampshire Items.

Since the declaration of the election of Hayes and Wheeler, the republicans of Chester have kept their flag, with the names of the successful candidates thereon, flying from their flag-pole, annoying many of the democracy exceedingly. Monday night some of the latter attempted to blow the pole to pieces, by putting a charge of powder in an augur-hole at the bottom. The report was heard some distance. It proved a miscarriage, and the old flag waved Tuesday morning as usual. The same thing was tried in 1861 by boring a number of holes around the base, but it was discovered in time to save the pole.

Paul Morrill, Esq., who was nominated a few days since for the office of Surveyor of Customs at San Francisco, is a son of John M. Morrill, who was born in Henniker, March 10, 1787, and a grandson of Ephraim Morrill, who took his wife on horseback from Stowe, Mass., to Henniker, in August, 1772. Mr. Morrill was at one time a resident of Concord, but for the last twenty-five years he has been a publisher, in connection with William Disamore, a native of Henniker, of one of the most influential journals of the Pacific Coast.

The Punishment of the Future.

"Shall punishment punish?" is the title of an article in a late number of the *Galaxy.* The writer strongly advocates the re-introduction of the "whipping-post," on the grounds that many offenders against the law purposely continue their offences for the sake of enjoying the shelter and food that the State furnishes its criminals, and also that the punishment of deprivation of liberty and disgrace are mental, and therefore felt most by the least hardened criminals, and that physical pain is the only real punishment felt by a hardened conscience, a dead sensibility and a determined laziness that prefers prison support to hard work in freedom. The writer of this article claims, and with justice, that because the whipping-post has been proved a cruel tyranny in the hands of the slave-owners, the absolute monarch of a ship's crew or the unwatched master of an old-time prison, is no sign that physical penalties should never be inflicted by carefully administered law.

There is much in this paper for thoughtful persons to consider. It is a fact that sentiment may run into such excesses, and through such channels, as to defeat its own ends. It is a fact that physical penalties seem to be the only real punishment for the man to whom the prison has become nothing but an easy place in which to get a living. It is a fact that tramps who stroll the country places in summer, endangering the life of women by their nameless crimes, and robbing men of property, throng to the cities in the autumn, and often commit some petty crime sufficient to give them a steady home through the winter, when travelling is not comfortable.

After ages of Christian teaching, there is no danger of our returning to barbarous treatment of criminals, and it might be difficult to convince the public generally of the necessity for corporal punishment; but still the question "shall punishment punish?" is a pertinent one. When the sentiment of pity for the criminal, high or low in station, seems to be stronger than for his victim; when society, unconsciously to itself, seems to discriminate in matters of physical ease between the very poor honest and the very poor dishonest man, in favor of the latter, the question of duty becomes paramount to any mere feeling, however lovely that may be. We are learning that philanthropy needs careful watching, lest it cultivate the ills it seeks to exterminate. Wisdom in charity has come to be the watchword of those who see how zeal, without knowledge, may harm society. And when we come to the matter of crime and criminals, the first question is, what penalties will best prevent transgressions of the law? and the second, what course of treatment will have the best effect upon the offender? To consider the prisoner first and only, and the claims of the State not at all, is to have bad perspective, and fail of a clear view. No excessive sentimentality should react sufficiently to make us forget that reformation is the best process to apply to the criminal; but, on the other hand, no teaching should lead us to forget that magnanimity, pity and personal sympathy must grow out of the soil of justice and wisdom if they are to live and blossom.—*Providence Journal.*

Disinterested Benevolence.

Many years ago, while W. J. Florence, the actor, was under an engagement at the Winter Garden theatre, New York, he formed the acquaintance of a young girl who played in minor parts in the dramas then represented. One day after rehearsal, he invited her to dinner at a Broadway restaurant. Both were hungry, and they ordered a plentiful supply of food. When their appetites were satisfied, Florence called for the bill, and to his utter dismay discovered that he had no money. In changing his clothing in the morning, he neglected to take the money from his discarded pantaloons. He told the girl of the fix he was in, and asked her for a loan. Mortified and chagrined, she answered that all she had was just sufficient to pay her fare home. Then the actor called the restaurant keeper and told him the truth about the money. The quickly excited man raved and stormed at Florence, saying that he had resolved not to be swindled by any one and that he should send for the police. At this time a short, stout old gentleman stepped up to the proprietor and firmly said:

"How dare you speak to a gentleman in the way you have done? His mistake is a perfectly natural one, and such as might occur to any man. I am ashamed of you! I'll dine no more in your house, nor permit my friends to do so in the future. Here, take this!" and the old gentleman took a fifty-dollar note from a fat wallet and handed it to the discomfitted landlord, saying, "Deduct the amount of the young man's bill, and return me the change."

The proprietor's apologies were unheeded. He handed the old gentleman $47.50, and again essayed apologies. When in the street Florence handed his benefactor his professional card and address, adding that he should certainly reimburse him. The old gentleman's indignation quickly passed away, and, beginning to smile, he added:

"That's all right, young man; I've been trying to pass that counterfeit bank note all day."

One More About the Commodore.

Arbitrary as the Czar, he was wont to govern in his private affairs with a rod of iron. The husband of one of the daughters of the Commodore being unfortunate in business, many years ago, she went to her father for assistance, which was refused in a manner more forcible than elegant. She abruptly withdrew to fight for complete independence. The next morning the New York of those days was highly surprised to read the following advertisement, specially displayed:

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—About twenty years ago a somewhat abusive opponent of the Baptists was publishing a book against them at the office of the printer of the acts of the Mississippi Legislature. By some inadvertence the sheets got mixed, and before the confusion was detected, several copies of the acts were so bound as to exhibit the following astonishing piece of legislation, the grand result of a thirty years' war against immersion: "Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Mississippi that *bap* means to put under the water and *tizo* means to pull out."

—Among the many useless and cumbersome appurtenances of the nineteenth century that will go down to posterity is the man who laps his spoon with his tongue and then dips it in the sugar.

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Mutual Life Insurance Co.,

OF NEW YORK,

ESTABLISHED IN 1843.

F. S. WINSTON, PRESIDENT,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1876.

DR. REVENUE ACCOUNT. CR.

To balance from last account,	$75,414,929 42	By paid death and endowment claims,	$4,459,458 59
" premiums received,	15,136,703 35	" " annuities,	24,811 49
" interest and rents,	4,878,260 34	" " dividends,	3,701,700 34
		" " surrendered policies and additions,	6,319,785 21
		" " Commutations (payment of current and exting'uishment of future,	678,067 49
		" " Contingent guarantee account,	56,199 83
		" " Expenses and taxes,	844,02 35
		Balance to new account,	79,926,000 87
	$95,429,887 13		$95,429,887 13

DR. BALANCE SHEET. CR.

To reserve at four per cent.,	$77,502,062	By mortgages on real estate,	$20,856,300 18
" claims by death, not yet due,	410,750	" United States and State bonds, etc.,	19,673,569 33
" premiums paid in advance,	24,572 43	" real estate,	4,246,145 40
" one ingent guarantee fund,	604,942 29	" cash in banks and trust companies	
" surplus for division,	3,568,161 97	at interest,	3,183,001 73
		" interest accrued,	1,022,294 16
		" premiums deferred, quarterly and semi annual,	923,331 98
		" premiums in transit, principally in December,	137,196 16
		Balances due by agents,	18,249 70
	$82,380,188 59		$82,380,188 59

Premiums deferred and in transit in the foregoing Balance Sheet, have been subjected to a deduct on of twenty-five per cent. by the Insurance Department, for the estimated cost of collecting the same.

From the surplus for Division, $3,568,161 59, as appears in the Balance Sheet, a Dividend will be apportioned to each Policy which shall be in force at its anniversary in 1877.

We have ascertained that the expenses of the Company are only **six and seven-tenths per cent.** upon the income of the year.

RICHARD A. McCURDY, Vice President,
ROBERT A. GRANNISS, 2d Vice President, ISAAC F. LLOYD, Secretary,
W. H. C. BARTLETT, LL. D., Actuary, O. H. PALMER, Solicitor.

The Report of the Examination by the Insurance Department.

ALBANY, February 1, 1877.

HON. WILLIAM SMYTH, Acting Superintendent New York Insurance Department:

In accordance with instructions received from you under appointment No. 353, I report the completion of the examination into the affairs of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

Made at a time when the annual investigation by the Trustees—as called for by the Company's charter—was in progress, the work was considerably facilitated by each department representative acting with one of the said Trustees, thus giving a double force with a check that was invaluable as to the correctness of the labor performed.

The valuation of the Policies in force have been made in the department under the supervision of Mr. D. H. Keefer, our Actuary, and have occupied his attention with that of the rest of our actuarial force not engaged in New York.

The investments of the Company, with other admissible assets, make a total of $82,076,706.87.

That the Company has been successfully managed is everywhere conceded; and it is very necessary that the custodians of this sacred trust fund should be most eminently competent to guard zealously the moneys that in the future afford the protection guaranteed by contracts with the holders of ninety two thousand, one hundred and twenty-five policies.

The Company does not need other endorsement by the Department than is shown in the assets and liabilities enumerated below, exhibiting a surplus, as regard policy-holders, of $10,052,579.44.

A schedule giving in detail the information necessary for valuation of property, verification of title, &c. each of the seven thousand, one hundred and fifty six (7,156) mortgages has been compiled, and with a list of uncollected and deferred premiums is now on file in the Department.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN A. McCALL, JR., Deputy Superintendent.

The Superintendent in person was present during the examination of the United States securities, bonds and mortgages and other stocks and bonds owned by the Company, and took part in said examination. He desires to join with his Deputy in assuring the public that the system of management and accuracy of detail, as well as the checks and individual responsibilities imposed on each person who has anything to do with the loaning or investing the funds of the Company, command his most hearty approval. The President and all other officers of the Company were most prompt and courteous in affording every information; while so perfect is the organization of each department that any special item required was at once turned to with all the necessary and satisfactory vouchers. This will account for the fact that a corporation of such vast magnitude and importance could be fully and satisfactorily examined in a few weeks, which under ordinary circumstances, would have required as many months.

WILLIAM SMYTH, Acting Superintendent.

JAMES P. BARTLETT,

Agent for Portsmouth and Vicinity,

OFFICE AT NEW HAMPSHIRE NATIONAL BANK, PORTSMOUTH.

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N. F. Mathes & Co.

Announce to the Public, that they

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Also, everything kept in a first class grocery store now selling at a great reduction from former prices, such as

Pure CANDIES	20 cts. ℔ lb.	
Granulated SUGAR	12¼	"
A Coffee "	11¼	"
B " "	11	"
Brown "	10	"
Fine Breakfast TEA	25	"
" Oolong "	40	"
Extra " "	50	"
" Fomosa "	65	"
Japan "	32	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	12½	"
Northern Smoked HAMS	13	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	25	"
" " Rio "	30	"
" Green Java "	28	"
" " Rio "	25	"
CURRANTS	8	"
Box RAISINS	13	"
Best Double Crown New Loose Muscatel RAISINS	12	"
New Valencia "	10	"
New Turkey PRUNES	8	"
New FIGS	15	"
Good Bar SOAP	6, 8, 10	"
Whole Dried PEAS	8 cts. ℔ qt.	
Split "	8	"
WALNUTS "	4 and 6	"
Good BROOMS	17 cts. each.	

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And also everything kept in our line, at the very lowest prices for CASH! All goods sold by us will be as represented; Please call and examine. Goods sent to any part of the city free of charge. Remember the old stand.

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Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street,** and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
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Atlantic & Pacific

TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

Another Reduction of Rates.

ON AND AFTER MARCH 5th, 1877, all offices within 50 miles circuit, 25 cents; all offices east of Missouri River over 500 miles, 35 cents. The present system of half rate night messages will be discontinued from this date; 20 words will however be transmitted at night for delivery the following morning for half price of the ten-word day message under the same condition in other respects that now govern half-rate night messages.

Per Order, THOMAS T. ECKERT, Pres't.

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Taylor's "HOLY LIVING AND DYING."
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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Islington, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

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A SMALL LOT OF

Cold Blast Whole Wheat Flour,
Pearled Wheat,
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Pearled Oats,
White Wheat Gluten,
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PURE STRAINED HONEY in small Bottles, also, HONEY COMB, for sale by

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Choice Flower and Garden Seeds,

STRAWBERRIES, PEACHES,

ETC., ETC., ETC.

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PLANTS of the newest and finest improved sorts, carefully packed and prepaid by mail. My collection of Strawberries took the first premium for the best Collection, at the great show of the Mass. Horticultural Society, in Boston. I grow over 100 varieties, the most complete collection in the country, including all the new, large American and imported kinds. Priced descriptive Catalogues, gratis, by mail. Also, Bulbs, Fruit Trees, Roses, Evergreens, Choice Flowers, Garden, Tree, Evergreen, Herb, or Fruit Seeds, 25 packets of either for $1.00, by mail.

C. C. The True Cape Cod Cranberry, best sort for Upland, Lowland, or Garden, per 1,000. $1.00 per 100, $5.00 by mail prepaid.

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W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, *via* Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West, 8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	6.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 "	5.30 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east of Dover may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

S'BLOOD! S'DEATH!

Have we a hero among us? At the democratic meeting in Franklin Hall, Tuesday evening, a prominent democrat of this city announced from the platform his entire willingness to "wade through seas of blood" in defence of democratic rights. [Voice in audience, "give him a chaw of tobacker!"] He also alluded thrillingly to the time,—now not far distant if such frauds as democratic defeats by the republicans are permitted,—when the ballot will have to be handed up in the muzzle of the pistol, to secure the rights of freemen. If that time ever comes there is one man in Portsmouth who won't hand his ballot up at all, nor be around to see others hand up their votes,—and that man is the blatant demagogue who spouted blood and thunder Tuesday evening; had he said he would wade through a sea of trickery to get an office he would have been believed, but that talk about seas of blood fell awfully flat on the ears of men who know that however willing he has been to hatch out schemes for others to put in force he has never shown any personal courage in himself assisting in their execution.

JOTTINGS.

Every man who has signed the Reform Club pledge has "solemnly promised before God and these witnesses" that he "will do the utmost of his power die-courage the manufacture, sale and use of spirituous or malt liquors," etc. Can any such vote for a brewer without breaking their pledge? Do they not thus encourage the manufacture and sale?

At a meeting of the Portsmouth Heavy Artillery on Tuesday evening, Major Daniel J. Vaughan was elected captain in place of Capt. Frank Williams, who is unable to accept.

Frank Jones' paper is indignant that we should mention his occupation and the source of his wealth, and intimates that any item containing the word "beer" is a "nasty little slur" on the democratic candidate for Congressman. Why the *Times* should get mad over anything we have said about "beer" or "brewers" we cannot see, for we have never asserted that there was anything disreputable in the manufacture of beer, (as its rage would indicate there is,) but have simply stated the undeniable facts that Mr. Jones and Mr. Eldredge are both wealthy brewers, and of course represent the beer interest more especially than any other. We have not intimated that being a wealthy brewer should be regarded as in any way a disqualification for public office; but we have said that when a man's *sole qualification* for public position is that he is a wealthy brewer, he is not fit for member of Congress. If Mr. Jones has any other especial fitness for the office to which he aspires, he did not make it manifest during the two years he spent in Congress.

The North church bell-frame having been repaired, the bell again rings at one and nine o'clock P. M.

Mr. Charles A. Wiggin, Chaplain of the Portsmouth Temperance Reform Club, delivered an excellent lecture before the Club at Franklin Hall last Sunday evening; but owing to the lack of notice by handbills or in the newspapers, the attendance was not as large as the services merited.

In the same item in which it talks of the "nasty little slur" of calling a brewer a brewer, and beer beer, the *Times* says: "The CHRONICLE writer, having doubled up and swallowed himself and his utterances in relation to Gen. Marston made before the nomination, now spends a good deal of time in trying to make it appear that Hon. Frank Jones has offended members of his party by his votes in Congress." As we gave no "utterances in relation to Gen. Marston" whatever, good, bad or indifferent, before the nomination, we have not yet been able to make a meal on such utterances; but what we have said about him and his opponent since the nomination does not seem to have met the approval of the *Times*, so we may assume that it has not helped Jones' prospect any. As to Frank Jones' having "offended members of his party by his vote in Congress," (which the *Times* denies,) it is the truth, as the *Times* well knows. We have been personally informed by several old-line democrats that they will not vote for Jones anyway, and have been credibly informed of similar statements on the part of many others; not that we place much dependence on these threats, for the malcontents probably will be whipped into line on election day and made to vote the straight ticket to a man, "independence" not being a characteristic of the democratic voter. But a lot of them denounce Mr. Jones for "his votes in Congress," however they may vote.

Mr. Albee's tenth and last lecture of the valuable and interesting course on English literature, will be given at the Unitarian Chapel on Court street, on Monday evening next, March 12th. Subject, Milton. Evening tickets 35 cents.

When the late House of Representatives was about adjourning for the last time, a vote of thanks to Speaker Randall was passed, it was at first supposed unanimously; but on calling for the contrary a sonorous "No" rang out from the democratic side, and was credited to Mr. Beebe of New York, the desk-prancing lion of the filibusters—though he did not get on his desk on this occasion, which throws some discredit on the story as to his authorship of the big "No!" To-night the lion and the lamb will "lie" down together on the platform at Franklin Hall.

A week or two ago we chronicled the sinking of the upper channel can buoy in this harbor; it has not yet been raised, and the other buoy went to the bottom to keep it company, on Wednesday.

The regular Thursday evening meeting of the Temperance Reform Club has been postponed from this evening to next Thursday night, one week, on account of the political meetings, and the usual excitement attending the last week of a campaign.

The parade of the Hayes and Wheeler Guards in honor of the National victory took place Wednesday night. Owing to the armories of the several companies having been given up and the committee of arrangements having been unable in the short time allowed them to secure any indoors place of meeting, the muster was a little tardy and the procession did not start until nearly eight o'clock; but it made a fine show when it did get under way, though many even of the uniformed men were without torches. The route as advertised was gone over, and at the close of the march a bonfire was kindled on Market square. Many houses along the line of march were illuminated, among the best shows in that line being at the residences of Samuel Adams, Esq., and Mayor Broughton. Though the night was cool—in fact uncomfortably cold, after the long spell of warm weather—a great many spectators were on the streets.

The first train for Boston over the Conway division of the Eastern Railroad ran off the track at a side track in Great Falls, Wednesday morning. The passenger car jumped the track and was dragged about five hundred feet, finally bringing up against a freight car on the siding, which separated it from the baggage car. The passengers were badly shaken up, but none injured. A loose wheel is the supposed cause.

A SUGGESTION.

We wish to offer a kindly suggestion to the democratic managers, in relation to their grand rally in Franklin Hall this evening. We may take it for granted that such a heavy gun as Samuel J. Randall and such a very light piece of artillery as Beebe have not been imported to overcome democratic disaffection to Frank Jones, as the *Times* asserts that there is no such disaffection; so we must conclude that the democrats hope to capture republicans through the aid of the gentleman who assisted Ben. Butler in engineering the back-pay steal through the House, backed by the gentleman who gets up on a desk and howls when things don't suit him. Now the imported statesmen cannot convert republicans unless the republicans attend the democratic meeting; and if the democratic managers wish to assure their attendance we can tell them how to do it, viz.: let them provide a desk on the platform, and have Mr. Beebe get on it and show how he pranced around at the time he was denouncing Speaker Randall as a traitor and all democrats who voted to complete the electoral count as cowards—let the democrats advertise such a performance as this, and their "great moral show" will draw the best house of the season.

OFFICERS OF THE "ENTERPRISE."

The following is a list of the officers of the U. S. S. "Enterprise" who have reported to duty up to March 7th.

Commander George C. Remey, commanding;

Lieut. Com. George E. Wingate, executive officer;

Lieutenant, Charles Seymour;

Masters, James C. Cresap, Lyman G. Spalding;

Ensign, Warren H. Nostrand;

Chief Engineer, Elijah Laws;

Paymaster, George H. Griffing;

Passed Assistant Surgeon, M. L. Ruth;

Boatswain, Edwin J. Allen;

Carpenter, George W. Greene.

WHY IT WAS CHOSEN.

Eds. Chronicle: The reason given in your issue of March 5th for the choice of March 4th as Inauguration Day does not seem to me to be the right one. Our fathers undoubtedly revered the Sabbath, but it is not probable that they showed this in choosing the 4th of March for that ceremony. That March 4th seldom occurs on Sunday is not true. It happens on Sunday as often as any other day, excepting February 29th. For instance, the 4th of March has occurred three times on Sunday during this century, in inauguration years; the 3d of March has happened on Sunday three times during the same period, the 2d of March three times; and the 1st of March *only twice* during that time. In order to get a clear idea of the reason why the 4th of March was chosen it is necessary to go back to the time when our Constitution was formed. The convention which draw up our Constitution met at Philadelphia in May, 1787. Their deliberations were continued until the 17th of September of that year, when the Constitution was finally adopted and signed. The convention provided that it should go into operation when agreed to by nine States. The ninth State to ratify it was New Hampshire, and knowledge of this event reached Congress on the 2d of July, 1788. On that same day a committee was appointed by Congress to report an act for putting the Constitution into operation. On the 14th of July in the same year the committee reported the draft of an act providing that the Presidential electors should be chosen on the first Wednesday of the following December. On the 28th of July the act was amended so as to read "the first Wednesday of January," instead of "the first Wednesday of December," and the act as amended was passed unanimously on the 13th of September. Wednesday, the 7th of January, was probably chosen because New Year's was a holiday in many places, and the middle of the week was a good time for the voters to assemble. The act further provided that one month later—on the first Wednesday of February—the electors should meet and vote for President and Vice President; one month after that, on the first Wednesday of March (which was the 4th) the new government was to go into operation. Ever since that time this precedent has been followed, and the incoming President has been inaugurated on the 4th of March, with two exceptions before the present, when on each occasion the ceremony was performed on the next day. C.

—Husbands and fathers will be pleased to learn that "small checks" are to be fashionable for silks next summer.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of the above ward are hereby notified that the caucus for the choice of three (3) Representatives to be supported at the Polls, March 13th, 1877, is to be holden in the Ward Room on Elm street at 7.30 P. M., Friday, March 9th, 1877. PER ORDER.

WARD TWO CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of Ward Two are hereby notified to meet at the Court House on Friday evening, March 9th, at half past seven o'clock, for the purpose of nominating four candidates to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting. PER ORDER,

E. H. LESLIE, Sec.

WARD THREE CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of Ward Three are hereby notified to meet at the "Granite State Planing Mill," on Friday evening, March 9th, at half past seven o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may before the meeting. PER ORDER.

WARD FOUR CAUCUS.

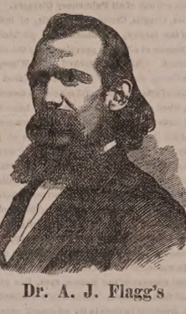
THE REPUBLICANS of Ward Four are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward, on Friday evening, March 9th, at 7 o'clock, to nominate candidates for Representatives to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting. PER ORDER.

Checklist Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECKLISTS, give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, March 1st, Wednesday, March 7th, and Monday, March 12th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock, P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the lists of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 A. M. and from 1 to 2 o'clock, P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted, and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,

Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Checklists.



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The Washington *Sunday Herald*, which was a strong supporter of Tilden from his nomination up to his final defeat, is an article ridiculing the talk of his friends about "Tilden and victory in 1880" says:

"We charge that the nomination of Mr. Tilden was obtained by disreputable means. In this case office did not seek the man, but the man sought the office by the use of agencies with which wealthy and unscrupulous politicians are familiar. Paid emissaries, some of them at least well known in Washington lobby, were engaged at different State capitals for months before the St. Louis Convention met, working up the Tilden interest. A political intriguer of the old regime occupied rooms during the last session at a fashionable hotel here, and headed the Tilden clique at the national capital. The system which in State and municipal politics is known as "cooking the primaries" was assiduously worked, and the result was that the convention which met at St. Louis did not represent the feelings and wishes of the democracy of the country, but that a majority of its members came there already pledged to Mr. Tilden. At St. Louis it was found that the town had been, as politicians called it, "salted," and as overpowering lobby, to maintain which it must have cost somebody a large sum of money, fairly drowned the expression of any sentiment which was not attuned to the key-note given out from the office of the Governor of New York. The common answer of the Tilden clique to the remonstrances of those who pointed out how obnoxious his nomination would be to the democracy in the great pivotal border States in which the initial combat of the campaign must take place, was that Mr. Tilden and his friends would spend millions of money to carry the election. It is need less to say that this was a revolting idea to any but machine politicians, though but a fitting sequel to the lavish expenditure of money and low intrigues by which the nomination was secured. But to show how hollow and false political promises of this kind are, it may be added that the hopes of those who expected Mr. Tilden to spend money lavishly to secure his election were never realized."

That last statement will injure Mr. Tilden's future political prospects. That his nomination was secured by unexampled trickery and corruption was well known, but did not injure him with his party; but that he did not spend the money with a promise of which his nomination was bought, will ruin his reputation as the specimen reformer. Another strong Tilden paper has been the Chicago *Times*, which now says:

"The simple fact that is Tilden is politically played out. The old grave-yard party corpse which he and his special admirers thought themselves capable of bringing back to life again, is not more effectually done for by the pusillanimous abdication of their representative function by the Tildenites in Congress than is Sam Tilden. If he should ever again be a candidate for President, the number of electoral votes he could expect to get would be no less than the number given last fall for the venerable Peter Cooper."

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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President Hayes' Cabinet Appointments.

SECRETARY OF STATE.

William Maxwell Evarts, who is about sixty years of age, was born in Boston, where his father, Jeremiah Evarts, was known as lawyer, editor, teacher, author and philanthropist. He graduated at Yale in 1837, as his father had done thirty-five years earlier, and after studying law at Harvard, commenced the practice of that profession in New York city. He soon gained a high rank at the bar, and has long been at the head of one of the most successful legal firms of the country. He has held office only for brief periods, having been for a short time a member of the Cabinet of President Johnson, and recently a member of the New York Charter Commission. His services as a counsel at the impeachment trial of Andrew Johnson, as one of the counsel before the Geneva Commission, and as leading counsel for the defence at the Tilton-Beecher trial have made his name and abilities known to the people of this country, and his published discourses and addresses afford evidence of his scholarship. He has been regarded as a conservative republican, though at times he has been as positive in his support of the principles and measures of his party as the most radical of his associates.

SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

John Sherman, born in Ohio, of good Connecticut stock, is now fifty-four years of age. Without the advantage of a collegiate course of training, he studied law with an elder brother, and was licensed to practice that profession on his twenty-first birth-day. Beginning in 1857, he was four times elected to the lower house of Congress, when he succeeded Chief Justice Chase in the Senate, where he has since remained by successive re-elections. He has been one of the hard-working members of that body, steadily growing in influence, and always a steadfast republican. He is a positive hard-money man, and the friends of specie payment are well pleased with his appointment.

SECRETARY OF WAR.

George W. McCrary is a comparatively young man, little known to the people of the country, except as an able and influential member of Congress. He is forty-two years of age, and was born in Indiana, but when he was one year old his parents settled in the territory comprising what is now the State of Iowa. After receiving an academic education he studied law, and was admitted to the bar at the age of twenty-one. He soon became a leader in the local politics of that State, and eight years ago he was elected to Congress, where he has since remained. He is a sound lawyer, a man of unquestioned character and a reliable republican.

SECRETARY OF THE NAVY.

Richard W. Thompson, now in his sixty-eighth year, and a "republican warhorse," is the oldest member of the Cabinet. He is a native Virginian, and after graduating at college he started westward, reaching Indiana, where he has resided about forty-five years, by easy stages. After teaching school and selling goods, he found his true place when, in 1834, he became a member of the bar, and took to politics. It took him but two years to reach the State Senate, and during the first term of service there, he was for a short time its presiding officer. From 1841 to 1849 he served in Congress, since which time he has not held office. But he has been a leader of the republican party, always prominent in its national conventions, and always respected far and wide for his ability and integrity.

SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

Carl Shurz, one of the most widely known of the new Cabinet, has had an eventful life of forty-eight years. Educated at Bonn, in his native Germany, he adopted the profession of journalist, and was a participant in the exciting scenes of 1848 and succeeding years, and become a political refugee. He came to this country a quarter of a century ago, and soon became an active participant in the anti-slavery movement. He has resided in two or three different States, and has been a Washington correspondent, editor, lecturer, Senator from Missouri, major general in the army, and Minister to Spain. He is one of the most popular speakers in the country, and is credited with extreme political independence and reformatory principles.

ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Charles Devens, now about sixty years of age, was born within the present limits of the city of Boston. He is of good Revolutionary stock, of which he has proved a worthy scion. He graduated at Harvard in the class of 1838, and after studying law was admitted to the bar, and removed to Worcester, where he resided for some years. During the administration of Millard Fillmore he held the position of United States Marshal. When the war broke out he led into the field one of the earliest of the regiments raised in Massachusetts, and was an efficient officer. During the war he was the candidate of the Massachusetts democrats for Governor, though it was understood that he did not fully accept their platform; and since then he has been regarded as a moderate republican. After a short term of service on the bench of the Superior Court, he was appointed a Justice of the Supreme Court—a position he has most creditably filled. He is very popular with the soldiers, and enjoys in a very large

measure the confidence and esteem of the whole community.

POSTMASTER GENERAL.

David M. Key, of Tennessee, was hardly known outside of his native State until his appointment to the National Senate to fill out the unexpired term of Andrew Johnson. He is fifty-four years of age, a lawyer by profession, has won distinction on the bench, and commanded a Confederate regiment during the rebellion. Although nominally a democrat, his course in the Senate was often of an unpartisan character, and he enjoys in so large measure the esteem of men of all parties at the South, as to make him a good representative man of that section.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, MARCH 9, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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To Republicans!

On Tuesday next the State election will occur, and the political complexion of the New Hampshire delegation in the National House of Representatives for the next two years will be decided. We hope to be able to record the triumphant election of all three of the republican candidates, and believe that we shall have that pleasure; but the republicans of this district have only to look out for the election of their own candidate, they being responsible neither for defeat nor victory in any other district. All that the republicans of the First Congressional District have to do to insure victory is to bring out the party strength and vote the party ticket. We have a decided majority of the voters, and our ticket is decidedly better than that of the democrats—in fact, our ticket is positively good and theirs as positively bad, for our candidate, Gen. Gilmore Harrison, is eminently qualified by training and education to fill the position of Member of Congress with honor to himself and advantage to the District and State, while the democratic candidate, Hon. Frank Jones, possesses the single qualification of great wealth.

In the First Senatorial District also, the republicans have a majority of the voters,—not a majority large enough to admit of many voters neglecting their duty, but quite large enough to make certain the election of our unexceptionable candidate, Mr. Emmons B. Philbrick, of Rye, if the party turns out as generally as in times past. Mr. Marcellus Eldredge, of this city, the democratic candidate for Senator, resembles Hon. Frank Jones in that he represents the beer interest and possesses large wealth, but in other respects he is not the equal of Mr. Philbrick.

Our only fear is that the republicans may not take proper measures to bring out a full vote, through an over-confidence in the success of their ticket, relying on the discouragement of the democrats more than the facts will warrant. The democrats always fight hard, even when they know they have no possible chance of success, and they are ever ready to take anvantage of any apathy of their opponents. The republicans must depend for victory on their own full vote and not on their antagonists' light one; if they do this the result will be all that can be desired, for we do not believe all the money of the democratic candidates for Governor, Congressman and Senator will suffice to overcome the legitimate republican majority in this district, though it sufficed to procure their nomination over the heads of abler men in the democratic convention.

Vote, and see to it that your republican neighbors do the same.

Washington Matters.

On Wednesday, "Gobble" Grover of Oregon appeared in the Senate to take the oath of office, but Senator Hamlin objected and Grover's credentials were referred to the committee on privileges and elections when appointed.

Senators Bayard, Blaine, Morton and others spoke on the question of admitting Kellogg of Louisiana, but no decision was reached.

"A split inevitable," "Hayes and the republican leaders at war," "Morton and Blaine united," "Evarts and Schurz to be sacrificed in their wrath," are some of the headlines with which the democratic and "independent" papers preface their accounts of the recession in the Senate of President Hayes' Cabinet nominations. According to their reports Messrs. Blaine and Morton would join forces against the confirmation of Schurz, and Conkling would help them, in return for which they would back Conkling in opposing the confirmation of Evarts. It was admitted that the other nominations would probably be confirmed without serious opposition.

News and Notes.

New Orleans, after being afflicted for months with *status quo*, now has a gunpowder plot. Eight kegs of powder and a trunk containing candles have been seized in a house opposite the Supreme Court building, by the Nicholls police. The democrats intimate that Packard is the Guy Fawkes, but what the evidence against him or any one else is, or who it was intended to blow up or how the job was to have been done, is not yet made public.

On Wednesday, in Utah, Judge Boreman passed sentence of death on John D. Lee, the leader of the Mormons in the Mountain Meadows Massacre. He is to be shot on Friday, March 23d.

Matilda Heron, the celebrated actress, died in New York on Wednesday, aged forty-eight years.

On Wednesday afternoon a half dozen men surrounded D. A. Weber in the Court House yard at West Felicians, Louisiana, and shot him to death. Mr. Weber had been several years a tax collector, and was a brother of State Senator Weber, who was recently returned to a seat in the Packard Senate.

John Brassel of Ansonia, Conn., who was shot by Fitzpatrick, Sunday night, on a bridge in Ansonia, died of his injuries Monday noon. Fitzpatrick has been bound over to the Superior Court for trial. It appears that Brassel and his companions were drunk, and had been insulting and interfering with many people who were passing on the bridge before they attacked Fitzpatrick.

The wonderful stories that were told early last year as to how cheaply a valuable quality of pig iron could be manufactured in the State of Ohio have been realized by the work of the season. The metal is produced at a cost of only $12 or $13 a ton. They have the iron, limestone, and coal sometimes on the same land, and always near together. Ordinarily the same grade of metal has cost from $17 to $23 to produce. Cheap iron is assured to the United States.

Walter P. Thompson, twenty-two years old, a graduate of Phillips Academy at Andover, committed suicide by shooting, in Boston, on the night of the 16th. No cause is assigned for the act. On the same date Ethel Warren, a young lady of twenty-two, attempted suicide by poison, but will probably recover. Domestic trouble was the cause.

New Yorkers are to have a Mardi Gras festival, after all, on the 4th of April.

Joe Goss, the pugilist, has been arrested in New York on a requisition from the Governor of Kentucky, for engaging in a prize-fight with Tom Allen in Kentucky last September.

William F. Speakman, an Englishman, fifty years old, murdered his wife at Worcester, Mass., on Thursday, and attempted to murder his sister, while him crazy.

Ship Fannie Tucker, Capt. Roberts, of Wiscasset, at Boston on Thursday from Calcutta, reports having taken off crew of British ship Kate Gregory, fifty-one in number, the latter ship having been burned in the Indian Ocean. After being on board some days the rescued crew, headed by their captain, attempted to force Capt. Roberts to run out of his course to land them at Mauritius, but Capt. Roberts armed his own crew and refused to accede to their demands. Fifteen days afterward the British crew demanded the Fannie Tucker's boats that they might leave the vessel to intercept a British ship coming up astern. This was refused, and the troublesome crew were finally landed in Algoa Bay, southeast coast of Africa.

Political.

"Now, Mr. Jones," said his sympathetic wife, "there's no use of kicking around and wearing out the sheets if you *are* dying." And this gentle rebuke is extended to those turbulent democrats who refuse to compose themselves for a temperate and tranquil departure. It is no proof that a man dies game because he kicks around and wears out things.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The republican State committee of Louisiana met on Wednesday and unanimously demanded Pinchback's resignation of the Presidency of the committee, and also the resignation of his membership in the National Committee.

Hon. J. B. Barnaby has been nominated for Governor of Rhode Island by the democrats. As usual, the democratic prospects are good for "overwhelming success," etc.

The Washington *Union*, the democratic newspaper established to influence the Electoral Commission in Tilden's favor, is dead.

New Hampshire Items.

The report that Prof. Emerson had resigned his position at Dartmouth is authoritively denied. Prof. Emerson was elected associate Professor of Natural Philosophy and Mathematics five years ago, and has had no thought of resigning. He will in all probability be advanced to the full chair of Physics left vacant by the resignation of Prof. Young. He was appointed inspector four years ago.

The next Legislature is likely to elect Mr. Wadleigh's successor in the United States Senate. His term doesn't expire until March, 1879, but as under the constitutional amendment that will be adopted at this election, the succeeding Legislature will not meet until June, 1879, the law would plainly throw the matter in the hands of the Legislature to be elected on Tuesday.

The citizens of Pembroke are about to erect a handsome monument, costing $500, on the spot where Josie Langmaid was murdered in October, 1875. The citizens of Pembroke had better erect the handsome granite monument over the spot where the unfortunate girl's remains lie buried, if they wish to perpetuate her memory, and let the recollections of the sickening horror of the tragedy die out if they will, after La Page is disposed of.

A horse and sleigh, stolen from E. C. Richards of Winchester, N. H., was found on Hardwick common, Mass., without a driver, Sunday evening, and it is supposed that three tramps who inquired at the hotel for the almshouse at about the same time were the thieves, and had driven as far as the sleigh would allow. A woman's suit of clothes was found about two miles from the village, part of it in a brook, from which it is thought one of the tramps had come that far in disguise.

There was a $10,000 fire in Suncook, Wednesday night, four business blocks being burned. Incendiary.

Newspaper Men's Trials.

One of the great trials of the newspaper profession is, that its members are compelled to see more of the shams of the world than any other profession. Though every newspaper office, day after day, go all the weaknesses of the world—all the vanities that want to be puffed, all the revenges that want to be reaped, all the mistakes that want to be corrected, all the dull speakers who want to be thought eloquent, all the meanness that wants to get its wares noticed gratis in the editorial column in order to save the tax of the advertising column, all the men who want to be set right who were never right, all the cracked-brained philosophers with stories as long as their hair and as gloomy as their finger nails in mourning because bereft of soap—all the bores who come to stay five minutes, but talk five hours. Through the editoral and reportorial rooms all the follies and shams of the world are seen day after day, and the temptation is to believe neither in God, man nor woman. It is no surprise to me that in this profession there are some skeptical men; I only wonder that journalists belive anything.—*De Witt Talmage.*

—A lady, whose cook went to a wake, was given notice by her a fortnight afterward that she was going to be married. "Who to," asked the mistress. "Please mam, to the husband of the corpse." "Why, does he love you?" was the next question. "Oh, yes, mam; he said I was the light of the funeral."

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To avoid all necessity for the teeth, use Sozodont daily to preserve and beautify the natural ones. It renders the gums rosy and the teeth indestructible.

Nothing breakable that Spalding's Glue won't mend.

After much study and a long series of experiments, Dr. A. J. Flagg, of Claremont, N. H. has succeeded in producing a remedy which will cure almost every form of disease of the Throat and Lungs. Catarrh, Asthma, Bronchitis and Consumption yield to it more readily and naturally than to any other known remedy. This medicine goes directly to the immediate seat of the disease, and its beneficial effects are at once manifested. The ingredients of the Cough and Lung Syrup are of the very best kind, having been prepared regardless of expense, and the patient can rest assured that the medicine is perfectly pure. It can be procured of any respectable druggist.

One of the pleasantest recollections of the Centennial trip to Philadelphia thousands of people will connect with their pleasant quarters and agreeable treatment at the Colonnade.

BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

MRS. JOHN LANE,
Cor. Pleasant and Prospect Sts.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.*

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ROOM PAPERS,

comprising 300 of the most desirable Patterns, selected from four of the largest manufactories in the United States, which we offer to the public at the following

EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

BROWNS from 6 to 10 cents per yard.
BUFFS " 10 to 15 " " "
WHITE " 11 to 15 " " "
FLATS " 13 to 18 " " "
satins, " 16 to 25 " " "
GOLD " 20 to 100 " " "

BORDERS of all grades from 1 to 12 cents per yard.

Our Papers are all made on No. 1 stock. None on No. 2.

We also have a large stock of WINDOW SHADES at prices ranging from 50 cents to $2.00 each.

CURTAIN FIXTURES, CORD, TASSELS, TASSEL CLAMPS, &c. at low prices.

Remember the best patterns go first. Call early, examine and select, while our stock is full.

34TH ANNUAL STATEMENT OF THE

Mutual Life Insurance Co.,

OF NEW YORK,

ESTABLISHED IN 1843.

F. S. WINSTON, PRESIDENT,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1876.

DR. REVENUE ACCOUNT. CR

To balance from last account,	$75,414,922 42	By paid death and endowment claims,	$4,429,458 52
" premiums received,	15,136,704 36	" " annuities,	34,811 49
" interest and rents,	4,878,260 34	" " dividends,	3,701,700 34
		" " surrendered policies and additions,	6,319,785 21
		" " Commissions (payment of current and extinguishment of future,	676,997 49
		" " Contingent guarantee account,	56,160 85
		" " Expenses and taxes,	604,02 35
		Balance to new account,	79,926,900 87
	$95,429,887 12		$95,429,887 12

DR. BALANCE SHEET. CR.

To reserve at four per cent.,	$77,502,662	By mortgages on real estate,	$60,856,850 18
" claims by death, not yet due,	510,750	" United States and State bonds, etc.,	12,673,569 33
" premiums paid in advance,	24,572 43	" real estate,	4,346,245 40
" contingent guarantee fund,	854,847 59	" cash in banks and trust companies at interest,	2,183,001 73
" surplus for division,	3,568,161 57	" interest accrued,	1,324,294 16
		" premiums deferred, quarterly and semi-annual,	923,332 99
		" premiums in transit, principally in December,	137,195 10
		Balances due by agents,	18,949 70
	$82,360,188 59		$82,360,188 59

Premiums deferred and in transit in the foregoing Balance Sheet, have been subjected to a deduction of twenty-five per cent. by the Insurance Department, for the estimated cost of collecting the same.

From the Surplus for Division, $3,568,161 59, as appears in the Balance Sheet, a Dividend will be apportioned to each Policy which shall be in force at its anniversary in 1877.

We have ascertained that the expenses of the Company are only **six and seven-tenths per cent.** upon the income of the year.

RICHARD A. McCURDY, Vice President,
ROBERT A. GRANNISS, 2d Vice President, ISAAC F. LLOYD, Secretary,
W. H. C. BARTLETT, LL. D., Actuary, O. H. PALMER, Solicitor.

The Report of the Examination by the Insurance Department.

ALBANY, February 1, 1877.

HON. WILLIAM SMYTH, Acting Superintendent New York Insurance Department:

In accordance with instructions received from you under appointment No. 363, I report the completion of the examination into the affairs of the Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York.

Made at a time when the annual investigation by the Trustees—as called for by the Company's charter—was in progress, the work was considerably facilitated by each department representative acting with one of the said Trustees, thus giving a double force with a check that was invaluable as to the correctness of the labor performed.

The valuation of the Policies in force have been made in the department under the supervision of Mr. D. H. Keeler, our Actuary, and have occupied his attention with that of the rest of our actuarial force not engaged in New York.

The investments of the Company, with other admissible assets, make a total of $82,976,706.87.

That the Company has been successfully managed is everywhere conceded, and it is very necessary that the custodians of this sacred trust fund should be men eminently competent to guard zealously the moneys that in the future afford the protection guaranteed by contracts with the holders of ninety-two thousand, one hundred and twenty-five policies.

The Company does not need other endorsement by the Department than is shown in the assets and liabilities enumerated below, exhibiting a surplus, as regard policy-holders, of $16,392,878.44.

A schedule giving in detail the information necessary for valuation of property, verification of title, &c. each of the seven thousand, one hundred and fifty six (7,156) mortgages has been compiled, and with a list of uncollected and deferred premiums is now on file in the Department.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

JOHN A. McCALL, JR., Deputy Superintendent.

The Superintendent in person was present during the examination of the Uni ed States securities, bonds and mortgages and other stocks and bonds owned by the Company, and took part in said examination. He desires to join with his Deputy in assuring the public that the system of management and accuracy of detail, as well as the checks and individual responsibilities imposed on each person who has anything to do with the loaning or investing the funds of the Company, command his most hearty approval. The President and all other officers of the Company were most prompt and courteous in affording every information; while so perfect is the organization of each department that any special item required was at once furni hed with all its necessary and satisfactory vouchers. This will account for the fact that a corporation of such vast magnitude and importance could be fully and satisfactorily examined in a few weeks, which under ordinary circumstances, would have required as many months.

WILLIAM SMYTH, Acting Superintendent.

JAMES P. BARTLETT,

Agent for Portsmouth and Vicinity,

OFFICE AT NEW HAMPSHIRE NATIONAL BANK, PORTSMOUTH.

TAKE NOTICE.

N. F. Mathes & Co.

Announce to the Public, that they

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GROCERIES AND PROVISIONS

FOR CASH AT WHOLESALE PRICES.

Also, everything kept in a first class grocery store now selling at a great reduction from former prices, such as

Pure CANDIES	20 cts. ℔ lb.	
Granulated SUGAR	12¼	"
A Coffee "	11¼	"
B " "	11	"
Brown "	10	"
Fine Breakfast TEA	32	"
" Oolong "	40	"
Extra " "	50	"
" Fomosa "	65	"
Japan "	32	"
Extra Japan "	65	"
Clear PORK	19½	"
Northern Smoked HAMS	13	"
Leaf LARD	14	"
Pure Roasted Java COFFEE	35	"
" " Rio "	30	"
" Green Java "	28	"
" " Rio "	25	"
CURRANTS	6	"
Box RAISINS	12	"
Best Double Crown New Loose Muscatel RAISINS	12	"
New Valencia "	10	"
New Turkey PRUNES	8	"
New FIGS	15	"
Good Bar SOAP	6, 8, 10	"
Whole Dried PEAS	8 cts. ℔ qt.	
Split "	8	"
WALNUTS	4 and 6	"
Good BROOMS	17 cts. each.	

FANCY CRACKERS of all kinds at lowest prices

And also everything kept in our line, at the very lowest prices for CASH! All goods sold by us will be as represented; Please call and examine. Goods sent to any part of the city free of charge. Remember the old stand.

N. F. Mathes & Co.,

NO. 48 MARKET STREET.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street,** and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Atlantic & Pacific

TELEGRAPH COMPANY.

Another Reduction of Rates.

ON AND AFTER MARCH 5th, 1877, all offices within 5-0 miles circuit, 25 cents; all offices east of Missouri River over 500 miles, 35 cents. The present system of half-rate night messages will be discontinued from this date; 20 words will however be transmitted at night for delivery the following morning for the price of the ten-word day message under the same condition in other respects that now govern half-rate night messages.

Per Order, THOMAS T. ECKERT, Pres't.

FOR LENT!

Taylor's "HOLY LIVING AND DYING."
A'Kempis' "IMITATION OF CHRIST."
Keble's "CHRISTIAN YEAR."
Huntington's "HELPS TO A HOLY LENT."
Haven's "LESSONS FOR LENT."
"DEAR FEAST OF LENT."
"ROSARY FOR LENT."
Clarke's "STEPS OF RELIEF."
Foster's "HYMNS."
"CHANGED CROSS."
"SHADOW OF THE ROCK."
"MORNING AND NIGHT WATCHES."

PRAYER BOOKS, LESSONS,
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in great variety of style and price at

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F. A. FERRIS & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

—AND—

SMALL PIG HAMS,

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—AND—

DUTCH CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

Charles E. Laighton & Son,

EXCHANGE BUILDINGS.

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

Houses to Let.

ALSO, one very desirable Estate for sale: price $1100—terms easy. Apply to A. J. PENHALLOW, No. 35 Court Street.

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House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.

House No. 36 Deer Street.
Brick House No. 56 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 2 Rockingham Street.

Apply to A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for stone cellar.

FRANK W. MILLER.

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 15 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main traveled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

—APPLY TO—

JOSEPH S. GRANT,

2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

HEALTH FOOD CO.

A SMALL LOT OF

Cold Blast Whole Wheat Flour,
Pearled Wheat,
Granulated Wheat (coarse),
" " (fine),
Pearled Oats,
White Wheat Gluten,
Granulated Barley.

Just received and for sale by

Butler & Laighton,

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1500 Pounds New Dates,

SELLING CHEAP AT

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SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS.

FERRIS & CO'S SUGAR-CURED HAMS,

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BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

PURE BEES' HONEY!!

PURE STRAINED HONEY in small Bottles, also, HONEY COMB, for sale by

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

Choice Flower and Garden Seeds,

STRAWBERRIES, PEACHES,

ETC., ETC., ETC.

New Sorts, by Mail,

PLANTS of the newest and finest improved sorts, carefully packed and warranted safe by mail. My collection of Strawberries took the first premium for the best Collection, at the great show of the Mass. Horticultural Society, in Boston. I grow over 100 varieties, the most complete collection in the country, including all the new, large American and imported kinds. Priced descriptive Catalogues, gratis, by mail. Also, Bulbs, Fruit Trees, Roses, Evergreens, Choice Flower, Garden, Tree, Evergreen, Herb, or Fruit Seeds, 25 packets of either for $1.00, by mail.

C. C. The True Cape Cod Cranberry, best sort for Upland, Lowland, or Garden, by mail prepaid. $1.00 per 100, $5.00 per 1,000. Wholesale Catalogue to the Trade. Agents Wanted.

B. M. WATSON,

Old Colony Nurseries and Seed Warehouse,

Established 1842. PLYMOUTH, MASS.

American and Swiss

WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

CLOCKS and JEWELRY.

—AT—

Messrs. C. E. & J. E. DIXON'S,

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Fine Watch Repairing and engraving.
Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—*the first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

MERCER GOODRICH

Has an Extensive Stock of

SCHOOL BOOKS,
AUTOGRAPH ALBUMS,
PORTEMONNAIES, BILL BOOKS,
PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, BLANK BOOKS,
NOTE PAPERS, LETTER PAPERS, GOLD PENS,
BILL PAPERS, LEGAL PAPERS, PENS,
INKS, and ENVELOPES. Also,
CENTENNIAL VIEWS,
PRANG'S CHROMO
CARDS, &C.

☞ I shall open next month a complete line of ROOM PAPERS, CURTAINS, BORDERS, TASSELS, &c., &c.

City Building, - - Market Square.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

ston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
rtland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
st (beyond Portland),		9.45 "	6.30 "
ndaiscot, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
eat Falls		9.45 "	4.46 "
reat Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
oncord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
ancord Way,			4.35 "
oston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
over,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

ston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
ortland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "	
reat Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
oncord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "	
over,	10.20 " 5.50 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

A DEMOCRATIC DISPLAY.

When the republican torch-light procession, Wednesday evening, reached the head of Richards avenue on the way down Middle street, they found there a large crowd several hundred in number, we should judge from all accounts,) of democrats from the brewery district, Water street and the North end, including about all the noted strikers" who figure most prominently in the occasional street rows and police court pieces, all full of democratic enthusiasm and evidently all ready for a nice fight. The reason for the assembling in that respectable neighborhood of such a representative democratic crowd was that a number of Frank Jones' supporters, under the lead, we are informed, of Ex-Policemen Marden and Watkins, had at that point stretched from tree to tree across the street a line, on which they displayed an American ensign, draped in mourning and Union-down. The mourning we can understand; it was expressive of sorrow at the failure of Tilden's "reform," which would have enabled all the mourning crowd to have secured nice billets on the navy yard, where they would have got good pay for working—for the democratic ticket; but why they should have hung out a signal of distress, unless it was intended to call attention to Mr. Jones' condition, we cannot very plainly see. On reaching the flag the processionists quietly opened their ranks and passed on either side of it, extinguishing their torches as they did so; but one of their number, a colored man, very improperly reached up his torch to set the flag on fire, and was immediately struck by one of the democratic roughs, a "Creek ranger." For a few moments a general row seemed imminent, which was undoubtedly just what the democrats wanted and would most probably have resulted in their favor, as they were all prepared for it and most of them are used to that kind of entertainment; but nothing serious resulted. The colored man was clearly and entirely in the wrong; that the brewery Irishmen or the Water street wharf rats should have any respect for the American flag is hardly to be expected; but a republican should not forget that the flag is sacred, no matter in whose hands it may be. We presume this display of democratic spite and ruffianism was most satisfactory to the men who made it; and it *may* make votes for Mr. Jones—but we don't believe it will, for respectable people will not be over-anxious to get into such company as was gathered about that flag on Middle street, Wednesday evening.

We are informed that several lady members of some of our most respected families were grossly insulted, and one of them pelted with pieces of ice, by some of the democratic chivalry on the corner.

"MY DISTRICT."

Hon. Frank Jones writes to the Boston *Post* stating that he has reliable information that circulars "purporting to be a call by dissatisfied democrats in my District for another Congressional Convention to nominate a candidate to run in my place" are to be sent "into every town in my District," and denouncing something (probably the circular, though it may be the "reliable information") as "a base falsehood, worthy of the source from which it emanated." Mr. Jones adds; "This is a mode of warfare I am not accustomed to." Mr. Jones evidently regards the First Congressional District as his private property—"*my* District"—bought with the gilt-edged Congressional Directories, probably; but it is gratifying to have an acknowledgement over his own signature that he is not accustomed to partisan tricks in political warfare!

AN IMPORTANT ELECTION.

Let no republican miss voting next Tuesday, from a mistaken idea that the election this year is of minor importance and that Mr. Marcy is sure to be defeated anyway. Really, it is of comparatively little importance whether Daniel Marcy or Benjamin F. Prescott fills the gubernatorial chair, for no one imagines that Mr. Marcy as Governor would countenance anything dishonest or injurious to the financial standing of the State, his ultra-Bourbon partisanship being the main objection to him as a candidate, and with a republican legislature he could not, if he would, go far wrong; but the equally honest and far more capable, experienced and progressive candidate of the republicans will be elected. This, however, as we before remarked, is not the most important consideration connected with the coming election; it is of far greater moment that New Hampshire should send a solid republican delegation to the present Congress than that her Governor for the next year should be a republican. Says the Boston *Post* of Thursday:

The organization of the next National House of Representatives may turn upon next Tuesday's result in the three districts of New Hampshire.

The importance attached to this election by the democratic leaders is shown in their strenuous endeavors to secure the re-election of Frank Jones. The noted men of the party, such as Ex-Speaker Randall, the desk-dancer Beebe, P. A. Collins of Boston and others, are engaged to urge and implore the democrats of this district to put forth extra exertions, and their adjurations are to be supplemented by those of Heister Clymer of Pennsylvania,—sometimes called "coffee-pot Clymer," in commemoration of his alleged services once upon a time in giving to a lot of "naturalization papers" the orthodox tint of age, by dousing them with weak coffee the night before election. All the work of the democrats is in behalf of their Congressional candidates, Mr. Marcy being almost wholly ignored; and it is necessary for the republicans to be equally in earnest in behalf of their candidates, for (as the democratic *Post* truly observes) the organization of the National House of Representatives may depend on the election of next Tuesday.

Let no republican be idle until after the vote is cast, counted and *returned*, and we shall be able to announce on Wednesday morning the triumphant election of Messrs. Marston, Briggs and Blair to Congress.

JOTTINGS.

The republican caucuses for the nomination of candidates for Representatives to General Court, to be supported at the polls next Tuesday, meet this evening. Full particulars as to time and places are given in our advertising columns. If some one of our friends at each caucus will furnish us with a list of the nominees as soon as convenient after the caucus closes, we shall esteem it a favor.

After the procession, Wednesday evening, Gen. Gilman Marston addressed the people in front of the Kearsage House. Owing to there having been no public announcement of his coming, but few people comparatively were aware that he was in the city or that there would be any speaking; hence the audience, though much larger than could all hear an open-air address, was not nearly so large as it otherwise would have been. Gen. Marston's remarks, though necessarily brief, were of course appropriate and forcible and were enthusiastically received.

Eds. of Chronicle :—While we republicans are so liberal and general in our criticisms of the democratic beer nominations for Senator and Congressman,—do pray let us see to it that our own nominations for the Legislature (and elsewhere) shall be such at least as shall not publicly disgrace our city and our delegation in the Great and General Court. REFORM.

The prohibitionists of the First Congressional District propose to do all they can to aid the re-election to Congress of Hon. Frank Jones. They have nominated Caleb Moulton of Hampstead as the prohibition candidate, and it is said he has accepted the nomination.

At the recent term of the supreme court at Exeter, Annie M. Clark of this city was divorced from Albert Clark.

Hon. Daniel Marcy's letter in answer to the open letter of John N. Clark and others concerning the "general injustice and the public expense caused by the cost of jury trials in small cases," and asking his opinion as to the proper remedy, is published. Mr. Marcy's answer is somewhat similar to that of Mr. Prescott, and suggests that an affirmative answer to questions "two" and "ten" on the printed slips which will be furnished voters for expressing their will on the proposed Constitutional Amendments, is the only way he knows of for securing the desired reform. Mr. Marcy was a member of the Constitutional Convention, and his answer shows that he has given the matter earnest consideration. As both the gubernatorial candidates heartily endorsed the proposed reform there can be little doubt of amendments "two" and "ten" being adopted.

Rev. J. W. Hubbell of Hartford, Conn., has accepted the call of the North Congregational church, his pastorate beginning on Sunday.

Schooner Satellite, Adderton, of Bath, from Boston for Dover, in ballast, went ashore on Pavilion Beach, Cape Ann, on Wednesday. She came off next tide, but little damaged.

Hon. Samuel J. Randall did not come here on Thursday night, to orate to the democrats and appear as the Siamese twin of Mr. Beebe of New York, as advertised. But the use of his name served to "draw an audience," including many who would not have gone a step to hear and see the gentleman who expressed his displeasure at Mr. Randall and the democrats who voted with Hon. Frank Jones on the electoral-count question, by dancing a jig on top of his Congressional desk.

—"Too muchee smartee," was what the moon eyed child of the Orient said to the ticket seller at the wharf when gold was demanded for three tickets to Stockton, at $3.-50 each, making $10.50. "Too muchee smartee; you no cashee gold alle time." "Yes, John, I must have gold for these tickets—ten dollars and and a half. Come out." "How muchee one ticket?" Three dollars and a half." "Alle light; me takee one," and he paid his $3.50 in silver; then bought another one and paid three dollars and a half in silver, and bought a third in the same way, having paid out ten dollars and a half in silver without showing any gold. With a look of triumph the mild-eyed son of Confucius gathered in his last ticket and said, "Too muchee smartee." *California paper.*

—At one of the Detroit churches where a revival is in progress the clergyman asked those who wanted to be prayed for to stand up. Quite a number rose to their feet, and after services were closed one lady was heard asking another at the door, "Why didn't you stand up?" "Oh, I didn't want to," was the reply. "Why, you are a very foolish woman. I wouldn't have missed the opportunity for anything." "Opportunity for what?" "Why, for standing up there and showing off your seal-skin sacque! There wasn't another in the whole church."

—Careful experiments indicate that dark colored substances absorb and emit odors to a greater extent than those which are light colored. With a knowledge of this fact, nurses should invariably dress in light colors. A black cotton dress is bad, a black wool one worse, a black silk worst of all. As black is the most absorbent and most emissive of odorous and other effluvia, physicians should discard dress of that color on account of danger to themselves and patients.

—A Pittsfield manufacturer is sending carriage rugs and blankets to South America, Norway and Sweden, and is enlarging his mill as a result of the Exhibition.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch Mary J Adams, Coombs, from Boothbay, arr at Woods Hall Mar 3.

Sch Clara E Simpson, Talpey, sld from Providence for Baltimore Mar 6.

Sch W Donnely, Riggan, for this port cld from Philadelphia Mar 6.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of the above ward are hereby notified that the caucus for the choice of three (3) Representatives to be supported at the Polls, March 13th, 1877, is to be holden in the Ward Room on Elm street at 7.30 P. M., Friday, March 9th, 1877. PER ORDER.

WARD TWO CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of Ward Two are hereby notified to meet at the Court House on Friday evening, March 9th, at half-past seven o'clock, for the purpose of nominating four candidates to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting. Per Order,

E. H. LESLIE, Sec.

WARD THREE CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of Ward Three are hereby notified to meet at the Opinate State Printing Office, on Friday evening, March 9th, at half-past seven o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may before the meeting. PER ORDER.

WARD FOUR CAUCUS.

THE REPUBLICANS of Ward Four are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward, on Friday evening, March 9th, at 7 o'clock, to nominate candidates for Representatives to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may come before said meeting. PER ORDER.

Checklist Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECKLISTS, give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, March 1st, Wednesday, March 7th, and Monday, March 12th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M. and from 2 to 5 o'clock, P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the lists of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 3 to 10 A. M. and from 1 to 3 o'clock, P M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted, and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

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Daily Chronicle.

Stand By Hayes.

New Hampshire will go republican in all departments next Tuesday, if the republicans do not trip themselves by over confidence. This is the only danger, and it will come from four classes of republicans, namely:

Republicans who are indifferent;
Republicans who are absent;
Republicans who are busy;
Republicans who are lazy.

The indifferent class is always a large one except when a national contest or a local interest arrests their attention. When an election is lost through the failure of this class to vote, as sometimes happens, no class is more astonished or feels worse than the indifferent class. Instead of blaming themselves the indifferent men blame the active ones, and are very sure if they had managed matters that no defeat would have resulted. Let the indifferent republicans throw away their indifference this year and vote.

There are some two thousand New Hampshire republicans, most of them young men, who are employed out of the State. They generally come home to vote, but not always. If you know of one such, write him and get him home. It will do him good to visit the old folks and vote the republican ticket again!

Republicans are men of business generally, and they are just as apt to be busy on election day as on any other. But it has always seemed to us that a business man is under the strongest possible bonds to do his duty at the polls. Honest administration and low taxes conduce to the prosperity of all legitimate business, but such results cannot be secured by business men neglecting their political duties, either in the caucus or at the polls. It should be a habit with business men to attend punctually and persistently to these duties, and by so doing they will serve both themselves and the public. Let all business men do their duty this year.

There are, fortunately, but a few republicans who are too lazy to go and vote. If the ballot-box could be passed around, like a contribution-box, they would drop a ballot in; but they must be taken as they are. They must be sent for. They must be carried to the polls, if necessary, in a coach and four. Their votes count, and they are wanted this year just as much as ever. Get out the lame and the lazy.

The last man is wanted. He doesn't always vote but he should be got out this year. Vote the check-list clean. Get out the last man.

We want a full republican vote on Tuesday so that President Hayes will understand that he has the sympathy and support of the State that elected him. He has a difficult task before him, and it will be rendered doubly difficult if the people do not sustain him. Vote—vote—vote the republican ticket and stand by Hayes.—*Nashua Telegraph.*

Irish Wit.

Aninside car full of travellers was toiling up one of the long hills in the County Wicklow. The driver leaped down from his seat in front, and walked by the side of the horse. The poor beast toiled slowly and wearily, but the six insides were too busily engaged in conversation" to notice how slowly the car progressed. Presently the driver opened the door at the rear of the car and slammed it to again. The "insides" started, but thought the driver was only assuring himself the door was "securely closed. Again the fellow repeated the same action; he opened the door and slammed it to again. The travellers turned around angrily and asked why he disturbed them in that manner. "Whisht," whispered the fellow, "don't spake so loud, she'll overhear us." "Who is she?" "The mare. Spake low," he continued, putting his hand over his nose and mouth. "Sure, I'm decavin' the creature! Every time she hears the door slammin' that way she thinks one of yez is getting down to walk up the hill, and that rises her sperrits." The insiders took the hint.

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N. H. State 6s, 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	21
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	83
Boston & Lowell R. R.	69
Boston & Maine	36½
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	124½
Nashua & Lowell	87
Concord	78
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	21
Fitchburg	113½
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The History of Skating.

It can only be conjectured when skating was first practiced, but it was certainly very long ago. In that ancient collection of Scandinavian songs and legends known as the "Edda," Uller, the handsome god, is described as being the possessor of a pair of skates. This proves that skating is at least a thousand years old. It is supposed to have been introduced into England about the twelfth century, and into the central parts of Europe somewhat earlier. It is curious that, although all Northern nations possessed the sledge, those of America knew nothing of the skate, while the people of Europe did not have the snow shoe. The course of invention varied, according to requirements. In America, in high latitudes, the snows are heavy, and open ice is comparatively rare. In the corresponding parts of Europe there is much more clear ice, and proportionately less snow.

The ancient skates were nothing but the shin bones of oxen or other large animals, pierced with holes to receive the cords or thongs which bound them to the feet. Fitzstephen's "History of London," written in the thirteenth century, is the earliest English book in which skating is spoken of; and we learn, from its description, that the performers upon those bone skates kept themselves in motion by striking against the ice with an iron-shod pole. Sometimes specimens of these bone skates have been discovered, in the progress of excavations, in several European countries; and a very well preserved pair, so found in England some years ago, can now be seen in the British Museum.

It is unknown when or where iron was first employed in the construction of skates. It was probably in Holland; for skates, of a pattern very much like that of the ones we have now, not only were known in that country, but were extensively used by all classes of its people, long before the pastime of skating became general elsewhere. Skating is something more than a pastime in Holland. There it is one of the useful arts, and is universally practiced and highly esteemed. It offers a very convenient mode of travel in winter over the canals that almost entirely supply the place of roads in the Land of Dykes; and people skate from farm to farm, and from town to town, and to church, and to market, often carrying heavy burdens. The Russians have constructed an ice locomotive, with roughened driving wheels to lay hold of the slippery surface, and it has proved a success; but in Holland every man is his own ice locomotive. And so is every woman—for it has long been customary for ladies to skate in Holland; whereas in other countries, until recently, this most excellent of out-door exercises for them has been almost tabooed.

The first skaters in our part of the world were the honest Dutchmen of the "Province of Nieuw Nederlandts," who doubtless brought their skates with them in that celebrated vessel, the "Goede Vrouw,"—which, we are told by the learned Diedrich Knickerbocker, "had one hundred feet in the beam, one hundred feet in the keel, and one hundred feet from the bottom of the stern post to the tafferel." The Dutch certainly deserve high honor for having introduced skating and Christmas presents into America if for nothing else. As they did so, the worthy St. Nicholas must be esteemed the patron of all American skaters.

St. Nicholas.

Packard's Assailant.

William Henry Welden, who shot Gov. Packard in New Orleans on Feb. 15, was admitted to bail in the sum of $5000 by Recorder Stais of that city on Thursday last, and arrived in Philadelphia in company with his father, Rev. C. F. Welden, yesterday morning. Mr. Welden left here for New Orleans on Feb. 19 to intercede for his son. He reached there on the Friday following, and through Gen. Busey was presented to and accorded an interview with Gov. Packard. The latter was very cordial and sympathetic, and heard Mr. Welden attentively. At first he believed the assault upon him was premeditated, and grew out of a conspiracy to murder him, for the day before he had been warned by mail that such an attempt was to be made upon his life within twenty-four hours. But Judge Kelley telegraphed from Washington that he knew Welden and his people well, and that the young man, whatever else his motives might have been, was incapable of entering into a conspiracy to murder. This telegram, together with Welden's previous good character, led Gov. Packard to believe that his assailant was under the influence of liquor when the assault was made, and not morally responsible for his actions. With this view he was disposed to be lenient with Welden, and offered no resistance to his release on bail. Indeed it was intimated to the young man's father that neither the Governor nor any one of the witnesses to the shooting would appear against him before the Grand Jury. As for the Nicholls Government, they said they had no official knowledge of the crime charged against Welden, and did not propose to interfere with him. It has been ascertained that Welden left the employ of Pepper & Co. of Mobile just a week before the shooting, and that he had been in New Orleans but about twenty hours when it occurred. He thinks he would have been shot dead by Gov. Packard's attendants after the assault had

it not been for that gentleman's interference in his behalf. After the shooting he was attended by Gov. Packard's own physician, and his treatment, he says, was kind and humane during his confinement in prison.—*Philadelphia Ledger, March 5.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, MARCH 10, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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Hayes and Tilden as Candidates.

The democrats still maintain that Samuel J. Tilden has a better right to the Presidency of the United States than Rutherford B. Hayes, and if he who strives most earnestly and persistently for the prize is best entitled to it, we must acknowledge that the democrats are right. For what did Gov. Hayes do to secure the Presidency? Not even the most trifling thing. From the time he was first spoken of as a possible candidate up to the time he was declared elected, he stood entirely aloof, and had less to say about the campaign than any fourth-rate ward politician in the country. He had no agents employed before the Cincinnati convention, working up "spontaneous enthusiasm" in his behalf, nor was he represented at the convention by any save volunteer representatives; his letter accepting the nomination was but a concise, straightforward declaration of his principles, and neither praised himself nor denounced others; he took no part in the campaign, established no literary bureau, gave no instructions to his supporters to "claim everything," and instead of looking after his own election wasted his time in attending to his duties as Governor of Ohio; after the election he made no attempts to buy up electors, or to "Gobble" in any way an electoral vote to which he was not entitled; he sent no criminal-court trickster to Congress to act as his attorney; and after the Electoral Commission was established the only declaration a skilled "interviewer" could get out of him on that subject was that he would not, if he could, say a word to influence the Commission one way or the other. If ever a man was sought by office instead of seeking it, that man is Rutherford B. Hayes.

Compared with Mr. Hayes' entire avoidance of campaign work, how brightly does Samuel J. Tilden's energy as a tireless toiler in his own behalf appear. Long before the St. Louis convention met, Mr. Tilden's emissaries were at work all over the Union, striving by all the arts known to the wire-puller who works for a wealthy employer, to secure the election of Tilden delegates; thousands of dollars were spent through the advertising agency of Bates & Locke, to secure the admission of paid-for puffs of himself as a reformer in the columns of the party press; when the convention met, St. Louis was filled with his subsidised retainers, and his right-hand man, John Morrissey, the eminent reformer, gambler and pool-swindler, was there with a large and select crowd of supporters and plenty of golden arguments in his favor; in his letter of acceptance he said "usufruct;" he contributed $300,000 to the democratic campaign fund; he established a "bureau of nincompoops" to furnish original editorial matter for all the democratic papers in the Union; he ordered the democratic press to claim the Colorado election as a great democratic victory for a week after the facts were known all over the country, for the sake of the "moral" effect it would have in the October elections; he wasted no time on his duties as Governor of New York, not visiting his gubernatorial office for months; he (or his immediate supporters) tried to buy up electors in South Carolina and Louisiana, and the much-talked-of Returning Board of the latter State; he did buy an elector in Oregon, but as the people of that State had omitted to elect him the investment was not a paying one; he took away his old friend Tweed's legal adviser, and sent him to Congress as his own attorney; in short, he worked harder to get the office to which he aspired than any man ever did before, or ever will again, probably. But in spite of his striving another bore off the palm of victory; and it must be an annoying reflection to him that while he was unable to achieve greatness, his unconcerned rival had greatness thrust upon him.

La Page Doomed.

The second trial of the Frenchman Joseph La Page, for the murder of Josie Langmaid of Pembroke, was concluded at Concord on Thursday, and the miserable wretch was again convicted of the terrible crime committed on the 4th of October, 1875. Attorney-General Tappan's argument for the prosecution occupied five and a quarter hours in delivery, and was a masterly effort. Judge Stanley charged the jury, the delivery of the charge taking two hours and five minutes. The jury retired at ten minutes past six o'clock, and at seven o'clock sent for the Court. The room was filled immediately to overflowing. La Page was brought from prison at 7:38, the jury came in two minutes later, and in the usual form the foreman announced the verdict, "Guilty of murder in the first degree." The Attorney-General moved for sentence. Judge Aaron F. Sawyer then said:

"Joseph La Page, you have been convicted by a jury of your own selection, and the Court entertains no reasonable doubt of your guilt. You have been convicted of the murder of Josie A. Langmaid on the 4th day of October, 1875, at Pembroke in this county, for which, by the law of New Hampshire, you must suffer death. Have you anything to say why the death penalty should not now be pronounced on you?"

This being repeated by an interpreter La Page said: "I have two answers. Let me have the priest, and then God shall decide who has done the deed, and find out who has done it before long."

Judge Sawyer—"Has Mr. La Page anything further to say?" Answer—"Not now. I have nothing else to say. The judgment is rendered."

Judge Sawyer continued: "I will not speak of the enormity and heinousness of the crime; the counsel in your behalf and for the State have fully delineated its horror and atrocity, and everything has been done in your behalf to prove your innocence to a jury of this county. You have once, yes, twice, been convicted by twenty-four good men, and true, from this county. You have, but a short time, sir, to live in this world. Reflect, I beseech you, on the world of spirits. Dream not of annihilation or death as an eternal sleep. It is not in your power, however it may consist, both with your wishes and your interest, to cease to be or to divest yourself of the responsibility. The Holy Scriptures represent God as infinitely just, and also a God of love and mercy. We could hardly conceive of a God as just if a wicked man, after committing crimes and murders, were permitted to escape punishment by ceasing to exist. I recommend you to prepare for another world. God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son, that whosoever believeth in Him might not perish but have everlasting life; but that dear Son came into this world and gave Himself a propitiation for your sins and for mine, and for the sins of the whole world. I advise you to apply to your Heavenly Father for pardon; murderers have been pardoned by repentance; you can be pardoned by repentance. The blood of Jesus Christ cleanses us from all sin. May God appropriate that blood to your salvation. You are a young man, cut off by vice in the morning of your days. Your sun has scarcely risen before it will set, I hope not under shadows everlasting, but that on the morning of the resurrection, you may shines in robes of innocence purchased by that Son of God; and now to the grace, mercy and goodness of God, I recommend you. Sir, the sentence which the law prescribes for murder in the first degree the Court awards; it is, that you be taken from this place to the State Prison in Concord, in the county of Merrimac, and State of New Hampshire, and there remain until the fifteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight, and that on that day, between ten o'clock in the forenoon and two in the afternoon, you be hanged by the neck until you are dead; and may God have mercy upon your soul."

La Page was then handcuffed and taken to prison.

Washington Matters.

The following are the chairmen of the Senate committees, as agreed upon by the Republican caucus:

Privileges and elections—Morton.
Foreign relations—Simon Cameron.
Appropriations—Windom.
Finance—Morrill of Vermont.
Commerce—Conkling.
Manufactures—Booth.
Agriculture—Paddock.
Military affairs—Spencer.
Naval affairs—Sargent.
Judiciary—Edmunds.
Post-offices and post-roads—Hamlin.
Public lands—Oglesby.
Indian affairs—Allison.
Pensions—Ingalls.
Claims—McMillan.
Transportation—Cameron of Wisconsin.
Railroads—Mitchell.
District of Columbia—Dorsey.
Territories—Patterson.
Patents—Wadleigh.
Public buildings and grounds—Dawes.
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Revision of laws—Christiancy.
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Rules—Ferry.
Levees of the Mississippi river—Conover.

On Thursday the Senate confirmed the nomination of John Sherman as Secretary of the Treasury. No other nominations were acted on. Senators-elect Morgan of Alabama and "Gobble" Grover of Oregon were sworn in.

Mr. Thurman said that at the former session of the Senate the credentials of J. B. Eustis, claiming to be Senator from Louisiana, were referred to the committee on privileges and elections. The committee reported against the right of Mr. Eustis to a seat, on the ground that the vacancy had been filled by the election of Pinchback. Subsequently the Senate decided that Pinchback was not elected. He therefore submitted a resolution that the credentials of Mr. Eustis be taken from the table and referred to the committee on privileges and elections. Laid over.

News and Notes.

The Helena (Montana) *Independent* special from Bozeman, Mont., says the Sioux have killed Irwin McClure and Lawry, of Deer Lodge, Muggins Taylor, Yankee Jim, Seed Daniels and Bill Randall, of Bozeman, and several others, at or near Stillwater.

Officer Ellison of Biddeford stopped a peddler on High street in that city Thursday afternoon, and demanded money. The peddler showed his license but the officer insisted on the cash. James Harvey, a bystander, ventured a remark, when the officer struck him over the head with his billy. A crowd collected, wrested the billy from Ellison and broke it over a post. The Marshal stripped the badge from Ellison, who is alleged to have been drunk. The matter will be fully investigated.

Hon. Oliver Ames, brother of the late Oakes Ames, died in Easton, Mass., Friday morning.

Secretary Morrill has had a relapse, but serious consequences are not anticipated.

A very heavy storm raged along the coast from New Jersey to Nova Scotia, Friday. Heavy rains in Vermont and northern New Hampshire caused fears of freshets.

St. John, N. B., had a destructive fire on Friday, doing damage to the amount of $250,000.

The wind blew at the rate of seventy-two miles an hour in Boston on Friday, the highest velocity ever recorded there. Numerous chimneys were blown down.

The Workingmen's Five Cent Savings Bank of Hartford, Conn., is in trouble. The trouble is that the "bank" owes $5000 to depositors, and has $17 to pay it with. The workingmen will have hard work to get much dividend out of that lot. They had better shake the dice to see who shall take the whole amount.

Charles Burroughs, late an actor in Portland, was killed in Rhode Island on Thursday while on his way to New York, by being knocked off a train by a bridge.

Hon. E. H. Rollins, United States Senator from this State, on his departure from Boston for Washington, March 1, placed in the hands of the directors of the Union Pacific Railroad his resignation of the position of treasurer of that company. On the 6th his resignation was accepted, and resolutions very complimentary to the retiring officer were passed.

A panic occurred in the church of St. Francis Xavier, in New York city, Thursday night, caused by a woman having a hysteric fit. The church was densely crowed with women and children, it being "woman's week" in Lent. In their frantic efforts to get out, the occupants of the gallery crushed and trampled upon each other; and six women and a boy were killed, and a large number of others seriously injured.

An explosion took place on Thursday in the Worcester colliery, near Swansea, Wales. All the miners were at work. The number lost is not yet known. Sixteen bodies have been taken out. It is thought that six more are in the pit.

It is rumored that Gravelin, just sentenced to death for the murder of Joseph White, in Vermont, has made a full confession. The report is probable, from the fact that the murderer has been very depressed ever since he arrived at Windsor. He is said to have first struck White with a scythe-snath, and completed the murder with an axe.

The Niagara suspension bridge is closed until farther orders, for repairs.

The most violent snow-storm of the winter occurred in St. Louis on Thursday. The storm was of wide extent.

Renovation, not Prostration.

Did any enfeebled human being ever become strong under the operation of powerful cathartics or salivants? It is sometimes necessary to regulate the bowels, but that cannot be done by active purgation, which exhausts the vital forces and serves no good purpose whatever. The only true way to promote health and vigor, which are essential to regularity of the organic functions is to invigorate discipline and purify the system at the same time. The extraordinary efficacy of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters in cases of debility or irregularity of the organs of digestion, assimilation, secretion and discharge, is universally admitted. Appetite, good digestion, a regular habit of body, active circulation of the blood, and purity of all the animal fluids are induced by this superb tonic and corrective. It has no equals, moreover, as a preventive of chills and fever, and other types of malarial disease. To emigrants and travelers it is particularly serviceable as a medicinal safeguard.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, maintains its famous reputation as a model first-class house. Its reduction from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day makes it more popular than ever.

Nothing in the Quaker City has received more unsolicited or well-merited praise from its guests than the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, for liberal management and excellent courtesy.

More cases of remarkable cures of coughs, colds, asthma and consumption have been effected in the past four years by Adamson's Botanic Balsam than all other medicines that have been advertised for twenty years past. Price 35 cents. Try it.

A Porcelain Set

is handsome as a dinner service, but a set of porcelain teeth is of no service at dinner.

To avoid all necessity for the teeth, use Sozodont daily to preserve and beautify the natural ones. It renders the gums rosy and the teeth indestructible.

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BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

MRS. JOHN LANE,
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Politicai.

Hon. C. C. Van Zandt was nominated for Governor of Rhode Island by the republicans on Thursday.

The democrats in the Ohio Legislature passed a resolution declaring that "Hayes had received 185 votes by fraud, perjury," etc., "and that we are sorry for it, because it destroys our faith in the mercy, justice, and beneficent goodness of the Almighty God, whom we have been taught to believe was the defender and protector of right, in this, that he has allowed villainy and moral perjury to triumph over truth, honesty, and virtue." The democratic faith in the mercy, justice, and beneficent goodness of the Creator becomes destroyed every time the republican party triumphs, and it only shows how weak that faith is.

Hon. Ira Cross was renominated for Mayor of Manchester by the republicans, Thursday evening, receiving 888 votes out of 1223 cast.

The government forces in New Grenada have defeated the revolutionists in a pitched battle, and killed 1000 of them.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Rockingham ss.

City of Portsmouth.

WARD ONE.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Elm Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot three persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES B. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City o Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Court Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot four persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the constitution proposed by the constitutional convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this 24th day of February, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest
NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Office of Jacob Haddock on Islington Street, near the Creek in said Ward, on the Second TUESDAY of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, Register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot one person to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

[L. S.]

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward on the Second TUESDAY of March next at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Governor, Railroad Commissioner, Councillor, Senator, County Treasurer, register of Deeds, and County Commissioner.

To bring in your votes for a Member of Congress for District Number One in said State.

To choose by ballot two persons to represent said City in the General Court of said State the ensuing year.

"To take the sense of the qualified voters whether the alterations and amendments of the Constitution proposed by the Constitutional Convention shall be approved."

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT H. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT H. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

Checklist Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECKLIST, give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, March 1st, Wednesday, March 7th, and Monday, March 12th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M. and from 2 to 5 o'clock, P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the lists of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 A. M. and from 1 to 3 o'clock, P. M. on the 1st day of April, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted, and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Checklists.

JAMES M. CARR, Agent,

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Foreclosure of Mortgage.

ON the fourth day of September last, I took possession of a tract of land in Portsmouth in the County of Rockingham, at the Point of Graves so called, bounded northerly by land formerly of Thomas Currier, deceased, easterly by the Piscataqua River, Southerly by the city privileges of the city of Portsmouth, and westerly by Mechanic street, together with the wharf and the buildings on said lot and all the machinery and fixtures therein, being the same formerly called the Franklin Foundry, and have ever since held possession of the same for condition broken of a mortgage of the premises made by Phineas Drake Jr. to Alfred W. Haven, James W. Emery and Joshua W. Peirce, dated the twenty-third day of July A. D. 1853 and recorded in the records of said county Lib. 356 fol. 131, to secure three notes of said Drake of six hundred dollars each, one of which, payable to said Emery has been paid, and one payable to said Haven and one payable to Joshua W. Peirce have been assigned with said mortgage to me. Said possession was commenced and is held for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage.

OLIVER AYERS.

Portsmouth, March 2, 1877. 4-10-17

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street,** and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

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Taylor's "HOLY LIVING AND DYING."
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Keble's "CHRISTIAN YEAR."
Huntington's "HELP'S TO A HOLY LENT."
Haven's "LESSONS FOR LENT."
"DEAR FEAST OF LENT."
"ROSARY FOR LENT."
Clarke's "STEPS OF BELIEF."
Faber's "HYMNS."
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FLATS " 16 to 18 " " "
SATINS, " 16 to 25 " " "
GOLD " 20 to 100 " " "

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Our Papers are all made on No. 1 stock. None of No. 2.

We also have a large stock of WINDOW SHADES at prices ranging from 50 cents to $2.00 each.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West, 8.00, 10.40 A. M., 4.45, 7.30 P. M.		
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.40 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.10 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M.	
Portland and East, *	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Daily for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

A WORD TO THE VOTER.

Do you consider the business interests of the country, and the manufacturing interests that give employment to so large a percentage of the population, of vital importance? and if so, do you desire to vote in favor of their revival and advancement? If you do, look around and abroad, and see on which side the great majority of the business men, manufacturers and other employers of labor vote, and vote with them. Business is sensitive, and the business men of the country—certainly as intelligent and far-seeing a class as there is in it—are as keenly alive as any to their own material interests; and if you desire to vote for a revival of business you can only do it by voting with the business men—for it is a rank absurdity to suppose that they vote against their own welfare.

Do you wish to vote in favor of good order, education, sobriety, and obedience to the law? If so, consider with which party the majority of orderly, intelligent, sober, law-abiding men among your personal acquaintances vote, and vote as they do. Enquire from which party-ranks the jails and houses of correction are mainly recruited; which party furnishes the vast majority of defendants before the police courts; which party the parents of street Arabs generally support; which party the keepers of low drinking saloons and dens of infamy almost universally belong to; which party the roughs and bullies are most frequently honored (about election time) leaders in; which party the street-brawlers love,—in short, enquire carefully with which party the great mass of the ignorant and vicious vote, and then carefully vote the other way yourself. Thus, and thus only, can you vote in favor of order, decency and obedience to the law; for it is absurd to assume that those who set order and decency at defiance in their daily lives, and who are ever ready to break the law when they see a chance of escaping its penalties, are desirous or even willing that law and decency should rule.

JOTTINGS.

We are happy to bear testimony to the superior management of the American House, Boston. Order, neatness and comfort reign throughout the establishment in all its parts. Boston will doubtless be crowded this summer, and all will find at the "American" facilities for comfortable enjoyment such as are offered at few first-class hotels.

We have received from Mr. Edmund W. Noyes, 63 Kilby street, Boston, a handsome colored engraving of the Moody and Sankey Tabernacle, and as they retail for the low price of five cents each, every one interested in the great revival now in progress in that city can procure a copy. Sent on receipt of two three cent stamps.

While Hon. Samuel J. Randall is engaged in the arduous task of arousing an enthusiasm for Frank Jones in this Congressional District, would it not cheer his heart to read a few scathing democratic editorials on the "infamous radical back pay steal?" Suppose our democratic brethren of the quill try it; Mr. Randall could correct any inaccuracy of detail into which they might fall, for nobody knows more about the back-pay steal than he,—and nobody knows so much about what became of his share of the plunder after he pocketed it. Do, brethren of the democratic press, just favor us with one more good, loud, old-fashioned democratic howl about "the infamous back-pay thieves."

Subject at Bow Mission, Sunday afternoon, "Temperance." Appropriate pieces will be sung. Reformed men are especially invited.

The North Parish Corporation at their annual meeting elected the following gentlemen Wardens for the ensuing year: Charles E. Myers, John S. Rand, John H. Bailey, Valentine Doane, Jr., and John H. Hutchinson. The Treasurer's report was rendered, showing that the expenditures of the past year have been kept within the appropriations, and that a balance of $191.53 was in the treasury. The appropriations for the ensuing year were made, amounting to $3832.50.

A republican friend assures us that we gave Ex-Policeman Marden and Watkins a prominence that was not their due in connection with the disgraceful democratic demonstration on Middle street Wednesday evening, as they had no more to do with it than any others of the late democratic guardians of the peace, nearly or quite the whole force having been present and assisting. We willingly make this correction, that each participant in that affair may have the share of "honor" honestly belonging to him.

The New Hampshire democracy, annually, just before election, draw a good deal of encouragement from the glowing predictions of the Boston *Post* regarding the glorious democratic victory in prospect, and the utter demoralization and discouragement of the republican hordes and leaders. Its prophecies this year are amusingly similar to those it made a year ago on the eve of our State election, except that then it was much more bolsterous in its assurances than now. Just how much the *Post's* statements are worth the following editorial note in its columns of March 14, 1876, will show: "They are betting on a thousand democratic majority in New Hampshire, Tuesday. Not enough." Yet in spite of the "fact" that "they were betting" that way Choney's majority over Marcy was 3,204, and Marcy's total minority was 3,628!

British Schooner Emma E, Potter, of Annapolis, Nova Scotia, arrived at this port on Friday from Turk's Island with a load of salt to Walker & Co. This is the first foreign arrival for many months

Quite a large turn-out of the democratic clubs went to Dover Friday night. There were nine cars on the train, the forward two being reserved for the regular passengers; the remaining seven were pretty well filled with Mr. Jones' uniformed men, there being probably not far short of four hundred of them.

A large number of fishing vessels were at the wharves on Friday, in for shelter.

Major Daniel J. Vaughan has accepted the position of captain of the Portsmouth Heavy Artillery.

The enterprising Concord correspondent of the Boston *Post* has discovered that "in the First District the republicans are thoroughly frightened and almost disheartened" and "have evidently given up the struggle," and that "Hon. Frank Jones is to be re-elected." The same issue of the *Post* announces that "there seems to be every prospect of electing the entire democratic ticket" in Rhode Island! The *Post* has been rather late in commencing its regular game of "bluff," but it is doing very well now it has got started.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

At the republican caucuses, Friday evening, candidates for Representatives to General Court were nominated as follows:

Ward One—Richard H. Waldron, George E. Hanson, Frank W. Hackett.

Ward Two—William A. Hodgdon, William H. Sise, Titus S. Tredick, Thomas E. Call.

Ward Three—Samuel S. Whidden.

Ward Four—William H. Rollins, John E. Ham.

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, the claims of Henry P. Colson for damage to sleigh on South street last January, of A. H. Emery for injuries by collision with the sidewalk on Islington street in February last, and of Thomas Quinn, for injuries caused by a collision with Mr. Stott's team on Hanover street in January last, were referred to committee on claims.

The matter in relation to the pipe leading to the Atkinson street reservoir was referred to the committee on fire department with power.

Committee on city lands and buildings, petition of J. E. Colcord for a part of the old Pleasant street burying ground, reported inexpedient to sell. Report accepted.

Bills of Howe Call and W. R. Foster, for complaints and warrants, were presented by committee on accounts without recommendation. Referred to committee on police.

Committee on accounts presented their monthly report, which was accepted and the bills ordered to be paid.

Committee on claims reported claims of three persons for damages for sheep killed by dogs. Report accepted and bills ordered to be paid.

The following persons were appointed special police: Richard Davidson, C. W. Shannon, Joseph Davidson, John Shannon, Nathan F. Amee, Michael E. Long, Fred C. Young, John Davidson, Frank L. Marks, Benjamin Powell, John Moore, Thomas Entwistle, Alvah Jellison, Walter L. Gray, Henry Wallace, James R. Eaton, Thomas J. Mitchell, Walter L. Chesley, George L. Parks, Ezekiel Burns, John F. Mortimer, John C. Lewis.

The committee on claims reported on claim of Henry Peyser, that he be paid $15; report adopted.

Repair of stairs at Haven school-house was referred to the committee on school-houses.

A bill entitled "An Ordinance providing for a Convention," etc., which had been passed by the Common Council, was read a first time. The rules were suspended and the bill was read a second time and amended by inserting March 22nd, and passed as amended. The Council concurred in the amendment.

A bill entitled "An Ordinance relating to the removal of night soil," which had been passed by the Common Council, was read and referred to committee on second reading of bills.

Adjourned for two weeks.

A Brilliant Student's Fate.

Emil Schwerdtfeger, a student in the Senior class of Cornell University at Ithaca, shot and killed himself in the residence of Prof. Morris on the University grounds, Sunday night. Schwerdtfeger was regarded by the Professors and students of the university as a prodigy in Philology. At the last inter-collegiate contest in New York he bore off the $300 prize for the best examination in Latin, and, when he was in the Freshman class he received the prize offered by the Portsmouth Philological Society for the best essay on the English verb. His bright talents made him almost the constant companion of the professors, although he was not over nineteen years of age. His health was exceedingly poor, and his eyes were almost useless to him. He was much depressed on account of these afflictions, and fearing he would never be better he was thrown into despair. His lifeless body was found in the chair at his study table. The pistol was on the floor. A freshly-written paper, headed "The last will and testament of Emil Schwerdtfeger" was on the table. It provided that $300 which was to his credit in bank should go to pay his debts and funeral expenses. The occurrence creates the profoundest regret among the professors, who regarded the young man as the most brilliant student the university has yet produced.

Capt. J. W. Strout, commanding ship "Independence" of Boston, has been presented by the British government with a large silver goblet, gold-lined, about thirteen inches high, and very handsomely engraved and suitably inscribed, in recognition of services rendered by him in rescuing the shipwrecked crew of the British ship Scotstown, on the 17th of August last.

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LEIGHTON—HALL. In Dover, Feb. 28, Mr. James W. Leighton and Mrs. Lizzie Hall, both of Dover.

DIED.

EMERY. In this city, March 9th, Florence M. Emery, daughter of Mr. Albert W. Emery, aged 5 years, 5 months and ten days.

BATCHELDER. In North Hampton, March 8th, Joseph Batchelder, Esq., aged 73 years, 5 months.

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Restitution.

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The chambermaid with whom he eloped was about eighteen years of age, and went to Pithole with a variety show which disbanded there. She was a very handsome blonde, and was the wife of the bartender of the hotel. After about a year's search for the faithless agent his employers gave up the chase. The losers by Martin's robbery were William and James Harper and Joseph Brewer, forming the hardware firm of Harper & Co. The two latter are dead, and the former became bankrupt in 1873 and removed to Forest county, Penn., where he now lives.

About the first of February last Mr. Harper received a letter postmarked San Francisco, addressed to W. & I. Harper, to their old number in Philadelphia, from which place it had been forwarded to him. It was from E. C. Martin, the absconding agent of twelve years ago. The letter stated that if an agent of his victim would meet him in San Francisco, and he was guaranteed immunity from arrest and punishment, he would repay the $20,000 with interest and all costs connected with completing the arrangement. Mr. Harper, as the only survivor of the three, started for California at once and met Martin at the address he had given in the letter, which was an aristocratic boarding house.

Martin was living in the most luxurious of apartments, which were shared with him by the former chambermaid of Pithole City, richly dressed and blazing with diamonds. Martin met Mr. Harper as if nothing had ever happened to alter their friendship. He said he had gone direct to Peru after absconding, and had made $2,000,000 there in opening and developing silver mines and building railroads. He had come to San Francisco on a pleasure trip, and had made some business engagements that would keep him in the country for some time, and he desired to be exempt from any possibility of arrest. Mr. Harper gladly agreed to Martin's terms, and has returned with $36,000, principal and interest, of the stolen money. Martin's deserted family is in England, Mrs. Martin's native country.

Brutal Parents.

Ellen Belben was acquitted in Bridgeport, Conn., on the 7th, of the charge of attempting to murder her father. Her father and mother have never allowed her to attend school or church, and, although sixteen years old, she can neither read nor write, and is profoundly ignorant in general. She has frequently asked her parents for the privilege of going to the public school or to the Sunday-school, but they always refused on the ground that all her time was needed to work on the farm. She has been made to work in the field, planting, hoeing, etc., and to perform the usual avocations on the farm in which a boy would be engaged. Besides being a household drudge and a farm hand, she has been treated in the most cruel manner by her father. After a brutal punishment from her father she put Paris green in his coffee, not, as she stated to the Court, to kill him, but to make him sick so that she could have an opportunity to escape. Her counsel therefore asked for the acquittal of the accused, on the ground that there was no intent to commit murder, and the jury returned a verdict of not guilty. The girl's father was sent for by the Court, but he had run away from home. He should have Paris green administered to him by law—about a quart of it.

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Americans and the North Pole.

The London *Daily Telegraph* in a recent issue says.

Americans seem determined to continue their friendly rivalry with us in the neutral field of Arctic exploration. Roused by the strictures passed on their Arctic explorers by Sir George Nares, Hon. Justice Daly, president of the Great Transatlantic Geographical Society, while paying the members of our recent Arctic expedition many handsome compliments in his inaugural address, gives their commander a dignified rebuke on account of his ungenerous references to the researches of his predecessors, Kane and Hayes. By way of testing the work done by the crews of the Alert and the Dispatch, it appears that the organization of an American expedition is now being proposed to carry on the grand story of Polar adventure through Smith's sound. Already a bill has been brought into Congress for that purpose, and men like Captain Howgate, Dr. Hayes, and Professor Loomis, the eminent meteorologist, and others, are advocating in the States renewed activity in the cause of Arctic discovery. It is gratifying to note that, in the discussion now going on in the American papers with reference to this subject, it is admitted that Sir George Nares has at least demonstrated the superiority of the Smith's sound route over every other. It appears to be thought that, as he succeeded by following this channel in sailing a ship nearer the apex of the earth than any previous navigator—nearer by far than the most successful explorers were able to get by other passages—the superiority of the Smith's sound route, long vindicated by Mr. C. R. Markham, has been strikingly verified. The Americans evidently consider that the chief success of the English expedition lies in showing that by attacking the Arctic mystery via Smith's sound, the closest base of operations yet discovered is made available. By following this up, by taking a firmer grasp of the clue where it fell from the hands of the British expedition, it is thought that the coveted glory of planting the Stars and Stripes at the pole will be achieved. Of course, all such anticipations are, we now know, over-sanguine. The Americans, however, reason shrewdly and well in arguing that the chess

nel by which Sir George Nares succeeded in sailing nearer to the pole than any of his predecessors must necessarily be the one that will be most certain to lead them with the greatest ease to the most valuable discoveries. Whether it will lead them to the pole is, of course, another question. It ought, however, to enable them to achieve what is nearly as grand a feat, that is, to determine how the mysterious continent of Greenland ends—a discovery which our explorers were on the verge of making when they gave up the glorious quest. We have little doubt that the officers of the British expedition will be among the first to bid the American expedition "God speed," when it sails away into the icy North for skepticism with which Sir George Nares' theory of a permanently unnavigable Paleocrystic nas been opposed.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, MARCH 12, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

FOR GOVERNOR,

BENJAMIN F. PRESCOTT,

OF EPPING.

FOR RAILROAD COMMISSIONER,

GRANVILLE P. CONN,

OF CONCORD.

FOR CONGRESSMAN,

GILMAN MARSTON,

OF EXETER.

FOR COUNCILLOR,

JOSHUA B. SMITH, of Durham.

FOR SENATOR,

EMMONS B. PHILBRICK, of Rye.

For County Treasurer,

GEORGE E. LANE, of Exeter.

For Register of Deeds,

GEORGE W. WESTON, of Windham.

For County Commissioner,

NEWTON JOHNSTON, of Portsmouth.

News and Notes.

The Senate on Saturday confirmed all the Cabinet nominations.

It is not a little surprising, although it is known that the beef trade of this country with England has been rapidly increasing, to find that during the week ending Feb. 17th the quantity of American beef and matter received in Liverpool from New York was 1,200,000 pounds. Figured loosely, this would be a thousand head of cattle at an average of a thousand pounds each, when dressed, with 200,000 pounds of mutton besides. Here is a trade which opens immense possibilities to American commerce, and the supremacy of England's old Sir Lois will be disputed in the future.

Advices just received here from the Sandwich Islands give an account of a submarine volcano that occurred there in Kealakekua Bay. No damage was done. The natives feel quite comfortable and steamboats make excursions to the locality.

A "mission" is being held in St. Patrick's Church, Montreal, and the preacher speaks plainly to his congregation. Addressing the unmarried men, recently, he said "if there was an anomaly in the world it was a bachelor; there was an excuse for a poor old maid; she could not get a husband, but a man can always get a wife and he should do so. Old bachelors did not, he said, remain single from any desire of purity, but, on the contrary, that they might not be troubled with a wife and children to watch and keep them from being independent. This was not a life for a man to lead, and he counselled his hearers to make a good choice of a Catholic girl, not a Protestant, as he held mixed marriages were a source of great trouble."

Henry Cobenno & Co., of Boston, have established a diamond-cutting factory, and sales room for diamonds both rough and polished, at No. 22 Beach street, Boston. They have procured seven first-class workmen from Europe, and propose to do the diamond cutting which has hitherto been sent from this country to Europe to be done, at home, in as good style as can be done in Europe, and much cheaper.

The authorities of New York city by evincing firmness have won a victory over the gas monopoly. The combination last December put in bids demanding $36 per year for lighting each street lamp. All of the companies put in bids almost exactly alike, and this aroused the suspicions of the authorities. The bids were promptly rejected and a notification given that no such extortion would be submitted to. The result is the lamps will now be kept lighted for $19.90 each, and the companies will keep the posts painted and tend the lamps. This great saving was brought about through the leverage of competition. A company of capitalists stood ready to light the city for $20 per lamp, on a contract for five years, and to furnish gas to citizens for $2 per 1,000 cubic feet.

By the great fire in St. Johns, N. B., Friday, property was destroyed to the value of $500,000. A building fell in upon a number of persons; eight dead bodies were recovered up to Saturday night.

An English mechanic has contrived to make a steam engine do its own stoking. A large sheet-iron hopper is set above the mouth of the furnace and in front of the boiler. This is the receptacle for coals. Below the hopper a steel crusher is made to run somewhat rapidly, and, as the coals fall by reason of their own gravity upon this grinding apparatus, they are reduced to the uniform size of cob-nuts by the action of the crusher. Thence the equalized fuel drops upon a pair of iron disks, or fans inclosed in a box, and running in opposite directions at a high velocity. The fans are in fact the furnace-feeders, for as the box has but one opening, and that leads to the fire, they literally blow the coals into the latter and distribute them equally over the whole surface of the fire-bars. The feed is regulated in quantity, according to the heavy or light work the engine may be doing, by means of a single adjusting set-screw. This is the automaton stoker. The furnace fires are fed and steam is kept up in the boiler without the turning of a shovel, and all that the fireman has to do is to smoke his pipe and whistle, "Down in a coal mine."

The man who cut a big hole and a little hole in the door so that the big cat and the little cat could both go in and out, is matched by a Lowell man who put up a single bell in his front entry and attached a wire from it to both his front and back doors. It now takes two journeys to discover at what door his visitor is.

Miss Emma C. Thursby, the American soprano, has signed a contract with Maurice Strakosch to sing in concerts under his direction in America and Europe for three years for $100,000 and hotel, travelling and incidental expenses of herself and her sister. She is allowed to retain all present engagements to the 20th of May, including one to sing at the forthcoming Handel and Haydn festival in Boston.

The Winnesqoam House at Mosquito Bridge, owned by the Laconia Savings Bank, was burned Saturday. Loss $10,000; insured $4,500.

Political.

The Democratic National Committee in selecting Senator Barnum for its Chairman did a characteristic act. His wealth is his only qualification for Congress. He has always considered money as a proper agent to secure an election. As Representative to Congress he bought his nomination and his elections. When he took a fancy to go into the United States Senate, he simply estimated what it would cost to purchase a majority of the democratic Legislature of Connecticut, and then set his agents about the work. The transaction was so open and shameless that the country rang with the scandal.

A republication of a few of those democratic editorials printed before election, wherein it was conclusively proved that Hayes would be a supple tool in the hands of Senators Conkling, Cameron and Morton, would be juicy reading just now.

The democrats are gleeful over the signs of trouble in the republican ranks, and after their recent affliction, nobody will begrudge them a little innocent enjoyment. Let them make the most of it however, for the same causes which breed dissension in republican ranks will break up and scatter their own.—*Worcester Gazette.*

Senator David Davis, who was not chosen as the "fifth judge" on the Electoral Commission but was chosen to the Senate from Illinois, has been classed as a republican by the republican Senatorial caucus, and placed upon committees as such—whereat the democratic Senators are displeased. He goes upon the judiciary committee as a republican.

The Philadelphia *Times*, an ardent supporter of Mr. Tilden under the guise of a very thin coating of "independence," and a paper which was largely quoted by the democratic press during the campaign as a "republican" journal, after looking over its democratic exchanges is led to remark: "To read the current issues of many of the democratic organs one would hardly believe that the Tilden whom they denounce is the Tilden under whose banner they marched to victory a few months ago, and whom they lauded to the skies as the great reformer and ideal statesman of the age. Yet he is the same. Had Mr. Tilden been inaugurated as well as elected, Cox and Knott and Blackburn and Springer and all the other curs with democratic collars on their necks, who now bark at his heels, would have been found supplicant and whining at his feet, thankful for any bone of patronage that might be bestowed upon them."

The democratic Cincinnati *Enquirer* brings to light the following incident of the Presidential contest; "The committee which investigated the management of Hayes' campaign narrowly escaped falling into a trap. It seems that Chandler started to assess the clerks for election purposes, and a paragraph to this effect was sent around the papers. Hayes instantly wrote to Chandler demanding that this policy be abandoned. Dick McCormick had the letter, and was ready to go on the stand, but the committee for some reason discharged him."

The Storm.

British barque W. F. Marshall was wrecked on Nantucket, Friday morning; crew saved.

British barque Bethany, from Hong Kong for New York with a valuable cargo of silk and tea, was totally wrecked on Turtle Gut Bar, Friday afternoon.

Schooner Hiram Wells sunk off Bull's ferry, N. J., and the cook was drowned.

—There's nothing new under the sun. Herodotus mentions the blue glass theory.

—When a king goes skating and falls down, it is always announced that "his skate struck in a crack." Truth courtesies to kings.

—Servant (answering door-bell ring by little ragged boy)—"Come, go right away; we have got nothing for you." "Hain't asked you for nothing yet, have I?" "Well, what would you have asked for?" "Didn't know but this house was for sale, and if it was, I wanted to buy it."

—Rachel Arnold, better known as "Old Annie," starved herself to death at No. 90 Ridge street. She was found by officer O'Connell, of the Eleventh precinct, and sent to Bellevue Hospital. She was worth $1600 which was deposited in the German Savings Bank, but being a miser preferred to die than draw a cent of it. Her plea before death was that she was saving it for her brother.—*N. Y. Herald.*

—The sales of bibles in Chicago is said to be three times as great as it was a year ago. Mr. Moody drew attention to the work, and they think it is a new book. *Rochester Dem.*

—To ruin oil-cloths, clean with hot water or soap-suds and leave them half wiped, and they will look very bright when wet and very dingy and dirty when dry and soon check and peel off. But if you wish to preserve them and have them look new and nice, wash with soft flannel and lukewarm water and wipe thoroughly dry. If you want them to look extra nice after they are dry, drop a few tablespoonfuls of milk over them and rub them with a small cloth.

—Buffalo, N. Y., has a "law and order society" of one hundred members, which is doing brilliant work. They subscribed $100 each, payable as needed, and hired a smart lawyer, who brought the whole police force to the Supreme Court to answer for neglect of duty in not enforcing the Sunday law. The result was that 1,600 saloons usually open on that day, were closed. The next week some unlocked their back-doors, but spent the night in the lock up, and stopped. Buffalo has a vigilant police force, now, for they are in mortal fear of that faithful one hundred.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	1024
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111¼
United States 5-twenties, coupon	109
United States 5-twenties, 1865 coupon	109
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1878	104
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
Eastern R. R. 4½s	33
Portland, Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	58½
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	125½
Nashua & Lowell	85
Concord	78
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	133½
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	56½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	101½
P. S. & P.	5
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	44

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

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Eggs per dozen, 16c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. 6½ @ 7½; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9½ @ 10½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4.
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 22
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., fr. Cuba 40 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 90.
Pork per bbl., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 10½ @ 11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
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OLIVER AYERS.
Portsmouth, March 2, 1877. 4-10-17

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C. H. MENDUM,
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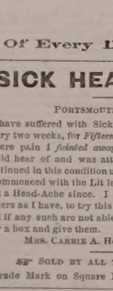

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Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Mails for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box in the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

NOT A CHURCH BELL.

On Sunday evening, at Franklin Hall, a temperance lecture was delivered by Rev. J. E. Bell of Providence, R. I., under the auspices of the Reform Club, on "Rumocracy, Rumology and Rumatism." A praise meeting was held for a half-hour before the lecture, and five cents admission was charged. But it is not of this Sunday evening lecture we sat down to write, but of another one, delivered by Mr. Bell at Seabrook on Friday evening, in which he declared that on the evening of the republican procession here last week Gen. Gilman Marston was so disgracefully drunk that he could not stand, and Mayor Broughton had to hold him up. The promulgation of this flat-footed, gratuitous lie occasioned a marked sensation in the meeting, and a good deal of talk afterward; and a gentleman of this city, who is not only a prominent republican but one of the earliest, most earnest and most persistent advocates of the Reform Club movement, heard the matter discussed on the cars next morning, and knowing from his own personal knowledge that the story was a malicious and absolutely baseless falsehood he sought out the reverend gentleman and demanded to know if he spoke on his own authority or on the information of others. Mr. Bell at once gave as his authority Mr. John S. Treat of this city! The gentleman then told Mr. Bell that he did not believe Mr. Treat had willfully given currency to a falsehood, but must have been misled, and advised him to see Mr. Treat and exhibit as much alacrity in refuting the outrageous lie as he had in spreading it abroad. On reaching this city the republican at once telegraphed to Providence, R. I., for information as to what kind of a man the reverend lecturer is, and the answer indicates that he is not "the churchgoing bell" spoken of by Cowper, by any means. We give the substance of a letter from a Providence clergyman to one in this city, which indicates that this reverend swift witness against others is not so very much better than he should be himself:

"I regret to hear that J. E. Bell is in your neighborhood preaching and lecturing on temperance. He has attempted to do this here, as President of the Reform Club of Rhode Island, but is repudiated by the temperance societies. He has no ecclesiastical connection with the Baptist denomination, and not a Baptist minister in the State would recognize him at all."

The Reform Club has done a noble work in this city, and we hope this onshaught of Father Bell upon Gen. Marston will not prove to be an attempt to ring in the Club as a political agent in Frank Jones' interest, for the moment it becomes the tool of either party it is bound to die.

READING MATTER WANTED.

It may interest friends of missionary work in this city to know that something is being done toward furnishing poor families not otherwise provided for in that line, with interesting and instructive reading matter. This work was commenced about a year ago, and has become very interesting to those engaged in it, the city being divided into six districts, each of which is regularly visited by a Sunday-school class of young ladies. A monthly meeting has been established, for the reception and consideration of reports, and for conference. We find a great need of more books, such as many of our friends no doubt have laying unused on their library shelves; and we earnestly ask all who can to aid us in this direction, by contributing such books as can be spared. The invitation, like the work, is for all. Magazines and papers, also, are needed for the seamen, the City Farm, the County House, etc. Contributions may be sent to No. 16 Deer street, or left with Mr. Ames Foster at the post-office.

W. A. LOYNE, Volunteer Missionary.

JOTTINGS.

The Boston *Post* has encouraging words for the prohibitionists of the First Congressional District of New Hampshire. Of course; every one (except the honest enthusiasts of that party, who are led by the wire-pullers,) is aware that the prohibition party in this district is but a democratic side-show, and that its Congressional nomination was made with especial reference to assisting a great brewer to a seat in Congress. Mr. Caleb Moulton did not accept the prohibition nomination until after he was registered for a night at the Rockingham, Frank Jones' big hotel.

British schooner Emma E. Potter, Capt. Mann, before reported as having arrived at this port from Turks Island with salt, experienced very rough weather on the passage and was badly damaged in sails and rigging; also lost her gulley and had her boat stove. All hands suffered much from the incessant gales she encountered, and two of them were seriously injured.

Number one of the first volume of the Philadelphia *Weekly Times* was issued on Saturday, March 3d. It is a large eight-page paper, contains an immense amount of reading matter, and will be furnished subscribers at $2 per year, single copy. The contents are varied and interesting; the initial number contains an article from the pen of Hon. Gideon Welles, giving an inside view of matters connected with the construction of the Monitor and the panic occasioned by the Merrimac. A long list is given of noted men who fought or schemed on either side during the rebellion, each of whom is to contribute chapters of the unwritten history of the war that must be of permanent value.

The Providence *Journal* of Saturday says: "Three counterfeiters, two Italians and John Sinclair, of Saybrook, Conn., were sentenced to prison at New Haven, yesterday, for counterfeiting. Special Agent J. Horace Kent was largely instrumental in bringing the gang to justice."

Two years ago Frank Jones' majority in this city was 267,—that is, the *returns* gave him that majority; but this year only the votes actually cast will be counted and only legal voters will be allowed to cast them, which will make an immense difference. We suppose money will be as openly and freely used as ever in the interest of the democratic candidates for Governor and Congressman, for they were nominated for their money and their willingness to "put it out," and for nothing else, but they won't be able to carry through the outrageous wholesale frauds perpetrated in Wards Six and Three two years ago. Frank Jones won't have any 267 majority in Portsmouth this year; nor will Daniel Marcy have 73 majority, either, as he had a year ago.

The Board of Inspectors of Checklists will be in session to-day from nine o'clock A. M. to noon, and from two to five o'clock P. M., for the purpose of putting on checklists the names of any qualified voters whose names are not there now, and of striking off any names that shall be shown to have no right there. Let every republican personally make sure that his own name and the names of all his republican friends are on the lists.

Let every house with its windows all whole and its front yard clean send all its voters to the polls to-morrow, and early in the day; *the slums always poll their full strength*, and the more reputable districts should not neglect their political duties.

The Rice Free Public Library of Kittery now contains some 1050 volumes, about one-half of which are generally out at a time. There have been added during the past year over four hundred and fifty volumes. The reading room is supplied with magazines and newspapers, and is the resort of very many residents of Kittery at all hours. There being a regular income, the increase of the number of volumes in the library will continue until it will be one of the best collections of books in York county.

On the occasion of the parade of democratic uniformed companies, Friday evening, some of the men in the ranks made use of such profane and grossly insulting language to persons on the sidewalk as had rarely or never been heard in this city under similar circumstances. One man, who was carrying a transparency, turned it around and called the attention of a republican to it by yelling out "Look at that, you son of a —!" whereat the rank men in his immediate vicinity applauded,—and no notice was taken of the ruffianly conduct of the men by their officers, they thus giving it at least their tacit approval.

"The life of Capt. Francis Champernoune," by Charles W. Tuttle, Esq., of the Suffolk Bar, and a well-known historical writer, which has been in preparation for some time past, will be issued during the present year. It promises to be a paper of unusual interest and will contain a large amount of valuable and interesting historical matter relating to the early settlement of Maine, never before published. Champernoune, who was a nephew of Sir Ferdinando Gorges, was a resident of Kittery and was of much distinction during the early Provincial period.

Two years ago the democracy boasted that a number of prominent republicans voted for Frank Jones for Congressman, having been deceived by split tickets closely resembling the straight republican ones, but with Jones' name substituted for that of the republican candidate. The same game will be tried to-morrow, and every republican should closely inspect the ballot he deposits.

THE AWFUL NAVY YARD.

Said a democrat to us the other day, "I voted for Mr. Jones in the hope that he would have done something for Portsmouth, but I have seen enough of democratic policy in what they call reform, which means, that no money shall be expended unless their people disburse it. I care not who gets employed on the Navy Yard, we all get the benefit of the money that is circulated, and Jones ought to have seen that, and urged the democrats in Congress, if he had any influence there, to allow some money to be expended here the past winter." *Journal.*

That the total stoppage of work on the navy yard is now acknowledged to be a misfortune by democrats as well as republicans, is no secret; a democratic storekeeper remarked to us, months ago, that he would be glad to see two or three thousand men put to work there at once, even if every man of them voted the republican ticket, as the stopping of work there had borne as hardly on the merchants and workingmen of this city as the shutting down of the mills in a manufacturing town would bear upon the mill employees and the traders with whom they dealt. Mr. Marcy, however, approves the shutting down on the navy yard, and foreshadowed what would take place when he told a republican (at the time Marcy, Hatch and Hodgdon were engineering the Portsmouth gerrymander through the legislature, and just after Hatch had made his standing speech against the navy yard,) that "When we get a democratic Congress there won't be much money laid out on the navy yard." He told the truth; there hasn't been; but a good many democrats would like it full as well if there had been.

Whether Mr. Jones, if re-elected, would do any more toward getting work sent to this navy yard during the next two years than he did during the last two, we cannot say; but as he would not have the "distribution of the patronage" we do not think he would exert himself greatly in behalf of this district. The House is so evenly divided between the two parties that the election in this State may turn the scale one way or the other; should the democrats secure the advantage, we may reasonably anticipate a continuance of the *statu quo* on the navy yard, which,—while it may not trouble Mr. Jones, who does not depend on a day's work for the next day's bread, nor annoy Mr. Marcy, who has no objection to employing skilled workmen at the lowest possible rate of wages,—is certainly not conducive to the general prosperity of the city nor of the working and business classes.

—Celery is good for the nerves, but a good salary is better.

—Bartholdi, the Paris sculptor, has completed all the plaster casts for his statue of "Liberty Enlightening the World," which is to be placed in New York harbor, and will immediately begin to mould the various parts. The statue will be completed and ready for shipment within a year.

—An Irish girl was ordered to hang the wash clothes on the horse in the kitchen to dry. Her mistress, shortly after, found a very gentle family horse standing in the kitchen, completely covered with the articles that had been washed that day. Upon interrogating the girl, the reply was: "Och, to be sure, ye told me to hang the clothes upon the horse in the kitchen, and the baste is the kindest I ever saw, shure."

DIED.

BURROUGHS. In this city, March 9th, Mrs. Anne R. Peirce Burroughs, wife of the late Rev. Charles Burroughs, D. D.

SMITH. In this city, March 8, Alice E. Smith, daughter of the late James H. R. Smith, aged 10 years, 8 months and 14 days.

WENTWORTH. In Newington, March 9, Thomas F. Wentworth, aged 74 years.

EDGERLY. In Newington, March 9, Arvilla Edgerly, daughter of John Edgerly, aged 16 months.

STAPLES. In Eliot, Me., Feb. 17, Mr. Levi R. Staples, aged 35 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Ship Midnight, Marcy, at Manila for Boston January 24th.

Sch L Guptill, Smith, for this port sld from Rockland March 7.

Checklist Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECKLISTS, give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, March 1st, Wednesday, March 7th, and Monday, March 12th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M. and from 2 to 5 o'clock, P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the lists of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 A. M. and from 1 to 2 o'clock, P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been erased, and to whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

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At the United States Navy Yard, League Island, on Saturday, the 31st of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., the U. S. Ship "POTOMAC" of 1,475 tons measurement.

The vessels will be offered as they lie on the day of sale. They may be examined at any time previous to the day of sale on application to the commandants of the yards where they are respectively, who will exhibit to persons desiring to bid an inventory of such articles as may be sold with them.

Thirty (30) per centum of the purchase money must be deposited at the time of sale, and the balance paid in cash when the sale is confirmed by the Department; the vessels to be removed within ten days from the date of such confirmation.

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Dr. Ginsburg in the course of his lecture explained that the earliest records of Scripture were written on stone, and that previous to the existence of parchment manuscripts they were inscribed upon the barks of trees or upon rolls made from the peel of the papyrus. In many cases the records consisted of pictures; for instance, in the Book of Esther the ten sons of Haman were represented as being hung up with their father in the manner described in the Old Testament, or as in the Book of Kings, where all the battles recorded there were exhibited in pictorial form. A tabulated statement was placed against every line of the text in the old records, showing how many times a certain letter, word, or phrase occurred; this was summarized at the end of every page, again at the end of every 32 pages, and afterward at the end of every book, and at the end of the whole Bible the sum total was given.

This would give some idea of the care with which the Bible had been guarded and preserved, and such a gigantic work as he had described could not, he undertook to say, be accomplished by a dozen men if they lived for five hundred years. The new Testament had not been treated in this way at all. They would not find anything of the kind in the codex Alexandrinus, which was presented to King Charles, and was now in the British museum, or in the codex of Sinaiticus, of similar antiquity, which Tichendorff found at the convent of Sinai. The latter was now at St. Petersburg, and was the one which the Emperor of Russia had had published and circulated to public libraries and scholars. He thought, when they heard so much about the Emperor of Russia, it was only due to render to him the greatest honor for the reproduction of this codex and its distribution; and although they could not compare the English with the Russian government, because the former had the reputation of being one of the most, if not the most, liberal government in the world; yet they never found it doing anything of this sort.

Having referred to the rapid advances made in the circulation of the Bible after printing was introduced, the lecturer stated that at the time the first Bible was printed by Gutenburg, a copy of which he produced, Roman Catholicism prevailed all over Europe, and it was only fair to say of the Roman Catholic Church that it printed and circulated the Scriptures to a large extent, and did not, as was mistated, endeavor to keep the Bible from the people. Dr. Ginsburg told some amusing facts connected with the preparation of the Authorized Version. One of the editions which King James I. declined to allow the revisers to use as a help contained marginal notes which he considered heretical and republican. The marginal note to the passage in the Epistle of St. Peter, "Fear God and honor the King," was as follows: "That depends upon circumstances; if the word of the King is in harmony with the word of God, obey the King; but if it is contrary to the word of God, obey God rather than the King."—*London Times*, Feb. 7.

Hunting Bears.

Texas Jack has returned from a hunt in the Sweetwater country with a party of Englishmen, and has had a talk about it with a writer for the *Spirit of the Times*. There were seven men in the company. The game consisted chiefly of elk, black tailed deer, antelope, and mountain sheep. No hostile Indians were encountered. The only dangerous brute in the West, to hunt, Jack says, is the bear. He is cunning, swift, and always ready for a fight. He thinks that the best place to hunt bears is where they are not to be found, and of the grizzly he says:

He will stand in the middle of the road, growling and getting his mad up, when there isn't a live creature within forty miles of him. If you meet one and turn out for him he will probably leave you alone, but if you say a word look out for him. Many a time I have made such remark to a bear, as "Where are you going, Tommy?" when in an instant his arms would be ready to tear me to pieces. No, sir, we don't go bear-hunting very much. You see they can run as fast as a horse, and you have to put a bullet into just such a place to kill them, and until they are dead, they are dangerous. Jack, in conclusion, tells this story:

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

—At a picture exhibition a Teutonic connoisseur, after a long study of a famous painting, was heard to mutter:—"It ish a very handsome frame."

—A few nights ago the police raided upon a cockpit in San Francisco and captured nearly the whole Board of Brokers and marched them down to the City Prison, where they each registered as John Smith and left $20 bail.

—As the rain falls impartially upon the just and unjust, so the pale moonbeams that lend inspiration to the lover's vows, creep through the cracks in a hen house, and show the midnight naturalist where the best pullet is roosting.

—Terribly sarcastic father. "Now I must bid you good night, Mr. John, for I have an engagement. But say, why don't you stop and take breakfast with us some morning; you always go away an hour or two before it is ready."

—Says the Bridgeport *Standard*: "An item from China stating that a man's head was cut off for patting a pretty girl on the cheek has caused one man we know of to make up his mind to stay in the United States, where he won't run any risks."

—Judge Black, when he wants to quote Longfellow, would do well to overhaul his book, and when found make a note on it. This is what he said before Congressmen in Council: "Though the mills of God grind slow, they grind dreadful fine."

—When the collars worn by our stylish young men get so high that the services of a steam fire engine and hook and ladder crew are required to throw starch to the eaves thereof, it is doubtful if the world makes much progress for a decade or so thereafter.

—A party of young men dined sumptuously at a restaurant in Dublin, and each one insisted on paying the bill. To decide the matter, it was proposed to blindfold the waiter, and the first one he caught should pay the bill. At last accounts, he hadn't caught any of them yet.

—"Poor boy!" said a lady, as she took out her purse to give the little beggar some change. "Yes, I am a poor boy," said the young rascal, squeezing a tear out of his eye, "and have four sick mothers to support." The lady put back her purse, shook her head and walked sadly away.

—The glass works in Brooklyn are making glass that won't break. Their lamp-chimneys can be used for driving nails into boards, and can stand cold water when heated without harm, while their plates, thrown into the air twenty-five feet and falling on a brick floor, are unbroken.

—The President of the New Jersey Central says he knows the perils that beset a railroad as well as any living American. He is like the Irish pilot who, being asked if he knew the rocks in the harbor, replied with confidence, "I do, yer honer, ivry wan of thim. That's wan," he added very calmly, as the ship struck it, filled and sank—*Graphic*.

—A recently appointed Scotch bailiff took his seat for the first time on the magisterial bench. Looking sternly around he thus addressed the assemblage; "Hitherto there have been many complaints as to how impartially affairs have been carried out here; but I intend that the business of this court shall in future be conducted neither partially nor impartially."

—Two wealthy ladies of England have contributed enough money to clean out Jacob's Well at Shechem. The well, which formerly yielded a copious supply of excellent water, has for a long time been choked up with stones and dirt. It is one of the most celebrated of all Biblical localities, and is the resort of all the pious pilgrims who visit Palestine.

—At Kalamazoo, Michigan, a man named Clark quarreled with his wife and finally they agreed to disagree and separate, the husband making a division of the furniture and effects with a hand-saw and butcher knife, cutting into the wash-stand, bureaus, bedsteads, feather-bed, mattress, etc., and giving the wife the choice of pieces. Several hundred dollars' worth of furniture was said to be destroyed. This is supposed to be the masculine idea of breaking up housekeeping.

—Mrs. Hayes, I am informed, never wears a *decollete* dress, and this being told in advance to some of the ladies invited to dinner recently, they wore high dresses in compliment to her. Mrs. Grant, however, not knowing of Mrs. Hayes' preference, wore a low waist. Her dress was white silk, brocaded in colors. Mrs. Hayes wore a cameo-tinted silk, garnished with lace and fringe. Her hair was arranged plainly on the face and over the ears, and gathered in a knot at the back of the head and fastened with a comb. She wore no ornaments.—*Miss Grundy, in Graphic.*

—A short time ago, there was an eating match at a village in Yorkshireville, between two men named Gibbies and Muggins, which caused a good deal of interest in the neighborhood, and a countryman leaving the place a little before the match was decided, was stopped by almost every one on the road, with, "who beats? how does the match get on?" etc.; to which he answered: "Why, I doant exactly know—they say Gubbins'll get it; but I think Muggins'll beat 'un yet, for when I left he *was only two geese and a toorkey behind him.*"

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, MARCH 13, 1877.

Republican Nominations.

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Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 10th.

The inauguration of President Hayes passed off much as other events of the same kind have for the past sixteen years. There were great crowds of people present, and extensive displays of bunting. Ex-President Grant and President Hayes appeared to be equally popular with the masses, who cheered them as they rode from the Executive Mansion to the Capitol together; and the ceremonies in the Senate Chamber and at the East front of the Capitol were witnessed by enthusiastic thousands, who often interrupted the reading of the inaugural address with rounds of applause. The torch-light procession of the evening closed the formal observances, the torch-bearers parading the principal streets and avenues, which were brilliantly lighted, and many of the buildings beautifully illuminated and decorated. The utmost good feeling animated almost every one encountered, in striking contrast with the partisan strife which for many months had divided temporary and permanent residents into two factions, often wrought up to the highest pitch of political excitement, in many instances amounting to absolute frenzy. All that is past, and we are left in a condition of relaxlation which is the penalty always exacted for an undue indulgence in stimulants.

A little flutter of excitement rather startled us from our reclining positions in which we hoped not to be disturbed for four years, when it was noised abroad that the nominations for Cabinet officers had been received by the Senate and some of them had proved very obnoxious. Some of the more excitable hastily got inside their suits of armor, preparing promptly to take up the quarrel, but the majority very reluctantly took their places in the ranks. The emblems of democratic mourning were rather prematurely cast aside, as the intelligence from both ends of the arena this morning was of a more pacific character than we had expected or the democrats hoped for. The name of Mr. Schurz seems most distasteful to republican Senators, and his confirmation will probably meet the most sturdy opposition. He is not a popular man, his alleged egotism and dictatorial manners having operated to bias many officially or socially brought in contact with him; he is also regarded as holding very transcendental and impractical views relative to almost everything with which he would have to deal as Secretary of the Interior. He also has the reputation of being very irascible. Hence he is held to be not only personally objectionable, but incompetent. The career of Mr. Key in Congress made him quite a favorite with republican Senators. His ability is unquestioned, and the opposition to him is of a much milder type than that against Schurz; nor is it at all personal, but springs entirely from the indisposition of republicans to vesting in his hands as a democrat the immense patronage of the Post Office Department, and it cannot but be confessed that it is a startling innovation and an exhibition of party magnanimity which democracy, as at present led, would not probably be slow to take advantage of, if the opportunity offered. At least that is the feeling. Mr. Evarts' selection for a Cabinet position seems to be objectionable to but very few, and with them chiefly because such an appointment materially curtails the power of dictation as to appointments which have come to be too much regarded as Senatorial appendages in the past.

The feeling which pretty generally obtained in republican Senatorial circles at one time, that President Hayes was in danger of being led by sentimental views to turn over the white and black Unionists of the South to the tender mercies of the envenomed White Leagues, may have been founded upon a misapprehension of his purpose relative to the dual governments existing in Louisiana and South Carolina. However that may, it is conceded that those seeking to controvert Mr. Blaine's position are reduced to the most painful expedients of hair-splitting, and even then, have to beg some points in order to establish the validity of any other line of procedure than that indicated by him as the proper one to be taken. But a mutually yielding disposition looking to a reconciliation of seemingly antagonistic views and an avoidance of any misunderstanding that must necessarily prove embarassing is more apparent than forty-eight hours ago. And it may after all turn out that there is not any material difference of opinion as to what ought to be done, an exact coincidence of views as to the methods to accomplish it, and that, regardless of political consequences, a needless strife between President Johnson and Congress, prays that we may be spared another such experience. The White House is overrun with those desirous of seeing our new Executive and with those having favors to prefer; and Mrs. Hayes cannot complain of the inattention of her country-women.

The intelligence of another whisky murder upon the very steps of the Capitol shocked our citizens Thursday morning. It appears that two intoxicated men got into an altercation with one or more colored men, one of them receiving a blow that dislocated his neck, producing instant death. Of the half score of murders that have disgraced the National Capital within the past six or eight years, nearly all are traceable directly or indirectly to the vile traffic in intoxicating liquors which is carried on here, virtually unrestricted.

Inauguration Day opened cold and gloomy, with promise of snow; but the sun appeared about noon, giving us cloudless weather for the balance of the day,—since which it has been a medley of sunshine, clouds, cold and violent rain storms.

LOGAN.

Washington Matters.

Washington advices say that confirmation of all the Cabinet nominations by the Senate on Saturday was unexpected, as it was generally believed that the Senate would postpone action until Monday. As soon as the Senate went into executive session the nominations were reported from the several committees to whom they had been referred, each with the unanimous recommendation for confirmation. A motion was made to take up first the nomination of David M. Key of Tennessee for Postmaster-General. No objection having been made the vote on confirmation was taken by yeas and nays, resulting fifty-four yeas, two nays. The two voting in the negative were Thurman of Ohio and Eaton of Connecticut. The votes on the confirmation of Schurz for Secretary of the Interior and Evarts for Secretary of State, were also taken by yeas and nays. The vote on Mr. Schurz's nomination was forty-four for confirmation and two against. The vote on Mr. Evarts' nomination was about the same. Quite a number of Senators on both sides abstained from voting. The few negative votes in each instance were cast by democrats. Senator Cameron of Pennsylvania voted for Messrs. Evarts, Schurz and Key. He remarked that his vote for Mr. Evarts was under what he regarded as the instructions of his committee, which had instructed him to report favorably upon the nomination. Mr. Conkling refrained from voting on this nomination. Mr. Blaine voted for Evarts, but did not vote for or against Schurz. He stated, however, after the adjournment, that before the doors were closed he was warmly in favor of confirming Mr. Schurz. The nominations of Mr. McCrary for Secretary of War, Mr. Thompson for Secretary of the Navy, and Mr. Devens for Attorney-General, were confirmed without a roll-call, or even a division of the Senate in either case. There was no discussion on the republican side, and very little on the democratic. Messrs. Thurman and Eaton, who voted on all nominations in the negative, took the ground that the democrats ought to avoid every act which can be construed as a recognition of Hayes as President, and that they ought not in any way to take any responsibility for his Administration. In the committees the discussions were animated. On the question of recommending Mr. Schurz's nomination, the vote in the Finance Committee was very nearly unanimous. All three democratic members of Committee, Messrs. Bayard, Kernan and Wallace, voted in the affirmative, and the only vote in the negative was, it is reported, cast by Senator Howe. The news of the confirmation of the Cabinet was received at the White House and executive departments almost as soon as the votes were taken. The President simply said he was very glad of the Senate's prompt action.

It is considered probable that Ex-Senator Frelinhuysen will be sent to England as Minister, General Banks or Gov. Jewell to France, Gen. Logan to Russia and Ex-Secretary Bristow to Spain. Ex-Gov. Noyes and Gen. Hawley are also set down for important missions. At any rate, there is to be an entire overhauling of the diplomatic service, and the country is to be represented abroad by some of its ablest and most eminent citizens.

The Assistant Secretary of the Treasury on Saturday issued the forty-second call for the redemption of 5-20 bonds of 1865, May and November. The call is for $10,000,000, of which $7,000,000 are coupon and $3,000,000 registered. The principal and interest will be paid at the Treasury on and after the 10th of June next, and interest will cease on that day.

It was reported on Monday that Simon Cameron had resigned his position as U. S. Senator from Pennsylvania. His son, "Don" Cameron, is expected to succeed him.

News and Notes.

The famous order No. 216, issued last summer from the Navy Department by Secretary Robeson, by which a large number of naval officers were placed upon furlough pay, which is about half that they are entitled to receive while on waiting orders, was on Saturday rescinded by order of Secretary Robeson, and as Congress passed a deficiency bill by which an appropriation was made to pay the amount due between waiting orders and furlough pay, officers who were affected by this order will receive back pay due them, and will hereafter receive their waiting orders pay as long as they are upon that list.

At a special term of the Supreme Court at Schenectady, New York, on Thursday, the Attorney General made application for appointment of receivers and the closing out of the business of the following companies: Guardian Mutual Life Insurance Company, Widows' and Orphans' Life Insurance Company, Reserve Mutual Life Insurance Company, New York State Life Insurance Company, North America Life Insurance Company.

Schooner Julia E. Gamage, from Perth Amboy for Boston, went ashore at Lyme, Conn., night of 8th inst. She is supposed to be a total loss. Schooner S. A. Howes sailed from Lawsville, Mass., Dec. 5th, for Baltimore, with a cargo of paving stones, and has not since been heard from.

Two children were suffocated to death and two others nearly so, by a tenement-house fire in New York, Saturday night.

Four years ago one Tannebaun left New York with $200,000 worth of diamonds, which he obtained under false pretenses from jewelry firms in Maiden lane. His brother, the past week, obtained about $40,000 worth of jewelry from firms in John street, and now they cannot find him, his securities, nor the jewelry.

The second trial of Alexander Sullivan in Chicago for the murder of Francis Hanford some months ago terminated on Friday, and the jury, after brief deliberation, brought in a verdict of acquittal, and Sullivan was discharged from custody.

Elisha Weed of Pond Ridge, New Canaan, Conn., met with a horrible death a few days ago. On his way home from Norwalk with a load of clams he got drunk at a hotel, and started for home lying in the bottom of his wagon. In the morning his family found the horse and wagon at the door with the wheel spokes besmeared with blood and hair, and a search discovered Weed's body in the road with the head shockingly mutilated. It is thought the jolting of the wagon as he lay in the bottom brought his head in contact with the wheel, where it was battered by the spokes until the body fell to the ground. The temperance people of Canaan are going to prosecute the man who sold him the liquor.

An old man named Horatio M. Messenger was robbed and murdered in his house at Norfolk, Mass., some time Thursday night. The murder was not discovered until Friday afternoon, when the neighbors broke into the house and found the old man dead in bed, his hands and feet tied, and smothered to death. Robbery was the object; and no clue to the murderers has yet been discovered.

It is not always the old vessels that are the first to yield to the fury of the elements. Of the vessels lost during the year ending June 1, 1876, 921 were from 7 to 14 years old; 1262 of from 15 to 20 years; 597 of from 30 to 50 years; 74 of 50 to 60 years; 31 of 60 to 70 years; 18 of from 70 to 80 years; 3 of 90 to 100 years; and 3 above 100 years old. It might with plausibility be returned that the wreckage among old vessels must necessarily be smaller than of new vessels, because they are in the minority; but authorities on the subject assert that old craft very often withstand a gale much better than new vessels. American builders are proud of the manner in which their craft weather the roughest gales, and not without reason.

Political.

The Nicholls legislature of Louisiana was announced to elect a United States Senator on Monday, and there were numerous candidates. If all the so-called Senators from Louisiana should be admitted, the Senate would have pretty nearly a quorum without any members from other States.

The real contest will be made in the Congressional districts. In the First, or Portsmouth District, Frank Jones, the rich brewer, is a candidate for re-election, and though his opponent, General Gilman Marston of Exeter, is a very strong and popular candidate, and there was a republican majority of 784 in the district at the November election, the prospect is that beer and money will carry the day. Those who are familiar with New Hampshire politics know how potent a factor money is. It is seldom that they have a candidate there so rich and so lavish with his wealth as Mr. Jones, and, with so small a margin to overcome, he is well-nigh invincible. It is not creditable to the sturdy yeomanry of the Granite State that so many of their votes are to be had by the highest bidder, but it is a deplorable fact. General Marston has served three terms in Congress, was in the army four years and is a staunch and faithful citizen. He deserves to be elected and will be if qualifications are regarded.—*Globe, March 12th.*

New Hampshire Items.

The body of an unknown man found in the Merrimac river at Manchester Saturday afternoon proves to be that of a Scotchman, forty-five years of age, named Robert Derry, who has been missing since December 25. It is supposed that he committed suicide, no marks of violence being found upon the body. No cause is assigned for the act. He resided on Merrimac street and was employed in the mills.

Dr. S. L. F. Simpson, a physician of Manchester, died suddenly Saturday evening of rheumatism of the heart. He was Surgeon of the Amoskeag Veterans, and was about forty-five years old. He leaves a wife.

Thomas Haskell of Worcester, Mass., has been appointed Agent of the Union Manufacturing Company at West Peterboro. Mr. Haskell will take charge immediately and both mills will be started.

The water in the Merrimac River is fast rising, the ice breaking up and coming down in large quantities. Nothing serious has happened yet, although the usual spring troubles are anticipated.

D. J. Cresby's bakery and Charles French's store at Milford, were broken into Saturday night, and a small sum of money taken from each. It is supposed that two Milford juveniles were the perpetrators.

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ON the fourth day of September last, I took possession of a tract of land in Portsmouth in the County of Rockingham, at the Point of Graves so called, bounded northerly by land formerly of Thomas Carrier, deceased, easterly by the Piscataqua River, Southerly by the city privileges of the city of Portsmouth, and westerly by Mechanic street, together with the wharf and the buildings on said lot and all the machinery and fixtures therein, being the same formerly called the Franklin Foundry, and now since held possession of the same for condition broken of a mortgage of the premises made by Phineas Drake Jr. to Alfred W. Haven, James W. Emery and Joshua W. Peirce, dated the twenty-third day of July A. D. 1883 and recorded in the records of said county Lib. 356 fol. 131, to secure three notes of said Drake of six hundred dollars each, one of which, payable to said Emery has been paid, and one payable to said Haven and one payable to Joshua W. Peirce has been assigned with said mortgage to me. Said possession was commenced and is held for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage.

OLIVER AYERS.

Portsmouth, March 2, 1877. 4-10-17

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street,** and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

FOR LENT!

Taylor's "HOLY LIVING AND DYING."
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☞ I shall open next month a complete line of ROOM PAPERS, CURTAINS, BORDERS, TASSELS, &c., &c.

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HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET.
Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

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A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 18 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to
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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

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A SMALL LOT OF

Cold Blast Whole Wheat Flour,
Pearled Wheat,
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Pearled Oats,
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1500 Pounds New Dates,

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SMALL PIG HAMS,

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THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

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All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

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GOLD	" 30	to 100	" " "

BORDERS of all grades from 1 to 12 cents per yard. Our Papers are all made on No. 1 stock. None on No. 2.

We also have a large stock of WINDOW SHADES at prices ranging from 50 cents to $2.00 each.

CURTAIN FIXTURES, CORD, TASSELS, TASSEL CLAMPS, &c. at low prices.

Remember the best patterns go first. Call early, examine and select, while our stock is full.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	6.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.55 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.30 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box in the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THAT CLANGING BELL.

There was a temperance meeting in Franklin Hall on Sunday evening, at which "Rev." J. E. Bell of Providence held forth, under the auspices of the Portsmouth Reform Club. THAT is: it was advertised that such a meeting would be held; but it turned out to be a democratic campaign meeting, run in the interests of Hon. Frank Jones, brewer, by Brother Bell and John S. Treat, Esq., Ex-President of the Reform Club. Brother Bell had not spoken five minutes before it was evident that he was speaking —*not* for temperance but for beer. Some true friend of temperance and beer had brought to Brother Bell's notice the following paragraph, which appeared in last Thursday's issue of this paper:

Every man who has signed the Reform Club pledge has "solemnly promised before God and these witnesses" that he "will to the utmost of his power discourage the manufacture, sale and use of spirituous or malt liquors," etc. Can any such vote for a brewer without breaking their pledge? Do they not thus encourage the manufacture and sale?

Now Brother Bell, "reverend," of Providence, R. I., did not happen to have seen a copy of the CHRONICLE of last Thursday, but had heard of the paragraph in question. Then occurred one of those little episodes which show how wonderfully nature has provided that no emergency shall arise but a man shall be found to meet its requirements. Mr. John S. Treat arose in the audience; he "happened" to have in his pocket a copy of the CHRONICLE of the proper date; he passed the same to Brother Bell; Brother Bell read the obnoxious (to him) paragraph, and then, with all the vim and *empressement* of a clergyman in good standing and of unimpeached reputation, and well paid for his services, he announced that a temperance man *could* vote for a brewer for Congress and still be a consistent temperance man—in the estimation of Brother Bell. [Cheers, loiture and vigorous applause from Mr. Jones' men.]

It has been suggested to us that possibly the whole thing was a put-up-job between Mr. Treat and Brother Bell, to ring in the Reform Club into Frank Jones' support, and that Brother Bell was liberally paid for his share in the business. Perish the unworthy thought! As soon would we believe that Brother Bell, "reverend," of Providence, R. I., was perfectly aware that he was giving utterance to an atrocious lie and slander when he stated at Seabrook, on the authority of John S. Treat, Esq., Ex-President of the Portsmouth Reform Club, that Gen. Marston was helplessly drunk in this city last week, as to credit to anything but happy accident Brother Bell's reference to the CHRONICLE and Mr. Treat's opportune pop-up in the audience with the very copy wanted. True, envious and unregenerate men have said things about Brother Bell. A correspondent of the Boston *Journal* openly calls him a "scamp;" a clergyman in Rhode Island writes one in this city (we have read the letter) that Brother Bell is "repudiated by the temperance societies" of that State, that he has "no ecclesiastical connection with the Baptist denomination," and that "not a Baptist minister in the State would recognize him at all;" and a Providence gentleman whose *business* it is to know everything about everybody, telegraphs to a gentleman in this city (we have the telegram before us) as follows: "J. E. Bell does not belong here—is known here and is said to be a fraud; reputation bad." We give no credence to these injurious reports; we are satisfied that Brother Bell, "reverend," of Providence, R. I., is estimated at his true value in this region; and we would not, if we could, say anything to lower him in public estimation.

We would not have Brother Bell, "reverend," of Providence, R. I., nor the general public, entertain for one moment the ruinous idea that the CHRONICLE is an irreligious paper and wanting in reverence for "the cloth;" hence we most meekly bow to the reproof of that great and good man, Brother Bell, "reverend," of Providence, R. I., and humbly acknowledge that he has decided that it is not incompatible with true temperance principles for a man to vote and work for the election of a brewer. We would not have believed it had it been told by a man of common mould; but when uttered by so pure and earnest a "reformer" as Brother Bell we cannot but coincide.

An evil-minded individual at our elbow a moment ago suggested to us to ask if the money paid by Mr. Jones for the purpose of securing the influence of the Reform Club went into the Club's treasury, was paid in bulk to Brother Bell, "reverend," etc., was divided between Brother Bell and Mr. Treat, or in what other manner it was disposed of; also, if Mr. Jones now thinks his purchase worth the money? We resented the insinuations of the evil-minded individual in a proper manner, and his funeral will take place to-morrow.

JOTTINGS.

Election Day.

Vote early, and look out for split tickets.

A Washington despatch last week said: "Speaker Randall was called out of town somewhat suddenly by business." Speaker Randall's "business" was to stump this Congressional District in the interest of Frank Jones, and incidentally in the interest of Ex-Speaker Randall, who hopes to be again elected Speaker of the House.

Look out for spurious tickets to-day. Honest republicans have sometimes been cheated by spurious tickets printed in imitation of the genuine. Sometimes one or more names are changed—sometimes a genuine name misspelled, or a middle initial letter of a name left out or added. Pains should be taken to examine all tickets circulated, especially in a time like this when fraud claims precedence of truth.

The *Times* of Monday has an item headed "Comfort for tax-payers," in which it shows that the expenditures for the year 1876 exceeded those for 1875; but it neglects to give the reason, which is that the late democratic city government expended the entire appropriations for the year "in the interests of the party," before the republicans took control and that supplementary appropriations had to be made in almost every department as soon as the democrats went out.

The first annual ball of the Portsmouth Cavalry comes off Thursday evening next.

Tickets for the grand concert complimentary to the Nowell brothers, will be for sale at Preston's on and after Wednesday, the 14th. The first comers will get the best seats.

The automatic buoy, which was imported from New York and placed at the mouth of Halifax (N. S.) harbor, is reported by captains of vessels which have arrived at Halifax to have been heard at a distance of four and five miles. This kind of a storm and fog signal, moored somewhere about where Kittz' rock buoy now is, off Whale's-back, it seems to us would be just the thing needed for this harbor. It would cost less in the first instance than a whistle on Whales'-back, which must be repaired at heavy expense before it is fitted to receive any kind of a signal; it would be in the best possible position a guide to the harbor could occupy; and if the reports of mariners regarding the efficiency of the buoys off Portland harbor and the southern coast can be credited, the automatic signal has proved itself one of the most powerful and reliable storm-signals yet invented.

It seems that the "Rev. J. Edwards Bell," of unsavory reputation in Rhode Island, has got into notice in New Hampshire by going into a temperance meeting and declaring that Gen. Marston, one of the republican candidates for Congress, was so drunk upon a recent occasion that he could hardly walk, a story which is denounced as a falsehood and an outrage. We think Bell deserves a more thorough exposure than the religious and temperance communities have yet given. His capacity for mischief should be curtailed.—*Providence Journal, 12th.*

People who may wonder that Albert R. Hatch, Esq., is not running for office this year on the democratic ticket, as usual, are hereby informed that he now lives in Ward Two, a strongly republican ward. That accounts for it.

About five o'clock, Sunday afternoon, the dam of the Woodward saw-mill (recently burned) in York burst away from a heavy flow of water caused by the rain of Friday.

By the way, does Brother Bell, "reverend," of Providence, R. I., consider himself sufficiently remunerated for his efforts in behalf of Frank Jones' election and the cause of prohibition?

Which are you going to vote to send to Congress, to-day, money or a Representative?

The democrat who fails to get at least $25 for voting his party ticket to-day is unwise. Lots of money has been sent into the district from Washington and New York to buy republican voters, and the leading democratic candidates are wealthy men and accustomed to putting out their money liberally where it will do them the most good politically; and it is hard indeed if the faithful cannot get at least as great a reward as shaky republicans.

Can any one tell what Hon. Frank Jones, the Representative from the First Congressional District of New Hampshire, has accomplished as a statesman? What has he done for the legislation of the country, or for the special benefit of his constituents? There is, and can be, no answer. True, he is claimed to be "a good fellow," but New Hampshire is full of such, too full to think of making that a ground of electing them to Congress, or of keeping any one of them there when he happens to get in. If Mr. Jones' first term of service, then, has been so utterly unimportant, why should he be allowed to keep out an able, more experienced and more useful man? Hon. Gilman Marston has served three terms in Congress with marked efficiency. He is a strong debater and a sound business man. He has fought under the flag of his country, but he is devoted to the interests of peace. He will be in accord with the new Administration, and will from the outset have a much greater influence on public affairs than Mr. Jones could ever attain to. Let the First District of New Hampshire, then, consult its own interests, as well as its own credit and the welfare of the whole country, by electing Gen. Marston by a handsome majority.

VOTE ON THE AMENDMENTS!

Vote on every one of the proposed Constitutional amendments,—"yes" or "no." Do not let any of them be adopted or lost through your failure to express your wishes at the ballot box. Most of the amendments we presume will be adopted by a very large majority, and possibly all of them will be. If we could vote against biennial sessions of the legislature without voting against biennial elections, we would do so; but as we cannot vote against one without voting against both we shall offer an extremely large "Yes" as our answer to "Question third." Question six, "Do you approve of the election by the people of registers of probate, solicitors and sheriffs, as provided in the amended constitution?" we hope to see defeated, as we believe the appointees of the administration of any party likely to be better men for those positions than the nominees of the party caucus. On Question Eight, concerning a constitutional prohibition of town aid to corporations, there is likely to be a difference of opinion, as many persons will consider that if a majority of the citizens of a town wish to lend the town's credit to corporations, it is none of the State's business. But whatever opinion may be held on any of the proposed amendments, we again urge every voter to make known his will by his ballot.

—To make a good broil—Leave a letter from one of your old sweethearts where your wife can find it.

—Quail, birds' nests, sharks' fins, fungi, ducks, mushrooms, bamboo sprouts, Chinese brandy served in thimbles, tea, and Roederer. This was the menu at a banquet given in San Francisco a fortnight ago by a Chinese merchant. Major-General Ingalls, Pay Director Cunningham, Col. F. A. Bee, and a large company of Caucasians were among the guests. The dinner was eaten with chopsticks to slow Chinese music, and then the table was cleared and as a compliment to the guests an American dinner was served.

Pimples on the face, eruptions, blotches, scrofulous diseases, and all sores arising from impure blood, are cured by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. For bronchitis, laryngitis, and all severe and lingering coughs, it is unsurpassed. It cleanses, purifies, and strengthens, the system. As an anti-bilious or liver medicine, and to relieve palpitation or irregular action of the heart, it works wonders.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch Clara E. Simpson, from Boston for New York, arr at New London March 8.

Sch R Vanneman, Brower, for this port cld from Philadelphia March 8.

Sch S. R. Lane, for this port cld from New York March 9.

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WE have just received a few more of those BLUE ARMY BLOUSES, which have been in such demand for the last twelve months.

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Enquire of
JOSEPH L. MARDEN,
m3d&w1m Kittery Point, Me.
Or, WILLIAM DOWNS & SON, Portsmouth.

Checklist Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECKLISTS, give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, March 1st, Wednesday, March 7th, and Monday, March 13th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M. and from 2 to 5 o'clock, P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the check-list of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 A. M. and from 1 to 2 o'clock, P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted, and whom the same are entitled to vote in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Checklists.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Hooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

SALE OF NAVAL VESSELS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
Fe ruary 27, 1877.

The Navy Department will offer for sale at public auction the following named vessels:

At the United States Navy Yard, Portsmouth, N. H., on Tuesday, the 27th of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock, M., the U. S. Ship "SABINE" of 1,475 tons measurement.

At the United States Navy Yard, New York, on Thursday, the 29th of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., the U. S. Steamer "SUSQUEHANNA" of 3,213 tons measurement.

At the United States Navy Yard, League Island, on Saturday, the 31st of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock M., the U. S. Ship "POTOMAC" of 1,457 tons measurement.

The vessels will be offered as they lie on the day of sale. They may be examined at any time previous to the day of sale on application to the commandants of the yards where they are respectively, who will exhibit to persons desiring to bid an inventory of such articles as may be sold with them.

Thirty (30) per centum of the purchase money must be deposited at the time of sale, and the balance paid in cash when the vessels are ready for the purchaser; the vessels to be removed within ten days from the date of sale confirmation.

The Government reserves the right to withdraw the vessels, or either of them, from sale, to confirm the sale, and to reject any bid or offer which may be considered inadequate. MAWTH&W27

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Owing to the great demand for more spacious apartments on account of the large increase of business, the Hospital has been removed to No. 9 Beaver street, two doors above its old location, where patients will find magnificently furnished rooms for their reception, and are so arranged that patients do not come in contact with one another, seeing only the doctor, thereby avoiding the unpleasantness of meeting others, which always occurred at the old office.

LADIES will find rooms provided for their especial accommodation and entirely private.

YOUNG MEN, addicted to secret habits, who have impaired their health and destroyed the vigor of their minds, thus depriving themselves of the pleasures of married life and also those afflicted with private diseases of any nature, are advised that in consulting Dr. Young they will find a physician fully qualified to cure and restore them to full health and manly vigor.

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In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION.

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption it has effected almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat.

TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

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WM. M. LADD, M. D.

CLAREMONT, N. H., September, 1875.

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—A St. Louis Charley Ross case has had a sequel not altogether complimentary to the judicial wisdom of that State. A little boy named Lochmuller was stolen about eighteen months ago by two men, and was finally recovered by his father in Clinton, Ill., after search had been made all over the country, and even in England. Lochmuller began a prosecution against the kidnappers, but the astute judge decided that the boy was too young to testify, and the rascals were discharged. They then brought suit against the father for false imprisonment, with $21,000 damages, and brought accomplices who swore that the boy was not Lochmuller's at all. The mother identified him positively, but the judge again ruled that she could not testify in her husband's behalf, though he dismissed the suit for damages. If the men should now sue for the recovery of the child they would doubtless get him.

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Concord	78
Eastern	41
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Fitchburg	133½
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Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
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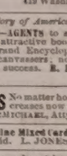

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Fashion.

Rich gauze fabrics now show the bright Oriental combinations of colors which a year ago would have been considered very strange.

Undressed kid, *grants de Suede*, are very fashionable for general wear. Lisle thread gloves in all the new shades are in great demand.

If dark gloves are worn, they should be somewhat lighter than the costume, black gloves are only admissible with black costumes.

The side cut glove is new and different from all others, the buttons being scarcely perceptible when the arm is raised. Its fit is perfect and renders the glove easier to put on. The gloves are shown only in light shades and for evening or full dress have a great advantage over the style center cut.

The dolman is the mantle *par excellence* for Spring wear. They are made of almost all kinds of material and in a variety of shapes. The "Selika" mantle is newer and quite becoming to the "princess" style of dress. The "Burnons" scarf is pretty and convenient either in cashmere or the striped Oriental fabrics.

Buttons will be largely used, and while some may admire a dark blue or black button, the contrast afforded by ivory and beautiful papier mache the majority will prefer. For woolen costumes, large buttons covered with the material, not very large, but sewn on in clusters or a number of rows, on the front, cuffs, or wherever the design of dress may suggest, will be used.

Black cashmeres are, of course, always desirable, and always will be patronized by persons of quiet tastes. This Spring the manufacture is simply perfect. They are light and soft, not too warm or too cool, and lend most beautifully to the draperies and combine admirably with plain silk fabrics, especially with twilled foulard. In colors the India cashmere is sought, while in black the favorite is the "grand opera." The latter is a clear, beautiful black, soft and fine.

Fashion decrees a complete revolution in sunshades. The stale and sombre sun umbrella is to be superceded by tasty and dainty parasols, in all the fashionable shades of color, and a new Spring suit will not be considered complete without this coquettish screen from the sun. They come in two sizes, and nothing could be more stylish than the turnover top or fan parasol for carriage or Spring promenade. Some are trimmed with embroidered ruffles, while others have ruffles lined with a contrasting color and edges frisé so as to form a soft, feathery mass that is very attractive. The "Mariposa" is the larger of the two, and upon one gore is a butterfly embroidered in its natural gay colors. The handles of ivory, pearl and rosewood are in various patterns, but the little French parasol, which is designed to become the favorite, has a handle tipped with a plated ball and large ring, which can be slipped on the wrist, consequently of no trouble when not in use.

The coarse straws which are provided for early Spring wear are presented in great variety as to color, but the shape of nearly all fit closely to the head. Many of them show combinations of color, but black and white straws are to lead. The colors are to keeping with the deep shades which prevail in dress goods. For general wear we find round hats in black straw; some show roll ing brims; others with plain round brims, and others still with fancy, caught-up brims; but, with rare exceptions, the brims are close, while the crowns are large and square. The close-fitting chip hat is in favor; the fronts rising only high enough to admit of a ruching below. The shapes are really elegant. The capote is too pretty a shape to be relinquished, and we find bonnets of this shape showing a crown of silk or a delicate chenille gauze, while the entire brim is composed of the choicest flowers and leaves.

Carrying Weights on the Head.

The Hindoo girls are gracefully formed. From their earliest childhood they are accustomed to carry burdens on their heads. The water for family use is always brought by the girls in earthen jars, carefully poised in this way. This exercise is said to strengthen the muscles of the back, while the chest is thrown forward. No crooked backs are seen in Hindoostan. Dr. H. Spry says that "this exercise of carrying small vessels of water on the head might be advantageously introduced into boarding schools and families, and that it might supercede the present machinery of dumb bells, blackboards, skipping ropes, etc. The young lady ought to be taught to carry the jar as the Hindoo women do, without ever touching it with her hands." The same practice of carrying water leads to precisely the same results in the south of Spain and Italy as in India. A Neapolitan female peasant will carry on her head a pile full of water to the very brim, over a rough road, and not spill a drop of it; and the acquisition of the art gives her the same erect and elastic gait and the same expanded chest and well-formed back and shoulders. *Herald of Health.*

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Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 14, 1877.

STATE ELECTION!

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LOWELL, 10:30 P. M.

One hundred and thirty towns show a net republican gain of 149 votes. Republicans claim Marston's election over Jones in first district, but have but few figures to show for their assertion. There is no doubt of Briggs' and Blair's election in second and third districts. The legislature will not be materially changed from last year.

CONCORD 11th. 1:15 A. M.

If the result of to-day's election in New Hampshire is anything of a guide, the political state of the country has not been very materially changed in the last few months. The voting throughout the State so far as the returns indicate to-night has been about the same as it was at the Presidential election in November and it is found that Hon. Benj. F. Prescott the republican nominee, has been elected Governor by about 3400 majority over Daniel Marcy, the democratic candidate. The republicans have also elected two out of the three Congressmen in the persons of Hon. James F. Briggs of Manchester, in the second district, and Hon. Henry W. Blair, present incumbent, in the third district. The only democratic Congressman chosen is Hon. Frank Jones of Portsmouth, in the 1st district, who is returned by an unexpected majority, which is claimed to be not less than 500. The whole campaign has been stupidly mild on both sides and the result of the voting to-day has been in accordance with general anticipation. Mr. Prescott's election by the majority indicated was expected all along, and the only contests between the parties were in the several Congressional districts. Here in Concord, to-night, where the returns from the whole State are received, there is an absence of enthusiasm and interest never before witnessed. Neither headquarters, newspaper offices, telegraph offices, or hotels are crowded, and so far as any public demonstration or jollification is concerned the idea has not been entertained for a moment. Even the presence of Mr. Prescott, the Governor-elect has not inspired a particle of enthusiasm. He arrived on the last train from the South, went up to the *Monitor* office and talked over the situation for a few moments then indicted a brief telegram to President Hayes and left immediately for his appartments at the Eagle.

In an interview with his Excellency-to-be your correspondent learned that the result of the election was in accordance with his anticipation, and he also interpreted it as a renewal of allegiance on the part of the republican party. The lack of excitement over the contest, remarked he, was because the result was a foregone conclusion, weeks ago, and furthermore he believed that latterly the people had been supplied with a surfeit of politics, and were only anxious to return to the former walks of thrift and industry.

NEWCASTLE.

For Governor, Prescott, 98, Marcy 84; for Railroad Commissioner, Conn 98, Dinsmore 84; for Congressman, Marston 98, Jones 83; for Councillor, Smith 98, Rand 84; for Senator, Philbrick 97, Eldredge 86; for Register, Weston 98, Hoyt 86; for Treasurer, Lane 98, Treadwell 86; for County Commissioner, Johnston 98, James 86. Representative, John Amazeen, republican, 13 majority. Cheney's majority over Marcy in 1876 was 20. The republican majority at the Presidential election was 15. The majority against Jones two years ago was 11; this year it is fifteen.

NEWINGTON.

Moderator, James Hoyt, republican; Town Clerk, Benjamin S. Hoyt, republican. Selectmen, Samuel Furber, Frederick Pickering, James E. Bean, all democrats. Prescott 34, Marcy 73; Conn 34, Dinsmore 74; Marston 33, Jones 74; Smith 34, Rand 74; Bullom (for Senator) 34, Walker, 74; Weston 34, Treadwell 74; Lane 34, Hoyt 74; Johnson 35, James 73. Representative, Israel S. Hoyt, democrat.

RYE.

Moderator, G. H. Jenness, as usual; Clerk, Orin S. Green; Representative, Moses Clarke; Selectmen, Elvin Rand, Nathaniel Marden, Emery C. Jenness; Supt. Sch. Com., John O. Drake; Auditors, Charles J. Brown, Joseph P. Trefethen. Prescott 116, Marcy 196; Conn 116, Dinsmore 198; Marston 115, Jones 195; Smith 117, Rand 198; Philbrick 125, Eldredge 187; county officers, republican vote 117, democratic 198.

NORTH HAMPTON.

Moderator, E. L. Dalton; Town Clerk, Jonathan Rollins; Selectmen, John S. Hobbs, Jacob E. Brown, Charles C. Barton; Collector, John S. Hobbs; Representative, Edwin M. Lamprey, dem.; Prescott 91, Marcy 130; Marston 89, Jones 131; Philbrick 88, Eldredge 130.

HAMPTON FALLS.

Representative, John F. Jones, republican. Prescott 109, Marcy, 49; Conn 108, Dinsmore 49; Marston 106, Jones 49; Smith 106, Rand 49; Philbrick 94, Eldredge 60; County officers, republican 109, democratic 48.

HAMPTON.

Moderator, Sewell W. Dow; Clerk, John M. Akerman; Selectmen, John F. Marston, William E. Lane, Jacob T. Brown; Supt. Sch. Com., Lucy E. Dow. Prescott 188, Marcy 119; Conn 188, Dinsmore 121; Marston 180, Jones 123; Smith 188, Rand 120; Philbrick 188, Eldredge 119; county officers, republican 190, democratic 119.

SOUTH NEWMARKET.

Prescott 157, Marcy, 73, Kendall 1; Marston 146, Jones 85, Moulton 2; Philbrick 151, Eldredge 79. Representative, J. Lewis Chase, republican.

DURHAM.

Prescott 160, Marcy 103; Marston 144, Jones 118.

GREENLAND.

Prescott 78, Marcy 94; Marston 77, Jones 94; county ticket the same.

EXETER.

Prescott 548, Marcy 156, Scat. 4.

GREAT FALLS.

Prescott 590, Marcy 308, scat. 10; Marston 550, Jones 347, scat. 10.

Wolfeboro, Prescott 365, Marcy 310.
Farmington, Prescott 585, Marcy 366.
Rochester, Prescott 647, Marcy 529.

Ex-Senator James W. Patterson has been chosen member of the legislature from Hanover.

DOVER.

	Prescott	Marcy	Marston	Jones
Ward 1,	212	134	186	145
" 2,	311	179	301	142
" 3,	286	245	289	237
" 4,	—	—	243	238
Total,	—	—	1021	912

Vote for Congressman.

ROCKINGHAM.	Marston	Jones	Rep. gain	Dem. gain.
Brentwood	111	70		33
Chester	183	112		71
Derry	279	157	19	
East Kingston	99	86	9	
Epping	178	229		14
Exeter	408	146	18	
Greenland	77	94		11
Hampstead	126	97	11	
Hampton	168	128	30	
Hampton Falls	106	46		10
Kensington	74	85	5	
Kingston			10	
Londonderry	283	135		
Newfields	99	86		5
Newington	33	74	7	
Newmarket	215	297		58
Newton	125	115		7
N. Hampton	99	103	4	
Portsmouth	1094	1179		19
Raymond	215	229		30
Rye	115	195	6	
Seabrook	134	213		41
So. Newmarket	146	85		37
Stratham	95	108		24
Windham	110	87		8
STRAFFORD.				
Barrington	169	203		56
Dover	1091	963		162
Durham	144	116		65
Lee	89	86	41	
Farmington	371	278		27
Milton				25
Middleton	80	73		16
Milton	194	136		35
Rochester	599	394		163
Rollinsford	187	93		9
Somersworth	559	347		3
BELKNAP.				
Centre Harbor	71	69		9
Gilford	336	211		39
Gilmanton	212	160		1
Laconia	299	450		23
New Hampton	126	102		28
Tilton	129	181	1	
CARROLL.				
Albany	36	47	11	
Bartlett	46	105		16
Brookfield	45	65		18
Conway	209	249		5
Madison	115	88	3	
Moultonboro'	131	174	43	
Ossipee	209	49		60
Wakefield	141	139		5
Wolfeboro	256	305		44

Returns from 51 of the 79 towns in the district give Jones a net gain of 925 over the vote of 1876 for Governor, when Cheney had 1127. The remaining 28 towns are likely to run Mr. Jones' majority up to 300.

Representatives Elect.

Portsmouth—Ward One, Richard H. Waldron, George E. Hanson, Frank W. Hackett; Ward Two, William A. Hodgdon, William H. Sise, Titus S. Tredick, Thomas E. Call,—all (seven) republicans. Ward Three, Andrew Sherburne; Ward Four, Mercer Goodrich, Samuel Langdon,—all (three) democrats.

Newington, Israel S. Hoyt, dem.

Newcastle, John Amazeen, repub.

North Hampton, Edwin M. Lamprey, dem.

Hampton, Joseph R. Mason, repub.

Hampton Falls, John F. Jones, repub.

Rye, Moses Clark, dem.

Great Falls, Andrew E. Wentworth, Alfred Carter, Cyrus Freeman, William P. Moses, George Wentworth, repub.

Northfield, J. E. Smith, repub.

Tilton, Russel Noyes, repub., 8 gain.

Exeter, Joseph T. Porter, Horace S. Cummings, William Burlingame, Alfred Conner, repubs.

Milford, Timothy Kaley, R. M. Wallace, I. P. Abbott, repubs.

South Newmarket, J. Lewis Chase, repub.

Washington Matters.

At ten o'clock Monday morning all the members of the Cabinet except the Secretary of the Navy proceeded to the White House. Secretaries Sherman and Schurz having been sworn in on Saturday, all the other members present were sworn in by Judge Carter of the District Supreme Court. Postmaster Key tak by the usual oath. After administering the oath Judge Carter retired and the President and his Cabinet held the first session, the entire time of which was occupied by statements made by the President to his representative officers of the condition of affairs in their departments as made to him by the retiring Cabinet. The plans of the Administration relative to the general conduct of business were also discussed. At 12:30 Secretary Evarts arrived at the State Department and was received by Mr. Fish, and after a short conversation the latter formally surrendered the control of his department and withdrew. Secretary of War McCrary also took formal possession of the War Department. Secretary Robeson received Secretary Thompson on Tuesday. Hon. Frederick W. Seward of New York, son of Ex-Secretary Seward, has accepted the position of First Assistant Secretary of State, vice Cadwalader, resigned. Attorney-General Devens, Secretary of the Interior Schurz and Secretary Sherman all assumed charge of their respective departments on Monday. Secretary Sherman assigned J. Kelpton as acting chief clerk.

Mrs. Hayes held her first reception at the White House on Saturday a ter oon. It was very numerously attended, principally by ladies resident in Washington, and included a large and distinguished representation of the unofficial as well as official society of the Capital. During the day Mrs. Hayes received a beautiful bouquet of rosebuds and violets, accompanied with a card bearing the words "From a Mississippi republican, who stands by the statesman who has said that he who best serves his country serves his party best."

Postmaster General Key is credited with some excellent intentions. He will, it is said, so manage the affairs of his department that every act will be guided by respect for the broad national policy laid down in his inaugural by the President. He also intends making a tour through the South, and will make these statements to the southern people with the view of creating an era of good feeling, and thus endeavor to re-establish a better understanding and more friendly relations between the sections. He speaks quite enthusiastically upon these points. In his appointments he will be guided by the wishes of the President.

A Cheap Administration.

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is able to keep its doors open day and night and is yet free from debt. A glance at its salary list, which is as follows, as significant:

President, Henry Bergh	$00,000
Counsel, Elbridge T. Gerry	00,000
Treasurer, Charles Lanier	00,000
Secretary, N. P. Hosack	00,000
Superintendent, Agents, Veterinary Surgeon and Janitor	7,565
Total	$7,565

—A backwoods chap sent an Iowa editor a poem. The next day the paper poured out half a column of sarcasm against the young man and said that the poetry was not worthy of an eight-year-old schoolboy. Then the rural lad sent the editor a copy of Horace's Odes, with the leaf turned down whence he had copied the "trashy poem."

—In Berlin, Germany, girls find employment in the telegraph offices, and one of the published restrictions in regard to dress is that the employes shall not paint nor wear their hair loose on their duties.

Encouragement for the Feeble.

Debility, whether it be inherent, or caused by overtaxed strength, or protracted illness, has a most depressing influence upon the mind, breeding an insect melancholy nearly akin to despair, and enforcing the abandonment of cherished projects and high hopes. Happily, the enfeebled system, even in extreme cases, is susceptible of invigoration. It is proved by incontrovertible evidence that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is an unfailing strengthener of the weak, and that in addition to revitalizing the physical organization, it establishes regularity among those organs upon whose efficient discharge of the duties imposed on them by nature, cont nued vigor and health depend. Thousands of instances might be cited to show the regenerating influence of this health-giving agent in cases of debility, liver complaint, dyspepsia, nervous ailments, constipation, intermittent fever, urinary and uterine troubles, gout and rheumatism, and other maladies.

Certain Pleasures Vanish

when the teeth decay, viz: The pleasure derived from eating, the pleasure arising from the consciousness of possessing a sweet breath, and the pleasure of knowing that a smile in parting the rosy lips reveals new beauties behind them. Render these pleasures perpetual by the regular use of Sozodont.

What Spaulding's Glue has joined cannot be put asunder.

Consumption, Bronchitis, Chronic Cough, Bleeding at the Lungs, Asthma, Sore Throat or Chest, and affections of the Lungs and air passages, are cured by Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup. This agreeable remedy can be administered to the most delicate and feeble with safety and certain relief. Prepared only by Dr. A. J. Flagg & Co., Claremont, N. H.

The great popular remedy of the day for coughs, colds, asthma and all lung difficulties is *Adamson's Botanic Balsam*. Inexpensive, reliable, pleasant to take, cures as by magic, and gives universal satisfaction. A trial is the best testimonial. Price 35 cts. Samples free.

Nothing in the Quaker City has received more unlimited or well-merited praise from its guests than the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, for liberal management and excellent courtesy.

BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

MRS. JOHN LANE,
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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PELMONINE COBBLE is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Ship Chocorua, Matthews, from New York, arr at Samarang Jan 10.

Schr. Sahao, Palmer, for this port from Port Johnson, and Mary J Adams, Coombs, from Wood's Hole for ——— arr at Vinej and Haven Mar 11.

Lost.

ON Wednesday evening, March 7th, between Austin and State streets, a PURSE containing a sum of money. On leaving the same at this office the finder will be rewarded.

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Business men and owners of Property desiring every security by insurance against loss and damage by fire, will find it for their interest to place their risks in the above companies, some of which have been represented in this vicinity for nearly fifty years.

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SICK HEADACHE.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.

I have suffered with Sick Head-Ache as often as every two weeks, for *Fifteen Years*. At times in such a case, dyspepsia, nervous ailments, constipation, intermittent fever, urinary and uterine troubles, gout and rheumatism, and other maladies.

I continued in this condition until last December when I commenced with the Lit le Giant Pills. Thave not had a Head-Ache since. I want every person who suffers as I have, to try this Medicine and be cured, and if any such are not able to pay for a box, I will buy a box and give them.

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Foreclosure of Mortgage.

ON the fourth day of September last, I took possession of a tract of land in Portsmouth in the County of Rockingham, at the Point of Graves so called, bounded northerly by land formerly of Thomas Currier, deceased, easterly by the Piscataqua River, Southerly by the city privileges of the city of Portsmouth, and westerly by Mechanic street, together with the wharf and the buildings on said lot and all the machinery and fixtures thereto, being the same formerly called the Franklin Foundry, and have ever since held possession of the same for condition broken of a mortgage of the premises made by Phineas Drake Jr. to Alfred W. Haven, James W. Emery and Joshua W. Peirce, dated the twenty-third day of July A. D. 1873 and recorded in the records of said county Lib. 356 fol. 131, to secure three notes of said Drake of six hundred dollars each, one of which, payable to and Emery has been paid, and one payable to said Haven and one payable to Joshua W. Peirce have been assigned with said mortgage to me. Said possession was commenced and is held for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage.

OLIVER AYERS.

Portsmouth, March 2, 1877. 4-10-17

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street**, and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
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"DEAR FEAST OF LENT."
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☞ I shall open next month a complete line of ROOM PAPERS, CURTAINS, BORDERS, TASSELS, &c., &c.

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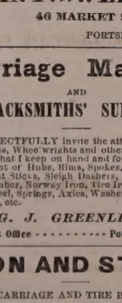

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I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheel wrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Seats, Seat Sticks, Sleigh Dashers, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

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Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 56 ISLINGTON STREET.
Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

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A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 13 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
House No. 36 Deer Street.
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.
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THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID,
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W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

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BROWNS from 6 to 10 cents per roll.
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GOLD " 30 to 100 " " "

BORDERS of all grades from 1 to 12 cents per yard.

Our Papers are all made on No. 1 stock. None on No. 2.

We also have a large stock of WINDOW SHADES at prices ranging from 50 cents to $2.00 each.

CURTAIN FIXTURES, CORD, TASSELS, TASSEL CLAMPS, &c. at low prices.

Remember the best patterns go first. Call early, examine and select, while our stock is full.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
" " Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 " "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 " "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 " "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " "	5.30 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.40 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 " "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

Vote of Portsmouth.

Presidential, November 7, 1876.

Wards	Hayes	Tilden	Total
I	462	365	827
II	512	358	870
III	65	151	216
IV	167	242	409
	1206	1116	2322

Hayes' majority, 90.

State, March 15, 1877.

GOVERNOR.

Wards	Prescott	Marey	Scat.	Total
I	441	371	6	818
II	485	350	2	837
III	66	149	2	217
IV	152	243		396
	1144	1113	10	2267

Prescott's plurality, 31; majority, 21.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONER.

Wards	Conn	Dinsmore	Scat.	Total
I	439	377	6	822
II	479	348	2	829
III	66	148	2	216
IV	156	240		396
Total,	1140	1113	10	2263

CONGRESSMAN.

Wards	Marston	Jones	Scat.	Total
I	425	393	3	821
II	464	372	2	839
III	52	164	2	218
IV	148	249		397
Total,	1086	1178	7	2271

Jones' plurality, 92; majority, 85.

COUNCILLOR.

Wards	Smith	Rand	Scat.	Total
I	440	379	4	823
II	479	347	2	828
III	66	149		215
IV	155	241		396
Total,	1140	1116	6	2262

SENATOR.

Wards	Philbrick	Eldredge	Scat.	Total
I	426	393	3	822
II	461	368	2	831
III	58	157		215
IV	150	245		395
Total,	1095	1163	5	2263

Eldredge's plurality, 68; majority, 63.

COUNTY TREASURER.

Wards	Lane	Treadwell	Scat.	Total
I	439	379	4	822
II	475	351	3	829
III	66	149	2	217
IV	157	239	1	397
Total,	1137	1118	10	2265

COUNTY REGISTER.

Wards	Weston	Hoyt	Scat.	Total
I	441	378	4	823
II	478	347	2	827
III	66	149	2	217
IV	157	240		397
	1142	1114	8	2264

COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

Wards	Johnston	James	Scat.	Total
I	442	377	4	823
II	491	333	2	826
III	69	147	1	217
IV	160	237		397
Total	1162	1094	7	2263

Johnston's plurality, 68; majority, 61.

Average republican plurality, 5; average democratic and scattering majority, one quarter of one vote.

REPRESENTATIVES.

Republican.		*Democratic.*
WARD I.		
Richard H. Waldron,	443	John S. Treat, 377
George E. Hanson,	442	Winthrop S. Hoyt, 374
Frank W. Hackett,	439	Nathan Wnaley, 368
Scattering, 6		
WARD II.		
William A. Hodgdon,	487	Albert Hayes, 342
William H. Sise,	481	Joseph H. Jenness, 343
Titus S. Fredick,	488	Thomas A. Sheldon, 342
Thomas E. Call,	490	James A. Sanborn, 344
Scattering, 13		
WARD III.		
Samuel S. Whidden,	66	Andrew Sherburne, 150
WARD IV.		
William H. Rollins,	157	Mercer Goodrich, 240
John E. Ham,	156	Samuel Langdon, 241

CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENTS.

Questions	Ward 1	Ward 2	Ward 3	Ward 4		Total
1 Yes	722	696	194	278		1890
No	87	158	15	34		294
2 Yes	792	824	214	363		2193
No	19	19	0	21		59
3 Yes	775	706	208	328		2107
No	36	56	6	37		135
4 Yes	784	809	213	223		2029
No	23	23	1	15		62
5 Yes	788	771	213	341		2113
No	23	17	1	55		98
6 Yes	894	366	155	257		1162
No	72	467	59	129		727
7 Yes	740	729	190	241		1909
No	69	60	33	91		262
8 Yes	796	829	213	380		2209
No	14	11	6	10		35
9 Yes	750	815	211	360		2136
No	37	33	3	26		74
10 Yes	791	819	214	371		2195
No	21	11	0	14		46
11 Yes	786	579	154	241		1760
No	63	364	60	147		634
12 Yes	419	415	67	230		1131
No	359	397	146	157		1059
13 Yes	801	777	216	391		2179
No	11	6	4	5		26

Portsmouth voted for all the proposed amendments to the constitution, the majorities being as follows: 1—1386; 2—2143; 3—1972; 4—1907; 5—2015; 6—855; 7—1647; 8—2174; 9—2092; 10—2149; 11—1240; 12—72; 13—2147. Average majority for the amendments 1693.

A REPEATER DETECTED.

Tuesday morning, shortly after the opening of the polls in Ward One, three voters appeared, one of them being Hon. Frank Jones, Ex-Congressman and candidate for re-election. Two of the party "went through" all right,—although they didn't vote right, for they carried the straight democratic ticket; then Mr. Jones handed up his ballot, the Moderator took it and called the name, "Frank Jones," and the Ward Clerk commenced an anxious search among the "J's" on the check-list. Things were thus at a stand-still for a moment, and then a republican propounded the following conundrum:

"Mr. Moderator, how long is it since Mr. Jones moved into this Ward?"

Then light dawned. The Ward Clerk snoze a wonderful sneeze in a futile endeavor to smother a chuckle, the Moderator's eyes twinkled and his moustache gradually extended itself each way until its points threatened to meet, and a look of blank astonishment swept o'er the countenance of the voter like the shadow of a cloud on the placid bosom of the South Millpond on a summer afternoon. "Sorry we can't take your vote, Mr. Jones," said the Moderator as he handed back the ballot, which was accepted with a somewhat confused remark about having "forgotten which Ward I was in, anyway;" and amid such jibes from some of his personal friends among the republicans as "Oh, that's too thin, Mr. Jones!" the gentleman retreated in tolerable order, and we presume proceeded to the voting place in Ward Three, where no doubt his name was found on the check-list and his ballot deposited in the box. One man in Ward One wanted to know "What chance have the republicans got to carry this election, when the democratic candidate for Congress sets the example of voting early and often?"

We are sorry he should attempt such a thing? Who'd ha' thought it?

ELECTION DAY.

Tuesday opened with a lowering sky and a few flakes of snow, the walking being "sloshy" and disagreeable from the partial melting of the light snow-fall of the previous night. Voting commenced briskly in all the Wards, and was fairly kept up through the day, as the total vote polled shows. There was an eager rivalry between the rival brewers as to which should lead at the polls in this city; and the most potent "arguments" known in democratic circles were liberally advanced to influence voters. At three o'clock the republicans considered their chances fair for carrying the city for Messrs. Prescott and Marston by a light majority, but it was feared the personal popularity of Mr. Eldredge, the democratic candidate for Senator, would send him ahead so far as to defeat Mr. Philbrick, the republican candidate. The result of the balloting is given in other columns.

THE ENTERPRISE.

The U. S. S. "Enterprise," will go into commission as soon as her crew is received from the "Wabash" at Boston. The marine guard arrived from the Navy Yard at New York on the 13th, comprising twenty-four as fine, soldierly-looking men as one would care to see. The "Enterprise" was built at this Yard, and is one of the eight sloops-of-war ordered to be built by Congress in 1874; she is also one of the two which were ordered to be built by contract at the navy yards—and was accordingly built by John W. Griffiths. She is about 640 tons, and is barque rigged; her battery consists of one eleven-inch and four nine-inch guns, and one sixty-pounder rifle gun on the forecastle. Her engines were built by contract by the Woodruff iron Works of Hartford, and are the newest patterns of compound engines. She is to be commanded by Comd'r Geo. C. Remey, an officer who won his position by gallant service during the war. Her crew will number one hundred and eleven men; she will in all probability be ordered to the North Atlantic Squadron for a few months. The following is a list of her officers:

Commander, Geo. C. Remey;
Lt. Comdr., Geo. E. Wingate;
Lieut., Chas. Seymore;
Lieut., Walter Goodwin;
Master, L. G. Spalding;
" J. C. Cresap;
Ensign, W. H. Nostrand;
" J. W. Beane;
" Frederick Tyler;
1st Lt. Marines, C. E. Sherman;
Surgeon, M. L. Rush;
Paymaster, Geo. H. Griffing;
Chief Engineer, E. Laws;
Passed Asst. Engineer, W. H. Mintzer;
Asst. Engineer, Walter S. Jewell;
Captain's Clerk, Wm. A. Jones;
Pay Clerk, Jas. Van Franklin;
Boatswain, S. J. Allen;
Carpenter, G. W. Greene.

MR. AUSTIN'S RESIGNATION.

As I feel the weaknesses of old age fast coming upon me, added to the sad affliction of deafness, so that if I longer retain office, I might probably seem to myself driven, unwittingly and unwillingly, (as in some of the latest meetings of our Board,) to accept and sanction measures, which, upon reflection, I could not approve; therefore, without consultation or advice from any person, nay, against the known wishes of many, I have come to the conclusion to *resign*, and *do* resign my office of President of the Board of Trustees of the Rice Fund; cherishing still the heartiest goodwill and hope, for success of the Kittery Town Library.

Its true friend, DANIEL AUSTIN.

WILLOW-BANK, Kittery, Me.

March 12th, 1877.

A SUGGESTION

We are told by the "favored few" that a delightful theatrical entertainment was presented at Franklin Hall on Friday evening last, in which some of our best known citizens signalized themselves by their vivid and skillful delineations of character. Professional actors must look out for their laurels if home talent can give so much pleasure. There is but one complaint to make, which is that our gifted friends have no right to put their light under a bushel, but should let all share the benefit. We understand that the most amusing of all comedies, "The Good Natured Man," is the next treat to look forward to. From the talent of those cast for the play, we may be sure of enjoying rare fun, and at the same time refreshing ourselves in this classic play, pronounced by Dr. Johnson "the greatest play of the age." We respectfully offer to the management this wholesome democratic advice: "Open the doors to all who will buy a ticket and behave themselves."

JOTTINGS.

Mr. James S. Waterhouse had an attack of apoplexy on Tuesday,—the second one he has experienced, we are informed. Mr. Waterhouse is an active and earnest republican, and was on the street when stricken down; later in the day he so far recovered as to be able to bear conveyance to the polls and to deposit his vote. We trust his recovery will be speedy and permanent.

The returns from Gosport will be sadly missed this year. Mr. John R. Poor was not able to send a democratic representative from his hotel to the Great and General Court of the State of New Hampshire, and the "Oceanic" is unrepresented.

Sagamore Lodge, No. 258, Knights of Honor, are making arrangements to appropriately observe their annual anniversary.

Among the persons mentioned for Postmaster are Messrs. William O. Sides, Marcellus Bufford, John W. Stavers and Plumer D. Norton. Postmaster Pierce is confident, however, that he has already a "pat-up-thing" in that quarter.

A rock maple tree on the farm of Deacon Samuel French, of North Hampton, was felled recently, and when cut up into cord-wood and piled it measured five cords. The tree was set out about fifty years ago, and was a stake taken from a fence at that time.

Hampton has elected Lucy E. Dow as Superintending School Committee for the ensuing year.

The store of William Robinson at Eliot Depot was entered on the night of the 10th inst., and money and goods to the value of about fifty dollars stolen.

YORK.

YORK, ME., March 12th.

The report of the Auditor of York was rendered March 8th, and from it we take the following:

Total receipts for last fiscal year, $17,652.08; disbursements, $16,148.27; Cash in Treasurer's hands, $1503.81. Indebtedness last year, $13,290.52; indebtedness now, $10,322.86; all town orders paid, $7124.19; all interest on notes paid, $1148.33; notes cancelled, $3562.13.

Tickets for the grand concert complimentary to the Nowell brothers, will be for sale at Preston's on and after Wednesday, the 14th. The first comers will get the best seats.

News and Notes.

An Egyptian man-of-war was recently burned in the Gulf of Suez, with the loss of twenty of the crew. Four hundred escaped.

President Hayes has appointed Ex-Secretary Lot M. Morrill Collector of the port of Portland. He was unanimously confirmed by the Senate.

It is reported that La Farge will soon make a confession.

The republicans of the Pennsylvania legislature have unanimously nominated Don Cameron for U. S. Senator, and passed a resolution endorsing the policy of President Hayes.

A citizen of New York city asks the *Tribune* if the City Hall of that city "is the capitol of Ireland, the wigwam of Tammany or the State House of the American metropolis." The "citizen" is led to ask the question because when an American President is inaugurated no flag at all is displayed from it "but let a Fenian procession pass, and nondescript flags are hoisted; a Spanish rebel dies and the stars and stripes are placed on exhibition beside the rebel standard. The *Tribune* appears to be struggling with the citizen's question.

"A lawyer of national reputation" is said to have promised the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Senate that he will prove Mr. Evarts guilty of improper practices as an attorney, and that he has "received large pay for political services." The probabilities are that this "lawyer of national reputation" is troubled with a sore head in a very aggravated form, and that the promised revelations have been engendered in his own venom.—*Chicago Times, dem.*

Colored Men and White Loafers.

I claim to know the negro, and want to be fair to him. I know him—French, Spanish, English and American; I am also acquainted with the white "loafer" of the South and the imported citizens who gives a democratic majority to New York; and I have no hesitation in saying that as raw material out of which to make good members of society, I prefer the poor colored man. When their respective antecedents and opportunities of improvement are considered, the feeling is strengthened. This is "flat burglary" in the white man's code, though the implied advantage of the negro is made comparative only. The white loafer is ignorant, unclean, dishonest and violent; the negro is dishonest, unclean, ignorant and timid. The latter has had opportunities of education for about ten years; the former for perhaps as many generations. The comparison is not drawn wantonly. It is not intended to hurt anybody's feelings, but to suggest a danger which, in my humble opinion, might arise should a democratic government, not strong enough to put a curb on the class now affectionately known as "the boys," come into power.

—Two actresses, calling themselves Frou-Frou and Hazel, have been playing "The Two Orphans" in Texas "with peculiar sweetness and grace," according to a Texas critic. In Dallas Frou-Frou got drunk and bit off one of Hazel's thumbs.

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January 16, 1877.

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—"Not mad!" said a man who had been bitten, when the owner undertook to soothe him by telling him the dog was not mad; "not mad! What in thunder's he got to be mad about, I should like to know? It's me that's mad."

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	1051
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	1111
United States Ten-Forties coupon	1109
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	1108
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1875	104
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	1031
Eastern R. R. scrip	55
Portl. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	53
Boston & Lowell R. R.	92
Boston & Maine	181
Boston & Providence	153
Boston & Albany	125
Nashua & Lowell	88
Concord	78
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad In N. H.	31
Fitchburg	132
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	56
Northern N. H.	65
Old Colony & Newport	101
F. S. & F.	10
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	44

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Lard per pound, 13 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
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Potatoes per bushel, 50.
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At the United States Navy Yard, League Island, on Saturday, the 31st of March, 1877, at 12 o'clock m., the U. S. ship "POTOMAC" of 1,437 tons measurement.

The vessels will be offered as they lie on the day of sale. They may be examined at any time previous to the day of sale on application to the commandant of the yards where they are respectively, who will exhibit to persons desiring to bid an inventory of such articles as may be sold with them.

Thirty (30) per centum of the purchase money must be deposited at the time of sale, and the balance paid in cash when the sale is confirmed by the Department; the vessels to be removed within ten days from the date of such confirmation.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Testing a New Rocket.

Some experiments are to be made at Sandy Hook about the middle of this month with a new life-saving rocket, which Capt. F. E. Atkinson, of the British army, is introducing into this country, and which has already been adopted by the English Board of Trade. It is an adaptation of the rocket which proved so successful in destroying life and villages in the late Ashantee war. The great advantages claimed for it over the old stick-rocket are certainty, power, simplicity, and cheapness, its cost being only half that of the ordinary rocket. It is a long cylinder, in which there are four tubes filled with powder; the end of the tube is closed by a plate of iron, in which are four holes, corresponding to the four tubes; firmly fixed on the plate, so that it cannot revolve, is a four-bladed screw. When the fuse is ignited the gas generated by the combustion of the powder, rushes violently against the helicoidal surfaces and imparts to the rocket a rotary motion, which gives it a steadiness similar to that of a conical rifle bullet. The war rockets have a shell-head, which is filled with Greek fire, nitro-glycerine, or any other explosive or inflammatory substance. In the life-saving rockets this shell may be omitted, or a magnesium light can be placed there for the double purpose of a danger signal and of showing the position of a wreck. The line is made fast to a small chain, attached to the rocket by a double swivel, thus preventing the destruction of the line by fire. The rocket is discharged from a V-shaped steel slide mounted on wheels, which may be replaced in case of necessity by two boards nailed together. In the early part of December, the inventor, Mr. J. Singleton Hooper, in the presence of the Sussex Coast-Guard in England, drove six rockets, carrying the ordinary line a distance of three hundred and fifty yards, over a vessel sixty feet in length, each rocket falling within a few feet of the other, thus showing their great accuracy. Captain Atkinson states that the largest size may be thrown three miles, with nearly the same results. When they are fired the operator stands back and a good deal to one side of them, so as to keep out of the way of the flames.

Rev. Mrs. Hanaford's Dismissal.

The Rochester *Democrat* explains Mrs. Hanaford's dismissal from the pastorate of the Jersey City congregation as follows: "Mrs. Hanaford is a widow, we believe, with one son. She may or not be a young and pretty widow, but it is suggestive that the whole male part of the congregation are evidently satisfied with her. The dressing-gown is made for her in vain, however. The smoking-cap can never adorn that classic brow, or be thrown negligently back on the protecting ear. Slippers she may wear, undoubtedly; but they may not be of the gorgeous kind, be-flowered and otherwise ornamented, and several sizes too large. There shall be no cigar-holders for this woman, and the matches she uses may have no legitimate receptacle. Neither can she befriend in the proper way the unmarried lady of uncertain years who is so close an attendant on many sermons and services; and the matron with the homely but excellent daughter will yearn for her in vain, or rather she may not soothe her soul with a proper ambition in behalf of her younger tenderness; she dare not yearn at all. At the evening gatherings there can be no silent but intense controversy as to whom Phebe Hanaford shall go home with. At the conclusion of the wedding ceremony she may give no heart melancholy ecstasy by kissing the bride; and we dare say she doesn't even kiss the groom. As a widow she can receive none of those touching evidences of sympathy which are visited upon the bereaved of the other sex. As a woman she can give, in many cases, no legitimate consolation to the bruised heart. As a widow and a woman she is too good a judge of the articles which go to make up a donation to have things pleasant—a pound of clothespins in her eyes is a pound of clothes pins, only that and nothing more. 'The ladies wanted a male pastor.'"

—A clergyman was preparing his discourse for Sunday, stopping occasionally to review what he had written, and to erase that which he was disposed to disapprove, when he was accosted by his little son, who numbered five summers: "Father, does God tell you what to preach?" "Certainly, my child?" "Then what makes you scratch it out?"

—Anecdotes concerning the late General Changarnier abound. One story, which is told of his behavior when he was a subaltern shows him to have been at that time rather a chivalrous friend than a young man with a sense of justice and a regard for general propriety. He and two comrades had been dining together, and they had dined so well that one of the comrades overcome with wine and the heat of a discussion which ensued, lost his head and struck Changarnier, who turned deadly pale and felt that he must fight somebody. But he was far too generous to fight his intoxicated friend. He left the room without saying a word, went into a neighboring coffee-house where the students of the place were wont to assemble, and administered a couple of cuffs to the first unoffending student he came across, and when swords were drawn followed this outrage up with a severe wound in the shoulder. He then returned to his friend, who had no recollec-

tion of anything that had occurred, and said to him, "What a bore you are! You're obliged me to run a poor devil in the shoulder who never did anything to me. It's perfectly ridiculous." And so the two entwined, and no more was said.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1877.

News and Notes.

Jacob Hirschfield, a German Jew, was found dead in his house in Boston on the 13th with two bullet-holes in his body and a handkerchief stuffed in his mouth as a gag. A revolver was laying beside him, with two chambers discharged. Several persons were at once arrested on suspicion of murder, but it is believed the deceased committed suicide.

The war in the East which has been "inevitable" for months is now twice as inevitable as ever it was before, and Turkey and Russia will inevitably be at logger-heads before long. Turkey refuses to concede Niesic to Montenegro, and the Montenegrins are preparing to render themselves objectionable to Turkey. It is reported that Bismark is in accord with Russia on the Turkish question, which is much better for Russia than for Turkey.

Strawberries are beginning to be plentiful in market. If you've got a spare dollar, go and try a couple.—*N. Y. Com. Adv.*

Should it be determined to send an American team to Dellymount to shoot a match with the Irish rifleman next summer Maj. Gen. Thomas S. Dakin will head the list. In that event six out of the eight marksmen chosen would undoubtedly be Brooklynites, so that in reality the contest would be Brooklyn versus Ireland.

William Henry Harrison, grandson of ex-President Harrison, who attacked and badly wounded Miss Mary Moore of Boone county, Ky., some time ago, and was sent to the asylum at Lexington as insane, has been cured and released. Since his release Harrison has become the husband of a Miss McIntyre of Cleves, Ohio. He has disposed of his farm at North Bend. The trouble arising from debt on this unsettled his mind.

The following important news has been received at Panama from the Darien Canal Expedition: Notwithstanding some difficulties, it is certain the Commission will return with a favorable solution, and that the canal will be constructed. The labors of exploration will not be ended before the last of March.

The Railway Age makes a careful estimate of the liabilities of 200 railroad companies in the United States that have failed to pay interest on their bonds. The conclusion is that $1,800,000,000, or 38 per cent., of the money nominally invested in our railways is wholly unproductive to its owners, and is in great part lost.

On Monday the locomotive Exeter, of the Boston and Maine road, Joshua Jellison, engineer, ran into some coal cars at Exeter, demolishing three and staving the fire head of the engine, letting out the water. The damage is several thousand dollars. The engineer is a green one and was running about thirty miles per hour over switches. The engineer and fireman jumped and saved themselves.

The British Customs Commissioners announce that the Colorado potato beetle has been discovered at Bremen on goods brought from New York. The Commissioners have issued a circular to Collectors of Customs in the United Kingdom, directing that the instructions already given to detect the beetle be applied to potatoes imported from Bremen or any German port.

Ex-Senator Henderson of Missouri has been tendered the Assistant Secretaryship of the Interior, and ex-Postmaster General Tyner has been tendered the First Assistant Postmaster Generalship.

—The unattractive spectacle of several great musical artists who have tried and are trying to anyoke themselves from the marriage relation with the titled rakes and spendthrifts whom they call husbands ought to carry a healthy lesson for the wealthy American girls who try so desperately to unite their fortunes with those of counts, barons, etc. It has been pretty well demonstrated to the world that Patti and Lucca made very poor matrimonial trades. The specimens of humanity that they undertook to support for better or worse turned out decidedly worse, as might have been known in the first place. Neither Marquis nor Baron was a gentlem n in a single particular. Both were unprincipled spendthrifts and incorrigible gamblers, or common report does them great injustice. And yet they were probably not bad representatives of the seedy and effete nobility in ordinary of continental Europe. Patti and Lucca had beauty, wealth, wit and talent, and if, with all that capital, they could make no better bargains than they did, what fiad of a conquest can the average American belle hope to effect among the scions of a worn-out aristocracy with nothing but a pretty face and papa's money to re-enforce her claims? She can marry a title, but the chance is hardly one in ten thousand that she will marry a man. We advise American girls to take this desperate course only when there are no more marrying Americans to be had.—*Post.*

—Mr. Frederick May has attained to more fame. A German newspaper mentions him as "a frightful duellist who in Dresden has written his name with his saber on the cheeks of a great many Saxon officers."

—Some of the fashionable New York barbers have adopted the commutation system, and issue packages of twelve tickets for one dollar, entitling the purchaser to a dozen shaves—in perfect silence.

THE GOVERNOR VOTE.

MARCH 1876, and MARCH, 1877.

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY.

	1876. Greeley.	1876. Grant.	1876. Scattering.	1877. Prescott.	1877. Marsh.	Scattering.
Auburn,	166	90				
Atkinson,	81	73	1	80	65	
Brentwood,	128	83		121	97	
Candia,	191	130		165	131	
Chester,	236	205		208	99	
Danville,	94	85				
Deerfield,	266	224		211	227	
Derry,	361	189	8	372	138	
East Kingston,	57	62	2	66	60	
Epping,	331	224		191	251	3
Exeter,	583	171		558	146	
Fremont,	94	74	1	82	62	
Greenland,	177	98	1	151	58	
Hampstead,	226	113	3	239	97	
Hampton,	377	141		134	139	
Hampton Falls,	108	41	1	106	47	
Kensington,	79	84		73	86	
Kingston,	130	132	10	127	144	4
Londonderry,	237	118	2	235	120	1
Newcastle,	103	83		98	84	
Newfield,	85	74		73	84	
Newmarket,	241	208		238	208	
Newton,	153	118		136	116	
North Hampton,	83	131		91	131	
Northwood,	208	123	1			
Nottingham,	133	139	1			
Pelstow,	118	69	1	106	43	
Portsmouth,	1154	1227	7	1144	1115	10
Raymond,	245	217		159	217	
Rye,	98	93		116	100	
Salem,	235	176	27			
Sandown,	86	67		85	84	
Seabrook,	109	100				
South Hampton,	61	66				
So. Newmarket,	165	67	6	117	71	
Stratham,	185	91		94	194	
Windham,	117	59	1	110	55	
	6492	5564	85			

STRAFFORD COUNTY.

Barrington,	217	204	9	207	136	
Dover,	1103	855	11	1 01	812	
Durham,	178	85		160	143	
Farmington,	396	176	11	392	351	7
Lee,	73	122	3	81	91	1
Lisbon,	76	53		85	47	
Madbury,	55	67		54	71	
Milton,	232	181		229	177	
New Durham,	45	145	4	40	140	
Rochester,	651	476	40	657	529	6
Rochester,	136	83		130	88	
Somersworth,	535	350	8	550	308	10
Strafford,	172	232				
	3966	3.00	94			

BELKNAP COUNTY.

Alton,	232	173		221	170	
Barnstead,	118	255				
Belmont,	129	176				
Centre Harbor	78	79		71	80	
Gilford,	270	225		236	300	
Gilmanton,	236	183		211	185	1
Laconia,	400	418	3	365	441	
Meredith,	191	224		189	247	
New Hampton,	177	95	2	159	99	4
Sanbornton,	141	242				
Tilton,	198	158	7	178	149	
	2112	2209	13			

CARROLL COUNTY.

Albany	24	59		30	47	
Bartlett,	60	168		46	165	
Brookfield,	65	49	1	58	46	
Chatham,	61	57				
Conway,	229	267		208	242	
Eaton,	63	110				
Ellingham,	116	143				
Freedom,	32	149				
Hart's Location,	13	23		6	7	
Jackson,	12	111	2			
Madison,	112	38		116	35	
Moultonboro',	103	201		124	173	
Ossipee,	226	187	2	218	249	
Sandwich,	204	264	4			
Tamworth,	207	145				
Tuftonboro',	122	146	5			
Wakefield,	151	177	2	143	185	2
Wolfeboro',	311	313	2	285	304	
	2064	2382	25			

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY.

Amherst,	217	115	5	204	114	
Antrim,	139	161	3	161	138	1
Bennington,	39	72				
Bedford,	71	104				
Brookline,	110	117				
Deering,	134	123	2	81	117	
Francestown,	146	160		143	97	
Greenfield,	87	110		69	121	
Greenville,	139	52		139	74	
Hancock,	246	207		250	195	
Hollis,	93	213	2			
Hillsborough,	361	274	9	300	200	8
Hollis,	179	145	2	208	130	
Hudson,	168	142		130	144	
Litchfield,	36	51				
Lyndeborough,	103	123		87	104	
Merrimack,	177	120		167	92	
Manchester,	2732	2138	9	2597	1703	
Mason,	72	100				
Mont Vernon,	73	63		68	88	
Milford,	484	146	3	463	142	
Nashua,	1359	891		1295	1102	4
New Boston,	137	186	1	144	173	5
New Ipswich,	159	86		177	60	
Peterborough,	571	221		538	182	1
Pelham,	108	118		90	128	
Sharon,	34	31		35	28	
Temple,	66	73		55	41	
Weare,	298	252	7	291	190	1
Wilton,	291	245		197	229	
Windsor,	4	36	3			
	8254	6986	74			

MERRIMAC COUNTY.

Allenstown,	45	116	6	52	100	
Andover,	104	285	1	109	2 8	
Boscawen,	161	179	2	173	164	
Bow,	101	123	1			
Bradford,	114	179		110	165	
Canterbury,	109	156		134	111	
Chichester,	97	136	1	86	128	
Concord,	1350	1169	13	1260	1130	
Danbury,	101	118		82	124	
Dunbarton,	121	99	1	111	81	2
Epsom,	130	155				
Franklin,	374	464	2	376	480	
Henniker,	148	198		184	200	
Hill,	115	68		105	69	
Hooksett,	132	121		105	86	
Hopkinton,	232	256	2	201	213	
Loudon,	123	227				
New London	180	99	1	144	99	
Newbury,	58	122				
Northfield,	125	159		115	106	
Pembroke,	242	192	2	250	140	
Pittsfield,	273	230	7	197	259	2
Salisbury,	89	137		99	118	
Sutton,	152	132				
Warner,	251	232		253	233	
Wilmot,	1 5	150		107	146	
Webster,	108	83	1	104	84	1
	5097	5664	47			

CHESHIRE COUNTY.

Alstead,	154	153				
Chesterfield,	167	151				
Chilis,	97	58		120	94	
Fitzwilliam,	191	89	2	205	80	
Gilsum,	69	1 5		67	105	
Harrisville,	94	69		68	96	
Hinsdale,	280	93	4	256	96	
Jaffrey,	189	117				
Keene,	948	604	5	925	551	
Marlborough,	252	49	3	237	59	
Marlow,	83	104		68	101	
Nelson,	67	43		64	44	
Richmond,	102	94				
Rindge,	199	56				
Roxbury,	24	19				
Stoddard,	36	99				
Sullivan,	69	25				
Surry,	82	51				
Swanzey,	367	241		303	223	
Troy,	130	99		119	59	
Walpole,	189	268	1	199	261	
W. Rindge,	144	131	2			
Winchester,	278	184	2	276	232	
	3998	2891	30			

SULLIVAN COUNTY.

Acworth,	149	147		157	137	
Charlestown,	230	122		222	148	
Claremont,	605	299	19	663	201	
Cornish,	209	139		191	104	
Croydon,	52	47	9	112	52	
Goshen,	69	66		55	75	
Grantham,	96	73				
Langdon,	70	41				
Lempster,	89	85	1			
Newport,	366	315		306	306	
Plainfield,	154	93	1			
Springfield,	97	102		114	91	
Sunapee,	91	139		99	129	
Unity,	57	124				
Washington,	118	136	1	113	105	
	2582	2034	18			

GRAFTON COUNTY.

Alexandria,	101	101	1	102	23	
Ashland,	139	89	1	170	67	
Bath,	106	130		96	129	
Bethlehem,	14	127		18	60	
Bethlehem,	95	185	1			
Bridgewater,	47	47		44	65	
Bristol,	248	145	6	246	144	
Campton,	198	139		173	125	
Canaan,	273	173	2	258	173	
Dorchester,	44	95				
Ellsworth,	1	50				
Enfield,	291	173	4	290	139	
Franconia,	44	96				
Grafton,	105	149		109	136	
Groton,	56	81				
Hanover,	229	161		259	157	
Haverhill,	303	262		300	231	
Hebron,	36	59				
Holderness,	89	115		84	117	
Landaff,	43	149		38	86	
Lebanon,	640	280		601	261	
Lincoln,	7	11				
Lisbon,	255	282	1	241	218	
Littleton,	396	397		315	305	
Lyman,	75	86		69	95	
Lyme,	211	167	1	218	96	
Monroe,	76	39		79	45	
Orange,	52	43		45	38	
Orford,	164	96		166	98	
Piermont,	148	99		97	73	
Plymouth,	179	226		191	225	
Ramsey,	148	126	6	135	128	
Thornton,	64	146				
Warren,	54	171		45	170	
Waterville,	3	7				
Wentworth,	65	130		66	207	
Woodstock,	38	95				
	4705	4934	22			

COOS COUNTY.

Berlin,	89	60		50	60	
Carroll,	33	80				
Clarksville,	33	42				
Colebrook,	219	139				
Columbia,	132	82				
Dalton,	54	96		56	99	
Dummer,	66	38				
Errol,	13	38				
Gorham,	151	146		135	132	
Jefferson,	61	148	4	48	147	
Lancaster,	329	300	14	3 6	314	
Milan,	113	74				
Northumberland,	143	143	1	123	132	
Pittsburgh,	85	60				
Randolph,	7	33				
Shelburne,	37	57		40	51	
Stark,	60	82		64	81	
Stewartstown,	48	150				
Stratford,	69	119		69	110	
Whitefield,	181	108	15	192	173	
Wentworth's Location,	9	19				
	1704	2033	34			

The republicans will doubtless have from 50 to 75 majority in the House, though the returns are not sufficiently full to tell precisely. Of the Senatorial Districts the republicans have probably carried eight (Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 9, 10 and 11) and the democrats four (Nos. 1, 6, 8 and 12.) Four of the five Councillor Districts are claimed by the republicans, while they concede the Fifth to the democrats. District No. 2 is close, and is claimed by the democrats. The republicans carry five out of ten counties, viz.: Rockingham, Strafford, Hillsboro, Cheshire and Sullivan. The democrats carry Belknap, Carroll, Grafton, Coos and probably Merrimac, though the latter is close.

The Boston *Globe* of Wednesday has the following summary of the result in the first district:

"Official returns from forty-five towns in the First District, give Jones 7499, Marston 8005; scattering 44; Marston's plurality, 509. The remaining twenty-nine towns gave a democratic majority of 229 last March, which it is estimated will be increased to 300, electing Marston by about 200 majority."

The *Post* in its head lines claims Jones' re-election by an increased majority, but gives no figures for it in its reading columns.

A Concord dispatch of the 14th says Prescott's majority for Governor will probably not be less than 3500. In 54 towns in the First District, Marston has 10,897 votes, Jones 10,460. Marston's plurality 437. The republicans claim his election, but there seems but little doubt that Jones will gain enough to elect him in the remaining 25 towns. Briggs has 900 to 1200 majority in the Second District, and Blair 700 to 1000 in the Third. All the Constitutional amendments are probably carried.

The Manchester *Mirror's* figures from 50 towns give Marston 10,307, Jones 9561. Marston's plurality 746. The remaining towns last year gave a democratic majority of 475. Were the vote the same this year Gen. Marston would be elected by 271 majority.

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.

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THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
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Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street**, and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

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ON the fourth day of September last, I took possession of a tract of land in Portsmouth in the County of Rockingham, at the Point of Graves so called, bounded northerly by land formerly of Thomas Carter, deceased, easterly by the Piscataqua River, southerly by the city privileges of the city of Portsmouth, and westerly by Mechanic street, together with the wharf and the buildings on said lot and all the machinery and fixtures therein, being the same formerly called the Franklin Foundry, and have ever since held possession of the same for condition broken of a mortgage of the premises made by Pitman Drake Jr. to Alfred W. Haven, James W. Emery and Joshua W. Peirce, dated the twenty-third day of July A. D. 1873 and recorded in the records of said county Lib. 356 fol. 131, to secure three notes of said Drake of six hundred dollars each, one of which, payable to said Emery has been paid, and one payable to said Haven and one payable to Joshua W. Peirce have been assigned with said mortgage to me. Said possession was commenced and is held for the purpose of foreclosing said mortgage.

OLIVER AYERS.

Portsmouth, March 2, 1877. 4-10-17

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
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Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
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Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
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*Sunday for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE POSTMASTERSHIP.

The *Times* is in error in placing the name of Geo. W. Marston among its list of candidates for Postmaster. Mr. Marston would not accept the position under any circumstances, but is most emphatically of the opinion that an eight years' tenure of the office should suffice for any one man With due regard for the efficient management of the office during Mr. Peirce's administration, we take this occasion to express the hope that the good of the republican party will be not lost sight of in the bestowal of the office, and that some other than the present incumbent may receive the appointment. Any other course seems but a direct declaration that the only sure way to secure a change of office-holders is to aid the election of a democratic President. Scores of men have been driven into the democratic ranks in the past by the belief that an office-holder at present has a permanent lien on his position. When it becomes fully evident that their course was consistent after all, there will be a well-beaten track over which many others may travel as the only path leading to the overthrow of self-perpetuating political "rings" and scheming "bosses," who abuse the power which they have assumed until it appears to them theirs by right. We would like very much to see a Postmaster appointed who will be content to attend solely to his duties as Postmaster, and not be desirous of dictating the employment of men at the Navy Yard or elsewhere, and who shall not have the power to prevent the employment by Government of men who have displayed their independence in caucuses and have sufficient manliness to decline to follow the beck of any political "autocrat." When freedom from undue influence brings republicans to cast their ballots for the *good* of the party, the old time majorities of 600 in Portsmouth will again be rivalled, and the paltry majorities now occasionally thrown for republican candidates be largely increased.

A LOOK BACK

Considering all the circumstances connected with the recent election, we cannot see that the republicans of Portsmouth have any reason to feel ashamed of the showing they made. The democratic candidates for Governor, Congressman and State Senator are all wealthy men and all residents of this city, and two of them put out their money freely; Capt Marcy, we opine, did not do so well in that direction as he has in years past, as even he could see from the first that this party had abandoned him to his fate and would make no effort to elect him, and he has too much sense to throw his money away when there is no hope of gaining an equivalent in any way; but he did shell out pretty liberally to influence the vote in Portsmouth, we believe, as he did not desire a back-handed endorsement from his native city. But wherever the dollars came from, they were as plenty in the hands of the democratic wirepullers as leaves in Vallambrosa, (whatever that may mean,) and the open purchase of votes was never more nauseatingly and extensively carried on in this city—which is saying a great deal—than it was on the 13th in the interests of reform and the democratic candidates. Then beer (and stronger fluids, we are informed) was free as water all election day for the unterrified, and there are voters so debased as to be influenced even by a fill-up of beer. And Marcellus Eldredge's name also stregthened the democratic ticket in this city; for though Frank Jones may wield more influence, and polled fifteen more votes in the city than he, yet Mr. Eldredge is certainly the more popular man of the two among their personal acquaintances.

Mr. Jones this year lacked one great advantage which he possessed two years ago and which was made the most of at that time; old Ward Six was not in existence this year, and even in Ward Three the checklists could not be inflated with the names of men who had long since died or had never been born, or who, if in existence, had no claim to the right to vote except that they voted the democratic ticket. That this different state of affairs made a decided difference to Mr. Jones the figures show. He worked as hard this year for an election, and put out as much money, as he did two years ago, and he is about as popular with his party now as then,—for all the fierce talk of a week ago, among the extremists who vowed they wouldn't vote for him on account of his course in Congress, of course amounted to nothing, as they came up to scratch on election day with the straight ticket, almost to a man. But the head-stones in the cemetery at Point of Graves were not counted as democratic votes this year; the Cambridgeport foundry-men, the marines from the navy yard barracks and the sailors from the "Sabine," and the crews of the Gloucester fishing-schooners, failed to put in an appearance; and the result was that all the money put out, all the enthusiasm aroused by the parades of Mr. Jones' uniformed men, and all the arguments of Mr. Randall (we don't call him Salary-grab Randall now) and the Congressional jig-dancer Beebe, failed to keep Mr. Jones' majority up to the cheering figures of two years ago.

In March, 1875, Frank Jones' majority in Portsmouth was 267; this year his majority is 85—quite a difference. Hon. Daniel Marcy, also, felt the evil influence of an honest vote,—honest, at least, as far as the officers of the election were concerned. Last year Mr. Marcy carried the city by a majority of 73: this year Mr. Prescott's majority is 21, and Marcy's minority is 41.

Considering the large amount of money expended in the city by the democratic candidates and managers, and that the republicans had no money but what they contributed themselves to pay even the most necessary expenses, we think they need not be ashamed of the showing they made on Tuesday.

THE REFORM CLUB

"This campaign has killed the Reform Club, if it hasn't done anything else," said a republican temperance man to us on Tuesday morning; and the same thing has been repeated with variations a score of times since, by others. We most earnestly hope this prediction will not prove correct, for the Reform Club movement has done much good here and has a chance to do much more. The election is over, and the unpleasant incidents connected with it, whatever they may be, may well be forgotten. The employment of the "clerical" hammer, J. E. Bell, to turn the Reform Club meetings into political campaign gatherings, was ill advised and is to be regretted; but politics had previously been kept out of the club, and the one big blunder—a big blunder it was in every sense, for it did not help the cause it was intended to help a bit—should not lead its friends and supporters to condemn it entirely. Don't give up the organization yet, men; don't let it be said that such a man as J. E. Bell could send the entire Reform Club on a permanent "bust."

JOTTINGS.

We owe thanks, and hereby tender them, to the capable and obliging managers of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Line in this city, to whose courtesy and evident desire to accommodate the patrons of the line we were largely indebted for the interesting and far from meagre election returns we were able to lay before the readers of the CHRONICLE on Wednesday morning. To the Ward Clerks of the several wards in this city, also, we express our obligations for their courtesy in furnishing us with the returns which came under their immediate supervision.

"Our Boys" at the Franklin Opera House next Saturday night.

Over a hundred tickets have been sold for the first annual ball of the Portsmouth Cavalry, which takes place this evening in Franklin Hall. The arrangements will be of an elaborate character, the orchestra large and under the direction of Mr. Henry L. Harlow, and a choice picnic supper will be served in the banquet hall.

The Boston *Post* of March 14th perpetrated the best joke ever produced in its columns. After bewailing the defeat of Sullowway and Kent for Congress in the second and third districts, it said: "The democrats, however, can derive no small consolation from the success of Hon. Frank Jones in the first district. He will redeem the delegation from weak mediocrity, and continue to make New Hampshire respected in the National councils." Frank Jones will "redeem from weak mediocrity" a delegation numbering among its members James F. Briggs and Henry W. Blair! Everybody can enjoy that joke.

Go and see "Our Boys" next Saturday night at the Opera House.

In the Boston *Globe's* election returns from this State, in its Wednesday morning's issue, we find under the heading of "Senators Elected" the following: "First Dist. Emerson B. Philbrick, of Rye, dem." It would not be easy to crowd more errors into a single line; Emmons R. Philbrick (not "Emerson") was the republican candidate, and was not elected.

There were more drunken men and boys—boys, many of them, not far advanced in their teens—on the streets Tuesday night than we ever saw before. There was some noise during the day, particularly at the South End, where four or five young fellows in their first voting year got howling drunk and made public spectacles of themselves, every one of them voting the democratic ticket; but there was very little quarelling, so far as we have heard, day or night, and the noisy crowds of inebriates that made night hideous with their shouts and songs seemed good-natured way through.

The great comedy of "Our Boys" at the Opera House on Saturday night.

Tickets for the grand concert complimentary to the Nowell brothers, will be for sale at Preston's on and after Wednesday, the 14th. The first comers will get the best seats

—If persons would take more trouble about living they would be less troubled when dying.

—Little drops of water, little grains of corn, make the festive Bourbon, and the morning horn.

—A late book is entitled "Half Hours with Insects." What a lively half hour one can have with a bee!

—Of all the various methods proposed for reduction of postage none are so practical as this: Get married.

—"My son," said a doting mother to her eight-year old, "what pleasure do you feel like giving up during the Lenten season?" "Well, ma, I guess I'll stay away from school," was the reply.

—After all, mankind has changed very little with the lapse of time. In a little tavern, recently dug out at Pompeii, the usual slate and pencil were found hanging on the back of the door.

—In Eaton County, Mich., they have found the skeleton of an animal which, it is thought, must have weighed more than fifteen tons.

—If you own a Spitz dog you mustn't let your judgment be warped by what the papers say. Let him bite you and then wait for results.

—It is thought that the time will yet come when members of the choir will be expected to behave during divine service just as well as other people.

—Baldheaded men are so numerous in Chicago that an audience in that city is said to look, when viewed from above, like a cobblestone pavement.

—Thirty participants in a recent masquerade ball at West Troy, N. Y., are sick with small-pox, supposed to have been disseminated by hired costumes.

—Recently two young women at Lexington, Ind., tried to cowhide a man. He refused to be punished, but seized a club and mauled them as if they were men.

—The present style of weather calls to mind the remark of a sable brother, that "he had 'mos' allers noticed, if he lived fro de month of March, he lived fro de year."

—Mlle. Lola, the trapeze performer, has challenged Miss Bertha Von Hillern to walk twenty-four hours for $500 a side at the Metropolitan riding academy, New York, the first or second week in April, the party making the greatest number of miles in that time to receive the stakes.

—Two Baltimore politicians, a republican and a democrat, are out $1000 each. They "put up" $1000 each on the result of the Presidential election, but being unable to agree which had won, they took their dispute into court, where the District Attorney appropriated the stakes under a State law and turned them into the city treasury.

—Moncure D. Conway tells a story of a British judge, who was moved to righteous anger. A case came before him presenting a combination of every kind of villainy in the defendant, and as the clear evidence came out, the Judge grew red and white, and was fairly boiling when the time came to charge the jury. "Gentlemen of the jury," said the Judge, "it is perfectly clear, and a most nefarious one. The defendant has unquestionably robbed the plaintiff, and has basely betrayed his daughter and abandoned her in a foreign land. I—I only wish it had been my daughter." The lawyers gasped as this thunder rolled, and beheld the irate Judge shaking his fist across the room at the cowering caitiff.

—That "murder will out" is a proverb in every tongue. Schiller has celebrated the cranes which aided in the discovery of the assassins of Ibycus the poet. Now we hear from Algeria that a cake of bread has proved the means of bringing home their crimes to some robbers. The house of the Caliph of the Beni Ouazen was entered by a hole in a mud wall, and a box with 25,000 francs stolen. In their haste to escape, the thieves had, however, left behind them an Arab cake bearing a peculiar mark, which one of the bakers of the town recognized as the sign used by Ben Xerafas, each family in sending their bread to the oven, marking it so as to distinguish the loaves. The police in consequence descended on the hut, and caught the thieves asleep with a portion of the plunder still in their possession. The obvious moral of all which is that thieves ought to take supper at home.

MARINE CHRONICLE

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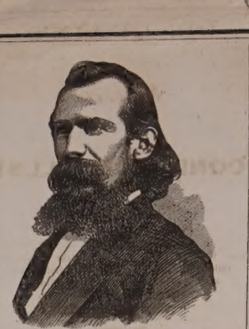

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—New Orleans *Republican*:—Bullpupovich accompanies Duke Alexis in all his morning walks.—Count Schouvaloff has been delivered from duty since the last snow storm.—W. C. Coup manages the New York Aquarium. He is a sort of fish Coup.—David Dudley Field crushed to earth is not likely to come up again.—With a new Key in the Postmaster General's office there is hope that Hewitt's mail will not be tampered with.—Tom King, once a prize fighter, is now a florist in England. It is a sight to see the bruiser discourage humming birds from paying attention to his roses.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 23, 1

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Justice for Nebuchadnezzar.

He was tall and slim, and hungry-looking, and his hair was long. He dropped in upon our reporter at this office, and after taking a seat and producing a huge roll of manuscript, he said—

"My name is Simms. I've got something here that I want you to publish. It's a 'Vindication of Nebuchadnezzar.'"

"A what?"

"I say I've got a 'Vindication of Nebuchadnezzar.' The object of it is to set Nebuchadnezzar right with the public, to clear up his record, and give him some kind of a chance."

"My dear sir, the public don't care anything about Nebuchadnezzar. Our space is too limited for anything so very unimportant."

"I think you are wrong. For about three thousand years people's minds have been prejudiced against that great and good man. I've found some new records about him on some Babylonian bricks in the Patent Office at Washington, which present the matter in a new light. My intention now is that the *Bulletin* shall create a sensation by publishing these facts, together with fac-similes of a cart-load or two of the bricks, and then I shall ask you to head a list for a Nebuchadnezzar monument fund. How much'll I put you down for?"

"Mr. Simms, you must excuse me. The subject is too unimportant for my attention."

"You make a mistake. I tell you the public mind is excited about the matter. Look at the frightful consequences of permitting these erroneous impressions about Nebuchadnezzar to continue! Your young men are learning them in the divinity schools. They carry them out into the world, into heathen lands. The ignorant African upon the banks of the Niger is taught to stay awake at night in order to denounce Nebuchadnezzar. The deluded Esquimau, amid the frozen seas, puddles about in his canoe harpooning seals with the conviction that Nebuchadnezzar was a tyrannical old fraud. The red Indian, bounding over his native plains or removing the hair from the summit of his enemy, is instructed to howl as he reflects upon the misconduct of Nebuchadnezzar. The almond-eyed children of China mingle execrations of Nebuchadnezzar with their most ordinary conversation. The whole race is down on him. He is the victim of universal disapprobation, now isn't he?"

"I don't think he is."

"Now, how would you like it if for the next 3000 years everybody was to believe that you were a bald-headed old reprobate who ate grass?"

"I wouldn't care a cent."

"Oh, well, maybe you ain't a sensitive man. Nebuchadnezzar was. His feelings were easily hurt. Old Babylonian bricks all mention that. Now this vindication of him will run through your paper about two years, and it's bound to create such enthusiasm for the old man that people'll go without food to contribute money to run up some kind of a tombstone for him. And when I get through with him I've got another serial, vindicating Belshazzar, that'll run for a couple of years more, and then people'll be hungry to get a monument for him. Now, you mark me, this nation'll not be ten years older before all those old chaps'll have monuments strung along everywhere to them. There's going to be an awakening on the subject in the popular mind. I'm going to set it up so's when anybody says anything against Nebuchadnezzar the folks'll turn out and hang him to the nearest tree. A popular idea, you understand. Just wild about him."

"I'm going to try to remain calm."

"Now, what'll you pay me a line for this thing?"

"F-F-F-ive! Why, I wouldn't print it if you'd pay me a dollar a line."

"What! Wouldn't give a lift to an old man that has been imposed on for three or four thousand years? Wouldn't do him a good turn, now he's in his grave and can't help himself?"

"Certainly not."

"Well, well! I've heard a good deal about the liberality of a free press, and about journalistic enterprise, but I can't see it. I thought, of course, that any newspaper'd come to the rescue of an unfortunate fellow-creature when he's in a heap of trouble."

"Well, I won't."

"Oh, all right; all right; but mark me! I'm going to scratch in a brick somewhere that you are a reprobate, with the instincts of a hyena and the intellect of a shrimp; and I'm going to bring that brick where it'll be turned up in three or four thousand years so the people of those times'll know what to think of you. I'll fix you, old boy, you see if I don't."

Then Mr. Simms rolled up the vindication, and went down stairs, warm with indignation.—*Philadelphia Bulletin.*

Vitality and Cunning of the Locust.

In 1865 I made experiments to see how soon locusts would drown. After confining them in water twelve hours they soon showed signs of life when placed in the sunshine, and in a few minutes began to move. I tried freezing, and came to the conclusion that they could be frozen up any length of time, and the warm sunshine would revive them. In 1874 I tried animal poisons to see what effect they would produce on locusts. I put the poison on celery,

which the locusts prefer to other vegetables, and after observing the effect formed the opinion that they could eat their weight of any animal poison without ill effect to them. As soon as they hatched out and began eating in April, 1875, I took a can of oil and a pan for the purpose of making a fagot to burn some that had just begun to eat my wheat, coming from a sandy knoll in the field. I poured the oil in the pan, and in moving about the pan I caused two or three to leap into it. I perceived that they changed color instantly, and to all appearance were dead. I then forced them in and observed the same results. On placing them in the sunshine it failed to bring them to life again. I afterward tried contact with the same happy result. Turpentine, alcohol, alkali and croton oil will kill them, and from the results of my experiments I believe that anything that will kill vegetable life will destroy locust life under the same conditions.

I know no insect that exhibits the cunning of locusts after they are four weeks old. When very young they appear to have no sense, as they will leap into water or fire if in their course. After four weeks old they will perform acts of cunning that are incredible to the unobserving. In 1875, after they ate my neighbor's crop on the east, they set out for my field. I turned water between his and my field, and caused it to flow four or five feet wide in places, and let it flow through the wheat ten or fifteen feet wide in places. I soon found them crossing by thousands, swinging from blade to blade of the wheat that stood in the running water. I then cut the wheat out, but at the junction of a ditch I had left two fence poles in the form of the letter V, the lower ends crossing near the water of the creek, and the upper ends on either side of the ditch. They soon found passage, and would and did climb down a pole fifteen feet long over the water of Bear Creek, and up the other pole into my field. They were making the passage in one continuous stream when I made the discovery, and the ground and wheat were covered near the passage by those that had crossed.—*Correspondence of the Milwaukee News.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, MARCH 16, 1877.

News and Notes.

The dead body of James Kingan of New York, a member of the Produce Exchange, was found near the track not far from Welford, a station on the Intercolonial Railway, forty miles north of Moncton, N. B. On his person were found about $8770 in United States bonds, American and Bank of England notes and gold; also a gold watch and chain, as well as other articles of jewelry, a ticket from Portland for Liverpool by steamer Scandinavian, and other articles conclusively identifying the body. It was at first believed to be a case of suicide, but later developments indicate an atrocious murder, and that Kingan was seized on getting out of the cars at Welford, taken a short distance away, stabbed and his throat cut, and the body then placed where the train would run over it. The large sum of money named was found in the pistol pocket in the rear of his pants, a much larger sum having been taken from two pocket books, found empty. The body, when found, showed that it had been struck by the cow-catcher and thrown off the track, only one of the arms being broken. One arm shows three cuts, as if received from a knife while Kingan was defending himself.

Peter Dana, chief of the Penobscot Indians, was arrested in New York on Wednesday for being drunk, and next day was sent to his home in Maine.

Mrs. Stanley Matthews is a sister of Mrs. Watterson, the mother of the Kentucky editor.

The war between Russia and Turkey, which has been "inevitable" for a long time, has been sat upon by the newspapers once more and now "all danger of war is past."

Five negroes were to be hung at Aiken, S. C., on Thursday, for the murder of two white men in November last. The time set for the execution of Gen. Matthew C. Butler and the other white leaders in the butchery of colored men at Hamburg, S. C., in July last, that has yet been made public.

A bold safe robbery was perpetrated on a Pennsylvania railroad on the night of the 13th. The express messenger on the Buffalo express train for Pittsburg, on the Allegheny Valley Railroad, was relieved of forty that night at Templeton by a man named J. H. Brooks, who produced an alleged order from Express Superintendent Bingham to that effect. After reaching Pittsburg the goods were placed in an express wagon, in which, without the knowledge of the driver, Brooks opened the safe and escaped with the money packages, amounting to $4000. The messenger had previously received a bogus telegram to turn over the charge to Brooks.

A negro boy, seventeen years old, was taken from jail in Franklin, Mo., where he was confined on a charge of attempting to rob and murder a woman, and hung by a mob of masked men, Wednesday night.

About noon on the 5th, a man passed through the upper gate of Prospect Park, Niagara Falls, and walked along the bank to a point just below the "tail-race" that empties into the river. One of the guides, who followed him to tell him where he could get the best views, was astonished to see him wading out into the rapids. "Come back, you fool; you will go over the falls!" The stranger paid no heed to the warning but throwing himself forward on his face struck out for the brink of the cataract. Just below where he entered there was a small cascade, over which he was carried. When he emerged his hat was off, and a moment later he obtained a foothold in the rapids and stood waist-deep in the foaming water. The guide was by this time at Prospect Point, whither he had hastened in the hope of being able to reach the man. The stranger, standing in the rapids, instantly struck out again, swimming lustily out further from the shore, and successfully placing himself beyond the aid of the man on the bank. He clasped his hands over his head and went down to his death. This suicide is as extraordinary as that of the Canadian chemist, near Detroit, who two days before had ended his life in order to test the efficacy of a resurrection powder.

An extra session of Congress will be called, to provide for the maintenance of the army.

Barque J. F. Whitney, Capt. George D. Spicer, in making ten successive voyages across the Atlantic — from ports in the United States to ports in the United Kingdom and Continent—has made the unprecedented average time of 21 days to the eastward and 31 days to the westward. This, for all seasons, winter included, may be called fast sailing. During all the ten voyages, underwriters on cargo or vessel have not been called upon to pay a dollar damage.

The Signal Service Observer at Cape Lookout, N. C., reported on the 14th to the Chief Signal Officer as follows: The barque Sansbierghans, with a cargo of salt, bound from Liverpool to Baltimore, went aground on Lookout Shoal at 9 P. M., on the 12th inst. The crew attempted, at 1 A. M., on the 13th, to leave the wreck in three boats. Two of the boats were capsized and six out of a crew of thirteen were drowned. The captain and two sailors reached the shore, and four men still on the wreck will probably be saved. The vessel is twelve miles from shore and will certainly go to pieces.

An examination of the cables of the Niagara Suspension Bridge has been made and some of the weak points in the structure have been revealed. The cables at each end of the bridge, before they are anchored in the pit, are divided into seven strands, each strand numbering 420 wires and terminating in a "collar" which is fastened to the anchor-bar. On examining those strands it was found that nine of the wires on the under side of the "collar" had corroded and parted. These, it is said, can easily be replaced by splicing. One piece of the corroded wire about three feet in length has been removed and it was found to sustain 1,350 pounds, and drew down to half its size before parting. None of the wires on the bridge have as yet shown any tendency to elongation, and when a weight is removed from the bridge return to their normal condition with the natural spring.

During the past winter there have been various petty thefts of buffalo robes, blankets, etc., in Nashua, they being stolen from sleighs, and from off horses, when standing on the streets. On Wednesday officers Flood and Barry discovered at Pepperell, Mass., quite a number of robes and horse blankets, which have been taken to Nashua for their owners. The thieves prove to be two young men named John Roberts and Samuel Lanning, who are awaiting trial.

Political.

Secretary of the Navy Thompson has never served two years before the mast, but it is affirmed that his nautical acquirements are more varied than were those of Pres't Taylor's Secretary of the Navy. When this official first boarded a man-of-war at the Gosport Navy Yard he paused before the hatchway, gave a startled glance downward and exclaimed, "Great Cæsar's Ghost! if the — thing isn't hollow!"

It is noticed by the Chicago *Times* that all the members of the new Cabinet save one present a remarkable similarity in their party antecedents. Mr. Evarts was a Whig. Mr. Sherman was a Whig. Mr. Devens was a Whig. Mr. Key was a Whig. Mr. Thompson was a Whig. Mr. McCrary was a Whig. The Times also observes another remarkable coincidence: That Morton was a Locofoco. Cameron was a Locofoco. Butler was a Locofoco. Logan was a Locofoco. Grant was a Locofoco.

It is difficult to analyze the demonstrative distress of the democratic editor, but the cause of his anguish lurks somewhere between the poles of this dilemma. If the Administration of President Hayes makes total shipwreck of our institutions it will be very uncomfortable for us all; but if it does not, then the door of political hope swings shut in the face of the democracy, and they are left without in a nipping and an eager air, and this is even more uncomfortable for them.

Presto, change! The Boston *Post's* Washington correspondent tells that paper that "Mr. Hayes' strongest points are firmness and common sense."

The gales that sweep from the north bring to our ears no clash of resounding arms. Put your ear very close to the political telephone and you may be able to hear Beebe up in New Hampshire; but even Beebe is subdued and roars as gently as a suckling dove. And when Beebe doesn't climb right up on top of things and just coop, it is safe to assert that this is the offest kind of a year.—*Tribune.*

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll of Illinois lectured in Steinway Hall, New York city, Wednesday night, to a large audience, on political questions and answers. In the course thereof he said: There must be peace between the North and South, and President Hayes has taken proper and noble means for bringing about unity and friendship. He has joined the hands of the North and South and asked that hatred be buried and friendship shine forth. In the speaker's opinion the President had a perfect right to select his own Cabinet without reference to party or politics, and the country and all honest men will stand by him in his actions. If the President finds his present policy fails, he can and will change it, but he ought to get a fair trial. He has offered the olive branch to the Southern States and let us hope they will accept it.

A letter from Senator Blaine to Hon. W. E. Chandler of New Hampshire, dated Washington, Dec. 15, 1876, is published in the Concord *Monitor*. The following is an extract: "I certainly hope that all republicans will unite in striking from your organic law a proscriptive test which the democrats maintained during their long supremacy in your State. It will be specially gratifying and specially significant to see this disability removed from the Catholics by a Republican Constitutional Convention, at the very time of all others when the members of that Church are massed in well-nigh absolute unanimity and inflamed with unreasonable hate and bitterest rancor against our party. It is easy and natural for any political party to extend the franchise and liberties of its allies and supporters; but it is the peculiar merit and honor of the republican party that it has extended franchise and liberty to friend and foe alike. It has removed political disabilities from a large mass of influential men in all the Southern States, with the absolute certainty that the power thus freely given would be used for the defeat, and, if possible, the destruction of the political organization that conferred it. While removing all disabilities from Catholic voters in your State, do not fail at the same time to strengthen your system of free common schools with all the sanctions and safeguards of organic law."

—A mail agent on the Union Pacific Railroad had a wife and little daughter at Omaha. Whenever he left home for a fortnight on the rail he would take the little girl with him a block or two from the house, and then kissing her good-by would send her back to her mother. Jealousy took possession of him without cause, and one morning, about two years ago, he carried off the child from the wife whom he believed to be faithless. The mother waited for the patter of the little feet and the sound of the little one's voice, and finally ran to the station, where she learned that her husband had gone West with the child. She telegraphed to him, she wrote to him; but received no reply. Convinced that he had deserted her, and would never return, she sold her furniture, paid a visit to some friends in Wisconsin, and procured a divorce and a decree giving her the custody of the child. She then went to Oakland, Cal., where her husband and her daughter were boarding, and took legal measures for the recovery of the child. About a fortnight ago husband and wife met in a law office—she with countenance cold and stern, and he with a hang-dog, sheepish look. The lawyers went out to lunch and left the estranged couple together. When they returned, husband and wife were holding hands. The writs were not served; there was a remarriage the next morning.

—A lady suggests that when men break their hearts, it is all the same as when a lobster breaks one of his claws—another sprouts immediately and grows in its place.

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OLIVER AYERS.

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Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
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Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
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Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50,	*10.18 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
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E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

THE REFORM CLUB

Eds. Chronicle: In your issue of the 8th inst. there was an article which in substance told the members of the Reform Club that at the then coming election they could not, without violating their pledge, vote for a brewer to represent them in Congress. That was the firebrand that has created the present feeling among the members of the Club. This (Thursday's) edition says that J. E. Bell was employed to turn our Reform Club meetings into political campaign gatherings; that statement to my certain knowledge is untrue in every particular. John H. Coles, of Boston, was announced to speak to the Club Sunday evening, the 10th, but I received telegrams Thursday informing me he could not come here. In casting about on Friday to find some one to fill his place, I was informed that Mr. Bell was in the city, and that we could probably get him. I called on him and engaged him to speak on Sunday evening. He showed me a list of five subjects in connection with temperance, one of which he would like to have put upon the handbills announcing the lecture, which was done. I had no talk with him at all in regard to politics at that interview. The next evening (Saturday) I saw him at Franklin Hall a few minutes, when he explained to me his course in Seabrook. I told him I deprecated any allusion to politics in our meetings, as I thought it would do more harm than good. I was not aware that the article referred to in the CHRONICLE was to be read in the meeting, or I should have opposed it. I do not know who wrote the article, but I do know that it has injured our Club. I regard it as an insult to our members, to dictate to them what they should or should not vote; that is a matter to be settled by their individual consciences. It is well known, to every member of the Club at least, that no allusion to politics is allowed in any of our meetings, and although I have decided political convictions, yet I never allow myself to express them in our gatherings. If you will give this explanation or the substance of it you will greatly oblige one who has the best [illegible]s of the Club at heart.

JAMES JANVRIN,
President Portsmouth Reform Club.

[We willingly accord Mr. Janvrin space for his communication, for several reasons; our columns are (and always have been) open to any one who considers himself referred to unjustly by us; and we consider the Reform Club movement the most effective temperance agency ever devised, and do not wish to see it given up in this city. But he is in error in assuming that we "told the members of the Reform Club" that they would violate their pledge by voting a certain way; we told them nothing; we quoted a portion of the pledge and then asked a question,—but we made no assertion. Mr. Janvrin is sure that our statement that Bell was "employed to turn the Reform Club meetings into political campaign gatherings" is "untrue in every particular," and gives the details concerning his engagement to speak, to prove it; but he only shows that the active managers of the Club did not "employ" Bell for the purpose referred to—as we did not him they did; we said he was "employed," as there can be no doubt he was, for the whole affair betrayed a very thinly-covered "put-up-job." That the President or many members of the Club had any knowledge of Bell's intentions we did not intimate, nor do we imagine that more than *one* member was aware of what was coming until it came; but Bell certainly was "employed" by somebody. As to Mr. Janvrin's considering it "an insult to our members to dictate to them" how they should vote, which "is a matter to be settled by their own consciences," we entirely agree with him; and our "fire-brand" paragraph was but a brief appeal to the very consciences referred to. As to the Reform Club being broken up by this unpleasantness, we cannot see the need of it; politics had previously been tabooed, and the success of Bell's mission was not such as to lead to a repetition of the blunder—whoever was responsible for it this time; and we hardly think the "Rev." Bell will be around here again to afflict the Club—which is one good thing resulting from the trouble, anyway.—*Eds. Chronicle.*]

SEABROOK ELECTION.

The town meeting this year was the quietest ever held here. There were some few "spiritual" manifestations, but any symptoms of disturbances were promptly quelled by the town police. Early in the day one man got offended because a friend's name was not on the checklist, and for a little while the checklist and ballot-box were threatened with destruction; the town clerk was hustled and things looked squally, but Policeman Chase appeared and quiet was restored. It is said the matter will be brought before the courts. Clark Fogg and Jeremiah Locke were elected Representatives, receiving forty majority; Joseph Chase, Thomas A. Dow and Henry C. Chase, Selectmen; Town Clerk, Jonathan Gove; all democrats. The vote on State and county tickets was: democratic 213, republican 155, prohibition one. There are about 425 voters in the town, but the whole number voting was only 369. There was quite a celebration by the democrats in the evening, and gunpowder was freely burned.

Yours truly, R.

GREENLAND ELECTION.

At the annual election of town officers the democrats carried all their nominations except two assessors, and town clerk,—the two republican assessors elected, receiving about twenty-five democratic votes. The democratic nominee for town clerk was not elected, and the party foreclosed on that office by moving an indefinite postponement, which was carried, and a motion to reconsider lost. But the democratic party (who are preaching economy all the time in Congress and elsewhere) will learn that the minority have rights which they intend to maintain, and that it will cost more to dispose of the election of a town officer by the introduction of fancy motions, than it will to elect him in a legitimate and legal way.

CITIZEN.

JOTTINGS.

Revenue cutter Gallatin, Capt. Gabrielson, visited this harbor on Wednesday, replaced the missing upper channel buoys, and left for Boston at noon.

The U. S. S. "Enterprise," Commander Remey, will go into commission to-day at about two o'clock. The crew will arrive from Boston this forenoon.

The vacancy in the office of Paymaster of the Marine Corps, caused by the death of Major Cash, has brought forth a small army of contestants for the succession. It is reported from Washington that the probabilities strongly favor the appointment of Lieut. Frank D. Webster of this city to the position. Lieut. Webster is one of the most efficient, courteous and capable officers of the Corps, and his selection would be a merited promotion.

At the grand concert at the Middle street church on Monday evening, Mrs. Jenny T. Kempton, of the New England Opera Troupe, will sing "The Rose Bush," with organ accompaniment, a piece which has been received with great favor; Mr. W. H. Fessenden, of the famous Temple Quartette, will sing the beautiful song, "Above in the Chamber," with violin obligato; Mr. Harry Cowles, of the Boston Conservatory of Music, one of the first organists in America, will show to advantage the capabilities of the fine organ; a quartette of violinists,—Wilnis Nowell, Albert Van Raalte, E. A. Sabin and Benj. Cutter,—will give a concerto by Eichberg, which was performed by the same violinists at Tremont Temple, Boston, and was highly commended by some of the best musical critics in that city; and other choice attractions will be offered, as may be seen by the programme published in another column. Tickets at 50 cents each (securing reserved seat) are now on sale at Preston's.

"Rev. J. Edwards Bell" did not influence a great many votes in Seabrook by his slander on Gen. Marston. Prohibition vote in Seabrook, one.

It is said that every "colored citizen" (that's the way the *Times* refers to them), they having ceased to be negroes with two "g's") in this city carried the straight democratic ticket at the late election. The democrats always *did* insist that colored men were unfit to be trusted with the ballot, and it does really begin to seem so.

THE FIRST DISTRICT.

The *Globe* of the 14th had a special from this city, saying: "The contest in the First District is still in doubt, and is very close. Returns have been received from all but nine towns in the district, and the aggregate is as follows: Marston 12,855, Jones 12,897; Jones's majority, 42. If the nine towns to hear from give the same vote as last year, Marston will be elected by a majority of 38 votes over his competitor. The friends of both candidates are confident of success, but the chances are so far even." The *Post* special of same date says returns from all but nine towns "give Mr. Jones a net gain of sixty-one votes and increase his majority to three hundred and sixty-three votes. The remaining nine districts unheard from will probably still further increase this majority to between four and five hundred votes." There is an apparent discrepancy in these dispatches.

Footings from all but three towns in the First Congressional District give Marston 13,605, Jones 13,487. The towns not heard from are Nottingham, Tuftonborough and Eaton. Last year these gave Cheney 292; Marcy 385. If they are returned the same as last year Marston will have 25 plurality.

A telegram from a democratic source, received in this city on Thursday afternoon, claims that every town in this Congressional district has been heard from, and that Jones is elected to Congress over Marston by 17 majority. It is currently reported that Gen. Marston will contest the election on the ground that the result was accomplished by bribery.

It is thought that all the constitutional amendments were carried except those abolishing the religious test, the first and seventh propositions, which have probably failed.

The Cable War.

The directors of the Direct United States Cable Company have issued a circular to the stockholders, explaining the circumstances under which their charges were reduced on March 1 to a shilling per word. The Anglo-American Company, in declaring war upon its rival, had charged it with bad faith in granting rebates to customers. The Secretary of the Direct Cable Company resents such criticism, and attributes the success of the new line to the efficiency of its service. He says: "The constant growth of our traffic, which has now reached about 33 per cent of the gross traffic of the Atlantic, is a clear proof that the public do not share in the opinion of the Anglo-American Company that the proceeding of our company are either impolitic or unjust." Even if the charge of surreptitious rivalry were true (and it is not proved), the sympathy of the public would naturally be enlisted on the side of the Direct Cable Company, for it was not until that organization was in the field that cable rates were reduced. The public reaps the benefit when these rival companies fall out. A reduced tariff will undoubtedly cut down the receipts temporarily, but in the end more business at low rates ought to pay better than less business at high rates. Cheap telegraphing is what everybody wants.—*Tribune.*

—It was an old but a good thing said by a French paragrapher lately, to the effect that he hates a girl when she is trying to be a woman, and a woman when she is trying to be a girl.

—Only eighty thousand bushels of peanuts were raised the past year. The failure of several circuses dealt a severe blow to this industry.

—Anne Brewster tells of a Spanish lady who went to a ball in Rome arrayed in a costume composed entirely of roses.

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DIED.

GAMMON. In this city, March 14, Mrs. Susan D. Gammon, aged 91 years and 9 months. Funeral this (Friday) afternoon, from No. 34 High street, at two o'clock P. M. Friends invited without further notice.

O'CALLAHAN. In this city, March 14, Ellen O'Callaghan, mother of Rev. E. M. O'Callaghan, aged 70 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE

Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, cld from Portland for Philadelphia March 13.

Sch Billow, Haskell, for this port from New York passed through Hell Gate March 15.

Sch Golden Gate, Amee, from this port arr at Boston March 14.

Sch John E Sanford, Berry, for this port from Baltimore, put in at Boston for a harbor March 14.

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4. Ballad.—The Rose Bush..... *Hodges*
   With organ accompaniment (by request)
   MRS. JENNY T. KEMPTON.
5. Andante —For four violins .....*Eichberg*
   MESSRS. A. VAN RAALTE, W. E. NOWELL, BENJ. CUTTER AND E. SABIN.
6. Reading.—How we saved St. Michels,
   MISS MARY W. CALDWELL.
7. Violin Duet.—Brillante.....*Dancla.*
   MESSRS. NOWELL AND VAN RAALTE.

PART SECOND.

8. Song.—Above in her chamber.....*Eichberg*
   With violin obligato.
   MR. W. H. FESSENDEN.
9. Song.—Non c'ver.....*Mattei*
   MRS. KEMPTON.
10. Violin Solo.—Hungarian airs.....*Ernst*
    W. E. NOWELL.
11. Reading.—High tide on the coast of Lincolnshire.
    MISS MARY W. CALDWELL.
12. Duet.—Trust her not.....*Balfe*
    MRS. KEMPTON AND MR. FESSENDEN.
13. Concerto.—For four violins .....*Eichberg*
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Patti's Elopement.

Seldom has any scandal so deeply agitated the social world of Paris, as has the elopement of Adelina Patti with the tenor Nicolini. In America, where the fair diva is remembered only as the most wonderful and enchanting of girl-singers, her escapade will be but a nine days' wonder and no more. But here it is something different. Adelina Patti was not only a reigning star in the theatrical firmament, but she was a brilliant social luminary as well. Few were the houses whose owners would not have felt honored to welcome *la diva* as a guest, and that, too, not for the sake of her titled husband, but for her own. She was the petted darling of Parisian society, admired, feted, and followed wherever she would condescend to appear within its limits. Her beauty, her grace, her winning ways, her remarkable lingual acquirements, combined with her world-wide celebrity and her reputation, unsullied by seventeen years of theatrical life, made up a sum of perfections that were wholly irresistible. How fair she was, the lovely lady, with her dark eyes and slender figure, and the chi dish grace and sweetness of her smile and gesture! Truly, she seemed born to be the caressed and feted idol of society, as well of the public. All that is over now. At an age when women are usually supposed to have learned to conquer impulse by principle she flings reputation, friends, honor, all to the winds, for the sake of a lover. And what a lover! She at whose feet monarchs have sighed in vain, who turned a deaf ear to the wooing of the most fascinating and celebrated cavaliers of the day, has eloped with a man possessing, if all that is said about him be correct, few qualifications to win a woman's heart, save a burly person and a mellifluous voice. Nicolini, whose real name is Nicholas, and who is, I believe, a Frenchman, is a tall, stalwart-looking individual, with black eyes and beard, and a sweet, yet powerful, tenor voice. The scandal that culminated in the elopement, recently, has been a theme for gossip in all the prominent European capitals for some six months past. So violently jealous was the Marquis de Caux of this too fascinating singer, that, when his wife went to Russia, he stipulated Nicolini should never be allowed to sing with her, and therefore Masini was engaged in his stead. One night, however, when "La Traviata" was announced, Masini fell ill. Instantly Nicolini, who had been prowling about the theatre watching his opportunity ever since the commencement of La Patti's engagement, came forward and offered his services. They were accepted, and when the curtain rose M. de Caux, who occupied a front seat in the orchestra stalls, beheld with mingled wrath and horror, the hated tenor at his fair wife's side. Those who were present on the occasion declare that never was the opera so sung before. The impassioned wooing of Alfredo, the tender responses of Violetta, were given with a fervor and a reality that were simply unsurpassable. As soon as the curtain fell on the first act, the Marquis quitted his seat and hastened round to the stage door. There a file of soldiers confronted him, and denied him entrance. He went round to the door at the other side of the theatre, but was met by the same denial. It was not till the performance was over, and the audience dispersed, that he managed to make his way to his wife's dressing-room. Then and there the stormy scene took place which has already been chronicled in the papers, in the course of which the Marquis is said to have taunted Mme. Patti with having made her a Marquise, whereupon the *diva* threw the magnificent set of diamonds she had worn in the opera full in his face, exclaiming: "Take these as pay for your miserable Marquisate." It is reported that, before the scene was ended, M. de Caux so far forgot himself as to strike his wife, and that it was this fact that impelled her to leave him. Had she only gone alone, who could have blamed her?

The fact of the matter lies simply in this—the marriage of Adelina Patti was an immense mistake. Whether, after the European fashion, it was a simple barter of money for a coronet, or whether, as has been reported, the lovely prima donna was really fascinated by the social graces and accomplishments of the Marquis, who was noted at the Imperial Court as the best leader of the "German" within its limits, it is hard to say. Certain it is that the match never promised fair from the first. The noble husband was forced to relinquish his functions at court because he had sullied his escutcheon by espousing an actress. This humiliation was his marriage gift to his bride. It is indeed said that the match was made by the Empress Eugenie, who had a taste for matchmaking, but who managed such affairs neither wisely nor well, as witness the woful De Bouffremont case. M. de Caux soon sank into a reckless and greedy devourer of his fair wife's enormous gains. He flung away thousands in one night, and night after night at the gaming table. His conjugal infidelities were numerous and glaring. He treated the beautiful and gifted creature whom he had married as a mere money mill, destined to grind out perpetual sums to satisfy his wants. In other words, he was a fair type of that being to whose keeping so many of our American girls are ready and willing to entrust their property and their happiness, namely, a French titled husband. The match was

bound to end in some disastrous way. Alas! that it should have ended thus—in the marring of a fair woman's fame, in the dimming of a star, in the smirching of the white plumage on our song-bird's wings! But one sentiment in regard to this melancholy affair is expressed throughout all gay and careless Paris—namely, true, sincere, and heartfelt regret.—[Lucy Hooper's Paris Letter in the Philadelphia *Telegraph*.]

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 1877.

Distinguished Arrival.

A New York dispatch, dated March 16, says: The steamship Labrador, which arrived at this port yesterday, brought back to our shores, after five years of exile, Peter B. Sweeny, of Tammany Ring renown. He looked well and happy, and doubtless rejoiced that his financial compromise with the people of the city and State of New York was about to be effected, and that henceforth he was to move among his fellow citizens a free man. He craved no notoriety, rather avoided it, and his name was modestly inscribed in the passenger list of the steamship as "Monsieur Sweeny." On the voyage he preserved his incognito thoroughly. For two days after the vessel left Havre the returning ex-banker hardly spoke to any of his fellow-passengers. His occupation during the great portion of each day was walking to and fro in such isolation as he could secure on the Labrador's hurricane deck. The moment the steamer touched the pier Sweeny came on shore and in a moment he had disappeared. Sweeny was indicted by the Grand Jury for complicity in the Ring frauds in February, 1872, but when he was wanted he could not be found. He had disappeared so mysteriously that not even a trace of him could be discovered. From time to time came rumors concerning him, and at last it seemed definitely determined that he was living in Paris in such splendor as would have entitled him instead of Tweed to take rank as "the American Baron." Then came whisperings of his unhappiness in exile, of his desire to return, and negotiations were actually begun looking to that end. He is now in the city in seclusion, under supposed pledges of immunity if restitution and needed information be given. The trial begins April 3d. None but his lawyer are allowed access to him. Rumors are again current that negotiations are in progress to compromise all the ring suits, and it is believed that Tweed, ere many days, will walk out of Ludlow street jail a free man.

News and Notes.

Postmaster-General Key has thirteen children.

The $10,000 libel suit of Llewellyn Powers against Theodore Cary of the Aroostook, Me., *Times*, for defamation of character, has been finally settled by an agreement on the part of Cary to pay $8760.

In South Brooklyn, N. Y., there is a factory in which glass is manufactured by the La Bastie method, which was patented in 1875. The glass is rendered tough and malleable by annealing it in a bath of tallow. Experiments lately made before a party of distinguished visitors proved the claims made for it to be not overstated. Cold water was sprinkled on hot chimneys and they did not break. Nails were driven into boards, chimneys being used for hammers. Tumblers, plates, globes, and other articles were tested by throwing them on the floor, without injury to them. One plate was thrown twenty-five feet into the air, and fell on a brick floor without damage. This is good news for housekeepers, whose temper is apt to prove as brittle as glass when tried by the havoc wrought among their crystal treasures, by careless and clumsy servants. The La Bastie works are manufacturing one thousand dozen lamp chimneys a day, and it would seem that they must soon be procurable anywhere.

Among the most interesting of the many historic houses in the ancient town of York, Me., is that owned and occupied by two maiden ladies, the Misses Barrells, containing all the original furniture, books, paintings, etc., with which it was furnished by the builder, Judge Jonathan Sayward, in 1713, whose full length portrait, with that of his wife, with the costume of their time, adorn the walls; also the elegant full-length portrait of their daughter Sarah, at the age of twenty-three, painted by Blackburn, a pupil of Copley. The latter was painted at Charlestown in 1716, says an inscription on the back. As works of art these paintings are pronounced by connoisseurs as exceedingly fine. The family coat-of-arms of the Saywards occupies a conspicuous place over the mantel-piece; also a commission from Gov. Shirley to Jonathan Sayward, the owner of the house, "to command the sloop Sea Flower in the expedition against Cape Breton," which took Louisburg in 1745. In this mansion are a great number of articles worthy the attention of those of historical and antiquarian tastes.

New Hampshire Items.

Amos D. Parington of Dover, a member of the Society of Friends, widely known throughout New England as senior partner of the firm of Parington & Ham, died Saturday morning, aged sixty-three years. He was a public spirited citizen, identified with the Board of Trade and, City Government, and foremost in any measure looking to the advancement of the interests of Dover or of humanity. His death is a great loss to the community.

News was received at Dartmouth College, Friday, from Prof. Samuel C. Bartlett, that he accepts the Presidency of Dartmouth College, notwithstanding the strong efforts of the Northwest and those interested in the Chicago Theological Seminary, of which he is the head, to retain him. He will remove to Hanover, and be inaugurated about the middle of May. This decision, which has been anxiously awaited for weeks, is received with great satisfaction by the faculty and students. The important petition of the Juniors for the abolition of the Junior exhibition has been referred by the Faculty to the Trustees, who will undoubtedly wholly abolish or change it materially.

R. Byron Kimball, one of the most prominent and wealthy citizens of Lebanon, died at his residence Friday, aged 49 years. He was formerly a leading merchant, and at the time of his death was a Director of the National Bank of Lebanon, which position he has filled for many years. He was particularly noted for his many acts of charity.

Hiram Hitchcock, democrat, and J. W. Patterson, republican, were chosen to represent the town of Hanover in the Legislature. Both received the unanimous support of the students, and to them is due the election of Mr. Hitchcock, for the republican majority in town is 104.

Official returns have been received from over one-third of the towns in the State, which indicate that ten of the thirteen amendments to the State Constitution are adopted. The exceptions, if any, are the first amendment, striking out the word "Protestant" from the Bill of Rights; the sixth, providing for the election by the people of Registers of Probate, Solicitors and Sheriffs, and the seventh, abolishing the religious test. It is a remarkable fact that nearly all the democratic towns thus far returned voted almost solid to retain the religious test, and against striking the word Protestant from the Bill of Rights. The next Legislature will be required to determine when the several amendments adopted shall go into effect. It will decide it to be next November, or in November 1878. If it is decided in favor of next November, then another State election will be in order at that time, and we shall soon be in the midst of another political campaign. If 1878 is fixed upon, then the Governor and other State officers will hold over, and it will be incumbent on the coming Legislature to choose a United States Senator in place of Wadleigh, whose term expires before the Legislature of 1879 could convene.

Political.

The San Francisco *Bulletin* expresses the opinion that the large fraudulent vote discovered in that city cannot well be charged to the republicans, or that they secured the benefit of it, for the reason that the democrats had charge of all the election machinery of the city. The registration was made under democratic auspices, and it was by a majority of democratic inspectors that the fraudulent votes were received.

A negro boy, seventeen years old, attempted to rob and murder a white woman near Union Ridge, in Tennessee. She was rescued by another negro. Walker, the criminal, was arrested and lodged in jail to await a trial. So far all was well; but a despatch to the morning papers brings the news that Walker has been taken from the jail by a dozen masked men and hanged. It is such interference as this with the due course of law which raises continual doubt in the North concerning the capacity of the Southern people for self-government. The carpet-bag government in Louisiana has not been able to prevent disorder, and it is hoped that Governor Nicholls will have sufficient authority to put an end to the reign of violence there. But how does it happen that in Tennessee, where there is no conflict of authority, the democratic State government cannot control the mob? The best service Mr. Key can render to the administration, the South and the whole country, is to inspire the Governor of Tennessee, if possible, with a sense of the indignity that has been put upon him by this lawless proceeding.—*Portland Advertiser.*

General Devens.

Presidents have often nominated for Cabinet positions men that the whole country did not know, and it has commonly turned out in such cases that the men were persons with whom the country did not greatly care to improve its acquaintance. But the nomination by President Hayes of the gentleman whose name is printed above is a surprise of just the other kind. It might, in fact, be called an ideal appointment in one important aspect. The people will never believe, they cannot believe, that the conspicuous and well known politicians of any party are the men most fit to fill great offices, and they always anticipate that the President will discover new men who are better types of the genius and culture and capacity of the nation. Commonly, as we have said, they are disappointed in this; for Presidents have gone out of the list of conspicuous politicians hitherto only to find failures. But Devens will not fail. His gallantry as the commander of the Fifteenth Massachusetts at Ball's Bluff; his splendid record as the commander of the famous old Second brigade in the Blue division of the Sixth corps, conjoined with his success as a capable lawyer, attest that he possesses all the kinds of talent necessary as an administrative officer. His appointment is a conspicuous recognition by Hayes of the kind of officer of which Hayes himself was a type—the quiet, cultured, brave and capable men who did splendid service in the war, and when it was over went home without any flourish of trumpets, satisfied with the approval of their consciences.—*New York Herald.*

A Puritan Pastor.

Some one in the *Christian Union* is giving some very amusing reminiscences of the Puritan ministry of New England. Among his stories is one of old parson C—, of Bedford, in Revolutionary times. He was very quaint and homely, not to say irreverent, in his prayers. His people requested him on one occasion to pray for rain, which he did thus: "O Lord, thou knowest it is very dry in these parts. O Lord, the grass is all dried up till it looks like red foxes' tails, and the grasshoppers sit on the fence rails, crying, crying, crying, and the cattle go Low, low low (suiting his sound to the sense,) and we pray thee, O Lord, to uncork the bottles of heaven and send us rain." The good parson's prayer was answered directly by a tremendous rain which flooded the country, washed away mill-dams, and tore up things generally. The parson returned thanks in this style: "O Lord, we prayed thee for rain, and that thou would uncork the bottles of heaven; but, O, Lord, we didn't pray thee to leave the corks out." His parish took great umbrage at his style of praying, and held a meeting to sever his relation with them. Parson C. was present, apologized and confessed with great humility, and assured them that the prayer business would give them no more trouble. As they had nothing else against him, they forgave him, and requested him to close the meeting by prayer, which he did: "O Lord, we pray thee that we all, pastor and people, may jog along together in harmony through this vale of tears, and afterward be permitted to hitch horses together in the horse-sheds of salvation on high!"—He left.

—Latimer Whittle, a veteran of the late war, died recently in Jersey city. He was in the Seventy-third New York Regiment, and was shot in the battle of Bristow, Va., in 1862, and was thought to be dead, but evidences of vitality being discovered, he was removed to a hospital. The surgeons ascertained that the ball had passed into the man's liver and penetrated the base of his lungs. They decided that the wound was mortal, but Whittle recovered. They told him after his recovery, that he might live ten or twelve years. Nine months ago the injured lung began to trouble him, and about four weeks ago the decay became so rapid that he was confined to his bed, and sank rapidly.

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Our last authority was an eye witness of the initial performance; our first has certainly never seen the piece acted. Let each have what weight he deserves. Sheridan's "Rivals" was hissed when new; Goldsmith's "She Stoops to Conquer" lay in obscurity for ninety-five years after its first performances; but now these two pieces are sufficient favorites to escape even "Good Nature's" criticism. How much better is it to present some trivial farce (even if it be *sparkling* and be it done never so well) than a standard comedy, from studying which the actors derive the same benefit that any one must from perusing a masterpiece of literary workmanship, and whence the audience can carry away something for future use? We agree with Fannie Kemble that there are many buried treasures of dramatic literature in our language, and we are under heavy obligations to those who bring them to the surface. Perhaps, too, "Good Nature" will inform us why a piece which when merely read, book in hand, to a audience of some eighty "staid burghers of our town," sufficed to convulse them with laughter, should not be at least as good with the accessories of costume, scenery and what action the *limited talent* can suggest? CRITIC.

A CORRECTION.

Messrs. Editors: An item in your paper of Saturday gives the credit of the results of the recent Temperance Fair to the Woman's Temperance League. This is wrong. The Woman's League had nothing whatever to do with the matter; and all that was done toward making the Fair success-ful was done by the ladies of the Reform Club. It is proper that the explanation should be made in order to place the credit where it justly belongs. A MEMBER.

JOTTINGS.

"Make no mistakes," Brother Guppy, and get *news* when you get new ideas. That was a temporary Centennial affair of months ago, and you have just heard of it! Now make "Brother George" Collector of the port of New York, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, or something worth mentioning, and people will begin to think you have "struck suthin!"

A Concord dispatch to the Boston *Journal* of Saturday evening says: 'In the First Congressional District Hon. Frank Jones of Portsmouth is re-elected by a plurality of forty-seven votes and possibly more. There was something besides money and beer that elected Mr. Jones. There was treachery to Gen. Marston in the republican party. But after all it must be admitted that the district has been mighty uncertain' for quite a number of years. Whenever the republicans get thoroughly united they will carry the district, and not till then."

Mr. Daniel Scott, formerly Superintendent of the City Farm, died very suddenly of heart disease on Friday night. He was an upright and worthy man in all the relations of life, and enjoyed the respect of all who knew him or knew of him.

J. E. Bell has published a card in the Boston *Globe*, setting forth that he had been refused a hearing by the Boston *Journal*, that he was engaged to speak in New Hampshire during the late campaign by the Prohibition Committee, and that his Seabrook statement was made on the information of Mr. John S. Treat, (who he says is "not a prominent democratic politician" of this city,) and that he (Bell) was "authorized to use the fact by Alonzo F. Craig, Esq., a member of the Prohibitory Committee." We think there has been as much talk about the man Bell as he is worth, already, so we shall only add in this connection that Mr. Treat himself must have laughed when he read that he is not a democratic politican,—and we have excellent authority for saying that Mr. Craig flatly denies Bell's statement concerning him, as he knew nothing of the matter at all until after the Seabrook speech had been made.

Don't forget the grand concert under direction of Julius Eichberg, at the Middle street church this evening. It will be one of the best instrumental and vocal entertainments ever given here. See published programme. Reserved seat tickets can be procured at Preston's to-day, at 50 cents each.

It seems quite likely that Hon. Frank Jones of Portsmouth is to be the "spared monument" of the New Hampshire democracy, and as his majority can hardly exceed a baker's dozen of votes, even if his re-election to Congress is conceded, it behooves him to be very modest about the result and give a qualified support to the administration of Hayes. The republicans have certainly two Congressmen now, where they had one before, if they have lost the first district, while the democrats have only one in place of two.—*Worcester Gazette.*

The Temperance Mutual Relief Association held a business meeting Friday evening, Vice President Janvrin in the chair. A constitution and by-laws were read, discussed, accepted and adopted, after which it was voted to hold a public meeting Wednesday evening for the purpose of explaining the design of the new organization, how it is to be conducted, etc.

Lippincott's Magazine for April, handsomely illustrated, is now ready, and contains eleven articles besides the "Monthly Gossip" and "Literature of the Day." The two most attractive articles are "A Chapter from Real Life," describing the experiences and struggles of an English lady of refined breeding, who some years since crossed the Atlantic in the steerage of an emigrant ship and lived for a time in squalid boarding houses in New York city; and an account of "Way Island," by Mr. Robert Wilson, who always writes graphically of the social manners and customs of the South, and in his present paper brings into vivid light a forgotten page of family history. "The Tartar and his Home," by Edward C. Bruce, is full of information and lucid and suggestive views in regard to the East. It is finely illustrated, as is also a second paper on the "Valleys of Peru." The fiction of the number includes an installment of "The Marquis of Lossie," by George Macdonald, a short and amusing story with the odd title of "K.", and the conclusion of Auerbach's "Gawk from America." J. B. Lippincott & Co., publishers, 715 and 717 Market street, Philadelphia; $4 per year, postage paid.

A very prominent member of the democratic party in this city was heard to say, soon after Tilden's nomination, "If we do not succeed this time we had better sell out and all go to h—l." He will have an opportunity now to migrate to that country, whither so many of his party are tending.

THE SENATORIAL VOTE.

On comparing the vote for Senator in this district at the late election with previous votes, we confess that we are rather surprised at the favorable showing made by the unexceptionable republican candidate, who certainly need not feel ashamed of the support given him, although that support was not sufficient to secure his election. It is well known that in redistricting the State last June, it was intended to make this district democratic under ordinary circumstances; or, rather,—for the redistricting was done with little or no reference to gaining political advantage,—the re-arrangement of district lines resulted in making this a probably democratic district. Two years ago, when Mr. Jones first ran for Congress, the democratic plurality in the district as it now exists was 239; but the plurality for Mr. Elbridge is now but 160,—and this reduction in the democratic plurality was made in face of the strongest combination ever made in one Senatorial district, viz: Daniel Marcy for Governor, Frank Jones for Congressman, Marcellus Eldredge for Senator, and Samuel P. Treadwell for County Treasurer,—and with a special effort concentrated upon the two positions, of Congressman and Senator. On the other hand, Mr Philbrick was left comparatively alone, for as there seemed no reasonable doubt that the republicans would elect eight of the twelve Senators without this district, it was probably considered that any special effort to carry the district would be wasted, even if it resulted in his election; at any rate, none was made. That Mr. Philbrick, in face of the powerful democratic combination and the republican apathy, and the lavish use of money in every town by the democrats, reduced the democratic plurality from 239 to 160, shows that he was one of the strongest candidates that could have been nominated by the republicans, and that under ordinary circumstances he would have been elected, even if the district is presumably a democratic one.

In his own town of Rye Mr. Philbrick made a splendid run, leading the republican Governor, vote nine and the Congressional vote ten, and cutting down the democratic majority, which was eighty on the Governor and Congressional tickets, to sixty-five on the Senatorial.

—"Ten minutes' rest," said the gondolier, when he reached the Bridge of Sighs, and quietly lighted his pipe. "Ten minutes' rest, and for what?" inquired the American. "For emotion and poetical contemplation," replied the gay gondolier.

—The other day a German looked up at the sky and remarked; "I guess a leedle it vill rain sometime pody queek." "Yees do, eh?" replied an Irishman at his side. "Well, I want yees to understand that yees have no business to come over to Ameriky and say anything furnist the weather. Past the divil do yees pur-end to know about American weather, anyhow, ye furrin gallout?" The German had no more to say on the subject.

—Under date of East Windsor, May 22, 1877, the following appeared in the Connecticut *Courant:* "Thomas Hutchins has advertised that I have absented myself from his bed and board, and forbid all persons trusting me on his account. I now advise the public that the same Thomas Hutchins came as a fortune teller into this town about a year ago, with a recommendation which with some artful falsehoods, induced me to marry him. Of the four wives he had before me, the last he quarrelled away; how the other three came by their death he best can inform the public; but I caution all widows or maidens against marrying him. Should he make his addresses under a feigned name, they may look out for a little strutting, talkative, feeble, meagre, hatchet-faced fellow, with spindle shanks, and a little warped in the back. (Signed)

THANKFUL HUTCHINS."

Good Living and Dyspepsia.

Good living is said to cause dyspepsia; but the most healthy people I have ever known are among those who live well—who eat freely several times a day of the most nutritious food. By some it is said that tobacco, snuff, tea, coffee, butter and even bread cause this complaint; but whoever will make enquiries on this subject throughout the community will find this seldom true. In fact, dyspepsia prevails, according to my experience, altogether the most among the temperate and careful—among those who are careful as regards what they eat and drink, and the labor they put upon the stomach, but exceedingly careless how much labor they put upon that more delicate organ, the brain. Such people often eat nothing but by the advice of the doctor, or some treatise on dyspepsia, or by-weight; nor drink anything that is not certainly harmless; they chew every mouthful until they are confident, on mature reflection, that it cannot hurt the stomach. Why, then, are they dyspeptics? Because, with all their carefulness, they pay no attention to the excitement of the brain. They continue to write two or three sermons or essays every week, besides reading a volume or two, with magazines, reviews, newspapers, etc., and attending to much other business calculated to excite the mind. To me it is not very strange that such persons have nervous and stomachic affections. The constant excitement of the brain sends an excess of blood to the head, and therefore other organs are weakened, and morbid sensibility is produced, which renders the stomach liable to derangement from very slight causes.—*From Dr. Holbrook's "Liver Complaint."*

—A New York lecturer says that a large thumb indicates strong will, a small thumb prejudice. Short fingers show hasty judgment, bold execution and high results. Long fingers show detail and minuteness.

—It takes one woman to describe another. Jennie June thus speaks of Aimee: "Aimee is a curious study to a student of the human. She dresses gorgeously, a different set of jewels with every dress, hosiery that cost $10 or $15 the pair, and shoes with heels that make you wonder how she balances herself upon them. She has a full bust and round, white arms, bare to the top, and hands which look as though they had once, but not lately, known work or worker; but her face is wonderful—it is ugly, yet she makes it fascinating. She can look more wickedness than any woman could talk, and seems to be the very incarnation of attractive sin. No one could ever think of her as having once been a baby and held in a mother's lap, or heard lullabies from a mother's lip."

—Poor Bartholomew, the American sculptor, used to give an amusing description of a visit Gibson once made to his studio. Bartholomew was an exceedingly tall, thin young man, who had received an injury to his right knee, in consequence of which he stood sometimes six feet high and sometimes five feet eight inches, according to the leg he rested upon. "Gibson sat down in front of my statue," said Bartholomew, "and silently examined it for some few minutes while I stood nervously waiting to hear his opinion. At last he began in his usual measured manner—'Now, Mr. Bartholomew, when your statue reaches London or New York'—and as he said this I gradually rose on my long leg, confident he was going to tell me my fame would be established—'yes, when it reaches London or New York, it will be smashed to pieces—yes, smashed to pieces;' and I dropped at once to the lowest level my short leg would let me." Bartholomew had neglected to give his model the necessary support required by the fragility of marble, and that was Gibson's manner of drawing timely attention to the omission.

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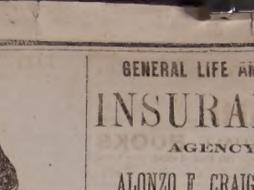

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

My Babies in Prayer-Time.

I think I should feel easier about my youngsters—aged respectively a year and a half and three years—if I could account for their wickedness upon natural principles. But how on earth such ancestry as theirs—two long rows of unspotted deacons and ministers—could ever produce two such little imps is quite beyond me. All the wild oats that have been smothered under white ties for a couple of centuries have cropped out in my two boys; and all I have to say is, 'tis very hard on me. I have borne with them until patience is no longer a virtue; and now I bring them up before the religious public for discipline. Solomon says "Spare the rod and spoil the child;" but he was a wise old gentleman not to commit himself any farther. What would he have us do if after an unsparing use of the rod the child is still spoiled? From the time my small men step out of their respective cribs in the morning till they tumble into them at night our house is one "scene of confusion and creature complaints." One eternal howl, rising and falling, changing from sad to gay, from mad to repentant, but never dying away till the little eyes are closed and the fat fists punched into the pillow for the night.

We always have morning prayers in the sitting-room. There in front of the blazing fire, are two great easy-chairs, dobbed respectively, "the big bear's chair," and "the middle-sized bear's chair." Then there are two crickets for the "little bears." After we have our breakfast and the two youngsters have eaten a miraculous quantity of oatmeal, they know that the next thing is to go into the sitting-room and seat ourselves for "prayer." So they start pell-mell, trip over one another and sprawl headlong, one on top of the other, through the doorway. The upper one pounds the under one, and the under one roars and howls. Then sit down, in which process the baby is always sure to come short of his cricket, and sit down a little to one side, with a thump and a roar. Then each must have some sort of a book for a Bible. Baby prefers "Keble's Christian Year," because it has a red cover, whilst Charles has a leaning toward "Wild Sports in the Far West," because now and then he can steal a peep at the bloodthirsty engravings. We are about to commence, Paterfamilias looks solemn. "Charles," he says, "if you are not a good boy papa will have to punish you after prayers." Charles looks awe-struck and baby's lip quivers. We all feel solemn enough to commence. We have read a dozen verses and the children still sit motionless. I fall thinking what a beautiful thing it is to have the little ones worship with us. Their memories may treasure up words that are empty now, but in after years may be full of meaning. We read a few more verses. Bless me! The crickets and their owners have disappeared. They have "hitched" along noiselessly, and are punching one another behind the desk. A few more verses and they crawl around behind my chair, tandem-fashion. "Children," I say in an agonized whisper, "go back, go back, don't you remember what papa said?" But they are deaf to remonstrance, and the next thing they do is to get the tongs and poker and best the loudest kind of reveille on the coal-scuttle. "Children," I fairly shout, "go back to your seats this instant." They go, and we all kneel down for the prayer. Baby turns Methodist and his responses come near drowning the prayer. Charles finds a pin and is about to stick it into baby's leg when I restrain him. Then they both stand upon their crickets and make a simultaneous dive for the depths of my easy chair, nearly knocking me into the fire. Next they pull off their father's slippers and are about to commit assault and battery on him. Just then he says, "Our Father who art in heaven." They recognize this phrase as "the beginning of the end," and the transformation is wonderful. Little heads are bent and hands folded decorously, and in this attitude they remain for a full minute after we are on our feet, as proof positive that they have been "good." We hold a family council as to the degree of badness that merits a whipping, and end with giving them a solemn lecture and a free pardon.

We entertained a minister not long since for a week. Of course he conducted prayers, and I said, apologetically, that I hoped the children did not disturb him. Poor man! Like George W., he could not tell a lie. So he blushed and said they did distract him a little, but he hoped he should be able not to notice it.

Cannot any one who reads this tale of woe suggest a remedy? I appeal to those who have no children—their theories are always best—to tell me what to do.—*Christian Union.*

Do not Allow the Frogs to be Pared.

The frog of the foot of every horse is the natural support of the foot, and should never be cut away except to remove the rough edges which occasionally appear from common wear. At a late meeting of the farriers and horseshoers in Wilmington, Del., there was a great deal said in condemnation of the manner in which horses are shod, especially in the rural districts. A lecturer, a veterinary surgeon (according to the New York *Herald*,) said that "the frog of the foot was often pared away so artistically to make a neat job that the tendon or muscle that extended down

the leg, over what is known as the pulley bone, and gave the foot its motion, was often injured, and then the horse would be weak in the legs, and blunder. He severely characterized the habit of burning the hoof with a red hot shoe to make it fit, and said there ought to be a law passed to hang any blacksmith who would use red hot shoes in this way. The shoe should be fitted to the shape of the foot, rather than the foot fitted to the shoe."

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1877.

News and Notes.

General Pleasonton's blue glass theory is assailed by the *Scientific American*. His idea that electricity is generated by the passage of light through the glass is declared to be absurd. Nor have colored rays any beneficial effect on life, the reverse rather being the truth, as a pure, white light is best. The only good that can possibly come of blue glass is in its use as a shade for decreasing the intensity of solar light.

The World Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York—not the old and reliable "Mutual"—is in difficulties, with more liabilities than assets. It is to be wound up. It is a small concern, little if any known in this vicinity.

A person elected a constable in North Carolina has been fined $25 under a State statute, for refusing to serve.

John Cumming of Jamaica, L. I., on Saturday committed suicide by throwing himself in front of a locomotive.

Catherine New, an old German lady in Elizabeth, N. J., on Friday night threw herself into a cistern and was drowned.

Peter Dengan celebrated St. Patrick's day in Newark, N. J., by an attempt to kill his sister and himself, and accidentally fired the house, but the flames were extinguished. Both were the victims of liquor, and are reported dying.

There is something alarming in the increased frequency of that terrible malady, hydrophobia. A few years ago it was so rare that the question was seriously discussed whether belief in the existence was not a delusion, whereas now cases are reported every few days. A New York merchant, residing in Brooklyn, has just died of it. He was bitten in the hand by a small vagrant dog as he was trying to remove it from a basement window, where it persisted in lying. He had the wound promptly cauterized, and yet the disease developed five or six weeks after the occurrence, and the symptoms were unmistakable.

William Hayes, a San Francisco attorney, on Friday night attempted to kill Gen. John McComb, managing editor of the *Alta California* newspaper. He gave Mr. McComb five minutes in which to sign a retraction of an item which had appeared in the *Alta*. Hayes was very badly battered, knocked down and arrested by McComb, and his pistol taken from him.

By the explosion of a boiler in Hunter Brothers' saw-mill, near Worthington, Ind., Friday afternoon, twelve men were killed, and seven severely wounded.

Joe Goss has been fined $250 at Covington, Ky., for engaging in a prize-fight with Jim Mace. He went to jail, having no money to pay the fine.

Thomas Keeney was on Saturday sentenced to six months in the penitentiary for beating his wife, in New York. He was no sooner sentenced than he jumped over the railing, knocked his wife down and kicked her several times in the presence of the Court before officers could seize him. He was then sentenced to an additional year in the penitentiary.

Secretary of State Evarts was retained in the Vanderbilt will case before his name was mentioned in connection with the Cabinet. His retainer was $50,000, and to earn this vast sum required of him only a journey from Washington to New York and an attendance of an hour in court.

On and after the 26th inst. the Anglo-American Telegraph Company will transmit political and general news for publication between the United Kingdom and Canada and the city of New York at the rate of 6d. per word, such news messages to be transmitted when the cables are disengaged, and to be accepted expressly on the above conditions.

With her total debt of $6,000,000 Portland is as hard driven to economy as any New England city, and Mayor Butler is setting himself to secure a general and sharp reduction of salaries, beginning with his own. He recommends getting rid of the unfortunate Portland and Ogdensburg investment, and putting the proceeds into a sinking fund.

The extra session of the Senate closed on Saturday. No President *pro tem.* was elected, owing to the absence of Mr. Ferry.

The junior dean of Trinity College, Dublin, Ireland, sent for the police on the last Sunday in February. At midnight a large number of students assembled in front of his residence and sounded fog-horns. The dean, on going out to intimidate them with threats of expulsion, was assaulted by students who wore masks and vails, and who pummeled him until a stalwart porter sprang to his rescue. Doors were torn from their hinges; bonfires were kindled; windows were smashed; the keys of the belfry were purloined and the bell was tolled. The emeute grew out of the unpopularity of the dean. He had fined a student for appearing without academic costume, and had put an end to a game of football. Before this outbreak the dean had been subjected to minor persecutions; his letter-box had been crammed with squibs, and when these exploded and he rushed out to find out what was the matter, skirmishers had entered his room, floored the porters, and smashed the furniture. Altogether the students seem to be the same boisterous, devil-may-care revelers whose portraits Charles Lever has sketched with a bold hand.

Bogardus accomplished the wonderful feat at New York, on Friday night, of breaking 1000 glass balls in 1 hour, 42 minutes and 50 seconds. He was matched to break the balls within 2 hours and 40 minutes, with one gun, and the privilege of two sets of barrels. The balls were sprung out of a patent trap, and Bogardus stood 18 yards from the trap. He fired at 1136 balls and broke 1002.

Chief Justice Cartter of the District of Columbia Supreme Court on Saturday dismissed the suit brought against ex-Secretary Bristow by parties inimical to him, and known as the "Kentucky mule case." The claim of the informant in the case was that this mule claim, for which Bristow was the attorney, and which was paid by the order of the Court of Claims, was a fraud, and that the money should be returned to the Government. Chief Justice Cartter said that but for the soreness with which the case was presented by the counsel for the plaintiff he would not have entertained the suit at all. There was no warrant for it whatever.

Steamer Rusland, Capt. DeHorsey, of the Red Star line from Antwerp for New York, went ashore 500 yards south of the West End Hotel at Long Branch, N. J., at eleven o'clock on Saturday night. All the passengers and crew and the passengers' baggage were landed next morning by the life-saving crews of Stations Four and Six. There were five cabin and 120 steerage passengers. The steamer filled with water, and the indications are that she will be a total loss. If the weather is good the cargo may be saved.

Fred Douglass was on Saturday confirmed by the Senate as Marshal of the District of Columbia, by a vote of 30 to 12, nineteen republicans not voting. Beck of Kentucky, Hill of Georgia, Morgan of Alabama, and Garland, democrats, voted to confirm Douglass' appointment.

The stranded steamer Amerique was hauled at least fifty feet southeastward Saturday night, and the prospect of soon floating her is considered good.

Barque San Eden, from Cape de Verdes for Portland, went ashore on Martha's Vineyard during the snow-storm of Saturday morning, and the schooner Jonathan May, from Boston for Philadelphia, went on Cape Cod near North Chatham Saturday afternoon; both vessels will be totally lost.

Ex-Governor Emory Washburn, of Massachusetts, died at Cambridge on Sunday, aged 77 years.

The schooner Christie Campbell, at Gloucester from Georges, Sunday morning, reports having seen a two-topmast schooner capsized, with all sail set, thirty miles off Cape Ann. It was blowing so heavy at the time that she could not go along-side. It is not known whether the crew were saved or not.

Rear Admiral Sir Edward Belcher, the explorer, who commanded the expedition in search of Sir John Franklin in 1852, died on Sunday in London, aged 78 years.

New Hampshire Items.

H. S. Watson's dwelling-house in Warner was partly burned Friday night. Loss $600; insured.

Elbert S. Moses, a prominent business man of South Franklin, committed suicide by hanging himself to a bed-post with a strap Friday night. General depression of spirits was the cause. He was about forty-nine years old, and left one son.

Rev. H. H. Lord, D. D., for thirty years pastor of the Congregational Church at Montpelier, Vt., son of the late President Lord of Dartmouth College, died Saturday morning, after a lingering and painful illness.

In Antrim, Sunday afternoon, two young men, named Campbell and Bailey, had some difficulty about political matters, which ended by Bailey striking Campbell several times in the face. Campbell drew a revolver and shot Bailey through the neck. It is thought that the wound will prove fatal.

Dr. Watson of Conway, formerly of Bethel, Me., left town suddenly on election day, fearing arrest for alleged attempted rape upon a lady patient. Threats of lynching were freely indulged.

Peterboro voted $22,000 and Hillsboro $10,000 for the proposed railway between those towns.

Rev. J. H. Collins, pastor of the First Unitarian church, Lancaster, has tendered his resignation, to take effect April 1st.

Jacob Hirchfield, who was murdered on Harrison Avenue, Boston, March 13th, formerly did business in Manchester, and at the time of his violent death was a member of Hillsborough Lodge, I. O. O. F.

A report prevails in the First District that Gen. Marston will contest Jones' seat on the ground that his election was secured by bribery. We hope the report is true, and we trust that the republican State Committee will furnish all the material aid that Gen. Marston may need for such a contest. Relentless war upon men who buy their way to Congress is the only remedy for this giant and growing evil. The fact that the House is democratic and a contest apparently hopeless should not deter Gen. Marston from a resolute attempt to oust Jones from his purchased seat. The duty which every man owes to posterity demands that he should strike a blow at corruption whenever it becomes his turn. It is Gen. Marston's turn, and we know of no man who can deal more effective blows. Strike and spare not, General, and you will do your State as splendid service as you did on the battlefields of Virginia fifteen years ago. *Nashua Telegraph.*

British Naval Failures.

Persons who consider the American navy the only one in which failures occur in the building and fitting out of ships, may gain new ideas on the subject from the following extract from "*Iron*," the leading engineering journal of England:

The "*Wild Swan*," six gun sloop, has made two very unsatisfactory trials of her machinery at Plymouth, the second trial being even more unsatisfactory than the first, as it was found that no efforts would make the boilers generate enough steam to work the engines at even half speed. She will therefore, although a new ship, have to undergo extensive repairs, which will occupy some time. * * A strict inquiry is being made at Sheerness by order of the Admiralty as to the repeated failures of the "*Turquoise*," twelve-gun screw corvette. This vessel has not been in commission yet, and was only launched last year, but it has been found impossible to do anything with her engines, and she has proved a very expensive failure. She is sister ship to the "*Opal*," Capt. F. C. B. Robinson, which left England last year with her machinery in a miserably defective state. So untrustworthy is the machinery of the "*Opal*" that several accidents have already occurred. On her passage to the Pacific she called at Madeira, and when coming to anchor her starting gear broke down, and, it being impossible to stop the ship, she came into collision with a merchant vessel. As she was ordered to go through the Straits of Magellan, at the best of times very intricate for men-of-war, Capt. Robinson had to take her through; and at a sudden bend in the passage, when it was necessary to ease the engines, the starting gear again broke down, and nearly the whole of the vessel's forefoot was knocked away by the rocks. On her arrival at Valparaiso, where she joined the admiral, several repairs were effected, and a trial trip, under the superintendence of the engineers of the flag-ship, was ordered. On this occasion the machinery, when working at only thirty revolutions, broke down altogether; and on the 28th of December the "*Opal*" sailed from Coquimbo for the east coast of Peru, her engineers having to make the best of her engines.

—There is a "corner" in marriages in New Castle, Lawrence county, N. Y. And thus it happened. The young damsels signed a pledge to the effect that they "will not court nor marry any young man who drinks intoxicating liquors or uses tobacco," and the young men of the same place say "they will neither court nor marry any young lady who laces, pads, wears a big bustle, palpitator or other patent appliance as an improvement on nature." This has "cast a gloom" over social life in that vicinity. It's a fine thing for the billiard rooms and sewing societies.

—The London *Lancet* says that ladies' high-heeled boots produce hysteria in the wearers.

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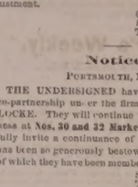

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MISS MARY W. CALDWELL.
7. Violin Duet.—Brillante.....*Dancla*
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MRS. KEMPTON AND MR. FESSENDEN
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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
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East (beyond Portland)	3.45 "	6.30 "
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
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Letters for the night mails (and no others east or west may be dropped in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE "GOOD-NATURED MAN."

Messrs. Editors: I also noticed in your columns of Wednesday last the same item which attracted the interest of your correspondent "Good Nature." The effect on my mind was so opposite to that produced upon "Good Nature" that it affords an amusing illustration of the proverb that "what's one man's meat is another man's poison." I read with glowing satisfaction the announcement that there was a band of ladies and gentlemen in this town of sufficient culture, refinement and enterprise to put upon the stage a fine old English comedy, written by one of the "immortal few," containing incident, wit, and amusing situations enough to furnish material for forty of the cheap farces with which the modern stage is flooded. If there is anything as dreary and void of interest as most of the so-called side-splitting farces, I don't know what it is, unless it be a last year's almanac. OLD PLAY.

QUITE ANOTHER MATTER.

The Dover *Democrat* last week published the following dispatch, sent from Dover to a Boston paper:

"Prominent republicans here are claiming the election of General Marston on the ground of the action of Governor Weston in the case of Nat Head, asserting that Frank Jones' legal name is Frank in Jones, and has never been changed. They insist that Governor Cheney will be obliged to follow the precedent established by his predecessor and sanctioned by the Supreme Court of the State, and give the certificate to General Marston."

This suggestion seems to have affected the *Democrat's* editor as a red rag does a turkey-gobbler, and he charges upon it with much noisy wrath. He says for Gov. Cheney to do what this dispatch indicates would be an "act of infamy" and would make his reputation nasuvory in the nostrils "to the latest generation of man"—a long time, by the way—and suggests that to discover "the man whom the people intended to vote for and did vote for" is all the business the Governor has in the matter. Further, the *Democrat* "does not believe he [Governor Cheney] is any such man" as to pattern his conduct on the Weston infamy. We do not remember that the Dover *Democrat*, or any other democratic paper in the State opposed the shameless scoundrelism first advocated by the Concord *People* and to carry out which James A. Weston showed himself a willing tool, by which over three thousand voters were arbitrarily disfranchised to secure the election of a man whom the people had rejected, though it was not even pretended there was any doubt concerning "the man whom the people intended to vote for and did vote for;" on the contrary, there was much grandiloquent talk about "the letter of the law," but none about justice and honor. But we agree with the *Democrat* now, that for Governor Cheney to act as Weston did would justly expose him to the same contempt visited upon Weston, and that Gov. Cheney is not "any such man." And if he were to attempt any such villainy as Weston carried out, instead of being universally applauded by his party press, as Weston was, he would be denounced by every republican paper in the State. The *Democrat* need not fear that Gov. Cheney will duplicate the Weston "act of infamy."

JOTTINGS.

Another triumph for blue glass. On last Saturday a laboring man who has been out of work all winter and whose treasury was reduced to the last two-dollar bill, put two panes of blue glass in his kitchen window, and that afternoon his wife found $4.87 in a broken-nosed teapot in the cupboard.

We have received the April number of the *Folio*, which contains, besides the usual amount of miscellaneous reading and choice music, a portrait of Miss Emma C Thursby, who enjoys the distinction of receiving the largest salary as a church choir singer, she receiving, in Brooklyn, $3,000 per year, coach hire, and hotel expenses. The *Folio* is published by White, Smith & Co., No. 516 Washington street, Boston.

The following item we clip from the Boston *Post* of Monday: "Mr. A. O. Child, late a resident of Brooklyn, was accidentally drowned at Callao, Peru, on the 16th of February last. Deceased, at the time of his death, was first officer of the ship Theobald, and was originally from Portsmouth, N. H."

The Concord *Monitor* has received returns from all the towns in this Congressional district, and publishes the vote as 13,924 for Frank Jones, 13,875 for Gilman Marston, and 98 for Moulton, the prohibition candidate. Plurality for Jones, 49.

Parts 33 to 36 inclusive of "Zell's Popular Encyclopedia" have been received from the publishers, T. Ellwood Zell, Davis & Co. Few serial works issued in this country have met with such remarkable success as this. In issuing the present edition, the former ones have been most carefully scanned and revised, while several thousand additions have been made. The complete work will contain, in addition to the several thousand illustratio s, eighteen valuable maps, engraved on steel and finely colored. It may justly be said that no work of the kind can compare with this in comprehensive range of information, clearness, and conciseness of statements, readiness of answer to any inquiry, and economy in price. The general agent for New England is Horace King, Thompsonville, Conn.

The democratic New Haven *Union* says: "Blind prejudice and bigotry still lurk in the granite hills of New Hampshire. The one constitutional amendment rejected on Tuesday removed the requirement that members of the Legislature 'shall be of the Protestant faith.' The clause has been a dead letter for some time, but solely for the reason that men of enlightened views have been chosen to the Legislature and no member's religion has been questioned. For the past five years the two most useful members of the Legislature were Catholics." Who those "two most useful members of the Legislature" are the *Union* does not say, and we do not know of any Catholic member who has wielded remarkable influence for five years past; but we may remind the *Union* that if the religious test is still retained it will be mainly due to the vote of the strongly democratic towns of the interior.

We have just received the Annual Report of the former Superintendent of Public Instruction in this State, Hon. J. W. Simonds of Franklin. It is a voluminous work, comprising nearly six hundred duodecimo pages, and containing an abundance of useful information to every one interested in the welfare, improvement and present standing of the common schools of New Hampshire. Mr. Simonds has reflected much credit upon himself in thus gathering so many items of interest relating to the subject of education. We have no time at present to examine and compare the condition of our schools with those of other New England States, but reserve the task for some future opportunity.

Political.

The Northern democrats in Washington are a good deal alarmed at the progress made toward securing a republican organization of the next House. Those interested in the movement say that at least fifteen democratic votes are already pledged for a republican Speaker. Clerk McPherson, who was for twelve years Clerk of the House, has said that he shall be a candidate for Clerk of the next House.

A Portland barber has announced his intention of not recognizing the Hayes government. And lawyer Beach only recognizes the government under protest. And so the revolt goes on.

Detective Officer James White of Cincinnati, Ohio, was sentenced to thirteen months in the penitentiary, Saturday for being implicated in the democratic election frauds engineered by Eph Holland, the "sport," which elected Banning to the U. S. House of Representatives over Stanley Matthews, at the October election last year.

—Rev. Joseph Cook lectured in New Haven, Conn., last Friday night, on "Scepticism in Eastern Massachusetts." He attacked Harvard College with such vigor that the Yale men in the audience positively licked their chops for joy. "If Harvard had had a Dwight," said he, "the history of that institution and of Boston would be different." At this point a big fellow in the audience ejaculated: "Hoop it up for Dwight! Was he in the crew?" It was Bob Cook.

—That invaluable publication the London *Court Journal*, chronicles the great event that the other night Lady Holland's poodle was suddenly taken sick, and when its noble mistress arose to take it to the nurse she made a misstep and fell to the bottom of a flight of stairs.

—It is said of a bankrupt Michigan firm: "The schedule of liabilities is fifteen feet long; assets very small."

The Verdict.

The progress of a valuable invention is like the progress of truth, suspected at first, though very beneficial to those who have the courage to try it; abused as its popularity seems to spread, and establishing its triumph at last by carrying happiness into palace and cottage by the resistless efforts of time and its own virtues. Such is the history of Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines. Their signal triumph is proof positive that they have virtues which neither suspicion, abuse, nor time, can invalidate. Dr. Pierce's Memorandum Books given away at all drug stores.

Contest over the Adoption of our Constitution.

In this country the opponents of the Constitution of 1787—our happy Constitution—were quite as sure that that terrible instrument would destroy popular liberty as Lord Shelburne was that the British star would set if America became independent. "'Tis really astonishing," said Richard Henry Lee, "that the same people who have just emerged from a long and cruel war in defence of liberty should now agree to fix an elective despotism upon themselves and their posterity." "Some of the powers must be abridged," said Samuel Chase, "or public liberty will be endangered, and in time destroyed." Joshua Atherton congratulated anti-Constitution members of the New York Convention that they had the opportunity "to save our devoted country from impending ruin." George Clinton said of the same Convention: "The friends to the rights of mankind outnumber the advocates of despotism nearly two to one."

Nor was the opposition confined to words. The spirit of party was fierce. Mr. John C. Hamilton asserts that there was a party combination to take the life of his father, the great champion of the Constitution, by the duel; and Colonel Oswald did certainly challenge him, but upon explanation withdrew the challenge. On the 3d of July, 1788, twenty days before the New York Convention adopted the Constitution, came the news of the ratification by Virginia. The friends of the new charter marched to the fort in Albany, read it aloud with exultation, and fired a salute. The next day, the Fourth of July, the opponents of the Constitution, who believed that its adoption would be the setting of the star of American liberty, marched to the fort and burned the charter. Its friends, rejoicing in prospective victory, attempted to pass triumphantly the house where the other party were holding their celebration. But the latter fell upon them and drove them back. The Constitutionalists rallied, and approached by another street. But again the other party were ready, and had planted a small cannon loaded with stones to repel the assaulting column. The Constitutionalists pressed on, and as the dragoons at their head began the charge, the anti-Constitutionalists tried to fire the cannon. But it had been spiked, like the gun in Governor Dorr's assault upon the Providence arsenal in 1842, or the priming was wet, and it would not explode. A conflict followed, and the stony battle of Green Street is historical.

In the city of New York, after the Constitution was adopted, its friends resolved to punish its opponents by destroying the press of the publisher Greenleaf, whose paper had been the organ of opposition. They assaulted his house. He fired a pistol among them, and gallantly defended his castle. But the mob triumphed. Greenleaf and his friends fled, and the publication of the paper was suspended for many days. The rioters also proposed to visit General John Lamb, a tough old soldier of the Revolution, who was Collector of the Port under the State government, and who was subsequently appointed to the same position under the new Constitution by President Washington. Lamb was as brave as a lion. He made due preparation. Four veterans of the war, two young men, and a colored servant who had attended Lamb at the battle of Monmouth, composed the garrison of the house. The general directed in person. His house was on the south side of Wall Street, midway between Pearl and William Streets, about the present site of the banking house of Brown Brothers. He had lain in fifteen or twenty stand of arms, with proper ammunition and side-arms. The lower doors and windows were barred, the hall was barricaded with the furniture of the dining-room, the stairway was obstructed in the same manner, and the garrison was massed in the second story. The boys were stationed at the magazine to hand fresh muskets and to load. The general placed each man, with strict orders not to fire until he should begin the action, and all the lights in the house were extinguished except at the arsenal. Loop-holes were cut in the window-shutters for observation, and the general calmly awaited the assault. The rioters arrived. They filled the street in a dense throng. They roared, threatened, and challenged. But there was no reply. The house was dark and silent. The leaders of the mob held a council of war. They decided that the house was either deserted or garrisoned. They knew General Lamb, and concluded that it was probably not deserted. Then embracing the better part of valor, and shouting defiance, they withdrew.

The Constitution so bitterly opposed was adopted. But it has not ruined our devoted country, as Joshua Atherton feared, nor have the rights of mankind been imperilled, as George Clinton believed. The desponding American to-day, as he hears gloomy forebodings that we have surely reached the end, that liberty has now been finally overthrown, and that only accumulating disaster remains, should carefully inquire whether Jeremiah belongs to a party that has won or lost, and remember Lord Shelburne, Burke, Benedick, Clinton, and the Constitution that was to destroy America.—*Harper's Magazine for April.*

—DIED.

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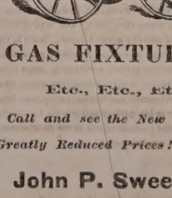

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Eastern R. R. scrip	38
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Boston & Albany	125
Nashua & Lowell	89
Concord	78
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	130
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	103
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Twenty (20) per centum of the purchase money must be deposited at the time of sale, and the balance paid in cash when the sale is confirmed by the Secretary of the Navy, the vessels to be removed within ten days from the date of such confirmation.

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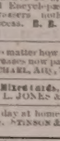

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Perils of the Deep.

The uncommonly long list of disasters with which the marine records of the past winter have been burthened, has been tinged with just enough of romance to give the requisite amount of shade to the dark picture of wretchedness, suffering and death. The details of the wreck of the Yarmouth, N. S., ship "Ellen Goudy" in the Pacific Ocean is a case in point. The ship sailed from San Francisco, Aug. 28th, for Antwerp, and on the 6th of October went ashore on Elizabeth Island and was abandoned. The officers and crew landed on the island, and found shelter in a cave. Several attempts were made to obtain stores from the wreck, but all failed. In exploring the island the men found an encampment, which had probably been occupied by some shipwrecked crew. A number of empty cans, tins, bottles and a flour barrel were near it. The barrel was rebooped and repaired to hold water. A tub of sauipand bouilli was also found, and some good cocoanuts were obtained from the trees. Sea fowl were plentiful, and many were killed. Several heavy showers enabled them to

replenish their water. On the 12th of October, the captain, his daughter, and six men left in the boat for Pitcairn's Island, leaving five men behind. On the 18th the boat was seen from the ship "City of Vienna," bound from San Francisco for Liverpool, and her crew were taken on board. The ship proceeded to Elizabeth Island and rescued the men left there. Considering the circumstances attending the wreck, it is wonderful all hands were saved.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 1877.

Assistant Secretary Conant.

For two or three days stories implicating Hon. Charles F. Conant, of this State, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, and Daniel Baker, chief of the loan branch of the Secretary's office, in alleged irregular transactions, have been industriously circulated, but when traced down are found to have originated with W. B. Moore, Chief Special Agent, who acknowledged the authorship, but said they were true, and that he was determined to have Conant and Baker removed. Secretary of the Treasury Sherman, when asked what foundation there was for the stories affecting the integrity of Conant and Baker, said they were scandalously false; that he had looked into the matter, and was fully satisfied that there was not the slightest truth in any of the allegations. He had directed an enquiry to be made into certain alleged fraudulent affidavits relating to the payment of unclaimed interests, but with which Conant had no more connection than the man in the moon. Secretary Sherman said farther he had authorized a positive denial of the statement that he was dissatisfied with Conant and contemplated his removal. Mr. Conant's New Hampshire friends have given no credit to the report of his implication in any interest fraud or any other fraud in connection with his department. They understand that he has been the uncompromising foe of corruption ever since he entered the Treasury Department as a subordinate clerk years ago, from which he has steadily risen by virtue of his fidelity and capacity to be one of the most valuable officers in the Government. When suspicion points at such a man he is entitled not only to a suspension of judgment but to unshaken confidence. If Mr. Conant is not a square man, then we shall despair of finding one in Washington, and shall think there is a moral poison in the atmosphere of that city more noxious than its pestilential malaria.

News and Notes.

Howe & French, wholesale druggists, of Boston, are charged with crookedness in alcoholic dealings, but flatly deny that they have been guilty of any offence.

Fannie G. Mest, five years old, was run over by an Eastern Railroad freight train at the Perkins street crossing in Charlestown, Monday afternoon, and her arm crushed so it had to be taken off. She will probably die.

The suit against Jordan, Marsh & Co., of Boston, begun in 1873 to recover for alleged undervaluation of imported goods, has been settled by the payment by defendants of $30,230.66, fine and costs. The defendants in the case claim—and that the errors in the service were technical, arising from a misapprehension of the law.

Worcester, Mass., has a hydrophobic panic, occasioned by a large number of dogs and several human beings being bitten by a mad dog.

Rev. S. H. McGee of the Ashton, Ill., Christian Church is in jail, charged with killing his wife to marry the daughter of one of his rich parishioners. The girl is twenty, pretty, and was engaged when McGee began to pay her special attentions, and he had been in the place but a few months when he was caught kissing the girl at a camp-meeting. His wife, who had borne him two children, was much loved by the people. Latterly, she had been having mysterious attacks of illness, and a week or so ago died in spasms. Strychnine was found in her stomach, and the evidence is strong that her husband administered it. McGee is a dandified man of thirty-six, and his attentions to the girl had broken up her previous marriage engagement, and there is no doubt but that his intention was to marry her and secure the large dowry the father was to give her. One of the peculiarities of the case is that the girl's father sides with the parson and will probably pay the expenses of his trial.

The *Railway Age*, of Chicago, in an elaborate review of changes in railway condition during 1876, presents some gloomy facts. Ten roads, of 2757 miles, the nominal value of whose stock and bonds amounted to $156,661,000, defaulted; 46 roads, of 7576 miles, value $538,000,000, had foreclosure suits commenced; 30 roads were sold under foreclosure,—3846 miles, $217,848,000 value; making 86 corporations, operating 14,179 miles, having a nominal capital of $912,699,000, nearly one-fifth of all the capital in railways in the United States.

Edward N. Lathrop, 26 years old, son of the foreman of the Atlantic Works at East Boston, committed suicide by taking morphine, Monday night.

The steamer "Entere City," from St. Louis, arrived at New Orleans recently with six barges in tow, containing 41,608 packages, consisting in part of 6,110 bbls. flour, 600 bbls. meal, 393 bbls. pork, 311 pkgs. lard, 47 pkgs. bacon, 1008 rolls bagging, 11,132 sacks corn, 5018 sack oats, 11,660 sacks cotton seed meal, 3,224 sacks oil cake, 105,259 bushels corn in bulk. The New Orleans *Times* says: "Take it all in all, that cargo beats all, and should make the railroads of the country acknowledge the corn, that the barge line can beat them in carrying big freight trips, and on quicker time than they can do it by far."

The Apache Indians are again troublesome in Texas on the Colorado river. Several people have been killed there recently, including Marshall Jewell, a well known hunter. Some fifty men are in pursuit of a raiding party.

The *Tribune's* St. Paul special says that the trial of Major A. Reno of the 7th Cavalry, commanding Fort Abercrombie, before a Court Martial (Colonel Hazen presiding), is drawing to a close. The trial is private, but it is known that charges were brought by Capt. J. M. Bell, stationed at Fort Abercrombie, specifying infamous proposals to Bell's wife and slanderous conversation and writing concerning her. These charges are understood to have been sustained by the evidence of Mrs. Bell, and by the evidence of an army chaplain, that Reno had cast decided reflections on the character of Mrs. Bell when talking to him (the chaplain).

New Hampshire Items.

Mrs. D. Osborn of Peterboro has experienced great relief from the blue glass cure; she was afflicted with partial paralysis.

It is alleged that the accounts of A. H. Batchelder, Town Treasurer of Loudon, who recently left the State for California, show a deficiency of $1500. The town will suffer no loss, his bondsman, William K. Holt, having made good the deficit.

The manufacturing interests of Peterboro' are awakening rapidly. Last week both paper mills and one cotton mill started up, all of which have been idle since last fall. The wages are low, but it is far better than continued idleness. The Monadnock Railroad has got the vote of the town to aid the construction of the Peterboro' and Hillsboro' Railroad.

Political.

The question, stripped of all side issues, is this: Can the President secure a support at the South which can guarantee the safety of all citizens in the exercise of their rights? No one doubts that many liberal Southern men would gladly do their utmost to bring about this result, but can they do enough? President Grant secured the support of Longstreet and Mosby, but were not those leaders immediately discarded and ostracised by those whose acquaintance the President sought to gain? Not less, but greater disorder, not less, but greater outrages, have followed the unsuccessful effort to win to the defense of equal rights and equal justice a substantial white element at the South. President Hayes will have to meet the same difficulty. Whether he can secure that division of Southern sentiment which alone will make it possible for the ablest and most liberal men of the South to sustain with effect a policy at once just and generous, is the problem which he has to solve.—*Tribune.*

Stanley Matthews was on Tuesday elected to the United States Senate by the Legislature of Ohio. Most of the democrats in both branches voted blanks.

Correspondence.

KINGSTON, March 17th.

At the annual election the citizens of this old democratic town were greatly agitated by a question outside of politics. Rev. Ward Clark, the first pastor of the Congregational Church here, in 1737, bequeathed to "his beloved people at Kingston" his "dwelling house and home place, for a perpetual *parsonage*, to be improved for the use of the ministry there." The conditions were accepted, and for eighty years the property was used for the purpose expressed by the testator. Afterward the house and lands were sold for $895, and the interest of the money divided into eight parts and given to men professing to represent eight different societies. In 1876 a vote was passed to give $50 of that money for the ministry of the church organized by Mr. Clark; but the Methodists served an injunction on the treasurer, forbidding him to pay it. On Wednesday, the 14th, the second day of the meeting, a crowd was collected and held together till late at night, and voted that this money be divided among all parties again. It is rather discouraging if good men who wish to aid feeble churches and societies cannot invest any funds for such a purpose, without the danger that their legacies may be perverted to defeat the very end for which they were designed. The vote of the town for Governor was as follows: For Prescott 137, Marcy 142. Representative elected, Amos C. Chase, republican. Selectmen, Samuel E. Woodman, Moses J. French, A. J. Davis. Collector, B. F. Cram. CITIZEN.

YORK, Me., March 20th.

Town officers elected in York, Mar. 19; Moderator, G. W. S. Putnam; Clerk, Nath. G. Marshall; Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of Poor, Josiah D. Bragdon, James A. Bragdon, George W. Currier; Treasurer and Collector, J. Frank Paul; Agent, Joseph Bragdon; Supt. Sch. Committee, Rev. Joseph Freeman; Auditor, G. W. S. Putman;—all republicans except second selectman. It was voted to raise, for schools, the amount required by law; for ordinary expenses, $2000; for town debt, $3000. Constables, J. Frank Paul, Jos. Bragdon, Geo. Thompson, Geo. F. Plaisted. P.

ELIOT, ME., March 20th.

At the annual town meeting here, on the 19th, the democratic ticket was successful by an average majority of twenty-eight, as follows: Town Clerk, Howard Staples; Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor, Moses Goodwin, Charles A. Shapleigh, Charles H. Cole; Town Agent, John R. Hanscom; Superintending School Committee, Ichabod Cole; Treasurer, William J. Paul; Collector of Taxes, Samuel Clark; Constable, James M. Raitt; Auditors, Elisha G. Ferguson, Robert Spinney. J.

Using His Influence.

A good citizen, who has the cause of temperance at heart, was one day travelling up and down Michigan avenue to watch for topers and to coax them to sign the pledge and mend their ways. He got hold of three hard cases at once and took them into a boot and shoe store to argue the point. They were willing to listen, but obstinate about signing, and the good man went out to secure more influence. He met a butcher whom he had long known, and explaining the case to him, the butcher replied—

"They won't sign, eh? Well, now you see if they don't! They know me, and they'll put their names down like a streak of lightning!"

Entering the store he unfolded the pledge, and to the first he said—

"Tom, I want your fist to this."

"I druther not," replied Tom.

"You put your name down here or I'll give you the worst thumping you ever got, and don't forget it!" yelled the butcher.

Tom signed, and then the man of meat crooked his finger at Jim, who didn't hesitate a minute. The third one didn't know the butcher, and he said he wouldn't sign the pledge for no man.

"I guess you will—I guess you will!" said the butcher, as he rolled up his sleeves. "I'm coming now!"

He took the toper by the throat, flung him over a box of boots and into a corner, and in thirty-nine seconds from the first dash the toper called out—, "Let up on me and gimme the pen!"

He signed, and then placing the three in a row in front of him the butcher said; "I am temperance all over, and my whole heart is in this work. If I catch either of you guzzling in any more drink I'll tie you in a knot around a lamp post and pump you out with a fire steamer! G'lang now, and see if you can't convert some one else!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

—The runaway girl and her lover were riding past Casey Station, Tenn., when the stern parent galloped to the front on a mule and pulled her out of the wagon. Putting her on the mule's back and taking his place behind her, he whistled to his steed. "Sally, if you love me, slide off!" whispered the lover. Wriggling out of her father's grasp, she did so slide. Then the lover fought with the unnatural parent and triumphed over him, and the mule ran away with the two spoons.

—A young man in Dubuque, Iowa, went on Saturday to a country dance, and did not return to his home until the church bells were ringing the next morning. His father told him he must go to meeting, and he went. Before the minister had finished the opening prayer, the young reveler was sound asleep and dreaming of the dance. An old lady who sat next to him touched his hand to arouse him, whereupon he seized her wrist and shouted, "All join hands and circle to the left. Swing the girl with the blue dress on."

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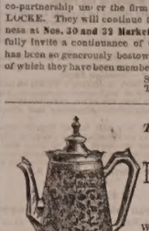

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TEH SCHOOL REPORT.

In looking over the recently published City Accounts a day or two since, I stumbled upon a report of the present condition of our common schools, which seems to be fairly written, although it fails to enlighten us to any great extent upon the subject in hand. It is refreshing, however, to a parent and tax-payer, to learn anything concerning an institution that requires for its proper support an annual outlay of nearly $25,000. Our school committee men have for some years past been provokingly silent upon the matters given them in charge, and hence we feel to thank the present chairman of the school board for condescending to give us any information, even though it is not so thorough and practical as it should have been. One point however, is worthy of discussion,—that relating to the instruction of our teachers in the art of drawing. At the first glance, it seems well enough to teach our teachers any special branches that they may need to know in order that in turn they may impart the knowledge thus gained to the young minds in their charge; but it appears to me like opening a door that will be hard to shut. This matter of employing school teachers and paying them the high rates of wages that they are receiving, and then hiring others to instruct them, is piling on the agony a little too steep for the comfort of our tax-paying community. The guardians of our public schools have but recently succeeded in weeding from our already too long list of school expenses that undesirable luxury—music-teaching; and it would be well, for a while at least, to stick to the old time-honored studies that were successfully taught in my boyhood, and not wander about among specialties; luxuries which are desirable, to be sure, but not needful. Good men and women—yea, intelligent men and women, who are to-day discharging the great duties of public as well as private life, were reared on the solid and substantial pabulum of the common branches, Arithmetic, Grammar, Geography, History of the United States, and perhaps Physiology—although the latter branch is a little outside the realm of our common school instruction. We submit that too much seasoning endangers the nutritive qualities of the bread. There are some other weak points in the Report alluded to, which I propose to comment upon at an early day. There is also much more to be said against this *ornamental* teaching, such as that of music, drawing, etc., that neither time nor space will allow me to discuss in this article.

A TAX-PAYER.

JOTTINGS.

The Boston *Traveller* would like to know the cost of each vote of the 49 plurality (assuming that to be the number) received by the democratic candidate for Congress in this district. A thousand dollars a vote is probably a very low estimate—and this does not include the compensation of Mr. Caleb Moulton, the gentleman who, after taking part in the various republican conventions, (and later tarrying a night at the Rockingham House, Mr. Jones' splendid hotel,) accepted the prohibition nomination for Congress and secured 98 votes,—not a great number, certainly, but enough to ensure the election of Mr. Jones. If Mr. Moulton's reward was made "contingent on result in March," as Pelton wanted Crosby's to be, his pay ought to be something really handsome.

One of the prettiest songs now published is "Gathering Shells from the Sea Shore," composed by Will L. Thompson and for sale by all music dealers.

The schooner Abbott Lawrence, Captain Haskell, of Boston, owned by J. S. Emery & Co., with a cargo of spirits and meal from Boston for St. John, was run into by an unknown schooner off Boon Island on the 16th and cut to the water's edge. She was immediately abandoned and when last seen was on her beams ends. The other schooner was badly damaged. The crew was fished up by the schooner Oliver Jameson and taken into Rockland after being in the boat sixteen hours, badly frost-bitten. [The Abbott Lawrence was no doubt the vessel reported by the schooner Christie Campbell, which arrived at Gloucester on Sunday from a fishing trip, as having been seen thirty miles off Cape Ann, capsized, with all sail set. The vessel which ran down the Abbott Lawrence has not been heard of, and probably went to the bottom with all hands.]

The United States District Court, Judge Daniel Clark presiding, met in this city Tuesday forenoon. There being no business, court adjourned until Tuesday, June 19th, at Exeter.

The grand concert complimentary to the Newell Brothers was just what it was expected it would be—one of the very best concerts ever given in this city. The church was filled with an audience that could appreciate the class of music performed, and did appreciate it highly, for we have heard only unreserved commendations of the entire entertainment. Miss Mary W. Caldwell is certainly one of the most pleasing readers who ever appeared in public here, and Mr. Cowles, as organist, deserved the praise with which he was heralded; of Mrs. Kempton and Mr. Fessenden, as vocalists, it is needless to speak, further than to say that they fully sustained their reputations as finished singers. The violin playing of course was the feature of the evening, and was greatly enjoyed, the performance of Willis E. Nowell being warmly applauded,—but as no description which we can give would do any kind of justice to this part of the concert, we shall not attempt any. The gathering of such an audience as was present was a deserved compliment to the beneficiaries and the performers, and the entertainment offered was a rich musical treat.

THE WESTON INFAMY.

In 1875, thirty-seven hundred and seventy-one votes cast for Natt Head for State Senator were declared nullities, for reasons set forth in the following resolution, offered by the democratic Councillor McKean, and adopted May 17, 1875, by the democratic Council and Governor:

"That the votes cast and returned in District No. 2 for Natt Head, numbering 3771, be rejected on the ground that they were intended to be cast for Nathaniel Head of Hooksett, and did not contain the full Christian name of the candidate voted for. * * * And that these votes being rejected from the computation, James Priest, having received a majority of all the votes legally cast and returned in said district, be declared elected, and be summoned to take his seat in the Senate on the first Wednesday of June next, by the Governor."

Precisely the same reasons exist for rejecting the votes cast for Frank Jones that were set up in the above resolution for rejecting the votes cast for Natt Head. The full Christian name of Mr. Jones is Franklin, as appears by more conclusive evidence than was ever produced in the case of Natt Head. His own father may be supposed to know the facts, and in the last will and testament of that gentleman, who was Thomas Jones of Barrington, in the county of Strafford and State of New Hampshire, appears the following section, it being the fourth entire:

"I also give and bequeath unto my son *Franklin Jones* the sum of four hundred and fifty dollars, to be paid him one year after my decease by my executor."

Now what can any democrat in decency say against the adoption by Governor Cheney and Council of a resolution running as follows:

"That the votes cast and returned in District No. 1 for Frank Jones, numbering 13,924, be rejected on the ground that they were intended to be cast for Franklin Jones of Portsmouth, and did not contain the full Christian name of the candidate voted for. * * * And that these votes being rejected from the computation, Gilman Marston, having received a majority of all the votes legally cast and returned in said district, be declared elected, and be summoned to take his seat in the House on the assembling of the Forty-Fifth Congress."

Most of the democratic papers are discreet enough to hold their peace over the suggestion that Gov. Cheney should follow the precedent set by Weston and his fellow-conspirators, the Dover *Democrat* being the only one (so far as we know) that foams at the mouth over it; they know that Governor Cheney could not be induced to act with such utter disregard of honor and justice as Weston did, and that the republican party would not allow him to if he was himself willing; and they are aware that they cannot consistently denounce under its true name—an infamous crime—conduct which they applauded as noble and honorable in 1875, when it was to give them a political advantage to which they were not entitled. The Dover *Democrat* need not be troubled; Person C. Cheney and the republican party of New Hampshire will never descend to the level of James A. Weston and his abettors.

A Remarkable Man.

Frederick Douglass, whom the President has appointed Marshal of the District of Columbia, is one of the most conspicuous illustrations of the progress which has been made in certain directions in our country during the past fifteen years. He was born a slave in Maryland, his parents being part of the drove of human cattle "owned" by a wealthy planter. At the risk of severe penalties, for the laws of Maryland forbade the education of such property as he was, he learned to read and write, and secretly improved his mind until he became a fair scholar. In 1838, when he was 21 years old, he made his escape to New York, and then to Massachusetts, where he arrived without even a name of his own, for slaves were only named in those days, Tom, Dick and Harry. In his new home he soon became noted as an orator, and though he had taken a new name the man hunters were soon on his track, and his new-found friends were forced to ship him to England to prevent his return to slavery. Nowhere in the United States, "the land of the free," was this brilliant, self-made, heroic man safe. In England his great talents soon drew attention toward him and his history, and some friends there made up, by subscription, the price which his owner asked for him, and in 1846 he was bought and delivered to himself. He then returned to America and devoted himself to rousing the people to a realization of the great crime by which his race was kept in bondage, and until the abolition of slavery was one of the most conspicuous anti-slavery orators in the land.

Charles Dickens' Namesake.

While Mr. Charles Dickens was last in this country and lived at the Westminster Hotel, something of a sensation was caused in the establishment by the birth of a child, its mother being an industrious and comely chambermaid employed in the house. One of the lady boarders, the wife of an ex-Minister to France, took great interest in the little stranger and its unfortunate mother, and besides preparing clothing for the child she occupied herself in interesting the guests in behalf of the hapless pair. The girl had had charge of Mr. Dickens' rooms, and that gentleman made a prompt response to the appeal. He placed $200 in the hands of the housekeeper, with orders to take good care of mother and child; and further, he succeeded in persuading the poor girl to reveal the name of her betrayer. He was a Wall street man, a well-known broker. At first, when confronted with the mother's statement, he denied all acquaintance with his victim, and it was only by threats of exposure that he was prevailed upon to contribute towards the fund that Mr. Dickens had started for her benefit. As soon as the girl was able to be up and about, her child—whom she named after Mr. Dickens—was placed with a family in Westchester County and the mother sent out West with a complete outfit, a small sum of money and the whole world before her. She changed her name and soon secured work; she lived respectably, and has since married well. Her husband was made acquainted with her one *faux pas* and its consequences, forgave them like a man and sent for her child and adopted it as his own. Little Charles Dickens ——, his mother and step-father are now living in a small Western town, and no doubt one of them at least has not yet ceased to bless the name of the great English novelist.

—Book-keeping may be taught in three words—Never lend them.

—The Keystone Bridge Company are building for the Cincinnati Southern Railway a bridge, the channel span of which is to be 520 feet,—the longest truss bridge known. The span of 515 feet across the river Loch in Holland being the longest now known.

—The shifts resorted to by Boston reporters to get into Mr. Moody's meetings are many and various. Lately, having exhausted all methods allowable in their own proper persons, they have stolen into the inquiry meetings "in the disguise of sinners," and the good man doesn't discover the deception.

—The plantation negroes were engaged in pitching coppers. It was discovered that after a while several coppers were missing, though no one had been detected in picking up any but his own pennies. One old negro, whose coppers had mysteriously disappeared, at length becoming satisfied in his mind that there was foul play going on, and observing that one of the barefooted party had a peculiar way, every now and then, of jerking his foot up to his hand, called a pause in the game, saying: "De gemman wif tar on his heel will please to wifdraw." The suspected individual retiring on this polite invitation, the game went on without the mysterious disappearance of any more coppers.

—A New York lawyer, whose counting-room overlooked a North River pier, while waiting for a client, saw a letter floating in the water. He stepped out of the office, fished up the letter with his cane and opened it. It was written in a fine running hand, a woman's hand; it was bright and interesting; it was addressed to "My dear uncle," and bore the full signature of a Portland lady. The lawyer sent the letter to the lady with a note describing the manner in which it had been recovered. In answering his letter she explained that the "dear uncle" was a captain of a steamboat plying on the Sound. Letters were exchanged and there was a wedding in Portland late in February; and now there are two happy people in Plainfield, N. J. All of which is destiny.

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DIED.

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Some sad scenes attend the death of a Congress. Said one of the ex-members to me the other day, one who has had an honorable though uneventful and unimportant career: "I have now been in public life for twelve years. By the redistricting of my State my District has been abolished. I am almost glad to get out of the public service, and yet I do not know what to do. They have called us thieves, but I have scarcely money enough to support my family in respectability for six months. I was bred a lawyer, and have had my old shingle for the last ten years creaking upon its rusty hinges before my office door in my native town. It is a little town. The business is small, and has greatly changed, and the people have almost forgotten me as a lawyer, and I doubt, if I commence life there again, if I could earn my salt. The young men have got all the clients, and need and deserve them, because they know the modern ways of the courts. The truth is, it is like beginning life over again, and the prospects are pretty blue. I tell you, young man, if you ever have any ambition for public life, don't do it. It is a pretty sorrowful spectacle to see a man three-score years of age in my condition."—*Washington letter.*

—A boy was leading a poor old horse through the street when a gentleman asked him why he didn't get on horseback and ride. "Horse-back!" replies the boy; it chafes me to lead him!"

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Lard per pound, 12 cents.
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Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
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Sugar per lb. Br. 10½ @ 11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
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Eastern R. R. scrip	53
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	83
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Boston & Albany	123
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Concord	78
Eastern	4½
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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Lincoln as a Lawyer.

As a trial lawyer Abraham Lincoln had few equals, and no superiors. He was as hard a man to beat in a closely contested case as I have ever met. He was wise in knowing what to attempt, and what to let alone. He was fair to the court, the jury, and his adversary, but candor compels me to say that he by practice learned there was power in this. As he entered the trial, where most lawyers object he would say he "reckoned" it would be fair to let this in or that; and sometimes, when his adversary could not prove what Mr. Lincoln knew to be the truth, he would say he "reckoned" it would be fair to admit the truth to be so and so. When he did object to the court, after he heard the objection answered, he would often say, "Well, I reckon I must be wrong." Now about the time he had practiced this three-quarters through a case, if his adversary didn't understand him he would wake up in a few minutes finding that he had feared the Greeks too late, and wake up to find himself beat. He was wise, as a serpent in the trial of a cause, but I tell you I have got too many scars from his blows to certify that he was harmless as a dove. When the whole thing is unravelled, the adversary begins to see that what he was so blandly giving away was simply what he couldn't get and keep. By giving away six points and carrying the seventh, he carried his case, and the whole case hanging on the seventh, he traded everything off which would give him the least aid in carrying that. Any man who took Mr. Lincoln for a simple-minded man would soon wake up on his back in a ditch.—*Ex.*

Some Extraordinary Weddings.

The first was in the Raleigh, N. C., jail last week. Rames is serving a three months' sentence for stabbing three men. He fell in love with Louisa, who lived across the way; she showed him little attentions, and he courted her and proposed through the bars. The sheriff gave out invitations to the wedding, which was a brilliant affair, and after the ceremony the bride entered the cell to finish the sentence with her lord.

A queer old German, past seventy, called at the Baltimore City Hall last week for a permit to go to the Bayview Asylum and take his choice of a wife from the female inmates. He said that seven years ago he went there on a similar errand, selected a woman, popped the question and was accepted and married at once. She made a good frau, and they lived happily together; but she had been dead three years and he was lonely, and wanted to try a Bayview woman once more. The permission was given him and the old fellow got another one.

There was a romantic wedding at East St. Louis recently. The couple were engaged in Illinois in 1856, but the girl suddenly married another man, who afterward became a prominent railroad official. The disconsolate lover, J. H. McCullough, enlisted in the regular army and finally became a lieutenant. The two knew nothing more of each other till a year ago, when the husband died. McCullough's old love revived. He resigned the army, found the widow keeping a boarding-house for conductors, engineers and clerks at St. Louis, was accepted and on a recent Sunday night married her. The boarders procured all the locomotives not engaged, took them near the house and kept the whistles going during the ceremony.

The Burning of Moscow.

The burning of Moscow, in 1812, is one of the most noted conflagrations on record, not only on account of its magnitude, but for its historical importance. The French entered the city November 14th, Napoleon proposing to make it his winter headquarters. On that very day several fires broke out, but little attention was paid to them by the invading army until the next two days, when they had acquired great headway. On the seventeenth a high wind arose, and the flames spread rapidly in every direction; by the eighteenth the whole city appeared as a sea of flame, and by the twentieth nine-tenths of it was reduced to ashes. The total number of buildings destroyed is stated at between 13,000 and 15,000.

The Russians at the time, in order to cast odium on the French, attributed this conflagration to the order of Napoleon. It is now, however, generally acknowledged that the fires were the work of the Russians themselves, and that they were kindled by the order of the governor, Rostoptchin, acting, beyond all doubt, under the sanction of the Emperor Alexander, without which it is hardly conceivable that the governor would venture such a step. The object was to deprive the French army of shelter from the winter. Ample preparations had been taken to insure the entire destruction of the city. Inflammable materials were placed in deserted mansions in every quarter, and the torch was applied simultaneously all over the city.

In burning the French out of their proposed winter quarters, no provision had been made for the safety of the inhabitants, who were driven to seek shelter in the surrounding woods; and it is affirmed that more than 20,000 sick and wounded perished in the flames. The direct loss to the French is put down at 40,000, and beyond this it in the end involved the retreat in the dead of winter, and the almost complete annihilation of the great French army.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1877.

News and Notes.

Snow has fallen at Eastport, Me., since Saturday, to the depth of two feet. It is the biggest storm for five years. The roads are completely blocked.

In the case of Mary E. Oliver vs. ex-Senator Simon Cameron, an action for breach of promise in which $50,000 are claimed, the defendant has filed a plea that he never promised as alleged.

The Pennsylvania Legislature on the 20th elected J. Donald Cameron to the United States Senate, to fill the unexpired term of Simon Cameron, resigned.

Assistant Secretary Conant, referring to the charges published in the New York *Sun* and elsewhere, says that he intends to very shortly prove that the entire statement is a shameless and infamous libel, for which he will hold the authors responsible in courts of justice.

Inez Pease, nine years old, was crushed to death in the elevator of the Westminster Hotel, Boston Highlands, on the 20th.

While stagnation has prevailed in every other branch of business, the dull times appear to have sharpened the wits of the inventor, for a larger number of applications for patents are being filed now than at any previous time in the history of the Patent Office. Under the management of Mr. Spear, Commissioner, the work of the office has been systematized and a number of abuses that had sprung up have been eradicated, and the weekly issue is now greater than ever before, running up to an average of 400 patents each week. Rumors of the removal of the Commissioner or Assistant Commissioner are without foundation.

John D. Lee, who is now awaiting in the Utah Penitentiary the execution of his death sentence, will leave 64 children to bear the stigma of a murderer's name. He had 18 wives, but when Brigham Young cut him off from the Mormon Church eight of them were divorced from him within twenty-four hours, and now only three are faithful to him. The Mormon leaders have utterly deserted him. Mormons testified against him, and a Mormon jury brought in a verdict of guilty, but he still pins his faith to the Mormon doctrines and expects to have his share of bliss in the Mormon Hereafter. He hates Brigham Young. He is writing an account of his life, his conversion to the Mormon faith, his part in the Mountain Meadow massacre twenty years ago, and his relations with the Mormon leaders.

A post-office is to be established at the Black Hills this Spring.

The steamship Rusland, ashore at Long Branch, N. Y., about two miles from the stranded steamship Amerique, struck exactly on top of the ship Adonis, which went ashore nineteen years ago and has been buried in the sand ever since. The Adonis had a cargo of grindstones and millstones, which still remain in the wreck; and as the Rusland lies, head on to the beach, the wreck of the Adonis is right under her mainmast, at right angles with the Rusland's hull. Many pieces of the Adonis, knocked to splinters by the pounding of the Rusland, have washed ashore and been carried off by visitors as souvenirs of the two disasters.

The first steamship ever freighted in New York with a cargo for the Orient via the Suez Canal left Saturday. Her name is Spartan. Her cargo consists of 393,000 gallons of petroleum, bound for Java. The object of her cargo is to head off the arrival in Java of 250,000 gallons of refined oil shipped from New York by sailing vessels in January and February.

Mrs. Sartoris has made Gen. Grant the grandfather of a bouncing boy.

Barque "Sunny Region," Capt. Kenney, 674 tons register, of and for St. John, N. B., from St. Thomas, in ballast, went ashore on Little Spoon Island, near Isle au Haute, off the coast of Maine, during the snow storm of Sunday morning, the 18th, and is a total loss. The crew, twelve in number, got ashore on Little Spoon Island and succeeded in lighting a fire, but were without shelter until Monday afternoon, when they were taken off, badly frostbitten.

Twenty-five men have just left Rockland, Me., for the Black Hills.

A letter from Rome says that the Jesuits are taking steps to restore the temporal power of the Pope. The letter invokes the aid of the Emperor of Austria, the King of Belgium, President MacMahon, and ex-Queen Isabella. At the Consistory at Rome, Tuesday, the 20th, the Pope nominated several bishops, among them Rev. Michael Hanney for Halifax, and Rev. John Moore, for St. Augustine, Florida. The Pope pronounced a brief allocution, reaffirming with increased vehemence his declarations of March 12, and adding that he would raise a protest before the whole world against the attempt to deprive him of the liberty of speech.

Ex-Mayor A. Oakey Hall of New York has disappeared. He had not been seen from Friday, the 16th, to Wednesday, but his absence at first excited no alarm among his friends, as he rarely slept at home. "A woman in the case" is hinted at as the cause of his sudden disappearance, but this is discredited by his friends. Another surmise is that the return of Peter B. Sweeney frightened him into running away, for fear Sweeney's revelations might involve him in some of the suits against the Tweed-Sweeney-Hall-Connolly ring.

New Hampshire Items.

The Manchester *Mirror* editorially gives assurance that Governor Cheney and his Council will not follow the action of Governor Weston and refuse to give a certificate to Frank Jones, member of Congress elect, although his name is Franklin, and not Frank, under which latter name he was voted for. The assurance is entirely superfluous; nobody ever supposed Gov. Cheney was a conscienceless rascal, and utterly indifferent to the preservation of his good name.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council, Tuesday, Thursday, April 12th, was appointed as a day of fasting and prayer.

Arthur Durgin of Greenland fell from a tree at Long Hill in Stratham on the 12th, striking his head on an axe and shockingly mutilating his face.

The new City Government of Manchester was inaugurated on the 20th. Mayor Cross gave the following account of the city's finances: During the past year the disbursements amounted to $343,233.71; unpaid bills, $23,919.26; cash on hand January 1, 1877, $80,819.91; amount of funded debt January 1, 1877, $976,000; interest estimated, $21,000; notes due, and interest, $254,765; total indebtedness, $1,022,991.99. The increase of net indebtedness during the year was $38,482.95, which is accounted for by the extension of the city water works, as the decrease of debt, exclusive of the water works, is $38,904.72. Outstanding taxes since 1871 are $67,184.47. The Mayor recommends appropriations by which average annual payments of about $40,000 may be made in reduction of the debt. School expenses for the past year were $56,991.61. There is already appropriated for the soldiers' monument $6000, which is now invested in bonds, and the Mayor suggests that measures be commenced the present year to construct the same.

The new city government of Concord was inaugurated on the 20th. Mayor Pillsbury, in speaking of the city's finances, said the indebtedness of the city had been reduced during the past year $13,386.49, and now stands at $331,537.76; deducting from this amount available assets, as shown by the report of the Finance Committee, amounting to $44,398.15, leaves the debt, over and above these assets, $187,139.86. The debt of the precinct amounts to $439,000, divided as follows: State House precinct notes, $49,000; water works debt, $350,000; sewer loan, $40,000. The water works will, without doubt, in a few years afford a revenue sufficient to pay the expenses of operating and keeping them in repair, and also pay the interest on the debt, and at no distant day will become a source of revenue to the precinct. Allowing this to be a part, and deducting the amount of their cost from the precinct debt, we have the sum $89,000 as the debt on which interest is to be paid. The total amount expended for schools last year was $29,683.29, of which sum $24,150.96 was expended in Union School District. The whole number of scholars attending school in 1875 was 3513; average amount to each scholar, $8.44. John Conwell was unanimously re-elected City Marshal by the new City Government for his eighth term.

Political.

Speaker Randall says that the roll of the next House, when made up, will show a democratic majority of ten.

There is great interest in Cincinnati respecting the trial of "Eph" Holland, who managed a large part of the democratic repeaters in that city last October. It is intimated that he will offer testimony which will lead to the punishment of the leaders of gangs of repeaters from Chicago, New York and Baltimore. What the public desires most to know is who incited these roughs and gamblers to commit the frauds, and who furnished the money.

At a Cabinet meeting on Wednesday it was decided to send a commission South to examine and report upon the condition of affairs in South Carolina and Louisiana, and until such commission makes such report matters to remain in status quo, so far as the general government is concerned; also, to issue a proclamation convening Congress in extra session on Monday, the 4th of June.

Partisan papers go in mourning and partisan flags are set at half-mast at the inauguration of Hayes. But when we remember that a dozen papers in the North went into mourning when Lincoln was inaugurated, and that one in Philadelphia and half a dozen in New England put on turned column crape when Jefferson "usurped" the Presidential chair seventy-six years ago the present expression of grief becomes endurable.—*Ex.*

The London correspondent of the New York *Times* represents a distinguished politician and member of the House of Commons as contrasting in private conversation President Hayes, with his consistent and unblemished career, with some of the prominent public men of England. He says: "A man, sir, who can go through a Presidential election and stand the investigation of every action of his life, as this man has done, is an example of the sort of public man that is possible under a republic. Take our two great party chiefs, Gladstone and Disraeli; they are model men in their way, but they both changed their principles because they saw profit and power in contrary directions. Gladstone commenced his political life as a rabid Churchman and liberal. He has destroyed the Church in Ireland, and he is now a red hot radical, divided from the party which he led so fatally from a glorious majority into a squabbling minority. Disraeli began as a radical, a republican, a leveller; he ends his days in the sanctity of ermine as a peer of the realm, and the champion of monarchies and divine right."

Enough in One Bed.

Emigration to the State of Michigan was so great during the year 1835-6, that every house was filled every night with travelers wanting lodging. Every traveler there at that time will remember the difficulty of obtaining a bed in the hotels, even if he had two or three "strange bed-fellows."

Rev. Hosea Brown, an eccentric Methodist minister, stopped one night at one of the hotels in Ann Arbor, and inquired if he could have a room and bed to himself. The bar-keeper told him he could, unless they should be so full as to render it necessary to put another in with him. At an early hour the reverend gentleman went to his room, locked the door, and soon retired to his bed and sunk into a comfortable sleep. Along toward midnight he was roused from his slumbers by a loud knocking at his door.

"Hallo! you there," he exclaimed, "what do you want *now?*"—particular stress on the last word.

"You must take another lodger, sir, with you," said the voice of the landlord.

"What! another yet?"

"Why, yes—there is only one in here, is there!"

"One! why, here is Mr. Brown and a Methodist minister, and myself, already, and I should think that enough for one bed, even in Michigan."

The landlord seemed to think so, too, and left the trio to their repose.—*Star Spangled Banner.*

—"It is a social death," says a fashionable magazine, "when it becomes known that a young man wears corsets." This is as it should be, too. It's all very well for an enterprising young man to wear corsets for a day or two, just to become an expert with them, but to wear them as a practice is miserable.

—A married man up town had blue glass put in his wife's sitting-room, to match her eyes, he said. She returned the compliment by having red glass put in her husband's library, to match his nose, she said. He didn't seem to appreciate the compliment.—*Norristown Herald.*

—A remarkable fondness for canned oysters having been noticed among the inmates of the Albany jail, one of the keepers made an examination and found that the cans supposed to contain oysters contained whiskey—both being luxuries denied to poor but honest people who are so unlucky as to be out of prison.

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—About midwinter city editors throw out valuable hints and suggestions to farmers—something after this fashion: "Now is the time to paint your peabrush and perform other indoor work. Whitewash your snow shovels now. Now look after your next season's bean poles, and trim off all superfluous sprouts. Oil your garden rakes before spring sets in. Bury your grindstone in the cellar to prevents its freezing," etc., etc. Farmers can save more than fifty dollars by not following this advice.

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JOTTINGS.

Schooner G. W. Raitt, of this port, which has been laid up all winter, sailed on Monday for Rockland, to load with lime for Dover. Schooner Emily A. Staples, also laid up for the winter, sailed on Tuesday for Boston.

The attention of capitalists is invited to an advertisement in another column of the sale by auction, (if not previously disposed of at private sale) on Thursday, April 2d, of the Cotton Mill in Pittsfield, in this State, — claimed to be one of the best chances for profitable investment offered for years.

The New York *Tribune* says: "Mr. Jones, who brews a disingenuous and uncertain article of beer, up in New Hampshire, is intoxicated with the delusion that he is a member of Congress." That's hardly fair. We didn't want Mr. Jones to be Congressman, and do not admire or approve the means he employed to secure his re-election; neither do we believe he can begin to represent the district so creditably and advantageously as Gen. Marston would have done; but his beer—we take the word of those who drink beer, among whom we are not to be numbered—is a first-class article of its kind, and contains as much "drunk" and fattening elements to the cubic foot as any beer made. Do not be unjust, *Tribune*.

We have received a copy of the "Historical Address on the One Hundred and Fiftieth Anniversary of the Gathering of the Congregational Church, Kingston, N. H.," delivered Sept. 28th, 1875, by Rev. J. H. Mellish, of North Scituate, R. I., a former pastor of the church; with a brief account of the anniversary exercises prefixed, and an appendix giving in a condensed form a great amount of information concerning the prominent worthies connected with the church in its early days,—by Rev. Jacob Chapman, present pastor of the church. The brief mention in the Address of such incidents as "Henry Elkins was slain by Indians," "The Indians killed Samuel Winslow and Samuel Huntoon," "Indians captured Peter Colcord, Ephraim Severance and two children of Ebenezer Stevens," etc., give a vivid idea of the hand-to-hand struggle waged by the early settlers with the wilderness and the savages, and the record of votes of the town on the subject of procuring and paying for pastoral service shows that the hardy pioneers were of the church militant indeed, equally ready to fight the devil with the weapons of the spirit and to combat Indians with powder and lead. The work is published in pamphlet form, and contains much matter of interest to dwellers outside of the boundaries of Kingston; and can be procured of Rev. J. Chapman, Kingston,—price twenty cents.

Schooner M. Sewell, of Deer Island, Me., while on the passage from Calais for Philadelphia, struck on Long Shoal, Vineyard Sound, during the gale of Sunday morning, the 18th, and filled immediately. She lies on her broadside, and will probably be a total loss. The crew boarded a schooner anchored near the spot. The M. Sewell formerly belonged to this port; and like the Jonathan May, recently wrecked near Chatham, Cape Cod, and the Abbott Lawrence, run down and sunk off Boon Island on the night of the 16th by an unknown schooner, was a frequent visitor here during the coasting season.

Rev. E. S. Huntress of this city has been dismissed from his pastorate over the First church in Derry, by advice of a council.

The following jurors from Ward Two have been drawn to serve at the adjourned term of the Supreme Court which assembles here next week: Henry F. Gerrish, Charles H. Rollins, John Hodgdon, Coolidge Perry.

A business meeting of the new Temperance Mutual Relief Association was held Tuesday evening, at which the bonds of the treasurer, Sewell W. Webber, were fixed at $2000. Mr. Charles J. Mason was chosen a vice president and Mr. James W. Marden assistant book-keeper.

The programme for "ye olde folkes concerte" in Rye, appointed for Wednesday evening, the 21st, was a capital thing in its way. In the list of prices it was set forth that "Crying babies may come in without money and without price, as they can make more musick than all ye olde folkes put together;" and a special "N. B." paragraph said "It is expected that ye young men will go home with ye young women after ye concerte"—an expectation which we have no doubt was realized.

A correspondent suggests that "Frank Jones brewed mischief with his money as well as ale with his hops."

Schooner T. J. Trafton, Capt. Hoyt, of this port, while on the passage from Portland for Philadelphia, struck on Long Shoal in the gale of March 17th, and remained fast about fifteen hours; came off leaking about two hundred strokes an hour, and arrived at Vineyard Haven on Monday, March 19th.

A PORTSMOUTH BOY ABROAD.

From the report in the Wisconsin *State Journal* of the closing proceedings of the Wisconsin Legislature, we take the following account of a high compliment paid to a Portsmouth boy, Mr. Winslow A. Nowell, Chief Clerk of the Wisconsin Assembly, at its late session. On the last day of the session, after the official business had been completed, a recess was taken, and on reassembling a committee was appointed to wait upon Mr. Nowell and request his presence. On his appearing he was presented with a handsome tea-set of six pieces, and a butter dish, all of silver, which during the recess had been set out on a table in front of the reporters' tables, an assemblyman making the presentation in the following brief speech:

"*Mr. Speaker:*—I have been honored by an invitation to present to Mr. Nowell, our Chief Clerk, this beautiful silver, in behalf of his assistants and the members of this house. You have, Mr. Clerk, by your uniform and unvarying courtesy, made a friend of every one who has come in contact with you, and I am sure that I can give but faint expression to the friendly regard felt for you. Many within the sound of my voice have known former occupants of the position you hold, but I undertake to say that none who have filled it heretofore have had more varied qualifications than yourself. We have seen you, in the lighter moments of your official life, draw pictures of grave and reverend member as they rose in their places to address the Assembly, and hand those friendly caricatures down to excite the irreverent laughter of an unsympathetic lobby. From this we know that you are an artist. The public prints of Madison which have from time to time sparkled with your machine made poetry, attest the fact that you are supplied with the divine afflatus of a true poet. The fact that many members of the Assembly waited over Sunday in anticipation of an address by you to a Sunday School (which unfortunately they were not permitted to hear,) is evidence in what high regard they held the counsel and advice falling from your lips upon religious and moral subjects. What other inducement could have detained the members from the bosoms of their families and the tender embraces of little children? Turning, however, from the pleasantries in which your good nature will permit us to indulge at your expense, I can truthfully say you have drawn us all to you by your manner of performing your official duties. An old legend of Germany relates the fact that a prince brought to his betrothed, as a wedding gift, an iron egg. The lady tossed it from her, and as it rolled along the floor a spring was touched, which disclosed within a silver egg, and as that rolled along another spring disclosed a golden egg, and still another revealed within the golden egg a golden circlet clasped by a rare diamond which was the wedding gift of the Prince to his bride. So we called you, at the commencement of the session, to the difficult and arduous duties of your position. Hard and unpleasant as they sometimes were, your courteous performance of them has stripped the rough covering and disclosed this silver gift from your assistants and friends in this house. Underneath and within the silver is hidden the respect and esteem of those for whom I speak, which will surround you as the lady's wedding ring encircled her finger, as long as you live, and which guerdon of friendship is clasped by a diamond of the purest water—the warm and hearty friendship of all who unite in this gift to you."

THE RIGHT SPIRIT.

It is possible our neighboring town of Rye may soon lose one of its enterprising citizens, who displays the right spirit in looking for employment wherever he thinks it may possibly be found, when he fails to find it at home. The San Francisco *Post* prints the following letter, which has been filed in the office of the Board of Supervisors of that city, though the *Post* intimates that the proposal it contains has not yet been accepted by the authorities:

EYE BEACH, Feb. 25, 1877.

To the Mayor and Aldermen of San Francisco: Gentlemen—I noticed in a newspaper that street sprinklers were needed in your city. If that is the case, I should like to come and do the work, if a fair compensation for the labor can be obtained. I have three large sprinklers, pumps and apparatus for sprinkling a city, and have been in the business three years, and if there is an opening for such an enterprise, will you please inform me by letter, and I will send you a letter of recommendation from responsible men. Expecting a reply, I am, yours respectfully,

EDWARD H. BALCH,
Rye Beach, New Hampshire.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 148.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

Hon. Levi Woodbury was a native of Francestown, and took up his residence in Portsmouth as a lawyer in 1819. He was Governor but one year; the political year commencing in June 1823, and ending in June 1824. He was one of the Judges of the Superior Court when elected Governor. The office of Governor was rather sprung upon him. He was not the regularly nominated candidate of the party in power, but Mr. Dinsmore of Keene. Mr. Isaac Hill of the *Patriot* had a great influence in politics, and supported Mr. Dinsmore, but Mr. Woodbury was elected.

Thanksgiving was in the autumn, but we have not the Governor's proclamation. But that for Fast in the ensuing spring is at hand. It is dated Feb. 23. It is much more lengthy than proclamations usually are now. Gov. Woodbury was accustomed to put considerable work into his productions. His message to the Legislature that year was an able State paper.

The proclamation begins with a preamble, expressing the unworthiness and dependence of man, which ought to excite devotion and humility, and lead to suitable acknowledgements of Him, who rules nations and individuals. He then, with advice of Council, appointed April 8th, for fasting, humiliation and prayer. It was then requested that all assemble on that day in their respective places of worship, with deep contrition confess their sins, implore forgiveness, lament the frailties of passion, appetite and habit, which often betray into error, beseech a justly offended God to avert the judgments our transgressions have provoked, that our fasting may be from all offences, our humiliation reach the spirit, and our prayers prove the incense of true penitence and faith; that the mercies of the past year may inspire with gratitude to the Author, that our liberties may continue to have his saving help; the means of instruction, literary and religious, be blest; our useful institutions be perpetuated; honest employment be prospered; toleration and free enquiry flourish; health, plenty and the happiness of our citizens be uninterrupted; those classes of society which constitute its physical strength, receive light proportionate to their power; the cause of the people in every nation, rather than the profligate designs of faction and despotism be taken into God's holy keeping; and the whole earth be speedily filled with a knowledge of divine truth.

The closing paragraph requests the people to refrain from labor and recreation on that day.

The proclamation is very sentimental and the sentiments are correct. It is literary, patriotic, moral and religious. In fact, it is a model document of its kind.

The member of the Council that year from the Rockingham District was Hunking Penhallow of Portsmouth; Langley Boardman of Portsmouth was Senator from District No. 1, and John Kimball of Exeter from No. 2.

A Dog Story.

Lately a traveler passed in a carriage along the Avenue de Neuilly; the night was dark; all at once the horse stopped, and the traveler saw the animal had met an obstacle. At the same moment a man raised himself from before the horse and uttered a cry.

"Why don't you take care?" said the traveler.

"Ah," cried the man, "you would do better, instead of hallooing, to lend me your lantern."

"What for?"

"I had three hundred francs in gold on my person; my pocket has broken, and all is fallen in the street. It is a commission with which my master has intrusted me. If I do not find the money I am a ruined man."

"It is not easy to find the pieces on such a night; have you none left?"

"Yes, I have one."

"Give it to me."

The man hesitated.

"Give it to me; it will be the means of recovering the others."

The poor fellow gave him his last coin. The traveler whistled; a magnificent Danish dog began to leap around him.

"Here!" said the traveler, putting the coin to the nose of the dog. "Look!"

The intelligent creature sniffed a few moments at the money, and then began to run about the road. Every minute he returned, leaping, and deposited in the hand of his master a Napoleon. In about twenty minutes the whole sum was recovered. The poor fellow, who had got his money back, turned full of thanks toward the traveler, who had now got into his carriage.

"Ah, you are my preserver," said he; "tell me, at least, your name."

"I have done nothing," said the traveler. "Your preserver is my dog; his name is Rabut-Joie;" and then, whipping up his horses, he disappeared in the darkness.—*Religious Herald.*

—A ventriloquist recently created much excitement in a car on the New York and New Haven Railroad. A lady declared that a man in the seat behind persisted in talking to her. He denied the charge and left the car. The talking went on, and finally it leaked out that it was the work of a ventriloquist, but no one could detect him.

—Not long since, an intoxicated English tar rolled up against Sir Rodney Mundy, and ejaculated, with considerable difficulty, "Get out o' my way!" "How dare you address me like that, sir!" demanded the admiral. "Don't you know who I am? I am Admiral Mundy." "Don't care if you are Admiral Tuesday," persisted the sailor, "Get out o' my way."

—A very remarkable creature has come to the New York aquarium from Japan, called a hair turtle. It derives its name from a wonderful growth of curious vegetable-like fibre, which completely covers the upper shell, and which, when lifted from the water, is strikingly suggestive of a wisp of grass. This hair covering is green in color, about two inches in length, and entirely covers the animal like a mantle. The creature has been frequently represented on Japanese vases or carved upon bronzes.

—The famous Dr. John Brown, the commentator, experienced a full share of the world's vicissitudes. At Dunse, on one occasion, when his funds were low, he went into a shop to purchase the luxury of a halfpennyworth of cheese. The shopman declared his inability to accommodate him with so small a portion. "Then what's the least you can sell?" inquired the doctor. "A pennyworth," replied the dealer, and instantly set about weighing that quantity, which he speedily placed on the counter, in anticipation of payment. "Now," said the doctor, taking up the knife, "I will instruct you how to sell a halfpennyworth of cheese in the future." Upon which he cut the modicum in two, and appropriating the half, put down his coin and departed.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch Mountain Laurel, Farrell, for this port from Port Johnson, passed through Hell Gate March 19.

Sch Jesse Williamson, Jr, Frisbee, Providence for New York arr at Newport March 18.

Sch Chancellor, Ferguson, for this port, cld from Philadelphia March 19.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Raddy and Dimmy—A Story for Boys.

Raddy and Dimmy were playing a game of marbles in earnest. You see at the start that neither of them was a very good boy. But they were the biggest boys in the school, and one or the other of them always claimed the right of ruling over the other boys. They settled which it should be once every four weeks by a game of marbles. The winner was allowed to sit in a particular seat, and to tell the other boys where they should sit. Those whom he liked he placed near the windows, where they could enjoy themselves looking out. But when Dimmy was head boy he made all Raddy's friends fag for him; and, of course Raddy bull-dozed Dimmy's supporters when luck was on his own side.

It happened that Raddy had been unusually lucky. Four times in succession he had won the game, and for the sixteen long weeks Dimmy and his friends had been deprived even of a peep out of the window in school hours. This time Dimmy was bound to win a game. "I bet you've been cheating," he said; "Reform is necessary."

So he picked Raddy's pockets of his marble-bag, and ran away behind a tree to chip all the marbles, especially a very fine chinee alley, so that they shouldn't roll true. Raddy pretended not to know what was going on, but he did know all the time.

When the game began the whole school gathered to see the contest. As soon as it was over each jumped up, crying, "I've won," and each immediately answered the other "You haven't!"

"You shoved when you aimed at that black marble," said Dimmy.

"I didn't. Besides, you snatched it away. I should have hit it if you hadn't. My marble went right over that spot," answered Raddy.

"That don't make any difference, You didn't hit it."

"It does make a difference. It's just the same as if I'd hit it. It's mine, I shall keep it."

"You sha'n't."

"You did just the same with that yellow marble and that red one."

"I didn't. They're mine."

"They ain't either. I've got 'em, and I shall keep 'em."

"We'll see about that. Besides, what about that white alley?"

"Nothing!"

"I guess you'll find something. I've got that and I shall keep it."

"I'll bet you won't. It's no better than stealing."

"Who'll stop me?"

"I will."

"I can lick you, here look," shouted Dimmy.

"You can't and you won't," answered Raddy.

"You darsen't fight."

"I darst to, but I won't."

"Why not?"

"Because I can keep my place without fighting."

"You can't. I'll lick you."

"Oh, no."

"Tell ye what," said Dimmy, suddenly cooling down, "let's leave it to old Uncle Sam."

"Leave what to him?"

"Well, to say whether those three marbles and that alley ought to be yours or mine."

"All right; they're mine, and he'll say so. He was looking on all the time. But I'll leave it to him."

So the two boys shook hands and made up, and said whatever uncle Sam said should be right. They promised to do just as he said. When he had heard what they had to say he gave his decision.

"The black marble is Raddy's."

"No, 'tisn't," interrupted Dimmy. "How do you know? You didn't look at the tracks in the mud."

"Well, did I say I'd get down on my knees in the mud and look at the tracks? Not by a long chalk. You didn't either of you say anything about my doing it. The black marble, as I said, is Raddy's; so is the red one."

"Taint either," again broke in Dimmy. "You've been on his side all the time. I was a fool to leave it to you. Besides I didn't and wouldn't if I'd s'posed you'd have said them marbles was his. He shan't have 'em. But I'll just wait and see what you say about the white alley."

"I say it rightly belongs to Raddy—"

"I won't hear! Yah! yah! yah!"—and Dimmy made that sound familiar to boys which effectually drowns all other sounds. Then he burst into a wail and a cry, "Boo-hoo!" "It's too bad! It's all a lie! He didn't win the game. I won't hear a word you say. I don't care so much for myself, but Uncle Sam, I'm disappointed in you! I thought you was a good man and you ain't. Tell ye what, Rad, don't let's have anything more to do with this old duffer of a Sam. Let's begin all over again,—play another game next week. You don't want to take the lead again on old Sam's word. Or if yer don't want to spoil the knees of your trowsers again, let's pull straws to see who shall have it."

The bell rang about this time, and Raddy coolly walked into the school-room and took his old seat without listening to Dimmy's proposition.

—Political policy of the caterer—Serve all the parties you can.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1877.

News and Notes.

Joseph N. Woods has secured a verdict of $4000 against Z. K. Pangborn and others, proprietors of the Jersey City *Journal*, for libel.

James Kingan, the New York produce merchant recently found dead beside the railroad track in New Brunswick, is now considered to have committed suicide, the murder theory having been abandoned.

George Gregory fatally shot his wife in Hartford, Conn., Wednesday night. They had been married but two months.

Profs. Riley of Missouri, Thomas of Illinois and Packard of Salem, Mass., all entomologists, have been appointed a Grasshopper Commission, and leave for the West shortly to investigate that insect, its habits, etc.

Professor William Miller and Professor Theodore Bauer had a wrestling match for $500 a side and the championship, at the New York Riding Academy, Tuesday night. The contest resulted in a draw, after an exhibition that would have been a brutal rough-and-tumble fight had anybody but "professors" been engaged in it.

Miss Van Lew is to be re-appointed postmistress at Richmond, Va.

A later version of the Pope's utterances at the consistory is that whilst inveighing against the desire to deprive him of liberty of speech, he encouraged resistance thereto, saying the time had come to employ force. The Pope will complete the fiftieth year of his priesthood on the 20th of May next. There will be a grand religious celebration at the Vatican, which will commence on the 15th of May and continue one week. Pio Nono was born May 13, 1792.

Dr. James Freeman Clark says that the doctrines preached by Moody are those to which the Unitarians have been accustomed for fifty years.

John La Haye, a merchant and inventor, died recently in Reading, Pennsylvania. His first invention was a passenger car-brake, for which he received $20,000. He invented a box for car wheels, for which he received $5,000 cash from a company of iron manufacturers and a royalty from the railway company. Several years ago he invented an automatic car-coupling, which, after thorough trial, was recently purchased by the Reading Railroad, and the Empire Transportation Company.

It is believed that most of the killing, scalping and plundering occurring at present on the Plains is the work of white banditti, who try to disguise themselves in moccasins and war paint. Not long ago two mail carriers were killed and scalped on the road between Fort Laramie and Red Cloud. The Indians did it, everybody said; yet it was found that only the registered letters had been pilfered from the mail sack. Recently a number of horses were stampeded from a corral on the stage road between Cheyenne and Fort Laramie. Everybody said that Indians were around. As Gen. Crook was going to Cheyenne last week to meet Gen. Sheridan, a telegraph operator at the stage station called his attention to suspicious facts connected with this particular case of horse-stealing. Upon examination Gen. Crook found that the supposed Indian thieves had by means of a duplicate key, unlocked the gate of the corral, and also had removed the lock from a chain which held a huge Newfoundland dog. Gen. Crook thinks that white men stole the horses.—*Chicago Times.*

Nathan Appleton has returned to Washington from Philadelphia, where he has been in consultation with the late Centennial authorities, and presented to Secretary Evarts a sketch of the organization for the proposed American exhibit at the Paris exhibition, together with an estimate that the necessary expenses will be $300,000, though he thinks $500,000 should be appropriated to make the exhibition creditable to the country.

Miss Helen Jones, of Newtonville, Mass., 27 years of age, shot herself through the heart on Wednesday. She was of a highly respectable family and was greatly esteemed. No cause is assigned for the act.

Samuel P. Stickney, one of the oldest circus performers in the country, and father of Robert Stickney, the champion rider, a native of Boston, died in Cincinnati on Tuesday.

The confession of John D. Lee, the leader in the Mountain Meadows massacre, is published, and fully implicates Brigham Young and many other leading Mormons.

A Benighted Community.

At the recent election in New Hampshire the people defeated the proposed amendment abolishing the religious test which has disgraced the State constitution for ninety-three years. By the old constitution no Catholic is allowed to vote for a Governor or a legislaort, and none but protestants are permitted to hold any position in the common schools. This evidence of intolerance, worthy of the days when the tests of water and fire were applied to witches, would scarcely be looked for in any intelligent community under such a government as that of the United States at the close of the nineteenth century. It is a significant fact that Mr. Blaine advocated the amendment. He is shrewd enough to know that the days have passed for such displays of bigotry, and was no doubt anxious to head off any ill effect of his previous complications with Know Nothingism. The people of New Hampshire, by their adverse vote, have only proved that they are behind the civilization of the age. Let them picture the indignation that would fire the New Hampshire heart if Louisiana should adopt a State constitution stripping Methodists or Congregationalists of the elective franchise on the Governor and shutting out all but Catholics from the public school, and then they will be able to form an idea of the sentiment which their own stupid intolerance excites among the people of less benighted States.

[The foregoing criticism on the rejection by the voters of this State of the proposed amendment abolishing the religious test is taken from the New York *Herald*, and shows how easy it is to write vigorously and confidently concerning a subject on which the writer is thoroughly well uninformed. It will be news to Catholics that they are not allowed to vote or enjoy school privileges in this State.—*Ed. Chron.*]

Political.

The "Pennsylvania dukedom" has been a favorite phrase in democratic journals since the resignation of Senator Cameron and the nomination of his son to fill his place. While not defending the transfer, the Norristown *Herald* shows that the term dukedom is quite as applicable to democratic Delaware as to the republican Pennsylvania. It says: "The Senatorship of Delaware has descended in the line of Bayard from sire to son. The elder Bayard not only put the present incumbent in as a successor, but had himself elected on the same day to fill a vacancy, so that for a time his family monopolized all the Senatorial honors that the State had to confer. Nor is this the only instance of the kind that Delaware has given. Willard Saulsbury held the Senatorship for twelve years, and then turned it over to his brother Eli, who is now serving his second term. There may be valid objections to Mr. J. D. Cameron, but the fact that he is the son of Simon Cameron is not one of them."

The colored members of the Louisiana legislature have all gone back to Packard from Nicholls.

Competition in the Healing Art.

A correspondent of the Boston *Transcript* writes as follows:

Will you allow a citizen who has wasted a great deal of money on regularly graduated physicians to enter a feeble protest against the passage of any law that will prevent me from employing an M. D., a woman, or a quack to prescribe for sickness in my family. Let us have competition in the healing art, as well as in law, literature, theology, and provisions. I am credibly informed that the order on which the city's petition for the proposed law was based, was instigated by some young South-End physicians who happen to live in the vicinity of, and come in competition with, several "irregular" practitioners; and the reason alleged was that the "quacks" took away a great deal of business which the young "regulars" think they are entitled to. This law would compel people to employ young and inexperienced physicians, and pay them for trying experiments on patients in order to obtain the experience necessary to success. I had the extreme felicity of paying a bill of $25 to a well-known city doctor who experimented on and dosed a child, and finally gave up all hope of curing her of simple *eczema*, but he kept on coming and charging for each visit until a gentle hint was given him to quit. A very simple remedy shortly afterward administered by an "irregular" effected a permanent cure. The fact is, not one-half the doctors with less than twenty years' experience know what will be the effect of a dose they prescribe, and they have to come again and see what the result is, and if it does not happen to operate right they try something else. The competition growing out of the establishment of the homœopathic and eclectic schools of practice has caused the old-school physicians not only to change their nauseous remedies, but to moderate their prices. Let us continue to have free practice in medicine as we have had; and let each individual exercise intelligent discrimination. If one is not competent to judge it is own fault, is this day and generation. I venture to say that so-called "quacks" perform a dozen cures of chronic cases to one performed by an equal number of regulars. Let every person who sets up in the healing art be required to register his name and place with the city clerk, if you please; but do not pass a law that will impose needless restrictions upon medical practice. Like the prohibitory, internal-revenue and income-tax laws, such a measure would tend to make the public evade its requirements; it could not be enforced, and would be of no practical benefit in giving us more competent physicians.

—Fourteen roses, fully blown, were counted recently, on a single spring bonnet.

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—The mansion of Hon. Thomas C. Perrin of Abbeville, S. C., which was recently burned, was the scene of the last session of the Confederate Cabinet. Jefferson Davis and his Cabinet passed through the town on their retreat from Richmond, and were entertained at this house, where, after a final consultation, they determined to disband. Mr. Benjamin, Secretary of State, consulted with the host, who had been the first man to sign the South Carolina secession ordinance of 1860, as to the disposition to be made of the great seal of the Confederacy. Col. Perrin urged him to cast it into the Savannah River which he was to cross the next day, and it is believed that this was done.

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New Hampshire Items.

William Divine, a Scotchman, died in Dover on the 15th inst., aged 100 years and 10 months.

Work was commenced on the Manchester and Keene Railroad at Keene, on the 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Merrill of Windham Depot celebrated their golden wedding Monday, the 19th.

The Dartmouth College examinations were finished and the term closed Wednesday for a two weeks' vacation.

The Board of Education of Keene have voted to engage Mr. Stratton of New Salem, Mass., on a salary of $1400 a year, as Principal of the Keene High School.

Baxter P. Smith of '54 announces that he will publish before commencement, from the press of H. O. Houghton & Co., a large best history of Dartmouth College, of interest to all friends of the college and the alumni.

—"Madam, did you ever lift a dog by the tail?" "Why, no, you cruel thing, you." "I didn't know, because I just saw you carry your little child across a gutter by one arm. A dog's tail is a good deal stronger than the ligaments of a baby's shoulder."

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.

I have suffered with Sick Head-Ache as often as every two weeks, for *Fifteen Years.* At times in such severe pain I *fainted away.* I tried every thing I could hear of and was attended by Physicians. I continued in this condition until last December when I commenced with the Little Giant Pills. I have not had a Head-Ache since. I want every person who suffers as I have, to try this Medicine and be cured, and if any such are not able to pay for a box, I will buy a box and give them.

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Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street,** and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

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With Mountings of WHITE METAL and NICKEL PLATE.

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A SMALL LOT OF

Cold Blast Whole Wheat Flour,
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Granulated Wheat (coarse),
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Pearled Oats,
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FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and plot of land, suitable for a SUMMER RESORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attics, and on the place is a good BARN and fine water; everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view; the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times, and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.

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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willard Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good gravel LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.
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THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.

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WE have just received a few more of the BLUE ARMY BLOUSES, which have been in such demand for the last twelve months.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 8.30 P. M
" " Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 8.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" " Way,		10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.20 " 7.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "
Concord and North,		10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

At a meeting of the Temperance Mutual Relief Association, in Mechanics' Hall, on Wednesday evening, the President, Dr. E. B. Goodall, read the constitution and by-laws and gave a somewhat extended explanation of the objects sought to be accomplished by the Association and the manner in which it is proposed to attain them. Remarks were made by Ex-President John S. Treat and President James Janvrin of the Reform Club, Col. T. E. O. Marvin and Mr. Frank T. Thurston; and several applications for membership were received. Some provisions of the articles expressly aim at encouraging members to stick to their temperance pledge; for instance, a member who falls from grace for the first time is placed on six months' probation, and if taken sick during that period receives no assistance whatever from the Association; if he behaves all right during his suspension, however, at the end of six months he again steps into good and regular standing, to enjoy all benefits the same as though he had not erred; but if he breaks his pledge a second time—good bye John; out he goes.

"Scott," the Washington correspondent of the Boston *Traveller*, telegraphs that paper that Ex-Speaker Randall says Hon. Frank Jones' re-election cost him $30,000. "Scott" might have added, "The half has not been told."

From further particulars concerning the accidents to Portsmouth and other vessels on Nantucket Shoals, it appears that a large fleet of coasters was caught on the shoals by the northeast gale and snow-storm on Saturday morning, the 17th, and in running for Cross Rip lightship ran behind Long Shoal, Muskeget Channel. Schooner T. J. Trafton, Hoyt, drawing thirteen feet of water, struck on a spur of Long Shoal, but after doing some heavy pounding which caused her to leak considerably, she beat over the shoal at a point where there was only seven feet, into deep water, and reached Vineyard Haven next day in safety. Schooner Active, Seward, of and from this port for New York, also struck the shoal, but soon came off without apparent damage. Schooner M. Sewall, (before reported wrecked,) made the shoal and anchored close up to its edge, riding out the gale in safety all day Saturday, and through the night; but on Sunday forenoon she swung against the shoal and immediately filled, the crew hastily taking to the boat with what they stood in, and boarding a schooner anchored close by, their own vessel rolling over soon after she was abandoned; she had a cargo of laths, and is a total loss. Schooners D. Sawyer, Bramhall, Flora A. Newcomb and Union all went on the shoal and came off more or less damaged; brig British Queen beat over the shoal, afterward lost an anchor, and was last seen running through Muskeget Channel; schooner Nathan Cleaves beat over in five feet of water, after throwing over part of her ballast; and a number of other vessels touched lightly. Considering the state of the weather, the large number of vessels caught on the shoals and the number that struck, it is most remarkable that but one vessel was lost.

The Great Match, is another of the celebrated "No Name Series," published by Roberts Brothers, the incidents of which are a story founded upon the great American game of base ball.

Ben Milnir's Wooing, by Holme Lee, is a very interesting story of domestic life in England. Published by Roberts Brothers, and for sale by J. H. Foster, price, $1.00.

There is a crowd of street Arabs, mostly Irish, that haunts Church Hill and needs looking after the worst kind, most of its members seeming to be in training for State prison. These boys neither attend school nor stay at home, their only occupation and ambition, apparently, being to incite dog-fights, smoke pipes, use profane and obscene language, and in other ways make themselves as obnoxious as possible to decent people. It is a hard matter for the police to catch them at any of their petty rascalities, as they keep the very best kind of lookout for the approach of those "natural enemies" of theirs; but if some of the dwellers or business people of the neighborhood should lay complaints that would send a dozen or so of the young scalawags to the Reform School or House of Correction, it would have a tendency to check the boyish ruffianism now so popular in that district.

Mr. Charles N. Knowles, of Rye, has a sheep which in seven years has produced twenty-three lambs; *five* of this number, weighing thirty pounds, were brought forth this Spring and are all well and bright.

Sagamore Lodge, No. 258, Knights of Honor, celebrate their first anniversary on Monday evening at the Lodge of the order on Market street. The exercises will commence with an address of welcome to the ladies by Chaplain Stephen W. Clarke, to be followed by readings, vocal music (solos and quartettes) and brief addresses by members. An adjournment will then be taken to Franklin Banquet Hall, for a picnic supper, after which toasts and responses, music, etc., will be in order. Charles A. Shannon, Esq., will officiate as master of ceremonies. Only members of the order will be admitted, each member however having the privilege of introducing two ladies.

It is reported that the company owning the steam colliers which have visited this harbor so regularly for some years, will soon send one of their very largest boats, the "Reading," said to register about three thousand tons, to this port with a full cargo of coal, just to show the capacity of the harbor for accommodating huge vessels of heavy draught of water. There is water enough in the Piscataqua to float anything that can make the turn at the Narrows.

The M. E. Grand High Priest of the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Hampshire, will pay an official visit to Washington Chapter, No. 3, of this city, on Monday evening, March 27th.

The board of assessors organized Wednesday evening with Isaiah Wilson permanent chairman, and Marcellus Bufford, secretary.

Major Daniel J. Vaughan, having received his commission as captain of the Portsmouth Heavy Artillery, took command Thursday evening.

In this Senatorial district Marcellus Eldredge (dem.) of this city received 2620, E. B. Philbrick (rep.) of Rye, 2454, and there were 12 scattering votes; Eldredge's majority, 154.

Grand Master A. F. Craig, of this city, dedicated the elegant new Odd Fellows' Hall of Washington Lodge, No. 4, at Great Falls, Wednesday night, about two hundred Odd Fellows and ladies being present. The hall is one of the finest in this State, and is handsomely furnished. After dedication exercises a collation prepared by the ladies was served.

Mr. William Berry, of Rye, an unmarried man about fifty years of age, committed suicide on Wednesday. He lived with Mr. Le Roy Trefethen, and not appearing at the usual hour in the morning some of the family at about half-past ten o'clock went to his room, and found him sitting on the bed-side, dead, having apparently been dead for some hours. He was a farmer, and in quite comfortable circumstances pecuniarily. He strangled himself by putting his neck in the bight of a line both ends of which were fastened to a nail driven in the window casing, and then leaning forward.

Why Blue Glass is Useful.

Three distinct principles are found in the rays of the sun—light, heat, and actinism. The light and heat rays are sufficiently well known, and call for no remark in this note. The actinic, or chemical rays, their properties and power, are less generally known, and I offer a few words in regard to them, as furnishing, perhaps, the key to the blue glass discovery (?) It is the actinic ray which fades, bleaches, or rots textile fabrics, tans the skin, and, instead of light, is the ray which performs the operation of (so-called) photography. Its mode of action is by abstracting oxygen from bodies upon which it falls. Hence the reduction of the oxide of silver upon the photographer's plate to metallic silver; and hence the full rays of the sun falling upon the fire will retard the combustion. Blue glass freely allows the passage of this ray, while the red or yellow glass impedes it. That it is an agent of eminent power in the preservation or restoration of health in the animal economy, is shown in the well known effect of red or yellow wall-paper in bringing pallor and generally deficient health to the occupants of rooms thus furnished, and in the equally well-known and favorable effects of blue wall-paper and furniture.

Its extensive and dominant relation to plant growth I do not refer to, as being beyond the purpose of this note. Medical men send sick and ailing people in the open air for more than one reason—that they may find a purer air to breathe, and that they may have, not the light nor the heat rays—for these can be had within doors—but actinism. This they find in largest measure in the spring and summer months, and greatly less from November to April. The blue vault of a cloudless sky is far more favorable than the leaden dome of an overcast day. The conclusion results from these facts that blue glass, by reason of its property of affording free transmission to the actinic ray, is a most beneficent agent in the conservation and promotion of health, and that its use, with especial reference to those who, because of malady or infirmity, pass their time principally within doors, is a most valuable recruit in the field of applied knowledge—for which all thanks to its military sponsor, General Pleasonton. *Cor. N. Y. Tribune.*

Plucky American Colonists.

Mr. Moore, of the American colony of San Xavier, has again given the Indians a touch of the "grit" in his character. The savages stole fifty cows from his son; he immediately assembled eleven men and a recently rescued captive as guide. They rode seventy leagues into the heart of the Chaco before coming up with the marauders. A fight ensued and the cows were retaken. The Cacique fled, urging a French boy, a captive, with his lance, to keep up with him; a bullet fired with marvelous aim by one of the colonists, rolled the savage dead from his horse, and the boy was free. Suddenly eighty Indians of another tribe fell on the little band, which met the attack in two divisions. Fourteen Indians were sent to the happy hunting-grounds in five minutes. The rest fled, and the heroic little party returned to San Xavier.—*Buenos Ayres Standard.*

Centennial Results.

We are beginning to reap the fruits of our Centennial Exhibition, in the orders that are coming back to us from Europe for all sorts of American manufactures. The Swiss are clearly discouraged in consequence of the comparison of our watch manufacture with theirs. American silks likewise have attracted very favorable attention abroad. American arms are the ones most in demand in all parts of Europe. And so is our hardware. Large orders have come from Norway and Australia for American agricultural implements. It is a good foundation for prosperity, as the revival of business begins to come in sight. *Ploughman.*

A One Rail Railroad.

California has a one-rail railroad in operation at Norfolk, on Sonoma Creek, three and a half miles in length, and intended to be extended up the alley. It is called the Prismoidal Railway, and was formally opened on November 14. The track is a continuous prism of beveled boards, twenty-seven inches wide and fifteen inches high, with a single rail laid on top. The car which travels on the line is supported by two wheels, one in front and one in the rear, with independent revolving flanges. The locomotive is the first of its kind constructed in the State. The visiting party took their places on seats which were ranged on each side of the car, the passengers being face to face. The first impression suggested was that which ordinarily fills the bosom of the novice who makes his maiden effort to ride the uncertain bicycle. A certain insurance that the whole thing would topple over at the first movement was the general belief of thy uninitiated. But the engineer sounded his whistle, the passengers gave their tremulous cheers, and the train moved off smoothly, and soon the pace was considerably augmented. Wonderful to relate, says the San Francisco *Examiner*, the oscillation was scarcely perceptibly, and the locomotive and cars rode along the single rail as firmly as the trains on the broadest of English solidly constructed broad gauges. The faster the train proceeded the smaller in number and extent became the lateral oscillations, beautifully and practically exemplifying the great principles of the whole prismoidal system, that the greater the speed the less liability to oscillate, a principle clearly demonstrated by the gyroscope and velocipede. To those making their first trip on the new railroad the ease and comfort of this mode of traveling suggested itself most strikingly. The train was run out to the end of the completed line, where forty-five men were found continuing the building of the prism, onward. The construction of the road has cost, for the present three miles and a half, including the cost of the road-bed over the marsh, about $4,500 a mile, one-half the cost of the narrow gauge railroad, the most economical of the two rail system.

—Red parasols have appeared on Broadway.

—Wulf & Welp is the ferocious name of a New York firm.

—The merchants of San Francisco have held a meeting to devise measures of protection against fraudulent bankruptcies. One merchant frankly said that he would sooner trust a bankrupt than an ordinary dealer, as the former would be more likely to possess sufficient money to pay the debt.

—"It's all very well," remarked a red-nosed man in a bad hat and an ulster of the vintage of '73; "it's all very well to say, let business revive; but what we want, sir, is confidence, public confidence, sir. Each of us must be willing to bring out our hoarded dollars and put them once more in circulation. Then the skies will brighten; then—by the way, I changed my vest this morning—lend me fifty cents, will you?"

—Aimee, the queen of opera bouffe in this country, according to "Walsingham," is not the siren off the stage that she looks before the footlights. "Real life," he says, "finds her a rather sedate little Frenchwoman, her dark hair done up compactly, and only her alert eyes and a trick of contracting her upper lip so as to disclose her teeth, enabling one to recognize her as the brilliant blonde being who is so naughty and nice in the questionable productions in which her talents are displayed. She dresses neatly in dark colors, and looks generally like an estimable French person at peace with herself and all the world. Mlle. Aimee, although on pleasure bent, hath, like John Gilpin, a frugal mind. Hence a large banking account and many jewels. Extravagant she is not, and there is a tradition that she has her silks and laces cleaned with the most economical care."

—The news comes from California of the discovery of a mineral soap, which can be used for all the purposes to which manufactured soaps are applicable. The discoverer found it when prospecting for coal and used it in his family for a year before announcing it. It is now, however, taken up by a company, and will be brought into commerce. The mine, which is situated in a somewhat inaccessible part of the coast, is in close vicinity of a stream, and it was from the fact that pieces of stone which fell into the stream were observed to melt away that the properties of it became known. The soap is described as marbled or parti-colored like Castile soap, and the extent of the mine is said to be very great. The soap is in the neighborhood of slate-stone and sandstone, and near is a mountain of gypsum, which appears to have been turned up on its edge. The whole country around bears evidence of volcanic action, and the mountains near appear to have been once under the sea, as shells and other marine products abound on the highest points.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, March 21.

Sch Rachel Vanaman, Brower, Philadelphia.
Sch Golden Gate, Amee, Boston.

SAILED, March 21.

Sch Emily A Staples, Crockett, Boston.

Sch T J Trafton, from Portland for Philadelphia, and Active, Seward, from this port for New York, sld from Vineyard Haven March 26.

Sch Jesse Williamson Jr, Frisbee, from Providence for New York sld from Newport March 30.

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Is the remedy that during the past fifteen years has won for DR. FLAGG an extended reputation as a SPECIALIST for THROAT and LUNG Diseases. After so many years trial it can be truthfully said that it has NEVER FAILED, even in the WORST CASES. It is purely Vegetable, and its effect upon the system is at once **Soothing** and **Tonic.**

It Will Cure a Common Cold

In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION.

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption it's effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat.

TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE **Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption.** TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

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CURES CONSUMPTION.

DR. WM. M. LADD, a leading Druggist of Claremont, certifies as follows:

For many years I have known Dr. A. J. Flagg as a successful practicing phys cian, and can assure the public that his representations relative to the Cough and Lung Syrup can be strictly relied upon. It has been used in his extended practice with marvellous success, and I know it to be a I that he claims for it.

WM. M. LADD, M. D.

CLAREMONT, N. H., September, 1875.

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—One of our cotemporaries heads an article, "Who Shall Lead?" A very brief examination of Hoyle will show the man next the dealer should do so.

—An Augusta schoolboy, who had apparently got his ideas mixed in regard to Sir Isaac Newton and General Newton, recently stated in recitation that when Sir Isaac saw the historic apple fall to the ground, its breaking to pieces when it struck suggested the practicability of exploding the rock at Hell Gate, New York.

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Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	81
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
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Boston & Providence	135
Boston & Albany	123
Nashua & Lowell	87
Concord	78
Eastern	4½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	130
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	42
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Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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THE MOUNTAIN MEADOW MASSACRE.

The following is part of the confession made by John D. Lee relative to the Mountain Meadow massacre:

I was born at Kaskaskia, Illinois, in 1812; was raised as a Catholic; married in 1833; became wealthy; on Rock Creek, in 1837, became acquainted with Mormon preachers. I bought, read and believed the book of Mormon. Sold my property in Illinois and moved to the Far West in Missouri in 1837, where I joined the Mormon church and became intimately acquainted with Joseph Smith, Brigham Young and other leaders of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints; was subsequently initiated into the order of Danites at its first formation. This order was solemnly sworn to obey all orders of the priesthood of the Mormon Church, to do any and all things as commanded. The Destroying Angels of the Mormon Church were selected from this organization. I took an active part as a Mormon soldier in the conflicts between the people of Missouri and the Mormons, which made Jackson county (Mo.) historic ground when the Mormons were expelled from Missouri. I was one of the first to settle at Nauvoo, Illinois, where I took an active part in all that was done for the church or city. I had charge of the construction of many public buildings there. Was a policeman and body guard of Joseph Smith of Nauvoo. After his death I held the same position to Brigham Young, who succeeded Smith as prophet. I was recorded for the quorum of seventy, head clerk of the church and organized the priesthood into the Order of Seventies. I took all the degrees in the endowment house and stood high in the priesthood. Immediately after Joseph Smith received a revelation concerning polygamy, I was informed of its doctrines by said Joseph Smith and the Apostles. I believed in the doctrine and have been sealed to eighteen women, three of whom were sisters and one was the mother of three of my wives. I was sealed to this old woman for her soul's salvation. I was an honored man in the church, flattered and regarded by Brigham Young and the Apostles until 1868, when I was cut off from the church and selected as a scapegoat to suffer for and bear the sins of my people.

As a duty to myself and mankind I now confess all that I know and all that I did at the Mountain Meadow massacre, without animosity to any one, shielding none and giving the facts as they existed. Those with me on that occasion were acting under orders from the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. The horrid deeds then committed were done as a duty which we believed we owed to God and our church. We were all sworn to secresy before and after the massacre. The penalty for giving information was death. As I am to suffer death for what I then did, and have been betrayed, both by those who gave me orders to act, and the most active of my assistants, I now give the true facts as they exist, and tell why the massacre was committed and who were the active participants. The Mountain Meadow massacre was the result of the direct teachings of Brigham Young. And it was done by orders of those high in authority in the Mormon community. The immediate orders for the massacre were issued by Col. Dame, Lieut. Col. Isaac C. Haight and council at Cedar City, Utah. Haight was the leader there in all things civil, clerical and military. It was a crime punishable by death to disobey his orders. Haight gave me a full account of the emigrants coming. He said the emigrants were a rough set; that they were bad men, robbers and murderers, and had helped to kill Mormon prophets. I believed him. I was ordered to raise Indians to attack the train and run off the cattle, and to have the Indians kill the emigrants. I sent Carl Shirts, my son-in-law, to raise the Southern Indians. Nephi Johnson went to the other tribes. On Monday morning I left to obey orders. Haight said: "We are acting by orders. It is all right. We will let the Indians bear all the blame." I said: "We are forbidden to shed innocent blood." The reply of Haight was, "There is not a drop of innocent blood in the whole lot. Go, Brother Lee, and carry out the instructions of those in authority. If you are dutiful in this your reward shall be great in the kingdom of God, for God will bless those who obey the Counsel and make all things fit for the people of the Lord in their days."

On my way home I passed many Indians on the war path. I promised to join them the next day. On Tuesday morning the Indians attacked the train at daylight and killed seven and wounded sixteen emigrants. The Indians lost some warriors. The emigrants then fortified and the Indians surrounded them and sent for me. The whole county was aroused, both whites and Indians rushing to Mountain Meadow from all directions. I arrived at the camp late Tuesday afternoon and found the Indians in large force. They demanded that I should lead the attack. I refused until further orders were received from Haight or Dame. On Thursday orders came by Major Higby. There were fifty-eight whites and about five hundred Indians present. Then Higby made a speech and said all the emigrants were to be killed who could talk; that we must get them out of the fortifications by treachery.

I was to follow a flag of truce and make a treaty with the besieged and promise protection. I was also to get the arms of the emigrants and the sick and wounded and also the children into wagons. Then the troops under Higby would meet the emigrants. The Indians were to remain in ambush. The women were to go ahead. The Indians were then to kill the women. The militia were to kill the men, and I and the drivers of wagons were to kill the wounded and sick in the wagons. Several other men then made speeches. Then we had a prayer circle and then more speeches, and it was agreed by all parties that it was the will of God for us to do as ordered. On Friday morning the emigrants had a white flag flying, and the Mormon brethren again assembled. Speeches were made, and all expressed themselves willing to act.

The roll of assassins included Maj. John M. Higby, Phillip K. Smith, bishop of the church at Cedar City, Joel White, William C. Stewart, Benj. Arthur, Alexander Wilden, Charles Hopkins Tate, Ira Ellew, Robert Wiley, Richard Harrison, Samuel Pollock, Daniel McFarlane, John Ure, George Hunter, Joseph Smith, Samuel Jukes, Nephi Johnsen, Carl Shirts, Seven Jacobs, John Jacobs, E. Curtis, Thomas Cartwright, William Bateman, Anthony Stratton, A. Loveridge, Joseph Clews, John Durfey, Columbus Freeman and others, making fifty-four or fifty-eight whites and about 400 or 500 Indians.

Major Higby then addressed the party and said, "Brethren, it is the orders of the President that all emigrants must be put out of the way. President Haight has counseled with Col. Dame, and has received orders from him to put all of the emigrants out of the way. All of them must be killed. Especially those that might talk again." He spoke of the character of the emigrants. He said the church authorities of Southern Utah were all there, and that we were there to do a duty we owed as good church people. That the orders of those in authority were that all of the emigrants that could talk must die. Higby concluded as follows: "Our orders are from our leaders, who speak with inspired tongues, and their words are the will of *good* men. You have no right to question them. You must obey as you are commanded."

The flag of truce was then sent forward. It was carried by William Bateman. He was met by the emigrants and they held a parley with him. Bateman then returned and reported that the emigrants would surrender arms and do as requested. The Mormon soldiers then marched out to within two hundred yards of the emigrants. They next took the wagons and went to the camp and stated their orders. The emigrants then surrendered and put their arms, sick and wounded and children into the wagons. While they were burying their dead men the emigrants burst into tears and said they feared treachery. As soon as the wagons were loaded the train was started. The emigrants marched in single file, the women and large children being ahead. Then the men came.

When the wagons were half a mile off the fire commenced. The Indians killed all the women and large children. The Mormons killed the men. The drivers with me killed the sick and wounded. We saved seventeen children. The dead were stripped and mutilated, and the corpses left on the field. The Mormons camped on the field. The next day Haight, Dame, and other leaders came over. Finally they quarreled. Haight said to Dame: "You ordered it, and damn you, it is too late to go back." Dame said he did not know there were so many of them. We buried the dead, and drove the cattle to Iron Springs. All the wagons and other property were sold in Cedar City by order of the church authorities. All the orders were fully obeyed.

The horrors attending the massacre of the emigrants are beyond my description. The brethren were sworn again to secresy. This was also done by order of the church, which was then at war with the United States Government. George A. Smith, who was second in the priesthood, having just happened to be there giving orders, visited the Indian Camp with me. He said he came to instruct the people to let none of the emigrants go past without a pass from President Young, Col. Dame or Lieut. Col. Haight; that they must not sell the emigrants any more good grain; in fact, anything. He said the Americans were a mob of ruffians, from the President down. He asked if the Indians would kill all bad emigrants. I told him the Indians and Mormons were both hostile to them, and would kill all not under the protection of the church. This pleased him, and he laughed and said "All right." Haight and Dame told him the same thing. He taught the people that it was their duty to kill all emigrants and massacre them, just as Brother Smith and the other leaders wanted.

Haight sent me to Salt Lake City to report to Brigham Young, and he promised me a crown celestial as my reward. I went and made my report to Brigham Young ten days after the massacre. I told him all—everything—who were there, who were guilty and who were active in killing the emigrants. In fact, all I knew. I said to him: "You must sustain us or release us from the endowment oath to avenge the death of the prophets. Brigham Young said: I will communicate with God. I went back the next morning, when Young said: "Brother Lee, not a drop of innocent blood has been shed. I have gone to God in prayer. God has shown me that it was a just act. The people did right, but were only a little hasty. I have direct evidence from God that the act was a just one; that it was in accord with God's will. All I fear

is treachery on the part of the brethren concerned. Go home and tell the brethren I sustain them. Keep all secret as the grave. Never tell any one, and write me a letter laying all the blame on the Indians. I will then report to the United States Government that it was an Indian massacre." Brigham Young was then and for many years after fully satisfied with me and my act. He gave me three wives after that, and appointed me Probate Judge of Washington county. Nothing but cowardice has made him desert me. Fifty head of cattle were sold in Salt Lake City by the authorities for merchandise. The emigrants had 450, making 500 head in all. They had only a little money. When Cradlebaugh was Judge in Utah, and went to Mountain Meadows to investigate the massacre, Brigham Young came with him. He then knew all about the massacre and upheld the brethren. He preached at Cedar City and said about the emigrants: "Do you know who they were? I will tell you. They were fathers, mothers, brothers, sisters, uncles, aunts, and children of men who killed saints in Jackson county and afterwards killed the Prophet in Carthage jail. Their children are in the poor-house, their relatives refuse them because they are children of thieves, outlaws and murderers. I have been told there are many children who are willing to inform on those who did this thing. I hope there is no truth in the rumor. I hope no such person lives. If there is, I tell you what your fate will be: Unless you repent at once, keep secret all that you know and protect each other you will die a dog's death. You will soon go to Hell as damned, lost souls. Let me hear no more of treachery among my people. Any one who had proved traitor there would have met the destroying angel at once."

After I reported to Brigham Young I went home and met Haight and gave him a full report of Young's statement. Haight said, "Well done, faithful servant; you shall receive a celestial reward for your services; you have deserved well of God and the church."

Lee says he then wrote an account of the massacre, laying the blame on the Indians, and says "it was years afterward before I knew that I had been made a tool of by the leaders. I only obeyed the orders of my superiors. I then believed I was serving God and would receive a celestial reward. Now I know it is wrong, and that my reward is not to be celestial.

It was the first plan to have none but Indians take part in the massacre, but as William C. Stewart, Joel White and Benjamin Arthur were coming to Mountain Meadow on Wednesday night they met Young Aden and another man going from the emigrants to Cedar City for help. They told of the Indian attack and asked aid from the settlers. The only reply was a shot from Stewart, which killed Aden. The other man was wounded by White and Arthur, but escaped and carried word that the whites had come to help the Indians. After this the authorities said there was no safety except in killing all who could talk. Wm. C. Stewart was the most bloodthirsty of any one there. He cut throats just for amusement. Klingensmith, Bishop of Cedar City, killed a man. Every one there took part in killing women and children as a religious duty. We were at that time in the midst of excitement of reformation, and were made to believe that the fulness of time had come, that the Mormons were to conquer the world at once and inherit all the wealth of the universe, that Christ was to come and rule for 1000 years, and that the Mormon doctrine was to be universally accepted.

The witnesses on my trial have not told the whole truth. They are all guilty of helping to kill the band of emigrants. This is the only act of violence that I ever took part in, except when in lawful battle. I would not have acted on that occasion as I did to have saved my body from tortures had I not believed I was obeying orders from the heads of the church. I knew I was doing according to the teachings of the priesthood, and I still think Haight had his orders from the heads of the church.

My journals and private writings have been destroyed by order of Brigham Young. I have nothing left but my memory to give as my account of the foul deeds done in God's name during the years when Brigham Young was chief ruler in Utah. I know of many other murders, castrations and robberies committed by order of the priesthood all of which I have fully stated in my writings delivered to my attorney, W. W. Bishop. I have told the whole truth, and the God I am soon to meet face to face knows that my assertions are nothing but truth.

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Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, MARCH 24, 1877.

THE GOVERNOR VOTE.

MARCH 1876, and MARCH, 1877.

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ROCKINGHAM COUNTY.

	1876. Greely.	Hartshorn.	Scattering.	1877. Prescott.	Marvin.	Scattering.
Auburn,	166	92		160	91	
Atkinson,	83	52	1	90	65	
Brentwood,	122	92		121	87	
Candia,	191	108		190	91	
Chester,	226	86		224	83	
Danville,	94	85		84	76	1
Derryfield,	296	224		211	227	
Derry,	291	133	3	273	128	
East Kingston,	57	92	2	57	68	
Epping,	181	214	1	191	205	
Exeter,	583	171		548	146	4
Fremont,	91	71	1	87	63	1
Greenland,	87	95	1	80	85	
Hampstead,	126	111	6	120	97	4
Hampton,	184	241		158	170	
Hampton Falls,	103	41	1	102	49	
Kensington,	78	84		77	85	
Kingston,	193	182	10	187	149	4
Londonderry,	237	158	2	225	120	1
Newcastle,	103	83		99	54	
Newington,	55	72		51	78	
Newmarket,	241	200		226	206	
Newton,	153	113		125	113	
North Hampton,	83	131		81	131	
Northwood,	168	123	1	187	140	
Nottingham,	183	129	1	189	120	2
Pinkston,	118	69	1	105	46	
Portsmouth,	1134	1227	7	1144	1113	10
Raymond,	195	217		199	217	
Rye,	96	163		116	196	
Salem,	233	187	27	227	185	6
Sandown,	58	86		55	81	
Seabrook,	181	198		155	212	1
South Hampton,	64	68		63	68	
So. Newmarket,	165	67	6	137	73	1
Stratham,	105	92		94	105	
Windham,	117	86	1	119	63	
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STRAFFORD COUNTY.

Barrington,	217	2 4	9	207	136	
Dover,	1168	551	19	1167	565	
Durham,	178	85		180	103	
Farmington,	305	276	11	282	371	7
Lee,	78	123	2	92	91	1
Alexbury,	76	51		83	47	
Middleton,	52	63		34	71	
Milton,	232	151		224	157	
New Durham,	43	145	4	48	142	2
Rochester,	631	456	40	677	523	6
Rollinsford,	155	85		180	88	7
Somersworth,	555	350	8	590	508	16
Strafford,	172	232		167	235	1
	3966	2280	94	4026	3215	45

BELKNAP COUNTY.

Alton,	239	171		221	170	15
Barnstead,	118	235		118	234	2
Belmont,	129	176		151	174	
Centre Harbor	78	79		71	86	
Gilford,	270	225		330	239	3
Gilmanton,	226	185		213	158	1
Laconia,	446	548	3	367	443	1
Meredith,	191	224	3	186	237	
New Hampton,	177	95	3	159	99	4
Sanbornton,	143	202		120	189	
Tilton,	138	158	7	128	149	
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CARROLL COUNTY.

Albany	34	50		36	48	
Bartlett,	60	161		46	165	
Brookfield,	63	49	1	59	43	
Chatham,	62	57		62	58	
Conway,	239	307		208	342	
Eaton,	47	116		35	170	
Ellingham,	116	143		102	131	
Freedom,	55	140		55	124	
Hart's Location,	10	27		16	5	
Jackson,	42	115	2	9	123	
Madison,	111	36		116	35	
Moultonboro',	109	201		124	173	
Ossipee,	228	197	2	218	210	4
Sandwich,	264	278	4	272	268	2
Tamworth,	207	145		181	156	
Tuftonboro',	122	107	3	103	145	1
Wakefield,	154	177	2	145	188	
Wolfeboro',	211	312	2	285	301	
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HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY.

Amherst,	317	115	5	307	114	4
Antrim,	159	165	2	161	157	1
Bennington,	50	72		49	64	
Bedford,	141	164		139	153	1
Brookline,	116	117		107	118	
Deering,	54	127	2	61	117	
Francestown,	146	100		142	97	
Greenfield,	92	119		69	121	
Greenville,	132	52		138	54	
Goffstown,	246	267		250	195	3
Hancock,	88	112	3	83	112	
Hillsborough,	193	273	9	200	260	3
Hollis,	172	143	2	164	137	2
Hudson,	142	142		134	144	1
Litchfield,	56	53		55	56	
Lyndeborough,	101	122		97	104	
Merrimack,	157	90		157	90	
Manchester,	2792	2116	9	2596	1702	25
Mason,	73	86		74	89	
Mont Vernon,	72	82		68	83	
Milford,	484	146	3	483	142	
Nashua,	1189	800		1268	1080	6
New Boston,	138	188	1	144	173	5
New Ipswich,	159	95		177	69	2
Peterborough,	371	221		338	192	3
Pelham,	136	118		93	128	
Sharon,	34	41		25	38	
Temple,	63	51		58	41	
Weare,	288	202	7	291	190	1
Wilton,	301	245		197	222	
Windsor,	4	15	3	4	15	
	8254	6986	74	7870	6282	62

MERRIMAC COUNTY.

Allenstown,	45	116	6	52	109	
Andover,	192	253	1	198	248	
Boscawen,	161	170	9	173	168	2
Bow,	101	123	1	93	130	1
Bradford,	114	179	8	119	165	2
Canterbury,	136	136		154	111	
Chichester,	97	118	1	86	128	
Concord,	1259	1146	12	1305	1230	8
Dunbury,	107	119		92	124	
Dunbarton,	133	99	1	111	81	2
Epsom,	136	127		112	148	
Franklin,	374	434	3	346	489	3
Henniker,	189	198		194	200	
Hill,	113	68		105	69	
Hooksett,	126	121		136	98	3
Hopkinton,	203	226	2	201	215	
Jaffrey,	136	277		190	232	
New London,	139	95	1	144	93	
Newbury,	32	121		42	139	
Northfield,	125	130		115	136	
Pembroke,	243	192	8	250	140	3
Pittsfield,	273	223	7	197	256	
Salisbury,	89	137		99	118	
Sutton,	132	132		130	132	
Warner,	261	232		252	212	
Wilmot,	105	139		107	148	
Webster,	100	63	1	104	63	
	5097	5054	47	5598	5297	24

CHESHIRE COUNTY.

Alstead,	154	153		141	138	
Chesterfield,	167	131		147	124	2
Dublin,	197	59	2	198	54	
Fitzwilliam,	194	80	2	205	59	22
Gilsum,	69	102		67	105	
Harrisville,	91	80		88	96	
Hinsdale,	260	98	4	228	90	2
Jaffrey,	196	117	2	185	106	7
Keene,	948	604	5	925	562	10
Marlborough,	203	65	3	237	60	1
Marlow,	83	104		81	101	
Nelson,	97	43		84	43	
Richmond,	126	84		86	80	
Rindge,	189	56		185	59	
Roxbury,	34	10		26	11	
Stoddard,	93	86		87	69	
Sullivan,	69	26		68	26	
Surry,	62	51		55	47	
Swanzey,	197	241		187	225	11
Troy,	139	83		119	59	1
Westmoreland,	144	252	1	136	241	1
Westmoreland,	144	131	3	143	142	
Winchester,	278	254	2	270	251	7
	3969	2601	30	3921	2689	76

SULLIVAN COUNTY.

Acworth,	149	147		127	127	
Charlestown,	229	163		222	165	
Claremont,	603	296	13	662	301	7
Cornish,	209	112		191	104	
Croydon,	125	47	2	113	50	2
Goshen,	60	87		55	73	
Grantham,	96	72		87	74	
Langdon,	76	41		71	34	
Lempster,	91	93	1	91	87	2
Newport,	366	215	1	360	194	3
Plainfield,	156	105		143	99	
Springfield,	97	102		114	93	
Sunapee,	91	128		99	119	1
Unity,	97	126		92	123	
Washington,	118	119	1	112	105	
	2582	2634	18	2826	1937	15

GRAFTON COUNTY.

Alexandria,	191	141	1	196	133	
Ashland,	159	85	1	170	87	
Bath,	166	120		96	139	
Benton,	14	67		18	60	
Bethlehem,	85	256	1	83	264	
Bridgewater,	62	47		62	44	
Bristol,	248	148	2	248	114	2
Campton,	185	155	1	175	159	
Canaan,	273	202	2	276	175	
Dorchester,	84	95		47	101	
Ellsworth,	5	54		2	51	
Enfield,	324	177	4	299	156	
Franconia,	49	98		44	93	
Grafton,	156	135		160	126	
Groton,	56	81		52	79	
Hanover,	228	184		250	137	
Haverhill,	229	327		229	311	
Hebron,	53	60		48	60	
Holderness,	88	135		85	138	
Land. G,	43	149		32	97	
Lebanon,	634	269		651	261	
Lincoln,	7	11		8	6	
Littleton,	295	292	1	291	216	
Littleton,	291	367		315	235	
Lyman,	75	86		69	91	1
Lyme,	211	107	1	218	95	4
Monroe,	76	39		79	45	
Orange,	52	45		48	50	
Orford,	164	122		188	93	1
Piermont,	103	66		97	72	
Plymouth,	179	229		191	225	
Rumney,	148	138	8	133	128	3
Thornton,	64	146		67	145	
Warren,	51	174		68	170	
Waterville,	3	7		1	7	
Wentworth,	65	126		68	207	
Woodstock,	52	66		73	65	
	4705	4934	22	4877	4656	11

COOS COUNTY.

Berlin,	39	60		34	66	
Carroll,	32	66		26	68	1
Clarksville,	33	42		37	43	
Colebrook,	215	179		221	185	2
Columbia,	115	82		102	68	
Dalton,	54	86		56	80	1
Dummer,	46	39		33	43	
Errol,	15	20		11	23	
Gorham,	121	146		116	132	1
Jefferson,	44	148	4	40	167	10
Lancaster,	320	300	16	298	314	29
Milan,	112	74		109	66	
Northumberland,	137	130	1	118	139	3
Pittsburgh,	55	60		55	60	
Randolph,	7	33		6	33	
Stratford,	57	21		60	21	
Stark,	63	83		61	81	
Stewartstown,	176	120		175	173	4
Stratford,	69	119		68	110	
Whitefield,	181	168	15	191	175	12
Wheelwright's Location,		10			10	
	1704	2055	34	1685	2142	63

RECAPITULATION.

	Gov. Vote, 1876. Greely.	Hartshorn.	Scattering.	Gov. Vote, 1877. Prescott.	Marvin.	Scattering.
Rockingham,	6492	5304	93	6375	5649	45
Strafford,	3966	2280	94	4026	3215	45
Belknap,	2112	2289	15	1968	2252	26
Carroll,	2234	1846	1	2015	2552	9
Hillsborough,	8254	6986	74	7870	6282	62
Cheshire,	3969	2601	30	3921	2689	76
Sullivan,	2582	2634	18	2826	1937	15
Grafton,	4705	4934	22	4877	4656	11
Coos,	1704	2055	34	1685	2142	63
	41798	34143	431	40759	36763	367

News and Notes.

The work of dredging the bottom of the East River at Hallett's Point has commenced.

The evidence against Major Reno, on trial at St. Paul for slandering the wife of a brother officer, is damaging and he will probably be disgraced.

The Ohio temperance women are on the war path again. About thirty of them, armed with axes, descended on a saloon at Millertown last week, smashed in the door, demolished bar, jugs, kegs and walls, marching off in good order, singing, "We'll hoist our flag and on to victory."

John Morton, a son of Senator Morton, has left for the Alaska Islands as Government agent to superintend the killing of seals, under the contract which permits the slaughter of 100,000 seals per annum.

Three barques, the Burnside, Jeanie and Inga, and two brigs, the Ella and Alberta, are long out from New York without being heard of, and are all given up for lost with all on board. The list of vessels "missing" since the first of December last is fearfully long.

Mr. Gordon Cumming, the famous Scotch explorer and lion killer, is to be married in April, to Miss Eames, a Washington belle. Among the bridesmaids will be the daughters of ex-Secretary Fish and Sir Edward Thornton.

A daring robber entered the Indiana National Bank at Indianapolis, at noon Wednesday, and placing upon the floor a small box which he carried, he stood upon it, and reaching over the railing, grabbed a package containing $30,000. He made off with the money before the attendants and clerks could give an alarm. So quietly was the package taken, that no one was able to give a description of the thief.

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll was entertained at a complimentary dinner given by the Massachusetts Club at Young's Hotel, Boston, Thursday evening.

Steamship Diego left New Orleans for Liverpool recently with 6,800 bales of cotton on board, the largest cargo ever taken from that port in a steamer.

Steamer Martha's Vineyard on Wednesday went to the wreck of schooner M. Sawall, recently grounded and capsized on Long Shoal, and found her afloat and riding to her anchors, but the sea being high, did not succeed in taking her into port. Her mainmast is nearly out, only hanging by the deck.

Billy Patterson and Joe Hill, desperate fellows and bitter enemies, who had often fought before, had a terrible knife fight in a drug store near Richmond, Ky., last week. The throats of both were cut from ear to ear at the first encounter, but they kept on till arms, face and head were hacked horribly, and both fatally hurt.

More wrecks. British ship Winchester, from Liverpool for Norfolk, Va., in ballast, went ashore near Cape Henry Wednesday night. The life-saving crew were driven back by the heavy sea in an attempt to board the ship with their life boat, and could not reach the wreck with a shot from their mortar; but a line was sent on shore from the ship by means of a floating barrel, and the crew, twenty-seven in number, were safely landed in the life-car. Italian barque Papa Luigui, from Girgenti for Boston with a cargo of brimstone, went ashore on Nantucket during a fog Wednesday night, and bilged; crew saved by life saving station men. She was a nearly new vessel of 450 tons register. The steamship Columbus, which arrived at New York on Wednesday from Havana, reports that on March 9, when near Cape Hatteras on the outward passage, during a severe southerly gale, an American brig was seen about two miles from the steamship with the flag union down, and apparently in a sinking condition; it was impossible to render any assistance on account of the heavy sea, and the brig soon afterward disappeared. On March 20, on the return voyage, when near Cape Hatteras, the captain and five men of the schooner Gov. Burton, from Philadelphia to Charleston, S. C., were rescued from their sinking vessel. The rescued men were nearly exhausted.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory should have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH S. NORN,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAVERS,
ROBERT KING,
JAMES A. BUGG,
CHARLES H. MENDUM,
Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

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THREE OFFICES over the 20 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to
March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

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Established 1851.

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is authorized Agent and Attorney for the following responsible Companies:

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PHILADELPHIA, ... Assets $3,300,000.
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Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.
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Constantly on hand, consisting of
SHIRTS,
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Of Every Description.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

SICK HEADACHE.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.
I have suffered with Sick Head-Ache as often as every two weeks, for *Fifteen Years*. At times in such severe pain I *fainted away*. I tried every thing I could hear of and was attended by Physicians. I continued in this condition until last December when I commenced with the Little Giant Pills. I have not had a Head-Ache since. I want every person who suffers as I have, to try this Medicine and be cured, and if any such are not able to pay for a box, I will buy a box and give them.
MRS. CARRIE A. HODGDON, 7 Dennett St.
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Trade Mark on Square Boxes.

NEW CINCINNAT, SUGAR CURED
HAMS AND BACON
FOR SALE BY
CHARLES E. LAIGHTON & SON.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.
THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.
It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.
C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.
THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street, and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.
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POTS,
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A SMALL LOT OF
Cold Blast Whole Wheat Flour,
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" " *(fine),*
Pearled Oats,
White Wheat Gluten,
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Just received and for sale by
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1500 Pounds New Dates,
SELLING CHEAP AT
BUTLER & LAIGHTON'S.

SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS.
FERRIS & CO'S SUGAR-CURED HAMS,
WEIGHING FROM 8 TO 12 LBS.,
For Sale By
BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

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ON Wednesday evening, March 7th, between Austin and State streets, a PURSE containing a sum of money. On leaving the same at this office the finder will be rewarded.

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CARRIAGE AND TIRE BOLTS.
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SCHOOL BOOKS,
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CENTENNIAL VIEWS,
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CARDS, &C.
☞ I shall open next month a complete line of ROOM PAPERS, CURTAINS, BORDERS, TASSELS, &c., &c.
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FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and plot of land, suitable for a SUMMER RESORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attics, and on the place is a good BARN and fine water; everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view; the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times, and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.
Enquire of
JOSEPH L. MARDEN,
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Or, WILLIAM DOWNS & SON, Portsmouth.

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—A FEW MORE OF THOSE
CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,
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I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Seats, Seat Sticks, Sleigh Dashers, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Miller Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.
Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for house cellar.
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Call and see the New Styles
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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45,6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45,6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	4.35 "
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	7.40 "	4.45 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 " 9.45 "	6.30 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 5.50 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

A very interesting service is expected at the Bow Mission, Sabbath afternoon. Subject "Christ or Belial," continued. Miss Davis will preside at the organ. New pieces will be sung during the service. The laboring classes are especially invited. After the regular meeting a special meeting will be called, which will be of interest to friends of the Mission.

The Braxton Family, of this city, assisted by Mr. Sheppard, organist, will give a sacred concert at Mechanics' Hall on Sunday evening; admission 10 cents; doors open at 7 o'clock.

To-morrow is Palm Sunday, the commencement of Passion Week, the week immediately preceding Easter Sunday, which this year happens upon the first day of April.

On Thursday evening, the Women's Temperance League, with invited guests to the number of 250 sat down to a bountiful repast prepared by the League, at Mechanic's Hall. After the tables were cleared the company was called to order by the President of the League, Mrs. Thorndike, and music and speeches were indulged in for an hour. The singing by Miss Thompson, and by little Aggie Fernald was very fine. All present joined in singing "Old Oaken Bucket" and other songs, Miss Florence Edgerly presiding at the organ; and short addresses were made by Rev. Messrs. Goss, Hubbell, Noyes and Alden and by President Janvrin of the Reform Club. The Committee of Arrangements deserve great credit for providing such an enjoyable entertainment.

For families visiting Philadelphia, no more cozy, home-like quarters, combined with excellent service, unexceptional *cuisine* and moderate prices can be found than at the Colonnade Hotel on Chestnut Street.

The reason Hon. Frank Jones got but a meagre plurality this year in place of his majority of nearly 350 two years ago, was because the democrats did not act on our disinterested advice, and have Beebe, the Congressional jig-dancer, give a breakdown on top of a desk when he appeared on the platform in Franklin Hall. That would have touched the people.

James D. Butler, Esq., of this city, has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. The total liabilities as returned are $8,000, while the assets are estimated at $13,000, including a $10,000 interest in a certain patent right.

The dusty and weary traveler will find most excellent rooms with baths at the American House, Boston. The Hotel has no superior in New England, is situated in the heart of the city, and within five minutes walk of everywhere.

CITY AFFAIRS.

In *Board of Mayor and Aldermen*, Thursday evening, Charles A. Shannon, for the school committee, appeared and made application for repairs and new seats for the lower room in the School street schoolhouse. The subject was referred.

The Common Council gave notice that they were ready to meet the Board of Aldermen in convention, agreeable to an ordinance passed March 8th.

In convention, Meshach Muchmore was elected surveyor of lumber, and Robert E. Rich was elected city treasurer.

In Board of Aldermen, a petition of the police force that they be allowed to wear the regulation cap when on duty, was accepted, and it was voted that the request be granted.

Petition of Franklin K. Brown for a new highway from North street, was accepted.

Charles W. Gardner's bill for printing city accounts and school committee's report ($332) was ordered to be paid.

The committee on police, to whom was referred the bill of Howe Call, presented a report, which was accepted. Voted to lay the bill on the table.

Application of John O'Brian, for license to deal in old junk, etc., was referred to the committee on police.

The Mayor was authorized to appoint persons to collect statistics of births and deaths and to make enrollments.

The resignation of Hiram C. Locke as inspector of petroleum and its products was accepted, and Clarence O. Walker was appointed to fill the office.

Applications for cross-walk on State street, and for repair of sidewalk in front of engine houses on Court street, were referred to committee on streets with power.

James Moses was elected collector of taxes.

The painting of the Spalding school-house and repairing of fence, was referred to the committee on school-houses with Mayor added, with power.

The committee on bills on second reading reported Oliver M. Knight's bill entitled "An ordinance relating to night-soil," without amendment, and it was read a second time and passed.

Adjourned for two weeks.

RYE.

RYE, March 23d.

The "Old Folks' Concert" was a success, notwithstanding the horrible travelling and threatening weather; the Hall was full, and all were seemingly well satisfied with the unique entertainment presented. The costumes, thirty-seven in number, were all elegant, and of course were the principal objects of attraction,—taken together with the wearers, more especially, to be sure, the ladies. Some of the hair toilets were stunning, and had the effect of so altering the usual appearance of many that it puzzled some husbands to know just who their wives were, to say nothing of the perplexity of the audience in trying to recognize their every-day acquaintances. It was the first attempt of the kind ever made in Rye, and if our great grandfathers and grandmothers looked as well as their "ancestors after them" did, and sang "The New Jerusalem," "Buckfield," "Anthem for Easter," "Russia," and many other tunes of like description, with as much "vim" as they were sang at this concert, then there must be something true about the "good old times" that we read about. NAT.

New Hampshire Items.

Dartmouth College has been well represented by her graduates in the Governor's chair. The first Governor who was a graduate was Samuel Bell of Chester, from 1819 to 1824. Then follow Levi Woodbury, 1823-4; Matthew Harvey, 1830-1; Samuel Dinsmoor, 1831-4; Henry Hubbard, 1842-4; Samuel Dinsmoor, Jr., 1849-52; Ralph Metcalf, 1855-7. Hon. B. F. Prescott, the Governor-elect, graduated from Dartmouth in 1856.

Rev. L. E. Beckwith of the First Unitarian Church at Milford resigns, to take effect in the middle of April.

A pure white muskrat was caught in the north part of Great Barrington, recently, something old hunters never saw before in that part of the country.

The late Rev. Dr. Leonard, of Dublin, served 33 years in that town as Superintending School Committee; Jona K. Smith served 20 years, and Henry C. Piper, the present efficient officer, is now serving his 20th year.

Benjamin D. Chase of Hudson, now 86 years old, recently walked from his house to the wood lot, a distance of three-fourths of a mile, cut a cord of pine wood and walked home again, all in six hours.

The Claremont linen mill has been purchased by a firm who propose to manufacture knit goods, and the work of fitting it up and putting in machinery will soon begin.

—General Washington couldn't tell a lie, and in this respect he differed materially from General Washington Despatches.

—Many a boy has lost his grip on his father's affection by being able to beat the old gentleman at a friendly game of cards.

—At the St. Mark's Place Cooking School in New York, recently, the chief announced that the disagreeable smell made by cabbage when cooking may be annihilated by putting a tiny piece of washing soda, not larger than the top of a lead pencil, in the pot. This is a great discovery, and should be heralded from Maine to California.

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HODGDON. In this city, March 25, Emma W. Hodgdon, wife of George E. Hodgdon, Esq., and daughter of the late Mr. Roswell W. Webster, aged 29 years and 3 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

How We Hunted a Mouse.

I was dozing comfortably in my easy chair, and dreaming of the good times which I hope are coming, when there fell upon my ears the most startling scream. It was the voice of my Maria Ann, in agony. The voice came from the kitchen, and to the kitchen I rushed. The idolized form of my Maria was perched on a chair, and flourishing an iron spoon in all directions, and shouting "shoo," in a general manner at everything in the room. To my anxious inquiries as to what was the matter, she screamed, "Oh, Joshua, a mouse, shoo—wha—shoo—a great—ya, shoo—a, horrid mouse, and—she—ew—it ran right out of the cupboard—shoo—go away—Oh, Lord, Joshua—shoo—kill it, oh, my—shoo."

All that fuss, you see, about one harmless mouse. Some women are so afraid of mice, Maria is. I got the poker and set myself to poke that mouse, and my wife jumped down and ran off into another room. I found the mouse in a corner under the sink. The first time I hit it I didn't poke it any on account of getting the poker all tangled up in a lot of dishes in the sink; and I did not hit it any more because the mouse would not stay still. It ran right toward me, and I naturally jumped as anybody would; but I am not afraid of mice, and when the infernal thing ran up inside the leg of my pantaloons, I yelled to Maria because I was afraid it would know a hole in my garment. There is something real disagreeable about having a mouse inside the leg of one's pantaloons, especially if there is nothing between you and the mouse. Its toes are cold and its nails scratchy, and its fur tickles and its tail feel crawly, and there is nothing pleasant about it, and you are all the time afraid it will try to gnaw out, and begin on you instead of the cloth. That mouse was next to me. I could feel its every motion with startling and suggestive distinctness. For these reasons I yelled to Maria. And as the case seemed urgent to me, I may have yelled with a certain degree of vigor; but I deny that I yelled fire, and if I catch the boy who thought I did I shall inflict punishment on his person.

I did not lose my presence of mind for an instant. I caught the mouse just as it was clambering over my knee, and by pressing firmly on the outside of the cloth I kept the animal prisoner on the inside. I kept jumping around with all my might to confuse it, so that it would not think about biting, and I yelled that the other mice would not hear its squeals, and come to its assistance. A man can't handle many mice at once, to advantage.

Maria was as white as a sheet when she came into the kitchen, and asked what she should do—as though I could hold a mouse and plan a campaign at the same time. I told her to think of something, and she thought she would throw things at the intruder, but as there was no chance for her to hit the mark, while every shot took effect on me, I told her to stop, after she had tried two sadirons and the coal scuttle. She paused for breath; but I kept bobbing around. Somehow I felt no inclination to sit down anywhere. "Oh, Joshua," she cried; "I wish you hadn't killed the cat." Now I submit that the wish was born of the weakness of woman's intellect. How on earth did she suppose a cat could get where that mouse was? rather have the mouse there alone anyway, than to have a cat prowling around after it. I reminded Maria of the fact that she was a fool. Then she got the tea-kettle and tried to scald the mouse. I objected to that process except as a last resort. Then she got some cheese to coax the mouse down, but I did not dare to let go for fear it would run up. Matters were getting desperate. I told her to think of something else, and kept jumping. Just as I was ready to faint with exhaustion, I tripped over a sadiron, lost my hold, and the mouse fell to the floor very dead. I had no idea a mouse could be squeezed to death so easy.

That was not the end of the trouble, for before I had recovered my breath a fireman broke in one of the front windows, and a whole company followed him through, and they dragged hose around, and mussed things all over the house, and then the foreman wanted to thrash me because the house was not on fire, and I had hardly got him pacified before a policeman came in and arrested me. It was all Maria and I could do by combining our eloquence, to prevent him from marching me off in disgrace; but we finally got matters quieted, and the house clear.

Now when mice run out of the cupboard, I go out doors, and let Maria "shoo" them back again. I can kill a mouse, but the fun don't pay for the trouble.

—Example is the softest and least invidious way of communing.

—Love often corrupts pure hearts, and as often purifies corrupt ones.

—It is related of Hon. B. F. Moore, "the father of the bar" of North Carolina, that when Mr. Clay visited that State he was selected to made the welcoming address to that statesman. He made a great effort in its preparation; he called on a friend, Mr. Simmons, in order to read it to him. "Well," said Simmons, ironically, "I suppose you wish me to criticise and correct, being an educated and scholarly gentleman?" "Not that," said Mr. Moore, "but only to see how it will strike the vulgar mind."

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1877.

A Villain Disposed Of.

On Friday, March 23d, John D. Lee was shot to death on the spot at Mountain Meadow where, almost twenty years ago, he led a band of assassins in the cowardly and ferocious massacre, "in the name of God and the Church," of one hundred and twenty unoffending men, women and children. He died calmly, "trusting in the mercy of God." The Territorial Marshal, Nelson, had made every arrangement to have everything carried out promptly and quietly, and the selection of the ground was imparted only to a few officers and press representatives, and by this means there were but few spectators. A company of soldiers from Fort Cameron formed an escort for the officials and a guard against interruption. Lee was taken from his cell at the fort on Wednesday and placed in a closely covered carriage, well guarded, and driven rapidly south. The officers and soldiers and a part of the reporters arrived at Mountain Meadow on Thursday evening, and the remainder got in early Friday morning. Lee broke silence Friday morning and conversed with the utmost freedom with the Marshal and the reporters. He spoke of his connection with the massacre, but made conflicting statements, at times admitting freely the killing of five persons, at others denying his guilt altogether. The execution ground was twenty yards east of the Emigrants' Monument, now crumbling away. The spectators were outside a line. At 10:30 A. M. Lee's coffin was placed twenty-five feet in front of a corral formed by three wagons, behind which were five men armed with needle-guns. Lee was soon brought out, leaning on the arm of a pastor, and was seated on the end of the coffin. Marshal Nelson then read the order of the District Court for his execution, after which he asked Lee if he had anything to say. Lee arose, his countenance exhibiting no trace of fear or other emotion, and stated that he was not afraid to die; he believed in the mercy of God. The only regret he had was that he was compelled to leave his wives and children. He believed he was made a victim to suffer for the sins others had committed. Brigham Young was leading the people astray, but the doctrines of the Church led to salvation, and the only request that he had to make was that the executioners should spare his limbs and hit his heart. A photographic apparatus was then placed in position, when Lee requested that photographs of the scene be sent to his wives. All were ordered to withdraw a few steps, when the Marshal bound a handkerchief over Lee's eyes, but left his arms unbound by Lee's request. The word to fire was given at precisely 11 o'clock A. M., and the five balls were sent. Lee dropped back on his coffin and died almost instantly. An examination showed that the bullets passed entirely through his body in the region of the heart. The body was placed inside the coffin for delivery to his family, and all was over.

The Constitutional Amendments.

In accordance with numerous requests we again print the thirteen questions propounded to the voters at the late election, concerning the proposed Amendments:

1. Do you approve of striking out the word "protestant" in the Bill of Rights, as proposed in the amended Constitution?

2. Do you approve of so amending the Constitution that the General Court shall be authorised to provide for the trial of causes in which the value in controversy does not exceed one hundred dollars and title to real estate is not concerned, without the intervention of a jury, as proposed in the amended Constitution?

3. Do you approve of the biennial election of governor, councillors, members of the Senate and House of Representatives, and biennial sessions of the legislature, as proposed in the amended Constitution?

4. Do you approve of a House of Representatives based upon population, and constituted and chosen as provided in the amended Constitution?

5. Do you approve of a Senate of twenty-four members, to be constituted and chosen as provided in the amended Constitution?

6. Do you approve of the election by the people of registers of probate, solicitors and sheriffs, as provided in the amended Constitution?

7. Do you approve of abolishing the religious test as a qualification for office, as proposed in the amended Constitution?

8. Do you approve of prohibiting the General Court from authorizing towns or cities to loan or give their money or credit to corporations, as proposed in the amended Constitution?

9. Do you approve of changing the time for holding the State election from March to November, as proposed in the amended Constitution?

10. Do you approve of authorizing the General Court to provide that appeals from a justice of the peace may be tried by some other court without the intervention of a jury, as proposed in the amended Constitution?

11. Do you approve of authorizing the General Court to increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace to one hundred dollars, as proposed in the amended Constitution?

12. Do you approve of the proposed amendment prohibiting the removal of officers for political reasons?

13. Do you approve of the proposed amendment prohibiting money raised by taxation from being applied to the support of the schools or any institutions of any religious sect or denomination, as proposed in the amended Constitution?

The Concord *Monitor* of Friday says that returns have been received from all but about twenty towns and wards, of the vote upon the constitutional amendments, and these have been tabulated at the office of the Secretary of State. The vote runs unevenly upon the different questions submitted, and will not much exceed 40,000 on most of the questions. It is evident that nearly all of the amendments have been adopted, and especially the 7th, abolishing the religious test. The vote on this question aggregates, from the towns and wards received, yeas, 26,205; nays, 12,863. The remaining towns will increase the majority for it. Strangely enough, the 1st question, which is a complement of the 7th, is probably defeated by a few hundred votes. On the 1st question, the counties of Strafford, Carroll, Hillsborough, Cheshire, and Coos had the requisite two-thirds vote, and the counties of Sullivan and Grafton were nearly equally divided. On the 7th question, the counties of Strafford, Merrimack, Hillsborough, Cheshire, and Coos have given the requisite two-thirds vote, and Rockingham and Carroll Counties came very near to it. Grafton County has voted the strongest against the 1st and 7th questions. In towns and cities where the amendments were discussed the vote is very strong for the 1st and 7th amendments. The cities have all voted heavily for them. In Nashua, the vote on the 1st question was, yeas, 1,658; nays, 229; and on the 7th question, yeas, 1,679; nays, 203.

News and Notes.

The annual race between the Oxford and Cambridge University crews was rowed on the Thames, from Putney to Mortlake, a distance of four and a quarter miles, on Saturday, and resulted in a dead heat; time, 24 minutes, 10 seconds.

George L. Whiting, chief book-keeper of the Brooklyn Bank, was on Friday morning arrested for stealing from the bank money and negotiable securities to the amount of $160,000, all but $10,000 of which was recovered. Whiting is a prominent member of the church, has a wife and three children, and is of course insane.

By the explosion of a copper still in the Dye Wood and Chemical Company's works at East Boston, Friday, two men were fatally scalded and two others badly.

Italian barque Papa Luigi, from Girgenti for Boston, before reported ashore on Nantucket, was in a sinking condition when she struck, having previously struck on the South Shoal, and set to leaking badly. The vessel's sails and some rigging may be saved. The cargo is probably a total loss, as the barque is 300 yards from the shore and in a bad position, as well as full of water. The cargo is insured for $20,000.

Senator Hamlin of Maine seems latterly to have been, as if suffering from a sudden attack of old age; but his face is not venerable, his eyes and hair are black, his countenance still alert with expression—which by the way is a very genial one. But this man has much to keep him young that Simon Cameron, "goaded" by a breach-of-promise suing widow, knows not—two bright little boys and a young wife, one of the sweetest and sunniest women in Washington. Another Senator who has aged extremely within a few years is Senator Anthony of Rhode Island. But a few years ago he was called by many the handsomest man in the Senate, and looked in the prime of life. He is still handsome, but his hair is white, and he looks nearly as old as Cameron, though but a little past sixty. There are a few other venerable-looking men here, but as a body the Senate has improved and grown younger. On the whole, its *personnel* is fine, and it is chiefly composed of men in the prime of their years and powers.—*Mary Clemmer's Washington Letter.*

Wednesday, March 21, was the twenty-first anniversary of the birthday of Mr. Webb C. Hayes, the son of President Hayes, and he received an appropriate present from each member of the family and from W. K. Rogers, the President's private secretary. At dinner a birthday cake was placed on the table and surrounded with twenty-one candles, which were lighted in the evening and kept burning until midnight. It is related of this young man that once, on returning from college, he thought that he might be a more muscular Christian than his father. Accordingly, he gave him a humorous challenge to a wrestling match, and it was instantly accepted. There was a picturesque struggle for a few minutes, and then somebody emphatically measured his length upon the floor. The young gentleman has never challenged his father since.

The Suspension Bridge at Niagara Falls is reported, after a thorough examination, to be entirely safe. Of 1450 wires constituting the four large cables only ten of the minor ones were found corroded, and these have been replaced by new ones. No time has yet been set for a resumption of traffic.

Germany is taking its turn at hard times, for which we suppose neither the old nor the new Administration in this country can be held responsible. Destitution is spreading in Germany with great rapidity, and the industrial crisis daily grows worse. Actual famine is impending in the mountain districts in Silesia. In Berlin a committee has been formed for measures of relief, and other cities and towns have asked permission to begin important public works, so as to give employment to the poor.

A piece of coral, measuring about twelve inches in height, six inches in diameter at the top, and two at the base, was recently taken off a submarine cable which had lain only four years in the sea.

Political.

The New York *Sun* continues to storm at and berate Mr. Hayes, and to cavil at and throw suspicion upon every act performed or proposition made by him, in a most unreasonably captious manner. Let Mr. Hayes be judged by his works, and not by the manner of his reaching the high position he occupies. So far, he has appeared to regard himself as the President of a people, not of a party. And although he was foisted into his place without the usual preliminary of an election by the people, by the partisan action of the majority of a commission who will be held forever infamous for their neglect to perform their duty, the legality of his title cannot now be called in question, and it behooves all good citizens to give him loyal support so far as his acts merit approval. Those who favored the formation of the electoral commission may regret their action in view of the lame and impotent conclusion at which that body arrived, but cannot evade or with manliness refuse to abide by the consequences of their action. The *Sun* not having favored the reference of the question to the electoral commission, cannot have any such regrets, but none the less must acknowledge the inevitable, whether with good or ill grace. *Manchester Union, dem.*

Gov. Chamberlain and Wade Hampton, of South Carolina, have been invited to Washington to confer with President Hayes on matters in that State.

There is an ancient deacon who lives in Postmaster-General Key's town, and who is a very good man indeed. When Mr. Key went to the railway station there on his way to Washington, he met the deacon, who besought him pathetically not to go to the capital. "The very atmosphere of the city is filled with pollution," said this excellent deacon; "don't go! No honest man can take office under Hayes!" Mr. Key, being still in the bonds of iniquity, continued his journey; and it happens that this noble democratic deacon is the only applicant for the postmastership in Mr. Key's town.

The policy of the new Administration, both as regards the South and civil service reform, is cordially approved by Judge Kelley; but Judge Kelley is pained when he thinks of the murky ignorance on the subject of the currency which enshrouds the Cabinet. Judge Kelley wants to repeal the Resumption act; he wants more money and cheaper money; he wants silver, and he wants paper; but alas! the President and his advisers are bigoted believers in a currency of unwavering value, and you can't persuade them that a promise to pay is money, any more than a promise to get married is raising a family of children. *Tribune.*

The Brookses of Boston, owners of several millions of property in New Orleans, have paid their taxes to the Nicholls government. Burnside, the largest property owner in Louisiana, has done the same.

What is going to become of the democracy, if the Boston *Pilot* goes on talking in this way? "We are glad that Frederick Douglass has been confirmed as Marshal of the District of Columbia. He is an educated gentleman; and it is full time that stupid class objections should be killed in this republic."

Dr. Mary Walker.

An amusing case came up in the Washington police Court on Friday, the complainant being the famous Dr. Mary Walker, the female who persists in wearing male attire and in presenting her demand for an office to every Federal officer who has a clerkship at his disposal, and the defendant one of the watchmen in the Treasury Department. It appears that the erratic doctor had become so much of a nuisance that Secretary Morrill had given instructions to have her excluded from the building, but one day last week she eluded the vigilance of the door-keepers and reached the ante-room of Secretary Sherman, and when discovered refused to leave, claiming her right as an American citizen to visit the department. Sufficient force was used to remove her, including the extension of the watchman's arm around her waist, which roused the little woman's ire and she used her tongue and parasol in a lively style, calling out hard names with one and punching and striking with the other, adding a few kicks, and threats of her revolver, for variety. She was finally ejected and made her complaint at the police court, where the above facts were disclosed. The court held that she had a right as an American citizen to visit the department, but as the watchman was acting under orders from his superior officers he was released on his own recognizance to appear when called for judgment.

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The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

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JOTTINGS.

The Great Falls *Journal* says: "English sparrows have appeared here. Houses made of cedar bark are being placed in the trees in some parts of the village to induce these little singers to stay with us. A large number of the houses will be put in the trees in the yard of the Great Falls Manufacturing company." If the Great Falls people put no enough of the cedar-bark houses to tell all the rascally, pugnacious "little singers" from this city to Great Falls, they will not be complained of largely by our citizens.

The late Daniel P. Scott, of Stratham, formerly Superintendent of the Portsmouth City Farm, was seventy-eight years old at the time of his death, and left a widow with whom he had happily passed fifty-four years of married life.

An adjourned term of the Supreme Court, Judge Doe presiding, will open in this city to-day, and will probably continue until the opening of the regular term at Exeter on the second Tuesday of April.

The rooms of the New York Health Lift Company on Daniel street are fitted up in a most attractive manner, with separate rooms for the ladies. The beneficial effects of the Health Lift exercise is now universally acknowledged; for all persons of sedentary habits, and ladies especially, it is particularly adapted, as it can be graduated to the requirements of the most delicate person.

Ship Coldstream, Capt. Harry Salter, of this city, sailed from New York on the 15th for Shanghae. Including the captain there are four Portsmouth boys on board, John H. Yeaton, first mate, Eugene A. Sanborn, second mate, and Decatur Weeks.

The Portsmouth correspondent of the Boston *Post* advises that paper as follows: "The assignee of Davis, Moulton & Co., in Utica, N. Y., has made application to the United States District Court in this State to set aside the proceedings in the matter of Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupt, of this city, who is a member of the firm, based on the ground that the first proceedings were begun in the District of New York, which motion will be heard before the United States District Court at Manchester on the second Tuesday of April. Should the Court decide that the proceedings are invalid, the effect will be to transfer all property from the New Hampshire Court to the Court of the Northern District of New York, and in the end take from the jurisdiction of the New Hampshire Courts all the estate for general distribution through the assignee in New York, which would make a serious diminution in the amount of dividends likely to be declared upon debts to the creditors in this vicinity."

In response to an inquiry, Governor-elect Prescott, now Secretary of State, writes Col. Kent that he thinks the amendment making the offices of County Solicitor, Sheriff and Register of Probate elective has passed. We are sorry for it, for that one of the proposed amendments was *the* one which of all others we desired to see defeated.

THE CABLE WAR OVER.

The Directors of the United States Direct Cable Company have issued a circular announcing their resignation. The circular states that the directors, seeing the policy they supported of laying a second cable is at the present quite hopeless, they have recorded their resolution that they would support Mr. Pender's committee in its policy of forming a work arrangement with the Anglo-American Company, which they readily admit may also lead to a prosperous future.

It is announced that the cable companies will shortly enter into an arrangement, probably to divide the business of each company proportionately to the number of cables owned by each, the rates to be made uniform and no rebates to be allowed to agents for soliciting business, the Direct Cable Company continuing to work in connection with Atlantic & Pacific Company throughout the United States, under its present contract, which remains in force for some sixteen or eighteen years to come, and the Anglo-American Company to work in like manner in the United States with the Western Union Company. It is said that liberal rates to the public and press will be maintained,—the point on which the public are most interested.

If this virtual consolidation of the two companies, in direct violation of the promises made by the Direct Cable Company to our government when seeking permission to land the cable at Rye Beach, should result in the reimposition of the old rates, the newly-chartered Baltimore Line would probably hurry up the laying of their cable, and possibly the United States government might cut off direct communication with the American coast, as the Dominion government threatens to do on the Nova Scotia coast,—which cutting-off plan, however, could easily be evaded by the Anglo-American Company, which has a monopoly of Newfoundland for cable purposes.

NAVAL MATTERS.

Chief Engineer David B. Macomb, at this naval station, has been appointed senior member, and Chief Engineers E. J. Whittaker and J. P. Sprague, members of a board to revise the allowance table of engineers' stores. The board is to meet in Washington on March 30th.

Lieutenant Charles H. Rockwell has been granted leave of absence for one year.

Passed Assistant Paymaster Joseph Foster of this city has received his commission as Paymaster in the Navy, the same being dated February 23, 1877.

Paymaster Rufus Parks has been commissioned as Pay Inspector in the Navy from February 23, 1877.

New Hampshire Items.

The New Hampshire Methodist Conference will meet at Dover, April 18th.

Thursday night George Crawford of Danvers, Mass., a soap pedlar, and Lucius Farmer, a well-known character, entered the eating saloon of E. J. Freeman in Merchants' Exchange, Manchester, and got into a dispute with a third party about the relative merits of soaps. Freeman ordered them to stop, and the two made at him. Freeman then commenced throwing them out upon the sidewalk. In the melee Crawford got both bones of his ankle broken.

The Exeter Manufacturing Company have recovered wonderfully from the late depression in their affairs, under the judicious management of the directors. The mills are now turning out more goods and of a better quality, than ever before, and find a ready sale for all they make. Entire harmony exists between the employees and the company, which seems to be in a sounder condition than ever. Last week the ice carried away the middle portion of the eastern lower dam; but this does not affect the mills as they get their water from above the upper dam.—*News-Letter.*

Miss Susan E. Wheeler, of Salem, was chosen Superintending School Committee of that town at the late election. Hampton also elected a lady to the same position in that town.

A Fertile State.

A few days since an "Arkansas traveller," fresh from the prairies, "brought up" at the Pembroke House in this village, and very soon made the object of his visit known by trying to induce several men whom he had gathered about him to emigrate and settle on some railroad lands in the extreme southwest, for which he was acting as emigrant agent. He told wonderful stories of the healthfulness of the climate out there, and gave marvellous figures about the fertility and productiveness of the soil, during which he spoke somewhat disparagingly of the climate and soil of New Hampshire. After he had run on his full length for some time, Ben. Poore, the proprietor of the hotel—who is withal something of a wag—feeling a little nettled at the stranger's unfavorable allusions to New Hampshire, put on a sober, serious face and assured him that he was entirely wrong in his estimate of the resources and climate of the Granite State. The Stranger thought he would squelch Mr. Poore by making "odious comparisons" concerning the crops, when the following dialogue took place:

Stranger—"We raise 60 bushels of corn to an acre out there;—how much can you raise here?"

Poore—(Soberly)—"Our average corn crop in New Hampshire is 190 bushels to the acre, and on good intervale land we raise 125 bushels per acre."

Stranger—(A little perplexed) "Out West we raise 30 to 50 bushels of oats per acre. What's your crop here?"

Poore—(Seriously) "The average crop of oats in this State is 70 to 90 bushels per acre."

Stranger—(Weakening) "In our country west of the Mississippi, we raise 240 to 300 bushels of potatoes to the acre. Can you beat that?"

Poore—(Modestly) "Well, the potato crop here is our best hold. We raise easily 900 to 1000 bushels of choice potatoes to the acre."

Stranger—(Uncovering) "Here, take my hat!"

Poore—"No, sir: keep your property. Then, as to healthfulness of this climate. Why, here is Father Colby, a native of this town, 90 years old, who can go out here now in good going and run a mile in four minutes. And then, speaking of human longevity here; why, sir, up in Hart's Location in this State, folks never die. They had to get an old man from an adjoining town, set him up on a stump and shout him, in order to start a grave yard up there."

Stranger—"What time does the next train going West leave? I begin to think I must be in the wrong country to induce emigration."

The crowd roared, and Poore was satisfied that he had placed New Hampshire before the world in her proper light.—*Sancook Journal.*

A Religious Tornado.

The *Independent* waxeth indignant because, at the New Hampshire election, the amendment to the Constitution was rejected which abolished the clause denying the Catholics the right to hold office. The *Independent* says:

"For us, and for all self-respecting Protestants throughout the country, who have been so deeply disgraced by the Protestants of New Hampshire, there is but one Christian duty, and that is to denounce them, and, like Elisha, to curse them in the name of the Lord! They are the enemies of Protestantism. They are doubly the enemies of Christianity. It is for such men as they that religion walks in sackcloth. If Protestantism cannot be the religion of equal rights, of fair play, of honest justice to all men; if Protestantism can take a Catholic's money, and forbid him to say in his country's halls of legislation how that money shall be expended; if Protestantism can invite Catholics to this country, and then class them criminals and paupers, then let Protestantism perish! It is not Protestantism. It is Vaticanism stealing a Christian name."

When leading religious journals of the Protestant faith talk in this way, perhaps secular journals were wise to say nothing. New Hampshire is overwhelmed with anathemas, but the law has been for many years a dead letter. Catholics can hold any office when they can get votes enough to elect them, but there are so few of them in the State that this does not happen very often. Undoubtedly, it would be more consistent to repeal a law which is not enforced, but human nature wilfully clings to shadows in every State in the Union. *Worcester Gazette.*

—A gentleman on Sheldon street thought of having a telephone put into his house, so as to enable him to hold sweet converse with his business partner, but his aged mother protested against it earnestly. "Robert," she said, "if you bring one of those dreadful things in here I'll never close my eyes for fear it may break out and sweep us all into eternity, and us not a bit the wiser." He tried to persuade her that it was an innocuous instrument, but she said, "No, no; look at the thousands and millions of poor Hindoos it killed last fall." "Why," said he, "that wasn't a telephone—that was a typhoon;" but the old lady lowered her glasses, and, looking at him over the rims thereof, said he couldn't fool her—that she might't know much, perhaps, but she did know that the typhoon was the President of Japan. The gentleman has given it up as a hopeless case.—*Chicago Tribune.*

—At a dinner party given by Secretary Sherman to the members of the Cabinet, the table was graced by a three-masted ship composed of flowers. On the mainmast was a small United States flag, which Secretary Sherman said his little daughter had placed there. Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, said, in his dry, Yankee way to the Secretary of the Navy, who sat opposite him, "Well, Mr. Thompson, will you please tell us if that is the correct position for the American flag to occupy on a ship?" Everybody awaited the reply, for it is well known that the new Secretary is no sailor, and they thought he was cornered. But he took advantage of the Cabinet custom and replied in a dignified manner, "Ahem! I will refer you, sir, to the Attorney General."—*Washington Star.*

—The new Secretary of the Navy having been informed that there were buoys belonging to his department in New York Harbor, immediately issued an order commanding them to report to their ships without delay. "Discipline is discipline," says the old salt, "if I have to skin every boy in the navy."—*Hawkeye.*

—A Western paper asks people who think folks do not read the advertisements to offer to give away a cord of wood.

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Among the hurtful consequences of obstructed digestion, is the impoverishment of the blood, and since a deteriorate condition of the vital fluid not only produces dangerous organic weakness, but, according to the best medical authorities, sometimes causes asphyxia, it is apparent that to improve the quality of the blood by promoting digestion and assimilation, is a wise precaution. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is precisely the remedy for this purpose, since it stimulates the gastric juices, conquers those bilious and evacuative irregularities which interfere with the digestive processes, promotes assimilation of the food by the blood, and purifies as well as enriches it. The signs of improvement in health in consequence of using the Bitters are speedily apparent in accession of vigor a gain in bodily substance, and a regular and active performance of every physical function.

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The Man at the Throttle.

Have you ever thought as you entered a railroad car how absolutely and completely your life was in the hands of one man? Has it ever occurred to you as you reclined in a soft-cushioned seat in apparent security, with hundreds of others on the train, how every one of you might be sent to an instant death by the slightest blunder or neglect on the part of one weak human being? And did you ever find yourself wondering if the man at the throttle understood his duties and was able to do them promptly and properly, appreciating the enormous responsibilities resting upon his fallible human nature, and knowing what awful consequences might result from a single mistake on his part? Your correspondent confesses that since the recent railroad engineers' strikes these dangers have occurred to him, and the readers of the *Herald* would understand the reason could they have heard the other day a brief conversation in the cab of a locomotive, in which an unusually intelligent and trustworthy member of the guild of engineers recounted a little of the true inwardness of his calling.

"It is as well," said he, smiling thoughtfully, "that the travelling public don't know how the majority of railroads are managed and what risks the passengers often run. Why, to save a little money they often fill to employ more than half the number of engineers absolutely needed for safety. Many a time have I come in from a long trip so tired and sleepy as to be scarcely able to stand, and been ordered immediately out again without an hour's rest. I have been worked twenty-four hours at a stretch when I have been so worn out that no power on earth could keep me awake, and, standing with my hand on the lever, have gone sound asleep. If you had fired off a cannon at my ears I could not have helped it. I have many a time brought my engine into some town at thirty miles an hour while asleep, until the fireman or somebody would wake me up.

Dangerous? Well, rather so; for if there is any post in the world where a man should be excessively wide awake, vigilant, incessantly watching ahead of him with an unfaltering steadiness and with good eyes, too, with his hand always on the lever, prepared to check the flying speed with which he is dashing along, it is when he is in the cab of a locomotive engine. I don't know any work that requires a man to know what he is about and to see what he is about so much as running the engine of an express train. The engineer not only must watch his engine and keep her up to her work, but he must watch the steam guage, watch the time, watch the signals, watch the track, watch the crossings and watch his surroundings. To sum up in one word, an engineer must be alertness personified. Dangerous? You might as well ask if it would be dangerous for a man to fall asleep sitting on a keg of powder with a lighted slow match attached to it.

It is a common thing for an engineer, after having come in from a trip, to be ordered out again immediately, although he knows and the company knows that he is not fit for further work without a rest, and that to fall asleep at his post is to endanger the lives of persons. Yet he dare not refuse or he will lose his place. Suppose, under such circumstances, an accident occurs. Isn't the company immediately relieved from all responsibility in the eyes of the newspapers and the public if they show that the engineer failed to see a signal? Who is to know that the reason the engine driver failed to see the signal or the switch was because he was compelled to run while physically unable to do so in safety?

This is the cause of a good many railroad accidents, but I can tell you of a still more frequent one. It is the employment by certain railroad managers of half taught botchers as engineers, or men who are not of sober habits and cannot get into the Brotherhood of Engineers (our trade society,) and who will, therefore, work very cheaply."

"Why is this permitted?"

"I will tell you. In every State in the Union, as far as I know, there is a law compelling the engineers who attend to stationary boilers to pass an examination, at which they must show themselves qualified and receive a license before they are permitted to work. You would be liable to severe punishment if you employed an unlicensed engineer to run the boiler of your printing office. This law is of course an eminently proper one, and in New York city, for instance, there is a bureau of the Police Department whose exclusive duties are to see to its enforcement. A similar United States statute compels the engineers of marine or steamboat engines to pass a still stricter examination. But no such law is on the statute books of any State in the Union as regards locomotive engineers, whose duties are even more delicate and dangerous than their brethren who run factory or other stationary engines. Whenever any bill requiring the railroad companies to employ only competent men has been likely to pass a Legislature the railroad lobbyists have defeated it. You will find no statute in this country to prevent the railroads from putting in charge of the train you intrust your life to the veriest botch or drunkard that can be found. If the newspapers want to do a good work let them demand and secure the passage of such a statute as will oblige the companies to employ at least this simple

requisite to safety."

"Do not the best managed roads now find it pays best to employ good, competent men?"

"Some of the companies are beginning to find it out, but the majority of them take on all the men they can pick up who will work cheaper than a skilled engineer. For instance, the Boston & Maine Railroad company during the last strike employed men who were either too ignorant of their trade or too much given to drink to belong to the trade society, and actually allowed these men to take out their first trains at night. Now, over a hundred trains a day pass over the road and no conscientious man, however skillful, would take his engine over it at night unless he were thoroughly acquainted with every foot of the track."

"Is not travelling at night always more dangerous than by daylight?"

"Not always. Under some circumstances I suppose it might be. But I would rather take my engine over the road at night. I have run a night express for years and prefer it to anything else. An engine always works better at night for some reason. They say it is so with all machinery. I know it is always so with a locomotive. An engineer who is familiar with his road knows just as well where he is at night as when he can see. I can tell by the sound of the wheels on the track about where I am on the road. I can see a danger signal further off at night than in daylight. I tell you, sir, there is always danger in our business, and there ought to be a law forbidding the companies employing any man to run an engine who has not passed an examination and received a license. The newspapers can make 'em and they ought to do it." *New York Herald.*

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1877.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 23d.

The sale at auction of the magnificent Club House on New York avenue is about the closing act of the drama of the Ring Government which fastened itself upon our city and "stuck closer than a brother" for four years, at such a frightful cost to all tax payers and to the utter ruin of many small property holders. It is also one of the last steps taken in the progressive decline of that once powerful combination which shot up like a rocket and came down like a stick. Some of its most prominent members, who made such an ostentatious and vulgar display of their suddenly acquired wealth by exaggerated measurements of miserably executed contracts, by their alleged dishonest manipulations of the funds of the Freedmen's Bank, and by other means equally as disreputable, have entirely dropped out of sight, leaving nothing but the memory of their mushroom grandeur for two or three fashionable seasons when they elbowed the leaders completely off the stage. But time has brought its compensations to those so unceremoniously treated, and they can now return in kind the humiliating slights put upon them a few years ago. But we should not be unjust. Mr. Sheppard, aside from his arbitrary methods and his reckless expenditure of money, is deserving of much credit for the splendid improvements that have been left as an heritage of his brief reign. No American city has probably a more perfect system of sewerage, which with other improvements, has made Washington one of the most healthy cities in the world. The grading of the streets was another of the gigantic accomplishments of his administration; and other than the streets laid with wood, the pavements put down are in a good state of repair. Almost every street was lined with choice shade trees to the extent of many thousands, which, when grown, will have our city without a rival in that respect. While Tweed and his satellites increased the bonded and floating debt of New York city nearly $100,000,000 and have little to show for it in the way of permanent improvements, many millions were wasted or stolen here it is believed, but we have all I have enumerated and much in addition, to soften our resentments; and while Boss Tweed was the most consummate thief in the crowd, "Boss" Sheppard retained the confidence of his fellow townsmen, and they have manifested their good will in a generous way since, when but for their forbearance he must inevitably have gone under. The board of army engineers designated to test the foundations of the Washington Monument, has reported them amply sufficient for the superstructure as originally contemplated. The shaft was carried up 174 feet prior to the war and remains in that condition to-day. There are now available the $200,000 voted by Congress, less the amount spent in the testing experiment, and its early completion is confidently anticipated, although private subscriptions to a considerable amount or another appropriation will probably be necessary to finish it. It will make a truly magnificent landmark when carried up 500 feet.

Louisiana and South Carolina affairs seem to absorb most of the attention of the administration and politicians at present; and the complications they present can but be very embarrassing to the President and others anxious for a pacific solution of the other disputes, some of them dating back to the close of the war. KNOX.

News and Notes.

Thomas P. Somerville, a New York lawyer, and George Engler, a gambler and forger, were arrested in New York Friday night for conspiring to defraud the United States of $250,000 by means of forgery in the alteration of stolen bonds. The evidence against them is complete.

Secretary Sherman has notified Dr. Mary Walker by letter that he has directed the Superintendent of the Treasury building to admit her to all the facilities of the building. In closing his note he says: "I shall trust to your good sense not to abuse a right which I fully concede to you."

The fast mail train from Scotland for London, the "Flying Dutchman," ran off the rails on Sunday near Morpeth. The engine, tender and forward coaches were dashed to pieces. Five persons were killed and many injured, ten seriously. Two had their legs amputated.

The story now is that Tweed is to be released on condition that he hands over to the city some $2,000,000 of his stealings. It is expected that Sweeney also will "compromise." Oakey Hall has not yet turned up.

Steamer Martha's Vineyard, Smith, at New Bedford from Edgartown, reports that schooner M. Sewall, ashore near Long Shoal, had righted up on Friday and was then swinging at her anchor.

Miss Bertha Von Hillern, the female pedestrian, accomplished the difficult feat of walking fifty miles in twelve consecutive hours in Music Hall, Providence, on Saturday. She started at 10 A. M. and did not rest until 7 P. M., when at the end of the thirty-eighth mile she retired from the track for 32 minutes. She completed the entire distance at 9.58.30 P. M., having a minute and a half to spare. A large and enthusiastic audience was in attendance, embracing many of the elite of the city. At the close the excitement was great when she hastened her step and turned the last mile in 13 minutes and 35 seconds, amid an outburst of applause.

In Canada, where "specie payments flow," there is a genuine panic in financial affairs. Merchants and bankers are failing daily, and general distrust prevails. A decline in stocks at Montreal has caused the suspension of several heavy firms. As prices have not been "inflated" there on account of an over supply of paper currency, will some of our hard money doctors rise and explain the cause of the crisis?—*New Haven Union.*

Colonel Frederick A. Bee, of San Francisco, who has been prominent in opposing the anti-coolie movement in California, and raised funds to assist to bring the perpetrators of the late outrage to justice, has received an anonymous warning through the mail to leave the State in thirty days on pain of being killed. An anti-coolie club at San Francisco is reported to have approved the Chico massacre.

A Board of Naval Officers convened at the Navy Department on the 26th inst., to examine certain Commodores as to their professional and moral fitness for promotion to the grade of Real-Admiral, as required by the Revised Statutes. The Board consists of Rear-Admiral John J. Almy, President; Rear-Admirals C. R. P. Rodgers and Reed Worden, members.

A curious feature of the Bond street fire in New York, where so many gold and silver goods were in the flames, was the condition of the things in the safes. Diamonds were all right and externally the watches were, but on opening those the works of all were found to be destroyed. The most singular point was, that under the crystal of each watch was found a drop of water condensed on the glass. This puzzles the scientific men wonderfully.

A Chico (Cal.) despatch says the persons engaged in the late massacre of the Chinese have been arrested, two boys by the name of Slaughter, and three men, Stainbrook, Conway and Roberts. Conway was arrested on a charge of sending threatening letters to citizens who were working up the case, and through him other names were obtained. Conway and the Slaughter boys wrote nearly all the letters. Two other men, named Ames and Wright, were also arrested on a charge of arson, presumably in connection with the Chinese trouble, though the despatch does not so state. Six of the arrested parties are reported to belong to the Order of Caucasians.

The last thing we export to England is the weather. Our signal service informed her Majesty's government of a big storm consigned from this side, and its arrival in due season and in merchantable condition. British astonishment at the 'cuteness of Uncle Myer.

The first of the coming series of "Hayes" townships is born. It is in Clare county, Mich., and the legislature christened it on learning that every man in the town voted for Hayes and signed the petition for that name.

The *Engineering and Mining Journal* urges the use of the telephone for mine signaling. The ability to promptly carry on conversation between distant points would doubtless, in case of a mine accident, save many lives and much property.

An effort to navigate the St. Lawrence river at all seasons is to be made under direction of the Canadian government. An exceedingly powerful propeller, iron sheathed and shaped somewhat like a wedge, has been built for use as an ice breaker. In a trial, this vessel made good headway through ice a foot thick.

Partisans of Iglesias are raising an army of from 10,000 to 20,000 men in Missouri and adjoining States for the invasion of Mexico.

The life of Mrs. Stoner, shot at in the Treasury building at Washington some time ago by one Deitz, a Michigan farmer whose hand she had refused, was saved by the ball striking a corset steel. Deitz's trial will take place next week.

New Hampshire Items.

A tobacco barn belonging to John B. Knight, at Walpole, with a two years' stock, was burned on Friday night.

The Nashua aldermen indefinitely postponed a resolution instructing the city marshal to enforce the law relating to intoxicating liquors.

The First National Bank of East Jaffrey was burned out on Saturday, the building being entirely destroyed. It was of brick, cost $10,000 and occupied the spot where a former bank building was burned two years ago. A tin-shop, drug-store and Masonic lodge were in the same building. The fire was incendiary.

A double-tenement house in Nashua was burned early Sunday morning. A family living in the up-stairs tenement had a very narrow escape from suffocation, and only succeeded in saving their lives by jumping from the windows in their night clothes, the woman being considerably injured by the fall. Loss about $900; insured $1000. Fire is thought to be incendiary.

A little girl at Ithaca, Mich., recently died of brain fever by fright from some boys threatening to cut off her ears.

Hiram C. Matthews has been appointed postmaster at Derry.

A Cincinnati dispatch to the Philadelphia *Times*, under date of March 23d, says:

"The little town of Versailles in this State is in a blaze of excitement over an affair of honor between two of its citizens. The particulars of the difficulty are as follows: One Williams, a livery stable keeper of the place, has been paying attention for a few weeks to a lady of respectable standing, and is reported to have indulged in light talk about her. These rumors took such definite shape that the editor of the *Independent*, Mr. John Hathaway, gave them publicity in his paper. Williams at once informed Hathaway that he was going to shoot him, and went off to procure a revolver. Hathaway followed him to his stable and a verbal encounter ensued, in which Williams mentioned a fight as the best means to settle the matter. Hathaway then went to his office and wrote a formal challenge, which was delivered by a second, Mr. W. Gulick, and promptly accepted by Williams. The time and place and necessary arrangements for the duel have been referred to seconds. Both parties have made their wills, and it is believed that the affair will terminate fatally, as Hathaway is a sure shot. Williams is looked on by the community as an adventurer, while Hathaway is a highly respected citizen."

—Gentlemen's trousers will be worn closer fitting this Spring.

—A man had a recipe put up by an apothecary, and after he had gone, the clerk discovered that he had passed a counterfeit twenty-five cent piece and a five-cent bit. He informed the boss. "Never mind," said he; "if the five-cent bit is good, there is a profit of three cents."

—Two Coloradians have invented a grasshopper exterminating machine which, it is expected, will do execution to the extent of forty acres a day. It is mounted on two wheels, and drawn by a pair of horses, a comfortable seat being provided for the driver, where he can manipulate the front apron at will. This apron covers some fourteen of ground, and serves to direct 'hoppers toward the fan that rests between the wheels, in a round cylinder. Every time the wheels make one revolution the fan-wheel makes sixty-four, and this produces a powerful current so that even small stones are sucked through the fan, in common with the 'hoppers, and deposited in a large sack attached to the rear, or allowed to drop out behind.

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And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street,** and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
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GRANITE IRON

Tea and Coffee POTS,

With Mountings of WHITE METAL and NICKEL PLATE.

The best and latest invention in this line.

FOR SALE BY

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Cold Blast Whole Wheat Flour,
Pearled Wheat.
Granulated Wheat (coarse),
" " (fine),
Pearled Oats,
White Wheat Gluten,
Granulated Barley.

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Butler & Laighton,

1 MARKET SQUARE.

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1500 Pounds New Dates,

SELLING CHEAP AT

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SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS.

FERRIS & CO'S SUGAR-CURED HAMS,

WEIGHING FROM 8 TO 12 LBS.,

For Sale By

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ON Wednesday evening, March 7th, between Austin and State streets, a PURSE containing a sum of money. On leaving the same at this office the finder will be rewarded.

IRON AND STEEL.

CARRIAGE AND TIRE BOLTS.

Heavy & Building Hardware.

HORSE-SHOE NAILS.

All Kinds of Painters' Supplies.

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RIDER & COTTON,

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SCHOOL BOOKS,
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NOTE PAPER, LETTER PAPERS, GOLD PENS,
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CARDS, &C.

☞ I shall open next month a complete line of ROOM PAPERS, CURTAINS, BORDERS, TASSELS, &c., &c.

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FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and plot of land, suitable for a SUMMER RESORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attics, and on the place is a good BARN and fine water; everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view; the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times, and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.

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M12d&w1m Kittery Point, Me.
Or, WILLIAM DOWNS & SON, Portsmouth.

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—A FEW MORE OF THOSE

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

William P. Walker's,

19 No. 8 Market Square.

Carriage Material

AND

BLACKSMITHS' SUPPLIES.

I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Hubs, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Seats, Springs, Sleigh Dashes, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Islington, South, Union, Broad and Spring streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

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Call and see the New Styles at Greatly Reduced Prices!

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"What to Wear,"
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A FRESH LOT of WHEAT MEAL

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, WHEAT GROATS, AND OATMEAL

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F. A. FERRIS & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

— AND —

SMALL PIG HAMS,

GOSHEN PINE APPLE

— AND —

DUTCH CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

Charles E. Laighton & Son,

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OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS.—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

BLUE ARMY BLOUSES.

WE have just received a few more of those BLUE ARMY BLOUSES, which have been in such demand for the last twelve months.

C. E. MYERS & CO.,
NO. 3 BOW STREET.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

*Empty for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Mr. Thomas H. Miles, for some years train dispatcher on the Eastern Railroad, with office at the depot in this city, was on Monday transferred to Boston, which is hereafter to be the dispatch station. Since occupying the position, Mr. Miles has had sole charge of running the trains between Ipswich, Mass., and Portland, and no accident has happened through any fault of his.

The U. S. S. "Sabine," 1475 tons measurement, now lying at the navy yard, where she was used as a school ship until last autumn, will be offered for sale at noon to-day.

There is at last a prospect, after years of striving for it on the part of the lighthouse authorities of the First Lighthouse District, that the Isles of Shoals station will have a suitable dwelling for the keepers. Part of the materials for a double tenement of brick have been landed, and the work on the new house will be rapidly pushed as soon as the weather becomes suitable. The light-keepers will not be sorry to get into new quarters, for the old rubble-stone house, though picturesque and romantic looking, is miserably uncomfortable in winter and too small to accommodate more than one family.

Now is the time when advertising columns begin to have fresh significance, and those who insert them make their announcements more interesting than they have been found in a long time before, especially in their unusual temptations thrown before the eyes of the ladies. Goods are attractive and prices are down. Well-filled purses will buy more extended wardrobes than ever before since the war, and even in a scanty pocket book there are very respectable possibilities. The advertisements are by no means the least interesting part of a paper.

Mr. Clarence B. Mason offers for sale his fine farm on Boyd's road, to be sold at auction unless soon disposed of at private sale. It is one of the most fertile and highly cultivated farms in this vicinity.

Mariners are interested in knowing that there has been added to the Coston Signal Code a new night signal of distress. It shows, white burning, colors red, white and red, in succession, and is designed for use by all lake and sea-going vessels. It has been approved by the Chamber of Commerce, the Underwriters and the United States Steamboat Inspectors, and will hereafter be recognized by the United States Life Saving Service Stations on the coast and by the United States Revenue Marine.

By a notice in another column it will be seen that "the blind man who mends cane-seat chairs" has taken a room over Mr. Pettigrew's store, corner of High and Congress streets, where any articles needing his attention may be left, and where we assure our readers said articles will be neatly and strongly repaired and at as reasonable a rate as first-class work can be done for. Persons having chairs to mend will get their money's worth and at the same time aid an industrious and unfortunate man in his laudable endeavors to support himself by his own labor, by bestowing their patronage on the blind chair-mender.

Fisherman report a very heavy "old sea" rolling home on the coast the latter part of last week, with but little wind,—the result of heavy weather somewhere off shore. Saturday night a light northeaster commenced, some strong gusts occurring through the night and Sunday forenoon; and late Sunday night the blow had freshened to a moderate gale, with rain, which continued through the day Monday. No disasters had been reported in the vicinity up to Monday night.

We are informed that about twenty-nine thousand tons of coal for Dover will arrive at this port shortly, some of it being now on the way. This lot will not go over the rails to its destination, but will be dumped into gondolas, which will have their masts unstepped and be towed to Dover by steamer. Heavy shipments of coal for Newmarket and Exeter are also expected.

Ex-Secretary of the Navy Robeson will pass the summer at Rye Beach, and return to Washington next winter to practice law.

A MAD DOG SCARE.

While almost every other town and village in New England has had its mad dog scare, and not a few of them with only too much reason, our city, with a dog population of probably not much short of a thousand, has been entirely unmoved. But Portsmouth has again caught up with the rest of the world, for we had a genine mad dog scare on Sunday evening. We do not say the mad dog was the genuine article, for we did not see him; and we don't want to see him either, or any dog like him, unless we can look out of a window to do it; but the genuineness of the fright he occasioned is beyond dispute.

At about six o'clock in the evening a large black-and-tan appeared on Market square, according to some spectators foaming at the mouth and presenting every indication of rabies, and according to others having the appearance of having been engaged in a hard fight in which he had been whipped. He ran around among the people, attacked and bit a number of dogs—eight of them, as near as we can find out, one, a small poodle, being killed outright—and finally took to the railroad track and went off in the direction of Greenland, followed for some miles by several men, who intended to kill him but didn't do it, owing to their being not able to catch him. On the way out of town he passed between two little girls without molesting either, and meeting a man on the track ran up to and sniffed at him without offering any attack.

If the dog was actually mad the animals bitten by him should be killed at once; and in any case they should be chained up. As a precaution, we hear that the young men about town are having their spring pants lined below the knee with sections of stove-pipe.

There is great excitement at Newmarket. A mad dog on Saturday bit nineteen dogs. He was fired at several times. Ten dogs have been killed. The animal, a hound, was next seen at Stratham, and then Seabrook, where he bit a man. On Sunday E. A. Leavitt of Exeter was badly bitten by a dog, which was immediately killed. The dog bit a woman, child and horse at Newton on Friday.

Easter in England.

Of Easter Monday rites various curious relics still linger. One, called "clipping the church," is performed by children of the charity schools, amid crowds of people and shouts of joy. They place their backs against the outside of the church, and join hands till the circle is complete and the building surrounded, when the ceremony is over, and they go to another church.

Another custom in Durham, is for men to go about the streets and take off a shoe from every woman they meet, unless she will pay a small fee to prevent it. The next day, as is but fair, the women retort by doing the same to men.

In some parts a still more ridiculous custom is found, called "heaving" or "lifting." On Easter Monday the men "lift" women, and on Tuesday the women are the lifters. It is done thus: two strong men cross hands in the way we used to call "making a chair," in my school-days, or they carry a chair lined with white, and decorated with flowers and ribbons. On meeting a woman in the street, they invite her to take a seat, and in fact, insist upon it. They then lift her into the air three times, when she must kiss each of her lifters, and give them money besides. In the time of Edward I. this custom was so general that even the king was "lifted."

In Kent, the young people on Easter Monday "go a pudding-pieing." That is, go to public houses to eat pudding-pie, a dish about the size of a saucer, with raised paste rim, and custard inside.

And everywhere, and all the time, are eggs, eggs, eggs; boiled and colored; striped and mottled, and gilded; ornamented with names, or mottoes, or pictures. Common ones are variously adorned with designs drawn with a bit of tallow, which keeps the die from taking on those parts. A better kind of decoration is to scratch the design with a sharp knife on an egg after it is dyed; landscapes, mottoes, etc., can be made very neatly.

A common game—which, perhaps, you know—is played with Easter eggs. The owner of a hard-boiled Easter egg challenges any one he meets to strike eggs with him. If his egg breaks the other, it is called "the cock of one," and its owner has the broken one as a trophy. When it has broken two, it is "the cock of two," and so on. If an egg which is cock of one or more is broken, the conqueror adds the number of trophies won by the victim to his own score.

The custom of making presents of egg is said to be Persian, and to bear allusion to the "mundane egg," from which the world was fabled by certain nations to have been derived. It is a custom among Jews, Egyptians and Hindoos, and was adopted by Christians to symbolize the Resurrection.

This feast of eggs, therefore, very properly occurs at Easter.—*Olive Thorne, St. Nicholas for April.*

A Cure for Hydrophobia.

The recipe is that of M. Cassar, a French physician: Take two spoonfuls of fresh chloride of lime, mix it with half a pint of water, and with this wash keep the wound constantly bathed and frequently renewed. The chlorine gas possesses the power of decomposing this tremendous poison, and renders mild and harmless that venom against whose resistless attack the artillery of medical science has been so long directed in vain. It is necessary to add that this wash should be applied as soon as possible after the infliction of the bite. From 1810 to 1824 the number of persons admitted into Breslau Hospital was 181, of whom only two died; from 1783 to 1824, there were admitted into the hospital at Zurich 223 persons bitten by different animals (182 by dogs) of whom only four died.

A 'Frisco Romance.

San Francisco is veined with romance. While the corvette Vendnick of the Russian fleet was lying in the dry dock, Lieut. Georges de Kalands, the second officer, fell in love with Jennie Burdick, the foreman's daughter, and like gentle Alice Brown of the Bab Ballad, she reciprocated it. The elder Burdicks were pleased with the Russian's attentions to their daughter so long as they thought nothing would come of the flirtation, but when he asked their consent to a marriage and talked of taking her across the seas, they rebelled and showed him the door. An elopement was planned by letter. He was to ride by the house after dark and on catching a glimpse of a light in her window was to lean out of the carriage and light a cigar. The signals were exchanged according to the agreement, but the old gentleman suddenly appeared with a shot gun and opened fire at short range, whereupon the lover did not tarry for his sweetheart, but drove back to the city. She kept her word. Ay! she dropped like a snow-flake from her window and floated over a high board fence like a feather. Down the road she tramped without bonnet or shoes, and hired a boatman to row her across the river, her girlish figure shivering in the night air, her back hair streaming in the breeze and her pink toes in her tattered hose freezing in the leaky galley. It was rheumatic and romantic. She summoned her lover and was escorted by him to a boarding-house, where her father found her on the next day—March 13—and carried her home, with tears in her eyes and a bad cold in head. In a few weeks she will be of age and then, with bonnet and veil, gaiters and overshoes, and a faint touch of the old rheumatism, she will go to him.

Possible Uses of the Telephone.

In the interest of young men and women who sit up late every Sunday night, we demand that this telephone invention be crushed out of existence or suppressed by injunction. Unless something of this kind be done there will be trouble in every family throughout the land which includes a fair young lady, in every club of married men, and every sewing society where characters are frayed, cut bias, and stitched together again in an inharmonious style, in Masonic and Fenian lodges, clubs and elsewhere. With this telephone, by which apparatus oral conversation can be heard for miles, what is there to prevent fathers, mothers and big brothers from turning the crank, and listening to all the pretty words, soft sayings and sweet cooings between John and Laura every Sunday evening? Think of it fathers, and mother who know how it is yourselves! How are the sewing societies, Masons, Odd Fellows, Fenians, politicians of the Gobble order, to have any secret from the public with this abominable telephone business echoing their sayings and dispensing them through fog horns to the reporters and the rest of mankind? The country is in great danger from the operations of this new infernal machine. Young men and maidens should rise up with one voice and demand the execution of the inventor of the telephone and the destruction of his work. The Salem witches were no comparison to this enemy of peaceable civilization and happy courting reunions.—*Utica Observer.*

—At Pottstown, Pa., there is one of the greatest natural curiosities in the country, called "the ringing rocks"—a mass of bowlders covering about an acre of ground and heaped in wild confusion, which when struck with a hammar give forth a great variety of musical notes.

—The smallest church edifice in England is located in Westdale. It has but eight pews. Salary of the rector, $306.

—The business of showmen is so dull this spring that only one caravan is preparing for the summer campaign.

A Result of Obstructed Digestion.

Among the hurtful consequences of obstructed digestion, is the impoverishment of the blood, and since a deteriatve condition of the vital fluid not only produces dangerous organic weakness, but, according to the best medical authorities, sometimes causes asphyxia, it is apparent that to improve the quality of the blood by promoting digestion and assimilation, is a wise precaution. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is precisely the remedy for this purpose, as it stimulates the gastric juices, conquers those bilious and evacuative irregularities which interfere with the digestive processes, promotes assimilation of the food by the blood, and purifies as well as enriches it. The signs of improvement in health in consequence of using the Bitters are speedily apparent in accession of vigor a gain in bodily substance, and a regular and active performance of every physical function.

The Gates of Pearl,

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Whooping cough, asthma, croup and racking coughs cured by Adamson's Balsam. It never fails to cure. Price 35 cents. Sample free.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, notwithstanding its unsurpassed location and elegance of appointment, to meet the views of the traveling public, has reduced its rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

The Princess Yrturbide, daughter of the ex-Emperor of Mexico, while in Philadelphia occupied apartments at the Colonnade Hotel, and paid high compliments to its excellent management and quiet comfort.

BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

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The Cough and Lung Syrup

Is the remedy that during the past fifteen years has won for Dr. FLAGG an enviable reputation as a SPECIALIST for THROAT and LUNG Diseases. After so many year trial it can be truthfully said that it has NEVER FAILED, even in the WORST CASES. It is purely Vegetable, and its effect upon the system is at once Soothing and Tonic.

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In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

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Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption it effects has become almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

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For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

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CURES COUGHS,
CURES CATARRH,
CURES CONSUMPTION.

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WM. M. LADD, M. D.

CLAREMONT, N. H., September, 1875.

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Nashua & Lowell	87
Concord	78
Eastern	42
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	133½
Manchester & Lawrence	130
Michigan Central	42
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	101½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	84

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The Queen's Drawing-room.

A lady who has been presented has merely to determine which drawing-room she will attend, and to present herself at the proper time; there is no necessity, as some suppose, for her notifying her intention, unless, indeed, she is about to present another lady, in which case she must write a note, addressed to the lord chamberlain, stating her intention of attending a particular drawing-room, and of presenting a certain lady. The lady may present any number of other ladies, but she must notify them all. This note is sent to the chamberlain's office, Stable Yard, St. James' Palace, by the lady wishing to be presented, accompanied by a card on which is written very legibly her own name and that of the lady presenting her, thus: "Mrs. A., presented on her marriage by Lady Z.;" "Mrs. Henry Jones, on her marriage, by her mother-in-law, Mrs. Jones;" "Mrs. Case, by Lady Stair;" "Miss Brown, by her mother, Lady Brown;" "The Countess of K., on accession to the title, by the Duchess of O.;" etc. This card must be left at the office with the note at least two clear days before the drawing-room, and on application after that time two "presentation" or pink cards will be provided. On these the lady about to be presented must write, legibly, exactly what was on the first card, and take them with her to her palace; one to be given to the page in waiting at the top of the stairs, the other to be handed to the lord chamberlain, who announces the name to the Queen.

Ladies about to be presented should not put on their right hand glove; it must be removed before the ceremony, as the hands are fully occupied with the train, handkerchief, fan, and cards. It is by no means necessary that the presenter and presentee should go together; indeed, they often do not meet. It is usual for a lady presented on her marriage to be presented by some member of her husband's family rather than her own; but this is not absolutely necessary if inconvenient. A lady presented as a bride, or a young lady, must, of course, wear white, with flowers containing very little or no color; but white is not absolutely *de rigueur* for other presentations, though it is more general to wear it.

Any lady who wishes to be presented to her Majesty in person should be careful to arrive at the palace in good time, as fatigue sometimes compels the Queen to retire before the conclusion of the ceremony. The palace doors are opened at 2 o'clock, the reception commencing at 3, and 1 o'clock is not at all too early to start. On reaching the palace the great hall is crossed to the cloak-room, where wraps are deposited; then ascending the great stair-case, the lady delivers her first card to the page in waiting, and, passing along the corridor (where are cards, pens and ink, for those who may have forgotten their cards), enters the ball-room. This, like all the other rooms, is filled with chairs, and, as each room is filled, the gentlemen-at-arms, who are on duty at each doorway, close the crimson velvet barrier, and the next room is filled in due order.

The first persons who pass the Queen are the members of the diplomatic corps, of the Government, of the royal households, and all those having the privilege of the *entree*, who arrive and depart by a different entrance; after they have passed the rooms are emptied in due succession. The last apartment before the the throne-room is the picture-gallery, which has to be crossed; at the door of it the lady's train is taken from her left arm, over which it has hitherto been folded, with the end outward, spread out by two court officials, and she proceeds across the gallery into the presence chamber. At the door an official takes her card and passes it on to the lord chamberlain, who, just as the lady reaches the Queen, pronounces the name audibly. If the lady has been presented before, she merely makes a deep courtesy and passes on; but if not, she, while making her courtesy, extends her right hand bare and palm downward; the Queen places her's upon it, and the lady touches it with her lips. The only exception to this rule is when the presentation is that of a peeress or a peer's daughter, when her Majesty kisses the lady on the cheek. After passing the Queen a courtesy must be made to each member of the royal family present. The Princess of Wales stands next to the Queen, and then come in order, if they are all present, Princess Christian, Princess Louise, Princess Beatrice, the Duchess of Edinburgh, Duchess of Teck, the Prince of Wales, Duke of Edinburgh, and the other royal princes in succession. It is seldom, however, that all are present; the lady passes rapidly, and but little time is allowed for making the necessary obeisances. Almost before they are completed the lady's train is restored to her arm by the pages, and the ceremony is over. The lady then passes through another room into a picture gallery, and can if fatigued, go down stairs and wait for the carriage at once; or she can remain talking to her friends, or go up to the end and watch the trains being put down previous to passing into the throne-room.

When the Queen is fatigued, and retires, the rest of the ladies are received by the Princess of Wales, and a lady presented under these circumstances merely courtesies, and does not kiss hands.

Full dress—low bodice and short sleeves is compulsory at court; no one is admitted without it, unless furnished with a permis-

sion. To obtain this, a medical certificate must be forwarded to the lord chamberlain's office, stating that the lady is unable, from the state of her health, to wear a low dress; this is submitted to the Queen, and a permission is generally given, which the lady will have to show on her arrival at the palace. This permission only lasts for one drawing-room. If the lady is unable the next year to wear a low dress, she must obtain a fresh medical certificate and a new permission.

Feathers and lappets or a vail are also compulsory, and, though colored feathers are very pretty and are often worn, they are not considered such good style or so thoughly court dress as the orthodox white court plume. Ladies who have lappets will do well to wear them; vails are most uncomfortable in a crowd, and are frequently the means of disarranging the hair. Lappets are generally arranged on the right side and feathers on the left. Those who have jewels wear them, and flowers are frequently worn also; this, however, is a matter of taste. Trains are worn either from the waist or the shoulders; if the former, the boddice corresponds with the train; if the latter, with the skirt. A train should invariably be lined; the ommission makes the whole dress look shabby.

There is always an intimation made when a drawing-room is announced that "gentlemen are not expected to be present, excepting in attendance on the ladies of their family." Even of those who do go, extreuely few pass the Queen, turning off into the picture gallery instead of passing. As a matter of fact, they are of no assistance to the ladies, even in getting the carriages, as these come up in regular succession, and are not allowed to be called—a very bad arrangement, as many who would gladly go away are kept waiting till the carriages of others who are talking up stairs have passed on.

Ladies are only expected to attend one drawing-room, as the numbers naturally increase each year.

A lady who has been presented must, when she attends a drawing-room, take with her two large cards, with her name legibly written thereon, to be given to the same officials as the presentation cards.—*London Queen.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 1877.

Another Steamship Wrecked.

On Saturday, March 24th, a mammoth excursion steamer named the Rockaway, designed to run between New York city and Rockaway Beach, and said to be the largest excursion steamer in America, was launched from the establishment of George W. Beach at Norfolk, Va., and left Norfolk on Sunday night for New York in tow of steamship Wyanoke. She was built for R. Cornell White of New York, and was 293 feet long.

On Monday the signal service observer at Atlantic City reported a large steamer ashore on the bar opposite that city, and broken in two. This wreck turned out to be the new steamer Rockaway, she having sprung a leak and filled with water on the passage from Norfolk to New York, compelling her crew to take refuge on board the Wyanoke, which vessel then cast off the towline to save herself, and left the luckless Rockaway to her fate.

The crew of the Rockaway say they left Norfolk Saturday night in tow of the Wyanoke, and were progressing pretty fairly. They had frequent rain squalls during the night and a strong wind was blowing from the northeast. During Sunday the wind increased to a gale and the waves rose very high. The rain was so heavy that it was impossible to see but a few rods ahead. All hands were at their posts. All were of the opinion that unless the storm subsided the vessel would be stranded or go down. All Sunday night they were on the lookout for such an occurrence, and it came just as expected. The carpenters were all below deck, when it was noticed that the vessel had strained herself so badly that she had parted amidships. All rushed on deck and the Wyanoke was signaled that the Rockaway was sinking. The lifeboats were immediately lowered and after two trips all were safely taken to the Wyanoke. As the last party left the Rockaway her deck was flush with the water. When all were safe the cable was severed and the Rockaway left to her fate.

News and Notes.

Wendell Phillips lectured in Philadelphia, Monday evening, on "The Holy Alliance: Rum and the Revolver." He furiously attacked Hayes and his Cabinet, denounced Devens as a slave-hunter, and said the war is not over and will not be for years to come.

Barque Lorena, at New York from Marseilles, rescued from a small boat Capt. Young and four seamen of the British schooner Rivulet, from Brazil for England, abandoned sinking. Barque Imogene, from Brazil for Falmouth, was seen by the crew of the Rivulet on fire, Jan. 30, near the Brazilian coast. Crew were preparing to abandon her.

Joseph Stehl, while asleep Friday night in the boiler-room of the Guttenburg Brewery, Hoboken, was covered with kerosene oil (thrown over him) and then set on fire by some unknown human fiend. Although men threw blankets over him, he was so badly burned that he died in a few hours in awful agony.

Schooner M. Sewall, wrecked on Long Shoal, Vineyard Sound, March 18th, was towed into Vineyard Haven on Saturday. Her cargo of laths is nearly all in her yet, but the vessel is not considered to be worth much.

A ship and two barques went ashore near Cape Henry during a thick fog and gale Sunday night, within a mile of ship Winchester, beached a week or more before. Crews all saved.

Mary Ella Harrington, the young girl whose disappearance from her East Boston home some four months ago created much excitement, is believed to be living in Lowell and under no restraint from any person.

The committee to examine the books of Albert G. O'Brien, late Treasurer of the town of Cornish, Me., have found him to be a forger and defaulter to the amount of over $3000. As far as ascertained town bonds to the amount $1300 were fraudulently issued by him. Many of the books and papers have been destroyed, rendering it impossible to ascertain the full amount of the defalcation. O'Brien has since gone into bankruptcy. A large number of town orders for small amounts were found raised to large amounts.

A Washington correspondent says Senator Blaine was asked how he liked the new Cabinet, and told the following story by way of illustration: "Once upon a time a party of gentlemen in Maine started out on a hunting expedition. On the way they elected one of their number to the responsible position of cook, with the understanding that the first one who growled or objected to the cooking should take the cook's place, and that this rule should continue throughout the trip. On the first morning out, while at breakfast, one took up a biscuit, put it to his mouth, bit out a piece, and immediately exclaimed, "Whew, how salty; but I like it!"

A sensation was created in Boston Music Hall during Rev. Mr. Murray's services Sunday forenoon, by the appearance of a well-dressed lady, who, after searching over the whole house, found the man for whom she was looking, in the company of another equally attractive woman. She upbraided him sharply for trying to deceive her, and then marched him from the house of worship.

After a long and careful investigation of the method of paying what is called in the Treasury unclaimed interest, the Solicitor of the Treasury has submitted a lengthy report to the Secretary of the Treasury, in which he reviews the whole matter and finds that the recently published statements of collusion between outside parties and Government officials, by which fraud had been practiced upon the Treasury, have had no basis whatever. Assistant Secretary Conant and all others mentioned in this connection are fully exonerated by the report of the Solicitor.

Dicker Dutton died in Harford County, Maryland, last Wednesday, aged 104 years. He was a colored man, with a remarkable capacity for whisky.

Rev. Charles A. Stoddard, one of the editors of the New York *Observer*, outwitted a thief very cleverly. He was riding down town in a stage with his wife, when a man who sat beside her suddenly arose and hurried out of the stage. When he was almost out of sight a man sitting opposite said to Mrs. Stoddard: "Madame, that man has got your pocket-book;" and she at once found that her purse, containing ten dollars and an unset amethyst, had disappeared. Mr. Stoddard made no movement to leave the stage, but kept his eye upon the man who had given the information, and the latter soon became uneasy and left the stage. Mr. Stoddard at once followed him, when the man ran, throwing away a purse, which was found to be the one Mrs. Stoddard had missed. Two policemen captured the thief, who turned out to be the "pal" of the man who sat beside Mrs. Stoddard, who had taken the purse from the other as he left the stage, and thought to escape by setting Mr. Stoddard on the wrong track.

The "Treasury frauds," of which we have heard so much of late, are found to be frauds upon the public credulity. It was not a conspiracy against the Government, but against the character of Government officials. An investigation shows that the whole story of fraudulent payments of interest was coined out of nothing, and for a purpose which it is easy to conjecture. It was a mere raid of libelers, with certain Treasury clerks fighting on the same side within the Department. Mr. Conant, who was the most conspicuous object of attack, has the pleasure of seeing the mud roll off his garments without leaving a stain, and ought to have the further pleasure of seeing the democratic press retract their malicious comments on a purely malicious charge. *N. Y. Tribune.*

The dam of the Straffordville (Con.) reservoir gave way Tuesday morning. The damage in the village of Straffordville was very heavy. The railway freight house and all the cars were washed away; the National Bank, Congregational Church and fifteen or twenty other buildings were destroyed. No lives reported lost. Two Howe truss bridges were carried away, and three miles of railroad destroyed.

Wade Hampton has accepted President Hayes' invitation to a conference in Washington, and was to leave South Carolina Tuesday evening for the capitol. General Ruger will act as provisional governor of South Carolina during the absence of Chamberlain and Hampton at Washington.

A verdict of murder in the first degree was rendered in Bellows Falls, Vermont, Monday, upon Jesse H. Lewis for the murder of Albert H. Deming in Jamaica, April 20, 1875. The trial of Solon A. Wooley for the murder of his brother in Grafton, last October, began on Tuesday.

New Hampshire Items.

A chair-stock and shingle mill at Jaffrey was burned Sunday. Loss, $2500; insured for $750 in the Cheshire Company and $750 in the Ashuelot of Keene. Part of the machinery was saved.

The revival interest in Dover, which has been increasing for the past six weeks, and lately under the charge of Whittier, evangelist, who leaves for other fields, culminated Sunday in the meetings all over the city. Over 300 conversions are now reported.

Rev. W. E. Spear resigns from the Congregational Church at Dunbarton.

A newspaper is to be started in Gorham, Coos county, on the first of April.

Frank P. Hobart of Brookline was accidentally killed while chopping in the woods. He was caught between two falling trees and crushed to death.

James W. Hilton, a prominent citizen of Grafton, who was struck by a slab while at work in his mill Thursday, died Saturday night from the effects of his injuries.

At the annual meeting of the Union School District in Concord, Saturday night, John H. George, S. C. Whitcher and Everett L. Conger were elected members of the Board of Education, and $20,000 were appropriated for the support of the schools.

Mr. Greenleaf C. Blaisdell of Fremont, working in the box mill of R. H. Fellows at Brentwood, recently sawed out and matched, or as box-makers term it, "got out," the stock for two hundred boxes, measuring in all twenty-seven-hundred feet, in five hours and thirty minutes.

On Sunday Mr. John Brugger, one of Manchester's oldest and most respected citizens, formerly of the firm J. Brugger & Son, boisery manufacturers, died of typhoid pneumonia, after an illness of one week. He was born in Berne, Switzerland, in 1802.

The New New York *Tribune*, which was severe on the people of our State for rejecting the amendment abolishing the religious test, now says: "New Hampshire came very near the nineteenth century, after all. Nearly complete returns show a handsome majority for the amendment to the Constitution abolishing the religious test for office but the State preserved its medieval consistency by defeating, it is believed by a few hundred votes, the proposition to strike out the word "Protestant" from the Bill of Rights. The effect of the failure of the latter amendment is hardly likely to be important, though it is to be regretted; but it is a relief to know that the only State in the Union which still excluded Roman Catholics from office has wiped out that prohibition from its fundamental law. It was a dead letter even there, but it made an ugly corpse."

Six dogs were shot in Nashua on Friday.

The death of a horse in Northfield by hydrophobia has created considerable excitement.

The body of Mr. Whittier, of Keene, who was lost in the snow near Munsonville, on Dec. 29th, was found on Sunday a short distance from where his pails were found in Stoddard.

On the 16th inst. Benjamin Davis and wife of New Ipswich celebrated the 71st anniversary of their marriage. Mr. Davis is in his 95th year, and Mrs. Davis in her 92d year.

—A village congregation in Vermont was disturbed the other Sunday, during the momentary stillness following the opening prayer, by a voice from the adjoining dwelling, exclaiming, "Mary, where's the nails?" Soon the answer came, "In the coffee-pot, you fool."

—The new anaconda at the Zoological Gardens, London, is eighteen or twenty feet long and two feet around the thickest part of the body. He was caught in South America and shipped to England in a large box. He lies in a tank of warm water and eats a duck every morning. His voyage across the Atlantic was a very uncomfortable one, and his buff skin is shrunken and travel-stained.

—An English clergyman has been fined for using profane language. Evidence was given at the Bridgend petty sessions on March 10th to the effect that Rev. Rees Prichard, a vicar in Glamorganshire, had sworn six times during a wrangle with passengers on a railway train, and he was fined five shillings for each curse. A few days before this the Todcester magistrates had sentenced Mr. Leatham to two months' imprisonment for cursing the Queen during divine service. English justice discriminates between profanity that is merely profane and profanity that is disloyal.

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ROOM PAPERS ARE SELLING AT

Goodrich's New Room Paper Store,

CHEAPER THAN ELSEWHERE IN THIS CITY!

PRICES FROM 5 CENTS PER ROLL UPWARDS.

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WHO MENDS CANE-SEAT CHAIRS

HAS REMOVED his place of business to the room over Mr. Jos. Pettigrew's store, corner of Congress and High streets, and solicits a continuance of patronage from those who have chairs needing re-seating.

EASTER CARDS!

A Beautiful Variety of

NEW DESIGNS

For SUNDAY SCHOOL GIFTS and friendly tokens.

ALSO,

Prang's Crosses and Bouquets

FOR EASTER.

Just Received By

JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Poll and Estate, ratiable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH S NORRIS,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED SEAVERNS,
ROBERT KING,
JAMES A. RUGG,
CHARLES H. MENDUM,
Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

PORTSMOUTH

INSURANCE AGENCY.

Established 1831.

JOHN SISE,

NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE,

is authorized Agent and Attorney for the following reasonable Companies:

ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY,
HARTFORD, CONN.,.....Assets $7,000,000.

HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE CO.
HARTFORD, CONN.,.....Assets $3,200,000.

HOME INSURANCE COMPANY,
NEW YORK,.....Assets $6,000,000.

FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
PHILADELPHIA,.....Assets $3,300,000.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY,
LIVERPOOL, ENG.,.....Assets $18,000,000 (gold.)

PENNSYLVANIA FIRE INS. CO.,
PHILADELPHIA,.....Assets $1,000,000.

Business men and owners of Property desiring every security by insurance against loss and damages by fire, will find it for their interest to place their risks in the above companies, some of which have been represented in this vicinity for nearly fifty years.

All losses will be promptly adjusted and paid by the undersigned.

JOHN SISE,
INSURANCE AGENT,
OFFICE NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

— OF —

SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS.

— AT —

WM. P. WALKER'S

NO, 8 MARKET SQUARE.

Having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, ETC.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

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☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

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ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Constantly on hand, consisting of

SHIRTS,
GLOVES,
BOSOMS,
COLLARS,
DRAWERS,
SUSPENDERS,
LINEN GOODS,
HANDKERCHIEFS

Of Every Description.

SICK HEADACHE.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.

I have suffered with Sick Head-Ache as often as every two weeks, for *Fifteen Years*. At times in such severe pain I *fainted away*. I tried every thing I could hear of and was attended by Physicians. I continued in this condition until last December when I commenced with the Little Giant Pills. I have not had a Head-Ache since. I want every person who suffers as I have, to try this Medicine and be cured, and if any such are not able to pay for a box, I will buy a box and give them.

MRS. CARRIE A. HODGDON, 7 Dennett St.

☞ SOLD BY ALL THE DRUGGISTS.

Trade Mark on Square Boxes.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Bartlett's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 36x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,

CLARENCE B. MASON.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street, and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

The Perfection

GRANITE IRON

Tea and Coffee

POTS,

With Mountings of WHITE METAL and NICKEL PLATE.

The best and latest invention in this line.

FOR SALE BY

JOHN P. SWEETSER,

Dealer in HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, 46 Market St

HEALTH FOOD CO.

A SMALL LOT OF

Cold Blast Whole Wheat Flour,
Pearled Wheat.
Granulated Wheat (coarse),
" " (fine),
Pearled Oats,
White Wheat Gluten,
Granulated Barley.

Just received and for sale by

Butler & Laighton.

1 MARKET SQUARE.

DATES DATES DATES

1500 Pounds New Dates,

SELLING CHEAP AT

BUTLER & LAIGHTON'S.

SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS.

FERRIS & CO'S SUGAR-CURED HAMS,

WEIGHING FROM 8 TO 12 LBS.,

For Sale By

BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

Lost.

ON Wednesday evening, March 7th, between Austin and State streets, a PURSE containing a sum of money. On leaving the same at this office the finder will be rewarded.

IRON AND STEEL.

CARRIAGE AND TIRE BOLTS.

Heavy & Building Hardware.

HORSE-SHOE NAILS.

All Kinds of Painters' Supplies.

SHIP CHANDLERY.

OILS AND VARNISHES.

RIDER & COTTON,

69 MARKET STREET, ... Portsmouth, N. H.

PUBLIC INVITATION.

The pleasure of your company is requested at

No. 1 Congress Block,

To examine the full line of

ROOM PAPERS,
BORDERS, CURTAINS,
CURTAIN FIXTURES,
TASSELS, CORD,

Which I have just received and marked at prices unrivalled in this city since before the war.

JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

SEASON OF 1877.

NEW SMOKED HALIBUT!

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

A Rare Chance.

FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and plot of land, suitable for a SUMMER RESORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attics, and on the place is a good BARN and fine water; everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view; the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times, and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.

Enquire of

JOSEPH L. MARDEN,
Mild&wlm Kittery Point, Me.
Or, WILLIAM DOWNS & SON, Portsmouth.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS.

—A FEW MORE OF THOSE

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

William P. Walker's,

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Carriage Material

AND

BLACKSMITHS' SUPPLIES.

RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Seats, Seat Rails, Sleigh Dashers, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

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Rear Post Office . . . . . Portsmouth, N. H.

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Real Estate.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to

March 31, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET.

Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

House to Let.

A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to

HENRY F. GERRISH.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibirt, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.

Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.

House No. 36 Deer Street.

Brick House No. 56 State Street.

Store corner State and Washington streets.

House No. 2 Rockingham Street.

Apply to

A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.

FRANK W. MILLER.

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CARRIAGES,

GAS FIXTURES,

Etc., Etc., Etc.

Call and see the New Styles at Greatly Reduced Prices!

John P. Sweetser,

46 MARKET ST., PORTSMOUTH.

SPRING AND SUMMER

FASHIONS!

"What to Wear,"
Demorest's "Quarterly,"
Demorest's "Portfolio,"
Leslie's "Ladies' Magazine,"
Petersons "Ladies' Magazine,"
Harper's Bazar—weekly,

RECEIVED THIS DAY AT

JOSEPH H. FOSTER'S,

1 CONGRESS BLOCK.....Portsmouth, N. H.

A FRESH LOT of WHEAT MEAL

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, WHEAT GROATS, AND OATMEAL

Just received and for sale by

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

1877's MAPLE SUGAR!

ALSO NEW DATES.

FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 15 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

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2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

F. A. FERRIS & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

— AND —

SMALL PIG HAMS.

GOSHEN PINE APPLE

— AND —

DUTCH CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

Charles E. Laighton & Son,

EXCHANGE BUILDINGS.

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—*the first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

BLUE ARMY BLOUSES.

WE have just received a few more of those BLUE ARMY BLOUSES, which have been in such demand for the last twelve months.

C. E. MYERS & CO.,

No. 3 BOW STREET.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	6.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 6.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "	
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

NAVY YARD ITEMS.

On Monday, at about noon, while the engines of the contract sloop-of-war "Enterprise" were being tried, a sailor stepped to the ship's side to look out through the port; the engines were just then stopped and the vessel of course went astern on her moorings, and the man was caught between the side of the port and the end of the brow, and severely injured. The order was hurriedly passed to go ahead with the engines as a man was jammed, and the engines instantly started ahead at full speed, releasing the unfortunate sailor from his painful and perilous situation, and also parting the ship's moorings. No other damage was done. The man's injuries are not fatal.

The U. S. S. "Sabine" was sold at auction at the Navy Yard on Tuesday, to Charles Budrow of Boston, the price paid for her being $19,250. There was a large attendance of bidders from Boston and other places.

On Tuesday afternoon Mr. Llewellyn Trefethen, of Newcastle, an employe in the Department of Steam Engineering, while working in the covered way between the machine and coppersmiths' shops at the yard, was instantly killed by being crushed under a mass of iron, estimated to weigh forty tons. The iron was packed on a rack which hung directly over where the unfortunate man was working, and the rack gave away just as he was finishing the job on which he was engaged; in another half-minute he would have been out of the way of danger—of the existence of which, however, no one had the slightest suspicion, as the strength of the rack had never been questioned. Capt. English and the other officers of the yard were quickly on the spot, but the unfortunate man was beyond human aid. An examination of the remains was made by Surgeon Cleborne in his official capacity, after which the body was sent to Newcastle in the yard ambulance. Mr. Trefethen leaves a wife and two daughters; he was a man universally esteemed by all who knew him, and his family receive much sympathy in their affliction.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR REUNION.

Sagamore Lodge, No. 258, Knights of Honor, celebrated their first anniversary at their Hall on Market street, (formerly known as Washington Hall,) on Monday evening; and despite the gale and drenching rain a large number of the Knights and their lady friends assembled to do honor to the occasion. The Hall has been fitted up for the purposes of the Order at a considerable expense, and it is hard to now associate it with the memories of by-gone days; the walls are covered with paper showing gilt bouquets on a brilliant red ground; the Dictator's stand is canopied with red rep edged with a deep fringe of worsted, and a fluting of light blue rep extends from the floor to the canopy, back of the Dictator's chair; the effect of the whole is harmonious, and the arrangements very convenient for the purposes of the Lodge.

The exercises of the evening were varied and interesting. Prayer was offered by Mr. Newton, a member of the Lodge, followed by an address of "Welcome to the Ladies" by Mr. Stephen W. Clarke, which abounded in neat and well-turned compliments to the gentler sex and was spiced with numerous bits of sparkling humor. Mr. Clarke gave a brief history of Knighthood, tracing it back to feudal times, and a few statistics of the Knights of Honor organization, which at the present time numbers 17,000 members. The address was brief and appropriate.

The songs, "Sing, sweet bird," and "Down the shadowed lane she goes," were artistically sung by Miss Flanders; and the trios, "Evening bells" and "Soft glides the sea," were beautifully rendered by Miss Flanders, Mrs. Bennett and Mr. Newell. Some choice readings were also given: "High tide" (Jean Ingelow) was read with excellent effect by Miss Lizzie M. Flagg; "The story of the bewitched clock," a humorous selection, was told by Miss Lizzie Varrell with a vivacity which was quite refreshing; and "The summer storm," by James Russell Lowell, was recited by Miss Emma Johnson in a manner both spirited and graceful.

One feature of the exercises, not "down in the bills," was the unexpected presentation to the Lodge, by the lady friends of the members, of a large and elegantly bound Bible, the presentation speech being made by the wife of one of the Knights, as follows:

Mr. Dictator, and gentlemen of the Knights of Honor:

The Ladies, appreciating the noble conception and execution of creating a Society or Order, by you, that only provides benefits to be bestowed upon others, and we being the contemplated recipients of these benefits,—it is proper and fitting that we should signify our appreciation and gratitude;—and feeling that the noble principle of Charity (the only sentiment that could have called this order into existence) is taught in the Holy Bible, we feel that we can no more appropriately show such approval and gratitude than by presenting this Book, with the prayers of your wives and those who love you that your every act may be in keeping with its Divine teachings. Therefore, accept it, and with it the warm assurances of fidelity and trust which flow from grateful hearts, and a most earnest desire that our conduct may not stultify, but stimulate you, and through you, ourselves, to more noble deeds than ever before, for every noble act leads us to the performance of others still nobler, which must meet the approval of that Grand and Divine Dictator who rules over the destinies of us all.

Dictator Clarence B. Mason accepted the Bible on behalf of the Lodge, responding in substance as follows:

Sisters: As this is a complete surprise, you will not expect me to say more than a few words in acceptance; in behalf of Sagamore Lodge, Knights of Honor, I accept this beautiful present, and extend to you the sincere and heartfelt thanks of the Lodge and its members. I assure you that we do not accept this elegant Bible for its intrinsic value alone, but as a sacred memento of the love which you cherish for our noble Brotherhood; and that its pages shall be searched at our meetings, so that the divine teachings of the sacred book may be impressed upon the minds of our members, not only to enable them to carry out the precepts of our Order, but that its teachings may prove a guide and passport to that Celestial Lodge above where the Supreme Ruler of the Universe presides. In conclusion, I once more extend to you our thanks.

The Bible was then committed to the keeping of the Chaplain of the Lodge.

At the close of the exercises at the Hall the company adjourned to the banquet room of Franklin Hall, where a bountiful collation was prepared, after partaking of which the following toasts were announced, Mr. Charles A. Shannon officiating as toast-master:

No. 1. "The day we celebrate;" May we meet with many happy returns.
Response by Clarence B. Mason.

No. 2. "Our ladies;" a safe place for affection. When old Strawberry Bank makes a dividend, we have as our share "Heaven's best gift to man."
Response by R. H. Perkins.

No. 3. "Infancy;" the first link in the changes of progress. Like little children we enter this lodge, groping.
Response by Amos S. Foster.

No. 4. "Youth;" the bright morning star of hope. Confident of our strength we are equally confident that there's naught to come to make us afraid.
Response by Plumer D. Norton.

No. 5. "Our army;" the good right arm of our defence. May the glorious flag which it upholds never be allowed to trail in the dust.
Response by Major D. J. Vaughan.

No. 6. "The Press;" The safeguard of our institutions, the voice by which the people speak. Portsmouth is proud of her contributors to the fraternity.
Response by Samuel Dodge.

No. 7. "Manhood." It has been said that "the proper study of mankind is man;" so thinks the faithful Knight of Honor when there's call for aid.
Response by J. Horace Kent.

No. 8. "Our Navy." Knightly deeds have not been confined to the land; the history of our navy abounds in chivalric stories. May it long continue our protection and our pride; elevating the character of our citizens at home, and upholding the honor of our flag abroad.
This toast was to have been responded to by Chief Engineer David B. Macomb, U. S. N., but he was absent, having been called to Washington to act as President of a Naval Commission.

No. 9. "Our benefits." As tender charity's ample sway cheers the breast, so our relief will ever cheer the brother's home.
Response by Joseph H. Gardiner.

No. 10. "Our Teachers." Guardians and instructors of our children, may they evince an aptitude for their profession, lead upright lives, and inculcate precepts of piety and morality as the only safeguard of our growth.
Response by Hon. T. E. O. Marvin.

No. 11. "Our Widows and Orphans." Occupying positions of extreme sorrow and grief, may they reap the benefit our noble order.
Response by Charles A. Hazlett.

No. 12. "Qualifications." While the ancient Knights regarded the physical condition as the prominent qualification for Knighthood, our Knights regard the physical, moral and intellectual alike essential. May the union ever be maintained.
Response by Dr. Samuel C. Whittier.

No. 13. "The Order of Knighthood." The ancient Knight gave himself to his Knightly work; he possessed the soul of a Knight; wore the armor of a Knight; he was a Knight.
Response by Oliver M. Knight.

The party broke up shortly after midnight, having passed a most pleasant and agreeable evening, the singing of "America" by the entire assemblage being the last act.

The officers of Sagamore Lodge are as follows:

Dictator, Clarence B. Mason; Vice Dictator, R. H. Perkins; Asst. Dictator, E. H. Leslie; Chaplain, S. W. Clarke; Reporter, George A. Perkins; Financial Reporter, Wm. O. Sides; Treasurer, Plumer D. Norton; Guide, Alfred Stavers; Guardian, Elmer E. Sawyer; Sentinel, Shirley B. Cunningham.

JOTTINGS.

Ship Frank Jones, of this port, is to proceed in ballast from San Francisco to Manila to load for Boston or New York, on private terms.

Somebody (supposed to be a tramp who had been seen hanging around) on Tuesday forenoon, between the hours of seven and nine o'clock, "went through" the till of Mr. James McClure's saloon on Water street, and walked off with the contents, amounting to some six or seven dollars.

Robert F. Gerrish, Esq., of Kittery Point, has recently presented the New England Historic-Genealogical Society of Boston a large quantity of Pepperell papers which were left by Sir William at the time of his death in 1759. These papers have long been in the possession of the Gerrish family and are now placed in the archives of the Society for preservation. Many of them are possessed of much historic interest.

The Detroit *Free Press* nominates Frank Jones for the next democratic candidate for governor in New Hampshire. Let's see: If it takes $40,000 to carry one-third of the State by a plurality of 49 votes, it will take $120,000 to carry the whole State by a plurality of 147 votes. That would throw the election into the Legislature and into the hands of the republicans, as a plurality does not elect a Governor as it does a Congressman in this State. Jones has a growing purse, but we predict that it will never grow up to be governor of this State. It will "bust" first.—*Nashua Telegraph.*

SUPREME COURT.

In case Edwin W. Cochrane vs. Wm. H. Allen, claim for a sum in settlement of business, a verdict was rendered in favor of plaintiff.

In the case of Michael Rafter vs. Alfred Stavers, claim for damages for injuries received by Rafter running against a derrick at the time Franklin Hall was being repaired, the jury on Tuesday evening rendered a verdict to the effect that Stavers is not liable, and that Rafter failed to use due care. Frink for Stavers; Hatch for plaintiff.

—Blue glass worn in the crown of the hat will enable a bald-headed man to part his hair in the middle.

—This is the portrait Lucy Hooper draws of the Empress Eugenie: "She has grown immensely stout, dresses in ugly English-made black gowns, paints her face pink and white, blacks under her eyes, and wears a very palpable wig of light yellow hair. It is sad to have the image of grace and sweetness and delicate beauty once called up by the mere name of Eugenie—named replaced by such a vision—a painted and bewigged old coquette, a sort of royal Mrs. Skewton."

—The latest triumph of Yankee ingenuity is sour-milk jewelry, made by Kingman & Hodges of Mansfield, Mass. The milk comes in the shape of curd from the butter and cheese-making counties in New York, and looks, upon its arrival, a great deal like popped corn, but before it leaves their shop it undergoes a wonderful change, and receives the name of American coral. The secret in making it up is carefully guarded, but it is certain that it has to be heated very hot, during which coloring matter is introduced, followed by a very heavy pressure. Some of it is colored black and called jet, while some appears as celluloid. It makes very handsome jewelry, and is made into all kinds and styles known to the trade.

A Result of Obstructed Digestion.

Among the hurtful consequences of obstructed digestion, is the impoverishment of the blood, and since a deteriative condition of the vital fluid not only produces dangerous organic weakness, but, according to the best medical authorities, sometimes causes asphyxia, it is apparent that to improve the quality of the blood by promoting digestion and assimilation, is a wise precution. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is precisely the remedy for this purpose, since it stimulates the gastric juices, conquers those bilious and evacuative irregularities which interfere with the digestive processes, promotes assimilation of the food by the blood, and purifies as well as enriches it. The signs of improvement in health in consequence of using the Bitters are speedily apparent in accession of vigor, a gain in bodily substance, and a regular and active performance of every physical function.

The Gates of Pearl,

through which the human voice issues, should never become rusty. To keep the teeth forever free from blemish, to render their decay impossible, it is only necessary to use Fragrant Sozodont. It is antiseptic and supremely wholesome.

It is "never too late to mend" with Spalding's Glue.

Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup will cure a cough and cold in a few days, and has proved itself to be the only remedy known that can arrest the development of tubercles on the lungs, or restore the vital functions of those organs. Try it.

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A Scotch Story.

A certain minister having become much addicted to drink, his presbytery had to interfere, and get the minister to sign the pledge. The result was that the sudden reaction proved too much for him, and he became so ill that the doctor had to be sent for. The doctor said he must begin to take his toddy again. This the minister said he could not do, as he had taken the pledge. The doctor replied that he might get a bottle or two quietly, and that nobody but their two selves and the housekeeper would know it. "Man," said the minister, "my housekeeper is worse than all the presbyters put together, so that would not do." However, it was arranged that the doctor should bring in the whiskey and sugar, and that the minister was to make up the toddy in the bed room with the hot water he got for shaving purposes in the morning. The result was that the minister got speedily well, and one day on going out, the doctor said to the minister's housekeeper, "Well, Margaret, your minister is quite himself again." "There's nae doubt of that, sir," she replied, "he's quite well in the body, but there is something gane far wrang wi' his upper story." "What's wrong there, Margaret?" asked the doctor. "Weel, sir, I dinna ken, but he asks for shavin' water six or seven times a day."

Anecdote of Thad. Stevens.

Pierce M. B. Young, a recent representative in Congress from Mississippi, was a Confederate General, and a graduate of West Point. He came to Washington soon after the war, seeking to have his disabilities removed. He is a fine, manly fellow, and seems to have accepted the results of the war in good faith. He went to Thad., and Thad. began to play with him, as he sometimes did with those whom he intended to make his victims. He said:

"You are a graduate of West Point, I believe?"

"Yes, sir."

"Educated at the expense of the United States, I believe, which you swore faithfully to forever defend?"

"Yes, sir."

"You went into the service of the infernal rebellion?"

"Yes, sir."

"You were a brigade commander in the raid into Pennsylvania, which destroyed the property of so many of my constituents?"

"Yes, sir."

"It was a squad of men under your direct charge, and under your personal command, that *burned my rolling-mill?*"

"Yes, sir."

Young thought he was gone, but seeing that the old veteran had come into the possession of the last fact, which Young did not dream he knew, it was impossible to deny the truth of his question. Thad. roared out, "Well, I like your impudence. I will see that your disabilities are removed. Good morning." And the next day the bill passed the House.

—It is useless for physicians to protest against short-sleeved dresses. The constitution of the United States says that "the right to bear arms shall not be interfered with."

—The Missouri Legislature has passed an act punishing illegal voting with two or five years in prison, and attempts at it by a fine of twenty-five dollars to one hundred dollars, or from thirty days' to six months' imprisonment. The Colorado Legislature attacks the grand jury. Twenty days before the criminal court meets the judge of the county seat and two justices of the peace shall sit as a court of indictment, and hear all the testimony offered by either side before the indictment or discharge of prisoners. The Nebraska Legislature provides for a grasshopper war. Road supervisors throughout the State are authorized to order out all the voters in their respective precincts to do twelve days' work each in killing grasshoppers, for which each of those home guards is to be paid two dollars per day in county warrants. Besides this, grasshopper war clubs are being generally formed throughout the State.

—Juan Manuel de Rosas, the ex-Dictator of the Argentine Confederation, who died recently in England, was very peculiar in his superintendence of the large farm which he rented near Southampton. His greatest happiness seemed to be to sit on his horse and give orders to those employed. His love of what may be termed despotic command was so great that no one was allowed to speak a word except by way of acknowledgment of commands or in answer to questions. Gen. Rosas always paid his farm attendants and laborers about one-third more than the current wages in the district, but he had the peculiarity of only engaging them day by day. Each man was paid daily, and told whether he would be required on the morrow or not. This singular feature of his character sprang from a determination never to be bound by any permanent engagement, but in the result the men found themselves generally in regular employment and very few changes were made. So strictly disciplinarian were his habits that each man's time was calculated hour by hour as he worked, and fully to carry this out, particularly in the summer months, he had always a night watchman specially employed, both winter and summer, to ring a large bell under his bedchamber window every half hour throughout the night.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1877.

Fast Day Proclamation.

Thursday, April 12th, is, by the advice of the Executive Council, designated as a day of fasting, humiliation and prayer.

Therefore I recommend that we, as a people, so observe it, both publicly and privately, as to indicate our belief in Him who ruleth over all. And I earnestly request that on the day thus set apart, we endeavor to withdraw our thoughts from the ordinary cares of this life, and fix them upon subjects that pertain to a higher and better life.

May we all humbly seek to be brought to a nearer personal relation with God, that thus we may love him more fervently, and be more inclined to a more vivid remembrance of our duty to others.

As we hope for the perpetuity of good government, free institutions, civil and religious liberty, in our own commonwealth, so we may be impelled to unite in prayer to Almighty God that all these blessings may be the inheritance of every sister State in our beloved Republic, and that each and all may recognize the Divine Hand that has always gently guided us in the hour of peril.

May we also, as citizens of a common country, hold in sacred remembrance our obligations to both State and Nation—to the end that our Union may be more perfect, and our bond none other than that of Fraternal Love. P. C. CHENEY.

Proclamation of Thanksgiving—I. O. O. F.

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Given under my hand at Peterborough, New Hamnshire, this Fifteenth day of March, A. D. 1877, and of our Order the Fifty-eighth.

JOEL TAYLOR, Grand Scribe. JOHN R. MILLER, Grand Patriarch.

News and Notes.

Wallace Ross and Elijah Ross, the former champion of the provinces and the latter a member of the Paris crew, have challenged any two men in the United States or the Dominion to row three or six miles for $1,000 or $2,000 gold in May or June on the Kennebecacis or at Halifax.

The British government has intimated its desire to negotiate an extradition treaty with the United States, which will not conflict with provisions of the act of Parliament of 1870, under which E. D. Winslow found immunity, but which will secure political fugitives from being surrendered. The crimes for which it is proposed that fugitives can be arrested and extradited are those named in the extradition treaty recently negotiated with Spain by General Cushing.

The salary bill of the New York city government makes an enormous total. It foots up an aggregate of $11,337,247. The total of individuals employed is 5509 against 5383 last year. Of this number 2344 are in the police department, the pay roll of which amounts to $5,119,018—sixteen hundred thousand dollars more than is paid for teacher's salaries. There are 155 persons who draw salaries amounting to $741,700.

On the evening of March 27th, at Topeka, Kansas, a shooting affray occurred between J. Clark Swase, editor of the *Blade*, and John W. Wilson of the *Times*; Swase was killed, and Wilson received only a slight flesh wound. Wilson was arrested.

A despatch from Paris says that the Commissioner-General of Switzerland at the late Centennial exhibition at Philadelphia, in his report to the Federal Council, states that the decline in Swiss exports to America is not due to the commercial crisis there, but to the development of native industry, and that Switzerland will never regain her own level. England also is competing more actively with Switzerland to compensate for the loss in other markets. Cotton fabrics are likely to cross the Atlantic to Europe in increasing quantities, for water-power is cheaper than coal. Short hours and high wages have disappeared, and Americans, it may be foreseen, will compete with Europe, even in China and Japan. Switzerland must also be prepared for warmer rivalry in silks; watches and machines, England being likely to try to make up on the Continent for the decline in her machine exports to America.

The York Institute of Saco has been presented with a likeness, of large size, of the late Commander Weld Noble Allen of the United States Navy. Commander Allen was a native of York county and son of the late Judge Wm. C. Allen of Alfred. He greatly distinguished himself during the late war as a brave and chivalrous officer, and it is highly proper that his likeness be placed on the walls of the rooms of the Institute alongside of other former well-known citizens of that county.

Next Friday, John P. Phair, now under sentence of death for the murder of Mrs. Anna Freeze at Rutland, Vt., in June, 1874, will expiate the penalty of his crime upon the gallows. The almost universal expression of opinion throughout the State is that if ever a man was guilty of murder Phair is guilty of the crime for which he is to be executed.

Mrs. Hayes, it appears, does not dress expensively enough to please the fashionable ladies of Washington. She receives them attired in a plain black silk gown, with her hair simply dressed and wearing no jewelry, and they don't like it.

Word comes to us from Paris of a recent contrivance of the modistes, by which the long trains and *collant* dresses are to be retained in position. A strong elastic is attached to one garter, just above the knee, carried over, and fastened to the other; thus the length of the steps taken by the wearer is regulated, and the classical folds of the costume remain undisturbed.—*Demorest's Monthly.*

The loss by the breaking away of the Staffordville dam is estimated at $500,000. Two men, Richard Spending and William Burwell, are supposed to be lost. The dam was on the head-waters of the Willimantic river, and the amount of land flowed was about 400 acres. The dam has been standing for some years, but was only fourteen feet high until last autumn, when the owners added six feet to its height, the work being done by Jordan & Sons of Willimantic. The residents of the valley have never liked the change, and it is said the owners had doubts of the safety of the work, for they have never, since it was finished, allowed the reservoir to fill to its full height. They put in an immense cast iron waste pipe, four feet in diameter, to carry off the surplus, and the filling of the reservoir by the recent storm was owing to the heavy fall of rain, and not because of any intention of the owners to fill the reservoir. At the first test the dam went to pieces, as had been prophesied by those who said it was made of frozen gravel and built too hastily. The leak was discovered on Monday. The workmen were busy all day and night filling in about the waste pipe. Their efforts were useless. At half past five o'clock next morning the work was abandoned. The water then gained so rapidly that in a few moments the pipe was shot out of its place. The dam opened and the flood started.

New Hampshire Items.

On Tuesday Barney Murphy of Concord was bound over in the sum of $3000 for appearance at the Supreme Court for an aggravated assault upon Edward T. Wight of Contoocookville. The alleged assault occurred in Concord, Jan. 26.

The Supreme Court for Strafford county, Foster, Justice, commenced its adjourned session Tuesday morning, proceeding with the trial of Michael Conlen for liquor selling. The Court stated to the Bar that it would sit in session until the criminal and civil dockets were exhausted, if it took all the spring and summer.

Guy Kimball of Dalton, a township about seven miles from Littleton, aged 65, went home Tuesday night, the 27th, drunk, quarrelled with his wife and beat her brains out with a stick of wood. Kimball is a quarrelsome, drunken wretch, and has repeatedly abused his wife. The deceased was an inoffensive woman about 45 years old. The murderer is under arrest. Kimball went to Littleton on Tuesday for liquor for a lame son with a broken arm. He arrived home about four o'clock in the evening, drunk. About 9 or 10 o'clock he ordered his wife to make a cup of tea. She refused. He then knocked her down and jumped upon her, and ordered the lame son to bed. The son heard noises until about 11 o'clock. About 12 o'clock another son arrived from Dalton and found his mother dead on the floor. He took her body and laid it on the bed. Kimball confessed having murdered her. The son went for help, which soon arrived. Her body is a mass of bruises and wounds from the waist up, her head and arms being horribly mangled. Kimball admits the murder.

Political.

A delegation of democrats from Richmond, Va., who went to Washington to urge the President not to recommission Miss Van Lew as postmaster of Richmond were very much disconcerted when they obtained an audience with the President, and he asked whether Miss Van Lew had not made an efficient officer. They were forced to admit that such was the case, and that Miss Van Lew's removal was desired solely upon the ground that she insulted the people of Richmond by boldly proclaiming her political views. The President bowed the delegation out.

In the contested election case at San Francisco, of Pacheco (republican) and Wigginton (democrat), candidates for Congress in the Fourth District, the Supreme Court overruled Wigginton's demurrer to Pacheco's application for a writ of mandamus, commanding the Secretary of State to issue a certificate to Pacheco.

An impartial President, according to the democratic conception, is one who, in regard to the Southern question and every other question, does exactly what democrats demand of him, does it precisely in the method prescribed by democrats, and at just the moment when democrats decree that it shall be done.

—An Allenton (Pa.,) woman found a pocket book and $60 some twenty years ago, but, though she knew its owner, kept it. Her husband grew rich, the loser became poor, and the woman finding his family in actual want lately restored the $60. Now the man has to send receive the interest for twenty years. That's all the gratitude there is in some people.

The First District.

A subscriber writes us from a town in the first congressional district as follows: "The *Mirror* article on the late campaign in this district was timely and altogether just. There never was such open and shameless bribery in any country as was practiced by Jones and his agents in this district. But all that would have been insufficient to have secured for him the bare plurality of votes which he got if it had not been supplemented by the false and fraudulent ballots which were circulated all over the district. * * * * But the most treacherous Hessian to be found in this district or anywhere is Caleb Moulton, of Hampstead. This Moulton was a member of the Republican Congressional Convention at Dover, and, as he said at the time, voted for Gen. Marston, and afterward when some one questioned it, called a man who saw him vote to prove it. I have now in my possession a letter sent me by this same Caleb Moulton, together with some ballots with his (Moulton's) name inserted as a candidate for representative to Congress, which reads as follows:

"HAMPSTEAD, N. H., March 7, 1877.

Enclosed please find a few votes, put them where they will do the most good. I suppose this may annoy some of our enemies and that is what we would like to do. I should like to have a few carried in your town. Will see you and explain.

Yours truly,
(Signed) CALEB MOULTON."

We publish the above communication because it is due to the honest and true republicans of the first district that the disgrace which the election of Frank Jones has brought upon the district should be placed where it belongs, upon the Hessians who, like this Caleb Moulton, after taking a part in the republican convention were afterward induced in some way best known by Mr. Jones and themselves, to sell out the party and to resort to the dirty and contemptible trick of peddling bogus votes to do it. The men who were bought to vote for Jones direct have an honorable record compared with these fellows.—*Manchester Mirror.*

—Blue socks with white heels and toes, and embroidered with white silk, are considered very fashionable for gentlemen.

—The mighty are indeed fallen when the ex-President cannot smoke his cigar wherever he pleases. Yet Mrs. Fish, at whose house he is stopping, will allow no smoking in-doors, and Gen. Grant has to take a walk when desirous of enjoying his weed. Mrs. Fish says that Mr. Fish would never think of such a thing as smoking in-doors; it damages the lace curtains and gives the house an unaired odor.

—"Mary, you are very naughty this morning," said a kind old lady to a little girl whom she had taken under her care, "but you must learn your lesson. I will leave you for a short time, and when I come back I hope to find you a good girl." Mary was left in tears, and in a very ill humor, but on the old lady's return, the tears had given place to smiles, and Mary, running up to her aunt, exclaimed in great glee, "Dear aunt, kiss me! for Mary will never be naughty again; Mary has burned that nasty book which made her so naughty this morning."

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(Organist at Middle Street Baptist Church,)

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity, that he is prepared to rec ive Pupils on the Piano Forte and Organ. Having secured a Henry F Miller Pedal Piano, with Pedal bass constructed precisely it e that of Pipe Organs, rare facilities are offered those who wish to learn Organ playing. Terms $1 for twenty-four lessons of one hour each.

Mr. Cole refers by permission to Dr. E. Tourjee Director of the N. E. Conservatory of Music; Prof. J. W. Tufts, Organist and Director of Music at King's Chapel, and C. H. Morse, Prof. of Music at Wesleyan Female College.

Orders left at his residence, No. 97 State Street, or at D. H. Montgomery's Music Store, will receive prompt attention.

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ROOM PAPERS ARE SELLING AT

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WHO MENDS CANE-SEAT CHAIRS

HAS REMOVED his place of business to the rooms over Mr. Jos. Pettigrew's store, corner of Congress and High streets, and solicits a continuance of patronage from those who have chairs needing re-seating.

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A Beautiful Variety of

NEW DESIGNS

For SUNDAY SCHOOL GIFTS and friendly tokens.

ALSO,

Prang's Crosses and Bouquets

FOR EASTER.

Just Received by

JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Poll and Estate, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory to their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH S. NORN,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAYERS,
ROBERT KING,
JAMES A. RUGG,
CHARLES H. MENDUM,

Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.
Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

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INSURANCE AGENCY.

Established 1851.

JOHN SISE,

NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE.

is authorized Agent and Attorney for the following reasonable Companies:

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HARTFORD, CONN.,.....Assets $7,000,000.

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NEW YORK,.....Assets $6,000,000.

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PHILADELPHIA,.....Assets $3,300,000.

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Business men and owners of Property desiring every security by insurance against loss and damages by fire, will find it for their interest to place their risks in the above companies, some of which have been represented in this vicinity for nearly fifty years.

All losses will be promptly adjusted and paid by the undersigned.

JOHN SISE,
INSURANCE AGENT,
OFFICE NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

— OF —

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

— AT —

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Having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

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a prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

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HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

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Constantly on hand, consisting of

SHIRTS,
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BOSOMS,
COLLARS,
DRAWERS,
SUSPENDERS,
LINEN GOODS,
HANDKERCHIEFS

Of Every Description.

SICK HEADACHE.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.

I have suffered with Sick Head-Ache as often as every two weeks, *for Fifteen Years.* At times in such severe pain I *faint,* I *weep.* I tried every thing I could hear of and was attended by Physicians. I continued in this condition until last December when I commenced with the Little Giant Pills. I have not had a Head-Ache since. I want every person who suffers as I have, to try this Medicine and be cured, and if any such are not able to pay for a box, I will buy a box and give them.

MRS. CARRIE A. HODGDON, 7 Dennett St.

☞ SOLD BY ALL THE DRUGGISTS.

Trade Mark on Square Boxes.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and will be disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,
CLARENCE B. MASON.

Dissolution of Copartnership.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

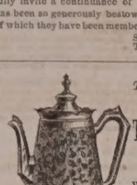
C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street**, and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.



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GRANITE IRON

Tea and Coffee POTS,

With Mountings of WHITE METAL and NICKEL PLATE.

The best and latest invention in this line.

FOR SALE BY

JOHN P. SWEETSER,

Dealer in HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, 46 Market St

HEALTH FOOD CO.

A SMALL LOT OF

Cold Blast Whole Wheat Flour,
Pearled Wheat,
Granulated Wheat (coarse),
" " (fine),
Pearled Oats,
White Wheat Gluten,
Granulated Barley.

Just received and for sale by

Butler & Laighton,

1 MARKET SQUARE.

DATES DATES DATES

1300 Pounds New Dates,

SELLING CHEAP AT

BUTLER & LAIGHTON'S.

SMALL SUGAR-CURED HAMS.

FERRIS & CO'S SUGAR-CURED HAMS,

WEIGHING FROM 8 TO 12 LBS.,

For Sale By

BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

Lost.

ON Wednesday evening, March 7th, between Austin and State streets, a PURSE containing a sum of money. On leaving the same at this office the finder will be rewarded.

IRON AND STEEL.

CARRIAGE AND TIRE BOLTS.

Heavy & Building Hardware.

HORSE-SHOE NAILS.

All Kinds of Painters' Supplies.

SHIP CHANDLERY.

OILS AND VARNISHES.

RIDER & COTTON,

69 MARKET STREET, ... Portsmouth, N. H.

PUBLIC INVITATION.

The pleasure of your company is requested at

No. 1 Congress Block,

To examine the full line of

ROOM PAPERS,
BORDERS, CURTAINS,
CURTAIN FIXTURES,
TASSELS, CORD,

Which I have just received and marked at prices unrivalled in this city since before the war.

JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

SEASON OF 1877.

NEW SMOKED HALIBUT!

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

A Rare Chance.

FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and plot of land, suitable for a SUMMER RESORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attics, and on the place is a good BARN and fine water; everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view; the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times, and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.

Enquire of
JOSEPH L. MARDEN,
M13d&swim Kittery Point, Me.
Or, WILLIAM DOWNS & SON, Portsmouth.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

—A FEW MORE OF THOSE

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

William P. Walker's,

193 No. 8 Market Square.

Carriage Material

AND

BLACKSMITHS' SUPPLIES.

I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Seats, Seat Risers, Sleigh Dashers, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

G. J. GREENLEAF,

Rear Post Office . . . . . Portsmouth, N. H.

PULMOCINE.

Real Estate.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 20 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to
March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 68 ISLINGTON STREET.
Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

House to Let.

A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Islington South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
House No. 56 Deer Street.
Brick House No. 56 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 9 Rockingham Street.
Apply to
A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.
FRANK W. MILLER.

CHILDREN'S

CARRIAGES,

GAS FIXTURES,

Etc., Etc., Etc.

Call and see the New Styles at

Greatly Reduced Prices!

John P. Sweetser,

46 MARKET ST., PORTSMOUTH

SPRING AND SUMMER

FASHIONS

"What to Wear,"
Demorest's "Quarterly,"
Demorest's "Portfolio,"
Leslie's "Ladies' Magazine,"
Petersons "Ladies' Magazine,"
Harper's Bazar—weekly

RECEIVED THIS DAY AT

JOSEPH H. FOSTER'S,

1 CONGRESS BLOCK.....Portsmouth, N. H.

A FRESH LOT of WHEAT MEAL

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, WHEAT GROATS, AND OATMEAL

Just received and for sale by

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from all Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

—APPLY TO—

JOSEPH S. GRANT

2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

F. A. FERRIS & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

— AND —

SMALL PIG HAMS.

GOSHEN PINE APPLE

— AND —

DUTCH CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

Charles E. Laighton & Son

EXCHANGE BUILDINGS.

1877's MAPLE SUGAR

ALSO NEW DATES.

FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID;
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, to Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—*the first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the at all.

BLUE ARMY BLOUSES.

WE have just received a few more of those BLUE ARMY BLOUSES, which have been in such demand for the last several months.

C. E. MYERS & CO.,
No. 3 BOW STREET.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	6.00, 10.45 A. M.,	4.45, 6.50 P. M
" Way,	10.45 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.50 "
Saco (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.50 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.30 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

On Wednesday, before Judge Batchelder, Daniel Hurley was shown to have been drunk; fine and costs, $9.90.

John Lee, for drunkenness, fine and costs, $9.90; for brawl and tumult, thirty days in jail, costs $8.04.

William Quinn 3d, same charges as those against Lee, and same penalties. Lee and Quinn were drunk together, and had a barroom fight with each other.

A CARD.

The last Mothers' Tea Party for the season will be given at Faith Home next Monday evening. Much good has been accomplished through these monthly gatherings of the mothers from families not able these hard times to have but few of the blessings of life and society. We invite friends to send food for the tables. After tea a service will be held in the chapel especially prepared for the occasion. Friends are invited to come in and help in this noble work. Tea on the table at 6:30. Service at 7:30.

WILLIAM A. LOYNE, Missionary.

SUPREME COURT.

A decree of divorce has been granted to Clarinda B. Russell of Candia against Chas. E. Russell. Call for libellant.

The jury were excused Wednesday forenoon until Thursday at nine o'clock, at which time the case of William B. Blake vs. Concord Railroad will commence, and probably last two days. At the conclusion of this case the case of A. F. Craig vs. Henry F. Gerrish (dog case) will come up. Frink for prosecution; Rollins for defendant.

JOTTINGS.

Caleb Moulton, of Hampstead, has been removed from the office of Deputy Sheriff of Rockingham County.

Dr. N. J. Osorio, who some time since took his family to Cuba on account of his wife's failing health, and has recently returned to practice in this city, we are informed was ordered to leave Cuba by the authorities within two weeks of his arrival. Dr. Osorio is a native Cuban but a citizen of the United States, and American citizens are not popular just now with the Spanish rulers of Cuba.

The tides were unusually high on Wednesday, and many of the wharves were overflowed.

Sheriff Kent has done a good many commendable acts in his day, and one of the best things he ever did was to remove from the office of Deputy Sheriff of Rockingham County one Caleb Moulton of Hampstead, a fellow who took part in the republican Congressional convention at Dover and voted for Gen. Marston's nomination, and then did all he could to elect Frank Jones by running for Congress himself on the prohibition ticket. If Moulton was bought by Frank Jones, as is asserted and is quite likely, the fact does not make his treachery any the less contemptible. Such bummers as he are not needed in positions of trust and responsibility.

Rev. I. F. Waterhouse, formerly of this city, was installed pastor of the Congregational church in Belmont, Mass., on Wednesday. Rev. E. L. Huntress, of Derry, in this State, is invited to supply the pulpit at Wallingford, Vermont, for a year.

Swindling the Farmers.

The Biddeford *Journal* publishes an elaborate account of a very ingenious swindle which has been practiced upon many New England and New York farmers, as follows:

Mr. C. B. Mahan, the plausible agent of the Granite Agricultural works, of Lebanon, New Hampshire, finds on his travels a man of means who wants a mowing machine and offers him three or four mowers, plows, cultivators, horse rakes, hay tedders, etc., at a liberal discount, and makes him agent for his town. When the trade is completed, Mahan takes a note of his new made agent, for which he gives him a contract stipulating that the farmer has bought of the Granite Agricultural Works certain articles, which he is to have for a certain time to sell; then if the goods are not sold the company will take them off his hands, and pay him the same price at which they are billed to him, with all the money paid out for freight charges. If the goods are sold before the note matures, then the note is to be void, as if this contract had not been given. But it forgets to add that the company will secure the payee against paying his note in case the goods are not sold. The contract and note together are such innocent-looking things that it is very easy to induce farmers to exchange their notes for the contracts. The goods are to be delivered in the future and no definite time is specified in the contract when they are to be delivered. In a short time the farmer finds he has given his negotiable promissory note without consideration, and when it becomes due he finds that it is in the hands of an innocent holder, who has paid its value for it, and he must pay it or stand a law suit. In many instances no goods are ever received. Here are the names of a few parties who have given this company their notes and have never had a dollar's worth of goods shipped to them. The men themselves may be referred to for proof of the assertion:

E. A. Fields,	Sidney Centre,	$422
James Doyle,	Lyndon,	510
James Clark,	Berwick,	410 37
C. M. Varney,	South Durham,	234 25
John C. Rogers,	Freeport,	290
D. O. Thurston,	Sedgwick,	300
E. E. Elwell,	Paines,	359
Alfre Cushman,	Sherman,	481
S. D. Butterfield,	Presque Isle,	372
Henry S. Black,	South Scarport,	382 50
H. Rose,	Brooks,	347
Barry Lyford,	South Atkinson,	273
Benjamin Rand,	Weld,	188 25
M. S. Hinckley,	Phillips,	422
D. M. Macomber,	East Wilton,	290 25
M. C. Hurd,	South Acton,	252 50
J. J Fuller,	Mechanic Falls,	254 25
George Burnham,	Head,	156
A. L. Wentworth,	South Montville,	410
J. R. Bradstreet,	Palmer Centre,	329 10
J. A. Warren,	Buckfield,	228 75
W. A. Goodwin,	Damascus,	230
Moses Stanley,	Kezar Falls,	223
George W Gerow,	Hodgdon,	462
Wm. H. Howard,	Lincoln,	150
J. E. Pryor,	Bridgewater,	309
J. T. Tallman,	Thomaston,	213
Warren Weston,	Bremen,	223
Albert K. Foster,	Canton,	347
Chas. M. Burdine,	Cambridge,	149
M. S. & C. E. Palmer,	Corinth,	247 25

Some of these notes have been paid, and some are in law, thus remaining a source of much trouble not only to the farmer who gave the note but to the merchant or banker who bought the note in good faith. The reason the trick has not been exposed before is that, when a farmer gets "beat," he naturally feels ashamed of it, and rather than have his townsmen know that he has been swindled, he keeps still about it.

Another class of victims have given their notes for similar amounts and have received only a part of the goods they ordered.

Still another class have gone to the factory and remained until their goods were all shipped. Some remained three weeks before they could get the goods for which they had previously given their notes.

Some received their machines lacking in some important point, without seat or seat spring, or without cutter bar or scythe. Over thirty of these machines were shipped to Norwood, N. Y., without cutter-bar or scythe. Some of the parties have got the missing parts by a journey to the works, and others still have their machines lacking the cutting apparatus.

It is estimated that $125,000 have been taken by this trick from Maine alone. There is not a town in York county without a victim. An indictment has been found against Mahan in York, but that worthy has gone West, in search of fresh fields and pastures new, and so is safe for the present.

A New Game.

A man came into a restaurant last night, and mounting a high stool leaned over the counter and ordered a porterhouse steak with eggs on the side, and some ale and oysters to begin on. In about half an hour he had finished his repast and was beginning to deliberate what kind of dessert he would wind up on, when a man walked in, and tapping him on the shoulder, remarked:

"Is your name Billy Hicks?"

"Yes, that's my name," said the man on the stool, as his hand stole down to his hip-pocket, fumbling for the handle of a barker; "what do you want?"

"We had a little trouble once before in White Pine, and now I guess I've got you dead to rights," continued the new comer, pulling out a large-sized six-shooter.

"If you'll just step into the street and pace off your distance, I'm your man," said the feeder, who had just finished his pie, and whipping out a revolver he sprang off his perch and rushed after the other into the street.

The frightened restaurant-man got down behind the counter and bent his ear to listen to the shots and the rush of the mob; but he didn't hear anything unusual, and in about five minutes he recollected that there was $2.50 owing on the meal. Then he went out on the sidewalk to investigate.

"Was there a row out here a few minutes ago?" he inquired of a star-gazer on the sidewalk.

"Didn't see any. I've been here for the last half hour or so."

"See two fellows with ulsters and revolvers come out?"

"Yes; they were talking about swappin' guns, and they're over across the way now, taking a drink."

The restaurant man went back to clear up the dirty dishes and reflect.—*Virginia (Nev.) Chronicle.*

—A looking-glass with a blue frame around it answers just as well as blue-glass windows. Ladies, preserve your health.

—General S. Berdan, of the United States, has been requested by the British Government to supply details upon the application and construction of his new range-finder. It can be placed in position and the distance taken in two minutes, and requires a single horse to transport it, while it is claimed that its use will double the effective fire of artillery and quadruple that of infantry, thus gaining efficiency and saving from one-half to two-thirds of the expense of troops.

—Circumstances have often hinted and many mariners believe that there are rocks in the Atlantic which have been thrown up by volcanic agency and are the frequent cause of ships disappearing. These rocks, it is asserted, have often been seen in the Atlantic by captains, officers, and all hands. Various British governments have sent out ships which have searched for them in vain, and, because those ships have failed to find what hundreds have seen with their own eyes, these dangers have been expunged from the charts. The position given by those who have seen them is, in most cases, obtained by dead reckoning, and therefore is only approximate; consequently it is a most difficult task for a vessel sent out on purpose to find them again. But judging from the number of vessels which each year set sail in good condition and, notwithstanding good weather, never came to port, these awful ledges are only too easily found by those who are not looking for them.

—A greased dog cannot run so fast as a boy in a cellar who hears his mother say she must go down and see if the cat is after her preserves.

—The custom of feasting at a funeral still prevails in Lehigh, Berks, Bucks and Northampton counties, Pennsylvania. When a rich farmer dies, preparations for the feast begin on a grand scale. Oxen are killed and the fatted calf is brought to the block, fowls are slaughtered by the hundred, and immense supplies of bread and pastry are provided. On the day of the funeral, banqueting goes on from dawn to nightfall. Sometimes as many as five hundred mourners attend a country funeral to eat the baked meats.

—A well-known member of the Scottish bar, when a youth, was somewhat sharp in his temper. He was once going to pay a visit in the country, and was making a great fuss in his preparations. His old aunt was much annoyed at all this bustle, and asked, contemptuously: "Whar's this you're gaun, Bobby, that ye mak sic a grand wark about yer claes?" The young man lost his temper, and pettishly replied: "I'm going to the devil." "Deed, Robby, then," was the quiet answer, "ye needna be sae nice; he'll just tak' ye as ye are."

—In a Nevada gambling-saloon two fellows got into a row, when one of the combatants pulled out an old-fashioned Allen pepper-box and commenced to shoot. That kind of a shooter is seldom accurate, and it happened that a bystander was hit by one of the bullets. The ball cut the skin over the eye and ranged around to the temple. With some impatience the wounded man worked the bullet out of the hole where it went in. Throwing it back at the man who was shooting, he said: "Hold that cussed gun up; you will put somebody's eye out, first you know."

Never Too Late to Mend.

Procrastination, with many, is the besetting sin. Business and health alike suffer. Everything is postponed until "to-morrow." The hacking cough and the torpid liver are unheeded and unaided until consumption, jaudice, or abscess of the liver, becomes established. With the old method of medication these maladies were incurable, but by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery an entire cure is speedily effected. Under this positive tonic and searching alterative, "it is never too late to mend." Thousands in this, and other countries, who have been given up to die by eminent physicians, have taken it as a last resort, and been healed.

NEWTON, Kansas, July 3d, 1876.

Dr. PIERCE:

Dear Sir—I suffered with Liver Complaint and was unable to work for four years. Three different physicians said that abscesses had formed, and that I could live but a few weeks. Through a friend's advice, I purchased a bottle of your Discovery. It helped me. I continued it for six months, at the end of which time I was completely cured, and have remained so ever since.

Gratefully yours,

DAVID THOMAS.

Deal Gently with the Stomach.

Do not rack it with violent purgatives, or permanently impair its tone with indigestible drugs of any kind; but, if your digestion is impaired, your liver out of order, your frame debilitated, or nervous system unstrung, use that wholesome and agreeable alterative and tonic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which will certainly afford you the desired relief. None of the officinal remedies can compare with it in restorative efficacy, and as a medicinal stimulant it is by far the most desirable as well as popular article of its class. Its basis, the essential principle of sound rye, is the best possible agent for invigorating the action of the botanic ingredients which it holds in solution, and those ingredients are the most efficacious which chemistry extracts from the vegetable kingdom, and medical science applies to the cure of disease.

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To the Hon. Judge of Probate

FOR THE COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM,
In the State of New Hampshire.

RESPECTFULLY shows SAMUEL C. PERKINS of Boston, Mass, that he is trustee under the will of Mary E. P. Emery, late of Newington in said County, ——do, testate, for the benefit of Lula Fisk-ring, a minor child of said testatrix, by the appointment of the Judge of Probate for the said County of Rockingham; that his said estate *pur trust* is seized of a certain farm and buildings situate in said Newington, one part of which is bounded northerly by land of T. Benton Hoyt and Darius Frink, easterly by land of Reuben L. Lane, southerly by the new road, and westerly by the road leading from Newington Meeting-house to Greenland; the other piece is bounded northerly by said new road; easterly by land of R. L. Lane, southerly by land of the heirs of Abigail Stevenson now in the occupation of Ephraim Pickering, and westerly by said road to Greenland. The whole containing about seventy acres, more or less. That in his opinion it would be for the interest of said estate *pur trust* that the same should be sold and the proceeds of sale made invested in some safe manner as will be most for the interest of said estate *pur trust* and as your Honor shall order. Wherefore he prays that he may be authorized to sell such trust estate and invest the proceeds of such sale according to the statute in such case made and provided.

SAMUEL C. PERKINS, Trustee.

By his Attorney, WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, ss.

Probate Court at Portsmouth in said County, March 26, A. D. 1877.

Upon the foregoing Petition, it is *Ordered*, that a hearing be had thereon at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth in said County, on the Second Tuesday of May next, and that the Petitioner notify all persons concerned to appear at said Court, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, by causing said petition and this order to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Morning Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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Meerschaum pipes are of ancient use in Germany, where many huge bowls of this material are prized as heirlooms, and have been handed down from father to son for generations. These very old pipes were made, it is supposed, by turners in wood or ivory, for it is not till early in this century that the first regular factory for their production was established in Vienna. That city is now the great market of the world for meerschaum goods, and it is said that at least three thousand persons are supported there by their manufacture. The Vienna pipes are made in such immense quantities however, that most of them are not of the best quality, and the finest pipes produced in Europe are made in Paris and Berlin.

The clay called meerschaum (in German sea-foam) received its name, probably, on account of its snowy whiteness and its remarkably light weight. It is composed of magnesia and silica, and is found in various parts of the world, but chiefly at Kittish, Bursa and Eski-Hissar, in the district of Natolia, Asia Minor. It is mined there very extensively, but its transportation to a commercial port on the backs of camels is slow and costly. Its cost is also increased by the fact that many of the mines are in alluvial beds, which are so wet at some seasons of the year that they cannot be worked. When the clay is taken from the mine in a soft condition it is cleaned of a yellow mould which adheres to it, and smoothed with certain unctuous leaves which grow in the neighborhood.

The meerschaum is sold by quality and measure, and is always packed with great closeness and nicety in cases which are three feet long, one foot deep and twenty inches broad. There are ten distinct qualities of the clay, and the price of a case varies from $75 to $500.

In order to examine the process of working the meerschaum, a visit was made to the establishment of F. J. Kaldenberg, No. 117 Fulton street, which is the most extensive factory of the kind in this country. About seventy-five persons are employed here, but a part are engaged in ivory-turning and the manufacture of amber jewelry. At least forty persons are employed, however, solely in connection with the manufacture and sale of meerschaum goods. The workmen are chiefly Germans, but such as have learned their trade in Europe, it is said, have to undergo a long training here before they can be trusted with the finest work.

After the irregular blocks of meerschaum have been taken from the packing cases, they are first cut by band saws into pieces of the size required. The piece is then dampened with water, to render it soft, and fashioned by hand labor into the form of a pipe or cigar-holder. It is next baked in an oven until dry, after which it is carefully smoothed with sandpaper and shave grass. This shave grass—a species of rush with a file-like surface—is used in large quantities, and was formally imported from Germany at a cost of a dollar a pound. It is now obtained from Connecticut.

The whole process of cutting and shaping meerschaum is similar to turning and carving in wood or ivory. All of the machinery and most of the tools used are common to the different trades, and for this reason work in ivory is often united with the manufacture of pipes.

After a meerschaum article has reached the stage last mentioned, it is ready for the important process of boiling in a preparation of wax. But for this part of its manufacture it could not be colored by the smoker. Being the most porous of all kinds of clay, meerschaum readily absorbs the oil of tobacco, which would pass through and evaporate if the pipe were left in its raw condition. When boiled in wax the meerschaum partly absorbs this, also, and a thin coating of wax, susceptible of a high polish, is left on its surface. As the pipe is smoked, the oil of tobacco absorbed in the clay is retained under the wax, and the meerschaum grows darker in proportion to the amount of tobacco consumed. Old pipes are boiled, to restore their absorbing qualities after the clay has been burned by overheating.

The pipe-bowl or cigar-holder having been boiled, it receives the finishing touches from the workman. When much carving is done this finishing process is very elaborate, including much of the most delicate work. The fine cutting tools used are various in design, according to the preference of the workman, or rather artist, who performs this part of the task. The stem or mouthpiece is next fitted, and the case for the article is made of wood, covered with leather, and lined with silk or velvet. A case has to be made expressly for each pipe or holder, as, out of a great number of articles, designed to be of the same size and pattern, no two are ever found precisely alike. The meerschaum being liable to be soiled in some degree by the workman who makes the case, the operation of polishing it is deferred to the last. This is done with a soft cloth and silicate of lime.

The pipe-stems used are of amber, joining the meerschaum, and of cherry or other

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The best meerschaum is neither the heaviest nor the very lightest obtained, and is distinguished chiefly by the fineness of its grain. Only this quality is used for delicate carving. Of plain pipes, while there are many varieties in size, there are only six standard shapes; but of carved pipes the patterns are almost infinite, and on some specimens a vast amount of artistic labor is expended, making them objects of beauty to the most rigid abstainers from tobacco. The price of plain pipes ranges at present, according to quality and size, from $1 to $15, a really fine one being obtainable for $10. The cost of carved pipes varies from $10 to $100, it being very seldom that a buyer is willing to give more than the latter sum. Mr. Kaldenberg has made pipes for sale, however, the price of which was $250, and these figures have been greatly exceeded in those made for exhibition. In all high-priced pipes the chief element in cost is the workmanship. Mounting with gold, silver, etc., or inscribing with monograms, is only done to order. In the ordinary course of trade carved pipes are sold in about the proportion of one to every twenty plain.

A pipe was exhibited by Mr. Kaldenberg at the Paris exhibition which is valued at $2000. The pipe itself is eleven inches in length, and the amber mouthpiece eight inches. The meerschaum is beautifully carved with figures four inches in height, representing the first meeting of Macbeth with the weird sisters, and the cover of the bowl is surmounted by a figure of Shakespeare.

The same maker has two large companion pipes, designed for the Centennial Exhibition, which are valued at $500 each. The bowl of one is cunningly fashioned as the head of Mephistopheles, while the other represents the head of a bacchante. The massive stems are precisely alike, each being of amber, forty inches in length, and composed of three hundred pieces. All the ornamentation of the amber, which is cut in relief, was produced by the use of the file and lathe. Many bits of the clear, polished amber are inlaid in the groundwork of the clouded kind, where they have the appearance of jewels.

Another remarkable piece of work which was exhibited by this maker at Philadelphia is an amber cigar-holder, said to be the longest in the world. It was made from a single piece, and is a slender tube, ending in a small bowl, the whole being sixteen and a half inches in length. The operation of drilling so long a stem, made of so brittle a material, required workmanship of great skill and delicacy. The price named for this holder is $250.

The enhanced cost of cigars, while increasing the sales of pipes, as already noted, has, of course, caused a corresponding decrease in the sale of cigar-holders. On the other hand it has created a demand for something which before was scarcely used. But a few years ago it was unusual to see a cigarette smoked, except by a foreigner. Now the consumption of cigarettes in this country is enormous, and a result of their popularity is the extensive manufacture of little meerschaum tubes in which to hold them. In Mr. Kaldenberg's factory at least six gross of these tiny holders are made daily, a large number having been contracted for by the cigarette manufacturers.

The price of cigarette tubes varies from 25 cents to $5, and the ordinary price of cigar-holders from 50 cents to $10. In some instances, where the holders are adorned with elaborate carving, the cost is as high as $40 or $50.—*N. Y. Eve. Post.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1877.

Another Mare's Nest.

For some weeks past the democratic press has teemed with mysterious hints and open assertions of a "compact" entered into by certain friends of Mr. Hayes (his acquiescence in the "bargain" being assumed) and the southern democrats, during the count of the Electoral Vote, by the terms of which Mr. Hayes was bound to remove the troops from Louisiana and South Carolina as soon as he became President, in return for which the democrats from the South would oppose filibustering. As the talk of the democratic editors was becoming drearily monotonous, one of the friends of Governor Hayes alluded to, Hon. Stanley Matthews, at last published a card calling upon anybody who had any such "compact" as was referred to and signed by him, to give it to the world; and after some "hum-ing and ha-ing" by the democrats, the following letter from Messrs. Matthews and Foster to Senator Gordon and John Young Brown is given to the press:

"*Gentlemen*—Referring to the conversation had with you yesterday, in which Gov. Hayes' policy as to the status of certain Southern States was discussed, we desire to say that we can assure you, in the strongest possible manner, of our great desire to have him adopt such a policy as will give to the people of the States of South Carolina and Louisiana the right to conduct their own affairs in their own way, subject only to the Constitution of the United States and the laws made in pursuance thereof; and to say further, that from an acquaintance with and knowledge of Gov. Hayes and his views, we have the most complete confidence that such will be the policy of his Administration."

And that was the "sacred compact" entered into by President Hayes, for not carrying out which (in accordance with democratic plans) the President has been accused of duplicity and dishonesty. Two gentlemen express their "great desire" that a certain line of conduct be adopted, and their "complete confidence" that it will be; and that is all there is of the matter. The President knew nothing of it. Both sides say so, and Senator Gordon, the only democrat who was a party to this "treaty," makes this declaration in the most emphatic terms. Wade Hampton, one of the two persons principally interested, says he knew nothing of it, and he is indignant at the suggestion the President had any knowledge of it. So much for the authority under which those gentlemen acted. What did they do? They simply set forth their belief that Mr. Hayes would not uphold State Governments by the use of troops. This was what Mr. Hayes meant, if he meant anything, in his letter of acceptance, and just what he said in his inaugural speech so that forty millions of people might hear. And his entire action since goes to show that he meant just what he said; but he has failed to ask the Washington correspondents of the New York *World* and Boston *Post* for advice, which is just where he has failed in doing his duty.

News and Notes.

Thomas P. Somerville, the New York lawyer who was arrested a day or two ago for being an accessory to the passing of $250,000 of stolen bonds, which proved to have been bonds stolen from the Ocean Bank of Windsor, Vt., in 1869, was the attorney for Miles, the Barre Bank robber, and the same man who was implicated in the Washington safe burglary matter. It is well known that Miles, who is now in Windsor Prison for fourteen years, was the principal in the Ocean Bank robbery.

During a difficulty at Dublin, Va., a few days since, R. L. Scott fatally wounded a young man named Page, and then blew off the head of Page's father while defending himself from the knives and clubs of the Pages.

The total pecuniary loss by the flood from the Staffordville reservoir is now put down at $350,000. Three lives were lost.

That our present jury system, especially as administered in the large cities, often fails to punish crime, there can be no doubt. The system originated at a time when the arbitrary power of judges and kings was something that an honest man had abundant reason to fear. Now the tables are turned, and the great danger is, not that innocent men will be punished, but that the guilty will go unwhipped of justice. And in these days, even with a jury of integrity and intelligence, it is beginning to be a question in the minds of many whether the "holding out" of one or two jurymen ought to nullify a verdict. Another most serious difficulty lies in the fact that multitudes of names go into the jury-box which have no business there. The voting-list is taken as a basis, and unless some alderman makes objection to a name, it goes in. If unanimity is required of a jury, it would seem but reasonable, in order to secure men of the best judgment and the highest integrity, that no name should go into the box except on the unanimous vote of the board *by ballot*. Were such a system adopted, a high-toned jury list might be secured. That a change of some kind is demanded in the interests of justice, there can be no doubt.—*Congregationalist.*

Schooner Anna C. Platt, of Thomaston, with salt, from Bonaire for Providence, was caught in a storm March 26th and went ashore six miles east of Shinnecock. The life-saving boat rescued the crew with the exception of Edward Howell, who was washed overboard and drowned.

Capt. William Pearce of schooner Ayres of Gloucester, Mass., when near Plum Gut Island, March 27th, saw a boat containing four men signalling for assistance. Captain Phillips, one of the party, said that he left New York in his schooner on Monday, for Shelter Island, with a cargo of coal, was overtaken by storm, and driven upon the shoals at Plum Island. Part of the cargo was thrown overboard, but she continued to sink, and was abandoned. In taking to the boat James Harris and John Stevens were washed overboard and drowned.

The belles of Washington society are just now in a flutter of expectation over the approaching wedding of Miss Lizzie Porter, eldest daughter of Admiral Porter, to Lieutenant Logan, U. S. N., which is to take place on the 10th of May, at the Church of the Epiphany. Everything is to be in the grandest style—twelve bridesmaids, ushers innumerable, white tulle, satin, pearls, and point lace in profusion.

Before pardoning convicts Governor Cullum, of Illinois, publishes all applications for pardon, with the names of the signers. It has a decidedly cooling effect on the habitual signer of everybody's petition.

The Maine Central Railroad earned in 1876 $1,726,500, and its working expenses were $1,042,000; net earnings, $684,500; leaving a balance of $33,000 above interest and rents. In 1875 the balance was $20,359. While the gross receipts of 1876 fell short of those of 1875 by $35,285, the working expenses were cut down $109,066, leaving the net earnings of the road larger by $49,781 than they were in 1875.

Thomas Welch, of Cambridge, Mass., was bitten by a dog about last Christmas, and on Wednesday was dying of hydrophobia. Four policemen were required to hold him in bed during the paroxysms Tuesday night.

The barque Iiva, of Dundee, Scotland, was discovered between Cadiz and Montevideo with a signal of distress flying. Upon boarding her it was found that the captain, named Clark, had become insane from drink the day before, had shot and killed a boy, fired upon the mate and crew, and when an attempt was made to secure him, he had jumped overboard and been drowned.

They are unearthing brick foundations at Newbern, N. C. The masonry is about six feet from the surface. How they came there is a mystery.

Wade Hampton arrived in Washington on Thursday. His first act was to send to the President a note positively disclaiming having made any such bullying, insolent speeches as the Associated Press reports have credited to him.

Solon Woolley of Grafton, Vt., was on Thursday found guilty of murder in the second degree for killing his brother Frank in October, 1876.

That 'Frisco Romance, Concluded.

The romantic story of pretty Jennie Burdick of San Francisco and gallant Lieut. Georges de Kalands of the Russian navy has already been recounted in this paper—how they loved, how they planned an elopement, how her father with a shotgun scared off the sailor, how the maiden ran away in her stocking-feet and hired a boatman and went to a boarding-house, where she was captured by the detectives the next morning and taken home. But she had set her heart on marrying her lover, and married him she has. A second elopement was planned for Sunday, March 18. She paid a visit to a young lady whose father was a boatman. Soon after midnight the boatman took his daughter and her friend in a boat across the water to a yacht, and then they all set sail for Vallejo. The wind died away, and off Angel Island they abandoned the yacht for a small boat. Owing to a dense fog they lost their way, and it was not until after two o'clock in the afternoon that they arrived at Vallejo. Jennie went at once to her friend's house and signaled to the Russian corvette Vsadnick. A moment after, the lieutenant had crossed the waters and was holding her in his arms. They obtained a license and were married by a justice of the peace. Mrs. de Kalands immediately telegraphed to her father, stating that she was married and happy.

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City of Portsmouth.

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And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their estates, and making oath to the same, will have a legal claim for a statement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH S. ABORN,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAYERS,
ROBERT KING,
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Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

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C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	6.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45,	6.30 P. M
Portland Way,	10.40 "	4.45	"
Portland	3.45 "	6.45,	6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	3.45 "	6.30	"
Middleboro, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	3.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	3.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way.		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 3.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
Boston Way,		10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.30 "

*Sundry for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

SUPREME COURT.

On Wednesday, in case Whalley vs. Whalley, action for divorce, the divorce asked was not granted.

On Thursday the case William B. Blake of Raymond vs. Concord Railroad, an action to recover for use of land owned by plaintiff and used by the railroad for storage of wood, was commenced. Nearly the entire panel of twenty-seven jurors was exhausted before a jury was selected, as follows:

John F. Shepard, (foreman,) William M. Johnson, William Alton, Adams Perry, Jr., John Hodgdon, Alva D. Prescott, Isaiah Hilton, Richard P. Hoyt, John L. Moulton, Enoch H. Nichols, Benjamin F. Wakefield, Benjamin T. Amazeen.

After being empanelled the jury proceeded to Raymond by special train to view the premises, arriving back at about three o'clock. The case is expected to occupy the rest of the week.

JOTTINGS.

Good Friday to-day.

A boat, minus an occupant but containing a gun and powder and shot flasks, was picked up near Frost's Point Wednesday morning, and carried into Little Harbor.

The equinoctial storm—for we suppose it will pass for that—is likely to prove a serious affair for the market fishermen. They generally draw and set their trawls on one trip, and on Friday and Saturday, March 23d and 24th, there were over two hundred trawls set belonging to the fishermen out of this port, which the heavy weather since has prevented them from drawing. Nearly all the trawls set in shore, or in shoal water off shore, will be lost, as the sea rolls them up into an inextricable tangle even if it does not carry them adrift entirely; this will be a serious loss, besides the loss of time and a good market, for fresh fish is now bringing a high price owing to its scarcity.

The commissioned officers of the military companies of this city have been officially invited to join other officers of the State militia in a conference at the State House in Concord next Tuesday on matters relating to the interests of that branch of the public service. The session is expected to be very important.

One of the High School boys who had a good overcoat Thursday morning hasn't got it now. He was indulging in the surreptitious cigar, and on the teacher's approach concealed it in his coat pocket; then he hung the coat up in the vestibule; then there was a smell of burning wool, with much smoke, the cause was hastily sought out and cast out, and now that boy has no overcoat.

Chester Pike has been appointed Revenue Gauger for the First District of New Hampshire.

New Hampshire Items.

Puriaton & Ham, of Dover, manufacturers of hats and caps, suspended Thursday morning. Liabilities unknown.

At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Cocheco Manufacturing Company at Dover on Wednesday, it was voted almost unanimously to build a new mill with fifty thousand spindles. There are at present four mills, with fifty-eight thousand spindles, and the new mill with improved machinery is expected to double the production, which is about sixteen million yards per year. The print works connected with the mills print about forty million yards annually. Consequently, in the past, they have purchased more than manufactured. The new mill will be built on the old Dover Landing, opposite the print works; it will cost from $600,000 to $800,000, and will increase the valuation of the city about $1,000,000.

The heavy rains of Tuesday and Wednesday caused freshets in the rivers throughout New England and Pennsylvania; many mills were stopped by backwater in this State, but wash-outs occured on the Maine Central and Hoosac Tunnel Railroads, bridges were swept away in many places, but no very serious disasters are reported. At Manchester the river was five feet over the dam, and at Lawrence seven feet. The Cocheco at Dover was higher than for many years; all the low lands were flooded, and the Cocheco Mills were unable to run; a building used as a waste-house was washed from its foundation. Several others were surrounded by water and ice.

The *Cheshire Republican* thinks, "in view of the splendid run" made by Col. Kent, he should be given a third nomination. In view of the fact that when Col. Kent was first nominated for Congress his district was democratic by a plurality of 729, and that his first "splendid run" wiped that out, and his second has piled up almost a thousand majority for his opponent, we should say that his renomination would be unanimously demanded—by the republicans.

Concord proposes to dip its fingers into the fire that has scorched Portland so badly, and uncomfortably warmed up some other cities. The Concord correspondent of the Boston *Globe*, under date of March 28th, says: "It is stated here in business circles that at the next meeting of the new City Government, to be held next Saturday, the matter of granting municipal aid to the proposed Peterborough & Hillsborough Railroad will be considered. But eighteen miles of road is required to be constructed to give to Concord and to New Hampshire an entire new route to the West, and to give to central New Hampshire a sure connection with the Troy and Greenfield route, which includes the Hoosac Tunnel. This connection will, it is claimed, enable Concord to compete successfully for Western business. The construction of this link will give to this city direct communication with New York, either via New London and boat, or all rail via Springfield. Should this road be built it will lessen the distance thirty miles, and would place Concord in as quick communication with New York as Boston enjoys. It would furnish a much-needed route to the western portion of the State, and would be of material benefit to the business interests of the city."

Mrs. Amasa Brown of Mont Vernon fell and broke a leg on Wednesday. She is 70 years old.

There are 250 persons at the Hillsborough County Farm—the largest number at any one time in the history of the institution.

The factories and woodenware manufactories at Marlborough have all started again on full time.

Lydia Cary of Lempster, a maiden lady 81 years of age, was found lying insensible upon the cellar floor of her house, March 19th. She lived alone, and it is supposed that she fell down stairs. She did not recover her senses and died on the 21st.

The election of Mr. C. C. Kenniston as City Marshal of Manchester meets with great approval by the temperance people, as that gentleman is a prominent leader in their ranks. It is now expected that temperance will rule, and the liquor law will be rigidly enforced. There are at present nearly five hundred liquor shops in Manchester.

Mr. Edward G. Chase, a respected citizen of Nashua, died Wednesday night. He has lived in the city thirty-one years and been a sexton at the Universalist church for twenty-eight years.

Connor's Hotel, at Whitefield, with barn, horse, hay, and most of the furniture, was burned Tuesday night. The loss is about $5000; insured $3700. The fire is supposed to have been incendiary.

"New Hampshire at the Centennial" is the title of a bound pamphlet, containing the address of Governor Cheney, the oration of Professor Sanborn and an account of the other exercises on New Hampshire Day at Philadelphia, October 12, 1876, to which is prefixed a sketch of the Centennial Exhibition. It is embellished with a portrait of Gov. Cheney, and is published in Manchester by John B. Clarke.

Mrs. Dorcas Balch of Keene, aged 78, was so badly burned, Wednesday, by her clothes taking fire while at work over a stove, that she cannot recover.

At a business meeting of the New Hampshire Unitarian Association, held at Manchester, on Wednesday, Governor Cheney in the chair, arrangements were made for a two days' convention of all the Unitarian churches in the State at Peterboro', beginning May 22d.

A girl named Nellie Ciscoe, employed in the family of Warren L. Fiske, Clerk and Treasurer of Dublin, has been detected in stealing from the town safe, which was kept at his house. By getting possession of the key she at different times abstracted various sums and finally, being suspected, was detected by the use of marked bills while making payment at one of the shops in the place. She was leniently dealt with and suffered to quietly leave town.

The official return of votes on the amendments to the Constitution have been received from all but half a dozen small towns, and these render it certain that the first amendment, striking out the word "Protestant" from the Bill of Rights, has been defeated by a small vote. It is believed that all the other amendments have been adopted. It is a fact worthy of note, that Exeter, Hanover, New London and Tilton, all seats of noted institutions of learning, voted against the amendment abolishing the religious test and striking out the word "Protestant" from the Bill of Rights.

Political.

Chandler, another of Grant's rich men, prances around town as happy, he says, as a boy out of school. Whatever may be said of "Old Zach.," as he is affectionately called, no one charges him with ever having used his official position to make money. He was an excellent Secretary of the Interior, lopping off many useless expenditures, and in fact, making quite a reformer of himself. The Department needed renovating, and Zach. administered it with an unsparing hand.—*H. V. Redfield, in Conn. Com.*

The Commission which President Hayes has selected to go to Louisiana in the interests of a peaceful settlement of the difficulties there, is composed of men eminent for their moderation and practical judgment. General Hawley of Connecticut needs no introduction to New England readers. General Harlan of Kentucky was a Union soldier, is a republican, the law partner of B. H. Bristow, and universally respected in a State of Bourbon democracy. Ex-Governor Brown of Tennessee was a confederate soldier, a whig before the war, a democrat since, Governor of the State from 1870 to 1874, and is one of those moderates who heartily desire to bring the South into full harmony with the rest of the country. Judge Lawrence of Illinois is not a politician, but a man of excellent judgment and patriotic purposes. The same may be said of Mr. McVeigh of Pennsylvania.—*Globe.*

—The miser is as much in want of that which he has as of that which he has not.

Three Prodigious Yarns.

A Massachusetts gentleman, who just returned from over the Canadian border, tells us these stories: He was in the hotel general-accommodation room when three veterans of the (hotel) bar, laying schemes for a drink, began to tell stories to each other for his benefit. "These are awful hard times," said one. "I never saw such times before, except when I was in Ohio, and then I had hard put to 't to git along. Nothing to do. I had a yoke of steers, but they warn't earning nothing. But I lived right on the road the Western emigrants went over every day. So I dug a hole in that road at the foot of the hill near my house, turned a living spring of water into it and made a good mud-hole. Well, when the emigrants came along, every day there would be one or more teams git stuck in my mud-hole, and they would see my steers standing out doing nothing, and they would send up and git me to come and help 'em out; and I always charged as much as five dollars a lift. Well, I kept that mud-hole right in good repair till I made twenty-five thousand dollars out on't, and then I sold it out for three thousand and moved up here."

Story number two thus came from the scarred lips of the second veteran: "That's a good one, but I've something queer to tell, as well as you, about steers. Now, I may as well confess that I sometimes take something, an sometimes a *leetle* too much. Now, I have got a pair of steers, too, and they are the knowingest boys I ever see. When I yoke 'em up, all I have to do is just to hold the yoke up and they walk right under. Well, one day after I had been taking a *leetle* too much, and couldn't see just how things were, I wanted to draw a heavy load of gravel with them steers up a long hill, mile and a half long. I went out into the yard, took the yoke, leaned up agin the fence, held it up, and the steers come up and I yoked 'em in. But I knew all the time something was wrong, though I couldn't really make out what it was. Well, I put on them steers and drawed the load up, and I knew all the time somethin' was going wrong, and when I got to the top, and was a little sober, and come to look 'em over, what do you s'pose the matter was? I had yoked up both them steers on the nigh side."

Story number three was the other Munchausen's companion-piece for the two yoke of steers. "When I was a chopping, I could chop some, you know, and folks used to ask me how much I could do in a day. 'Have you ever tried it?' says they, 'No, never,' says I, 'never but once, and that wa'nt really a try.' You see, jest to show 'em what I could do, I got up one winter morning afore light, and ground up my axe sharp, oh, *jest* as sharp, and went into the woods. An' I chopped like sixty, till about three o'clock in the afternoon, when I thought it was as much as I could pile afore sundown, and I went to pilin'. Well, when I had it all piled up it measured twenty-seven cord. And then I knew that something was wrong, for I knew at the rate I had been choppin' it oughter be more. So I went back and begun lookin' 'round to see what the trouble was. And there right at the fust tree I cut in the morning, was my axe-head. You see the thing was loose and slipped off, an I had been choppin' all day with the bare helve."

—A child being asked what were the three great feasts of the Jews, promptly replied, "Breakfast, dinner and supper."

—Tradition says that, years ago, when the head-waters of Chesapeake bay swarmed with wild fowl, the hands employed at an iron forge at Havre de Grace refused to work because they were fed on canvas-back ducks instead of bacon.

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—The encounter between Wm. Hayes, Counsel of the Police Board of San Francisco, and the fighting editor of the *Alta California*, is described very minutely. The visitor held a folded copy of the *Alta* in his left hand, and it was noticed that his right hand was buried in the pocket of a short sack coat, in which he carried an English self-cocking pistol. Hayes wanted to know the name of the writer of the report entitled "Police Commissioners," in the third column of the second page of the paper. This impertinent demand was not entertained, and Hayes was informed that the Managing Editor was responsible for the contents of the paper. The visitor then threatened to kill Gen. McComb unless a retraction were signed in five minutes. Taking out his watch with one hand and keeping the other in his pocket, he counted and waited and fumed. He finally remarked that he would proceed to kill the editor in his chair. The next instant a heavy blow on the nose sent him to the floor, and he begged for mercy. The fighting editor had hit out from the shoulder.

—Another assumption of the naturalists, that bears sleep though the winter, has been disproved by the stern logic of events. Two Wisconsin men are entitled to the honor of exposing the blunder, and they are so well satisfied that they have no wish to pursue the perilous path further. One day last month as they were in the woods fooling round a hollow tree, two large black bears crawled out and signified a warm desire for a close acquaintance. The men suddenly remembered that they must go back to their work, and there immediately developed an intense rivalry between the two as to which one should get back to the settlement first. Fired by ambition the bears took part in the contest and soon led the van. Then a fight followed. The men were armed with axes, and after a hard struggle succeeded in killing the animals. But they are very severe in their denunciations of the naturalists who say that bears are sleepy and dull in winter. On the contrary, they assert, bears are as lively as kittens, and cold weather rather quickens their blood.

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Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	106½
Eastern R. R. scrip	53
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	51
Boston & Lowell R. R.	86½
Boston & Maine	97½
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Boston & Albany	126½
Nashua & Lowell	88
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Hunting a Runaway Pair.

Yesterday afternoon a despatch was received at the *Chronicle* office conveying the intelligence that a Russian Lieutenant, De Kalands, had eloped with Miss Burdick of San Francisco, and taken the train for Virginia with his bride. A reporter was at once detailed to hunt up the illustrious Russian and interview him. A lady who had come up on the train was called on and interrogated as to the presence of the couple on the train. She threw the following light on the subject:

"Just ahead of me was a man with light side whiskers and a decided foreign accent. His hair was curly, he parted his hair exactly in the middle, and, as he turned around, I saw a number of military decorations on his breast. There was a woman in the seat with him, who seemed tired and wanted to rest her head on his bosom, but he wouldn't allow it. He acted like a man who didn't want to let the passengers know he was married. He acted awful for a man just married. I wanted to hit him with my parasol."

With this description as a clue the reporter hurried to the American Exchange Hotel. Mr. Miller was confident that no Russian count, duke, lieutenant or any foreign nobleman was harbored in his house.

"There's a queer looking chap in 64. He wears big diamonds and a frilled shirt," remarked the chambermaid. The reporter hastened up and found a patent medicine vendor sorting over his wares. He denied any connection with the nobility of Russia.

In the Frederick House a foreign-looking duck was noticed going into a room, and the reporter followed without ceremony.

Reporter—"Is your name Mr. De Kalands?"

Stranger—"Oo the merry 'ell said my name was De—what ye call it?"

Reporter—"I only just had that impression."

Stranger—"Hand 'ow in blazes did ye get such an impression hi'd like to hinquire? Do ye walk hinto my room to hinsult me? What sort of a bloody country is this place, hanny 'ow?"

At Mollinbelli's Hotel a break was made for a room where a very suspicious loving couple were seen to enter. They looked smiling and happy when the reporter came in.

Reporter—"Are you the couple that were married last night?"

Bridegroom—"That's us, you bet."

Reporter—"Little trouble with the old man?"

Bridegroom—"Well, yes; the old fool followed us down to the stage office and wanted the gal. Of course, I intended to git off without trouble, but he forced me into a row and I had to bliff him in the car before I could git aboard with Sal. Then the boys come down (Sal's brothers) and began to flourish round, and I had to stand 'em off with a six-shooter. I believe in fightin' for any woman I love. Eh, Sal? (Here the bride nestled close to his side and blushed decidedly, as her stalwart husband clasped her round the waist.) I'm a natural-born woman's protector from the ground up, and this is the finest piece of calico that ever came from Eureka or elsewhere. Eh, Sal? Thompson is my name—Bill Thompson."

Finding that a newly-married couple from Eureka had been mistaken for De Kalands-Burdick, the reporter hastily withdrew, and although he continued the search up to midnight, no such persons could be found. If Mr. De Kalands wishes to publish a reliable account of the elopement he will please call at this office.—*Virginia (Nev.) Chronicle.*

Organizing the House in 1839.

In 1839 Hugh A. Garland, the Clerk of the former House, undertook to set himself up as one having authority and to decide that in a contested case he would not call the names of either party. An angry and disorderly debate ensued and was continued for several days, when Representative John Quincy Adams insisted on being heard. "It was not my intention," said Mr. Adams, "to take any part in these extraordinary proceedings. I had hoped that this House would succeed in organizing itself, that a Speaker and Clerk would be elected, and that the ordinary business of legislation would be allowed to commence. This is not the time nor the place to discuss the conflicting claims of the conflicting claimants for seats; but why do we thus degrade ourselves, our constituents, and the country? We do not, cannot organize; and why? Because the clerk of this House, the mere clerk, whom we create, whom we employ, and whose existence depends on our will, usurps the throne and sets us, the vicegerents of the whole American people, at defiance and holds us in contempt. And what is this clerk? Is he to control the destinies of sixteen million of freemen? Is he to suspend by his mere negative the functions of government, and put an end to this Congress? He refuses to call the names which should be on the roll. It is in your power to compel him to call it if he will not do it voluntarily." [Here Mr. Adams was interrupted by a statement from a democratic Representative that Mr. Garland would resign rather than call the vote of New Jersey. This roused the old man eloquent," whose bald head became scarlet as he said:] "Well, let him resign, and we may possibly discover some way by

which we can get along without the aid of his powerful talent, learning, and genius. If we cannot organize in any other way—let this clerk will not consent to our discharging the trusts confided to us by our constituents—then let us imitate the example of Virginia in the House of Burgesses, which, when Dinwiddie ordered it to disperse, refused to obey the insulting mandate." Mr. Adams then submitted a motion requiring the acting clerk to call the roll of all having certificates. Mr. Clerk Garland refused to entertain the motion. "Then," exclaimed Mr. Adams, "I will put the question myself." Representative Barnwell Rhett here sprang to the floor and moved that Mr. John Quincy Adams of Massachusetts should take the Speaker's chair and preside until the House should be constitutionally organized, put the question, and declared it carried. Mr. Adams took the chair, and Mr. Clerk Garland had to stand one side. Should Clerk Adams endeavor to make a "bigger man" of himself he may find his game blocked by a second John Quincy Adams.—*Cor. Boston Journal.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, MARCH 31, 1877.

The Beef-Exporting Business.

Statement prepared by the Bureau of Statistics of the quantity and value of fresh beef, exported from the United States to Great Britain during the eight months ended February 28, 1877.

Year	Month	New York Lbs.	Phila. Lbs.	Total Lbs.	Dollars
1876	July	1,170,200		1,170,200	161,3 0
	August	1,365,600		1,365,600	183,831
	September	2,451,500		2,451,500	218,[illegible]
	October	2,569,75	150,610	2,719,365	270,262
	November	2,974,450	1,21,500	4,195,950	391,102
	December	3,[illegible]980	72,500	3,774,480	325,9 0
1877	January	1,726,[illegible]0	778,45	2,57,,4 0	250,[illegible]
	February	3,0[illegible]610	1,348,000	4,[illegible]0,610	421,457
		18,808,[illegible]35	4,[illegible],[illegible]00	23,3,0,935	2,977,[illegible]
		To England		19,409,955	1,701,118
		To Scotland		3,721,[illegible]0	286,180

Emigration From Great Britain and Ireland.

The Chief of the Bureau of Statistics furnishes the following table (compiled from the official report of the British Board of Trade) showing the emigration from the United Kingdom to the United States, British North America and Australasia, respectively, during the years 1874, 1875 and 1876:

Destination.	1874.	1875.	1876.
Unit d States	148,181	109,846	23,532
Brit sh North America	25,459	17,778	11,927
Australasia	55,958	35,565	33,191

The total number of persons who emigrated from the United Kingdom to the United States from 1815 to 1876 was 5,467,075.

The amount of money remitted by settlers in the United States and British North America to their friends in the United Kingdom from 1848 to 1876, inclusive, was £19,685,068; the greatest amount in any one year being £1,750,000 in 1854.

Another Mormon Massacre.

The following order, with three affidavits authenticating it, was found among the papers of the late Chief Justice John Titus of Arizona, who was formerly Chief Justice of Utah.

SPECIAL ORDER, *Salt Lake City*, April 19, 1858.

The officer in command of the escort is hereby ordered to see that every man is well prepared with ammunition, and to have it, ready at the time you see these teamsters a hundred miles from the settlement. President Young advises that they should all be killed to prevent them from returning to Bridger to join our enemies. Every precaution should be taken to see that not one escapes. Secrecy is required.

By order of Gen. Daniel H. Wells; James Ferguson, Ass't Adj't.-Gen'l.

Appended to this document is the following certificate:

The original order with the affidavit is in my possession. I have had frequent conversations with the late Judge Titus, my former law partner, in regard to the matter, and he never doubted the genuineness of the order or the guilt of Brigham Young.

L. G. HUGHES.

The foregoing has been "going the rounds" as corroborative proof of John D. Lee's charges against Brigham Young, the order issued by Gen. D. H. Wells, who was then Lieut. Governor of Utah, being regarded as the official order for the Mountain Meadows massacre; but it is now asserted that it referred to another butchery by the Mormons, hitherto unheard of. A San Francisco despatch of March 28th says:

"With reference to the despatch from Tucson, Arizona, to the effect that the order for the Mountain Meadows massacre was found among the papers of the late ex-Chief-Justice Titus, a gentleman living in this city, formerly a resident of Salt Lake City, says he had the document in question at one time in his possession, and has no doubt of its genuineness. It referred, however, to some eighty men who had been teamsters in the army sent to Utah under Col. Albert Sidney Johnson to escort the Governor appointed to replace Brigham Young in 1857. As early fall of snow forced Col. Johnson and his troops to winter at Fort Bridger, 120 miles east of Salt Lake City, and as the Mormon troops under Lieut.-Gov. D. H. Wells had burned up two trains of supplies for the United States army, east of Green River, the General was forced to put the soldiers upon half rations, and in early Spring of 1858 these teamsters were discharged from the service. They prepared to go West, and started for California. They believed that as non-combatants they would be permitted to pass through Utah unmolested; but as soon as the teamsters came over the mountains and entered Echo Canyon they were taken prisoners and made subject to martial law, proclaimed some months before by Gov. Brigham Young. A gentleman who was then among the Mormons in Echo Canyon, and now residing in this city, saw a small division of eight or ten of these teamsters under Mormon escort on their way westward. The Mormon military authorities thought prudent to divide the eighty teamsters into small squads, no doubt thinking their purpose could be more easily accomplished than if they had been kept together in a body. The Mormons deny that such a massacre ever occurred, or that such order was ever given; but those who had given the subject attention have no doubt the order was issued and the work accomplished."

News and Notes.

President Hayes, Secretary Evarts and Wade Hampton took a drive about Washington on Thursday, and afterward Hampton dined with Evarts.

Schooner Sunshine, at Gloucester, Mass., March 29th, took in a trunk picked up off the Cape, containing a violin, a Swiss watch and several letters addressed, "William M. Hopkins, Boston," and others, "Bangor." "D. Leland, Eden, Me.," was written on two books.

The Boston & Maine Railroad published a list of all the striking engineers and sent it about the country, to all other railroads, and now, after giving up an employment of a constant character, the unfortunate strikers must seek another means of earning a livelihood. It is said that the promises of the Brotherhood to the strikers (regarding their pay while idle) have not been kept.

During a heavy storm a huge mass of snow, becoming detached from the summit of a hill near the Bett Cove copper mine in Nova Scotia, swept down and completely buried two houses. One man and five children were taken out dead from the ruins. There were thirty-five persons in the houses when the avalanche commenced.

Jesse H. Lewis, who was convicted at Newfane, Vt., March 26th, of the murder of Albert W. Deming by poison, is a low-lived and blood-thirsty brute. He stabbed a man named Trute in Gill, Mass., last June, and murdered a young Irishman in Holyoke five years ago. Since his conviction he has confessed the murders. He will be used to stretch hemp.

Considerable damage was done in Maine by the freshets in the rivers. A mill and bridge over the Little Androscoggin river at Mechanics Falls were carried away. At Lisbon Falls large numbers of logs were carried off, and the railroad track damaged by an ice jam. At Gardiner an ice company lost several piers and an elevator.

Mr. James Parton is rejoicing over his first baby. The peculiar matrimonial complications of the case entitle Mr. Parton to treat it both as his child and his grandchild.

Thomas Welch died of hydrophobia in Cambridge, Mass., Wednesday night, in frightful agony. Michael Crasson died of the same complaint in Philadelphia on Thursday night, from the effect of a dog-bite received in December last; four men were required to hold him in bed while he was dying.

The Reading Railroad notifies its engineers that no one will be employed who is a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and all the engineers on that road will be called on in a few days to choose between the Brotherhood and the company. The latter promise all engineers remaining with them an accident and life insurance system at less expense than in the Brotherhood.

At Acapulco, on the 5th of March, United States Consul John A. Sutter was seized on the street by twenty soldiers and put into prison, where he now is. It appears that a citizen of the United States, Henry Kaston, was ill-treated at the late change of the Government, and the Consul's remonstrances and protests were a pretext for his imprisonment.

Part of a deck of a vessel came ashore on Plum Island, Wednesday, and probably belonged to a schooner. The piece measured twenty-two feet from hatchway, five feet square timber, all sound and appeared new.

British ship Winchester was got off Cape Henry and towed into Norfolk, Va., on Friday.

New Hampshire Items.

The cotton mills at Munsonville, took fire about one o'clock Friday morning, in the mule room, being first discovered by the watchman. The attic and second story were burned. Loss thirty thousand dollars; insured.

The Grantham House and contents at Grantham, John Young proprietor, was totally destroyed by fire Thursday night. Loss about $3000; insured $2000. It is supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

A two-story, wooden building, owned by Thomas D. Burleigh of Franklin Falls, was damaged by fire Thursday night to the extent of $100.

The house, barn and outbuildings of Chester M. Carleton, Haverhill, were burned Thursday night, nothing of any value being saved. Loss $3000; no insurance. It was caused by a defective fireplace.

Hon. Charles A. Conant, of this State, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, has been appointed Chief of the Government Branch of the Syndicate in London, and Gen. Richard McCormick has been appointed to the position vacated by Mr. Conant.

Political.

It is very taking to see a hero stand on guard, plant his feet very firm indeed, and cry out "Come on!" in a voice of thunder, waving his stout blade the while and casting withering glances in the direction of the expected foe. But if there isn't anybody to "come on," what can the doughtiest hero do about it? This was the unfortunate position in which those democratic journalists placed themselves who declared loud-mouthed war against President Hayes. They were full of fight, but there was nothing for them to attack. They swaggered and vowed they would annihilate Hayes' minions, but the President didn't furnish them any minions to annihilate. They devoted themselves with the most determined self-sacrifice to the defeat of the republican conspiracy, but there wasn't any conspiracy. They bound themselves with highfalutin chivalry to a crusade against Giant Fraud and Giant Wrong, and then couldn't scare up so much as a windmill to tilt at. They mouthed and vapored and fumed and tore passion to tatters until even the gods in the gallery were beginning to be bored. The situation was becoming truly painful. They couldn't go on and couldn't stop. Never were mock heroes in such straits before. *Philadelphia Inquirer.*

In view of the confession of Eph Holland, who cast or caused to be cast 600 fraudulent votes at the October election in Cincinnati, the *Gazette* says that if the legislature does not take steps to guard the purity of the ballot-boxes, the days of honest elections in that county have passed. It avers that 1,000 fraudulent votes were cast in that city and county, which "gave a majority to every democrat elected at that time. Three are now judges on the bench administering the laws who were elected by fraud, and they know it; and yet do not propose to resign. The sheriffs and clerk were also elected by fraud, and they stick. The two congressmen were elected in the same way, and they do not propose to step aside."

—A citizen of Minneapolis, Minn., says that if he is ever to be Mayor of the city the office must seek him, the same as his creditors do.

—The new Secretary of the Navy is probably like Jeff. Thompson, who wrote of his men after his naval fight at Memphis, "I have got in my cavalry regiment as good sailors as ever feathered an oar on a quarter-deck."

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And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their real estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

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Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

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Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M
Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.30 "

*Mostly for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

EASTER SERVICES

Will be held at St. John's church as follows: At five o'clock Easter eve, (Saturday,) baptism. Sunday forenoon at 10:30 o'clock, morning service, with sermon and Holy Communion. At 3:30 P. M., choral service, the Sunday school present, with sermon and offerings for the Children's Home. At 7:30 P. M., evening prayers, with sermon. All the above exercises will be held in the church, to which strangers are cordially invited. The music will will be a special feature.

Children's day at the Bow Mission tomorrow. Services expressly prepared for Easter Day (with black board). Short pieces will be spoken by the children. Miss Davis will preside at the organ; Mr. Robert M. Jellison, musical director. A general invitation is extended. At the close a collection will be taken in aid of the Mission. Services at 4:15; doors open at 3:30.

Easter services will be held Sunday morning and evening, at the South Parish. There will also be an Easter service for the children at the church on Sunday afternoon at half-past two. All are invited.

Easter discourse by Rev. Mr. Hubbell at the Congregational church Sunday morning. Lecture at the church in the evening at 7:30 o'clock, to young men. Afternoon services will be omitted.

At the Universalist church in the evening, an Easter Festival will be given. All are invited.

JOTTINGS.

Oliver Goldsmith's celebrated comedy, "The Good Natured Man," will be presented with appropriate costumes at Franklin Hall on Wednesday evening, April 4, at 8 o'clock. Tickets (50 cents,) with secured seats, may be obtained at the book store of J. H. Foster.

The Rogers Mission Circle of the North Parish will hold a Fair at the chapel on Middle street on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, April 3d; a variety of useful and ornamental articles will be offered for sale, and a hot supper will be served.

A large dog, a cross between a Newfoundland and St. Bernard, belonging to Mr. Harvey Lear, bit a daughter of Mr. Meshach Bell, Jr., Friday morning, in the left arm, the animal's teeth penetrating the flesh. The dog was afterward killed at the police station by its owner.

Nine or ten barrels of alcohol, branded "in bond, for St. John," have been picked up along Cape Ann, and is supposed to be part of the cargo of the schooner Abbott Lawrence, run down and abandoned in a sinking condition off Boon Island not long ago, while on the passage from Boston for St. John, N. B., with a cargo of spirits and meal. As there must be more of this alcohol adrift in the bay, it would not be surprising if some of the fishermen should make a good "catch," if they keep their weather eye open. No hint has yet been given as to what vessel it was that struck the Abbott Lawrence, which shows either that she went to the bottom with all hands, or that all hands on board her can keep a secret.

The Boston *Post* says: "Sheriff Kent has removed from the office of Deputy Sheriff of Rockingham county Caleb Moulton of Hampstead, for having been a candidate for Congress on the prohibition ticket in the First District in the late election, and they call it civil service reform." We don't know what "they" call it, but all the republicans that we know of, and not a few of the democrats, call it a good thing. Moulton was not removed "for having been a candidate" but because of his treacherous double-dealing. He attended the republican Congressional convention and voted for the candidate who received the nomination; and then,—after a visit to Portsmouth and a night spent at Hon. Frank Jones' hotel,—he came out as a prohibition candidate in opposition to the man he had helped nominate! Whether they are right or wrong in their belief, the republicans *do* believe Caleb Moulton was "induced" to run by Hon. Frank Jones; for Moulton's candidacy was entirely in Jones' interest, and he did not nominate himself until after his visit to this city. If the democrats want such fellows in office they can commence by putting Moulton in—the republicans won't object, for *they* don't want him,—Moulton has written a letter to the Manchester *Mirror*, denouncing as false any statements that he was bought or hired to run for Congress by Mr. Jones. Nobody imagines that any receipt was passed between the parties, whatever other "documents" may have been handed over.

William C. Pike, who recently murdered S. S. Jones, editor of the *Religio-Philosophical Journal*, Chicago, turns out to be the same man who travelled through New England thirty years ago, lecturing on and teaching mnemonics, or a system of artificial memory by means of arbitrary association. He was at that time a handsome young man, with the air of a student and the long hair and studied freedom of dress which mark the man of ologies and istics. He was accompanied by his wife, a young, beautiful and amiable woman, whom, it seems, he has since abandoned in favor of his present wife. His system of teaching the art of memory he claimed as the invention of "Robert Pike, Jr., and William C. Pike," and there are doubtless many persons in the State who remember his pamphlet and his lectures.

A man is around town selling the Moody and Sankey Hymn Book, and is said to be a first-class fraud. We are informed that he has forced his way into houses where he has found all the men of the family absent, and made use of such language to the ladies as to say the least was highly improper. Our informant thinks there is "a shingle off the roof" of the hymn book vendor, but that he is not "loony" enough to display his failings when men are around.

We recently looked over a specimen-book of the writing of pupils at the Haven School in the years 1862–63, and compared the writing with the average as shown in the copy books of the pupils in the Grammar Schools now. The contrast is very great, and entirely in favor of the present pupils, —the reason evidently being that now (as for a few years past) a skilled writing master is employed to teach the Spencerian method of penmanship in the public schools. The improvement shown in the writing of pupils from month to month is very decided, and is a convincing proof of the wisdom of employing a specialist in this particular branch of instruction.

The American House Hotel Coaches meet every train coming into Boston. For the moderate sum of fifty cents, each passenger with his baggage is carried to the hotel. Once at the "American" all places of business, amusement or interest, are easily reached, as the hotel is located right in the heart of the city, and in the neighborhood of all these places. Notwithstanding the increase in travel, the American has recently made a reduction in rates, which in these stringent times will make it more popular than ever.

Schooner Velocipede, Capt. Charles E. Ross, sailed on Thursday on a fishing trip to the Western Banks. She is one of the fishing fleet owned by Mr. Doane, who is also fitting out the Anna M. Nash, W. H. Y. Hackett, Gov. Goodwin and Charlie for bank fishing, on which they will start in two or three weeks.

Some of the running gear of a Newburyport schooner lying at one of the Water street wharves was stolen on Thursday morning, and two young fellows, about sixteen years old, were arrested in the afternoon for the theft. They at first denied all knowledge of the affair, but being threatened with the full extent of the law, finally made confession, revealed the hiding place of the missing articles, and were let off on the promise of good behavior.

Curling.

Curling, though not supposed to be so old as skating, has a respectable degree of antiquity. It is known to have been played throughout Scotland for at least two hundred and fifty years. The terms used in the game, however, are all of Dutch or German extraction; and it is thought possible that the amusement may have existed in the Low Countries, and have been brought into Scotland by the people of Flanders, who immigrated during the reign of James I.

The game is played with large stones, which are very similar in shape to a flat onion,—that is, they are in the form of spheres that have been so compressed that their breadth is nearly twice their thickness. The "sole" of the stone—its under surface —is polished as smoothly as possible; and a handle, shaped like the letter L turned upon its side, is inserted in the top. Such stones are chosen as are least liable to split, and their weights are graded according to the strength of the players. The ordinary average weight is from thirty to fifty pounds. About fifteen or twenty pounds would be heavy enough for stones to be used by boys.

The *rink* is a smooth place marked off upon the ice, about thirty yards long, and ten feet wide. At each end of the rink a small mark or hole is chopped out, which is most commonly called the *tee*, although it has other names in some parts of Scotland. Two circles are drawn around each tee, with the latter as their common centre. The inner one may be made about four feet in diameter, and the outer one six feet. These circles are called *broughs*, and their object is to assist the eye in judging the distance between the stones, when played, and the tee. Lines are drawn across the rink, in front of the tees, and about fifteen feet from them; which two lines are entitled *hogscores*. The rink should be perfectly clear of obstructions, as should also the ice beyond the tees for several feet. The number of stones is usually sixteen, and eight players upon each side is the common number. There may be any number less than eight, however, if so agreed.

There are thirty-one "points" in the game. All the players stand at one tee, and slide their stones up the ring to the tee at the other end, in succession; and the stone resting nearest the tee counts one, and is called "the winner." If the stone next nearest the tee, and the one next after that, etc., belong to the same party who own the winner, they each count an additional point; otherwise, they are not "scored." When any player fails to propel his stone beyond the hogscore at the opposite end, one is deducted from the score of his party.

On each side, he who plays last is called the *driver*, and he directs and advises the others. The first player is the *lead*. He grasps a stone firmly by the handle, and slides it up the rink at the tee; attempting to place the stone either upon the tee, or a little on the hither side of it. The others follow; attempting to lay their own stones near tee, or to place them so as to guard the stones of their own party which have been well laid, or to drive away those of their opponents. When all the stones have been played, and the points counted, the game is resumed by playing back at the first tee; and so on until thirty-one are counted by one side or the other. A *bore* is a stone that lies in the way of a player, between him and the tee. *Wicking* is "carroming" from or glancing off from one stone to another.

Such are the general principles of curling—a game that affords excellent exercise, is highly amusing, and gives room for the display of much judgment and skill. When clubs are formed, the cost of having the stones prepared is not great for each individual member. There are cricket-clubs in America, and our English brethren are adopting base-ball. Why should not curling also become an international game? *Irwin Russell, in St. Nicholas for March.*

—The Burlington superintendent of schools says in his report, "Do what we may, children will be born into the world ignorant." Then what's the use to have a superintendent of schools?

—A starving Chinaman, who was taken into the Cincinnati hospital, a few days ago, for resuscitation, attributed his woful plight to the fact that he had started a laundry in Louisville. He sums up his experience in a single line, "Kentuckee—two weekee—one shirtee."

Thousands of Affidavits.

Many having used "patent" and prepared medicines and failed in finding the relief promised, are thereby prejudiced against all medicines. Is this right? Would you condemn all physicians because one failed in giving the relief promised? Some go to California in search of gold, and after working hard for months and finding none, return home and say there is no gold there. Does that prove it? Many suffering with Catarrh and pulmonary affections have used the worthless preparations that crowd the market, and in their disappointment say there is no cure for Catarrh. Does that prove it? Does it not rather prove that they have failed to employ the proper remedy? There are thousands of people in the United States who can make an affidavit that Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy and Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery have effected their entire cure. Many had lost all sense of smell for months, and pieces of bone had repeatedly been removed from the nasal cavities.

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Don't rack it with violent purgatives, or permanently impair its tone with indigestible drugs of any kind; but, if your digestion is impaired, your liver out of order, your frame debilitated, or nervous system unstrung, use that wholesome and agreeable alterative and tonic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which will certainly afford you the desired relief. None of the original remedies an compare with it in restorative efficacy, and as a medicinal stimulant it is by far the most desirable as well as popular article of its class. Its basis, the essential principle of sound rye, is the best possible agent for hastening the action of the botanic ingredients which it holds in solution, and those ingredients are the most efficacious which chemistry extracts from the vegetable kingdom, and medical science applies to the cure of disease.

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SEAVEY. At Breakfast Hill, Rye, March 29, Mrs. Nancy Johnson Seavey, wife of the late Jo n D. Seavey of Portland, Me. [*Portland papers please copy.*]

☞ Funeral this (Saturday) forenoon at half-past eleven o'clock from St John's Church in this city. Relatives and friends are invited to attend without further notice.

SPINEY. In Raymond, Jan. 30, Mrs. Eliza A. Spiney, formerly of this city, and daughter of the late Pierce Magraw.

GIBBS. In Dover, March 28, Ann Gibbs, wife of John T. Gibbs, and daughter of the late Henry Trodick, formerly of this city, aged 70 years.

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Mr. Parker In a New Role.

Mr. Parker's respectable legs, making frantic signals of distress, protruded from one of the immense snow banks on Congress street recently. The remainder of Mr. Parker's anatomy had retired into private life with more dispatch than dignity a moment before, beneath the beautiful snow. Several gentlemen and a policeman came to his relief and dragged him forth. Mr. Parker did not present his usual neat appearance. His coat had been torn in the struggle, his hat looked as though it had been sat upon, and his boots were full of snow. The policeman regarded him with suspicion, the gentlemen with suppressed merriment. Mr. Parker glared savagely at his benefactors, and danced a fandango and swung his arms to get warm.

"Ugh?" said the policeman with a smile, gently inserting his hands down Mr. Parker's neck and getting a good turn in his coat-collar. "Drunk and very disorderly."

"I never was or—"

"None 'o yer slack," said the guardian of the peace. "Come along."

"I never was dis—"

A jerk which tipped Mr. Parker's hat still further over his nose and nearly dislocated his neck, gave him pause. Mr. Parker meditated; a grim smile passed over his expressive face. Then he turned on his captor. A wild glare was in his eye, and with a fierce snarl he remarked:

"Bow, wow, wow, wow, wow, wow, w-o-o-o-w!"

The smile fled the faces of the merry gentlemen, and they edged away. The policeman said:

"What's that?"

"Bow, wow, wow! You, you, you!" said Mr. Parker, snapping at the policeman's club.

"He's mad," chorused the merry gentlemen, scuttling around the corner.

"Look here, now," said the policeman, releasing his grasp, and getting ready to run; "brace up, don't give 'way. What's the matter any how?"

"Bow, wow, wow, wow!" answered Mr. Parker, getting down on all fours, and pawing around in the snow.

"He's mad," said the policeman sorrowfully. "He oughtn't to be let to run at large; he might bite some one. I'll go and get some help," and he followed the merry gentlemen around the corner.

Mr. Parker sat down on a snowbank and laughed.

"Parker," said he, "you're a mad dog. No you ain't, you're a sad dog; but your bark is worse than your bite," and so saying he walked jauntily off, chuckling occasionally to himself.—*N. Y. World.*

Experiment at Cherbourg with a Torpedo Boat.

Some very interesting experiments were made a few days ago at Cherbourg with the little submarine vessel called the Thorneycroft. It was the first occasion of testing in French waters whether a torpedo could be launched against a ship in full sail. Accordingly Admiral Juarez, who commands the squadron, ordered a disabled ship, the Bayonnaise, during a rather rough sea, to be towed out by a steamer belonging to the navy. A Second Lieutenant, M. Lemoinne, was sent for, and informed that he had been selected to make the experiment of launching the Thorneycroft against the Bayonnaise while both were in full sail. He accepted the mission without hesitation, picked out two engine men and a pilot, and went into the interior of the Thorneycroft, of which only a small part was above water, this visible portion being painted of a grayish color, so as to be easily confused with the sea. The torpedo was placed so as to project from the bow of the vessel, at the extremity of which were two latten sail-yards about three metres in length. The towing steamer then took up its position in front of the squadron, and the Thorneycroft also assumed the position assigned for it; an interval of three or four marine miles separating the torpedo and the Bayonnaise. On a signal being given, both were set in motion, the steamer advancing in a straight line, and the Thorneycroft obliquely, so as to take the Bayonnaise in flank. The steamtug went at fourteen knots an hour, going at full speed in order to escape the Thorneycroft. The latter went at nineteen knots an hour, a rate not attained by any vessel in the squadron. The chase lasted about an hour, the squadron keeping in the rear, so as to witness the operations. At the end of that time the distance between the Thorneycroft and the Bayonnaise had sensibly diminished, and at a given moment the former, in order to come up with the latter at the requisite distance, had to slacken speed to eight knots an hour. The whole squadron watched this last phase of the struggle with breathless interest, and the people asked themselves whether the shock of the torpedo would not infallibly destroy the little vessel which bore it. It was feared that the lives of the Second Lieutenant, Lemoinne, and his three companions were absolutely sacrificed. However, the two vessels got visibly nearer. All at once the Thorneycroft put on a fast spurt, and struck the Bayonnaise with its whole force on the starboard bow. The sea was terribly agitated, a deafening report was heard, and the Bayonnaise, with a rent as big as a house, sank with wonderful rapidity. As for the Thorneycroft, rebounding by the shock about fifteen meters off, even before the explosion

occurred, it went round and round for a few moments, and then quietly resumed the direction of the squadron. No trace remained of the Bayonnaise; it was literally swallowed up by the sea.—*Paris Correspondence London Times.*

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, APRIL 2, 1877.

Annual Report, Supt. Public Instruction.

Eureka! I have found it. Such was the feeling as this Report came to hand from the Superintendent, Prof. J. W. Simonds. The year of his office ended last June, but the Report was not through the press till recently.

Our State has had a Superintendency 29 years. A portion of the time it was a Board of Education, consisting of a Commissioner in each County. All the Reports have been printed. I have all, except that of the first Superintendent, Prof. Haddock of Dartmouth College. These make a valuable collection on our educational interests.

This last Report is a bound volume of 594 pages. But one in this State had been bound before. That was 1861, a little short of 300 pages. Massachusetts has its reports bound. That of 1875 has 336 pages. The one for last year was not through the press on Monday of last week. If it exceeds ours in size and subject matter, we shall be disappointed. Ours in all respects is worthy the Centennial year.

The first part is devoted to extracts from the reports of the town superintending committees. Many of these are very valuable. They give an account of the condition of schools, make important suggestions, condemn unfit school-houses, unfit teachers, efforts to teach when too young in years, etc. In these are extracts from female superintendents in Auburn, Barnstead, East Kingston, Hill, Landaff and Monroe. Thirty-two town superintendents failed to report. Of these three were in Rockingham County, viz.: Hampton Falls, Newington and Newcastle.

Next is a history of education in several towns. That of Hampton takes the lead. It was prepared by the distinguished antiquarian of that place, Joseph Dow, Esq. Others in this county are of South Hampton by Rev. P. P. Whitehouse, Londonderry by Andrew W. Mark, Esq., Windham by Rev. C. Packard, Newton by Ebenezer Peaslee, Chester by Rev. C. Tenney, Hampstead by Hon. Caleb Moulton, Salem by A. H. Merrill.

After this is an account of the meeting of the State Teachers' Association, held at Wolfborough in October, 1875, also of the State Normal School at Plymouth.

Then there are abstracts of answers of Superintendendig Committees to questions of vital educational institutional interests. There is a vast amount of valuable information in this. There is also an account of school matters in this State at the Centennial in Philadelphia. The Report closes with statistical tables, and a complete Index renders it convenient to find whatever subject or particular is treated in the Report.

The present State Superintendent of Public Instruction is Rev. Charles A. Downs of Lebanon. He is a native of Norwalk, Ct., a graduate of New York University; for twenty-four years ending in 1873, was pastor of the Congregational church in Lebanon, and was a member of the Board of Education when there were County Commissions. He has an important office. If he does as well as his predecessor, all will be glad. If better, all will rejoice. The present law, however, in regard to the Superintendency is deficient. More work by the Superintendent or County Assistants having a direct bearing on the management of our common schools is needed. *J. W.*

News and Notes.

Free whale fishing in the Sea of Ochotsk has been prohibited by the Russian authorities. For $250, however, licences may be taken out at Petropolauski, and then under these the whales belong to whoever can catch them.

The original manuscript of Mason and Dixon's Journal of Survey—when they made the famous line between Philadelphia and Maryland, which was the dividing line in the United States between freedom and slavery—was shown at the Centennial in one corner of Dr. Honeyman's Nova Scotia mineral exhibit. It was the property of Judge James of Nova Scotia, and was marked "for sale." Mr. James some years ago, when Clerk of the Nova Scotia Assemble, had arranged some old papers for which he sent in a bill for $60. The Committee of the House demurred at the price, but they settled by giving him this old book. The National Library at Washington paid Judge James $5000 for it, and we think the price was not too dear for the original of a work of great historic interest. It is about 110 years old—*St. John (N. B.) Globe.*

British ship Florence Oulton was abandoned at sea in a sinking condition, Feb. 21st. The captain and six of the crew were picked up, but the mate and nine seamen are missing.

The Moffett whiskey bill to collect the tax on whiskey by means of an instrument, something like a car bell-punch, has passed the Virginia General Assembly. It will be put up in every bar-room. The tax on larger per drink is half a cent; alcoholic liquors two and half cents.

A dispatch from Lisbon, Me., says that on Friday night a son of Alfred Cox of West Bowdoin, fourteen years of age, shot and killed his father as the latter was returning from church. The father and son had both been to church, and the boy making a slight disturbance, the father told him to go forward and occupy another seat. The boy took his hat and left the church. Going directly home, he took a gun, and meeting his father as he was entering the yard, he discharged the gun, the charge entering the man's stomach, killing him almost instantly.

An Associated Press agent at Liverpool, England, who is personally well acquainted with Oakey Hall, positively asserts that Hall landed in Liverpool from the steamship Victoria on Saturday. He was dressed in old clothes, and flatly denied his identity when confronted by the agent, asserting his name to be Sutcliffe. The clerk of Warren & Co., agents for the Victoria (a freight steamship) in Boston, says Hall paid $80 for his passage March 12th, giving the name of W. E. Sutcliffe of Quebec.

Advices from North Carolina, March 28th, state that Collector Patterson of the 6th District of that State and Deputy Marshal Ray, with six men raided on illicit distillers in Watauga county. They were fired upon, two men of the posse killed, and Patterson wounded in the hand. The officers were accompanied by troops.

A woman and four children were burned to death in their home at Rhinecliff, N. Y., Saturday morning.

On Thursday the saw mill of B. C. Jordan, at Salmon Falls, was carried away by the flood and ice in the Saco river; another mill owned by Mr. Jordan had some of its posts knocked away.

Abram Day, seventy years old, of Dexmark, Maine, started from Limerick on Wednesday to drive home. Shortly after his body was found in the Little Ossipee river, and his horse and sleigh were afterward found further down the stream.

Oakey Hall is (H)all O. K.

New Hampshire Items.

The Dover *Democrat* of Friday says: "The case State vs. Dr. Perkins of Barring was concluded last night, and the jury rendered a verdict of guilty. He was sentenced to jail for thirty days and to pay costs of prosecution. This case concluded the liquor trials for this term. The whole programme came to an abrupt conclusion last night, and by mutual agreement of the liquor dealers who were indicted, and the State, all the defendants in all cases that had not been tried and a verdict obtained, pleaded *nolo contendere* to each indictment and paid a fine of $50 on one and costs on the whole, excepting those cases in which Marshal W. Pond, a detective, was the only witness. We understand that in all indictments in which Pond was the only witness, *nolle prosequi* has been entered and those cases are stricken from the docket."

The shoe business in Nashua is in a very prosperous condition. Messrs. Crain, Moody & Rising are running on full time and are having all the orders they can fill. It is reported that Laighton Bros. of Pepperell, Mass., are to move their works there the coming spring, and a firm from Boston is also expected to build a large manufactory there this next summer.

General Kilpatrick lectured before the Grand Army of the Republic Post of Nashua, Friday evening, on incidents in the late war.

A man by the name of Downs at Rochester, robbed his employer of $80 recently, and eloped with the wife of another man.

A white crow was seen in a flock at Hudson recently.

As a good specimen of New England vigor, Mr. Harrison Fifield, of Rumney, on his eightieth birthday, sawed one and one half cords of hard wood twice in two in eight hours and thirty minutes. Mr. Fifield has never employed a physician for himself, and never lost a meal from sickness. He served through the war, having enlisted at the ripe age of sixty-five and boasts that at that time he could jump higher than any man in his company. His family is noted for longevity, his father and mother and his grandfathers and grandmothers all having lived to the age of nearly one hundred years.

A number of liquor dealers met in Manchester Thursday night and formed a league for mutual benefit and protection. A constitution and by-laws were adopted and a Committee appointed to urge every person engaged in the traffic to join the league.

Political.

The democrats of Chicago have nominated for city officials 48 Irishmen, 13 Germans and 10 Americans. Unusually liberal to the Germans and Yankees, we should say.

Representative Banning, more popularly known as "The Bounding Banning," at a democratic local convention in Cincinnati on a recent night spoke of himself as "coming from where they stole the President." This remark comes with bad grace from a man who claims to be a member of the next Congress on a majority of about 70 in a district where his own party managers, by their confession, gave him from 500 to 700 illegal votes.

Potato Beetles.

In the expectation that the Colorado beetle will prove very troublesome the coming year, the Board of Agriculture gives the following advice on potato culture: Plant early. Use new ground, or that not occupied for potatoes last year. Select, if possible, lots remote from that ordinarily chosen, and shielded by woods in some measure. Make the soil as rich as is safe for the quality, so as to obtain a good crop from a small area. Then fight the enemy by hand and hoe, by Paris green and every other effective agency that can be obtained. Professor Riley says that the beetle has at least twenty-three enemies, not including man. It ought to be exterminated at once. A new potato enemy has made its appearance, known as the potato moth. The caterpillar burrows in the tuber and destroys it. It is not likely the creature will be here at present.

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THE CO PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of C. H. MENDUM & CO. is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

It is quite desirable that the debts due the late firm should be liquidated as soon as possible. We respectfully request all persons indebted to us to make an early settlement, and all persons having claims against said firm to present them for adjustment.

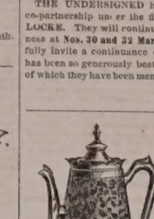
C. H. MENDUM,
S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.

Notice.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 1, 1877.

THE UNDERSIGNED have this day formed a co-partnership under the firm name of AYERS & LOCKE. They will continue the Dry Goods Business at **Nos. 30 and 32 Market Street**, and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm of which they have been members since its formation.

S. H. AYERS,
T. K. LOCKE.



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A SMALL LOT OF

Cold Blast Whole Wheat Flour,
Pearled Wheat,
Granulated Wheat (coarse),
" " (fine),
Pearled Oats,
White Wheat Gluten,
Granulated Barley.

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Butler & Laighton,

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LAGER BEER.

25 DOZ. FRESH BOTTLED

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In Quantities to suit Customers!

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The pleasure of your company is requested at

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To examine the full line of

ROOM PAPERS,
BORDERS, CURTAINS,
CURTAIN FIXTURES,
TASSELS, CORD,

Which I have just received and marked at prices unrivalled in this city since before the war.

JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

SEASON OF 1877.

NEW SMOKED HALIBUT!

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

A Rare Chance.

FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and plot of land, suitable for a SUMMER RESORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attics, and on the place is a good BARN and fine well-water, everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view; the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times, and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.

Enquire of

JOSEPH L. MARDEN,

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Or, WILLIAM DOWNS & SON, Portsmouth.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS.

—A FEW MORE OF THOSE

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

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Carriage Material

AND

BLACKSMITHS' SUPPLIES.

I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale a general assortment of Bolts, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Semi-elliptic & Sleigh Dashers, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Ties from Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

G. J. GREENLEAF,

Rear Post Office . . . . . Portsmouth, N. H.

PULMOCINE.

Real Estate.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 20 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to

March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

House to Let.

A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.

House No. 36 Deer Street.

Brick House No. 56 State Street.

Store corner State and Washington streets.

House No. 2 Rockingham Street.

Apply to

A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. One will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for stone cellar.

FRANK W. MILLER.

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

—APPLY TO—

JOSEPH S. GRANT,

2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Ira Paulton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,

CLARENCE B. MASON.

A FRESH LOT of WHEAT MEAL

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, WHEAT GROATS, AND OATMEAL

Just received and for sale by

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

CHILDREN'S

CARRIAGES,

GAS FIXTURES,

Etc., Etc., Etc.

Call and see the New Styles at Greatly Reduced Prices!

John P. Sweetser,

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F. A. FERRIS & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

— AND —

SMALL PIG HAMS.

GOSHEN PINE APPLE

— AND —

DUTCH CHEESE.

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1877's MAPLE SUGAR!

ALSO NEW DATES.

FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

BLUE ARMY BLOUSES.

WE have just received a few more of those BLUE ARMY BLOUSES, which have been in such demand for the last twelve months.

C. E. MYERS & CO.,

No. 3 BOW STREET.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others east or west may be deposited in the box in the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

LOSS OF SHIP FRANK JONES.

Advices from San Francisco, dated March 30th, announce the probable loss on that day and at that place of ship Frank Jones, Nichols master, of this port. The ship had recently secured a charter to proceed in ballast from San Francisco to Manila and there load for Boston or New York, and it was while being towed to sea that the disaster took place. According to the report the tug having her in tow kept too near the south shore, the wind being strong from the northwest; and there must have been considerable sea running at the time,—although the dispatch does not mention it,—as the hawser parted three times. The last time the rope broke the ship was off Fort Point, and so close in shore that before the line could be again passed she went on the rocks about two hundred yards outside the Fort, the pilot in charge vainly endeavoring to get sail on her in time to avert the disaster. As soon as she struck she commenced to pound very heavily, and as the bottom there is covered with jagged rocks there was scarcely a hope of being able to save her.

The Frank Jones was built by Neil & Matthews at Kittery Foreside, and was launched in September, 1873; she was one of the finest specimens of marine architecture ever sent out of this port, her dimensions being as follows: length of keel, 190 feet; length over all, 212 feet; breadth of beam, 39 feet, 2 inches; depth of hold, 25 feet, 9 inches; registered tonnage, 1453 13-100. Owners—Daniel Marcy, William Ross and Peter Marcy, each sixteen sixty-fourths; John Neal and John F. Matthews, each five sixty-fourths; Oliver Wilson, four sixty-fourths; Chandler Brooks, two sixty-fourths. She was built under the personal supervision of Capt. Marcy, in the best manner, her timbers and keelsons being the heaviest we ever saw put into a vessel of her size. She was commanded on her first voyage (and we think on her second also) by Capt. Ross. She was a fine sea-boat, a large carrier and a good sailer. We understand she was well insured.

SUPREME COURT.

Case Blake vs. Concord Railroad was taken from the jury at noon on Friday, and settled privately.

Case Benjamin T. Odion and wife vs. Moses H. Odion, (all of Rye,) action for slander, was decided on Saturday forenoon, the jury bringing in a verdict for the plaintiffs of $5 and costs.

Court then adjourned to 9 o'clock Monday forenoon.

EASTER SUNDAY

Was mild and pleasant, during the forenoon, seeming more like a May day than the first of April, even as nearly the whole of the previous month had been more like April than March; but at noon the wind hauled to the southward and eatsward, the air became raw and chilly, and the sky was overcast for the rest of the day. The attendance at the various churches was very large, and more people appeared on the streets than on any previous Sunday in many months. The churches were more extensively decorated than usual.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church there were three full services, which were all well attended. The floral decorations were more elaborate and beautiful than is usual at Easter. The large marble font was bordered with a wreath of variegated flowers, fringed with smilax; and placed upon it was a vase of flowers, and a large Latin cross of tea-roses and calla lilies, its base surrounded by a bed of roses. The reading desk was covered by a white cloth bordered with green, having in its centre a large cluster of fuchsias. The pulpit had upon it a crown of scarlet geraniums upon a foundation of variegated flowers. Within the chancel, the tablets were covered with white bordered with green, each tablet having in the centre a star of pink and white carnations. Upon the front of the communion table was a large bouquet or cluster of purple flowers, and on the table were a number of vases filled with choice flowers, with a large cross of calla lilies in the centre; with a line of blue, having upon it the words "Holy, Holy, Holy," in gilt letters.

The Unitarian church was elaborately and most beautifully dressed, in the vicinity of the pulpit. On top of the font was a large azalia, covered with flowers; and the sides of the font were draped to the floor with wax plants and roses—a beautiful display. Between the font and the pulpit was a tiny longiflorum in full bloom. In front of the altar was a large Maltese cross of ivy, decorated with twenty callas; at the right of the altar, and also on the table, were many large pyramids of very choice flowers. The afternoon service was especially for the Sunday school children, who occupied the body of the church; the first lesson was the 20th Service in the S. S. Service Book, "Immortality brought to light by Christ;" followed by a sermon on Luke 19: 2, after which Prang's beautiful Easter Cards were presented to each of the children of the Sabbath school and Parish.

At the Universalist the pastor's desk was tastefully dressed by the Sunday School teachers. A cross of calla lilies was on the front, a floral anchor on one side and a wreath on the other, with festoons of flowers around the top of the desk, and an abundance of smilax on front and sides. On the communion table (with other flowers) were two choice bouquets, presented to the pastor and his wife by Mrs. Justin Hanscom and Mrs. Littleton Laighton. On the right of the altar were calla lilies growing; on the left a large vase of beautiful flowers of various kinds. The effect of the whole was very neat and pleasing.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church the floral decorations were abundant. A very beautiful Gothic crucifix, recently procured from New York by Father O'Callaghan, and displayed on the altar on this occasion for the first time, was wreathed with flowers; and beautiful bouquets, the voluntary offerings of the worshippers, were so numerous as to almost cover the altar. The effect was very fine.

At the Baptist church the pulpit was ornamented with a very beautiful bouquet on the pastor's right; and on the platform, at the left of the desk, was a large openwork cross of flowers and smilax, rising from a very handsome floral pedestal.

At the Congregational church there was no decoration other than a vase of callas on the right hand of the pastor's desk.

JOTTINGS.

The grand Easter dance takes place this (Monday) evening at Congress Hall. Tickets fifty cents.

Sheriff Kent of Rockingham county has gone into the civil service reform business too. He has just removed a deputy for cause. Deputy Caleb Moulton of Hampstead helped to nominate Gen. Marston for Congress in a republican convention, and then he allowed Frank Jones to nominate him for Congress without any convention. A man who would betray an honest man like Gen. Marston to become the tool of Jones is totally unfit for any position. The cause of his removal is cause enough.—*Nashua Telegraph.*

Mr. Edward Janvrin, son of Mr. James Janvrin, while working on a building his father is putting up on the "Stoddard place," (near the Rye line,) recently bought by him, on Saturday fell a distance of eight feet, striking very heavily, breaking his collar-bone and receiving some severe bruises and a general shaking up.

Schooner Frank Jones, of this port, Spaulding master, at New York from Gonaives, reports that on March 26th, when off Barnegat, took a heavy gale from the northeast which lasted two days, during which she lost jibboom and flying-jib. She arrived at New York on Thursday, without further damage.

Arthur Durgin, of Greenland, while felling trees recently, met with a serious accident. A limb of a hemlock was caught by the end and bent in the form of a bow; he gave it a cut with his axe, when the end sprung free and the limb flying back struck him a blow in the face, breaking his nose and jaw, loosening his teeth and mangling his face in a shocking manner.

Commodore John Guest is ordered to the command of this Navy Yard, in place of Capt. English, who is ordered to continue duty as captain of the yard.

Steamer Perkiomen, from Philadelphia with 1200 tons of coal to C. E. Walker & Co., arrived at this port on Saturday.

J. Horace Kent, Esq., was on Friday chosen assignee of the estate of H. W. Briant by the creditors, at a meeting in Dover.

John O'Brien's "Mammoth Menagerie, Marvellous Museum and Cyclopean Circus," —six shows consolidated in one,—is coming, and will be here before a great while. Dates and details in due season.

To-morrow afternoon and evening the Rogers Mission Circle of the North Parish hold a Fair at their Chapel on Middle street. Useful and ornamental articles will be offered for sale, a hot supper will be served, and ice-creams and confectionery will be supplied to those who wish. See advertisement.

Rev. L. H. Witham closed his labors with the church at Kittery Point on Sunday, March 25th.

On March 17th the schooner Centennial, Capt. Bonnell, sailed from St. Thomas, West Indies, for Turk's Island, to take on board a cargo of salt for this port.

Two of the fishing schooners which have sailed out of this port for several winters past, including the last one, were wrecked on Saturday. The Queen of the Bay, Short master, and the Flying Fish, Thurlow master, both belonging to Newburyport, in attempting to leave that port Saturday morning were swept into the North Breakers by the fresh shoot of the Merrimac and the heavy roll of the sea, and totally wrecked. They were small craft, valued at about $1500 each; uninsured; crews saved.

From the large sale of tickets for "The Good Natured Man" (it is well worth a dollar to see a good natured man these hard times, though the price of tickets is but fifty cents,) on Wednesday evening next, we infer that our citizens are alive to the fun and genuine wit of Goldsmith's comedies. The gorgeous costumes from the city theatres will of themselves afford great pleasure to those fond of spectacular splendors. The seats at the rear of the Hall are equally as good as those at the front, so none need stay away because the front seats are taken.

SOUTH SEABROOK.

At the annual school meeting of District No. Five, including the greater part of South Seabrook, Rev. William A. Rand was chosen Prudential Committee. Two schools will now be held in the district, there being one hundred and twenty-five children of school age; the schools will be graded. The district is considering the subject of a new school-building.

On Saturday evening, the 24th, about ten o'clock, a strange dog bit Mr. Charles Foote on the arm, after biting several other dogs; the brute then disappeared. It is thought this was the same dog which occasioned so much excitement in other places.

A carriage road to connect South Seabrook with "the beach" is being talked of, but the ownership of the beach being in dispute is a great hindrance to the prosecution of the scheme. The beach is one of the finest in the country, and should be utilized. RAW.

DOVER'S APPROPRIATIONS.

The city Councils of Dover on Thursday evening passed the annual appropriation bill, as follows:

Highways,	$10,500
Bridges,	1,400
Repairs of Concrete Sidewalks,	500
Repairs of Sewers,	300
Salaries,	2,600
Health Dep't,	200
Miscellaneous Expenses,	2,000
Police Department,	3,500
Board of Prisoners,	700
Fire Department,	5,000
Gas Lights,	3,500
Interest,	13,350
Printing and Stationery,	650
Schools,	8,375
Cemetery,	200
Support of Paupers,	2,000
Repairs of School Houses,	970
Repairs of City Hall,	200
Evening Schools for Adults,	500
Sinking Fund, Railroad account,	6,750
	$63,200

—Stumbling into his room he sat down on the edge of the bed and soliloquised thus:—"Fee' wet, tight boots, a sore on one hand an' a felon on t'other, and no bootjack in the house. Sings got to be different. Either I mus' get married, else get a bootjack—wishall I do?"

—Judge Cloud of the Surry county (N. C.) court got mad with the court clerk, jumped from the bench, and, seizing the offending official by the neck, dropped him out of the window. The grand jury has now indicted his honor.

Deal Gently with the Stomach.

Do not rack it with violent purgatives, or permanently impair its tone with indiscreetible drugs of any kind; but, if your digestion is impaired, your liver out of order, your frame debilitated, or nervous system unstrung, use that wholesome and agreeable alterative and tonic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which will certainly afford you the desired relief. None of the officinal remedies can compare with it in restorative efficacy, and as a medicinal stimulant it is by far the most desirable as well as popular article of its class. Its basis, the essential principle of sound rye, is the best possible agent for hastening the action of the botanic ingredients which it holds in solution, and those ingredients are the most efficacious which chemistry extracts from the vegetable kingdom, and medical science applies to the cure of disease.

A Healthy Town.

Few towns are more generally healthy than the little township of Claremont, N. H. Epidemics and prevailing sickness of any kind are almost unknown here, which is accounted for by rapid streams, entire exemption from fogs, and the coolness of them, pure water, and the generally comfortable condition and regular habits of the people. And yet in any town in New England there are those who are subject to all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. In this particular, Claremont has an advantage over other places, in having a home remedy for these dread evils, in Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup Manufactory. Here is prepared a Syrup acknowledged by thousands as a sure and permanent cure for all throat and lung diseases. Go to your Druggists after it! Keep it in your house! If need be, carry it in your pocket! Try it!! Try it!!

Time-Proof Teeth.

The teeth may be rendered time-proof by brushing them daily with Sozodont. No tartar can encrust them, no canker effect the enamel, no species of decay infest the dental bone, if this pure and delicious dentrifice is faithfully used to the exclusion of every other preparation.

Mutilated furniture is made perfect with Spalding's Glue.

Let that cough continue and die of consumption, or pay 35 cents and be cured by *Adamson's Botanic Balsam.* Free sample bottle at the druggists'. Large bottles 75 cents.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, is becoming more popular every day since its reduction from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Army and Navy officers make their headquarters at the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia. So do leading business men of all sections, while for families and large parties of travellers, it also offers unequalled attractions.

BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

MRS. JOHN LANE,
Cor. Pleasant and Prospect Sts.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

DIED.

FELLOWS, in Grafton Centre, March 29th, after a long illness, Stephen Fellows, Esq., aged 70 years, 1 month and 16 days

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, March 31.

Steamer Perkiomen, Peirce, Philadelphia.

SAILED, March 31.

Sch Elizabeth M Smith, Raymond, Boston.
Sch Concord, Grey, Rockland.

"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $1. PLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. FSS&Gif

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* cod13y2

Bank Stock at Auction.

I SHALL sell at Auction at my office on **Saturday, April 7th,** at 12 o'clock, by direction of an Executor,

FIFTEEN SHARES

NATIONAL MECHANICS' & TRADERS' BANK.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

Dr. A. J. Flagg's

COUGH & LUNG SYRUP.

A Safe and Sure Remedy.

The Cough and Lung Syrup

Is the remedy that during the past fifteen years has won for DR. FLAGG an extended reputation as a SPECIALIST for THROAT and LUNG Diseases. After so many year- trial it can be truthfully said that it has NEVER FAILED, even in the WORST CASES. It is purely Vegetable, and its effect upon the system is at once **Soothing** and **Tonic.**

It Will Cure a Common Cold

In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION.

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in any case of advanced Consumption it effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat.

TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

Remember that it

CURES COLDS,
CURES COUGHS,
CURES CATARRH,
CURES CONSUMPTION,

DR. WM. M. LADD, a leading Druggist of Claremont, certifies as follows:—

For many years I have known Dr. A. J. Flagg as a successful practicing physician, and can assure the public that his representations relative to the Cough and Lung Syrup can be strictly relied upon. It has been used in his extended practice with marvelous success, and I know it to be a tried remedy for it.

WM. M. LADD, M. D.

CLAREMONT, N. H., September, 1875

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Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 1877.

South Carolina Affairs.

A Washington dispatch of Sunday says Hayes made up his mind Saturday night to withdraw the troops from the State House at Columbia, and so informed Hampton and Chamberlain at once. Hampton and his friends were jubilant; they were to leave for home at midnight of Sunday, with the understanding that the troops would be removed as soon as they got home. They say the prosperity of South Carolina is assured and the blacks will be protected. Chamberlain, after learning the determination of President Hayes to withdraw the troops, prepared a long letter of fourteen pages, which he sent to the President. It is in the nature of a sharp, vigorous protest against the action of the President; admits that he cannot sustain himself without the aid of the troops, but sets forth that Hayes could not have carried the State without the presence and use of the troops; declares that the blacks are no safer and freer in South Carolina now than then, and that there is and can be no free suffrage in that State without the protection of the troops for those desirous of voting the republican ticket. He tells Hayes that he has been deceived by the peace talk of Hampton and his friends, and will find his course will wipe out the republican party in South Carolina until the troops are again sent there. Chamberlain does not propose to oppose Hampton forcibly, but will peaceably acquiesce. He says, however, that he does not propose to leave the State, and thinks the tide will turn in his favor before 1880. It is stated positively that proceedings in quo warranto will be begun in Tilden's interest as soon as orders for the withdrawal of the troops are issued. The papers in the case are already in the hands of Richard Merrick, who will be Tilden's lawyer.

To the Public.

MANCHESTER, March 15.

The Board of Auditors appointed at the last session of the Legislature to inquire into the financial management of the Insane Asylum, and into the treatment of the insane, will hold a public session at the State House, in Concord, on Tuesday, the 17th day of April next, at 10 o'clock A. M., at which time and place a hearing will be given to all persons who may desire to submit for the consideration of the Board, any facts or suggestions material to the enquiry.

To several newspapers in the State are tendered to aid the investigation by giving publicity to the foregoing.

CHAS. H. BARTLETT, Chairman.

News and Notes.

A Leavenworth dispatch says a band of Sioux surprised a party of hunters at night recently on a buffalo range and killed sixteen, as they lay, but the remainder rallied and drove the Indians away with heavy loss.

The Boston *Globe* comments on the social distinctions between a "salary" of $600 a year and "wages" of $2 per day.

John P. Phair, the Rutland, Vt., murderer, who is to be executed at Windsor, next Friday, is overwhelmed with gifts of fruit and food from his friends. He still adheres to his claim of innocence.

American horses are making their mark in England. Their admission to race courses has improved the native stock, and there is beginning to be a general demand for them which can only be met by exportation direct from America. Thirty-nine horses were shipped last October from Montreal, and eighty-six more have been sent on from Philadelphia.

Experts, who have been making a thorough examination of the Niagara Suspension Bridge, have completed their duties, and reported that the bridge is entirely safe for the transit of trains.

Capt. Bogardus, in shooting his great match at Gilmore's Garden Friday evening, broke 1000 glass balls, one at a time, in the air in 77 minutes and 40 seconds. He only missed 28 balls out of 1028.

In Hartford, Thursday evening, two men seized a servant girl named Bridget Keele, robbed her of $110 and threw her into the river. She was saved by a small boy.

The confession of A. M. Ames, the organizer of the Labor Union of Chico, Cal., now under arrest, confirms the previous report that the organization is responsible for the recent reign of terror in Chico and vicinity.

In South Woodstock, Conn., the dam at Randall's mill gave way Tuesday morning, carrying away three bridges near by.

A New York sporting man, John T. Chamberlin, who recently went into bankruptcy, has settled with his creditors on the basis of one cent on a dollar. Eighty-one creditors' claims aggregated $170,000.

A strike of the engineers on the Reading Railroad is anticipated, consequent on the recent announcement of the corporation that no engineers who belong to the Brotherhood will be retained in employment unless they give up their membership.

Nine vessels of the Long Island fishing fleet are missing, having been unheard of for months, and are supposed to be lost with all on board; their names are as follows: schooner John S. Ryder, with a crew of ten men; S. J. Noble, ten men; Agnes Saunders, eleven men; Fanny Eves, eleven men; Emma Hurd, twelve men; J. F. Crooks, eleven men; Celia Bernard, eight men; William F. Merkle, twelve men; E. D. Baldwin, ten men. Total of the nine crews, ninety-five men.

It has been ascertained by the Secretary of the Navy that the appropriation made at the last session of Congress, to provide for the deficiency created by the failure at the first session to appropriate sufficient money to pay salaries of officers of the navy for the current fiscal year, is not sufficient to cover the deficiency.

It is stated that newspapers as a rule are not flourishing in New York. The *Herald*, which used to make a profit of seven or eight hundred thousand dollars a year, is only a little more than paying its expenses. It charges forty cents a line for advertising and gets all the "wants," "for sales," and what is known as the "servant girl" advertising. But the servant girls have little money now, and its pages are bare. The *Tribune* is losing money; the *Times* is just holding its own, and hardly that; the *Sun* is making something, but not much, and the rest are shaking money.

French barque St. Omer, from Bordeaux for St. Pierre, Newfoundland, was wrecked near Great Placentia bay March 22d, and all hands perished save the cook.

Among the assets of J. B. Ford & Co., formerly publishers of the Christian Union and of sundry books of a more or less Christian character, are a lot of stereotype plates, and although it is probably a very serious matter, one cannot help being amused at the value put upon them by a member of the firm in testifying before the Register in bankruptcy. For instance, "Man's immortality" is set down as of "no value either way." Either way seems to signify either present or prospective, actual or contingent, and consequently the plates are worth only what they will fetch as old metal. This is rather a flippant way of disposing of "Man's Immortality," but we are told that the "Overture of Angels" is of the same worthless character, and "Our Seven Churches" are good for nothing but to go to the melting pot. Beecher's "Life of Christ" is set down, not exactly at the altitude of a soaring kite, but as "speculative," having a possible future value of $5000. "Christ in Art" is mortgaged to a Boston man and may be worth $10,000 sometime, but is of no value now. There are some pious productions of Parson Halliday set down as worth "nothing at all," which is not very astonishing, and one feels a grim satisfaction at being told that the works of "Eli Perkins" are of some little value as old metal, nothing more. The metal is undoubtedly brass.—*Exchange.*

A Washington special to the Boston *Journal* says: "The dissatisfaction of the southern republican Congressmen may crystallize into a third party, which will on some matters act with the democrats. It is said that already three southern Senators and thirteen southern Representatives have pledged themselves to stand together as a unit, and that they hope to get some northern republican who likes to rule or to ruin as their leader."

New Hampshire Items.

The house and barn of Henry Lang, in Dalton, were burned Thursday. The fire caught from a defective chimney. Loss about $1400; insured $100.

Mrs. Margaret Sargent Evans died at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Nancy Ross, at Concord, on Wednesday evening last, aged 101 years, 8 months and 21 days. Pneumonia was the immediate cause of her death. She remained conscious to the last. Mrs. Evans's maiden name was Margaret Sargent. She was born in Chester, July 7, 1775, and married Sherburne Wiggin, and removed to Concord in 1797. In 1814 Mr. Wiggin died, and she subsequently married Artemus Evans. Four daughters survive her, viz.: Mrs. Mary Wells of New York city, Mrs. J. S. Abbott, Mrs. Nancy Ross and Mrs. John F. Brown of Concord. She was one of the early members of the Unitarian Church, and was the oldest person in that section of New Hampshire if not in the entire State.

The New Hampshire annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church will hold its forty-eighth session in Dover, commencing Wednesday forenoon, April 18th, and continuing about a week. Bishop Jesse T. Peck, D. D., of San Francisco is to preside. There are 140 belonging to this conference, nearly all of whom have signified their hope to be present and take part in the deliberations, which are expected to be important.

—Dr. Holland says the most precious possession that ever comes to a man in this world is a woman's heart. It would seem that he has never observed the tender care with which a man handles a meerschaum pipe that is just beginning to have a bilious look around the base of the bowl.

—A Fryeburg, Me., man got so disgusted with his wife because she discharged a pretty servant girl in a fit of jealousy that he went to Chicago for divorce papers. The wife got wind of his game, and in order to ensure its entire success, eloped with another man. The laws of Maine will probably now be sufficient for the husband's purpose.

MARRIED.

HARMON—BUTLER. In South Berwick, Maine, March 31, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. O. T. Mouli n, Rev. L. L. Harmon, of this city, and Miss Mary J. Butler of South Berwick. Mrs. Harmon is the daughter of Mr. George W. Butler, a well to-do trader at South Berwick village, a cousin to Mr. William H. Thompson, treasurer of the Kearsarge Mills, of this city, and also cousin to Rev. Dr. J. J. Butler, Professor of Hillsdale College, Mich.

DIED.

CHESTER. In Rome, Ashtabula Co., Ohio, March 9th, Deacon Erastus Chester, in the 88th year of his age. March 23d, two weeks after her husband, Mercy Jackson Chester, formerly of this city, in the 82d year of her age.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, April 2.

Sch Harriet Thomas, Vanellief, Hoboken.
Sch Bill Stowe, Manson, Hoboken.

Ship Favorita, Cerrish, old from Manila for Hello and Boston, March 16.

Sch Sallie E. Bateman, for this port old from Philadelphia March 30.

Schs Osprey, Crowley, and Harriet Thomas, Vanellief, for this port from Hoboken, and Mountain Laurel, Farwell, for this port from Port Johnson, are at Vineyard Haven March 30.

—A lovesick girl who had married against her father's wishes came back after the first conjugal tiff. "Kill the prodigal," exclaimed the father, "the calf has returned."

From the Renowned and Gallant Colonel Gibbs of Tennessee.

LAWRENCEBURG, Tenn., Nov. 9, 1876.
DR. PIERCE:

Dear Sir—For many years I was afflicted with Catarrh, but in 1872 was attacked with a severe pain through the forehead and eyes. When I coughed or made a sudden movement, the pain was like the stab of a knife. The physicians and remedies I employed gave me no relief. At last I procured a package of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy and used it according to directions. It gave immediate relief. I continued it for a few months and was entirely cured, and I have not since had a symptom of the disease. Others have used it upon my recommendation with the same result. I regard it as an infallible remedy.

Yours thankfully,
T. H. GIBBS.

JUVENILE DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. SAMUEL LAMPREY

GIVES notice to the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity that he will commence a Dancing School for Young Ladies, Masters and Misses at CONGRESS HALL, commencing Saturday afternoon, April 14th, at three o'clock, and continue on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons for a period of twenty-four lessons. **Terms, $10 for the Course.** Mr. LAMPREY will teach the *latest style* of Waltzing, and also the **POLKA!**

☞ Mr. LAMPREY will give private lessons to those who wish.

CO-PARTNERSHIP NOTICE.

Notice.

I HEREBY give notice that I have this day associated my son, ARTHUR F. PFEIFFER, in business with myself under the firm name of PFEIFFER & CO.

J. S. PFEIFFER.

Portsmouth, N. H., April 2, 1877.

Co-partnership.

THE Undersigned have this day formed a Co-Partnership under the firm name of PFEIFFER & Co. They will continue the Small Ware, Dry and Fancy Go ds Business at **No. 73 Congress Street**, and respectfully invite a continuance of the patronage which has been so generously bestowed upon the old firm. Our Store will be open every evening on and after this date.

J. S. PFEIFFER,
A. F. PFEIFFER.

Portsmouth, N. H., April 2, 1877.

BLUE GLASS

TREATMENT FREE AT

C. DWIGHT HANSCOM & CO.'S

NO. 16 CONGRESS STREET,

The Cheapest Place in New Hampshire to buy

PLATED WARE,
CROCKERY and
PAPER, GLASS WARE,
ENVELOPES, etc., etc.

Of the Best Quality.

ROGERS BLOCK, ... PORTSMOUTH.

BLUE ARMY BLOUSES.

WE have just received a few more of those BLUE ARMY BLOUSES, which have been in such demand for the last twelve months.

C. E. MYERS & CO.,
No. 3 BOW STREET.

American and Swiss

WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

CLOCKS and JEWELRY.

—AT—

Messrs. C. E. & J. E. DIXON'S,
7 CONGRESS STREET.

Fine Watch Repairing and Engraving.
Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

SEASON OF 1877.

NEW SMOKED HALIBUT!

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY
LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

ROOM PAPERS!

ROOM PAPERS ARE SELLING AT

Goodrich's New Room Paper Store,

CHEAPER THAN ELSEWHERE IN THIS CITY!

PRICES FROM 5 CENTS PER ROLL UPWARDS.

NO OLD STOCK.

WINDOW SHADES, FIXTURES, CORD, TASSELS, etc.

MERCER GOODRICH,
City Building, Market Square, Portsmouth, N. H.

THE BLIND MAN

WHO MENDS CANE-SEAT CHAIRS

HAS REMOVED his place of business to the room over Mr. Jos. Pettigrew's store, corner of Congress and High streets, and solicits a continuance of patron ge from those who have chairs needing re-seating.

CHINESE SOAP!

THE FAMOUS CHINESE SOAP,

Together with a large assortment of

All the Best SOAPS Used.

FOR SALE BY
LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

Wanted, Lost, Found.

Situation Wanted,

BY a young woman, to do general housework in a small family. Apply at
21 COURT STREET.

Wanted.

BY a young woman, a situation as Housekeeper in a small family. Good references.
Address P. O. Box 1572, Portsmouth.

Wanted.

BY a young American GIRL, a situation in which to take care of children. Apply at
No. 28 HANOVER STREET.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with the Secretary at the City Clerk's Office, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH S. NORN,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAYNER,
ROBERT KING,
JAMES A. RUGG,
CHARLES H. BENDUM,
Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

PORTSMOUTH

INSURANCE AGENCY.

Established 1834.

JOHN SISE,

NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE,

is authorized Agent and Attorney for the following reasonable Companies:

ÆTNA INSURANCE COMPANY,
HARTFORD, CONN. . . . . Assets $7,000,000.

HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE CO.
HARTFORD, CONN. . . . . Assets $3,200,000.

HOME INSURANCE COMPANY,
NEW YORK. . . . . Assets $6,000,000.

FRANKLIN FIRE INSURANCE CO.,
PHILADELPHIA. . . . . Assets $3,300,000.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY,
LIVERPOOL, ENG. . . . . Assets $18,000,000 (gold.)

PENNSYLVANIA FIRE INS. CO.,
PHILADELPHIA. . . . . Assets $1,600,000.

Business men and owners of Property desiring every security by Insurance against loss and damage by fire, will find it for their interest to place their risks in the above companies, some of which have been represented in this vicinity for nearly fifty years.

All losses will be promptly adjusted and paid by the undersigned.

JOHN SISE,
INSURANCE AGENT,
OFFICE NO. 5 MARKET SQUARE.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

: —OF— :

SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS.

—AT—

WM. P. WALKER'S

NO. 8 MARKET SQUARE.

Having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, ETC.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

SUMMER SUITINGS

IS UNEQUALLED

☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

ARMY & NAVY REGULATION UNIFORMS.

ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Constantly on hand, consisting of

SHIRTS,
GLOVES,
BOSOMS,
COLLARS,
DRAWERS,
SUSPENDERS,
LINEN GOODS,
HANDKERCHIEFS

Of Every Description.

SICK HEADACHE.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.

I have suffered with Sick Head-Ache as often as every two weeks, for *Fifteen Years*. At times in such severe pain I *fainted away*. I tried every thing I could hear of and was attended by Physicians. I continued in this condition until last December when I commenced with the Lit le Giant Pills. I have not had a Head-Ache since. I want every person who suffers as I have, to try this Medicine and be cured, and if any such are not able to pay for a box, I will buy a box and give them.

MRS. CARRIE A. HODGDON, 7 Dennett St.

☞ SOLD BY ALL THE DRUGGISTS.

Trade Mark on Square Boxes.

EASTER CARDS!

A Beautiful Variety of

NEW DESIGNS

For SUNDAY SCHOOL GIFTS and friendly tokens.

ALSO,

Prang's Crosses and Bouquets

FOR EASTER.

Just Received By
JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

The Perfection
GRANITE IRON
Tea and Coffee POTS,

With Mountings of WHITE METAL and NICKEL PLATE.

The best and latest invention in this line.

FOR SALE BY

JOHN P. SWEETSER,
Deale in HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, 46 Market St

HEALTH FOOD CO.

A SMALL LOT OF

Cold Blast Whole Wheat Flour,
Pearled Wheat,
Granulated Wheat (coarse),
" " (fine),
Pearled Oats,
White Wheat Gluten,
Granulated Barley.

Just received and for sale by

Butler & Laighton,
3 MARKET SQUARE.

LAGER BEER.

25 DOZ. FRESH BOTTLED

Philadelphia Lager Beer,

For Sale By
BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

SLICED DRIED BEEF!

SLICED DAILY
In Quantities to suit Customers!
For Sale By
BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

Musical Instruction!

MR. S. W. COLE,

(Organist at Middle Street Baptist Church,)

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity, that he is prepared to receive pupils on the Piano Forte and Organ. Having secured a Henry F. Miller Pedal Piano, with Pedal Bass constructed precisely like that of Pipe Organs, rare facilities are offered those who wish to learn Organ playing. Terms $1 for twenty-two lessons of one hour each.

Mr. Cole refers by permission to Dr. E. Tourjee Director of the N. E. Conservatory of Music; Prof. J. W. Tufts, Organist and Director of Music at King's Chapel, and C. H. Morse, Prof. of Music at Wesleyan Female College.

Orders left at his residence, No. 9 State Street, or at D. H. Montgomery's Music Store, will receive prompt attention.

JAMES M. CARR, Agent,

DEALER IN

BOOTS & SHOES

No. 34 MARKET STREET,

(Formerly HILL & CARR.)

Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*

☞ All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

IRON AND STEEL.

CARRIAGE AND TIRE BOLTS.

Heavy & Building Hardware.

HORSE-SHOE NAILS.

All Kinds of Painters' Supplies.

SHIP CHANDLERY.

OILS AND VARNISHES.

RIDER & COTTON,
69 MARKET STREET, ... Portsmouth, N. H.

PUBLIC INVITATION.

The pleasure of your company is requested at

No. 1 Congress Block,

To examine the full line of

ROOM PAPERS,
BORDERS, CURTAINS,
CURTAIN FIXTURES,
TASSELS, CORD,

Which I have just received and marked at prices unrivalled in this city since before the war.

JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

SPRING AND SUMMER

FASHIONS!

"What to Wear,"
Demorest's "Quarterly,"
Demores's "Portfolio,"
Leslie's "Ladies' Magazine,"
Petersons "Ladies' Magazine,"
Harper's Bazar—weekly,

RECEIVED THIS DAY AT

JOSEPH H. FOSTER'S,
1 CONGRESS BLOCK. . . . . Portsmouth, N. H

CITY NOTICE.

PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms.

WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS.

—A FEW MORE OF THOSE

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

William P. Walker's,
No. 8 Market Square.

Carriage Material

AND

BLACKSMITHS' SUPPLIES.

I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Springs, Axles, Sleigh Dashes, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

G. J. GREENLEAF,
Rear Post Office . . . . . Portsmouth, N. H.

PULMOCINE.

Amusements.

North Parish Fair

THE ROGERS MISSION CIRCLE

Of the North Parish will hold a FAIR at the CHAPEL ON MIDDLE STREET,

—ON—

Tuesday Afternoon and Evening, April 3d

A Variety of useful and ornamental articles will be offered for sale.

☞ A Supper will be served at 6 o'clock. Also Ice Cream and Confectionery for sale.

Admission, 15 cents. Doors open at 4 P. M.

Real Estate.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to
March 31, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET.
Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

House to Let.

A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to
HENRY F. GERRISH.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Whipple, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—do close out.
Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

For Sale.

HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Drisco.
Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND, at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tobbetts.
House No. 35 Deer Street.
Brick House No. 56 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 2 Rockingham Street.
Apply to
A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for house cellar.
FRANK W. MILLER.

A Rare Chance.

FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and plot of land, suitable for a SUMMER RESORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attics, and on the place is a good BARN and fine water; everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view, the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times, and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.
Enquire of
JOSEPH L. MARDEN,
M12d&w1m Kittery Point, Me.
Or, WILLIAM DOWNS & SON, Portsmouth.

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. This House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travel to street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

—APPLY TO—

JOSEPH S. GRANT
2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

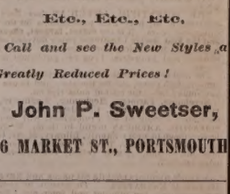
LAND FOR SALE.

THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Ira Bazelton, at the corner of Cross Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Cross Street contains two acres and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which lies under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon this two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,
CLARENCE B. MASON.

CHILDREN'S

CARRIAGES.



GAS FIXTURES,

Etc., Etc., Etc.

Call and see the New Styles and Greatly Reduced Prices!

John P. Sweetser,
46 MARKET ST., PORTSMOUTH

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, and Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

1877'S MAPLE SUGAR

ALSO NEW DATES.

FOR SALE BY
LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30* P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.45,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "	
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

SUPREME COURT.

On Monday case Craig vs. Gerrish (action to recover damages for bite of dog) was to have been tried, but was postponed on account of sickness of defendant's counsel, the trial being set for the last week in April, in this city. The docket was looked over, and no cases being ready for trial the Court adjourned.

POLICE COURT.

On Monday forenoon Jerry Murphy was brought up, charged with being a common drunkard,—and sentenced to three months at Brentwood, and to work out $6.90 costs in addition.

THE CABLE WAR NOT OVER YET.

It appears that the Direct Cable Company cannot place itself under the control of the Anglo-American without going into liquidation—a scheme requiring the approval of three-fourths of the stockholders; and the managing director of the Direct Cable has issued a circular asking the shareholders to support him in preventing the consolidation party from obtaining the three-fourths majority which is necessary. The company will do well to heed the warning of its managing director, and refrain from taking the perilous step advocated by the amalgamationists. The interests of the public are strongly against the consolidation schemes of the Anglo-American Company, and so, we believe, are the real interests of the Direct Cable stockholders, though a temporary advantage might accrue to the latter from the re-establishment of the old monopoly and high rates. Once in course of dissolution the Direct Cable Company would lose the moral support it now enjoys, and it might be seriously embarrassed should the Canadian Government insist upon the fulfillment of its charter. Besides, the spectacle of a corporation deliberately winding up its affairs in order to break faith with the public and the legislature to which it owes existence, must bring discredit upon all international schemes organized in London.

JOTTINGS.

Mr. Thomas Chase of Seabrook met with a singular accident on Tuesday of last week. While playing with his children, a pin, which was no doubt secreted in the clothing of one of the little ones, pricked one of his legs, touching the sciatic nerve, since which time Mr. Chase has been dangerously ill and suffering terribly. Strong symptoms of lock-jaw have shown themselves, and at last accounts it was thought by his physician that the chances for his recovery were slight.

A San Francisco despatch of March 31st says every effort was made to save ship Frank Jones, before reported ashore outside of Fort Strong, but without avail, as she bilged and filled with water. The sails, spars and stores were expected to be saved.

We are requested to state that the prospectus number of the new Portsmouth *Weekly* newspaper will be issued about the middle of April, from the *Journal* building. Advertisements may now be sent to the counting-room of Frank W. Miller & Co., the publishers—entrance on Pleasant Street. See advertisement of the *Weekly* in another column of this paper.

Auctioneer Wendell will sell to-morrow, on the premises at Newington, all the personal property belonging to the estate of the late David Barry, consisting of household furniture and farm tools, carriages, horse, cow, etc. See advertisement.

Mr. Samuel Lamprey, who has given instruction in dancing to a large percentage of the present and prospective fathers and mothers of this city, in another column announces the opening of his school for young ladies, masters and misses, in Congress Hall, on Saturday afternoon, April 14th. Mr. Lamprey will not only teach the latest styles of waltzing, but will give instruction in "the stately minuet"—the "society" dance in Lady Washington's day, and long before.

Messrs. Charles E. Bailey, Charles S. Dodge and Oliver H. Locke commenced the enrollment of all citizens liable to bear arms, on Monday.

Schoolcraft & Coes' Minstrels, comprising twenty performers, will give an entertainment at Franklin Opera House on Monday evening, April 9th.

—A Kansas farmer purchased a revolver for his wife, and insisted on target practice, so that she could defend her house in case of his absence. After the bullet had been dug out of his leg and the cow buried, he said he guessed that she'd better shoot with an axe.

—A St. Louis Sunday School boy gave the teacher this illustrative definition of "responsibility:" "Boys has two buttons for their s'penders so's to keep their pants up. When one button comes off, why there's a good deal of 'sponsibility on the other button."

—Lovers of the weed may be interested to learn that Carlyle smokes a clay pipe.

MASONIC DIRECTORY

Of Portsmouth, for the Year 1877.

St. John's Lodge.

Thomas J. Mitchell,	W. M.
Matthew T. Belton,	S. W.
John S. Whidden,	J. W.
Isaac Dow,	Treas.
John H. Cheever,	Sec.
Thomas R. Martin,	S. D.
William H. Parks,	J. D.
Robert King,	Chaplain.
Alfred J. Hill,	Marshal.
Leslie Whitehouse,	S. S.
William E. Cooke,	J. S.
William B. Randall,	Tyler.
John W. Dame,	Rep. to Grand Lodge.
Samuel S. Fletcher, Oliver G. Fernald,	Standing Com.

Stated Communications—1st Wednesday of each month; Annual—1st Wednesday in December.

St. Andrew's Lodge.

John Pender,	W. M.
George E Hanson,	S. W.
Wm. A. Hodgon,	J. W.
Wingate N. Ilsley,	Treas.
Alfred F. Howard,	Sec.
Andrew J. Sides,	S. D.
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Stephen W. Clarke,	Chaplain.
John P. Marden,	Marshal.
John H Rose.	S. S.
Josiah T. Brown,	J. S.
Wm. B. Randall,	Tyler.
Samuel C. Whittier, Wm. F. Walker,	Standing Com.
Harry G. Tanton,	Rep. to G. L.

Stated Communications—2d Monday of each month. Annual—November 30.

Washington Chapter.

Benjamin F. Webster,	H. P.
William A. Ashe.	K.
Alfred F. Howard,	S.
John Nutter,	T.
O. G. Fernald,	Sec.
John Dame,	C. H.
John R. Holbrook,	P. S.
C. W. Norton,	R. A. C.
T. E. O. Marvin,	M. 3d V.
C. C. Akerman,	M. 2nd V.
Alfred J. Hill,	M. 1st V.
John Christie,	C.
Thomas R. Martin, William A. Hodgdon,	Stewards.
William B. Randall,	Tyler.

Stated Convocations—Fourth Tuesday in each month; Annual—Fourth Tuesday in December.

DeWitt Clinton Commandery.

Washington Freeman,	E. C.
William P. Walker,	G.
Albert R. Hatch,	C. G.
John Christie,	P.
Charles W. Gardner,	S. W.
John H. Cheever,	J. W.
Wingate N. Ilsley,	T.
James F. Lenness,	R
Daniel G. Ratt,	S. B.
Benjamin F. Webster,	S. B.
William A. Peirce,	W.
Thomas E. O. Marvin,	3d G.
Charles C. Akerman,	2d G.
George E. Hanson,	1st G.
Samuel S. Fletcher,	S

Stated Conclaves—Third Monday in each month; Annual—Third Monday in December.

Grand Council of Princes of Jerusalem.

John Christie,	M. E. S. P. G. M.
C. G. Pickering,	G. H. P. D. G. M.
John Dame,	M. E. S. G. W.
Alfred J. Hill,	M. E. J. G. W.
J. H. Cheever,	V. G. S. K. of S. & A.
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Albert R. Hatch,	G. O.
Isaac Dow,	G. T.
Wilbur F. Neal,	G. S. K. of S.
John Dame,	G. M. of C.
John Nutter,	G. C. of G.
Alfred J. Hill,	G. H. P.
William B. Randall,	G. T.

Meetings 3rd Wednesday of Jan., April, July and Oct., and annual meeting 3d of Hebrew month Adar.

Davenport Council.

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John R. Holbrook,	R. I. G. M.
William P. Walker,	I. G. M.
Benjamin F. Webster,	Treas.
George E. Hanson.	Recorder.
Charles W. Norton,	C. of C.
Harry G. Tanton,	C. of G.
William B. Randall,	Tyler.

Stated Meetings—Third Thursday in March, June, September and December.

N. H. Chapter of Rose Croix.

Washington Freeman,	M. W. & P. M.
J. R. Holbrook,	M. E. & P. K. S. W.
Oliver G. Fernald,	M. E. & P. K. J. W.
Albert R. Hatch,	M. E. & P. K. G. O.
Wingate N. Ilsley,	R. & P. K. T.
John H. Cheever,	R. & P. K. S.
Benj. F. Webster,	R. & P. K. H.
John Dame,	R. P. & P. K. M. of C.
J. B. Upham, Jr.	R. P. & P. K. C. G.

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William P. Walker,	Pres't.
John R. Holbrook,	V. P.
William H. Sise,	Treas.
John H. Cheever,	Sec.

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Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	120½
Nashua & Lowell	90
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Marlborough—S T Seymons, d
Nelson—Charles J Ambler, r, H M Jones r
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Ward 2, Charles G Shedd, r
Ward 3, John W Sturtevant, r, George A Sherman, r
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Ward 5, Horatio Colony, d
Marlboro'—F E Thurston, r
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Richmond—Joseph B Abbott, r
Rockingham—Rodrigo Kingsbury, r
Rindge—Leo W Stearns, r
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Stoddard—Joel F Whittemore, d
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Troy—William G Silsby, r
Walpole—Henry Burt, d, John C Brown, d
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Charlestown—I. H Hayes, r, Brooks Kimball, r
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John H Hommerd, George G Ide, all r
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Croydon—John Blanchard, r
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Bristol—S S Foster C H Magiett, r
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TOTAL.

Republicans, 224, Democrats 136.

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To the Hon. Judge of Probate

FOR THE COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM,

In the State of New Hampshire.

RESPECTFULLY shows SAMUEL C. PERKINS of Boston, Mass., that he is trustee under the will of Mary E. P. Emery, late of Newington in said County, deceased, leaving, for the benefit of Lulu Pickering, a minor child of said testatrix, by the appointment of the Judge of Probate for the aforesaid County of Rockingham; that his said estate consists of a certain farm and buildings situate in said Newington, containing twenty acres, bounded on the north by land of T. Bent on Hoyt and Darius Frink, easterly by land of Reuben L. Lane, southerly by the new road, and westerly by the road leading from Newington Meeting-house to Greenland; the other piece is bounded northerly by said new road; easterly by land of R. L. Lane, southerly in land of heirs of Abigail Hutchinson now in the occupation of Charles Pickering, and westerly by said road to Greenland. The whole containing about seventy acres, more or less. That in his opinion it would be for the interest of said estate that the same should be sold and the proceeds of said sale invested in some safe manner as will be most for the interest of said estate for said minor child and your Honor shall direct. Wherefore he prays that he may be authorized to sell such real estate and invest the proceeds of such sale according to the statute in such case made and provided.

SAMUEL C. PERKINS, Trustee.

By his Attorney, WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

Probate Court at Portsmouth in said County, March 20, A. D. 1877.

UPON the foregoing Petition, it is Ordered, that a hearing be had thereon at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth in said County, on the Second Tuesday of May next; and that the Petitioner notify all persons concerned to appear at said Court, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, by causing said petition and this order to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Morning Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in said County, the first publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Democratic Intolerance.

It has been remarked that a very strange fact has been developed by the vote on the Constitutional Amendments. Democratic towns, that have been democratic since the flood, voted by large majorities against the proposition to abolish the Protestant qualification of members of the legislature, and thus put all sects on an equal footing. This fact appears all the stranger because the democratic party has represented for twenty years that it is the particular friend of the adopted voter, and that the republican party is his particular enemy. This the republican party has repeatedly and justly denied, but in spite of the denial the adopted voters, and especially the Irish Catholics, have almost unanimously carried the democratic ticket, and won every democratic victory that has been won in the State, and in every city of the State. For their votes, what has the democratic party given in return? For keeping that party alive when the breath was ready to leave it, what have the Irish Catholics gained? When the test question came, how has the democratic party redeemed its unctuous professions. "Taxation without representation is tyranny." That was the test. If Catholics by the Constitution are ineligible to seats in the legislature, as they have been in this State for eighty and more years, then there can be no justice in taxing them? What is the democratic record on this question?

Look at it. We have the record in more than fifty towns, all democratic, and all voted to perpetuate this unjust and odious discrimination against Catholics. Rye, Middleton, New Durham, Strafford, North Hampton, Raymond, Barnstead, Wolfeborough, Danbury, Epsom, Pittsfield, Wilmot, Hillsborough, Marlow, Swanzey, Sunapee, Alexandria, Franconia, Grafton, Hebron, Plymouth, Thornton, Wentworth, Woodstock, Carroll, Pittsburg and Randolph, are strong democratic towns, and all gave a majority in the negative. Many other democratic towns failed to ratify, and among them were Greenland, Seabrook, Sanbornton, Tilton, Conway, Effingham, Bow, Bradford, London, Salisbury, Brookline, Deering, and Greenfield. Of course some republican towns failed to ratify, but that does not disturb the evident fact that the Catholics of this State owe the abolition of the religious test to the votes of the republican party. We should think that this fact would compel every adopted voter to ask himself the question, "What am I voting with the democratic party for? I have been fooled long enough. Hereafter I propose to vote with a party that votes as it professes."—*Nashua Telegraph.*

Dangerous Discovery in Photography.

Photographers are certainly very clever people. The most recent feat that they seem to have successfully accomplished is the reproduction of the blue notes of the Bank of France and the red ones of some of the Scotch banks. Both red and blue have for a long time past been deemed sufficient to baffle such professors of the black art as strive to compete with Government and bankers in the production of these valuable document. The National Bank at Vienna has, however, it appears, lately been much troubled with forgeries of the familiar cobalt-blue notes of the French, while from Scotland we hear of genuine and imitation notes being pinned together; so like one another as to deceive all but the most experienced. The colors are not, of course, reproduced by the camera as they appear to the eye, for the supposed safety in the employment of blue and red upon bank notes was that the former comes out very light in a photograph, and the latter very dark. Science has, however, recently shown that the effect of color upon a sensitive plate may be increased and diminished at will. A German chemist has plainly demonstrated that by tinting the collodion used in taking a picture, or by employing glass plates of different colors, objects may be vividly photographed, which under ordinary circumstances would be only faintly depicted. At the Bank of France, strange to say, whose notes have been so freely copied, there is a photographic establishment where a good deal of useful work is done in the way of discovering forgeries, the sharp eye of the camera being a most searching detective. The slightest erasure upon the surface of a cheque, or the alteration of a figure, which is imperceptible to the eye, is at once made apparent by photography. Color, it would seem, is, after all, but very little protection, for the English bank note is, now-a days, very rarely imitated; and the same may be said of the German paper money, which is printed in black and white. A combination of colors, laid one over another, has been suggested, and would probably render the difficulty of copying by means of the camera almost insuperable; but it certainly behooves us, in these days of experiment and discovery, to be very careful in our estimates of the impossible.

How the Vassar Girls Amuse Themselves.

They have a unique custom at Vassar, and withal a very good one for those times, when it is so much harder to get cash than to spend it. It is a custom, too, which should be brought to the notice of the students in political economy, for it creates a money value in what has heretofore not had a dollar and cent value. It is stated thus: If a "fair Vassarite" has a young gentleman visitor on "Phil" day or founder's day, it seems to be generally known

beforehand. As he walks up to or about the college he is at once made the cynosure of many eyes. The lady who has the good fortune to be visited disposes of the innocent subject, and she meets the girls, and the unfortunate youth is sold by auction; yes, put up, struck off, sold by the hour, to the highest bidder! If he is good looking, stylish, distingue, the bids run high, the excitement is intense, and the profits enormous. In this way he is disposed of for the evening, and the fair one realizes a handsome sum, enough to supply her with creams and pin money for a fortnight at least. If he does not possess these charming attributes the bidding is languid, and not much is realized. Such is the custom as related by one of the traffickers.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1877.

Another Ocean Horror.

Schooner Addie Todd, Capt. Corson, arrived at Boston on Monday, from Surinam March 11th. On Tuesday of last week, March 27th, at six o'clock A. M., while steering a course of the wind blowing heavily and sea running high, the Addie Todd passed close by a wreck and saw two men upon it; could not then render any assistance, but hove to at once, and after o'clock the weather moderated so that the schooner could beat back to the wreck, which was reached at 11:30, at which time but man remained. As a boat could not be used the Addie Todd was worked near enough to throw a line, which the castaway failed to catch; but the gallant rescuers repeated the perilous maneuvre of putting their vessel within heaving distance of the wreck five times, and at two o'clock, P. M., the only survivor of the wreck was drawn on board. He proved to be William Maguire, the only man left of the company of brig Roanoke, Capt. Wilkey, of Kingston, Jamaica, which left Philadelphia for Porto Cabello on the 16th of March, with a crew of nine man, and three passengers, Mr. and Mrs. Dallett and a Spanish gentleman. Maguire's account of the disaster is as follows:

"At two P. M., on Sunday, March 18, we left the Delaware and had fine weather till Monday afternoon, when a westerly gale sprung up. We shortened sail till, at 12 o'clock, the vessel was running under a stormtrysail, mainstaysail, foretopsail and foretopmast staysail. At 12:30 she broached to and shipped a heavy sea, filling the decks full. Failing to get the vessel before the wind, we cut away the mainmast, which fell athwart the deck, breaking the cabin deck. We then cut away the foremast. The seas were now making a clean breach over the vessel, and washed away the forward house and the booby hatches, filling her full of water and leaving her unmanageable. All hands had to take refuge aft on the quarter deck, the sea making a clean breach over her. On Tuesday, the 19th, it was blowing a gale from the southward. At day we saw a sail, and at 9 A. M., a two-masted schooner saw us and ran down toward us. We made signals to her to lay by us, but she continued on her course and left us. At this time the wind was moderating, and in the afternoon it was fine and the wind had gone down considerably. Had the schooner laid by us she would have saved all hands. We got a little preserved food that day, and some lager beer. We had a fine night. Wednesday, the 20th, we had a fine day. A barque passed to leeward of us, but did not see us. In the evening a gale sprung up from the northwest and there was a heavy sea. Thursday, the 21st, came in with a heavy gale from the northwest, the seas breaking over the vessel clean fore and aft, causing her to begin to break up. The captain wished to take to the boat, but was persuaded not to. In the afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Dallett shook hands with the captain and mate, bid all hands good-bye, and said they hoped they would meet in heaven. Mr. Dallett then took his wife's waterproof and twisted it around her head; they embraced and drowned themselves, and were locked fast when the sea drifted them off. The Spanish gentleman then said his prayers and wrapped a quilt around his head and then drowned himself. Soon after this a heavy sea carried away the after-deck. The captain, steward, one sailor and a boy drifted away on it. The stern went next, and the mate and second mate went away with it. The mate drowned alongside; the second mate was on it when last seen. There were now two men with myself left. Everything was gone, down to the lower deck. We were lashed to the stump of the mainmast. A brig passed close to us, but dip not take any notice of us. We got some tallow to eat, but we suffered very much from thirst. It blew a gale all night. Friday it was still blowing a gale. In the morning we saw a barque about a mile away, but she did not take any notice of us. In the afternoon it moderated and we got some tallow to eat, but our thirst was fearful. Saturday was a fine day. We saw a square-rigged vessel to leeward. Got some crabs and a tin of sardines, but no water. Sunday it was blowing a gale from the southeast. One man went crazy with thirst and drowned himself. Got a candle to eat, but our thirst was fearful. Monday it was still blowing a gale from the southeast, with rain, but the sea was breaking so that we could not get it fresh. Tuesday it was still blowing a gale from the southeast. At daylight saw this schooner (the Addie Todd,) and waved a pair of drawers, which she saw; but it blew too hard for her to assist us, so she hove to and waited till the gale lulled, and then beat back. After trying five times, I caught a line and was hauled on board. The other man went crazy when the schooner was lying to to get us, and drowned himself."

—It is not right, but the man with the least mind has the greatest trouble in making it up.

News and Notes.

On Wednesday evening last a sad drowning accident, caused by the freshet, occurred at Kenduskeag, Me., under the following circumstances: Mr. Miles of that place, accompanied by Allen Darlin, and his son Warren Darlin, were returning from Bangor with provisions for their families, and crossed the bridge, but on entering the road on the other side the team and men were swept down stream by the rush of water which overflowed the road. The horses and wagon were seen several times as they were swept down the stream. The Darlins were saved, the older man by the boy, sixteen years old, who seized him by the hair as he was going down the third time. Mr. Miles leaves a wife and two children. The men had just returned from the woods, and the loss of the provisions, etc., is quite a heavy one for them. The body of Mr. Miles was found Friday.

Bismarck has requested and received a year's furlough, which is considered as equivalent to his retirement from active political life.

George D. McKenna, aged six years, was run over by a hack on Saturday at Lewiston, and had several ribs broken. He died on Monday.

Mining is being enthusiastically talked up at Newburyport, and there is hope that every one of the fifty or more shafts will begin to make some return for money expended.

Julia Doyle of Oswego, N. Y., attempted to commit suicide Saturday by jumping into the canal. After she had plunged in she changed her mind, and, being a good swimmer, struck out for the shore and was rescued. She is 16 years old, and attempted to commit suicide rather than continue a life of shame.

Neil Dougherty and John Campbell, for complicity in the Langdon murder at Audenried, Penn., in 1862, have been sentenced to solitary confinement in the penitentiary for five and nine years respectively. James Laughlin, James Lehman and Michael Colgan, for participating in the Boskill murder at Locustdale, were each sentenced to six years' solitary confinement. All the prisoners except Colgan were Molly Maguires.

Secretary Sherman has inaugurated a whiskey war by ordering that the prosecution begun against crooked whiskey distillers be continued, and new ones vigorously sustained against illicit distillers in the West.

The California so-called Labor Union is to be dissolved, owing to the popular indignation aroused by the Chico massacre.

Thomas Pringle, aged 50 years, hanged himself in Tewksbury, Mass., Monday morning.

There is now no doubt that the man "Sutcliffe" is Oakey Hall; he is accompanied by a woman who passes as his wife.

William Campbell, paper manufacturer, who had brought a suit for divorce against his wife, was horsewhipped by her in Central Park, New York, on Saturday, where they were driving fast horses in separate vehicles. She accused him of calling her names, which he denies. She gave a bond in $300 to keep the peace.

Political.

Before Andrew Jackson's reign a Government appointment was considered a position to be held during good behavior, the permanence of an office being considered the strongest inducement to the faithful discharge of its duties. Under Jackson the system of political rewards and punishments was established, and has remained the curse of the civil service ever since. It was carried so far that a general "rotation" was demanded even when there was no change in the politics of the administration. Van Buren worked out regiments of Jackson office-holders who were as good democrats as their successors, the only offense lying against the old lot being that they had their share of the public money, and must give way every four years to others with keener appetites. This theory of "rotation" established, every place-holder was strongly moved and tempted to "skin the farm while he held the lease," and make the most of his present opportunities. This offered a reward for peculation and an excuse for the increase of the income of an office by creating perquisites. Life is short.—*Washington Republican.*

Municipal politics have been pretty well muddled in St. Louis, Mo. The democrats renominated the old Mayor, Henry Overstolz, and the nomination was approved by the Republican Central Committee. Some dissatisfied republicans, however, met and nominated Nathaniel C. Hudson for Mayor, and their action was endorsed by some bolting democrats. Mr. Overstolz had the support of the *Republican* (Ind.) and the *Journal* (Rep.) while the *Globe-Democrat* (Rep.) and the *Times* (Dem.) supported Mr. Hudson. The election took place Tuesday.

The Connecticut legislature, which has just adjourned, was republican, with a democratic Governor. A new registry law was passed, over the governor's veto, which will do something, it is expected, to stop the illegal voting of tramps and bummers in Connecticut which has become an intolerable evil. The legal rate of interest was fixed at six per cent.; the salaries of all State employes, except judges of the higher courts, was reduced ten per cent.; and husband and wife were put on an equality as to property rights. Two important commissions were appointed, one to investigate life insurance companies, and another to examine into State expenses, with a view to reduction. A law was also passed authorizing the refounding of six per cent. State bonds in five per cents.

It is stated that Humphreys, turned out of his position as agent for the Southern Express Company at Pensacola, Fla., for being a republican elector, will be made Collector of Customs at Pensacola.

New Hampshire Items.

Rev. John Le Bosquet will soon conclude his pastorate at Lempster.

Mr. J. M. Kellock of North Conway, while returning home late Sunday night, was waylaid by two tramps. One of them struck Kellock, after which Kellock struck him, knocking him down, whereupon the other drew a knife, stabbing Kellock in the left breast. The ruffians then fled.

The Chairman of the Board of Selectmen of Loudon states that when a settlement was made with A. H. Batchelder, the alleged defaulting Town Treasurer, his accounts showed a balance due the town of $1550; that in settlement Mr. Batchelder gave the town his note, endorsed by W. K. Holt, for that amount, which was entirely satisfactory to the Selectmen.

William F. Harmon's store at Great Falls was broken into on Saturday night, and robbed of about $100 worth of tobacco, pipes, etc. To a lie the third store broken into within two weeks.

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East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
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Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.30 "	6.50 "
Dover,	10.30 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

A YOUNG CASTAWAY.

On Sunday last Mr. Henry Hunnifield, who lives at the South End of this city, started on a fishing trip to the Shoals in his whaleboat, towing a dory astern, and having his son Willie, ten years old, as a companion. He set his trawls Sunday afternoon, and remained at the Shoals all night; and on Monday started to haul the trawls in his dory, having anchored his big boat near Anderson's rock, leaving the boy in her. While drawing his trawls the weather shut in thick; having a long string of line he was a good while getting it, and then (being near sighted and the fog heavy) was unable to discern either the anchored boat or the islands; and having about nine cwt. of fish and all his gear on board, and knowing there was a strong current setting to the westward, he deemed it advisable to pull for the main land, and arrived at Newburyport at four o'clock Tuesday morning. At the earliest possible moment he telegraphed an account of the situation to his wife, and a fishing schooner, the "Puritan," manned with a willing crew, at once started out to the Shoals in search of the boy; but luckily for him—for his comfort, at least—he managed Monday evening to hail a Norwegian who lives at the Shoals and who was out setting his trawls, and who took the boat and the young sailor safe into the Shoals with him. The little fellow was kindly cared for by Mr. Ingebredsen's family, and on Tuesday noon was restored to his anxious mother, not a bit the worse for his adventure.

THE MOTHERS' TEA PARTY.

The third Mothers' Tea Party was held at Faith Home on Monday evening, when a goodly number of poor and destitute mothers sat down to a bountiful repast. Such a luxury probably some of them never before enjoyed, and could the noble givers who so generously contributed the food and fruit which loaded down the tables, have been present, they no doubt would have realized the truth of the saying that "it is more blessed to give than to receive."

Supper being ended they adjourned to the Chapel Room, where an intellectual feast completed the programme of the evening. Miss Hutchings, the "blind lady," read from the Bible of raised letters. Misses Flanders and Ham and Messrs. Jerome C. Butler and Collier sang with their accustomed sweetness of tone and richness of expression; several choice solos and songs were given. Mr. Loyne, John S. Rand, Esq., Rev. Mr. Hubbel, and Mrs. Fitzgerald, of Maine, spoke eloquently. Miss Edgerly presided at the melodeon with her usual skill and taste. In behalf of the poor mothers who were present we would render sincere thanks to all who in any manner contributed towards their enjoyment. COM.

POLICE COURT.

Annie Flynn returned to this city on Monday from a visit to the Brentwood hotel, and celebrated her return by getting drunk. She was brought before the Court Tuesday morning, received a permit to lodge at the Brentwood establishment for two months longer, and to earn $6.90 after the two months are expired.

FIRE COMPANY OFFICERS.

At the regular monthly meeting of Sagamore S. F. E. Co., No. 2, held April 2d, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Foreman, Frank E Osgood; 1st Assistant Foreman, John D. Randall; Clerk, Herman Manson; Steward, Francis H. Hersey.

At the regular monthly meeting of Kearsarge S. F. E. Co., No. 3, held April 2d, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Foreman, Ira C. Seymour; 1st Assistant Foreman, John E. Hirmon; 2d Assistant Foreman, Charles N. Merrill; Clerk, Fred P. Folsom; Steward, Charles A. Twombly; Pipeman, Rich. D. Smart, Jr.

Moses H. Goodrich S. F. E. Co., No. 4, have elected the following officers for the ensuing year: J. Frank Shannon, Foreman; John S. Banks, First Assistant; W. E. Pinder, Second Assistant; George F. Pinder, Pipeman; W. G. Rand, Clerk; Augustus Ham, Steward; W. G. Rand, C. H. Foote, G. F. Pinder, Finance and Standing Committee.

Hook and Ladder Co.: Foreman, John S. Rand; Assistant, Wm. H. Donerson; Clerk, Samuel S. Fletcher; Steward, Thomas Prior.

Extinguisher No. 5: Foreman, Elbridge Prior; Assistant, Orrin Griffin; Clerk, Albert C. Anderson; Steward, John W. Dame.

Extinguisher No. 6: Foreman, John Moore; Assistant, Walter Chesley; Clerk, Richard Waldron; Steward, George Stringer.

JOTTINGS.

Government refuses to deliver the "Sabine" to the Boston parties who bid $19,250 for her at the recent sale. The "Susquehanna" and other vessels were withdrawn from sale, the government having received proof that an extensive and powerful ring of speculators had been formed to get possession of the vessels at a price much below their value, and possibly the "Sabine's" purchasers may be in that same ring. The price offered for the "Sabine" is certainly much less than her real value.

The "Good Natured Man" at Franklin Hall to-night,—a chance to see whether Portsmouth has talent enough to creditably enact a standard comedy. Those who have seen the rehearsals say the piece is finely acted. Tickets at Foster's.

The following petit jurors from Ward One have been drawn to serve at the April term of the Supreme Court at Exeter: Daniel Mason 2d, John K. Simpson, Leonidas F. Rand.

The wreck of ship Frank Jones was sold at auction in San Francisco on Monday, for $4750. The hull was deeply embedded in the sand, and the bottom stove in; and there was no hope of its removal.

Schooner Flying Fish, before reported on Newburyport bar, went to pieces in about three hours after she struck, and not a particle of her was visible from the shore. The Queen of the Bay sunk and on Monday was lying broadside on, with her sails still set. She will undoubtedly prove a total loss. The Flying Fish was 17 50-100 tons burthen, built in East Boston in 1865, and was owned by C. W. Thurlow, Andrew Roaf and others, and with her outfits was valued at $1200; no insurance. The Queen of the Bay was 18 58-100 tons burthen, built at Duxbury in 1867, and was owned by Capt. Samuel Short, M. B. Jackman and L. D. Ross, and with her outfits was valued at $1800, upon which there was no insurance. Her sails will probably be saved, and the hull will undoubtedly be a total loss. The loss of these two vessels comes hard upon the crews, who lose their trawls and everything but what they stood in.

Caleb Moulton, of Hampstead, N. H., is a type of the prohibition cat whom Frank Jones used to haul out hot chestnuts for democracy and the glorious cause of Portsmouth beer. Moulton was a member of the Republican Congressional Convention which nominated Gen. Marston, but, afterwards, became himself a prohibition candidate for representative to Congress and drew away votes enough, it appears, to take the election from Marston and give it to Jones. Moulton, after taking part in the republican district convention, nominated himself as a candidate. It seems to be reserved to the so-called "prohibition element" in New Hampshire to supply the meanest workers for free rum of which recent politics have given us information.—*Lawrence (Mass.) American.*

Mr. Caleb R. Ayer, for several years a conductor on the Eastern Railroad, resigned his position Monday. He had run for the last few years between Boston and Salem, was very popular with passengers, and a faithful servant of the company. Mr. Newell Webster has been appointed to fill Mr. Ayer's place.

Rev. Caroline E. Angell, late pastor of the Universalist church in Kittery, is to supply at Pittsfield, Maine.

We are informed that Sheriff Kent and Deputy Sheriff John W. Smart, of Newmarket, on Tuesday raided on T. Maguire & Co. of Newmarket and Bunker's Hotel at Epping, and finding liquor and implements of sale at both places, took all three of the parties into custody.

RYE.

RYE, April 3d.

When the hour of 2 A. M. arrives, and finds staid and respectable citizens of both sexes out of bed, it is certain that something unusual is going on—and that was just the case last night, in the Town Hall, the occasion being a "Promenade Concert" by the Rye Cornet Band, to which over one hundred tickets were issued, and a large number of those who were fortunate enough to be the recipients thereof were in attendance, notwithstanding the inclement weather—and more than repaid were one and all, for venturing out and having to go home at the "wee sma' hours" in a drenching rain. The Band are entitled to a great deal of credit for getting up, and carrying out so successfully, such an entertainment; and their guests were so delighted with it that they only wish they could have an opportunity of going again before bidding adieu to the series of entertainments with which we have been favored,—but the "spring time approaches," the blue birds and robins are sounding their notes, and remind us that work has got to be done. Besides the promenading, grand marches, etc., plays—such as some of us had not seen, or indulged in for many a year,—were introduced; and it seemed like renewing our youth, to kiss the girls as we used to do,—and it looked just as though the girls liked it just as well as girls did when we were young. A bountiful entertainment was also provided, and after the inner man was satisfied, the following toasts were read and responded to, in the order named: "Our Local Reporters," W. C. Walker; "Music, Mirth and Song," G. H. Jenness; "Our invited guests," E. B. Philbrick, Esq.; "The ladies," John E. Leavitt. Previous to this the 33d chapter of the second book of Chronicles" was read by E. B. Philbrick, which proved to be a well prepared sketch of the band's career since its organization. After spending an hour at the tables, the fun continued in the hall, and finally concluded by a couple of quadrilles which gave the old folks present another opportunity of renewing their youth by "tripping on the light fantastic" just as they did twenty years before. NAT.

A comical incident took place in this town at the recent election. While our valiant town police were engaged in rallying to the polls voters for Jones and Marcy, they of course paid no attention to the lockup in the basement of the Town Hall; this was left open, and one of our democratic citizens strayed into it to examine the premises,—and while looking around one of the cells was locked into the same by some mischievous boys, and kept in durance vile for several hours, when he was released, but too late to vote! He now vows he will never go to town meeting again so long as that villainous lock-up is in existence.

I have seen it stated that no republican can get elected to office in Rye, but this is a mistake; Mr. John O. Foss, a republican, has been elected Collector for several years past, and was re-elected this year by a large majority; and John D. Marston, Esq., also a republican, is one of the School Committee.

The most badly defeated candidate in the State at the late election was a democrat of this town, who was a candidate for the office of Surveyor of Highways; but on election day he did not get a single vote, and is now disgusted with his party. REST.

—A great sensation was caused at Wolverhampton, England, a few days ago, during a largely attended funeral of a young man. As the mourners were leaving the grave, a local inn-keeper went up and emptied a bottle of brandy upon the coffin, saying that as he loved the liquor in life he should have it in death. It was an odd notion to bury both body and spirit.

Deal Gently with the Stomach.

Don't rack it with violent purgatives, or permanently impair its tone with indiscreetly drastic drugs of any kind; but, if your digestion is impaired, your liver out of order, your frame debilitated, or nervous system unstrung, use that wholesome and agreeable alterative and tonic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which will certainly afford you the desired relief. None of the chemical remedies can compare with it a restorative efficacy, and as a medicinal stimulant it is by far the most desirable as well as popular article of its class. Its basis, the essential principle of sound rye, is the best possible agent for hastening the action of the botanic ingredients which it holds in solution, and these ingredients are the most efficacious which chemistry extracts from the vegetable kingdom, and medical science applies to the cure of disease.

A Healthy Town.

Few towns are more generally healthy than the little township of Claremont, N. H. Epidemics and prevailing sickness of any kind are almost unknown here, which is accounted for by rapid streams, entire exemption from fogs, and the purities of them, pure water, and the generally comfortable condition and regular habits of the people. And yet in any town in New England there are those who are subject to all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. In this particular, Claremont has an advantage over other places, in having a home remedy for these dread evils, in Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup Manufactory. Here is prepared a Syrup acknowledged by thousands as a sure and permanent cure for all throat and lung diseases. Go to your Druggists after it! Keep it in your house! If in need, carry it in your pocket! Try it!! Try it!!

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

LINES TO MY LAWYER.

[William A. Carroll in the Graphic.]

"Oh, where art thou gone, Oakey Hall? Oh, where art thou gone, charming Oakey?"
"I have gone to Brooklyn
And a sium I have got in
With some people I consider rather pokey."

"Oh, where hast thou skipped, Oakey Hall, Oakey Hall?
Oh, where art thou fled, jolly Oakey?"
"I have sailed to Englan,
And a partnership have planned,
In a city that is vi laimously smoky."

"Ah, tell thy fre-hend, Oakey Hall, Oakey Hall,
Ah, tell me true, frisky Oakey;"
"Well, I'm on a Yankee string
Up in beany Boston,
Where the natives sweat by Halifax and Hokey."

"Oh, don't prevaricate, Oakey Ha l, Oakey Hall,
Ah, do not equivocate, candid Oakey."
"Well—I'm up in Quebec
Holding sweetey boy in check
Till I hear his credibility is broky."

"Oh, did you suicide, Oakey Hall, Oakey Hall,
Oh did you suicide, gamesome Oakey?"
"Oh, yes, I've had a die
As reported—on the sly—
A great relief from Blackeystone and Cokey."

"Oh, have you gone abroad, Oakey Hall, Oakey Hall,
Oh, have you crossed the sea, strolling Oakey?"
"Not much! I'm feeling gay,
Down in Fort-orday,
And I'm fishing in Lake Ontskenoke."

"Oh, where are you now, Oakey Hall, Oakey Hall,
Oh where be you now, truant Oakey?"
"Oh, I'm now in Japan
And I'm quite another man,
For I'm surfeited with Hyson Skin and Tokay."

"Oh, dost ev joy the trip, Oakey Hall, Oakey Hall
As far as thou hast got, roving Oakey?"
"Yes, the Chinamen I see
Are a queue-riosi tea!
Observe the pun? You know I'm always joke-y."

Pea Culture.

Peas require a cool, rich, deep soil to attain anything like a good, abundant crop. In preparing the soil thereof for the crop, it is necessary to manure well and thoroughly pulverize to a good depth. Often the cause of mildew making such havoc on the vines, is poor soil, which very soon dries and weakens their constitution leaving them in good condition for an attack from these pests. On no kind of plant, when in a good, healthy, vigorous condition, is mildew so liable to break out as when it is in a weak and unhealthy state.

Where a regular succession of vegetables is kept, a good place to grow peas is where the celery grew the previous year. In accomplishing this, it is best to grow the celery in single lines in the ridges, having a row of peas between. The year following, plant the peas where the celery grew, and plant spinach between the rows of peas; therefore, by the time the celery requires to be planted, the peas are generally past; but if not, the trenches for it can be made without injuring the roots of peas they being planted the same distance as the celery, which allows the trenches for it to come right between the rows. Where considerable manure has been used for the celery—and a good manuring for it is not exhausted, and entices the roots of the peas well down, where they are not apt to feel the effects of the warm weather.

I have adopted this plan for peas for several years, and find very good success attends the method. From the same piece of ground we can get three crops—peas, spinach and celery—in the same year. Some folks would be apt to think five feet too far apart in the rows for peas—for some kinds at any rate. I find that more peas can be picked from a piece of ground where plenty of room is given them than from a piece the same size where they have been crowded in the rows.

Considerable difference of opinion exist about the depth peas should be put into the ground; some people setting down a certain depth for all, without thinking there is a great difference of soils, and that, according to the looseness of the soil depends the depth they should be planted. In loose, dry soils, peas should be covered about six inches, and if very dry when planted, well trodden after the soil is put on them. In more retentive soils they do not require to be planted so deep, nor is it necessary to crowd them so much by treading. A little judgment and common sense are necessary with this as well as with everything else connected with the garden.

Peas should be planted as soon as the ground can be comfortably worked, and successions kept up until the warm weather sets in, as under the best care they can not be profitably grown during the heat of summer.—*Cor. Country Gentleman.*

Whiskey Punches.

The Moffett Whiskey Bill, to collect the tax on whiskey by means of an instrument something like a car bell-punch, will go into operation at once in Virginia. The punch will be put up in every bar-room. The tax on lager per drink is half a cent and alcoholic liquors two and one-half cents. The Richmond *Enquirer* gives the following description of the contrivance for registering drinks proposed for use in the bar-rooms of that State: "The device consists of a wooden box about twelve inches long, eight inches wide and six or eight inches in height, and resembling a large-sized coffee-mill. At one end there is a crank operating the wheels inside, and on one side three visible dials, identical with those used in gas-meters. One turn of the crank sounds a bell inside, and causes one movement of the indicator on the first dial. Every turn pro-

duces a similar effect until the indicator has made a complete revolution on its axis, when one is scored by the indicator on the next dial, and so on, as is meas-uring the consumption of gas. A glance at the dials will enable the observer to find out the maximum number of times the crank has been turned. The bill requires the register to be permanently fixed to the bar, counter, or other convenient place, and it is to be locked and sealed by the Commissioner of the Revenue, whose duty it will be to inspect it from time to time and keep it in running order. A heavy fine is imposed on any person who tampers in any way with this wonderful machine. If a drunken fellow should mistake the register for a hand organ, and attempt to grind a tune out of it, he will find that his fun will cost him dearly and also subject him to imprisonment. The inventor has contracted in writing that he "will make no charge against the State for the use of his device."

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 1877.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 24.

Judge Lawrence, ex-Governor Hawley and General Harlan, members of the Louisiana Commission are here waiting final instructions from Mr. Evarts. They have had many consultations with the President and members of the Cabinet and will proceed on their mission to-morrow, expecting to form a junction with the others on their arrival there. Although the public has no explicit information as to the method to be pursued, it is understood that their first effort will be directed towards members of the rival Legislatures who hold undisputed certificates of election, to induce them to unite in one body and to then determine the legally elected Governor. While the President and his Cabinet have been very reticent relative to the decision in the South Carolina matter, it is everywhere conceded that the troops are to be at once withdrawn from the State House and that Hampton will speedily bring suit to eject Chamberlain; and that he will be successful cannot be doubted as about all the Judges of the State Courts are said to have recognized him as the lawfully elected Governor. His stay here has given his friends and personal followers an opportunity to lionize him to the top of their bent. At almost any hour of the day or evening while he was a guest of Senator Gordon at Willard's, the street in front of that hotel was packed to the extent of an acre of two by a motley crowd of democrats and those of democratic preferences, with a goodly sprinkling of democratic republicans, and anti-Chamberlain men from personal reasons, all ready to cheer the slightest allusion to their hero. Old democrats who retired from the world on the downfall of the Confederacy and who had remained so long out of sight that their existence had become little more than a tradition, suddenly reappeared on this occasion, and they more than made up by the fervor of their welcome, their apparent loss of interest in public affairs in their twelve years of hermit life. The Governor accepted the homage offered him as though it was his by right. He seemed to have established himself on a very familiar footing at the White House and with several members of the Cabinet; and there is in circulation a mild report to the effect that a coalition between administration republicans and Hampton and other Southern democrats who have for many months been accused of holding rather slack allegiance to their party looking to the election of Garfield or Foster as Speaker of the next House, and to winning a majority of its members over to the support of the Administration. Of course such a rumor comes upon the orthodox members of democracy like a startling revelation and is quite as suggestive on the other hand, of a serious schism among the opposition; and it begins to dawn upon the minds of many that there is a good deal still concealed which when it is fully known will make certain recent negotiations a good deal more intelligible. Several half forgotten incidents of some months ago, in which Murat Halstead and other Liberals and certain Southern democrats were assigned a leading part and Mr. Hayes a central position are now recalled and invested with an importance that would have been laughed at four months ago. But we shall see what we shall see. I hope to be pardoned for devoting an entire letter to political matters; but with the new developments indicating a more or less complete rupture of old party lines, and the formation of new ones, the temptation cannot always be resisted. KNOX.

A Maligned Democratic Saint.

Peter B. Sweeny is a cool customer. He publishes a card denying pretty much all the reports which have been made about him and his case, and expresses a desire to submit himself to the "unprejudiced judgment" of his fellow citizens. He has no revelations to make, and fears none, and he does not propose to compromise any suits. He left New York, he says, without secrecy, there being no reason why he should not travel where he pleased. He had sought investigation of his "alleged relation to the matters involved by those who acted on behalf of the public authorities," whatever he may mean by that, and had failed without any fault of his own. And now he appeals to the justice of the press and public against the "ceaseless and injurious imputations" which have pursued him since his return! The *Graphic* considers Sweeny's card as the logical result of Tweed's disappearance, which defeats the proposed compromise and settlement of the city suits. It adds:

"It is now, we believe, an open secret that the reason why John Graham retired from his position as counsel for Tweed in the first trial of the latter is because he was prevented by his client and associate lawyers from making the plea which he desired to enter—that the real culprit was A. Oakey Hall. He thought he had abundance of evidence to prove this and clear Tweed, but he was peremptorily overruled."

News and Notes.

The Mr. and Mrs. Dallett who drowned themselves from the wreck of the brig Roanoke, rather than further face the horrors of the situation, were residents of Philadelphia. Mr. Dallett being the senior partner of the firm of G. & T. H. Dallett, soap manufacturers. The "Spanish gentleman" referred to, who also committed suicide by drowning, was a Venezuelan named Dominguez, who was returning to Laguayra.

There was a great crash in the New York Stock Exchange on Tuesday, Panama Railroad stock tumbling from 122 to 80, with no buyers at the latter figure; Pacific Mail fell to 12, having sold last week at 25. The cause of the panic was the failure of Trenor W. Park to meet his engagements. John Pondir, Park's broker, is said to have lost $500,000.

In Newburyport two boys, one twelve and the other fourteen years old, were so drunk Friday night that they were carried home to their parents.

A single tradesman in Cambridge has handed in a bill to the municipal authorities for $473 worth of inkstands, $176 worth of blotting pads, $93 worth of erasers, and many other articles in proportion. This bill covers purchases of stationary for only fifteen months.

Of late in Europe a sort of ball-dress has come into fashion, upon which a glittering gold and silver dust shines in beauty. The German Imperial Health Office has just examined into the matter and found that the shining of the robes is caused by small and sharp-pointed particles of copper and tin, which easily become separated from the material of the dress and are highly injurious to the skin, into which they work, and especially to the mucous membrane of the lungs, for the particles are often light enough to be inhaled. The Board of Health of Lubeck has just issued a strenuous warning to ladies on the subject.

A six-year-old youngster giving the name of John Pollard, was found strolling about Boston by a police officer on Tuesday, and when taken to the station represented that he had come from Westboro, where he had been confined in the Reform School for embezzling money from his employer. A despatch was sent to the Superintendent of the school, Colonel Tufts, who replied that such a boy had never been there and he knew nothing about him. As nothing further could be learned, the boy was taken to the Chardon Street Home. Has "Jimmy Blanchard" got adrift again?

Sarah L. B. Walker, a peddler of stencil plates, died at the Hughes House, in Phœnixville, Pa., on Sunday. She was in rags, but an examination disclosed nine bank books and documents showing that she was worth over $18,000, and belonged in Bridgeport, Conn.

The number of vessels belonging to, or bound to or from ports in the United States, reported totally lost or missing during the past month, is 44, of which 30 were wrecked, two abandoned, one sunk by collision, five foundered, and six are missing. They are classed as follows: two ships, three steamers, fourteen barques, six brigs, and nineteen schooners; and their total value, exclusive of cargoes, is estimated at $1,760,000.

A Washington special states that a report on naval finances made to Secretary Thompson shows that a million of dollars realized from the sale of the old navy yard at Philadelphia, were applied to the steam engineering and construction departments. No trace can be found of $310,000 drawn by Robeson a few days prior to his retirement, but it is supposed to have been paid to contractors. It is stated that Robeson made contracts just before his term expired amounting to $2,300,000 in the Construction Bureau, but the new Secretary has annulled them.

Bertha Van Hillern walked fifty miles in twelve hours, with five minutes and thirty-five seconds to spare, in Boston Music Hall, on the 3d inst.

Attorney-General Devens should feel obliged to Wendell Phillips for attacking him. It has been the means of showing up a record highly creditable to Mr. Devens. A gentleman of Boston, Mr. Charles Allen, writes to the *Advertiser* saying: "Gen. Devens also paid about one half the money for buying the freedom of Robert Wright, a fugitive slave living in Greenfield. This I know personally, as the money was paid to me." Mr. Phillips will have to try again.

A counter-revolution has broken out in Mexico against Diaz, and the return of Ex-President Lerdo is demanded. Diaz and his leading supporters quarrelled over the division of the stealings.

The glazing house of the powder mills at Santa Cruz, Cal., blew up Tuesday, killing one man and injuring several in the vicinity. There were about nine tons of powder in the mill, and the explosion did considerable minor damage in the town of Santa Cruz, two miles distant..

The Catholic church dignitaries in Canada do not propose to give up their rule in political matters without a struggle. The collective mandment of the Archbishop and the seven Bishops of the Roman Catholic Church of the Province of Quebec, which protests against the judgment of the Supreme Court on the Charlevoix election case, was published at Ottawa on Wednesday and created an immense sensation in Parliamentary circles. It will be remembered that the Supreme Court unseated Langevet, the member for Charlevoix, on the ground of priestly interference and intimidation during his election. In this mandment the Church has placed itself in direct conflict with the Supreme Court. Their action again revives the great question of the supremacy of Church and State in the Province of Quebec. The Premier has entered nine charges of libel against the Toronto *Mail*.

Judge Russell, late Minister to Venezuela, has returned full to the brim of grievances, and as he is rather a brisk little gentleman, the Department of State is likely to see a good deal of fun for a while. A bit of romance spices the quarrel. The chief of artillery of the Venezuela army, so it is stated, was betrothed to Miss Nellie Russell and the cruel tyrant who rules the country commanded the young officer to break off the engagement, or surrender his commission and forfeit his arrears of pay. Just as is always done in novels, the gallant young soldier gave up his commission and his money and the young couple were subsequently married at St. Thomas.

It is hardly possible that the proposed meeting of the coal companies for the purpose of patching up the broken combination will be successful. It continued long enough to nearly ruin the principal coal roads. The greed of anthracite simply committed suicide, and the fatal blow was the decline in its consumption. In contrast, the consumption of bituminous coal, which cannot be monopolized, has steadily and largely increased ever since the combination was formed, and it does not yet diminish because the owners of anthracite are continually threatening and trying to establish their monopoly again. Could they succeed, they would only reduce the consumption of anthracite still further by several million tons, and there is not one of the great companies which can earn interest on its debt if the consumption be thus curtailed.

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Which I have just received and marked at prices unrivalled in this city since before the war.

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"What to Wear,"
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CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

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I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Seats, Seat Sticks, Sleigh Dashers, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

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THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to
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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, near Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
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Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,
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BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.
Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for house cellar.
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FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and plot of land, suitable for a SUMMER RE-SORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attics, and the place is a good BARN and fine water; everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view, the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.
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THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains six acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon the two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,
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THE BLIND MAN

WHO MENDS CANE-SEAT CHAIRS

HAS REMOVED his place of business to the room over Mr. Jos. Pettigrew's store, corner of Congress and High streets, and solicits a continuance of patronage from those who have chairs needing re-seating.

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THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *first received since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

1877's MAPLE SUGAR

ALSO NEW DATES.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.50,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45,*8.30† P. M
" " Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "		4.45,6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "		6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "		4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "		4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "		4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "		4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" " Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

A LONG TRAMP.

On Sunday there arrived in this city a married couple who had walked all the way from Ogdensburg, N. Y. The pair have not been long married; and the husband not being able to obtain employment in Ogdensburg, where his wife's parents reside, was told by them that he must look out for other quarters, though their daughter could still have a home under the paternal roof. This proposition the wife refused to accept, saying her home was with her husband wherever he might go; and as his parents had removed to this city the young couple sent their clothing on by express, and not having means to pay their fare on the railroads started on the journey on foot, travelling through Vermont and New Hampshire, walking every day for three weeks, and not riding any of the way. The husband (who is but eighteen years old) says his wife (who is only seventeen) stood the hardships of the tramp better than he did; though both were in good health and spirits at the end of their long walk. It is to be hoped the young man will be able to repay his wife's devotion by furnishing her with a comfortable home, and making it a happy one.

A BRACE OF DUCKS.

One of the young men of this city, who like many other young men of this city (and some of the older ones) has an absorbing interest in a young lady, in the early part of last week undertook to treat the fair damsel to a view of old ocean in an angry mood, and started for Rye Beach in a team for that purpose. All went well—very well indeed—until only one cross-road intervened between the expectant pair and the turbulent sea. But the heavy rains and high tide had overflowed the roads; and the horse, having strayed a little out of the track, (a habit horses have when drawing carriages containing young people who are much interested in each other,) suddenly hid away under the water, one wheel of the carriage abruptly settled down about three feet, and the young couple described a graceful parabola through the air and landed in a ditch about five feet deep. The young man scrambled out and quickly fished out his companion, and then using his knife liberally on the harness succeeded in freeing the horse from his dangerous situation; and then, having procured dry clothing from a neighboring house, with help to extricate the carriage and strings to repair the harness, the excursionists drove back to town without visiting the beach, their interest in water views having been very much dampened. It is said they pledged each other to secresy concerning their ride, but both told all about it as soon as they got back.

JOTTINGS.

The schooner J. P. Ames, wrecked at the Shoals in January last, and purchased and floated off by Portsmouth parties, came off the marine railway at Kittery on the 3d, having been thoroughly repaired; she will fit for coasting immediately. The British schooner Emma E. Potter, which came into this port in a damaged condition about the middle of March, with a load of salt, was taken on the railway as soon as the J. P. Ames was sent off; she will be thoroughly repaired, and receive new sails and rigging before sailing.

The expenses for repairs on school-houses in this city since January first, 1876, have been $4250.87, and all the bills are not in yet.

Lieutenant Commander George E. Wingate of this city has been detached from the Enterprise as executive officer and ordered to the Adams. Work on the Enterprise has entirely stopped, owing to a lack of funds to proceed. It is not thought that it will be resumed until July, when the extra session of Congress will have made an appropriation.

The masts of the sunken schooner "Queen of the Bay" still stand, and show the position of the wreck in the north breakers at the entrance to Newburyport harbor; the first easterly blow will break the hull to pieces. The foremast of the "Flying Fish," wrecked at the same time as the "Queen of the Bay," came ashore near Hampton river on Sunday, with sail and rigging attached.

[A later report says the "Queen of the Bay" went to pieces on the 3d inst. The vessel had been fully insured ever since she was built, until her owners had paid premiums sufficient for her entire valuation. They concluded not to renew this year, and on her first trip to sea uninsured, she was wrecked.]

At the annual meeting of the State Fish and Game League, at Manchester on Tuesday, Marcellus Eldredge, Esq., of this city, was re-elected Vice President for Rockingham County.

Maggie Mitchell is coming, April 14th, and the Broadway Dramatic Company, April 19th.

Dr. J. S. Putnam, for half a century a trusted and trustworthy physician of York, Me., died on Wednesday morning.

After twenty-one years of experience in the business of HORSE SHOEING, we are still at the old stand, No. 16 Fleet Street, and are ready to shoe for our old customers or new ones, for such prices as will *suit the times!* We would say that we will make our prices to suit; if we do not, we will shoe for nothing and throw in a chromo.

LEACH & LYDSTON.

New Hampshire Items.

The Franklin street society, of Manchester, has voted to extend a call to the Rev. Addison Foster of Chelsea, Mass., at a salary of $3000 a year.

Zadok Duston died in Henniker, April 2. He was born in Henniker, Feb. 13, 1811, and has always resided in that town. He was sixth in line of descent from Thomas and Hannah Duston of historic fame. He represented the town in the Legislature in 1864 and 1865.

Miss Mary Ann Hutchins, of Concord, died on Monday, aged nearly 70 years. She was a granddaughter of Col. Gordon Hutchins of the war of the Revolution.

Two young men, eighteen years old, named Reuben Goodrich and Moses Cook, were arrested for stealing $90 from an old man, in Dover on the 3d inst. Goodrich pleaded guilty, and was put under $300 bonds. Cook was acquitted. Both have had a very good reputation in the past.

The Fish and Game League of New Hampshire held its annual meeting in Manchester on the 3d inst., President John B. Clarke in the chair. Col. Clark was re-elected President, W. W. Colburn Secretary, and Frederick Smyth Treasurer, with one Vice President from each county.

In the long litigated case in equity by the Ashuelot River Railroad Company against the Cheshire Railroad Company and John H. Elliott, Trustee, a decree has been received by the Court, based upon the findings of the Master in the case, subject to be modified hereafter upon a final hearing of all open questions. The balance found due the Cheshire Railroad on the bonds it held against the Ashuelot River Railroad Company is $92,847.79; due from John H. Elliott, Trustee, $52,899.58. Upon the payment of the balance due the Cheshire Railroad, and giving it a deed of certain portions of the depot grounds in Keene, and giving a bond of $60,000 to pay anything that hereafter is found due the Cheshire Railroad Company, the Ashuelot Railroad Company is to have immediate possession of its road and property.

Sullivan Brothers, extensive stove dealers of Manchester, failed Monday. Liabilities unknown; said to be heavy. Assets small.

The annual fair of the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society will be held on the Manchester Riding Park, Sept. 18, 19 and 20.

Political.

The South Carolina republicans generally acknowledge that the withdrawal of the troops from the State House ends the reign of carpet-bagism in the State. Some even predict that it ends the republican party. Senator Patterson of that State says he shall not again live in South Carolina. So far as his personal safety goes, however, his apprehensions are apparently groundless. The Chamberlain people were confident of their success until the last moment, and could not believe until late in the evening that the decision to withdraw the troops had really been made. It has been discovered that a good many of the defiant expressions attributed to Hampton originated with Southern democrats who are opposed to the success of Hayes' Southern policy, and did not emanate from Hampton himself.

The Richmond *Enquirer* says candidly, of the "native" Virginian legislators, "Charges of malfeasance are becoming as common as though ours was a carpetbag government."

The democratic leaders of Cincinnati urged the people to support the democratic municipal ticket, on the ground that it would express a condemnation of President Hayes. From the fact that the republicans carried their city ticket by majorities ranging from 1500 to 3000 it may be inferred that the people of Cincinnati are not disposed to "express condemnation." In November Tilden's majority in Cincinnati was 106.

Important Militia Meeting.

A fully attended meeting of the officers of the State militia was held in Concord on the 3d inst., to consider relating to increasing the efficiency of the militia of the State, Ira Cross, Adjutant-General, in the chair. Hon. B. F. Prescott, Governor-elect, appeared before the meeting by invitation, and, in a few happy remarks, expressed his sympathy with any movement that would increase the efficiency of the militia and put it on a footing to compare favorably with that of other States. Any proper plan, he said, that might be decided upon by the meeting should receive his careful consideration. After remarks by representatives of nearly all military organizations, a series of resolutions was adopted recommending the appointment of an inspecting officer, who should be a strict disciplinarian and who shall be a thorough tactician, whose duty it shall be to visit, drill and inspect at least twice a year all militia companies of the State, and faithfully report to the Adjutant-General, through the regimental commanders, the condition and efficiency of each company as inspected and drilled; and further, that they use their earnest endeavors to induce the next session of the Legislature to appropriate the expense of such an officer, to an amount not exceeding $600. A ballot taken on the question showed all present to be in favor of a brigade formation. A ballot for a suitable person to be recommended to the Governor and Council for appointment as Brigadier-General was then taken, which resulted in no choice, their being four candidates: H. H. Huse of Manchester, S. S. Piper of Manchester, John J. Dillon of Manchester and Joseph M. Clough of New London. The first three gentlemen named withdrew their names, and, on motion of Lieutenant L. L. Aldrich of Manchester, Colonel Joseph M. Clough of New London was unanimously nominated by a rising vote.

Captain Boyton has crossed the Straits of Messina, passing successfully through both Scylla and Charybdis during the prevalence of a severe gale, which caused the destruction of one of the accompanying vessels. Fortunately there were no lives lost. The trip took five hours, and was witnessed by the American Consul and many distinguished Italians. Shortly after starting Boyton received a blow from the tail of one of the large fishes which abound in the Straits, but upon the approach of the harpoon-boat he was found entirely uninjured and laughing at the mishap. Notwithstanding the predictions that he would never leave the water alive, Captain Boyton landed in excellent condition and in no way fatigued by his marvellous exertions. His reception by the entire population of Messina was most excited and enthusiastic. He was officially welcomed by the Mayor and authorities, and subsequently entertained at a public banquet. Captain Boyton compares Scylla and Charybdis to the rapids and whirlpools of the Niagara river.

A Guinea is Scarce Yellower

Than the complexion of a person becomes who omits to regulate his liver when that important gland grows neglectful of its secretive function. Moreover, the stomach under such circumstances becomes disordered, the bowels are constipated, pains in the side and between the shoulder blades are felt, the head aches, and the nervous system shares in the general derangement. This concatenation of evils is, however, easily remediable with that matchless regulating tonic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which insures the secretion and flow of healthy bile, acts gently but effectually upon the bowels, and removes every symptom of nervous or dig-stive trouble. The result is that renewed tone is given to the entire system; the sallow, haggard appearance of the face to which biliousness gives rise is superseded by the glow of health, and the frame gains in substance as well as vigor.

The Glory of Woman

Is a fine set of teeth as well as a fine head of hair. Howe enamel glistens after a good brushing with fragrant Sozodont! Nothing destructive to the tooth can exist on the surface or at the roots, if this vegetable antidote to corrosion is duly applied.

Spalding's Glue will mend anything except a broken heart.

A Healthy Town.

Few towns are more generally healthy than the little township of Claremont, N. H. Epidemics and prevailing sickness of any kind are almost unknown here, which is accounted for by rapid streams, entire exemption from fogs, and the causes of decay, pure water, and the generally comfortable condition and regular habits of the people. And yet in any town in New England there are those who are subject to all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. In this particular, Claremont has an advantage over other places, in having a home remedy for these direst evils, in Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup Manufactory. Here is prepared a Syrup acknowledged by thousands as a sure and permanent cure for all throat and lung diseases. Go to your Druggists after it! Keep it in your house! If needed be, carry it in your pocket! Try it! Try it!!

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will sustain its well-merited popularity, and earn greater, by the sensible reduction of its rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

A great discovery of more value than gold—*Adamson's Botanic Balsam* for all diseases of the throat and lungs. It seldom fails to cure. Price 35 cents.

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I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

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DIED.

CHESWELL. In North Hampton, March 29, Olive E. Cheswell, widow of the late Thomas J. Cheswell of Lower, aged 61 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch L T Knight, Anderson, for this port, cld from W lmington, N C, March 31.

Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, from Portland, arr at Philadelphia April 1.

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"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $1. FLAYTLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. FSS&G1f

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod1y2

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We have just received a new lot of NICKERSON'S

Excelsior Black Oil Clothing

They are very soft, durable, and perfectly water-tight.

We have also EAGLE'S

Best Yellow Oil Clothing,

The reputation of which, as a first-rate article, has been fully established in this vicinity.

NIPPERS, WHITE MITTENS,
SOCKS, JUMPERS,
MATTRESSES, QUILTS,

In fact, everything necessary to make a person warm and comfortable.

☞ These Goods have all been bought recently, at the lowest market rates, and will be sold for cash at a small margin from cost.

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(New Number.)
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COUGH & LUNG SYRUP.

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A Safe and Sure Remedy.

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The Cough and Lung Syrup

Is the remedy that during the past fifteen years has won for DR. FLAGG an extended reputation as a SPECIALIST for THROAT and LUNG Diseases. After so many years, trial it can be truthfully said that it has NEVER FAILED, even in the WORST CASES. It is purely Vegetable, and its effect upon the system is at once **Soothing** and **Tonic.**

It Will Cure a Common Cold

In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION.

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE CATARRH

More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the throat. TRY IT.

It will Cure Asthma, affording immediate relief and a perfect cure. TRY IT.

It Will Cure Ulcerated Sore Throat.

TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Heetic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

Remember that it

CURES COLDS,
CURES COUGHS,
CURES CATARRH,
CURES CONSUMPTION.

DR. WM. M. LADD, a leading Druggist of Claremont, certifies as follows:

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WM. M. LADD, M. D.

CLAREMONT, N. H., September, 1875.

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A Blue Glass Cure.

Mr. Glum, of North Eleventh street, suffers severely from nervousness. He has been afflicted since the advent of the New Year. Some of Mr. Glum's acquaintances—saloon keepers—say that it is caused by his not taking a proper amount of stimulants. Glum has faith enough in their belief to try the stimulants, but—well, Mrs. Glum vetoes it, and the vote stands 8 to 7.

The newspapers attracted Glum's attention to the blue glass theory. He called his wife's attention to it, and when that estimable lady read that it would cure corns, she had so much faith that she ordered a pair of blue glass slippers at once. He hasn't found the slippers yet, but thirty dollars was expended in getting up a blue glass illumination in kitchen, bedchamber and sitting-room. Every morning both of them took their blue light bath, and, although Mrs. Glum's corns grew sorer and Mr. Glum's nervousness increased, still Mrs. Glum was determined that blue glass should be thoroughly tested.

"Eu, blue glass!" said the tavern keeper on the corner, to Glum, yesterday. "Why, my dear sir, this blue glass theory is not understood. I know the whole secret of the blue glass cure. Just step in to-night as you come up from the store."

When Glum stepped in that evening the saloon keeper smilingly handed him a blue pint bottle filled with some kind of a liquid that smelled very much like brandy.

"There," said the tavern keeper, "that's the blue glass cure. That bottle contains the healing and strengthening property of the blue ray."

"Isn't that brandy?" asked Glum, smelling it till his mouth watered.

"Brandy, no! Why, of course it isn't, I made that liquid myself. It is merely water charged with electricity, magnetism and galvanism obtained from blue glass. I'd tell you how to make it but that is a secret that I dare not reveal. Take it home and try it, and when that runs out I'll bet you'll want more."

Mr. Glum carefully concealed his blue glass bottle with its electric, galvanic and magnetic liquid in his inside pocket. Supper over he slipped out of his wife's sight and tried a little of it.

He liked it well enough to try more, and half an hour later, when his wife, alarmed by his absence, entered the front room in search of him, he lay stupid on the floor, smelling as though a distillery had exploded near his mouth. In his hand, tightly clasped, was the blue glass bottle. The electricity, magnetism and galvanism had done its work, and although Mrs. Glum hammered and pounded to make him arise, he was troubled with no more nervousness that night.

It isn't safe to go within fifteen feet of that house and whisper blue glass when Mrs. Glum is at home. She has lost all faith in it, but Glum is willing to swear that it is a certain cure if properly used.—*Philadelphia Chronicle.*

All Fools' Day.

An unusual number of ingenious and successful hoaxes were perpetrated in Cincinnati, Sunday. Free excursions of various kinds were advertised, and drew hundreds of unsuspecting people from their homes, who could with difficulty be made to believe that they were "sold." Nearly the entire Board of Aldermen assembled at the Grand Hotel in the morning, in response to a printed invitation to join an excursion over the New Southern Railroad, including free lunch at Lexington, Ky., and general inspection of the line of the road. They waited a long time before they caught the idea. Two or three hundred people were hoaxed by a bogus free excursion train to look at suburban property. A hundred or two more assembled at a certain rendezvous to take a trip upon a steamer which was found to have no wheel. Nearly all the undertakers in the city were victimized by telegrams directing them to meet and take charge of a certain corpse which would arrive at Little Miami depot, on a certain train. Seven hearses and three undertakers' wagons astonished each other by arriving on the ground about the same time.

A Little Romance.

Even in these hard, prosaic times, a vein of romance will sometimes be found to exist. As an instance of this we relate the following little story that came to our ears the otherday. Not long ago a young man from the West side came over to the city proper to attend to some business at a gentleman's house. While waiting for the appearance of the gentleman, (who, by the way, is a man well up in years but who possesses a pretty, young wife,) the young man became infatuated with the gentleman's better half, and thinking that the young woman was the daughter of the person he was visiting, and not the gentleman's wife, he proposed to her. Imagine his surprise on learning that the object of his affections was already bound by the nuptial tie; but the lady was equal to the occasion, and in a very short time she solved the difficulty. She had a younger sister, she said, who was also quite pretty, and she thought the young man might find all the charms and graces in her that he might require, and a day was named when the sister could be seen. At the appointed time, the young man was introduced, and was greatly pleased with the young lady, and at once proposed, was ac-

cepted, and will, in a short time, begin housekeeping. And thus ends for the present our little romance.—*St. John Globe.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1877.

News and Notes.

Professor A. Graham Bell, the inventor of the telephone, had the pleasure of assisting yesterday at the opening of the first regular telephonic line in the world—a private line between the place of business of a gentleman in this city and his residence in Somerville. The instruments worked admirably, and the enterprising gentleman is very much pleased with his private telephonic wire between town and home. The practical value of Professor Bell's invention is being proved every day. While the Professor was in New York recently he communicated with his associate in Boston, Mr. Watson, and the telephone transmitted conversation over 280 miles of space with wonderful clearness and distinctness of tone.—*Boston Globe*, 5th.

An unknown Frenchman was found hanging to a tree in the woods near Rahway, N. J., on the 4th. He had been hanging there for a month or more. A chest of jeweller's tools, worth $100, was found near the body. He had on two suits of new clothing, but no money was found on his person. It is supposed the man had been murdered by tramps, as there were wounds on his face, head and body. It was impossible for the man to have hung himself in the way found.

A legislative investigation into the affairs of the Westboro', Mass., Reform School, has developed a degree of brutal cruelty on the part of some of the officials almost worthy of the Spanish Inquisition.

Mrs. Eliza Strout, of Chelmsford Centre, Mass., was bitten by a small dog, not supposed to be mad, some weeks ago, and was on Wednesday attacked by hydrophobia. She was thought to be dying, Wednesday night.

A Victoria press despatch reports the British gunboat Rocket, returned from a cruise northward, in quest of the Indians supposed to have murdered the passengers and crew of the American steamer George S. Wright, some years ago. Four were arrested and brought back for trial. The Rocket was fired on by the Indians, and in return she shelled and burned the Indian village.

Four indictments have been found against Cottenden, doorkeeper of the Virginia House of Delegates—two for forgery and two for larceny.

A special from Alma, Crawford county, Ark., says: "George Keafer and family, supposed to be the original family of Benders, of murderous fame in Kansas, were arrested here to-day by a Kansas detective."

Mr. L. J. Jennings, the editor of the New York *Times*, at the time of the exposure of the Tammany Ring, and now the London correspondent of the New York *World*, has traced Oakey Hall to his lodgings in London and has had an interview with him, which facts he communicates to the *World* by cable. Mr. Jennings telegraphs that Mr. Hall is living in the humblest quarters, is broken and dispirited, utterly fails to explain his sudden flight, and appeals for rest and peace. Mr. Jennings says, in concluding his despatch, that it is only "charity to an utterly broken man to say as little more about him as possible." But it is certain that much more will be said, until (and after) the cause of his flight is made public. Hall is accompanied by a woman not his wife, who lodges with him.

A school-house in the Norwegian village of Ellengsso has been burned; sixteen children perished in the flames.

Isaac Friedlander, the largest grain dealer in California, has failed, with liabilities of $1,000,000, and nominal assets of $1,400,000.

The disaster on "a Virginia railroad," reported somewhat vaguely Monday, was occasioned by a bull who fought a locomotive and beat it. He charged a freight train on the Richmond and Danville railroad near a bridge over a creek in Halifax county, threw the locomotive from the track against the bridge, the timbers of which broke, and the whole train fell into the gap. The wreck then caught fire and was mostly consumed. The engineer on the locomotive was crushed so badly that he will probably die.

The "Yankee" still retains his prominence as an inventor. One patent was granted for every 730 persons in Connecticut, 914 in Rhode Island, and 918 in Massachusetts last year, while out West the proportion sinks to one in 1,957 for Illinois, and one in 4,486 for Kansas. Oddly enough, however, there is a wide gap between Connecticut, Massachusetts and Rhode Island, and the three northern New England States, the figures for Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine being one to 2,973, 3,000 and 3,522 respectively.

By the explosion of a bomb or infernal machine in the counting room of Messrs. Jewett, white lead manufacturers, in New York on Thursday, one man was killed and two others badly hurt.

On Thursday Gen. Hancock was ordered by Gen. Sherman to cause the U. S. troops to be removed from the State House at Columbia, S. C., on Tuesday, the 10th, at noon.

Political.

At the election in Chicago all the republican candidates on the city ticket were elected by majorities ranging from 1200 to 2500. The republicans elected twenty-eight of the thirty-six aldermen.

At the Rhode Island election, Wednesday, the republican State ticket was elected, Van Zandt, the republican candidate for Governor, having 700 majority over Barnaby, who was supported by the democrats and the liquor interest, though Barnaby, who is a wealthy man, "poured out his money like water" in his endeavors to secure an election. The majorities for other officers were; for Albert Howard, Lieutenant-Governor, 1064; Willard Sayles, Attorney General, 3490; J. M. Adderman, Secretary of State, 4193; Samuel Clark, General Treasurer, 4456. The Senate has 27 republicans, five democrats.

New Hampshire Items.

Rodney Scripture's house in Nashua was burned Wednesday morning, with nearly all its contents. Loss $1500; insurance $1000.

A French family in Nashua called for aid from the city, and were found to be without food or fuel; but they had two large dogs.

On Wednesday afternoon of last week, Mrs. Dorcas Balch, 78 years of age, residing in Keene, was found with her clothing nearly burned up and her face resting on the hearth of the stove, so terribly burned that she survived only two hours.

Charles Moulton's house at Plymouth was burned Thursday. Loss $500.

Willie Ewins, nine years old, was drowned in the Spickett river at Salem on Monday. His body was found Wednesday.

The Venezuelan Affair.

Hon. Thomas Russell, the Minister of the United States to Venezuela, has been recalled at the instance of the government to which he was accredited. His technical offence was in writing confidentially to the State Department, that the Venezuelan treasury was in a suitable condition to pay the claims long due to the United States, and that there were only two ways in which the money could be obtained; by bribery of the higher officials, which, of course, was out of the question, and by a display of force, concerning which he offered no advice. The letter was a perfectly proper one to write confidentially, and such intimate information is doubtless constantly being received at the State Department, else there is little use of a diplomatic agent, except as a figure head and master of ceremonies; but being made public by treachery or spying, or rather by the folly of a domocratic investigating committee, it affords an excuse for a demand for the recall of the Minister. This has been done, and the Venezuelan pecuniousness satisfied. But the recall of the Minister by no means settles the original cause of complaint on the part of the United States, and Venezuela will probably find herself like a ragged Hidalgo, who has insisted on a point of ceremony from a creditor, and awakened a determination to insist on the immediate payment of the debt.

The claims arose from contracts by which citizens of the United States had furnished steamboats to navigate the waters of the Republic of Venezuela, and which were seized or destroyed in the revolution of 1866. Demand was immediately made on the then government for payment, and finally a commission was appointed, consisting of one member for the United States, and one for Venezuela, with an umpire, which met in Caracccas, in May, 1867, and decided the amount of the claims. The Venezuelan government disputed the award, and charged bribery and corruption in offensive language, which was afterward withdrawn, and a single instalment of the claim paid. Meanwhile Venezuela had internal troubles, and was engaged in difficulties with Holland and New Grenada, and the United States exercised forbearance, which, as usual with governments of the Spanish republican sort, has been mistaken for weakness. About $335,000 with accrued interest, yet remains due upon the claim, and it would seem as though it were a very good time to present the bill and see that it is paid. An English fleet would have been riding at the mouth of the Rio Chico before now, and an English force on its way to Caracccas, if such a debt had been owed to English subjects, and there is no reason why the United States should not show equal promptness. There is no probability, however, that a war with Venezuela will be necessary. Like Captain Scott's coon, President Guzman will come down as soon as he finds that we are in earnest. Meanwhile we hope that the next Representative of the United States who goes to Caracccas will emulate the example of Minister Russell in telling the truth, and that the secrets of the State Department will be better kept from Venezuelan spies.—*Providence Journal.*

The Story of Tweed.

The narrative of the flight and wanderings of William M. Tweed, in *Harper's Weekly*, has all the interest of a novel. None of the conjectures as to the manner of his escape were so wild as the reality. We have had scores of improbable theories to account for his mysterious evasion from the sheriff, but no romancer ever thought of such an audacious transaction as a regular contract with a gang of professional robbers to receive his body in front of his own door at a certain minute on a certain evening, and to deliver it in good condition at some point within the jurisdiction of Spain. Yet that seems to have been the method of his going away, and the subsequent chapters of the story are quite as lively as the introduction. He spent three months on the top of the Palisades, looking from his window upon the city which he had robbed and ruled, and sitting nearly all day, with close shaven face and a red wig, devouring the newspaper accounts of the search for him and the reports of his great lawsuits. He was hid for two weeks in a deserted shoemaker's hut on Staten Island. He risked one visit to Brooklyn. He sailed along the coast to Florida. He camped out a whole season in the swamps and everglades. He lived in a lighthouse. Then he crossed to Cuba in a fishing smack; and his subsequent journeys are ancient history. He had no accomplices among the sheriff's officers, and none, if this narrative is strictly true, even in his own family.

To Every Woman.

Think twice before you believe every evil story you hear, and think twenty times before you repeat it, especially if it is about a woman. Say to yourself: "This may not be true, or it may be exaggerated;" unless you have proof of the veracity of your informant. People sometimes tell falsehoods; they often make mistakes, and they sometimes "hear wrong." There is *auricular illusion* as well as optical illusion. Take all these things into consideration before you even believe. As for repeating the story, ask yourself if it is necessary. It sometimes is necessary. Then do it, with the fear of God and the remembrance of the Golden Rule before you. Let us give the helping hand, not the downward push; so may the angels reach their hands toward us when we stand in need.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, April 2.

Sch William Thomas, Litchfield, Hobo on.
Sch Active, Seward, South Amboy.

Ship Cheodora, Matthews, at Singapore for Boston, April 3.
Sch Lia L. Ray, Haskell, for this port from New York, passed through Hell Gate April 2.
Sch Anson Stinson, Stoman, for this port, sld from Providence April 3.
Sch Jesse Williamson Jr, Pritchet, Fall River for New York, ar at Newport April 3 (wind ESE).

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Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.

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Notice.

I HEREBY give notice that I have this day associated my son, ARTHUR F. PFEIFFER, in business with myself under the firm name of PFEIFFER & CO.

J. S. PFEIFFER.

Portsmouth, N. H., April 2, 1877.

Co-partnership.

THE Undersigned have this day formed a Copartnership under the firm name of PFEIFFER & Co. They will continue to sell Wine, Dry and Fancy Goods Business at No. 13 Congress Street, and respectfully invite the patronage of the patrons of the which had been so generously bestowed upon the old firm. Our Store will be open every evening on and after this date.

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Portsmouth, N. H., April 2, 1877.

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City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Ratable, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in building in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall write an endorsement to the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH S. NORN,
BENJ MIN F. WEBSTER,
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BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
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Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.

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Brick House No. 56 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.
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Enquire of
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WM. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *fresh arrival since the fire blockade of Baltimore Harbor.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

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ALSO NEW DATES.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
" " Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
" (Beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North	7.40 "	1.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" " Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others seat or rest may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Schoolcraft and Coes' Minstrels are to give an entertainment in Franklin Hall on Sunday evening next. See advertisement.

The lighthouse steamer "Iris" was in this harbor on Thursday, the inspector being on his regular quarterly tour among the lighthouses of the district.

The Great New York Star Alliance and Female Minstrels announce a performance in Franklin Hall on Tuesday evening of next week. See advertisement.

The prospect for an unusually large hay crop in this vicinity is good. The grass has started up finely, being at least two weeks in advance of what it was a year ago; and there is no sign of any of it having been winter-killed, the heavy blanket of snow having effectually protected it.

"The Good Natured Man" was presented by the Eclectic Club, at Franklin Hall on Wednesday evening, in a manner to fully justify—and more—the high expectations that had been formed. Most of the parts were excellently well taken; and we shall not assume the invidious task of criticising the amateurs who did not do quite so well as their fellows. The entertainment, as a whole, was not only good, but *very* good. The accessories,—dresses, properties, etc., added to the success of the piece and the pleasure of the audience.

Snow fell briskly a good portion of the day on Thursday, but had a hard time of it covering the ground, as it melted as fast as it fell until late in the afternoon. It will not be worth while to get the sleighs out any more this season.

The Portsmouth Dramatic Company will perform "Ten Nights in a Bar-room" at Franklin Hall on the evening of Fast Day, April 12th, the proceeds to be devoted to an object of charity.

John O'Brien's "Six shows Consolidated," announced to visit this city early in the season, includes Campbell's, Warner & Co's, Sheldenburg & Co's, Dan Rice's, Hanlenberger & Co's, and O'Brien's; and is a big menagerie, museum and circus, all in one. The date of its arrival is not yet fixed.

Before the Superior Civil Court in Boston, Wednesday, the case of John R. Poor vs. Humboldt Fire Insurance Company, was tried. This was an action to recover $2500 on a policy of insurance on the Oceanic House, at the Isles of Shoals. Defendants claim that the terms of the policy were violated in that at the time of the fire no family was residing in the house, a condition of the policy being that a family should constantly reside on the premises. Verdict for plaintiff for amount found by the Assessor of Insurance and interest, $2297.08. Mr. Poor has another similar action against the Hudson Fire Insurance Company, of Hudson, New York.

A steamer, forty feet keel, is building at Kittery Point by Mr. Samuel H. Pilsbury, which will be ready to receive the engine by the first of June. She will be used as an excursion steamer on the Merrimac river.

Harlow's Orchestra never played better than on Wednesday night, at the Eclectic Club entertainment,—which is equivalent to saying that the music on that occasion was such as is not often produced by the local organizations of small cities.

A Bible Service, in connection with the Bow Mission, will be inaugurated next Sabbath afternoon. The object of this service will be to do pioneer work for the general church throughout the city; very similar to the Alien Mission in Portland, and many others in the New England States. The Bible service, like the Mission service, will be decidedly unsectarian and free to all. Officers have been chosen and will be made public in due season. Bible Service to commence at 3 P. M. The prayers and aid of Christian friends are solicited. Subject at Bow Mission, Sabbath afternoon, Service of Praise. The monthly collection will be taken; laboring men especially invited. COM.

We noticed in Thursday's *Times* a flaming notice of the "Croaker" family. As the "Good Natured Man" himself is not mentioned, we conclude he is not a member of that family. AUDIENCE.

At an adjourned meeting of School District No. 5, in Seabrook, (comprising nearly the whole of South Seabrook, so-called,) it was voted to raise $1200 to refit the district school house and add another story to it. Charles Dow, Simeon L. Eaton and Reuben Eaton were chosen a building committee.

—The Lord Mayor of London recently gave a ball to the Prince of Wales, which was the most expensive ever given, costing $135,795. The supper cost $25,000, wines $30,855, flowers $3,600, upholstery $29,000, and a temporary marquee, that was torn down the next day, $47,125. All this extravagant outlay was supposed to be for the purpose of securing a baronetcy, which Albert Edward has as yet forgotten to confer. The price of baronetcies must be on the rise in England, as James I., who instituted the dignity, only asked a thousand pounds for it.

How a Jewess Married a Christian.

The Nashville *American* says: Mr. H. L. Oliver, a young lawyer of good standing at the Nashville bar and of respectable family connections, was married to Miss Hannah Weil, daughter of Mr. S. Weil, of this city, at her father's residence, Friday evening, by Justice Creighton. Feeling that her parents would oppose the match, as it is against the Jewish creed to intermarry with other people, she went to her father, and put the following insurmountable interrogatories:

"Father, how old am I?"

Father—"Nineteen years old, my daughter."

Daughter—"When does a young lady become of lawful age?"

Father—"At the age of eighteen."

Daughter—"Then I am free to act for myself, am I not, father?"

Father—"I see no objection to it."

Daughter—"Well, then, Mr. Oliver loves me ever so much, and I love him ever so much. I want you to consent to our marriage, for if you do not I fear we will have to run away, and I'd much rather be married at home."

The father was very much astonished at her pointed inquiries, and more so when he found her betrothed was a Christian gentleman, but, after pondering the matter a little while, gave the sensible response: "Well, if you are bound to marry, I would rather you would be quietly married at home." And so the young people were married and left for Hantsville that evening.

The Fiji cannibals that Barnum used to exhibit, were out of employment all winter, save a few days shovelling snow, and one of them feelingly remarked the other day, "Divil such hard toimes have I seen since I left the ould country more than sixteen years ago."

—"Now, then, state your case," said a lawyer as he put the five-dollar bill away in his vest pocket. "Well," began his client, "suppose the man living next door wants to put a barn right up against my line, coming within two feet of my house?" "He can't do it, sir—can't do any such thing," replied the lawyer. "But I want to put my barn right up against his line," remarked the client. "Oh—ah—yes, I see. Well, sir, go right ahead and put your barn there. All the law in the case is on your side."

—Here are two tales from Paris: At the last opera ball, when the dancers had departed, the watchmen on making their rounds found the body of a well-dressed lady in one of the private boxes. She had been stabbed, but whether her death was due to suicide or murder is not stated.—A Radical died at Beziers and his brethren resolved to give him a downright civil burial. They followed him to the grave with pipes in their mouths and bottles under their arms. As soon as the body was lowered into the grave the mourners began singing and drinking, and, having exhausted their liquor, threw the empty bottles on to the coffin, exclaiming, "*Tiens, voila ta part!*" Then they went back to the wine shops.

—A singular prayer is printed in the Brahmo newspaper of Calcutta, as follows: "It is not the hope of an uncertain future Heaven, but a present Heaven, that I implore Thee to vouchsafe. I will not go away with a mere promise; but I will remain prostrate at thy feet till thy redeeming grace creates in me a small Heaven amid the things of this world. Give me cash, O Lord, out of thy inexhaustible treasury, and do not send me away, I beseech Thee, with a mere promissory note." But this is not half so mercenary a view of spiritual things as is taken by a somewhat familiar Christian hymn, which describes Christ as a banker, and tells how the dying thief presented his note, and immediately "He got his cash, and died."

—Although New Mexico is only a Territory, and not likely very soon to be in a condition to deserve admission as an active member of the Union, it possesses the oldest city in the United States. This is Santa Fe, which was a populous place when first visited by the Spaniards in 1540. It is the headquarters of the Roman Catholic church for a large section of country, and is the residence of an Archbishop, Captain-General and various orders of priesthood. The Presbyterians have within a few years entered in, and now have a plain adobe church building and a valuable mission property. Rev. G. G. Smith is the pastor of the church, and his influence is felt throughout the Territory; and Rev. Mr. Riggs has charge of a school which is exerting a molding influence on the whole community.

—A strange story that is wafted from the north of Spain into the *Pall-Mall Gazette* brings to mind a chapter in "Midshipman Easy." A landed proprietor refused to receive the holy consolations of religion. His family sent for the parish priest, but the sick man declined to receive him, and the priest withdrew, declaring that the devil would come in person to carry off so hardened a sinner as soon as he was dead. A few hours afterward the sick man died, and while the family were watching over the body the door of the room was opened with a great noise, and there appeared upon the scene a personage arrayed in red, brandishing a pitchfork, dragging a long tail after him, and smelling very strongly of sulphur. His appearance created so much terror that the women present fainted, and the men rushed out of the room by another door. A man-servant armed himself with a revolver and made his way to the room. For the moment he was terrified by the appearance of the devil, who by this time had got the body in his arms; but, mastering fear, he fired three barrels of his revolver at him, and the devil fell to the ground. His majesty proved to be the parish sexton, who, by the orders of the priest, had disguised himself as Satan. Four priests, who are suspected of complicity in this attempt to work upon the superstitious feelings of the family, have been taken into custody.

A Guinea is Scarce Yellower

Than the complexion of a person becomes who omits to regulate his liver when that important gland grows neglectful of its secretive function. Moreover, the stomach under such circumstances becomes disordered, the bowels are constricted, pains in the side and between the shoulder blades are felt, the head aches, and the nervous system shares in the general derangement. This concatenation of evils is, however, easily remediable with that matchless regulating tonic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which insures the secretion and flow of healthy bile, gets gently but effectually upon the bowels, and removes every symptom of nervous or digestive trouble. The result is that renewed tone is given to the entire system; the sallow, haggard appearance of the face to which billiousness gives rise is superseded by the glow of health, and the frame gains in substance as well as vigor.

The Glory of Woman

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Daily Chronicle.

Old Drinking Habits in Maine.

The Brunswick (Me.) *Telegraph* prints a communication, which speaking of residents of the adjoining town of Topsham, fifty years ago, says: "In one family of five persons, three of them would each punish three pints of New England rum a day; the other two perhaps a little less. Why can be so specific, I was a clerk in a store in Topsham and had them for customers. Another instance: we had an old man who was a customer when I went there and was there when I left, who purchased a pint and a half of gin every day, and Saturday three pints. He had it charged, paid his bill monthly, and never purchased another article to my recollection. His family consisted only of himself and wife, and she an estimable woman, therefore he must have used all of it himself. The average sales at our store were at least $10 per day, amounting to $3,000 per annum. There were five other other stores in Topsham and I have every reason to believe that they sold as much rum as we did. Brunswick had three times as many stores, besides three successful hotels, (Topsham had none.) I think she must have sold at least double the quantity of Topsham. With New England rum at 40 cents a gallon, and the best of imported liquors at $1, in almost every family there was a drunkard or drunkards. The evil became so great that the people grew much alarmed. Two generations of my own family on both sides of the house suffered severely."

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U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	112
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Eastern R. R. corp	58
Portsmouth, Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64
Boston & Lowell R. R.	42
Boston & Maine	56
Boston & Providence	153
Boston & Albany	126
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	75
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	104
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	42
Northern N. H.	65
Old Colony & Newport	100
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Mr. Diogenes.

This singular man lived in Greece. He was distinguished for his eccentricities, bad manners, and bad disposition. It was his chief business to find fault. For example, he took a lantern one day when the sun was shining brightly and went out to search for an honest man, thereby insinuating that such persons were exceedingly scarce. When Alexander, a distinguished military gentleman, paid him a visit, and inquired what he could do for him, he had the impudence to tell him to "get out of his sunshine." To cap the climax of his oddities, he dressed like a beggar and lived in a tub! He was a sour, crabbed, crusty old bachelor. We infer that he had no wife, first, because history does not mention her; second, because no woman would take kindly toone of his habits, dress, or manners, or aspire to become mistress of his mansion. "There was an old woman who lived in a *shoe*," it is true, but the woman who would live in a *tub*, and especially with such a *companion*, has not been heard from. The misanthropic spirit which possessed this man was doubtless due to disordered digestion and a biliousness, one of the prominent symptoms of which is a morose, fault-finding disposition. The tongue is heavily coated, giving rise to a bad taste, the appetite is not good, and the patient feels dull, sleepy, or dizzy, and is apt to be very fretful. Unfortunately, Mr. Diogenes lived several centuries before Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets were invented, a few doses of which would have relieved him of his "bile," and enabled him to find *scores* of "honest men" without the aid of his lantern. Under their magic influence, combined with that of the Golden Medical Discovery, to cleanse his blood, he might have been led to take a more cheerful view of life, to exchange his tub for a decent habitation, to "spruce up" in a respectable appearance, and at last have taken a wife to mend his clothes and his manners, both of which were in evident need of repairs, and become the happy sire of little Diogenes who would have handed down to posterity the name, not of a cynic philosopher, but of a *cheerful, healthy, happy, virtuous man!!*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, APRIL 7, 1877.

Navy Department Matters.

Secretary of the Navy Thompson, under date of April 5th, has issued the following important order:

"The Secretary of the Navy regrets that it has become his duty to announce to the officers of the naval service that the amount of money found by him in the Treasury of the United States to the credit of the appropriation for the pay of the navy is insufficient to pay the officers for the months of April, May or June. The Secretary proposes to retain as much as may be found necessary of what there is in the Treasury under pay of the navy for the purpose of paying allotments to the wives of officers and sailors whose husbands are abroad in the service of their country and unable to otherwise provide for them, and in this purpose the Secretary feels that he will be sustained by every high-minded, honorable officer in the navy of the United States."

The Secretary of the Navy held a regular meeting of the chiefs of bureaus, at the Navy Department, in Washington, Thursday afternoon, at which it was decided to dispense with the entire force of temporary employes connected with the Department. The discharges will date from the 30th inst., and will include writers and messengers in the Navy Department and temporary employes in all the navy yards. Those in the bureaus of construction and steam engineering have already received their retiring papers, and those in remaining bureaus will follow. The execution will be a large one, but it has become necessary for want of funds.

The Boston *Post's* Washington correspondent says: "Chief Naval Constructor Hanscom is in trouble. Some ten days ago Secretary Thompson ordered certain expenditures in Hanscom's department stopped until Thompson could get time to find out where the money was going. Eight or ten days later Thompson learned from private sources that the expenditures had not been stopped in certain quarters. Investigation developed the fact that the order had not reached those quarters, Hanscom having forgotten to forward them. As Thompson does not regard such little eccentricities in the same light as his predecessor, the result is liable to be a vacancy in the Department of Construction and Repairs."

News and Notes.

It is now said that the bombshell explosion in the office of James Jewett & Sons, white lead manufacturers of New York, by which George W. Jewett, the senior member of the firm, was killed, and his son, Orville D. Jewett, badly wounded, was caused by the intentional explosion of a hand grenade by young Jewett, with intent to kill his father. Two revolvers, one partly discharged, and a large dirk knife, were found in the office after the explosion; and young Jewett has bullet holes in his body, beside wounds from pieces of the shell, which leads to the belief that he attempted to murder his father and Mr. Dean, (the third partner,) and then tried his hand at suicide. Young Jewett, whose character is not of the best, will die, but Dean will recover.

The Boston *Globe* of Friday published a five-column statement of John P. Phair, condemned to be hung on that day at Rutland, Vt., for the murder of Mrs. Anna E. Freize in June, 1874. The document, which was written entirely by Phair, is remarkably calm, clear and coherent in style, and is either the truthful statement of an innocent man or one of the most artful concoctions ever gotten up by a guilty one. He asserts his entire ignorance of the crime laid to his charge, and gives at least a plausible account of his movements for days preceding and following the murder.

The Mexican army is "pronouncing" for Lerdo, and Diaz is sick in bed.

Boss Tweed's story of how his escape from prison was managed is discredited by the New York *Times*, which shows that many of his statements are false.

Buckwheat cakes are improved by being baked on blue glass griddles.

The New York *Sun*—mighty poor authority, by the way—says that the woman accompanying Oakey Hall is Miss Blanche Grey, an actress and warm friend of Hall's. She sailed for Europe several weeks before Hall did.

"Princess," a famous trotting mare, died on Robert Bonner's farm at Tarrytown, New York, a week ago. She was raised in New Hampshire; won two purses (of $30,500 and $16,000) in California, in two tenmile races with "Glencoe Chief," her time in each race being 29 minutes and 19 3-4 seconds; was then sent east, and in June, 1859, beat "Flora Temple" in two twomiles heats on the Centreville race-course, in 5:02 and 5:04. She never raced afterward, and was 27 years old when she died.

The Lowell city government has ordered all dogs running at large, and not properly collared and muzzled, to be shot by the police.

Theodore Hosell, a deputy tax collector in Philadelphia, has lost $500,000 of the city's money in stock gambling; consequently he is in trouble. The city will lose nothing.

The locomotive David Tyler of the Boston & Providence Railroad has under its tender a set of German cast-steel wheels, made by Bochum. Each wheel has run 102,000 miles, and shows little or no signs of wear. These wheels were imported in 1872 as an experiment.

Ten days ago, it was telegraped that Miss Alice Wren, a variety actress, had been slaughtered by the natives in Southern Africa; Monday night's news was to the effect that she was strangled by the "leading lady" of the company, in a fit of jealousy, and next day came the comforting assurance, that she is on her way to the West Indies, "all well;" all of which is a first-class advertisement for Alice, and if she does not "star" the United States shortly she will neglect an opportunity.

The various kind of towing and spar torpedoes belonging to the Torpedo Station at Newport, Raode Island, and which have been on exhibition at the Philadelphia Centennial, have just been returned to the station. It was expected that they were to form a part of the permanent exhibition at that place. A new and improved Ericsson torpedo is being manufactured for the station at Delameter's Iron Works in New York.

Sweetser Brothers' and E. F. Bancroft & Co's shoe factories in Lynn were burned on Friday, with other buildings. Loss $100,000 to $125,000. Some 400 people are thrown out of employment by this fire.

Mrs. Eliza Strout, of Chelmsford Centre, Mass., died on Friday from hydrophobia.

On Friday, John E. Phair was respited until May 4th.

Correspondence.

Mr. Tilden's *quo warranto* is looming up and brings with it a positive relief from the monotonous discussions of South Carolina affairs to which we have been almost exclusively confined for the past three or four days, a period of time amply sufficient to exhaust all the knowledge—real or fancied—of thousands who never tire of advising the administration as to its duty in the premises, and bore every one they can induce to listen, by their tiresome utterances. From Washington gossip it appears that President Hayes is apprehensive that his competitor for the Presidential chair really contemplates a hostile movement upon him through the courts. The President's decision relative to the withdrawal of the troops from the State House at Columbia, appears to the average mind as a rather unstable foundation upon which to base a *quo warranto* looking to his ejectment from an office to which, it will of course allege, he was never elected; but the President is fully awake to the embarassing predicament in which he would place himself by a direct and absolute recognition of Nicholls in Louisiana; and if Mr. Tilden is waiting in ambush to take advantage of a mistake in that direction it would be a prudent provision for him to prepare for a long siege. Mr. Tilden hasn't all the smart lawyers on his side.

The South Carolina adjustment seems to be favorably received here; at least there is very little open condemnation heard, the unfavorable response which greeted the declaration of war made in the Senate when the Cabinet nominations were announced, having operated to make the disaffected, if there are any such, more cautious in their movements. It is generally felt that Mr. Chamberlain's fall fore-shadows a similar disaster to Mr. Packard in Louisiana. Such general acquiescence must not be accepted as an approval of the tactics which appear to have been resorted to in too many instances by the Hampton and Nicholls partizans during the campaign in their respective States; but the course decided upon in those two States is accepted with the sincere hope that through it a way will be found out of the troublesome complications surrounding the affairs of both, restoring honest governments, breaking down the color line and restoring their prosperity. But there will be exacted of Governors Hampton and Nicholls a rigid observance of their promises relative to the absolute protection of every citizen in their legal rights, regardless of their color or the nature of their politics; and just one instance of infraction of the pledges given, will provoke a storm of indignation from tens of thousands of influential and patriotic men who have accepted those gentlemen on trust, and their administrations will be closely scrutinized.

KNOX.

Political.

Gov. Hampton says he believes in the education of the colored people, but favors the idea of separate schools. He will recommend the establishment of two State colleges, one for the whites and one for the blacks.

Dr. Redfield, in one of his letters from Columbia, S. C., speaks of Gov. Chamberlain as being "conspicuously the one South Carolina republican who never used politics to make money."

That there is to be a general smash-up of parties in this country, there can be no question, and when the smash comes it will bring together men who have heretofore been widely opposed to each other.—*Concord Patriot.*

The Knoxville, Tenn., *Chronicle* puts the case in a nut-shell, thus: "The South wants population, but we cannot have it until the New England 'Yankee' is just as free to speak his political sentiments and express his views on all questions in Georgia and Tennessee as he is in Massachusetts."

Some of the richest men in this country are brewers, miners and stock-jobbers, and it is fair to infer from the very pursuits in which they are engaged that they are not men of that degree of culture which fits them to be statesmen. If such men are sent to Congress it is because *they can buy up votes.*—*Boston Courier.*

—Grover, of Oregon, wants an investigation; he is curious to know who "Gobble" is, and how he came to know so much about his business.

—Mrs. Partington says that just before the late war, circumstances were seen round the moon, nightly, shooting stars perambulated the earth, the desk of the sun was covered with black spots of ink, and comets swept the horizon with their operatic tales. Everybody said that it prefigated war, and sure enough war did come.

The Flow of Sap.

Some time ago, President Clarke of Amherst Agricultural College made up his mind that the maple sap from which sugar was made in the spring was laid up in the tree the year before. In order to find out if this was true, a maple tree, one December, having been gnyed so as to keep it upright, was sawed off near the ground, and the end of the trunk hermetically sealed with wax. Thus the tree stood until spring, when it was tapped and yielded its average amount of sugar, although the tree had been severed from its roots upwards of three months. A young maple was cut in the winter, brought into the green-house and tapped. It soon began to flow sap, and continued to do so for thirty-six hours, when the flow stopped. The tree was then taken out of doors and allowed to freeze again. Upon being brought back to the green-house, the sap resumed its flow and continued to do so as long as the alternate freezing and thawing processes were kept up.—*Exchange.*

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Having returned from New York with a fine selection of MILLINERY GOODS and NOVELTIES, we shall be ready, ON AND AFTER APRIL 13TH, to show our friends and patrons a nice assortment of

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J. M. Tebbetts.

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Lost.

ON Easter Sunday, a GENTLEMAN'S SCARF PIN with coral head, on which a face is carved. A suitable reward will be paid the finder on leaving the pin at the Rockingham House. A78

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NOTICE.

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All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

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BY a young woman, to do general housework in a small family. Apply at 31 COURT STREET.

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BY a young woman, a situation as Housekeeper in a small family. Good references. Address P. O. Box 1373, Portsmouth.

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BY a young American GIRL, a situation in which to take care of children. Apply at No. 38 HANOVER STREET.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH S. NORRIS,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAVERS,
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Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.

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Mr. Cole refers by permission to Dr. E. Tourjee Director of the N. E. Conservatory of Music; Prof. J. W. Tufts, Organist and Director of Music at King's Chapel, and C. H. Morse, Prof. of Music at Wellesley Female College.

Orders left at his residence, No. 91 State Street, or at D. H. Montgomery's Music Store, will receive prompt attention.

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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.30 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "	
Dover,	10.20 " 5.30 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

REFORM CLUB.

At the quarterly election of the Reform Club, Thursday evening, the following named persons were elected for the ensuing quarter:

President. James Janvrin; Vice Presidents, John E. Roberts, Dennis Leary, Walter Costello, Joseph Hanscom, Wilbur I. Trafton, Caleb Currier, James Shea; Secretary, Mrs. S. A. Pickering; Treasurer, Sewall W. Webber; Chaplain, Wm. A. Loyne; Finance Committee, Charles W. Gardner, Joseph Pettigrew, James Sanborn; Ticket Seller, Augustus Ham; Ticket Takers, Benjamin Powell, Morris Tobey; Standard Bearer, James R. Eaton; Missionary, Wm. A Loyne. Corresponding Secretary, B. F. Thorndike.

POLICE COURT.

John Bly, for the larceny of three one-dollar bills and a dinner ticket from the money drawer of the Sailor's Home, Thursday, was sent to jail for two months and ordered to pay cost of $10.32. The ticket exposed the fellow.

For some time past Mr. William P. Walker, the prominent merchant tailor, has missed from his establishment many articles of gentlemen's furnishings, such as bows and cravats, suspenders, etc., also shirts, and a "whole piece" of fine cloth. On Tuesday, the 3d inst., the matter was put in the hands of Sheriff Kent; and the result was that on Friday Mr. Kent and Deputy Sheriff Gardner brought before the Police Court seven boys, (whose names we omit, hoping the disgraceful scrape they have have been caught in will be lesson enough for them,) from thirteen to nineteen years of age, five of whom were convicted of complicity in the stealing, sentence being suspended for one week to allow of communication with the County Solicitor. City Solicitor Hackett appeared for the prosecution, Ex-Judge Page for the defence. A considerable portion of the goods stolen was recovered.

In this connection we are specially requested to say that there are a number of boys' "club rooms" in the city, frequented by lads no older than the ones above referred to, (indeed, several of the boys arrested are members of one of these "clubs,") often till hours of the night when about all the men in the city, save those whose business requires them to be up, are in bed and asleep; and that this stealing scrape is considered, by the Sheriff's officers and police, as a legitimate and direct result of this permature club-room life. Further, if one or two of the clubs mentioned are not suddenly and radically reformed, several indictments will probably shortly be drawn up.

CITY AFFAIRS

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, Howe Call received leave to withdraw his claim for drawing up complaints.

City Marshal's quarterly report was read and referred.

Remonstrance of C. H. Mendum and others against the passage of the bill relating to the removal of night-soil was laid on the table.

Bond of James Moses, Collector of Taxes, was accepted.

Petition of C. E. Walker and others for sewer on Union and State streets was referred.

Communication relative to claim of Frederick E. Potter for damages to sleigh, was referred to committee; and one relative to claim of Harry J. Freeman was referred to Mayor, to report at next meeting.

Samuel Eastman's bill for new hose was ordered to be paid.

Committee on accounts reported the usual monthly bills, which were ordered to be paid; same committee reported bill of Dr. Jones without recommendation.

Ordered that the casings be removed from the drinking fountains, and the painting be deferred until an appropriation be made.

Olive W. Ham was granted use of Spalding school house for Sunday school concert.

The Common Council refused to concur in the Aldermen's amendment to ordinance relative to removing nightsoil.

Voted to exempt from taxation for a period of ten years from Jan. 1, 1877, any manufactory of any material whatever which may be located in this city, provided the capital invested shall exceed $5000.

Committee on schoolhouses were directed to put up partition in State street schoolhouse, to make recitation room.

Adjourned for two weeks.

JOTTINGS.

Col. Hackett will sell at noon to-day, stock in Mechanics and Traders Bank, in lots to suit buyers. See advertisement.

Rev. D. P. Pike, of Newburyport, will preach in the Court street Christian church on Sunday, at the usual hours, morning and afternoon. All are invited.

Schooner Superior, Capt. Isaac Coffin, from Wiscasset, Me., for Cape Ann, with a cargo of shooks, put into the lower harbor Thursday night, leaking badly, and brought up at the anchorage at Fort Point. The vessel is owned by William Lennox of Wiscasset, and the cargo by Isaac Hobson. She got ashore on Wood Island in coming into this harbor, which was the probable cause of her leaking, we are informed.

There was a very unusual sight at the South Millpond on Friday, in the shape of a large flock of gulls, fifty or more in number, sitting on the surface or flying about over it. It is said "the oldest inhabitant" never saw a large flock of gulls in the pond before. The appearance of sea fowl, gulls in particular, in inland waters, is generally regarded as portending a heavy storm.

A large amount of logs and timber is adrift outside the harbor, and considerable of it has been picked up by the residents at the Shoals, one party having secured over fifty sticks; a number of sticks have also been towed in by the fishermen out of this port. This timber is supposed to have been drifted along the coast by the easterly winds, having originally been swept out to sea by the freshets in the Maine rivers.

Steamer Clara Bateman towed the schooner Tannhauser from this port to Kennebunkport on Friday. The Tannhauser was from a southern port with a load of timber for shipbuilding, and put in here for a pilot early in the week.

H. H. Metcalf, of the Dover *Press*, last week issued the first number of a Magazine to be known as the *Granite Monthly*, and to be made up largely of matter of special interest to New Hampshire people, Historical, Biographical and Descriptive. Some of the best writers in the State will be among its contributors. The initial number contains a sketch of Hon. B. F. Prescott, Governor-elect, with portrait; an article on the early settlers of New Hampshire, by Prof. E. D. Sanborn; poem by Rev. Leander S. Coan, and several other articles by well known writers. The magazine is nicely printed on good paper, has thirty-two pages of reading matter, and will be furnished subscribers at $1.50 per annum; single copy, fifteen cents. If the subsequent issues are as meritorious as the initial number, the *Granite Monthly* will deserve hearty and *good paying* encouragement.

The music for the "Minuet," which Mr. Lamprey advertises to be taught in his next class, was composed in the year 1700, and has furnished the inspiration of the dances of the belles and beaux of many generations. It has also been used in the performance of the play "Paul Revere." Mr. Lamprey's new school opens in Congress Hall, April 14th, with instruction in the latest style of the terpsichorean art.

The old windmill which for forty years or more has been a prominent landmark on "windmill hill" in Hampton Falls, has been taken down. It sometime since ceased to be used for the purpose for which it was built.

Tourists will find the American House, Boston, a most convenient point from which to visit places of interest. It contains a large number of fine suites of rooms, which may be secured by post or telegraph by families travelling.

—The Norristown *Herald* has solved the conundrum, "Why was Washington like a newspaper man?" "Because he couldn't tell a lie."

—Half the fools in the United States think they can beat the doctors at curing the sick; two-thirds of them are sure they can beat the ministers preaching the gospel; and all of them know they can beat the editors running the newspapers.

—"Do you know what bulldozing is?" asked a man of an old farmer. "I thought I did," said the Granger,—"but the bull wasn't dozing. He was only making believe, and being in the middle of a forty acre lot, I naturally had to make pretty quick time to reach the fence ahead of him."

—When the Earl of B— was brought before Lord Loughborough, to be examined upon an application for a statute of lunacy against him, the Chancellor asked him, "How many legs has a sheep?" "Does your lordship mean," said B—, "a live sheep or a dead one?" "Is it not the same thing?" answered the Chancellor. "No, my lord," said Lord B—, "there is much difference; a live sheep has four, a dead one but two—there are but two legs of mutton, the others are shoulders."

—Felix Adolphe, a French barber, cut his throat after writing the following death song: "I loved, hoped, and believed. To-day I doubt, despair, and hate. My heart has been killed; let my body be so likewise. I exercise the only liberty that God has given to man, and that society can not deprive him of, viz., that of destroying himself. I was born with a taste for literature, and my parents made me a barber. I was married to a good and handsome woman, but jealous fate deprived me of her. Accursed be man, accursed be the earth. I deliver my body to the worms, my hatred to the infernal spirits, and expire!"

—A young man who had a claim of $50 to collect, took it to a lawyer. The latter upon inquiring, no sooner heard that his client's name was George Jones, than he seized him by the hand, fervently shook it, exclaiming, "My dear fellow how fortunate you are! Why, I knew your father well; in fact, he was my first client. I shall take particular pains for you in this matter." A few days later the young man received a note from the lawyer informing him that the collection had been made. He called upon him, and was handed a roll of bills. As he was counting them the lawyer reiterated his remarks about the young man's good fortune in coming to him who knew his father, etc. The young man, however, looked anything but happy, for he found but $15 in the roll. The lawyer, noticing this, said, "Why, my dear fellow, what seems to be troubling you?" "Oh, nothing," the young man replied, "nothing. I was only thinking how lucky I am that you didn't know my grandfather."

A Guinea is Scarce Yellower

Than the complexion of a person becomes who omits to regulate his liver when that important gland grows neglectful of its secretive function. Moreover, the stomach under such circumstances becomes disordered, the bowels are constricted, pains in the side and between the shoulder blades are felt, the head aches, and the nervous system shares in the general derangement. This concatenation of evils is, however, easily remedied by that matchless regulating tonic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which insures the secretion and flow of healthy bile, acts gently but effectually upon the bowels, and removes every symptom of nervous or digestive trouble. The result is that renewed tone is given to the entire system; the sallow, haggard appearance of the face to which biliousness gives rise is superseded by the glow of health, and the frame gains in substance as well as vigor.

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PENHALLOW—TURNER. In San Francisco, Jan. 15, by Rev. Dr. Guard, Capt. DeWitt C. Penhallow, formerly of this city, and Miss Eliza Turner, daughter of Ellery Turner, Esq., of Cutler, Me.

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Daily Chronicle.

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—"The baby has got a new tooth, but the old lady is laid up with a cold in the head," remarked a gentleman to a defeated candidate. "What do I care?" was the reply. "Well," said the gentleman, slowly, "before the election, you used to take me aside and ask me how my family was coming on, and I've been hunting you all over town to tell you, and that's the way you talk to me. But it don't make any difference. I voted for the other candidate, anyhow."

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U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	122
United States Ten-Forties coupon	111¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	108¼
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1892	105½
Eastern R. R. scrip	56½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	82½
Boston & Maine	96½
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	120½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	75
Eastern	8
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	130½
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	42
Northern, N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	100
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	50½

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Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 80c.
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Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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Portsmouth Chronicle.

In the House Fifty Years Ago.

A large, fine-looking man, of commanding presence, is the Speaker, and arraigned before him, in the custody of the sergeant-at-arms, is a tall man of more than six feet and finely proportioned; in the prime of life, with personal advantages scarcely rivaled by any notable man of his day, dressed in faultless style, with not the least of defiance or swagger, yet with perfect ease, self-possession and calm dignity, the culprit stands at the bar of the House awaiting the reprimand which the House has decreed shall be administered to him by the Speaker. The House is a study; breathless silence reigns; the members are looking on in eager interest; the bearing of the culprit makes sympathy and everything of the sort impossible, while that of the Speaker makes it difficult in the extreme for some of the representatives to restrain themselves from violating the decorum of the House by laughing outright; the Speaker is by far the most embarrassed man upon the scene, suggesting the idea that he is the one to be punished rather than the one to administer punishment. In a hesitating, perturbed manner, he at length tells the culprit that the House has ordered that he should be reprimanded before its bar by its Speaker; and he [the Speaker] begs him [the culprit] to consider himself reprimanded according to the said order; the culprit bows in a graceful and dignified, almost lordly manner, an almost audible smile spreads over the House, and the scene closes. The Speaker is Andrew Stevenson of Virginia, and the culprit is Samuel Houston. A member from Ohio, named Stanberry, we believe, had accused Houston of defrauding the government in a transaction with an Indian tribe upon the Tennessee border; the latter had demanded an investigation but had been unable to obtain any satisfaction. Smarting under the charge and despairing of legal redress, he at last gave the accuser a severe caning within the precincts of the capitol. Of course, the House could not do otherwise than arraign the caner, and a reprimand was the least penalty it could adjudge him.

Potter's Monthly.

James Parton's Baby.

It is stated that "Mr. James Parton is rejoicing over his first baby." Parton? Parton? Yes, we remember, now. Mr. Parton married Fanny Fern. Was her third husband. And when she died he married her daughter—his step-daughter. But he could not endure the idea of being a stepfather. It was repugnant to his feelings. So he married her and then discovered the laws of the State did not recognize such marriages, and asked the law-makers to make a little law for him, but they refused, and he moved off the premises without notifying the landlord, since which time we had not heard of him until this baby reminded us of these things. But what bothers us now is to fix Mr. Parton's relationships—to that baby. In the first place, ought we to call him a father or grandfather? Because it is his child and his grandchild. But if that baby is his grandchild and Parton is its father, bless us, Parton must be brother to himself? That is quite clear. And if Parton is his own brother, why, then he must be uncle to that baby. That follows of course. And if he is uncle to that baby his wife must be its aunt. Why, there is no end to this confusion. Of course Mrs. Parton can't be aunt and mother at the same time. The idea is absurd. We see now where we were in error. The exact relationship may be stated thus: Parton is a father and—is it a half or fourth grandfather! No matter; call it a half. Consequently that baby is—. Now, Fanny Fern took him as her third husband, and Parton's present wife being her daughter, and not his, that daughter's baby is no kin to him. That sounds absurd, too; very. Allowing it is Parton's child to begin with. Parton is its father, and he is just as much its grandfather, unless it is the intention not to permit the poor thing to have any grandfather at all. Now if it is his grandchild, and he was Fanny Fern's third husband, and this baby is the child of her daughter, every time he takes it on his knee—it couldn't possibly be twins, could it? No, that isn't it. Yet there does appear to be two generations in that one baby somehow. The idea of dandling two generations on one knee! That is the most ridiculous idea of all. Why, if that child were really Fanny Fern's daughter's child, and Parton was third husband to Fanny, and father to her daughter now, it aint possible Parton could pick himself up and dandle himself on his own knee. This is the most serious matrimonial complication we ever tried to solve. We are unable to do more than crack the shell; the real kernel appears to be shrouded in complications as numerous as the folds enwrapping an Egyptian mummy. We are afraid to pursue the subject any further, lest the horrible suspicion that dawns upon us that baby should prove to be Parton's father should be verified. As it is, we think it ought not to be Parton's father.—*Pittsburg Chronicle.*

—A young lady who has suffered from "baggage-smashers," has had her trunks covered with flannel this season, having heard that flannel is a good chest protector.

—The consumption of beer in England in 1875, was over 35 gallons *per stomachum.*

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, APRIL 9, 1877.

A Republican Defeat.

On Monday, the 2d inst., the Boston *Post* said:

"News from Rhode Island is decidedly favorable to the success of the democratic candidate for Governor, Hon. J. B. Barnaby, at the election on Wednesday."

As the *Post* was even more sanguine regarding the democratic prospects in New Hampshire just before our State election—and in fact *always* talks that way just before any election—nobody paid any especial attention to what it said. Now, after the election, the *Post* says:

"The defeat of Hon. J. B. Barnaby in Rhode Island is to be regretted. But the result is also a defeat for the republican party."

Let's see just about how much of a republican "defeat" the Rhode Island election resulted in. Two years ago the republican candidate for governor of that State lacked 2775 votes of an election; one year ago the republican candidate lacked 2888 votes of an election; this year the republican candidate is elected by a plurality of over seven hundred, and a clean majority of between four and five hundred. Yet the governor ran far behind his ticket, owing to the liquor interest going solid in favor of the democratic candidate,—the highest majority on the republican ticket being 4456, only 600 less than Hayes had over Tilden. And this, too, in face of the fact that Mr. Barnaby at the last moment paid the registration fees of all delinquent democrats, amounting to many thousands of dollars, while of the republicans—according to the New York *World* correspondent—at least 5000 neglected to pay their registration fees until it was too late, and thereby lost their votes. The republicans don't care how often the democrats give them such "defeats" as at this Rhode Island election.

Civil Service Reform.

The Concord *People* of the 5th says: "We have just completed our compilation of the vote on the Constitutional Amendments, as returned to us by the town clerks, and find that they are all carried but the first and twelfth. The seventh is carried by the bare figure—thirty-two." The twelfth amendment is the one prohibiting the removal of officials for political reasons; so it seems "civil service reform" is not popular in this State, at least one third of all the voters on the question voting against it. It is an odd comment on the professions of both political parties in their National platforms, their State platforms, and their party press. The following was the "civil service reform" plank in the National democratic platform:

"Reform is necessary in the civil service. Experience proves that efficient economical conduct of the governmental business is not possible if its civil service be subject to change at every election, be a prize fought for at the ballot-box, be a brief reward of party zeal instead of posts of honor assigned for proved competency and held for fidelity in the public employ; that the dispensing of patronage should neither be a tax upon the time of all our public men nor the instrument of their ambition. Here again, professions falsified in the performance attest that the party in power can work out no practical or salutary reform."

This plank was made much of by the democratic press during the Tilden campaign, the unquestionable fact that making office a "reward of party zeal" was a democratic invention and has always been acted on to the extreme by the democratic party, having been entirely ignored. Yet when the question came up in some kind of a practical form, the democracy voted heavily against it,—for it was democratic votes defeated the proposed amendment, if it is really defeated.

News and Notes.

Orville D. Jewett, the second victim of the New York explosion, had five bullets in his body, four of them having been fired from above and one (a bullet that fitted his own revolver) from a level with the wound made. It is believed that the hand grenade was exploded against the ceiling, the four small bullets coming from that, and that young Jewett afterwards shot himself again, with his revolver; he served on Gen. Banks' staff during the war, and is believed to have been insane. Dean, the only living witness of the tragedy, refuses to give any information.

Mr. J. P. Stimson of Vinal Haven, Me., who served as a soldier through the war, left his house Wednesday with a piece of rope in his hand, went to Lane's Island and applied to Mr. Lane for work. Not obtaining it, he expressed a determination to go to the southeastern part of the island. In the afternoon a young man gunning on that part of the island found Mr. Stimson's pocketbook and a note to a comrade requesting to be buried under arms.

Schooner E. Neilson was robbed by river pirates in Cow Bay, R. I., Thursday night, of clothing, money and ship's instruments, valued at $1800. The vessel was at anchor, and was boarded by the pirates in a boat.

Mr. Jennings telegraphs the New York *World* from London that Oakey Hall is not accompanied by any woman, that he can hear of, and seems like an utterly broken down and disheartened man. Mr. Jennings thinks his flight solely due to the "ever recurring spectre of his alleged complicity in the Ring frauds."

The following sentences were pronounced by Judge Barrett at Newfane, Vt., Court, Friday: Solon A. Wooley, for the murder of his brother at Grafton last October, State Prison for life; Harrison M. Townshend, for causing the burning of Asa H. Stratton's buildings at West Dummerston last March, twenty years; Edmund Stone for same offence, twelve years;—— Hurd, for stealing a watch, two years. Jessie H. Lewis, who was convicted of the murder of Albert W. Deming, was not sentenced, exceptions having been taken to the Judge's ruling which will undoubtedly result in a new trial.

It is announced that the United States steamer Plymouth, Captain Edward Barrett commanding, has been ordered to ascend the Mississippi river as far as Vicksburg, visiting the adjacent cities for the purpose of exhibiting a man-of-war in a section where they are rarely seen.

Two married men of Danby, Vt., have recently "swapped" wives.

The publication of John P. Phair's statement in Friday morning's Boston *Globe* was the occasion of his reprieve. Mr. M. D. Downing, of the Boston Novelty Co., on reading the article was convinced that he sat in the car-seat with Phair at the time he said he was travelling from Providence to Boston; he hurried to the *Globe* office and the office of the chief of police, told his story, the telegraph was set at work all over Vermont, Gov. Fairbanks was found at St. Johnsbury at a quarter past one o'clock, and at 1:36, twenty-four minutes before the hour set for Phair's execution, a reprieve was telegraphed to Rutland.

The steamers Bristol and Providence, of the Fall River line, which have been laid up at Newport all winter, will be ready to resume their place on the line at an early day. They have undergone extensive improvements at the probable expense of about $50,000 for each boat. During the winter no less than 400 workmen were in the employ of the company in making the improvements.

A few weeks ago Gov. Fairbanks of Vermont pardoned a man who was incarcerated in Addison county jail for intoxication, but the fellow changed his mind and destroyed the pardon, saying that he was not going to leave his present quarters until the weather was warmer and there was a better chance of getting a living outside. Another pardon has been sent to the jailer, and the man will be ousted from his warm nest.

The body of Mr. J. P. Stinson of Vinalhaven, Me., before reported as having probably committed suicide, was found Thursday with a heavy stone fastened to the neck. A letter left by Stinson gives the causes for the act, but Mr. Vinal, to whom the letter is addressed, thinks best not to make them public.

The Seal Rock House at Ferry Beach, Saco, was burned Friday night. A capsized lamp did the mischief.

All the five bullets found in the body of Orville D. Jewett are accounted for; four of them were fired from a small Sharpe's revolver, and the fifth from a Colt's navy. Every bullet penetrated a vital part, and yet the man lived for some hours after. The coroner's theory is that young Jewett exploded the hand grenade to kill his partners, and was shot to death by them—or one of them—in return.

New Hampshire Items.

Seventy thousand trout have been hatched at a fishery in New Hampton, the past winter.

A son of Judge Fessett of Nashua, a little more than eight years of age, weighs 115 pounds.

The coming session of the Legislature will probably be a long one. It must provide laws for the enforcement of the new Constitution as well as the usual legislation. It is reported that one or two railroad fights may be on the docket as well as serious town questions.

Alfred Godfrey, a well-known citizen, and one of the wealthiest farmers in Hillsboro county, died at his residence near Nashua Friday of Bright's disease.

The committee in charge of the recent levee in North Hampton gave one-half of the proceeds therefrom, one hundred dollars, to Stephen B. Tarlton, who lost a leg by having it crushed under the cars last fall. The other half went to the recently-organized Flute and Drum Corps in that town.

The Grand Jury in the Supreme Court at Concord presented thirty-three indictments Thursday. Among them were nine for selling spiritous liquors and seven for keeping liquors for sale.

Semi-annual interest of three per cent. is being paid to the stockholders of the Nashua and Rochester Railroad by the Worcester & Nashua Railroad Company at the Indian Head National Bank at Nashua.

Thursday afternoon George Blanchard, an employe of D. Whiting & Sons at Milton backed up his team to get a load of wood, and, stepping off, slipped and struck a circular saw, which took off his right foot.

Mr. J. W. Smart, of Newmarket, is building at that place a schooner of about twenty-five tons burthen, for Capt. Parsons of Gloucester, Mass., who will command her. She is intended for fishing; is forty-two feet keel, fifty feet over all, sixteen feet beam, and five feet nine inches depth of hold. Mr. Smart has built at Newmarket within a year two other vessels,—a steam tug, and the schooner Lucy, capsized last season off Gloucester, in a squall.

Mrs. James Mahar's house and barn in Keene were burned Saturday. Loss $1000; insured $800.

—A Mrs. Bachelder of Scottsville, Va., married at the age of thirteen years, and a year afterwards gave birth to a daughter, who also married at the age of thirteen. A few days ago a son was born to the latter, making Mrs. Bachelder a grandmother at the age of twenty-eight years.

—The St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* dryly remarks that "there seems to be a disposition in that city to remove the political disabilities hitherto imposed upon citizens who have the misfortune to be born in America."

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" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.25 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Schoolcraft and Coes' Minstrels at Franklin Hall this evening. The company is a large one, and gave a most satisfactory entertainment in Dover on Saturday evening. Reserved seat tickets can be had at Franklin Bazaar; see advertisement.

C. N. Shaw & Co., having decided not to have a set "Spring opening" this year, as they have for many years past, announce that on and after April 12th they will be prepared to display to their patrons an array of trimmed hats and bonnets, and all seasonable goods in their line, which will compare favorably with any they have shown in past seasons. The reputation of the firm is such that this announcement is all that is necessary to draw those who dout on "a love of a bonnet" to their store, No. 3 Market street, as soon as the Spring goods are opened.

The New York Star Alliance, Female Minstrels and "Cabout Dancers" give an entertainment at Franklin Hall to-morrow evening.

Orders were received at the Navy Yard on Friday to discharge all hands in Construction and Steam Engineering Departments, except the time clerks.

The Appledore House, at the Shoals, has been wonderfully improved in appearance during the past winter by the addition of the new wing and a thorough painting of the whole huge building, or pile of buildings.

Rev. J. F. Bingham, D. D., formerly Rector of St. John's church in this city, and more recently Assistant Minister of St. John's church in Waterbury, Conn., has been elected to the Rectorship of the Waterbury parish, made vacant by the death of the former Rector.

Hon. Marcellus Eldredge will shortly remove the buildings on the lot of land on Cornwall street, adjoining his new residence, and erect a fine stable there to correspond with the house.

George E. Hodgdon, Esq., of this city, is shortly to remove to West Virginia, to engage in the lumber business.

Parties at Winthrop, near Lynn, Mass., on visiting the beach Friday morning, found abundant evidences of a wreck in the shape of the timbers and planking of some small vessel, and a quarter-board bearing the name "Queen of the Bay." From the size and shape of the timbers the wrecked vessel was supposed to have been a South Shore fisherman, and it was thought all the crew must have perished, though no bodies were found. This wreck stuff was evidently from the "Queen of the Bay" and "Flying Fish," lost on Newburyport bar March 29th; and the fact that the former vessel did not go to pieces until April 3d, and her quarter-board was picked up at Lynn, on the other side of the Cape, on the 6th, shows how strong the westerly set of the current has been recently. Fishermen out of this port say the current has set stronger to the westward during the past week than for years previously.

Jordan & Cutts, plumbers, of Taunton, Mass., were burned out on Thursday night, their loss being about $4500, with no insurance. Mr. John S. Cutts, formerly of this city, is the junior member of the firm, having left here some two years or more ago to engage in business in Taunton.

Messrs. J. E. Ham & Co., at No. 27 Market street, advertise a full line of all the goods kept in a first-class merchant tailors establishment, which they will make up according to the fashions or to suit the tastes of their patrons at reasonable rates; also shirts at all prices, gentlemen's furnishing goods, etc., in great variety.

On Monday, April 2d, the fishing schooner Mary Roundy, of Lanesville, Capt. Gilbert L. Stevens, picked up off the Shoals a pair of pants in one of the pockets of which was found $1.72, several business cards of Boston houses and of parties on Deer Island, also a money receipt signed by A. Beck written upon a letterhead of Pitcher, Flitner & Co., 209 Commercial street, Boston. No owner has yet been discovered.

Col. William H. Hackett on Saturday sold at auction fifteen shares in the National Mechanics & Traders' Bank for $110 per share, Mr. Justin V. Hanscom being the purchaser.

Dearborn & Co., who last year commenced the manufacture of wrought-iron furnaces in the old Came Carriage Factory on Hanover street, finding their business has grown too extensive for their present quarters, have leased the large building on Charles street owned by Mr. B. F. Webster, and are fitting it up for immediate occupation.

The old Akerman house, on Islington street, was sold on Saturday for $25, to be removed. Capt. Jacob Haddock was the purchaser.

Schooner Leonessa, Capt. Achorn, arrived at this port on Saturday from Charleston, S. C., with a cargo of yellow pine for the new ship now building at Kittery for Capt. Marcy and others.

At the annual meeting of the Portsmouth Mercantile Library Association, held Friday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, William H. Sise; Vice President, William A. Hodgdon; Secretary, Albert H. Sides; Treasurer and Librarian, William C. Robinson; Directors, Charles A. Hazlett, Thomas H. Odion, Floren Barri, C. Morris Tredick, Frank L. Pryor, Charles H. Marston. Adjourned until next Friday evening, when the Association will consider the feasibility of celebrating their twenty-fifth anniversary.

The Woman's Temperance League have elected the following officers for the ensuing quarter: President, Mrs. John A. Goss; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Alfred W. Haven, Mrs. Freeman F. Sanborn; Recording Secretary, Miss Garrie E. Randall; Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. B. F. Thorndike; Treasurer, Mrs. A. L. White; Assistant Treasurer, Mrs. Samuel Taylor; Pianist, Miss Florence Edgerly; Trustees (for the year,) Mrs. Joseph Grace, Mrs. Joseph M. Edmonds, Mrs. Andrew J. Beck. This society is in a very flourishing condition, and increases weekly in numbers and interest. All ladies interested are invited to join. The meetings, in Grange Hall, are free to all.

Lieut. Comdr. Richard P. Leary is detached from the U. S. S. Adams, and ordered to the Enterprise as executive officer.

No lack of entertainments in Portsmouth, this week. Monday evening, Schoolcraft & Coes' Minstrels; Tuesday evening, New York Star Alliance & Female Minstrels; Thursday (Fast Day) evening, "Ten Nights in a Barroom," by Portsmouth Dramatic Club; Friday evening, Berger Family, and Sol Smith Russell; Saturday evening, Tyler & Furbish's Dramatic Company.

The annual examination of the seveaal Grammar Schools will take place this week, as follows: Monday afternoon, Mr. John Durgin's school at the Academy; Tuesday forenoon, the Haven school under Mr. Hamilton Perkins; Friday forenoon, the Hanover street school under Mr. Charles E. Buzzell.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, April 7th.

Horatio G. Twombly, adjudged a common drunkard, was sentenced to sixty days at the County Farm and to pay $6.90 costs.

Mrs. Ellen C. Gordon (otherwise known as Kate Emery) was arraigned for shoplifting, she having stolen a piece of veil stuff from the millinery store of C. N. Shaw & Co., No. 3 Market street. She acknowledged the theft, pleading that she was drunk at the time and was now repentant; fined $5, costs $8.04; will probably work it out at Brentwood.

ERRORS CORRECTED.

The Boston *Post* of a recent date contained the following item, which has been copied into about all the New Hampshire and Maine papers:

"The house of the Misses Barrell at York contains all the original furniture, books, paintings, etc., with which it was furnished by Judge Jonathan Sayward in 1713, whose full length portrait, with that of his wife, adorn the walls; also the full length portrait of their daughter Sarah at the age of twenty-three, painted by Blackburn, a pupil of Copley. The latter was painted at Charlestown in 1716, says an inscription on the back."

Capt. Nathaniel G. Marshall, of York, who is a keen and accurate antiquarian, writes the Biddeford *Journal* in correction of some errors in the *Post's* item, as follows:

"Judge Jonathan Sayward was not born until Nov. 9, 1713; his daughter Sarah was not born until Jan. 22, 1738; the portrait of Sarah was not painted until 1761, and has, not 'on the *back*' of it, but on its *face*, only this, 'I. Blackburn, 1761.' Judge Sayward married Sarah Mitchell, daughter of Roger and Sarah Mitchell of Kittery, November, 1736. Sarah Sayward was an only child, and married Nathaniel Barrell of Portsmouth, N. H., Nov. 23, 1758, who, after the marriage, resided and died in York, in the mansion house now occupied by his grandson, Charles C. Barrell, Esq. I have been told, and believe it to be true, that the portraits were painted at the house of the Judge, now occupied by the Misses Barrell, his granddaughters. Sarah's first child was born Oct. 1st, 1759, and I very much doubt if she left her growing family cares, for she had 'lots of 'em,' and went to Charlestown to have her portrait painted. Had she been unmarried it might have been otherwise."

—In looking over the property left by the late Mrs. Charles Q. Clapp, of Portland, the heirs discovered carefully packed away, a very handsome china service, that formerly belonged to the unfortunate Marie Antoinette, Queen of France, presented to the late Mme. Wingate by Gen. Lafayette, after his visit to Portland.

—That "splendid bass voice" with which President Hayes is said to have sung "Coronation" at church one Sunday, the Ohio *State Journal* pronounces a myth: "Hayes can't sing any more than a canal-boat. He stampeded Averill's whole cavalry division once trying to sing 'John Brown's Body.' They thought it was the long roll."

—Princess Tizianof and other Russian ladies of good family are zealous promoters of socialism. These fair conspirators disguise themselves in the garb of the peasantry and enter manufactories as simple workgirls, and that not for the mere whim of a few days. They pass whole months in this rude labor, walking with bare feet, filling the commonest offices of servants, and using every effort to conceal their origin. No sacrifice appears to them too great for the end which they have in view; they give their fortunes, and if they have a stake in the paternal heritage which is detained by their parents, they do not hesitate to resort to a fictitious marriage in order to obtain it, so that it may be handed over to the community.

Political.

The Washington correspondents of the democratic papers having asserted that Congressman Ewitt of Pennsylvania had written a letter to Garfield saying he would sooner vote for Randall than Garfield for Speaker of the House, Mr. Ewitt comes out with a letter to the press flatly denying the whole story. Next.

The workingmen of Ottowa, Montreal and other Canadian cities are starving, and calling on the government to aid them with work. This lamentable state of affairs is astonishing, when it is considered that Grant has not been President of Canada, that that country has no war debt and no "ruinous protective tariff," and that it has specie payments and "free trade in ships" and ship-building materials.

A Healthy Town.

Few towns are more generally healthy than the little township of Claremont, N. H. Epidemics and prevalling sickness of any kind are almost unknown here, which is accounted for by rapid streams, entire exemption from fogs, and the coolness of them, pure water, and the generally comfortable condition and regular habits of the people. And yet in any town in New England there are those who are subject to all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. In this particular, Claremont has an advantage over other places, in having a home remedy for these dread evils, in Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup Manufactory. Here is prepared a Syrup acknowledged by thousands as a sure and permanent cure for all throat and lung diseases. Go to your Druggists after it! Keep it in your house! If need be, carry it in your pocket! Try it!! Try it!!

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

—A man went into a photographic gallery at Stockton, California, to sit for his likeness, and borrowed the proprietor's watch and chain to adorn his person while having his picture taken, and when the operator took the plate into the dark room walked off with the jewelry.

—Rudolph Fenerstein, a painter by trade, registered his name at a hotel in Lawrence, Kan., one night, and was found dead in his bed the next morning. There was a letter on the table in which everything was explained. "The candle gives no time for details. Valise stolen on the way from Dalton to Kansas City, at L. and K. Junction, while eating supper. Tired living. Struck a streak of bad luck on March 11, when I was born. Another March 1, 1854, when my father died. Another March 20, valise stolen, and hand in my checks this night, March 24 to 25, 1877, if morphine I bought at Kansas City is any account. I am sorry I cannot tell my whole history; it would be worth $20,000 to somebody; but the time is over."

—One of our townsmen, being in New York recently, had occasion to visit one of the city banks. A gentleman entered the bank, and with a nervous air pushed forward to the principal officer's desk, where he presented a note for a heavy amount and desired to have it discounted. The bank officer took the paper, examined it, and pointing to the name on the back, said: "That name, sir, is not good here; we can't take that paper." "Then," said the other, "I am ruined—ruined!" With a hurried glance at the bystanders, the man was about to withdraw the worthless note, but another gentleman who had been engaged close by, and who had evidently observed what was going on, quietly put fourth his hand, took the rejected paper, scrutinized it, and then having taken a good look at the man who had presented it, lifted a pen from the desk, and deliberately wrote under the previous endorsement, "Wm. H. Vanderbilt." The action was accompanied by the simple words, "I guess that'll go." Then the seventy-five millionaire—for he it was—turned hastily away and went about his own business. Henceforth, for him, at least, the name of Vanderbilt will mean something more than railroads, stocks, and bonds.—Ellenville (N. Y.) Journal.

A Guinea is Scarce Yellower

Than the complexion of a person becomes who omits to regulate his liver when that important gland grows neglectful of its secretive function. Moreover, the stomach under such circumstances becomes disordered, the bowels are constricted, pains in the side and between the shoulder blades are felt, the head aches, and the nervous system shares in the general derangement. This concatenation of evils is, however, easily remediable with that matchless regulating tonic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which insures the secretion and flow of healthy bile, acts gently but effectually upon the bowels, and removes every symptom of nervous or digestive trouble. The result is that renewed tone is given to the entire system; the sallow, haggard appearance of the face to which biliousness gives rise is superseded by the glow of health, and the frame gains in substance as well as vigor.

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Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1877.

News and Notes.

Capital punishment was abolished in Maine, in March of last year, and since that time nine murders have been committed in the State. In the year previous to the passage of the act abolishing the death penalty only one murder was committed, and in the six years preceeding only two murderers were executed.

The Reading Railroad on Saturday suspended all the Brotherhood engineers, thirty-two in number, on the Germantown and Norristown branches; seventeen had been previously discharged, and all remaining members of the Brotherhood have been given two days in which to withdraw their connection with the organization, failing to do which they will be dismissed. A general strike is looked for, as the existence of the Brotherhood as an organization would be terminated by the railroad's success in the attack made on the order.

A Saco youth of nineteen summers became infatuated with a Biddeford girl of fifteen, and forged the signatures of her parents to a document consenting to her marriage. By this means he procured a license, and then was arrested for the forgery and safely locked up.

Gratitude is a fine art, and not often achieved by ruffians. The property of the Farrell brothers, near Covington, Ky., has been levied on to satisfy the bail bond for $3,000, on which they were sureties for the return of Tom Allen to stand trial for engaging in the prize fight with Joe Goss. Allen deserted the young men who risked their little fortune to save him from a few weeks confinement in jail, and fled to Canada.

If every man woman and child in the United States should emigrate to Texas, that State would then be less thickly populated per square mile than Massachusetts is at present.

On Wednesday night Timothy H. Green, a lazy, worthless fellow who has for some time past been living on his widowed mother in Lowell, went into a saloon in Portland street, Boston, with two men whom the saloon proprietor suspected were thieves. Knowing that Green had considerable money about him, the saloon keeper told the other men that they couldn't do any stealing in his saloon, and the three men left. On entering the stall where they had been, the proprietor found $980 in greenbacks, and at once notified the police. Next forenoon Green returned, looking for his money, and was arrested. His account of where he got the money was not satisfactory, and he is held for further developments. He has robbed somebody, without doubt.

A first-class bell buoy was on Saturday substituted for the second-class nun buoy off the outer bar of Newburyport harbor.

The Glasgow iron ship Teviotdale, coal laden, on her voyage to Bombay, caught fire in the hold early in the morning, October 31. The pumps were worked all day and night, and then the hatchways and ventilators were battened down. But two days later the hatches blew up, the decks took fire and the masts fell, and the crew were forced to the boats. After rowing hard for several days and nights in a rough sea, they landed on an island in the Chagos archipelago, where the twenty-six men lived for fifty-four days on what fish they could catch, when fortunately all were rescued by a passing schooner.

The total disappearance of the infamous Bender family, who kept a wholesale murder establishment in Kansas some years ago, was remarkable, considering the number of people who knew them and the red-hot chase made by the people of Kansas. At different times since, the arrest of "old man Bender" has been chronicled, but it has always turned out to be some one else. The Kansas City *Journal* says: "It is positively stated that old man Bender, wife, son and daughter were captured by a band of vigilants and lynched while attempting to escape from Kansas. This statement is based on the confession of one of the party who participated in the lynching, and all of the facts are said to have been in the possession of Gov. Osborn and Senator York, brother of Dr. York, one of the Benders' victims, ever since the occurrence."

Rev. Dr. William Augustus Muhlenberg, founder of St. Luke's Hospital, New York, and author of the hymn "I would not live alway" and other pieces, died in the hospital he founded, Sunday night, aged about 81 years.

The great walking match of six days, for $5000 a side, between O'Leary and Weston, at London, England, which commenced at 12:05 o'clock Monday morning of last week, resulted in a victory for O'Leary, who walked 520 miles against Weston's 510. At 2:50 o'clock Saturday afternoon O'Leary had completed 500 miles. Weston was then 22 miles behind.

It is evident that James Gordon Bennett will not return to America for some years. All his best horses and coaches were shipped to him in Paris on Wednesday. His yacht Dauntless is now being fitted out for a sea voyage. The *Herald* proprietor is at home in Paris. He was educated there and speaks the language like a native. He is also very popular among the aristocratic bloods because of his liberality and love of sporting. The chances are that he will never marry Miss May. He supplies the *Herald* by means of daily cable dispatches in cipher.

Jeremiah S. Putnam, M. D., of York, Me., who died Thursday afternoon, April 5th, aged seventy-eight years, was born in Danvers, Mass., Aug. 20, 1798; went to York in 1819; commenced the practice of medicine in 1821; graduated at Bowdoin College Sept. 7th, 1825, and has been in continuous practice fifty-two years in the town. He was eminent in his profession, and widely known. The family consisted of seven brothers and three sisters, only one of whom, Mrs. Matilda S. Moody, now in Brooklin, N. Y., survives. All the brothers who attained their majority became sea captains, and two of the sisters also married sea captains.

At Opelousas, La., recently, two negroes, a man and a boy, were arrested, charged with having poisoned a well. The Vigilance Committee took them from the jail and hanged the boy, but the man escaped after being wounded. In shooting at the flying negro one of the Committee named McCall was shot and instantly killed.

Turkey has refused to sign the protocol, and "war is inevitable" some more.

At an extraordinary general meeting of the Direct United States Cable Company, held in London on Saturday, Mr. Pender's resolution favoring an alliance with the Anglo-American Company was carried by 2,060 against 1,670. The directors then resigned and were succeeded by the following: Messrs. William Ford and John Pender, Directors of the Globe Company; Rev. Lord Hawke and Mr. E. M. Underdown, members of the committee; Capt. Mayne, R. N; Messrs. Bury, Mesara and Gunther.

New Hampshire Items.

John Conant of Jaffrey died Saturday, aged 80 years. He donated during his life $100,000 for benevolent purposes.

The Concord City Government on Saturday voted an appropriation of $25,000 in aid of the extension of the railroad from Hillsboro' Bridge to Peterboro'.

During the absence of the workmen at Fuller's frame manufactory at Milford Saturday afternoon a nine-year-old son of T. H. White started up a buzz-saw and sawed off four of his fingers.

The little Congregational Church at Troy has, within a few years, secured a parsonage, bought the basement of their meeting-house, fitted up rooms for meetings at a cost of $1500, and given nearly $5000 to benevolent objects.

Great Falls has had an Enoch Arden case. The long-lost one came home and found his wife with another husband and five new children. No. 2 magnanimously stepped out, and No. 1 took possession of wife, children and all.

It seems that the recently-adopted constitutional amendments do not go into effect until such time as the Legislature, which assembles in June, shall fix. Railroads in pursuit of town grants are governing themselves accordingly.

Daniel Mullen, while oiling the shafting in the carpet mills at Nashua, Saturday afternoon, was caught in the machinery and carried around the shafting several times. He received some severe bruises, and it is feared that he is injured internally.

Martha Davis, wife of Charles H. Davis of Concord, died suddenly on Saturday morning at the house of H. M. Parker, where she was employed as a domestic servant. Her husband visited her Friday night and was awakened about midnight by her heavy breathing; he roused the family and a doctor was called, but the woman died about seven o'clock. A post-mortem examination was ordered, the case being regarded as very suspicious.

A French boy named Leonard Pall was drowned in Peabody River, Gorham, March 28th. As the river was high and rapid, the body was not recovered until four days afterwards, and then the Catholic priest, Father Charland, threw a loaf of bread into the stream where he fell in, after blessing it. Then he told his parishioners to follow the bread until it stopped, and there the body would be found. It stopped in an eddy half a mile down stream, and there the body was found.

A young fellow evaded his fare by stealing a ride on the locomotive pilot of the night express train from Hooksett to Manchester, Tuesday evening. When he arrived at the latter place, he was hatless, his eyes were blurred and wild from the wind, and he was chilled and frightened.

A case of hydrophobia occurred at the Cheshire Almshouse in Westmoreland Saturday. Mr. Thomas Jordan was bitten by a dog last December, in Keene, and was taken sick with the symptoms of madness on Friday last and died Saturday. It was a terrible case of intense suffering, and while rational he begged of his attendants to shoot him.

Mrs. Sarah Patten, who will be one hundred and three years of age next June, passed through this city Tuesday night on her way to Montreal. She came from Chester to Derry in the afternoon and then up on Conductor Doolittle's train. She was accompanied by her youngest daughter, who is fifty-one years old. Mrs. Patten will pass the remainder of her life in Montreal with one of her daughters.—*Manchester Mirror.*

Some logging men at Sawyer River, Bartlett, were surprised while eating their dinner by a swollen stream breaking in one end of their shanty. They climbed to the roof and consulted. When the water subsided somewhat they had a hard time getting to camp, three miles distant.

A tramp stealing a ride on the Sunday train was discovered near Foundry Station, Great Falls, on Sunday night. He jumped, fell under the wheels, and one leg was cut off. He refuses to give his name. He is a Nova Scotian.

James M. Cummings, of Littleton, while oiling a gang of saws at H. C. Libby's mill, Bethlehem, had his sleeve caught in the machinery and was thrown upon the saws, and killed.

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Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

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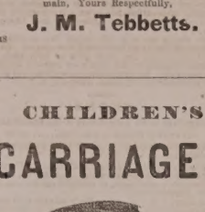

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Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

ST. JOHN'S PARISH.

At the annual Parish Meeting of St. John's church, holden on Easter Monday, April 2d, the following officers were elected:

Wardens—John Christie, Washington Freeman;

Vestrymen—Lyman D. Spalding, Albert R. Hatch, Wm. F. Parrott, John R. Reding, Christopher C. Jackson, Robert C. Peirce, H. W. Briant, Daniel L. Stover, Arthur F. Pfeiffer;

Parish Clerk—Francis M. Hatch;

Auditors—Robert C. Peirce, John H. Slater;

Delegates to Diocesan Convention—Lyman D. Spalding, John Christie, John Hatch.

The election of Treasurer was deferred to an adjourned meeting, to be holden on Monday, 9th inst., at which time Hon. John R. Reading was chosen.

ATTEND TO YOUR DRAINS.

One of the first things needing attention on the opening of Spring is the cleaning out and repairing of drains (for a defective or insufficient drain is a perfect magazine of disease and death) and the laying of new ones where required; and for the latter purpose we believe the very best, most durable and most economical pipe in the market is the hydraulic cement stone pipe made by Mr. Dennis Shea in this city at No. 26 Water street, and near the gas works in Dover. We have seen much of this pipe laid where it has to stand the hardest usage from outside pressure and frost, and we believe it has given entire satisfaction in every case; we *know* it has in nearly every one. Shea's cement lined water pipe is also very highly recommended by parties who have tried it, though we cannot speak of its merits from personal knowledge; but we know that the drain pipe cannot be beaten—or at least has not yet been—for durability and cheapness in the long run. It is made in all sizes, from small tubes for sink drains, etc., to big pipes able to carry a young mill-stream and just suitable for culverts and large sewers. If you are in need of anything in that line, you cannot do better than by calling on Mr. Shea.

FISHY.

During the past winter the fishermen out of this port (as all along the coast) had rather hard luck. In the early part of the fishing season the weather was very unfavorable, so much so that often for a week at a time there was not a single "fishing day;" bait was also very scarce; and notwithstanding the very moderate amount of fish taken, prices ruled very low. Later in the season bait (frozen herring) was plenty enough, but very high, and fish did not advance much in price, even the lenten season failing to bring prices up to what they have been in years past, though the local wholesale buyers paid all they could afford to and realize a reasonable profit.

A very large fishing fleet used this harbor during the winter, including the able vessels belonging to this port, others from Newburyport, Rockport and Gloucester, Mass., and a few from ports to the eastward. This spring, owing to a lack of other employment, many men who have hitherto worked at something else have taken up fishing, and quite a number of small vessels have been added to the already numerous mosquito fleet fishing from our harbor. We are informed that C. Morris Tredick, Esq., has given generous assistance to several men who had not the means to purchase boats for themselves, by procuring the coveted craft and turning them over to the fishermen, making the terms of payment easy and buying all the fish they catchit at full market rates, thus enabling the fisherman to earn a living and pay for his boat at the same time. Mr. Tredick has given employment to a large gang of men during the winter, and has dressed for curing a large amount of fish, besides sending considerable quantities of fresh fish to other markets. He finds a ready sale for all his dried fish, and it is to be hoped he realizes a handsome profit, for every man who helps others to employment deserves success.

It is a good certificate of the caution and skill of the fishing skippers that so few accidents have happened during the season just finished, although thick and stormy weather and blinding snow-storms have been unusually prevalent this winter. No lives or vessels have been lost, nor any vessels sustained any very material damage; few of the craft have touched bottom at all, and those that have were nearly all swept ashore by the strong currents in the river, and in almost every case came off on the next tide unharmed.

An item was recently published to the effect that "most of the Newcastle dragboats have been disposed of, some of them having been purchased by parties in this city, and others sold to Kittery Point and other places." Immediately afterward a gentleman came into our office and asked us, "What kind of a boat is a drag-boat?" We looked at him in astonishment, and asked: "Is it possible that you, a man bred and born in this city, don't know what a drag-boat is?" "Quite possible," he said; "what is a drag-boat, anyway?" As soon as we found that he really did not know what a drag-boat was, we explained to him that we did not know either, but we have found out since, and now explain that a drag-boat is a vessel of any size—generally a small schooner—that sets a net at nightfall and keeps one end fast to the vessel till morning, when the net is drawn, the vessel laying-to all night. This style of fishing we are informed is becoming quite popular, and is fast superceding the old plan of anchoring both ends of the net.

JOTTINGS.

Morse & Ilsley will sell at auction to-day, on the premises, without reserve, the house and lot on North road known as the Henry Works place. Sale at noon. See advertisement.

New York Star Alliance & Female Minstrels at Franklin Hall this evening. See advertisement.

Pearson's hot-houses on Broad street have broken out with blue glass all over the roofs. The blue panes are arranged so as to form Greek crosses, and look pretty whether they make the plants grow more luxuriantly or not.

On Fast Day Rev. James DeNormandie will preach on "The bearings of Christianity on Civil Service Reform."

The Berger Family and Sol Smith Russell, who will appear at Franklin Hall on Friday evening next, have met with almost unparalleled success wherever they have appeared. They have received especial praise in the cities of this State, and we see by the papers of other States that their success has been as remarkable everywhere. They were in New Britain, Conn., a short time since, and the Hartford *Courant* says the people "are so enthusiastic in praise of the whole programme that they have set the whole community economizing to save money to purchase tickets for their next appearance."

Schooner "W. H. Y. Hackett" sailed for the Western Banks on Saturday, and the "Gov. Goodwin" on Monday. The rest of Mr. Doane's fishing fleet will follow in a few days.

"Every day an 'opening day,'" on and after April 15th, is what is advertised by J. M. Tebbetts, who has just returned from New York with a choice selection of millinery goods, and will be ready on the date named to show a nice assortment of trimmed bonnets and hats in Spring and Summer styles.

The Portsmouth Dramatic Club will on Thursday evening present "Ten Nights in a Bar-room" at Franklin Hall, with a very strong cast. The proceeds will be applied to a charitable object, so patrons of the entertainment will be helping on a good cause while having a good time.

See the advertisements of "Wanted" in our columns of to-day.

Portsmouth Philharmonic Society rehearsal every Tuesday evening at Mercantile and Grange Hall. Mr. Amos Pearson director. All singers who can read church psalmody are invited to become members.

Several enthusiastic farmers in this city were busy planting peas in their gardens on Monday.

The Reading Railroad Company's coal steamer Perkiomen arrived at this port on Monday with a full cargo (about 1200 tons) of coal from Philadelphia.

Mr. J. W. P. Carter advertises House Furnishing Goods cheap. He has a large variety in stock, at No. 17 Daniel street.

Our informant was in error in stating that George E. Hodgdon, Esq., is intending to leave this city to engage in the lumber business in Virginia. Mr. Hodgdon did at one time intend to do so, and had nearly completed his arrangements, but circumstances have since arisen causing him to reconsider his determination. He will continue his law practice in this city.

Blue is the color, and no mistake. We got a bottle of blue ink Monday afternoon, and used the first pen-ful to sign a receipt for a man who came in to pay a bill of twenty-five dollars!!! [N. B. We continue to recognize our old acquaintances just the same as formerly.]

The San Francisco *Alta California* of Sunday, April 1st, referring to the wreck of ship Frank Jones on the previous Friday, says: "The tugs proceeded to the stranded ship on Friday night, and at ten P. M. found that she had five feet of water in her hold. They took hold, however, and at high water all the power possible was put on the tugs, but they could not move her, and finding at this time that she had twelve feet of water in her hold, abandoned the attempt for getting her off, and came to town. An *Alta* reporter paid a visit to the wreck yesterday afternoon, and found her lying quite easy, it being very smooth at the time. The crew had unbent all the sails, unrove and sent down the best part of the running rigging, all of which, in addition to the stores and officers' and men's clothing, etc., were put into a lighter, which was moored her off-shore side, and at four P. M., everything being in readiness, the captain, pilot and crew came to town in the lighter. In connection with this affair, we give the captain's statement in regard to the pilot's management of the vessel. An inquiry thereto having been made of him, in presence of the agents of the Board of Underwriters, he stated to them that he exonerated the pilot from any and all blame in the matter. He was perfectly cool and collected in the trying emergency, and did all that was possible for a man to do to extricate the vessel from her dangerous position. The anchors were let go with a good scope of chain to each, but they failed in bringing her up, and the ship lies a total wreck."

Lovers and judges of good horse-flesh,—and there are many in this city, are on the qui vive about a trot which is to come off here between animals of noted quality, a bet having been made between Woodbury Locke, owner of the chestnut horse "Canozo Boy," and Frank W. Hilton, owner of a valuable animal named "Julius Cæsar," for $250 a side, the stakes for which are now planked. The contest will take place about May 10th, the course to be from this city to the Union House, Hampton, distance ten miles. All things considered, a big contest is anticipated.—*Times.*

On Saturday a large dog belonging to Mr. Benjamin Canney bit a little daughter of Mr. J. B. Trefethen on the hand, the teeth penetrating the flesh. The dog was taken to the police station in the evening and killed.

Walter C. Harriman, Esq., son of Gen. Walter Harriman, is expecting to speedily open a law office in this city.

The cargo of shooks of the beached schooner Superior has been sold to Messrs. C. Morris Tredick and William Downs.

Political.

The New York *World* says "Rhode Island is perhaps the most thoroughly republican State in the Union, and exhibits the natural tendencies of republicanism by prescribing a property qualification for her foreign-born citizens, as New Hampshire prescribes a religious test for its office-holders." New Hampshire has abolished the religious test, notwithstanding the fact that nearly every one of the strongly democratic towns voted heavily against the abolition; so the *World's* fling at republican prescription of foreign-born citizens in this State is uncalled for. If the religious test had been retained, it would have been owing to the votes of that party with which the Catholic citizens have always voted almost unanimously.

—"Have you heard my last song?" asked a music writer of a graff critic. "I hope so," was the reply.

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ARRIVED, April 8.

Sch John L Tracy, Meservey, Wilmington.

ARRIVED, April 9.

Steamer Perkiomen, Pierce, Philadelphia.

Sch Osprey, Crowley, Hoboken.

SAILED, April 9.

Sch Gov Goodwin, McGrath, Grand Banks.

Ship Midnight, Marcy, from Manila for Boston, passed Anjier, Feb 17.

Sch J D Cranmer, Martin, for this port from New York, arr at Newport, April 6.

Schs Jury Fourth, Wood, for this port from Hoboken, and Sallie B. Hatemen, for this port from Philadelphia, arrived at Vineyard Haven, April 6.

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Wanted.

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ON Easter Sunday, a GENTLEMAN'S SCARF PIN with coral head, on which a face is carved. A suitable reward will be paid the finder on leaving the pin at the Rockingham House. A7*

Wanted.

A MAN with a small family, from the country, to work on a farm; must be steady and reliable; none others need apply. CHARLES C. LAMPREY, North Road, Portsmouth. †D&W1apl3

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—The Missouri legislature has rejected a whipping post bill that, if passed, would have been likely to fill the State with wailing and woe. It provided that any person convicted a second time of petit larceny should be publicly whipped on his bare back with a rawhide, the lashes to be forty, save one. Persons convicted of grand larceny a second time, in addition to imprisonment in the penitentiary, were to receive thirty-nine lashes, to be administered by the Warden or other keeper, immediately upon being received at the prison. Parents or guardians for cruelly beating or abusing children, and wives and husbands for cruelly beating and abusing each other, were also to be punished with the lash.

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Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
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Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	56½
Boston & Providence	150½
Boston & Albany	126½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	78
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	130½
Manchester & Lawrence	150
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Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Canadian Clergyman on Dancing.

The people of the province of Ontario are willing to bet their boots that they can produce a more fearful and wonderful man of God than Brother Talmage of Brooklyn, in the person of Rev. Wm. McDonagh, Presbyterian minister of the flourishing town of Paris, on the Great Western Railway. Brother McDonagh has for some years been regarded as the champion blazes exhorter of the Dominion. The other day he preached a sermon on dancing. The heads of the Synod sent a stenographer to the church and the report of the sermon has been filed away as the foundation of an indictment against Brother McDonagh, which will be brought before the high Presbyterian tribunal that meets in Toronto in June next.

The text was Isaiah, V., 12: "And the harp and the viol, the tabre and pipe, and wine are in their feasts; but they regard not the works of the Lord, neither consider the operation of his hands." I send you a copy of those portions of the manuscript report on which the venerable chiefs of the church in this city are preparing charges of "indecent and shameful conduct" on the part of the preacher. The church, it may be well to state, was filled to suffocation by an immense congregation, including two or three hundred ladies. "The history of dancing is full of all that is beastly, envious, murderous and lustful. It has been stated that the terrible moral debasement of dancing in the United States has been the primary cause of nine-tenths of all the divorces in the country. Where do you libertine and lustful Christians get your dances from? I will tell you: They are sent from hell to France, and thence to Canada via New York and Chicago." [A voice—"No, we import direct from headquarters and save the middlemen; we're Grangers, we are." Laughter, cheers and great commotion.] "I believe you; I verily believe this town is a small hell, and this Dominion a hell nearly four million square miles in area. I'll show you what dancing is. I looked through a window at a dance in this town the other evening (do you want me to give names?) and I saw a young fool of a fellow approach a young lady, and I'll show you what followed." Here Rev. Mr. McDonagh tripped across the pulpit platform, and bowing politely to an imaginary young lady, said in soft tones: "My dear Miss M, can I have the pleasure of a dance with you?" Then the reverend gentleman tripped back as if bearing a lady on his arm. This exhibition created great laughter. "And now watch that young couple. The young woman begins to perspire, her eyes flash; the young man takes hold of the young lady's hand, his touch thrills her through and through, and off they go into the dance; he is ready to pounce on her virtue the first chance that offers." [A voice—"You know how it is yourself." Cheers and great excitement.]

This is the kind of man Brother McDonagh is; but as the report does not state that any of the females in the congregation left the building during this performance, he must have an appreciative flock.—*Toronto Cor. Chicago Times.*

Romance in Real Life.

Ten years ago a big, handsome Kentuckian passed through Monticello, and was noticed by a young girl sitting at a window of the most aristocratic house in town. The young girl loved him on sight, and a local paper gives the happy result. The young girl had wealth, culture and beauty; and he was poor, with only his splendid physique and intrepid spirit, and was a cattle herder in Texas. There he soon rose to be proprietor of a ranch, and took his money to California and hunted for gold. After many ups and downs, fortune favored him, and he found himself the owner of a silver mine at Silver City, New Mexico. The girl, meanwhile, had bloomed into a rarely beautiful woman, and developed unusual literary ability, and became a contributor to the *Apostolic Times*, the organ of the Reform church published at Lexington. By some means the girl had learned who the unconscious object of her fancy was, and, though he had never seen her, the two corresponded throughout the ten years. She never wrote a word of her personal attractions nor family, nor did he speak of his good fortune; he had a mind well stored with judicious reading, and their correspondence was only that of book-loving friends. A few weeks ago, however, the love she had always borne him bore its fruit. He wrote her proposing marriage, and soon followed his letter to her Kentucky home, where he saw her for the first time. Recently they were married, and Miss Annie Berry, that was, will be surprised to find on reaching Silver City that her husband, R. B. Metcalf, is the greatest capitalist in New Mexico.

—Yesterday afternoon a Piute Indian was passing along C street, just about half slewed with Gold Hill whiskey. His appearance, however, did not attract much attention, as he was by no means uproarious. A white man with the same quantity of liquor aboard would have banged off his six-shooter at the omnibus, bet all his money on the ace, cleaned out a saloon, or rushed into a newspaper office to pay for a year's subscription; but with the stoical Indian it was different. He merely walked along the street and occasionally stopped twice before he planted his foot in the right

piece. When he felt wearied he leaned against an awning post and seemed buried up to his neck in thought. Presently he spied a wooden Indian woman in front of a cigar store. She displayed the usual lavish calf, and was otherwise gorgeously arrayed. The Piute contemplated the inanimate figure for several minutes and began gradually to advance. Then he put his arms round her neck and remarked, "Noosha kamee (bie) nashkeets." Observing that, although his advances were not reciprocated, they were certainly not repelled, he continued to spoon the woman, to the delight of a number of young squaws who sat on the sidewalk a little distance away and giggled immoderately. Presently the buck locked his arm in that of the wooden squaw and was about to lug her off, when the proprietor of the place rushed out and prevented the abduction of his sign by knocking the Indian down and replacing the wooden woman on her pedestal.—*Virginia (Nev.) Chronicle.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1877.

News and Notes.

A Cheyenne special says: "Spotted Tail has arrived at this agency from the mission to the hostiles undertaken at the instance of the department commander, bringing with him Crazy Horse and 1500 men, women and children who have surrendered. This leaves only the Cheyennes still on the war path in this department. A large force of Indians have been enlisted at the agencies to bring these in. The Sioux war in the Department of the Platte seems to be near a final termination now."

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued a circular announcing that silver will be paid for National bank notes forwarded for redemption in sums of $1000 up to $10,000.

Boston had a grand ball in aid of the Old South Preservation Fund, Monday night. The decorations were fine and the company large, many "notables" being present.

Pittsburg, Pa., with her big debt of $13,-000,000, defaults half of the interest of $300,000, and borrows the rest by a method of doubtful legality. The city finances are in a dreadful way, with the sinking fund largely made up of overdue taxes.

The brigantine Clarence, Capt. John K. Butler, and the schooner Bessie Gardner, Capt. Bowman Crosby, both belonging to the port of Yarmouth, N. S., are now given up as lost. They both sailed for the West Indies in December, and are supposed to have succumbed to the great gale of the 9th of that month. It is a singular fact both the above named captains lost their vessels in the West Indies last summer in a hurricane, viz, the brigantines Clifford and Sophia, and both returned to Yarmouth with Capt. Telford, in the brigantine Vesta. All three perished upon their return trip; Capt. Telford was washed overboard in the gale of the 9th; the particulars of the fate of the others will probably never be known.

A Paris correspondent says that the "eel-skin" dress is now the great rage both in London and Paris. In the wildest days of the tie-back or pin-back mania, there never was seen such a tightness in the matter of skirt as now prevails. The desired effect of youthful slenderness is generally obtained by the "eel-skin," but at a good deal of sacrifice of personal ease.

Alonzo Bell has been appointed Assistant Secretary of the Interior. He was Chief Clerk of the Interior Department under Mr. Chandler, and was promoted on the ground of merit.

Mr. Adamson, Consul-General of the United States at Melbourne, Australia, advises the State Department that no American should emigrate to Australia who does not carry with him the means for return in a year, as such emigrants are likely, in most instances, to want to get back to the United States by that time.

The long-stranded steamer Amerique was gotten off the beach Tuesday morning, and anchored in deep water.

Several large scows laden with the dirt and garbage of New York city broke from the tugs towing them to the lower harbor on the 9th, during a gale. One was carried to sea, two or three sunk and several others drove on to the Jersey and Long Island shores. It is believed that most of the Italians employed on them were saved, but it is rumored that several were drowned.

Two children of Mr. Nathl. Houghton of Clinton, Mass., a boy of eight years and a girl of four, were drowned in a pond on Tuesday.

The wrecked steamer Rusland was broken in two by the heavy swell on Monday, and is fast going to pieces.

The ownership of the Colts' navy revolver, the small Sharpe's revolver and the large knife found in the Jewett's counting room after the tragedy which resulted in the death of two of the partners, has been traced to Orville D. Jewett.

A Cincinnati special says Gen. Sam. Cary has been found guilty in Court of appropriating $28,000 entrusted to him to buy a Colorado mine, and has been ordered to account therefor to the stockholders.

Robert Hill, while trying to rescue some money from his burning house in Harmony township, Pa., on Saturday, was caught by a falling chimney, held in the flames and burned to death in the presence of his family.

A Zanesville, Ohio, despatch says the window glass blowers demand an advance of wages, which the employers refuse, as they earn six to eight dollars per day now. A strike is threatened, to be followed by similar ones throughout the country.

The Supreme Court of the United States has decided that the United States must be reimbursed the $1,500,000 loaned to the Centennial, before the stockholders can receive any dividend.

New Hampshire Items.

Reuben B. Pratt, of Fitzwilliam, was found dead in his barn last Saturday noon, hanging by the neck. He has been more or less insane for the past five years, and complained the day before that his head troubled him and that he couldn't stand it much longer.

C. L. Russell & Co.'s storehouse at West Swanzey, filled with staves and pail bottoms, was burned Monday night; loss $800; insured.

Political.

Senator Dorsey, of Arkansas, has been advertised as one of the republicans who would probably vote with the democrats, on account of his disapproval of the Southern policy of the administration. He called at the White House last week and said to the President that he was greatly pleased with the new policy, and should do everything in his power to ensure its success.

For a month past the roll of the new House of Representatives has been the prime secret of current politics. Every one wanted to know just which of the Representatives whom the people had elected Clerk Adams proposed to admit. The secret is out at last, and an exposition of it is given in another column, which is absolutely accurate and may well be called important. Mr. Adams has swelled the democratic majority from five to twelve after a most extraordinary manner. For instance in one disputed State he puts on the roll members who have certificates from both Governors; in another, he kicks over his own principle and refuses to put on the roll a member declared elected by both republican and democratic courts. His crowning wickedness, however, is the exclusion from the roll of the member from Colorado, who bears the only certificate issued by the Governor of the State and has as clear a right to his seat as any member of the House. If Mr. Adams supposes that he is to be allowed to reverse the verdicts of States in this high-handed fashion, he mistakes the temper of the American people. This injustice, at least, must be corrected at the start. It may take all Summer, but it will be well spent in defense of popular rights.—*Tribune.*

—A man in Jersey City found a sneak thief in his hallway, and kicked the fellow down the stairs and into the street. He afterward discovered that the thief wore his best suit of clothes when he received the booting.

—San Francisco is the most romantic city on the continent. The courtship of Lieut. de Kalanda and pretty Jennie Burdick was a sweet and touching story, and so, too, is the elopement of Sammy Sharp, aged nineteen, and Katie Wasson, aged fourteen. They lived and loved in Sacramento County, and his father, a rich farmer, took a shotgun and followed them to San Francisco. But he was too late. They were minors and could not get a marriage license except on the requisition of the parents; but they were advised by counsel that the State's jurisdiction did not extend beyond three miles from the coast, so they determined to charter a towboat and a parson, and to marry on the high seas. The weather was blustering, the waves ran high, and the wedding guests were seasick—very. When the "Elizabeth Mary" (towboat) was a marine league from the heads, the clergyman called the children aft and married them.

A Guinea is Scarce Yellower

Than the complexion of a person becomes who omits to regulate his liver when that important gland grows neglectful of its secretive function. Moreover, the stomach under such circumstances becomes disordered, the bowels are constricted, pains in the side and between the shoulder blades are felt, the head aches, and the nervous system shares in the general derangement. This concatenation of evils is, however, easily remediable with that matchless regulating tonic, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which insures the secretion and flow of healthy bile, acts gently but effectually upon the bowels, and removes every symptom of nervous or digestive trouble. The result is that renewed tone is given to the entire system; the sallow, haggard appearance of the face to which biliousness gives rise is superseded by the glow of health, and the frame gains in substance as well as vigor.

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Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

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" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.30 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 " 5.30 "	
Dover,	10.20 " 5.30 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, April 10th.

John Casey, drunk, $3 fine, costs $8.04. Same, brawl and tumult, $5 fine, costs $5.73. Jail in default of payment. Mr. Casey has but recently returned from Brentwood, to which place he is reported to have said he should soon go back; he has not yet gone back.

DANGEROUS SPORT.

On Monday evening, shortly before nine o'clock, several young fellows passed the entrance to the Heavy Artillery armory, and—doubtless by way of a rich joke—threw a lighted bunch of fire-crackers up on the stairs, where they exploded, making the usual amount of pleasing racket and scattering fire about on the wooden stairs with the usual liberality of fire-crackers. Several other places were serenaded in the same manner by the sportive youths, but we did not hear of their throwing their incendiary musical instruments into any other building. Who the young men were we do not know; but we trust they will not regard it as impertinent for us to suggest to them that there is a municipal ordinance prohibiting the firing of crackers in the compact part of the city, and that if their amusing proceedings should result in the destruction by fire of a valuable building it might be a serious matter for the owner thereof, who would hardly be able to detect the latent wit in the affair. And it might be unpleasant even for the jokers, if they should be detected.

A SURPRISED LIGHTKEEPER.

The contemplated erection of a new house on White Island for the keeper of the Lighthouse thereon, reminds the Newburyport *Herald* of an incident that occurred there some years ago and which it relates as follows:

The light was then kept by a man named Haley, a friend of whom, one Johnny Bragg of Seabrook, was in the habit of fishing off the Shoals, and in case of a storm would stop with the light-keeper. On one exceedingly stormy night, while Bragg was stopping at the house and both were feeling pretty well from the frequent potations they had indulged in, the conversation turned upon a personal devil, and Haley asked Bragg if he believed in one? "No," said he, "and if there is one I would like to have him walk in now." Immediately after this remark a loud knock was heard upon the door, at which they both trembled, for they knew they were the only occupants of the island, and no one would venture forth in such a gale of wind. The knock was repeated, and Johnny Bragg recovering his strength, summoned up his courage, and "the devil or no devil," he would open the door. When this was done there stood before him a strapping negro, reeking wet, which gave him another fright, and he ran to Haley and told him the devil had got them sure. But it proved to be the only survivor of a Portland brig which had gone to pieces upon the rocks, who fortunately escaped and made for the light-keeper's house.

That is a pretty good story, but it is not exactly correct. At the time the negro sailor so unexpectedly appeared on the island, the lightkeeper, Mr. Haley, (there was but a single keeper then, as the old style of lights did not require any standing watch,) was on shore to procure provisions, and Mr. John Bragg Downs of Gosport, (not "Johnny Bragg of Seabrook,") who still lives at the Shoals and is good for many years yet, we hope, was tending the light for him. And neither Mr. Downs nor his companion were jolly with grog, as Mr. Downs always has been and is to-day a temperate man; neither were the two discussing abstruse points in theology. There was a thick snow-storm at the time, with a heavy gale, and a tremendous southeast sea rolling in on the island; and Mr. Downs having asked his companion, jestingly, "What would you think if somebody was to knock at the door just now?" the latter answered, "I should think it was the devil himself, for nobody else could land on the island at such a time as this,"—when instantly there came a vigorous knock on the door! Startled, as well they might have been, the two men sat in astonishment for a moment, when the knock was repeated and a voice was heard; hurrying to the door they opened it, and then thought old Jimmy Squarefoot *had* come, sure enough, for there stood a six-foot-high darkey, black as the ace of spades, with blood running down his face and his eyes and teeth glittering in the light of the lantern; but the castaway's salutation, "Brig ashore right here, sah," reassured them and they at once went out to aid the rest of the crew. The vessel was a brig from Russia, laden with hides and tallow, and she struck the point within a hundred feet of the dwelling and not much further from the lighthouse, before the crew saw the light; the negro let himself down from the bowsprit end by a rope, groped his way on his hands and knees over the perilous route to the house, and gave the alarm—an "alarm" it was, indeed—as related; and a half-hour later the entire crew, thirteen in number, were safe in the house and the brig swept off into deep water and sunk. The rescued crew were on the island for fourteen days before the sea went down so they could get across to Star Island, and as the keeper was short of provisions before he received such a big addition to his family, the whole lot were about half starved by the time they got relief.

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Years afterward another keeper of the same light was astonished on entering the porch of the house after extinguishing the light one morning, after a fearfully stormy night, to find a strange man standing there, wet and nearly chilled to death. After the man got warmed up enough to talk he explained that he was one of the crew of a fishing schooner called the Flying Fish, which had been driven out of Star Island roads with only he on board the night before, and wrecked on Seavey's Island, which is connected with White Island by a half-tide bar. He had groped his way to the house, after the tide fell, and had been standing in the porch several hours when found; and on being asked why in the world he didn't go in, or make a big noise so that some one would come to the door, he replied that he "thought they were all asleep, and he didn't wish to disturb anybody!"

JOTTINGS.

Mr. Richard D. Smart has disposed of his confectionary store and saloon on Market street to his son, Richard D. Smart, Jr., and Mr. Benjamin Atwell.

The Berger Family and Sol Smith Russell will appear at Franklin Hall on Friday evening in their musical and humorous entertainments. Says the New York *Herald*: "The Berger Family made so decided a hit last week that they are to be retained during the week to come, in conjunction with Sol Smith Russell, who is one of the most entertaining of humorists. Mr. Russell's great talent for mimicry has been satisfactorily demonstrated, and in make-up and ability to imitate odd characters and eccentric persons, he may be esteemed without a rival. The effect he produced last evening was simply immense, not only by his droll sayings, but by his clever changes of voice and countenance, whereby he instantaneously depicts diverse characters in an exceedingly comic way. The musical selections of the Berger Family were well rendered, and are deserving of unreserved commendation." Seats on sale at Preston's drug store.

Schoolcraft & Coes' Minstrels gave a good show, Monday evening, to a good audience, —a very good audience, considering the fact that three other evening entertainments were advertised in the papers for the same week, and a fourth reported to be coming on Saturday night.

The Temperance Reform Club will go to Dover on Thursday (Fast Day) at half-past one o'clock P. M., sharp, returning to this city by special train at six o'clock. Fare for the round trip, forty cents; all are invited.

The attention of our readers is respectfully called to the display advertisement of the Kentucky Cash Distribution Co., from which it will be seen that that organization will distribute on June 30th the sum of $310,000. This will be the second of the series of Grand Drawings under the Company's charter, and will be conducted in the same manner as the first, the fairness of which is conceded by all, and to which a long list of distinguished officials have certified. This second scheme is the best ever offered to the public, and the price of tickets is only $10, which are sold in halves and quarters. Messrs. G. W. Barrow & Co. of Louisiana, Ky., are the General Managers, and the old and well-known firm of Thomas H. Hays & Co., No. 697 Broadway, New York, General Agents. Any communications or orders for tickets directed to either of these firms will be promptly and courteously filled.

United services will be held on Fast Day morning at eleven o'clock, in the North church. Sermon by Rev. James W. Hubbell, on "Puritan principles: has the century outgrown them?"

Capt. Jacobs was injured on Tuesday, at Fernald's shipyard, by a block striking him on the head from the giving away of a derrick. He was partially stunned and lost considerable blood, but it is hoped his hurts are not serious.

This evening, before the Eclectic club, at Miss Morgan's Seminary, Mrs. Julia Van Ness Whipple will give dramatic readings and an original poem, and will preface the readings with a few remarks on Dramatic Elocution.

Ship William H. Marcy, of this port, arrived at San Francisco April 9th, from New York.

Messrs. Morse & Ilsley on Tuesday sold the Henry Works place on Christian Shore at auction, for $1525, Mr. B. F. Rice being the purchaser.

The public will be glad to learn that plans are being drawn for a fine amusement hall to be erected by a stock company on the site of the Temple, recently burned. A subscription paper is now circulating among the citizens, with shares at one hundred dollars each, a generous number of which have already been taken. The paper is to be left at Preston's drug store for the benefit of all interested. The work is in thoroughly competent hands and we are assured that nothing will be left undone to make the proposed new hall first-class in every respect and commensurate with its importance; so give it your hearty encouragement with money and by voice. The building will be commenced just as soon as the necessary stock is taken up.

The following, concerning the merits of a newly-invented fog-signal, we find going the rounds of the paper: "The compressed-air whistle is simple in its construction, easily worked and requiring neither experience nor skill in the person operating it; ready for working at an instant's notice, and occupying not more than two feet square of space, it should at once supersede the steam whistles, which are now maintained at so much expense on the light ships and which do not exceed it in volume or shrillness of sound." If there is really an efficient whistle such as is thus described, and which takes up so little room, we may hope there will be one on Whale's-back before another winter sets in; it is pretty certain there will be no steam-whistle there by that time.

It is proposed to raise a May pole in Langdon Park, with appropriate ceremonies, on the 23d of May next, that being now historically decided upon as the day on which the first settlers of New Hampshire landed on Odiorne's Point. The exercises suggested, include a floral dance round the pole, and crowning of a queen of the May; with brief addresses by several distinguished sons of Portsmouth and others, and appropriate music, etc. Hon. C. L. Woodbury of Boston has consented to deliver an address on that occasion.

On Monday, just as the schooner "Gov Goodwin" was leaving the wharf to start on her trip to the Western Banks, one of the crew, named James Brackett, attempted to escape taking the cruise by jumping into the river. As he had received a liberal advance it was thought only fair he should render some return, so he was fished out and returned on board, to make the voyage whether he will or no.

NEW AND YET OLD.

The God who has made this world has made known the end of it by events that shall take place to the end of it; these events are to be literal on the stream of time so that any man who lives and watches the events foretold, can say this is that was written by such a servant of God, and by so doing he could tell where he was living on the stream of time, and as all of those events spoken of are in the past, and can be proved but two, and they about to take place, and these are that the powers of heaven are to shake as they never have, and that Russia shall drive Turkey out of Europe into Asia upon its mountains, now man has no authority to spiritualize the kingdom of God, nor the king, nor its subjects. For every promise that God has made to his son and his people as an inheritance is to be on earth and nowhere else, and he has promised his people that they shall live two lives in one body on earth, and he is coming back from heaven very soon to get his people and be united to them by marriage and dwell with them forever on the earth after it is cleansed by fire. My advice is to all to make a preparation now to meet the King face to face very soon. WM. S. WILLEY.

—An eastern man, in writing to his friends of his marriage in California, thus describes his bride: "She has a head as red as a woodpecker's, and owns sheep until you can't rest."

DIED.

STOODLEY. In Eliot, Me., April 10th, Mr. Edward D. Stoodley, aged 63 years.

☞ Funeral on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, from his late residence in Eliot. Friends and relatives are invited to attend without further notice.

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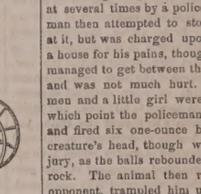

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The time was when it was thought that everything on the top of the ground should be ploughed under, and that a crop of weeds, grass, and dilapidated cornstalks would materially benefit the soil. That they possess some value is an admitted fact, and, if turned under in the fall season, so that they will rot by spring, are of some advantage to the soil; but should they remain until the next Spring opens they should be burned. The insect world is possessed with wonderful powers of multiplication, and we know of no method equal to good burning to destroy them. In the early settlement of the country, when the prairies were burned regularly every year, many insects now common and injurious were unknown. We think we can in a very great measure attribute their absence to those fires. Lands thus cleansed are more easily cultivated than those not so treated. Many noxious seeds are destroyed and farm implements do their work much more perfectly than when they are dragging through great masses of weeds and grass. These considerations induce us to advise the burning over of fields before ploughing, and we believe all doing so will be pleased with the experiment.—*Journal of Agriculture.*

A Bull Story.

San Francisco had a lively sensation the other day, in which a wild steer was the leading actor. It broke out of a corral near the wharves and rushed up town, closely pursued by a vaquero, who, though he threw a lariat about its horns, found his horse too weak to hold it. The animal charged through a store, creating a general stampede, tossed a man who was unfortunate enough to get in its way, and was shot at several times by a policeman. Another man then attempted to stop it by shooting at it, but was charged upon and pinned to a house for his pains, though fortunately he managed to get between the animal's horns and was not much hurt. A woman, two men and a little girl were then tossed, at which point the policeman again came up and fired six one-ounce balls against the creature's head, though without much injury, as the balls rebounded as from solid rock. The animal then rushed upon his opponent, trampled him under foot, gored a horse which had pursued it and tossed the rider over a lamp post. Again rushing away it tossed several other persons, but was finally brought down by a well-aimed shot. The animal's body was found to contain over fifty bullets, which had been fired at it by various persons.

Served Him Right.

A curious circumstance in regard to the marriage of John Kemble, the actor, is told in Banister's memories. One of the daughters of a noble lord formerly holding high office, but then living in retirement, had fallen in love with the graceful and showy actor, merely from seeing him on the stage. Kemble was sent for by the father, and to his astonishment, was acquainted with the circumstances. The noble lord then told him further that it was in his power to do him a great evil or a great favor; and that if he would do the latter, by relieving him of all apprehension of the lady indulging in her fancy, and relieving him entirely by marrying some one else for whom he might have an attachment, his wife should receive a dower of £5,000. Kemble immediately proposed to Miss Brereton, a pretty actress in the company, and the marriage took place without delay. But the amusing part of the tale is that the afflicted and magnanimous father instantly recovered his spirits and lost his memory. On being applied to for his thousands, he said he had no recollection whatever of the compact, nor indeed any of the idea further than some general conversation on such matters with the "very intelligent person in question," and he added "that if he had to pay £5,000 for every whim of his daughter, he must soon be a poorer man than he ever intended to be." It is believed that Kemble never got a shilling from this very sensitive nobleman, and that, for the rest of his life, he attached a new value to the vulgar etiquette of signing and sealing beforehand, even with the most plausible of mankind.

—A down town man who read that the habit of tobacco chewing could be cured by tasting an apple every time he felt inclined to partake of the "weed," gave the receipt one day's trial. As he felt a hankering for the "weed" all day, he devoured a bushel of apples before bedtime, and retired with a chunk of the fruit in his mouth, which accidentally slipped down his throat, and nearly choked him to death. He resumed the use of the "weed" the next morning.

—"Stranger, I want to leave my dog in this 'ere office till the boat starts. I'm afraid somebody will steal him." "You can't do it," said the clerk; "take him out." "Well, stranger, that is cruel; but you're both dispositioned alike, and he's kinder company for you." "Take him out!" roared the clerk. "Well, stranger, I don't think you're honest and you want watching; here, Dragon," he said to the dog, "sit down here and watch that fellow very sharp," and turning on his heel, said, "Put him out, stranger, if he's troublesome." The dog lay there till the boat started, watching and growling at every movement of the clerk, who gave him the better half of his office.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1877.

South Carolina.

On Tuesday, the 10th, Governor Chamberlain issued the following strongly written letter:

To the republicans of South Carolina.

By your choice I was made Governor of this State in 1874. At the election the 7th of November last I was again by your votes elected to the same office. My title to the office upon every legal and moral ground to-day is clear and perfect. By the recent decision and action of the President of the United States I find myself unable longer to maintain my office rights with a prospect of final success, and I hereby announce to you that I am unwilling to prolong a struggle, which can only bring further suffering upon those who engage in it. Announcing this conclusion, it is my duty to say for you that the republicans of South Carolina entered upon this recent political struggle for the maintenance of the political and civil rights constituting beyond question a large majority of the lawful voters of the State. You allied yourselves with that political party whose central and inspiring principle has hitherto been the civil and political freedom of all men under the constitution and laws of our country. By heroic efforts and sacrifices which the just verdict of history will rescue from the cowardly scorn now cast upon them by political placemen and traders, you secured the electoral vote of South Carolina for Hayes and Wheeler. In accomplishing this result you became victims of every form of persecution and injury. From authentic evidence it is shown that no less than one hundred of your number were murdered because they were faithful to their principles and exercised their rights solemnly guaranteed to them by the nation. You were denied employment, driven from your homes, robbed of the earnings of years of honest industry, hunted for your lives like wild beasts, your families outraged and scattered, for no offence except your peaceful and firm determination to exercise your political rights. You trusted, as you had a right to trust, that if by such efforts you established the lawful supremacy of your political party in the nation, the government of the United States, in the discharge of its constitutional duty, would protect the lawful government of the State from overthrow at the hands of your political enemies. From causes patent to all men, and questioned by none who regard the truth, you have been unable to overcome the unlawful combinations and obstacles which have opposed the practical supremacy of the government which your votes have established. For many weary months you have waited for your deliverance, while the long struggle for the Presidency was in progress. You were exhorted by every representative and organ of the National Republican Party to keep your allegiance true to that party, in order that your deliverance from the hands of your oppressors might be certain and complete. Not the faintest whisper of the possibility of disappointment in these hopes and promises ever reached you while the struggle was pending.

To-day, April 10, 1877, by the order of the President whom your votes alone rescued from overwhelming defeat, the government of the United States abandons you; deliberately withdraws from you its support, with the full knowledge that the lawful government of the State will be speedily overthrown by a new interpretation of the Constitution of the United States at variance alike with the previous practice of the government and with the decisions of the Supreme Court. The executive of the United States evades the duty of ascertaining which of the two rival State governments is the lawful one, and by the withdrawal of troops now protecting the State from domestic violence, abandons the lawful State government to a struggle with an insurrectionary force too powerful to be resisted. The grounds of policy upon which the action is defended are startling. It is said that the North is weary of the Southern trouble. It was weary, too, of the long troubles which sprung from the stupendous crime of chattel slavery, and longed for repose. It sought to cover them from sight by wicked compromises with the wrong which disturbed its peace, but God held it to its duty until through a conflict which rocked and agonized the nation the great crime was put away, and freedom was ordained for all. It is said that if a majority of the people of a State are unable by physical force to maintain their rights, they must be left to political servitude. Is this a doctrine ever before heard in our history? If it shall prevail, its consequence will not long be confined to South Carolina or Louisiana. It is said that the democratic House of Representatives will refuse an appropriation for the army of the United States if the lawful government of South Carolina is maintained by military forces. Submission to such coercion marks the degeneracy of the political party of the people which endured it. A government worthy the name, a political party fit to wield power, never before blanched at such a threat.

But the edict has gone forth. No argument or considerations which your friend could present have sufficed to avert the disaster. No effective means of resistance to the consummation of the wrong are left. The struggle can be prolonged. My strict legal rights are wholly unaffected by the action of the President. No court of the State has jurisdiction to pass upon the title to my office. No lawful legislature can be convened except upon my call. If the use of these powers promised ultimate success to our cause, I should not shrink from any sacrifices which might confront me. It is a cause in which by the light of reason and conscience, a man might well lay down his life, but to my mind my present responsibility involves the consideration of the effect of my action upon those whose representative I am.

I have hitherto been willing to ask you, Republicans of South Carolina, to risk all dangers and endure all hardships until relief should come from the government of the United States. That relief will never come. I cannot ask you to follow me further. In my judgment I can no longer save you by further resistance to the impending calamity. With gratitude to God for the measure of endurance with which he has hitherto inspired me, with gratitude to you for your boundless confidence in me, with profound admiration for your matchless fidelity to the cause in which we have struggled, I now announce to you and to the people of the State that I shall no longer actively assert my right to the office of Governor of South Carolina. The motives and purposes of the President of the United States in the policy which compels me to pursue my present course are unquestionably honorable and patriotic. I devoutly pray that events may vindicate the wisdom of his action, and that peace, justice, freedom and prosperity be the portion of every citizen of South Carolina.

[Signed] D. H. CHAMBERLAIN,
Governor of South Carolina.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 9th,

To many of the thousands of strangers who visited the National Capital, last summer, in going to or returning from Philadelphia, the partially completed shaft of marble, three-quarters of a mile south of the White House and but a few rods from the river's bank, known as the Washington Monument, was one of the most interesting of the many objects of national repute they remember seeing in and about Washington. More than a quarter of a century ago the project was conceived of rearing at the Capital City a lasting monument of our gratitude to him who brought our desperate struggle for independence to a successful issue, served the Republic for eight years as its first President, and who lies entombed at Mount Vernon, seventeen miles below this city, on the west shore of the Potomac river. One dollar subscriptions were solicited all over the country and were generously responded to. Many foreign governments contributed blocks of marble to go into the monument. Its progress was satisfactory till the wave of Know Nothingism that swept the land in 1853-5 reached here, bringing dissensions and sowing the seed of discord whose effects are to-day visible in the incomplete shaft in plain view from our window. After laying a few courses of stones, the Know Nothing managers who were brought in under the stimulating effects of that excitement, quit work, funds having given out, and it has never been resumed. July 6th of last year, Senator Sherman, incited by the patriotism absorbed at the Centennial Exposition the day before, moved the appropriation of $200,000 to complete the work. There was very little opposition to the motion and it was carried by an almost unanimous vote. Three army engineers were at once designated to test the foundations and ascertain whether they were sufficient. They went about their work in a systematic way, sinking several shafts many feet deep for that purpose and it is understood the tests resulted in a recommendation that work be resumed. The shaft now stands 171 feet high and 81 feet square at its base, tapering gradually upward; $200,000 (less the amount spent in the testing experiments) and quite an amount privately contributed from time to time, are now available for completing the work. The original plan contemplated a height of 600 feet, which will, it is said, be adhered to. President Hayes has recently expressed himself as heartily in favor of its early completion, as has also Mrs. Hayes, and we are encouraged to hope that with such influential co-operation as has been promised by him and others, it will be finished in a few months, the grandest spectacle of monument building in the world.

One would suppose the office seekers—many of them of the same old lot that assaulted the President on the first day of his occupancy of the White House—would in time become tired out with their lack of success and go off home; but they appear to be almost as numerous now as on the first week of the new administration. The President played it on them handsomely on Saturday, by stealing off on an excursion to the Great Falls, a place of great attractions to the admirers of nature in her wildest pranks, up the Potomac some fifteen or sixteen miles. A very sorrowful crowd wended its way down the Avenue from the Presidential mansion when informed of the President's heartless conduct.

Many friends of Miss Blanche Grey in this city, where she is well known, were pained by the intimations of the New York *Sun* in a late issue to the effect that she is the female companion of Oakey Hall's exile. No lady of the dramatic profession stands higher, morally, in this community, than Miss Grey, with those intimately acquainted with her, and all the obstacles that she has had to contend with and which she has nobly overcome. KNOX.

News and Notes.

W. B. Moore, Supervising Special Agent of the Treasury, who figured quite prominently in connection with the stories set afloat against the late Assistant Secretary Conant and other Treasury officials, was on Tuesday removed from his position by Secretary Sherman, and Special Agent A. K. Slagle appointed to the place. Mr. Single formerly filled the position, but was removed to make place for Moore.

The U. S. troops moved out of the South Carolina State House at noon on Tuesday.

A large tin case, filled with dynamite and connected with a number of wires, was found in a newly-imported cask of wine in a government appraiser's store in New York on the 9th. It is said to be an infernal machine intended to explode in mid ocean, but which failed to do its work. The name of the ship in which the cask was imported is not given.

Steamer Amerique arrived at New York on the afternoon of the 10th, and was docked at Erie basin, Brooklyn.

G. M. Lockwood, Chief Clerk of the Patent Office, has been appointed Chief Clerk of the Interior Department vice Bell. F. A. Seelye is appointed Chief Clerk of the Patent Office vice Lockwood.

The expenses of floating the Amerique averaged $1000 a day. The vessel is valued at $1,000,000.

A man named Hiran Arbuckle killed his brother-in-law, George Bancroft, by shooting him in the head, at Montpelier, Vt., on the 10th, and badly wounded a youth named Short, who was favored by a young lady whom Arbuckle was enamored of. When a Sheriff arrived to arrest the assassin, the ruffian ran into the yard of his home and shot himself through the heart.

John Simpson, fifty years old, was struck by a train on the Boston and Maine Railroad in Saco on the afternoon of the 10th, and instantly killed. The body was horribly mangled. Simpson was very deaf, and was walking on the track.

Five well known gamblers were arrested in New York for fleecing Mr. Hodnutt on Saturday. The gamblers were released on bail and are at their games, while Hodnutt is in jail, denied interviews with friends, and the case postponed by a New York justice for a week.

Timothy H. Green, the worthless bummer who left over $800 in a Boston saloon and did not go for it till next day, when he was arrested, it seems stole $1500 from an aged aunt of his whom he was visiting at Benedicta, Me. Green, who belongs in Lowell, was visiting his aunt and uncle when the the old gentleman suddenly died; the widow was half crazy with grief, but asserted that her husband had $1500 in the house, which, however, could not be found. Young Green left for Massachusetts, unsuspected, and if he had not got stupid drunk on some of the stolen money would have escaped punishment.

It is estimated that 75,000 people attended the opening at Jordan, Marsh & Co's, Boston, on the 10th.

The following from Panama is the latest concerning the war which is usually in progress in Central America: "The British merchant steamer Mexican took on board at Savonille nine hundred national troops for Rio Hacha. At Santa Martha she was to receive 2,000 more for the same destination, as the revolutionists who hold Rio Hacha have given notice that the port is closed. If the Mexican attemps to enter she is likely to be fired into, and an effort to land troops will probably be similarly opposed."

Another Horror.

The Southern Hotel at St. Louis, said to be the largest hotel in the country with the exception of the Palace Hotel at San Francisco, was burned on Wednesday morning. The fire caught in a storeroom in the basement, and ran up the elevator; it was first seen at half-past one o'clock, and in half an hour the whole upper part of the hotel was in flames. The house was full of guests, and the loss of life was terrible, the estimates ranging from 50 to 200; most of them were suffocated, but many were killed by jumping from the fifth and sixth stories. The pecuniary loss is about $1,000,000.

Political.

On Wednesday, at noon, Gov. Chamberlain of South Carolina turned over to Wade Hampton all the papers in his possession belonging to the State. Gov. Hampton is now undisputed governor of South Carolina, which proves that the shot-gun is mightier than the ballot-box, even if the sword is not a fair match for the pen.

Evidence continues to multiply that the extra session of Congress will enter upon a calendar of general business. Representative Kelly of Pennsylvania says he intends to press his bill for the remonetization of silver, and has assurances from enough members to secure its consideration. The Army, Naval Deficiency and River and Harbor bills will be passed, and some plan for disposing of the balance of the Geneva award is to be presented.

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "		6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "		4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "		4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "		4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "		4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.40 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	5.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

"TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR ROOM."

The play of "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" will be given at Franklin Hall this evening by some of our Portsmouth stage talent. Nearly all the actors in the cast of this drama have been before the public, so that no introduction is necessary. Alderman Bryant takes the part of the Yankee, and judging from what we have seen of him heretofore in similar parts, will keep the audience in a state of merriment the greater part of the evening. Simon Slade the barkeeper, is to be represented by Mr. William Kennedy, who is also well and favorably known among us as a character actor. Messrs. Archibald and Larrabee took their parts nicely in the recent play of Bombastes, and it is not too much to expect that they will do even better in their performance of this evening. Romaine and Willie Hammond will be presented by Messrs. Leslie and Peyser respectively; both of whom have played before, the former many times. Miss Annie M. Kennedy, in the difficult role of Joe Morgan's wife, will add to her present good reputation as an artist, we think, and so, taken as a whole, we shall predict a successful and pleasant evening's performance.

The entertainment will be under the management of J. Albert Sanborn, Esq., who is well qualified to fulfill the task in a manner creditable to himself and the company.

JOTTINGS.

To-day being Fast Day, no paper will be issued from this office to-morrow.

The "New York Star Alliance & Female Minstrels" gave a show at Franklin Hall on Tuesday evening; and if slang is fun and vulgarity is wit the "show" is not likely to be beaten in a hurry, in this city. The attendance was quite large.

The first match game of base ball of this season will be played between the Granite States and Atlantics at the Plains this afternoon at half-past two o'clock.

Ship Frank Jones was towing to sea with her own hawser at the time she was wrecked; had she taken the steam-tug's hawser she would probably have gone out all right,—for it is rarely that a ship's hawsers are not in bad order after the first voyage, from dry rot, no matter how "bright" they may look.

There will be an excursion to Boston on Thursday, April 19th, to attend the Moody and Sankey meetings, provided one hundred names shall be subscribed. Fare $1.70 for the round trip. Leave your names at W. R. Preston's.

Dr. Hayes, Massachusetts State Chemist, having analyzed several specimens of enameled iron vessels, called marbleized ironware, found the enamel to contain lead and arsenic in dangerous proportions, which is very likely to impregnate many kinds of fluids and sauces. Serious sickness, Dr. Hayes states, has resulted from the use of this ware. The "Perfection Tea and Coffee Pots," advertised for sale by Mr. John P. Sweetser, are not of this "marbleized" variety, but are made of what is called "granite iron," and Dr. Hayes (as may be seen in the advertisement) gives this material his endorsement as being entirely safe for use in all cooking utensils.

Elbridge G. Towle, the popular conductor on the Eastern Railroad, has seen longer service there than any other person now connected with that road, having been in its employ continuously since 1846, nearly twenty-five years of which time he has served as conductor.

The first meeting of the new Board of Directors of the Direct United States Cable Company was held in London on the 9th. The subject of the reported amalgamation with the Anglo-American Company was taken up, and it was decided to give a public contradiction to the report. An official telegram was prepared and sent to General Eckert, Supt. of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company informing him that there is no intention whatever of amalgamation and that the agreement with the Atlantic & Pacific Company, which covers eighteen years to come, will be scrupulously adhered to, and that the Direct United States Cable Company will continue to maintain its independence.

Steamer Mystic, of Dover, on the 10th inst. towed to York Nubble a gondola loaded with the frame of a summer cottage to be put up there for Mr. Charles H. Sawyer, of Sawyer's Mills, Dover.

Post office hours to-day: General Delivery from 8 o'clock to 11:30 A. M., and 5 to 6 P. M.; Box Office, 7 A. M. to 9 P. M.

The Reform Club excursion to Dover starts at half-past one o'clock sharp, by special train, and returns at 6 o'clock this evening. Fare for the round trip, forty cents.

The Berger Family and Sol Smith Russell give one of their choice entertainments at Franklin Hall to-morrow (Friday) evening. This company is known here, and will draw a full house. Their performances are entirely removed from the coarse and vulgar tone which often pervades variety shows, and at the same time are not so severely "classical" as to be beyond the appreciation of a popular audience. The musical portion of the programme consists of bell-ringing, music by the Berger silver band, solos on various band instruments, and vocal selections by Louise Franklin. In every one of these features the several members of the company display rare excellence. The variety part of the performance is given by Sol Smith Russell, who is a whole variety troupe in himself. His character impersonations are superb and inimitable. His masterly assumption of different and widely diverse types of humanity, and the ease, grace and effect which attends his acting, shows him to be a real artist, and not a clown who amuses by mere grotesqueness of demeanor. Reserved seat tickets at Preston's.

Ship William H. Marcy, Capt. J. Touro Marcy, from New York for San Francisco, when off the Falkland Islands, leaked at the rate of ten inches per hour, but having excellent pumps she was kept free.

Wednesday was a very uncomfortable day, cheerless and chilly, with plenty of wind and a great deal too much dust.

Capt. B. F. Jacobs was hurt on Tuesday by a fall, occasioned by the breaking of a limb on which he was standing while adjusting a derrick guy, and not by the breaking of the derrick as reported in Wednesday's CHRONICLE.

Grand Master John J. Bell, of Exeter, District Deputy Daniel W. Edgerly, of Farmington, and Grand Lecturer Russell B. Wentworth, of Rochester, paid a visit to St. John's Lodge, F. and A. M., of this city, on Wednesday evening. Work on third degree.

Furbishs' Fifth Avenue Combination will on Saturday night appear in Franklin Hall, in Boucicault's last and most popular comedy, "Forbidden Fruit," which had such a remarkably long and successful run at Wallack's Theatre in New York last season. The company is a large one, and under the efficient management of Mr. Charles E. Furbish; and brings all the accessories necessary to the satisfactory presentation of the comedy. Tickets at Preston's; see advertisement.

New Hampshire Items.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council Tuesday forenoon, Joseph M. Clough, of New London, was appointed Brigadier General of the First and second Regiments of the State Militia.

Spofford's steam planing and box mill in Danville, was totally destroyed by fire on Monday. Part of the machinery was saved. Loss, $8000; partially insured. The fire originated from a stove in the second story.

New England thrift was illustrated in the life of Farmer John Conant of Jaffrey, who has given $108,000 to charity. One of sixteen children, he bought a farm at twenty-six with $1340 given him by his father, and from this and through judicious, non-speculative investments, he made a fortune. He married well, studied some at home, went to the Legislature and ranked high in the community. He gave $70,000 to the Agricultural College, and contributed to the State Insane Asylum, the New London Academy, the Jaffrey schools and churches and deserving poor.

On Tuesday, at Concord, Barney Murphy was acquitted of the charge of assault with intent to kill a Mr. Wight of Contoocookville, who was found nearly dead beside the railroad track in Concord some months ago.

Gorham has a newpaper. The first number of the *Mountaineer* appeared on Friday, the 6th inst., under the management of Mr. V. V. Twitchell, who was clerk at the Waumbeck house last summer.

Major Al B. Thompson, present Deputy Secretary of State, will be a candidate for the Secretary's position the present year.

Hon. Isaac Adams of Sandwich has constructed a stone wall around an eighteen-acre field in that town that is nine feet high and nine feet thick!

The proprietors of hotels and boarding-houses at North Conway are already brushing up and getting ready for the appproaching summer's business.

A daughter of J. W. Fisk of Raymond, fourteen months old, was burned to death on Sunday afternoon by her clothes taking fire at an open stove.

Bailey, who was shot by Campbell at the Antrim political fracas, has become insane.

—A facetious Texan lately caught a full grown mule-ear rabbit, and, for his amusement, wrote to Barnum about it, giving a glowing description of its fleetness, the difficulty of its capture, its habits, etc., without naming the beast. The alert showman, anxious to possess so singular an animal, offered $25 for it. It was promptly expressed, the check duly sent in return, also a free ticket to the show, with this appreciative letter from Barnum's agent: "I am anxious to see you, for you are the only man living who ever humbugged Barnum. The rabbit is worth here in the market seventy-five cents."

—The new Secretary of the Navy inquired which was the right bower anchor and which deck was the euchre deck, and the sailors called him a trump.

MARRIED.

ROBINSON—SMART. In this city, April 10th, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. George E. Robinson of Gloucester, Mass., and Miss Sarah A. Smart of Portsmouth.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, April 9.

Sch Charles Carroll, Cudworth, Rockland.

ARRIVED, April 10.

Sch Native American, Agnew, Calais.

SAILED, April 11.

Sch Active, Seawards, Windsor, N S.

Ship Wm H Marcy, Marcy, at San Francisco from New York April 9, reports when off Falkland Island was leaking 10 inches per hour.

Sch H F Hallock, Hallock, for this port from New York arr at Edgartown April 7.

—*Zion's Herald* cites the conversion of a reporter on one of the Boston papers as an instance of "the power of the gospel upon unexpected and unpromising subjects."

—Caution often averts danger. A man who heard burglars in the house woke up his wife and sent her down stairs for a drink of water, and then crawled under the bed and wasn't injured in the least.

The Dividing Line.

In the Rocky Mountains there is said to be a house so situated, that the rain falling on one side is carried to the Pacific, while that falling on the other side, is carried to the Atlantic. So there are places in life where one overt act changes prosperity, health, and happiness into disaster, sickness and early death. In America many thousands die annually of consumption, and yet Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will, *in its early stages*, effect a perfect and permanent cure of this fatal disease. It corrects and purifies the blood, thus striking at the root of the evil. When complicated with catarrh, sore throat, and hoarseness, use Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy in connection with the Discovery. If the liver be torpid and bowels irregular, use Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets. For particulars of treatment, see "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," over 900 pages, $1.50. Address the Author, R. V. Pierce, M. D., Buffalo, N. Y.

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Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style, with Collars and Pockets.

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Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 17TH.

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ON Easter Sunday, a GENTLEMAN'S SCARF PIN with coral head, on which a face is carved. A suitable reward will be paid the finder on leaving the pin at the Rockingham House. A1*

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It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION.

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

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More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

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Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	97
Boston & Providence	133
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	130½
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	42
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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 23, 18[illegible]

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

How She Made Mischief.

The San Francisco *Bulletin* tells the following, which if true connects a woman more directly with the Mountain Meadow massacre than has been before made manifest, though the flight of Mrs. McLean from New Orleans with the Mormon scoundrel, Orson Pratt, and the husband's pursuit and deadly vengeance on the destroyer of his home, is an old story:

"Mrs. Elinor McLean, an educated, respectable woman, with strong emotional religious tendencies, became infatuated years ago, with Elder Pratt, a Mormon missionary laboring in this city. She attended the meetings secretly, and became his most devoted disciple. She used to wash the elder's feet in true apostolic fashion whenever he made his surreptitious calls upon her, and it was during one of these primitive performances that her husband discovered the state of affairs, and a scene ensued in which the would-be apostle ran off bare-footed without benefit of towel or ceremony. Then the aggrieved husband packed off his wife and children to New Orleans, her former home. The deluded woman, however, fell once more under the influence of the elder, and, yielding to his solicitation, she abducted the children and started for Salt Lake City to participate in the questionable bliss of ninth concubine to her spiritual lord. Pratt joined Mrs. McLean in western Arkansas, but her husband was hot on the trial, and the couple were overtaken and captured. Concluding that the elder could not be legally held, the authorities set him free, whereupon the injured husband promptly took justice into his own hands and shot the Mormon dead. Pratt, it seems, was a shining light of the church, and the saints were sorely exercised over his untimely taking-off, and laid up cherised thoughts of revenge. The Arkansas company which was massacred at Mountain Meadow is believed to have contained in its numbers some of the very men who helped McLean to destroy Pratt in Arkansas, and the massacre is believed to have been instigated solely by a spirit of revenge for Pratt's death, although other reasons have since been given by the Mormons themselves. As for Mrs. McLean, she would be joined to her polygamous idols, and once more and successfully she fled her husband's roof and gained Salt Lake City, where she is now said to be engaged in teaching a school of juvenile saints."

California Millionaires.

We have more than a hundred millionaires in this city (San Francisco) alone. Most of our old citizens will recall their histories. Some have gotten rich by sudden fortune; some by plodding toil. Some have crawled along the slimy path of usury; some have leaped into unexpected wealth by unexpected luck. Some have grown rich by careful and prudent business management; some by bold adventures, some by the growth of real estate, and some by a fool's luck. Not one of the number inherited even a decent start. Our rich men are all self-made. We beg our Eastern readers not to think that our millionaires are by any means confined to an exact million. Many are worth ten, some five, and nearly all over two millions. We could name a hundred jolly Bohemians who enjoy life much better than these toilers in the mill financial. We could pick out many a pinched and sordid soul from among these millionaires with whom we would not ourselves exchange either our capacities for enjoyment in this world or our hope of salvation in the world to come. They cannot eat more nor sleep longer than we do. Their digestion is not better than our own; their clothes are not as good, and old Charon will only find under their tongues the same sixpence that will pay to ferry us across the black river of death.—*San Francisco Argonaut.*

—The will of the Baron de H. R., who died last month in Paris, says: "I leave all my fortune, consisting of 800,000 francs, to the bold man who will, in presence of a notary and another witness, administer to my wife fifty blows with a stick. In case no one should fulfil these conditions, I devise my property to the State for charitable uses. In order to avoid trickery on the part of my eventful heir, I declare the legacy void in case he should espouse my wife." The will will be contested by the Baroness as the work of a lunatic, although her husband was of apparently sound mind on making it.

—Officers in the army of Saxony are not allowed to marry until they are assured of an income of $250 per annum, and, although they are expected to live in good style and to dress in such a manner as to be at any time presentable at court, this is thought to be enough for their comfortable support.

—A safety envelope to prevent tampering has been devised. On the flap the words "Attempt to open" are printed with double chemicals, the first impression containing nutgalls and the second green vitriol. If the flap be steamed or moistened in any way the magic printing will appear.

—An exchange remarks: "The only jokes that women like to read are those which reflect ridicule on men." Yes. On taking up a paper, a woman invariably turns to the marriage column.

—A man out near Oswego has got into trouble by devoting himself too closely to a sewing machine. She was seventeen years old and he was nearly forty.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, APRIL 14, 1877.

News and Notes.

The details of the St. Louis fire show it to have been a terrible affair. Only a few bodies had been found up to Thursday night, and it is hoped the loss of life will turn out much less than at first reported. As many people seem to have been killed by jumping from windows from which there was no other escape, as lost their lives by the fire and smoke.

In Wallingford, Conn., on the 10th, Mrs. Israel S. Burr died, and was buried in less than an hour after, her husband and son riding to the grave on the coffin.

Isaac N. Cox, the boy who murdered his father for reprimanding him for bad behavior in church, in Bath, was on Thursday found guilty of manslaughter by a jury. Sentence was deferred.

The Dominion Government has received a communication from the British Secretary of State for the Colonies, relative to the Nova Scotia great seal. The law officers of the Crown, to whom the matter was submitted, decided that the Queen's warrant was merely directory and non-compliance does not render the old seal illegal, or the document on which it was used invalid.

Mr. Patrick Fitzpatrick, a respectable Irish laborer who shot to death John Brasset, one of a gang of drunken roughs who assaulted him on a bridge at Ansonia, Conn., some weeks ago, was acquitted by a jury on the 12th. Proper.

A Havana letter of April 6th says the cane field on three plantations near Sagua have been partly burned by the insurgents. The loss is put at 1000 hogsheads. Nineteen German merchants of Havana were embargoed for refusal to pay a thirty per cent. contribution. The German Consul at Havana received a communication from the Imperial Government, stating that the German residents in Cuba, are, according to treaty, exempt from paying extraordinary contributions. It is said at the same time Novellar received an order from Spain not to proceed against the German merchants, and let the matter rest for the time.

Ross Winans, a well-known, wealthy and highly respected citizen of Baltimore, died Wednesday morning. He was eighty-one years of age, and for a long time was extensively engaged in building locomotives. He made many important railroad inventions. He was the father of Thomas Winans, who built railroads in Russia and amassed an immense fortune.

At Ipswich, Mass., at midnight on the 11th, Robert F. Lord attempted to force an entrance to the house of his brother-in-law, J. J. Goodrich, Esq., and was shot at three times and hit once, receiving a slight wound.

Twenty-five houses and stores at Pomeroy, Ohio, were burned Wednesday night. Loss $100,000.

Schooner Iona, of Brewer, Me., was abandoned at sea on the 9th. Crew saved.

J. M. Carson, a reputable citizen of Oil City, Penn., on Thursday shot dead David Mikesell, his wife's paramour.

A queerly-matched couple were seen at Newark, N. J., last week, in a handsome young white woman, daughter of a Mississippi planter named Debezon, and worth $174,000 in her own right, and her black husband. The negro was formerly a slave on her father's plantation, and he saved her life at a steamboat excursion by putting her on his back and swimming ashore, though one arm was shattered. He became the family pet, and the little girl taught him to read, then mathematics and French. He became an accomplished gentleman, and when the girl grew up she fell in love with him. Mr. Debezon, who is a prominent democrat, of course opposed the match, and the couple ran away and are now spending their honeymoon at the North.

Base ball clubs are being organized for the season by the dozen. At the rate new clubs are springing up, there will be two thousand nines on the field by June.

The coroner's jury in the Jewett case returned a verdict that George W. Jewett came to his death by the explosion of a hand grenade taken to the office by Orville D. Jewett, and that the latter was killed by pistol-shot wounds inflicted by himself. The general impression regarding the mysterious tragedy is that it was a case of premeditated murder and suicide, and that Orville D. Jewett was insane.

The terrible disaster at St. Louis will make about as permanent an impression upon the public mind as did the burning of the Brooklyn Theatre. In the Southern Hotel, and in the sixth story of it, there were scores of persons who had not the slightest aid provided by foresight, for escape in case of fire. It may be said, at the outset, that there is little sense in building, in any town in the United States, a hotel six stories in height. It ought to be said, over and again, that any such hotel ought to be avoided unless it is constructed with more regard to safety from fire than is the usual rule in American public buildings. Take this very case: It would seem that the fire originated below, and was carried to the upper stories by the elevator openings. It is perfectly evident that there were no means of escape when the halls were once filled with fire and smoke. The fact that so many jumped from the windows only to meet a death more dreadful than that by fire, proves the utter inefficiency of the precautions, if indeed any there were, as against a catastrophe which, next to the theatre, the hotel is especially liable to. Warnings do not amount to much. Catholic churches are set on fire in their millinery just as though newspapers were not published, and hotels have less means of escape than cotton mills. All the same it remains the duty of the citizen to lift his testimony in behalf of the thoughtless and helpless, and to insist upon such construction of buildings, and such means of self-protection, as will enable the strong and cool-headed to have some chance for life in case of fire.

A Maine paper says: Capt. Gardner, who wrecked the Eastern Clipper on the Nova Scotia coast in a fair day, last October, sold her at auction, pocketed the money, and then disappeared, has been heard from once more. He left the provinces for Gloucester, Mass., and shipped in a fisherman bound to Georges Banks. The vessel was wrecked, and Mr. Gardner lost his life.

William Hurd, a New Haven lover, who was discouraged in his suit by being kicked out of the house by one Clark, a friend of his adored, tried to revenge himself Friday night by shooting through the window at the family, one of the shots narrowly missing Clark's head. The police are looking for him.

A widow in Iowa, whose husband was burned to death while under imprisonment for drunkenness, has obtained a judgment for $6000 against the man who sold him liquor.

The President of the Ohio Fat Men's Association has just died. His name was John Templeton, and he is asserted to have weighed 505 pounds. His wife, who survives him, weighs only ninety pounds.

Very extensive revenue frauds in the manufacture of tobacco in North Carolina have been recently discovered, and the Treasury Department purposes vigorous measures to bring the parties concerned to punishment. Some thirty manufacturers in the county of Surry, charged with participation in fraudulent transactions, have been indicted.

It is considered at Washington that the diplomacy shown by the Russians has been masterly; they have committed all Europe to their side of the quarrel, and will for a time at least be able to prevent any active measures being taken for the relief of the Turks by Great Britain.

It seems to have just occurred to the Maryland authorities that the Bennett-May duel was fought on that territory, and at this late day Judge Stump has charged the grand jury of Caroline county to investigate the affair, and indict the principles and accessories if they find it was perpetrated in that county.

Governor Hampton has been married twice, and is a widower. He has had three children—two sons and a daughter. His eldest son, Preston Hampton, was killed at Gettysburg, and the second, Wade, Jr., lives in Washington county, Miss. His daughter, Margaret, is the wife of Colonel John Hascall, of South Carolina.

Charles H. Gilman, of Lowell, a sewing machine agent, was found in the reservoir at Rockport, Mass., Wednesday afternoon. There were wounds upon his head, showing he had been murdered and thrown in, as is supposed, a short time previous. The body was still warm when found. William Williams, his assistant, and two other men, were arrested on suspicion.

The Empire of Japan desires to make a new treaty of commerce with the United States. Its main purpose seem to be to derive more revenue from imports. Under the old treaty the duties average about five per cent. It is said that the Japanese Government desires to levy a higher rate, but offers in return to open all the ports of the empire to American vessels. This is significant as indicating a disposition to remove what remains of the restrictions which once separated Japan from the commercial world. That country promises to take its place among modern civilized nations on an equal footing at no distant day.

Mrs. Mary Marshall, of Chicago, on Thursday walked 100 miles in twenty-seven hours at Horticultural Hall, Boston, having twelve minutes to spare at the finish.

The New York correspondent of the Washington *Capital* says that the "May family are unfortunate, certainly. Mr. Louis Montant, Miss Edith May's fiancee, and one of the best-liked young men in New York, has just died at the early age of twenty-seven years. Mr. Montant saved Miss May's life at the time of the Mohawk disaster, risking his own for the young lady, to whom he subsequently became engaged. He was a fine, manly fellow, a member of the Union and Lotos Clubs, and the possessor of abundant means."—

Schooner John C. McShain went ashore at Point No-Point, below Baltimore, in a gale on the 11th, and only one of the crew escaped. Ship Assecuradeur, Falcke, from Baltimore for Hamburgh, and bark Orpheus, Jensen, on the same voyage, are ashore at Cape Henry, and will both probably become total wrecks.

The Providence *Journal* states that A. D. Goodwin, of the firm of Warner & Goodwin of that city, and the absconding United States Vice-Consul at St. John, N. B., has returned to Boston and made restitution of about $7500 to parties who interviewed him. It is alleged that as usual there is a woman at the bottom of the difficulty.

Clarance Hurd and William L. George were tried by the Supreme Court in Concord, on the 11th, for assault with intent to kill upon James H. Jepson of Warner, and were fined $200 each and sentenced to six months in the State Prison.

Patrick Murray, living on Auburn street, Manchester, was arrested Monday night, the 9th, for causing a noise and brawl. In a barn owned by him was found $1000 worth of carpenter tools, which had been stolen from different hardware dealers and carpenters.

Dr. N. H. Carey, the father of Annie Louise Carey, died at Durham, Me., on Tuesday, aged seventy years.

There was a narrow escape from collision at Somerville, Mass., on the 10th, between two trains, one on the Eastern and one on the Maine road. The latter train approached the crossing at a high rate of speed, and was stopped within ten feet of the Eastern train, which was just moving on toward Boston.

Political.

The Memphis (Tenn.) *Avalanche*, one of the ablest of the papers heretofore supporting the democratic party, wishes to see the old Whigs of that section stirred up to oppose the Bourbons. In a recent issue it asks and answers the following questions: "Who appeals to President Hayes to withdraw troops from Louisiana? Is it Thurman of Ohio? Is it Eaton of Connecticut? Is it Barnum of the same State? Is it Wallace of Pennsylvania? Is it Kernan of New York? Is it McDonald of Indiana? Oh, no! and yet they are all democratic Senators. The contemptible part these gentlemen play is somewhat extraordinary, in view of the noise and clamor of certain organs of the democratic party that denounce Hayes and his Southern policy. Not one of the democratic Senators named above have called to protest or to intercede; and not one of the prominent members of the House of Representatives, some of whom are candidates for Speaker, have ever uttered a word. Tammany Hall and its followers are silent as the grave. This is the class of leaders the Bourbon democrats would have the South follow and obey."

The democratic press of Chicago has gone raving mad over the municipal election which resulted so favorably to the republican cause. The *Times* says: "A more irreclaimable lot of idiots and asses than the persons who set up for managers of the old graveyard party in this city, this State, and this nation, the planet we occupy does not contain."

Mr. Chamberlain's way of leaving the office of Governor of South Carolina became him as much as anything he ever did in it, and that is saying a great deal.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

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This is a nation of enlightened freemen. Education is the corner-stone and foundation of our government. The people are free to think and act for themselves, and that they may act wisely it is necessary that they be well informed. Every individual gain increases public gain. Upon the health of the people is based the prosperity of a nation, by it every value is increased, every joy enhanced. Health is essential to the accomplishment of every purpose; while sickness thwarts the best intentions and loftiest aims. Unto us are committed important health trusts, which we hold not merely in our own behalf but for the benefit of others. In order that we may be able to discharge the obligation of our trusteeship and thus prove worthy of our generous commission, it is necessary that we study the art of preserving health and prolonging life. It is of paramount importance to every person not only to understand the means for the preservation of health, but also to know what remedies should be employed for the alleviation of the common ailments of life. Not that we would advise every man under all circumstances to attempt to be his own physician, but we entreat him to acquire sufficient knowledge of his system and the laws that govern it, that he may be prepared to take care of himself properly, and thereby prevent sickness and prolong life. In no text book will the people find the subjects of physiology and hygiene, or the science of life and the art of preserving health, more scientifically discussed or more plainly taught than in "The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser," by R. V. Pierce, M. D., of Buffalo, N. Y. It is a volume of over two hundred and eighty-two engravings and colored plates, is elegantly bound in cloth and gilt, and is sent, post-paid, to any address by the author at the low price of one dollar and fifty cents a copy. Nearly one hundred thousand copies have already been sold, and the present edition, which is revised and enlarged and more especially adapted to the wants of the family, is selling very rapidly. It treats of all the common diseases and their remedies, as well as of anatomy, physiology, hygiene, human temperaments, and many other topics of great interest to all people, and is truly what its author styles it, "Medicine Simplified."

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CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

Notice to Tax Payers.

THE ASSESSORS call attention to the following extracts from the laws of the State, and give notice that it is their intention to enforce the same:

"Every person liable to be taxed in each town shall exhibit to the Selectmen, at the time and place appointed by them, or upon such personal application, a true account of the polls and estate for which he is there taxable, either in his own right or otherwise, on oath if required by either of the Selectmen, which oath either of the Selectmen may administer."

"If any person shall neglect or refuse, after due notice given as aforesaid, or when called upon by any Selectman, to give such account, the Selectmen shall set down to such person, by way of doomage, as much as they judge equitable, which shall be conclusive in all cases, unless the party shall show, by his statement under oath, that it was not in his power to exhibit such statement."

The Assessors of cities have by law all the powers of Selectmen and Assessors of towns in relation to the assessment and collection of taxes.

Inventories will be received until the 25th day of April.

No application for reduction from the invoice of any person on account of debt, will be considered unless made during the month of April.

By order of the Assessors,

M. BUFFORD, Secretary.

Portsmouth, April 11, 1877.

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—Whittier does not relish the idea of Maud Muller being put upon the stage. He recently wrote to a friend: I never thought much of Maud Muller, and since she has got upon the stage I utterly disown her. There is something exquisitely absurd in the idea of the old judge and the over-done matron with as many children as the "old woman who lived in a shoe" finding their "affinities" at this late day.

—Among the new favors for the woman, that of "the heart" is much used. A tiny pair of gilt scales are employed, and each lady has a small gilt heart. From a number of silver hearts, which are placed in a casket, each gentleman selects one; then each of the ladies place, one at a time, her golden heart in the scale, while the gentleman who holds the silver heart that matches it in weight obtains her for his partner.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

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MAILS ARRIVE.

ston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
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*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) cast or ost may be deposited in the box at the Eastern de-t, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

"FORBIDDEN FRUIT"

Will be served out to all comers, this evening, at Franklin Hall, by Furbish's Fifth Avenue Combination. This is Boucicault's latest and is said to be his best comedy, and is never been presented in this city. It had a great run at Wallack's Theatre in New York last season, and will probably draw a full house to-night. See advertisement for particulars. The Furbish Combination was heartily endorsed as being a good company, by Sol Smith Russell, from the stage last night.

"TEN NIGHTS IN A BAR-ROOM."

The Temperance drama, "Ten Nights in Bar Room," was given at Franklin Hall in the evening of Fast Day to a well filled house. The play was unusually well managed, and the acting uncommonly good for amateurs. Sample Swichel, by Mr. O. D. Bryant, was exceedingly well done, the betitted and good natured Yankee being typified to perfection. Mr. William Kennedy, as Simon Slade, the bar-keeper, seemed quite at home behind the well arranged and tempting-looking bar, and fully sustained his previous good reputation as an actor. The character of Joe Morgan, the poor inebriate, although a difficult one to render, in its many vicissitudes, was very well taken by Mr. Charles W. Gardner, it being his first appearance on the stage as an actor. Harry Green, the gambler, was finely presented by Mr. Robert G. Archibald, who has distinguished himself in similar roles on former occasions. Willie Hammond, the son of the wealthy Judge Hammond, was represented by Mr. Gustave Peyser in a most creditable manner. The character of Mr. Romaine, the gentleman of leisure and travel, and Frank Slade, son of the bar-keeper, were faithfully taken by Messrs. C. H. Leslie and Charles F. Larrabee.

The ladies engaged in the play took their several parts most creditably. Miss Annie Kennedy, in the trying personation of Joe Morgan's wife, succeeded admirably, while the little girl's part was so well done as to draw unwonted moistnre from many eyes unused to that sort of thing. Miss Marston took the part of Simon Slade's wife very nicely; and Miss Lou Andrews did the pony Mehitable Cartwright in good style, and added much to the merry side of the picture. Take it all together, the play was remarkably well done; and we believe we are not alone in surprise at finding how much real stage talent our city possesses,—and it may be as well to suggest, in this connection, that it might be an advantage to encourage its development and thus furnish a portion of our own amusement.

JOTTINGS.

Mr. Lamprey's dancing school for young ladies, masters and misses opens at Congress Hall this (Saturday) afternoon; the latest styles of waltzing, the minuet, and all other fashionable dances taught. See advertisement.

At the recent election of officers for Palestine Commandery, No. 18, Knights Templar, in New York city, Capt. Thomas B. Rand, a son of Portsmouth, was chosen Captain-General.

A large number of the members of the Reform Club went to Dover by special train on Fast Day, to take part in the mass meeting in the city hall. At its conclusion a dinner was furnished by the Dover ladies.

A correspondent says: "For real excellence of accommodations, convenience to places of interest, and in fact to all parts of the city, I commend the old and well-known American House of Boston. This hotel is one of the largest and perhaps best known of New England hotels, and its extensive patronage from business men, tourists, families, and parties making excursions through Boston, shows that others besides myself appreciate its advantages."

Wanted, at this office, a good boy; superior natural abilities no objection, but no boy wanted whose knowledge of the world is greatly superior to that of the editors, and who will not allow the foreman or proprietors to have an occasional word as to the management of affairs in the office. The editor will do most of the sweeping up, going of errands, etc., but cannot be depended on to do the whole of it, not even in the base ball season. A boy who is willing to do a fair share of the work we shall be pleased to talk with on business.

Mr. Hartley W. Mason is be build a fine house the present season, on Lafayette road, near the residence of Mr. Jerome C. Butler, at a cost of about $8000.

A second Mission Sunday School has been established in Cartledge's Hosiery Factory, at the Creek, by the North Parish, with Mr. Oliver W. Ham as Superintendent.

Mr. Loyne acknowledges the receipt of a check for thirty-five dollars from a Portsmouth gentleman, and one of fifty dollars from a friend in New York, of which latter $25 is for Faith Home and $25 for the Bow Mission.

The British schooner Emma E. Potter came off the marine railway at Kittery on Wednesday, and hauled alongside the wharf at Spring Hill, where carpenters are finishing the repairs on her hull. Men are now engaged in making new and repairing the old sails, and the vessel will be ready to leave this port for Nova Scotia early next week.

Charles W. Hidden, the "Boy Orator," will speak in Mechanics' Hall on Sunday evening at half-past seven o'clock, under the auspices of the Reform Club; tickets five cents, to defray expenses. No tickets taken except those bought at the office.

The *American Journal of the Medical Sciences* (Quarterly) for April is issued, and contains even more than the usual number of articles of interest and value to the medical profession. Philadelphia; Henry C. Lea, 706 & 707 Sansom Street; $5 per year, free of postage.

You can get Vermont maple sugar and syrup—the gennine article, and new at that—not venerable old stuff left over from last year—at Butler & Laighton's, No. 1 Market square. The CHRONICLE force have sampled the sweets aforesaid, and fully endorse their virtues.

It may not be generally known that the American terminus of the Atlantic telegraph (known as the Direct Cable Company's line) is at Webber's Cove, Torbay, which is 120 miles east of Halifax, Nova Scotia, and that the European terminus is at Ballinskellig's Bay, in the southwest of Ireland, a little below Valentia Island. This direct cable, 2,790 miles long to Nova Scotia, is continued from Torbay to Rye Beach, New Hampshire, by a line 650 miles in length, and the whole system of land lines and cables from New York to London is 4,200 miles long by this "direct" cable, which now carries about 33 per cent. of all the messages across the Atlantic. Other things being equal, the working speed of submarine cables is inversely proportioned to the squares of their lengths. Thus, a cable 1,000 miles long will carry four times as many words per minute as a similar cable 2,000 miles in length, and having regard to this law, it is claimed that the carrying power of the direct cable between Ireland and Nova Scotia—twenty-one words per midute—is higher than of any other.—*St. John (N. B.) Globe.*

The service at Bow Mission, Sabbath afternoon, will be in the interests of kindness to animals; the officers of the S. P. C. A. are especially invited, and chairs will be reserved for them. A special programme has been arranged for the occasion; new pieces will be sung by the quartette, and recitations given by the children, with short addresses by friends of the cause. "Open thy mouth for the dumb." Prov. 31, 8. Service at 4:15; Bible service at 2:30; free to all. W. A. L.

Surely Portsmouth possesses talent of a high order, and the Eclectic Club has done its share in bringing it to the surface. A large company was highly entertained at Miss Morgan's Seminary by the recitations of Mrs. Whipple, which were given with infinite taste and power. Miss Robinson's assistance in the scene of Henry the Fifth's courtship was much appreciated. Mrs. Whipple's original poem, vividly bringing before the mind's eye the long train of Shakspeare's heroes and heroines, was indeed exquisite, and we hope to have it presented to the public. SPECTATOR.

New Hampshire Items.

The peg shop belonging to Young & Smith, at Sunapee, was burned Wednesday night; all the valuable machinery and 1000 bushels of pegs were destroyed. The fire originated in a defective chimney. Loss over $5000; insured $2000.

The farm buildings of Amasa S. Rogers, in Dover, were burned Wednesday night; loss $2000. Mrs. Rogers had a narrow escape from death. The origin of the fire is unknown.

Ever since the winter opened a squirrel has come regularly every day from the woods just back of the house of Mr. Richard Fogg at Hampton Falls, to be fed by members of Mr. Fogg's family, and has become so tame that he now takes apples from their hands.

William Chadwick, seventy years old, was knocked down and injured, probably fatally, by a runaway horse, Thursday morning, in Dover.

The annual State convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians was held in Nashua on Thursday.

The annual examination of the State Reform School took place on Wednesday.

Aaron P. Wingate of Exeter absconded on Monday last. It turns out that some time since he forged a note against his sister for $1200, getting John Bellows to cash it. On learning of Wingate's absence Bellows attached property, which proves to be mortgaged. Wingate leaves two children; his wife left him previously.

The grand jury of the Supreme Court at Exeter, came in on Wednesday with ninety indictments, eighty-four of which were for liquor selling. Court then adjourned until Monday forenoon.

Mr. Thomas Chase of Seabrook continues in a critical state, erysipelas having set in, while a tumor is forming near the place where the point of the pin entered the flesh on his leg.

George W. Jewett, who was killed by the hand grenade explosion in New York, was a son of the late John Jewett of Peterboro', and Orville D. Jewett was a grandson.

Ex-Secretary of the Navy Robeson has engaged rooms for the entire season at Little Boar's Head.

A union chapel is immediately to be built at Little Boar's Head, Hampton, by the ladies who sojourn at that summer resort. It is to be of gothic style, and will be completed for dedication in July.

—About 6,000,000 feet of logs have been cut on the east branch of the Penobscot this season.

A Card for Rational Readers.

Irrational people always reject good advice, and in nothing is their folly more frequently conspicuous than in ignoring precautions necessary for the retention of health. Forecast, on the other hand, is a notable characteristic of the rational, and it is the exercise of this quality which we would suggest to them. Protect the system against disease which fasten upon the debilitated, the nervous and the dyspeptic, by bracing the physique, regulating the stomach, bowels and liver, and banishing despondency with the purest and most efficient of botanic invigorants, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. That these effects follow its use, and that it prevents as well as annihilates intermittent and remittent fevers, are facts established by indisputable evidence. To enjoy the twin blessings of "a sound mind and a sound body" in all their plenitude, try a course of this sterling medicine.

A Healthy Town.

Few towns are more generally healthy than the little township of Claremont, N. H. Epidemics and prevalling sickness of any kind are almost unknown here, which is accounted for by rapid streams, entire exemption from fogs, and the causes of them, pure water, and the generally comfortable condition and regular habits of the people. And yet in any town in New England there are those who are subject to all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. In this particular, Claremont has an advantage over other places, in having a home remedy for these dread evils, in Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup Manufactory. Here is prepared a Syrup acknowledged by thousands as a sure and permanent cure for all throat and lung diseases. Go to your Druggists after it! Keep it in your house! If need be, carry it in your pocket! Try it!! Try it!!

What Sweetens the Mouth,

preserves and whitens the teeth, keeps the gums from becoming spongy, neutralizes all impurities that adhere to the dental enamel, and effectually prevents the toothache? Any body can answer this simple question who has ever used Sozodont, the wonderful effects of that matchless vegetable preparation—Sozodont.

Closer than a brother sticks Spalding's Glue.

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I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

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EMERSON—ANDREWS. In Boston, April 5, Mr. John L. Emerson of Greenfield, N. H., and Miss Annie F. Andrews, daughter of Alonzo Andrews of Boston.

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PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

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Sch Osprey, Crowley, New York.
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Ship Jean Ingelow, Tanton, sld from New York for Batavia April 11.

"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $3. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. F3S&Gif

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod1y2

JUVENILE DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. SAMUEL LAMPREY

GIVES notice to the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity that he will commence a Dancing School for Young Ladies, Masters and Misses at CONGRESS HALL, commencing Saturday afternoon, April 14th, at three o'clock, and continue on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons for a period of twenty-four lessons. Terms, $10 for the Course. Mr. LAMPREY will teach the *latest style* of Waltzing, and also the MINUET!

☞ Mr. LAMPREY will give private lessons to those who wish.

MILLINERY NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

TRIMMED

Hats & Bonnets

Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.

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Wanted, Lost, Found.

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ON Easter Sunday, a GENTLEMAN'S SCARF PIN with coral head, on which a face is carved. A suitable reward will be paid the finder on leaving the pin at the Rockingham House. A7*

Wanted.

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Wanted.

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AT REASONABLE RATES!

We trust, by personal supervision of all favors intrusted to our care, to merit a continuance of the public patronage.

☞ *Garments made in style, or according to the fancy of the purchaser!*

We have a very large assortment, and one of the best Stocks of

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WHITE SHIRTS:

We have a small lot of HATHAWAY'S SHIRTS, which we are closing out at cost.

WAITE & DODGE'S WHITE SHIRTS, laundried or unlaundried, Wamsutta Cotton, made in the best style.

MERRIAN'S New Style SANS PAREIL SHIRT, made of nice Cotton.

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A nice assortment of new COLORED SHIRTS.

NIGHT SHIRTS.

Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style, with Collars and Pockets.

Spring Neck-Wear!

NOBBY STYLES!

CUTTING!! CUTTING!!

CUTTING at short notice and in the best Style.

☞ In order to reduce our Large Stock, we shall continue to sell Goods by the yard at cost for a short time!

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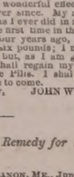

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GOOD RESOLUTIONS.

'Twas when the toddling baby year
Its greeting to the world was giving.
I shed a melancholy tear
And vowed to change my mode of living.
"My wicked ways I'll mend," meditated,
"To be sedate I'll now endeavor;"
But all my schemes have come to naught,
I still remain as bad as ever.

Methought, "I waste my morns in bed"
(I seldom rose till twelve or later),
Which laziness it must be said
Full often agitates my *pater.*
Anon at five A. M. I'll rise,
"At once from these late hours I'll sever;"
But (let it not excite surprise)
I still "turn out" as late as ever.

"Now, as to cash affairs. I fear
I'm past all remedy" I pondered
"I grieve to think that all last year
No end of coin I rashly squandered.
O Fortune, one chance more I crave;
O heart be prudent, now or never.
At once I'll try what I can save—"
Alas! I'm just as poor as ever.

Ah me! with grief my mind's beset,
And duns continue still to storm me;
I'm just as hopelessly in debt,
And long for some to to reform me,
Though conscience knows 'tis all in vain,
I thought myself extremely clever.
My plans went wrong, and I remain
As big a reprobate as ever.

—London Fun.

An African Enoch Arden.

As Mr. James Coffee, an unemployed colored waiter, was seated in the bosom of his family, regaling himself with his favorite dish of fried flounders and a hard boiled egg, a sudden rap was heard at the outer door. Requesting Mrs. Coffee, his buxom helpmate, to attend the summons, the door was no sooner opened than a grand scuffling ensued, and the smacking of an enormous pair of lips was heard. "Dinab, don't you know me?" exclaimed the new comer, again indulging in osculatory refreshment. "Go 'long, you sassy nigger!" Mrs. Coffee screamed. "What's all dis?" cried Mr. Coffee, dropping a bit of flounder and springing to his feet. "Don't you know yer own husband?" cried the stranger. "What, Tim Johnson?" "Dat is me!" "Where's yer stiffcate?" inquired the astonished host. "Oh, I lost dat in the sea!" "Do you recognize him for your fuss husband, Dinah?" inquired Mr. Coffee. "Never seed his ugly jaws 'fore in my life!" replied Mrs. Coffee. And thereupon old Coffee "went for him," and in another minute the stranger was footing it up Railroad Square in a manner that filled all the cats and dogs for blocks around with amazement. Mrs. Coffee lost her first partner at sea, but she says her present "old man" is all her fancy painted him. *—Exchange.*

—An Omaha man is doubly in trouble. He deserted his wife to elope with a girl, and the wife is chasing him. Then he deserted the girl, and she is chasing him. The chasers have joined in the pursuit, and he fears the worst if they catch him.

—Ah Moon, a San Francisco Chinaman, being on trial for murder, was told by his lawyer that the best defence would be an alibi. The prisoner said that he could arrange readily for witnesses, and he did. Three of his countrymen swore that, at the time of the murder, he was at work in a wash house; two swore that he was asleep at home, and others would have sworn that he was in other places, had not the lawyer interposed.

—The New York *Graphic* has analyzed the relative stages of moral depravity in making assaults on another's property, and announces the following result: A spoliation of $1,000,000 is a case of genius; of $100,000 is shortage; of $50,000 is litigation; of $25,000 is insolvency; of $10,000 is irregularity; of $5000 is defalcation; of $1000 is corruption; of $500 is embezzlement; of $100 is dishonesty; of $50 is theft; of $25 is total depravity; and of one ham is war on society.

—One of the stories which Judge Davis acceptance of the senatorship has revived, has, says the Chicago *Times,* for a good story, the unusual advantage of being true. A farmer had failed to comply with certain technical requirements in relation to land, and a shark was about to snatch all that he had. The shark's attorney was arguing the case before Judge Davis, then on the Supreme Bench of Illinois. Judge Davis said to him, indignantly, "Your client is trying to steal that man's farm! And he can't do it in my court!" "Then," retorted the lawyer, "I'll carry it up to the full bench, and see if law is law." "By —, sir, I will be there before you!" roared Davis, and, oddly enough, fortune so decided his destiny that he was able to keep his word.

—When you see a young man sitting in a parlor, with the ugliest six-year old boy that ever frightened himself in the mirror, clambering over his knees, jerking his white tie out of knot, mussing his white vest, kicking his shins, feeling in all his pockets for nickels, bombarding him from time to time with various bits of light furniture, calling him names at the top of his fiendish lungs, and yelling incessantly for him to come out in the yard and play, while the unresisting victim smiles all the time like the cover of a comic almanac, you may safely bet, although there isn't the sign of a girl apparent in a radius of 10,000 miles,—you can bet your bottom dollar that howling boy has a sister who is pimping in a room not twenty feet away, and that the young man doesn't come there just for the fun of playing with her brother.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, APRIL 16, 1877.

The Southern Hotel Disaster.

Of the servants all but about twenty have reported, and the proprietors of the hotel do not think more than three were lost, excepting, perhaps, Charles Kieffnicht, head waiter, of whom nothing has been heard since the night of the fire. The last seen of him he was going through the fifth story, arousing the guests of the house, and it is feared he was overcome by the smoke and fell a victim to his noble impulse to save the lives of others.

The death list is reported as follows: Rev. A. R. Adams of England, George Frank Gouley, Henry Hazen, Mrs. W. S. Stewart, Charles Sieman, Andrew Eitman, H. J. Clark and wife, Kate Reilly, Kate Dolan and Mary Moran, servants, and William Felix Munster of England, the latter a suicide, committed under derangement brought on by intense excitement. Mr. Gouley was Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Masons of Missouri; his body was recovered on Friday, as was also that of Mrs. W. S. Stewart of Syracuse, N. Y.

It is now thought the list of deaths will not rise above twenty.

J. F. Russell, chief engineer of the hotel, has made a statement which throws some light on the origin of the fire. He says that he left the engine-room about half-past 11 o'clock, leaving an assistant in charge, and went to his room on the fifth floor, near the baggage elevator. He was aroused about five minutes past one o'clock by shrieks of women. He hurried out and found the hall filled with smoke, which came from the freight elevator, but saw no fire. He was obliged to crawl on his hands and knees to prevent suffocation, the smoke was so dense. There were a number of women on the fifth floor crying piteously for help, whom he told to follow him to the lower floor. Some did, and others were too distracted apparently to do as he directed. Finally he reached the dining-room floor, passed into the kitchen and descended to the basement. Here he found the smoke was very dense, and that the pumps connected with the engine had been in operation. Some of the employes had been throwing water on the fire, which at that time was raging furiously in the store room. A nozzle had been blown off before he reached the basement. Another was put on. He then put the pumps at work again, and turned a stream on the fire. This was continued until the fire became so hot and spread so far that all were obliged to flee for their lives. They made their exit through the basement, under the rear part of the building, and emerged on Elm street. This account does not state how long the fire had been burning before the fire alarm was turned on, but it does show, and conclusively, that efforts were made to subdue it before the guests in the house were aroused or any attempt made to notify them that the building was burning. It seems very certain, at all events, that the hotel was known to be on fire by the employes twenty minutes to half an hour before the Fire Department was notified. Mr. Russell also states that there was a pile of mattresses in one corner of the store-room and a lot of loose hair, and about five feet from them on the floor was a box in which the stock of matches was kept. He thinks the mattresses and matches had a good deal to do with the origin of the fire, but does not know anything definite about it.

New England Gospel Temperance Convention.

It is proposed to hold a New England Gospel Temperance Convention in the Tabernacle, Tremont Street, Boston, Friday, April 20th, under the conduct of Messrs. D. L. Moody, Ira D. Sankey and C. W. Sawyer Services will commence at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be continued in the afternoon and evening. Addresses may be expected from Rev. T. L. Cuyler, D. D., of Brooklyn; Rev. S. H. Tyng, Jr., D. D., and Hon. Wm. E. Dodge, of New York; Geo. H. Stuart, of Philadelphia; John B. Gough, and others. Mr. Sankey will lead the service of song, assisted by a full chorus under the direction of Dr. E. Tourjee. A prominent feature of each meeting will be the testimonies of men delivered from the captivity of strong drink by the power of the Gospel. Churches, Young Men's Christian Associations, and other organizations in sympathy with the movement, are invited to send delegates. It is hoped that three thousand ministers and laymen will gather from various parts of New England each bringing intemperate friends with him, that their lives, under the influence of the addresses and testimonies, and especially under the power of the Holy Ghost, may send forth the light of a new hope, as they return to their homes to lead others in the way of safety, happiness and eternal life. Tickets, entitling to reserved seats, will be furnished to all delegates who shall send certificate of appointment and stamped envelope. All communications should be addressed to Rev. D. W. Waldron, Com., Tabernacle, Boston.

News and Notes.

There seems now a prospect that Miss Mary Ella Harrington, whose supposed abduction from East Boston last September caused such a sensation, will be traced out. A man named James H. Favor, employed by a Lowell barber named John H. Breed, was arrested in Lowell on Friday and taken to Boston. Favor has an ill-favored record, having been in custody twice previously. He admits that he was acquainted with the Harrington girl and was on very intimate terms with her. It is stated also that he saw the girl in Lowell in September last, at which time she was quite sick and that he took her to a private boarding-house and left her in charge of a woman, and has not seen her since. He denies having kidnapped her, and says that he knows nothing of her whereabouts; but, it is said, thinks that she is not living. His reasons for such a belief he positively refuses to give, and says that he knows nothing further of the case. It is rumored that a Miss Folsom, who was an intimate friend of Miss Harrington previous to her disappearance, and is now in Lynn, has stated that she knew last fall that Miss Harrington was in a delicate condition, and that she went to Lowell to get rid of the consequences of her folly. The case will now undoubtedly undergo a searching investigation, and it is to be hoped that the mystery attending the case, which has brought so much trouble on the family of the missing girl, will be cleared up.

Charles Cleveland, residing at Dover, N. S., a fishing town about thirty miles from Halifax, on Thursday got his gun to shoot a son with whom he had a lawsuit. His wife endeavored to prevent him leaving, when he shot her, loading his gun again and firing a second charge into her. He then reloaded and shot himself dead. They leave five sons and three daughters, all married.

By the caving-in of Blue Point Graham mine, at Smartsville, Yuba county, California, on Friday, seven men were killed and six badly injured.

Ex-Mayor Lambert, of Brooklyn, is a defaulter to the amount of $50,000 of trust funds belonging to his wife's sister. His reputation had always been high.

Chief Naval Constructor Hanscom will be retired in June, when he attains the age of sixty-two years.

The news from Europe smells more strongly than ever of gunpowder. A Vienna dispatch of Saturday morning said a declaration of war by Russia was expected on Tuesday. Turkey refuses to prolong the Montenegrin armistice. The Russian army of the Pruth is advancing. Fighting had been going on in the Miridite country since Sunday.

Reuben Kemmerer, aged forty-five, a married man, living at St. Clair, Penn., has been missing since Friday, 6th. He was found Thursday night dead by a fishing party a few miles from St. Clair with his throat cut.

Sheldon L. Jones, of Memphis, and Gen. M. Makeley, of Little Rock, Ark., fought a duel with pistols on the Fair grounds near the latter city on Friday. Nobody was hurt, the seconds having very discreetly loaded the pistols with powder only. Principals and seconds were arrested; Jones was fined $50 and costs, and Makeley held for trial.

An Havana letter of the 7th says it is reported that the insurgents massed their forces and so badly defeated Gen. Campos that the Spanish troops are entirely incapacitated from further movements this summer. Advices by the same mail say Martinez Campos has commenced a forward movement into the central department of Cuba. He is reported at Puerto Principe, but the bulk of the troops are not there yet. Everything is quiet in Vuelta Abajo.

The jury in the case of W. H. Ottman, tried twice for criminally receiving $47,000, which was stolen from the Treasury some two years ago by B. H. Hallock, one of the clerks, were unable to agree and were discharged.

Coroner Gaines' jury at Saco, Me., find that John W. Simpson was accidentally killed by a locomotive of the Boston and Maine Railroad; that said Simpson was unlawfully on the track; further, that the locomotive was running through a compact part of the city at an unlawful rate of speed, and the company is culpably negligent in not giving their engineers proper instructions regarding speed and signals.

Samuel Wright, of Manchester, England, and William Woffle, of Fulton, New York, deserters from the whaleship Ellen Rodman, of Fairhaven, were rescued from a boat which they had stolen, by the British troop ship Simoon, 60 miles southwest of Sierra Leone. They deserted at Bravo, Cape Verde Islands, Feb. 15, at 11 P. M., and had only four pounds of biscuit and four gallons of water, which were soon consumed. For ten days they were without food or water, and were in a desperate condition when rescued, almost famished to death. They were landed at St. Vincent. William Woffle, with the boat, was placed in charge of the American Consul, and Wright would be taken to England in the Simoon.

G. W. Custis Lee has instituted an action of ejectment for the recovery of the Arlington estate.

Political.

Barnaby, the late democratic candidate for Governor of Rhode Island, not only lost the election, but he appears to have lost considerable money which he foolishly invested to further his chances. One of his agents, to whom he entrusted $380 for the purpose of paying registry taxes, has been arrested for embezzlement, as he paid out only $78, reserving the balance to pay his own taxes probably.

Last November the democratic majority in Milwaukee, Wis., was 106, but a few days ago the republican candidate for Mayor was elected by 2000 majority. This is one of the localities to which Mr. Tilden's friends sent "sinews" just before the election.

It having been said that a letter criticising the Southern policy of the President has been written by Congressman Martin I. Townsend of Troy, N. Y., that gentleman telegraphs that it is an entire mistake.

New Hampshire Items.

Charles Sargent, of Danbury, aged 27 years, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart, on Friday, at that place. No cause is assigned for the act. He was nephew of ex-Chief Justice Sargent, of Concord.

A little daughter of John Holden, of Peterboro,' three years old, was badly burned Saturday morning. Her clothes took fire from a heap of burning brush, and both legs, the entire left arm, neck, and face, were burned to a blister. She cannot survive.

The dwelling-house, barn and carriage-house of Richard K. Brickett, of Hampstead, was burned, Thursday. The total loss is $5000; insured $2000. The fire is reported as accidental.

The jury in the case of Patterson against the city of Manchester brought in a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, giving him $2700 damages for a broken leg caused by a defective highway.

It is intimated that Col. Daniel Hall of Dover is likely to succeed Gen. Harriman as Naval Officer of the port of Boston.

There were in New Hampshire last year 2,498 ordinary schools, 458 graded schools, 18 town high schools, 21 district high schools, and 86 higher English and language schools. There were 941 schools averaging 12 scholars or less, and 290 schools averaging six scholars or less. There were in attendance 34,748 boys and 31,951 girls. There were in private schools and not enrolled in the public schools 3,892 pupils. There were 4,156 children between the ages of 5 and 15 years who were not attending any school. The whole number of scholars and children thus reported was 74,747. The average daily attendance was 48,857. There has been a decrease in attendance of 1,153 boys and 780 girls for the past year. This is a much larger decrease than the annual average diminution for the last 25 years, and is mainly attributable to the depressed condition of business affairs in the State. As regards compulsory attendance of pupils, it is found that the law enacted for that purpose is universally approved. Although the law has accomplished favorable results, yet it is effective only where a slight disinclination to attend school prevails, and is generally ineffective where there is a disposition to evade it.

Mr. William H. Phillips, a well known house carpenter and an estimable citizen of Wolfboro, died very suddenly Friday morning. The cause is supposed to be a rupture of a blood vessel in the brain. He was apparently in his usual health up to the time of his arising. He was 43 years of age, and leaves a widow and three children.

Most of the $25,000 needed for the Manchester horse railroad has been subscribed.

The jury in the Dickey (incendiary) trial at Laconia, were out all night, and brought in a verdict of guilty Saturday morning. The sentence is seven years in the State Prison, and the costs of prosecution, to stand committed until paid. Judge Hibbard, of the prisoner's counsel, took exceptions.

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The best Pipe made for Sewers, Culverts, Cellar and Sink Drains, Water Closets, etc., etc. Gives perfect satisfaction wherever used. Is proof against frost, acids, and all substances which pass through the Pipe.

For sale at wholesale or retail, or laid in the best manner.

Orders for Pipe and laying left at the factory, or with MARCELLUS BUFFORD, at the City Clerk's office, will receive prompt attention.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

— OF —

SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS.

AT —

W. P. WALKER'S

NO. 8 MARKET SQUARE.

Having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, ETC.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

SUMMER SUITINGS, is unequalled.

☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

ARMY & NAVY REGULATION UNIFORMS.

ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,

Constantly on hand, consisting of

Bosoms, Gloves,
Suspenders, Collars,
Linen Goods, Drawers,
Handkerchiefs, Shirts,

Of Every Description.

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

Notice to Tax Payers.

THE ASSESSORS call attention to the following extracts from the laws of the State, and give notice that it is their intention to enforce the same:

"Every person liable to be taxed in such town shall exhibit to the Selectmen, at the time and place appointed by them, or upon such personal application, a true account of the polls and estate for which he is there taxable, either in his own right or otherwise, on oath if required by either of the Selectmen, which oath either of the Selectmen may administer."

"If any person shall neglect or refuse, after due notice given as aforesaid, or when called upon by any Selectman, to give such account, the Selectmen shall set down to such person, by way of doomage, as much as they judge equitable, which shall be conclusive in all cases, unless the party shall show, by his statement under oath, that it was not in his power to exhibit such statement."

The Assessors of cities have by law all the powers of Selectmen and Assessors of towns in relation to the assessment and collection of taxes.

Inventories will be received until the 25th day of April.

No application for reduction from the invoice of any person on account of debt, will be considered unless made during the month of April.

By order of the Assessors,

M. BUFFORD, Secretary.

Portsmouth, April 11, 1877.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH SANBORN,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
JENNY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAVERS,
ROBERT KING,
JAMES A. RUGG,
CHARLES H. MENDUM,

Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

J. W. P. CARTER

proposes to sell his Stock of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

on the most reasonable terms.

Call and examine! No. 17 DANIEL STREET.

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *first arrival since the Ice blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

THE BLIND MAN

WHO MENDS CANE-SEAT CHAIRS

HAS REMOVED his place of business to the room over Mr. Jos. Pettigrew's store, corner of Congress and High streets, and solicits a continuance of patronage from those who have chairs needing re-seating.

SPRING AND SUMMER

Millinery!

Having returned from New York with a fine selection of MILLINERY Goods and NOVELTIES, we shall be ready, ON AND AFTER APRIL 13TH, to show our friends and patrons a nice assortment of

TRIMMED HATS & BONNETS!

Our efforts to please the ladies of our customers have not in the least abated, and we advertise *every day an "opening day,"* instead of one or two crowded, confused days, as formerly. Feeling that this new arrangement will be for the interest of *all concerned* and thanking our friends for the very liberal share of patronage bestowed upon us during the two years we have been in Portsmouth, we remain, Yours Respectfully,

J. M. Tebbetts.

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FINE HAVANA CIGARS!

FOR SALE AT

Butler & Laighton's.

ENGLISH PICKLES.

QUARTS AND PINTS.

OLIVES—¼ Gallons, Quarts and Pints.

— AT —

BUTLER & LAIGHTON'S.

White Castle Soap!

THE BEST TOILET SOAP USED!

FOR SALE BY

BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

CAPERS, OLIVE OIL, KETCHUPS, SAUCES

ETC., ETC., ETC.,

— AT —

BUTLER & LAIGHTON'S.

Philadelphia Lager Beer,

FOR SALE BY

BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

BLUE GLASS

TREATMENT FREE

— AT —

C. DWIGHT HANSCOM & CO.'S

NO. 16 CONGRESS STREET,

The Cheapest Place in New Hampshire to buy

PLATED WARE,
CROCKERY and
PAPER, GLASS WARE
ENVELOPES, etc., etc.

Of the Best Quality.

ROGERS BLOCK, - - - - - - - - PORTSMOUTH.

American and Swiss

WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

CLOCKS and JEWELRY.

— AT —

Messrs. C. E. & J. E. DIXON'S,

7 CONGRESS STREET.

Fine Watch Repairing and engraving.

Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

Musical Instruction!

MR. S. W. COLE,

(Organist at Middle Street Baptist Church,)

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity, that he is prepared to receive pupils on the Piano Forte and Organ. Having secured a Henry F. Miller Pedal Piano, with Pedal Bass constructed precisely like that of Pipe Organs, rare facilities are offered those who wish to learn Organ playing. Terms $15 for twenty-four lessons of one hour each.

Mr. Cole refers by permission to Dr. E. Tourjee, Director of the N. E. Conservatory of Music; Prof. J. W. Tufts, Organist and Director of Music at King's Chapel, and C. H. Morse, Prof. of Music at Wellesley Female College.

Orders left at his residence, No. 91 State Street, or at D. H. Montgomery's Music Store, will receive prompt attention.

JAMES M. CARR, Agent,

DEALER IN

BOOTS & SHOES

No. 34 MARKET STREET,

(Formerly HILL & CARR,)

Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*

☞ All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

The Perfection

GRANITE IRON

Tea and Coffee

POTS,

With Mountings of WHITE METAL and NICKEL PLATE.

The best and latest Invention in this line.

FOR SALE BY

JOHN P. SWEETSER,

Dealer in HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, 46 Market St

From Prof. Hayes, State Assayer of Massachusetts: I have tested your "Patent Porcelain Tea Pot," having special reference to the action of solutions of tea, coffee, and other astringent liquids upon it. The enamel has the chemical character of porcelain. It is free from anything injurious to health, and is not acted upon by the strongest boiling solutions of tea, coffee, and chocolate.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS.

—A FEW MORE OF THOSE

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

William P. Walker's,

173 No. 8 Market Square.

Real Estate.

House to Let.

NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in Brick House, No. 24 Court Street. Enquire of the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 20 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to

March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 56 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

House to Let.

A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 12 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.

Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

For Sale.

HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Driscoll.

Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND, at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.

House No. 30 Deer Street.

Brick House No. 56 State Street.

Store corner State and Washington streets.

House No. 2 Rockingham Street.

Apply to

A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.

FRANK W. MILLER.

A Rare Chance.

FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and piece of land, suitable for a SUMMER RESORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attics, and the place is a good BARN and fine water; everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view, the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.

Enquire of

JOSEPH L. MARDEN,

M13d&w1m Kittery Point, Me.

Or, WILLIAM DOWNS & SON, Portsmouth.

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. This House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth and Dover Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

—APPLY TO—

JOSEPH S. GRANT

2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been new shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which, under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon the two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,

CLARENCE B. MASON.

SEASON OF 1877.

NEW SMOKED HALIBUT

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

Carriage Materials

AND

BLACKSMITHS' SUPPLIES.

I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Seats, Seat Sticks, Sleigh Dashers, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

G. J. GREENLEAF,

Rear Post Office - - - - - - - - - Portsmouth, N.

A FRESH LOT of WHEAT MEAL

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, WHEAT GROATS,

AND OATMEAL

Just received and for sale by

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

SICK HEADACHE.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 187

I have suffered with Sick Head-Ache as often as every two weeks, for *Fifteen Years.* At times in the severe pain I *fainted away.* I tried every thing I could hear of and was attended by Physicians, but continued in this condition until last December when I commenced with the Little Giant Pills. I have not had a Head-Ache since. I want every person who suffers as I have, to try this Medicine and be cured, and if any such are not able to pay for a box, I will buy a box and give them.

MRS. CARRIE A. HODGDON, 7 Dennett St.

☞ SOLD BY ALL THE DRUGGISTS.

Trade Mark on Square Boxes.

F. A. FERRIS & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

— AND —

SMALL PIG HAMS,

GOSHEN PINE APPLE

— AND —

DUTCH CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

Charles E. Laighton & Son

EXCHANGE BUILDINGS

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
Great (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.30 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

A GOOD SHOW.

The entertainment on Friday evening by the Berger Family and Sol Smith Russell drew a good audience, the body of the hall being pretty well filled, notwithstanding the prices of tickets (seventy-five and fifty cents) were above regular hard times rates, and there had already been three evening entertainments the same week and another was to follow on Saturday night. The concert of course was first-class, as this company never offers anything else, that is, the music was all of the very best of its kind, and of a kind sufficiently elevated to please an educated ear yet not so severely classical as to be enjoyed only by one in a hundred; and the fun in Russell's delineations *was* fun, unmarred by any hint of vulgarity. The after dinner speech of the amateur yachtsman in response to the toast of "The Old Salt" was hugely enjoyed by the amphibious element in the audience,— and like Portsmouth audiences generally, this one had a goodly number of the amphibia in it,—though some of the astounding feats of seamanship described by the "old salt" went a long way ahead of anything ever achieved by any Portsmouth mariner; Dorcas Pennyroyral's love experiences, also, touched a tender chord in many a heart. The bell-ringing and "crystal chimes" were pleasing, as was also Miss Franklin's ballad singing, and the solo on the "saxophone," which is a queer-looking instrument apparently built in imitation of a crook-necked squash.

But to us quite as pleasing a feature of the entertainment as any, was the gentle firmness with which persistent encores were not acceded to for the second time, though Miss Franklin did give one song not down on the programme, and a good many other numbers were added in obedience to the demands of the audience. When a programme providing for more than two hours' uninterrupted action is faithfully carried out, it should suffice to satisfy the listeners; and if extended much beyond that length of time is pretty sure to become as wearisome to the audience as to the performers. We would like to live long enough to attend one good show where no demands will be made for more than is on the bills, but do not expect to. The audience was more liberal with applause than is usual here, and there was none of the abominable "keeping time" with the feet which ruins the effect of the best music at so many concerts.

JOTTINGS.

Persons in want of carriages may find it to their interest to read the advertisement in another column of Mr. J. H. Randlett, of Dover, who has on hand a large variety of wagons, buggies, phaetons, etc., all of his own manufacture, made in the best style, and for sale as cheap as first-class work can be offered.

Mr. Wm. P. Walker, having laid in a stock of cloths suitable for spring and summer wear that will compare favorably with any he has ever had, is ready to make the same into garments for his patrons, either according to their fancies or the fashions, at as reasonable rates as the best of materials and work will allow. Regulation uniforms for the army and navy are a specialty; and a large assortment of gentlemen's furnishing goods, fine shirts, ect., can always be found at No. 8 Market square.

Walter C. Harriman, Esq., son of Ex-Governor Walter A. Harriman, has opened an office in the Portsmouth Savings Bank building and will serve out law as required. Mr. Harriman has had quite a large experience before the courts, for a young man, and we do not doubt that those entrusting their business to his care will get satisfaction—that is, if there is any such thing as satisfaction in going to law.

In the advertising columns this morning will be found a notice of the proposed sale of the "Stoddard Farm," situated on the Rye Road leading from Elwyn's to the Sagamore Road. The opportunity offers rare inducements to obtain a good business in a pleasant and quiet locality. A fine dwelling house and a spacious and convenient barn have just been completed, making the farm a most desirable one in many respects.

An examination of the wrecked ship Frank Jones was made on the 6th inst., a week after she went ashore, and showed that about twenty-six feet of her keel and a large part of the planking on her starboard (off-shore) side were gone. The work of stripping her was progressing finely, and the purchaser of the wreck hoped to save enough of her material to make a good thing of it, if the fair weather continued.

A correspondent of the Lewiston (Me.) *Journal*, writing from Auburn, thus refers to Mr. N. M. Perkins, for some years a resident of this city and formerly a member of the Naval Band: "Last evening the members of the Auburn cornet band gave a grand supper complimentary to Mr. N. M. Perkins, their new director. The tables were spread with the best of the season, doing great credit to the lady members. A large and beautifully ornamented cake with the word 'Director' inlaid on one side and on the other the initials 'N. M. P.' was the centre dish. It was formally presented and Mr. Perkins replied, kindly thanking the ladies and members of the band for the entertainment and prophesying for the band a future and brilliant success. The tables were then cleared away to make room for dancing." Another ex-member of the Naval Band, Mr. Ralph Reinewald, is leader—and a thoroughly competent leader, too—of the Dover cornet band.

The counsel for Charles S. Simonds of Utica, New York, assignee in bankruptcy of Davis, Moulton & Co. in the New York District, appeared before District Judge Clark at Manchester, on the 10th inst., with a motion to set aside the bankrupt proceedings in the matter of J. C. Carr of this city, upon the ground that the proceedings in bankruptcy against the firm of Davis, Moulton & Co. in New York, of which firm Mr. Carr was a partner, were begun anterior to the proceedings against Mr. Carr in New Hampshire, for the benefit of his individual creditors. Hon. J. S. H. Fink represented the bankrupt, Hon. W. H. Y. Hackett appeared for E. P. Kimball, assignee of the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, and Wm. H. Rollins, Esq., appeared for the Portsmouth Savings Bank and other creditors. The granting of the motion was resisted on the ground that there was no evidence adduced to sustain the motion showing the proceedings claimed to have been instituted in the New York court. Mr. Cookingham of New York desired three days further time in which to file the proper evidence. To this the New Hampshire counsel objected, for the reason that engagements in court in this county would prevent their attendance again that week, and the case was continued until May 3d.

The Odd Fellows of this city propose to celebrate the 58th anniversary of the Order, on the 26th inst., by a parade at four o'clock P. M., to be followed by a collation at Franklin banquet hall, from five to eight o'clock. At eight o'clock literary exercises will commence and continue until nine, when dancing will commence at Franklin Hall and continue until a reasonably late hour. The Odd Fellows of Kittery will be invited to participate.

The fishing fleet of this port has been increased by the addition of the schooner Clara Bella, late of Gloucester, Mass., purchased by Messrs. William C. Williams and Daniel O. Seawards of Kittery Point.

The boys implicated in the thefts at Wm. P. Walker's store were brought before the Police Court on Saturday, and their cases were continued another week.

At the annual meeting of the Franklin Land, Mills and Water Company of Franklin, Me., held in Kittery on Wednesday, 11th inst., the old board of officers was unanimously re-elected as follows: Ebenezer T. Farrington, A. S. Tosier, Elvin D. Hall, of Boston, Ichabod Goodwin and W. L. Dwight, of Portsmouth, Directors; and E. D. Hall continues Treasurer, and R. F. Gerrish of Kittery Point, Clerk and Agent.

YORK.

YORK, MAINE, April 9.

Messrs Editors:—My telegram to you on Wednesday last, in regard to Dr. Putnam's decease, was premature; the information upon which I based my report being, from what I then presumed a reliable source; but it is positive that the good old man passed away on Thursday afternoon, April 5th, at four o'clock.

My idea of words is perfectly inadequate to express the kindly feelings of myself (and I think I may safely say of every citizen in York) toward this good, noble, high-minded, courteous, honorable, exemplary and upright man.

Born at Danvers, Mass., Aug. 20, 1798, therefore aged 78 years; been in *successful* practice in this quiet town of York for fifty-two years, he leaves not a stain upon his long record as a physician—and as a man.

How much the poor class of people will miss "the Doctor!" He was ever ready and willing to go at call, for rich or poor, by day or night; and it may truthfully be said (as he remarked to me not long since he expected to do) that he "died in the harness." He has always been a *good* citizen, with all that word implies; has for many, many years filled the office of Superintending School Committee and took a great interest in the cause of education, always giving satisfaction to all except those teachers whom he would not "whitewash" with a favorable report when not deserving it. He was also Collector of Customs during President Lincoln's administration, which office he filled satisfactorily.

Never calling upon a debtor, yet ever ready to pay all debts; never exorbitant in charges, yet ever willing to let others live by their trade; politically a republican, yet (ever consistent) willing always to allow the opposing party their just rights; never taking advantage of power, even when within his grasp; no trickery nor hypocricy; a firm and faithful friend; he followed his own dictates, and being of strong mind and superior abilities, his dictates were ever right.

He has, in his fifty-two years of continuous practice, attended to the births of over 3200 children.

Peace to his ashes. G. F. P.

—"I know why you won't give me that $30 new bonnet to wear on Easter," said a Chicago wife to her husband, spitefully. "And why won't I, my dear?" asked he, and immediately answered his own question by adding, "It is because I can't afford it." "No, it isn't," declared his wife, "It's because you're a bad man, an infidel and unbeliever, and don't believe in religion."

—The "Fruits of the Wine Cup," recently played by the Hanover reform club, pointed a moral, but not so sharply as did the intoxicated student who came in late and took a front seat, with the title of the play in large letters on his back.

—A church congregation in Petersburg, Va., became weary of waiting for their pastor a few nights ago, and dispersed. Some of them, while on their way home, espied their spiritual guide seated in a parlor conversing with a lady friend, and apparently so delighted with her company that he had forgotten the fact that it was the night of the church meeting—a fact which he subsequently admitted to be true.

A Card for Rational Readers.

Irrational people always reject good advice, and in nothing is their folly more frequently conspicuous than in ignoring precautions necessary for the retention of health. Forecast, on the other hand, is a notable characteristic of the rational, and it is the exercise of this quality which we would suggest to them. Protect the system against diseases which fasten upon the debilitated, the nervous and the dyspeptic, by bracing the physique, regulating the stomach, bowels and liver, and banishing despondency with the purest and most efficient of botanic invigorants, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. That these effects follow its use, and that it prevents as well as annihilates intermittent and remittent fevers, are facts established by indisputable evidence. To enjoy the twin blessings of "a sound mind and a sound body" in all their plenitude, try a course of this sterling medicine.

A Healthy Town.

Few towns are more generally healthy than the little township of Claremont, N. H. Epidemics and prevailing sickness of any kind are almost unknown here, which is accounted for by rapid streams, entire exemption from fogs, and the causes of them, pure water, and the generally comfortable condition and regular habits of the people. And yet in any town in New England there are those who are subject to all diseases of the Throat and Lungs. In this particular, Claremont has an advantage over other places, in having a home remedy for these direful ills, in Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup Manufactory. Here is prepared a Syrup acknowledged by thousands as a sure and permanent cure for all throat and lung diseases. Go to your Druggists after it! Keep it in your house! If need be, carry it in your pocket! Try it!! Try it!!

What Sweetens the Mouth,

preserves and whitens the teeth, keeps the gums from becoming spongy, neutralizes all impurities that adhere to the dental enamel, and effectually prevents the toothache? Any body can answer this simple question who has ever witnessed the wonderful effects of that matchless vegetable preparation—Sozodont.

Closer than a brother sticks Spalding's Glue.

"Prices to suit the times," together with every comfort the most fastidious could ask or desire, and the most delicate attention to every want has made the Colonnade *the* hotel of Philadelphia.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will sustain its well-merited popularity, and earn greater, by the sensible reduction of its rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Lung complaints, bronchitis, coughs, asthma, sore throat, catarrhal cough, croup, etc., cured by *Adamson's Botanic Balsam*. Price 35 cts.

A great discovery of more value than gold—*Adamson's Botanic Balsam* for all diseases of the throat and lungs. It seldom fails to cure. Price 35 cents.

BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

I have used the Little Giant Pills for billous headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

MRS. JOHN LANE,
Cor. Pleasant and Prospect Sts.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

MARRIED.

MITCHELL—EMERY. In Manchester, April 7th, Mr. Willie E. Mitchell of Manchester and Mrs. Mary Emery of Newmarket.

DIED.

PHILLIPS. In Wolfeboro', April 13, very suddenly, Mr. William Phillips, aged 43 years, formerly of Kittery, Me.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

SAILED, April 13.

Sch Anna M Nash, Kendrick, Grand Banks.
Sch July Fourth, Wood, Bangor.
Sch Triton, Rand, Bangor.

ARRIVED, April 14.

Sch Liberator, Parker, Gloucester.
Sch Freighter, Grant, Boston.

SAILED, April 14.

Sch Charles Carroll, Cudworth, Rockland.
Sch Mary Willey, Williams, Bangor.

Sch Mary J Adams, Combs, Wood's Hole for Bristol, Me., arr at Vineyard Haven April 12.

Sch Viola, Randall, for this port from Hoboken, ar at Newport April 12.

JUVENILE DANCING SCHOOL.

MR. SAMUEL LAMPREY

GIVES notice to the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity that he will commence a Dancing School for Young Ladies, Masters and Misses at CONGRESS HALL, commencing Saturday afternoon, April 14th, at three o'clock, and continue on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons for a period of twenty-four lessons. **Terms, $10 for the Course.** Mr. LAMPREY will teach the *latest style* of Waltzing, and also the **MINUET!**

☞ Mr. LAMPREY will give private lessons those who wish.

MILLINERY NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to discard the old-fashioned Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

TRIMMED

Hats & Bonnets

Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.

C. N. SHAW & CO.,
No. 3 Market Street.

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Wanted.

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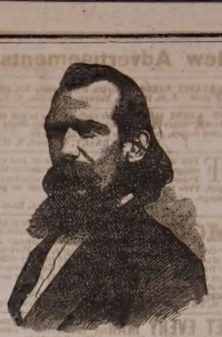

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Daily Chronicle.

American Inventive Progress.

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And curiosity here leads us (adds the editor) to review our own work, extending back, say, twenty years, or to 1857, a period during which 170,745 patents have been issued. We find, by actual count, that 62,062 applications have been made through the Scientific American Patent Agency for Patents in the United States and abroad. This averages almost ten applications per day, Sundays excluded, over the entire period, and bears the relation of more than one quarter to the total number of patents issued in this country up to the time of writing."

—The poet Bryant was recently made the recipient of a singular present from the Misses Lucille Clinton, the artist, in the shape of a glass globe filled with moss, in which were merrily chirping a lot of little crickets which he had caught on Longfellow's premises in Cambridge, last summer, and kept through the winter in a corner of her studio. A pink shell in the globe contains their food—oatmeal and sugar—and their chirping at this season of the year is as pleasant as it is novel.

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To the Hon. Judge of Probate

FOR THE COUNTY OF ROCKINGHAM,

In the State of New Hampshire.

RESPECTFULLY shows SAMUEL C. PERKINS of Boston, Mass, that he is trustee under the will of Mary E. P. Emery, late of Newington in said County, deceased, testate, for the benefit of Lois Pickering, a minor child of said testatrix, by the appointment of the Judge of Probate for the said County of Rockingham, that his said cestui que trust is seized of a certain farm and buildings situate in said Newington, one part of which is bounded northerly by land of T. Benton Hoyt and Dudley Pickering, easterly by land of Reuben L. Lane, southerly by the new road, and westerly by the road leading from Newington Meeting-house to Greenland; the other piece is bounded northerly on said new road; easterly by land of R. L. Lane, southerly by land of the heirs of Abigail Richardson now in the occupancy of Ephraim Pickering, and westerly by said road to Greenland. The whole containing about seventy acres, more or less. That in his opinion it would be for the interest of said cestui que trust that the same should be sold and the proceeds of said sale invested in some safe manner as will be most for the interest of said cestui que trust; and as your Honor shall prefer. Wherefore he prays that he may be authorized to sell such trust real estate and invest the proceeds of such sale according to the statute in such case made and provided.

SAMUEL C. PERKINS, Trustee.

By his Attorney, WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, ss.

Probate Court at Portsmouth in said County, March 29, A. D. 1877.

Upon the foregoing Petition, it is *Ordered*, that a hearing be had thereon at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth in said County, on the Second Tuesday of May next; and that the Petitioner notify all persons concerned to appear at said Court, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted, by causing said petition and this order to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Morning Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

By order of the Judge,

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How Safes are Blown Open.

A criminal lately gave to a reporter of the New York *Herald* the following mode of introducing powder within a safe for the purpose of blowing open the doors.

"What tools did you use in drilling the holes?" asked the reporter.

"Good cracksmen don't use tools," answered the burglar. "I'll show you how to blow open any safe in New York without any tools. Just take me to a safe."

There happened to be a safe in Judge Kilbreth's private room, and the writer acquainted the magistrate with the prisoner's proposal. "By all means," said he, "let us learn;" and in a moment the room was filled with spectators.

The prisoner knelt beside the safe, which was locked. "Look," said he, "at this door. It fits so tightly that no instrument can be introduced in the cracks and powder cannot be inserted. So far so good. The burglar," continued he, "simply sticks putty all along the cracks except in two places, one at the top of the door and one at the bottom, where he leaves about an inch of space uncovered by the putty. At the lower place he puts a quantity of powder and he sucks out the air from the upper place, either by a suction pump, which is the better way, or by his mouth. The vacuum created in the safe draws in the powder through the small crack below. The entire work does not occupy more than five minutes."

Opposition to Machinery.

We are informed, says *Capital and Labor*, (English paper) that in an eminent coach-building establishment, a short time ago, the principals desired to introduce an American machine for making the wheels. These, of course, have to be prepared and fitted together with the utmost accuracy; and the machine in question secured this so that any number of wheels could be turned out strictly to gauge. Some of the men engaged in this department were ready enough to work the machine, by which their own labor was lightened, and higher wages were offered to them. But as the use of the machine was contrary to the trade union rules, the men were ordered to desist. The machinery was therefore put aside. Since that time wheels made by similar mechanism have been imported from America, this being the only way by which the public requirements for light and strong wheels could be met. It is a curious fact that some of the English carriages exhibited at Philadelphia last year were mounted upon American wheels, which had been sent over from the United States to England, painted, and then returned, with the body of the carriages for exhibition. We understand that large numbers of wheels are thus imported, which might have been made in England but for the insensates opposition to the use of machinery.

An Appeal for the Birds.

As spring approaches, and we are anticipating the coming of the birds, we repeat our appeal for their protection. Some of the citizens of Massachusetts prize the few cherries that the birds deprive them of, more than the lives of the birds, and they encourage their boys to shoot them. If they fully realized the value of the birds in the destruction of insects, they would rather furnish cherry trees for the exclusive use of the birds. Careful observers assure us that each insect-eating bird destroys several thousands of these pests in a season, and but for this destruction we should soon have no fruit at all. Parents who encourage their boys to use a gun upon these protectors, or "garden vocalists," as some call them, are inflicting a public injury. The law imposes a fine for killing these birds, but few people are willing to enter a prosecution against their neighbors, and hence the law is not enforced. We must rely, therefore, in a considerable degree, upon convincing the public of the usefulness of the birds, and upon appeals for mercy toward a class of animals which adds so much to our pleasures and to the beauty of the fields.—*Our Dumb Animals.*

A Slight Mistake.

The present Archbishop of Dublin, the gifted author of the work, so widely known, on the *Study of Words*, is not in very robust health, and has been for many years apprehensive of paralysis. At a recent dinner in Dublin, given by the Lord-Lieutenant of Ireland, his Grace sat on the right of his hostess, the Duchess of Abercorn. In the midst of the dinner the company was startled by seeing the archbishop rise from his seat, and still more startled to hear him exclaim, in a dismal and sepulchral tone, "It has come! it has come!"

"What has come, your Grace?" eagerly cried half a dozen voices from different parts of the table.

"What I have been expecting for twenty years," solemnly answered the archbishop—"a stroke of paralysis. I have been pinching myself for the last twenty minutes, and find myself entirely without sensation."

"Pardon me, my dear archbishop," said the duchess, looking up to him with a somewhat quizzical smile—"pardon me for contradicting you, but it is *I that you have been pinching.*"—*Harper's for May.*

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Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, APRIL 17, 1877.

News and Notes.

The European news grows more and more warlike. On Friday, in the Russian capital there was a grand council of war, the Cabinet having declined the Porte's proposal to send an envoy to St. Petersburg, deeming further negotiation useless. The defiant tone of the Turkish circular accounts for this decision, the Russian Government having previously been desirous to receive a Turkish representative. Concurrently with the council of war, all soldiers on furlough in the military district of St. Petersburg were called to arms. At Constantinople, the Ottoman Government was doing its share to provoke hostilities. It rejected the Montenegrin claims, declined to renew the armistice, and resolved to send war vessels to Sulina, at the mouth of the Danube, as well as others to the Mediterranean.

The mystery attending the disappearance of Mary Ella Harrington of East Boston at last is solved. It now appears beyond a doubt that the girl left her home ostensibly to visit Newton on the 11th of September last, but really went to Lowell, where she was met by the young man Favor, who conducted her to the house of a notorious woman named Mrs. Delia Avery, who was to help her out of her trouble of approaching maternity. Miss Harrington died either during or in consequence of the operation, and Mrs. Avery has since died. Miss Folsom, a friend of Miss Harrington's, who has been prominent in the case from the fact that she persisted in asserting that Miss Harrington had gone to Europe, now acknowledges that she has not told the truth, and was cognizant of the cause of Miss Harrington's disappearance and the object of her visit to Lowell; but having promised not to reveal the secret she kept the facts concealed until now. Favors asserts that he knows nothing further of the girl than what he has already stated. He has been placed under bonds to the amount of $10,000 to answer to the charge of enticing Miss Harrington from her home for the purpose of procuring an abortion, and for aiding and assisting therein. Favor's grandfather has also been placed under arrest at Lowell, as it is charged that he was the one mainly instrumental in having the abortion performed, and paid all the expenses.

At Altoona, Pa., Saturday, a miner named William Haskins, supposed to have been insane from drink, stabbed two men named Hugh Courtney and J. G. Krupb, the latter fatally, and in return received fatal injuries.

Pilot boats Mary K. Sprunt and Uriah Finimore, one with seven and the other with six men, chiefly pilots, left Smithville, N. C., last Wednesday morning, going to sea, and have not been heard from since. Both are thought to be lost.

The steamer George Appold reports seeing off Newport, R. I., Friday, the schooner Mary Mankin, with both anchors out, sails loose, wheel broken, boat gone, and the vessel low down in the water and apparently abandoned.

Edward Booker, who abducted a child from the neighborhood of Columbus, O., recently, has been sent to jail in default of $1500 bail to answer to the charge of child-stealing. Young Havens was restored to his parents Saturday.

Edgar M. Moore, the young man who shot and killed Mabel Hall, a ballet girl at the Theatre Comique at St. Louis, Mo., about a year ago, and who was convicted of murder in the first degree, was sentenced Saturday to be hanged Friday, June 1.

The findings of the court-martial in the case of Major Reno of the Seventh Cavalry, tried for insulting the wife of Capt. Bell, have been in the possession of the Judge-Advocate-General of the army for several days. The sentence is his dismissal from the army, but strong influences are at work with the President to induce him to remit to suspension from rank and pay for a year.

Minnesota papers say that farmers in almost every locality are going to plow and to sow as usual, perhaps not so much wheat, but something that will afford sustenance if the wheat should again be devoured by locusts.

A student at Princeton College, aged nineteen, recently eloped with a Taunton, (Mass.) miss of sixteen, but before they could get married they were captured and returned to their mammas. A generous dose of slipper administered to each before they went to bed that night would no doubt have been beneficial, but the papers don't say whether they got it or not.

The late Dr. Mahlenberg was in his youth engaged to marry Miss Coleman, a sister of the lady to whom James Buchanan was betrothed. The young woman died before the time set for the marriage, and it was his grief for this loss that found expression in his famous verses, "I would not live alway." He never married.

The steamship Leo, from Savannah for Nassau, N. P., was burned at sea on the 13th inst. Three passengers and all but thirteen of the crew are supposed to be lost.

Mr. Leon Lewis, of Penn Yan, New York, has conceived the idea of building the Mexican Pacific railroad from Yucatan to Acapulco, a thousand miles more or less, to compete with the Panama railroad, the Darien canal, the Suez canal, and all other known or imaginary routes to the East. The Penn Yan *Chronicle* says Mr. Lewis has made a fortune by writing stories for the New York *Ledger*, and he says himself that his personal resources will suffice to build and equip the first hundred miles, after which he may issue bonds on the completed section, though he hopes to pick up enough treasure out of the tombs of the Aztec kings on the route, to finish the work without borrowing. He expects to get rich land grant, and wants a million families to settle on the line of his road. This magnificent enterprise will be explained before long in a *Prospectus* which Mr. Lewis proposes to issue in a handsome volume and sell for $2 to all who are interested in his project.

A hatful of coppers, large old fashioned cents, none of a date later than 1849, was recently found in the Fuller woods, Augusta. The value was about $15. It is supposed that burglars in their flight found them too heavy and hid them there and did not have an opportunity to return for them.

There has been a splendid tobacco crop in Cuba. A military camp and settlement, called Dominquez, on the Trocha line, caught fire and was entirely destroyed. It contained military provision, warehouses, a barracks for wounded men, bakeries, a telegraphic station and cavalry station. The loss is said to be $2,000,000.

Political.

Providence, R. I., had an election for State Senator and ten Representatives, on Friday. Nine republican Representatives were chosen, there being no choice of Representative in one district, or of Senator, an election having been defeated by the efforts of Gov. Lippitt and one Dawley, chairman of the Republican City Committee of Providence, who used all their influence in favor of the democratic candidates, in obedience to the demands of the liquor interest.

The New York *Commercial Advertiser* says that a comprison of the difference between Louisiana at the time Kellogg entered the Governor's chair and the time he left it, shows that, as far as that State is concerned, the rule of the "carpet-bagger" was not quite so black as it has been painted. The carpet-bagger regarded in any light is not the most fascinating creature on the footstool, but he is to be preferred at any moment to the bull-dozer. When Kellogg went into office he found a State debt of $23,000,000 and a State tax of 22 1-2 mills. When he left office the debt had been reduced to less than $10,000,000 and the tax to 14 1-2 mills. Perhaps a democratic administration whould have done better, but Nicholls has started out in a way that promises to increase the debt again.

Who had authority to determine the election of either Hayes or Packard? Not Mr. Hayes, most assuredly. The competent authority to decide the Presidential election was Congress. Congress did decide it, and there is no appeal from its judgment. The competent authority for deciding who was elected Governor of Louisiana is pointed out by the Constitution and laws of that State. President Hayes has no more to do with it than he has with the question who is Governor of any other of the thirty-eight States. He is the legal President because Congress declared him elected, there being no other power competent to make the decision. He cannot even review his own title, the Constitution giving him just as little jurisdiction to decide local questions arising under the laws of Louisiana. The conclusive answer to Blaine's argument is that Mr. Hayes' own title and the title of Packard are alike beyond the province of the President to decide. Every question must be decided by the authority having jurisdiction, and it is the plain duty of the President not to intermeddle where he has no legal power.—*N. Y. Herald.*

New Hampshire Items.

The chair of Theoretical Chemistry at Dartmouth College is being temporarily filled by Mr. Peter Townsend Austen.

John H. Burbank of Londonderry backed a horse and sled, loaded with wood, over a precipice Saturday. The horse, sled and wood landed 100 feet below, killing the horse instantly.

A son of James Martin of Dalton was killed by a tree falling on him on the 5th inst.

Rev. Mr. Cook of Dover has accepted a call from the Freewill Baptist Church at North Berwick, Me.

A desperado escaped from the jail at Manchester, Sunday evening. About five o'clock George L. Stearns, turnkey, unlocked the cells occupied by Emmet Lyons and James G. Gonnier, letting them into the corridor to wash. Gonnier is a mulatto, about thirty-five years old, weighing nearly 200 pounds, and in for breaking and entering. Upon entering the corridor, he made a desperate attack upon the turnkey, knocking him down and holding him, while Lyons got possession of his pistol, the keys in the meantime being thrown beyond his reach. Lyons with the pistol in his hand then went to the ticket hole, and demanded of Mrs. Stearns to be let out. Upon being refused three shots were fired at her, whereupon the door was opened and he escaped. Several men in the neighborhood came to the rescue and prevented Gonnier's escape. Lyons is about twenty-two and known as a desperate character.

The Iron Mountain House in Jackson, was burned Wednesday afternoon. Loss $10,000; insurance $7000.

The house and barn of Bennett P. Greenleaf, in the outskirts of Lancaster, were burned Saturday. Loss about $800; no insurance.

The evidence against Williams, the suspected murderer of Charles H. Gilman at Rockport, Mass., is becoming more and more convincing. Williams's real name appears to be Albert Joy, and he is a son of the late Robert Joy of Belfast, Me. He has a mother still living in Newmarket, in this State, where she has married Benjamin Page. The reason of his assuming the name of Williams is supposed to be to deceive his mother as to his whereabouts. He has the reputation of being an uneasy and roving nature, having joined Barnum's circus in Maine two years ago, and travelled with it for a brief time. As his former character is unravelled it is found to be of a doubtful sort. He is now wanted in Maine for an assault committed in a passion. He is reported to have called on a man, who owed him one dollar, and failing to get it, assaulted him, knocking him down, and throwing him through a closed window. State Detective Philbrick has telegraphed from Maine to hold him on the above charge.

Ira Crombie, who drives a stage between Peterboro' and Munsonville, was seriously hurt by falling from his coach at Harrisville on Friday last. He is seventy-six years of age and has not missed a trip before all winter. He is the oldest stage driver in the State.

The ell of Joseph Welcome's house, and his stable, in Concord, were burned Sunday. Loss $1000.

Strikes.

On Saturday evening the Conference Committee of the Brotherhood of Engineers decided that a general strike should take place by the Brotherhood men on the Philadelphia & Reading Railroad. Grand Chief P. M. Arthur at midnight telegraphed to the different points along the main line to strike, and the men, numbering in the neighborhood of four hundred, did so. Nearly every man on the road turned in their engines. On Sunday everything was quiet and the company met with no trouble in running their trains there being but few on Sundays. It was expected, however, that next day the company would find it difficult to get enough non-Brotherhood men to run the trains. A large meeting of the engineers was held Sunday, but the proceedings were secret. It is understood, however, that resolutions were then passed expressive of confidence in the Brotherhood's position and a determination to hold out.

The strike of the workmen at the Trenton, N. J., potteries has ended, after continuing sixteen weeks. At a meeting of the strikers on the 12th inst., the president announced that supplies had been exhausted, and that debts were accumulating, with but little prospect of their payment. Under these circumstances, it was absolutely necessary for the men to go to work again. Unfortunately, this is more easily said than done. During the strike the employers obtained new help from abroad, so that there is now work for only about half of the strikers.

Thirty or forty employes in the hand-sewed department of the shoe factory of Lilly, Young, Pratt & Brackett, No. 127 Federal street, Boston, are on a strike for an advance of seventy-five cents on a case.

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I offer the Largest Stock of LIGHT CARRIAGES in this State, at a Reduction in Prices

that cannot be beat in New England! All of my own manufacture, and of the finest material; Equal to Brewster's of New York, at $100 less price and styles that will suit the most fastidious; consisting of

Top Work Cabriolets,
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Jump Seats,
Doctor's Phaetons,
Bar Phaetons, Centennial Phaetons,
Brewster's Patent Spring Buggy,
Pony Phaetons,
Brewster's Box,
Whitechapel, Windsor Top Wagon,
Piano Box,
Square Cornered Phaetons,
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Brewster's Box hung on Brewster's Patent
Centennial Style, [Spring,
ed Wagons.

I have some of the finest light Concord Spring Wagons made. Also, a large Stock of fine HARNESSES that will be sold less than Manufacturers' prices.

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The best Pipe made for Sewers, Culverts, Cellar and Sink Drains, Water Closets, etc., etc. Gives perfect satisfaction wherever used. Is proof against frost, acids, and all substances which pass through the Pipe.

For sale at wholesale or retail, or laid in the best manner.

Orders for Pipe and laying left at the factory, or with MARCELLUS BUFFORD, at the City Clerk's office will receive prompt attention.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

—OF—

SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS.

AT —

W. P. WALKER'S

NO. 8 MARKET SQUARE.

Having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, ETC.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the most style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

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☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

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Constantly on hand, consisting of

Bosoms, Gloves,
Suspenders, Collars,
Linen Goods, Drawers,
Handkerchiefs, Shirts,

Of Every Description.

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

Notice to Tax Payers.

THE ASSESSORS call attention to the following extracts from the laws of the State, and give notice that it is their intention to enforce the same:

"Every person liable to be taxed in each town shall exhibit to the Selectmen, at the time and place appointed by them, or upon such personal application, a true account of the polls and estate for which he is there taxable, either in his own right or otherwise, on oath if required by either of the Selectmen, which oath either of the Selectmen may administer."

"If any person shall neglect or refuse, after due notice given as aforesaid, or when called upon by any Selectman, to give such account, the Selectmen shall set down to such person, by way of doomage, as much as they judge equitable, which shall be conclusive in all cases, unless the party shall show, by his statement under oath, that it was not in his power to exhibit such statement."

The Assessors of cities have by law all the powers of Selectmen and Assessors of towns in relation to the assessment and collection of taxes.

Inventories will be received until the 25th day of April.

No application for reduction from the invoice of any person on account of debt, will be considered unless made during the month of April.

By order of the Assessors,

M. BUFFORD, Secretary.

Portsmouth, April 11, 1877.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in making in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH S. NSBORN,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAVERS,
ROBERT KING,
JAMES A. RUGG,
CHARLES H. MENDUM,

Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

J. W. P. CARTER

proposes to sell his Stock of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

on the most reasonable terms.

Call and examine! No. 17 DANIEL STREET.

OYSTERS.

THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS.—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

THE BLIND MAN

WHO MENDS CANE-SEAT CHAIRS

HAS REMOVED his place of business to the room over Mr. Jos. Partigrew's store, corner of Congress and High streets, and solicits a continuance of patronage from those who have chairs needing re-seating.

SPRING AND SUMMER

Millinery!

Having returned from New York with a fine selection of MILLINERY GOODS and NOVELTIES, we shall be ready, ON AND AFTER APRIL 12TH, to show our friends and patrons a nice assortment of

TRIMMED HATS & BONNETS!

Our efforts to please the tastes of our customers have not in the least abated, and we advertise *every day an "opening day,"* instead of one or two crowded, confused days, as formerly. Feeling that this new arrangement will be for the interest of all concerned and thanking our friends for the very liberal share of patronage bestowed upon us during the ten years we have been in Portsmouth, we remain, Yours Respectfully,

J. M. Tebbetts.

1315

FINE HAVANA CIGARS!

FOR SALE AT

Butler & Laighton's.

ENGLISH PICKLES.

QUARTS AND PINTS.

OLIVES—½ Gallons, Quarts and Pints.

—AT—

BUTLER & LAIGHTON'S.

White Castile Soap!

THE BEST TOILET SOAP USED!

FOR SALE BY

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CAPERS, OLIVE OIL, KETCHUPS, SAUCES

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Philadelphia Lager Beer,

FOR SALE BY

BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

BLUE GLASS

TREATMENT FREE

—AT—

C. DWIGHT HANSCOM & CO.'S

NO. 16 CONGRESS STREET,

The Cheapest Place in New Hampshire to buy

PLATED WARE,
CROCKERY and
PAPER, GLASS WARE,
ENVELOPES, etc., etc.

Of the Best Quality.

ROGERS BLOCK, ... PORTSMOUTH.

American and Swiss

WATCHES.

ALSO, A NEW ASSORTMENT OF

CLOCKS and JEWELRY.

—AT—

Messrs. C. E. & J. E. DIXON'S,

7 CONGRESS STREET.

Fine Watch Repairing and engraving.
Clocks and Jewelry repaired.

Musical Instruction!

MR. S. W. COLE,

(Organist at Middle Street Baptist Church,)

WOULD respectfully inform the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity, that he is prepared to receive pupils on the Piano Forte and Organ. Having secured a Henry F. Miller Pedal Piano, with Pedal Bass constructed precisely like that of Pipe Organs, rare facilities are offered those who wish to learn Organ playing. Terms $15 for twenty-four lessons of one hour each.

Mr. Cole refers by permission to Dr. E. Tourjee Director of the N. E. Conservatory of Music; Prof. J. W. Tufts, Organist and Director of Music at King's Chapel, and C. H. Morse, Prof. of Music at Wellesley Female College.

Orders left at his residence, No. 91 State Street, or at D. H. Montgomery's Music Store, will receive prompt attention.

JAMES M. CARR, Agent,

DEALER IN

BOOTS & SHOES

No. 34 MARKET STREET,

(Formerly HILL & CARR,)

Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*

☞ All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

The Perfection

GRANITE IRON

Tea and Coffee POTS,

With Mountings of WHITE METAL and NICKEL PLATE.

The best and latest invention in this line.

FOR SALE BY

JOHN P. SWEETSER,

Dealer in HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS, 46 Market St

From Prof. Hayes, State Assayer of Massachusetts: I have tested your "Patent Porcelain Tea Pot," having special reference to the action of solutions of tea, coffee, and other astringent liquids upon it. The enamel has the chemical character of porcelain. It is free from anything injurious to health, and is not acted upon by the strongest boiling solutions of tea, coffee, and chocolate.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

—A FEW MORE OF THOSE

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

William P. Walker's,

1y8 No. 8 Market Square.

Real Estate.

House to Let.

NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 30 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to

March 21, 1877. JEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET.

Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

House to Let.

A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to

HENRY F. GERRISH.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibirt, South, Union, Brook and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.

Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

For Sale.

HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 62 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Driscoe.

Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,

at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.

House No. 56 Deer Street.

Brick House No. 56 State Street.

Store corner State and Washington streets.

House No. 3 Rockingham Street.

Apply to

A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the usual BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.

FRANK W. MILLER.

A Rare Chance.

FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and plot of land, suitable for a SUMMER RESORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attice, and on the place is a good BARN and fine water; everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view; the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times, and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.

Enquire of

JOSEPH L. MARDEN,

M12d&w1m Kittery Point, Me.

Or, WILLIAM DOWNS & SON, Portsmouth.

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for home and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

—APPLY TO—

JOSEPH S. GRANT,

2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS fromerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Lane are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,

CLARENCE B. MASON.

SEASON OF 1877.

NEW SMOKED HALIBUT!

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE BY

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

Carriage Material

AND

BLACKSMITHS' SUPPLIES.

I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Seats, Spat Sticks, Sleigh Dashers, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

G. J. GREENLEAF,

Rear Post Office . . . . . Portsmouth, N. H.

A FRESH LOT OF WHEAT MEAL

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, WHEAT GROATS,

AND OATMEAL

Just received and for sale by

LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

SICK HEADACHE.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.

I have suffered with Sick Head-Ache as often as every two weeks, for *Fifteen Years.* At times in such severe pain I *fainted away.* I tried every thing I could hear of and was attended by Physicians. I continued in this condition until last December when I commenced with the Little Giant Pills. I have not had a Head-Ache since. I want every person who suffers as I have, to try this Medicine and be cured, and if any such are not able to pay for a box, I will buy a box and give them.

MRS. CARRIE A. HODGDON, 7 Dennett St.

☞ SOLD BY ALL THE DRUGGISTS.

Trade Mark on Square Boxes.

F. A. FERRIS & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

—AND—

SMALL PIG HAMS,

GOSHEN PINE APPLE

—AND—

DUTCH CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

Charles E. Laighton & Son,

EXCHANGE BUILDINGS.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45	"	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	"	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 6.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The iron steamer "Allentown" (steam collier No. 13) arrived at Concord Railroad wharf on Monday afternoon from Philadelphia, with 1602 tons of coal.

Schooner "Charlie" arrived at Doane's wharf on Monday, from Essex, Mass., to fit for the Banks.

Furbish's Fifth Avenue Combination will repeat the excellent entertainment, "Forbidden Fruit," given on Saturday, to-morrow (Wednesday) evening at Franklin Hall. The comedy is amusing in the extreme, and the company is such a one as rarely visits this city, and together should suffice to crowd the hall.

Harper's Magazine for May, with a score of articles and nine-five illustrations, is replete with variety and superbly beautiful. The gem of the Number is Mrs. Frances L. Mace's poem "Israfil," with eight illustrations by Fredericks. A richly illustrated article on Florence is contributed by O. M. Spencer; Wirt Sikes contributes another illustrated article about Wales; Mrs. Mary Treat gives some fresh observations concerning the familiar birds of the South, with illustrations; an illustrated article by Ernest Ingersoll, entitled "At the Gateway of the Catskills," is an interesting sketch of a region in the neighborhood of the metropolis, but still retaining the primitive customs of the last century; in "An old Gentleman's Recollections," Horace E. Scudder gives some entertaining extracts from the diary of Mr. Samuel Breck, relating to society in Boston and Philadelphia, just after the Revolution, with illustrations from that gentleman's sketches; and there are instalments of continued novels, short stories and poems, and the usual editorial summaries. Now ready at the book-stores.

The Cotton Mill at Pittsfield will be sold at noon to-day, on the premises, to the highest bidder. See advertisement.

A correspondent writes: "The appearance on the streets recently of the barge Fanny Fern, drawn by six spirited horses and managed without brakes by that veteran knight of the whip, Mr. William D. Perkins, calls up reminiscences of olden times and of old-time horse men. In the year 1845 Mr. Perkins was in the employ of the late Willis Barnabee, Esq., then the popular landlord of the old Franklin House, of which John Hodgdon, Esq., was then clerk. Mr. Perkins had previously been employed by Messrs. Samuel Robinson and Sherburne Somerby, at the stone stable now occupied by Mr. Locke, and afterward at the brick stable now owned by Mr. Beacham. In 1847 Mr. Perkins established five-cent fares for the vehicles then in use in Portsmouth. Few men understand the business to which they are brought up better than does Mr. Perkins the business from which he is now retiring."

Proposals for the purchase of the drug store and business of H. W. Briant will be received by the Assignee, Col. J. Horace Kent, until Saturday next, April 21st; terms cash.

On Sunday night a large grey horse was stolen from the premises of Mr. James A. Rand at Breakfast Hill, Rye.

Ichabod N. Ferguld, who died at his late residence in Boston on Friday, was born in this city in 1825. He served his apprenticeship in the Portsmouth *Journal* office, and removed to Boston in 1846. He was for a number of years foreman in the office of the *True Flag*. In 1860 he and Mr. James Brigham started the newspaper known as the *Wide World*. He was also connected in the publication of the *Western World*, but of late years has been employed at the office of the Boston Directory.

Those who desire to go to Boston on Thursday at half fare for the round trip, should add their names to the paper now at Preston's drug store. Unless a sufficient number are secured the train will not run.

SUPREME COURT.

In the Supreme Court at Exeter, on Monday, Thomas Maguire, of Newmarket, was fined $50 and costs on one indictment for selling liquor, and the costs on thirty-seven other indictments (which still remain on file,) the whole amounting to some $300.

Joseph Langley, of Nottingham, was fined $50, costs $131, for same offence.

John McCloskey, for assault on police officer White of this city, was sent to Portsmouth jail for six months and fined $200.

John McCarthy, indicted for an assault on police officer Conners, of this city, was liberated on his own recognizance, the indictment remaining on file, he having been in jail since the 5th of November last.

Case of Edward H. Parks of Portsmouth, for keeping disorderly house, was on trial Monday evening.

Case of Frederick D. James for embezzlement, was set for Tuesday; also the case of George Felch of Newburyport, for secreting a fugitive from justice.

ENCOURAGE LOCAL TALENT.

Messrs. Editors:—In connection with the very just praise of the play "Ten nights in a bar-room," I observed with pleasure the suggestion that "it might be an advantage to encourage the stage talent our city possesses, and thus furnish a portion of our own amusement." Nothing can be more wise and timely than this advice. In the first place, the expense of travelling with a large company is too great to enable outside talent to visit us with profit, as any of the managers of the excellent dramatic troupes which have visited us the past month will affirm; that most charming entertainment offered by Furbish, Saturday night, with all its attractions, failing to draw two hundred persons. So there seems to be no other way left us but to do our own acting for the present,—till people feel more flush than now.

If we need encouragement from elevated circles we have it all along through historic pages. Looking back more than a hundred years ago we find that in 1701 Rosseau's Magic Girdle was played by the princes of the blood, before the Duchess of Burgundy; and Voltaire speaks of the Duke of Orleans and such persons of the court as were most conspicuous for talent, performing in a small theatre erected for them. Later we have accounts of Maria Antoinette's theatre at Petit Trianon, where the Queen herself performed,—"Le Barbier de Seville," "On ne s'avise jamais de tout,"—being favorite plays; we must be true to history and add—"that the company for a private company was good enough and was applauded to the skies; nevertheless, as the audience withdrew criticisms were plainly heard, and it would be observed that the piece was *royally ill played*." To come down to the present time we know that Dramatic Clubs exist in Boston and Charlestown, composed of the most talented and accomplished ladies and gentlemen in the community, and they have drawn so much on the public favor as to seriously interfere with the patronage of the public Theatres.

APPRECIATOR.

NEWINGTON.

NEWINGTON, April 16.

The people of this town were entertained on Fast-day evening by a concert, given by home talent under the direction of Mr. James Drew. The exercises consisted principally of vocal music, and throughout the somewhat lengthy programme good order was maintained, and the audience returned hearty and frequent applause. A male quartette rendered several pieces with good effect. The singing was varied by three farces of Prof. Drew's composition, and presented then for the first time, which kept the audience convulsed with laughter. Besides these a number of songs given in costume, by Mr. Drew and Miss Jeannette Hoyt, were especially fine. Among other selections on the programme were "Come, Brothers, tune the lay," "Farmer's Song," "We'll have to mortgage the farm," "Slowly and softly," "Log cabin," "Knocking at the outside gate" (introducing "Little Maud"), "My dear old wife and I," "Slavery Days," etc. The town hall and entries were filled to overflowing, many being present from surrounding towns. The whole affair reflects great credit on Prof. Drew's training.

RYE.

RYE, April 16.

As there was no service held in either church on Fast day, the next thing most appropriate for the proper observance of the day seemed to be a game of base ball, but as our national game has heretofore failed of receiving that attention which its merits demand among our citizens, it was somewhat a matter of doubt whether enough of the able bodied men in town could be prevailed upon to come together and risk their limbs and perhaps lives, in an attempt to show all who wished to learn, how the thing is done in this most popular of all out door sports. Fortunately for the credit of the town, which claims to have within its borders material for most any duties either temporal or otherwise,—and had, before, everything necessary for the well being of its citizens except a "base ball club,"—a sufficient number came together on the "Training field," armed and equipped with one bat and one ball, and immediately proceeded to business. First, two captains were selected, and they chose their nines,—and said they would go down to posterity as the "Grasshoppers" and "Potato Bugs." An umpire, chosen by himself to see that the game was played (not) according to the rules of the "league" (because he didn't know what the rules were) called time, and playing commenced. Eight innings were all that could be played, it being then time to go to supper. Notwithstanding the many dangers to which a person is exposed in playing this game, not a Grasshopper or P. B. received a scratch; not a hand was at any time within a rod of being inconvenienced by a "fly" dropping into it. Home runs were the rule, and there was not the least difficulty in "getting home" if a player once got started from the home base. Several highly educated individuals well up in arithmetic and abbreviations, undertook to keep the score; but when the end came all that was legible was the number of runs—fifty-three for the Grasshoppers and twenty-three for the Potato Bugs. The band came out in full uniform and had a street parade, and notwithstanding the frequent snow squalls it was, on the whole, quite a successful affair.

The Rye Minstrels and Variety Troupe gave a "Parlor Entertainment" at the Town Hall on Friday evening, which, considering that it was the second occasion in which they have appeared in public, was quite meritorious.

The snow has all gone; the roads are in a splendid condition and the vane on the church has pointed northeast since the first of March, with but very slight variations. The farmers are ploughing in most parts of the town, but it is reported that up at Breakfast Hill they have got all done planting and hoeing, and are sending postals to the manufactories they ordered their mowing machines and hay tedders of, requesting them to hurry up their goods. NAT.

—Alexis and his terrier went to a photographer's and were "took" in every city they visited. The Duke is easily distinguished from the terrier by his princely air and a standing collar.

—He was a solemn looking traveler, and he walked through the depot singing, "Heaven is my home," when one of the boys called out: "Then you are going the wrong way, stranger; that is the train to Syracuse."

—Gay young Soph., loquitor: "I knew that blue glass business was all humbug. Didn't I wear blue eye-glasses all last year to give me a studious look, and didn't I get rusticated all the same? The faculty saw through them better than I did."

A Card for Rational Readers.

Irrational people always reject good advice, and in nothing is their folly more frequently conspicuous than in ignoring precautions necessary for the retention of health. Forecast, on the other hand, is a notable characteristic of the rational, and it is the exercise of this quality which we would suggest to them. Protect the system against diseases which fasten upon the debilitated, the nervous and the dyspeptic, by bracing the physique, regulating the stomach, bowels and liver, and banishing nervous despondency with the purest and most efficient of botanic invigorants, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. That these effects follow its use, and that it prevents as well as annihilates intermittent and remittent fevers, are facts established by indisputable evidence. To enjoy the twin blessings of "a sound mind and a sound body" in all their plenitude, try a course of this sterling medicine.

What Sweetens the Mouth,

preserves and whitens the teeth, keeps the gums from becoming spongy, neutralizes all impurities that adhere to the dental enamel, and effectually prevents the toothache? Any body can answer this simple question who has ever witnessed the wonderful effects of that matchless vegetable preparation—Sozodont.

Closer than a brother sticks Spalding's Glue.

Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup is performing miracles, curing all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, such as Coughs, Colds, Catarrh, Asthma, etc. It cures when all other remedies fail. Try it. Sold by all Druggists.

"Prices to suit the times," together with every comfort the most fastidious can ask or desire, and the most delicate attention to every want has made the Colonnade *the* hotel of Philadelphia.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will sustain its well-merited popularity, and earn greater, by the sensible reduction of its rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

Lung complaints, bronchitis, coughs, asthma, sore throat, catarrhal cough, croup, etc., cured by *Adamson's Botanic Balsam*. Price 25 cts.

A great discovery of more value than gold—*Adamson's Botanic Balsam* for all diseases of the throat and lungs. It seldom fails to cure. Price 35 cents.

BELMONT, MASS., Feb. 17, 1877.

I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

MRS. JOHN LANE,
Cor. Pleasant and Prospect Sts.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, FULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

MARRIED.

PETTIGREW—WILLIAMS. In this city, April 14th, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. W. Horace Pettigrew of Portsmouth, and Miss Maria L. Williams of Kittery.

DIED.

ROGERS. In this city, April 13, Hattie O. Rogers, wife of Mr. Henry A. Rogers, aged 31 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, April 16.

Steamer Allentown, Mills, Philadelphia.
Sch J D Craumer, Martin, Port Johnson.
Sch Elizabeth M Smith, Raymond, Boston.
Sch Oregon, Stinson, Boston.
Sch Satellite, Adderton, Boston.
Sch Addie, Goodwin, Boston.

Ship Calcutta, Hansen, cld from New York for Bangor, Me, April 12.

Sch Nicia, Randall, for this port from Hoboken cld from Newport April 13.

Sch Ida E Latham, Potter, for this port, cld from Philadelphia April 14.

"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

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Boston & Lowell R. R.	62
Boston & Maine	97
Boston & Providence	135
Boston & Albany	121
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad In S. H.	5
Fitchburg	130
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	42
Northern N. H.	64
Old Colony & Newport	100
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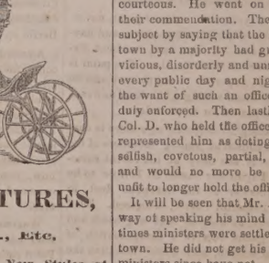

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BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

Minister of Durham from 1718 *to* 1739.—Dover was settled in 1623. Durham was a part of the town, and in that section there were settlements about 1635. The first meeting house in New Hampshire was built in Dover, at the Neck, where the settlements were, in 1633. Durham, before being separated from Dover, was called Oyster River. In 1651 it was voted by the citizens of Dover, that there be preaching at Oyster River. Mr. Fletcher, Mr. Buss and others preached there until 1718 when Rev. Hugh Adams was settled.

Mr. Adams was a graduate of Harvard College, and had been settled in two towns in Massachusetts before coming to Durham, and when he took charge in Durham he was over forty years of age. After the close of his pastorate in town, he continued to reside there till his death in 1750.

Mr. Adams was a man, it appears, of good powers of mind, sincerely pious, but knew little of human nature.

The royal Governor of New Hampshire was J. Belcher. In May, 1738, Mr. Adams sent a curious petition to the Governor for the appointment of Joseph Drew of Durham and Edward Hall of Newmarket as Justices of the Peace. The petition is headed thus:

Mal. 2:7. Luke 10:16.

The reader will find the first passage, "For the priest's lips should keep knowledge," etc. The second is, "He that heareth you, heareth me," etc. The application of these passages can be readily conjectured. He then stated, that in his conscience, he thought them qualified, that they were of an honest report, full of wisdom, having rule over their own spirits, appetites, passions, were humble, meek, modest and courteous. He went on much further in their commendation. Then he changed the subject by saying that the inhabitants of the town by a majority had grown exceedingly vicious, disorderly and unruly especially on every public day and night following, for the want of such an officer to see the laws duly enforced. Then lastly he alluded to Col. D. who held the office in Durham. He represented him as doting, superannuated, selfish, covetous, partial, old and foolish and would no more be admonished and unfit to longer hold the office.

It will be seen that Mr. Adams was in the way of speaking his mind plainly. In those times ministers were settled and paid by the town. He did not get his full pay, as many ministers since have not. He took decisive measures for a remedy. In the same year, 1738, he sent a petition to the Provincial Assembly, in which he represented Durham as an Achan in the camp; as the seven sons of Saul in the days of King David, and as Jonah in the ship of the Province. He prayed that neglect to pay a minister might be made a penal offence as it was in Massachusetts. He gave the Assembly to understand, that the State name, by virtue of such a law, had been proportionately saved from the throat pestilence and other judgments, that had come on New Hampshire. He signified that his people had robbed him of £50 salary, he ought to have had, and that in one instance, as a judgment, deserved by them, he had prayed it might not rain, and it did not for three months, but some prevailed on him to appoint a fast. He says it was observed. The Lord was pleased to hear and sent a plentiful rain.

The contention and commotion in Durham was somewhat sharp for years, and at length, Jan. 23, 1739, all matters were referred to an Ecclesiastical Council, composed of eight ministers and twenty delegates. A large assembly of people attended. The Council protested against the imprecations of the Divine vengeance on some by the minister, and the idea on his part that calamities that had come on some, were the result of his prayers. The Council judged that the pastoral relation should be dissolved. Mr. Adams was not fully satisfied, but submitted with considerable grace, continued to reside in town, had the respect of many, and at his death in 1750 was 74 years of age.

Frog Soup.

Mr. Breck's father was a rich merchant in Boston, who was agent for the French government, and brought into close connection thus with the French officers attached to the squadron which for a time was anchored in Boston Harbor. His house was the resort of the foreigners, who were looked upon with unbounded curiosity by the Boston people, brought for the first time into acquaintance with a nation uniformly traduced by the British. It was incredible to them that persons who were popularly supposed to subsist mainly on frogs should be so plump and well-favored; but the original facts were stoutly maintained and supported by the rumor that they had been discovered hunting for their favorite food in the Frog Pond on the Common.

With this last notion in his head, Mr. Nathaniel Tracy, who lived in a beautiful villa at Cambridge [formerly Washington's head-quarters, and now Mr. Longfellow's house,] made a great feast for the admiral and his officers. Every thing was furnished that could be had in the country to ornament and give variety to the entertainment. My father was one of the guests, and told me often after that two large tureens of soup were placed at the ends of the table. The admiral sat on the right of Tracy, and

M. De l'Etombe on the left. L'Etombe was consul of France, resident at Boston. Tracy filled a plate of soup, which went to the admiral, and the next was handed to the consul. As soon as L'Etombe put his spoon into the plate, he fished up a large frog, just as green and perfect as if he had hopped from the pond into the tureen. Not knowing at first what it was, he seized it by one of its hind-legs, and, holding it up in view of the whole company, discovered that it was full-grown frog. As soon as he had thoroughly inspected it, and made himself sure of the matter, he exclaimed, "Ah! mon Dieu! une grenouille!" Then turning to the gentleman next to him, gave him the frog. He received it and passed it round the table. Thus the poor *crapaud* made the tour from hand to hand until it reached the admiral. The company, convulsed with laughter, examined the soup plates as the servants brought them, and in each was to be found a frog. The uproar war universal. Meantime Tracy kept his ladle going, wondering what his outlandish guests meant by such extravagant merriment. "What's the matter?" asked he; and raising his head, discovered the frogs dangling by a leg in all directions. "Why don't they eat them?" he exclaimed. "If they knew the confounded trouble I had to catch them, in order to treat them to a dish of their own country, they would find that with me, at least, it was no joking matter."—From "An Old Gentleman's Recollections," in *Harper's Mag. for May.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1877.

News and Notes.

A daughter of James Abbott of Baltimore died suddenly while alone Sunday. Mrs. Abbott, on making the discovery that her daughter was dead, was so shocked that she dropped dead.

William J. Reed, foreman of the pattern shop in the Corliss steam engine works, at Providence, R. I., died on Monday, in consequence, it is alleged, of a mistake of a druggist, who put up a prescription with morphine instead of quinine. Reed had charge of the setting up of the Corliss engine at the Centennial Exposition.

A bed of yellowish colored paint, covering an area of at least two acres, and having a thickness of four feet, has been discovered near Cullman, Ala. The paint is found to be superior to ochre, as it can be worked without adding white lead, and cannot be surpassed for water colors.

A Washington despatch says there is considerable comment among members of the pay corps of the navy at the recent selection of Paymaster James E. Tolfree to be fleet paymaster of the European fleet, in place of Inspector Foster, deceased. Fleet paymasters, as well as fleet engineers and fleet surgeons receive a compensation of $4400 per annum, and $1000 less than the captain of a ship, and it is claimed that a fleet paymaster should be either a pay director who ranks as captain or a pay inspector who ranks as commander. Mr. Tolfree is a very efficient officer and stands high in the department.

A freight car on the Eastern Railroad containing cotton bales for the Laconia company, was discovered on fire near Saco on Sunday morning. The flames burned through the top of the car, while one bale of cotton was broken open and the fire ran over two others, but so far as the cotton was concerned the damage was slight.

A Canadian firm are endeavoring to get an order filled in Charlestown, W. Va., for 2,000,000 feet of sawed lumber, to be used for lock-gates of the Welland Canal. The order was sent South on account of the great dimensions of some of the pieces, there being no trees sufficiently large for the purpose in Canada.

Colonel Alexander K. McClure, editor of the Philadelphia *Times*, was assaulted in the street in that city on Monday by Mr. Nathaniel McKay, who struck him with a whip. McClure seized McKay by the throat, and was struck several blows by the fist of some person, one Curtis having been arrested as the striker, though McKay asserts that no one assisted him in the assault. McKay is a government contractor, and McClure had assailed him in the *Times*.

The Czar has conferred on Mr. G. R. Champney of Boston the order of St. Stanislaus, in testimony of his satisfaction at Mr. Champney's improvements in dies, coinage and gun work. These improvements involve an immense revolution in all the existing systems of coinage and render the present minting arrangements useless. The patents for these improvements have been sold to Austria, Germany, Italy and Belgium.

It is announced that Secretary Sherman of the Treasury will between now and the 1st of May discharge from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing five hundred employes whose services are of no use.

District Judge Billings, at New Orleans, has rendered a favorable decision in the case of Myra Clark Gaines, involving millions of dollars in property in New Orleans. This ends forty years of litigation in favor of the claimant.

A Philadelphian of 73 years took his fifth wife last Monday, after mourning the deceased fourth six weeks. Number five was number four's sister, and has survived three husbands.

Cox, the Maine boy who murdered his father, has been sentenced to six years in State prison.

Steamer R. L. Myers is ashore, bottom up, on King Beach, N. C. All hands supposed to be lost.

Tweed has confessed, and fully implicates Oakey Hall in all the ring thefts. Hall's share of the stealings was ten per cent.

Advices from Oglethorpe county, Ga., report the killing of three or four negroes by gangs of white men at night. The governor has offered a reward for the murderers.

A boy was arrested in Bangor Friday for forging a name to an order on the Liquor Agent for whisky.

Mr. Henry A. Swanton of Hallowell, Me., who has recently been released from the county jail at Augusta, requests the Kennebec *Journal* to caution all persons not to sell him intoxicating liquors, and to say that he will prosecute them if they do.

The three-masted schooner Charles E. Elmer, Carson, master, loaded with molasses, is reported ashore, off Topsail Sound, bottom upward, the cargo and vessel a total loss. A log book was picked up, supposed to belong to the vessel, which showed that the crew consisted of sixteen men, who, it is thought, are all lost. A schooner, loaded with lumber, is ashore near Rich Inlet. The vessel is broken in two and with the cargo is a total loss. It is feared the crew are all lost.

Some of the people who believe there wasn't any real ground for reprieving Phair are raking over the past record of Downing, the Boston man whose declaration saved his life, and are trying to show that he is unprincipled and unreliable. They report him a chronic swindler.

Capt. Cuthbert, sailing master of the yacht Countess of Dufferin, has attached her for wages. If he gets control of her, Canadian capitalists will advance the means to put her in condition to again challenge for the Queen's cup.

It is stated that Manager Frank Uffner offers Kate Claxton $100 a night and her expenses to star through the country as "The Daughter of the Flames." It is a remarkable fact that Miss Claxton's grandfather was one of the victims of the burning of the Richmond Theatre in 1811. Miss Claxton has had three escapes from fire—in Brooklyn, in Washington and in St. Louis. Mr. Uffner is the show proprietor of the "little midgets," and also of Miss Briggs, the 450-pound fat girl, Barnum's "Fejee Islanders," the "What-is-it" and the "Aztec Children" of former years. These latter were children of a mulatto family named Brown, in Southern Indiana, and one of them is still living near Boston.

The betrothal of the Princess Charlotte, eldest daughter of the Crown Prince and Princess of Germany, and therefore granddaughter of Queen Victoria, took place at Berlin on Sunday, the 1st of April.

Alexander H. Stephens recently sent his compliments to Dick Thompson, asking him if he remembered the present of a gold-headed black walnut cane which he made Mr. Stevens some thirty odd years ago. Mr. Thompson said he had not forgotten it, adding: "Both of us have changed a good deal since then, and I suppose Aleck, as he is now, could sit down in the shadow of that cane and keep cool the hottest day in summer."

Warren Putnam Newcomb of Hartford, who has just been appointed to a West Point cadetship, is the only male descendant of the Revolutionary Generals, Joseph Warren and Israel Putnam, and a grandson of Joseph Warren Newcomb, whose mother was Gen. Warren's only daughter. The young man figured in the Bunker Hill Centennial celebration.

One of our exchanges says: "It is not, unfortunately, generally known that in the case of fire in buildings containing horses, if the harness be merely put on,—however roughly,—the horses will quit the stables. A knowledge of this fact may be the means of saving many a valuable animal from a horrible death."

Supposing the potato should fail, for awhile, as the peach did, what of it? We are going to get the peach back again. Without potatoes we should plant more asparagus, celery and lettuce. We should use more peas, beans and corn. We should plant more parsnips, carrots and salsafy. We should grow more sweet potatoes, and learn to keep them too, near the chimney, in the chamber, or garret. The potato is a very modern form of starch. Wouldn't you as lief have rice, wheat, barley, oats, or even buckwheat? Bright men and women were raised before potatoes were thought of. I heard an old Yankee enquiring for artichokes the other day. Artichokes are good raw and boiled, too, and there are a hundred kinds of fruit better than any roots. If we plant potatoes, and the beetle piles on so as to whip them out, why then we may be able to comfort ourselves that we have got our railways built for awhile and don't need potato civilization so much now.—*Hartford Courant.*

Prof. Marsh some time ago read a newspaper item to the effect that there had been found near a village in Switzerland a fossil "pterodactyl" with the wings in perfect preservation. The Yale professor knew that among all the fossils of this animal none was known with the wings preserved. He instantly repaired to the telegraph office and sent a message to a Swiss naturalist: "Buy the new pterodactyl and send to Yale College." The naturalist obeyed, paying for the fossil a little over $1,000. Soon after it was sold, telegrams poured in from every museum of the world—Boston, Berlin, Paris, St. Petersburg, London—asking the price, requesting photographs, etc.; but it was already on the way to the man who said buy it.

Political.

Hon. Edward McPherson, who has studied the subject pretty thoroughly, expresses the opinion that the democrats will have at least fifteen majority in the next House.

The democratic Richmond *Whig*, remarking upon the symptoms of vigorous war to be made upon the President's policy by the "malcontents," says it will be the duty of the Southern people, both to themselves and to the country, to rally to his support and defend and sustain him with all their hearts. His conservative course, that paper says, had made friends of his enemies among the best and boldest and most influential of the Southern people, and they will strike as heavy blows for him as in the canvass they struck against him.

Ben Hill is talking wonderfully plain language to his constituents in Georgia. He tells them that Georgia has kept herself poor by keeping the negro ignorant; and that if she would prosper she must make industry honorable and intelligent. "Our duty," he says, "is plain, and our interest is equally plain—we must do all in our power to educate, elevate, protect and advance the negro." That's the true doctrine.

The Harrington Mystery.

Mrs. Annie A. Harrington, mother of the girl Mary Ella Harrington, has written to one of the Boston *Post* staff the following letter in explanation of the course of the girl's family since she disappeared:

"I received your note last night, requesting me to write to you all I know in regard to the disappearance of my daughter. When she left home she told me she was going to visit a young lady in Newton, and she went with my consent, as I never doubted her in any sense, having never had occasion to do so. At the time I made the statement to the police I did so in good faith, believing everything said by her and Miss Folsom to be the simple truth, and told it exactly as it was told to me. After the police commenced the search Miss Folsom came to me and pledged me never to divulge what she would tell me. She then said Mame did not go to Newton as they stated, but went to Lowell for a cause. She said she had seen Favor, who told her Mame was dead, or that he had heard so, and that the woman she was taken to was also dead; that if she kept the secret it could never be found out, and that if she told she was liable to State's Prison as an abettor. I considered the matter, and having doubts of the truth in regard to her death and some faint hope that she might be found, I could not bring myself to make the story public, for the sake of the family. I thought his conviction would be nothing to us compared to her loss and the disgrace to her connections. Besides, knowing as I did that Miss Folsom's only reason for making a wrong statement was to shield my daughter's good name, I could not be the one to contradict it."

The keenest search of the burial lot of Mrs. Avery, the Lowell abortionist, and of the yard of her house in Centralville, has failed to discover the unhappy girl's body; but no doubt is entertained of her death.

—Dennis Hurley of Worcester, who was in New York city last week intending to sail for Australia, was victimized by a sharper at a well-worn game. The sharper was going to Australia, too; was a large shipper. Another man stepped up and demanded pay for "freight on those goods." He had only a $1000 bond; would Hurley advance the money? Hurley did, giving him $40, all he had, and postpones his Australian trip.

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City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with the Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

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JEREMIAH SANBORN,
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Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

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" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "		4.45, 6.30 "
East (Beyond Portland)	9.45 "		6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "		4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "		4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "		4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "		4.45 "
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

"FORBIDDEN FRUIT."

This really good comedy, which was presented last Saturday evening at Franklin Hall in such excellent style by Furbish's Fifth Avenue Combination,, will be repeated this (Wednesday) evening by the same company at the same place. The comedy is unquestionably Boucicault's best one, and the company plays it with the same careful attention given at Wallack's or the Fifth Avenue theatres. The unanimous verdict of those who attended the representation on Saturday evening is that the play and players are both first-rate, and that the performance given that evening was one of the best theatrical entertainments offered in this city for many months.

JOTTINGS.

"Forbidden Fruit" at Franklin Hall tonight.

Ship Grandee, Capt. Shillaber, of this port, arrived at Melbourne, Australia, Feb. 24th, from New York. On the passage out, when in latitude 49 25 south, longitude two east, the Grandee bumped against an iceberg, damaged her bows and took a quantity of ice on board. The ship made no water, and after a short delay to repair damages, resumed her voyage to complete repairs at Melbourne.

Senator Blaine and family, and Gail Hamilton, passed through this city Tuesday evening, bound west. The Senator looks in good condition.

Furbish's Fifth Avenue Combination this evening.

We are informed that there is a bad if not a fatal hitch in the proceedings looking to the erection, on the site of the old Temple, of an amusement hall large and commodious enough for the needs of the city; the interest of the March estate in the land having been sold to parties who do not desire the erection there of such a building. But the city is to have a good hall in spite of all drawbacks, as we learn by the following from Tuesday evening's *Times*: "It is now definitely decided to remodel Franklin Block into a splendid amusement hall, Mr. Alfred Stavers having engaged the services of a Boston architect to immediately draw the necessary plans, and work will commence as soon as the season closes. It is intended to have the new hall completed by September 1st."

The State Council of Sovereigns of Industry have elected Lowell Jenness of this city vice president, and Thomas Moore outside guardian.

A rich dramatic treat at Franklin Hall this evening—Boucicault's best comedy.

Alfred L. Rust, B. A., a graduate of Yale college in the last class, has finished his school in Rye.

The steam collier Panther, bound from Philadelphia for Providence, and the schooner Jesse Williamson, Jr., of this port, bound from Providence to New York, were in collision in Providence river Monday afternoon. The steamer had her smokestack broken off, small boat stove, rail and bulwarks on port bow crushed in, and foot of foremast either broken or unstepped. The schooner lost bowsprit and had head gear carried away, and returned to Providence for repairs.

The San Francisco *Chronicle* says: "It appears that the 'Frank Jones' is not the total loss which was at one time apprehended, and although no doubt little better than a total loss as far as the underwriters are concerned, she is not likely to bleach her bones upon the rocky resting place of Fort Point. A contract has been made with A. W. Von Schmidt, of Blossom Rock fame, to get her off, the contractor to pay all the expenses, and, if successful, to get two-fifths of whatever she may sell for when afloat, and earnest work has already begun. The masts and spars are being taken out, and she is being put in a condition to be raised high and dry, when repairs will be made and she will be launched. A week or two in dry dock and the wreck which sold for $4750 will be worth $50,000. Opinions of nautical men differ as to the probability of success. Some of them maintain that she never can be got off, while others have implicit faith in Von Schmidt's practical knowledge and his ability to carry out the job, provided only that the weather gives him a reasonable chance. At any rate, the stake is a high one and worth playing for; $50,000 for less than $6000 leaves a wide margin for expenses and profit—only what the underwriters may say is a different matter. There has been a good deal of talk about an inquiry as to the way in which the good ship managed to go ashore, and if, after going ashore and being abandoned, she is got off without much difficulty, a searching inquiry will be very expedient, both for the sake of those on whom the loss falls and for the good name of the port of San Francisco."

Lippincott's Magazine for May is an unusually varied number. Of the illustrated articles, "Down the Rhine," the first of a series by Lady Blanche Murphy, is noticeable both for the exquisite engravings and its agreeable sketches of famous old towns. "Parisian Club Life" is described by C. H. Hardieg, while Chauncey Hickox discusses briefly some of Schliemann's discoveries. Walter Mitchell writes of "Burials and Burial-Places," and J. Brander Matthews gives theatrical gossip and anecdotes relative to the subject of "Damned Plays." Of stories, in addition to a long installment of "The Marquis of Lossie," we have "The Abbess of Ischia," by Robert A. McLeod, which has a tragical interest; a humorous love story, called "A Superfluity of Naughtiness," by Edward Bellamy; and "A Queen of Burlesque," which is both odd and pathetic, and is evidently drawn from real life. There are poems and a number of short papers on miscellaneous topics. The contents are of a thoroughly popular and attractive character.

The second Mission School at the Creek, started in Cartledge's Hosiery Factory, was not established by the North Parish as stated; it is a Mission Sabbath School, free for children or adults of any society whatever, but not to be claimed by any particular one. Mr. Oliver W. Ham is Superintendent of the school, though he was not at the time the first mention of it was made, having been elected at a meeting for choice of officers since that time.

SOUTH SEABROOK.

At the vestry of the Congregational church, Monday evening, three young men were arraigned before Charles Lamprey, Esq., of Hampton, for profanity, on complaint of Ananias Fowler. Mrs. Fowler testified to the young men coming on Mr. Fowler's premises in an intoxicated condition, and cursing her for ordering them off. Nathan H. Robie, Esq., of Hampton Falls, appeared as counsel for the accused. A fine of one dollar each was imposed, the costs being divided among them; from which sentence the young men appealed.

Charles S. Dow and David F. Souther have been appointed police at South Seabrook, George Chase on the main road, and Francis Beckman and Jeremiah Chase at Seabrook depot.

New Hampshire Items.

The New Hampshire Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church will commence its annual session in the Methodist church at Dover this forenoon at 9 o'clock.

All but five shares of the Manchester Horse Railroad stock have been taken up, and the enterprise is an assured success. Ex-Governor Frederick Smythe visited Lawrence Monday to consult with the horse railroad people there in regard to various matters connected with the scheme. Work will be begun at once.

W. Denison Hurlbutt of Hanover Centre, committed suicide by cutting his throat on Monday morning; cause, insanity. He was sixty-six years old.

The following Sealers of Weights and Measures were appointed by the Governor and Council on Monday: George F. Adams, Derry; Uriah Wiggin, Dover; Samuel W. Sanders, Laconia; Jefferson H. Jewell, Ossipee; Samuel F. Morrill, Concord; H. C. Merrill, Manchester; Virgil A. Wright, Keene; David E. Willard, Orford.

The Pittsfield cotton mill was sold at auction on Tuesday for $67,500, to Harry S. Hovey, of Boston.

At a Cabinet meeting Tuesday, the appointment of Col. Daniel Hall, of Dover, to be Naval Officer at Boston, in place of Gen. Harriman, was determined upon. The appointment will be made at once.

Israel Herrick, a Milford farmer, dropped dead in the street on Tuesday.

The stock train on the White Mountain division of the Boston, Concord & Montreal Railroad was delayed three hours on the 16th by one car being thrown from the rails between Lisbon and Bath; damage small. Had the train broke apart the whole train would have been thrown into the river.

The late Caroline Hastings of Pelham bequeathed $3000 to the town for the establishment of a High School, one of the conditions being that the school should be kept at least six months of every year, but at the last town meeting the town voted—104 to 82—not to accept the legacy.

Milford has procured a fog horn with which to alarm the citizens in case of fire. It takes two men at the wheel to get up wind enough to blow the alarm. The village will be divided into districts and the location of a fire signified by the number of "toots."

Herbert O. Soule, indicted for stealing a horse, wagon and harness in Hopkinton, was sentenced either to three years in the State Prison or during the remainder of his minority in the Reform School. He accepted the latter.

The assault upon Mr. Stearns, turnkey of the Manchester jail, Sunday afternoon, came near resulting in a general jail delivery. Seventeen, including two United States prisoners, were out on the landing at the time the assault was made. The job was put up by Wm. White of Nashua, a desperate character under arrest for larceny from the person, who commenced the assault; young Lyons, who made his escape, and the negro Gonnier, who held the officer while he was being disarmed. Several prisoners were disposed to assist the turnkey, but Lyons threatened to shoot them if they interfered. After the escape of Lyons the rest of the prisoners made their way to the shop where the stone work was carried on, and with the aid of two iron window weights broke the locks from the large door opening into the yard. A large iron gate supposed to be impassable was forced open, and the entire gang rushed into the yard, and were scaling a fifteen foot fence when the neighbors and turnkey, with revolvers in their hands, drove them back into the cells. Lyons, who fired three shots at Mrs. Stearns with a revolver taken from the turnkey, is still at large; White and Gonnier are confined in a dungeon, where they will propably remain until the May term of the Supreme Court.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council, on Monday, the votes on the constitutional amendments were counted. All the amendments but the first and twelfth are carried. The first was to strike out the word "Protestant" from the bill of rights. The twelfth was to prohibit the removal from office for political reasons. The seventh amendment, to abolish the religious test as a qualification for office, was carried by the following vote—yeas 28,475, nays 14,231. A two-third vote was requisite to carry the amendments, so the seventh one just got through by the skin of its teeth, having but thirteen more than the needed two-thirds.

A Stage Battle.

The San Francisco papers tell of a lively time between the two prime donne, De Murska and Fabbri, which came to pass during a rehearsal in that city recently. Jealousy was probably the cause. Besides the gods and goddesses of lesser dignity, Strauss, John Hill, De Murska, Muller and Fabbri were present. Mr. Hill seemed to be in bad temper and kept pulling his mustache and muttering to himself and towards the baritone Muller remarks not complimentary to that gentleman. De Murska, with a beautiful bouquet, was singing a love duet with the baritone, and, as it was in her part to do, stretched out her arms lovingly towards him, when Fabbri rushed on the stage with a shriek and "went for" De Murska's hair. Muller separated the women and then pitched into Hill, catching him by the throat and shaking him till his face was the color of a lobster. "Let go of me, you horrid giant," gurgled Hill. Meantime the ladies had set to again, and tore and scratched each other in the liveliest manner, accompanying the action with tones and melodies not usually heard on the operatic stage, till Muller was forced to leave Hill and separate the infuriated females once more. Of course there was the wildest excitement, and the terrified maestro Strauss sheltered himself behind a group of women, Muller yelling to him meanwhile to "come and hold these two fools." With the help of somebody else Muller at last got the women off the stage and then sought furiously for the maestro, who rapidly took refuge in flight, but was caught by the fell pursuer, who laid him across his knee and gave him a most unmerciful spanking. Hill escaped in a coach with De Murska, whose head was in a very badly damaged condition.

—Comfortable, broad-soled, low-heeled shoes are in favor.

—The Jubilee Singers from Nashville are making a very successful concert tour in Holland.

—"Let me see," says the nurse of a sick man, "the doctor said one teaspoonful every ten minutes; that makes six every hour, say seventy-two during the night. I shall give him seventy-two right away, and have a chance to get a little sleep myself."

—The members of the Chinese embassy were charmed with Madame Tussaud's wax works shown in London. It is probable they would have displayed less enthusiasm had not ignorance of the language prevented their appreciation of a passing cabman's remark: "Look, 'ere, Bill, here's all the images broke loose and a-coming out for a walk!"

—A practical joker advertised in the San Francisco papers for 1,000 able-bodied men at a salary of $2.50 a day, and 2,000 workingmen assembled opposite the Merchants' Exchange on April 5. After they had become convinced that they were the victims of a silly hoax, they marched to the City Hall and requested the Mayor to ferret out the author of the outrage. He was arrested on the next day after he had paid for another advertisement offering a reward of $25 for information concerning the man who inserted the first one. It is probably the only instance on record of a man's offering a reward for the arrest of himself.

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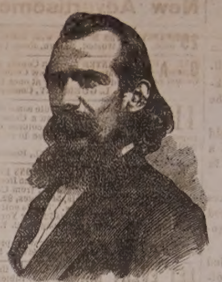

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Daily Chronicle.

—A dark lantern—One that is out of oil.

—It was a Haverhill lady who in speaking of a fashionable party said that all the *illicit* of the town were present.

—A scarf pin with head formed as a gold fishing-pole, with reel and line, and a speckled trout on the hook, is a novelty in gentlemen's trinkets.

—The *Christian Union* says that it makes a man purer and better to cherish a rejected love. There is more fun, however, in going off and making love to another girl.

—The people of Portland have decided literary tastes. They have stolen 2000 volumes from their Public Library.

—A cynical observer recently remarked the striking resemblance between the biblical lily and the girl of the period in the matter of toiling and spinning.

—It is the glass which makes so much mischief with both men and women, but the difference is in the use, while the likeness is in the evil.

—When your wife puts a scuttle of coals on the top stair, and you have a race with it, to see which reaches the bottom first, do not sweat, but hereafter see that you carry it yourself, all the way up.

—A natural bridge, far more wonderful than that in Virginia, has recently been discovered in Elliott county, Kentucky. It is of solid stone and forms a magnificent arch 162 feet long and 15 feet wide at the top, the river, the Little Channey, rolling over 100 feet below. Fifty yards above the bridge is a waterfall, sixty feet high, and the view from the bridge is said to be extremely beautiful.

—Captain Nowland had a sad experience at the late burning of the Mississippi river boat "Garland." The flames were already scorching the passengers, and he had to choose between forsaking his two children or their mother. Taking the little ones in his arms he kissed them farewell, and then jumped overboard with his wife. But Billy Staples, a deck hand, saw the scene, and grasped the children, and swam with them to the shore.

—The report that the Emperor of Germany is to retire from his position among the effete monarchs of the Old World and become a drummer of a Boston firm is an error. It arose from the fact that he has received eighty foreign orders, but no such brilliant future opens before him, and he will probably go down to the grave as ambitious but a disappointed man.—*Norwich Bulletin.*

—The slumbers of an Irish gentleman being disturbed by another gentleman who had come to administer a horse-whipping, he asked him whether he meant to be so unmanly as to flog him while in bed? "Certainly not," was the visitor's reply. "Well, then," rejoined the other, quietly rolling himself up very snugly in the bedclothes, "you may wait as long as you please, but hang me if I'll get up while you're in the house."

—An establishment has been discovered at Radna, Hongary, where children, kidnapped from the cities, are converted into cripples for begging. Some have their legs or arms cut off, some their eyes put out, and they are variously mutilated to fit them for a successful career. Over 100 victims were found, and it seems that the devils who kept the concern had bribed the authorities to secrecy. It was discovered by a medical professor from Prague, and it was difficult to prevent the infuriated citizens from lynching the proprietors.

—One of the strangest trials on record occurred at West Union, Doddridge County, W. Va., recently. A murderer, named Thomas Powell, confined in the jail at that place, was allowed to become one of a drinking party which the jailer had called together, and, after all hands had become thoroughly hilarious, a trial of Powell was instituted, with judge, prosecuting attorney, etc. After a hearing Powell was adjudged not guilty and the prison door was thrown open, through which he made his escape. The jailor has since been arrested and a reward for Powell's recapture offered.

—A good anecdote is related of a lady at a party whose dress and form were faultless. Just before dinner an admirer offered her a flower from his button-hole. The dress being fastened behind, the flower had to be adjusted with a pin. Just then they went down to dinner, and the gentleman thought he heard a noise as though wind was escaping from a bellows. The lady had soon lost her fair proportions and the tightly-fitting dress was most baggy. It appears that the latest fashion for thin ladies' dresses is an air-tight lining blown out to the proper size. The pin put to keep the flower in had penetrated the air-tight lining and caused a grand collapse.—*British Court Journal.*

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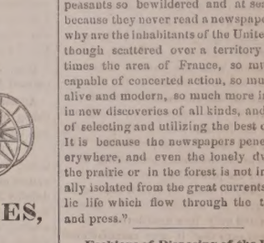

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MARJORIE.

Marjorie hides in the deep, sweet grass;
Purple its tops bend over;
Softly and warmly the breezes pass,
And bring her the scent of the clover.

Butterflies flit, and the banded bee
Booms in the air above her;
Green and golden lady-bugs three
Marjorie's nest discover.

Up to the top of the grass so tall
Creep they while Marjorie gazes;
Blows the wind suddenly—down they fall
Into the disks of the daisies!

Brown-eyed Marjorie! Who, do you think,
Sings in the sun so loudly?
Marjorie smiles. "I'll be bobolink,
Caroling gayly and proudly."

Bright-locked Marjorie! What floats down
Through the golden air, and lingers
Light on your head as a cloudy crown,
Pink as your rosy fingers?

"Apple-blossoms!" she laughing cries.
"Beautiful boats come sailing
Out of the branches held up to the skies,
Over the orchard railing."

Happy, sweet Marjorie, hidden away,
Birds, butterflies, bees above her;
With flowers and perfumes, and lady-bugs gay,
Everything seems to love her!

Celia Thaxter, St. Nicholas for May.

The Man who Stops his Paper.

Philip Gilbert Hamilton, in his papers on "Intellectual Life," thus talks to the man who "stopped his paper:" "Newspapers are to the civilized world what the daily house talk is to the members of the family—they keep our daily interest in each other, they save us from the evils of isolation. To live as a member of the great white race that has filled Europe and America and colonized or conquered whatever territory it has been pleased to occupy, to share from day to day its thoughts, its cares, its inspirations, it is necessary that every man should read his paper. Why are the French peasants so bewildered and at sea? It is because they never read a newspaper. And why are the inhabitants of the United States, though scattered over a territory fourteen times the area of France, so much more capable of concerted action, so much more alive and modern, so much more interested in new discoveries of all kinds, and capable of selecting and utilizing the best of them? It is because the newspapers penetrate everywhere, and even the lonely dweller on the prairie or in the forest is not intellectually isolated from the great currents of public life which flow through the telegraph and press."

Fashions of Disposing of the Dead.

Almost every barbarous tribe has its own recipe for disposing of the relics of mortality. The Hottentots basket them. The Kaffirs use them as ground bait for lions. The Orinocos place them where the flesh is nibbled from the bones by hungry fishes. Some South American tribes grind the skeletons of their dead to a powder, with which they afterwards pepper their food. New Zealanders stretch dead bodies on lofty platforms and leave them to the crows and buzzards. The Hindoos burn their dead, and do not even care to preserve the ashes. Civilized individuals, too, have their little eccentricities in relation to the *post-mortem* disposition of the human clay. One would keep the worms from their food by metal sheathings. Another considers a rosewood coffin, with silver mountings indispensable. A third would have his head embalmed. A fourth prefers a spacious vault to the sexton's dark pit. A fifth thinks that the fittest resting place for the body, when its toils are over, is a narrow bed under the greensward, and a sixth has faith in cremation.

The fashions of mourning for the dead have been and are as various as the methods of putting them away from among the living. The old Romans bottled their tears and put them into the tombs of the deceased. The Greeks mourn the departed in white. The Egyptians in yellow. In ancient Jewry the relatives of the dead tore their gabardines and poured ashes on their heads, and be believe that strict Hebrews do the same now. Vermillion is the mourning tint of the Chinese. The Turkish women grieve for their lords in blue. It is only in the most enlightened lands that black is worn in memory of those who are supposed to have passed to a brighter world.

A Fishy Lizard Story.

We have always considered the popular mythical legend or delusion in regard to the salamander's being able to go through fire unscathed as one of the most preposterous of mythical delusions. A gentleman of this city, however, recently related to us a story in relation to the lizards of Nevada, which would seem to confirm the possibility of their enduring intense heat for a short time at least. The black lizards of that sage brush State are very easily domesticated, harmless, sociable and intelligent. This gentleman had several pet lizards, one of which lived near a furnace where he burned retorts or moulds for silver bullion. This work required a very hot fire, which he made open at each end. The lizard would sit on the tree near by watching him. His dog would frequently chase the lizard, if it ventured to the ground, and compel it to take to the tree again. Frequently, however, the lizard, apparently for the sport of the thing alone, would dash down off the tree and induce the dog to give it a sharp race, when it would run right through the furnace, coming out of the other end like a flash, unscathed, while the dog, in his eagerness, would be burned at the fire before he could stop. This would be a daily

occurrence, and the lizard actually seemed to enjoy the joke on the dog. The time that the lizard or salamander was in the fire was very short, and it doubtless could not have remained there a very great length of time, but the fact of its not fearing the fire is sufficient to have given rise to the idea of the fireproof salamander.—*Marysville (Cal.) Appeal.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1877.

Why Oakey Hall Ran Away.

Tweed's confession, offered to the Attorney General of New York on Tuesday, says that to carry the city charter through the Legislature in 1870 he was obliged to give Senator W. B. Woodin $200,000, the negotiation being carried out by Senator Winslow. The money was to be divided between Messrs. Woodin, Samuel B. Frost of Richmond, Augustus R. Elwood of Otsego, W. H. Brand of Leonardsville, Norris Winslow of Watertown, James Wood of Genesee, Isaiah Blood of Saratoga, George Morgan of Dutchess—all members of the State Senate; also with Van Pelton, Williams, Crowley, Merriam and Beaman for their influence in the Legislature. Tweed was a member of the State Senate at the time, and all the persons named voted for his charter.

Governor Hoffman signed the charter the night it passed, and Tweed arranged with Mayor Hall for all municipal appointments, with Tweed as Commissioner of Public Works, Peter B. Sweeney at the head of the Police, and John J. Bradley as Chamberlain.

The confession gives in detail the proceedings of the Board of Audit of May 5, 1870, when so many millions in claims were passed upon, together with the ratio of fraud to real merit of the separate claims. It gives the circumstances of the division of spoils between himself, Sweeney, Hall, Connolly and Woodward, through whom the division was made, as well as of particular amounts set apart for various tradesmen and mechanics by whom claims were presented. It implicates Garvey, Ingersoll, Davidson, Watson and a majority of the members of the Board of Supervisors, among them John Fox, James Hayes, Henry Smith and Isaac J. Oliver.

Mayor Hall's proportion was 10 per cent. He shared throughout in all profits, was in full collusion with the various details of fraud, and was fully aware of the fraudulent nature of the contracts presented for his signature. He secured from the Board of Police the John L. Brown street cleaning contract, and shared in its proceeds. With reference to the document purporting to be a record of the proceedings of the Board of Audit of May 5, 1870, by which Hall on his trial secured an acquittal on the ground that he acted only in a ministerial character, Tweed says that it was manufactured after the exposure. Hall came to Tweed and Connolly, after the exposure, with that document in his own hand-writing and already signed by himself, and asked them to sign it also. Each of them did so, and then Hall took it away. The resolution was never presented to the Board of Audit. The next that Tweed heard of it was when produced in court, purporting to have been found in the county auditor's safe.

Among the persons to whom he paid money for influence in the Legislature, besides those already mentioned, was Hugh Hastings, editor of the *Commercial Advertiser*. He says he gave Hastings a check for twenty thousand dollars, dated three or four days after the passage of the charter of 1870, with the understanding that the money was also to go to Senator Woodin.

Shortly after the publication of the "secret accounts" in July, 1871, Tweed says that Francis N. Bixy and ex-Sheriff (then State Senator) James O'Brien came to him and offered to secure him against any further investigation of his bank accounts, his relations with the city, or indeed from any further trouble, if he would pay $150,000 toward O'Brien's claim against the city for $298,000 for unpaid fees. The two represented to him that they had such influence over Tilden, Judge Barrett and Wm. C. Barrett as to immediately squash any further steps in the pending investigation. He mentions Thurlow Weed by name, but does not connect him with any equivocal transaction.

He mentions Judge Folger of the Court of Appeals and George H. Purser of New York as persons to whom he paid money.

The confession concludes with a promise that the writer will be a witness for the city in any suit brought by the city for the recovery of moneys from any of the persons mentioned. He does not ask that suits against him may be quashed, but that he be released from confinement without bail.

All paintings and book cases in Recorder Hackett's house were paid for by the city.

Tweed purchased votes of sufficient members of the Common Council to secure a majority and the passage of any of his measures, and the names of these various persons, as well as of many others whose influence was obtained by similar means, are given, together with amounts paid to each. He also obtained a majority of the Supervisors by the same means, and the names of corrupt members are given, with sums paid to each. Among the aldermen mentioned are Morgan Jones and Thomas Coman.

Hugh Smith, Sweeney's particular friend, attended to all transactions with Judge Cardozo, by which judicial action was taken in behalf of the ring. Tweed says the Navarro claim of $1,000,000 against the city, now pending in courts, being for water metres furnished to the city, is a fraud. The contract with Navarro was fraudulent, and the metres never answered their purpose.

—An Alleghany, Pa., merchant has put up a sign: "In God we trust; all others cash."

News and Notes.

Before the war the States of Mississippi and Alabama were the largest cotton producing regions of the South, but neither one ever exceeded the 650,000 bales produced by Texas last year.

The Savannah Ga., *News* says a man named Monsee was savagely assaulted on Sunday night by a woman named Winny Johnson, and had his throat cut. The alleged offence was Monsee's selling whiskey to Winny's husband. It is thought Monsee's injuries may prove fatal.

St. Louis papers admit that there was a fire in the basement of the Southern Hotel a week previous to the one that destroyed it. It was extinguished by the employes, and no information was given to the police or fire departments. The insurance collected for the damage done by this fire was $325.

Wong Tin Lou, a Chinaman who settled in San Francisco four years ago, learned the ways of this country so readily that he was chosen by his country-men on the coast to superintend the interment and subsequent removal to China of their dead. Another result of his acquirement of American ideas has just been manifested. He has absconded with $13,000 belonging to his friends.

There was an immense Tichborne demonstration in London on the 17th, over 50,000 people taking part in it.

Major Reno, recently tried by court martial on the charge of insulting the wife of a brother officer and sentenced to be dismissed the service, has forwarded to the War Department a request for delay in the presentation of the case to the President, claiming he has additional evidence which will tend to the mitigation of the sentence. The request was granted.

Dario Ragglianti, an Italian, sentenced a year ago to five years' imprisonment for passing counterfeit money in New Haven, with two or three other Italians who led him astray, has been pardoned by President Hayes at the request of the Italian Government.

State Senator Woodwin, of New York, who was mentioned by Boss Tweed as the man who disbursed $200,000 and over to aid the passage of Tweed's charter, flatly denies every allegation made by the Boss in relation to him, and has demanded a committee of investigation, which has been appointed, to report in ten day. This is a slur upon the reputation for veracity of Mr. Tweed.

Hon. John A. Kasson, of Iowa, is appointed Minister to Spain.

All conscripts of the Prussian army residing in England have been ordered to join their regiments immediately.

The British barque Karnack, Captain Cook, with a cargo of corn and oil cake valued at about $28,000, sailed from Philadelphia November 28, and has not since been heard from. The British brig Balclutha, Captain Alton, sailed from St. Johns, N. F., in December, for Bristol, England, and is given up as a missing vessel. The schooner Mary Haley, Captain Haley, sailed from Philadelphia March 21 for Georgetown, D. C., with coal, and as she has not since been heard from fears are entertained for her safety. It is probable that the crews of all three vessels, between thirty and forty pearons, have perished.

George H. Bryant, a colored preacher, had a quarrel with a white man in a New Orleans horse-car on the 17th, and fatally stabbed him.

Schooner Edward J. Heratry went ashore eight miles north of Kitty Hawk, N. C., on the 10th, and was totally wrecked, with the loss of all hands.

New Hampshire Items.

The officer in command of the nineteen men who constituted the United States forces which occupied the South Carolina State House until April 10th, is Lieut. Frank Briggs, a son of Hon. James F. Briggs, member of Congress elect from the second New Hampshire district.

Stephen Brown, a prominent Deerfield physician who died last week, bequeathed $1000 to the Congregational Church.

The First Baptist Church at Manchester have called Rev. William H. Covell of New York, and he will probably accept.

John L. Sargent, of Sutton, was sentenced by the Supreme Court, Tuesday, to nine years in the State Prison for burglary. An indictment against him for arson was nol. pros'd.

Vandalism on Grecian Ruins.

It has been feared that Greece will some day demand back from England the marbles now in the British Museum. Should there ever be such a state of society in that land as to insure their protection, it would probably be the wish of the world to see them back in Athens. But now that they have once been brought away, they ought to be kept in London until the Acropolis is in less danger from the bombshells of attacking forces, and until the Athenian museums are in better condition. Of the care taken by the Athenians of the remains still exposed, Mr. Mahaffy furnishes from his own observation some interesting examples. He saw tombs used as targets by the neighborhood, and peppered with shot and bullets. From the Acropolis he saw one young gentleman shooting with a pistol at a piece of old carved marble work in the theatre of Dionysus. His object seemed to be to chip off a piece at every shot. Fortunately, Mr. Mahaffy, standing on the Acropolis, had the advantage of him in position, and recollecting the tactics of Apollo at Delphi, was able to put him to flight by detaching stones from the top of the precipice and rolling them down upon him.

Lord Elgin has of late years been thought an unjustly abused man; but he does not appear, from some accounts, to have got more abuse than he deserved. After he had obtained his firman from the sultan permitting him to take down and remove the sculptures, he appears not to have paid the least personal attention to the work, but to have left it in the hands of paid contractors. The traveller Dodwell was present at the time the work was done, and he says that, little as Greeks or Turks cared for the ruins, such a sense of the wickedness of the desecration was felt throughout Athens that the contractors were obliged to bribe workmen with additional wages to get them to do the work. Dodwell does not even mention Lord Elgin by name, but speaks of him as the "person" who defaced the Parthenon. This traveller beheld with especial disgust their method of proceeding when taking up one of the great white marble blocks which form the floor of the temple. They wanted to see what was underneath, and Dodwell, who was there, saw the foundation—one of Pirreic sandstone. But when the inspection was finished, they left the block where it was, making no attempt at all to put it back into its place.—*Scribner for May.*

—A story is told of two worthy New England deacons between whom a bitter feud had long existed concerning some contested point. Neither would yield, and the matter threatened to be handed down to the next generation, when one day, Deacon Smith appeared before his old enemy, and solemnly said, "Brother Jones, it is a great shame that this quarrel of ours should bring scandal upon the church. I have prayed earnestly for guidance in the matter, and have come to the conclusion that you must give in, for I cannot."

—Somebody advertises in one of the Westfield papers for a servant-girl "who would not be above placing herself on an equality with the rest of the family."

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Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup is performing miracles, curing all diseases of the Throat and Lungs, such as Coughs, Colds, Catarrh, Asthma, etc. It cures when all other remedies fail. Try it. Sold by all Druggists.

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Lung complaints, bronchitis, coughs, asthma, sore throat, catarrhal cough, croup, etc., cured by *Adamson's Botanic Balsam.* Price 35 cts.

A single pail of water in season has saved many a splendid block—one bottle of *Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam* may save a life if taken in time. It cures coughs, colds, croup, etc.

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I have used the Little Giant Pills for bilious headache with the most satisfactory results. They are particularly beneficial for sickness peculiar to females. I am acquainted in a great many families in Cambridge and Belmont where this medicine is used and it is known to be a never failing relief.

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A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $3. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 20 Franklin street, Boston. ☞N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. F3S&Gtf

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To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eodtyr2

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A GENTEEL RESIDENCE for a small family. Enquire at 37 ISLINGTON ST.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH SANBORN,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAVERS,
ROBERT KING,
JAMES A. RUGG,
CHARLES H. MENDUM,
Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

Farm for Sale.

THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 22x32 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 22x60 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.

For further particulars enquire of
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Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

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Constantly on hand, consisting of

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Of Every Description.

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I offer the Largest Stock of LIGHT CARRIAGES in this State, at a Reduction in Prices

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Brewster's Patent Spring Buggy,
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Brewster's Box,
Whitechapel, Windsor Top Wagon,
Piano Box,
Square Cornered Phaetons,
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Brewster's Box hung on Brewster's Patent
Centennial Style, [Spring,
Two Seated Wagons.

I have some of the finest light Concord style Wagons made. Also, a large Stock of fine HARNESSES that will be sold less than Manufacturers' prices.

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WALTER C. HARRIMAN,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

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HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS

on the most reasonable terms.

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THIRTY-FIVE CENTS PER QUART, SOLID.
ONE DOLLAR PER GALLON, LIQUID.

W. FREEMAN has received from Virginia, via Portland, a lot of OYSTERS,—the *first arrival since the Ice Blockade in Chesapeake Bay.*

All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

THE BLIND MAN

WHO MENDS CANE-SEAT CHAIRS

HAS REMOVED his place of business to the room over Mr. Jos. Pettigrew's store, corner of Congress and High streets, and solicits a continuance of patronage from those who have chairs needing re-seating.

SPRING AND SUMMER

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Having returned from New York with a fine selection of MILLINERY GOODS and NOVELTIES, we shall be ready, ON AND AFTER APRIL 18TH, to show our friends and patrons a nice assortment of

TRIMMED HATS & BONNETS!

Our effort is to please the tastes of our customers have not in the least abated, and we advertise *every day an "opening day,"* instead of one or two crowded, confused days, as formerly. Feeling that this new arrangement will be for the interest of *all concerned* and thanking our friends for the very liberal share of patronage bestowed upon us during the ten years we have been in Portsmouth, we remain, Yours Respectfully,

J. M. Tebbetts.

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PLATED WARE,
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Of the Best Quality.

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Mr. Cole refers by permission to Dr. E. Tourjee Director of the N. E. Conservatory of Music; Prof. J. W. Tufts, Organist and Director of Music at King's Chapel, and C. H. Morse, Prof. of Music at Wellesley Female College.

Orders left at his residence, No. 91 State Street, or at D. H. Montgomery's Music Store, will receive prompt attention.

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Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*

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With Mountings of WHITE METAL and NICKEL PLATE.

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From Prof. Hayes, State Assayer of Massachusetts: I have tested your "Patent Porcelain Tea Pot," having special reference to the action of solutions of tea, coffee, and other astringent liquids upon it. The enamel has the chemical character of porcelain. It is free from anything injurious to health, and is not acted upon by the strongest boiling solutions of tea, coffee, and chocolate.

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CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

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NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 84 Court street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to
March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TEADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 68 ISLINGTON STREET.
Apply to GEO. L. TEADWELL.

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A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to
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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibird, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Driscoe.
Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,
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To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by M. M. Tebbetts.
House No. 36 Deer Street.
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 2 Rockingham Street.
Apply to
A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.
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FOR SALE, in Kittery Point, a small HOUSE and plot of land, suitable for a SUMMER RESORT or permanent residence for a small family. The house has four rooms and good attics, and on the place is a good BARN and fine water, everything is in good condition. The sea is in full view; the situation is healthy and pleasant at all times, and delightful in the summer. Will be sold cheap.
Enquire of
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Or, WILLIAM DOWNS & SON, Portsmouth.

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NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

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LAND FOR SALE.

THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS (formerly so, owned by the late Jos. Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large quantities of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,
CLARENCE B. MASON.

SEASON OF 1877.

NEW SMOKED HALIBUT!

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LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON.

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AND

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I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Seats, Seat Sticks, Sleigh Dashers, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

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A FRESH LOT of WHEAT MEAL

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR, WHEAT GROATS,
AND OATMEAL
Just received and for sale by
LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON

SICK HEADACHE.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., March 5, 1877.

I have suffered with Sick Head-Ache as often as every two weeks, for *Fifteen Years.* At times in such severe pain I *fainted away.* I tried every thing I could hear of and was attended by Physicians. I continued in this condition until last December when I commenced with the Little Giant Pills. I have not had a Head-Ache since. I want every person who suffers as I have, to try this Medicine and be cured, and if any such are not able to pay for a box, I will buy a box and give them.

MRS. CARRIE A. HODGDON, 7 Dennett St.

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Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

— AND —

SMALL PIG HAMS,

GOSHEN PINE APPLE

— AND —

DUTCH CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

Charles E. Laighton & Son,

EXCHANGE BUILDINGS.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

ston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M	
" Way,	10.40	4.45	
rtland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "	
st (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
dderford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "	
ent Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "	
eat Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
ncord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
oncord Way,		4.32 "	
ston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "	
over,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "	

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

ston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
rtland and East,	11.30 " 5.50 "	
eat Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
ncord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "	
over,	10.20 " 5.50 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or st may be deposited in the box at the Eastern det, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

As the fishing schooner "Glide" was coming up the river, Tuesday afternoon, she ot out her dories to tow, there not being ind enough to keep steerage-way on the essel. A puff of wind suddenly filled the ails, and sent the schooner ahead so quick- that the dory nearest her could not get ut of the way and was run down, her ern and one side being stove in and the o men in her thrown into the water. One the oarsmen was about half-drowned hen picked up, having swallowed so much it water as to lower the tide in the riv- half an inch—so the other fishermen say.

The U. S. S. Adams sailed from Norfolk, a., on the 17th, for the South Atlantic, to in the Brazilian squadron, where she will main until November, and then round the orn for Callao and join the South Pacific quadron, her station for the next three ears. Lieut. Comdr. George E. Wingate, this city, is her executive officer.

The Eldredge Brewing Company are out to erect a large cooper-shop in connection with their brewery at the Creek.

Mr. Wm. Sladden is to open, soon a new rocery and provision store near the corner Cabot and Austin streets, in the store rmerly occupied by the late Benjamin orton.

The rooms of the Health Lift Company, Daniel street, are visited daily by many the prominent ladies and gentlemen of is city, who after taking the exercise feel sured of its perfect safety by the system- ic form of lifting used. Those that have ready subscribed and taken the exercise r the past few weeks, are so well satisfied to the benefit to be gained by it that they ve signified their intention to continue r a longer time. One of the subscribers siting Boston recently, continued her actice at the rooms there, and finds that regularity in taking the exercise,—hav- g missed but one day out of five weeks, she feels greatly benefited. An invalid this city, being advised by her physician use the Health Lift, has purchased a achine, as she is unable to go to the rooms it fatigues her even to walk a short dis- nce. We merely mention this to show at the weakest need not fear, as the exer- se is not to test the strength but to in- ease it, by a systematic principle of lift- g. Those that are taking the exercise at e rooms are either advised to do so by eir physician or are thoroughly satisfied the safety in taking it. Those of doubt- g minds as to the safety in taking the ercise, should call and examine. See vertisement.

Steamer Perkiomen arrived at this port ednesday morning from Philadelphia, th 1205 tons of coal.

Six street gamins, brought before the lice Court on Wednesday on a charge of eaking glass and the Sabbath, were dis- arged owing to a defect in the warrant.

Several trawls belonging to the fishing hooner Alfaretta were stolen from the hing grounds recently. This is meaner an door-mat stealing.

The Portsmouth Dramatic Club are to re "Ten Nights in a Bar-room" at the wn hall in Rye on some evening next ek, half the proceeds to go to the Rye rnet Band, who will furnish music for occasion.

On Tuesday a horse attached to Mr. iah Blaisdell's store-wagon ran away, rting from his house at Christian Shore, ng stopped on Deer street without any m being done other than the breaking some parts of the harness. Mr. George aisdell, who was driving, was thrown , but fortunately not much hurt.

W. K. Jones, of Massachusetts, has been pointed an operative in the United States ret Service, and assigned to the New gland Department. Col. J. Horace nt, of this city, was tendered the position Chief of the New England Division of the ret Service, by the new administration, an increase of salary over what he re- ved when he held it before, but declined appointment.

Mr. James A. Rand, of Breakfast Hill, e, on Tuesday morning found the horse ently stolen from him, hitched in the ods at North Hampton. Mr. Rand hav- recovered his horse, is quite willing the f should go hang himself if he wants to, his further proceedings (unless he steals horse again) are of no interest.

SUPREME COURT.

Fred D. James of Tamworth, indicted swindling, who was to have been tried Exeter Tuesday, had his trial postponed eek on account of the absence of impor- t witnesses.

Edward H. Parks of this city, charged h keeping a disorderly house, was mitted. William H. Hackett for de- dant.

The "Eelskin" Dress.

f the fashion plates which I see in the il- trated papers of New York are an ex- representation of what the fair of that ly metropolis are wearing, I must be- lieve that one of the most curious eccentrici- ties ever devised has not yet come in vogue there. I allude to the "eelskin" dress, now the great rage both in London and Paris. In the wildest days of the tie-back or pin- back mania there never was seen such a tightness in the matter of skirt as now pre- vails. Whatever the pan [city of folds in the pin-back in the frontier part, in the enor- mous exuberance of the pannier or bustle the balance was struck.

But now, not only is the bustle a thing of horror, but even the necessary underclothing is considered *de trop*. To lengthen the waist far beyond its natural proportions, a stiff webbing of elastic is fastened to the stays to the depth of half a foot; and to this, at first, narrow skirts were buttoned. But even this is now abandoned for another scheme to acquire slenderness. Mrs. Swisshelm's much ridiculed chemiloon is in demand, and garments made in this way are sold at the furnishing shops, and pat- terns of it pass eagerly from hand to hand among lady friends. Some ladies have had regular stage tights made in thick webbing, and over these they wear nothing but the outer dress, under skirts being simulated by plaited ruffles of white muslin, sewn to the edge of the dress, which is then tied back till the woman within is shackled al- most like a convict in a chain-gang. No more uncomfortable fashion ever was de- vised. The desired effect of youthful slen- derness is generally obtained by the "eel- skin," but at a good deal of sacrifice of per- sonal ease.—*Olive Logan's London Letter.*

An Army of Water Rats.

Dr. Van Der Hork, the German traveler of the Arctic Circle, says: "On one occasion we had a curious adventure. While cross- ing a lacustrine part of the river called Kjoalmejaure, in the early part of the night, we were suddenly surrounded by swarms of leming (Myodes torquatus)), an animal like the mountain rat. They swarmed about the boat, and tried to clamber into it, so that it was with the greatest difficulty we could keep the fierce little creatures from boarding us, by beating about with the oars, at which they would set up sharp, shrill screams, similar to those of a musk- rat. After some time we succeeded in passing them. These little animals come unexpectedly down from the mountains, no one knowing exactly whence, and appear in millions, swarming over the whole coun- try, eating up almost everything that comes in their way. Neither rivers or lakes seem to deter them, both of which they swim with ease, usually keeping on their destruc- tive path, until reaching the open sea, which they vainly endeavor to cross, never swerv- ing from the direction once taken until they sink exhausted beneath the wave. Thus perish countless numbers. They commit great ravages, and are as dreaded in the North as the locusts are in Egypt. Years, however, lapse between their reappear- ances, or until they suddenly descend from their rocky retreats. The Lapps tell us that they rain from the sky, many of them stating that they have actually seen them fall."

The Champion Rat-killer.

A tall man, with a nose like a muffin, went into a Main street boarding-house one day last week, and asked for a dinner.

"Owing to the general depression of busi- ness, and consequent scarcity of the rhino," said the proprietor, looking the tall man over, "a dinner will cost you thirty-five cents, in advance."

"I have nothing with me but a check on a Boston bank," observed the tall man.

"Checks on Boston banks ain't worth a copper," remarked the landlord; "I guess you'll have to dine more sumptuously else- where."

"Can't I do something for my dinner?" asked the tall man, as a hungry pang griped him.

"You can pay," said the proprietor, im- pressively.

"You give me my dinner," said the tall man; "I'll agree to clean your house of every rat in it. I have performed the feat in many hotels throughout the country, with the most satisfactory results."

The proprietor accepted the bargain as a most advantageous one to himself, and the tall man seated himself at the table, where he did fearful execution among the victuals. He finished his dinner in half an hour, picked his teeth with a fork, called for a cigar, and proceeded to enjoy it.

"Now, then," said the proprietor, when the tall man had finished his smoke, "let's get to business. Go for the rats."

"Ah, yes," returned the tall man; "with pleasure. Procure me a light iron bar, about four feet in length, and I will pro- ceed to business."

The iron bar was procured, and the loaf- ers gathered around to witness the interest- ing proceedings.

"Now, begin," said the proprietor. "Where will you commence first?"

"Right here," replied the tall man, as he carefully rolled backs his cuffs, spit on his hands, and grasped the iron bar with great anxiety depicted on his countenance.

"Now," said the tall man, impressively, as he slowly elevated the bar, "are you all ready?"

"All ready," returned the proprietor, ex- citedly.

"Then," said the tall man, "bring on your rats."

For the space of five minutes the excite- ment of an entire Presidential election filled the room. When it subsided the tall man was nowhere to be seen, and the proprietor was standing before the glass tying an oys- ter over his left eye. The rats still revel in their native freedom.

Housekeeping by Proxy.

Nothing can be done by any one who does not care enough for the matter to take a good deal of trouble to get what he wants; and to those who insist so warmly that a house cannot be made pretty and at- tractive without money, I venture to insist as warmly that money is the least impor- tant element in the business! Taste and contrivance are of far more importance than money; and of all the attractive houses that it has been my good fortune to see, by far the greater number have owed their at- tractiveness to the taste and to the ingenui- ty of their owners rather than to their long purses. A person with no need to think about the cost of anything may go into Cottier's rooms and buy and order right and left, and give the house commission to decorate and furnish, and upholster, and fill his cabinets with "old blue," and never spare for cost, and when all is done, no- body who comes to visit him shall say, "How beautiful this is! How interesting! What taste you have!" but only, "Oh, then, I see Cottier has been with you!" There has simply been a transfer of goods from one show place to another.

The truth is, we are depending too much in these days on furniture and bric-a-brac for the ornament of our houses, and not enough on things more permanently inter- esting. We ought to seek (at least so it seems to me) the individual expression of ourselves, of our own family life, our own ways of living, thinking, acting, more than the doing as other people are doing, more than the having what other people are hav- ing. I am not in for a tilt against fashion; fashionable people may do what they like; 'twere vain to say them nay. They may buy embossed brass coal-scuttles and put them in the middle of their parlor hearths in front of dummy fire-places, neither coal- scuttle nor fire-place ever having been in- tended to be used; they may put china cats nursing their kittens on their satin sofas, and enjoy their being taken for real ones by old beaus and maiden ladies; they may put artificial flowers in garden-boxes in their windows; they may do anything that comes into their nonsensical pretty heads, and all we shall have to say about it is what old Mrs. G—— said after some stylish girls had been "going on" and "showing off" their new-fangled dress and airs: "How nice it is of 'em to do so, dear!" *Scribner for May.*

—The Japanese say we are reversed. They call our penmanship "crab writing," because they say it goes "backward." The lines in our books cross the page like a crawfish, instead of going downward "properly." In a Japanese stable we find the horse's flank where we look for his head. Japanese screws screw the other way. Their locks thrust to the left, ours to the right. The baby toys of the Aryan race squeak when squeezed; the Turanian gim- cracks emit noise when pulled apart. A Caucasian to injure his enemy kills him; a Japanese kills himself to spite his foe. Which race is left-handed? Which has the negative, which the positive, of truth? What is truth? What is down, what is up?

—Radcliffe attended an intimate friend, declaring that he would receive no fee. When the cure was complete the patient said: "I have put every day's fee in this purse, my dear doctor; nor must your goodness get the better of my gratitude." "Well," said the doctor, "singly I could have refused the guineas, but altogether they are irresistible."

—Moody and Sankey have captured *one* Boston reporter. But where are the ninety- and-nine?

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PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, April 17.

Sch Golden Gate, Amee, Boston.

ARRIVED, April 18.

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Sch G W Ruth, Coleman, Boston.
Sch Mountain Laurel, Farrell, Port Johnson.
Sch William D Cargill, Rich, Port Johnson.
Sch Douglas Haynes, Adams, South Amboy.
Sch Nicola, Randall, New York.
Sch Allston, Fitzgerald, Port Johnson.
Sch Albion, Smith, South Amboy.

SAILED, April 18.

Steamer Allentown, Mills, Philadelphia.

Sch Mary J Adams, Coombs, New York for Boston arr at Edgartown April 14.

Sch R M Brookings, Brown, for this port from Norwich, passed through Hell Gate April 16.

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"Every person liable to be taxed in such town shall exhibit to the Selectmen, at the time and place appointed by them, or upon such personal application, a true account of the polls and estate for which he is there taxable, either in his own right or otherwise, on oath if required by either of the Selectmen, which oath either of the Selectmen may administer."

"If any person shall neglect or refuse, after due notice given as aforesaid, or when called upon by any Selectman, to give such account, the Selectmen shall set down to such person, by way of doomage, as much as they judge equitable, which shall be conclusive in all cases, unless the party shall show, by his statement under oath, that it was not in his power to exhibit such statement."

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Inventories will be received until the 25th day of April.

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Daily Chronicle.

How a Ghost was Captured.

About a mile from the center of Babylon Village, Long Island, stands a house which has for some time been unoccupied. It was some time ago fitted up for the occupancy of a newly-married couple, but shortly after they moved into it the young bride died, and the building was again left vacant. Within a few weeks past, strange sights and flitting lights have been seen in the house; occasionally a pale wan face would appear at one of the windows in the dead of night, and piteous wails would issue apparently from between the livid lips, and then the "perturbed spirit" would wander from room to room throughout the house, as if looking for something that could never be found. Babylon enjoyed the sensation of having a "haunted house." Some of the young fellows in the neighborhood, however, were not superstitious to the extent of being afraid to make an investigation, and one night last week two or three of them concealed themselves in the building to await the "ghost's" appearance. About the hour "when churchyards yawn" one of the windows opened, and his ghostship entered in a very unghostly manner, and commenced his usual performance, his form being just distinguishable in the darkness. In the middle of one of his most interesting acts the concealed persons crept softly on all fours to the spot, and suddently grasped him by the ankles, a proceeding which was followed by a series of terrific shrieks very human in their tone, and indicating an agony of fear, and it was some time before the bogus ghost was brought to the point of believing that he had not been seized by a real one. The explanation of his proceeding is found in the fact that a certain person was desirous of owning the house, but the proprietor refused to part with it on the terms offered, and this novel method was adopted by the would-be purchaser to depreciate the market value of the property. At present the laugh is against him.—*N. Y. Times.*

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Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
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Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	96½
Boston & Providence	132
Boston & Albany	128
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	130½
Manchester & Lawrence	131
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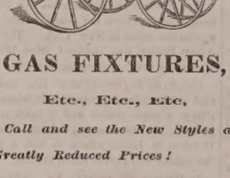

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Monsieur Arago, the French statesman and nephew of the astonomer, is, in spite of his 65 years, a very handsome man. He has a large nose, of which he is somewhat proud. A short time ago he was travelling by train to Versailles, when a child who was in the same carriage, and who had watched Arago for some time with dilated eyes, began to cry. In vain did the child's mother, Arago, and another Senator endeavor to calm the perturbed juvenile. The poor mother was in despair, and as the shrieks grew more and more piercing, Arago felt bound to interfere and see what he could do. He said to the child, "What ails you, my dear? Are you afraid of me? I don't look very naughty, do I?" Thus addressed, the child sobbed out, "Take off your nose." Arago looked at the mother, who grew very confused and said, "Ah, Monsieur! excuse me; excuse my son." "But, Madame," said Arago, "what does he mean?" The mother then explained that she had, during the carnival, taken her child to see a number of persons in masks and false noses, and he had got so excited that he could think of nothing else. "By an unfortunate occurrence," she added, "we got into the same carriage as you, who for no doubt some good reason, are prolonging the carnival. But you see what a deplorable result has followed. Let me then beg of you to have pity on a poor mother, and take off your nose." But, Madame," said Arago, stupefied. "A little more and my child will have convulsions," shrieked the mother; "take off your false nose." "But, Madame," said Arago in despair; "that is impossible; this is not a false nose, but my own." "Impossible! impossible!" cried the agonized lady. "Touch it," said Arago. The lady gave a pull at the Senator's nose, but it did not come off in her hand as she had expected. "A thousand pardons," she said, "but pray, oh! pray, hide it with your hat." So Arago continued his journey with his nose in his hat, and the child's screams gradually subsided. Arago himself tells the story with much glee.

Whitewashing George Washington.

In the discussion concerning Houdon's "model" of Washington, a letter-writer gives some particulars which go to corroborate the opinion that however great the first President may have been, his relatives have proved excessively stupid, and on occasion, particularly lacking in veneration for George himself. He says:

"Speaking of Houdon's model of Washington at Mount Vernon reminds me of the condition it was in when I saw it. The plaster of which it was made becoming very dark or discolored, every year at house-cleaning John Washington had his negroes give it a coat of whitewash, until it became completely encrusted—it hung down from the nose half an inch."

The idea of whitewashing a valuable bust, is enough to make Houdon turn over in his grave. It has always been fondly believed by his admirers that Washington stood less in need of whitewash than have many of his successors; but it may be doubted if any modern politician, however badly soiled by circumstances, has ever been re-whitened to that extent that the whitewash "hung down from his nose half an inch."

New England Agriculture.

A principal reason why our agriculture has declined has been, not that the west has grown and prospered, or that manufacturers have been thriving among us, but because our farmers have not had confidence in their own business, nor faith in the capabilities of their own soil. They are willing to admit that capital, enterprise, science and skill may be successfully applied to the mechanic arts, but they are slow to believe that the same qualities may be equally successful when applied to agriculture. When we can believe heartily in the capabilities of our profession, and put into it all the capital, science and common sense we can command, we shall be pretty sure to succeed in stopping the decay of New England agriculture.—*Homestead.*

—A noted lawyer had a case in hand in which, among other things, he wished to prove that his client had no money; and to that end he cross-questioned one of the opponent's witnesses as follows: "You asked my client for money, did you not?" "Well—yes, sir." "Answer promptly, sir. Let us have no hesitation. You asked him for money. Now, what was his answer?" "I don't know as I can tell." "But, surely, you remember?" "Yes, I do." "Then out with it. What was his answer?" "I'd rather not tell." "Ho! ho! you are on that tack, are you? You won't tell." "I would rather not, sir." "But you must; and, if you do not answer my question promptly and truthfully, I'll call upon the Court to commit you for contempt." "Well, sir, if I must tell tales out of school, here you have it. I asked him yesterday if he could lend me half a crown, and he told me he couldn't." "And you believed him, did you not?" "Yes, sir; for he said you had robbed him of every penny of his ready money, and if he didn't get out of your hands pretty soon his wife and little ones would come to——" "That will do, sir. You can step down."

—Sprinkle, sprinkle, little cart; how I wonder where thou art. Come and lay this fearful dust, ere our lungs fill up and bust.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1877.

The Russian Fleet.

The Washington *Republican* says the rumor that the Russian fleet will soon return to Europe is unfounded. The Czar's vessels were not sent to this country simply to give the Grand Duke a pleasure trip; they came here on business, and until their work is finished they will remain on this side of the Atlantic. One of our best known and most thoroughly posted naval officers remarked in conversation that the Russian fleet would, in the event of hostilities in the East, find a field of work just outside American waters, which would be of incalculable value to Russian interests. This assertion was based upon the fact that Turkey will draw heavily upon American markets for her munitions of war and commissary stores, and that the fast sailing Russian vessels would be employed in running down and capturing these cargoes as the vessels carrying them attempt to leave American waters. It is also known that another Russian fleet is cruising along the coast of California, and there can be no doubt that it is on the same mission. All of the vessels sent to our shores by the Czar are fast sailers, and should England become interested in the struggle, these men-of-war would ravage English commerce.

It would not be a matter of surprise were complications to grow out of the presence of the fleet, which would necessitate extensive naval preparations on the part of the United States to prevent a violation of international obligations. The convention of 1854 between the United States and Russia, relative to the rights of neutrals, recognizes as permanent and immutable the principle that free ships make free goods, to the extent that the effects or goods belonging to subjects or citizens of a power or State at war, are free from capture and confiscation when found on board neutral vessels, with the exception of articles contraband of war. Whether the Russian fleet would assume to search American vessels suspected of carrying articles contraband of war the future will have to determine. It is certain, however, in such an event that the United States will exercise their authority to prevent the Russian fleet from making their harbors a base of operations from which to conduct a patrol of the high seas in search of American or any other vessels that might be suspected of coming within the terms of the convention.

Proclamation.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
CONCORD, April 17, 1877.

Be it known, that I, Person C. Cheney, Governor of the State of New Hampshire, in obedience to the request of the Constitutional Convention of said State, holden in December, 1876, do hereby proclaim to the people of this State that the Constitution of the State is amended as provided for in the Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Eleventh, and Thirteenth propositions or questions, submitted by said Constitutional Convention to the qualified voters of the State at the annual town meeting in March last.

All the alterations and amendments in said Constitution covered by said several propositions or questions have been adopted and the Constitution is thus amended by the suffrages of more than two-thirds of the legal voters present at said town meeting, and voting upon said questions.

I further proclaim to the people of this State that the Constitution of the State is not amended, as provided for in the First and Twelfth propositions or questions submitted by said Convention to the qualified voters of the State at the annual town meeting in March last, as neither of these last-mentioned propositions or questions, nor the amendments in the Constitution covered by the same, were adopted by the suffrages of two thirds of the legal voters present at said town-meeting and voting upon said questions.

Given under my hand and the seal of said State, at the Council Chamber, this seventeenth day of April, A. D., 1877, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the one hundred and first.

P. C. CHENEY.

By the Governor:

B. F. PRESCOTT, *Sec'y of State.*

Life in Louisiana.

The following account of a Louisiana murder, taken from the Alexandria *Democrat*, gives an idea of the state of society in the shot-gun parishes:

"On Thursday last there was a difficulty in Rapides Parish between John R. Hanks and Taylor Dyer, both white, which resulted in the death of Dyer. Hanks came to town and delivered himself up, had a preliminary examination before Judge Clements, and was released on bail in the sum of $500. The facts developed on the trial were briefly as follows: Hanks and Dyer had some words the night before and were to settle it the next morning at daylight. At daylight Dyer hunted Hanks up with a double-barrel shotgun and proposed to settle it. Hanks, without saying a word, rode off, and Dyer went to the store kept by Mr. Moore. Some hours afterward Hanks rode up to the store, and this time he, too, had a shotgun. He asked for Dyer, who was in the back room of the store, but parties interfered and Mr. Moore proposed to Hanks to give up his gun and for them to fight it out fisticuff. To this Hanks agreed, and gave up his gun to Mr. Moore. About this time Hanks was told that his wife bearing of his difficulty had fainted, and he got on his horse and started down toward Iggleswood. As he was riding off without his gun Dyer came out from the back part of the store, gun in hand. Hanks, after a scuffle with a Mr. Burgess who had his gun, got it again, but before he could fire Dyer fired at him, some of the shots raking through his clothes at his knee. Dyer then advanced some steps with his gun cocked and presented to fire a second time, when Hanks, who had advanced to a favorable position, fired, the load taking effect in Dyer's breast and killing him almost instantly."

Persons who imagine there is no law against murder—or at least no punishment for murderers—in Louisiana, will please take notice that the murderer in this case was promptly put under $500 bail; and the paper reporting the unpleasantness sternly says: "It was an unfortunate affair which could have been easily avoided by a resort to the old rough and tumble fight without using deadly weapons." Let us hear no more about life being unsafe in the South.

News and Notes.

Robert W. Dickie, seventeen years old, died in Bellevue Hospital, New York city, on the 17th, from hydrophobia (or fright) caused by the bite of a cat. Mr. Richardson, who died April 8th, was bitten by the same cat, as was also a horse which died of hydrophobia before Richardson was taken sick.

A convention of anti-Mormons at Salt Lake City has adopted a resolution urging the United States government to make an amendment of the act organizing Utah Territory, providing that "no person living in the practice of bigamy or polygamy shall be permitted to hold any office, or vote at any election, or to act as juror, and that all votes shall be by secret ballot." That would kill Mormonism as quick as the anti-Mormons would have been killed by the "destroying angels" twenty years ago, had they then dared give utterance to such sentiments. That they can talk so plainly now, and continue to live, shows that the Mormon power is broken.

European advices are warlike. It is said that Russia is negotiating an alliance with Persia, and the Shah is offering 50,000 men to join the army in Anatolia. The Cabinets at Vienna, Paris and London have, it is reported, notified Roumania that the privilege enjoyed under the treaty of Paris will become annulled in the event of that country's active co-operation with Russia. Hostilities have commenced around Nikish. The Turkish troops are very enthusiastic. The Porte has given the American squadron permission to pass the Dardanelles.

Hon. W. H. McLellan, democratic candidate for Congress against Eugene Hale of Maine, last fall, has begun a suit at Belfast against the stakeholders to recover money bet by him and others on the result of the Presidential election.

Mrs. Francis D. Moulton had her pocket-book snatched from her hand a few days ago in the street in New York. The thief, Albert Butler, was indicted, Mrs. Moulton appearing and testifying against him.

Col. S. S. Taylor of Cairo, Ill., has carried in his valise for many years when travelling a rope ladder and a thick pair of gloves. At the burning of the Southern Hotel at St. Louis, where he was a guest, the ladder and gloves saved his life.

In Pittsylvania county, Va., within the past four months four men have been murdered, one child drowned, and another man is now expected to die from wounds recently received. Four of the parties that committed murder are now confined in jail, two have been bailed and one made his escape and is now at large.

Edward S. Rand, Jr., a prominent and highly honored lawyer of Boston, was arrested Wednesday at Dedham, Mass., where he resides, and lodged in jail, on suspicion of embezzlement of trust funds. Mr. Rand had a splendid homestead at Dedham and a large residence at Mt. Desert, on which he lavished large sums as to cause his ruin.

The safe of the St. Louis Southern Hotel was recovered on Wednesday, with its contents unharmed. Later in the day the lofty walls were blown down, crushing the adjoining small buildings as if they had been egg shells. These buildings had been evacuated that morning, excepting one saloon, from which the police ejected the inmates only six minutes before the walls fell.

Hon. A. B. Foster, the Canadian railway king, has suspended payment. His liabilities are about $250,000.

Mrs. Schuyler, of Brooklyn, while en route to Boston, on the 16th, lost her daughter Minnie, aged thirteen, at Stamford, Conn., and she had not been found on the 19th.

The catch of herring at Eastport, Me., for the past two weeks, is the largest ever known. It is selling for seventy-five cents per barrel. A large number of Gloucester fishermen are there, getting bait.

It is hard to make an interesting victim out of A. Oakey Hall. Nevertheless, his fate is not an easy one, and as he wanders about the streets of the Notting Hill district in company with that middle-aged female with a wart under her left ear, he doubtless blames the cruelty of fortune which would not allow him to be a thief and a scoundrel and to continue in good repute at the same time. He made a longer struggle and fought harder to keep a decent reputation than his associates, but complete ignominy has overtaken him at last, and he is worse off than Tweed himself in his last complete surrender.—*Providence Journal.*

A sister of Gen. Meade was among the clerks dismissed from the pension office last week. She was once dismissed while Grant was President, but upon her application to him to be reinstated he indorsed her papers: "I think Gen. Meade has rendered his country enough distinguished service to entitle his sister to some consideration."

The Hartford *Courant* reports the death of a gentleman forty-seven years of age, who has been a subscriber to that journal for fifty years. He must have begun quite young.

All the conductors, baggage-masters and brakemen on the Reading division of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad have joined the engineers in their strike, but the passenger trains have generally got through on time. The freight business is obstructed, and there have been two fatal accidents; and the passengers on the road complain loudly that the new engineers are incompetent and untrustworthy. The Brotherhood of Engineers have issued an address setting forth that the Order is in nowise blameable for the strike, and that the action of the road in ordering its employees to sever their connection with the Order was an arbitrary and unwarrantable interference with the private affairs of the members.

The reported confession of Tweed which was published by the New York *World* a few mornings since turns out to be the work of a clever Bohemian named Don Cardan O'Brian Bryant, who also wrote the Tweed romance which was published in *Harper's Weekly*. He is a relative of some of the parties mixed up with the Tweed transaction in some of its stages, and probably knows as much of the secrets of the ring as any man entirely outside of it. He made use of all the current rumors and what facts he was able to obtain from one source and another, and exercising his judgment as to other matters, succeeded in writing up a story which had sufficient of truth in it to make quite a number of gentlemen anxious. That Tweed had anything to do with the story is generally discredited.

—Scene in Texas—hotel table—"Good morning, stranger; it looks like rain." Stranger—"I think not." A shot is heard, and the stranger is rolled out the back door.

—Sizing cloth has been carried to such an extent in England, that some of the manufacturers there make two pounds of cloth from one pound of cotton. In a paper recently read before the Society of Arts in London, the essayist said that what purported to be English cloth, was really a compound of flour, tallow and China clay with a little cotton to make it stick together. In this fact we find the explanation of the foreign demand for American cottons.

Two Irreconcilable Conditions.

Debility and health are irreconcilable conditions. Weakly people, that is to say people who lack the vitality requisite for a vigorous discharge of each and all of the bodily functions, are invariably afflicted with some, though it may be a trifling, disorder of the system. Atony, or a want of nervous vigor, is accompanied by poverty of the blood and leanness. A certain way to overcome it and prevent the aggravated maladies to which it must ultimately lead is to use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which promote digestion and assimilation of the food, and thus are the means of furnishing the body with a supply of blood of a quality essential to its proper nourishment. Invigoration through the instrumentality of the matchless tonic protects the feeble from a host of bodily ills which lurk in ambush for the debilitated. The Bitters are an article which it is most desirable to keep constantly on hand.

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City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for a abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH G. NORN,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAVERS,
ROBERT KING,
JAMES A. BURG,
CHARLES H. MENDUM,
Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

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Top Work Cabriolets,
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Pony Phaetons,
Brewster's Box,
Whitechapel, Windsor Top Wagon,
Piano Box,
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Brewster's Box hung on Brewster's Patent
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I have some of the finest light Concord Style Wagons made. Also, a large Stock of fine HARNESSES that will be sold less than Manufacturers' prices.

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All those in want of good OYSTERS will call at FREEMAN'S Oyster House, and get them opened fresh from the shell.

THE BLIND MAN

WHO MENDS CANE-SEAT CHAIRS

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Having returned from New York with a fine selection of MILLINERY GOODS and NOVELTIES, we shall be ready, ON AND AFTER APRIL 13TH, to show our friends and patrons a nice assortment of

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Our efforts to please the tastes of our customers have not in the least abated, and we advertise *every day an "opening day,"* instead of one or two crowded, confused days, as formerly. Feeling that this new arrangement will be for the interest of *all concerned* and thanking our friends for the very liberal share of patronage bestowed upon us during the ten years we have been in Portsmouth, we remain, Yours Respectfully,

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M.
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	8.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	8.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	8.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	8.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	8.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.15 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	6.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

MEMORIAL DAY.

All persons interested in a suitable observance of Memorial Day are requested to meet at the Common Council Room at half-past seven o'clock, Tuesday evening, April 24th. A full attendance is desirable, as the time for preparation is brief.

JOTTINGS.

Miss Emma J. Flanders of the Unitarian quartette is to be the leading soprano at a musical convention to be held in Manchester on the 8th, 9th, 10th and 11th of May.

The Liverpool (England) and Texas Steamship Company (limited) have gone into voluntary liquidation. Capt. Charles C. Ricker, of this city, has for some years past commanded one of this company's steamers plying between Liverpool and Galveston, Texas, his family residing in Liverpool.

Boatswain John McCaffery is ordered to this navy yard.

Emerson Tennent in his history of Ceylon, gives Dr. Kelaart's conclusions from his investigations of the habits of the pearl-oyster in the Indian ocean near Ceylon, one of which was that the pearl-oyster migrates if at any time circumstances make it necessary, such as to escape foul water, or to search for food, etc. It can sever its byssus and re-form it at pleasure, so as to migrate and moor itself in favorable situations. Does not the edible oyster have the same capacity for migration and is not this the probable way they get into the upper part of Great Bay, and thus have given the community in the vicinity an abundance of the delicious oysters?

Hon. Stillman B. Allen is building a freestone-front house at the corner of Columbus avenue and West Chester park, Boston, at a cost of $45,000.

New Hampshire Items.

The forty-eighth annual session of the New Hampshire Methodist General Conference, Jesse T. Peck, D. D., presiding Bishop, commenced Wednesday morning. Silas E. Quinby was elected Secretary. In the afternoon the annual sermon was preached by Rev. E. Wilkins. In the evening an address was delivered by Rev. J. M. Durell on Conference Services.

The Exeter *News-Letter* says Chief Justice Doe will send in his resignation soon, having accepted the office only temporarily, and having notified the Governor and Council to that effect when he accepted. The new amendments will increase the duties of the bench to such a degree as, probably, to require the appointment of an additional judge, if not two judges, jury trials being superseded in all cases under $100. As most of these cases will be investigated by depositions, the bare reading of them will entail a large amount of labor upon the court.

The residence of the late William Brickett at Hampstead Depot, and two barns, were totally destroyed by fire on the afternoon of the 18th, together with all the contents. A house and barn belonging to Amos Buck, situated near by, were also destroyed, with part of the contents. The cause of the fire is unknown.

Serious charges have been brought against Assistant City Marshal Stackpole, of Dover, which will probably cause his removal from office. At the time of his election there was strong opposition to him and he was elected by only one majority. He is accused of receiving pay twice for going to Lowell to arrest a man, and of other irregularities.

The brick schoolhouse in district No. 3 at Peterborough was burned Thursday afternoon. It was caused by a defective chimney.

A whirlwind passed over the northerly section of the town of Hopkinton on the 16th, being of such force as to rouse people with its roaring and to be seen for a distance of a mile or more. It moved toward the southeast, and in crossing the Contoocook river raised a water spout six feet in height.

The City Government of Dover have commenced a war on the dogs which will put an end to many of them. The law of the city requires that all dogs be licensed, and also have collars on their necks. But few dogs have yet been licensed, and the police are fast killing them when found on the streets without collars.

At the annual meeting of the trustees of the State Agricultural College, at Manchester on Wednesday, three professorships were established and the following officers elected: President, George N. Nesmith of Franklin; Secretary, Joseph Kidder of Manchester; Treasurer, Frederick Smyth of Manchester.

Considerable excitement and indignation prevail among the Irish population at Suncook, owing to the refusal of a French Catholic priest, Rev. N. N. Hardy, to allow the use of the church for a Hibernian funeral ceremony. The procession, headed by Hildredth's Cornet Band, and the Suncook Order of Hibernians in full regalia, reached the church and was met by the priest, who refused them admission and locked the doors. The remains were carried to the cemetery and interred.

There is to be a musical festival in Dover, next week, which is expected to excel anything of the kind ever held in this part of New Hampshire. The Temple Quartette and other noted singers from Boston will be present, besides the best talent of the State. The festival will begin Tuesday and continue four days.

The Washington correspondent of the Boston *Herald* thus gives what "is said" to be the reason Col. Daniel Hall got the appointment of Naval Officer at Boston: "The appointment of Mr. Hall to the Naval office at Boston is said to be made for several reasons. The fact that he kept the New Hampshire delegation in the Cincinnati Convention from being solid for Blaine has an important bearing upon the case. The New Hampshire delegates came to Washington last June, on their way to Cincinnati, and called upon Mr. Blaine. The latter was then informed that all the delegates, with the possible exception of Governor Straw, were for him for President; but before the Convention met, Noyes of Ohio, who was originally a New Hampshire man, got hold of Hall and dissuaded him and another delegate from voting for Blaine. The result was that three votes were given for Bristow on the first ballot, and the delegation stood seven for Blaine and three for Bristow, until Hayes was nominated. This was a serious blow to Blaine and a great service to Hayes."

The constitutional amendments which were adopted by the people of New Hampshire at the late election are to go into effect at a time to be fixed by the Legislature, which assembles in June. There can be no doubt that the election will be held in November, 1878, when the next elections for members of Congress are held. It is a question whether in that case there would be another election next spring. Should there be no election then it would devolve upon the present Legislature to choose a Senator to succeed Hon. Bainbridge Wadleigh. This will render the coming session more than ordinarily interesting and important.—*Boston Herald.*

The Manchester National Bank is to have two new vaults built, the one above the other, having walls two feet thick and a four inch air space in the centre. The lower vault will contain the books of the institution and be fire-proof, while the other will be calculated to defy the most enterprising burglar.

A serious accident occurred on the 7th inst. to Mr. N. J. Hayden, at Hollis. While attempting to hang a carpet upon a pole used for swinging purposes, the pole gave way and he fell a distance of twenty-five feet, injuring him internally, and his recovery is considered doubtful.

A seven-years-old daughter of Mr. Charles O. Hall of Croydon, while walking in a cemetery in that town, had one of her legs broken by a marble tablet falling from its pedestal and crushing her to the ground.

Political.

A letter written to Samuel J. Tilden by Charles Francis Adams, dated March 5th, in which Adams speaks of President Hayes as "the person," says he "must forever carry upon his brow the stamp of fraud," and intimates that no matter how good a President he may be he should be condemned, has just been published. So the few republican papers are indignant at Adams' display of egotism, but such indignation is uncalled for; for Charles Francis only means that Mr. Hayes, not having been endorsed by the Adams family of Massachusetts, (who are presumed to have created the Creator,) therefore cannot be a gentleman, an honest man or a sensible one. It is only Mr. Adams' way of saying that the Adams family monopolize the brains and honor of the United States—that's all.

Secretary Manning of South Carolina, under instruction from Gen. Wade Hampton, at 8 o'clock Wednesday morning sealed the office doors of all the State offices. Four constables were placed on duty to guard the doors. This was considered by many, even of his supporters, as a violation of the pledge that he would rely on the action of the courts, suits for the possession of the offices being now in progress.

That portion of the democratic press conspicuously deficient in sense, doubtless thinks it a bit of political shrewdness to continually speak of President Hayes as "his fraudulency," the "usurper," and the like, and to have every day day an editorial loaded to the guards with abuse of him, to say nothing of the allusions here, there and everywhere in the paper. This same portion of the press will not take advice from the *News*, so we put it in the shape of a prophecy, to wit: This course if persisted in, while it may make the red-nosed and moused-backed among the faithful roar with pleasure, will disgust every intelligent citizen and drive them from the support of a party whose political pleasantries have such a nauseous twang of lawlessness. Four years from now the men who gave Tilden his quarter of a million popular majority, will be found wedded into a compact opposition to any democratic candidate who shall be representative of the counsels which control the present course of the ribald press and endorse its sentiments.—*Indianapolis News* (ind.)

The *Tribune* announces that Col. Pride, Stamp Agent at New York, formerly of Grant's staff, has been superseded by Col. Chambers, an ex-Confederate.

It is now questioned if Charles Francis Adams ever wrote any such letter as was published recently in the New York *Sun*. The fact that the *Sun* says Adams did write it is about the strongest proof that he did not that could be adduced.

The Supreme Court of California has issued a peremptory writ of mandate to the Secretary of State to issue to Pacheco, republican candidate for Congress in the fourth district, his certificate.

The New York *Mail* rather questions the statement of Mr. Adams in his letter to Mr. Tilden to the effect that the present Chief Magistrate is the first whose elevation to office was stamped by fraud. It remarks that a good many Jackson men entertained the same opinion respecting the method by which Mr. Adams' father was made President in 1824.

How Mrs. Hayes Looks.

Mrs. Hayes is of medium height and squarely built. Here head and features are large. So is her waist, and her hands and feet are in proportion. She has a magnificent suit of hair. It is so heavy and black, and is dressed so smoothly, and in the daytime it looks dark and precise in contrast with her clear olive complexion. The most prominent feature of her face is the mouth, which is large (the jaw is as broad as a man's) and conspicuously filled with strong white teeth. The lips are particularly firm and full, with the jaw indicating decision of character and an ardent temperament. The forehead is broad and smooth, and the eyebrows are regular. The eyes are large but deeply set, and are of that peculiar gray which does not mean a twilight depth of blue, or an azure light of gray. They are a decided gray, admitting of all the steel tints from that of cold metal to the gleam and glitter of the polished ore. In the glow of intense feeling such as animated her on inauguration day and at her first public reception, her eyes looked as black as night, and they had a luster such as is rarely seen. She made no effort to conceal her delight.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

—In the language of the tramps the letter "H" on the gate-post means that the residents will give the caller a handful of grub; "S" that he will get a seat at the table; "S M" that he will get a square meal, and "G B" that he will get the "grand bounce." Now that the secret is out let every householder hit himself to his gate-post and dig in letters deep and that cannot be misunderstood the mystic sign "G B." Here at last is the complete solution of the tramp problem.—*Chicago Journal.*

—Sir William Grant, the very learned Master of the Rolls, was a native of the county of Banff, and for a considerable time represented that county in Parliament. Though a most forcible and easy speaker, scarcely inferior to any of his time, at the bar or in Parliament, he was a remarkably silent man. He was the most patient of judges. The story is well known of his hearing an elaborate and lengthened argument for two days on the meaning of an act of Parliament, and, when the counsel finished, simply saying, "Gentlemen, the act is repealed."

—Some detonating gun-cotton rockets, the joint invention of Mr. Prentice and Messrs. Brook, were tried recently at Stowmarket, England. They are intended to act as fog-signals for use on board ships and at lighthouses. The effect of the density of the atmosphere, or of sonorous fog, is rendered apparent by these rockets, which are scarcely heard at a distance of two miles and a half at the sea level, but when they burst at an altitude of nine hundred yards, the report is heard as a thunder-like peal for a distance of ten miles.

—It is related that the late Ross Winans secured a whole square in Baltimore, on which he built an elegant house. He laid his grounds out in fine taste and filled them with statuary and ornaments, and threw them open to the public. Some of his neighbors, not being accustomed to unrobed statuary, made a complaint against Mr. Winans. Thereupon he went to work and built a strong, close wall of brick, high enough and strong enough for a penitentiary, which turned the whole of the delightful neighborhood into a deformity. The wall remains standing to this day.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Schs Clara E Rogers, Rogers, and W F Green, Cummings, for this port from Philadelphia arr at Vineyard Haven April 17.

Sch Union Flag, Frisbee, for this port from Port Johnson, passed by at Vineyard Haven April 17.

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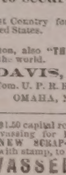

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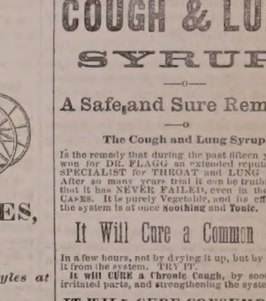

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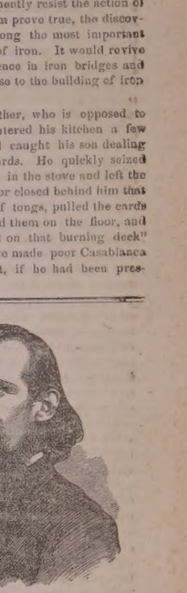

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SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 1877.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18.

We had just got comfortably settled down to a contemplation of our enviable national prospects as compared with distracted Europe, when the old Boss hurls his bombshell from his parlors where he has remained a guest of the city since his return from his European tour, among the politicians, some fragments of which reached as far southward as Washington. But beg your readers not to do us the injustice of supposing we are dependent upon alien communities for startling sensations. The latest of domestic origin, and which is having similar effect upon some of our ex and present officials as Tweed's has had on his fair weather friends, relates to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, Treasury Department, otherwise known as the official Botany Bay of the Departments here.

A discharge of about 300 employees from it to-day will bring despair to many who have found it difficult to keep the wolf from their doors in the past, and it is said that a still further reduction of one or two hundred is contemplated on the 1st of May. The Secretary has deemed it incumbent upon him to make some explanation of this wholesale decapitation; and while he is very careful to place the odium of mismanagement on no one in particular, his statements will go far to confirm the truth of many of the scandals heard in the past relative to the management of this Bureau.

Among the charges often heard against a late Superintendent who "bossed" its affairs for five or six years, were those of a system of favoritism and the exercise of a petty tyranny that is the reproach of many of the Departments. He seems to have been responsible to no one but himself, and is said to have regulated the pay of the employees according to the details of his own partiality or those of "influential" members of Congress and other powerful officials, who are claimed to have had the places crammed to repletion with their male proteges and female friends; and the discharge of nearly a half of the entire force within a month, invests these stories with an air of great probability.

It is alleged further that many of the hardest workers of the female employees received the lowest rates of compensation, because deficient in influence. On the other hand it is a subject of common report that some of those receiving the highest salaries were rarely seen about the building except on pay day; or if they were in attendance, they were applied to ornamental uses rather than the legitimate work of the Bureau. Still another charge has been to the effect that in more than one case have the hard worked, poorly paid girls been required to pay to the preferred bummers a certain per centage of their pittance each month, it being tacitly understood that if they refused or turned informers they would lose their places; and that the whole machinery of the government of the Bureau has been so prostituted that it was not difficult to discredit any statements that those mutinously inclined might dare to make.

The fact is a good deal of "reform" can be utilized in the Departments here. The work cannot begin too soon, and it would not be any damage to the service to extend it upwards to the higher grade of officials and not confine it exclusively to clerks, who are too often made the scapegoats of their superiors. I have devoted considerable space to this matter, and beg your permission to make some statements relative to the methods in vogue among the "counters," in a future letter.

We are still excited over European rumors. As one of the first fruits of the expected war, we have to pay six, instead of five cents, as heretofore, for every loaf of bread consumed. It is now believed here that war cannot be averted, and its formal declaration is looked for with every cable dispatch.

The new Board of Police Commissioners seem to be in earnest in their efforts to break down the gambling dens that have disgraced our city so long. KNOX.

News and Notes.

Mr. Sanford's American filly Donna won the handicap plate at the Newmarket races, England, on the 18th. The betting was twenty to one against the winner, and the favorite came in seventh.

Just before the convening of the United States Circuit Court, in Portland, Oregon, on the 18th, Dr. Ralph Wilcox, Clerk of the Court, commited suicide in his office, by shooting himself through the head. He was a pioneer of the State, had filled many positions of trust, and left a note stating that drink was the cause of the suicide.

Mrs. Frina of Naugatuck, Conn., tried to extinguish the flame of a kerosene lamp by blowing down the chimney, was very badly burned by the explosion and spreading of the flames which ensued, and died the same night in great agony. Her husband was badly burned in trying to save her, and the neighbors came in too late to render her any aid.

Schooner J. M. Leonard, of Fall River, Capt. Crowley, from Philadelphia for Providence, was run into and sunk, Tuesday evening, the 17th, in a thick fog, twenty miles west of Shinnecock, by British steamship Arragon, from New York for Bristol, England. The vessel sunk in five minutes. The captain and crew, seven in number, were picked up by the steamship, transferred to a pilot-boat, and again to a schooner, which has reached New York.

German barque Oudel, from Doboy, Ga., for Elsinore, was disabled at sea in a gale on the 19th inst. The crew, thirteen in number, lashed themselves on the forecastle and remained there four days without food or water, when they were taken off by steamer New Orleans and carried into New York, where they arrived on the 19th.

President Hayes entertained the Russian Grand Dukes, Alexis and Constantine, at a State dinner Thursday evening.

John Farrell, bartender in a Hanover street saloon in Boston, was arrested on Thursday on a charge of outraging a Swedish woman named Adelia Peterson, who went into the saloon in the evening. He was held in $2000.

An explosion and inundation at the Troedyhiw colliery at Pontypridd, Wales, on Wednesday, April 11th, imprisoned nine men behind a column of coal forty yards thick. Continuous operations for their rescue resulted in opening communication with them on the 19th. Five were found alive. Four wandered to other parts of the mine and it is believed perished.

John Ruel was found in a canal at Blackstone, Mass., Thursday, dead, and probably murdered. John Lodrell, a fellow workman in the mill, is suspected.

It is stated ex-President Luther W. Frost of the Continental Life Insurance Company is in Europe, and has begun negotiations as to what terms he will be allowed to return to New York. Rufus C. Frost is doing the same. The latter was Vice President of the Continental.

They do say that certain New Bedford skippers have been hanging around the Russian officers in New York, seeking to know whether there is to be any "Alabama business," in case England takes a hand in the coming war. Yankee skippers have long memories.—*Transcript.*

Congress passed a joint resolution at the close of the last session directing the President to select a suitable site in the harbor of New York for Bartholdi's colossal statue of Liberty Enlightening the World. After some hesitation between Governor's Island and Bedloe's Island, the latter has been selected, and it was evacuated by the garrison on Thursday. The Lighthouse Board will assume charge of the statue when it shall have been erected as a beacon light.

The Governor of Maine has pardoned Patrick H. McCloskey of Bethel, sentenced to life imprisonment for rape; Rufus Littlefield of Kennebunk, the same; Samuel A. Frazier of New York, sentenced to six years for robbery, and Cornelius Mehan, four years for larceny.

Political.

Despatches from New Orleans, Thursday evening, reported the Nicholls legislature as having secured a quorum in both branches. This establishes the supremacy of the bull-dozers, and shows that the shotgun is mightier than the returning board.

A third attempt of the city of Providence, R. I., to complete its delegation in the State legislature, was made on Thursday, and resulted as follows: for Senator—Tillinghast, repub., 2170, Davis, dem., 2416; for Representative—Rhodes 2053, Spooner 2391—both republicans. Tillinghast and Rhodes were the regular republican candidates, but were defeated by the democrats and freerum republicans, led by Gov. Lippitt and Chairman Dawley of the republican city committee of Providence.

Mr. Charles Francis Adams has written a letter to Mr. Tilden which shows that he coincides with Beebe and Springer and other democratic statesmen in their views about Mr. Hayes' title. Mr. Tilden may how regret that he did not inject Mr. Adams into the House in the place of Mr. Field. He would have made fillibustering majestic, and never would have danced on his desk.—*Tribune.*

New Hampshire Items.

Joseph P. Stickney, an old and highly respected resident of Concord, died Thursday morning, aged eighty years, nine months. The deceased endured amputation of the left hand a few days since, because of cancer that had made much progress, which hastened his death. He was one of the five children of Thomas Stickney, and a grandson of Col. Thomas Stickney, of Revolutionary fame. He was a large-hearted, generous citizen, and did much to promote the prosperity of the city. In the days of stages he was largely interested in staging, and widely known throughout New Hampshire as a man of sterling integrity and moral worth. The Stickney family were among the early settlers of Concord, and the name is closely identified with the history of the place. The deceased was twice married, and leaves two children.

The following story is traveling the rounds. It should be accompanied by a physician's certificate: "A rare event has occurred in New London, N. H. A healthy girl child was born of Mrs. Edwin Messer, Sept. 2, 1876, and a well developed, living boy, Jan. 27, 1877, the births being four months and twenty-five days apart."

The Manchester mills are making a coal bin 300 by 50 feet, with the capacity of 12,000 tons. A railroad track will run through the centre of it, on trestles, from which the coal will be dumped.

Sumner Bemis, while shovelling sawdust in E. Buttrick & Co.'s mill at Troy, Thursday, was caught by a set screw and his arm torn off, and he was horribly mangled otherwise. He lived about two hours. He was 62 years of age.

A very old copper coin, about the size of a half-penny, was lately found in Chester. The obverse side bears a crowned figure, date 1559, and the legible part of the inscription reads: "Henri do France." On the reverse side is the word "France" in large letters, and three lilies, the symbol of royalty.

Stebbins' Block at Hinsdale was burned on Friday. Loss $10,000; insurance $7000.

—Mr. A. M. Swoope has been appointed internal revenue collector in Kentucky. Thus with one Swoope the President comes down on the people.

—A Pennsylvania woman who went to Kansas a few years ago writes back that she has done as well as could be expected under the circumstances. She has had three husbands, two pairs of twins and the ague.

—Holyoke, Mass., boasts a woman who, married for the first time at fourteen, has had seven husbands, four of whom are dead, two divorced and the seventh now living with her. Local theologians are bothering as to whose wife she shall be in the resurrection.

—Laura D. Fair, the San Francisco manslayer, was recently in Court as defendant in a lawsuit, and a reporter asserts that every spectator dodged whenever she put her hand in her pocket to get her handkerchief. They thought she was reaching for a pistol.

—It was stated, and generally believed that a live princess was visiting friends in Baltimore, but now it turns out that instead of being the daughter of King Louis of Bavaria and Lola Montez, she is only the wife of the foreman of a composing room in a French newspaper office.

—An effort to make Good Friday a business holiday was promptly voted down at the New York gold exchange, and also at the Chicago board of trade. The dealers can't see what Good Friday or any other thing religious has to do with "puts" and "calls," and neither can anybody else.

"The Age of Reason."

The boy who went to the mill on horseback, carrying the grist in one end of the bag and a stone in the other, when reproved by the miller, and told to divide the grist, replied that his father and grandfather had carried it that way, and he, being no better than they, would continue to do as they did. Similar, or equally as absurd, reasons are accounted as sufficient by some to warrant them in indiscriminately condemning Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines, even though there is overwhelming proof that they possess the merit claimed by them. For many years the Golden Medical Discovery has been recognized as the leading liver and blood medicine in the market. Each year has brought an increase in its sale, and it is now used throughout the civilized world. Thousands of unsolicited testimonials are on file in the Doctor's office, attesting its efficacy in overcoming aggravated coughs, colds, throat and lung affections, also scrofula, tumors, ulcers, and skin diseases. Are you suffering with some chronic malady? If so, and you wish to employ medicines that are scientifically prepared; that are refined and purified by the chemical process employed in their manufacture; that are positive in their action, and specific to the various forms of disease for the cure of which they are recommended, use Dr. Pierce's Family Medicines. Full particulars in Pierce's Memorandum Book, kept for free distribution by all druggists.

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City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH SANBORN,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAVERS,
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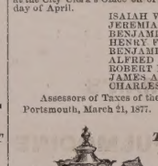
CHARLES H. MENDUM,

Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.



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" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

MEMORIAL DAY.

All persons interested in a suitable observance of Memorial Day are requested to meet at the Common Council Room at half-past seven o'clock, Tuesday evening, April 24th. A full attendance is desirable, as the time for preparation is brief.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.

On Tuesday, the 17th, a man accompanied by a young, slightly formed girl, got into the band-stand at the rear of the police station, and then and there the couple proceeded to fare sumptuously on a lobster. Having no reason to suppose them anything but ordinary tramps, the police merely took a good look at them and let them severely alone; and after they had reduced the lobster to such a condition that it would have broken the heart of any street dog who might have found it, the feasters went their way unmolested. Some hours later the police received warning to look out for this very pair, who are "wanted" in Vermont and other places, the advices stating that the man is Frank Blake, who stole a team in Sharon, Vt., last summer, kidnapping and carrying off with him "a simple-minded girl named Dyer." The couple have slept in barns and woods, and Blake has stolen horses and goods various places. One of his last exploits was stealing a horse belonging to William Hunt at East Salisbury, Mass. That the pair had been in this city was promptly made known to the officers of surrounding towns, and on Wednesday they were discovered in a field at Salisbury; the man took to the woods and escaped, but the girl was captured and brought to this city, Blake having told her that if he got into trouble at any time he should come here and she was to follow him. She was lodged in the station house all night, and taken away by the officers on Thursday, Mr. Blake not having put in an appearance. Notwithstanding her having been "kidnapped" and being "simple-minded," the girl evidently did not desire to say anything to injure her paramour, nor did she give any information of value; and her story as to Blake's plans was probably only a "blind." The fellow can hardly keep clear of the police much longer, and when caught will go up for a good long term. Evidence has been procured showing that it was he who left horses in a famishing condition in a field about a mile from Newburyport, and he is also the thief who took Mr. James A. Rand's horse at Breakfast Hill on the night of the 15th, which horse was also found hitched in the woods.

CITY AFFAIRS

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, protest of Frank Jones and others against the passage of the bill relating to the removal of night soil was accepted. A message was received that the Common Council non-concured in the Aldermen's amendment to the bill entitled "an ordinance relating to the removal of night soil." The question was then stated to be "Do the Aldermen adhere to their amendment to said bill?," and it was voted to adhere.

John H. Grant's complaint of the grade of the common sewer in Brewster street, and the petition of Jos. P. Morse to be appointed constable, were referred to the proper committees.

The Mayor, to whom was refered the subject of Harry J. Freeman's execution against the city, reported the Solicitor's opinion.

Voted, That the execution be paid when there are funds appropriated to pay it.

Voted, that the Mayor be directed to present the city's claim for payment of above to the Eastern Railroad.

The following preamble and resolution, passed by the Common Council and sent up, was read and passed in concurrence:

Whereas, The General Court of the State of New Hampshire, by an act approved July 7th 1871 authorized any town or city to exempt from taxation for a term not exceeding ten years any establishment therein or proposed to be erected therein, and the capital used in operating the same for the manufacture of fabrics of cotton, wool, wood, iron, or any other material; and

Whereas, The City of Portsmouth possesses unsurpassed advantages for many manufactures; and

Whereas, The City Councils of said city desire that such advantages should be developed and that manufactures of every kind should be established within said city; therefore,

Voted, by the City Councils of the city of Portsmouth, that manufacturers of fabrics of cotton, wool, wood, iron or any other material, are invited to put into operation within this city, establishments for carrying on such manufactures; and that this city will vote to exempt from taxation for a term of ten years any such establishment, and the capital used operating the same, which may be so put into operation prior to the first day of January, 1887, with a working capital exceeding five thousand dollars, application being first made to the Board of Aldermen and their approval obtained.

In the matter of the Petition of the Portsmouth Trust and Guaranty Company to the Supreme Court for abatement of the tax assessed upon them by this city in 1876, to be heard at the present term, it was

Voted, That the Mayor be requested to see that the city is properly represented at said hearing.

The Board heard all parties who appeared relative to the petition of Franklin K. Brown and others for a new highway from North street to the foot of Jackson Hill street, and the petition was referred to committee, to report the cost of the same.

Repairs of pound were referred to Mayor, with power.

Application of B. F. Webster for purchase of a part of the City Farm was referred to joint committee on city lands and buildings; sent to Common Council for concurrence. The same action was had on the application of John Grant for the purchase of Lot No. 10 of the City Farm.

The application of James Lowery for purchase of a lot in Cotton's Burying Ground was referred to joint committee on burying grounds. Sent to Common Council for concurrence.

The committee on fire department reported that a new boiler can be put in the steamer Sagamore for $1050 and extra charges, or the steamer can be put in complete repair and warranted perfect and as good as new at a sum not to exceed $1750.

Voted, That the committee on fire department, with the Chief Engineer added, are authorized to make a written contract for the complete repair of the steamer Sagamore for the sum of $1750 or less.

City Marshal's quarterly report was approved.

Voted. That the City Marshal be ordered to enforce that part of the city ordinances which requires the removal of night-soil in water tight and covered carts.

Voted, That the committee on fire department, with Chief Engineer added, be requested to ascertain the cost of building a salt-water reservoir near the distillery on Christian Shore, and report at the next meeting.

Adjourned for one week.

JOTTINGS.

On Wednesday. Mr. Wm. F. Grant, of Noble's Island, who has been at work on a bridge in Boston, had his right arm shattered by the falling weight of a pile-driver. The arm was so badly injured as to necessitate its amputation at the elbow.

The ownership of the pair of pants picked up off the Shoals some weeks ago by fishing schooner Mary S. Roundy has been traced. They belonged to one of the crew of schooner Abbott Lawrence, which vessel was run down and sunk off Boon Island by an unknown schooner.

The Governor and Council of Maine have assessed the tax against the Portland, Saco & Portsmouth Railroad for the current year at $8920; Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway, $206. The Boston & Maine has to pay $18,686, the Maine Central $3381, and the St. Croix & Penobscot $25.

The Hotel Devonshire of New York is a spick and span bran-new first-class hotel. Every room is bright and cheerful, well ventilated, and elegantly furnished. It is located just across the street from the Grand Central Depot, where every traveler may stop without having to hire a carriage. It is kept on the European plan, and the scale of prices is very moderate. Don't fail to give it a trial on your next visit to the city.

The city of Portsmouth has been punished for raising the grade of Albany street and permitting an iron railroad track to be lain in the same, $150. The raising was done to accommodate the laying of a track to the Jones Brewery at the request of the Eastern Railroad, but the railroad declines to pay the damages which have been awarded by the commissioner. The land is owned by Mr. Jones, but at the actual laying out was the property of Harry J. Freeman.

In addition to the ten-mile road race between Woodbury Locke's chestnut horse "Kauoza Boy" and Frank W. Hilton's horse "Julius Cæsar," to come off between this city and the Union House, Hampton, on or about May 14th, arrangements have been completed for another contest between the same animals to take place May 26th, on the Dover trotting course, "good day and good track," in a five-mile dash, for $250 a side, $100 forfeit, which money is now up.

The American House, Boston, needs no recommendation to the generality of travelers, but it may not be amiss to tell those who are contemplating their first visit to the "Hub" that no hotel in that city is better than the "American." It is convenient to all lines of travel as well as the business portion of the city, and no effort is spared to maintain the high rank the House has held so long.

Fishing schooners Grace Choate and Rover's Bride are fitting out for the Banks, at Tredick's wharf.

There has been a material advance in the market price of shares in the Portland, Saco & Portsmouth Railroad, arrangements having been entered into by which the payment of the existing debts is provided for and permanent six per cent. dividends are assured. The stockholders will be called together early in May to ratify the proceedings of the Directors in this respect.

The large brick building on State street formerly occupied by Mr. Thos. S. Nowell as a shoe manufactory, with all the machinery, etc., contained therein, was sold at auction on Friday by Col. William H. Hackett, by order of the assignee of J. C. Carr, bankrupt. The building was bid off by Samuel S. Fryo for $5325. The entire property did not bring much more than $6000; cost about $25,000.

Some destructive and thievish scamp or scamps on Thursday night broke into the Spring Market and stole a quantity of fresh fish—perhaps a hundred pounds or so. To effect an entrance a window in the rear was smashed in, sash and all, the thieves evidently operating from a boat.

While Mr. J. Brooks' store-wagon was backed up to the North Mill recently, standing half-way across the road-way, a runaway team came along and capsized the whole concern, turning horse and wagon fairly upside down and pouring out all the bags of meal, but fortunately doing no harm to speak of.

Schooners Light of Home and Charlie, of Doane's fishing fleet, were ready to sail for the Banks on Thursday, but are detained by the bad weather.

A photograph of the ship Frank Jones, as she lies on the rocks at the entrance to San Francisco bay, is attracting considerable attention in the window of Buzzell's book and fancy goods store.

The female residents of South Hampton own more than two-thirds of the taxable property of the town, and know how to take care of their property, and yet complain that they cannot utter a word in any town election or say how or in what manner the money raised by taxation shall be appropriated, and they pay the larger part of the expenses of the town. This is "taxation without representation" to an extent not shown by any other town in New England.

James Redpath on the Southern Situation.

In response to Mr. Howard, ex-Sheriff of Jefferson county, Mississippi, who asked him what he thought of President Hayes and his policy, James Redpath has written a characteristic letter, in which he bitterly condemns the course thus far pursued by the administration in dealing with the Southern question. He thinks that Hayes is honest enough and means well. "But" to quote Mr. Redpath's language, "as Buckle has shown, the greatest ills that have come to man, through governments, have been inflicted by conscientious rulers—men of excellent intentions, like good little Hayes. As Lincoln will be known as the Liberator of the Slaves, and Grant as the Preserver of the Union, so Hayes will be remembered as the Betrayer of the Southern republicans."

The republican party, as far as President Hayes represents it, is, according to Mr. Redpath, "a leprous Lazarus, whining for the votes that fall from the Southern democratic table." Mr. Redpath, after dwelling upon what he regards as the lapse of the republican party from its old principles, says that "as far as the Gulf States go, the President of the United States is not Rutherford B. Hayes in the White House, but a decrepit old man, wasted and worn in body, but still vigilant and acute in mind, who lies on his sick bed in a committee room at the Capitol—Alexander H. Stephens. Stephens dictates, Hayes executes."

Coming to the consideration of the second question of his correspondent, Mr. Redpath says: "For myself, I propose to remain in the republican party, to do my part to purge it from the thieves on the one hand and the pedagogues on the other hand who now infest it; but if I were a negro and in the South, I should join the democratic party at once and vote for its candidates wherever they were reputable men. If they (the colored men) were to do so in a body, what would be the result? Absolute protection, to begin with, in their rights of life and property. They would not be driven from their homes by the thousands as they were driven into the highways of South Carolina, Mississippi and Louisiana, because of their loyalty to the republican party. The democratic negro is the safest male creature that I know of in the Gulf States. All other males must fight for themselves. For him, only, every white shotgun is ready to do battle to the death!"

After adding that the advice he gives has the endorsement of Wendell Phillips and Senator Bruce, Mr. Redpath says:

"But if I could lead the blacks, I would say to them still further—pay less attention to politics and seek power through business. Become the Jews of America. There are two great policies, both for men and races—Force and Conciliation. The Anglo-Saxon race fights. The Jewish race conciliates. Both have become great powers by policies entirely opposite. The black race cannot fight. It would be exterminated if it tried that policy. * * * Cease to array yourself against the whites in politics, but at the same time quietly and everywhere and always insist on the right of securing an education for your children. Securing that right your children will secure all others by and by."

A Queer Custom.

From a recent article on French etiquette we learn of a custom wich marks more forcibly than any peculiarity of which we have read, the difference between the Gallic and the Anglo-Saxon character. It appears that it is not quite the thing for a widow to contract a second marriage until her year of mourning expires, but she may lawfully do so at the end of ten months. She lays aside her weeds for the ceremony, but resumes them at its close, and, *mirabile dictu*, the new spouse also puts on mourning for his predecessor, not, as might be inferred, because he repents of his bargain, but as a mark of respect for number one. We never could see why a second husband should be jealous of a first one, but going into mourning for him will strike the average American man as an absurd way of striking the balance between joy and grief, an excess of sentiment. As men have made the laws they have been more lenient toward themselves than toward women, as while the widow must wait ten months before marrying the second time, the widower may marry as soon as he pleases, although to do so before six months elapses after his bereavement would be counted unseemly haste. Neither does it appear that the bride of a widower wears mourning for the dead wife. —*Exchange.*

—A Texas stage robber has been caught, and has employed a lawyer who was one of his latest victims to defend him.

—This is all that a French critic can make out of William Black's "Madcap Violet." "This reckless maiden from the very beginning shows herself to be so inconsiderate, so destitute of common sense, that one is not astonished when a violent sorrow dissipates the little reason which she possessed."

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MARINE CHRONICLE.

Barque Armenian, Salter, from Colombo, at Rangoon March 8, having arr 1st for Cochin.

Sch Union Flag, Frisbee, for this port from New York arr at Edgartown April 17.

Sch Isaac Carver, Williams, for this port, cld from Philadelphia April 18.

Sch Olive, Warren, for this port from Port Johnson passed through Hell Gate April 19.

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The Assessors of cities have by law all the powers of Selectmen and Assessors of towns in relation to the assessment and collection of taxes.

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—Sportsmen who go West to shoot will be interested in learning that the Illinois Legislature has passed a game law so stringent in its provisions that the Chicago *Tribune* says that a human being is the only kind of game left which it will be safe to kill during certain months.

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Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
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Boston & Providence	135
Boston & Albany	125
Nashua & Lowell	99
Cheshire	74
Concord	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	110½
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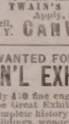

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Railroad Accident.

The express train from Bangor over the Eastern Railroad, due in Boston at half-past seven o'clock Friday evening, on reaching Lynn ran into an empty passenger train on a siding and smashed it, the express engine being somewhat damaged. The cause of the accident was the criminal carelessness of a switch-tender named Jordan. A train from Boston had arrived at Lynn and been set off on the side track for the night. The switchman, who in addition to tending the switches, also has charge of the engine bell or lantern, neglected to throw the switch over after it had been used for the shifting of the train, but hoisted the signal lantern to indicate that the main track was all right for the passage of trains. A few moments after, about seven o'clock, the Bangor express, consisting of seven cars, drawn by engine No. 55, came rushing along some four or five minutes late, evidently trying to make up the lost time, and without any warning rushed on to the siding and into the empty passenger train above mentioned. The momentum of the train had been considerably lessened, owing to the fact that when the rays of the headlight of the locomotive fell upon the switch, the engineer, William Paul, seeing that the switch was open, reversed his engine and applied the brakes, and it is owing to the watchfulness of the engineer that a greater calamity was averted. The engineer was the first to jump from the engine, which he did when the engine was within a few feet of the train, and he was quickly followed by the fireman. The engineer was injured internally and his face was badly cut, but, with assistance, he was able to walk to a physician's, and will be able to be about his duties in a few days. The fireman escaped with a severe shaking up, and was able to travel to his home.

The collision caused a frightful crash. In the Bangor train there were about 200 passengers, who were very much frightened and considerably shaken up, but only one passenger was injured, and that was caused by his falling forward on a stove, slightly cutting his head. C. E. Wheeler, employed as night watchman at the Lynn station, was attending to his duties on the train standing on the siding, and when the collision occurred he was knocked down and slightly injured about the head and shoulders. The loss to the Eastern Railroad will amount to upwards of $10,000. The baggage-car, which was one of the company's best, was telescoped and completely demolished; the next car, a smoker, was driven off the tracks some thirty feet and turned over on the side, completely obstructing the outward track. The locomotive was badly injured about the forward end, the machinery was considerably strained and the right side of the engine was jammed against a stone abutment. Immediately after the accident an extra engine was called into requisition.

The Constitutional Amendments.

The official result of the vote on the constitutional amendments is published. The average aggregate vote, for and against, was about 43,000. The aggregate vote for Governor was 77,880; showing that about 35,000 did not vote on the amendments, or nearly one-half.

The seventh question, abolishing the religious test, is carried by only four votes. Strafford county came within ten votes of accepting the first question, and Cheshire county came within four votes of rejecting it.

Rockingham county rejected the 1st, 6th, 7th and 12th questions; Strafford rejected the 1st and 12th; Belknap rejected the 1st, 6th and 7th; Carroll rejected the 1st, 6th, 7th and 12th; Merrimack rejected the 1st; Hillsborough rejected the 12th; Cheshire and Coos adopted all the questions; Sullivan rejected the 1st and 7th; and Grafton rejected the 1st, 7th and 12th.

By the adoption of the 6th amendment, making solicitors, registers of probate and sheriffs elective by the people, the appointment of thirty officers is taken from the Governor, and leaves him only the appointment of judges and the minor officers such as justices of the peace, etc. It will be incumbent on the coming Legislature to provide for the election of these county officers, and to prescribe the terms for which they shall hold office. As biennial elections are adopted, the term for these officers will probably be either two, four or six years, and without doubt the office of register of deeds will be included in the same provision.

Following we give the questions submitted, with the vote on each;

1. Do you approve of striking out the word "Protestant" in the Bill of Rights, as proposed in the amended constitution? Yeas, 27,665; nays, 15,907; rejected by 1383 votes.

2. Do you approve of so amending the Constitution that the General Court shall be authorized to provide for the trial of causes in which the value in controversy does not exceed one hundred dollars, and title to real estate is not concerned, without the intervention of a jury, as proposed in the amended constitution? Yeas, 35,562; nays, 7,712; adopted by 6720 votes.

3. Do you approve of the biennial election of Governor, Councillors, Members of the Senate and House of Representatives, and biennial sessions of the Legislature, as proposed in the amended constitution? Yeas, 32,471; nays, 10,295; adopted by 3961 votes.

4. Do you approve of a House of Representatives based upon population, and constituted and chosen as provided in the amended constitution? Yeas, 31,924; nays, 10,878; adopted by 3470 votes.

5. Do you approve of a Senate of twenty-four members, to be constituted and chosen as provided in the amended constitution? Yeas, 34,085; nays, 8,688; adopted by 5571 votes.

6. Do you approve of the election by the people of registers of probate, solicitors and sheriffs, as provided in the amended constitution? Yeas, 29,267; nays, 12,958; adopted by 1,117 votes.

7. Do you approve of abolishing the religious test as a qualification for office, as proposed in the amended constitution? Yeas, 28,475; nays, 14,231; adopted by 4 votes.

8. Do you approve of prohibiting the General Court from authorizing towns and cities to loan or give their money or credit to corporations, as proposed in the amended constitution? Yeas, 33,686; nays, 9,081; adopted by 5175 votes.

9. Do you approve of changing the time for holding the State election from March to November, as proposed in the amended constitution? Yeas, 36,237; nays, 7,390; adopted by 7153 votes.

10. Do you approve of authorizing the General Court to provide that appeals from a justice of the peace may be tried by some other court, without the intervention of a jury, as proposed in the amended constitution? Yeas, 33,392; nays, 8,869; adopted by 5218 votes.

11. Do you approve of authorizing the General Court to increase the jurisdiction of Justices of the Peace to one hundred dollars, as proposed in the amended constitution? Yeas, 32,592; nays, 9,414; adopted by 4588 votes.

12. Do you approve of the proposed amendment prohibiting the removal from office for political reasons? Yeas, 28,098 nays, 14,523; rejected by 816 votes.

13. Do you approve of the proposed amendment prohibiting money raised by taxation from being applied to the support of the schools or institutions of any religious sect or denomination, as proposed in the amended constitution? Yeas, 35,838; nays, 6,606; adopted by 7542 votes.

News and Notes.

A thunder-storm passed over Butler county, Penn., Thursday evening, and a flash of lightning struck a 25,000 barrel oil tank at a well on the Trostman farm, splitting the tank from top to bottom and setting the oil on fire. Two other tanks, each holding 25,000 barrels, were set on fire by the flaming oil, which rushed all over the town and burned all but two houses in it, and turned a small creek into a river of fire for miles. No lives were lost, but thirteen wells and six tanks (three of them small ones) were destroyed. Two of the large tanks were emptied by means of shot fired through them from a cannon brought from Petrolia.

At Newmarket, England, on Friday, Mr. Sanford's American colt Brown Prince won the plate for three-years-old horses, beating Perat, Bugle Horn and two others. Betting was thirty-three to one against Brown Prince before the start.

The coroner's jury in the case of the murder of Charles H. Gilman, at Rockport, Mass., on Friday rendered a verdict charging Albert Joy *alias* William Williams with the crime. Joy was lodged in Salem jail to await trial.

John Sullivan, a watchman on the Fitchburg Railroad, in Boston, while attending to his duties at Prison Point Thursday night, caught his foot in a "frog" as a train was approaching, and before he could disengage it his leg was run over and crushed in a terrible manner. He was taken to the Massachusetts General Hospital, where he died in about an hour.

Brig Zinobe was wrecked on Magdalen Islands early in the winter; crew of twelve men saved. Barque Silvia was abandoned near the Island Dec. 22d, and the crew, thirteen in number, landed in a small boat, and were badly frost-bitten. No vessel left the islands from November until April, the first one arriving at Cape Breton with the wrecked crews on the 19th.

Attorney-General Devens has decided that the United States government must pay over to the State of Georgia $190,000 on account of certain railroad transactions, and the Secretary of the Treasury has issued a warrant in accordance with the decision.

A coroner's jury at Welford, N. B., has rendered a verdict of death by murder in the case of Thomas Kingsin of New York, produce merchant, found dead some time ago beside the railroad track there.

New Hampshire Items.

Judge Allen on Friday, at Keene, sentenced Wm. Burgess for breaking and entering to three years in the State Prison, Wm. Thurston for breaking and entering to two years, and Elliot J. Davis for adultery to eighteen months.

The Governor and Council have decided to ask the opinion of the Supreme Court regarding the power of the State returning board to go behind the returns in counting the votes for State Senators and members of Congress, and reject or disregard votes on the ground that they are cast for an ineligible person, "or on the ground that a candidate can have but one name, and the name by which he is commonly known is printed on the ballots, while he has sometimes been called by another name; or on the ground that there is no such man as one of those for whom the returns show that votes were thrown; or on the ground that the name on the ballots was not the legal name of the candidate; or on the ground that certain ballots do not contain the full Christian name of the candidate intended to be voted for." The case directly in point is that of Frank Jones, Congressman-elect in the First District. The republicans claim that his name is Benjamin Franklin Jones, as shown by the will of his father, but that the ballots were cast for Frank Jones. This action of the Governor and Council was not done with the intention of withholding Mr. Jones' certificate, but to obtain the opinion of the Court as a matter of precedent.

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Orders left at his residence, No. 97 State Street, or at D. H. Montgomery's Music Store, will receive prompt attention.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirement in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

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" Way,	10.40 "	4.45	"
ortland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30	"
ast (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
ddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
rent Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
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oston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
over,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

† Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

oston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15	P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50	P. M
ortland and East,	11.20 "	5.50	"
reat Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "		"
oncord and North,	10.20 "	6.20	"
over,	10.20 "	5.50	"

* Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

MEMORIAL DAY.

All persons interested in a suitable observance of Memorial Day are requested to meet at the Common Council Room at half-past seven o'clock, Tuesday evening, April 4th. A full attendance is desirable, as the time for preparation is brief.

A BIG DECK-LOAD.

The three-masted schooner Anson Stimson, of Gloucester, Mass., Capt. Reed, arrived at the navy yard last week from Providence, R. I., with the new boilers for the U. S. S. Lancaster. They were built by the Providence Steam Engine Company, and were insured for the trip from Providence to this port, to the amount of $70,000. Four of the boilers, weighing one hundred and twenty tons, were lashed on deck; and two smaller ones, weighing nine tons each, were stowed in the hold. The trip was long and tedious, head winds and boisterous weather prevailing most of the time from the date of the schooner's sailing to her arrival here. An old and experienced coast pilot, Capt. Swift, was employed in the interests of the underwriters. That the schooner is a big one need hardly be said, for it is not a small craft that can carry a hundred and twenty tons of dead weight—and in a most clumsy shape at that—on deck. No worse cargo was ever carried round Cape Cod at this season of the year, than this same deck-load of boilers; and the safe arrival of the vessel is a certificate of her good qualities and the skillful seamanship and carefulness of the master and pilot in charge.

The Anson Stimson is a nearly new vessel, and a fine one; and is fitted with a steam winch and all the other modern improvements and conveniences. She presented a comical appearance when coming up the river, looking somewhat like an exaggerated hay-stack with three masts in it; owing to the bulk of the boilers the booms were shored half-way — or less — up the masts, and in beating against a head wind we imagine she would work to windward just like a hay-stack. The boilers are now being taken out by the navy yard men.

JOTTINGS.

The boys implicated in the thefts from Mr. Wm. P. Walker's store were again brought before the Police Court on Saturday, and the cases against three of them placed on file, to be called up for action in case they misbehave in the future; a fourth one had his case continued for one week.

Valentine Doane, Jr., of this city, has had built a schooner of 235 tons carpenters' measure at Essex, Mass., by Messrs. Adams & Story, which is to be employed in the fishing business out of this port. She was just been launched, is named "Henry A. Clark" in honor of one of our thriving business men, and is built in the most substantial manner and of the best of timber.

The Nowell shoe manufactory was not sold by order of the assignee of J. C. Carr," as stated in our notice of the sale, but by order of E. P. Kimball, Esq., assignee of the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, the the bank having taken possession of the property under a mortgage from Mr. Thos. J. Nowell.

We propose to give a series of articles descriptive of present and past business operations in this city, and print No. One of the series in this issue—a carefully prepared account of the method of brewing beer, with a detailed description of the Jones Brewery. Those who don't approve of beer as a beverage, as well as those who do, will find the article interesting.

We are pleased to learn that Portsmouth is soon to have a new directory; the recent numbering of the houses and stores making it necessary. The canvass will be made by experienced men, and we hope the citizens will take pains to see that the information needed is correctly given, thus enabling the publishers, Messrs. Greenough & Co., to issue a reliable work. All the usual information will be inserted, including the street directory, and should sufficient encouragement be given, a new map of Portsmouth will be engraved especially for this book. The business men should see that the advertising department is well patronized, thus showing that Portsmouth is not behind other cities in public spirit and local pride.

Mr. William F. Grant, of Noble's Island, who had his hand and arm badly injured last week by a blow from a pile-driver monkey weighing 1800 pounds, we are pleased to announce did not lose his arm at the elbow, as reported, a portion of his hand only (about one-half) being amputated. But it is a severe accident for an industrious man, at the best.

The sending of the Lancaster's boilers to this navy yard is an encouraging indication that there is to be some work done here at some time or other. It can't get along too soon.

Mr. Cole, who some six years ago was a telegraph operator here, is now on a visit, this city as agent for Chester's Fire Alarm Telegraph, endeavoring to secure its adoption by the city government.

BEER, AND HOW IT IS BREWED.

Ale or Beer is a spiritous liquor made from barley of very ancient and general use. It was originally made in Egypt and supplied the place of wine. Herodotus says (401 B. C.) Egyptians made wine from barley. The antiquity of Egypt is so great that the history of its infancy and youth are as yet unopened books to the student. The first glimpse we have of her existence is 2364 B. C., when she appears to us in the full vigor of manhood, deep in learning and science and under a monarchial form of government. A nation with so venerable a record and a people so remarkable justifies us in the belief that ale was made, perhaps centuries anterior to the date given by Herodotus, of its use. Parks, in his account of travels through Africa, tells of ale made from corn in the same manner as barley is now used. New Englanders made ale from maize, and from the bread made thereof. Some historians assert that there was no malt liquor as distinguished from ale until hops were introduced, which was in 1492 or some time subsequent to that date. Other materials were used, such as wormwood and other plants of similar nature. Beer, in its early days, as at the present time, had its supporters and condemners; one class maintained that it produced leprosy and other complaints, while others (since hops have become one of its ingredients) say that it tends to purify the blood, remove obstructions, etc. To judge fairly of its favorable or deleterious effects, we should be governed by facts rather than theory. The Germans, who stand as high in intellect, energy and sobriety as any nation in the world, are a beer drinking people; one of their social and most attractive institutions is the beer garden; here whole families congregate without distinction or caste; professors, students, mechanics and laborers, in numbers large enough to form a small township; here one hears both vocal and instrumental selections from Meyerbeer, Bethoven, Mozart and other classical authors, while trees, shrubbery, flowering plants and playing fountains present a scene homelike and pleasant. Englishmen, with their rotundity of form and jolly faces, drink their beer. In our own community, since the introduction of beer, its advocates claim that intemperance has fallen off to a great degree, and assert that in supplying the place of strong alcoholic stimulants it has proved a modifier of intemperance, and that our city shows much less inebriety than smaller places where the prohibitory law is in effect.

The success attending the manufacturing of beer in this city merits more than a casual notice. The first (of the kind that is now used) was made by Mr. John Swindell on Bridge street, in quantities to supply his retail trade. This was in 1854. In October 1856 he built a brewery on Albany street, and in January 1857 commenced manufacturing on a larger scale. In the same year Hon. Frank Jones bought in as partner. In a few months the partnership was dissolved, when Mr. Swindell again built on the corner of Islington and Creek streets, and continued in the business some two or three years, until his decease. The reputation of the beer, which to some extent has been attributed to the quality of the water, caused an increased demand. The shrewd business talent and capital of Mr. Jones were brought into requisition; from one building the establishment has grown to its present proportions, and now has facilities equal to any brewery in New England. It takes in an area of about two acres on which are some ten or twelve buildings, including extensions. Within three years a track has been laid which connects with the several railroads. Car loads of grain are carried to (and by means of an elevator placed in) the grain room, and beer is loaded directly from the storehouse, thus saving a great amount of labor and use of teams.

THE MALT HOUSE.

One of the principal attractions is the malt house. This is a brick building 155 by forty-seven feet, three stories high. The upper room or loft is used for storing the barley, and has a capacity of holding 25,000 bushels. Great care is taken in the selection of grain. It must be ripe and sweet, the earliest being the most profitable. The quality must be even. The old and new must not be mixed. That grown in lime districts is hard and not so easy to manage. The first and second floors are used for the making of malt. The first process is steeping. In one corner of each room is a steeper holding 600 bushels, 1200 in both. These are easily filled with the barley by means of conductors leading from the store-room, through the floor, to the cisterns. Water is pumped in until it acquires a depth of three or four inches above the grain; the good or heavy remains at the bottom, while the light or defective rises to the top and is skimmed off. If the water shows any signs of fermentation it is drawn off and fresh is added. It remains in the cistern seventy-two hours, or until it is fully swollen and easily perforated with a needle. The water is then drawn off and the barley is left to drain for twenty-four hours, after which it is taken out and thrown into a pile for six hours. It is then spread on the floor (which is cemented) to the depth of twelve inches. This is called a couch. Although apparently dry when spread, it soon grows moist and acquires a heat ten degrees higher than the surrounding atmosphere; that portion nearest the floor attains a much higher temperature than on or near the surface, the thermometer sometimes indicating sixty degrees. By means of windows on each side the temperature is raised or lowered as necessary. The grain is turned over twice a day; if the heat is in excess of what is required it is "plowed" a third time. It is thrown forward and re-spread every two days, each time diminishing in depth, the last layer being only three or four inches deep. At the second spread or fifth day, the germination begins by the shooting out of the roots from the tip of the grain. At this stage it sends forth an odor which is very pleasant. Water is occasionally sprinkled over it during the next seventy-six hours to hasten the growth. On the ninth day the acrospire or sprout appears and the germination is now checked. By this process the grain is converted from starch to sugar. It is then thrown into the drying kiln, which is directly back of the malt room. The floor is of iron, closely perforated with small holes; the heat being underneath and radiating evenly to all parts. The grain is placed in layers ten inches deep, with at first a temperature of seventy-five degrees, and afterwards raised to one hundred and fifty. It remains there three days. In the drying operation the rootlets become brittle, and break off when passing through the screen. From the kiln it goes to the store room where it is kept free from the air. The pale or amber ale is made from the light colored malt. The dark (which is caused by laying a longer time in the kiln) is browned and made into porter. Malt in this climate is not made during the three or four warm months. The making of malt is as distinct from brewing as a directly opposite trade. There are features about it which one contemplates with pleasure. The pleasant odor and cleanliness which pervades everywhere; the curious working of the plumula or sprout making sugar as it passes through the centre from one end to the other, as when one-half through it is one-half sugar, and when it first appears on the surface the heart of the grain is all sugar,—and if allowed to grow, the sugar then diminishes as the young stock feeds upon it. It requires delicacy of judgment, close observation and years of experience before one can acquire the reputation of, or become, a good maltster.

THE BREWERY.

The brewery is of brick, about seventy feet square and four stories high. Like all breweries it has its windings and turns; rooms here, rooms there, rooms everywhere. What to the visitors seems confusion, to the brewers is all system. Beer is the extraction from malt by water. The malt is taken from the store-room and placed in a revolving screen, where it is divested of all dust and foreign matter; then is conducted to what is called a mill. This has two rotary cylinders, two feet long and fourteen inches in diameter. The malt passes between, is crushed or bruised and ready for the mash, (which is an invention of the Scotch and by them called "pony mash.") The mash is also a cylinder, five feet long and twenty inches in diameter; near one end are two water pipes leading into it, one on each side; a few inches behind and on top is where the malt enters. Inside and running through the centre is a shaft resembling the tooth part of a rake, with strong iron teeth on either side. As the malt runs in, it mixes with the water (at a temperature of 167 degrees) from the pipes; these are four inches in diameter, and fed from two copper cisterns holding three hundred barrels each, placed on the floor above. The malt as it mixes with the water is caught up by the teeth of the shaft, which is revolving from 300 to 350 times a minute, thoroughly mixing the ingredients, which then pass out at the end into the mash tub. An indicator on the side of the room shows the number of barrels of water used. The mash tub is of copper, 6 1-2 feet deep and 18 feet in diameter, and will hold about 700 bushels. It has a false bottom made of heavy copper plate, in which are closely cut narrow slots. This serves as a strainer. The mash remains in the tub about two hours, when it is carefully drawn off; the liquor being the color of the malt employed. At the same time water at a temperature of 175 degrees is let on by means of a sparge, an automatical arrangement. It is made of four copper pipes, perforated with small holes on one side, connected in the centre and extending across the inner part of the tub. The force of the water causes it to revolve and one might compare the effect as representing minature falls of rain drops. This process takes in all about eight hours, and needs great care to keep the water at the required temperature. The next process is boiling. The liquor drawn off from the mash tub runs into the boiler, which is of copper and holds 500 barrels. At the bottom is placed a coil of three-inch pipe, through which the steam (at 270 degrees) passes and boils the liquor. Hops are here introduced, generally in the proportion of nearly one pound to a bushel of malt. A saccharometer is used to ascertain the quantity of the saccharine matter. After it has acquired the proper density it is drawn off into a vat separated from the main building, in order to allow the escape of the great amount of steam which would materially affect the malt and hops in the store rooms. From this it is sent by a force pump into the surface cooler, which is a basin or reservoir 40 by 25 feet, and two feet deep. It remains here about half an hour, and settles to some extent during the time. It is then run off into the cooling room in which are two patent coolers. These are upright stands, nine feet high and twenty-one feet long. A row of copper pipes three inches in diameter, connected with and placed one above the other, are filled with ice water constantly running through them. The beer falls down over these pipes in a gentle shower, and while the beer on top indicates a temperature of 170 degrees, at the foot it shows only 55. This sudden cooling is necessary to prevent acetous fermentation. The beer is caught in a basin at the base of the stand and runs through pipes to the fermenting tubs. The room in which these tubs are placed presents a sight both novel and interesting. There are six, three on a side, each holding when full 400 barrels. At the bottom is an attemperator, or coil of pipes about five feet high, filled with water at a temperature to increase or decrease the fermentation. Yeast is here added, and in about twelve hours the settlings, which are of a dark color (produced by the hops), rise and are skimmed off. This is followed by a creamy froth from one to three feet deep, resembling the foam on the beach during a severe storm. It builds itself into castles and turrets which are constantly toppling over and are as soon rebuilt, ever taking new forms and ever being undermined by its continued working. Aphrodites might revel amidst these gossamer palaces and be as blithe and merry as when decorating themselves with the lace work woven by the sea and fringing the restless wave. It is allowed to ferment for six days, and is skimmed six or eight times every twenty-four hours. Skimming boxes on a rail and moved easily from one tub to another are placed in the centre of the room. The ale which settles at the bottom is drawn off and returned to the tubs; the rest is washed away. From the fermenting it goes to the racking tub, and here the last skimming takes place, the skimmings here being used for yeast. It is estimated that 300 barrels of beer will make 600 pounds of yeast. The racking tub is placed in the cellar and has from twelve to twenty outlets; one man filling two barrels at a time. Sometimes syrup and a few hops are put into the barrel, the bungs are put in and it is then carried to the store room, ready for shipping. In three days it is ready for use. A scald shed 115 feet by 50 is attached, and as soon as the empty barrels are returned they are scalded and cleaned before using again. All the vats, cisterns, tubs and pipes are thoroughly cleansed as soon as emptied, to preserve the flavor of the ale. The vast amount of capital, material and labor requisite to manufacture from 80,000 to 100,000 barrels of beer a year, the perseverance to overcome obstacles which naturally occur, give one an idea of the will, the energy and the strong guiding hand necessary for success. The quantity of grain and malt purchased, will at a fair estimate approach and perhaps exceed 150,000 bushels. The average force employed at the brewery is from 60 to 70 men, twelve horses and one or two yoke of oxen; there are also five persons at the office in this city and four at the office and depot in Boston. 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DIED.

CATE. In Greenland, April 21, Mr. William Cate, aged 84 years, 6 months, 24 days.

OSORIO. In Matanzas, Cuba, March 29, of consumption, Enriqueta, wife of Dr. N. J. Osorio of this city, aged 29 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

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"Every person liable to be taxed in such town shall exhibit to the Selectmen, at the time and place appointed by them, or upon such personal application, a true account of the polls and estate for which he is there taxable, either in his own right or otherwise, on oath if required by either of the Selectmen, which oath either of the Selectmen may administer."

"If any person shall neglect or refuse, after due notice given as aforesaid, or when called upon by any Selectman, to give such account, the Selectmen shall set down to such person, by way of doomage, as much as they judge equitable, which shall be conclusive in all cases, unless the party shall show, by his statement under oath, that it was not in his power to exhibit such statement."

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Portsmouth, April 11, 1877.

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Daily Chronicle.

Joaquin Miller Shocked.

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Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
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"Those in favor of the amendment offered by the Senator from Phelps will say aye," said Senator Phelan, who occupied the chair.

"Aye!" rang out Seay's voice, solitary and alone.

"Those who are opposed say no," said the chair.

"No-o-o!" responded the entire Senate in chorus.

A deadly pallor overspread Seay's face as he sank back in his chair with a sad realization that his cherished dream had fled.

"The noes appear to have it," said Phelan.

"Division! division!" came up from all parts of the chamber.

"Those in favor of the amendment will rise and stand until they are counted," said the chair, and up stood every Senator except Seay, who had not yet sufficiently recovered from his shock to have strength enough to rise to his feet.

"How does the Senator from Phelps vote?" innocently inquired the chair.

"Why—why—why—of course I vote aye, Mr. President!" said Seay, in a bewildered sort of way, as if he could scarcely believe the evidence of his own senses at the sudden turn of affairs.

"The ayes have it, and the amendment is adopted," announced the chair.

Never was there a more forcible illustration of the darkness of midnight, as it were, in the twinkling of an eye converted into the glorious light afforded by the splendor of the noonday sun, than Seay's features exhibited at this moment. The painful sadness of the moment before gave way to a smile which seemed to illuminate the whole chamber. There was then a big laugh at the Senator's expense.—*St. Louis Republican.*

A Reporter's Vengeance.

A difficulty arose between a Chicago reporter and a native of sunny Italy who kept a peanut stand in that city of big fires and keen enterprise. One day the reporter, with the daughter of a millionaire hanging on his arm, passed the stand of the Marchese, when the latter exclaimed: "Hi-a, cully, when-a you-a pay me zose pife scudi, hem?" What happened after that the Chicago *Tribune* relates as follows: The reporter went to the office and took an oath on the assignment book to be avenged—to be powerfully avenged; then he wrote a little item headed "A City Romance," in which he stated that the Marchese was an eccentric Roman prince who had given all his estates to the church in penitence for murdering his brother, who was his rival in the affections of a beautiful countess, and that by economy, poker-dice and speculation in suburban lots he had accumulated a fortune of nearly $300,000 in Chicago. Then he smiled a fiendish smile, and induced the city editor to give it a big display head, and went on his way rejoicing. That poor Italian never knew what ruined him. When he got to his accustomed station next morning there were about two hundred men waiting for him, to borrow money of him on ample security at 10 per cent. a month; to get him to become a partner with $650 in a well-established business that would pay $26,000 a year if the additional capital could only be secured; to sell him some Calumet real estate; to get him to endow a theological chair in the Oshkosh Cosmopolitan University; to sell him a trotting-horse that could show 2.64 every day in the week (price $450), and for various other purposes. His knowledge of English was very imperfect, and he was an excitable man, and when the eleventh speculator came up and asked him to lend him $15,000 to start an oleomargarine quarry he blacked his eye, and in the confusion that arose his portable stove was sacked and the peanuts scattered to the winds of heaven. The police restored order, and then he was notified that if he persisted in collecting such crowds around him and becoming a public nuisance his license would be revoked. Then the collectors for charitable and religious societies began to besiege him, and while he was driving them away with a club his last lot of peanuts burned. Then a delegation from the Chicago Commune visited him, and when he refused to divide, according to the principles of liberty, fraternity and equality, fell upon him as a traitor, and mashed him as flat as several pan-cakes. After the police surgeon had sewed on his ear, and stitched his nose together, the Marchese started for home, wheeling his cart, which had only half a shaft and one wheel left, and surrounded by a bevy of anxious mothers who wanted to secure him and his title and his $300,000 for their daughters. After a while he placed himself under the protection of

the police, and about 10 o'clock the coast was sufficiently clear for him to venture out. When he had nearly reached home he was sand-bagged and gone through by a highwayman, who had tracked him all day, and who, when he only found two nickles and a door-key on the Marchese, sand-bagged him till he was black and blue and sore all over. After lying senseless a while he managed to crawl to his lonely hovel, and found that a gang of enterprising burglars had already been there and torn up the floors, and ripped up the bed, and smashed up the furniture, and dug out the chimney with pickaxes, looking for his $300,000. The poor Italian had merely strength enough to crawl to the river and pitch himself in, and as the reporter was going home about 2 A. M. and saw the splintered peanut-cart he knew that his vengeance was complete, and hurrying back to the office, put a little item in the "Personals" to say that the Italian Marchese and millionaire, whose wealth had been described the day before, had purchased a palatial residence in Naples, and left Chicago the evening before to occupy it and spend the remainder of his days in opulence. Such was the reporter's vengeance.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1877.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 21.

Washington folks are largely with the Russian, or rather almost uniformly against the Turk, in the Eastern unpleasantness. No doubt seems to be entertained either in private, government or diplomatic circles, that a formal declaration of hostilities will be declared in a few days at farthest; and there is a general agreement as to the stimulating effect a war of the character and magnitude threatened would have upon almost every United States industry.

The scenes in the different rooms of the printing bureau when the lists of the doomed were read at the close of office hours on Wednesday, were pathetic and touching to the last degree to those not wholly heartless and indifferent to the sufferings of those around them. Among them were mothers with families of small children wholly dependent upon the small pittance received for food, clothing and shelter; fathers in a like condition; widows, and those still more unfortunate in having worthless, drunken husbands, who squander what the wife earns; and the son or daughter with sick or aged parents, who find themselves face to face with starvation, not only for themselves but for those whose comforts are still more a matter of concern than their own. Yesterday, many of those discharged were before the officials pleading and begging to be reinstated; but it was not learned that a single one of the entire number was successful. Startling disclosures are undoubtedly in store for the public should the manager of the management of this bureau ever be overhauled and the results made known. More than one official, it may be safely said, is now in a state bordering on frenzy lest that course be adopted.

The course Wade Hampton has adopted in virtually ejecting some of the Chamberlain State officials whose claims were before the Courts for adjudication, and in filling the vacancies thus made by appointees of his own, has aroused a good deal of indignation here, and even some of his more cautious friends condemn his action as very unwise and unpolitic. He is openly charged with having broken his word given the President, by those who have warmly espoused the Southern policy. KNOX.

News and Notes.

The Czar of Russia visited the troops at Kischeneff on Sunday. It is said the Czarwitch will accompany the troops through the campaign. A telegram from Constantinople says that the Sultan has decided to go to the Danube and take command of the Turkish forces during the war. Prince Charles of Roumania will assume command of the Roumanian troops, who will co-operate with the Russians.

Boston has had two more fatal shooting affairs. On Saturday a boy named Stephen E. Cox, aged six years, was deliberately shot in the head by Dudley D. Kimball, a boy four years of age. The wounded boy died in a few hours. On Sunday, Mrs. Alice Wooley, aged twenty-five, was fatally shot in the head by Miss Josephine Taylor, aged twenty-two, in a "club-house" where both resided.

Edward S. Rand, Jr., of Dedham, Mass., the lawyer who lived in such grand style on the trust funds in his possession, on Saturday took the poor debtor's oath and was discharged from jail. Throughout his dishonest career he has done nothing rendering him amenable to the criminal law.

Base ball, Saturday: in Boston, the Bostons beat the Lowells in an eleven-innings game, 4 to 2; in Lynn,—Harvards 6, Live Oaks 5; in Louisville,—Louisvilles 1, Indianapolis 2.

Charles M. Sterling was hanged at Youngstown, Ohio, on Saturday, for the murder of a young girl. The wretched man was thirteen minutes in dying, the knot having slipped around under his ear.

The mail steamer between Brest, France, and the island of Ushant, has been wrecked, eight passengers and all the crew being drowned.

Lieut. J. L. Knapp, U. S. A., Post Surgeon Andrews and Post Sutler J. S. Moore were drowned at the mouth of the Columbia river last Thursday, by the upsetting of a boat.

Adam Holderbaum, on trial at Oroville, Cal., Saturday, for complicity in the attempt to burn the Chinese quarter at Chico, pleaded guilty, and will probably get the full benefit of the law.

The cost of burying the dead who were burned to death in the Brooklyn Theatre was about $10,000, which the city has paid. An examination of the bills makes it pretty plain that 30 per cent. went to political leeches.

Eighty lodges of Cheyennes, under Dull Knife and Standing Elk, surrendered to Gen. Crook on Saturday.

Professor Albert E. Carpenter, a mesmerist and lecturer, was arrested in Worcester, Mass., on Saturday, charged with a criminal assault on Miss Mary Eva Sperry, a young woman who has been a "subject" at Carpenter's lectures. Miss Sperry, who has borne a good name, is a clergyman's daughter, and says she was twice "impelled" by Carpenter to accompany him to his room, where the assault was committed on the occasion of her last visit, she being semi-conscious but unable to resist.

Rev. Baman N. Stone, for the past three years pastor of the Congregational church Fryeburg, Me., publicly acknowledged Sunday his full belief in the Swedenborgian faith, and tendered his resignation at the close of the morning service.

The cutter of the United States steamer Gettysburg has defeated the crack boat of the English gunboat Cockatrice in a four-mile race on the Bosphorus, by more than three minutes. The American boat was a third heavier, and by agreement pulled ten oars, carrying a coxswain and 100 pounds dead weight. The Britisher, who was challenger, pulled eight oars. Time—Americans 28m 21s, Britishers 41m 33s.

The decree in favor of Mrs. Myra Clark Gaines commands the defendants to account to the Master in Chancery for all income from the property during their long possession. They are ousted from their titles and from all accumulation therefrom. The decision involves also heavy claims against the city of New Orleans, which has sold a large amount of the property in question with full warranty of title. When Mrs. Gaines comes into full possession of her property it is estimated that she will have $40,000,000 or more. It isn't every forty-years-long law-suit that ends so well for a litigant.

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It is a remarkable fact that in less than one year, in 1843-44, Maine had five different Governors, which number has probably never been equalled in any State of the Union within a similar period of time, as follows: Gov. Fairfield, elected for 1843, resigned; Gov. Kavanagh, President of the Senate, 1843, resigned; Gov. Dunn, Speaker of the House, 1843, superseded by Gov. Dana, President of the Senate, 1844; Gov. Anderson, elected for the year 1844.

Certain Washington correspondents have quoted Secretary of the Navy Thompson as saying that ex-Secretary Robeson was certainly guilty of gross maladministration and dishonesty; but Secretary Thompson himself says: "Since I have been in the Navy Department I have found nothing which led me ever to suspect, certainly not to believe, that Secretary Robeson had been guilty of any act of personal dishonor. All the charges made against him probably grow out of disappointment on the part of individuals. The utmost that can be said, and all that could be said, is simply that there is some difference between Secretary Robeson and myself as to the methods of administration in the Department. What has been said by various newspapers affecting his personal integrity, is in no sense authorized by me, or founded on anything I have said or done."

Political.

The democratic *Index-Appeal* of Petersburg, Va., is evidently ill at ease, and exhorts the faithful as follows: "The signs of a new issue in Virginia politics are becoming evident, and will doubtless complicate the next Gubernatorial contest. It is tolerably certain that the republican party will make no nomination in this fight, but will await the development of an Administration party, whose candidate they will support in order to defeat the regular conservative nominee. This design will be materially aided by the intense sectional feeling now pervading the conservative ranks, and a dangerous alliance is possible, if any section so far forgets its loyalty in a moment of defeat as to yield to the suggestion of an independent candidate to gratify its resentment. The plan has but one object—the disintegration of the conservative party—and should be strongly discountenanced by every man who claims to be faithful to the principles of his party."

The New York *Tribune* speaks of Charles Francis and Samuel J. as "prehistoric statesmen," says the former's letter "reads like a fragment of correspondence between twin mound-builders," and asks: "If Mr. Adams was inspired to 'seize' the 5th of March as the appropriate time for giving a character to himself and to Mr. Tilden, why didn't somebody 'seize' an earlier day for letting the world know something about it? Is the Reunion party making such prosperous headway that the dry bones of all the political fossils in the country feel called upon to rattle up in windrows to block the way?"

Warmoth, the most noted ground and lofty tumbler in the political world, turned another handspring on Saturday. He led all but six members of Packard's legislature over to the Nicholls organization, and made a speech on entering the Nicholls House at the head of the procession. If the Nicholls party will only keep Warmoth and Pinchback, the republicans of Louisiana will feel that the long contest has resulted in some good.

The Portland correspondent of the Boston *Globe*, speaking of the proposed anti-Blaine paper about which there has been so much talk, says: "Not much is heard about the new republican paper to be started here by ex-Collector Washburn and others. The money does not appear to be forthcoming as rapidly as was anticipated. Congressman Burleigh is said to have subscribed $5000, and Mr. Washburn is said to be willing to sink $10,000 of his money the first year. That appears to be about all the actual money that has been subscribed. Mr. Washburn says, however, that the paper will be issued about the first of July. To carry out the plan that is said to have been laid out will require an outlay of at least $50,000 the first year. There are a good many sceptical ones, who do not believe the paper will be started at all."

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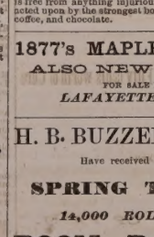

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Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
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MEMORIAL DAY.

All persons interested in a suitable observance of Memorial Day are requested to meet at the Common Council Room at half-past seven o'clock, this evening, April 24th. A full attendance is desirable, as the time for preparation is brief.

JOTTINGS.

The New Hampshire Conference of the Methodist Church at its late session at Dover made the following appointments to towns in this vicinity: Portsmouth, J. Noyes; Greenland, George W. Ruland; Hampton, J. P. Frye; Seabrook, W. C. Tansom; Epping, W. H. Jones; Newmarket, H. Dorr; South Newmarket, O. S. Baketel; Exeter, J. H. Haines; Dover, M. W. Prince. Rev. A. C. Hardy was appointed Principal of Pennacook Normal Academy; Rev. C. M. Dinsmore is sent to South Amesbury, Mass.

A marine survey has been held on ship William H. Marcy, of this port, which arrived at San Francisco April 9th, leaking, and the surveyors have directed that she be caulked, coppered and have six additional beams put in.

Ephraim C. Spinney, Esq., of Kittery, while working on his farm last week had the misfortune to dislocate his ankle; but the dislocation was promptly reduced and he will probably not suffer any permanent injury from the accident.

An excursion from this city to Dover, to attend the musical convention in that city, is proposed for Thursday, the 26th.

Tax payers will do well to remember that inventories of their taxable property will be received by the Assessors "until the 25th day of April," and that to-day is the 24th.

Four schooners, deep-loaded with bricks and "waiting for a slant" to get to their ports of destination with a fair wind and smooth water, were moored side by side at the draw of Portsmouth bridge on Sunday. The bricks are from the yards on the banks of the Cocheco river.

The Methodist Conference at Dover on Saturday elected Orin E. Wright, and William A. Loyne of this city, to local deacon's orders.

Mr. George H. Tripp has opened a large stock of room-papers, window curtains and fixtures, etc., at the store corner of Daniel and Penhallow streets. All this stock is *new*, the whole of Mr. Tripp's old stock having been sold at auction since the fire and water turned him out of his store on Market street. See advertisement.

We have received *The Black Hills and American Wonderland*, by H. N. Maguire, who has spent twelve years in the Black Hills and Yellowstone region. The book treats of the mining prospects, agricultural and grazing resources, hunting and fishing facilities and great natural wonders of this region. Illustrated with twenty-seven engravings, and a map. Price ten cents, of newsdealers; or sent postpaid, for twelve cents, by Donnelley, Loyd & Co., publishers, Chicago, Ill.

Mr. Josiah H. Morrison is putting in the foundation for a block of buildings on the site of the old Akerman house on Islington street, recently sold and removed.

The Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company have their new main wire from Boston to Portland built about half-way to this city, and inside of a week will have it here, it is expected. Having more business than can be accommodated on a single wire, the company intend to immediately open branches in the Rockingham House, Neil's flour store and the Eldredge Brewing Company's office.

Complaints having been made to the police concerning the intrusion of dandelion hunters on private property, the officials have moved in the matter and on Monday two tresspassers were taken to the station. The boys must look out and not infringe on the rights of others, in their hunt for greens.

Mr. George William Bartlett of this city, of the senior class of the scientific department of Dartmouth college, has been appointed one of the prize speakers for Commencement.

Clipper ship North American, commanded by Capt. George Wallace Tucker of this city, arrived at Liverpool, Eng., on Friday, having made the run from San Francisco in one hundred and twenty days.

Referring to Rev. Daniel Austin's resignation of the position of President and Member of the Board of Trustees of the Rice Public Library of Kittery, the Board at the last meeting passed the following resolution: "That the Trustees of the Rice Public Library desire to express their appreciation of the valuable services of Mr. Austin since the institution has been in existence, and his unselfish devotion to the interests of the Library, and deeply regret that the infirmities of ripened years have compelled him to sever his official connection with the Board. That we appreciate his continued interest in the welfare of the Library; and trust he may be permitted for a long time to see it progress in its already successful career of usefulness and benefit to the inhabitants of Kittery."

POLICE COURT.

Monday, April 23d.

William Quinn and William Larkin (colored) brought cross actions against each other for assault and battery; but as Larkin seemed to have all the scars, and Quinn, who claimed to have been hit by several brick-bats at short range, was unable to show the marks where they hit, the former was discharged and the latter fined $3, costs $5.76. Quinn appealed, and gave bonds in $50 for his appearance at a higher court.

DOING 'EM PROUD.

The Franklin Falls *Journal* gives an account of a grand ball and promenade concert given in that town by Stark Engine Company, and pays the following generous compliment to a deservedly popular Portsmouth organization:

"The music was by Harlow's Orchestra of Portsmouth. H. L. Harlow, the leader, was band-master of the U. S. Naval Band of the Portsmouth navy yard, and all the orchestra were among its former members. * * * All the numbers of the [concert] programme were very finely rendered and those who carelessly neglected the concert lost a rare musical treat. The clarionet obligato by Mr. John F. Shillaber and the cornet solo by Mr. Frank Burnham were especially worthy of notice. Mr. Burnham ranks among the first cornet players in the country. With the exception of Chandler's band of Portland, which played at last year's ball, no music ever gave such unqualified satisfaction to our community as Mr. Harlow's band. The prompter, Mr. J. F. Harlow, was conceded to be the best prompter we ever had. The personal appearance of the band was unusually prepossessing and won the admiration of all. It is hoped they will come again at an early day."

At a subsequent meeting of the Engine Company the following preamble and resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, the success of our third annual ball was largely due to the excellence of the music furnished by Mr. H. L. Harlow's band of Portsmouth,

Resolved, that the thanks of this company be tendered to Mr. Harlow and through him to the members of his band for the complete satisfaction given and for the courteous and pleasant manner with which they accepted all our arrangements.

Resolved, that as men and musicians, Harlow's orchestra is not excelled by any similar organization in this State.

A PUPIL'S SENTIMENTS.

Throughout the various public schools of our city, we are favored with faithful and proficient teachers, who have devoted years of their life to this unremitting and arduous work. Among those teachers whose instructions are not forgotton, and whose faces we are always pleased to meet, is one in whom many feel a personal interest *at the present time*. Ten years ago I was ranked among his pupils, and the years passed under his tuition, in that old school room in the basement of the Court House, I count among the most pleasant and profitable of my life. Many others remember and prize them, for our school associations are not obliterated from memory by the lapse of time, and the young man who has long since entered upon a business career recalls with feelings of gratitude his former teacher as he realizes it is through his instrumentality that he is competent to sustain the position he occupies in the business world. The young lady who fills the position of teacher is better able to exercise the patience and forbearance which is requisite to accomplish this immeasureable work, when she calls to mind his excellent example, both as a christian and teacher. And those who have entered upon other duties, whether in active life or otherwise (for they are no less important because secluded from the outward world) will cherish his memory in grateful remembrance. This teacher's competency can not be better tested than by noting the careers of his numerous pupils; even those necessitated by the force of circumstances pecuniary to complete their education outside of our High School course will be found to be liberally educated, and a credit to the different positions they occupy. As a gentleman and teacher he has won our confidence and esteem, while his experience and success in his profession is a sufficient reason why he should continue his labors. Let each of his former pupils sustain him with words of encouragement, and may he in the future as in the past be engaged in this work and continue to be honored and respected by those who have and will have the benefit of his instructions; for

"Honor and fame from no conditions rise,
Act well thy part, there's whore all honor lies."

A FORMER PUPIL.

New Hampshire Items.

Ex-President Smith of Dartmouth is now able to ride out in fair weather.

An Indian skeleton was dug up at Manchester on Wednesday by workmen engaged in laying out a street, who also found, eighteen inches below the surface, a large stone fireplace. The locality where these remains were found has been noted for the finding of Indian arrow-heads and other indications of an Indian settlement.

George G. Hatch has been appointed post-master at Wells, York County, Me.; Edgar M. Stevens at Contoocook village, and Miles L. Spaulding at Suncook, in this State.

Mayor Williams has reduced the wages of his help in his iron foundry in Nashua, thirty per cent. within the last month.

A man named Blake, about thirty-three years old, shot himself through the head at Suncook, Sunday evening. He was not killed immediately, but the wound is fatal. He leaves a wife and a child.

The jury in the Supreme Court at Dover brought a verdict, Saturday, of $4000 damages in favor of Smith Grey, who sued the town of Rollinsford on account of injuries received two years ago on a road blocked-aded by drifting snow.

Two Irreconcilable Conditions.

Debility and health are irreconcilable conditions. Weakly people, that is to say people who lack the vitality requisite for a vigorous discharge of each and all of the bodily functions, are invariably afflicted with some, though it may be a trifling, disorder of the system. Atony, or a want of nervous vigor, is accompanied by poverty of the blood and leanness. A certain way to overcome it and prevent the aggravated maladies to which it must ultimately lead is to use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which promote digestion and assimilation of the food, and thus are the means of furnishing the body with a supply of blood of a quality essential to its proper nourishment. Invigoration through the instrumentality of the matchless tonic protects the feeble from a host of bodily ills which lurk in ambush for the debilitated. The Bitters are an article which it is most desirable to keep constantly on hand.

One Live Tooth

is worth a dozen dead ones, and to secure the teeth from decay, it is only necessary to use the Fragrant Sozodont. The odor of this pure preparation is so delightful, that it is a luxury to apply it, and its beneficial effect upon the teeth is marvellous.

Unite your shattered China with Spalding's Glue.

No remedy heretofore discovered has been so successful in curing Consumption and all diseases of the Throat and Lungs as Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup. The medicine is pleasant to take, and guaranteed to cure if taken in season. It can be procured of your Druggist.

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Lung complaints, bronchitis, coughs, asthma, sore throat, catarrhal cough, croup, etc., cured by *Adamson's Botanic Balsam*. Price 25 cts.

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DIED.

SOUTHWICK. In Dover, April 15, James Southwick, aged 82 years.

MARRIED.

HAND—TREFETHEN. In this city, April 22, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. William B. Hand and Miss Sarah A. Trefethen, both of Portsmouth.

GROGAN—WENTWORTH. In this city, April 4, by Rev. James W. Hubbell, Mr. Everett S. Grogan, of this city, and Miss Ida B. Wentworth of Great Falls.

LANE—GODFREY. In North Hampton, April 19, by Rev. T. V. Haines, Mr. Alpheus C. Lane of North Hampton and Miss Auby P. Godfrey of Hampton.

WENTWORTH—GIVEN. In Great Falls, Mr. Chas. C. Wentworth of Berwick, Me., and Miss Effie E. Given of Bangor, Me.

PARKER—BROOKS. In Sanford, Mr. B. G. Parker of North Berwick, Me., and Mrs. Elizabeth Brooks of Sanford.

ABRAMS—REYNOLDS. In Great Falls, April 14, Mr. John L. Abrams, of Kittery, and Miss Ella Reynolds of Milton Mills.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, April 21.

Sch D K Ham, Crockett, Boston,
Sch Loella, Amee, Boston.

ARRIVED, April 23.

Sch Concord, Gray, Rockland.

SAILED, April 23.

Sch William D Cargill, Rich, Calais.
Sch Allston, Fitzgerald, Calais.
Sch Mountain Laurel, Farrell, Calais.
Sch Nicola, Randall, Machias.
Sch Albion, Smith, Castine.
Sch Unionn, Hurst, Bangor.
Sch Liberator, Parker, Bangor.
Sch Addie, Goodwin, Boston.
Sch Modena, Nason, Boston.
Sch Satellite, Adderton, Boston.
Sch Freighter, Leamon, Boston.

Ship Chocorua, Matthews, sld from Sourabaya for Singapore Feb 24.

Barque Quickstep, Barnaby, from Batavia, arr at Manila Feb 25.

Schs Rebecca Sheppard, Robinson, and T J Trafton, Hoyt, for this port cld from Philadelphia, April 19.

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GEO. H. TRIPP'S,
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It Will Cure a Common Cold

In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

It will CURE a Chronic Cough, by soothing the irritated parts, and strengthening the system.

IT WILL CURE CONSUMPTION

Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effect has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

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More effectual y than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

It will Cure Bronchitis, by allaying all irritation of the Throat. TRY IT.

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TRY IT.

IT WILL CURE Loss of Voice, Night Sweats, Hectic Fever, AND ALL Symptoms of Consumption. TRY IT.

For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

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WM. M. LADD, M. D.

CLAREMONT, N. H., September, 1876.

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January 16, 1877.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, taxable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their taxable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH G. SANBORN,
BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ALFRED STAVERS,
ROBERT ROSS,
JAMES A. EGGE,
CHARLES H. MENDUM,
Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.
Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

Auction Sales.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE AT AUCTION.

THE ASSIGNEE in Bankruptcy of H. WILLARD BRIANT, will sell at Public Auction on

SATURDAY, MAY 12th, 1877,
at 12 o'clock, noon,
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lately occupied by said Briant, the Stock and Fixtures of said Store, and said Bankrupt's interest in the Lease of said Store. The Fixtures are nearly new and elegantly fitted, while the location is the best in the city.

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CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

Notice to Tax Payers.

THE ASSESSORS call attention to the following extracts from the laws of the State, and give notice that it is their intention to enforce the same:

"Every person liable to be taxed in such town shall exhibit to the Selectmen, at the time and place appointed by them, or upon such personal application, a true account of the polls and estate for which he is there taxable, either in his own right or otherwise, on oath if required by either of the Selectmen, which oath either of the Selectmen may administer."

"If any person shall neglect or refuse, after due notice given as aforesaid, or when called upon by any Selectman, to give such account, the Selectmen shall set down to such person, by way of doomage, as much as they judge equitable, which shall be conclusive in all cases, unless the party shall show, by his statement under oath, that it was not in his power to exhibit such statement."

The Assessors of cities have by law all the powers of Selectmen and Assessors of towns in relation to the assessment and collection of taxes.

Inventories will be received until the 25th day of April.

No application for reduction from the invoice of any person on account of debt, will be considered unless made during the month of April.

By order of the Assessors,

M. BUFFORD, Secretary.
Portsmouth, April 11, 1877.

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Bailey's Excelsior IRON PLANES,
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(*New Number.*)
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Daily Chronicle.

—In Pittsburg gas has been reduced to $1 a thousand feet.

—In a fashionable family in New York the word "style" is often used, and such distinction given to it that the youngest—a child of six or seven—on retiring for the night, was heard to make this addition to "Now I lay me down to sleep;" "God bless dear papa and mama, and oh, dear Lord, please make us very stylish."

—A story is told of a shrewish Scotchwoman who tried to wean her husband from the public house by employing her brother to act the part of a ghost, and to frighten John on his way home. "Who are you?" said the guidman, as the apparition rose before him from behind a bush. "I am auld Nick," was the reply. "Come awa', man," said John, nothing daunted; "gie's a shake of your hand; I am married tae a sister of yours."

A National Home for Invalids.

The Invalid's Hotel on Prospect Avenue is rapidly approaching completion. When finished it will be the finest building in the city.—*Buffalo Independent Leader.*

The above-mentioned institution is erected by Dr. R. V. Pierce, as a Hospital Department of World's Dispensary for the treatment of the more difficult cases of chronic diseases, and for the skillful management of deformities and all cases requiring surgical operations. It will be made a comfortable and cheerful home for the sick, and will be under the management of a full staff of skillful physicians and surgeons. For particulars see Pierce's Memorandum Books, which are given away at all drug-stores.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	1071
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	1123
United States Ten-Forties cupon	1111
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	1 92
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	1001
Eastern R. R. scrip	300
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	161
Boston & Providence	153
Boston & Albany	120
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	31
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	110½
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	42
Northern N. H.	60½
Old Colony & Newport	95
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	50½

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 65c; Northern 80c.
Meal, Andro. per cwt $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 17c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. 6½ @ 7½; Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 9½ @ 10½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 22
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 40 @ 50c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 1.10
Pork per bll., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 10 @ 11c; Gr. 12; Crushed 12½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood, per Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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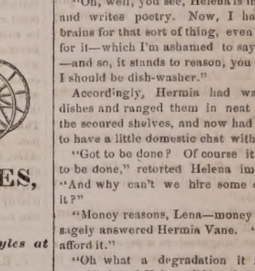

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Dr. Electus Vane—he had been mouldering in Holmsworthy churchyard these six years, with the blackberry vines and wild buttercups running riot over his grave—being a great lover of Shakespeare, had called his daughters Hermia and Helena. They were odd names, and of course required an explanation for almost everybody—explanations were sometimes a little awkward. Helena was romantically inclined, and gloried in her nomenclature. Hermia set her pretty teeth together, and wished she had been called Prudence, Noami, or any other humdrum sort of an appellative. Upon this sunshiny April afternoon, Helena Vane sat, with a book in her lap upon the doorstep, making quite unconsciously to herself a picturesque little tableau, under the evening shadows of the great maple which was just showering down the last of its crimson blossom banners to make room for the clusters of tender young leafage; for spring had come slowly the Holmsworthy way that season, and everything was late. Hermia with her sleeves rolled up, had just finished washing the dinner dishes.

"Some one must wash dishes," said Hermia, "and Helena does so hate kitchen drudgery."

"I'll do 'em, dear," said old grandmamma Vane, an apple-cheeked old lady. "Run along to your sewing. I hate to see your pretty white hands in the dish-water."

"You, indeed," cried Hermia. "Not as long as I am here. Why, what are we young folks made for, if not to wait on old people?"

"Helena does not reason so," said the old lady a little bitterly.

"Oh, well, you see, Helena is intellectual and writes poetry. Now, I haven't the brains for that sort of thing, even if I cared for it—which I'm ashamed to say, I don't—and so, it stands to reason, you see, that I should be dish-washer."

Accordingly, Hermia had washed the dishes and ranged them in neat order on the scoured shelves, and now had come out to have a little domestic chat with Helena.

"Got to be done? Of course it has got to be done," retorted Helena impatiently. "And why can't we hire some one to do it?"

"Money reasons, Lena—money reasons," sagely answered Hermia Vane. "We can't afford it."

"Oh what a degradation it is to be poor!" sighed Helena, lifting her turquoise blue eyes to heaven. "Hermy, why in the name of Midas and Croesus, and all those rich heathens we read about, didn't some old rich millionaire fall in love with us when we visited Alice Cope, last winter in Philadelphia? Girls in novels never go anywhere without picking up at least about a half-dozen beaux."

"But we're not girls in novels," laughed Hermia.

"There was Mark Hazeltine—you remember him, don't you, Hermy? That young man with the splendid dusky eyes and white teeth."

"I remember," said Hermia, blushing in spite of herself.

"I know he fancied one of us, or both. Just think how often he usbd to come to Alice's. If we could have remained a little longer, I feel certain he would have become a foregone conclusion. And only think—"

"What nonsense all this is!" impatiently cried our Hermia. "And what on earth has it to do with our spring house cleaning! There are all the lower rooms to be white-washed, the cellar to be cleaned, the west bedroom to be repapered, and—"

"And who is to do all this hard, housemaidly sort of work?" demanded Miss Vane, with a shudder.

"We, of course, Helena, since we can't afford to have it done."

"I shan't touch it!"

"Then I must," said Hermia, with the cool independence which was a part of her nature, "with what help grandmamma can give me."

"Hermy, have you sunk so low as to be a mere household drudge."

"I haven't yet sunk sufficiently low," Hermia laughingly retorted, "to lie in the dirt so long as I am physically able to purify my surroundings."

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A golden mid-April day! The violets making a blue carpet along the sunny side of the orchard wall; the primroses writing their hieroglyphics adown the course of the gurgling stream; and Helena practicing a new song with her blue ribboned guitar, in the parlor, while Hermia, in the shed at the foot of the garden, was mixing a prodigious pail of whitewash, and singing as merrily as if the lumps of lime had been balls of embroidery floss, and her bristly brush a dainty needle, weaving itself in and out of silken canvass. She was dressed appropriately to her work, this enterprising young damsel, with a crash apron tied around her trim waist, and an impromptu Normandy made out of a pocket handkerchief, perched on her head, concealing the whole of her bright hair, except where one or two stray curls had escaped, and hung like wandering spirals of sunshine on her blue-veined brow. And if Hermia had only known it, she never looked prettier in her life.

"And now grandma, I believe this cauldron of foaming snow is ready," said Hermia

gally, "and if you'll take hold of the handles—just to steady it, you know—I'll do all the lifting. We will begin operations at once."

While old Mrs. Vane and Hermia were rolling slowly up the back garden walk with the whitewash tub between them, an elegantly dressed young gentleman, with diamond studs in his shirt, straight, cameo-like features and dark blue eyes, fringed with long lashes, was advancing briskly up the path.

"I think this must be the house," said Mr. Mark Hazeltine, "as nearly as I can guess from the confused direction of that old idiot at the railway station. And—"

But the current of his soliloquy was cut short by the sudden appearance of a bright face in the door—Helena Vane herself in pale muslin, with blue fillets of ribbon in her hair, a sash picturesquely looped at the side, and rosetted slippers, like a dream of Cinderella.

"Miss Vane, can you pardon this intrusion?" he began, lifting his hat.

"Oh, Mr. Hazeltine, I am so glad to see you!" cried Helena, extending both her hands.

The same moment Hermia and the pail of whitewash appeared around the corner of the house. In her surprise at the sight of an unexpected visitor—and this unexpected visitor above all others—Hermia dropped her end of the tub, coloring scarlet as a rose.

"Oh, my dear!" cried old Mrs. Vane, trying in vain to save it. "There goes your whitewash!"

"How do you do, Mr. Hazeltine!" said Hermia, recovering her self-possession, and advancing with proffered hand.

"My sister is—ahem—practicing for a masquerade," stammered the scandalized Helena, "and—"

"It's no such a thing!" retorted Hermia, blushing more vividly scarlet than ever. "I am not masquerading at all, Mr. Hazeltine. I'm in real earnest. I'm going to whitewash the back kitchen ceiling."

"But can't I help you!" said Mr. Hazeltine laughing. "I used to be a good hand at the brush in my schoolboy days."

"I've no objection to your trying," said Hermia gravely. "But you'll have to borrow a white sheet from grandmother to cover up your fine clothes."

"I'll risk the fine clothes," said Mr. Hazeltine, resolutely.

"Hermia! Hermia! are you crazy?" protested Helena, turning pink and white by turns. "Go change your dress at once and come down to the parlor."

"Not until I've done my whitewashing," insisted her obdurate twin sister. "Remember, Mr. Hazeltine, it is your own offer!"

And Mr. Hazeltine, looking into the sapphire depths of those sparkling eyes, stood to his colors.

"My own offer!" said he. "Of course it was; and I shall feel much honored by its acceptance."

And to Helena Vane's infinite disgust, Mr. Hazeltine spent the whole morning in the kitchen disguised in a paper cap and a piece of an old sheet, helping Hermia to whitewash the ceiling.

"Hermy," cried Helena, when Mr. Hazeltine was gone, and she had contrived to obtain audience of her sister, "I'm ashamed of you!"

"And why?"

"To let Mr. Hazeltine into the secret of our poverty."

Hermia's eyes flashed.

"If he despises us on account of our poverty," she said, "his friendship is not worth having. I shall not play the hypocrite to accommodate any man!"

"He will never come again!"

"I beg your pardon, Lena. He is coming to-morrow."

And sure enough Mr. Hazeltine made his appearance the next day, quite ready for another job of work, as he himself expressed it.

"But you are not in earnest, Mr. Hazeltine?" Helena pleaded.

"Yes I am. I never enjoyed myself more than I did yesterday. With Miss Hermia's permission I'll see the house cleaning through."

"You'll be no use at all with the scrubbing brush and broom," said Hermia, mischievously; "but I have no objection to you helping paper the little west room when we get the paste ready."

It was nearly a week before they got to the west room, but Mr. Hazeltine came every day. And when they had put on the last strip of bright colored bordering Mr. Hazeltine laid away his paper cap.

"Hermia," said he (they had grown to be great friends during this *al fresco* sort of life) "I've a question to ask you."

"Well?"

"Don't you think we work together nicely?"

"Yes, pretty well, considering," laughed Hermia.

"Would you object to me as a life partner?"

"Not at all."

"Then may I consider myself accepted?" he asked eagerly.

"Yes!" she answered with a half blush and half a smile.

That was Hermia Vane's last job of house-cleaning. Helena is single yet. She says she can't comprehend the men of the present age.

—A West Brimfield, Mass., man who wanted to dig a well in his cellar says he struck the remains of three human bodies in as many holes, and at the same depth. Then he dug his well out-of-doors rather than disturb the burying ground of some previous tenants.

"Will those goods wear well?" asked a lady of the clerk. "Oh, yes, ma'am," was the assuring response, "they will last as long as there is a bit of them left." She seemed satisfied and the glib clerk sold a large bill of the material, as well as the woman.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1877.

Hostilities Begun.

On Monday, a Russia detachment of forty sappers and miners crossed the Roumanian frontier at Bestinak, followed by a thousand on Tuesday. Russian troops crossed the river Pruth, at three points, on Tuesday. The Czar on Tuesday issued a manifesto declaring his object to be to aid the Turkish Christians, and announcing the commencement of the war.

News and Notes.

The two higher stories of the New York *Journal of Commerce* building were burned on Monday. Loss $17,000; in addition to which the bound files of the paper from 1828, and a valuable reference library, were destroyed.

Frank Lynn, a hotel keeper of Belmont, Va., and a married man with a large family, ruined a girl of sixteen, named Mary Risler, and the girl's mother hunted him down and shot him dead with a revolver.

John Stacey, a police officer of Dorchester, Mass., committed suicide by shooting himself in the head, Monday.

Steamer Leopard, at Boston from Philadelphia, on Sunday ran down and sunk schooner Willow Harp. The crew were all saved.

Omaha, Neb., had a $250,000 fire on Monday.

The trial of Edward Tairo for the murder of Mrs. Alice M. Butler began at St. Albans, Vt., on Monday.

The London *Spectator* says that it is curious that in the blue-glass theory the ingenuity of inventors should hit on the exact contrary of the truth. It claims that experiments in the Royal Gardens at Kew demonstrate that the blue rays in sunlight actually have a retarding effect on plant growth.

Gen. Campos says he is going to kill every Cuban captured after the 1st of May. He dare not carry out his infamous threat. It is contrary to all the rules of civilized warfare and antagonistic to every sentiment of humanity. Such proclamations and brutal threats as these only react upon the persons making them. It will be remembered that Maximilian issued a proclamation announcing that every Mexican rebel captured after a certain day would be summarily executed. This threat was never executed nor were the prisoners, but when Maximilian fell into the hands of the enemy the threat he made against them was executed against him, and he suffered the death which he had planned for the foe, Thus it may be with Captain General Campos. At least one thing is as certain as taxes, and that is if he executes his threats all Christendom will brand him as a modern Nero, and the island will soon become free by the combined efforts of the Christian nations of the world.

New Hampshire Items.

C. B. Mahan, agent of the Granite Agricultural Works at Lebanon, was arrested at Enfield, Monday forenoon, on a requisition, and taken to Belfast, Maine, for the alleged crime of swindling. It is charged that his operations have extended throughout the New England States and the West. It is alleged that he sold agricultural implements, taking notes in payment therefor, and did not deliver the goods, but got the notes discounted and appropriated the money. The case at Portland involves about $500.

Lewis Campbell died in Keene Monday, aged 75 years. He held the office of Registrar of Deeds from 1825 to 1856. He was born in Acworth, but has lived in Keene since 1825.

The Dartmouth College Seniors and Sophomores played a game of foot ball Saturday afternoon with the Juniors and Freshmen, and were beaten, 5 to 4. The former side had 70 men, the latter 105.

The Free Baptist Society of Laconia, who lost their church by fire a few weeks since, have resolved to build a new one, the cost of which they estimate at $9000, half of which has already been raised.

The full bench of the Supreme Court were in session at Concord Monday, considering the election questions submitted to them by the Governor and Council. The Judges decline to state whether an opinion has been made or whether one will be made.

Real estate in Rochester has declined nearly one-half within the past five years.

A little daughter of Simeon Barley of Danville fell from a hayloft a few days ago, and it is feared is fatally injured.

The Cheshire Railroad wood shed, at East Westmoreland, and 500 cords of wood were burned Monday. Insured $2000, which nearly covers the loss.

The Boston base ball club had a game with the Manchester club on Monday, the Manchesters winning much honor but no points, the score at the finish standing—Bostons 10, Manchesters 0.

The Catholics of Franklin have collected several thousand dollars for the erection of a new church, and the Hon. W. F. Daniell has given them a lot of land on which to build.

Work on the Peterboro' & Hillsboro' Railroad was commenced on Tuesday, when ground was broken at Hillsboro', Deering and Antrim. Mr. A. M. Shaw of Lebanon has the contract for building the road, and will hasten its construction as fast as the circumstances of the case will admit. He will employ six engineers and superintend the work in person.

The Ranlet Manufacturing Company at Laconia is filling a contract of 200 freight cars for the National Car Company, and is employing 120 hands, turning out ten a week. This company will ship from its works the coming week a long, first-class baggage and postal car for the European and North American Railway Company. The running gear of two passenger cars for the White Mountain Railway has been rebuilt by this company, making them perfectly safe on their track. Instead of the air-brake, a double line or friction brake, an important invention of Walter Akin, Esq., has been applied. This invention will insure safety under all circumstances.

John R. Champlin of Laconia has erected a handsome and spacious lookout structure on Jewett's Hill in that village. Mr. Champlin has nearly completed a large and powerful seven-inch lens telescope, which will be in use at this lookout. Much interest is manifested in this enterprise, as Mr. Champlin has proven himself master of this branch of science, and this will prove an additional attraction to this flourishing New Hampshire town.

About thirty families of French residents of Nashua took a special train on Monday, bound for Winnepeg and the Red River country. The party received an addition of several families at Manchester. The crowd at the depot when the train started was very large; several of the Frenchmen leave numerous creditors behind.

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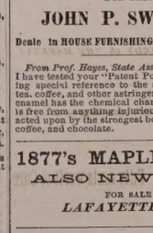

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The following item of local news is published:

An order has been issued from the War department at Washington, directing that the appropriation of $14,000 for the improvement of navigation of the Cocheco river be expended in the manner prescribed in the bill. The appropriation was made last summer, but Gen. Grant refused to expend the money appropriated by the river and harbor bill on account of the lateness of the session.

It has long been a mystery to us why our citizens generally, and those interested in shipping in particular, have remained so passive while there is so much room for (and so much need of) improvements in our harbor. Large sums have been expended by the government in removing obstructions from places where there never has been and never will be any great amount of shipping, while this port, with its large trade, has been entirely unrecognised in that direction. We do not envy our Dover neighbors the improvement of the Cocheco river channel; we are quite willing the government should blow the bottom out of the whole concern; but we cannot see that commerce is to reap any benefit commensurate with the amount of money expended there, and are sure that at least an equal amount could be laid out to far better advantage in removing certain dangerous obstructions to navigation in this harbor. After all the blowing up and clearing away of the Cocheco's bottom, we are told that twenty thousand tons of coal, or more, to be brought into this port this season for Dover parties, instead of going up in the vessels that bring it will be transshipped into gondolas; the reason for this we believe is the opposition masters of vessels make to taking their craft up the Cocheco; and we have been told by a schooner's skipper that he would not go up there with his vessel for double the freight. This does not show that the money expended in improving the Cocheco was wasted; but it does show that whatever the benefits which in the future may accrue from the improvements, navigation has not been essentially benefitted by them as yet.

One-half the money expended on improving the Cocheco, if laid out in this harbor would have materially improved the navigation of the river. It is notorious to seafaring men that there are several dangerous obstructions that could be removed at little trouble and expense, and the removal of which would be of great advantage. Much damage has resulted to vessels at various times from striking these rocks,—unavoidably swept on by the swift and varying current, which often makes it impossible to keep a vessel off even by the use of her anchors. In almost every case in which a large vessel has struck she has been under the charge of a skillful pilot—and we believe the pilots on the Piscataqua will compare favorably with any others—and in every case, we believe, the pilot has been exonerated. The removal of the rocks to which we refer would tend to make the currents run truer, and reduce to a minimum the chances of accident to a properly-handled vessel.

The places which annoy mariners the most and "pick up" the most vessels are Ham's Ledge, off the north side of Concord Railroad wharf; the ledge off Badger's Island point; a rock to the eastward of the stone beacon, almost in the ship channel, and the ledges inside of it; the ledge at Peirce's Island, known as the Bass Rock; and the ledge off the point below the Narrows, by seamen called a name smacking of profanity, but which we at present can not recollect. Most, if not all of these obstructions, could be easily removed, and should be; and we would suggest to the Portsmouth Board of Trade that here is a fitting field for the display of a little energy. Some time ago the Board ably agitated the question of building a breakwater between two islands at Newcastle, to prevent vessels being swept ashore on Clark's Island by the lateral current,—an accident that we never heard of as having occurred to any vessel. Similar action in the case of removing the rocks spoken of, on which many vessels have struck and which could be cleared away for much less than the proposed breakwater would have cost, will no doubt result in the proper authorities looking into the matter,—and an official examination could only result in a decision that the obstructions need removal. It is no very uncommon occurrence for a heavy-laden coal vessel to hit Ham's Ledge a good rap, in making a berth at the Railroad wharf; Badger's Island Ledge is greatly in the way of vessels beating up the river, as they must make a tack below it and run great risk of being swept upon it by the tide; the rock in ship channel is a positive peril to a deep keel; and Bass Rock is a nuisance, always ready to scrape any unwary craft that ventures too near. Within a very short time three fishing vessels have been ashore on Bass Rock, one of them having to employ steam to get off, and coming off considerably damaged. As to the point with the evil name we do not know much; we know it is a bad place, and has got in the way of a number of vessels, but how much of a job it would be to blow it away we have no idea. But the other obstructions named could be easily removed, and we hope the Board of Trade and citizens interested in shipping will take hold of the matter in earnest, in which case the rocks will be removed beyond question.

POLICE COURT.

Charles McGinnis, a man with a very large carpet bag which had evidently once been new, was taken in at the police station Saturday evening and cared for until Monday morning, when he was dismissed on promising to leave the city at once. Along in the afternoon Mr. McGinnis was found on the street in so hilarious a condition that he was as ready to lie down as to stand up while he sang, and his carpet-bag had the appearance of having taken a prominent part in a nitro-glycerine explosion or railroad collision. On Tuesday he was brought before Judge Batchelder, who fined him $3, costs being assessed at $8.04. Brentwood for Charles.

JOTTINGS.

The following jurors have been drawn in Ward Two to serve at the Supreme Court at Exeter, to report next Monday: John Stavers, Thomas E. O. Marvin, Luther E. Martin, Samuel Adams.

Quite a large crowd of interested gamins assembled on the wharf at the foot of Short street, near the Raynes shipyard, Monday afternoon, to watch the landing of a gondola load of flat stones imported from Durham on the city's account, for cross-walks.

The San Francisco *Chronicle* of the 14th says "the condition of ship Frank Jones remains the same. Her lower masts and topmasts are still up, and chains have been lashed from the mast heads to the hull on the starboard side to carry out the plan of heaving her down on her broadside when the ballast has been got out. The pumps were started on Thurday, but no effect was visible, as the tide ebbed and flowed in her. A bulkhead is being constructed forward, aft of the holes in the vessel's bottom, and this, after being made water tight, will, of course, neutralize the leaks in that quarter. After the ballast is all out it is calculated that with three tugs, one on each mast, she can easily be hove down on her broadside and then towed off."

A thief effected an entrance into Mr. Rufus A. Preble's grocery store in Newcastle, Monday night, by boring out a door-shutter, and stole what money he could find, but how much is not known.

In an item concerning the schooner Anson Stimson, Capt. Reed, of Gloucester, Mass., published in the CHRONICLE on Monday, it was stated that a "coast pilot was employed in the interest of the underwriters," giving the idea that the schooner's master was not solely responsible for his vessel and her management. This is incorrect; Capt. Reed runs and always has run his vessel without the supervision of any coast pilot.

The Congress Record Ink sold by Mercer Goodrich is a first-rate article, is dark from the start, dries quickly, flows easily from the pen and does not thicken by standing.

The Eastern Railroad will sell excursion tickets to Boston on Friday, the 27th, on the regular trains, at half-fare rates—$1.70 for the round trip. Tickets will be good to *return* on the 27th and 28th; and as this is the last opportunity that will be afforded to hear Moody and Sankey, no doubt many will avail themselves of it. The advantage of being able to take any of the regular trains will also be appreciated. Trains leave Portsmouth at 7:15, 8:23 and 11:09 A. M., and 5:08 P. M.

An entertainment for the benefit of the Children's Home is to be given at the St. John's chapel, State street, on Thursday evening, at which there are to be readings and recitations in which the humorous will predominate, to be given by the rector of the church, Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, Mrs. Julia Van Ness Whipple, Mrs. C. C. Carpenter, Miss Nellie Robinson and Mr. William Russell Foster. The tickets are placed at 50 cents, to be had at Goodrich's bookstore.

—Abe Rothschild, who killed his mistress (a young married woman who deserted her husband in Pennsylvania to run off with Rothschild,) in Texas, is now in jail in that State and quite enjoys himself. He is "permitted to have the society of ladies" whenever he pleases; his visitors number from fifty to three hundred a day, and he is abundantly supplied with bouquets; twice a day he is allowed to promenade the streets, and does not feel at all like a prisoner.

—In an English court of justice a man testified recently that he was awakened about half-past one A. M., by his cat jumping on the bed and scratching his face. He started up and found a burglar in the room, and soon after his wife discovered another under the bed. Both men were found guilty and sentenced to seven years' penal servitude.

—An exchange solemnly inquires, "Watchman, what of the night?" And away down the long vista of street lamps we hear the echoing reply, "Whaz of yer night? Like t'no howeuny mansgoto fin' where I put nigh' key when er door stuck plum full 'stray keyholes. Ats whazzer marter 'z night."

—They have a curious way of deciding law suits in Siam. Both parties are put under cold water, and the one staying the longest wins the suit. In this country both parties are got into hot water and then kept there as long as possible. The result in the end is the same.

—Deacon Jones, just deceased, had a very red nose. His widow thought it rather personal in the minister to begin his funeral discourse, "Another shining light has been taken from our congregation."

—Laura D. Fair has filed her petition in bankruptcy in San Francisco. Liabilities $21,000; assets small.

Two Irreconcilable Conditions.

Debility and health are irreconcilable conditions. Weakly people, that is to say people who lack the vitality requisite for a vigorous discharge of each and all of the bodily functions, are invariably afflicted with some, though it may be a trifling, disorder of the system. Atony, or a want of nervous vigor, is accompanied by poverty of the blood and leanness. A certain way to overcome it and prevent the aggravated maladies to which it must ultimately lead is to use Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which promote digestion and assimilation of the food, and thus are the means of furnishing the body with a supply of blood of a quality essential to its proper nourishment. Invigoration through the instrumentality of the matchless tonic protects the feeble from a host of bodily ills which lurk in ambush for the debilitated. The Bitters are an article which it is most desirable to keep constantly on hand.

One Live Tooth

is worth a dozen dead ones, and to secure the teeth from decay, it is only necessary to use the Fragrant Sozodont. The odor of this pure preparation is so delightful, that it is a luxury to apply it, and its beneficial effect upon the teeth is marvellous.

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DIED.

BROOKS. In Eliot, Me., April 23, Mr. William Brooks, (father of Joshua Brooks, Esq., of this city) aged 90 years, 7 months.

☞Funeral from his late residence, in Eliot, Thursday afternoon, April 26th, at two o'clock.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, April 24.

Sch Centennial, Bonnell, Turk's Island with salt for K. F. Sise & Co.

Sch Ida Freeman, Foster, from Cranby Island, Va., with oysters to W. Freeman.

Sch Clara E Rogers, Rogers, Philadelphia.

Sch Ida E Latham, Potter, Philadelphia.

SAILED, April 24.

Sch Laura V Rose, Allen, Philadelphia.

Sch Concord, Gray, Rockland.

Steamer Allentown, Mills, for this port, cld from Philadelphia April 22.

Sch Jesse Williamson Jr., Frisbee, from Providence, ar at New York April 22.

Sch WHY Hackett, Dumphy, sld from Beverly for Grand Banks, April 22.

Sch Free Wind, Frisbee, from New York for Boston, passed through Hell Gate April 22.

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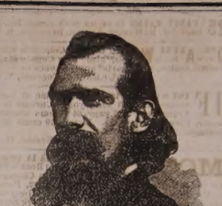

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January 16, 1877.

City of Portsmouth.

ASSESSORS' NOTICE.

THE Inhabitants of the City of Portsmouth are hereby required to exhibit to the Assessors of said City a just and true account of their Polls and Estates, ratable by law, on or before the fifteenth day of April.

And all persons who do not comply with the above requirements in handing in an inventory of their ratable estate, and making oath to the same, will have no legal claim for abatement.

The Assessors, or any Justice of the Peace, or the City Clerk, are proper persons to administer the oath, and each individual making his inventory shall have an endorsement on the same, certifying that it has been duly sworn to, and the same to be handed to one of the Assessors, or left with their Secretary at the City Clerk's Office on or before the fifteenth day of April.

ISAIAH WILSON,
JEREMIAH S. NOBLE,
BENJAMIN WEBSTER,
HENRY F. WENDELL,
BENJAMIN RUSSELL,
ARTHUR SYMES,
ROBERT KING,
JAMES A. WOOD,
CHARLES H. MENDUM,

Assessors of Taxes of the City of Portsmouth.

Portsmouth, March 21, 1877.

Auction Sales.

Real Estate at Auction.

WILL be sold by direction of the Assignee of Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, on

SATURDAY, April 28,

On the Premises, at 11 o'clock, A. M.,

The Two Houses in one Block, 6 and 8 Union Street,

IN ONE LOT.

These Houses are situate between Islington and State streets, are well built, always in demand for occupancy, have plenty of yard room and are in an excellent neighborhood. $2000 of the purchase money can remain on mortgage if desired by the purchaser.

Further particulars of EDWARD P. KIMBALL, Assignee, &c., or of

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Portsmouth, April 21, 1877.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE AT AUCTION.

THE ASSIGNEE in Bankruptcy of H. WILLARD BRIANT, will sell at Public Auction on

SATURDAY, MAY 12th, 1877,

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The property can be examined at any time previous to the sale.

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Portsmouth, N. H., April 21, 1877.

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CITY OF PORTSMOUTH

Notice to Tax Payers.

THE ASSESSORS call attention to the following extracts from the laws of the State, and give notice that it is their intention to enforce the same:

"Every person liable to be taxed in such town shall exhibit to the Selectmen, at the time and place appointed by them, or upon such personal application, a true account of the polls and estate for which he is there taxable, either in his own right or otherwise, on oath if required by either of the Selectmen, which oath either of the Selectmen may administer."

"If any person shall neglect or refuse, after due notice given as aforesaid, or when called upon by any Selectman, to give such account, the Selectmen shall set down to such person, by way of doomage, as much as the judge equitable, which shall be conclusive in all cases, unless the party shall show, by his statement under oath, that it was not in his power to exhibit such statement."

The Assessors of cities have by law all the powers of Selectmen and Assessors of towns in relation to the assessment and collection of taxes.

Inventories will be received until the 28th day of April.

No application for reduction from the invoice of any person, on account of debt, will be considered unless made during the month of April.

By order of the Assessors,

M. BUFFORD, Secretary.

Portsmouth, April 11, 1877.

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GOLD AND SILVER PAPERS, at 15 and 25 cents.
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ACCOUNT BOOK, 15x8 290 pages, at 60 cts.
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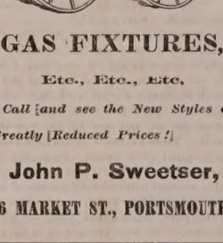
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Look at the wonders as they pass:
The cow-pox, tractors, galvanism, gas.

It was long since noted that three out of the four "wonders" have turned out as discoveries of the highest value. If the tractors should be resuscitated in medical practice, the sneer will have been wholly misplaced.

Old Times.

Rev. Dr. W. W. Blauvelt, of Lamington, in his recent semi-centennial address speaking of the changes during his pastorate of half a century, says:

"The greatest evil, however, in practice, with which we had formerly to contend, was intemperance. Strong drink was used freely in every family, and even good men drank it so as to affect their reason and conduct, while absolute drunkards were neither few nor far between. Nor was this to be wondered at, when common civility required that the bottle should be offered to every visitor; when it was deemed indispensible at raisings and in the harvest field, and when a tavern was in close proximity to every church. Such was the general state of things in our land at that day. The temperance movement had hardly commenced; and when begun here there were some who were so much displeased that they left our church. Thanks to God it is not so now, nor has it been so for many years among those who worship with us. We have no drunkards among us at least, nor do I now fear that the good impression made by the sermon will be effaced by a subsequent dram."

Teaching Horses to Face Strange Animals.

To prepare the horses of the Prince of Wales for his visit to India, it was deemed necessary to practice their introduction to the various wild animals that they would be likely to meet in the jungle. They were therefore ridden up to the Royal Park where various wild animals are kept on exhibition. Instead of entering the gardens at once, they were slowly ridden up to the park fence, on the road known as the Outer Circle, and from this position they could clearly see the large male African elephant walking about in his paddock; in this way they felt somewhat safe, as they had the open road before them, and the elephant was behind the fence. As soon as the horses had recovered their surprise at the sight of this animal, they were ridden into the gardens, and brought near enough to the elephant to make a close inspection of his general appearance. They were a little nervous at first, more especially when the great brute set up his large ears, and made an attempt to rush toward the horses, and gave his shrill note of alarm; they, however, soon began to acquire confidence, and cease to start or jump from him, and, after a day or two, would allow him, when let out with them, to come close enough to touch the end of his trunk. The next thing was to introduce to their notice the large male Indian rhinoceros. However quiet the horses were inclined to be, this savage monster was extremely angry at the sight of the men on horseback in so close proximity to his abode, and he rushed and snorted about in and around his paddock in a frightful state of excitement, and had it been in his power to get at them, he would, doubtless, have made short work with his new acquaintances. Notwithstanding his fury, "Coomassie" behaved in the most cool and composed manner. It was most delightful to witness the watchful and intelligent gaze with which this beautiful animal kept his eye upon the frantic and enraged rhinoceros, without exhibiting any particular fear or alarm; and no doubt this coolness on his part assisted greatly to quiet his

two companions, "Cockney" and "Dashwood." It soon became evident that the task would be safely and perfectly accomplished. The camels were soon afterward tried. Their long shaggy hair, the strange humps, and queer heads and necks, seemed to puzzle the horses considerably; but after a while, they allowed them to come near enough to smell them, and gradually acquire more confidence, until they would stand side by side and pass around or between them, touching them with their noses, and becoming quite familiar. It may appear singular, but the horse "Coomassie" appeared to have a wish to examine and re-visit all the animals in the gardens; he required no urging to bring him face to face with the lions and tigers, notwithstanding the excitement into which the sight of the horse caused these animals to fly, but "Coomassie" looked at them with a most inquiring eye, not appearing in the slightest degree alarmed. This, then, ended the training of three of the finest of the Prince's horses.—*Land and Water.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 1877.

The War.

Much interest has been excited by a speech of Von Moltke in the German Parliament, which is taken as a warning to France that Germany is watching her movements.

Prince Nicholas, of Montenegro, has gone to the frontier.

Turkish troops are being hurried into Roumania.

Skirmishing is reported near Kars.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 23.

The President's order withdrawing the troops stationed in New Orleans to their barracks, though anticipated, has been received by open signs of mutiny by a portion of the republicans here and is not a cheerful subject of conversation with those of the party that have endorsed his "Southern policy" heretofore. Indeed I think almost everyone would be much disappointed if there was not a lively "shindy" inaugurated when Congress convenes in extra session on the 4th of June. Ex-Senator Wade's letter has acted as a fire brand on material all ready to blaze up whenever the fire should be applied; and should Hampton and Nicholls fail to live up to rigid compliance with the profuse promises they have made, it is now freely predicted that the President would have to make back tracks, else he would find himself without a party.

Many people here are rather disposed to applaud the English opposition in its severe chatechising of the Government as to its position toward the principal belligerents in the impending Turco-Russian war. There still exists among many people residing at or visiting Washington, much latent dislike of the party now in power in England, because of its unfriendly attitude toward us during our late war; and anything tending to embarass the Government while administered by it will be hailed by such with feelings of satisfaction.

It is said that Mr. Evarts is watching the tyrannical Spanish Governor-General of Cuba with a vigilant eye, with a view of tripping him up should he attempt to collect the ruinous taxes, amounting virtually to confiscation, that have been assessed against American property holders in that island, among other foreigners. But the reported instructions which that official has received from the home government to cease all forcible attempts at its collection from subjects of the German Empire, will probably be successfully urged to protect the property of all aliens doing business in any part of Cuba. KNOX.

News and Notes.

The United States troops were withdrawn from the Louisiana State House on the 24th.

Gov. Packard of Louisiana on Wednesday formally gave up the struggle with the Nicholls party, and the latter took possession of the State buildings and property.

India rubber worms for fish-bait are the newest invention. Of course they are made in the "wooden nutmeg" State.

H. M. Shofford has been elected to the U. S. Senate from Louisiana.

A bridge at Cos Cob, on the New York & New Haven Railroad, was burned Wednesday, interrupting telegraphic communication. Loss not less than $100,000.

New Hampshire Items.

A Hanover correspondent writes: "The graduating exercise of class '77, New Hampshire College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, will take place in Culver Hall, Tuesday evening, May 1st. The exercises will consist of orations by members of the graduating class, an address by Hon. John W. Hoyt, L. L. D., of Washington, D. C., and remarks by the President and members of the examining board."

The Supreme Court of New Hampshire, without a dissenting voice, has answered the question propounded by the Governor and Council relative to going behind the returns, in the negative. The opinion of the Court was prepared by Chief Justice Doe, and signed by all the Judges except Judge George A. Bingham, who says, "for reasons peculiar to myself I think I should be excused from sitting as a member of the Court in the decision of this question." As a citizen he hopes that the question may be considered as finally settled and put at rest.

Elephants and Milk.

A lively gallop soon brought me twelve miles on my way easterly, over the hills, to the little village of Somerstown. Like a great castle on the Rhine with its two or three adjacent appurtenances, a large brick hotel looms up among the few small houses in its neighborhood. This seemed disproportionate, but my curiosity was particularly attracted by an immense statue of an elephant, nearly as large as life—I mean the life size of a small elephant, of course. This remarkable resemblance to the animal was mounted on a high post before the door of the hotel, and painted over the front of the building I read, in enormous letters, "Elephant Hotel."

It was time to breathe my horse, and the ride had given me an appetite for any thing I might find within, even if it should prove to be an elephant steak. The landlord observed that "the women-folks were not at home, but he guessed he could find something." He accordingly placed a cold turkey and a bottle of London porter on the table, and thus proved that his guess was very correct. As he sat down by my side, I asked him the meaning of all this great elephantine display.

"Why," he answered, "Hackaliah Bayley built this house himself!"

"Hackaliah Bayley! Who was he?"

"Who was Hackaliah Bayley! Don't you know? He was the man who imported the first elephant into these U-nited States—old Bet; of course you have heard of old Bet?"

"No, I have not."

"What, never heard of old Bet! Well, Sir, you are pretty well along in life. Where have you been all your days?"

I told him I had not spent them all in Westchester County.

"I should rather think not," replied the landlord, "or else you'd have heard of Hackaliah Bayley and old Bet. Right here, from this very spot, he started the first show in this country. Right round here is where they breed and winter wild animals to this day. Folks round here have grown rich out of the show business. There's men in this town that have been to Asia and Africa to get animals; and Bayley's big circus (he's old Hackaliah's son) has grown up out from the small beginning when Hackaliah imported old Bet, and that wasn't more than fifty or sixty years ago. Yes, Sir, Hackaliah began on that one she-elephant. He and a boy were all the company. They traveled nights and showed daytimes. Old Bet she knew just how much every bridge in the country would bear before she put her foot on it. Bimeby they got a cage of monkeys and carted them along, and gradually it got up to bears, lions, tigers, camels, boa-constrictors, alligators, Tom Thumb, hippopotamuses, and the fat woman—in fact, to where it is now. Yes, Sir; P. T. Barnum got the first rudiments of his education from Hackaliah Bayley right here in Somerstown. Elephants and milk have made this town. In fact, we all live on elephants and milk."

"Elephants and milk! Good gracious," I exclaimed, "what a diet!"

"Lord, Sir," retorted my landlord, "did you think I meant that we crumbled elephants into milk and ate 'em? No; I mean to say that the elephant business and the milk business are what have built up this place. I've told you what elephants have done for us, and now I'll tell you about milk. There's farmers round here owning a hundred cows apiece. From the little depot of Purdy's you'll pass a mile beyond this we send four thousand gallons of milk every day to New York; and it starts from here pure, let me tell you, for we are honest, if we were brought up in the show business. Then right in our neighborhood are two condensed-milk factories, where they use as much more. There's eight thousand gallons. The farmers get sixteen cents for it on the spot. So you see there is a revenue of twelve hunnred and eighty dollars a day to this district. Now you've been telling me of the West, how they raise forty bushels of wheat to the acre, and all that. Well, what does it amount to by the time they get their returns, paying all out in railroad freight? You ride along this afternoon, and if you come back this way, tell me if the houses and fixings and things, especially the boys, and more particularly the gals, look any better in them fever-and-ague diggings than they do here, if we do live on elephants and milk."—*Harper's for May.*

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MEMORIAL DAY.

The citizens' meeting called for Tuesday evening, preliminary to a proper observance of Memorial Day, was well attended. The meeting was called to order by Mr. John H. Locke; Col. William H. Sise was chosen permanent chairman, and Mr. Oliver H. Loomis secretary. In accordance with a vote of the meeting, the chair appointed a committee of three to nominate a general committee of fifteen, to take charge of the arrangements, the nominating committee being as follows: John H. Locke, Robert E. Rich, O. M. Knight. This committee reported the following list of names for a general committee:

Chairman, Ichabod Goodwin; Vice Chairman, Wm. H. Sise; John W. Parsons, James R. May, John Laighton, Plumer D. Norton, J. E. Colcord, Samuel Dodge, Adolph Nelson, John H. Locke, E. A. Tilton, Thomas Entwistle, Wm. H. Lovell, Charles N. Osgood, W. Russell Foster, Wallace Hackett.

The list as reported was approved, and E. G. Pierce, Jr., was chosen Treasurer. On motion of Mr. Locke, the meeting then adjourned to the call of the Chairman.

MAGGIE MITCHELL

Will appear at Franklin Hall on Wednesday evening next, May 2d, as "Mignon," in her new play of that name. This favorite actress, it is well known, finds it difficult to procure new plays suited to her power, but it happily turns out that in "Mignon" she has succeeded, the Boston *Sat. Eve. Express* saying "her Mignon is a fitting companion-portrait of Fanchon, and likely to become as permanently popular." The ground work of the play is Goethe's novel "Wilhelm Meister," and the *Advertiser* says it "is full of incident" and has "considerable romantic interest;" the *Herald* says "it will be classed in the same school as the half dozen other plays made famous and familiar by Miss Mitchell's acting, but will outrank most of them in the vitality of its story, the skill of its construction and picturesqueness of its scene," and that "Mignon is a character exactly fitted to the peculiar talents of Miss Mitchell, who enters into its delineation with all the enthusiasm and ardor of her vivacious nature;" the *Journal* calls the play "one of the most delightful of recent contributions to the stage in the vein of the romantic drama," and adds that "Miss Mitchell embodies Goethe's beautiful creation with a poetic grace and loveliness rarely to be met with on the stage;" and the *Traveller* says "Mignon is a remarkably effective acting play" and that Miss Mitchell "is as vivacious and amusing, as well as capable of exciting the deeper emotions, as ever." Wherever Miss Mitchell has appeared in her new play she has been as well received as formerly in Fanchon and Little Barefoot. The support is worthy the play and the actress. See advertisement for particulars.

"FROM ONE WHOM IT CONCERNS."

PORTSMOUTH, April 25.

I noticed in yesterday's "*Times*" a communication "To whom it may concern," from Hon. J. R. Reding, in regard to an effort being made for the removal of Mr. John Durgin from the position of teacher in the public schools.

With all due respect for the opinion of Mr. Reding in regard to the qualifications of Mr. Durgin as a teacher, I—and others who have children under Mr. Durgin's charge—would suggest that perhaps the parents of the children, and the school committee, may be supposed to know more about the administration of the school and the capability of the teacher than out-siders who have no direct interest in its welfare. As a man and a citizen, I believe Mr. Durgin to be without reproach, and as such I have a sincere respect for him; but as a teacher, I consider him *in the wrong place*, —and there are other parents who are of the same opinion, and who have just grounds for their conviction. PARENT.

LANGDON PARK.

Eds. Chronicle:—I see by the papers that there is a proposition to have a May-pole raising in the Park this year. This is well, for the Park is certainly a beautiful place, —and the only trouble is, that hardly anyone likes to walk a mile to get a quarter of a mile distant; it is repugnant to Yankee nature; the Yankee *must have* a short cut. The Park is just what our city has needed for many years; it is the surest way to prevent our boys having "Club Rooms," which are but little better than schools for crime, —and our city has several such, as was developed by our police court a short time since.

Last year an effort was made to get a highway laid out from the foot of Rogers street to the Park, the Park Commissioners promising to build a bridge without cost to the city; but our fossil economists and "pinchback" monied men rushed in their protests, asserting the road would cost fabulous sums. The city now pays seven-tenths of the expenses of the County Farm at Brentwood; and $6000 per year direct tax, for the running expenses of a private *Poor* Farm besides. Mr. B. F. Webster has made a proposition to the City Government to purchase a portion of the City Farm. [If the city had *given the whole of it away* ten years ago there would have been a saving of sixty thousand dollars, up to date!] Mr. Webster owns a field at the foot of Rogers street, which the Park Commissioners last year expressed a desire to get, and which is just the place for the boys to play ball in. In view of the tendency of the boys to congregate in their "club rooms" does not the present appear an opportune time to dispose of undesirable property, acquire desirable property, reduce taxes, exert a good influence on the morals of the youth of the city, and encourage the Park Commissioners in building the bridge,—to say nothing of the gaining control of the north-shore-effluvia-generating Mill-pond.

Now let some of our "patent right economists" appear at the city rooms and oppose the new laid scheme of a supposed desire "to gain notoriety." REVILO.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, April 25th.

John Atwood, John McNulty, Thomas Allen and Hugh Riley, all marines, were all adjudged guilty of drunkenness, and each assessed $9.90, fine and costs.

Thomas H. Brown, another marine, was accused of brawling and tumulting; that he was engaged in a brawl was proved, but the Court, thinking it quite likely that his story that he acted only in self defence was true, allowed him to go.

1819. I. O. O. F. 1877.

The Odd Fellows of this city and vicinity having decided to have a street parade in connection with their other observances of the fifty-eighth anniversary of the Order, this day, April 26th, the procession will form as follows:

Platoon of Police.
Chief Marshal—Edward D. Coffin.
Aids—Andrew J. Sides, John S. Perry, D. Webster Barnabee, Daniel J. Vaughan, Albert A. Fernald, Plumer D. Norton.
Portsmouth Cornet Band, W. Critchley leader.

Mt. Sinai Encampment, No. 19;
George H. Tripp, C. P.; Hiram B. Lord, Marshal.
Strawberry Bank Encampment, No. 5;
Daniel Parry, C. P.; John H. Locke, Marshal.
Dirigo Encampment, No. 7, of Kittery, Me.;
Joseph D. Parker, C. P.; Calvin L. Hayes, Marshal.
Osgood Lodge, No. 48;
Edwin B. Prime, N. G.; William Kennedy, Marshal.
New Hampshire Lodge, No. 17;
James C. Lamos, N. G.; Moses H. Tilton, Marshal.
Piscataqua Lodge, No. 6;
Wm. G. Billings, N. G.; Wm. W. Cotton, Marshal.
Riverside Lodge, No. 72, of Kittery, Me.;
Frank E. Rowell, N. G.; Daniel W. Marden, Marshal.

The procession will form on Pleasant street, the right resting on Market square, and will move at four o'clock P. M., sharp, over the following route:

Through Market, Deer, Vaughan, Congress, Islington, Cabot and Middle streets to Cass street, countermarching at Cass street, back through Middle, State, Chapel and Daniel streets to Market square, thence up Congress street to Franklin Hall.

Encampments will meet in Pythian Hall at 3:30 P. M.; Lodges will assemble in Odd Fellows' Hall at the same hour.

Ladies will assemble at 4:45 in Franklin Hall, where they will be joined by their escort for the supper.

The supper will continue from five o'clock to eight, Joseph H. Gardiner presiding; then literary exercises will begin and continue to about half-past nine, when dancing will commence, the floor management being as follows:

Floor director, James F. Hartsborn; aids, Wm. W. Cotton, Joseph H. Gardiner, Hiram C. Locke, Moses H. Tilton, Benjamin Plumer.

The ladies are requested to send in their contributions for the tables between nine and twelve o'clock this forenoon, at the Fleet street entrance to Franklin Hall.

Past Grand Representative True Osgood, of Concord, is expected to be present.

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Schooner Ida E. Latham, Capt. Potter, which arrived at this port from Philadelphia on the 24th with seven hundred tons of coal, is largely manned by one family, one of the captain's sons being mate and another second mate, while a third does seaman's duty before the mast. The schooner is a big one and a beauty; and seven hundred tons of coal is not a full cargo for her.

Mr. Rufus B. Emery has sold his house on McDonough street to the Portsmouth Aqueduct Company, and is about to remove to Vineland, N. J.

Fred D. James, of Tamworth, having pleaded guilty to the charge of embezzling money from the *Times*, was sentenced to six months in jail and to pay $50 fine. He should have been hung right off.

Engineer James Colby and fireman Stephen Varnum, of the engine "Monitor" on the Concord Railroad, had a narrow escape from death on the afternoon of the 23d. A pipe burst under 115 lbs. pressure, letting into the cab the steam confined in the boiler. They were both severely burned about the head and face, and saved their lives by immediately jumping.

The May term of the Circuit Court of the United States for the district of New Hampshire will begin on Tuesday, May 8, in this city; Hon. George F. Shepley will preside. Justice Clifford has informed the clerk that, as the Supreme Court of the United States will not adjourn until the close of the session on the 7th of May, he will not attend at all at this term of the Circuit Court, unless the circuit judge finds some case which requires his attendance.

The Howard Atheneum Specialty and Pantomime Troupe, including Maffit and Bartholomew, and Miss Jennie Ingle, will give an entertainment in Franklin Hall on Monday evening next, the 30th. See advertisement.

Timothy Murphy has been arrested at Greenfield on suspicion of causing the death of Samuel Dascomb, a well-to-do farmer with whom he has boarded and with whose wife he has been improperly intimate. Dascomb was 76 years old, and his wife 30 years younger. Murphy is a railroad laborer.

Under the influence of the war news from Europe, grain and flour have commenced to go up at a rate that unless it is soon checked will carry them so high that a poor man will only be able to see the bottom of a flour barrel. Speculation is of course largely responsible for the rise in prices.

Steamer Mystic, of Dover, on Wednesday evening was lying alongside a gondola at Sise's wharf, waiting to tow her to Dover as soon as she was loaded with coal. The little steamer has been painted and fixed up generally, and looks as neat as a new pin.

On Wednesday afternoon a man, arrested in Dover on a charge of horse stealing, was brought to this city by an Ipswich (Mass.) policeman, and lodged in the lockup on suspicion of breaking and entering Mr. Rufus A. Preble's store at Newcastle on the night of the 23d. He refused to give either name or residence.

York, Me., is preparing for the war. Schooner D. S. Ives, Capt. Donnell, of York, was on Wednesday taking in a cargo of corn and flour for that port, at Charles Robinson's. She will carry a hundred barrels of flour and three or four hundred bushels of corn.

Persons visiting Dover to-day can go and return on any of the regular trains, as well as on the special return train from Dover at 10 P. M. Tickets at the depot. The first and second days of the Musical Convention were highly successful, the interest and attendance increasing with each session.

The following is the city marshal's report for the quarter ending March 31: Drunks, 63; tramps, 5; brawl and tumult, 5; assault, 5; disturbing the peace, 4; larceny, 3; breaking glass, 3; deserters, 2; suspicion, 2; truants, 2; escaped convict, 1; threatening life, 1; breaking and entering, 1; attempting to rescue prisoner, 1; assaulting officer, 1; giving liquor to prisoner, 1; bastardy, 1. Total, 101. There were 280 persons lodged during the quarter. The amount of fines and costs collected during the quarter was $21.80.

—Dr. Winslow of London thinks medical degrees will be valueless to men if women are also to receive them. Mrs. Winslow should give him some soothing syrup.

The American Popular Life Insurance Co., whose failure is announced, when organized was said to have a paid up capital of $306,700. Dr. Lambert, its President, is well known as a lecturer on the subject of longevity.

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Sch War Eagle, Friabee, from Bangor ar at Boston April 24.

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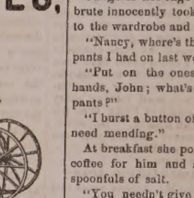

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How She Fooled Him.

John Sanscript's wife went to bed Saturday night, March 31st, with her mind made up to fool the old man next day or die in the attempt. In previous years she had found John impervious to jokes of all kinds, and she realized the Augean task before her on the morrow. With her mind full of her self imposed task she went to sleep. At daylight she awoke and at once began to operate. Her victim was lying with his back toward her, apparently in a sound sleep. She poked him vigorously in the ribs with her sharp elbow and clawed his shins with her toe-nails, preparatory to startling him with a half-whispered warning.

"John—oh, John—there's some one ringing the door-bell."

"Lem 'in ring," was the sleepy response.

"But, John, maybe it's the man on the next square who owes you that $100 come to pay you."

"No 'taint, neither," said John, with a yawn.

"But you don't know, and it may be that very man."

"I guess not, for he's buried; died last week. Besides, old woman, your ears deceive you. I took the bell-knob off last night to fool April foolers."

Heavens, what a mess she made of it to begin with! But when the old man rolled out of bed, yawned and picked up his pants she rammed the sheet in her mouth to plug up her laughter.

"Oh, jimmy, won't he tumble when he puts his foot in them pants and find the legs sewed up!" she said to herself.

Judge of her rage when the provoking brute innocently took the blockaded pants to the wardrobe and inquired:

"Nancy, where's them chocolate-colored pants I had on last week?"

"Put on the ones you have in your hands, John; what's the matter with them pants?"

"I burst a button off yesterday, and they need mending."

At breakfast she poured out a nice cup of coffee for him and sweetened it with two spoonfuls of salt.

"You needn't give me any coffee," he said; "keep that yourself."

"Why, John, what's the matter? This is the first time since we were married you refused coffee."

"The blame stuff has made me very nervous lately; and, as this is the first of the month, I thought I'd break off and only drink it for supper. You keep that yourself."

When he came home to dinner she had prepared him a neatly-directed envelope with a sheet of blank paper inclosed within. He eyed it suspiciously, and throwing it into the fire, said:

"I know that handwriting. It's from that crazy lunatic who wants me to vote for him to-morrow. So much for his letter."

In the evening she disguised herself in one of her husband's old suits and came to the door to beg for charity.

"Please give me a nickle to buy some bread."

"Get out, or I'll give you a nickel with my boot."

"But, sir, consider. I'm starving."

"The devil you are! Now, I'll bet you $50 against the suit of clothes you wear that you are an impostor."

"But sir"——

"If I were to search you now I should not be surprised to find you loaded with wealth. For two cents I would see."

"For heaven's sake"——

"Now, none of your soft-soap on me. I don't believe in beggars. Here, you policeman, take this infernal impostor to the station-house."

Just as the "peeler" grabbed the supposed beggar by the back of the neck a shrill voice yelled:

"John! John! you wouldn't send your wife to the station-house, would you?"

"The d—l I wouldn't!" was the cool response. "Anybody who lies to me about my door-bell, sews up my trousers, puts salt in my coffee, writes me anonymous notes, and steals my clothes, ought to go to the Penitentiary for life."

"But how did you know?"

"If you women wouldn't talk in your sleep you might keep a secret once in a while."

Mrs. Sanscript says that hereafter when she attemps an April-fool joke she intends to sit up all the night previous.

Early Vegetables in New York.

The *Grocer* gives the following information in regard to the early vegetables sent to the New York market:

Among the first vegetables to arrive in this market is asparagus. Our first supply comes from California, and is shipped in the ice cars containing salmon. It brings about 75 cents per bunch. A little later on we receive asparagus from Florida at one dollar per punch. Gradually as the season advances our sources of supply work northward to Savannah, Charleston, Norfolk, until about the first of May, when the product of the New York market gardens begins to appear. California has also the honor of supplying us with the first cauliflower, which is shipped in the same manner as asparagus, and is worth when it first appears, about one dollar per head. Among the most prominent of our January arrivals

may be mentioned cucumbers and lettuce, the first arrivals of both of which we receive from Massachusetts. The first cucumbers to arrive are big fellows, measuring from twelve to fourteen inches in length, and bring sometime as much as $2.50 each. About the middle of June when the season is at its height a cent apiece is more than is realized by the New Jersey and Long Island product. The lettuce comes also from the Boston hot-houses and is worth one dollar per dozen. In May we begin to receive lettuce from Long Island at half that price. Canada also contributes her part toward supplying us with luxuries by sending down the finest rhubarb and mushrooms received here. They are grown in large galleries 20 feet under ground, on the estate of Col. Rhodes, near Quebec. Green peas have begun to arrive in small quantities. These are, however, bought up by the restaurant keepers for advertisement in their show windows, while their customers regale themselves on the delicious products of the Baltimore canneries. The finest green peas received in this market come from Anne Arundel Co., Md., about the first of June, and are worth from about $15 to $18 per bbl. Early potatoes, onions and tomatoes come from Bermuda at first, and later from Savannah, Charleston and Norfolk.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1877.

The Latest Letter of Charles Francis.

When the New York *Sun* published, some six weeks after it was written, Charles Francis Adams' letter to Samuel J. Tilden, under date of March 5th, we did not consider it of enough importance to copy; but there has been so much said about that ridiculous screed of the champion egotist that we feel compelled to give it to our readers. It is as follows:

My Dear Sir: On this day, when you ought to have been the President of the United States, I seize the opportunity to bear my testimony to the calm and dignified manner in which you have passed through this great trial. It is many years since I ceased to be a party man, hence I have endeavored to judge of public affairs and men rather by their merits than by the name they take. It is a source of gratification to me to think that I made the right choice in the late election. I could never have been reconciled to the elevation by the smallest aid of mine of a person, however respectable in private life, who must forever carry upon his brow the stamp of fraud first triumphant in American history. No subsequent action, however meritorious, can wash away the letters of the record.

Very respectfully yours,
CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS.

We do not believe Mr. Adams wrote that letter, and have two very good reasons for not believing it. In the first place, the New York *Sun* says he did; and secondly, the letter contains an absolute falsehood, which Mr. Adams could help knowing was such,—and though it is said he believes the Adams family created the world and furnished a Savior for mankind, he is not open to the charge of being a liar. Even admitting Adams' statement that Hayes was elected by fraud to be true, his further statement that such fraud was on this occasion "first triumphant in American history" is untrue; for the notorious Plaquemine parish frauds which gave Louisiana to James K. Polk, and the equally notorious Empire Club frauds which gave him New York, were "triumphant" in defeating Henry Clay and making Polk President; and the Tilden-Tweed frauds of 1868 were "triumphant" to the extent of giving New York to Seymour and Hoffman,—as Mr. Adams very well knows. And Mr. Adams' present political party maintained that his father was elected by "a corrupt bargain and sale" between "a blackleg and a Puritan" (Henry Clay and John Q. Adams), and they utilized their charges and proofs so well that at the next election Adams was defeated by Andrew Jackson, by a vote of over two to one in the Electoral College.

There is yet another reason why we cannot credit the sage of Quincy with the authorship of that whole-souled endorsement of his own lofty honor, characteristic of him though it certainly is; and that is that he has never been accused of being a joker. No one but a reckless joker could have written to Tilden of "the calm and dignified manner" in which he passed through the Presidential campaign. Not at all admirable, even to his own party, are the calmness and dignity with which Tilden advertised himself through the agency of Bates & Locke, purchased his nomination at St. Louis, "whispered to a few friends" when his nomination was announced to him, spread his money and his ready-made editorials broadcast over the land in his desperate efforts to elect himself, allowed Nephew Pelton to carry on a cipher correspondence with Cronin from Gramercy Park, and sent a Tomb's pettifogger to Congress to act as his attorney,—a mighty "calm and dignified manner" that was in which to conduct himself, surely! Adams is unquestionably a first-class egotist; but he is not naturally an ass, and if he wrote the ridiculous letter attributed to him he must be well advanced in senility.

The Senate Steal.

The Supreme Court has made short work of its review of the Senate steal of 1875, and has branded that piece of stupid villainy in a way which will probably deter all future governors from attempting to duplicate it. The postscript which Judge Bingham, "as a citizen," adds to the opinion of the other judges is about as neat a specimen of a man's swallowing himself as we have seen lately.

CONCORD, April 23, 1877.

To His Excellency the Governor, and the Honorable Council:

The undersigned respectfully reply to your communication of the 16th inst. The question you put is:

"Whether, in counting the votes for representatives in Congress and State Senators, it is the duty of the Governor and Council, or whether they have the power to go behind the returns and throw out, reject or disregard any votes, on the ground that any candidate is ineligible, or on the ground that a candidate can have but one name, and the name by which he is commonly known was printed on the ballots, while he has sometimes been called by another name; or on the ground that there is no such man as one of those for whom the returns show votes were thrown; or on the ground that the name on the ballots was not the legal name of the candidate; or on the ground that certain ballots do not contain the full Christian name of the candidate intended to be voted for."

This is a question of law; and, so far as it relates to power, it necessarily means legal authority. We are not asked whether, by writ of mandamus or other legal process, the Governor and Council can be compelled to perform their duty, or whether there are remedies or penalties for their violation of it. They ask only what their duty is, what they can lawfully do and lawfully leave undone, what is legally right and what is legally wrong.

It is settled, by the decisions of the court, in 53 N. H. 473, 641, that the constitution of New Hampshire requires the Governor and Council to ascertain, not who are chosen, but who appear by the returns, to be chosen State Senators; to find the apparent result of the election, not by acting as judges of the election, but, so far as the result appears in the returns, to find it by arithmetic; to make a computation, not of the votes that would have been cast in a fair election, nor of the legal votes that were cast, nor of the votes legal and illegal that were cast, but of the votes which the returns show were declared by the moderators. It is also settled by those decisions that the returns to be computed are the town clerks' true copies of the town clerks' true records.

The duty of making this computation being imposed upon the Governor and Council by the constitution, and accepted by them with an official oath for its faithful and impartial performance, they cannot be authorized to violate it. This duty is, not to count a part of the returns, but to count them all. Whether some or all shall be counted, is a matter not submitted to their discretion. Their declaration that they reject a part of the whole number of the votes returned, would be a refusal to make the computation which the constitution commands them to make—a statement of the fact that their duty is left unperformed.

The Legislature, by reasonable regulations, may secure and facilitate the exercise of the constitutional right of voting; but that right cannot be legally destroyed by the Governor and Council refusing to count the returns which the constitution directs them to count. Executive, as well as legislative and judicial powers and duties, exist only within constitutional limits. Acts of other branches of the Government, as well as acts of the Legislature, may be unconstitutional, beyond the scope of their authority and void. The plain meaning and legal construction of the constitution is, that the returns which it requires the Governor and Council to count, it forbids and disables them to reject. The power of rejection from which it excludes them, cannot be conferred upon them, and cannot be exercised by them. Their rejection of returned votes for Senators would be the exact opposite of what the supreme law of the State authorizes and requires them to do, and beyond the constitutional bounds of their jurisdiction. And the statute requires them to count the returns of votes for Representatives in Congress in the manner in which the constitution requires them to count the returns of votes for Senators.

Our opinion is based on these reasons, and on other reasons which it is not necessary here to set forth, because the foregoing are, in our judgment, conclusive.

The question is, whether, in counting the returns of votes for Representative in Congress and State Senators, the Governor and Council have any duty or power to go behind the returns and throw out, reject, or disregard any votes. Our answer is, No.

C. DOE,
WM. L. FOSTER,
C. W. STANLEY,
A. W. SAWYER,
W. H. H. ALLEN.

For reasons peculiar to myself, I think I should be excused from sitting as a member of the court in the decision of this question.

As a citizen, in view of recent events, I may properly be allowed to express the hope that, in this State, the question having now been three times decided by the court, without any dissent, and without any conflicting decision, it may be considered as finally settled, and put at rest.

GEORGE A. BINGHAM.

The War.

The Russians are reported to be advancing on Kars, on the frontier of Turkey in Asia, in force. This is not the way the newspaper correspondents had decided the Czar's forces should advance. Russian troops have seized Baboroussi, in Roumania, a railroad station of great importance. The Turks have also taken possession of important points in Roumania.

It is expected Turkey will appeal to "the Powers," under the treaty of Paris, against the action of Russia; much good that will do. A Turkish victory over the Montenegrins, near Nicsics, is claimed, and that the Miridite insurgents are routed.

In England the impression prevails that all Europe will be embroiled before the war closes. Many English officers are in the Turkish army. There is a large British fleet at Constantinople and the English are accumulating immense stores of war material at the Island of Malta. The army has also been increased. It is considered certain that if a combination can be made with Austria or Russia, France will eagerly take part in the general contest which every one fears is inevitable.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	5.00, 10.40	A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40	"	4.45 "
Portland	9.45	"	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	"	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45	"	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.55, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 3.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.30 " 5.30 "
Dover,	10.30 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

A TEST OF FITNESS.

Eds. Chron.: In the discussion of the fitness of a man for a teacher, the question seems capable of being compressed into very narrow limits. It is simply, "Is he the best man, in acquirements, in dignity and power of discipline, in patience and fidelity, whom we can get for the money we pay?" If the pupils offered to the High School by a certain teacher stand as well as those offered by any other teacher, the verdict must be in his favor,—the city needs the man as much as the man needs the school. As a general thing the parents of pupils are totally incompetent to decide this point; hence the matter is put into the hands of a committee, and that committee should decide the question without fear or favor. The committee, like a judge on the bench, should neither listen to the suggestions of envy or enmity, nor to the pleadings of friendship or personal bias, but should do simple and exact JUSTICE.

A BRILLIANT WEDDING.

Another brilliant wedding took place at the Navy Yard on Wednesday, between Dr. Presley M. Rixey, U. S. N., son of P. M. Rixey, Esq., of Culpeper, Va., and Miss Earlina English, daughter of Capt. Earl English, U. S. N., present Commandant of the Navy Yard.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Chas. A. Holbrook, Rector of St. John's church of this city, and took place by gaslight, which added very much to the effect of the decorations of the rooms, which were extremely beautiful and showed the excellent taste of those who had the affair in hand. There was a profusion of flowers of the choicest kinds ornamenting every available space; the walls and ceilings were draped and festooned with bunting, and the chandeliers decked with green leaves and scarlet fuchsias; stacks of arms stood in the corners, and articles of bric-a-brac were distributed about the rooms in profusion. The paintings deserve special mention, for they are very fine, the work of the best artists, brought from Italy by Capt. English. The effect was beautiful when the rooms were empty, and when they were filled with ladies and gentlemen was indescribably charming.

The bridesmaids were Miss Nellie English and Miss Mamie Wyse. The groomsmen were Drs. Boyd and Ruth, of the navy, and the ushers Chief Engineer Williamson and Lieut. Comdr. Shephard.

The bride's dress was a very pale pink silk, extremely rich and heavy, trimmed with orange blossoms and tulle, and duchesse lace; very long train and veil; orange blossoms in the hair, and pearl jewelry. The bride's mother wore a black velvet dress, trimmed with duchesse lace, and coral jewelry.

Mrs. Taunt, the bride's sister, was dressed in an elegant white silk dress with very long train. Her dress was trimmed with orange blossoms (very appropriate, as she has recently become a bride,) and duchesse lace. Silver ornaments on the neck and in the hair and ears.

The bride's-maids wore dresses of white tarlatan trimmed with flowers.

The ceremony was very beautiful. The orchestra played Mendenssohn's Wedding March while the wedding party came down stairs, preceded by young girls strewing flowers in their path; and when they reached the altar commenced to play Shumann's Traumerie with muted strings, which continued until the ceremony and prayer were concluded, when the musicians gave a brilliant selection during congratulations. The whole effect was impressive in the extreme, the music being rendered in Harlow's usual style.

The march commenced at 6:04 and the happy couple were declared one at 6:15. The bride was given away by her father. The costumes of all the ladies were very rich and elegant, but our space forbids extended description. The officers were dressed in full uniform.

The wedding presents consisted in part of an elegant silver pudding dish, sardine dish, setts of silver knives and forks, card receivers, ice cream ladle, cake basket, and many other articles. We noticed an elegant fan of white silk, covered with hand-wrought lace, which deserves especial mention.

After the ceremony there was a reception; and several hours were passed pleasantly in dancing and in enjoying a most elaborate and delicious supper.

There were present three ladies who were married in this same house, viz.: Mrs. Macomb, married in 1857; Mrs. Taunt, married Jan. 31, 1877; and the bride of the evening.

Shortly after the ceremony the newly wedded couple started on a tour to the West.

JOTTINGS.

Cerebro spinal meningitis has again made its appearance among the horses in this city. It shows no preference, attacking those in private as well as those in livery stables. One or two horses have died, but as the nature of the disease is now understood the owners of ailing animals have hopes of saving all that are at present sick. One peculiarity of the disease is that it attacks only mares.

The Commencement appointments in the Chandler Scientific Department of Dartmouth College have been made, Mr. Geo. W. Bartlett of this city standing second on the list, with "Some considerations in regard to the study of modern languages."

The Portsmouth Dramatic Club will play "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" at the Town Hall in Rye this (Friday) evening, half the proceeds to be donated to the Rye Cornet Band, whose orchestra will furnish the music for the evening.

Half fare tickets from Portsmouth to Boston ($1.70) obtained at the Eastern Railroad ticket office for any of the trains running to-day, and these tickets will be good to return on the 27th or 28th. This is the last week of Moody and Sankey in Boston; doubtless many will improve the opportunity thus afforded to visit the great Tabernacle and see and hear these celebrated revivalists.

The parishoners and friends of Rev. A. J. Patterson, D. D., formerly of this city, now of Boston Highlands, remembered his fiftieth birthday, which occurred a few days since, by assembling at his residence and presenting him with a beautiful silver tea service.

In another column will be found an advertisement of the "Little Giant Pills," with a number of certificates of persons who have been cured by them of dyspepsia, billiousness, sick headache and other complaints incident to impaired or sluggish digestion. It will be noticed that these certificates are not given by persons in Oregon, Iceland, Senegambia and Siam, but by residents of this city and Kittery, and at places *specially located* in other cities not many miles away. These pills are not announced as a sure remedy for every complaint, from idiocy to impecuniosity, but it is claimed for them that they are the best remedy yet discovered for diseases consequent on disarrangement or imperfect action of the digestive organs.

The first number of the new *Portsmouth Weekly* (by Frank W. Miller & Co.) is out; about everybody has seen it, so we need not describe it, and if its readers have not found out that it is a breezy and readable sheet it is of no use for us to tell them of it. It is *of course* extreme anti-rum and anti-tobacco.

New Hampshire Items.

Mary Hoyt, wife of Gen. Hoyt of Durham, died suddenly Wednesday morning.

John Blake of Hopkinton, charged with obtaining goods under false pretences, Wednesday evaded the Sheriff and left for parts unknown.

Frank Duprez, a laborer on the Concord Railroad, had both bones in his right arm broken while unloading ties at Hooksett, Wednesday afternoon.

News and Notes.

Commodore J. C. Howell, Chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, has been promoted to Rear Admiral, in place of Almy, placed on the retired list.

Schooner Frank & Emily, of Rockport, Mass., sunk off Wilmington, N. C., on the 14th of April, and four men were drowned, the captain only being rescued, after being twenty-four hours in the water, by schooner Flora Woodhouse. The latter vessel also took off the crew of schooner Charles H. Kelley, which was sinking.

The strike of the Wamsutta Mills operatives at New Bedford is ended, they gladly going to work at the old rates. The strike has lasted nine weeks, and resulted in much suffering and a loss of $125,000 in wages to the operatives.

The banishment of wine from the White House table recalls some piquant words of John Adams, written from Philadelphia in 1777 to his wife Abigail. "General Washington," he says, "sets a fine example. He has banished wine from his table, and entertains his friends with rum and water. This is much to the honor of his wisdom, his policy and his patriotism."

The New York Senate has passed a bill to prevent pool-selling.

On Wednesday forenoon the dead body of Samuel Kuhl, a Swiss, about fifty years of age, was found concealed (all but one foot) in a pile of rubbish in an outhouse attached to Conrad Zeigler's dye house at Boston Highlands. Kuhl's head was enveloped in a bag, and had gashes in it evidently made with an axe or hatchet. Gottfried Zeigler, an employer of the dye house, has been arrested for the murder, the evidence being almost conclusive against him. The crime was committed for money—about one hundred dollars.

It has transpired that the Oriental Powder Mills at Gambo, on the Penobscot river in Maine, have contracts partly filled for a quarter of a million dollars' worth of rifle powder for Russia. This was the reason for their anxiety to save the water in the late drought, which occasioned the law proceedings.

The proclamation of Gov. Packard, issued on the 25th, says that on that day, "the fifteenth anniversary of the surrender of New Orleans to U. S. forces, it becomes his duty to announce to the republicans of Louisiana that the countenance of the national government has been withdrawn from them and a revolutionary government established."

John Kelly acknowledges that he gave the information on which the "confession" of Tweed was based, and that he really knows nothing about the matter. The editor of the New York *World* acknowledges that more than half its reputed Albany dispatches purporting to be an abstract of Tweed's confession was written up in the office of the *World* by its city editor from rumors and information gathered here and there. All of the names of Senators who were reported to have been bribed by Tweed were added at the New York office to the Albany dispatch. But Kelly and the *World* are hot for "reform."

It is said that the Central Vermont Railroad has asked its engineers to withdraw from the Brotherhood, and that most of them will comply.

The Court at Orville, Cal., has sentenced four of the Chico incendiaries to the penitentiary, as follows; H. S. Jones, twenty years; James Hay, ten years; Pleasant Slaughter, ten years, and A. Holderbaum, five years. A motion for a new trial in the case of Jones and Hay was denied.

Scotching Malaria.

It is a fact widely and amply attested that where the powerful and pernicious drug, quinine, and other mineral poisons, administered as remedies for fever and ague and bilious remittents, fail to yield more than temporary relief to the sufferer, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters scotches those tremendous epidemics most thoroughly, and by strengthening the system and regulating its functions, protects it against malarial attacks. No resident of a locality where the above maladies prevail, or where they are likely to break out in consequence of the poisoning of the atmosphere by noxious exhalations, should fail to take practical cognizance of the above important truth, and by a timely use of the Bitters avoid the ravages of maladies so disastrous to the physical constitution. There is not in existence a finer tonic, corrective and defensive cordial.

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MARRIED.

BIXEY—ENGLISH. At the Navy Yard, Kittery, Me., April 25th, by Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, Rector of St. John's Church in this city, Dr. Presley M. Rixey, U. S. N., and Miss Earlina English, daughter of Capt. Earl English, U. S. N.

TOWNE—HANSCOM. In this city, April 13, by Rev. E. M. Grant, Mr. Frank H. Towne and Miss Almira Hanscom, both of Eliot, Me.

DIED.

PIERCE. In this city, April 26, suddenly, Daniel H. Peirce, M. D., aged 76 years.

HAMMOND. In Eliot, Me., April 20, Mrs. Mary Hammond, widow of Wm. Hammond, Esq.

HOYT. In Newington, April 23, Miss Sally Hoyt, aged 66 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, April 26.

Steamer Allentown, Mills, Philadelphia.
Sch Abbie Frankfort, Hickman, Norfolk.
Sch W P Green, Crammings, Philadelphia.
Sch Union Flag, Frisbee, Portsmouth.

SAILED, April 26.

Sch Ida E Latham, Potter, Philadelphia.
Sch D S Ives, Donnell, York.

Sch Olive, Warren, for this port from Port Johnson, arr at Narragansett Pier, April 21.

Sch Maggie Todd, Norwood, for this port from Port Johnson, arr at Vineyard Haven April 24.

Sch President Andrew Johnson, Applegarth, and George E Hall, Keene, for this port, cld from Philadelphia April 24.

Sch Henry Gibson, Low, for this port, cld from New York April 24.

Sch Julia Newell, Shephard, for this port from New York passed through Hell Gate April 24th.

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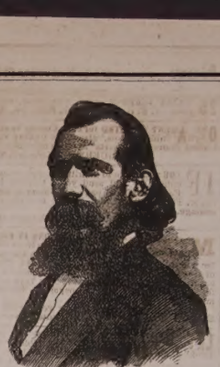

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Number of Lodges, Dec. 31, 1876	49
Increase of the year	3
Number of Members, Dec. 31, 1875	6,184
" Initiated during the year	648
" Admitted by card	95
" Reinstated	52
Total of gain	795
Number withdrawn or resigned	132
" Suspended	143
" Expelled	5
" Deceased	55
Total of loss	337
Net gain of the year	458
Total membership Dec. 31, 1876	6,642
Revenue of Subordinate Lodges for the year	$43,696 73
Funds and investments by the various Lodges	$136,324 33
Number of Brothers relieved	546
" Widowed families relieved	22
" Weeks sickness for which benefits were paid	2,834
Paid relief of Brothers	$13,327 93
" " Widowed families	757 34
" Burying the dead	2,725 10
" Special relief	758 63
Total relief for the year	$17,142 20

The next Annual Session of the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire will be held at Manchester, Oct. 9, 1877.

JOEL TAYLOR,
Grand Secretary.

—It was a good thing that Mr. Spurgeon once said when asked how he filled his church, and he replied that he had never tried to do such a thing. He considered it his duty to fill his pulpit, and his people filled his church. Perhaps here is a hint some ministers might profit by.

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United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	120½
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N. H. State 6s, 1873	111½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
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Boston & Providence	122½
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	34
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	133½
Manchester & Lawrence	131
Michigan Central	78
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	95
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	50½

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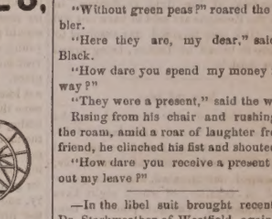

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"A chicken, madam," said the husband.

"Roasted or boiled?"

"Confound it, madam, if you had been a good and considerate wife you would have known before this what I liked," Sandy growled out, and slamming the door behind him, left the house. A friend who was present heard the wife say:

"Sandy is bent on a disturbance to-day; I shall not please him, do what I can."

The dinner time came and Sandy and his friend sat down to dinner. The fish were eaten in silence, and on raising the cover of the dish before him, in a towering passion he called out:

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"Madam, I won't eat roast chicken," roared Sandy; "you know how it should have been cooked!"

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Rising from his chair and rushing from the room, amid a roar of laughter from his friend, he clinched his fist and shouted:

"How dare you receive a present without my leave?"

—In the libel suit brought recently by Dr. Starkweather of Westfield against the Springfield *Republican*, Judge Brigham, who presided, gave some very curious rulings, though of course it is not for the uninitiated to question the technical legal correctness of the points that he made. Judge Brigham holds that when a public journal says rumors of a certain thing are rife, it is bound to establish not only that there are such rumors but that "the rumors were true and the facts to which they relate were true." And this likewise when the rumor refers to the merest incident of a main fact that is proved to be true. Upon this theory we can hardly see that newspapers have any existence except under the sufferance of a generous public. If a man poisons his wife with arsenic and a newspaper should say he did it with laudanum, we do not see but the murderer has the journal in chancery to begin with, and so on through the whole scale of damaging stories that form part of the current news of the day. Not a newspaper in the land is published but is full of libel, according to this ruling, no matter what the intent or the essential truth may be. Time was when the greater the truth the greater the libel, but times have changed. Absolute accuracy in whole and in part must now be required in the newspaper profession, though we believe it is not insisted on or expected in any other. —*Post.*

—M. Saint-Saens is a frenzied musician as well as the most near-sighted of all near-sighted persons. It is told of him that at a party recently given he consented after much pressing to play, and for an hour charmed the company. Then they got tired and departed, exchanging as they retreated a significant smile with the host and hostess. Presently the hostess herself became weary and retired. Saint-Saens played more brilliantly than ever. The clock struck 2 A. M. The host feeling drowsiness master him completely, went to M. Saint-Saens, and laying his hand upon the musician's shoulder, asked: "My dear sir, how can I ever sufficiently express my gratitude for the delightful evening you have made all of us spend; but I am afraid you must be a little tired; aren't you?" M. Saint-Saens replied, without looking up or stopping his play: "Tired? I am just beginning to get in the humor to play." To confirm speech by deed, M. Saint-Saens dashed off with a fire, vehemence, vigor which he had not shown during the whole evening. The host despaired. He went to sleep and the composer, it is gravely said, stopped playing about daybreak, bowed low, right and left as he retired to the door, and went home delighted with the still and breathless attention he had received.

—A Norwich man has invented a plan in three parts by which no one need lose his life in a burning hotel. The first states that a man should never stop at a hotel. Omitting the other two parts, the plan is generally considered a success.

—A Baltimore lawyer, who found his cupidity running away with his conscience, put himself under the blue-glass treatment, and the very next day a client coming in was only charged three quarters of the fee of the estate.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1877.

The War.

A despatch from Bucharest, via London, Friday morning, says the first engagement between the Russian and Turkish forces has been fought between Kars and Batavna in Turkey in Asia. The Turks claim that the Russians were routed, losing 800 men.

Prince Charles of Roumania will lead an army of 30,000 men to prevent Roumania being made the seat of war between the contending parties.

The Khedive of Egypt will send 18,000 men to aid Turkey.

The Sultan on Thursday made an address to the troops. He promises to raise the sacred banner of the Caliphate and to accompany the army to battle.

Germany, Spain, Italy and England are all sending more war vessels into Turkish waters. The United States man-of-war Vandalia has sailed for Salonica, and the Marion and Alliance for Smyrna and Bayrout.

The Turkish embassy has left St. Petersburg. Russia will embargo all Turkish vessels in Russian ports after May 1st.

Advices from Vienna represent that one of the first contests between the opposing armies will be for the bridge over the river Sereth at Barboschi. The Turks unaccountably missed the opportunity of forestalling the Russians in seizing the bridge, and the Russians are now prepared to defend it. Three Turkish gunboats have entered the river to destroy the bridge. The Russians will continue to cross the Pruth by four pontoon bridges for the next few days. The opinion in military circles in Vienna i sthat Austria will occupy Bosnia in the second week of May with two divisions of her army. There was a good deal of controversy in Vienna over a possible misunderstanding between Russia and Roumania over the occupation of the latter's territory by the army of the Czar and the ultimate designs of the Russian Generals.

A Turkish fleet has bombarded Chekfetik.

The latest London advices, Friday, report the renewal of the fight at Batoum, in which the Russians are said to have lost 800 men. Also, that England has resolved to interfere in behalf of Turkey, being urged to it by Austria.

News and Notes.

The number of girls received at the Maine Industrial School, since Jan. 1, 1875, is sixty. Of these four have been returned to friends, three dismissed as incorrigible, one escaped, one deceased, and twenty-four placed in families, of whom eight have been indentured. The girls placed in families, and especially those indentured, with few exceptions, are doing well, and give good promise of becoming useful members of society.

Statistics show that there are 125 temperance reform clubs in this State, with a total membership of 55,000, of whom 27,000 are men of 21 years, and over 10,000 were habitual tipplers. The State has, in proportion to its population, more names upon the pledge than any other in the Union.

Zeigler, the suspected murderer of the Swiss Kuhl (or Koller), has confessed the deed, but says he killed Kuhl in a fight about $1.50 which Kuhl owed him, he refusing to pay more than $1. It is known, however, that Zeigler owed Kuhl $50; and the detectives regard the affair as a deliberately but very blunderingly planned murder.

Hon. Caleb Cushing arrived home from Spain Thursday morning.

The following notice has appeared in all the London papers: "We are authorized to state that Her Majesty's birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 2d of June, instead of Saturday, the 26th of May, as originally announced." This discrepancy of date is due to the fact that Her Majesty was born Old Style.

Miss Nellie G. Bearse of Hyannis, Mass., arrived at home from Boston on the evening train Thursday, and, going to the house of her mother, walked through the house, and in one of the best rooms shot herself in the forehead. She lived about one hour.

The Supreme Court at Springfield, Mass., which adjourned Thursday, granted twenty-six divorces during its term of two days and a half, only one application being refused.

Mr. George N. Comer, Principal of the Boston Commercial College, died Wednesday night at the age of nearly sixty-one years. He was a native of Liverpool, Eng., and came to this country when eighteen years of age. He started his commercial college twenty-four years ago. During this time he has had under his tuition not less than twenty thousand young men.

Sixteen persons were killed by the explosion of a steam boiler in Alexandria, Egypt. Thus the civilization of the West is making its way to popular regard in the East.

Hon. Edward McPherson of Gettysburg, Penn., Ex-Clerk of the House, has been tendered and has accepted the position of Chief of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing of the Treasury Department. Colonel O. H. Irish of Nebraska has been appointed Assistant Chief of the same Bureau.

All the pool sellers of New York, in consequence of the passage of the bill against em by the Legislature, will migrate to Jersey City.

Base ball—at Lynn, Manchesters 14, Live Oaks 3; at Brooklyn, Hartfords 2, Athletics 6; at Cincinnati, Indianapolis 2, Stars 0.

A Mrs. Haskins, who lives in the suburbs of Pawtucket, R. I., is a brave woman. On a recent forenoon, on returning from the yard to her house, she heard footsteps in her parlor, and seizing a revolver which she had handy she proceeded thither, and in the entry met a man with a bundle of clothing on his arm. He ordered her to get out of his way, threatening to shoot, at the same time drawing a revolver. Mrs. Haskins, although naturally frightened, fired her revolver at him twice, at which the fellow dropped his bundle and struck her, knocking her down, and, shutting the entry door, escaped through a window. He was without doubt wounded, as blood was found on the window-sill. The police have arrested one of a band of gypsies on suspicion of being the robber.

Political.

Ex-Representative Impromptu Tarbox of Massachusetts, in a letter to a friend, diagnoses the political situation as follows: "The Administration runs the democratic policy as cleverly as though it had been born to it. Is Mr. Hayes a democrat, or am I a republican? Really, I don't feel quite sure of my political identity."

The Chicago *Inter-Ocean* remarks: Several papers of independent proclivities lose no opportunity to remark that Bristow and Schurz made speeches that carried Hayes through Ohio. On this point the Sandusky *Register* says: "The Blaine meetings in size and enthusiasm, were equal to a dozen of those held by either Bristow or Schurz, and for that matter by Morton. Blaine's meeting at Norwalk counted 25,000 people. Schurz's meeting in this city numbered about 800."

Sensible Talk.

The Providence *Journal*, referring to the charge brought by Miss Sterry of Worcester, Mass., against the mesmerist Carpenter, says: "It is well known that so many and such unfounded charges have been made by women against dentists who have used gas in extracting teeth, that many will not operate unless in presence of a witness. Whatever may be the merits of this case, there is one fact which should not be overlooked by parents and guardians. Professor Carpenter says that 'Miss Sterry visited his rooms; that 'having found her a pleasant acquaintance, bright, social and agreeable, he invited her to visit him as he has others.' So it seems that this lecturer is in the habit of inviting young women to his rooms at hotels, and that in many cases his invitation is accepted. Mesmerism or no mesmerism, this is something which should put families upon their guard. The young and thoughtless girls cannot safely visit such men in such a way and in such a place. Grant that such a scandal as this is not likely to, and does not ordinarily ensue, none the less is it true that there must be a letting down of the discretion, the decorum, the modesty of the sex. For young women, there is no sufficient reason for attending this class of exhibitions; surely none for going on the platform as did Miss Sterry, and none for seeking the apartments of the itinerant lecturer. The stranger who induces women to visit him at his rooms is a humbug or a scoundrel, probably both."

Legislative Muss in Canada.

About ten days ago the Opposition in the Canadian House of Commons attacked the Speaker, Mr. Anglin, of St. John, N. B., declaring his seat to have become vacant by reason of the fact that some government printing had been done in the newspaper office of which he is proprietor. This, it was alleged, was a breach of the "Indipendence of Parliament" act, the penalty of which is a heavy fine and loss of seat. The case was submitted to the committee on privileges and elections. Then the Opposition discovered another member, Mr. Norris, of Lincoln, a shareholder in a steamer company which had performed some government work, and he, too, was sent to committee. Then Mr. Mackenzie, the Premier, bethought himself that if these cases were to be construed as infringements of the law, there must be others, and forthwith turned to the public accounts during the reign of his predecessor, Sir John Macdonald, who had led the attack upon the Speaker. The first case discovered was that of Mr. Currier, of Ottawa, a member of the Opposition, who belongs to a lumber firm, and whose partner, unknown to him and legitimately enough, had contracts for lumber with the government. Mr. Currier at once resigned his seat. Fast upon this revelation came others, including not only those who had taken an active part in the onslaught, but even Sir John Macdonald himself, whose firm (lawyers) had received a number of payments from the government of which he was the head. It is not suggested on either side that there has been any corruption in the matter, but Sir John Macdonald thought he could capture the Speaker's seat, and now he and some of his principal henchmen are themselves in the same box with the Speaker.

—Paterfamilias—"George, these are uncommonly good cigars. I can't afford to smoke such expensive cigars as these." George (grandly) — "Fill your case—fill your case, Gov'nor!"

Superstition.

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New Hampshire Items.

Aretas Blood, agent of the Manchester locomotive works, has purchased of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company the right of patterns and tools for the manufacture of steam fire engines, and these machines in connection with the locomotive works. The old Amoskeag machine shop, which has been the nursery for thousands of mechanics throughout the country, will be suspended, excepting that portion of the shop necessary for repairs in their extensive works.

The Supreme Court has been in almost constant session at Concord since the first Tuesday of last October, and the docket has been well cleared of cases.

Recent golden weddings: Mr. and Mrs. Amos Merrill of South Hampton; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Towle of Candia; Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Bruce of Lempster.

An Exeter man while digging a drain, found the ground alive with potato bugs at a depth of two feet.

Work on the new Union chapel at Little Boar's Head is progressing rapidly and it is hoped will be completed in season for dedication on July 1st. The work is done entirely under the direction of the lady guests at that summer resort, who have raised the funds for building the chapel by fairs, levees and private theatricals. It is in the Gothic style of architecture and will be nicely fitted throughout.

The grand jury on Wednesday returned to the Supreme Court, in session at Lancaster, three indictments—one against the Grand Trunk Railway Company for carelessness in managing its train at the time of the death of John E. Willis, at Milan last March; one against Sylvanus Holmes for beating a horse, and one against Johnson G. Kimball of Dalton for murdering his wife on the 26th of March. Kimball pleaded guilty of murder in the second degree; the Attorney-General accepted the plea, and the Court sentenced the murderer to thirty years' imprisonment. Kimball is the drunken old wretch who beat and kicked his wife to death; as he is now fifty or sixty years old, his drunks are about over for this world.

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Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	8.30 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	8.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, April 27th.

William Nolan was brought up, charged with having been drunk. William has been drunk sometimes, he and his wife having both served terms at Brentwood for that offence; but the Court decided that he was not proved guilty this time, and he went his way rejoicing.

George Porter, Alexander McKey and Andrew Drew, drunks, $9.90 each, fine and costs.

Jeremiah Manning, marine, drunk, $9.13 fine and costs.

George W. Parsons, a minister, (according to his own account,) didn't know exactly what he was in the station house for, but wanted to be tried right away, as he could not bear the bad air of the lockup. His request was granted, and he was informed that he was charged with having been most unministerially drunk. He thought this so likely to be so that he pleaded guilty, whereupon the Court observed that $9.90 would make things about square. Mr. Parsons said his money was all out to Greenland, and an officer accompanied him out there to get the city's share of it.

In the afternoon, James Furlong, a seaman, was assessed $9.90, fine and costs, for drunkenness.

Prescott Lord, a man from somewhere down in Maine, was brought before the Court for drunkenness, but was discharged on his promise to leave town at once.

MORE SCHOOL TALK.

Eds. Chronicle:—A short item in your paper concerning the capabilities of a certain teacher in one of our public schools, signed "Justice," has suggested a few thoughts to me. With all due respect for the charitable spirit which pervades that article I would notice some of its suggestions. The writer states that the question under discussion can be condensed into very narrow limits. But *are* the limits so narrow when we consider it has taken a space of nineteen years to discover this gentleman's qualification as a teacher can be questioned? And during that period of time there has served as our school committee many of the most intelligent, capable and talented men in our city. If the present committee *only* have made this discovery, they certainly must be considered wise beyond their generation and while it reflects much credit on themselves it throws great discredit on their predecessors.

The writer considers our school interests safe under the supervision of the committee, and while I consider the parents to be oftimes incapable of judging their children's qualifications, there are those beside the committee who are competent, and it is an assertion made by one of our High School teachers, that the gentleman whose ability is now called in question has sent into that school some of the best prepared pupils.

"Consistency is a jewel," and after twenty-nine years of experience in Portsmouth and elsewhere the education and interest of each pupil under his charge may be considered safe, for "there is no royal road to learning."

REASON.

THE CHILDREN'S HOME BENEFIT.

St. John's chapel was filled, Thursday evening, with a refined and appreciative audience, entertained by a varied and attractive literary programme presented in behalf of the Children's Home in this city. The six little beneficiaries, now occupants of that institution, were pleasantly mentioned by the Rector, and the kindly sympathy and generous aid of the audience specially invoked in their interest. The poems selected were of a high order, and were exquisitely rendered. Mrs. Malaprop's code of ethics, vividly portrayed, and the Chinese question, a gem of dialect recitation—as discussed by an Italian lady named Melowney—although involving questions of serious import in matters of domestic and international polity, were dispassionately considered, and pleasantly relieved the intenser dramatic portion of the exercises. The rendering, by the same lady, of two poems so widely differing in character as "Betsey and I are out" and Hood's descriptive "Hullabaloo," was a fine exhibition of a facile adaptation of character which has charmed many an audience here and elsewhere. The gentlemen acquitted themselves handsomely; indeed, in view of their training, nothing else was expected. All who contributed to the success of the entertainment may congratulate themselves upon the genuine pleasure afforded, and the substantial addition of one hundred dollars to the fund of the Home.

JOTTINGS.

Rev. James W. Hubbell will deliver a temperance address before the Woman's Temperance League at the North Church, Sunday afternoon, at the usual hour; all members of the organization are requested to attend.

Subject at Bow Mission, Sabbath afternoon, "Confession."

The mowing season has commenced early this year, in this city. The lawn on the Lord estate was cut over on Thursday and Friday.

The houses on Union street, to be sold at *eleven* o'clock to-day by Col. Hackett, are well situated in a pleasant part of the city, and will surely be knocked down to the highest bidder, the sale being by order of assignee. At *twelve* o'clock Col. Hackett will sell sundry bank stock. See advertisements in usual column.

On Monday night, at Franklin Hall, the Howard Athenæum Company, of Boston, including Maffit and Bartholomew and Miss Jenny Engel, will give one of their enjoyable variety entertainments. See advertisement.

Schooners Governor Goodwin, McGrath, and W. H. Y. Hackett, Dunphy, of this port, sailed from Beverly, Mass., on the 21st, for the Grand Banks.

The American House, Boston, is most favorably known all over the country. In spaciousness, convenience of arrangements and liberality of appointments, and above all in the efficiency of management and careful consideration for the comfort of guests, it has few if any superiors among the hotels of the land.

Maggie Mitchell, supported by William Harris and a full dramatic company, will present "Mignon" at Franklin Hall on Wednesday evening. Reserved seats on sale at Stavers' Bazaar on and after to-day. See advertisement.

A queer story comes from the Navy Yard to the effect that on Friday morning, shortly after midnight, two men were detected transporting metal tubes from the old timber shed near the office building, and were chased by the watchmen, but escaped, their boat (a dory) being captured with several heavy pipes stowed away in her. [The dory belongs to a workman on Capt. Marcy's new ship, and was stolen from her moorings.] It is possible that the attempt to steal was genuine, but many persons regard it as a "put up job" on somebody, as it is hardly probable that thieves would undertake such a raid on a night when the moon made everything as bright as day.

James Sterling, a member of the Dover Reform Club, and said to be an eloquent lecturer, will speak on temperance, Sunday evening at half-past seven o'clock, at Mechanics' Hall, under the auspices of the Portsmouth Reform Club.

Since the opening of the new and excellent Hotel Devonshire, opposite the main entrance of Grand Central Depot, first-class accommodations at reasonable rates can be had in this most convenient locality. By all means stop at the Hotel Devonshire on your next visit to New York.

CITY AFFAIRS

The Board of Mayor and Alderman held an unimportant meeting on Thursday evening.

Several requests for leave to open drains, re-laying of sidewalks, etc., were referred to committees.

The committee on burying grounds were empowered to repair the gate at Cotton's burying ground.

Voted, that in all cases when private parties have leave to open the streets for any purpose, the street commissioner be notified.

The committee to whom was referred the claim of Mrs. Webster for additional damages for land taken to widen Middle and Lafayette roads, reported, recommending that she be paid $40 in addition to the sum already allowed.

The committee on burying grounds, to whom was referred the application of James Lowery for purchase of a lot in Cotton's burying grounds, reported, recommending that he be granted a lot near the gate. The report was accepted and laid on the table.

The committee on widening streets, to whom was referred the petition F. K. Brown and others for a new highway, reported that the land damages would amount to $650. The subject was recommitted, to confer with Mr. Wood and all other land owners relative to land damages.

Committee on fire department, to whom was referred the subject of a reservoir at Christian Shore, made a partial report. The subject was recommitted, with directions to ascertain the land damages.

The subject of repairs of Spring Market was referred to the committee on city lands and buildings, with power.

Adjourned for two weeks.

SOUTH SEABROOK.

SOUTH SEABROOK, April 27.

Instead of refitting the old schoolhouse in this district, (No. 5,) and putting another story on it, the committee chosen to carry out that plan will probably call a school meeting to consider the propriety and advisability of building a new schoolhouse instead, they regarding the repairing of the old building in the same light as the putting "new cloth on old garments."

Trailing arbutus is now in its glory, and the woods have many visitors in search of the hidden fragrance.

The bird law is being brought prominently into notice, the stores and shops being placarded by the Portsmouth Society for the Prevention of Cruelty. The boys of the district are having a regular bird-house epidemic,—a good thing, for it will tend to make them love the birds, and strengthen the public sentiment in favor of the law, without which it cannot be even partially enforced.

May Festivals are in order. Hampton Falls will have one April 30th; Seabrook Village two, May 1st, and South Seabrook one the same night.

A citizens' meeting will be held next week, to arrange for Memorial Day services.

ENO.

—"That parrot of mine's a wonderful bird," said Smithers, "he cries 'Stop, thief,' so naturally that every time I hear it I always stop. What are you all laughing at, any way?"

—A young gentleman from a semi-rural town has relations living in the city, and the other day he came down to make them a short visit. In the evening he went out to call on a young lady of his acquaintance, and she proved so irresistible that he did not leave her until one o'clock in the morning. When he arrived home he quietly let himself in, and espying a light through the crack in the door, supposed that some one of the family had thoughtfully left a light burning for him, and so he quietly removed his boots, stealthily entered the room and found his amazed self standing in the presence of a large and brilliant party. No explanation was needed. The boots in his hands, the sheepish expression on his face, told the whole story, and a hole in the heel of his stocking added greatly to his pleasure.—*Rochester Democrat.*

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It is a fact widely and amply attested that where the powerful and pernicious drug, quinine, and other mineral poisons, administered as remedies for fever and ague and bilious remittents, fail to yield more than temporary relief to the sufferer, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters scotches those tremendous epidemics most thoroughly, and by strengthening the system and regulating its functions, protects it against malarial attacks. No resident of a locality where the above maladies prevail, or where they are likely to break out in consequence of the poisoning of the atmosphere by noxious exhalations, should fail to take practical cognizance of the above important truth, and by a timely use of the Bitters avoid the ravages of maladies so disastrous to the physical constitution. There is not in existence a finer tonic, corrective and defensive cordial.

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All fractures, except of the bones, cured by Spalding's Glue.

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MUCHMORE. In this city, April 24th, Miss Serena Muchmore.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED April 27.

Sch Mary Willey, Williams, Bangor.
Sch Charles Carroll, Cudworth, Rockland.

SAILED, April 27.

Stmr Allentown, Mills, Philadelphia.
Sch Loella, Amee, Boston.
Sch Edward Horton, Foster, Wellfleet.
Sch J P Ames, Gould, Calais.

Barque Antioch, Hemingway, 57 days from Rio Janeiro, for at Anjer March 8, would proceed to Singapore or Manila.

Sch H. B. Gibson, Dow, for this port from Hoboken, passed through Hell Gate April 25.

Sch Rebecca Sherman, Robinson, for this port, from Philadelphia ar at Edgartown April 24.

"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $3. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. FSS&Gif

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To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod1y3

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In a few hours, not by drying it up, but by removing it from the system. TRY IT.

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Even after all other remedies have failed. In the earlier stages of this disease it will effect a speedy and certain cure; and in many cases of advanced Consumption its effects has seemed almost miraculous, restoring to full strength and perfect health those whom physicians had given up as incurable. TRY IT.

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More effectually than any other remedy, by simply removing the cause. TRY IT.

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TRY IT.

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For every affection of the Throat and Lungs it only needs a trial to convince the most skeptical of its wonderful curative properties.

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Portsmouth, April 21, 1877.

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Saturday, April 28,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

18 Shares Rockingham National Bank.
14 " National Mechanics & Traders Bank.
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Daily Chronicle.

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Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	107
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	113
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	116
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1878	111
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. scrip	50
Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway 5s	64
Boston & Lowell R. R.	92
Boston & Maine	94
Boston & Providence	122
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
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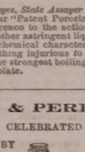

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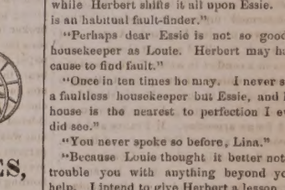

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"Is not your letter from Herbert, Lina?" questioned Mrs. Worthington, a tiny, silver-haired old lady, with a very gentle expression.

"Yes, mother; Essie is very ill with low, nervous fever, and they want me to come and stay till she is better. The carriage will be sent at three o'clock, mother." Then, more emphatically, "I think it is about time Bert's tyranny over that little martyr was ended. He is killing her."

"Lina! He is your brother."

"I can see his faults if he is."

"I never heard Essie complain."

"She never would. But look at her. Nine years ago, when she was married, she was a living sunbeam, so bright and pretty. Now, pale, quiet and reserved, her voice is seldom heard, her smile is rarely seen. A wintry shadow of her former brightness. Now she has broken down. You have never seen her at home, but surely when she is here you can see the change."

"Yes, dear, she has changed; but family cares—"

"Has Louie changed so? She has been married twelve years."

Mrs. Worthington was silent. Louie was her oldest child, and presided over the home in which her mother had been a crippled prisoner for fifteen years. She took all the household cares, had had five children, and yet Louie had gained in beauty, and certainly in cheerful happiness since her marriage, even if the merriment of childhood was gone.

"Henry appreciates Louie," said Lina, "there lies the difference between her happiness and Essie's dejection. If there is any domestic trouble Henry and Louie share it, while Herbert shifts it all upon Essie. He is an habitual fault-finder."

"Perhaps dear Essie is not so good a housekeeper as Louie. Herbert may have cause to find fault."

"Once in ten times he may. I never saw a faultless housekeeper but Essie, and her house is the nearest to perfection I ever did see."

"You never spoke so before, Lina."

"Because Louie thought it better not to trouble you with anything beyond your help. I intend to give Herbert a lesson. I do, indeed. That is, if you can spare me to go."

"You must go, dear. I shall get along very nicely."

So when Herbert Worthington sent his carriage, Lina was quite ready for the fourteen miles drive to her brother's house. It was most unlike a house wherein any evil spirit of fault-finding should have found an abode. Spacious, handsomely furnished, well-trained servants, and all comforts that wealth can furnish, it seemed a perfect paradise on earth to visitors. But a very demon lurked there to poison all, and this demon Lina had come to exercise. For the first fortnight, Essie took all her time and care, the gentle spirit hovering very near the portals of the eternal home. There was a baby, too, six months old, and its wants filled all the spare moments. Herbert snarled and fretted over domestic shortcomings, but Lina peremptorily forbade all mention of these in the sick room, having the doctor's authority for saying the patient's very life depended upon quiet. But, when convalescence begun, Lina sent Essie and the baby to visit old Mrs. Worthington, and she took control of Herbert and the children, and the household, she determined to show her brother how far he carried the habit of fault-finding. With all her severity, she did not believe he was himself aware of the frequency of his querulous complaints and the exaggeration of his fretful statements. The first dinner saw the beginning of the lesson Lina meant to teach. Herbert entered the dining room, his handsome face disfigured by the habitual frown.

"Soup," said Herbert, lifting the tureen cover; "perfect dish-water!"

"Susan," said Lina, sharply, to the servant, before Herbert could lift the ladle; "take that tureen to the kitchen and tell Jane the soup is not fit to eat."

Susan promptly obeyed. Herbert looked rather ruefully at the vanishing dish. He was especially fond of the soup, and the savory fumes of the really delicious dish were tantalizing. All dinner time Lina kept up a dingdong about that abominable soup, till Herbert wished he had said nothing about it. But his imagination detected a burnt flavor in the pudding he could not refrain from mentioning, and before he could remonstrate that dish had followed the soup.

"I'll get this house in some kind of order before I leave it," said Lina very emphatically.

"Before you leave it," said Herbert, sharply. "Do you suppose you are a better housekeeper than Essie? Why, I have not a friend who does not envy me the exquisite order of my house and my dinner table."

"Herbert, you surprise me! Only yesterday I heard you say you did wish there was ever anything fit to eat on the table."

"One doesn't expect every word to be taken literally," said Herbert rather sulkily. But not an hour after, finding a streak of dirt in the sitting room, he declared em-

phatically that it was not fit for a pig to live in. What was the consequence? Coming into the room next morning he found the curtains torn down, the carpets taken up, the floor littered with pails and soap and brushes, and Lina in a dismal dress, her hair tied up in a towel, directing two women who were scrubbing very vigorously.

"Good gracious, Lina!" he cried, "what are you doing?"

"Cleaning this room."

"Why, Essie had the whole house cleaned only the other day," he added contemptuously.

"Well," said Lina, slowly, "I thought this room a marvel of neatness myself, but when you said it was not fit for the pigs, I supposed you wanted it cleaned."

"The room was well enough," was the curt reply. "For mercy's sake don't turn any more of the house upside down."

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Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1877.

The War.

Despatches through Turkish channels say the Russians lost 2000 men in the second day's fighting at Batoum, and were driven back by the Turks. Also that the Turkish fleet has bombarded the Russian harbor of Poti, forty miles from Batoum, and Fort St. Nicholas, partially destroying both; and that a fleet is off Otessa, ready to bombard the city when ordered. Admiral Hobart Pacha arrived at Rutschuck on the 24th, and Abdul Kerim Pacha, the commander-in-chief, on the 25th.

Montenegro is active against Turkey, and troops are being posted at important strategic points. The Turks have murdered a Kutuschi shepherd, and the Prince of Montenegro has telegraphed to the Turkish commander in Albania that if such acts are continued he will hang all the officers he takes prisoners.

England is making vigorous preparations for whatever may come, large orders for tent-cloth and other materials having been given out, officers of the army on leave ordered to join their regiments, and work on all available iron-clads hurried up. But England is less likely than Austria to be drawn into war immediately, the latter power being more directly interested at present. However, it is said the belief in best-informed diplomatic circles is that within two months England, Austria and France will be allied against Germany and Russia in a conflict in which Turkey and the immediate causes of the present struggle will be lost sort of, unless Russia should accede to the forthcoming Anglo-Austrian demand for an armistice. If France and Austria combine against Germany and Russia, Italy will certainly side with Germany, for Italy has more to dread from her ancient oppressor, Austria, and from ultramontane France, than from all other powers beside. That the war will be long confined to its present limits as a struggle between Russia and Turkey only, there seems to be no hope in European circles.

Navigation of the Danube is declared closed, by the Russian commanders.

The Porte has issued another manifesto, which declares that the Bosnian, Bulgarian and Herzegovinian insurrections and the Servian and Montenegrin declarations of war were instigated by Russia. The manifesto concludes with the declaration that Turkey is ready to fight to the death for independence. It is believed that Roumania will shortly declare in favor of Russia.

England is preparing an army corps of 40,000 men, to be rendezvoused at Malta.

News and Notes.

The Utica & Clinton and Rome & Clinton Railroads, branches of the New York & Oswego Midland Railroad, were sold at auction on Friday for one dollar each. Among the attendants on the sale were Samuel J. Tilden, Abram S. Hewitt (the receiver,) and a number of railroad managers.

The supreme court of Utah Territory has decided, in the case of Ann Eliza Young against Brigham Young, that she cannot recover alimony, never having been the legal wife of the polygamous prophet, the ceremony performed by Sidney Rigdon being null and void by reason of Young having a wife living at the time. This is another hard rap at Mormonism.

At Elizabethtown, Ky., Fielding Sweeney cut the throats of Hayden English and his son Horace. Hayden English shot Sweeny dead, and Horace English has since died.

There was an incipient panic at the Boston Tabernacle on Friday evening, some five hundred people getting terribly frightened because a boy fainted. Mr. Moody assured the audience there was no danger, and the flurry subsided.

Eugene Robinson & Co., one of the largest houses in the New York Stock Exchange, suspended payment on Friday. A lot of weak brokers are expected to follow suit. No matter.

In the United States Circuit Court at Portland, Friday, Charles A. Libby, at postmaster, was fined $20 for bartering postage stamps for merchandise, to increase his commission by large sales of stamps.

The schooner Lantilus, fitted out at Herring Neck, N. F., for seal fishing, was wrecked at Burnet Island. The crew numbered eighteen, fourteen of whom were drowned. During a heavy gale the schooner ran for shelter up Green Bay and was capsized by the heavy ground-swell.

Ex-Gov. Noyes, of Ohio, has been appointed Minister to France, but will not sail for that country until his nomination is confirmed by the Senate at the extra session.

Heavy storms of snow, rain and hail are reported in Illinois, Nebraska and Tennessee, and hopes are entertained that the sudden cold snap will utterly demoralize the grasshoppers.

Frank Leslie is sued by order of ex-Secretary Bristow for $502,000 duties on imported paper passed through the Custom House at undervaluation. Leslie says the amount is only $500.

Ex-Senator Cragin and his clerk have left for the Arkansas Hot Springs, to be joined there by Ex-Governor Stearns of Florida and Ex-Representative John Coburn of Indiana, the Commission appointed by the President to assess the value of the Hot Springs, now the property of the United States.

New York follows Boston in its new fashion of juvenile shooting affrays. In Boston four-and-a half years shot six-and-a-half years; in New York a twelve-year-old shoots a nine-year-old. Jesse Pomeroy has not lived in vain.—*Tribune.*

Roger A. Pryor, an ex-Confederate General, is to deliver an address before a Grand Army Post in New York on Memorial Day; and Henry Watterson, of the Louisville *Courier-Journal*, an ex-Confederate Colonel, is to deliver a memorial address over the graves of the Union soldiers buried in the National cemetery at Nashville, Tennessee, on the same day.

New Hampshire Items.

A meeting of the Peterboro' & Hillsboro' Railroad was held in Concord, Friday, when it was voted to issue $100,000 first mortgage bonds and $75,000 second mortgage bonds. Nearly one-half of the first mortgage bonds have already been taken and paid for.

Mr. Sidney Page of Nashua was seriously injured Friday by being bitten by a hog while engaged in removing it from one pen to another.

Samuel A. Thayer of New Ipswich, who disappeared recently, had committed forgeries to the amount of about $8000, the names thus used being those of his father, Stephen Thayer, H. O. Preston and C. A. Whitney. These notes have been discounted by banks in New Hampshire and Massachusetts. At first the forgery was supposed to be confined to five banks, viz.: The First National of Peterboro', East Jaffrey, Francestown, Hillsboro' Bridge and Townsend, Mass.; but it is now said that Nashua and Boston banks are added to the list. Peterboro' holds $1100, Jaffrey $2000, Francestown $600, of the forged paper. The young man disclosed the whole matter to a broker in New York, who notified the persons interested. The total amount of forged paper, as far as known, is $8000, and it all bears the names of H. W. Carter of Lebanon and Henry Emery of Lowell, Mass., endorsed as above. The disclosure is considered as a confession by the young man, and was mailed at Chicago and directed to persons East, who promptly endeavored to prevent any further payments by those holding checks or other papers. The whereabouts of Thayer is unknown, but the postmark of the letter indicates that he has been in the West.

Charles B. Dore, of Keene, aged twenty-six years, was killed by a falling limb on Friday, while chopping wood.

Governor Cheney has purchased the "Old Bell Factory" at New Ipswich, and will proceed at once to convert it into a mill for the manufacture of paper pulp.

Oliver Sanborn's house and barn at Lisbon were burned Thursday night; loss $600.

Daniel Jameson's farm buildings at Dunbarton were burned Thursday; loss $1500; insurance $600.

John Blaisdell's farm buildings at Belmont were burned Thursday night; loss $3000; partly insured.

A barn and shed, farm buildings owned by Wilson Gregg, of Newport, were burned Thursday evening at about 9 o'clock; supposed to be the work of an incendiary; loss $500; no insurance.

Singular Case.

A singular case, that is attracting much attention, is that of Anna Moore, of Westfield, Mass., one of the American Cigar Company's hands, who was found at the house of Sylvester Culver near the "iron bridge," her clothes thoroughly wet, her leg broken near the ankle, and a bruise on the back of the head. The girl is very reticent about the affair, but this much is drawn from her: She had quarreled with her lover Tuesday evening, and, wishing to have her "cry out" away from people, went to the iron bridge. Just as she got there she heard a footfall behind her, and, partially turning, saw a man in a long, loose garment and with his hat drawn over his eyes. At the same instant she felt a blow upon the back of her head and lost consciousness, but indistinctly remembers hearing a rushing noise buzzing in her ears and feeling wet. She also remembers feeling an arm under her and hearing a gruff voice say, "Lie there," but recalls nothing more until she found herself lying on Mr. Culver's steps, and about 10:30 o'clock succeeded in reaching the door and making herself heard. The doctor says the wound on her head was made by some blunt instrument, and various speculations are afloat as to the cause of the assault, many inclining to the opinion that the assailant mistook her for some one else, and discovering his mistake, drew her from the river after he had thrown her in, and then carried her to the house where she was found.

—Colonel Brady, a notorious gambler, the other day met a friend who accosted him with, "How are you, colonel?" "How have you been of late?" "Oh! I have had a great misfortune," replied the colonel; "I have lost Mrs. Brady." "How did you lose her," was the next question, "at euchre or poker?"

—Dresses are to be so tight that if a husband kicks his wife on the shins the bruise will be plain to the public eye.

Local Matters.

TWO WORTHY CITIZENS GONE.

The announcement on Saturday morning of the death of Mr. James F. Shores, although it had been prepared for in some degree by his long and painful illness, filled our community with general sorrow. Few men among us have been better known, and none more respected; and his place will be hard to fill.

Mr. Shores was born in Portsmouth, March 20th, 1814, and has passed his whole life here. For many years he was engaged in the book business—first on Market street with his father, and afterward by himself in Congress Block. His well known skill and accuracy as an accountant, and his spotless integrity, caused him to be frequently appointed as trustee both of private and public funds; and when in 1869 he was chosen Treasurer of the Portsmouth Savings Bank, the appointment was felt by all to be eminently judicious. Here he was always at his post, even when suffering pain which to almost any other man would have been sufficient reason for idleness; and here he remained until prostrated by the malady which has now proved fatal. The last time he was out of his house was when he cast his vote for Hayes and Wheeler; although then too ill to walk, he would not omit what he always had felt to be a duty.

In the Unitarian Parish he will be especially missed. His seat at church was never vacant when his health would suffer him to go; and he was ever ready to bear his full share of parish labors. He was for many years Treasurer of the Parish, and more lately Parish Clerk, while for over twenty years he filled the office of Superintendent of the Sunday School.

He was a member of the order of Odd Fellows, in which fraternity he at different times held important offices.

Lafayette Laighton, Esq., another valued citizen, died Friday night of pneumonia, at the age of fifty-four years. He was one of our oldest and most successful grocers, having carried on that business in the same store on Market street for over thirty years. Mr. Laighton was never prominent in politics, nor given to going to extremes in anything; quiet and unassuming, he made no enemies, and was universally respected. He was a member of Piscataqua Lodge of Odd Fellows.

THE SCHOOL QUESTION--FINIS.

Eds. Chronicle: In common with many others, I have watched with much interest the newspaper discussion carried on in your columns and those of the *Times*, regarding the fitness or unfitness of Mr. John Durgin for the position of teacher of one of our public schools, the *Times* being evidently in favor of his retention in the position he has so long filled, while the CHRONICLE favors his removal. But I am slightly puzzled by one statement which appeared in the *Times*, viz.: that "thirty out of thirty-five parents of pupils attendant upon Mr. Durgin's school" signed a petition to the school committee requesting his retention. I cannot make out whether there are thirty-five children attending the school, with but one parent each; or seventeen and a half pupils, with two parents each; or whether it is the fathers only of pupils who are parents, the mothers being left out in the cold entirely on the parentage question; that "thirty-five parents" bothers me considerably,—but I suppose it is all right, and possibly it is not essential that I should understand what it means.

Seriously, the question whether the teacher referred to shall or shall not be longer employed is for the school committee to answer, and their decision should be influenced neither by the unsupported statements of his opponents nor the pleadings of his friends; they should do what is best for the educational interests of the city, let come what will. Every one admits Mr. Durgin's worth as a man, a citizen and a gentleman; no one denies that he *has been* a faithful and competent teacher; and no one questions his *faithfulness* now. But it is asserted that the discipline maintained in the school, and the improvement of the pupils in their studies, are not what they would be under a younger teacher—not what they *should* be—not what they *have been* in the past, under Mr. Durgin's rule. A correspondent of the CHRONICLE, writing in support of Mr. Durgin's retention, argues that a teacher of twenty-nine years' service must be a good one; and a *Times* writer says Mr. Durgin has served the city faithfully for twenty-seven years, and from this argues that he should be continued as a teacher. But do not these friends prove too much! Is there not such a thing as an able and faithful teacher remaining in the harness after the ability to do a day's work has gone? Even steam-engines wear out, and so do men; and the man who was in the full vigor of his powers ten years ago may be far advanced on the down-hill track to-day.

In conclusion, let me express the hope that the committee—the other newspaper writers all give the committee advice, and why should not I?—that the committee will carefully consider this matter, and if they find Mr. Durgin as capable and efficient a teacher as he was years ago, will retain him; and if not, that they will do their duty regardless of the enthusiastic endorsements of his former pupils and the entreaties of his personal friends.

PLAIN TALK.

[Our correspondent is in error in saying the CHRONICLE "favors the removal" of Mr. Durgin, as we have expressed no opinion in the matter either way. We have no personal, direct interest in the matter, our acquaintance with that gentleman being very limited; we are not aware that we ever saw him, and until within less than a week did not even know where he taught; and we have no children attending his school or any other, we never yet having officiated as one of the principals at a wedding. We have simply allowed both sides the use of our columns to make themselves heard—our regular rule regarding the discussion of any topic of public interest. The question at issue we believe has been decided by the committee, so we shall decline to publish any more communications in reference to it, should such be offered.—*Eds. Chronicle.*]

A LUCKY ESCAPE.

Mr. Howard D. Lowd, (son of Wm. B. Lowd, Esq., of this city,) chief of the Order Department of the establishment of Tiffany & Co., was recently thrown from a carriage with his wife, while driving a spirited horse. The animal concluded to take the management of affairs into his own teeth, and started on a run down town from 155th street, New York city. Mr. Lowd's strength gave out after strenuous efforts to conquer the animal. A contiguous curb-stone and a not distant lamp-post bade fair to stop the maddened animal, but he sheered off suddenly, cleared a corner with a quick turn, and brought up at full speed against a loaded truck standing across the avenue. Mr. Lowd evacuated his post of honor without ceremony, and launched forth like a sky-rocket, alighting on his head and shoulders between the truck horses, which did not stir. Singularly to state, he escaped injury except slight bruises. Mrs. Lowd went over the dasher at the same time and landed directly under the runaway horse, who cleared himself from the carriage and continued on like a shot from a gun. Mrs. Lowd was for a short time insensible, but was soon restored to consciousness, receiving severe but not dangerous injuries. The carriage was badly damaged, but the horse, a $3000 animal, escaped without even a scratch, the confusion of teams on the avenue barring his progress. The escape of Mr. and Mrs. Lowd from instant death was almost miraculous.

—A bomb shell was ploughed up in Morgan county, Tenn., a few days ago, which had been fired from one of Gen. George Morgan's cannon during his retreat from Cumberland Gap, in 1862. The finders, to test the keeping qualities, took it home and put it in the fire. A man about two miles away on a hill reports the experiment as highly successful, but the immediate actors in the scene have not yet been heard from.

—The question arising in a Sunday school as to why God created all the animals of the fields and sea and air before man, no one gave a solution until a little boy said: "I know; it's because he didn't want the man hanging around while he was making them."

—A preacher said: "Every tub must stand on its own bottom." A sailor jumped up and said: "But, sir, suppose it has no bottom?" "Then it's no tub," returned he quickly, and went on with his sermon.

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M.
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	8.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	8.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	8.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	8.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	8.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.19 A. M., 3.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	6.30 "

*Sunday for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The Howard Athenæum Pantomime and Specialty Company play this evening in Franklin Hall. Maffitt and Bartholemew, the celebrated pantomimists, Miss Jennie Engel, Andy Leavitt and others of the company, are too well known in this city to need any praise, and others ranking equally as high in the profession are announced to appear. The company is a large one and a good one. Tickets at Stavers' Bazaar.

On Friday afternoon Mr. Joseph H. Emery of this city was driving through Rye with a team belonging to Mr. Uriah Blaisdell, when the horse ran away and threw Mr. Emery out, breaking two of his ribs and otherwise severely injuring him. We believe it was this same horse that ran away a week or two ago and knocked Mr. Joshua Brooks' horse and wagon exactly bottom up on the north millbridge.

Commodore John Guest, the new commandant at this naval station, has arrived at the yard.

Ship Calcutta, Capt. Hansen, of this port, bound from New York for Bangor, came to anchor in Vineyard Haven, sailing from there on Thursday, April 26th. In getting under weigh she fouled the schooner D. B. Everett, at anchor, and damaged her considerably, carrying away three shrouds, injuring jibs and head gear, and springing her jibboom badly. The Calcutta had sails and copper somewhat damaged.

The sale of reserved seats for Maggie Mitchell's entertainment commenced at nine o'clock Saturday forenoon. The indications are that the hall will be crowded. Seventy-two seats were sold the first half-hour, and throughout the day the calls were frequent. If you want a seat, it were well to go for it at once, and not wait till Wednesday night.

The coal wharves are busy places just now. At Concord Railroad wharf all the berths are constantly taken up; and more schooners than we supposed were on the river were loading at the North End wharves with coal for Dover, last week. Twelve coal vessels arrived on Saturday, up to four o'clock.

The freight business on the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad has greatly increased this year, over the corresponding months of last year, there being an increase in the receipts along the line of nearly thirty per cent.

We have received the May number of the *Sanitarian*, a valuable and readable magazine, and the organ of the New York Medico-Legal Society. $3 per year.

On Saturday, at Col. William H. Hackett's auction sale, the houses numbered six and eight on Union street were sold for $2841.50, Mr. Peter Emery being the purchaser. At the sale of bank stock Rockingham National brought $65.25 (par $50,) National Mechanics & Traders' $107.50.—the latter sold seller to pay tax and have May dividend.

—The *Pacific Medical Journal*, commenting upon the announcement that high heels were to be adopted by ladies of fashion, says:—A convention of corn doctors in the interest of their trade could not devise a better scheme for good times. Women whose pedals are solidified may escape with only corns, of which we hope and pray they may have a full and tender crop. But that a whole generation of little girls should have their toes jammed into the toes of their boots, to do the work of heels, and that their legs should be thrown out of the natural balance and the pliant bone bent into semi-circles, is a sacrifice to fashion which would disgrace a nation of Hottentots.

The history of the Second Zouaves, one of the most distinguished regiments in the French army, has been published. It states that during the nineteen years of its existence no less than two hundred of its officers and five thousand privates have fallen in battle.

MARRIED.

LUND—NUTTING. In Manchester, April 21, Mr. Joseph S. Lund of Concord, and Mrs. Amanda J. Nutting of this city.

DIED.

SHORES. In this city, April 28, James Foster Shores, aged 61 years.

LAIGHTON. In this city, April 27, Lafayette Laighton, Esq., aged 54 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, April 27.

Sch Modena, Nickerson, Boston.

ARRIVED, April 28.

Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, Philadelphia.
Sch America, Trueworthy, Rondout.
Sch Rebecca Sheppard, Robinson, Philadelphia.
Sch L T Knight, Anderson, Wilmington.
Sch Lyndon, Clark, St Stephens, N B.
Sch Free Wind, Frisbie, Port Johnson.
Sch Frances Ellen, Attwood, Port Johnson.
Sch Lookout, Sprague, Port Johnson.
Sch R M Brookings, Brown, Port Johnson.
Sch Olive, Warren, Port Johnson.
Sch Ellen Morrison, Clifford, Port Johnson.
Sch Jesse Williamson Jr, Frisbie, South Amboy.

Schs Carrie L Godfrey, Godfrey, and Sallie E, Bateman, for this port, cld from Philadelphia April 26.

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Daily Chronicle.

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Boston & Providence	122¼
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Concord	74
Eastern	21
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	130¼
Manchester & Lawrence	112
Michigan Central	38
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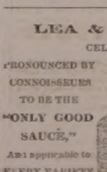

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Reforming A Husband.

(Concluded from last issue.)

At breakfast a tiny rent in Louie's apron caught her father's eye, and he exclaimed angrily that "she never had a decent stitch of clothes, and he did wish somebody would see to her."

Two days after a formidable draper's bill was sent to him, and Lina explained in this wise:

"You said, Herbert, that Louie hadn't a decent stitch, and you wished somebody would see to her, so I bought her a complete outfit. I could not see any fault myself, but of course I got more expensive articles, as you did not like those already provided. I am glad you called my attention to the poor neglected child."

"Poor neglected child!" echoed the astonished Herbert. "Why, Lina, Essie fairly slaves her life out over those children. I am sure I never see any better dressed or neater."

Lina merely shrugged her shoulders. A month passed. Essie gained strength in the genial atmosphere surrounding Louie and her mother, while Lina ruled Herbert's house with a rod of iron. Herbert began to experience a sick longing for Essie's gentle presence. Lina took him so literally in all he said, and yet he could not rebuke her for what he had openly wished.

An arm chair with a tiny spot of dirt being declared absolutely filthy, was upholstered and varnished at a cost of ten dollars. A dozen new shirts, Essie's last labor of love, being said to set like meal bags, were bestowed upon the gardener, and a new set obtained. Every window was opened after a petty declaration that the "room was hot as an oven," and an hour later the grate was fired up to smothering heat because he declared it was cold enough to freeze a polar bear. In short, with apparently an energetic attempt to correct all short-comings, and put the house upon a perfect basis, Lina succeeded in nearly doubling her brother's expenses, and drove him to the verge of distraction. But Essie, well and strong again, was coming home. On the day of her expected arrival, Lina, with a solemn face, invited her brother into the sitting-room for a few minutes of private conversation.

"Herbert," she said, very gravely, "I have a proposition to make to you. You are my only brother, and I tell you I love you very dearly. It has really grieved me to the heart to see how much there is to find fault with in your beautiful home."

Herbert twisted himself uneasily, but Lina continued:

"You know that mother is very dependent upon me, Louie having the house and children to care for, but I think would sacrifice her own comfort for yours. So, if you wish, Herbert, I will come here permanently to keep things in order for you."

Here Lina was obliged to pause and strangle a laugh at Herbert's expression of horror and dismay.

"You are very kind," he faltered, the instincts of a gentleman battling with a very strong desire to tell Lina she would certainly drive him into a lunatic asylum by six months more of her model housekeeping.

"Not at all. A man who has made an unfortunate marriage certainly needs all the aid and sympathy his family can give him."

The last straw was laid upon the camel's back. Herbert spoke hotly.

"You are entirely mistaken, Lina. I have not made an unfortunate marriage. If ever a man was blessed in a wife, I am that man."

"You amaze me, Herbert!" Lina cried, in well-feigned surprise.

"I don't see why you should be surprised. Essie is gentle, loving, orderly, a model mother and perfect home angel—God bless her!"

"Herbert, is that true? I cannot believe it," was the slow response.

"Cannot believe it? Why?"

"Because," and Lina dwelt impressively on every word, "during the nine years of your married life, though visiting here frequently, I never saw one look of approbation or appreciation of any effort she made for your comfort upon your face. Continued fault-finding, constant blame, have changed her from a happy girl to a pale, care-worn woman. Even her last illness was but the unspoken despair of a heart crushed under a load of daily censure and constant striving for approbation never given. And you tell me now she never failed in her duty to you! There is a grave error somewhere, Herbert."

The solemn earnest tone, the face of thoughtful gravity, sent every word home in the young man's heart. He spoke not one word in self-defence as Lina slowly left the room. In the profound stillness that followed conscience reviewed the past, and he knew that his sister had only spoken the truth.

"God help me," he whispered, "to conquer this fault. Essie shall hear no more fault-finding, and if I see her drooping I shall send her to mother, and I'll have Lina here to keep house."

Never had wife and mother a warmer welcome than greeted Essie. The children were unchecked in their loudest demonstrations of delight. But Lina had to rush into the hall to hide her merry eyes when Herbert, kissing Essie, said: "We must let mother have Lina now, dear. She has been

very kind and worked hard for my comfort; but there is no home fairy like my Essie."

The quick, glad look in his wife's soft eyes told Herbert one step had been taken in the right direction. As the days glided by, and Essie found appreciation meeting every effort to add home comforts, a word of praise for every little triumph of cookery or needle-work, her pale face grew bright with happiness, and Herbert found his own heart lightened by the cheerful voice and sunny smile, the bright eyes of the Essie he had wooed years before. And Lina, making a visit six month's later, told her mother on her return:

"Herbert learned his lesson by heart, mother. He appreciates Essie now at her value, and lets her know it."

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1877.

The War.

The Russians are advancing with a rapidity that surprises the other nations. The march to Galatz is spoken of as something wonderful; wagons were only provided to carry the knapsacks and arms; the artillery, cavalry and baggage trains all arrived together; it was expected that a detachment would commence action immediately upon arriving, as the Turks had only to cross the river to seize the railway and destroy the bridge. The railway is now secured to the Russians. Russian reports say the Czar's forces on the Danube number 300,000 men, and the army of the Caucasus 125,000, while the Turks have only 100,000 on the Danube and 50,000 or less in Asia Minor. Persia is said to have 20,000 men ready to join the Russians.

The defeat of the Russian advance at Batoum is confirmed. They were checked in battles on Thursday and Friday, and driven back across the river Friday night.

Russia has warned the Khedive of Egypt against sending troops to aid the Sultan, and France has warned him against diverting any sums he has set apart for his creditors to such purpose.

The Russians are extensively fortifying Galatz and putting together small gunboats taken there in sections.

The proclamation of Italy's neutrality has been issued.

Greece is directing troops toward the Turkish frontier.

The British ironclads stationed at Malta have sailed for Corfu.

An official Russian despatch says "the loss by the bombardment of Fort St. Nicholas was one killed. On the 27th instant the Turkish monitors approached the Porti, but went away without doing any damage." Fort St. Nicholas and "Poti" are reported by the Turks to have been destroyed by their fleet. This shows that lying has commenced over there in earnest.

News from Servia is war-like; active preparations are being made to resist any forced occupation by the Turks.

A convention between Russia and Roumania is announced, by which the latter grants Russian troops free passage, gives up control of roads, telegraphs and railroads to Russia, agrees to assist in erecting camps and hospitals, provide materials for boats and bridges, and in other ways aid Russia, the latter to pay all expenses incurred.

Hobart Pacha, the Turkish Admiral, being unable to get down the Danube on account of torpedoes, returned to Constantinople and will take command of the squadron off Crete. The action of the Russian authorities in closing the navigation of the Danube indicates an understanding with Austria, as it is highly improbable that such a step would have been undertaken against Austria's views.

No great battle is expected to take place for some days.

Senator Brownlow, of Tennessee.

William Grannaway Brownlow, Ex-United States Senator from Tennessee, died at Knoxville, Tenn., on Sunday. Mr. Brownlow was extensively known throughout the country as a clergyman, journalist and politician, although he was better known to the public as Parson Brownlow. He was born in Wyeth county, Va., August 29, 1805, consequently was 71 years of age. Being left an orphan when quite young he was in a measure dependent upon his own wits for an existence, and consequently learned the carpenter's trade, at the same time pursuing his studies. In 1826 he entered the Methodist ministry and labored as a preacher for ten years. As early as 1828 he took part in politics in Tennessee by advocating the re-election of John Quincy Adams to the Presidency, and while travelling a circuit in South Carolina in a district where Hon. John C. Calhoun lived, he publicly opposed nullification. In 1837 he became editor of the Knoxville *Whig*, and in consequence of his trenchant mode of expression he obtained the sobriquet of the "fighting parson." In 1856 he published a book entitled "The Iron Wheel Examined and its Spokes Extracted," being an answer to attacks made upon the Methodist church. In 1858 he held a public debate in Philadelphia with Rev. A. Pryne of New York, which was published in a volume entitled "Ought American Slavery to be Perpetuated." When the secession movement commenced he advocated the preservation of the Union as the best safeguard for Southern institutions. In December, 1861, he was arrested on a charge of treason against the Confederacy and held until March, 1862, after which he made a tour of the Northern States, delivering speeches in the principal cities, and published a book entitled "Sketches of the Rise, Progress and Decline of Secession." In 1864 he returned to Tennessee, of which State he became Governor in 1865, and in 1869 he was elected to the United States Senate. His services in the Senate were not remarkable, except as he occasionally displayed some of his well-known characteristics, and his physical weakness was such that he was debarred from active duties. He was a man of strong passions and undoubted courage; a man who made many enemies and warm friends. Since he left Washington he has lived in retirement, his worn-out body not admitting of any continued labor, either mental or physical.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 27.

The appointment of Hon. Edward McPherson, late Clerk of the House, as Superintendent of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, has been received with many demonstrations of satisfaction; and so implicitly is his uprightness and honesty confided in, that we confidently expect a cessation of the scandals that have made that Bureau a by-word and a reproach during the past eight or ten years. His Assistant, Mr. Irish, is not generally known, but those having a personal acquaintance with him speak in the highest terms of his peculiar qualifications for the place. The impression is fast obtaining that the Departments are to undergo a rigid scrutiny, and that a general reorganization in each is likely to effect many changes among the higher as well as the lower grade of officials. It seems to be taken for granted that Mr. Wyman, United States Treasurer, is soon to give way to Mr. Gilfillin; and the latest rumor retires the first, third and fifth Auditors.

The warfare for the possession of the State offices having practically ceased in South Carolina and Louisiana with the success of Hampton and Nicholls, will be transferred to Washington on the opening of the extra session of Congress. Corbin and Butler from South Carolina, and Kellogg, Shofford, and perhaps Eustis from Louisiana, are to contest for the Senatorial seats belonging to those States, and now vacant. The struggle bids fair to be a spirited one on the part of those gentlemen, and the Senate is now so evenly divided that predictions as to the result are unusually hazardous. There seems to be a general belief that the disaffected republicans will not neglect the occasion to bombard the administration. It is whispered that should the democrats succeed in seating their man, southern republican Senators will have every possible temptation thrust in their faces to stimulate them to vote with the democrats in securing the organization of the Senate. They will be offered special inducements, it is said, and their resentments against the administration will be sedulously fostered and encouraged and they will be pressed to embrace this opportunity to get even.

Many people profess to think Gen. Garfield was badly sold in consenting to withdraw from the Senatorial canvass in Ohio, giving up a certainty for the delusive chances of the Speakership. Some go so far as to insist that he was the victim of a confidence operation, conducted by several well-known Ohio politicians, who had an eye to the main chance and made use of the President's influence to induce Gen. Garfield's withdrawal and thus forward the preferment of one of the firm. Whether correct or otherwise, it now appears almost certain that Garfield gave up a seat that he might have had in the Senate, for a position that Mr. Randall now appears almost certain to capture. KNOX.

RYE, April 30.

"Ten Nights in a Bar Room," by the Portsmouth Dramatic Club, gave a large audience in the Town Hall on Friday evening complete satisfaction. A genuine dramatic entertainment being something new, made it only the more attractive; and undoubtedly it gave to many their first experience in a show that pertains to a theatrical performance.

A May Ball is advertised to come off Tuesday night, which will probably be the finale to the gay season of '76 and '77 in Rye.

Quite a serious accident occurred near the Center schoolhouse on Friday afternoon last, resulting in an injury to Miss Mary A. Caswell, and to a young man whose name at present is unknown to your correspondent. It seems that Mr. Uriah Blaisdell of your city, with said young man, was driving in his carriage, when by some means the horse got frightened and shied, so as to upset the carriage and occupants, and then running, came in contact with Miss Caswell, knocking her down and injuring her considerably. The runaway was finally secured, but the carriage was a wreck.

On Saturday evening another runaway occurred at Greenland depot, by which a nice buggy got somewhat smashed up, but fortunately no person was injured.

Speaking of depots reminds a passenger in the 4:45 P. M. train from Boston on Saturday last, that, if a conductor is liable to be discharged for not strictly obeying orders, there was not probably one among the fifteen or twenty passengers who, for want of seats, had to stand all the way from Newburyport to Greenland, but what would, with great pleasure, have signed a petition to the President and Directors of the road to have them overlook his disregard of orders, and beg to have him retained in the employ of the road, if he had consulted the comfort of the passengers on his train and allowed one of the two cars which were left at Newburyport to run through to Portsmouth. To one who don't of course pretend to know the inside workings of the precise and unalterable rules of railroads, it looked very much like stupidity or ugliness, in the conductor, to allow passengers who had paid their fares and were entitled to seats to stand a distance of fifteen miles, when, apparently, it would not have cost the company one penny more to have let one more car run through to Portsmouth.

The summer terms of the schools are all to be taught by female teachers, and all are natives of the town.—Miss Belinda S. Bunker at the West, Miss E. M. Goss at the South, Miss A. S. Clark at the Center and Miss S. A. Goss at the East.

Rev. S. B. Bowdish will preach at the Christian Church another year; but at the Congregational they are still without a pastor, Mr. Harris, it is understood, having declined the call made him by the society. Nathaniel Marden, Dr. Warren Parsons, and John S. Remick were elected wardens of this society at the annual meeting, held a short time since. NAT.

News and Notes.

The sale of the Stevens battery to the Russian government is announced, at $1,000,000. It cost $3,000,000.

The Chicago *Times* publishes an interview with an old citizen of Kansas, named Dubois, who claims to have been one of the party which, when the Bender family emigrated so suddenly from the scene of their murders in that State, followed their trail, and having encountered them, had a short, sharp fight, which ended in the summary burial of the whole family. Dubois gives a graphic and detailed account of the encounter.

The Atlanta *Constitution* says that there are men still in hiding in the mountains of the upper Georgia counties who have never heard of the conclusion of the war, and are afraid to venture out lest they should be conscripted for service in the rebel army.

The Moody and Sankey meetings in Boston ended on Sunday.

Tatro, the murderer of Mrs. Butler at Highgate, Vt., was on Saturday convicted of murder in the first degree.

The New York market is glutted with fresh mackerel.

On Friday, a party of sportsmen found on the shore of Lake Erie, fifty miles from Ashtabula, the body of P. P. Bliss, one of the victims of the accident. It is supposed to have been frozen to the under side of a cake of ice, and thus transported to the lake and along its shore.

There was a disastrous fire at Montreal on Sunday, in the Montreal Novelty Works. The building was five stories high, and contained an immense amount of inflammable material. After burning about an hour a portion of the building fell into a narrow street between the manufactory and a lot of low houses, burying several firemen, and others were killed in adjacent buildings, which were also crushed by the falling walls. Mr. Patton, chief engineer of the Montreal fire department, George Lynch, foreman of the water works, and seven others, were killed, and others were severely wounded. The fire is supposed to have been incendiary. Loss $45,000.

Washington dispatches say the dismissal of Chief Naval Constructor Hanscom is the sensation of the day. It took place on Saturday. Secretary Thompson declines to say why he dismissed Hanscom, further than that it was for cause. He has been contemplating the step for some time. The immediate cause is understood to be irregularities in the recent contracts with purchasers of old stock at the Boston navy yard. Constructor John W. Easby, for some time past stationed at the Boston navy yard, has been appointed Chief Constructor by the President.

Mrs. Phebe A. Hanaford has been engaged for five years as pastor of the Second Universalist Church of New York.

The appointment of Judge John E. King as Collector of New Orleans is announced.

Eight acres of the business part of Canajoharie, N. Y., were burned over on Sunday. Loss $200,000.

New Hampshire Items.

Detectives on Sunday arrested at Farmington, Charles Cook, (who formerly worked for Buzzell, tried for the murder of the Hanson woman,) for setting fires. It is reported that he confessed that he murdered the Hanson woman, being hired by Buzzell for $200. A gun has been found with which the murder was committed. Buzzell was tried for the murder and acquitted. It is also reported that the boy has confessed to burning the buildings of Churchill, a prominent witness in the trial, being hired by Buzzell. Buzzell was arrested Monday morning.

Mrs. James Hurd, of North Weare, on Sunday killed her ten-year-old son with an axe, and then hung herself. She was thirty years old, and had for some time been insane, but not considered dangerously so. The family has always borne a high reputation.

Jeremiah Colbath of Farmington was on Sunday arrested for burglary at the house of Otis Wallingford at Alton. He confessed the robbery and returned the money stolen, and was carried to Alton for trial.

An unfinished house belonging to Mr. Stephen L. Ames, at Hanover, was burned by an incendiary fire on Sunday. Loss $500; no insurance.

Henry Plaisted's house and barn at New Hampton were burned Friday night. Loss $600; no insurance.

James F. Whitney, six years of age, son of James Whitney of Nashua, received quite a severe gash from a knife while at play with a schoolmate on Saturday, named Lewis Shattuck, a lad about twelve years old. The two boys got into a dispute, which resulted in young Shattuck's drawing a knife and striking at the Whitney boy three times, cutting through his clothing twice, the third time the knife entering a little below the hip to the depth of about two and a half inches.

A New Era in Yachting.

The sensation made by the appearance of the Amaryllis in New York harbor will be remembered by all interested in nautical matters. The little nondescript, catamaran, proa, or what you will, gave her competitors a good start, and then sailed through the whole fleet, arriving at the home stake full ten minutes in advance of all, only to be ruled out because she wasn't a pleasure boat. People will differ about the definition of pleasure. It may be pleasure to some to work like a demon in shifting heavy sand bags to windward and then lying down upon them, only to jump up with a sudden start and shift quickly to leeward when the wind fluctuates. But in the catamaran there is no shifting of ballast, no clutching to windward. You sit quietly and pass your competitors as swiftly and easily as a fleet-footed race-horse would pass a sedate old cow. What is principally noticeable in these marvellous craft is their great speed, fifteen or twenty miles an hour being attainable with a strong beam wind. In beating to windward they will outstrip everything under sail, though with less difference than with a fair wind. They careen so little that it is scarcely perceptible on the car for carrying the passengers, which is supported between the two hulls three feet above the water. The hulls are so sharp and have so little disturbing influence that one rarely gets wet from the spray. The motions, too, are most enjoyable. With so great a power as the large sail affords, the double boat seems to fly over the water, darting ahead with every little increase of wind, sometimes almost leaping out of the water as if in indecision which to make its natural element, the sea or sky. Then again, with all the excitement and exhilaration which a sail in the catamaran gives, you have the additional satisfaction of feeling that you are in a life boat. The hulls are placed so far apart that they cannot be upset, and as no ballast is used they are so far as the dangers of the sea are concerned, perfectly safe.

Mr. Herreshoff, the former owner of the Amaryllis, has patented several improvements in double-hull vessels, the first of which is a peculiar manner of connecting the two hulls with universal joints, so they can pitch independently of each other and adjust themselves to the ever varying form of the sea. The rigging and car are supported between the hulls by a system of truss work composed of steel and iron rods. Still another improvement is the manner of connecting the rudders (there being one on the stern of each hull), so that when the boat turns, the rudder on the inner hull, or the one describing the smallest circle, is turned through the greatest angle.

There are several of these marvellous craft now in course of construction in Bristol, R. I., one of which is destined for Boston waters. It is to be owned by Drs. Henry Sanford Mudge and William Appleton. Two will remain in Narragansett Bay, and another will astonish the dwellers along the banks of the Hudson.

It seems as if this would be the coming boat, and most properly, too, for in her is combined wonderful speed, safety and comfort. In fact, they possess everything that makes this sort of recreation enjoyable and attractive.

Mr. Nathaniel G. Herreshoff, the proprietor of the boat described, was recently made an honorary member of the Boston Yacht Club in recognition of his past services to the club and to the cause of yachting generally.

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ON Pleasant Street, a BLACK SPANISH FEATHER. The owner can have the same by calling at this office and paying charges.

CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require to be wholly emptied, shall be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal, heads, or other refuse of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. And no person offal of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum at twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

DANIEL W. JONES, M. D.,
ROBERT SHILLADER,
DANIEL DANIELSON,
Health Officers.

—An Atchison (Kansas) girl ate four pounds of wedding cake in order that she might dream of her future husband. And now she says that money wouldn't hire her to marry the man she saw in that dream.

—"I will give anybody ten dollars to get that man out of doors," bawled an auctioneer to his hungry crowd, after he had been bothered for half an hour by a drunken wretch who was constantly giving in empty bids. "Hand over your money," came back from a listener, as he slapped the false bidder on the back and said: "Come along with me and I'll give you half."

—"Doctor," said an old lady to her family physician, "kin ye tell me how it is that some folks is born dumb?" "Why, certainly madam," replied the doctor; "it is owing to the fact they come into the world without the power of speech." "La, me!" remarked the old lady; "now jes see what it is to have a phisic education. I've axed my old man more nor a hundred times that ar same thing, and all that I ever could get out of him was, 'case they is.'"

"Sore Heads."

So long as people persist in "testing" every thing they hear of, or see advertised to cure Catarrh, so long they must expect "sore heads" with an aggravation and complication of the malady. If the drowning man refuse to grasp the rope thrown him, but foolishly trust to straws, can any one be blamed but himself? The safe and certain means of cure are offered the afflicted in Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy which has been a standard remedy for years, and there is no sympathy for those who refuse it and still suffer. One bottle often gives complete relief, though obstinate cases may require the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery to purify the blood. Dr. Pierce's Memorandum Books are given away at drug-stores.

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We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

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TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to
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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 8.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Those who attend the May Party at Mechanics' Hall to-night will have a good time. The hall has been put in prime condition for this, the last dance of the season. Tickets 50 cents. Music by Parsons' Quadrille Band.

Chief Engineer David B. Macomb is detached from this navy yard and placed on waiting orders. Chief Engineer Benjamin F. Garvin is detached from League Island and ordered to this yard, in place of Chief Engineer Macomb.

The price of brown bread in this city has gone up from ten cents a loaf to twelve cents. All owing to the war; the Russians are supposed to live on brown bread.

The clipper barque Fury, of Boston, G. N. Everett master, sailed from Boston on the 15th of December on a general trading voyage to the West Coast of Africa, and arrived at Goree after a passage of twenty days; from thence to Bathurst (river Gambia), and returned to Goree; from thence to St. Vincent (Cape de Verde Islands), and from there to Sierra Leone (West Coast of Africa), and back to Boston in twenty-seven days and seventeen hours—making the round trip in three months and twenty-three days, the quickest on record. The Fury was built at this port, by Mr. William F. Fernald.

A large number of the reserved seats for Maggie Mitchell's entertainment on Wednesday evening are already taken, but there are still some good ones left. The indications are that the hall will be crowded to see this favorite actress in her new play, "Mignon."

To clean paint, take one ounce pulverized borax, one pound small pieces best brown soap, and three quarts of water; let simmer till the soap is dissolved, stirring frequently. Do not let it boil. Use with a piece of old flannel, and rinse off as soon as the paint is clean, This mixture is also good for washing clothes.

The Appledore House landing stage was taken across the river to the marine railway on Monday, to have its bottom examined before being towed to the Shoals to be moored for the summer. If warm weather should come in May "the season" is expected to open earlier than for several years past. It always does open at the Appledore a week sooner than anywhere else.

Fresh mackerel appeared in the market on Monday. They were the first arrivals of the season, and didn't look as if they had had much to eat lately.

The Eastern Railroad was running freight trains all day Sunday. The Concord road also sent off heavily-laden coal trains.

The clock at the south end struck eighteen times at 12 P. M., Sunday, apparently trying to get up a fire alarm on its own account; but, probably disgusted with its unsuccessful efforts, it quietly settled back to its business and at one o'clock A. M. it was all right again.

The new schooner Henry M. Clark, Capt. Alvin Cahoon, Jr., arrived at this port on Monday afternoon.

The *Monthly Reader*, number two, is published by John L. Shorey & Co., Boston. The illustrations, reading matter, paper and press-work are as good as in the first number, which was nearly as good as could be. The idea is an excellent one, and must tend to make study more interesting to the young folks. Fifty cents a year.

—You can't call a gymnast a finished performer till he has fallen from a trapeze and broken himself somewhere.

—A Teeton joker, seeing a couple of young men going along in a very inebriated condition, said they were going home by the "Grand Druuk Line."

—"Don't you think," she inquired, amiably, "that most men are possessed of a devil?" He said he thought they were, particularly after they were married.

—A favorite magpie had been accustomed to receive dainty bits from the mouth of its mistress. One day it perched as usual upon her shoulder, and inserted its beak between her lips, not, as it proved, to receive, but (as one good turn deserves another) the grateful bird dropped an immense green caterpillar into the lady's mouth.

MARRIED.

GOULD—McCLOUD. In this city, April 27, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. Melvin C. Gould and Miss Emma E. McCloud, both of Portsmouth.

DIED.

☞ The funeral of the late James F. Shores will take place at four o'clock this (Tuesday) afternoon, at No. 1 Richards Avenue. Friends invited without further notice.

☞ The funeral of Mr. Lafayette Laighton will take place from his late residence on Whidden street to-day (Tuesday) at 11 o'clock, A. M.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Steamers Leopard, Albertson, and Lancaster, Mills, for this port, old from Philadelphia April 26.

Sch Onward, Mayo, for this port from Port Johnson, arr at Vineyard Haven April 27.

Sch H B Gibson, Dow, for this port from Hoboken, arr at Vineyard Haven April 26.

Sch S P Brown, Tinker, for this port, cld from Philadelphia April 27.

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Conveniently near the prominent business houses, all places of public interest and resort, and in the very heart of the best resident portion of the city, for good living, good treatment, and quiet comfort, the Colonnade Hotel, on Chestnut Street, Philadelphia, can be conscientiously recommended.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will sustain its well-merited popularity, and earn greater, by the sensible reduction of its rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

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Daily Chronicle.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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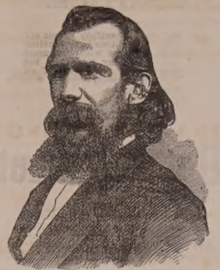

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

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Teach them not to wear false hair.

Teach them not to paint and powder.

Teach them to wear thick, and warm shoes.

Teach them how to wash and iron the clothes.

Teach them how to do marketing for the family.

Teach them how to make their own dresses.

Teach them how to cook a good meal of victuals.

Teach them to wear calico dresses—and do it like a queen.

Teach them to say no, and mean it; or yes, and stick to it.

Teach them how to darn stockings and sew on buttons.

Give them a good, substantial, common education.

Teach them that a good, round, rosy romp is worth fifty poor, delicate consumptives.

Teach them to have nothing to do with intemperate and dissolute young men.

Teach them that the more one lives within their income, the more they will save.

Teach them the further one lives beyond their income, the nearer they get to the poor-house.

Teach them accomplishments—music, painting, drawing—if you have time and money to do it with.

Teach them that God made them in his own image, and that no amount of tight lacing will improve the model.

Teach them that a good, steady mechanic, without a cent, is worth a dozen oil-pated loafers in broadcloth.

Teach them the essentials of life—truth, honesty, and uprightness—and at a suitable time let them marry.

Marvellous Jugglery.

The jugglers of India have for centuries been noted for their remarkable skill in the mysteries of the "black art." The editor of the *Commercial Bulletin*, travelling in the East, has contributed to that paper some very interesting letters on the customs of the strange people he has visited. Under the above heading he tells, in the last issue, his readers that "convalescence is a capital time for mild amusements which will not tire the languid brain, and we had some jugglers up almost every day. We never could find out their tricks, which are very marvellous. Of course, everybody has heard of the basket trick, where a small boy gets inside a basket, and the juggler plunges a sword through and through it, bringing it out reeking with blood, then holds up the basket, shows there's nothing there, and calls the boy, who calmly appears from outside the circle of spectators. And also of the mango trick, where a seed is placed in the ground, is covered with a cloth, and appears as a shrub, growing visibly before one's very eyes, and then bears fruit, which ripens and is edible in five minutes from first planting. These fellows have very scanty clothing, and apparently no apparatus whatever. There are some wiseacres who profess to know all about these tricks. I never saw the disemboweling and immediate healing of fakirs, in India, nor men sitting in the air, 'levitated,' as Madame Blavatsky calls it. But I have seen other tricks as surprising, and equally unaccountable by any art or science with which Europeans or Americans appear to be acquainted nowadays. I have seen a man throw up into the air a number of balls numbered in succession from one upwards. As each went up, and there was no deception about their going up, the ball was seen clearly in the air, getting smaller and smaller until it disappeared altogether out of sight. When they were all up, twenty or more, the operator would politely ask which "ball you wanted to see, and then would shout out 'No. 1,' 'No. 15,' and so on, as instructed by the spectators, when the ball demanded would bound to his feet, violently from some remote distance.

Then I have seen them swallow three different colored powders, and then, throwing back the head, wash them down with water, drunk in the native fashion in a continuous stream from a *lotah*, or brass pot, held at arm's length from the lips, and keep on drinking till the swollen body could not hold another drop, and water overflowed from the lips. Then those fellows, after squirting out the water in their mouths, have spat out the three powders on a clean piece of paper, dry and unmixed. As to the thimble-riggery of their minor tricks, they are exceedingly expert, but are probably equalled by many of our distinguished *prestidigitateurs*; but whatever may be said of the basket and mango tricks, or the sitting in the air, I don't think any of our people are up to the sending of balls into space and recalling them in an unprecedented order. This reminds me of the trick Marco Polo, the great Venetian traveller of earlier times, speaks of having seen at the Court of Prester John, in Central Asia, when a bean was planted and sprung up rapidly toward the heavens, its summit being lost in the clouds. Up this, one juggler travelled, and then another after him, with a drawn sword. In a few minutes, down dropped ears, a nose, a head, and limbs of No. 1; No. 2 leisurely descends,

wiping a bloody sword, and shovels up the fragments of his victim into a box, and goes on with other performances, presently calling out for his defunct companion, who thereupon presents himself, as large as life, all alive and kicking, from the throng. This is not a modern trick, but those I have seen are certainly not less marvellous. Then, too, it is a well authenticated fact that some of these jugglers, on more than one occasion in recent years, have suffered themselves to be buried alive, and have been dug out after the lapse of a year."

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 1877.

Murder Will Out.

The arrest of Charles W. Cooke, for the murder of Miss Susan Hanson at Ossipee over a year ago, was effected by a Boston detective. It will be remembered that Miss Hanson was shot dead while sitting in a room with her mother in the evening, the murderer firing through a window and literally blowing the top of the woman's head off. Joseph Buzzell of Brookfield was arrested for the crime, tried, and acquitted by the jury; so that whatever new evidence may be found against him he cannot again be tried for the murder. Buzzell's motive for getting rid of Miss Hanson was shown to be that he had for a long time been engaged to be married to her, but had at last broken his engagement and married another woman, and that Miss Hanson's friends had induced her to bring against him a suit for breach of promise, which was to have been tried at the term immediately following the date of her murder. The theory of the government was that Buzzell committed the murder; but the defence satisfied the jury that he could not have driven over the rough road between Miss Hanson's home and his own, in the brief period that elapsed between the time the gun was fired and the time he was seen at his own house by reliable witnesses.

Shortly after the trial, the buildings belonging to Mr. John Churchill, of Brookfield, who had been very active in endeavoring to secure Buzzell's conviction, were burned; other fires also occurred; and the detectives in whose hands the matter was placed became convinced that Charles W. Cooke, a young man of about twenty-two, a son of Moses Cooke of Milton and of not very brilliant intellect, had something to do with the fires, and private detective Cohen was set to work on the case. Mr. Cohen applied himself to gaining Cooke's confidence, and succeeded, Cooke finally telling Cohen that he was the man who shot Miss Hanson, being hired to do it by Buzzell for $200, and that he burned several buildings, also at Buzzell's instigation. It is said the money paid by Buzzell for the murder was deposited in the Wolfeboro' Bank by Cooke, and that it is there now; if this should prove true it will be an important piece of evidence, unless he can show that he obtained the money in some other way. Cooke was formerly employed by Buzzell as a farm laborer.

Cooke has often said that Buzzell did not shoot Miss Hanson; and it has been found out that Buzzell went to Milton for Cooke on the Sunday before the girl was murdered Monday night, and that Cooke got the buckshot with which she was murdered from a neighbor before he started. The gun, which was missing on Buzzell's trial, has been found. Cooke had been paid to leave the State on the 1st of May.

The War.

A telegram from Vienna, Tuesday morning, says a desperate battle commenced between the Russian and Turkish forces before Kars on Sunday, and was vigorously progressing all day Monday and up to latest advices.

Egypt will help the Porte all she can, but not at the expense of her creditors.

Prince Nicholas, of Montenegro, left Cettigne for camp on Monday. He said he did not expect the Turks would leave their fortifications and give the Montenegrins an opportunity for such brilliant victories as they achieved in the last campaign. He on his part had no intention of making rash movements.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 148.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

In the last number, an account was given of Rev. Hugh Adams, minister of Durham from 1718 to 1737. His successor was Rev. Nicholas Gilman. He was settled over the church in Durham in 1741. His ministry was but seven years, as he died in 1748. There were many excellencies in him and some vagaries, of which some account will be given.

Mr. Gilman was born in Exeter, Jan. 18, 1708. He was of the noted Gilman family of that town, several of whom arose to great distinction in the affairs of the State and nation. His father, Nicholas, was the great grandfather of Gov. J. T. Gilman, and had ten children, of which Nicholas was the fifth. He graduated at Harvard College in 1724. For many years, while in College and after, he kept a diary, from which we take the following: 1722, Aug. 31, had my declamation in the hall; Sept. 11, Classmate Neal, degraded one year. 1724, July 20, began to keep school in Stratham; Sept. 7, admitted to the church in Exeter. 1725, May 3, began to keep school in Exeter. 1727, April 30, preached my first sermon in Kingston. April 7, began to preach at Portsmouth plains. [Rev. J. Fitch was pastor in Portsmouth then, and this meeting of Mr. Gilman might have been a school house or some dwelling.] 1730, April 3, set out elms before father Gilman's; July 7, 8, new meeting house raised in Exeter; Oct. 22, I was married to Miss M. Thing. 1731, Aug. 26, my first son, Bartholomew, born. 1732, July 23, began to preach at Hampton to assist Mr. Gookin.

In some account of his salary at Durham, he names pork, 500 pounds, beef 600 pounds of that well-fatted, candles 30 pounds, wheat 10 bushels, rye 15 bushels, Indian corn 30 bushels, cider 10 barrels, rum, wine, wood 40 cords, pasturing and wintering four cows and a horse. Mr. Gilman was faithful in reproving errors in others, even those of high standing. He was intimately acquainted with the celebrated Whitefield and loved him. But, early in March, 1745, on hearing him pray at Kittery for Sir William Pepperell, about to take command of the forces raised for the capture of Louisburg, after getting home to Durham, he at once wrote to Mr. Whitefield at Portsmouth admonishing him that he might have been in error in complimenting Mr. Pepperell as having been moved of the Lord in what he was about to undertake, and that he was not influenced by secular motives, etc. Mr. Gilman evidently felt that in prayer, it was not fit to praise men, nor to inform the Most High of things that might be true, and might not. There are many prayers, if they can be called prayers, at this day, in which men are praised; and one has said, that such ministers evidently expect those thus complimented, to hear. Whether Mr. Whitefield was at fault in this, we do not know. But great and good men fail in some things. They may be small faults. Mr. Gilman did not spare Mr. Pepperell either. The same day he wrote to Mr. Whitefield, he wrote to Mr. Pepperell, calling his attention to the importance of making God his trust in his warlike expedition, and told him God would doubtless humble those, who left him out of their schemes.

Mr. Gilman was esteemed a man of devout piety and an evangelical preacher. He was of a living spirit, but evidently of a nervous temperament. After preaching at Durham about four years, and about 1746, a dark cloud came over his usefulness. The late Hon. John Kelly of Exeter put it in this form: "An enthusiast named Woodbury by great zeal ingratiated himself into the favor of Mr. Valentine, over whom he obtained a complete ascendancy. He would call him from bed at midnight, lead him into the woods and spend the night in prayer. His health was injured and his pulpit services neglected."

In April, Rev. Samuel Chilton of Gloucester, Mass., and Rev. Mr. Wise of Berwick, Me., visited Durham to hold a fast. A sermon was preached, but the people, who had become fanatical, acted strangely, turning out their eyes, muttering with their lips, and twisting their bodies into strange forms. Some fell down, some jumped up, catching hold of each other, clapping hands, talking, groaning, some saying, "it is so," others crying, "glory, glory." So the voice of Mr. Wise, who preached, was nearly drowned. After the services one or both ministers went to the house of Mr. Gilman, and it was said the "high fliers" came in like madmen, —but we forbear to quote further. But the next year, 1747, a committee from the ecclesiastical convention visited Durham and found the disorders still continued. A separate meeting was kept up where there was singing, dancing, cursing the devil and spitting in the faces of those supposed to not believe with them. This state of things did not last very long. Mr. Gilman was in feeble health, consumption was upon him, and April 13, 1748, he died, aged 41 years. He was buried in Exeter. A funeral procession was had, in which were many young men of Durham who followed his remains from Durham to his last resting place. An inscription on his tombstone recounts his many virtues and excellencies.

Mr. Gilman's son, Tristram, graduated at Harvard College in 1757, settled in the ministry at North Yarmouth, Me., was long successful pastor there, and died April 1, 1809, aged 73 years. A daughter of his, Elizabeth, become the wife of Rev. Francis Brown, a native of Chester, and for a time President of Dartmouth College.

Political.

Judge Henry Martin Spofford, recently elected Senator from Louisiana by the Nicholls legislature, is not a "carpet-bagger," though he was born in Massachusetts and educated there; for though a Yankee he was never a republican or Unionist, having been a democrat and secessionist before and during the war, and a democrat and opponent of the reconstruction measures since the war. It is a glaring injustice to stigmatise as a "carpet-bagger" a gentleman with so honorable a record as this, even if he *was* born in New England and is now some kind of a Senator-elect from Louisiana.

One peculiarity of the President is his frankness. He seems to have nothing to conceal. Access is easily had to him, and he is outspoken in his opinions. He has very positive views as to the manner in which United States officers should conduct themselves with respect to politics. In a recent conversation with a friend he stated these views: He said that in his judgment United States officers should not take any part in the primaries or ward meetings before elections, or attend any political conventions as delegates, or do anything to assist in securing the nomination of any particular candidate. But when the candidates are nominated the President said he saw no reason why Federal office-holders should not publicly express their opinions in favor of the candidates of their choice, and labor for their election in the same manner and under the same conditions as other citizens. —"*Perley*," *in Boston Journal.*

—When you see a newspaper article which promises in its beginning to be an essay of high merit, it is well to read it for the profit to accrue from so doing. But as a matter of precaution, it is better to glance first at the end to see if anything is said about two sizes of bottles—one for fifty cents and the other for a dollar.—*Danbury News.*

Local Matters.

THAT "BEER" ARTICLE.

"One that has the temperance cause at heart" writes us as follows: "I was very sorry to read an article in your paper on beer, advocating the use of it. I can't think the use of beer ever kept one person from intoxication. Oh, the many it has caused to be intoxicated! If it is so healthful, why do eminent physicians say it is almost impossible for a wound to heal on one that has drank beer as a common beverage?" Our correspondent closes by earnestly entreating us not to "contaminate" our paper "by advertising for Frank Jones."

We think it would puzzle our correspondent to find where, in the article on "Beer, and how it is brewed," or anywhere else, we ever "advocated the use" of beer, or claimed that it prevented intoxication. The article referred to contained one or two statements which we believe to be true, concerning the Germans and English; and it was added that "the advocates of beer *claim* that intemperance has fallen off" in this city since its introduction—a claim we neither endorsed nor denied. And the article was not an advertisement for Frank Jones or any other person, but a carefully written (and we thought interesting) account of a local business which amounts (for all the three breweries) to over a million of dollars a year. We propose to give a series of articles, historical and descriptive, concerning the various industries of the city; and the gentleman who has undertaken to prepare them for us considered the brewery business, from its extent and the amount of capital invested in it, of importance enough to have a place in the series. A newspaper may give all the details of a church fair raffle or a base ball match, as a matter of news, without "advocating" either.

A FINE VESSEL.

We have before mentioned the addition by Mr. Valentine Doane, Jr., to his valuable fleet of first-class fishing vessels, of the new schooner Henry M. Clark. On Tuesday, by invitation of Mr. Doane, we paid a visit to the new schooner, and were amply repaid for our trouble, for she is a beautiful specimen of marine architecture. We were shown over the vessel by Capt. Alvin Cahoon, Jr., of Harwich, Mass., who commanded the Daniel Marcy from the time she was launched up to the time of his taking charge of this new vessel, and last year landed twenty three hundred barrels of mackerel.

The Henry M. Clark is built in the best possible manner, of oak and yellow pine, and extra fastened; her dimensions, as given by Capt. Cahoon, are as follows: Length over all, 114 feet; breadth of beam, 25 feet; depth of hold, 10 feet. The length of her mainmast is 83 feet, of the topmast 53 feet; and the main boom is 70 feet long. She carries three jibs, and spreads 2000 feet of canvas. Her tonnage, carpenter's measurement, is 234 20-95; registered tonnage, ———. Her standing rigging is of hemp, served and wormed, and is seven inches in circumference; she carries four shrouds on a side. She carries two 1000-lb. anchors, with 90 fathoms of chains; has improved patent steering gear, and is also fitted with Stone's patent jibing gear,—a great improvement on the old arrangement, for instead of the sheets bringing up with a sudden jerk when the booms swing over, the shock is largely relieved by gutta percha bumpers. She will have two seines and two seine boats.

She will carry a crew of twenty-four men, but has accommodations for forty if necessary. The cabin is finely fitted up, in the most convenient manner; it has seven rooms, including pantry, sail room and water closet; the floor is laid in black walnut and ash, and the sides and ceiling beautifully grained; and the skylight over the saloon is handsomely fitted with red and blue stained glass. The forecastle is we think the finest we ever saw on any vessel; it is over eight feet in height, and has bunks on each side for the men, and a large store room connected with it for the provisions; there is a large stationary table and the cook-stove, yet still there is room enough for all without any being crowded; and the whole (excepting the cook stove) is very handsomely grained. Altogether, the Henry M. Clark is one of the finest vessels,—if not *the* finest,—in the whole fishing fleet on the coast, as she is one of the largest. She will hunt for mackerel during the season, and at its close will enter the fruit-carrying trade, and also take passengers if occasion requires.

A BIG ESTABLISHMENT.

It is hardly necessary for us to call attention to the advertisement of Houghton & Dutton on another page of this paper, as it cannot be overlooked by any one who opens the paper at all. The business carried on by that firm is immense, and their stock includes almost everything in the shape of necessary wear or articles of ornament and luxury, for men and women, girls and boys; they do not attempt to give a list of the articles they sell in their advertisements, as it would be impossible to do so in ordinary limits. A large part of their goods are imported direct from Europe by themselves, thus saving the charges of middlemen and jobbers; and the saving thus effected goes to the benefit of their patrons, in the shape of reduced prices. Mr. Dutton has within a few days returned from a three months' purchasing tour in Europe, with an immense supply of choice goods bought on most advantageous terms, and to be disposed of at correspondingly rates. One item of their stock is *thirty thousand* parasols and sun-umbrellas; they sell gents' shirts of Wamsutta cotton, with extra linen bosoms, at 66 to 84 cents; ladies' and gents' linen handkorchiefs from four cents to 25; Elmwood paper collars at 16 cents a box, linen collars and cuffs 13 cents a set; and other articles,—boots and shoes, underwear for ladies and children, suits, gloves and hosiery, shawls, etc., at similarly low prices; so that the boast made that a lady who has fifty dollars to spend, if she lives within a hundred miles of Boston can save money by paying railroad fares both ways and trading at Houghton & Dutton's, may not be entirely idle. Of this we are assured, that persons visiting Boston to make purchases will find as varied a stock of superior goods and at as low prices at No. 55 Tremont street as at any other place in that city.

News and Notes.

The bakers of Washington having raised the price of loaves one cent, the police made a simultaneous descent upon all their shops early Thursday morning, and confiscated hundreds of short weight loaves, besides collecting a fine of $2 for each loaf.

An engine on the Chicago, Alton & St. Louis Railroad ran off the track and turned over, near Chicago, Monday evening. Eight or ten persons were on the engine, five of whom were killed outright, two others being terribly injured, one of the latter, the engineer, having both legs broken.

The reported sale of the Stevens battery to Russia or Turkey is authoritatively denied.

It is stated that a trunk on a wagon of the New York Transfer Company was robbed last Thursday while standing in the stable of $53,000 worth of diamonds.

The United States man-of-war Tennessee arrived at Yokohama April 12th. Commander J. D. Marvin of the United States sloop-of-war Alert shot himself on board of his ship in Yokohama harbor April 10th.

The body found on the shore of the lake and supposed to be that of P. P. Bliss, turns out to be an unknown German.

The rapid growth of the debt of incorporated cities is a pressing danger. It is easy to borrow, the ease begets the desire, and soon the interest roll is so long as to become a real evil. The city of Montreal alone, the finest city in this Dominion, is in debt to such an extent that it is called upon this year to pay $718,000 of interest and sinking fund—nearly two thousand dollars a day! The *Witness* points out that the sum has nearly doubled since 1873, or in four years. The taxes for schools have trebled in four years. Of course the burden upon the tax payers, particularly as times grow poor, is simply enormous, and many have moved outside the city limits to escape payment, which makes it only so much the worse for those who remain.—*St. John (N. B.) Globe.*

The Wamsutta Mills, at New Bedford, started up Monday morning, less than half of the striking operatives going to work. There was much hooting and noise on the part of the strikers, and several persons were arrested.

Part of the roof of the new post office in New York city fell in on Tuesday, killing four persons and doing great damage to property.

DeKalb, Kemper county, Miss., has had a tragedy. John W. Gully, a prominent democrat, was recently assassinated, and on the affidavits of two negroes five white men, four republicans and one democrat, were arrested. On Monday a party of armed men attacked the prisoners and killed them all.

Ex-Chief Naval Constructor Hanscom will go on the retired list in June, with the rank of captain; had he held the position of Chief Constructor until his retirement he would have held the rank of commodore. There is some talk of a court-martial, which is expected (if held) to result in his dismissal from the service.

George Hodgkins, of Rockport, Mass., was found in a dying condition at Bristol, Me., Monday. It is supposed he was beaten to death by a man with whose wife he had been too intimate.

A meeting of the stockholders in the Michigan Central Railroad was held in Concord on Monday evening. Hon. Asa Fowler presided, with John V. Barron, Secretary. A series of resolutions was adopted in favor of a change in the management of the road and appointing a committee of three to solicit proxies in New Hampshire in favor of a change, and sending an agent to vote on the same at the annual meeting in June. The Committee appointed consists of Hon. E. H. Rollins and John V. Barron of Concord, and Hon. Dexter Richards of Newport.

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SATURDAY, MAY 12th, 1877,

At 12 o'clock.

THE Residence of the late Dr. A. P. STEVENS, 54 MIDDLE STREET. The House is in good repair, $2500 having recently been expended on it; has 12 Rooms, with a dry Cellar; also Water and a New Furnace.

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own era or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other nuisance capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind at their stalls or stands, or overnight, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owner or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the tidal ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P.M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
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Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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JOTTINGS.

This evening at Franklin Hall, Miss Maggie Mitchell will present her new play, "Mignon," for the first time in this city. The Boston *Traveller* says: "Mignon is a remarkably effective acting play. The situations are good, the plot is beautiful in its idea and the whole piece grows in strength and holds upon the spectators' attention to the end. It is a play well adapted to show to their best advantage the peculiar powers of the star. Miss Mitchell seems scarcely to have grown a day older during the last twelve years; and she is as vivacious and amusing, as well as capable of exciting the deeper emotions, as ever."

When Mr. Robeson was Secretary of the Navy he made some extensive purchases of live oak, which purchases were "investigated" by committees of the democratic House until it was found that the man (Swift) who sold the live oak was a good democrat and had never been anything else, and had contributed liberally to the funds in aid of Capt. Marcy's election as Governor of New Hampshire and Tilden's election as President of the United States. Then the "investigation" came to a dead stop. This navy yard, like the others, was pretty well blocked up with cargoes of this timber, and many republicans thought a large portion of the money spent for it would have been better laid out if paid for labor, while the democrats (until they found a democrat was the principal man in the business) were sure the whole thing was a big corruption and flat-footed fraud. It now seems the Secretary's timber speculations did not merit the censure they received, as the Navy Department can sell its large stock of live oak for fully twice what it cost.

The good people of North Hampton having expressed a desire to witness the famous Portsmouth Dramatic Club in their performance of "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," the Company are considering the matter of giving an entertainment there some time during the last of next week. Concerning the performance of this play at Rye by the Dramatic Club, last Friday evening, the correspondent of the *Times* says: "It was admirably played and would have done no discredit to a company of professionals. Where all the characters were so finely rendered, it is perhaps needless to particularize; but Bryant's 'Sample Swichel' brought down the house with roars of laughter, while Gardner's 'Joe Morgan' drew the tears from many an eye. The parts of Joe Morgan's wife and daughter were very effectively played, as, indeed, were all the parts in this realistic drama of life. The play was worth a score of temperance lectures, in the interests of genuine reform."

Mr. Henry F. Gerrish on Tuesday displayed for sale at his store some very handsome asparagus, raised by himself,—the first in the market, so far as we have heard.

An Eastern Railroad train, Tuesday morning, ran over a fourteen-years-old son of John S. Pike at Newburyport, crushing his hand and badly bruising his head.

—Within seven years there have been married from a milliner's store on Temple Place, Boston, the precise number of fifty-seven young lady clerks. Of course all vacancies are promptly filled and salary is no object.

—The paint brush is being wafted over the hotels at Niagara Falls, the resident Irishmen are practicing upon their Indian dialect, the hackmen are robbing and murdering each other for practice, and all nature bears the unmistakable indications that the annual summer victim is approaching.—*Rochester Democrat.*

—Speaking of protocols and treaties, Mr. Labouchere tells this story: "Years ago I was in America, and went down with the English Minister in the United States to a small inn in Virginia, where we were to meet Mr. Marcy, the then United States Secretary of State, and a reciprocity treaty between Canada and the United States was to be quietly discussed. Mr. Marcy, the most genial of men, was as cross as a bear. He would agree to nothing. 'What on earth is the matter with your chief?' I said to a Secretary who accompanied him. 'He does not have his rubber of whist,' answered the Secretary. After this every night the Minister and I played at whist with Mr. Marcy and his Secretary, and every night we lost. The stakes were very trifling, but Mr. Marcy felt flattered by beating the Britishers at what he called their own game. His good humor returned, and every morning when the details of the treaty were being discussed we had our revenge, and scored a few points for Canada."

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—"Well, if this isn't mean!" said an indignant pickpocket. "Here's this feller a-goin' about with this 'ere yaller chain, and when I pulls it out there ain't no watch on the end of it."

—A lawyer and a minister, both impecunious, boarded with a certain widow lady at the South End, Boston. Neither could pay his board. The lawyer married the lone woman, and the minister performed the ceremony, thus squaring accounts.

—George Eliot and her husband, Lewes, are not used to churches, and recently, while they were guests of Rev. Mr. Jowett, the Greek scholar, they went to his church; and they, not being familiar with the place, found themselves sitting in the bishops' chairs, beside the communion table.

—The Crown Prince of Germany is a compositor by trade, and Kaiser Wihelm is a glazier, though he has not practiced his profession for a number of years. All the Prussian princes have to learn some handicraft, not in order to provide against hard times, but that they may learn the feelings of the common people.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	107
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	113
United States Ten-Forties cupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	114
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. scrip	56
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64
Boston & Lowell R. R.	82
Boston & Maine	94
Boston & Providence	122
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	10
Concord	74
Concord R. R.	81
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	134
Manchester & Lawrence	121
Michigan Central	58
Northern N. H.	64
Old Colony & Newport	95
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	8
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	104

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 25 @ 30c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 85c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 18c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. 7 @ 8; Fancy, 8½ @ 9½; Ex. 10 @ 11
Fish per ⅊ by the qtl. Cod 4 @ 5c; Pollock 3½ @ 4
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 22
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, $1.15.
Molasses per gal., fl. Cuba 40 @ 50c; New Orleans 60
Oats per bushels, 45 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 1.10
Pork per bbl., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ⅊, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ⅊, fr. 9½ @ 11c; Gr. 12; Crushed 12½c.
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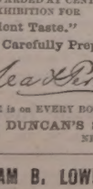

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No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2½ years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels, have suffered all the pain I could endure and live, have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had, I feel quite well, can eat and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from Maj. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1876.

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Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package. JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I know it, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have. Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE.

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, 75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried in vain to know relief from many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room about all the time for eight or ten winters, and have been traveling and visiting celebrated springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The pain was so agonizing my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost well. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas. J. S. PATTON

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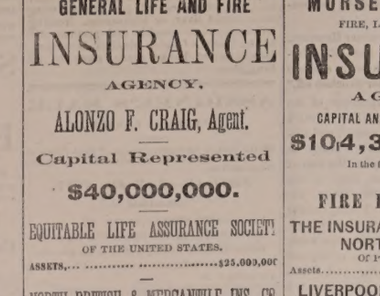

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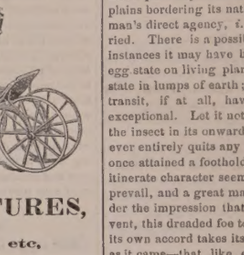

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Colorado Potato Beetle.

In the year 1824, the Colorado Potato Beetle was found in Upper Missouri; from then to the year 1850, it had spread eastward and reached a point one hundred miles west of Omaha City in Nebraska. In 1861 it invaded Iowa, gradually in the next three or four years spreading eastward over that State. In 1864 and 1865, it crossed the Mississippi, invading Illinois, and pushing eastward at the rate of about fifty miles a year. In 1869, its presence was reported in Ohio. Early in the summer of 1874, it had made its appearance on the Atlantic seaboard, and was reported during the year from several parts of Connecticut, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia. Its injuries also increased in its native home. During the year 1876, the insect swarmed in most of the New England States, and especially on the seashore. It has extended north around Montreal, and was especially abundant as far as Trois Rivieres; while in its eastern progress it has overrun Massachusetts, Vermont and New Hampshire, and extended some distance into Maine. As the larva is sluggish and never leaves the plant from which it is hatched, except in quest of more food, until it is ready to pupate, all the journeys of this insect are necessarily made in the perfect or beetle state, by means of the ample rose-colored wings, which, when the insect is at rest, are completely folded up beneath the striped wing-cases. Its spread, however, over the more populous portions of the country, is not to be attributed to its powers of flight alone. It undoubtedly avails itself, to no inconsiderable extent, of every means of transportation afforded to other travellers, and often got a lift on eastern bound trains, and most probably crossed the more barren plains bordering its native confines through man's direct agency, *i. e.*, by being carried. There is a possibility that in some instances it may have been carried in the egg state on living plants, or in the pupa state in lumps of earth; but these modes of transit, if at all, have necessarily been exceptional. Let it not be understood that the insect in its onward spread, or march, ever entirely quits any district where it has once attained a foothold. This idea of its itinerate character seems very generally to prevail, and a great many people labor under the impression that soon after its advent, this dreaded foe to the potato will of its own accord takes its leave as suddenly as it came—that like every other dog, it will have its day; it may, and very generally does, prove more injurious during the first two or three years of its advent than subsequently. From careful observation, I am confident in saying, the wetter the season, the less damage done by them.

The question that the juices of the insect on the human skin are poisonous, is as a rule, a mistake. Yet persons with blood in bad condition, may be poisoned by getting said juices in wounds or cuts. As to the method of destroying, and getting potato fields rid of them, I am of the opinion that the process of picking and burning on a pile of brush or straw, "not scalding them," is the cheapest and surest, as in this way, you have the chance to pick off also the leaves with the eggs on at the same time. From careful observation, I have found that the female begins to lay her eggs on the under side of the leaves, as soon as the potato plants appear above ground. The eggs are oval, of a translucent dark orange color, in clusters of from ten to forty. The larvæ are hatched in less than a week, and are at first of a dark Venetian red, becoming lighter and acquiring a double row of black lateral spots as they approach maturity.—*Mass. Ploughman.*

—It is said that Eve was made for Adams Express Company, but this is probably a figment of some common carrier of slander.

—This is the cool and candid way in which the London *Court Journal* notices a recent fashionable ball; "The dresses were, with a few exceptions, very handsome, and nearly all new."

—A gentleman took his little boy to a model farm to see the wonders of the place. After they had been there a short time, the little fellow ran crying to his father, being at the same time pursued by a big turkey-cock, which was trying to get a piece of bread out of his hand. "What, my boy," said the father, "are you afraid of a turkey? Why, you ate part of one yesterday." "Yes, papa," responded the little fellow, wiping his eyes; "but this one isn't cooked."

—Henry Wood, a man for many years a resident of Woodford, Vt., and very deaf, was recently coming home from Bennington when he became thirsty and stopped at the house of an acquaintance to get a drink of water. Hearing his knock the owner of the house called "come in," but Wood hearing neither the first nor a second invitation, entered not. Tramps had been plenty that day and it was but the work of a moment for the man of the house to grasp his gun, slip out of the back door and round to the front of the house. Here he took aim at the supposed tramp, who was wondering much, meanwhile, why the door was not opened, and fired, doing no harm. Wood heard nothing, rapped again and was saluted with a second and third charge of shot, neither of which hit him. After the third shot he gave it up and started along and not until the next day did he learn that he owed his life to his friend's poor marksmanship.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1877.

The Ossipee Murder.

Joseph Buzzell of Brookfield, and his wife Irene, are at Ossipee under arrest. A *Post* correspondent says a disclosure or confession of Cook was made before Charles D. Gaffney and John W. Sanborn, but has not been made public. The following is the substance of the confession as obtained from reports current on the streets, and is correct, but not official. Cook says the murder was arranged beforehand, and that Buzzell was to go to Wolfboro; when he returned he was to drive to a certain tree, where Cook was to meet him; Buzzell did arrive at the tree as promised, with his horse all in a foam; Cook had the gun, which they had loaded together with slugs and buckshot, and the two went on; they hitched the horse to the very tree named in the trial; they then went to the house where they could see Miss Hanson, and then Buzzell said, "You fire the gun;" Cook declined, and Buzzell threatened to kill him if he did not; Cook then took the gun and fired the fatal shot. They then ran, Cook through the woods and Buzzell across the ploughed ground. The gun was thrust into the hay-mow by Buzzell, and Cook has not seen the gun since. Buzzell promised to pay Cook $500 but has never paid him a cent. The $75 new in the Carroll County Bank was earned by Cook when working for John Churchill, whose house he afterwards burned as he now confesses. He states that Buzzell came to Churchill's where he was at work, on the evening of March 19, 1876, and rapped him up and got him to burn the house. He took kerosene and poured it all over the room and then lighted it with a candle. Cook says he does not know who burned the barns.

Irene Buzzell, Joseph Buzzell's wife, and Jonathan Sanborn, his brother-in-law, who were two of the most effective witnesses for Buzzell on his trial, are under arrest for being accessory to the murder after the fact. Sanborn is one of the most prominent citizens of Brookfield, and chairman of the County Commissioners of Carroll county.

The War.

Telegrams from London state that the reported great battle at Kars was but an affair of outposts. Mukhtar Pasha is in command of the Turks at Kars.

The policy of France is announced to be one of strict neutrality.

Turkey has officially declared that it will not carry on the war in Servian territory, notwithstanding which assurance the Servians do not seem satisfied; it is possible they think Turkey capable of lying.

Russia has promised to respect the neutrality of Servia.

The Turks have captured two Roumanian men-of-war. An English steamer entering the harbor of Kertch, without the necessary precautions, was totally destroyed by a torpedo.

Russia has declared the navigation of the Danube re-opened, subject to certain local restrictions. The re-opening is due to the very decided remonstrance of Austria.

An official Russian despatch announces that the Turkish garrison, numbering 1700, abandoned Bayazid on Monday and withdrew to Allada heights, leaving a large quantity of ammunition. The Russians occupied the town.

Austria is greatly incensed at the convention between Roumania and Russia.

A Herzegovinian insurgent force attacked the Turkish vanguard near Nevisigne on the 1st, killing fifteen men.

Immense activity prevails in all the British dockyard, and the powerful ironclads are being rapidly fitted for sea. Recruiting for the army has been carried on so briskly that nearly every regiment in the service is full.

The following account of the running the blockade at Galatz by the Turkish steamer Rethymo is given: "Hobart Pasha, the English Admiral of the Turkish fleet, left Rustchuk at eight o'clock. On arriving opposite Galatz, which was guarded by torpedoes and heavy batteries commanding the river, the lights on the steamer had been extinguished, but a rocket from the Roumanian shore showed that Hobart Pasha's approach was discovered and apprised the Russian gunners. On his coming abreast of the batteries the heavy guns began to fire, but the Rethymo was run so close in shore that the gunners were unable to depress their pieces fast enough to get good aim. The Admiral only fired one shot, and the Rethymo passed on to the Black Sea safely."

Perils of the Ocean.

The details of the loss of British barque Maria, of Yarmouth, N. S., and the death by starvation of thirteen men out of her crew of fourteen, and given to the public through the statement of the only survivor, James M. Linden, of Belfast. The Maria sailed from Darien, Ga., for Belfast, Ireland, with lumber, on the 15th of November last. A few days after leaving port the weather became very rough, and the cargo was shifted with the motion of the vessel with such force as to seriously damage the ship's frame and sheathing. A serious leak was the result of the storm, and in spite of the utmost exertions of the crew the barque became waterlogged, and steadily settled, lower and lower, into the sea. As the cargo was entirely of timber, the vessel did not sink, but careened and fell over on her broadside, with her spars under water. By desperate effort, the crew escaped destruction and gained the side of the vessel that was out of water, clinging for support to the rigging. The weather continued to be very heavy, and the waves dashed over the vessel and completely covered the unfortunate crew, who with great difficulty maintained their hold. The masts broke off one by one; and at last the barque was relieved of their weight and righted again. But this did not help the crew, already suffering not only from exhaustion, but the keenest pangs of hunger and thirst. The vessel's decks were submerged in the waves, and everything had been swept away. The boats had been carried off in the storm, and there was no hope of escape except by some happy rescue. All the ship's stores were out of reach, and all the horrors of death by starvation faced these fourteen miserable men as they drifted at the mercy of the waves. At last a sail was seen by the crew. The City of Montreal, Captain Mudgett, was near them; but, on account of the tremendous gale which prevailed, and the waves which fixed an impassable gulf between the two vessels, no help could be given. The great ship sailed away, and left the crew of the water-logged vessel in utter despair. Once more a sail was seen, on the 14th of December. But the Italian barque, Madree Figli, which then sighted the wreck, could render no help. The elements had conspired to work their doom upon the crew of the British vessel. All hope of rescue seems now to have been abandoned by these miserable men. Weeks of hunger and thirst had brought them to a state of utter savagery. As sheer starvation claimed its victims, one by one, the survivors watched for the agonies of death with eager eyes. No sooner had breath gone from the body than the famishing survivors cut the throat of the dead man and drank the blood that flowed sluggishly from the wound. The survivors, reduced to mere skeletons, could not long exist on such horrible sustenance, and day by day the number grew less. Savage instincts had now got complete away, and not content with drinking the blood of the dead, their bodies were cut up and the heart and brains were divided between the survivors. It is at least something to know that no murder was done on the wreck, though for thirty-two days the sufferings of the crew in the mid-Atlantic continued. At last, on the 17th of December, when only two living persons were left on the submerged deck of the Maria, rescue came. The three-masted schooner F. E. Macdonald, from Boston to Goree, came within sight of the wreck. It was by mere accident, says Captain Zenas Kane, her commander, that the waterlogged vessel was fallen in with, but certainly it was a happy Providence to the man who has escaped all these perils. A boat was sent to the wreck, and two living skeletons, all that were left of the crew of the Maria, were taken to the Macdonald. Both the men were more dead than alive when rescued, and one died in four hours after being taken to the American vessel. By kind care and assiduous attention, the other rescued man survived.

News and Notes.

One of the most remarkable games of base ball ever played was played on Tuesday, by the Stars of Syracuse and the Brown Stockings of St. Louis at St. Louis. Fifteen innings were played without either side scoring a run, and darkness then put an end to the game.

The Union Banking Company of Philadelphia, a concern which had a capital of $700,000 and stood high with the public, failed on the 1st of May.

The debt statement issued May 1st shows a reduction of $4,315,509 for the last month, and for the fiscal year since July 1st last of $29,000,000. This leaves only $4,000,000 to make the sinking fund good for this year, and two months to do it in. The sinking fund originated under the act of Feb. 25, 1862, amounted July 1st 1876, to $433,848,215, and it has been overpaid $223,000,000 during that time. For next year the amount due the sinking fund will be $35,000,000.

Two old Union soldiers, Thompson and Watson, have been indicted for murder by a West Virginia grand jury, for killing one Ice, a rebel sympathizer and suspected spy, whom they were detailed to arrest and fired upon as he was running away. Major General Kelley, who gave the order for Ice's arrest, is very much stirred up about it, and declares he will make trouble if injustice is done his old soldiers.

It is reported that President Gowan, of the Reading Railroad, is heartily sick of his onslaught on the engineers. The lock-out has cost the road many thousands of dollars and its business is suffering very much. Even should Gowan succeed in getting his road in good running condition without the aid of the discharged engineers, he will fail in injuring the Brotherhood, it is said, as the men intend to associate themselves with other divisions. It is announced in a Pittsburgh paper that the Boston and Maine Company has suffered a loss of over $200,000 so far in its contest with the Brotherhood, and the expense is rolling up at the rate of $50,000 a month. The Reading road has offered an advance of twenty-five per cent. to all the old engineers who will return and give up the Brotherhood, but so far the offer has failed to influence one man.—*New Haven Union.*

The Satsuma insurrection in Japan in extent and bloodshed exceeds all anticipation. A rigid censorship is exercised over newspapers, and no reports are published concerning the Government reverses. The hospitals are crowded with wounded Government soldiers. Many important leaders have been slain and not less than 10,000 troops have been killed. The forces against Saigon number 30,000.

A reporter of the *Graphic* has conversed with several well-posted British shipmasters, and the general opinion among them is that England will be drawn into the Eastern war. All acknowledge that if the trans-Atlantic traffic is lost to them by reason of a stoppage in the existing arrangement, and the "Yankees" put steamers in the ocean trade, it will be many years before they can regain their supremacy, if they ever do. There is much anxiety among all these men upon this subject.

Commodore D. McN. Fairfax has been ordered to command the naval station at New London, Conn. Lieutenant Samuel Belden is detached from duty in charge of the naval station at New London, and ordered to report to Commodore Fairfax as senior aid to the commandment at that station.

The papers report that steamer Hercules, at Newburyport 27th ult., from Philadelphia, had been in collision with steamer Aries and "had her cultivator knocked off."

A Constantinople correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press* writes: "The Turkish recruit is awkward at first, stupid, and difficult to instruct, but he yields readily to discipline, and in time becomes the best of soldiers. In battle he has faith in his cause, and contempt for the enemy. He soon rallies under defeat. Victory elates him and renders him difficult of control. Plunder, massacre are outrage on the weak and helpless are the privileges of success which he insists on enjoying and which cannot be denied him. For this reason a conquering Turkish army leaves a track of desolation behind it that ages often cannot efface."

The New York *Tribune* intimates that the Turks lie and the Russians conceal the truth, when they are at war.

New Hampshire Items.

Judge Spofford, the democratic carpet-bag Senator from Louisiana, was born at Gilmanton, in this State.

The holder of deposit book No. 100 at the Strafford Savings Bank in Dover recently settled up the account with that institution —the account extending over a period of upwards of fifty years. The account of Mrs. John E. Bickford, of Dover, is the oldest on the books at the present time, a deposit having been made for her in infancy by her father, the late Capt. Moses Paul.

A son of Michael Howland, of Dover, a lad of about 12 years, dislocated one of his fingers while playing base ball, in such a manner that the bones were forced through the flesh.

John D'Orsay, of West Peterborough, during his lifetime has broken his left leg and left arm, received a bullet in his left lung during the war, lost his left thumb by a circular saw, and now has lost his left index finger in a picker. If he meets with many more accidents there won't be much left of him.

The Grand Lodge of New Hampshire of the Independent Order of Good Templars will hold its annual session in Dover on Wednesday, May 9. The business will be important, as one of the questions to be acted and decided upon will be in regard to the colored race and the order, which is now agitating the Good Templars all over the world. All the lodges in the State are to be represented.

An elderly lady named Ham has won a verdict in the Supreme Court against the city of Dover, on account of injuries received by a fall occasioned by a defect in the sidewalk. She was awarded $1300 by the jury, but the counsel for the city took exceptions and it is said a new trial will result.

—The silver question: "Is this here a counterfeit?"

—And now the gilt-edged handkerchief is the latest agony of swelldom. The edge must just peep from the dear boy's overcoat pocket on the port side.

—Gentlemen who can't tell a polonaise from an apron front will bear in the mind the prevailing distinction between a hat and a bonnet. One is worn over the ear and the other on the nape of the neck.

—Rev. Dr. Catheart in a lecture at Philadelphia said that every President of the United States, from Washington to the present occupant of the Presidential chair, had been a member of the Masonic order.

—An Iowa farmer preserves fence posts by boring a three-quarter inch hole from the side to the center of the post and filling it with salt, securing it in place by a pine plug. He set posts thirty-five years ago, thus treated, which are as sound now as when put in the ground.

—When a man leaves our side and goes to the other side, he is a traitor, and we always feel there is something wrong about him. But when a man leaves the other side and comes over to us, then he is a man of great moral courage, and we always feel that he has sterling stuff in him.

—The Fulton *Times* deplores that whereas, our forefathers were content to spread their frugal repast upon the bare bark that they stripped from the forest trees, the aristocracy of to-day not only insist upon having a $16 extension table, but stick up their noses if poverty compels them to use a sheet for a table-cloth.

—Viennese society is disturbed to its foundation by the conduct of the tenor Nicolini, who, during the performance of "Romeo and Juliet," kissed Patti's hand twenty-one times. A careful examination of the play develops the right to only six kisses, and the extra fifteen have convulsed Europe.

DIED.

WALLEY. In this city, May 1, Thomas Walley, aged 82 years, formerly of Franklin, N. H.

☞ Funeral services at the residence of his son, No. 6 Cass street, at three o'clock to-day (Thursday). Friends are invited.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, May 1.

Steamer Lancaster, Mills, Philadelphia.

ARRIVED, May 2.

SchG W Ralt, Coleman, Rockland c.

Ship Favorita, Gerrish, from Manila for Boston, at Hollo Match 4, having arrived Feb 21.

Sch L L Adams, Nickerson, for this port from Amboy, passed through Hell Gate April 30.

Sch John Stroup, Hurst, for this port from Port Johnson, arr at Delo's Island Harbor April 28.

—Young Lavender remarked to the father of a brilliant pianist the other day: "I'd give the world for your daughter's fingers." "You could have the whole hand if you wanted it," answered the thrifty *paler familias.*

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or years them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, nor into any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substance.

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C. Morris Tredick, Esq., has purchased the fishing schooner Harp.

Considerable excitement has been created on the line of the Eastern Railroad from Seabrook to North Conway, since midnight of Sunday, by the serving of nearly fifty writs on the road. The attachments include all the company's real estate in this city, between 4000 and 5000 cords of wood in Carroll county, and the trusteeing of station agents and others. The writs are being served through a Massachusetts bank to cover a note against the road amounting to $60,000.

The registered tonnage of the new schooner Henry M. Clark, the latest addition to the fishing fleet of Valentine Doane, Jr., is 173 42-100.

A subordinate association of "Provident Mutual Relief" was organized in this city on Tuesday evening at the Rockingham House, with Hon. Frank Jones as chairman of the board of trustees, Mr. A. C. Hoyt as clerk, and Dr. S. C. Whittier as medical examiner.

At the annual meeting of the Unitarian parish, held on Monday afternoon, it was voted to continue the salary of the pastor at $3500, but to cut down the appropriation for music from $1400 to $800. A request from Rev. Mr. DeNormandie that the parish accept the gift of $500 which had been unanimously voted to him for securing supplies during his summer vacation for the past three years, and which he deposited in one of our savings banks at interest for the benefit of the parish, the same to assist in liquidating the expenses for the current year, was not accepted, a vote of thanks, however, being extended to the pastor for his generous offer. It was voted to omit the vesper service during the months of June, July and August. The following were chosen officers for the ensuing year: Wardens, William W. Cotton, William R. Preston, Charles H. Rollins, James R. May, William H. Sise; Clerk, Joseph Hiller Foster; Treasurer, William H. Rollins. The present quartette of the church will conclude their services next Sunday.

The Maine Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church at its late annual session appointed S. F. Strout as minister at Eliot and Scotland, A. Turner at South Eliot, B. Freeman at Kittery Navy Yard, J. W. Smith at Kittery, J. H. Trask at York.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council of New Hampshire, Wednesday, votes for Senators and Congressmen were counted and certificates were issued. The following was the count in the First Congressional District: Jones, 13,924; Marston, 13,881; scattering, 139; Jones's plurality, 43. Hon. Frank Jones never in his life made a better paying investment than when he "influenced" Caleb Moulton of Hampstead to nominate himself for Congress on the prohibition ticket. Had Moulton not put himself forward, the man he helped nominate in the republican convention would have been elected.

FATAL ACCIDENT AT THE SHOALS.

For some time past Messrs. Frank Brown, Charles E. Johnson and John Smart have occupied "Lunging" Island at the Shoals as a base from which to prosecute the business of fishing, and on Monday afternoon, April 30th, Brown and Johnson went out to set their trawl. The particulars of the trip, as reported by Mr. Johnson, are as follows:

After having set about one-half their trawl they picked up a piece of plank, and while setting the remainder ran across a log which Brown wished also to secure at once. Johnson objected to doing this until the trawl was all set, so they finished that job and then returned for the log. Johnson fastened a gaff into the log and it was hauled upon the gunwale of the dory, both men standing as far as possible over toward the other side to preserve the balance, when suddenly the hold of the gaff gave out and both men were thrown into the water, the dory capsizing at the same time. This was about six o'clock. They managed to right her, and held on, one on each side, until Brown thought it best to swim to the log, which he did, but finding it would not support him returned to the dory. Brown seemed very despondent from the first, saying to Johnson he had lost his boat and should lose his life. [A boat belonging to Mr. Brown was thrown ashore at the island and destroyed, during a gale, some time before.] Mr. Johnson encouraged him as well as he could, but after holding on the dory for about twenty minutes he loosed his hold and sank; Johnson still held on, and about twenty minutes later was discovered by Mr. Joseph Haley, who had been out setting trawl, and was rescued in a very exhausted condition after being in the water nearly an hour. Mr. Brown leaves a wife, but no children.

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☞ Remember these are all NEW GOODS as the old were all sold at auction.
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PARTIES having vaults they wish cleaned out can get it done by leaving their orders at the City Rooms. WM. SHANNON, Supt. City Farm.

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SATURDAY, MAY 12th, 1877,
At 12 o'clock.

THE Residence of the late Dr. A. P. STEVENS, No. 54 MIDDLE STREET. The House is in good repair, $2900 having recently been expended on it; has 12 Rooms, with a dry Cellar; also Water and a New Furnace.

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THE ASSIGNEE in Bankruptcy of H. WILLARD BRIANT, will sell at Public Auction on

SATURDAY, MAY 12th, 1877,
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AT THE APOTHECARY STORE,
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lately occupied by said Briant, the Stock and Fixtures of said Store, and said Bankrupt's interest in the Lease of said Store. The Fixtures are nearly new and elegantly fitted, while the location is the best in the city.

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Portsmouth, N. H., April 21, 1877.

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There is no sham about it,
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If troubled with Sick Head-Ache,
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Will make you well again.
Then try the Little Giant!
How good! words fail to tell!
But if you use it faithfully,
You will be strong and well.
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Twenty Years Sick Head-Ache—Four Years with Dyspepsia and Neuralgia.
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Fifteen Years Sick Head-Ache, as often as every two weeks, often fainted away, in each severe pain.
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Daily Chronicle.

An Eloquent Tribute.

The other day a young man called in at a Western florist's and bought a riotous bouquet which he desired should be sent to a certain young lady. The bouquet was to be composed of flowers expressing friendship, esteem, respect, admiration, passionate love, and adoration. It is believed that the tribute reached its destination, because next day a woman called at the florist's and inquired;

"Do you understand the language of flowers?"

He bowed and said he did. "And you can say with flowers anything you want to?"

"Certainly, I can express in the arrangement, color and fragrance of flowers, the whole gamut of passion, from timid love to jealousy, hatred and revenge."

"Then," she said, "give me a bouquet to mean 'You are a chuckle-headed, swallow-tailed, slim-waisted old clam.' I don't care how much it costs."

—This is what a theological Teuton with hands uplifted in holy horror, once said of a man: "He believes in nodings. He doosh not belief in Gott nor in ter tuyfel. Now when a man does not belief in Gott, dere he ish, but when he does not belief in ter tuyfel vere ish he?"

—Here is an English public-school boy's meditation on the subject of "Conceit:" "Conceit is a bad thing. Some people are conceited about their name, family pedigree, of anything else. This, also, is conceit. Women also are mostly conceited, also about their hair, eyes and teeth, and anything else. Conceit is also very bad."

—"That baby," said a thoughtless spectator at the Cleveland baby show the other day, "may look pretty enough at home, but it is hardly up to the standard here. Don't you think so?" addressing a lady who stood near. "Excuse me from commenting, sir," said the lady, "as my opinion might be biased. I am its mother." The man took a walk.

—The other evening at a cheap beer shop in Berlin, where the socialist leaders often meet, a young man in uniform entered and took a seat. At once the process of conversation began: "Soldier," said one burly demagogue, "would you fire upon the people?" "I no indeed." They offered him beer, and another said, "what is your regiment?" The —th infantry, they were informed. They gave him food, and then proceeded to ask. "Soldier, why wouldn't you shoot us when the revolution comes?" "Because I carry no gun; I belong to the regimental band."

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	107½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	113½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	111
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1878	111½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	56½
Portsm. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	51½
Boston & Providence	121½
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	80
Concord	74
Eastern	31
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	109½
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	41½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	38
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	56½

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 30 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 65c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 15c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. 7 @ 8; Fancy, 8½ @ 9½; Ex. 10 @ 11
Pork per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4
Hay per ton, $16 @ 18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 22
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.60.
Molasses per gal., fr. Cuba 40 @ 45c; New Orleans 60
Oats per bushel, 39 @ 35 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 1.10
Pork per bll., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar, per lb. Hi 11 @ 12c; Granulated 12c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 45c. @ 75
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ 8; Pine $4.

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YOUNG MEN, addicted to secret habits, who have impaired their health and destroyed the vigor of their minds, thus depriving themselves of the pleasures of marriage are advised that any and all private diseases of any nature, are advised that in consulting Dr. Young they will find a physician fully qualified to cure and restore them to full health and manly vigor.

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Invalids out of the city can be cured by consulting by letter, and enclosing residence. Medicines sent by mail or express, securely packed from observation. All letters must be addressed to

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It contains nearly 450 fine engravings of buildings and scenes in the Great Exhibition and is the only authentic and complete history published. It treats of the grand buildings, wonderful exhibits, curiosities, great events, etc. Very cheap and sells at sight. One Agent sold 43 copies in one day. Send for our extra terms to Agents and a full description of the work, address NATIONAL PUBLISHING CO., Philadelphia, Pa.

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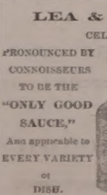

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The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels, have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of Dr. Quain's Condition PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are the only medicine recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking Dr. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was down sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I know I shall gain back my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I feel it my duty in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. Very many have been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago Indivisel him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and it has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years, as now. Wishing you success, I subscribed him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know* of, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story, but I care not for that, I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE.

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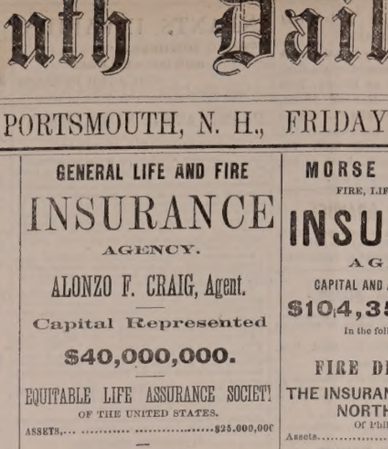

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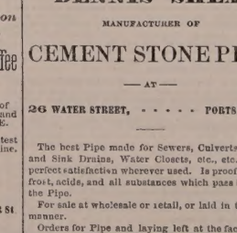

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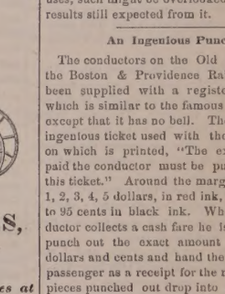

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Washington Monument.

The report of the Board of Army Engineers, appointed to examine the foundation of the Washington Monument, has just been published. The opinion of the Board is as follows:

First—That the stratum of sand and clay upon which the monument rests is already loaded to the limit of prudence, if not, indeed, the limit of safety, and that it does not offer sufficient resistance to compression to justify the completion of the shaft in accordance with the modified design, or any other design that will load the underlying soil beyond 10,000 pounds per square foot.

Second—That the additional weight imposed at the top of the structure will in all probability cause additional spalting and splitting on the ashlar facing near the base.

Third—It is evident that the masonry foundation was not given spread enough to carry with safety the weight designed to be placed on it. If a sufficient spread and depth had been originally provided, the full height of the structure might have been placed on it and the weight distributed over a larger area, so as to be within the limits of security.

Fourth—There has been an actual compression of the soil to the extent of between eight and nine inches; the shaft is sensibly out of plumb, and the foundation courses show an increasing departure from horizontality. These imperfections may be expected to increase as additions are made to the weight of the structure—if not to a dangerous degree, at least to an extent that will make the monument very unsuited for the purpose for which it was designed. If it were a tower, or shaft, or chimney intended for manufacturing or industrial uses, such might be overlooked and useful results still expected from it.

An Ingenious Punch.

The conductors on the Old Colony and the Boston & Providence Railroad, have been supplied with a registering punch, which is similar to the famous bell punch, except that it has no bell. There is a very ingenious ticket used with these punches, on which is printed, "The exact amount paid the conductor must be punched from this ticket." Around the margin is printed 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 dollars, in red ink, and from 1 to 95 cents in black ink. When the conductor collects a cash fare he is required to punch out the exact amount received in dollars and cents and hand the ticket to the passenger as a receipt for the money. The pieces punched out drop into a receptacle in the punch and are securely retained there by a small but complete lock, which has many thousand combinations which are only known to the officials in the accounting department, so that when a punch is returned to that department the cash collections must tally with the pieces found in the punch. These punches are used exclusively on some steam railroads in the West for punching all tickets and passes, the register in the punch giving the total number of passengers carried on any whole or half trip. This method of registering fares is not solely adopted to prevent peculation, but to give a system on the trains; and the inventor calls it mechanical bookkeeping, for every time the punch is operated it registers a point, thereby crediting the company with a fare, for which the conductor must account to the company either by money, ticket or pass. The Eastern Railroad has had these punches in use, successfully, on its Swampscott trains since last July. This system is intended to supply a long-felt want, and from the opinions expressed by experienced railroad men, there is reason to think it will do so.

—A Southern item: "Clarendon, Ark., will have a grand hanging on the 25th of June. Special trains and reduced rates."

—"Papa," said a four-year-old, "Won't you pray to God and have him stop this rain, so I can go out to play in my sand?" "Why don't you pray to him yourself?" asked papa. "I have," he replied, "but God don't pay any attention to a little boy."

—Backofen, the Swiss jurist, says that the regulation of marriage by which in primitive times it became possible for a woman to belong to only one man, came about by a religious reformation, wherein the women, in armed conflict, obtained a victory over the men.

—We recently interviewed Ah Tee, the principal Chinese merchant of this town, in relation to the Chinese massacre at Chico. The Chinaman is a good talker, and this is what he said: "Allee time black tlenty. Blime-by nex yeah, Chinaman big man, he come, he bling plenty men, he heap flight, shootee, kill, murdle, he have two tail, two swords, he smashee heolum, he no aflaid, makee white man respleck Chinamans." *Point Arena (Cal.) News.*

—An illustration of the shrinkage of late in mining shares on the Pacific coast is given in the following paragraph from a petition in bankruptcy filed by the notorious Laura Fair: "Her assets consist of twenty shares of Ophir and twenty-five of Mexican stock, valued at $550, pledged in January, 1875, as security for a debt of $7600." The shrinkage in Ophir is not exceptional. All stocks, including the famous bonanzas, have shared alike. Crown Point mine stocks, five years ago worth $1000 per share, can now be had in unlimited quantities at $5.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 1877.

The War.

By way of Vienna, Paris, London and some other places, the following account of the battle of Kars reached here Wednesday night: "The centre of the Russian army, 40,000 strong, under Melikoff, attacked Mukhtar Pasha five miles from Kars, on April 29. The Turks fought desperately. The Russians, supported by a powerful artillery, succeeded in dislodging them from their position. Mukhtar called out all his reserves and attempted on the 30th to recover the lost ground, with 60,000 men, but was defeated and driven back under the guns of Kars. The Russian losses were considerable, and those of the Turks were enormous." The Russians immediately invested Kars for a seige.

Servia has concluded a loan of 12,000,000 francs with the French Union Commerce Bank.

A diplomatic rupture between Turkey and Roumania is imminent and will be followed by declarations of war. The Roumanians assert that the Turkish gunboats have seized seventeen corn-laden barges belonging to Greek merchants.

Lord Loftus, the British Minister at St. Petersburg, has notified the Russian Government that in consequence of its intention to expel Russians from Turkey the Porte has abandoned the idea of placing Turkish subjects remaining in Russia under British protection. The Russian Government, which had already accepted British protection for the Turks, replied that the Turks would nevertheless continue to receive the protection of the laws.

The Turkish fleet has a second time bombarded Fort St. Nicholas. The fort was abandoned by the Russians years ago. Not a shot has been fired at Poti, which the Turks said they had destroyed.

The Turkish posts on the Asiatic frontier have mostly surrendered without a blow. The Russians find the population in Asia friendly. A squadron of irregular cavalry applied for permission to enter the Russian service and surrendered its standard.

The Turkish commander on the Danube has been ordered to close the river to navigation. It is expected Austria will object to this.

A despatch from Bucharest, dated April 30th, says: "Fire opened this morning between the Russian batteries near Ibrail and three Turkish monitors. The latter began to bombard Ibrail, but were compelled toward noon to withdraw before the Russian fire. The loss of life and damage in Ibrail is unknown.

The Russians deny that they lost heavily at Batoum, as the Turks asserted; and the Turkish official journal says no important battle has been fought there.

The Czar and Czarowitch, and Grand Duke Vladimir, arrived at Odessa on the 3d.

News and Notes.

Some time ago a Mrs. Ward, of Somerset County, N. J., suspecting Mrs. Ida Shepard of undue intimacy with Mr. Ward, hired five young men to give her a coat of tar and feathers. They started out one night in the dead of winter, and while the snow lay on the ground dragged her from her cabin, stripped her night clothing from her and put on the tar and feathers. She was afterward found by her husband lying unconscious on the snow, and the case was put in the hands of detectives, who succeeded in tracing the act of ruffianism to the five young men, who have just been convicted, the leader being sent to the penitentiary for eighteen months, one for fifteen months, one for one year, and two for nine months.

The Boston and Alleghany base ball clubs had a game at Pittsburg on Wednesday, the latter club winning, 1 to 0.

John P. Phair was on Tuesday, May 2d, again reprieved by Gov. Fairbanks of Vermont, this time until the first Friday in April, 1879. The new evidence discovered will go to the Legislature first, and will be presented in the Supreme Court at the February term in 1879, in Rutland county.

A terrible accident occurred on the 1st inst. at St. Genevieve Batiscan, Canada. A mill owned by one Marchand fell in, crushing to death five persons.

The well-known millionaire and proprietor of the Windsor Hotel, Mr. John T. Daly, is reported missing at the New York police headquarters.

The Grand Jury in New York have found indictments against Thomas S. Lambert, President, Alexander J. Reed, Actuary, and James Cruikshank, Secretary, of the Popular Life Insurance Company, for falsely swearing to an inaccurate statement of the outstanding policies, etc., of the company; and charges have also been found against W. Frost, President, and S. P. Rogers, Secretary, of the Continental Life Insurance Company, for similar fraudulent transactions.

James J. Rheams, a young man employed in the Boston post-office for eight years past, has been arrested for stealing letters from the mail. He was seen by Special Agent Field to steal thirty-one letters, and others were found in his closet.

Col. John Forsyth, the editor of the Mobile *Register*, died on the 2d, aged about sixty-six years.

The evidence which points to Albert F. Joy, the prisoner in custody as the murderer of Charles F. Gilman, at Rockport, Mass., April 11, is considered conclusive. It is stated, also, that Joy attempted to murder Gilman on the Sunday night previous to the 11th. Joy's mother is living at Newburyport, her name being Mrs. Eunice Page. She has been married three times. Her first husband was the father of Joy. She is seeking work in the Newburyport mills. Her first knowledge of the accusation against her son she obtained on Sunday night, April 29th, when a friend read an account of the affair to her from a newspaper. She last saw him last summer at Newmarket, and believes him entirely innocent. The body of the murdered man, Gilman, was taken to the residence of his father in Wilmington; but the father said he had no room for it in the house, and ordered it to the depot. It was taken from there to Lowell and buried by Mrs. Hill, the deceased's former boarding-mistress. They seem to be queer lot, all around.

Very few readers of newspapers are unfamiliar with the name of Sallie Ward of Louisville, Ky., than whom no woman living has enjoyed a wider reputation as a belle. It may therefore interest the readers of the *Graphic* to hear how she is circumstanced now that she is for the third time a widow. The will of her late husband, Vene P. Armstrong of Louisville, has just been admitted to probate, and to her is devised by this will the bulk of her late husband's real estate and $50,000 in cash. She married the testator last June. Her first husband was Bigelow Lawrence, son of Abbott Lawrence of Boston. From him she was divorced by special act of the Kentucky Legislature. She subsequently married Dr. Hunt of Louisville, who died during the war, leaving her with one son, to whom her last husband has left $5000, to be paid him as soon as may be convenient to the executrix of the will, who is the widow, Mrs. Sallie Ward Armstrong. The testator left his own son the sum of $1, saying he had already given him $40,000, if not more, since his maturity.—*Graphic.*

A Mississippi Tragedy.

Thursday evening, April 26th, John W. Gully, a prominent citizen of Kemper county, Mississippi, was assassinated by an unknown party, which created intense excitement and every means were resorted to to discover the perpetrator. On Saturday two colored men made affidavit that Benjamin Rush (white) did the deed, and that Judge Chisolm, who ran for Congress on the republican ticket in the Third District at the last election, his son, Gilmer, and Rosenbaum and Hopper, two prominent white republicans, knew of and instigated the crime. Chisolm and son were arrested and imprisoned at Dekalb. Mrs. Chisolm and daughter insisted on sharing their confinement. On Sunday Chisolm sent to Scooba for Gilmer, for whom a warrant had been issued. Gilmer came, and on his arrival was arrested, but just as he arrived at the jail he was set upon by a mob and killed. The jailor was then overpowered by the mob, who immediately attacked Chisolm, mortally wounding him. Miss Chisolm, in defending her father, shot and killed one Dr. Rosslie, and Mrs. Chisolm severely wounded a Mr. Gully, a son of the Gully who was assassinated. Miss Chisolm was also seriously wounded. Rosenbaum and Hopper were carried to the woods by the mob for the purpose of extorting from them the whereabouts of Rush, the alleged assassin of Gully. When last heard from some weeks ago, Rush was in Arkansas. It is supposed that Rosenbaum and Hopper were hanged. It is reported that a horrible state of affairs exists throughout that section. The people are wild with excitement, and other hangings will probably soon follow.

Another account says Chisolm, Gilmer and A. McClelland (also murdered) were "all leading republicans, among the largest property owners in their section, all natives of the South and all served in the Confederate army. Chisolm and Gilmer have held responsible positions in Mississippi. After the war Chisolm advocated the acceptance of reconstruction, and early became an active republican. He was Probate Judge of his county before the rebellion, and elected sheriff of Kemper after the reconstruction, which office he held continuously up to last fall, when he was the republican candidate for Congress in the Third District. Gilmer was State Senator three or four years. It is believed that the assassination of these two men was the result of a pre-arranged plan, and that the assassination of Gully a short time previous was seized upon as a pretext for arresting Chisolm and Gilmer, in order that they might be disarmed and killed. Both men testified before the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections in February last, and previous to leaving, stated that they would be murdered upon returning to Mississippi because of the testimony they gave before the committee.

New Hampshire Items.

It is stated that Vice President Wheeler has offered to Oscar Barron of the Twin Mountain House the position of keeper of the Senate restaurant.

The authorities of Manchester have ordered all liquor saloons to be closed at ten o'clock at night. The laws of the State of New Hampshire order them to be kept closed all the time.

John R. Varney has been appointed justices, and Charles A. Tuft special justice, of the police court of Dover.

Major George Wentworth, of Salmon Falls, was one of the liquor dealers who had their cases (all but one each) placed on file at the term of the Supreme Court at Dover, fine and costs on one case only being enforced,—on condition that they should not sell any more. Wentworth went to selling again, and has been sentenced on the old cases to six months in jail and costs and fines amounting to $200.

Tann's Hotel at Drewsville was burned on the night of the 1st inst. The fire started in the barn, and the occupants had barely time to escape. Loss about $5000; partially insured.

Charles M. Chase, of Thornton, hired a team at the Parker House stable, Woodsville, on Friday, April 27th. On Sunday it was found secreted in the woods four miles from Compton. Chase was arrested, examined and remanded to jail in default of bail. He was arrested for horse stealing four years ago, but escaped. He is wanted on four separate indictments now.

The vote for Congressmen in this State at the last election, as declared by the Governor and Council, was as follows: First District, Jones 13,924, Marston 13,881, scattering 129; Jones' plurality 43. Second District, Briggs 13,207, Sulloway 12,110, scattering 71; Briggs' plurality 1097. The Third District, Blair 12,683, Kent 11,822, scattering 44; Blair's plurality 861.

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A DIVIDEND will be paid to the owners of the above Ship on Saturday, May 5th, 1877.

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1 May, 1877.

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The rations are to be delivered upon the order of the commanding officer of each station, the Fresh Beef, either in bulk or by the single ration, of good quality, with an equal proportion of hind and fore quarters, necks and kidney tallow to be excluded; the Pork, No. 1 Prime Mess Pork; the Flour known as extra superfine in the vicinity of the place where the station is located; the Coffee, good Rio; the Sugar, good New Orleans or its equivalent; and the Beans, Vinegar, Candles, Soap, Salt, etc., to be of good quality.

All subject to inspection.

A guarantee, signed by two persons, whose responsibility must be certified by a United States District Judge, District Attorney, or Collector, must accompany each proposal.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by such guarantee. Blank forms of proposal can be obtained upon application at any of the marine stations.

Newspapers authorized to publish the above will send the paper containing the first insertion to this office for examination.

Proposals to be indorsed, "Proposals for Rations," and addressed to the undersigned.

WILLIAM B. SLACK,
Major and Quartermaster, U. S. Marine Corps.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL.

HEADQUARTERS MARINE CORPS,
QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON,
2 May, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of Thursday, the 7th day of June next, for supplying WOOD and COAL to the U. S. Marines at one or more of the following places, during fiscal year ending 30 June, 1878.

The Wood to be merchantable Oak, and to be delivered, piled, measured and inspected, at such points within the limits of the Marine Barracks, as may be designated by the commanding Marine Officer, free of expense to the United States.

The Coal to be prime Lehigh All Anthracite Egg Coal, free from dust, and to weigh 2240 pounds to the ton, to be inspected by the commanding Marine Officer, and delivered at such points within the limits of the Marine Barracks as may be designated by him, free of expense to the United States; and both Wood and Coal to be furnished upon the monthly or quarterly requisition of the Commanding Officer, showing the quantity required in accordance with regulations, viz.: At

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.
110 tons of Coal.
70 cords of Wood.
CHARLESTOWN, MASS.
110 tons of Coal.
70 cords of Wood.
BROOKLYN, N. Y.
180 tons of Coal.
90 cords of Wood.
PHILADELPHIA, PA., ASSISTANT QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, &c.
15 tons of Coal.
75 cords of Wood.
WASHINGTON, D. C.
(including Guard at Naval Magazine.)
170 tons of Coal.
250 cords of Wood.
ANNAPOLIS, MD.
40 cords of Wood.
GOSPORT, VA.
50 tons of Coal.
80 cords of Wood.
MARE ISLAND, CAL.
80 cords of Wood.
100 tons of Coal.

(With the privilege of increasing the quantity one-third.)

The Wood and Coal furnished at Washington city to be measured, weighed and certified by the Government Inspector appointed by the Navy Department, and the proper officer attending such inspection, &c., paid by the contractor.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained upon application at the Marine Barracks, Washington.

Payments will be made upon receipt of accounts duly authenticated by the commanding officers of the posts at which wood or coal has been delivered. The right is reserved to reject all bids considered unreasonable.

A guaranty, to be signed by two responsible persons, whose responsibility must be certified to by the United States District Attorney or United States Collector, must accompany each proposal, otherwise it will not be considered.

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Top Work Cabriolets,
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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall there bury or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners or occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal, blood, or other refuse of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall cause the offal of fish to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 10. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice being given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause the said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall continue, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

DANIEL W. JONES, M. D.,
ROBERT SHILLABER,
DANIEL DANIELSON,
Health Officers.

Real Estate.

To Let.

PART of the Dwelling House No. 30 Washington street; apply at the house. t. f.

To Let.

A GENTEEL RESIDENCE for a small family. Enquire at 37 ISLINGTON ST.

House to Let,

NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

House to Let.

A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibir South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, on Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

For Sale.

HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND NO. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Drisco. Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND, at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
House No. 36 Deer Street.
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 2 Rockingham Street.
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For further particulars enquire of

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LAND FOR SALE.

THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,

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A Thorough Gymnastic System

FOR LADIES and GENTLEMEN

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Doubles the Strength in three months. Does not Fatigue nor Exhaust. Refreshes and Invigorates. Removes Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Tones the Nervous System. Improves the Circulation. Warms the Extremities. Increases the general Vitality.

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ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

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NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

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Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.

C. N. SHAW & CO.,

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MAGIC

CONDITION PILLS

The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 25 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and inflammation of the Bowels. I have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. I have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds. I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which I owe to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you in advertising them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I feel bound to give them praise, and so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A few months ago Indivised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. He remarked to me, "I do not feel as I did when I first took these Pills." It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. *I know it*, for I have tried them, and, above all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so, I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE.

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and neck. I tried all I could hear of, consulted physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most of the time for eight or ten winters, and have been travelling in Texas for the benefit of my health and suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had met with for years. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to do so, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and am almost free from pain. The impression now seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrell, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of Dr. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills. MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

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JOHN H. SLATER,

AGENT.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30†	P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.55	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

THE STREET SPRINKLER.

"Sprinkle, sprinkle, water-cart;
How I wonder where thou art!
Come, and lay thy blinding dust,
Ere our lungs fill up and 'bust.'"

Messrs. Editors:—Where is the street sprinkler? Why, if citizens are willing to pay every year to have their streets free from blinding dust,—why must we suffer as we do every year for a month before anything is done to lay the dust? If there is a time when we need the sprinkler it is now; and unless the proprietors of the machine whom we have paid for summer sprinkling can relieve us, some measures should be taken *at once* to supply the deficiency.

A SUBSCRIBER.

"MIGNON."

Maggie Mitchell was greeted on Wednesday evening by a large and select audience, and performed "Mignon" for the first time in this city. The little actress is sprightly as ever, and seemed to exert as much power as ever over the spectators, "moving to smiles or tears" according to the varying phases of the play. How she ever gained such a hold on the public, and how she keeps it, is almost a mystery, for she cannot be called beautiful of feature though she is beautifully formed, and her laugh is almost harsh; we suspect the secret of her popularity is that she is a consummate actress. Her support was excellent. Frederic, a heavy swell, Philina, an actress, Romaine, a gypsy chieftain, and Sperati, a crazed pilgrim, were all first-rate; and Wilhelm Meister, the hero of the play, a young man who finds himself constantly in a terrible fix through attempting to court two girls at once, (as any young man who has ever tried it could have told him would be the case,) was splendidly portrayed by Mr. Harris. The play, thoroughly enjoyable though it is as performed by this company, we do not think much of—if it *has* been "set up steep" by the dramatic critics of Boston and New York; it is full of the most glaring incongruities, the plot is old as the hills, (the play is of the "lost child" variety,) and in less skillful hands we believe the performance would have been an utter failure; yet, thanks to the superior excellence of the acting, the entertainment was more than satisfactory to the audience, who were as much delighted as ever with Maggie Mitchell, and lost sight of the absurdities of the drama in their delight at the way it was performed. But we would twice rather see the charming little lady in "Fanchon," if it is an old play, than in this new one.

A MOVABLE BOUNDARY.

Hon. John J. Bell, of Exeter, in a paper read before one of the societies not long since, referred to the change of position—a relative change, of course, as the big rock can never have moved—of "Bound Rock," which over two centuries ago was taken as the sea-shore mark of the boundary line between Massachusetts and New Hampshire. Mr. Bell is satisfied, from his studies and observations, that at the time it was marked it stood in the mouth of Hampton river. It has been on the south side and on the north side since then, and for thirty years was buried out of sight under thirty feet of sand, and many rods from the mouth. Now it stands in the stream. At the time it was located it was just three miles from the Merrimac River. Now it is over four miles away. The following explanation of this eccentric conduct of the rock is now given in the newspapers: "Hon. J. K. Weare of Seabrook explains the apparent change in the course of Hampton river, which has left the boundary rock between New Hampshire and Massachusetts some distance from its former position on the river bank. Some persons engaged in commerce at Hampton Falls, several years ago, dug a channel across Hampton Beach to make a more direct way of communication with the sea, thus causing the river to run over a new bed, and changing the boundary line." This may account for the rock's change of position with regard to Hampton River, but does not explain how it comes to be over four miles from Merrimac River now, when it was just three miles from it two hundred years ago. The latter river must have worn its way more than a mile southward since the "Bound Rock" was marked.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, May 3d.

Ann Flynn, who was sent to the House of Correction at Brentwood about a month ago for drunkenness, was brought up, charged with being illegally at large from that institution. The Court added a month to her former sentence, costs being taxed at $8.04.

JOTTINGS.

Col. Hackett will sell at auction to-day, by order of assignee, commencing at 10 o'clock, several houses and eligible lots of land. The sale will be positive. See advertisement.

At a meeting of Governor and Council, in Concord, Wednesday, Capt. Jacob H. Haddock, of the Portsmouth City Guards, was promoted to be major of the Second Regt., N. H. Vol. Militia; True Sanborn, Jr., of Chichester, was promoted from captain to lieutanant-colonel, and D. M. White, of Peterboro', from major to colonel.

Col. Frank W. Hilton has accepted the position of Chief Marshal for Memorial Day.

The following officers were elected by Whipple Lodge, Independent Order of Good Templars, at Kittery, at their annual meeting on Wednesday evening: Worthy Chief, Millard F. Staples; W. Y. T., Lucy J. Remick; W. S., Edward W. Getchell; W. T., Lucinda Hayes; W. C., Richard Williams; W. M., Daniel E. Parker; W. I. G., Elmer Mannent; W. O. G., Wallace S. Jackson.

All good citizens will lend all the aid in their power to the Health Officers in carrying out the provisions of the health regulations published in another column. The hot season is coming, (fact, although it has not yet made itself conspicuous to any great extent,) when carelessness in sanitary matters may result in putting the careless ones in a very uncomfortable position,—no great matter, were it not that innocent ones are even more likely to suffer.

The fine library of the late Rev. Charles Burroughs, D. D., containing over three thousand volumes, has been sent to the General Theological Library at Boston, to which it was bequeathed in his will. Dr. Burroughs was the founder of that institution.

Capt. J. Albert Sanborn, with his uncle, Mr. John Gulliver, who has had twenty years' experience in the mines of California, left this city Thursday morning for the Black Hills. They carry the good wishes of a host of friends.

The Boston *Post*, under the heading "Maine," says: "Of 4110 families visited in York county 574 had no Bibles."

Passers over the toll-bridge between this city and Newcastle cannot fail to notice the great improvement in the appearance of the toll-keeper's house and its surroundings, made by the keeper since he became lessee of the property.

In our item regarding Mr. Doane's new schooner, the Henry M. Clarke, we omitted to state that the graining and finishing of the cabin was done—and done in first-rate style, of course—by Mr. Edward D. Coffin, and the sail-making by Mr. John R. Holbrook; the upholstering of the cabin was done by Sheldon & Co. The schooner sailed on Friday, mackereling.

Dr. Hiram Parker, a native of Kittery, and for nearly forty years a physician in Lowell, Mass., died Wednesday of paralysis. He has been confined to his residence nearly three years by sickness. His age was 68 years.

A San Francisco paper of April 24th says: "The prospects are exceedingly favorable at present that the stranded ship Frank Jones, ashore off Fort Point, will be floated. The water which has been flowing into her hull is now under control, and it is expected that all the ballast will be taken out by Thursday next. The work of floating her after that is done is deemed quite a trifling matter by Von Schmidt." Mr. Von Schmidt is the eminent engineering contractor who removed Blossom Rock from San Francisco Bay, under contract with the United States Government, and he has taken the job of saving the Frank Jones, he to pay all expenses, and have a share of the vessel if successful in getting her off; if he fails his loss will be heavy,—but he is probably confident of success, or he would not have taken the job on such terms.

—News is so scarce down Maine way that one of the papers notices the eighth anniversary of the freezing to death of a litter of pigs.

—The St. Augustine Hotel, in Florida, is the largest hotel in the world. It must be, for a correspondent says that among the guests are "the Smiths of New York."

—A Tennessee paper that prints a coffin over its death notices has cast a gloom over its marriage notices, by inadvertently putting the picture over the list of Hymen's victims.

—When a man is treating a dashing widow to oysters, and sees his wife coming into the restaurant, about all he can do is to button his coat, hang to his chair, and trust Providence.

—Orpheus C. Kerr tells in the *Graphic* how purely legitimate business transactions are consummated:—"You are a legislator. Will you vote for this bill? Let me see your jackknife. I will give you $10,000 for that knife."

—"No, ma," she said, "Charles can never be anything to me more. He came out this spring in his last fall overcoat; and, oh, ma! if it only matched my new dress I wouldn't care so much; but it doesn't, and we have parted."

—Prof. Bell boasts of the discovery that when he clasped hands with another person and their heads came in contact a sound was produced. Pshaw! this is nothing new. Every young man and woman knew that long ago.—*Lowell Courier.*

MARRIED.

LOVELL—EATON. In this city, April 28, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. William H. Lovell and Mrs. Ellen A. Eaton, both of Portsmouth.

PRESCOTT—WESTON. In Ferboro', Mass., May 1, by Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D., assisted by Rev. Messrs. Spencer and Lamb, Mr. Fred E. Prescott to Miss Jennie M. Weston, both of Ferboro'.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

SAILED, May 3.

Steamer Lancaster, Mills, Philadelphia.
Sch T. J Trafton, Hoyt, Philadelphia.
Sch Rebecca Sheppard, Robinson, Philadelphia.
Sch Ellen Morrison, Clifford, Bangor.
Sch Lookout, Sprague, Bangor.
Sch Henry M Clark, Cahoon, mackereling.
Sch R M Brooklings, Brown, New York.
Sch Addie, Goodwin, Boston.
Sch Olive, Warren, Bangor.

Sch John Stroup, Hurst, for this port from Fort Johnson, arr at Vineyard Haven May 1.

The Wise Course in Rheumatism.

Rheumatic patients who have been induced to submit to depletion by blood letting, or to take colchicum and other drugs of an equally pernicious character, will consult their well being by abandoning such insane procedure and using as a substitute Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which will infallibly afford them the much desired relief, and is absolutely safe. This benign vegetable depurent cools the blood by expelling from it the inflammatory elements which give rise to maladies of a rheumatic and gouty type, and rectifies disordered conditions of the stomach, nervous system and bowels which usually accompany them. As rheumatism has a tendency to attack the heart, the desirability of an early resort to the Bitters is obvious, since the danger is increased by every moment.

Active Service

cannot wear out the teeth that are brushed daily with Sozodont. If it were in universal use the dentist would have little to do, for it is a positive preventive of dental disease.

The teeth of persons who use it cannot decay or turn yellow.

"Stick!" said Sumner. He referred to Spalding's Glue.

DR. A. J. FLAGG'S COUGH AND LUNG SYRUP.—Thousands of persons die every year, from that dread disease, Consumption. We constantly read of some discovered remedy and sure cure. As the man or woman finds that he or she is infected, and pronounced incurable, their great desire is to find something which shall at least prolong life. Dr. A. J. Flagg of Claremont, N. H., being aware of this fact, and the importance of meeting the requirements of thousands of his fellow beings, gave his attention to the matter, and after years of experience and trial has discovered a remedy which he confidently believes will do all that he claims for it. His Cough and Lung Syrup is pleasant to take, and has worked wonders in a medical point of view. Persons afflicted with Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma or any of these diseases, should by all means give it a trial, and see if it does not do all that is claimed for it.

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is prepared to make them up into garments of the most style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and
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Coatings and Suitings,
From which we are prepared to make
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MERRIAN'S New Style SANS PAREIL SHIRT, made of nice Cotton.
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Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style with Collars and Pockets.
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BUFFS	" 10 to 12	"	"
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GOLD	" 30 to 100		

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Our Papers are all made on No. 1 stock. None on No. 2.
We also have a large stock of WINDOW SHADES at prices ranging from 50 cents to $2.00 each.
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PULMOCINE.

Auction Sales.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
ESTATE J. C. CARR.

THE Sale of the various pieces of Real Estate of J. C. CARR, heretofore advertised at length, will be held on
FRIDAY, MAY 4th, 1877.
Commencing at
No. 25 GATES STREET, at 10 A. M.,
HOMESTEAD, STATE STREET, at 10½ A. M.,
DEER STREET ESTATE at 11 A. M., etc., etc.
The LOTS on Lincoln Avenue will be sold at 3 o'clock, P. M.
WILLIAM H. HACKETT, Auct.

DWELLING HOUSE AT AUCTION.
SATURDAY, MAY 12th, 1877,
At 12 o'clock.

THE Residence of the late Dr. A. P. STEVENS, 34 MIDDLE STREET. The House is in good repair, $2000 having recently been expended on it; has 12 Rooms, with a dry Cellar; also Water and a New Furnace.
A convenient Stable adjoins the House.
The Lot is 67 feet on Middle Street, 124 feet on Madison Street, the Garden being filled with choice fruit trees.
Terms of payment liberal. A deposit of $500 required at the sale.
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ASSIGNEE'S SALE AT AUCTION.

THE ASSIGNEE in Bankruptcy of H. WILLARD BRIANT, will sell at Public Auction on
SATURDAY, MAY 12th, 1877,
at 12 o'clock, noon,
AT THE APOTHECARY STORE,
No. 1 MARKET STREET IN PORTSMOUTH, N. H.
lately occupied by said Briant, the Stock and Fixtures of said Store, and said Bankrupt's interest in the Lease of said Store. The Fixtures are nearly new and elegantly fitted, while the location is the best in the city.
The property can be examined at any time previous to the sale.
Sale positive. Terms cash.
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If troubled with Sick Head-Ache,
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Order left at his residence, No. 9 State Street, or at D. H. Montgomery's Music Store, will receive prompt attention.

Daily Chronicle.

Tact.

People cannot help having been born without tact, any more than they can help having no ear for music; but there are occasions when it is almost impossible to be quite charitable to a tactless person. Yet people who have no tact deserve pity. They are almost always doing or saying something to get themselves into disgrace, or which does them an injury. They make enemies when they desire friends, and get a reputation for ill-nature which they do not deserve. They are also continually doing other people harm, treading on metaphorical corns, opening the cupboards where family skeletons are kept, angering people, shaming people, saying and doing the most awkward things, and apologizing for them with a still more terrible bluntness. If there is one social boon more to be desired than another, it is tact; for without tact, the career of the richest and most beautiful is often utterly marred.

—One day last week a Schenectady man cashed a draft for $700 at a bank and received $300 in small bills, which he put in his pocket thinking by its size that the package contained the the full amount. He was leaving when the cashier handed him out the balance, $400 in new, crisp five-dollar notes. The man took them, and supposing they were advertising notes distributed them among his friends. He was astonished at the eagerness of all to secure them, and was stunned when attempting jokingly to pass one in a store he was informed that the bills were good. He spent all that night and the greater part of next day in rushing around collecting bills that he had given away.

—In a recent letter from Paris, Mrs. Hooper says: I recently saw a young French lady at a party, in a gored princesse dress of pale salmon-colored silk, fitting as closely and with as little fulness in the skirt as possible. There was not a particle of drapery or flounces about the dress, the only trimming being a flat band of embroidery in pale blue and silver on a dark ground that went around the waist, sleeves and skirt, and transversely across the front from shoulder to skirt-hem. When the young wearer sat down, she looked like a figure molded in peach ice, and as the waist was cut very low, and there were no sleeves at all to speak of, she might have sat as a model to a sculptor with perfect ease, not to say propriety.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	107¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	113¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	112¼
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1892	103¼
Eastern R. R. scrip	50
Portsm. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	141
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62¼
Boston & Maine	94¼
Boston & Providence	121¼
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	76
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	102¼
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	41¼
Northern N. H.	63¼
Old Colony & Newport	36
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	56¼

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 30 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 65c.
Lead, Anchr. per ton 06.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 15c.
Flour, Sup. per bbl. 7 @ 8; Fancy, 8½ @ 9½; Ex. 10 @ 11
Fish per ½ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½ @ 4
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 22
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.05.
Molasses per gal., L. Cuba 40 @ 60c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 1.10
Pork per bbl., $19 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ½, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ½, Br. 10½ @11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
Tea per ½, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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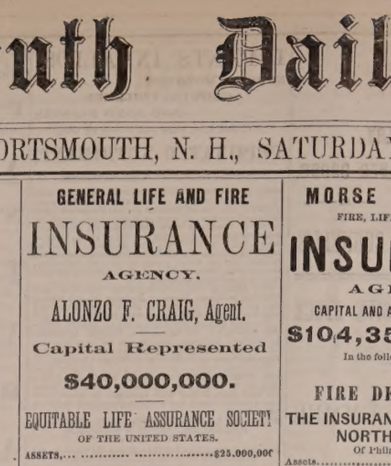

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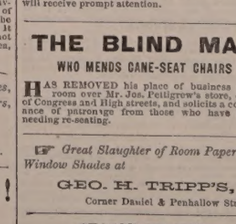

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Browned by summer's fiery glow,
Newly fallen from the tree,
Fit to plant, and apt to grow;
But six of seven shall rot and die,
And never flourish to the sky,
Or feel the breezes as they blow.
Choose the six—select the one—
Fool! you cannot! Fate must run.

Seven sharp daggers, newly made,
Each the others' counterpart,
Each the same in sheath and blade,
Point and edge and workman's art;
And yet by Destiny's command,
One shall fill a murderer's hand,
And stab a true man to the heart!
Choose the one—reject the rest—
Fool! you cannot! Fate knows best!

Seven young ladies at the ball,
Radiant as the new May morn,
Blithe and joyous, one and all,
With lips of love and eyes of scorn;
Yet four of seven, when wedded wives,
Shall make their husbands curse their lives,
And rue the hour that they were born.
Show the four—select the three—
Fool! you may not! Live and see!

—*Belgravia.*

[New York Correspondence.]

NEW YORK FASHIONS: CITY GOSSIP.

BONNETS.

Shapes are like New England weather, where, according to Mark Twain, one may see 136 different kinds inside of an hour, but on one point all are agreed, and that is, in having very narrow brims; save indeed, those that have wide ones. What I mean to say is, that we must except the wide brimmed flats, but these after all are exclusively for country wear, so should properly find no place in a New York fashion letter. As to trimming let one collect all the flowers one can find, and all the silks and ribbons of different colors, and put them together. Then when ever so much is on, put on ever so much more, and the "milliner's touch" will be given. Red roses are piled on pink ones; pink ones on yellow ones; yellow ones on green ones; green ones on white ones, etc., etc., until one sees—I was going to say, 136 roses on one bonnet. That, however, I do not say for fear of exaggeration, but we really do see roses piled on until if asked to count them, I should prefer to hire a clerk, and should think he or she deserved good wages.

GREETING US EVERYWHERE

are dolmans. The great clumsy things—disfiguring pretty forms and causing ugly ones to look still uglier. For them, I find no word of commendation, ill fitting, shapeless as they are. 'Tis the exception which proves the rule, and as exceptions, we may see some few dolmans which give handsome finish, but they are few. Sacques are in the minority, but for that very reason will be preferred by the discriminating; a change is afforded by mantilla shapes, while charming little round capes and fichues of black silk, *drap d'ete* and the irrepressible grey cloth, steal forth with the advancing season.

COSTUMES.

'Tis only by "talking with past hours" that we perceive the progress which has been made in the devising of costumes. "Bunchy" and "patchy" styles have all departed, and instead, we see graceful lines of graceful drapery, and although combinations of two or more fabrics are in a great favor as they have ever been, yet the way in which they are put together is more elegantly simple than hitherto. In bustles we find improvements by which the train is conveniently supported. Apart from the superior shape of the Doughty bustle, a wonderful advantage may be observed, by which the interlocked tips prevent the sharp steel ends from protruding, while hinges turn when the wearer sits down, folding in such a way that the old awkwardness is obviated. A great desideratum is thus obtained, and in consequence, the demand has largely increased. Particular information can be obtained by applying to S. H. Doughty, the inventor, Canal and Centre streets. Circulars and price lists are forwarded gratuitously, and samples for examination to dealers with New York reference, or a full sized panier will be sent by mail for one dollar. The small hoop skirt will be much worn, and this also is made by the inventor, with his patent attachments.

NEW DESIGNS.

The Vincentia polonaise is in princesse style, slightly double breasted, and with the fronts closed diagonally. The Geraldine is also a very stylish polonaise, tight fitting, in princesse style, and the trimming so arranged as to to produce the effect of a Tunique Juive. For girls from twelve to fourteen, the Miriam and Eva polonaise are novel and effective. To fully realize what an angelic being woman really is, one need only survey the

PRETTY STOCKINGS

displayed in some first-class hosiery departments. True, these angels are at present so metamorphosed as to need "everyday" styles, but even here we find all manner of dark, sombre shades, while for dress occasions, they (stockings, I mean)—well, they are poetical. I have run the whole gamut of adjectives over, and can find no more expressive term. Now if the angelic half of humanity are yet so earthly as to need "sensible" stockings, they apparently stand in still greater need of shoes, and here we must surely descend so far as to write of something practical. Burt's shoes now as formerly take the lead over all others. Walking boots are of French kid, or

Indian goat, for the uppers of some dressy boots fine checked cloth or prunella being much used, but for all the above styles the square box toe has declined in favor. Half high shoes are still very popular, and here not unfrequently, we find the sandal a very coquette of a shoe, since it is wrought with studious art in such fashion as the rather to display than conceal the hosiery. The same also may be said of the sandal boot, which with delicate straps across gives opportunity for stolen glances of beauties half hidden only. In the last two sentences, I have risen again to the poetical. Madame Rumor tells us that

THE HANDSOMEST DIAMONDS

in the city are owned by Mrs. Marshall P. Roberts. Her receptions are certainly as brilliant, if not more so than any other lady here, if we accept Mrs. Paran Stevens. The palatial residence owned by Mr. and Mrs. Roberts, on Fifth Avenue, is next to that of August Belmont, and a committee of inquiry would find it difficult to decide which is the handsomer of the two. A splendid picture gallery is attached to each, and to that of Mr. Belmont's the public is sometimes admitted.

The daughter of Commodore Wainwright, and the granddaughter of Bishop Wainwright, about to make a debut on the stage, is a sensation not always to be had, the more so when the young lady is really beautiful, and talented as she is handsome. Dr. Viro has reason to feel proud of his protege, and there is no doubt that Miss Maria Wainwright's first venture will be attended with much interest. She is finely proportioned, rather slender, having classic features, expressive gray eyes, and auburn hair.

LUCY CARTER.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1877.

The War.

The Roumanians have taken military possession of Kalafat with 9000 men and twenty-four Krupp guns. They will fortify and hold the position against the Turks. The Roumanians are making extraordinary preparations. The militia has been called out, mustering thirty-four infantry and twelve cavalry battalions. Even the heads of families are obliged to serve.

A Vienna correspondent reports that Austria has not protested against the stoppage of navigation on the Danube, and will not do so, as she would thereby prejudice her own cause in event of her having to use the Danube for military operations.

A Russian torpedo depot has been established at the mouth of the Pruth. Six hundred engineers and sailors constitute the torpedo detachment there.

Austria has recalled all her officers in the Turkish service.

A despatch from Kischeneff says that numbers of Bulgarians are arriving and are being formed into battalions, officered by Russians. It is expected that at least one division, numbering 10,000, will be formed of Bulgarians who have fled into Roumania.

Turkey on Thursday proclaimed a blockade of the Black Sea, giving vessels three days to enter and five to leave.

The Montenegrins hold the Duza pass, blockading Gorausk and Nicsic. Suleiman Pasha, with 20,000 men, is advancing to relieve Gorausk.

It is stated that the Turks have persuaded 20,000 South Albanians to take arms on condition of Montenegro being given up to plunder. All the Northern Albanian clans favor the Montenegrins.

The Ossipee Murder.

Cook, the confessed murderer of Miss Hanson, and Buzzell, who procured the murder, were fully committed for trial at Ossipee on Friday, and lodged in jail. Mrs. Buzzell was discharged. Cook begs to be transterred to some other jail, fearing Buzzell will murder him.

Jonathan Sanborn of Brookfield, Joseph B. Buzzell's brother-in-law, has been discharged from custody, the County Solicitor being satisfied he knew nothing of the Hanson murder either before or after it occurred.

News and Notes.

A railroad train in New Jersey on Thursday struck a carriage containing three men and two women, killing them all.

The seals placed on the doors of government offices in South Carolina by Wade Hampton were removed Wednesday, and the democratic officers installed. The rifle-club triumph is now complete, so far as securing control of the State government is concerned.

The accident at St. Genevieve, Canada, before reported, was occasioned by a landslide of about an acre and a half in length by 200 feet in depth and a height of eighty feet. Marchand's dam, mill, and a private dwelling, which were built on the bank of the river, were completely crushed in. Ten persons were buried alive. Seven bodies have been recovered. In one room a mother and her youngest child were found, half their bodies in the water, sitting on a chair, literally buried alive. The banks of the river gave away there seven years ago, carrying away a house with eight persons in it. This land-slide completely blocked up the river, changing its course, and causing great damage to farmers in the environs.

The Wamsutta Mills strike at New Bedford has totally collapsed. On Wednesday afternoon the strikers who still held out met together and unanimously resolved not to go to work, and Thursday morning they almost unanimously went to work.

The United States Consul at Liverpool states that the medals awarded to the crews of the Liverpool and New Brighton lifeboats in acknowledgement of their meritorious conduct on the occasion of the wreck of the American ship Ellen Southard, were formally presented to the men on the 16th of April, at the Town Hall, Liverpool, in the presence of a large assemblage of Americans, merchants, shipmasters, etc. A subscription of money to the families of the three drowned men was distributed a day or two subsequently.

Francisco Viras and Jose Chamalis, two young hoodlums of Santa Cruz, Cal., on the night of Saturday, April 28th, murdered a man named Deforest to get money to go to a circus. They were soon locked up, confessed the murder, and on Wednesday were lynched by the populace.

George W. Townsend, of Boston, has bought the wreck of the steamship Rusland as she lies on the beach at Long Branch for $9000.

New Hampshire Items.

James Gonler and William White, two of the young roughs who assaulted the keeper of the Manchester jail some weeks ago in an attempt to escape, and took his revolver and keys from him, were on Thursday sentenced to State prison for twenty years, for the assault. By the time they get out they will have learned that though it may be good fun to assault an officer of the law, it does not always pay in the long run.

Charles L. Elgar, of Winchester, was committed to jail in Keene on Wednesday, charged with outraging Lilla Belle Leonard of Winchester.

Indictments were reported by the Grand Jury at Amherst, Wednesday, as follows: For breaking and entering, 21; larceny, 12; fornication, 5; liquor selling, 12; disorderly house, 1; assault on officers, 8; aggravated assaults, 2. Those pleading guilty for assaulting officers were sentenced to five months in jail.

The Manchester *Mirror* says that at one time 12,000 shares of Michigan Central stock were owned in New Hampshire, which cost over $100 per share.

A Puff for Joachin Miller.

The Washington correspondent of the Boston *Post* writes thus of the "Poet of the Sierras:"

Speaking of office-seekers, "Wahkeen" Miller has been here seeking a consulship, 'tis said, and making a most unmitigated ass of himself as usual. Until I became eye and ear witness of his disgusting manners, I had imagined that Miller's hobby was his own belief that he is a great and unappreciated poet. I have learned better. Miller's hobby is his own belief that he is a lady killer, a regular "smasher," as the boys say. He worships his own genius. There is no doubt about that, and he really believes he has genius, and thinks the ladies see and worship it also. But genius is not his strong point. He is lank and angular, coarse featured, saffron-hued, and has a shock of mangey, carotty hair, but he thinks himself another Adonis come to Earth. If any one else attempted "Wahkeen's" method of love-making in the house of any civilized gentleman he would be unceremoniously kicked out. Two samples will suffice. The other day the staid matrons who were so unfortunate as to find themselves in the same boarding-house with him, found him sitting cross-legged, a la Turk or tailor, on the parlor sofa, his dirty boots resting complacently on the crimson rep. Finding the attitude created a sensation, he practiced it daily afterward. Again, at dinner one day, noticing his next neighbor at table, a blushing maiden of some thirty odd summers, was absent, and being told that she would not put in an appearance, he rolled up his eyes, bent down his head and kissed her chair. "Wahkeen" wants a consulate. May he get it speedily, is the prayer of all who have to endure his lunacies.

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to have any offal, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any dealer of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit to the use of the town dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 20. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing owned by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—like said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause such nuisance or other thing adverse said to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I can eat and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shal continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been an free from the Rheumatism Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. *I know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for the last three years, and have been travelling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case incurable. I had seen a notice that they had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrell, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. May success to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.

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Local Matters.

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
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Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
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Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE GREAT REAL ESTATE SALE.

Our reporter sharpened his pencil to chronicle the details of the auction sale of various lots of land on Gates, State, Deer, Market, Ladd, McDonough, Rockingham and other streets, advertised to come off Friday by direction of the assignee of J. C. Carr's estate in bankruptcy.

Promptly at ten o'clock in the fornoon, was gathered a goodly company of buyers at No. 26 Gates street, among them some of the salesmen who in these days of falling prices of Michigan Central, C. B. & Q., and such foreign investments, have an idea that a few hundreds planted about home, even if does not always promise ten per cent., is perhaps as safe an investment as funds left to the mercy of railroad wreckers or Wall street gamblers. Shortly after the arrival of the train from Manchester, Col. Hackett appeared upon the ground, having in his buggy Collector Howard, who had just returned from Manchester, where a question had been the day before argued before Hon. Daniel Clark, Judge of the United States District Court, raised by persons interested in the estate of Davis, Moulton & Company, a firm also in bankruptcy in Rochester, New York, and of which Mr. Carr was a partner. The counsel who have been here from New York filed a motion to vacate the appointment of Mr. Howard as assignee, on the ground that as the first bankrupt proceedings were commenced in the District of New York, against the firm of Davis, Moulton & Co., it was a proceeding there against Mr. Carr also, and the assignee of the firm, should administer the estate here as well as in New York, and it should not be administered by an assignee of Mr. Carr subsequently appointed in this District.

The question being a fundamental one, the Court have taken time to consider it. The auctioneer then briefly stated to the gentlemen assembled the condition of affairs, and explained that as Mr. Howard, if it was decided he was not the properly appointed assignee, of course would be unable to give a good title to any purchaser, there could be no sale of property under him, until the question as to the appointment was finally adjudicated. The consequence was the sale of all the various estates was postponed indefinitely. This is unfortunate for the estate and to whoever winds it up, as several of the buildings are at present tenantless and depreciating in value. We presume Judge Clark will soon announce his decision, and whoever may be the legal assignee, the estates will again be offered at auction the next time, it is hoped, without postponement.

JOTTINGS.

Michael Conley escaped from the jail on Friday. He was to have been discharged on Monday, having served out a sentence for a petty theft, and being detained only for non-payment of costs.

There will be a meeting of the Temperance Reform Club on Sunday evening, at Mechanics Hall, commencing at half-past seven o'clock, with praise service, followed by speaking by members of the club, and others. Seats free; all are invited.

Joseph Hiller Foster, Esq., who has held the office of treasurer pro tem. of the Portsmouth Savings Bank since Mr. Shores' illness, has been unanimously elected to the office of treasurer by the trustees.

U. S. S. Tallapoosa arrived at the Navy Yard on Friday from Washington, via intermediate yards, bringing stores to the yard. Commodore John Guest arrived in her, and immediately took command of the yard. Capt. Earl English remains on duty as captain of the yard and equipment officer; and Capt. Erben assumes the duty of senior aid to the commandant. Commodore Guest was received with the customary honors, salute, etc.

Steamer Clara Bateman did a good day's work on Friday, between noon and six o'clock, towing up and berthing five deep laden coal vessels, and taking two light vessels to sea. If Capt. Rand had all the work he could do with his steamer, he would make her pay.

On Thursday the final arrangements were completed for the ten-miles road race from this city to the Union House at Hampton, between Woodbury Locke's "Kanoza Boy" and Col. Frank W. Hilton's "Julius Cæsar." It will take place on Friday next, if fair weather.

At the regular drill meeting of the Portsmouth Heavy Artillery, Thursday evening, Major Daniel J. Vaughan, captain of the company, was the recipient of a splendid sword and belt from his command.

"Favorite," a fine black horse belonging to Mr. R. H. Beacham, died Thursday night of cerebro-spinal meningitis, having been sick only about twenty-four hours. The animal was valued at over $200, and is the second one lost by the same gentleman within a few weeks, the other one (a valuable mare) having died of laryngitis.

G. W. & C. B. Colton & Co., 172 William St., N. Y., have prepared a very complete and handsome Map of the Seat of War—or rather two Maps on one sheet—29x18 inches, showing Turkey in Europe and Turkey in Asia, with portions of the countries adjoining, the whole of the Black Sea, and the eastern portion of the Mediterranean Sea, which they sell for thirty cents. A copy of this Map will aid materially in getting a clear understanding of the newspaper reports relating to the Eastern complications.

Monthly Service of Praise at Bow Mission Sabbath afternoon; a cordial invitation is extended. Monthly Collection.

MEMORIAL DAY.

The general committee on observing Memorial Day held a meeting Thursday evening, and added to their number the following named gentlemen: Robert E. Rich, William R. Boardman, John P. Tibbetts, George E. Hodgdon, Edward D. Coffin, Frank W. Hilton, William Robinson, Thos. E. O. Marvin, William Kennedy, Chas. C. Akerman. Sub-committees were chosen, as follows:

Finance, Frank W. Hilton, W. Russell Foster, Edward D. Coffin.

Invitations, James R. May, John Laighton, William R. Boardman.

Programme, Wm. H. Sise, Samuel Dodge, John E. Colcord, Wallace Hackett.

Flowers, Robert E. Rich, Charles N. Osgood, Oliver S. Loomis, John W. Parsons, George E. Hodgdon, Thomas E. O. Marvin, William Robinson.

Decoration of Graves, John H. Locke, Thomas Entwistle, John P. Tibbetts, Adolph Nelson, William H. Lovell.

Col. Frank W. Hilton was chosen chief marshal, and has accepted the position.

Industrial Sketches--No. 2.

THE ELDREDGE BREWING COMPANY.

The site on which this brewery stands has been the scene of various enterprises. In 1833 the first building was erected by a company known as the "Bleaching Company," for the purpose of bleaching cotton cloth. Among the projectors were Alfred W. Haven, John Yeaton, Stephen Simes, Dr. Charles A. Cheever, Daniel R. Rogers, and others who in those days were associated with the business interests of Portsmouth. Probably no adventure was ever started with stronger hopes of success. The stock was eagerly sought for and could have been sold far above the original cost. The project was started under inducements given by Mr. John Green, who claimed to possess the secret of bleaching in not only a much less time but at a smaller expense than that attending other bleacheries; but the first attempt shew its utter failure. The material or solution used badly injured the fabric, and the machinery for ironing, etc., proved useless for the intended purpose. After some time and money expended in fruitless efforts to overcome these obstacles, a meeting of the stockholders was called, when it was decided to stop all further expenditures, pay all claims and make a final close of the concern. In this transaction was shown the sterling honesty of those connected with this enterprise. As soon as any doubt of its success was had it was voted not to sell any more stock, and in but a single instance was this vote violated. One of the stockholders, whose name we shall not mention, disposed of his shares, while the others, whose high sense of honor would not allow them under the circumstances to sell, lost all that they invested.

In 1835 a new organization was formed, for the making of hosiery, called the "Portsmouth Spinning and Stocking Factory." On the 27th of April, 1837, the establishment was mostly destroyed by fire; the loss was about $25,000, with an insurance of $12,000 or $13,000. It was immediately rebuilt, and December 4th of the same year shows the first entry in the Day Book, as follows; "The association formed by several persons per Ledger A, for the manufacture of Hosiery etc., Having now procured and accepted a charter * in the name and style of the Portsmouth Steam Factory—the business hereafter will be transacted in that corporate capacity and the several balances are transferred from the Books of that association as follow, viz: On hand Real Estate $4912.-57, Machinery $7550.19, Dye House and apparatus $263.55, Fuel 66.75, Merchandise $1441.92, Bills receivable $185.00, Cash $45.29, Total $14,265,27." The amount of indebtedness on account and notes in bank was $4,664.05. The amount of stock was $12.000, which was equally divided among the eight stockholders. The names of those who composed this Company were John H. Sheafe, Samuel Hale, William Neal, George Raynes, Dr. Charles A. Cheever, Alfred W. Haven, Thomas A. Adams, Hosea Crane, with Joseph D. Pillow as clerk. On June 8th, 1846, the buildings were again partially burned, the fire commencing near the engine and boiler, and extending through the weave room to an extension on the east end which was used as a machine shop and sash and blind factory. The loss at this time was about $3000. In a few weeks the business was again in operation, and continued with incidental changes of stockholders until 1849. Having no liabilities, it disposed of its charter to the present "Kearsarge Mills."

Following this, the factory was occupied by Messrs. Haskell and Warren, of Boston, who continued the making of hosiery for a short time only; and it was afterwards used as a machine shop and for the making of agricultural implements.

In 1854 it was again converted into a stocking factory by Mr. John Brugger, and in 1855 it fell into the hands of Michael and Solomon Fisher, who thinking it a poor investment offered it for sale at a price greatly below its tax valuation. Here followed one of those incidents in business life which one is brought or forced into through certain conditions or circumstances of capital invested, rather than by any premeditated plan or foresight. The property could not be disposed of unless at a great loss; the question was, what available use could it be put to. In 1856 Mr. Homan Eldredge bought a portion of it, and it was then decided to establish a brewery for the manufacture of Cream Ale, under the firm of M. Fisher & Co. This enterprise proved successful. In 1870 Mr. Fisher retired and it was continued by H. Eldredge & Son. In 1875 it merged into a stock company, and is now distinguished as the Eldredge Brewery Co., consisting of ten stockholders, five of whom are residents of this city, Hon. Marcellus Eldredge, who has been connected with this establishment since its commencement, was elected President and Treasurer, and Mr. James F. Jenness, who had been the clerk for a number of years and one of the parties interested in its present formation, was selected as Secretary and Cashier. Messrs. Eldredge and Jenness are also members of the board of directors.

The location of this brewery has not only superior advantages for the manufacturing of ale, but possesses a charm of natural surroundings. There are many who can remember the unpretending building nestling in the shade of broad-spreading oaks, and sending out its merry hum from spinning looms; the little brook, fed from fountain springs, that ran to the river and with the river flowed to the sea; the neighboring groves and orchards; the meadows fragrant with the perfume from dimpled beds of clover; and with all the inroads which time has made, the place is not yet disrobed of all its rural attractions.

From the original building, which was 43 by 28 feet and two stories high, has grown a pile which with its several additions and extensions now presents a front of about 250 feet in length, three to five stories high, and varying from 40 to 70 feet in width. It contains all of the modern appliances of machinery, etc., for the carrying on of this business; and when one visits this vast workshop with its labyrinth of rooms, and sees the result of the amount of labor and the various operations which malt and its extract passes through before it becomes beer, he is surprised not only at the cleanliness and order which pervades every department but also at the comparative small number of persons employed. Its first brew, which was March 1, 1856, was twenty-eight barrels; it now manufactures 250 barrels a day, and has a regular sale of from 50,000 to 60,000 barrels a year, involving the use of from 125,000 to 150,000 barrels of malt. The fermenting room, or room in which the fermenting tuns are placed, is said to be equal if not superior to that of any brewery in the country; it is 28 feet high, and finely ventilated. The Brewery has two engines, two boilers of eighty and one hundred and twenty-five horse power, three force pumps, 17 cisterns, tub, etc., a capacious scald and barrel shed (with cooper shop attached), coal shed 160 by 25 feet, ice houses, stables, and other buildings for storage purposes, etc. The cellar extends under the main buildings, and affords ample accommodation for storage of ale. The brewery is connected with the several railroads by a track some 1200 feet long, part of which is bridged across the Mill Pond, running parallel with the Eastern and Concord & Portsmouth Railroads. A new copper mash tub, holding 600 barrels, has lately been put up; also a conveyer that takes the malt to the elevator, by means of which it is then raised to the grain room, a distance in all of about 90 feet.

A pond 90 by 225 feet, supported at one end by a stone dam, furnishes all the ice necessary; 1200 tons were cut from it last winter; and it can be extended so as to supply any amount required. A new ice house has been built, close to the pond and directly back of that part of the brewery used for the cooler, affording a convenience which those in the business can fully appreciate. The water is constantly running from the pond, and passes under the scald and barrel shed, forming a natural drainage carrying all the waste matter to the mill pond beyond. This is also an admirable feature, as by this means all odor is avoided in and around the premises. There are on an average thirty-five men employed, with the requisite number of horses, teams, etc. It is proverbial that brewers possess the finest draught horses in this and other countries. One of the teams owned by the Eldredge Brewing Co. excites the admiration of those who can appreciate the appearance of a noble horse, and is considered to be the finest in the State. There are three horses whose average weight is 1500 pounds each, the wagon weighing some 3000 pounds; and one can estimate the strength of these animals in seeing them quietly passing through the streets with a five or six ton load.

One of the difficulties that brewers have to contend with is the bursting of the heads of the barrels, and frequently a large quantity of ale is lost in this way. The force of ale is supposed to be eighty pounds to a square inch, and this immense power necessitates a counteracting strength to retain it. The staves of the barrels are about one inch and three-quarters thick, encompassed by heavy iron hoops. The head used by this company was invented and patented by Mr. Hiram F. Williams, in charge of their cooper shop; it is constructed on scientific principles and will resist a pressure of 150 pounds to a square inch. The merit in its construction is that it removes all danger of explosion, and it will ultimately be in general use.

This company also occupies two large buildings on Bow street, used for office, storage of hops, etc.; a telegraph transmits orders from the office to the brewery, and also connects with Mr. Eldredge's house on Islington street, and will soon extend to the Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph office.

In connection with the making of cream ale the company will shortly introduce the manufacture of stock ale and porter. The increasing demand for Portsmouth beer in preference to that of many of the older breweries shows the reputation which it has in the market, and the energy and ability of those engaged in the business is a guarantee of its continued success.

*Note. The Charter referred to in the above article under the name of the "Portsmouth Steam Factory" was first granted in 1823 to Isaac Walcron, Elisha Whidden, Robert Rice and Elisha Hill, Jr., and their associates, for the purpose of manufacturing in iron and other metal, and in cotton and wool, with a capital not exceeding two hundred thousand dollars. It was at about this date that the introduction of manufactures was first agitated by our capitalists. Either from not sufficient encouragement or some other cause the enterprise was not started, and the charter was sold to the Hosiery Company and used by them until 1840, where they disposed of it to the Kearsarge Mills, who by an act of the Legislature, increased their capital to one million dollars. Mr. Hosea Crane, who was Superintendent of the Hosiery Company, received some four or five hundred dollars for his interest, and the stockholders one dollar a share.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Oyster Exportation.

The exportation of American oysters to England is quite as notable in its way as that of American beef, which has of late attracted so much attention. The first venture was made about seven years ago by a Washington (New York) marketman, but the oysters spoiled on the voyage. Another consignment of the largest, finest specimens to be had was then sent, arriving in prime condition, but the Englishmen, failing to find in them the coppery flavor to which they had been educated by their own small, inferior oysters, discarded the American bivalve as unfit for British palates. Finally some of our prime "bushel" oysters were sent out. These are of small size, usually served up for "raws," and are of delicious flavor, and after a period of hostility from the English dealers, who tried to persuade the public that they were poisonous, they speedily took the popular taste by storm. Having gained a foothold, the American oyster became a staple article of export, yielding a goodly profit to those engaged in the business.

Where a few barrels constituted the first venture, the orders increased gradually until at the present time the exportation of oysters averages over 2000 barrels per week. Eight or ten New York firms have their agencies in Liverpool, where all oysters are consigned, and whence they are distributed through the country. The profit on them is good. Here they are worth about $3.50 per barrel, the transportation costs $1.50, and they sell for from $8 to $10 per barrel. There is comparatively little risk attending their transportation by steamer. In warm weather they require to be kept cool with ice, but in the fall and winter months they do not need this frigid attention. If they are fed and watered occasionally, they stand the voyage splendidly, arriving in as fat and tempting condition as when they left. Not being subject to seasickness, they waste none of their substance by foolishly throwing it overboard. Thus this industry has grown to important dimensions. What with our exportations of beef, oysters, sheep, flour, wheat, corn, etc., America bids fair to supply the whole world with food.

Journalists and Journalism.

Dr. Redfield writes as follows to the Cincinnati *Commercial:*

It has been remarked that very few who get into journalism start out with such intention. They drift in accidentally, and are promoted as they develop capacity. Money, wealthy parents and influence are of no sort of service in getting a young man a place on a newspaper. There is no business that is so entirely independent of all these considerations as this. A wealthy father can easily get his son a location to read law, or medicine, or push him forward in almost any walk of life he may select, but he is utterly powerless to do anything for him in a journalistic way. To be sure he may buy a newspaper, and set up his hopeful in that manner, but unless there is something in the youth called journalistic knack, a natural knowledge of what to write and how to write it, he will be a failure in that line, and all the money and influence of wealthy and perhaps powerful relatives will count for nothing.

Some fond parents educate their sons with especial view to making journalists of them; but it is rare that we hear of these young men after a few years. Meantime some scrub, born among the hills, having nothing but a common school education, and perhaps a very common one at that, and the knowledge scraped up in a country printing office, will advance to a front rank in the profession. He has the journalistic knack, and forces recognition because he has it. He gets a place, not because he has wealthy parents to influence the proprietors of leading newspapers, but because he knows what to write and how to write it, and the editors take it because it is what they want. His articles go in because they supply a demand, while perhaps the elaborate essays from the pen of a man educated on two continents with an especial view to journalism, are cast into the waste basket.

Young men just out of college, and with journalistic ambition, who have had their essays passed upon by admiring relatives, and pronounced the productions of genius, think if they can get a letter of introduction to the manager of some leading newspaper, they will forthwith find recognition in his columns. I don't know how many applications by mail and in person I have had from young men asking me for a letter of "recommendation" to the editor of the *Commercial.* I never complied, because I know that these agencies are not worth five cents a peck toward getting anything into the paper. I tell the applicants to send along whatever essays and so forth they have on hand, and that a letter of introduction a mile long would not be of the least service in influencing the editor to print what didn't fill the bill. Recommendations from those known to the editor, or the influence of wealthy relatives of young men ambitious to shine in journalism are of no earthly benefit in this matter, unless, indeed, the latter might furnish money to have the maiden efforts published as advertisements. But fame at thirty dollars a column is expensive.

The majority of successful journalists drift into it from other walks of life, and perhaps the most of them, up to the time they are eighteen or twenty years old, had no thought in that direction.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, MAY 7, 1877.

The War.

The Roumanian minister has been ordered to leave Constantinople.

The reported bombardment of Ibrail by Turkish ironclads was but an exchange of a few shots between a Turkish turret ship and the Russian batteries.

The English declaration of neutrality has plunged the Greeks into despair. They say that if Turkey is victorious they will gain nothing, and if Russia, they lose all chance of gaining Macedonia and Thrace. A military company has been organized, and, unless resolutely opposed by the Government, will cross the frontier in a day or two, not so much to fight as to exasperate the Turks and provoke a collision between Greece and the Porte.

Austria is determined as a precautionary measure to occupy Bosnia and the Herzegovina. According to present arrangements the movements of troops for that purpose will begin in about a fortnight.

Russia has obtained a loan of one hundred million francs.

St. Petersburg advices state that the greatest distrust prevails against England; batteries on the shore of the Baltic are being repaired and armed. Hundreds of torpedos are ready for immersion near the Gulf of Finland, and numbers of houses are reserved for troops to be quartered there.

News and Notes.

The extra session of Congress is not to come until the middle of October. Secretary McCrary says the War Department can get along, and that being the case there is no good reason for having Congress in session this summer. We are glad that high pressure gas manufacturing establishment is not to be run till cool weather.

A despatch from Halifax, N. S., says: "The forts in the neighborhood of the city are being supplied with improved guns and ammunition. Much activity is displayed by the military authorities. Three iron-clads are to be stationed here. Another regiment, the Forty-second Highlanders, is expected here shortly."

Great anxiety is felt for the safety of the City of Brussels, upon which the Irish pilgrims sailed. She left New York for Liverpool the same day as the Germanic. The latter arrived out a week ago.

The Mormons, expecting Brigham Young's arrest, are perfecting their military organizations to resist Federal authority if necessary.

Escort duty at the funeral of Parson Brownlow was performed by the O'Conor Guard of Nashville, Tenn., the commander being an ex-Confederate officer.

Dobson's carpet mills at Schuylkill Falls, Penn., the largest in the country, closed on Friday, leaving 1400 hands unemployed. Last April seventy weavers struck. The proprietors, learning that the balance of the hands were supporting the strikers, resolved to close the mills.

The Seventh Cavalry, with 1100 men, has left Fort Lincoln and gone in search of Sitting Bull, who is supposed to be north or south of the Yellowstone with some 500 recalcitrant warriors. The command will hunt down and bring in the hostiles, when found, to the agencies.

Three Russian merchantmen are lying in the Delaware, near Philadelphia. The crews take no interest in the war or in the Czar's manifesto. They have enough to eat and their pipes are loaded to the muzzle, and they are willing to stay where they are until the war is over.

The number of vessels belonging to, or bound to or from ports in the United States, reported totally lost and missing during the past month, is 55, of which 25 were wrecked, 15 abandoned, 3 burned, 1 sunk by collision, 5 foundered, and 6 are missing. The list comprises 4 steamers, 3 ships, 12 barques, 6 brigs, and 30 schooners, and their total value, exclusive of cargoes, is estimated at $1,055,000.

Rev. Mr. Miller of the First Presbyterian Church of Trenton, N. J., has been tried for heresy. He denied the charge, and claimed that his idea of God was drawn from the Bible; he regards the Father as God, the Son as God, and the Holy Ghost as God, but they are three and not one. Mr. Miller was found guilty by a unanimous vote, and a resolution was passed that he be suspended. He appealed, and the case will go to a higher tribunal.

It is reported that Kate Claxton and her husband, Dore Lyon, have been reconciled, and that the cross suits for divorce have been discontinued.

John Daly, aged twenty years, convicted of murder in the second degree in killing Francis J. Reilly in New York, was on Friday sentenced to State Prison for life.

The Midgo, a torpedo boat, built by the Confederates during the late war, was on Friday sold at auction at the Brooklyn Navy Yard to James T. Powers & Co., for $250.

Capt. Barnaby, of the barque Quickstep, of New York, on a recent passage from Batavia saw what appeared to be a shoal, the sea breaking white in patches over a space a mile and a quarter long and only an eighth of a mile wide. The position (carried forward from the noon reckoning) of the shoal was in lat. 4 deg. 18 min. north, lon. 136 deg. 21 min. east. This agrees with the position of the Warwick Shoal, as laid down in the old charts, but omitted in the new charts.

Hon. Alfred Kittredge, of the Haverhill (Mass.) *Gazette*, died Tuesday morning, May 1st, of heart disease, aged 72. He has been a prominent and active citizen of that place for forty years, and died in the harness, having been conveyed from his office to his home five days ago. He was a native of Canterbury, in this State, graduated at Dartmouth in 1827, first became a teacher, subsequently a lawyer, and after his removal to Haverhill engaged in the practice of law and business enterprises. He became proprietor of the *Gazette* in 1869; had represented the city in both branches of the legislature; was director in the Haverhill & Andover Railroad and president of the Haverhill Fire Insurance Company from its organization, 1841, to its close. His wife and daughter survive him.

One of the New York papers tells a strange story of a clandestine marriage in that city between an adventurer named Joseph Lopez and the daughter of a wealthy real estate owner by the name of Morrison. The girl was somewhat weak-minded, and the adventurer gained her acquaintance through female confederates employed in the family as servants. She was induced to marry him, and a clergyman performed the ceremony without suspecting there was anything wrong. As soon as the matter came to the knowledge of her father he took steps to have the marriage annulled, and it is said that the young lady is now in a private insane asylum. The object of Lopez is believed to have been blackmail, he suspecting that the old man would be anxious to buy him off at a high price. It is further stated that he has two or three wives in different parts of the country, and that he married a girl in Chicago whose father is paying him $3000 a year to keep away. This appears to be rather a peculiar way of making money, and one involving heavy risks.

Capt. McCobb, (of schooner Frank and Emily, of Rockport, Mass., before reported wrecked,) who was picked up at sea after having been twenty-four hours in the water, gives the following account of the disaster: On the day of the wreck, April 14th, during a terrific gale, at about eight o'clock in the morning the mainboom broke adrift, and while securing it a sea boarded the vessel and swept the cook overboard. At two o'clock P. M., another sea boarded her and opened a seam in her quarter. When the mate saw this he said to the captain, "Our wives will be widows before night." Hope, however, was not entirely extinguished, for the crew set to work to make a raft, "but before it could be done the vessel sank. This was about four o'clock. I saw the two remaining hands rise and swim to the top of the house. I swam to the side of the house, but the mate was not seen to rise. During the night I was swept three times by the sea from the raft, and twice the raft caps'zed upon me. I was tempted several times to give up the struggle in despair, and it was only by the aid of Divine help that I survived the horrors of that day and night."

The Boston young man in society began long ago to set apart annually a portion of his income for wedding presents. He is now forced to consecrate another moiety to the work of saving the Old South Church. The number of entertainments, by amateurs for the most part, from readings and lectures to the theatricals and concerts passeth belief, and he is obliged to attend them all and sit through them. Now as the income of the Boston young man has been a good deal curtailed, while the drains upon it are by no means decreasing, he groaneth much in secret and privately would be glad to see the ancient meeting-house turned into a retail dry-goods store. —*Worcester Gazette.*

Mr. Murat Halstead has a decidedly original way of sowing business puffs in with his editorial composition, like grasshoppers' eggs in a wheat-field. He says in his paper, the Cincinnati *Commercial*: "We are not in the habit of calling attention to advertisements, but we remark that the Australian perfume advertisement in another column strikes us as a fraud."

Admiral Hobart Pasha, of the Turkish navy, whose exploit in running by the Russian batteries at Galatz has been told, is well known in Washington. He was one of the most successful and most annoying of the blockade runners of our civil war, in which service he was employed by the formerly wealthy but recently bankrupt London firm of Alexander Collie & Co. He was a captain in the British navy, but took advantage of a leave of absence granted him by the English Government to go into the blockade running business. When this came to the knowledge of the Lords of the Admiralty he was suspended from his rank in the British navy. Thereupon he entered the Turkish service, and, besides being invested with the rank of Admiral, he was made a Pasha by an imperial firman. He next became conspicuous in checking the rebellion in Crete, where his knowledge of the blockade running business was of great service to him in preventing the Greeks from furnishing supplies of arms and ammunition to the insurgents. By a subsequent decree in council of the Lords of the Admiralty he has been restored to his rank and number in the British navy.

At Belfast, Me., Friday, the case of Charles B. Mahan, agent of the Granite Agricultural Works of Lebanon, in this State, indicted for cheating, was continued to the October term, and the defendant was ordered to give bail in $1500.

Mr. and Mrs. Jotham Johnson of Freeport are supposed to be the oldest couple in Maine. They are 91 and 90 respectively, and have been married 70 years.

The Bangor *Whig* publishes an original map of the seat of war in Europe. A Commercial street man looked at the strongly marked lines of the engraving one afternoon, and observed, with a smile of recognition, "That was originally a portrait of Mr. Blaine."—*Portland Adv.*

Some Vermont women have done notable temperance work of late in collecting evidence against liquor-sellers and appearing as prosecuting witnesses. At Vergennes they prosecuted one poor fellow three times and then converted him. The Middlebury women had the druggists locked up, and wouldn't release them till they signed a bond to stop liquor-selling, which they had printed in the local papers. They also secured a column in every paper in the county, and appointed an editress to fill the space with temperance matter, and have, moreover, induced the County Commissioners to make a woman the liquor agent, which has resulted in decreasing the sales fully two-thirds.

At the Bangor city farm, there is residing an aged lady, Mrs. Taintor, 84 years old, who has eleven children, all well-to-do and living in plenty. The Bangor *Commercial* well says, "It is one of the most shameful occurrences on record, for eleven children all well off to let their mother remain in the Poor-house. David Taintor of Winterport is one of her children. Mrs. Taintor is a nice old lady, very smart, with good eyesight and improves her time in knitting or reading."

Dot's Prayer.

Dot was usually a remarkably good little child, but one day she behaved so badly that both papa and mamma had to reprove her. Thoroughly ashamed, but in no way penitent, Dot brooded over the affront till bedtime, and was still full of indignation when she knelt to say her prayer. Even "Now I lay me" was said with pouting lips, and when it came to the little addendum, "Bless my dear father and mother," she stopped short.

"Go on, darling," said mamma.

"O Lord, please bless"—there was another pause—"just bless me, my own self, Amen."

—Calla lily by any other name and it will smell as sweet.

The Wise Course in Rheumatism.

Rheumatic patients who have been induced to submit to depletion by blood letting, or to take calchicum and other drugs of an equally pernicious character, will consult their well being by abandoning such insane procedure and using as a substitute Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which will infallibly afford them the much desired relief, and is absolutely safe. This benign vegetable depurent cools the blood by expelling from it the inflammatory elements which give rise to maladies of a rheumatic and gouty type, and rectifies disordered conditions of the stomach, nervous system and bowels which usually accompany them. As rheumatism has a tendency to attack the heart, the desirability of an early resort to the Bitters is obvious, since the danger is increased by every moment.

Active Service

cannot wear out the teeth that are brushed daily with Sozodont. If it were in universal use the dentist would have little to do, for it is a positive preventive of dental disease.

The teeth of persons who use it cannot decay or turn yellow.

"Stick!" said Sumner. He referred to Spalding's Glue.

DR. A. J. FLAGG'S COUGH AND LUNG SYRUP.—Thousands of persons die every year, from that dread disease, Consumption. We constantly read of some discovered remedy and sure cure. As the man or woman finds that he or she is infected, and pronounced incurable, their great desire is to find something which shall at least prolong life. Dr. A. J. Flagg of Claremont, N. H., being aware of this fact, and the importance of meeting the requirements of thousands of his fellow beings, gave his attention to the matter, and after years of experience and trial has discovered a remedy which he confidently believes will do all that he claims for it. His Cough and Lung Syrup is pleasant to take, and has worked wonders in a medical point of view. Persons afflicted with Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma or any of these diseases, should by all means give it a trial and see if it does not do all that is claimed for it.

Thousands of living grave-robbed witnesses proclaim the wonderful virtues of *Adamson's Botanic Balsam* as a speedy cure for coughs, colds, asthma and consumption. Sample bottles free. Large bottles, 35 and 75 cents.

A NEW YORK PHYSICIAN, of many years' practice in the treatment of lung diseases, writes as follows Walter Baker & Co. regarding their preparations of Chocolate and Cocoa:—

"Experience from many years' practice in the treatment of lung diseases has convinced me that as an article of diet for those suffering with *any form of consumption*, Chocolate is far preferable to Tea or Coffee; in fact, the two last-mentioned articles are injurious in many cases, while Chocolate, being an ailment and analeptic, is particularly serviceable where digestion has been impaired by disease. Having examined several specimens of Chocolate, I find that *Baker's* may be conscientiously recommended to invalids."

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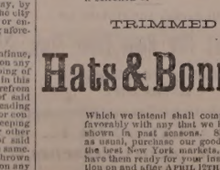

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own sewers or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the production of this ordinance, into any future one, or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about the premises occupied by him, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after notice is notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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PART of the Dwelling House No. 30 Washington street; apply at the house. t. f.

To Let.

A GENTEEL RESIDENCE for a small family. Enquire at 37 ISLINGTON ST.

House to Let.

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To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 31, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

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A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on White, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, an Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $100,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 7 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. I have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. For years, I could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well, I have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirty Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and write you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. We think I have taken sick four years ago. I weight one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weight one hundred and thirty, but I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shal continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to your advantage this direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 187

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift the hands to his head or do a work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago Indivised him to get some of these Pills. I believed nothing in them, but I gave him the first package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helps him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know it*, for I have tried them, and they all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. FEVAR

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Quain's Condition Pills upon Rheumatism of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15,

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and stomach. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with no good result. I have been confined to my room most of the time for eight or ten winters, and have been taking and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had and wishing to do with. One told me I could not get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mudge my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately wrote to you for a package. I have taken four doses and am almost free from pain. The impression I have seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherman, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 187

THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to those who are similarly afflicted, they have done me much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.

MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT

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Local Matters.

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Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
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E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

In our item regarding the postponement of the real estate sale on Friday, it was stated that among the goodly company of buyers who congregated were "some of the salesmen" of the city. It was written "solid men," but didn't get put in type that way.

The stockholders of the Portland, Saco and Portsmouth railroad hold a special meeting at Kittery to-day.

The *Times* says: "Mr. Alfred Stavers has notified his tenants on Vaughan street to vacate, this being preparatory to building an opera hall. The plan will be similar to the old Temple."

The schooner Mary Marden, of this port, has been purchased by Newburyport parties for $1200, to take the place of the wrecked Flying Fish. She was taken around to that port last week.

Messrs. C. E. Walker & Co., in another column announce a reduction in the price of coal.

Cook, the confessed murderer of Miss Hanson, was lodged in jail in this city Saturday forenoon, and will be kept there until his trial comes off, he being in fear that Buzzell would find some way to kill him if the two were kept in the same jail. He is hardly more than a boy in appearance, and does not look like a person of criminal predelictions. His age is but twenty-two.

Charles Watson, a New York "confidence man," got seriously taken in last week. He saw the good-humored countenance of B. P. Shillaber, Esq., and assumed that so pleasant-looking a gentleman must be a flat; so he "tried it on," but instead of capturing Mrs. Partington's shekels he found himself in the lock-up.

[Communicated.]

THE ECLECTIC THEATRICALS.

Franklin Hall was filled Friday evening with an appreciative and admiring audience to witness the complete success of the long promised amateur entertainment given by members of the "Eclectic Club." To particularize each individual in so small a space would be almost impossible, but each and all were as perfect in the rendition of their characters as any professed artist we have ever seen. The personal beauty, and rich dresses of the ladies, added not a little in setting off their fine acting, and graceful movements.

Mischievous Meg was simply charming, and even outdid her former efforts; while Mrs. Netwell's easy, graceful vivacity, won for her the hearts of her audience, as well as that of Sir Ashley Merton, causing us to recall Tony Weller's advice to his son, "Beware of the widows." Cornelia's striking beauty and charmingly acted love scene could not be surpassed.

The gentlemen were wakened to a degree of enthusiasm seldom seen among amateurs. The part of Farmer Crow was a very difficult one, and with its Yorkshire dialect, was very finely rendered by Mr. Foster, and would have done credit to a veteran actor. Mr. Frank Hatch as Meg's lover was even better, if possible, than in his former characters, while nature surely intended Capt. Higbee to be a "hero of the sock and buskin," for his part was acted to a charm. Dr. May so thoroughly disguised himself as Mr. Eytem, that it was only his usual excellent acting that discovered his identity to the audience. The acting of Dr. Ruth was admirable, and his uncommonly fine presence, added to the good conception of his character, gave the greatest satisfaction. One of the most finished pieces of acting was that of the impoverished artist, sustained by Mr. Larkin; the text was most perfectly given, and the character finely conceived. Mrs. Mills, while flourishing her feather duster, could not hide the sweet, gentle, ladylike bearing, for which she is so noted among her friends. We hope Mr. Williamson may find "Uncle Sam" will continue to be a better paymaster than the poor artist, from whom he failed to collect his bill. One of the loveliest scenes of the evening was that of the two beautiful girls sitting for their pictures—but words fail to tell all the good points; suffice to say the plays in their stage appointments, management and acting, were fully equal, if not beyond any theatrical entertainment ever given here, and the writer but expresses the feelings of the audience, in saying thanks, many thanks, for a most agreeable evening.

THE SUNKEN TREES AT RYE.

A Rye correspondent of the Exeter *News-Letter* writes a long article concerning the submerged forest at Jenness' beach, Rye, from which we take the following:

Where was once a hardened pathway almost as smooth as marble, now are ragged rocks of all sizes, from the tiny pebble to huge boulders of twenty tons in weight. Further along are huge stumps and logs, roots, limbs and all the appearances that any ten-acre stump lot would exhibit if the dirt were suddenly scaped away to the depth of three or four feet. Many of the stumps are now more than two feet in diameter, and the "rings" or annual layers of the woody fibre indicate that they grew very rapidly, and were in a thrifty condition when they were cut, or when they fell down. Originally many of the trees must have been very large; for although the salt water acts as a preservative against decay, yet the action of the sharp particles of sand must have worn them away considerably. They are generally covered with a slimy incrustation, such as usually gathers upon wood when exposed to the salt water, but this winter and spring they have been uncovered a good portion of the time, and have become worn pretty smooth. There is nothing to indicate the slightest trace of decay, so far as the wood itself is concerned. When cut into with an axe, the outside, to the depth of an inch or two, appears somewhat disacolored, but a very few inches further in, the wood is as sound and bright as the wood of any thrifty inland tree growing in the forests of New Hampshire. The sand is gradually covering them again, and in a short time they will be lost to sight, and buried, perhaps, for only a month or two, and perhaps for ten years. I have known them to remain covered for several years in succession. I have never seen them so thoroughly exposed as during the past few weeks. It is only certain conditions, even in a storm, that produce the peculiar "sweep" of the waters necessary to remove their sandy covering. That they extend further seaward than the present line of low water is proved from the fact that a vessel in "heaving up" a few years since, several hundred yards from shore, brought to the surface of the water a *stump*, which had caught upon the fluke of her anchor. That shores settle and are submerged, and indeed, that whole countries were once beneath the waters of the sea, is no new geological fact; but it is not often that we see the fact so clearly demonstrated. There is every reason to believe that the stumps, of which I have written, must have been exposed to the sea for many centuries, and certainly there is abundant reason for belief that they will remain for hundreds of years to come.

New Hampshire Items.

A few days since Edwin Prescott of Hampton Falls discovered a fox in the act of skirmishing with his cat, with the evident intention of circumventing that honest feline, in the public highway. Suddenly leaving the cat, Reynard went for a hen, which he despatched in short order and then returned to the cat, but pussy proved to be too smart for him and got out of his way. In the meantime Mr. Prescott procured a gun, but before he could load it the fox was beyond the reach of shot. The next day he traced the fox to its den, and, on digging into it, found therein six little whelps, the dead body of a sucking pig and divers heads, wings and feathers of sundry poultry.

At Seabrook, on a recent Saturday night, some miscreant girdled twenty-five growing pines belonging to George A. Philbrick. The gate in front of his house, which had been secured by a locked chain, was sawed apart, carried from the house and broken in pieces.

Hardly a night passes without an attempt to commit burglary in some part of Manchester. Friday morning five cases were reported, apparently by the same gang, only one being successful, viz., the grocery store of Albert Mallard & Son, where provisions were stolen and the money-drawer rifled. A few nights since the front window of a fancy goods store was broken on Elm street and goods valued at $150 were stolen.

Dennis Cornine of Rutland, Vt., was put into Keene jail, Friday, for attempting highway robbery in Hinsdale, May 2, when he took John Stearns' horse by the bit and demanded his money.

Political.

The typical democratic editor at the North gets madder and madder every day. He threatens now to bust up all the Presidential plans and combinations, abolish the army, smash the suppositious new party, and cut Mr. Evarts, unless the enforcement laws are immediately repealed,—his anger being intensely aggravated by the fact that the South refuses to get mad at all. To borrow the language of the younger Evergreen, "This gentleman seems to have been bitten by a Spitz cat."—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Senator Edmunds of Vermont, who has recovered his health so that he is able to ride out on horseback, has called on the President and talked over the political situation with him. Mr. Edmunds admits that he was at first disposed to oppose the President's course in the South, but that he is now willing to see the new policy have a fair trial, and that if President Hayes is assailed on the floor of the Senate he will defend him.

Here is an item of foreign news that may be interesting to the late American nation. The recently elected democratic Police Commissioners of Jersey City, N. J., have removed Capts. Dickson and Van Reiper, and put in Patrick Jordan and Hugh Mullany; have made Patrick Cronan the Health Inspector, Patrick Dowling the Lamp Inspector, and Patrick Fariner a Sergeant.

The Lemon Cure.

A correspondent of an English medical journal furnishes the following receipe as a new cure for consumption:—Put a dozen whole lemons in cold water and boil until soft (not too soft,) roll and squeeze until the juice is all extracted, sweeten the juice enough to be palatable, then drink. Use as many as a dozen a day. Should they cause pain or looseness of the bowels, then lessen the quantity and use five or six a day until better, then begin and use a dozen again. By the time you have used five or six dozen you will begin to gain strength and have an appetite. Of course as you get better you need not use so many. Follow these directions and we know that you will never regret it if there is any help for you. Only keep it up faithfully. We know of two cases where both of the patients were given up by the physicians, and were in the last stages of consumption, yet both were cured by using lemons according to the directions we have stated. One lady in particular was bedridden and very low; had tried everything that money could procure, but all in vain, when to please a friend, she was finally persuaded to use the lemons. She began to use them in February, and in April she weighed 140 pounds. She is a well woman to-day and likely to live as long as any of us.

The Fun E. B. Grannis Has.

E. B. Grannis is editor of the *Church Union*, New York, a large quarto of influence and considerable circulation. Grannis publishes the paper, edits it, and canvasses for advertising, and does all the heavy work, with the assistance of a young and bright-eyed girl who keeps the books. Grannis receives scores of letters addressed to Rev. Dr. Grannis, D. D., Elder E. B. Grannis, etc., and beginning, "My dear sir," or "Dear Brother Grannis." Grannis, though, is a woman—a little, nervous, active, black-eyed woman, who weighs about ninety pounds. "I have never intended to mask myself," she says, "but I have felt that if the paper suited, my sex was nothing to anybody; and that, perhaps, my arguments would seem weaker if it were known that a little woman uttered them. I had a letter the other day from a confiding clergyman in Ohio, who saluted me as 'Brother E. B.,' and asked my private opinion as to whether women ought to be allowed to speak in prayer-meeting. I wrote confidentially that I did not think it would do any hurt."

—Specimen southern item—A Georgia negro twisted a mule's tail to urge it over a fence. The small attendance at the funeral next day showed that the people didn't care if he did twist the mule's tail.

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FABYAN. In North Hampton, May 3d, Mrs. Fabyan, of Newington.

DOW. In North Hampton, May 4th, Mrs. Mary E. Dow, widow of Mr. George O. Dow, aged 51 years.

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Sch Pavilion, Downing, Rockport.
Sch Golden Gate, Amoe, Boston.
Sch Julia Franklin, Smith, Rockport.
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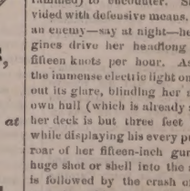

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In Hot Water.

Madison Wells, school trustee of Southold, Suffolk county, L. I., and David A. Cooper, teacher of the school at that place, had a rough-and-tumble fight the other day, in the school-room, to the immense delight of the pupils, who mounted the desks and encouraged the combatants by singing in concert "Hold the Fort." They didn't get up on the desks merely for the purpose of seeing the fight, but it was to keep their feet dry, as the principals in the affair had upset a boiler of hot water in their struggles. The boiler, or the woman that owned it, was in part the occasion of the fight. Cooper brought her there to scrub the floor. Wells tried to throw the boiler out of the school and Cooper resisted the attempt. The trouble, however, dates back to October last, when one Simons was trustee, and engaged Cooper to teach for forty weeks, and having done that he killed himself, and Wells was elected in his stead. He told Cooper that he must leave at the end of twenty weeks. This caused bad feeling, and then came the scrubbing-woman, and the boiler, and the hot water, and the fight; and then Madison Wells was arrested, and refusing to recognize the authority of the court or give bail, he now languishes in Riverhead jail.

American Actresses in London.

Kate Field's comedietta, "Extremes Meet," has survived the general change of Easter and finds favor with the better class of playgoers. The criticism is that her acting is too quiet—too much like that of a lady performing in her own drawing room. A good judge in such things remarked to me that the piece and the acting together resembled a pretty water-color laid on with a camel-hair brush—the strokes were not heavy and coarse enough for stage perspective. I hear that Kate Field is at work on a new play, which is already sufficiently advanced to have been accepted by Mr. Chatterton for Drury Lane. We have another American actress here, Miss Ella Dietz, on whose performances at the Haymarket I hear sometimes criticisms similar to that mentioned concerning Kate Field. The beautiful sonnets which Miss Dietz writes—curiously enough in the *Hornet*—might indicate to any one a mind too spiritual for any popular success on the stage; but those who like refined acting and delicate effects could fain wish that some theatre would raise up a troupe of these quiet and ladylike performers; in which case we might cease to wonder why America sends so few actresses to this country which has so many of its actors.—*London Letter.*

A Formidable Torpedo Vessel.

The *Scientific American* gives an illustrated description of the torpedo boat Alarm. It says while foreign nations have bestowed chief attention upon immensely costly experiments on guns and armor, here in the United States the principal aim has been the perfection of the torpedo system. An admirably organized and thoroughly equipped torpedo school for the navy has for several years been in existence in Newport, R. I. The work which there is done is not published, but many of its results are of great importance. There is also an army torpedo station at Willet's Point, Long Island. We have also constructed one torpedo vessel, which is probably the most formidable craft afloat (not excepting the Italian iron-clads with their 100-ton guns), and in time of war will form the model for a fleet of like steamers. This vessel is the Alarm, which would be a disagreeable craft for a heavy iron-clad (one like the Vanguard, for instance, which went down like a shot on being slightly rammed) to encounter. She is well provided with defensive means. Having sighted an enemy—say at night—her compound engines drive her headlong at the rate of fifteen knots per hour. As she nears him the immense electric light on her bow flashes out its glare, blinding her adversary to her own hull (which is already sunk so low that her deck is but three feet above the sea), while displaying his every proportion. The roar of her fifteen-inch gun as it hurls its huge shot or shell into the attacked vessel, is followed by the crash of the bow spar torpedo striking the devoted craft below the water line. Then, perhaps, after a momentary check due to the torpedo recoil, the Alarm plunges forward, driving her immense ram into her adversary's crushed side. As she swings broadside on to her foe another torpedo is exploded under the unguarded bottom of the enemy; while the machine guns under the torpedo boat's rail keep up a deadly fire of thousands of bullets per minute, sweeping her opponent's decks. Her length is 172 feet, of which 32 feet is snout or ram; her beam is 27 feet 6 inches, and she draws 11 feet of water, displacing about 700 tons. She is built of thoroughly tested charcoal iron, and on the English bracket-plan system; that is to say she has really a double hull, one shell being constructed inside the other. Within the outside shell three longitudinals of great strength run the entire length of the vessel, and are connected with bars running in a horizontal direction by brackets. The different sections can be entered through manholes, so that a person can pass from stem to stern between the inner and outer vessels. These compartments are all water tight, so that in the event of a leak only one section could fill. The whole interior of the vessel is also built in compartments, which may be hermetically sealed.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, MAY 8, 1877.

The War.

Grand Duke Nicholas telegraphs as follows: "The passage of the Pruth is retarded by the unusually swollen condition of the river. Necessary steps, however, have been taken that the concentration of troops will not be interfered with."

A despatch from Bucharest says that some Turkish monitors arrived on Friday before Oltenitza and insisted upon the withdrawal of the Roumanian detachments. Thereupon they laid torpedoes.

The open town of Reni was bombarded on Friday by Turkish monitors for three hours. All the inhabitants of Reni, Ibrail and Oltenitza fled.

The British underwriters are demanding heavy rates for insuring property afloat, and to be afloat.

Lord Derby has replied to Prince Gortschakoff's circular to the powers. Lord Derby intimates that the war is unjustifiable; that it is unlikely to alleviate the condition of the Christians; that it is in direct contravention of the Treaty of Paris and a breach of the Czar's solemn promise.

A despatch from Vienna says that it is rumored there that Kars had capitulated.

The Khedive of Egypt will send no more troops to aid Turkey, as he will have all he can attend to at home. The Abyssinians, finding Egypt sending away troops, improve the opportunity to attack her.

A despatch from St. Petersburg, Monday, says the Russians have taken Kars, with 17,000 Turkish prisoners. The attacking army numbered 50,000. This, if true, is an important success for the Russians, and indicates a rapid and successful advance of their armies in Asia Minor.

Kars is considered by the highest military authorities as the military key of Asia Minor. Having possession of it, the Russians have comparatively easy access south to Erzeroum, and then, either capturing or masking this place, they can descend into the fertile plains of Trebizond, and take or destroy an enormous quantity of the agricultural wealth of the Ottoman Empire, and finally gain a foothold at Trebizond, or some other point on the Black Sea. The damage they could do to Turkey here would be immeasurable. Whether they could advance in this direction toward Constantinople would depend on the numbers which they have concentrated between the Caucasus and Ararat. They could certainly advance through Armenia, supporting the army on the country, and not requiring the assistance of a fleet, as would an advance over the Balkans.

News and Notes.

There is trouble over the appointment of M. R. Wickersham as Postmaster at Mobile. Wickersham was a Greeley man. He was in the Harrington city ring. Harrington was Mayor. When Mayor he sold to the city $36,000 worth of fraudulent bonds. Wickersham is universally hated in Mobile for his connection with this ring. He was a carpet-bagger also. Bingham, the present incumbent, is a native and very popular.

The hills of three southern counties in California, Los Angeles, Santa Barbara, and San Bonaventura, are covered with wild and eager men boring for oil and locating claims. The oil furore of 1856 is repeated, but there is this difference: In 1856 they did not know where paying oil was; now they do. They find an abundance of light green and heavy black oil, and Prof. Silliman's prophecies are confirmed. The total product is not very large, but California now expects to supply the whole Pacific in a very short time, and also the markets of Eastern Asia.

Washington reports say that under the new organization of the pension bureau, only four eastern offices will be retained. One for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, of which the agency will probably be at Portland; one for the rest of New England, with the agency at Boston, and two in New York, with agencies at New York city and Canandaigua. The present fifty-eight agencies are to be consolidated into eighteen. The aggregate reduction of expenditures will be $135,000.

Oakey Hall not only refuses to communicate with his family, but will not receive any letters from them or read an American newspaper. And yet they said he was on the kindest terms with his wife and daughters.

Three negroes have been hanged and seven imprisoned for life in South Carolina for the murder of one white man. It is doubtless all right; but we are afraid it would not be so easy to have three white men hanged and seven imprisoned for killing one negro.—*Boston Globe.*

Mr. John T. Daly, proprietor of the Windsor Hotel, New York, who has been missing since May 1st, was found dead in a vacant house on Long Island on Sunday, hanging by the neck from a door in the second story. Mr. Daly, Jr., fully identified the body as that of his father. Several thousand dollars in bonds and money, and a gold watch were found safe upon his person. He had, without doubt, committed suicide while laboring under an aberration of mind. An examination of Mr. Daly's body revealed the fact that the unfortunate man, before hanging himself, had discharged the contents of a pistol into his head. It is stated that he had been seen wandering about the neighborhood two or three days before he committed suicide.

The Sewing Machine Companies, in consequence of the expiration of the last of the patents owned by large manufacturers, have reduced the price fifty per cent.

Burglars on Friday night robbed the house of Harrison Prescott, of Newton, Mass., of $12,500 in money and bonds.

Freight steamship Sidonian, of the Anchor Line between New York and Bristol, England, burst a boiler in mid-ocean, by which the captain, first, second and third engineers, two firemen and a coal trimmer were scalded to death, and the cook injured. The Sidonian was spoken after the accident by the Cunard liner China, but wanted no assistance except medical aid for the cook. She would try to reach port under sail.

A poisoned breakfast at Level Green plantation, Princess Anne county, Va., caused the death of five ladies and the serious illness of three gentlemen.

The Cathedral of Metz was badly damaged by fire on Sunday.

Naval Constructor F. L. Fernald will be assigned to duty as Naval Constructor at the Washington Navy Yard in place of John W. Easby, recently appointed Chief of Bureau, vice Hanscom removed. The double turreted iron-clad Miantonomah has been ordered to get ready for sea.

The official statement shows a reduction of the National debt of the United States from March 1, 1869, to April 30, 1877, $455,104,642.81.

Three men were found hanging to a tree near Sherman, Texas, recently, with a large card on them bearing the words: "Cattle Thieves. Such is life."

Advices from South America say that the Archbishop of Quito was poisoned Good Friday while saying mass, by means of strychnine introduced into the wine used in the ceremony. Great excitement and indignation naturally prevailed over the awful sacrilege. The perpetrators were not discovered.

Two of Bergh's officers who interfered in a cock fight on Long Island last Friday night, were killed by roughs.

Crazy Horse and his band, to the number of thirteen hundred have surrendered to the United States authorities at Camp Robinson, Nebraska.

At the close of a heavy storm at the end of last month, portions of a vessel went ashore near Smithville, N. C., one part landing on Fort Caswell beach. This part showed the wrecked vessel to have been a large vessel with three masts, either a ship or a barque. She was covered up as high as fifteen feet with bright metal, and probably when loaded would draw sixteen and a half feet of water. All the bolts are brass, four, six and even eight feet long; the knees are solid iron, and the outside planking six inches through and of stout pine, probably Norway pine. She must have been a staunch ship. A ship coming in a few days before found the sails of a large ship floating at sea, and the captain took the topgallant sail off and found it covered with sand, which showed that the vessel from which it came was wrecked on or near the Frying Pan Shoals. The wreck on the beach at Fort Caswell is probably part of the same ship.

New Hampshire Items.

Commencement exercises at Tilden Ladies' Seminary, West Lebanon, will be attended on the week opening June 17. Baccalaureate sermon, by Rev. Cyrus Richards, Keene; annual address by General John Eaton, Jr., LL. D., Washington, D. C. Class honors have been assigned: Valedictory to Mary L. Durkee, West Lebanon; salutatory to Emma M. Woods, Chester, Vt.; class hymn to Louise W. Guibord, Boston.

Thomas Murphy, the young Irishman arrested on suspicion of having poisoned Samuel Dascomb of Greenfield, has been discharged from custody, the experts having failed to find poison in Dascomb's stomach.

The body of an unknown man, apparently about forty years of age, was found in the canal near the Amoskeag counting-room, in Manchester, on Monday. The body appeared to have been in the water all winter.

The saw and grist mill of E. Heald, of Epsom, were burned by an incendiary fire on Sunday. Loss, $4000; insurance, $2000. The house and barn of Mr. Carpenter Stevens, in Epsom, were burned Thursday night. Insured $2300.

Political.

Foster's Democrat, in commenting on a denunciation by the Nashua *Gazette* of the decision of the Supreme Court on the question submitted by the Governor and Council, says: "If Judge Bingham's addendum to the decision of the present court, which was published last week, be correct, there have now been three distinct decisions of this question, and they all agree that the Governor and Council have no authority to go behind the returns and throw out, reject or disregard any votes. The clear deduction from this is that the acts of Gov. Weston and Council in the Natt Head and Deering cases were not only unconstitutional, but were directly opposed to two previous decisions of the court." We are not sure, but our impression is that the *Democrat* opposed the Weston infamy at the time it was perpetrated, and that it was the only democratic paper in the State that took that ground.

The *Tribune* says: "Political sensations follow each other with startling rapidity this season. Here, now, is the Democratic Jackson Association of Washington, which wanted to arrange for Mr. Tilden's inauguration before the question of who was to be inaugurated was settled—here now is this organization endorsing Hayes!" In explanation of this performance by the Dem. Jack. Ass. of Washington, the correspondent of the Boston *Post* says: "The President of the Association, who presided at a meeting held in March at which resolutions were passed denouncing Hayes' election to the Presidency as the result of fraud, is now a candidate for the District Commissionership, which explains the endorsement of the Southern policy." So it seems the prospect of getting an office is soothing to the loudest talking of the "reformers."

—The following is attributed to Beecher: "Men and women, before marriage, are as figures and ciphers. The woman is the cipher and counts for nothing till she gets the figure of a husband beside her, when she becomes of importance herself and adds tenfold to the sum of his. But this, it must be observed, occurs only when she gets and remains on the right side of him, for when she shifts from this position he returns to his lesser estate, and she to her original insignificance."

—When Parson Brownlow was attending conference at Abingdon, Va., in 1850, he suffered a serious illness, and Bishop Capers and other divines present were rather anxious to know how the "eccentric parson" felt in view of an exchange of worlds. Accordingly they visited his room, and the Bishop read the Scriptures and sang and prayed with him. On taking his leave, Dr. Capers took him by the hand and, looking him full in the face, inquired as to his prospects beyond the grave. The answer was prompt and confident. "Well, Bishop, if I had my life to live over again I could improve it in many respects, and would try to do so. However, if the books have been properly kept in the other world—and of this I have no doubt—there is a small balance in my favor."

—The timber lands of the South will within the next ten years become a valuable property. It is estimated that the lower peninsula of Michigan, once called the timber reserve of the continent, will be denuded in ten years. The destruction of the forests all over the North is terrible; and James Little of Montreal, well known as an authority in these matters, has recently published a declaration that in Canada "the whole Ottawa Valley could not to-day furnish as much pine as would supply the present consumption of sawed lumber in the United States for ten months." The young men of to-day will see the forest lands of the South become as rich a possession as the cotton lands; and they may possibly see lumbering become as much of an industry in the Rocky Mountains as gold mining.

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Top Work Cabriolets,
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I have some of the finest light Concord style Wagons made. Also, a large Stock of fine HARNESSES that will be sold less than Manufacturers' prices.

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or cause or to be cast into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any part of the fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive nuisances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substance.

DANIEL W. JONES, M. D.,
ROBERT SHILLABER,
DANIEL DANIELSON,
Health Officers.

Real Estate.

To Let.

A PART of the Dwelling House No. 30 Washington street; apply at the house. t. f.

To Let.

A GENTEEL RESIDENCE for a small family. Enquire at 37 ISLINGTON ST.

House to Let.

NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 84 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to
March 21, 1877. JEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET.
Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

House to Let.

A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to
HENRY F. GERRISH.

House Lots.

DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on White, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, on Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

For Sale.

HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Drisco.
Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,
at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
House No. 36 Deer Street.
Brick House No. 56 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 2 Rockingham Street.
Apply to
A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.

THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.
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THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 28x33 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 22x60 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.

For further particulars enquire of
JAMES JANVRIN,
No. 38 South Street.

HOTEL TO RENT.

NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

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2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

LAND FOR SALE.

THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,
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A Thorough Gymnastic System

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In 10 Minutes once a Day.

Doubles the Strength in three months. Does not Fatigue nor Exhaust. Refreshes and Invigorates. Removes Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Tones the Nervous System. Improves the Circulation. Warms the Extremities. Increases the general Vitality.

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MILLINERY

NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

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Hats & Bonnets

Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.

C. N. SHAW & CO.,

No. 3 Market Street.

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MAGIC

CONDITION PILLS!

The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the source of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2[illegible] years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live, have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 29, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 8th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shal continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking Dr. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago Indivisci him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not send them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. Who helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. *I know it, for I have tried them*, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my house for nearly the time for eight or ten winters, and have been traveling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that your pills will cure anything they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1876.

MESSRS. W. LANE—*Sirs:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as these pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend these Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of these Pills.

MRS. F. L. ELLIOTT.

DR. QUAIN'S MAGIC CONDITION PILLS are put up only by the AMERICAN MEDICINE CO., Manchester, N. H., THOMAS W. LANE, Agent.

For Sale in Portsmouth at the

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JOHN H. SLATER,

AGENT.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30†	P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15	P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50	P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30	"
Dover,	10.20 " 5.30	"

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The Probate Court sits in this city to-day.

The street sprinklers commenced business on Monday.

Steamer Allentown (steam collier No. 13) arrived at this port from Philadelphia on Sunday, with 1641 tons of coal.

News is so scarce in New Hampshire that the Portsmouth CHRONICLE notices the eighth anniversary of the freezing to death of a litter of pigs in another State.—*Portland Advertiser.*

B. P. Shillaber, Esq., writes the Boston *Journal* that he thinks it was not he who circumvented and demoralized the "confidence man" in New York, and says: "As I should assuredly have been swindled had I been there—having a special gift for being taken in—the fact that my other self escaped proves an alibi."

Mr. Wm. Flynn of this city, while assisting in hauling one of Mr. Poor's large boats ashore on Star Island, Monday, had his arm badly broken by being crushed under the boat, owing to her falling over from the breaking of a shore.

A little daughter of Mr. James Rutledge was badly bitten in the hand by a large dog belonging to Mr. Rutledge, Monday evening.

A horse belonging to Mr. H. R. Stoddard ran away Monday evening, just after being harnessed, and went up Warren street to Haymarket square on a run. Here he struck a wheel of the carriage against the reservoir curbing, which upset the carriage and threw the horse down; and before he could get up two men secured him, with but slight damage either to himself or the vehicle. At about the same time one of Mr. Beacham's horses started off on a lone trip, but was stopped on the corner of Congress and Fleet streets.

Rev. Carlos Martyn, formerly pastor of the North Church, in this city, was installed over the Thirty-Fourth street Dutch Reform Church, New York city, Sunday evening.

DROWNED.

On Monday evening, as William S. Roberts and Edward F. Hall of this city, and Frank Frost of Eliot, were going up the river in a dory, when near "boiling rock" two of them attempted to change seats, and in doing so capsized the boat. Frost and Hall (the latter of whom has but one arm) hung to the dory, Roberts attempting to swim to the shore to relieve the boat of his weight; he proceeded apparently well enough until about half-way ashore, when the men on the boat saw him throw up his hands, and sink without a cry. A boat from the shore picked up the survivors.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, May 7th.

George Smith, drunk, was fined $3, costs $3 Same, for brawl and tumult, was assessed $9.90,—a total of $15.90 for one spree. Paid.

RAILROAD MEETING.

At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Portland, Saco & Portsmouth Railroad, held at Kittery Monday forenoon, it was voted to accept the arrangement previously made by the directors with the officials of the Eastern Railroad and directors of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, by which the Portland, Saco & Portsmouth Railroad is mortgaged to the creditors for the sum of $250,000, the Eastern to pay the amount of indebtedness with interest. One-half of said principal of the mortgage note is to be paid next July and the other half to become due in six months; but on payment, at maturity, of one-eighth of the amount thereof with interest, it shall be renewable, for the balance, for another six months by giving another note, and so on, paying one-eighth at the end of each six months until the whole amount with interest shall have been paid. It was voted to accept a continuance of the existing guarantee of six per cent. from the Eastern Railroad as in past years.

[Communicated.]

A CORRECTION.

Messrs. Editors: My attention has recently been called to an item in your Rye correspondence of last week, wherein some reflections are cast upon a conductor of one of the trains on the Eastern Railroad, that are unjust as well as unfounded in fact. I chanced to be a passenger on that train, and not only saw no reason for complaint but saw that there was room enough and to spare, in the two cars alluded to, for all. And then I wish to bear testimony to the over courteous and patient conductor of that train. Surely, if there ever was such an anomaly as a patient conductor, then John Leavitt fills the bill. Not obtrusive nor oily,—but pleasantly, quietly and courteously he moves among his passengers, attending strictly to his own business, and is known among the patrons of the road as just the kind of a man who will do all in his power to accommodate those who place themselves in his charge. There are some conductors that I have met in my travels who are as consummate hogs as their human form will allow them to be, having a thoroughly swinish temperament added to an immense ability for exhibiting it on the slightest causes; but in pleasant and marked contrast to such characters is Conductor Leavitt, and this testimonial to his merits is wholly gratuitous and unsolicited, being prompted solely by the temptation "to speak of a man as we find him."

Yours, G.

[Communicated.]

A CRITIC CRITICISED.

The Eclectic Club will have reason to exclaim, "Oh, save me from my friends," and insist that the writer of its puffs must learn to discriminate in order to give his praises the ring of truth. No artist paints his picture entirely without a shadow. The glaring picture drawn by a too partial observer of the pleasant entertainment given at Franklin Hall, Friday evening, loses its best effects by its blazing lights all through, if we may except the allusion to Mr. Williamson—a gentleman whose truthful, delicate and artistic delineations have made him the favorite of the mimic stage. It is possible to kill with kindness, and when one states that "each and all were as perfect in the rendition of their characters as any professed artists we have ever seen," he compels us to the conclusion that the writer's opportunities have been painfully limited. In the first place, it is simply impossible to collect a dozen persons of whom each one is able to achieve supreme success; it is never expected in the best drilled companies, and it is claiming something unreasonable to assert that twelve or fourteen stars were obtained from our private parlors on a month's notice, and that each outshone the other. Actors do not spring, fully armed and equipped like Minerva from the head of Jupiter, ready for action, but they have to climb through patient labor and unceasing drill toward the upper rounds of the ladder, and then with modest self-distrust conceive of heights that they despair of attaining; and I think the amateurs themselves who have done so much toward giving us delightful entertainments would shrink from being put before Kate Reignolds, Maggie Mitchell, Sara Jewett and Edwin Booth.

AN ADMIRER OF HOME TALENT.

RYE.

RYE, May 7th.

Preparations for summer boarders are in order at the beaches, and probably the usual number of guests in search of health and a cheaper place than home to live in during the heated term, will be on hand about the first of July, and remain until September. There is a difference of opinion among our citizens in regard to the benefits arising from this "boarding business," some asserting that it is, and always has been, to speak plainly a "curse to the town." This class represents those who live a little distance from the beaches, and don't take boarders, and claim that, while those who do are reaping all the benefits derived from the business they still are not satisfied, but are all the time asking the town to build them new roads, bridges, etc., and are not willing to pay their just proportion of the expense caused thereby, notwithstanding it benefits them personally, and is no accommodation to citizens living away from the beaches; and they say it makes taxes higher and does not help them in the way of selling their produce to any better advantage than though there was not a solitary boarder here, for the parties who have to buy send to Boston for everything they want. On the other hand, it is claimed that the business benefits the whole town, and that it is to be seen on all sides in the improved condition of the buildings and surroundings, from what they were twenty or thirty years ago; also in various other ways, which no one at all conversant with the general appearance of things now and twenty years ago can fail to notice. At any rate, there is no sign of any decline in the business, and for the coming season there will be accommodation for one hundred more boarders than there was last year. Mr. Richard L. Locke has a fine house nearly completed, which will accommodate a large family; and near by Mr. C. Austin Jenness is busily at work on another fine house, which will be ready for company the first of July; while Mr. Otis S. Jenness, in close proximity, is about putting the finishing touches to a commodious dwelling which will be in order for guests by the time the season opens. Mr. Richard Jenness, on the south road, whose house was destroyed by fire last year, has also had a fine house built for him, which is about ready for occupancy and will accommodate quite a number of boarders, if he should desire to take any. The Hotels have made no additions to their accommodating capacity, so far as numbers are concerned, since last season, but there will probably be "room for one more" at any time while the season lasts.

Probably, during the height of the season, the papers will have the annual announcement of some "New York capitalist" negotiating for the site of the Old Ocean House and proposing to put up" in time for next season's business" a magnificent hotel, and also we shall read of the proposed adding on to the front of the Farragut House sixty feet, so as to have the piazza of that popular resort covered twice during the twenty-four hours with the ocean at high tide, and so preclude the necessity of guests going a step from the house to enjoy all the benefits of the ocean, including bathing, and moonlight flirting by the sad sea waves. As for the Sea View, it don't seem as though there could be much chance for any more enlarging there at present, as the whole available space is pretty well covered with buildings now.

The selectmen have advertised for proposals to build a road laid out by the County Commissioners, from John O. Foss', on the sandy beach road, so called, to Mr. E. W. Lang's on the back road; also to build a road from the Farragut House to North Hampton line.

NAT.

The Wise Course in Rheumatism.

Rheumatic patients who have been induced to submit to depletion by blood letting, or to take colchicum and other drugs of an equally pernicious character, will consult their well being by abandoning such insane procedure and using as a substitute Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which will infallibly afford them the much desired relief, and is absolutely safe. This benign vegetable depurent cools the blood by expelling from it the inflammatory elements which give rise to maladies of a rheumatic and gouty type, and rectifies disordered conditions of the stomach, nervous system and bowels which usually accompany them. As rheumatism has a tendency to attack the heart, the desirability of an early resort to the Bitters is obvious, since the danger is increased by every moment.

Active Service

cannot wear out the teeth that are brushed daily with Sozodont. If it were in universal use the dentist would have little to do, for it is a positive preventive of dental disease.

The teeth of persons who use it cannot decay or turn yellow.

"Stick!" said Sumner. He referred to Spalding's Glue.

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Thousands of living grave-robbed witnesses proclaim the wonderful virtues of *Adamson's Botanic Balsam* as a speedy cure for coughs, colds, asthma and consumption. Sample bottles free. Large bottles, 35 and 75 cents.

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Daily Chronicle.

—A placard in the window of a patent medicine vender in Paris, is as follows: "The public are requested not to mistake this shop for that of another quack opposite."

—This is what a pilgrim writes from Deadwood: "Lot jumpers are bold, bad men; they jumped my lot. They also dodge bullets and let the wrong man get shot. Night before last a man jumped his brother-in-law's lot, and when he was upbraided therefor smote his kinsman hip and thigh. The injured party got his navy, found his man, took a good aim, fired—and killed an innocent bystander. About a dozen of us smart Alecks laid out a new street. We did it by stealth, like thieves in the night, as it were, to keep out the jumpers. Next morning we went to take possession of our lots, and found our thoroughfare blocked up with frame shanties. We withdrew. That's why I don't think a lot jumper is entitled to don an angel's plumage when he shall have crossed over to the other side."

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N. H. State 6s, 1893	111½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	58½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	82½
Boston & Maine	38½
Boston & Providence	121½
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	8½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	8
Fitchburg	109½
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	41½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	30
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	50½

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Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter liable to produce offensive effluvia, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance or any other nuisance shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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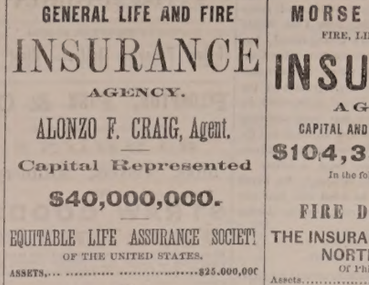

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A Bird Story.

In the many long years that Thomas Edward spent in intimate fellowship with animate nature, he was a witness of manifold curious incidents happening in the history of birds and beasts, which he narrates in a spirited and picturesque manner. Among such anecdotes which Mr. Smiles has introduced into Edward's biography, one of the most interesting is that illustrating the surprising degree of feeling which the tern is capable of entertaining. Edward was, one afternoon in August, watching the evolutions of a flock of these birds, which were engaged in fishing in the Fryth of Boyndie. He was seeking an opportunity to bag one of the beautiful creatures, when, as if in answer to his desire, a noble specimen directed its course to the shore, fishing all the way as it came. In the midst of a vivid description of the habits of the bird in the pursuit of its prey, Edward relates:

"Once more he soars aloft on lively wing, and, having attained a certain elevation, and hovering, kestral-like for a little, with quick-repeated strokes of his pinions he rapidly descends. Again, however, his hoped-for victim has made its escape; and he bounds away in an oblique direction, describing a beautiful curve as he rises without touching the water. Shortly after he wings his way nearer and nearer to the beach; onward he advances with zigzag flight, when suddenly, as if struck down with an unseen hand, he drops into the water within about thirty yards of the place where I am standing. As he righted and sat on the bosom of the deep, I was enabled distinctly to perceive that he held in his bill a little scaly captive, which he had snatched from its home, which struggled violently to regain its liberty. Its struggles were in vain; a few squeezes from the mandibles of the bird put an end to its existence.

Being now within my reach, I stood prepared for the moment when he should again arise. This he did as soon as the fish was dispatched. I fired and he came down with a broken wing, screaming as he fell into the water. The report of the gun together with his cries, brought together the party he had left, that they might ascertain the cause of the alarm. After surveying their wounded brother round and round, as he was drifting unwittingly toward the shore with the flowing tide, they came flying in a body to the spot where I stood, and rent the air with their screams. These they continued to utter, regardless of their individual safety, until I began to make preparations for receiving the approaching bird. I could already see that it was a beautiful specimen; and I expected in a few moments to have it in my possession, being not very far from the water's edge.

While matters were in this position, I beheld to my utter astonishment and surprise, two of the unwounded terns take hold of their disabled comrade, one at each wing, lift him out of the water, and bear him out seaward. They were followed by two other birds. After being carried six or seven yards, he was let gently down again, when he was taken up in a similar manner by the two who had been hitherto inactive. In this way they continued to carry him alternately, until they had conveyed him to a rock at a considerable distance, upon which they landed him safely. Having recovered my self-possession, I made toward the rock, wishing to obtain the prize which had been so unceremoniously snatched from my grasp. I was observed, however, by the terns, and, instead of four, I had in a short time a whole swarm about me. On my near approach to the rock, I once more beheld two of them take hold of the wounded bird as they had done already, and bear him out to sea in triumph, far beyond my reach. This, had I been so inclined, I could no doubt have prevented. Under the circumstances, however, my feelings would not permit me; and I willingly allowed them to perform without molestation an act of mercy, and to exhibit an instance of affection which man himself need not be ashamed to imitate. I was, indeed, rejoiced at the disappointment which they had occasioned, for they had thereby rendered me the witness of a scene which I could scarcely have believed, and which no length of time will efface from my recollection."

An Editor Who Loves Babies.

We love babies, and also anybody else who loves babies. No man has music in his soul who doesn't love babies. Babies were made to be loved, especially girl babies—when they grow up. A man isn't worth a "shuck" who doesn't love a baby, and the same rule applies to a woman. A baby is a spring day in winter, a hothouse in summer, a ray of sunshine in frigid winter, and, if it's a healthy, good-natured little baby, and it's yours, it's a bushel of sunshine, no matter how cold the weather. A man cannot be a hopeless case so long as he loves babies—one at a time. We love babies all over, no matter how dirty they are. Babies were born to be dirty. Our love for babies is only bounded by the number of babies in the world. We also have sorrowful feelings for mothers who have no babies. Women always look down-hearted who have no babies; and men who have none always grumble and drink and stay out nights, trying to get music in their souls; but they can't come it.

Babies are babies, and nothing can take their place.—*Atchison Patriot.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 1877.

A Vast Monopoly Ended.

At twelve o'clock, noon, on Tuesday, the sewing machine monopoly came to an end by the expiration of the Bachelder patents, which were originally granted on the 8th of May, 1847, for a term of sixteen years, and twice extended for successive periods of seven years each. The expired patents covered the vibrating needle and rotating hook, and a continuous feed in connection with the above, whether wheel or what is known as a fore motion feed. The refusal to grant a reissue of these patents has destroyed the exclusive monopoly enjoyed up to this time by the companies known as the Grover & Baker, the Wheeler & Wilson, Howe and Singer. The John Batchelder patent for continuous feed motion was the most valuable patent in their possession, and of vital value, as machines constructed without this motion have no value in this market. This sewing machine combination cleared no less than six millions profit from this patent. The four companies named, in 1851, entered into an agreement of mutual protection, by which patents of any value owned by either of them should become common property to all, and it was also stipulated that no machine should be sold at less than the regulation price, which was placed at *six times the cost of first manufacture!* They would also license other companies, not in the combination, to use their patents, demanding a royalty of from $3 to $20 per machine, according to the number of machines made, but always stipulating that the price should be uniform. This arrangement gave the four companies the absolute control of all sewing machines manufactured in America. The invaluable Bachelder patent has been twice extended, and last winter the companies interested pooled one million dollars, and despatched attorneys to Washington to endeavor to induce Congress to further extend the patent by legislation. This movement, however, strange to say, with so much money behind it, failed. Ever since great efforts have been made by the combination to secure some monopoly in minor details of construction, which could be reissued, and thus save something from the wreck, but without avail; the backbone of the sewing machine ring is hopelessly broken. The cost of manufacturing any of the ordinary machines, exclusive of ornamentation, is about $8.75, and it is the testimony of reputable sewing machine manufacturers that they will soon be put on the market at $25 each, if indeed not less. As anybody that wants to can now manufacture sewing machines, it is quite likely they will be on the market at $10 or $15 each, before the year ends.

The War.

A despatch from Erzeroum, received in London on Monday, says: "The Russian right wing is reaching through Geulis and Tchilder, evidently with the purpose, unless prevented by the Turks, of turning the second Turkish line of defence at Soghaule. The Russian centre, in the plain of Kars, seems to be awaiting the result of this movement and of the manœuvres of the left wing, which is trying to force its way from Bayazid by the way of Surikay. Mukhtar Pasha telegraphs the Porte that he occupies a strong position between Kars and Erzeroum, and is confident that he can stop the Russian advance. The Porte has decided to grant a general amnesty to the Bulgarians.

Austria has notified Russia and the Porte that the interruption of free navigation of the Danube can only be temporary. Navigation must, after the war, be restored to its full force, in accordance with the treaty of Paris.

The Sultan has resolved to proclaim a holy war.

Prince Charles of Roumania officially announces that Roumania will oppose force to force so far as Turkey is concerned.

Later intelligence confirms the rumor that the Turks have been defeated before Kars, and sustained heavy losses. Ali Pasha was taken prisoner. Great uneasiness prevails at Constantinople.

The Turks on Tuesday, without declaring war against Roumania commenced bombarding Kalafat, the Roumanian batteries answering with spirit.

New Hampshire Items.

There are only seventeen lawyers in the next House of Representatives, and about half the entire number are farmers. A short session is confidently anticipated as a consequence.

John L. Gilman, aged 66 years, in business at Great Falls for many years, died on Friday and was buried Monday. All the business places were closed during the funeral services as a mark of respect.

Rev. William Hayne Leavell was on Monday installed pastor of the First Baptist Church in Manchester.

At the Manchester office of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company, Saturday night, in the presence of Governor Cheney and wife, Mayor Cross and wife, Dr. E. M. Tubbs, President of the New Hampshire Telegraph Company, Professor Cheney of Bates College, Lewiston, Me., and many prominent gentlemen and ladies, Professor A. Graham Bell made a most successful experiment with the telephone between that city and Boston.

Men and Notes.

It is reported that Russian emissaries are in every large port on the Atlantic coast of the United States, in constant communication with the commander of the Russian fleet in New York harbor, and that if any vessels now loading arms and ammunition for Turkey should sail, one of the Russian men-of-war will pursue and capture it. In this connection it is stated that should such an event take place the Turkish Government could claim exemplary damages, as that Government has formally notified the United States of the war against Russia.

The official report of the surrender of Crazy Horse puts the whole number of surrendering Indians at 889, of whom 217 were men. Two thousand ponies, and 117 stands of arms were given up. Other firearms are known to be in their possession.

The coast steamer Waloon exploded her boiler at Delacroix, nine miles below New Orleans, Monday, killing Bernard Donnelly, the engineer, and McGiff, the fireman. Two others were wounded and six are reported missing. They are supposed to have been drowned.

A transport from Woolwich, England, laden with long range rifled 68-pounders, for citadel batteries, is now en route to Quebec. It is rumored that the Twenty-third Fusiliers are coming out, and will be stationed at Quebec.

Charles S. Brown's trial for the murder of his father commenced in Newport, R. I., on Monday.

The trial of Smith, at Ellsworth, Me., for the murder of Mr. Trim, his daughter, Mrs. Thayer, and her little girl, commenced last week and was continued Monday and Tuesday.

Having failed to put down the Cuban rebellion by arms, or threats of extermination, the Spanish authorities are now apparently going to try conciliation. A recent decree declares that all persons banished from the island for political reasons are pardoned without reserve. Embargoes are raised on the property of insurgents who have surrendered or shall surrender before the end of the war, except insurgent chiefs and those who, having received pardon, again go into the rebellion; persons thus excepted are to await the disposition of the Government. Embargoes on the property of deceased insurgents are also raised, the property being restored to the heirs if the heirs remain faithful to Spain.

The mission to England has been tendered to Ex-Secretary Fish.

The Russian Advance.

The Russians appear to be steadily advancing in European Turkey, as well as in Asia. The shrewd tactics of Russia have almost completely baffled the Turks. The Russians are threatening in three directions, and the Turks are trying to keep the Danube covered at all vital points. The Turkish monitors keep hammering away at Reni, below Galatz, to keep the Russians from crossing at that point, but it is clear that they are beginning to suspect trouble higher up the river, for they have been hovering round Oltenitza, a place half way between Rustchuk and Silistria, and laying torpedoes in the river. It must be remembered in looking at the movements of these Turkish gunboats and monitors on the Danube, that there are two fleets of them, and that the Russians have cut in between them at Galatz and separated them hopelessly. The larger portion of these gunboats were, at the commencement of hostilities, up at Widden, where they had been stationed all through the Servian war. Hobart Pasha took them down to Rustchuk with the probable expectation that he would be able to patrol the Danube and make things lively for the Russians. The sudden seizure of Galatz and Ibrail spoiled all his plans. The banks are occupied and fortified, the monitors are imprisoned. To test the strength of the Russian line, Hobart Pasha took a swift despatch boat and dashed past their batteries in the night, but there does not seem to be sufficient enterprise in the other Turkish officers to follow his example, although the sure result of their continuance in the river must be their capture whenever the Russians want them. The upper squadron seems to be hovering around Oltenitza, having backed out of another bombardment of Ibrail, and meantime the Russians have only to seize Turna, high up the river, and plant a line of torpedoes there, to have the river flotilla of Hobart Pasha in a trap from whence they cannot escape. Every move the monitors make up and down the river leaves the track behind them open for the planting of more torpedoes, and they must at last be hemmed in and run down, at Rustchuk or thereabouts. The smaller division at the mouth of the Danube—the one whose gunboats are bombarding Reni at intervals—is not exposed to the risk of capture, but it is doubtful whether it can accomplish much of importance. The line of the river from Reni to Ibrail is now occupied, according to the latest despatches, by 80,000 Russians, with 100 heavy guns in position. No gunboats possessed by the Turks can hope to run the gauntlet of a passage thus protected, and when we consider the additional perils of torpedoes, it is clear that the river may be said to be practically closed whenever the Russians choose to close it. Meantime the Grand Duke Nicholas telegraphs that the Pruth is much swollen, but that "the concentration of troops shall not be interfered with." His movements are very slow, but those of the Turks are so timid and hesitating that he will be enabled to choose his own point of attack at leisure.

Political.

Senator Thurman says that no democrat can honestly find any fault with the President's policy, since he has granted the Southern democrats all they asked or could have obtained if Mr. Tilden had been declared the duly elected President.

At the seventh annual Convention of the American Labor Reform League, commenced on Sunday in Masonic Hall, New York, long resolutions were offered, denouncing both the republican and democratic parties, and declaring that no candidate will receive a labor reform vote who is not opposed to property in land, money monopoly, compulsory taxation and every device giving increase to property and an income, without labor, to its holders. These reformers are evidently of the kind that hang around barrooms and talk about the rights of the working man.

The famous "Parsee Merchant," James L. Moore, who abused Horace Greeley and other protectionists for a number of years in the columns of the New York *World* under Manton Marble's management, has been holding a sinecure position in the Custom House for a long time. The committee investigating the management of the New York Custom House discovered on Thursday that Moore has been drawing $1,800 per year from the Government for which he rendered no equivalent. It is in rather bad grace for such a fellow to preach on "revenue reform." He could say knowingly, as he often did, that our revenue system was rotten.—*New Haven Union (dem.)*

Converting a Preacher.

We alluded last week to certain outrages in Oglethorpe County, Ga., where, among others, a negro preacher was flogged to cure him of republicanism. We now see by the Oglethorpe *Echo*, published in the county, that the prescription was effective. The *Echo* prints the following:

"Anthony Thurster, the negro preacher, who was so severely whipped by a party of disguised men near Maxey's recently, asks that we announce to his white friends that he would prove himself a better man—will never again make a political speech, deliver a sermon, or vote a republican ticket; from henceforth he is an unswerving democrat. We are glad that Anthony's eyes are at last opened to a proper course for him to pursue, but sorry that such 'stringent measures' had to be adopted ere he would, as it were, 'be born again.'"

Meanwhile the negroes who shot down some white men engaged in breaking up one of their meetings, have been tried and sentenced to the penitentiary for from two to ten years each. The Atlanta *Constitution* says they were "ably defended under the care of the court;" but it adds, as an item of news, that one of the negroes "endeavored to smuggle a note, through the medium of a vest which he threw from the window to a negro woman named Anna Henry. The letter was found in the pocket of the garment, and besought Anna to at once communicate to Atlanta, as well as to Pledger, full particulars of their trial, and ask that aid be sent them forthwith." This shows how much "defence" the poor fellow was allowed.—*New York Times.*

—London butcher: "You've not been 'avin so many j'ints this last week or two, ma'am." Lady (who has been dabbling in American beef, but does not dare say so:) "Er—no—er we've had a good deal of game sent us lately by some friends in the North, you know!" Butcher: "Indeed, ma'am! Now, what sort of game do they send you in the month of April, ma'am?"

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Real Estate.

To Let.

PART of the Dwelling House No. 30 Washington street; apply at the house. t. f.

To Let.

A GENTEEL RESIDENCE for a small family. Enquire at 37 ISLINGTON ST.

House to Let,

NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to

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To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

House to Let.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibirt, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, on Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.

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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

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THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS fromerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

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No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 7 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. I have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. I have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirty Days. First time Free from Pain Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 187

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and was free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and twenty, but, as I am gaining strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 187

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you I advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they certainly cure them of aches and pains caused by exposure and hardship on the field. Please send by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 187

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of Dr. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and what they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise, so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad he could not lift his hand to his head or do a work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been a free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What he says he will do for himself speaks volumes for the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, you more than they were recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and want others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. P. PEVAR

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most the time for eight or ten winters, and have been travelling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most intractable they had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida when through the kindness of Rev. R. M. Mc my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately wrote to you for a package. I have taken four doses and am almost free from pain. The impression seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Shell, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 18

MR. THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last years. For the nerves I think there is nothing good as those pills. I can recommend them to those who are similarly afflicted, they have done me much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West, 8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M.
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland "	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	———	4.35‡ "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	———
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, May 8th.

Charles Hammond, a graduate of Brentwood, was ordered to go there again for three months, it being proved that he was a common drunkard. The costs, $6.90, will keep him some time after the three months are worked out.

JOTTINGS.

Edward Kelly has kept a little shebeene on Chapel street, to the disgust of neighbors and others. Last Sunday he had a lot of drunken men-of-war's-men in and around the place, and the swearing and fighting going on at the time the attendants at St. John's church were passing, at noon, won more attention than admiration. The police determined to abate Edward and his hotel, and accordingly raided on him on Tuesday, seizing some twenty-five gallons of cider, two or three of rum, about a barrel of ale, lager, glasses, jugs, etc. That will take the profits off his Sunday sales.

The Pension Agency in this city is to be discontinued. President Hayes on Monday issued an order consolidating the fifty-eight pension offices in the country into eighteen, leaving only two in New England, those at Boston and Concord. Concerning the New England agencies the order directs, "That on and after July 1, 1877, the agencies for the payment of pensions at Portsmouth, in the Sate of New Hampshire, Montpelier and Burlington, in the State of Vermont, Augusta, Bangor and Portland in the State of Maine, will be discontinued, and the agency districts consolidated with the district of Concord, in the State of New Hampshire, and the pensions paid at the said agencies, including the navy pensions of the districts of Montpelier and Burlington, now paid at Boston, will hereafter be paid at the agency at Concord, N. H. The agencies at Fitchburg, Mass., Hartford, Conn., and Providence, R. I., are to be consolidated with the agency at Boston."

Two boys, aged respectively nine and ten years, were picked up by the police on Tuesday. It was drawn from them that one had been expelled from a school in Great Falls for some misconduct, and had persuaded the other to run away with him. As the baby tramps were hungry, the police sent them to an eating house to get dinner; and after they had eaten their fill they "went through the till," and then dodging out repeated the same performance in a store, getting between four and five dollars at the two places. They were sent back to Great Falls by the first train, and will probably find their way to Concord before many years.

Six persons—three young men, a woman and two girls—were baptised at "the landing" at Kittery Foreside, Sunday morning, by Rev. S. A. Hutchinson.

At a meeting of the Portsmouth Veteran Artillery Association, held on Monday evening, Col. T. E. O. Marvin introduced a resolution for the celebration, on the 14th of June next, of the one hundredth anniversary of the adoption by Congress of the "Stars and Stripes" as our National Ensign. The resolution was unanimously adopted. Commander Geo. W. Towle, Col. T. E. O. Marvin, Lieut. William O. Sides, Quartermaster John H. Wells and Sergt. William A. Ashe were appointed a committee to make the necessary arrangements for a suitable observance of the occasion.

The May term of the Circuit Court of the United States convened in this city Tuesday forenoon, Judge Shepley presiding. There was also a session of the Rockingham county Probate Court.

Last August William A. Hoyt stole $300 and a check for $1000 from Charles Greeley of East Kingston. Hoyt was arrested in Boston on Tuesday and brought to this city for the attention of the Court.

Mr. John W. Drew of Concord will speak on the subject of temperance in Franklin Hall on Sunday evening next at half past seven.

Some time last winter one William Donohue bit off the thumb of Charles Davis of Kingston, in revenge, it is said, for Davis threatening to complain of Donohue for selling liquor at a place he then kept at Newton Junction. On Tuesday Sheriff Kent arrested Donohue at Haverhill, Mass., and brought him to this city to stand trial before the Supreme Court for aggravated assault.

The "brown loaf" for Sunday morning's breakfast is still sold in this city for ten cents, notwithstanding the war and the report of a rise in price to twelve cents.

Two horses belonging to Mr. Floron Barri backed off the wharf at the foot of Deer street on Tuesday, and were in the water nearly half an hour before being got out, both taking bad colds from the bath. They were engaged in hoisting coal from the schooner Sarah Wooster.

On Tuesday, James Calorin and James Hoye, belonging in Dover, were arrested in this city, having in their possession a badly-smashed team which they had stolen from Dover, the carriage having been broken on the way while the occupants were overcome by too much benzine. The men were taken to the police station and the team to Beacham's stable. An officer came down from Dover in search of the runaways, and made anxious enquiries for a third man who is implicated in the affair.

Correspondence.

RYE, May 8th.

"G" writes you that an item in last week's Rye correspondence casts some reflections on a conductor of one of the trains on the Eastern Railroad which are "unjust" and "unfounded in fact," and he says he was a passenger "on that train and saw that there was room enough and to spare for all," etc. So there was, *standing-room*; and all of his labored defence of the Conductor does not alter the fact, that passengers were obliged to stand from Newburyport to Greenland; and if he wishes proof of that fact he can very readily obtain all he wants, if he doubts the word of one who saw with his own eyes what was asserted in regard to that train. NAT.

SOUTH SEABROOK, May 7th.

Mr. Samuel Eaton died suddenly Sunday morning. He had been working very hard the day before, planting a piece of stump ground, and seemed in his usual health when he retired for the night; but about four o'clock in the morning he awoke his wife by his loud breathing, and she, thinking him in a nightmare, tried to arouse him, but he soon ceased to breathe. Dr. J. W. Colcord was called, and pronounced it a case of heart disease. Mr. Eaton was seventy years of age; a brother of seventy-seven and a sister of eighty-five survive him. He had always been an industrious man, and cut sixty cords of wood during the winter just past. He was a man of strict integrity, and his loss will be greatly felt by this community. ENO.

YORK, ME., May 7th.

On Monday (or some other day last week, or some other week now past) Deputy Sheriffs Durgin and Grant of Saco, made a raid on the Cape Neddick House in York,—got their labor for their pains, but didn't find any liquors of any kind. Mr. S. E. Grant and his lady keep a good, respectable house, and it is utterly useless for "smellers" to hope for gain at that establishment. The Cape Neddick House is the only one in York that is open for the reception of guests the year round; and under its new proprietor is fast winning back the enviable reputation it bore in "ye olden time" when "Ma'am Freeman" ministered to the wants of the traveling public, and when "the Cape Neddick House" was known far and near as one of the best. I have positive knowledge that the present landlord and landlady do all they can to make everything pleasant and comfortable for all who call upon them. May success attend them.

One evening last week Mr. Albert Tucker of this town ate at one sitting thirty hard boiled eggs and one raw one; and in order to get a full stomach he then drank two quarts of hard cider, and it wasn't much of an evening for eggs and cider, either. P.

KINGSTON, May 7th.

On Sabbath morning, May 6th, the Congregational Society of Kingston were much surprised to find in front of the pulpit in their church a fine Mason & Hamlin cabinet organ, which was a present to the church from L. D. Peaslee, Esq.

On the 1st of May, Dr. L. Bissell and Sec. Wm. Warren, D. D., visited Kingston, as they were travelling over the State, and gave us much interesting information about the character and condition of the nations of Western India, where Dr. Bissell has spent twenty-five years in missionary labor. C.

A Specimen "Reform" Paper.

The Charleston *News and Courier* having charged Woodruff, the Clerk of the South Carolina Senate, with buying wines, cigars, etc., for private persons with the State funds, that gentleman retaliates by having some letters read in the Senate, which he says he received from that paper in 1870. These are interesting specimens:

"Dear Woodruff: Enclosed find bill against the Speaker, arranged for discount of twenty per centum to the paying officer. Moses said it should be paid promptly. Let me know what the Port Royal Railroad wants of the Legislature."

"My dear Josephus. This is the most interesting feature of the legislative session. Shove it through the House in the same happy way, and there will be a Christmas turkey and trimmings for both you and I."

"De Fontaine tells me you want our proposal for State printing, and I enclose two proposals, one private, the other public. We have put the price at ten cents a line. If the offer can be amended or improved, let us know. What we want is to get as good a price as we can, and to give you twenty per centum on the gross amount, whatever it may be."

—Samuel L. Clemens (Mark Twain) on Saturday called on City Comptroller Vansant of Baltimore, to apologize for a rudeness of which he was guilty when lecturing at the Maryland Institute some years ago. The subject of his lecture was "Roughing It," and in giving a description of the "border ruffian," Mark Twain, supposing there was a large number of persons on the stage, pointing toward it, said, "I have brought some specimens with me," but upon looking around saw that only two people were on the stage, being ex-Mayor Vansant and Mr. Robert T. Baldwin. Mr. Clemens apologized to Mr. Vansant, who had not forgotten the circumstance.

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Of failing energy, that to which the fagged out man of business, the brain-fatigued author, the tired advocate or the weary artisan can resort with the greatest certainty that it will revive his overwrought powers, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a most genial tonic cordial, as well as a benign remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver, bowels and urinary organs, and a means of eradicating and preventing intermittent and remittent fevers. It not only enriches the blood and creates a new fund of energy in the system, but it has the effect of expelling impurities from the life current which beget disease. The injurious influence of abrupt transitions of temperature, of an unwholesome climate and injurious diet, are counteracted by it, and it promotes digestion, appetite and sound repose. Give it a trial and be convinced.

Pretty Lips

should have pearly teeth behind them. To make the teeth pearly, and to keep them so, there is nothing like Fragrant Sozodont. It neutralizes every element of impurity that affects the soundness or whiteness of the dental bone. Moreover, it prevents gum-boil and canker.

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DR. A. J. FLAGG'S COUGH AND LUNG SYRUP.—Thousands of persons die every year, from that dread disease, Consumption. We constantly read of some discovered remedy and sure cure. As the man or woman finds that he or she is infected, and pronounced incurable, their great desire is to find something which shall at least prolong life. Dr. A. J. Flagg of Claremont, N. H., being aware of this fact, and the importance of meeting the requirements of thousands of his fellow beings, gave his attention to the matter, and after years of experience and trial has discovered a remedy which he confidently believes will do all that he claims for it. His Cough and Lung Syrup is pleasant to take, and has worked wonders in a medical point of view. Persons afflicted with Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma or any of these diseases, should by all means give it a trial and see if it does not do all that is claimed for it.

Free of charge—*Sample* bottle of *Adamson's Cough Balsam* at all drug stores. Owing to its perfect harmony in combination it is the very best mixture for the speedy cure and relief of croup, colds, throat or lung diseases. Large bottles 35 cents.

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KIMBALL—WEST. In Kingston, May 6, Mr. John P. H. Kimball, of Haverhill, Mass., and Miss Nellie M. West, of Kingston.

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United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	112½
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N. H. State 6s. 1875	111½
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Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	20½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	124½
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	31
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	109½
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	41½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	38
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	50½

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by sufficient drains or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer the same to remain into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, or any other of the still houses in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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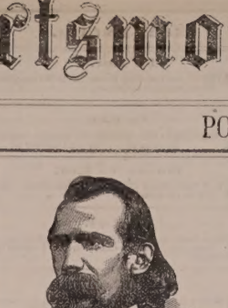

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The Gossip of History.

Some novelists, if no serious historians, have attempted to draw flattering likenesses of James II., but most men will be of opinion that he was fairly gibbeted by Macaulay. The man looks so contemptible, deserting a young and pretty wife, for ugly mistresses. "I can't find what he sees to admire in me," said Catherine Sedley; "certainly 'tis not for my beauty—and as to my wit, he has not enough to see that I have any." The accomplished Marquis of Halifax had an equally poor opinion of his intellect, and was wont to say of Charles and James, that "the elder could see things if he would, while the younger would see things if he could;" a cruel sentence, which is yet something of a compliment to the moral nature of James. He must, indeed, have had some good qualities, for he was devotedly served in the days of his exile, and men rarely devote themselves for a principle which is not more or less amiably incarnate. There is a little story told of James, which shows that he possessed at least some of the Stuart urbanity. He was sitting to Sir Godfrey Kneller for a portrait designed as a present to Pepys, when the news of the landing of the Prince of Orange was brought to him. The King commanded the painter to proceed and finish the portrait, that his friends might not be disappointed. Of James' successful rival, on the other hand, Macauley's portrait must be considered too flattering, especially by contrast. William was not only an unfaithful husband, but as ostentatious in his fidelities, as careless of conventionalities, as little regardful of his wife's feelings as Charles II. Now, Macaulay gives one a good deal of precise information about the private life of the two last Stuart Kings, and touches but lightly on the failings of William. He even goes out of the way to praise the latter for trying to compel one of his officers to marry a young lady whom he had wronged—excellent counsel, no doubt, but which must have come with bad grace from a man whose morals were in no wise above the level of the age in which he lived. There is an anecdote told of our Dutch ruler which reflects some little credit on him, though not much—for he could hardly have acted otherwise—but which is chiefly worth relating for the curious light in which it sets the first constitutional King of England. William had sentenced an insubordinate regiment to be decimated. The soldiers accordingly drew lots, every tenth man, of course, drawing a prize—the prize of death. Not unnaturally one of the winners felt disposed to sell the lot he had drawn, if haply he could find a purchaser. One poor fellow at length agreed to be shot in his stead for a hundred pistoles to be paid to his relatives after his execution. William, having been informed of the bargain, sent for the soldier, and asked whether what he had been told was true. "Yes," replied the man, sulkily, "I have run the risk of being killed all my life for next to nothing a day, and now I can secure my wife and children something substantial, I am ready to die." William pardoned the man—he could hardly do less, and gave him the hundred pistoles. Martial law was formally recognized by Parliament in 1689, but the decimated regiment must have been a Dutch or German one, for English public opinion would at no time have tolerated such a barbarous mockery of justice. Dutch ideas of liberty, however, were always curious, or at any time exhibited a striking discrepancy on some points from English ideas, and somehow or other, we incline to the latter as the sounder. Yet there was that much was lovable in the character of William, who was a staunch friend and generous foe; and perhaps he is the most estimable in the long line of our sovereigns, with the exception of Alfred, and perhaps of Cromwell.—*Cornhill Magazine.*

Baby Brutes.

The Central Park menagerie, or rather Mr. P. T. Barnum, who is the proprietor of most of the animals exhibited free to the public during the winter, has recently become possessed of a litter of panthers, two lions, a baboon, and a dromedary, all born in the cages. The lions are now nearly four months old, and are about as tall as a moderate-sized terrier dog. They are exceedingly fat, and, like all young of their species, are covered with a short downy fur, profusely mottled. They possess, in brief, all the characteristics of kittens, except gracefulness of motion; for they are the personification of clumsiness. Their legs are thick, short, and bent, their paws, which already possess formidable claws, appear too large, and their bodies are long and ungainly. The temper of the infants, despite their innocent and childlike expression, is none of the best; for they show ranges of white sharp teeth, and spit viciously on any stranger approaching their cage. The cubs are of especial interest to zoologists from the fact of their being the offspring of a cross between the Asiatic and African species of lion. This mingling of breed has not before been attempted, and the characteristics of the young will be carefully watched.

The panthers are of the ordinary variety, peculiar to this country. As is the case with most untamable brutes, they breed unfrequently in captivity. The cubs are of the same age as the young lions; and were it not for their peculiar markings, resem-

bling closely those of some species of young deer, they might well be mistaken for good sized cats. Their behavior, when stirred up, is a ludicrous mixture of fear, curiosity, and defiance. A slight poke from the end of a cane causes the cub touched to beat a speedy retreat toward the mother; then it turns and watches the stick with intense interest, relieving its feelings by an occasional spit. Finally one paw flies forward, and a spiteful dig is administered, and then another retreat takes place. This is continued as long as the intruding object remains in the cage.

It is curious to notice, both in the lioness and in the panther, that peculiar pride in showing their offspring which the domestic cat manifests in the most unmistakable manner. It seemed also as if the old animals regarded raps on the bars of the cage, or the introduction of canes to induce their progeny to take better attitudes for sketching purposes, in the light of grateful attentions; as, no matter how much the young ones spit and scratched, the mothers never showed the slightest resentment, but quietly crouched and stared at the interloper in abstracted calmness. The writer saw the lioness deliberately wake up her cubs, who were cuddled into an undistinguishable ball of fur, and spread them apart with a blow of her paw, for no reason that could be divined other than that she wished to display them. They manifested no hunger, but sat up and blinked like suddenly awakened babies, until their eyes became accustomed to the light.—*Scientific American.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, MAY 10, 1877.

The War.

The war news Wednesday morning was even less definite than usual. Doubt is thrown on the reported capture of Kars, though all accounts agree that the two wings of the Russian army are far past that place, and that Mukhtar Pasha is between the Russians and Erzeroum. This shows that even if Kars has not been taken the Russian forces in Asia Minor are strong enough to invest it, and still have troops enough at liberty for active operations in the field.

From the scene of hostilities in Europe there was nothing of importance. A despatch from Bucharest reported that the Turks had ceased bombarding Kalafat, the Roumanians making a defence of unlooked for vigor. The Russians on the 8th bombarded Matchin, in the Dobrudscha, for four hours, from the batteries on the opposite shore. The Russians are preparing to close the sailing mouth of the Danube to the monitors, by batteries. It was expected Roumania would declare herself independent of Turkey.

A Constantinople despatch says "Notwithstanding the Russian promise that Turkish ships should have eight days to leave Russian waters ten Turkish ships were seized at Kertch the day after the declaration of war. The Porte has instructed Musurus Pasha, its Ambassador at London, to request England to remonstrate at St. Petersburg against the act."

A despatch from Pera to the London *Globe*, Wednesday, reports a severe battle between Kars and Erzeroum, the Russians being victorious and fourteen thousand Turks captured.

News and Notes.

George M. Finney, the defaulting navy pay inspector's clerk, has surrendered himself to the San Francisco authorities, and been held in $20,000 bail to answer charges of the forgery of government certificates of indebtedness.

The subject of Mexican raids across the border into Texas was discussed at the Cabinet meeting on Monday, and Secretary Evarts was instructed to notify the Mexican Government that these raids must be stopped, and if the Mexican Government did not stop them this Government would, and if need be cross the Rio Grande to do it.

Charles T. Brent failed to answer in Court at Louisville, Tuesday, on the charge of forgery, and the supposition is that he has fled again.

The dead body of a man with the arms tied behind was found floating in the water near Lombard's dock, Boston, Tuesday forenoon.

The decision of the court-martial on the case of Major Reno, of the Seventh United States Cavalry, has been mitigated by the Secretary of War to suspension from rank and pay for two years from the 18th of May, 1877. The order announcing this says: "Major Reno's conduct toward the wife of an absent officer, and in using the whole force of his power as commanding officer of the post to gratify his resentment against her, cannot be too strongly condemned; but after long deliberation upon all the circumstances of the case, as shown in the record of the trial, it is thought that his grave offences, grave as they are, do not warrant the sentence of dismissal and all its consequences upon one who has for twenty years borne the reputation of a brave man and an honorable officer, and has maintained the reputation upon the battlefields of the rebellion and in contests with the Indians. The President has, therefore, modified the sentence, and it is hoped that Major Reno will appreciate the clemency thus shown him, as well as the very reprehensible acts of which he was found guilty."

Norwegian barque Azeov was run down and sunk in Chesapeake Bay, at one o'clock on the morning of the 8th inst., by steamship Murenberg, for Baltimore from Bremen. The captain and nine of the crew of the barque were saved, but four men were drowned.

Bringham Young, the able and unscrupulous old scoundrel who has run things to suit himself so many years in Utah, don't seem inclined to yet admit that "the world" is more powerful than his church, and is reported as defying the Government in his sermon on Sunday. He said that Mormonism was the work of God, and the day of its triumph is near. He rehearsed the persecutions of the Saints, and said that the Gentiles were clamorous for blood, which they should have to their hearts' content; that if they had not had enough in the last twenty years they would now get their fill, and others nations would learn to fear the Saints as the United States now does. The people of the nation wanted more than they expected, and would get it before they were ready for it. George Q. Cannon preached an equally defiant sermon. These harangues, together with the military order of Bishop Dame, have aroused the Gentiles of Salt Lake to the truth of the situation, and many talk of leaving the Territory.

Dave Farmer, a conjuring old negro of Bucklin, Mo., lately so worked upon the superstitious fears of several of his race as fairly to frighten them to death. First he scared Frank Hayes into the other world, and then a whole family succumbed to his voodooistic power, one having died and three or four more, it is said, being at the point of death. The conjurer, however, has now explated his offences, having been shot dead through a chink in his cabin by one of the victims to his spells.

A letter to Congress from the Secretary of State upon the business of other countries, based upon and containing reports thereupon from U. S. Consuls, shows there has been great depression, and to an amount greater in many of them than in our own country.

The Chief Engineer of her Majesty's ship Tourmaline recently cut his throat in sheer despair at the incurable defects of the vessel's machinery.

The attorney for the bonanza firm in the court at Virginia City, Nevada, has announced his readiness to confess judgment for the amount due for delinquent's taxes, amounting with fees and costs to $300,000.

The New Haven *Union* of May 7th says: "Donn Piatt, who advised the assassination of Hayes in his paper, the Washington *Capital*, the Sunday following the promulgation of the decision of the Electoral Commission, called on Mr. Hayes, on Saturday, and had an interview with him. Yesterday the *Capital* contained a bid for Government advertising, which is set down as a 'curious coincidence.'"

By a gas explosion in the Wadesville mine, near Pottsville, Penn., on Wednesday, a large number of men were imprisoned and many killed. Six bodies were recovered soon after the disaster.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 149.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

At this time a view of the civil government of 1817, sixty years ago, will be given. Wm. Plumer of Epping was Governor. He had been Governor in 1812. Mr. Gilman of Exeter, was elected in each of the three following years, and in each Mr. Plumer was the opposing candidate. Parties, Federalists and Republicans were nearly balanced, Mr. Gilman, Federalist, usually having less than a thousand majority.

In 1817, James Sheafe of Portsmouth was the candidate of the Federalists. In Cheshire county, however, that party voted mostly for Jeremiah Mason. Mr. Plumer's majority was over seven thousand.

Mr. Plumer was in a minority in Epping, his own town, having 98 votes to 102 for Mr. Sheafe. In Mr. Sheafe's town, Portsmouth, he was in a large minority, having 174 to 467 for Mr. Plumer. Greenland, 76 for Plumer, 15 for Sheafe. Rye, 196 for Plumer, none for Sheafe. Exeter went largely for Sheafe,—207 to 64 for Plumer.

The Councillor for Rockingham district was John Bell of Chester, afterwards Governor one year. Clement Storer of Portsmouth, was Senator for District No. 1, John Brodhead of Newmarket for No. 2. The Representatives of Portsmouth were J. Davenport, J. Els, John Langdon, Jr., E. G. Parrott, G. Lang.

Jonathan Harvey of Sutton was President of the Senate, Henry B. Chase of Warner, Speaker of the House; Ichabod Bartlett of Portsmouth, was Clerk of the Senate, E. B. Nealey of Lee, Assistant Clerk; Moses L. Neal of Dover was Clerk of the House, and Nathaniel Weare of Deerfield, Assistant Clerk.

Quite a number of ministers were members of the legislature; we will name those we know were such: Brodhead in the Senate; in the House, Tucker of Loudon, Dyer of Nottingham, Wilson of Barnstead, Osborn of Lee, Perkins of New Hampton, Morse of Fisherfield, Blake of Ellsworth. The number of Representatives was 206. Length of the session 25 days.

New Hampshire Items.

The Bristol silver mine is flourishing. It is being worked day and night by Mr. E. F. Couch, a practical miner from Newburyport, with as large a force of men as can work to advantage. The shaft is 6x11 feet and has now reached a depth of sixty feet.

It is understood that Chief Justice Doe will resign as soon as he finishes writing the opinions on which he is engaged.

Hon. Mason W. Tappan and Miss Imogene Atwood of Lisbon were married on the 8th inst.

A barn owned by Dr. E. B. Hammond, of Nashua, was destroyed by an incendiary fire on the night of the 8th inst. Loss $600.

Charles H. Collins, clerk of the Nashua Iron and Steel Company, is a defaulter in the sum of from ten to twenty thousand dollars, and has fled. His peculations probably extend over a period of two years. Fast horses and high living were the cause. He has a wife and two children.

Nettie, the little child of Harvey Reed, of Cornish, was fatally burned Monday while returning from school. She entered the cellar of a house that was burned the day before, where her dress caught fire, and being unable to extinguish it, she ran some thirty rods to a brook, where she was found with clothing all burned off. She died Tuesday.

—When Von Moltke returned to Holstein, after reorganizing the Turkish army, he found living there with his sister—who had married Mr. Bute, an Englishman,—a young girl between fifteen and sixteen, a daughter of Mr. Bute's first marriage. The pretty little girl loved already, before seeing him, the soldier who had sent from the Orient such interesting letters to his sister. As for Von Moltke, he had until then seen in a woman only a being constantly interfering with the methodical life of a worker. But when a man more than forty years old is loved by a bewitching girl of sixteen, he ends by returning her affection. From that time there was but one woman in the world to him, as there was but one work. He married sweet Mary Bute, and when she died in '68 the great Field Marshal could say that his life as a social being was ended; only the soldier remained. The Countess was buried in his beautiful park in Silesia, and on the marble above her is written, "Love is the fulfilling of the law." Mary von Moltke was very bright, very charming, very merry, and it is told as a pathetic truth that since her death the Field Marshal has not been seen to laugh.

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May 15, 1877. 2t

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To Let.

PART of the Dwelling House No. 30 Washington street; apply at the house. t. f.

To Let.

A GENTEEL RESIDENCE for a small family. Enquire at 37 ISLINGTON ST.

House to Let.

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To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 54 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 31, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 58 ISLINGTON STREET. Apply to GEO. L. TREADWELL.

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A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibirt, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

For Sale.

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BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 2 Rockingham Street.
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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.

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For further particulars enquire of
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NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

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THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS fromerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of previously at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

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NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of,

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Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.

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MAGIC

CONDITION PILLS

The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 7 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine I have been given up by physicians as past cure. have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 23d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. am free from pain for the first time in three years When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and eighty, but I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and what they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago Indivisi bought his gal. one of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been an free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helps him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '7

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most of the time for the last two years, and have been travelling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrell Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON.

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

MR. THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who call here. Please send one box of the package more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.

MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

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AGENT.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35† "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" " Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, May 9th.

Edward Kelly, who kept the liquor nuisance on Chapel street raided on by the police on Tuesday, was arraigned for keeping liquor for sale, and bound over in $200 to appear at a higher court. We do not learn that Kelly's place was any worse than some others in the city, but he *would* keep open on Sundays, to the great disgust of a respectable neighborhood, the residents of which were scandalized at the procession of small boys and girls with jugs and tin pails, going to and from the place on Sunday on errands for beer for their parents, and the gatherings there of older persons who wanted beer or rum for themselves. As he paid no attention to warnings the law has at last sat down on him—another illustration of the old fable of the efficacy of stone-throwing when grassy missiles fail to effect anything.

N. H. S. P. C. A.

At the regular monthly meeting of the New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, held on the evening of the 7th inst., the following resolutions of respect were unanimously passed:

Resolved, That in the death of Mrs. Chas. Burroughs our society loses a member distinguished for social culture and moral worth, whose life exemplified the grace of a Christian character.

Resolved, That the poor suffer the loss of a friend whose charity never failed to respond liberally to every call for help, and whose sympathies were keenly alive to the distresses of the unfortunate, upon whom her bounty was unsparingly bestowed.

Resolved, That we can best honor the memory of our deceased benefactor and coladorer in the cause of humanity, by perseveringly following the example of benevolence which she has left us as a precious legacy.

The Society acknowledge the receipt from a friend, for the use of the Society, of fifty dollars.

JOTTINGS.

The ten-mile race between Mr. Locke's "Kenoza Boy" and Col. Hilton's "Julius Cæsar," which was originally intended to be from this city to the Union Hotel in Hampton and to come off on Friday, the 11th inst., will take place on the Dover race-track on Saturday, the 19th.

At a meeting of the general committee on Memorial Day observances, held in the Common Council chamber on the evening of the 8th, Chief Marshal Frank W. Hilton, Wallace Hackett and John E. Colcord were appointed a committee on music. John Moore was added to the general committee, J. E. Colcord to committee on invitations, John H. Locke and Wallace Hackett to committee on finance, Edward D. Coffin and John Moore to committee on decoration of graves. Adolph Nelson was appointed to look up the old veterans and invite them to participate in the observance. The several committees were instructed to make an estimate of their probable expenses, and report at an adjourned meeting to be held on Monday evening, the 14th, at the same place.

A coroner's jury in Lynn has acquitted the Eastern Railroad of all blame for causing the death of Benjamin Johnson, killed in that city by an Eastern Railroad train on the night of May 5th.

John O'Brien's "six shows consolidated" has been carrying Maryland and Delaware by storm, and will commence the tour through New England immediately. It will visit this city, but the time is not yet definitely settled.

The Bostonian who captured a New York "confidence man" who attempted to swindle him turns out to be Jonas G. Shillaber, Esq., and not the genial Mrs. Partington, as was at first reported.

Butler & Laighton announce a great reduction in the price of canned goods. See their advertisement in another column.

As a consequence of the lapse of the sewing machine patents, the Singer Sewing Machine Company advertise their "New Family" machine at $30, and their other machines at a similar reduction of fifty per cent.

It is announced that Maggie Mitchell is soon to return to this city and present the play of "Becky Mix." This is a new play here, and there will be another large audience to greet her if she comes.

Miss Emma J. Flanders, recently soprano at the Unitarian church, has received a call from the Middle street Baptist church.

Hutchinson & Connell have a large and well selected stock of new goods in the jewelry line, which they wish to sell, cheap. Give them a call.

THE EASTERN RAILROAD CASE.

In view of the recent alleged complications and pecuniary embarrassments of the Eastern Railroad that have from time to time appeared in various papers, and for the express purpose of ascertaining correctly concerning their truth, a representative of the Boston *Post* has obtained the following facts from parties who it says "are thoroughly familiar with the subject. Especially is this case in regard to the attachment suits recently begun in New Hampshire, which from various causes seem to have been misapprehended, both as to their origin and effects upon the Eastern Railroad.

These suits have been begun by a creditor of the road having an old debt secured by what has been known as the company's ten-year coupon notes. A very recent decision of the Supreme Judicial Court of Massachusetts has determined that such a creditor is not entitled to receive certificates of indebtedness for his collateral, but only for his debt alone; so that practically the security is valueless, and a creditor with no other security for his debt than the company's additional promises to pay is really no better off than an unsecured creditor. It is thought the New Hampshire suit has been begun in a moment of irritation and disappointment at the recent adjudication of the Massachusetts court. It has been begun by trustee process served upon the station agents and upon the principal customers of the road in New Hampshire. By the laws of Massachusetts such a process would have had the effect of attaching only the funds and credits as they exist on the day of service; but under the laws of New Hampshire a trustee process not only covers everything on hand and due at the date of service, but also all that may be received or become due between that time and the time of the Trustee's disclosure. Such being the case, it is presumed that the plaintiff in the New Hampshire suit hoped and undertook thus to sequestrate for his own benefit all the receipts and credits of the road accruing in the hands of the parties trusteed between this and next October, the earliest term of the Court at which the Trustee's answer can be made.

The railroad, by advice of its New Hampshire counsel, has taken such measures as will effectually secure to the road the use of its earnings from this date until the meeting of the Court. In this way the amount actually diverted by the trustee process is comparatively trifling in amount. In October next the suit now begun will probably be tried and the value of the plaintiff's attachment tested. In the meanwhile it is understood that the management of the Eastern Railroad is advised that it has nothing to fear from the decision of the Court, as by the statutes of Massachusetts, and the mortgage made in pursuance of it, the receipts of the road are mortgaged to the Trustees of the mortgage, as well as all the rest of its property. Again, under the settled law of New Hampshire, that mortgage has the same operation and effect there as in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Hence it is claimed that nothing has been attached by the trustee process in New Hampshire because the legal title to the receipts, credits, etc., is in the mortgage Trustees and not in the Eastern Railroad. This is claimed to be so plain a result of general principles, as well as of the laws as uniformly laid down by the Courts of New Hampshire, that the present attempt at attachment is believed to have been made, not so much with any real expectation that it would succeed, but rather with the idea that it could be made so annoying and inconvenient to the road that it would be forced to offer some terms of settlement. This, however, it is authoritatively stated, the road has no power to do, even presuming that it had the inclination to do so, which it has not."

SPRING BEDSTEADS.

Among household comforts an important place is held by the spring bedstead. By its use feathers can be dispensed with and husks, hair, or other material substituted with decided advantage. We have seen a new style, patented last November by Mr. John E. Staples of York, Me., simple and light in construction and moderate in price. The slats are secured by a pin, over which is placed a piece of flannel. It has all the qualities in the spring of the highest priced article in the market, and is superior for the reason that if it gets out of order the cost of repair is trifling. Mr. John W. Nowell of Greenland has bought the right for Rockingham county, and is now manufacturing them at Mason's mill on Russell street, the retail price being but $2.50. Several families in this city who have tried them say that their use is a sure recommendation.

—If a man needs exercise, let him try to collect bills.

—A San Francisco man was unwilling to bet on a certain thing because "I'm not quite sure, but I'll take my solemn oath it's true."

—A Cambridge (England) theologue, when he told the story of the Good Samaritan, after reciting the benevolent man's promise to the host, "And when I come again I will repay thee," wound up with, "This he said, knowing he should see his face no more."

—"Jerry Schooling, State Treasurer of Nevada, was married in San Francisco last week, the bride being his former wife, from whom he had been divorced for upwards of twelve years." That's the way of the world. First a Schooling, then a vacation, and then more Schooling.

—"Jennie June" writes that the Russian officers attended a sociable in New York, to which they had been invited, and that somebody thought it a good joke to get fifty cents from each of them to "pay for the dance music." She thinks they will carry away with them some queer ideas of New York manners and hospitality

—"Do you drink?" said one of the ladies of the Women's Temperance Union of New York to the bookbinder, when he went with a rummy breath to the ladies to deliver some of his work. "Vell, I don't care oph I takes a leetle," said the good-natured German, misunderstanding the question of surprise for an invitation.

—General order by the Buffalo *Express*: "The Russian Muscovite the Turk."

Gossip

Has been more than usually busy, whispering from one to another concerning certain matters of which "you must not tell," but all is out at last. Truth could no longer be smothered. It is on every body's tongue that Dr. Peirce's Favorite Prescription perfectly and permanently cures those diseases peculiar to females. It has been used for many years with entire success, as thousands testify. It is tonic and nervine, effectually allaying and curing those sickening sensations that affect the stomach and heart through reflex action. The back-ache, and "dragging-down" sensations all disappear under the strengthening effects of this great restorative.

The Best Recuperant

Of failing energy, that to which the fagged out man of business, the brain-fatigued author, the tired advocate or the weary artisan can resort with the greatest certainty that it will revive his overwrought powers, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a most genial tonic cordial, as well as a benign remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver, bowels and urinary organs, and a means of eradicating and preventing intermittent and remittent fevers. It not only enriches the blood and creates a new fund of energy in the system, but it has the effect of expelling impurities from the life current which beget disease. The injurious influence of abrupt transitions of temperature, of an unwholesome climate and injurious diet, are counteracted by it, and it promotes digestion, appetite and sound repose. Give it a trial and be convinced.

Pretty Lips

should have pearly teeth behind them. To make the teeth pearly, and to keep them so, there is nothing like Fragrant Sozodont. It neutralizes every element of impurity that affects the soundness or whiteness of the dental bone. Moreover, it prevents gum-boil and canker.

For the "attraction of cohesion," see Spalding's Glue.

DR. A. J. FLAGG'S COUGH AND LUNG SYRUP.—Thousands of persons die every year, from that dread disease, Consumption. We constantly read of some discovered remedy and sure cure. As the man or woman finds that he or she is infected, and pronounced incurable, their great desire is to find something which shall at least prolong life. Dr. A. J. Flagg of Claremont, N. H., being aware of this fact, and the importance of meeting the requirements of thousands of his fellow beings, gave his attention to the matter, and after years of experience and trial has discovered a remedy which he confidently believes will do all that he claims for it. His Cough and Lung Syrup is pleasant to take, and has worked wonders in a medical point of view. Persons afflicted with Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma or any of these diseases, should by all means give it a trial and see if it does not do all that is claimed for it.

Free of charge—*Sample* bottle of *Adamson's Cough Balsam* at all drug stores. Owing to its perfect harmony in combination it is the very best mixture for the speedy cure and relief of croup, colds, throat or lung diseases. Large bottles 35 cents.

THE BEST MEDICAL TALENT indorses Walter Baker & Co's Breakfast Cocoa for the use of invalids, as well as persons in health. Travellers and students find it most convenient, as it is prepared for use in one minute, *without boiling*.

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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

U S Steamer Tallapoosa, McRitchie, from this port, arr at Boston, May 8.

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A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $3. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. 23S&Gif

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To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* codly2

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 16, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter injurious to the health or decency, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect, a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specided.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind, or any other fish or any other offal, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forthwith enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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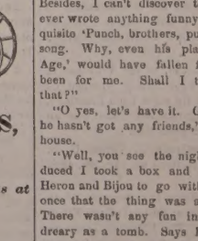

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Train on Twain.

Mr. George Francis Train had the support of an orchestra at his last "intellectual treat" in the New York Parisian Varieties, which previous to his arrival, discoursed many popular airs, but thereafter quietly yielded to the superior noise of his oratory.

In the first place, that evening, the orator began with a presumably original poem, descriptive of the glories of the United States of America. Of course this was wildly applauded. "Why do you applaud?" demanded the poet, turning ungraciously upon the audience he had entrapped. "Why do you applaud, fools? Don't you know that that is but the miserable clap-trap of the Fourth of July orator? the vain bunkum of the Union League Club statesmen? the miserable bombast of Tammany Hall thieves? Why do you applaud, creatures! Don't you know that the facts are not these? Don't you know that the American flag has been dragged in the dust of nearly every country on the globe? Don't you know that the country has been disgraced by its officials? Forty-two million of people are being ground up between the two mill stones, the Union League and Tammany Hall."

Here Mr. Train paused, and the audience breathed again. "How do you like it so far as I've got?" said he.

"Bully," "Give us some more," were the answering shouts.

"Yes; I'll give you enough before I get through, but just let me show you what the press, the mighty press of New York, who got millions of dollars from Tweed, have to say about the man who brought the arch-thief to justice." Thus speaking Mr. Train drew from his vest pocket a long roll of brown paper, on which were pasted the cuttings of the last Monday's newspapers. They were not complimentary to Mr. Train in the main, and in proportion as they were not Mr. Train took his revenge upon the editors. But for a typographical error which made his name Twain in one of the papers, Mr. Train was the most enraged and indignant. Indeed, this demanded a personal explanation which he had long contemplated making. "Twenty years ago," he said, "I wrote one or two books that had a deservedly world wide reputation, and I also wrote occasionally for the newspapers. My writings were, besides being profound and erudite, always sparkling and brilliant. At times I indeed descended to humor—the highest, best kind of humor, mark you; as, for instance, my celebrated anecdote of the Englishman who inquired of an American whether the law of hentail existed in the United States, and to whom the American replied, 'No; but we have the universal rule of coctails,' etc., etc.,—little gems that I threw gaily from the end of my pen. Well, now, imagine my astonishment one day upon learning that some young humorist in California was calling himself Mark Twain. You see he had said to himself very shrewdly that Train was a name known the world over and a name that would always attract crowds, and so in effect he stole it, and that same Mark Twain has been for fifteen years living upon my audiences. I have borne this silently like a Christian (immense sensation in the audience, in which Mr. Train took part with his left eyelid) for all these years, but now, when they begin to mix me up with him, as he has endeavored to have himself mixed up with me, it is a little too much, and I won't stand it. Besides, I can't discover that this Twain ever wrote anything funny except his exquisite 'Punch, brothers, punch with care' song. Why, even his play, the 'Gilded Age,' would have fallen flat if it hadn't been for me. Shall I tell you about that?"

"O yes, let's have it. Give it to Mark; he hasn't got any friends," responded the house.

"Well, you see the night it was produced I took a box and invited Matilda Heron and Bijou to go with me. I saw at once that the thing was a dead failure. There wasn't any fun in it. It was as dreary as a tomb. Says I, 'Pshaw, this fellow has stolen my name, but I'll help him.' So I got up and stepped to the front of the box. Everybody recognized me. I clapped. The effect was, of course, instantaneous. The house accepted my judgment, and the play was stamped a success. So much for this Mark Twain. I wrote him a letter the next day, and he didn't have the politeness to answer it."

A Flying Marriage.

The San Francisco *Chronicle* of the 30th ult. gives the following account of a marriage on on the rail: The passengers on the overland train from the East, which arrived here on Saturday night, were treated to a sensation pleasanter than the regular ones of the rush through Echo Canon and the rounding of Cape Horn, or the occasional one of meeting on the same track a train accidentally bound the other way. It was a marriage at the rate of forty miles an hour between Galt and Stockton, by Rev. J. C. Hamilton of the latter place, of Dr. Israel Davis of the latter place to Mrs. J. Susan Armstrong of Leavenworth, Kan. It would be too long a story—the romantic one of their youthful betrothal, the interposition of a cruel fate that married each to one other than the first choice, the combined death by a relenting fortune of both of the second choices, and the renewal,

through the United States mail, of the interrupted love of their younger years. The engagement was renewed, and Mrs. Armstrong, a very pronounced brunette, verging now upon embonpoint and forty, set forth to be spliced at Stockton to her real affinity. She was detained for a short time by snow near Cheyenne, and the ardent doctor, determined that no malign circumstance should again put aside his happiness, set off post-haste to meet her. The minister set off post-haste after the doctor, and it is supposed that if there had been any intervening trains the guests would have set off post-haste after the officiating clergyman. The doctor, an elderly, but remarkably well-preserved gentleman, in full dress and faultless beaver and black three-buttoned kid gloves, met the train of his affianced at Sacramento. She was tastefully and stylishly clad in a brown travelling suit, and the greeting between the lovers was most affecting. Both came on to Galt, where they were met by Rev. Mr. Hamilton. All three then continued on to Stockton, but the long endured strain had become too severe. There was an ardent and unheard request by the gentleman; a coy and blushing consent by the lady; the peanut boy was despatched for the conductor to lend an official air to the ceremony; the gentleman and lady stood up in the aisle as they could, hanging on to each other and to the ends of the seats; the clergyman stood up in front of them, and, amid the boom and the rush of the train, the questions were bellowed out and responses shouted back hap-hazard, and then the minister, in a voice like a trombone, declared the loving and long-separated couple man and wife. In the excitement of the moment the lady released her hold of the seat and was shot head first against the lower extremity of the conductor's vest. He gallantly kissed her and returned her uninjured to her happy husband, and the two sat down and received the stentorian congratulations of the pleased spectators.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, MAY 11, 1877.

The War.

Indications of active movements on the part of the armies in European Turkey are apparent. The Russian batteries at Ibrail were bombarded on the 7th by two Turkish monitors and the batteries at Ghaciet. Ibrail was uninjured, and the Russians next morning opened fire on Ghaciet. The Turks in Widdin and the Roumanians in Kalafat threw shells at each other on the 8th, but did no great harm. A despatch from Bucharest, on the 9th, reported the Russians preparing to cross the Danube in force at Widdin and Rustchuk, and the Turks massing to oppose them. The Montenegrin commander reports his forces in readiness for the Turks, and strong enough to defend Montenegrin territory.

The Constantinople papers of the 10th announced a retreat of the Russians from Kars and Ardahan, toward the frontier.

News and Notes.

The winter was extremely mild in Iceland, horses and sheep being able to subsist in the open air, without shelter, until the middle of January. The fish harvest in the western part of the island was a good one, but in the southern part the yield was poor, and the people consequently suffered from lack of provisions.

At a special meeting of the Mayor and Aldermen of Lowell, Wednesday forenoon, 203 liquor licenses were granted, making a total of 231 to date; only one applicant was refused. The Mayor declared he should decline to sign any of them. Major Emery tendered payment for his hotel license to the Treasurer in the forenoon; it was accepted, and he has opened his bar without receiving the license signed by the Mayor. He denies that officers can prosecute him for not having a license posted up on his premises, since he has paid for it, but the Marshal has announced his determination to prosecute all who sell without a license signed by the Mayor. Legal complications are imminent.

Steamship Dakotah, of the Williams & Guion Line, has been totally wrecked on Point Lynas, seventy miles from Liverpool. Crew and passengers saved. She was an iron steamship of great size.

Commodore Benjamin J. Totten, U. S. N., died in New Bedford on the 9th, aged 71 years.

Chief Justice Waite has gone to South Carolina to preside at the trial of the Ellenton murderers. The Ellenton massacre was a White League affair, and much interest is felt to see how Judge Waite will be received. The Hamburg massacre is in the State courts, so nothing will ever be done about that, as the democrats rule the State courts.

A new hotel, with a capacity of 100 guests, is being erected at Bald Head Cliff, on the coast between York beach and Wells. These famous cliffs have long attracted the attention of tourists and visitors who have frequented the several seashore resorts between Portsmouth and Old Orchard.

The Permanent Exhibition at Philadelphia was formally opened on Thursday, just a year from the opening of the Centennial Exhibition. President Hayes, Ex-President and Mrs. Grant, Secretaries Evarts, Sherman, McCrary and Devens, Director General Goshorn and many other prominent personages were present. It is claimed that the Permanent Exhibition "is the Centennial deprived of the more objectionable, with nearly all that was admirable boiled down and consolidated."

Muriatic acid will remove stains from black walnut. After using the acid, wash with clear water.

William P. Wallace, the democratic Sheriff of Hamilton county, Ohio, and Dan McCarthy, turnkey of the Hamilton county jail, were found guilty on Wednesday in the United States Court of aiding Federal prisoners to escape from jail. The prisoners referred to were arrested by the United States authorities for taking an active part in the wholesale election frauds in Cincinnati which sent Milton Sayler and the "Bounding Banning" to Congress; and Wallace, who owed his election to the same frauds, (in which indeed he was an active agent,) aided one Jack Young, a Baltimore rough who led the gangs of democratic repeaters, to escape from jail.

The jury in the case of Charles S. Brown, accused of the murder of his father at Middletown, R. I., brought in a verdict of not guilty.

At an early hour Thursday morning the wholesale oil establishment of William E. Dunham, at Fall River, Mass., blew up and took fire, and was entirely destroyed, the Kendrick Loom and Harness Works also being burned, and the office of the French paper *La Procteur*.

The Secretary of War has issued an order directing that 2500 enlisted men of the army be discharged before the 1st of July, in order that they may be paid out of the appropriations for the current fiscal year. The discharges are made on account of the postponement of the extra session of Congress. Under the act of August 15, 1876, the President was empowered to increase the number of enlisted men to 100 for each company of such regiments of cavalry as may be employed during the existing Indian hostilities, provided that not over 2500 enlisted men thus be added at any one time to the 25,000 authorized by the act of July 24, 1876; and it is the additional men thus enlisted who are now to be discharged. The amount required to pay these men will be in the neighborhood of $900,000.

The United States Government is now officially aware that Turkey and Russia are at war. Turkey gave notice of it some time ago, and the Russian minister announced the fact to Secretary Evarts on Wednesday.

A French machinist has discovered that by keeping his turning tools constantly wetted with petroleum he was able to cut metals and alloys with them, although when the tools were used without the oils their edges were turned and dulled. The hardest steel can be turned easily if the tools be thus wet with a mixture of two parts of petroleum with one part of turpentine.

Some of the Spanish papers are advocating the suppression of the bull fights, and are publishing an eloquent appeal to the Cortes asking that it may be illegal for horses to take part in them. There are one hundred bull rings in Spain, and only twelve savings banks. Several of the towns which have recently built rings have no schools.

Lieutenant De Kalands of the Russian navy and Miss Jennie Burdick, "that was," of San Francisco, who lately eloped after much difficulty and in spite of the furious father of the lady, have been married again, this time by the Russian bishop, Very Rev. Father Alexander, chaplain of the man-of-war Bagan. The ceremony took place on board the flag-ship Vsadnick, which was gayly decorated and was crowded with the elite of San Francisco and Vallejo society and Russian officers resplendent with orders.

The marriage of Lieutenant L. C. Logan, United States Navy, and the eldest daughter of Admiral Porter, took place at the church of the Epiphany in Washington, Wednesday evening. The affair was a very brilliant one. The church was decked with flowers, and there were many navy and army officers present in full uniform. The bride was dressed in white satin, and the ten bridesmaids in white tulle garnished with blonde lace and white lilies. The groomsmen were all in full uniform, and eight of the ten ushers were also of the navy. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Perit, pastor of the church.

Two illicit distillers in Glasgow, Ky., were recently shot, one fatally, by United States Marshals, while resisting arrest. The officers are under arrest.

A Salt Lake despatch reiterates that the Mormons anticipate making resistance to the Federal laws, and are preparing therefor by arming and drilling.

Pettengill's Newspaper Directory.

A very useful and interesting volume of 376 pages has just been issued by the old and well-known advertising agency firm of S. M. Pettengill & Co., New York, entitled "Pettengill's Newspaper Directory and Advertisers' Hand-Book for 1877." The preparation of the work has involved much careful labor, information having been sought from every city, town, and village where even the smallest newspaper is published. The leading facts are given respecting 8,574 separate publications, designating the political or other distinctive character, the frequency of issue, the names of publishers, etc., and showing how many of each edition (daily, weekly, monthly, etc.,) are published in each State and Territory in the United States and Province in British America.

The book is elegantly printed from new type, and, besides its mine of information, it contains portraits of leading New York journalists, and illustrations of the extensive offices where the publishers transact their business in New York, Philadelphia, and Boston. It is sold at the low price of $1.00 per copy, and is certainly cheap at the price to any business man who does advertising, or to any person who is interested in the extent of the newspaper business in America.

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SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of Tuesday, the 5th day of June next, for furnishing RATIONS to the U. S. Marines at one or more of the following stations, from 1 July, 1877, to 30 June, 1878:

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BROOKLYN, New York.
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ANNAPOLIS, Maryland.
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The rations are to be delivered upon the order of the commanding officer of each station, the Fresh Beef, either in bulk or by the single ration, of good quality, with an equal proportion of hind and fore quarters, necks and kidney fallow to be excluded; the Pork, No. 1 Prime Mess Pork; the Flour known as extra superfine in the market of the place where the station is located; the Coffee, good fair; the Sugar, good New Orleans or its equivalent; and the Beans, Vinegar, Candles, Soap, Salt, etc., to be of good quality.

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A guarantee signed by two persons, whose responsibility must be certified by a United States District Judge, District Attorney, or Collector, must accompany each proposal.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by such guarantee. Blank forms of proposal can be obtained upon application at any of the marine stations.

Newspapers authorized to publish the above will send the paper containing the first insertion to this office for examination.

Proposals to be indorsed, "Proposals for Rations," and addressed to the undersigned.

WILLIAM B. SLACK,
Major and Quartermaster, U. S. Marine Corps.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL.

HEADQUARTERS MARINE CORPS,
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2 May, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of Thursday, the 7th day of June next, for supplying WOOD and COAL to the U. S. Marines at one or more of the following places, during fiscal year ending 30 June, 1878.

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Blank forms of proposals can be obtained upon applications at any of the marine posts.

Payments will be made upon receipt of accounts duly authenticated by the commanding officers of the posts at which the fuel has been delivered.

The right is reserved to reject all bids considered unreasonable.

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House to Let.

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BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
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We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

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The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 5 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds, and I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; and I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been a day from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. *I know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—I have been afflicted for more twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for eight or ten winters, and have been traveling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most incessantly. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most obstinate that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

MESSRS. W. LANE—*Sirs*:—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good at those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and adviser of those Pills.

MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P.M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		3.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35‡ "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, May 10th.

Patrick Cronin was brought before the Court, charged with having been so bewildered Wednesday night, shortly after midnight, as to have to stop people on Water street to enquire of them if they could show him where Cronin's was. This Cronin must not be confounded with the Tilden Electoral College of Oregon, being another man, though of similar name and habits. On a previous occasion, when brought before the Court, he explained that he was not drunk, but had been eating a lot of lobsters; but the Court considered that a man who would eat so many lobsters, at a time when nobody else had seen one in the market for three months, was just as dangerous to society as a drunkard, and sent him up accordingly. On this occasion he said he had just risen from a sick bed where he had been confined two weeks, to attend a wake; and in consideration of this he was let off easy—$5 fine, costs $6,90—Brentwood.

GOOD NEWS.

The heirs of J. W. Peirce having purchased the entire interest in the property of the old Temple, a building will be at once erected on that site by the Peirce heirs and other parties, which will compare favorably with any opera hall in any city in New England, of the size of Portsmouth. It is intended to be fire proof; the walls will be of brick, on a solid granite foundation, the windows protected by heavy iron shutters, and the roof slated. In the internal arrangements the convenience and safety of the audience, and the securing of ample stage-room and good acoustic properties, will be especially regarded; the house will accommodate *in comfort* one thousand persons; and will have such facilities for egress as shall be entirely satisfactory to the public, and every accommodation required in a public hall. Work will be commenced at once, the entire stock being already taken.

JOTTINGS.

The Band of Hope will meet Saturday afternoon at Mechanics' Hall, at 3 o'clock. Every boy and girl belonging to the wide awake organization is requested to be present, and also those who wish to join in season for the May festival.

The Portsmouth Dramatic Club went to North Hampton Wednesday evening, and played "Ten Nights in a Bar-room" to a large and appreciative audience. The club have been invited to present this play in Exeter.

Schooner J. P. Ames of this port left here on the morning of the 3d for Calais, Maine, distance two hundred and eighty miles, and arrived there next morning. It will be remembered that this schooner was wrecked at the Isles of Shoals last winter, purchased by Rider & Cotton and Thomas S. Gay of this city, and was afterward gotten off and repaired here.

We are informed that Daniel Kane was stabbed in the ribs by John Long, in a quarrel at John Dwyer's place at the north end of Market street, Wednesday night, but not dangerously injured. No arrests.

The San Francisco *Post* prints a long account of the statements of the captain of the steam-tug Monarch, which was towing the ship Frank Jones to sea at the time she was wrecked, and of other steam-tug captains, relative to the loss of that vessel. From this account, and the comments of the *Post*, we gather that the Pilot Board of San Francisco laid the blame for the accident on the captain of the tug, while the tug captains and the *Post* reporter considered the pilot of the ship wholly at fault. Three other vessels started for sea on the same afternoon the Frank Jones was beached, but only one of them got out, the remaining two both parting their hawsers just about where the Frank Jones parted hers; neither of these vessels—the barques Oakland and Bohemia—had a pilot on board, but each hoisted jibs, and sailed back to a safe anchorage. The captain of the Monarch asserted that if the pilot of the Frank Jones had let go the anchor when the ship's hawser parted the first time, and held on (as he could easily have done) until the steamer's hawser could have been gotten out, instead of trusting to the rotten ship's hawser a second time, there would have been no danger of wreck.

New Hampshire Items.

The State Normal School closed a successful year Wednesday afternoon, 9th inst., graduating in the second course ten ladies, and in the first course twenty-seven ladies and six gentlemen.

The Catholic Total Abstinence Union of the State held its annual meeting at Fisherville on Wednesday, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Rev. Father M. J. Goodwin of Laconia; Corresponding Secretary, D. P. Donavan of Concord; Recording Secretary, D. E. Barry of Concord; Financial Secretary, D. D. Mahoney of Dover; Treasurer, T. B. Crawley of Nashua; Sergeant-at-Arms, Patrick Kelly of Fisherville. One Vice President was elected from each county. It was voted to have a State parade at Manchester October 10. Adjourned to meet at Dover May 9, 1878.

The oldest person now living in York county, Me., is Mrs. Susannah Johnson of Limerick, widow of Daniel Johnson, who was 100 years of age on the first day of April last. Mrs. Johnson was born in Wakefield, in this State, and was the daughter of Joseph Perkins, who fought in the Revolutionary war, removing from Wakefield to Limerick when she was 11 years of age. At this time the country was a wilderness, and they were guided by marked trees. On Tuesday, April 24th, of this year, she rode from her home to the house of her nephew, Mr. Perkins, a distance of five miles. She reads fine print without glasses, and is in possession of nearly all her faculties.

A hearing on the will of the late Mrs. Whitehouse of Pembroke was had before the Judge of Probate at Concord, May 9th. The relatives of the deceased contest it on the ground that the testator was not of sound mind at the time it was made. The hearing was adjourned till the 23d of May.

Congressman H. W. Blair will deliver the Decoration Day oration at Keene.

The celebrated Parker riot case at Hanover has just been settled by the payment by the students of $350.

George Aiken of Keene lost an eye on the 9th inst. while breaking a stick of wood, which flew up and struck his face.

Alec Bauer, aged 35 years, dropped dead while coming out of the Amoskeag mills at Manchester, Wednesday evening, where he was an operative.

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 9th.

Candor compels the admission that the postponement of the extra session of Congress is interpreted here to mean the Administration's disinclination to accept the wager of battle offered by the disaffected members of the republican party, and a disposition to defer the attack to the latest possible date. The democrats are disposed to regard the matter in a rather facetious light. Mr. Randall calls it an exhibition of great weakness and is inclined to believe that the move, instead of mollifying the resentment of certain well known leaders, will only render them more aggressive and remorseless when an opportunity serves for them to ventilate their grievances, real or fancied, or both. No occurrence for some years has created a more genuine surprise, and perhaps it may be said with equal truth, more consternation among the merchants, hotel-men and boarding-housekeepers of Washington, who had been counting on a prosperous summer season. Many an air-castle came tumbling to the ground with the announcement of the postponement, and it will render necessary a general readjustment of plans of the business man, the social leader and the politician. The extra session of a date not later than the 15th proximo was an accepted fact; and it is whispered about that the later investigations of Secretary McCrary have convinced him that his assent to the later date of October was premature; as he has discovered that without Congressional aid he cannot after the close of the fiscal year, fulfill the requirements of law relative to the pay of discharged soldiers. It was a very great oversight, and it is hinted that the proclamation may be even now amended by inserting June instead of October. Undoubtedly there was much uneasiness felt in business circles over the prospect of a summer session, and some apprehensions entertained lest some marplot legislator should tackle finances or the tariff as stepping stones to fame. But on the other hand it is urged that to keep the soldiers and officers without their pay for four months would involve great hardship, and be a great injustice as well. It is also understood that the Department of Justice is almost wholly without funds, as are also some of the Bureaus of Executive Departments; and that in view of our exposed condition from the miserable condition of our Navy, when the whole earth is trembling under the tread of armed men and every sea is being covered with terribly destructive navies, large appropriations at the earliest hour practicable should be made to render efficient what vessels we have, and to construct new ones. The verdict will probably be when more time has been allowed for mature reflection, that if any vital interest is likely to suffer for Congressional aid, measures should be at once adopted for securing it, without much reference to the criticisms to which the Administration is, and ought to be, liable at any time. The opponents of the Southern policy could have done nothing more damaging, probably, than to talk, and they will do that with quite as much effect outside the walls of the Capitol, as they could within.

The latest intelligence from Europe is interpreted here to mean early participation of both Austria and Great Britain in the momentous struggle now going on between the Turk and Russian; and their intervention can hardly fail to provoke like action on the part of the other powers. KNOX.

—Sergeant Bates, Donn Piatt and Dr. Mary Walker all refuse to join the European belligerents, notwithstanding the unanimous invitation of the American press.

—The advice "Go West" has been followed too well, according to an alarmed newspaper at Dallas, Texas, and the cry is now raised, "Young man, go back." The trouble appears to be that there has been a rush of tramps to Texas; and the unusual picture of men begging their bread in the streets of Dallas has presented itself to the dilating eye of the Texan journalist. The trouble is probably not so alarming as it seems, but it may be as well for those who think of rushing off to Texas without forethought to understand that they there say, "Go back."

—Jennie June says that the *Ledger* has greatly fallen off in circulation, and she concludes that all the girls in the country have got through asking Bonner if it is "tony" to sit on a fellow's knee at a candy-pull.

—A young Parisian, noted for the number of duels in which he acted as a second, was called on by a friend to witness his signature in the marriage registry. Before the ceremony was performed the force of habit overcame him and he exclaimed: "Gentlemen, gentlemen, cannot this affair be arranged?"

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Of failing energy, that to which the fagged out man of business, the brain-fatigued author, the tired advocate or the weary artisan can resort with the greatest certainty that it will revive his overwrought powers, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a most genial tonic cordial, as well as a benign remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver, bowels and urinary organs, and a means of eradicating and preventing intermittent and remittent fevers. It not only enriches the blood and creates a new fund of energy in the system, but it has the effect of expelling impurities from the life current which beget disease. The injurious influence of abrupt transitions of temperature, of an unwholesome climate and injurious diet, are counteracted by it, and it promotes digestion, appetite and sound repose. Give it a trial and be convinced.

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should have pearly teeth behind them. To make the teeth pearly, and to keep them so, there is nothing like Fragrant Sozodont. It neutralizes every element of impurity that affects the soundness or whiteness of the dental bone. Moreover, it prevents gum-boil and canker.

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DR. A. J. FLAGG'S COUGH AND LUNG SYRUP.—Thousands of persons die every year, from that dread disease, Consumption. We constantly read of some discovered remedy and sure cure. As the man or woman finds that he or she is infected, and pronounced incurable, their great desire is to find something which shall at least prolong life. Dr. A. J. Flagg of Claremont, N. H., being aware of this fact, and the importance of meeting the requirements of thousands of his fellow beings, gave his attention to the matter, and after years of experience and trial has discovered a remedy which he confidently believes will do all that he claims for it. His Cough and Lung Syrup is pleasant to take, and has worked wonders in a medical point of view. Persons afflicted with Consumption, Bronchitis, Asthma or any of these diseases, should by all means give it a trial and see if it does not do all that is claimed for it.

Free of charge—*Sample* bottle of *Adamson's Cough Balsam* at all drug stores. Owing to its perfect harmony in combination it is the very best mixture for the speedy cure and relief of croup, colds, throat or lung diseases. Large bottles 35 cents.

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MARINE CHRONICLE.

Barque Quickstep, Barnabee, from Manila, arr at San Francisco May 9.

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Schs Union Flag, Frisbee, Free Wind, Frisbee, and Jesse Williams Jr, Frisbee, from this port, arr at New York May 8.

Sch Tantamount, Gilker, for this port from Port Johnson passed through Hell Gate May 8.

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THE SUBSCRIBERS give notice that they have been duly appointed Administrators of the Estate of DANIEL PEIRCE, late of Portsmouth, in the County of Rockingham, deceased. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.

Dated Portsmouth, May 8th, 1877.

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WM. A. PEIRCE,
ROB'T C. PEIRCE.

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Eastern	31
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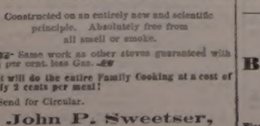

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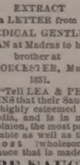

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substances, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to throw the offal of meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores or market, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any fisher of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any slaughtering house, fish house, or place of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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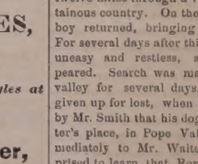

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Effects of Tobacco on Health.

The following is a part of a valuable tract on the subject which every pastor and every church member in the land ought to read. It can be had by writing to O. M., 136 Chesnut street, Syracuse, N. Y., at fifty cents per hundred.

1. Dr. Willard Parker of New York city says, "It is now many years since my attention was called to the insidious, but positively destructive effects of tobacco upon the human system. I have seen a great deal of its influence upon those who use it and work in it. Cigar and snuff manufacturers have come under my care in hospitals and in private practice, and such persons can never recover soon and in a healthy manner, from cases of injury or fever. They are more apt to die in epidemics, and more prone to apoplexy and paralysis. The same is true of all those who smoke or chew much."

2. Dr. H. V. Miller, of Syracuse, furnishes the following: "A French physician investigated the effects of tobacco smoking, upon thirty-eight boys between the ages of nine and fifteen, who were addicted to the habit. The result was that twenty-seven presented marked symptoms of nicotine poisoning; twenty-three manifested serious derangement of the intellectual faculties, and a strong appetite for alcoholic drinks; three had heart-disease; eight decided deterioration of blood; twelve had frequent nose-bleed; ten disturbed sleep, and four ulceration of the mucous membrane of the mouth."

3. That very able work, "Diseases of Modern Life," by Dr. Richardson, sums up the effects of tobacco thus: "Smoking produces disturbances in the blood, causing undue fluidity and change in the red corpuscles; in the stomach, giving rise to debility, nausea, etc.; in the mucous membrane of the mouth, causing enlargement and soreness of the tonsils; in the heart, producing debility of that organ and irregular action; in the organs of sense, causing in the extreme degree, dilatation of the pupils of the eyes, confusion of vision, with other analogous symptoms affecting the ear; in the brain, imparing the activity of that organ, and oppressing it, if it be duly nourished, but soothing it if it be exhausted. The effects of tobacco, often severe, even on those who have attained to manhood, are especially injurious to the young, who are still in the stage of adolescence. In these the habit of smoking causes impairment of growth, premature manhood, and physical prostration."

This a terrible arraignment by medical science, of habits that find shelter in the Christian church, and justification even, in the example of Christian pulpits! And yet,

4. Perhaps the worst thing to be said of tobacco, is the medical testimony which follows. "The parent whose blood and secretions are saturated with tobacco, and whose brain and nervous system are semi-narcotized by it, must transmit to his child elements of a distempered body and erratic mind; a deranged condition of organic atoms, which elevates the animalism of the future being, at the expense of the moral and intellectual nature." And here is the law of hereditary transmission or penalty. (Exodus xx: 4, 5, 6.) Few parents who indulge in strong drink, or tobacco or opium, or other sensual habits, think of the terrible results to children of their own flesh and blood.

Canine Sagacity.

The *Pacific Rural Press* tells the following story: Mr. J. W. Smith, of Monticello, recently sold his flock of sheep to Mr. Jared Walters, of Pope Valley, and sent a boy with his shepherd dog Rover to help him drive them home. It was a distance of twelve miles through a very rough, mountainous country. On the following day the boy returned, bringing Rover with him. For several days after this Rover appeared uneasy and restless, and finally disappeared. Search was made throughout the valley for several days, and Rover was given up for lost, when word was received by Mr. Smith that his dog was at Mr. Walter's place, in Pope Valley. He went immediately to Mr. Walters, and was surprised to learn that Rover had made two attempts to drive the entire flock home. At one time he succeeded in driving them half way back before being overtaken.

The Critical Periods of Life.

From the elaborate table drawn up by Dr. Farr, it would seem, as far as can be made out, there are certainly very critical periods in our career. A baby, for instance, has a very small chance indeed of growing up. But, on the other hand, the period between the tenth and twelfth years exclusively is that in which the death average is the smallest. At about thirty-five we must begin to take care of ourselves. At this period, constitutional changes set in; our hair and teeth begin to fall us; our digestion is no longer what it used to be; we lose the vigour of youth and neglect outdoor exercise—above all, the cares of life begin to make themselves perceptibly felt. It is at this time that deaths from suicide take a marked place in the returns of mortality, and there is also considerable reason to believe that habits of intemperance are apt to suddenly develop themselves. The picture, however, has its sunshiny side. It would take, of course, a professional notuary to deduce from Dr. Farr's tables their exact result. It appears, however, that if a

man tides over his 50th year he may make tolerable certain of living to 70, while if he reaches his 75th year there is very strong presumption that he will either turn his 90th birthday or very near it. A still more interesting question is opened by a series of tables which show the average mortality in different professions and pursuits. Gamekeepers are, for obvious reasons, the healthiest class of our whole population; clergymen and agricultural laborers come next, and are followed by barristers; solicitors and business men are less fortunate, while at the extreme end, of the scale come unhealthy pursuits such as printing and filegrinding.—*English Paper.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, MAY 12, 1877.

The War.

A despatch from Bucharest via London, Friday morning, says the Russians were preparing to force a crossing of the Danube simultaneously at three different places, namely: at Kalafat, at Nicopalax and at a point between Reni and Galatz. The Turkish gunboats were actively bombarding all of these points, and the Russians erecting batteries to defend themselves from the enemy's fire.

Turkish advices of the 11th state that a Russian attempt to cross the Danube at Reni on the 9th was repulsed, the bridge and boats being destroyed by Turkish gunboats, and a great number of Russians killed and captured. Despatches direct from Roumania do not mention any fight at Reni.

No Pay for the Navy.

The Secretary of the Navy has issued the following circular to pay-officers of that branch of the service:

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, D. C., May, 1877.

Sir: I have carefully considered the probable embarrassment to which the officers and men of the navy will be subjected because of the deficiency under the appropriation for the pay of the navy and the consequent inability to make the current payments for the months of April, May and June, but I find myself unable, without violating express provisions of law, to afford them any relief in an official form. If I possessed the power it would gratify me to exercise it for their protection. The law prohibits all the departments of the Government from expending in any fiscal year any sum in excess of appropriations for that year, or from involving the Government in any contract for the future payment of money in excess of such appropriations. It moreover subjects any officer who shall violate it to indictment and punishment. These provisions are imperative, and leave me without any official discretion whatever. At the expiration of each month any officer on your rolls who may desire it, may be furnished by you with a certificate showing the amount due him by the Government. If the law permitted to be attached to this a promise by the Secretary of the Navy that the money would be paid out of any future appropriation, it is believed there would be no difficulty in procuring the money upon it; but it is impossible. Under the law all further transactions must be conducted solely between the officer holding the certificates and the person advancing the pay.

Respectfully, etc., R. W. THOMPSON,
Secretary of the Navy.

He also issued a general circular announcing that:

"The Department having decided that it will not be proper to pay the balances remaining due to officers and men under pay of the navy, at the close of the present fiscal year, from the appropriation made for the next fiscal year, the pay officers of all stations and vessels are hereby directed not to carry their balance forward to their pay rolls for the third quarter of 1877, but to leave them as remaining due and unpaid on their rolls ending June 30, 1877, and they will be considered as turned into the Fourth Auditor's Department of the Treasury for final adjustment and settlement, when an appropriation shall be made therefor by Congress. In opening their pay rolls for the third quarter of 1877, pay officers will transfer to the pay accounts of all the persons on their books as usual, only omitting the balances remaining due and unpaid; but, where officers or men are indebted to the Government, balances overpaid shall be transferred and taken upon the new accounts. In order to enable the department to ascertain the exact total deficiency at the earliest possible moment, pay officers will make up and forward their accounts ending June 30, 1877, as soon as they possibly can after the close of the quarter."

News and Notes.

Steamship City of Brussells is reported as having arrived at Queenstown, Ireland, on the 11th.

Fishing schooner Cod-Seeker, of Halifax, N. S., capsized off Cape Sable on the night of the 9th. The captain and two men landed in a dory; thirteen men were drowned.

The York County (Me.) Savings Bank has elected John M. Goodwin, President, and R. H. Ingersoll, Treasurer.

The attempt to put up the price of coal through a combination of the great companies has wholly failed, and low prices are looked for.

Hon. C. H. Webber, editor of the Salem *Post*, will deliver the Decoration Day address at Biddeford, Me.

The New Haven *Union* severely says that the New York "*Sun*, of late, is a paper that cannot be implicitly depended upon!"

Nellie McGuinness, of Providence, R. I., having arrived at the advanced age of sixteen years "with nothing to live for," procured twenty grains of bichromate of potash, "braided her hair in two braids, donned her best Sunday-go-to-meeting dress," and swallowed the poison. A doctor saved the silly young fool's life.

New Hampshire Items.

Manchester enjoys a gang of burglars.

Mary Brown, of Epsom, four years old, fatally shot herself on Friday while playing with a revolver.

The Nashua fire-bug is again at work.

A boy about twelve years of age applied at the Second Police Station in Boston, Thursday evening, for lodging, and, upon being questioned, stated that his name was Frank Bell, and that he came from Rochester, in this state, the day, to meet his uncle, James Bell of Wilkesbarre, Pa., who is stopping in the city, but just where was not known to the lad. He was kindly cared for.

The City Hall of Nashua is to be remodelled so as to give a safe exit in case of fire.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council, Thursday, William Witt Moses was appointed Special Justice of Somersworth Police Court.

William Donohue, who was arrested in Haverhill, Mass., a week ago, by Sheriff Kent, for an aggravated assault upon Chas. H. Davis at East Kingston, was tried at Exeter on Thursday, convicted and sentenced to pay a fine of $200 and stop six months in jail. The day previous to the assault Davis made a complaint against Donohue for selling liquor.

President Bartlett of Dartmouth College has formally accepted Governor Fairbanks' invitation to deliver the oration on the occasion of the anniversary of the battle of Bennington, August 16, at Bennington, Vt.

The body of the man taken from the canal at Manchester on the 7th, was that of John Butler of Derry.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Islington, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.

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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

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NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

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THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 36x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

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The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine I have been given up by physicians as past cure. have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 8th, and wrote you February 20th of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the Medal Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you I advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, 7

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most of the time for about two years, and have been traveling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most obstinate they had ever had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mobley my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have live applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

MESSRS. W. LANE—*Sirs:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.

MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West, 8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30†	P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 8.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35†	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.43	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

CITY AFFAIRS

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, a petition of heirs of George Chesley for leave to open Russell street to repair drain was referred to committee on widening streets.

Asa T. Walker's complaint of the street sprinkling apparatus in Brewster street was laid over till next meeting.

Petitions of H. Peyser & Co., for leave to put up awning posts on Daniel street; of Wm. Stearns and others, for repair and grading of Tanner street; and of J. Albert Walker for sidewalk on Tanner street, were referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Woman's Temperance League for use of South ward room on Saturday afternoons for the Band of Hope, was referred to committee on city lands and buildings.

Notice of Robert C. Peirce, administrator of the estate of Mrs. Burroughs, of termination of occupancy of land near the Court House yard, was received. The subject was referred to committee on city lands, etc., to ascertain on what terms the land can be procured.

Claim of Samuel S. Whidden for payment for lamb killed by dogs, was referred to committee on claims.

Petition of James R. Connell and others for change in the line of Dennett street was received and a hearing appointed for Thursday, May 31st.

Received from Common Council, a bill entitled "an ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain unexpended appropriations," passed by the Common Council. Said bill was read once and referred to committee.

Committee on accounts reported bills approved by them, which were ordered to be paid.

Petition of R. H. Beacham, for leave to erect a post on Congress street, and subject of paving on Vaughan and North streets, were referred to committee on streets.

Wm. B. Lowd's complaint of the breaking of windows in his house on South street by boys, was referred to committee on claims, with Mayor added.

The committee on widening streets, etc., to whom was referred the petition of Brown and others for a new highway reported that in their judgment the entire land damages will be about $500.

Committee on fire department reported that Hon. M. H. Goodrich says that the city may take the land needed for a reservoir and set their own damages. The report was accepted.

Sent up from Common Council, a bill entitled "an ordinance making appropriations, etc.," passed by the Common Council; said bill was read once and referred.

Adjourned for one week.

The following report of a committee of the Common Council, laid before the Board on Thursday evening, fully explains itself:

Your Committee, to whom was referred "An ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain unexpected appropriations," beg leave to report that they have examined the bills allowed and ordered paid by the Board of Aldermen during the past year; that the excesses to the appropriations have in some cases been proper, and ought to have been allowed in a legal manner. The appropriations, a year ago, were not in all cases adequate to the demands, (while many of them were abundant at a time of general depression of business and high taxes,) and the last outgoing administration used most of such as were made before going out of power, [so that additional appropriations had to be made to complete the year; and yet the excessive expenditures appear to be not only in violation of law, but most flagrant and unwarrantable, inasmuch as, if there had been a just demand for the expenditure, the appropriations could have been made as the law directs. Chap. 2, Sec. 12, City Ordinances, reads: "Whenever any appropriation shall have expired the City Clerk shall give notice of the fact to the Mayor, the President of the Common Council, and the Committee on Accounts, and said committee shall pass no more claims until the City Councils shall have provided the means for paying the same." The City Clerk did give the required notice aforesaid, on Nov. 9, 1876; and yet we find that since that notice was served there has been allowed in direct violation of law the sum total of $8024.92, previous to the 1st day of February, 1877, and since that time, has been expended $10,898,06. A minority of the Committee on "Rents and Repairs of Schoolhouses," without consulting with the majority of the committee, have expended not only the appropriation of $2000, but (since the legal notice was served by the City Clerk) the additional amount of $1658.78, previous to the making up of the yearly accounts on the 1st day of Feb., 1877, and since that date an additional sum of $592.08, making a grand total of $4250.86, as far as reported,—and we know not how much yet to report. This serves to point out to us, how our taxes are kept so high and the expenditure so profligate; and we do not feel that we ought, now the deed is done, to be called upon to legalize and endorse past illegal conduct. We do not recommend the passage of the Ordinance. If the Board of Aldermen are capable of contracting and paying bills, without the consent of this Board, they certainly ought to be able to raise the money themselves, without our assistance; and we are willing they should do so.

Respectfully submitted,

Signed { O. M. KNIGHT, E. B. PRIME, J. W. DAME, J. BUZZELL.

The Council accepted and adopted the report, and another ordinance under the same title, covering the unexpended balances into the Treasury, was passed and sent to the Aldermen for concurrence.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, May 11th.

Dennis H. Mead for insulting a police officer, was fined $3, costs $6.90—just what he would have had to have paid for an average drunk. The officer was at the depot with a prisoner, bound to Brentwood, a day or two before, when Mead advised the prisoner to run away, and on being admonished by the officer to attend to his own affairs he was abusive $9.90 worth.

[Communicated.]

GIVE US PURE AIR.

Messrs. Editors: Your readers were treated to a piece of good news indeed, Friday morning, in the announcement of the new opera house to be immediately erected on the favorite site of the old Temple. Everybody has been impressed with the need of such a building since the destruction of the Temple. The enumeration of the many points of promised advantage makes one impatient for its erection; yet through inadvertence, doubtless, one important point was left out—*ventilation*—unless the word *comfort* covered the whole ground. After safety, convenience of ingress and egress, let ventilation be the next desideratum. We know it will be beautiful, from the well-known taste of those engaged in its construction; but let the Peirce Opera House be the *best ventilated* building in the country.

GRATEFUL CITIZEN.

THE "FRANK JONES."

The attempt to haul off the Frank Jones Monday night was unsuccessful. The tugs Monarch, Neptune and Rescue parted one eleven and one twelve-inch hawser in the attempt, but did not move the ship an inch. This is not strange, considering that she has still 425 tons of ballast and seven feet of water in her hold. She is reported to be badly hogged and strained. No time has been fixed for another attempt. An amusing feature of the affair was an account of it given by a stock contemporary yesterday afternoon—"The ship Frank Jones was successfully floated off the beach this morning. The speculators who, by some 'hocus pocus' were permitted a few weeks ago to buy her as she lay for $4700, have cleared about 1000 per cent profit on the transaction. The ship is worth to-day $50,000. We hear of no movement on the part of the underwriters to investigate either the running of the ship ashore or her hasty sale."—*San Francisco Commercial List*, May 30.

A despatch from San Francisco, May 9th, says: "The wreck of the ship Frank Jones has been abandoned, all attempts to get her off having been unsuccessful, and she will be sold (second time) on the 11th."

"A SAD CASE."

Under the above heading the Boston papers of Friday printed the following item of Salem news:

"On Wednesday evening Officer Heathcote of Salem came across a family consisting of a man, his wife, and four children, bound for on foot to Portsmouth, N. H. Their story was a sad case. They had been settled in Northern Michigan, were burned out, and started for Portsmouth, N. H., where they had friends. On reaching Boston their money gave out, and they walked to Salem, arriving about 6:30 P. M. Two of the children were too small to walk, and they, aged two years and ten months respectively, were drawn in a toy express wagon, being bundled in with a valise, the only baggage of the party. The kind-hearted officer took the whole family to Mr. C. H. Kezar's eating-house, and that gentleman furnished them good suppers, after which they were provided with comfortable quarters for the night at the police station. Mr. Heathcote raised for them a small sum of money; Mr. Kezar added $5, and yesterday morning they were turned over to the railroad officials to help them on their way."

On making enquiries at the Eastern Railroad depot in this city, our reporter learned that the same party of unfortunates was here about six weeks ago, destitute, and anxious to "go West;" so the hard-handed but kind-hearted railroad boys contributed generously of their hard-earned shekels, made up a nice little purse, and sent them on their way rejoicing. On Friday they arrived back from "the West," or wherever they may have been in the meantime, hung around the depot for awhile and then emigrated to Dover, paying their way on the train. As to who they are or where they are from our reporter could gain no information.

JOTTINGS.

Morse & Ilsley will sell by auction today two eligible lots of real estate. At eleven o'clock, A. M., the double-tenement house numbered eleven and thirteen on Mechanic street, belonging to the heirs of the late Elizabeth Halstead, will be offered; at twelve o'clock, noon, the residence of the late Dr. Stevens, No. 54 Middle street, will be sold. See advertisements.

The temperance meeting on Sunday evening next will be addressed by Mr. John W. Drew of Concord, Franklin Hall having been engaged for the occasion. It is expected that there will be a crowd to greet Mr. Drew, as he will be remembered by many of those in this city who attended the temperance meetings a year or more ago, as one who, with the celebrated temperance evangelist, Mr. Osgood, made such a stir here and in this vicinity in getting signers to the pledge. Since that time Mr. Drew has been devoting himself wholly to the work of reform in New Hampshire, and has succeeded very well, having formed many clubs, and procured the signatures of thousands to the pledge. We hope our citizens generally will attend the meeting on Sunday evening. Admission five cents.

The stock and fixtures of the apothecary store lately occupied by H. W. Briant, and his interest in the lease of the store, will be sold at auction at noon to-day, on the premises, by Col. J. Horace Kent, assignee in bankruptcy. The sale is positive, and the terms cash. See advertisement.

At Bow Mission, Sunday afternoon, there will be a service especially appropriate for business men (and women,) which promises to be very interesting. A cordial invitation is extended to all interested, and their friends. Bible service at 2:30 P. M.; regular service at 4:15.

William S. Roberts, who was drowned near "boiling rock" on the evening of the 7th inst., was a native of Dover, where his relatives still reside. The Dover *Democrat* says that when drowned he "had on his person articles of a good deal of value; one gold watch worth about $150; a considerable sum of money, the precise amount not known, and probably several hundred dollars worth of securities, mostly western county bonds. It is known that he owned some $800 worth of these bonds, and only about $200 worth can be found among the avails at his home in Portsmouth. The presumption is that he had them in his pocket, although it is not certain." The drowned man's brother, Capt. J. G. Roberts of Dover, offers to pay $25 for the recovery of the body.

The American House, Boston, always reckoned one of the best of Hotels, like good wine seems to improve with age. Its location is unsurpassed for parties, either on business or pleasure, and it has few equals in its thousand contrivances for the comfort and pleasure of its guests.

The Eastern Railroad has commenced running Pullman cars between Boston and Bangor, for the season.

Mr. Stephen Raitt is building a goodly sized shop for his blacksmith business, on Green street, near the site of the old cemetery. Mr. Raitt proposes to make a first-class shop of it, with conveniences for doing pretty much anything in the blacksmithing line required in this city.

Passengers arriving in New York by way of the Grand Central Depot will find the new and comfortable Hotel Devonshire, which is opposite the main entrance on 42d Street, the most inexpensive place to stop. It is a modern hotel, and first-class in all appointments.

The Equitable Life Assurance Society, through the agent, A. F. Craig, has just paid a policy of $5,000, on the life of the late Robert C. Jarvis of this city.

Captain William Shackford, of this city, left for New York on Friday to take command of the Cresent City, one of the steamers belonging to the Pacific Mail Steamship Company. The Cresent City is about 3000 tons register, and sails between New York and Aspinwall. Capt. Shackford has been in the employ of this company for fourteen years, and has commanded, during the last five years, the Great Republic and China, of 5000 tons each, on the San Francisco and China line, and the Colima, which runs between San Francisco and Australia.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT:

On Tuesday the court heard the equity suit of W. Emery, administrator of estate of Wm B. Dodge, an action brought by Emery in the interest of the creditors of the estate to recover a farm and building in Hampton which William B. Dodge in 1871 conveyed by deed to Henry L. Dodge, his son, as was contended by the plaintiff without a full consideration, and to defraud the creditors of said William.

On Wednesday, case George B. Sias vs. Roger Williams Insurance Co. was tried. This was an action brought by Sias as mortgagee upon a boarding house in Gorham, insured for $2500, and burned in 1875. Defence claimed a violation of conditions of policy, but a verdict was given for the plaintiff for $1627.50; exceptions taken.

On Thursday the Court was occupied with the case of John R. Poor vs. the Hudson Fire Insurance Company of New Jersey, action on a policy of $2500 issued by A. F. Craig of this city as agent of the defendant, insuring the Oceanic House at the Isles of Shoals, destroyed by fire in November, 1875. Several witnesses were examined for the plaintiff, and testified as to the occurrence of the fire and circumstances relative thereto. The defendants relied upon the alleged cancellation of the policy, which they claimed had occurred previous to the fire. The Court seemed to doubt the completeness of the cancellation, which point was argued by counsel and resulted in the delivery of an opinion by the Court that the cancellation was not complete. The parties then agreed that the case should be taken from the jury and submitted to the Court, to be disposed of as the exigencies of the case required, which action resulted practically in rendering a verdict for the plaintiff.

The Court then adjourned until Tuesday, 15th inst., when Judge Clark will preside and criminal business will be disposed of.

MARRIED.

JULYN—BROWN. In Rye, April 29, by Rev. S. B. Bowdish, Mr. Charles Julyn of Salem, Mass., and Miss Jessie M. Brown of Rye.

DIED.

DEROCHEMONT. In Wells, Me., May 6, Mrs. Olive H. Derochemont, widow of the late George Derochemont, and sister of Mr. George O. Buzzell, formerly of this city.

PAUL. In Vineland, N. J., May 6, Mrs. Lizzie Paul, wife of Mr. Samuel Paul, and daughter of Mr. John Matthews of Kittery, aged 27 years.

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—Decoration Day—Sunday.

—Smidkins defines a kiss as a report from headquarters.

—Polite—The New York *World* speaks of a lady monkey.

—Kansas, geographically speaking, is the central state of the Union.

—An Oil City man is so slow that his watch sometimes runs down while he is winding it up.

—It makes a boy sick to look at the picture of a Turk and think what big pockets he could have in his pantaloons.

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United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	113½
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. Corp	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	54½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	91½
Boston & Providence	112½
Boston & Albany	116½
Nashua & Lowell	98
Concord	54
Eastern	31
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	109½
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	41½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	33
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	50½

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 16, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or into any wharf, but shall carry them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any privies as may require, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any privies or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal or fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for such refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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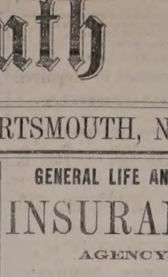

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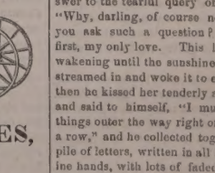

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

—Said Grace Greenwood once, speaking of public singers and dancers:—"Happy is the woman whose genius locates itself in her throat or her heels, for she shall have money and friends."

—A morning paper, in an obituary of one who died in Boston a few days since, says: "He was formerly a native of Lynn." What place he was a native of in later years is the unsettled question.

—It is said that Ralph Waldo Emerson will get up in the middle of the night to jot down a thought or see whether there is a mouse in the trap.

—Secretary Evarts telegraphing to England the other day got half a sentence on the cable and choked it up. The sentence was finished the next morning and the kinks were taken out of the wire.

—The editor of the St. Louis *Republican* recently insisted that poets must be brief. The next day he received the following, entitled "The Ballad of the Merchant:" —Trust—Bust!

—The reports of the insanity of Paul Morphy, the great chess-player, are authoritatively denied. He is quietly pursuing the practice of his profession, the law, in New Orleans.

—A Washington letter says:—The Russian minister's wife is said to be such a devotee to smoking that she makes a recluse of herself that she may uninterruptedly enjoy her cigarettes.

—A man who hanged himself in Nevada left a letter to his friend, in which he said: "I advise you earnestly to follow my example. You ought to know you are too mean to live. The world would be better without you, and it is your duty to die, and leave more room for better men."

—A correspondent of the Boston *Transcript* says that the theater train on the New York and New England railroad has been taken off for want of travel. Former country theater-goers have been converted in the Moody and Sankey revival, and now they use their evenings for prayer meetings and sewing circles.

—As a train was slowly crawling out of the station at Indianapolis the other day, an individual, with terror depicted in every line of his countenance, was seen running after it, making time that would not have disgraced the record of a lightning express. [illegible] himself up on the steps, the look of terror [illegible] in his face, he confided his secret to a stranger who stood on the platform. He had just awarded the premiums at the baby show that afternoon.

—The town of Canton, Mass., is the owner of a hearse, which, from years of service, has become dilapidated, and is detested by the inhabitants. A few days ago a lady, noted for plainness of speech, felt that, despite her wishes to the contrary, she was about to pass over that river more mystic than the Mystic. Calling her husband to her she made him promise not to have her body conveyed in that hearse, assuring him that if placed in there she would "kick the darned thing all to pieces and come out." Her husband, fearing that she would carry out her threat, hired a new hearse from the neighboring town of Dedham to take the body to the cemetery, and now they both rest in peace.

—"Did I ever love any other girl?" repeated a prospective bridegroom, in answer to the tearful query of his intended. "Why, darling, of course not; how *could* you ask such a question? You are my first, my only love. This heart knew no wakening until the sunshine of your love streamed in and woke it to ecstacy." And then he kissed her tenderly and went home and said to himself, "I must hurry them things outer the way right off or there'll be a row," and he collected together a great pile of letters, written in all kinds of feminine hands, with lots of faded flowers, and photographs, and locks of hair, and bits of faded ribbon, and other things, and when the whole collection had been crammed into the kitchen grate, he drew a deep sigh and said to himself, "There goes all that's left of fourteen undying loves—let 'em flicker."

—When the Marine Mutiny bill came to be considered in Committee recently, rather an amusing incident occurred. The Irish members forced upon Parliament the undignified work of discussing the instrument of torture. They got out the fact that there are two "cats" used in the navy, the severest of which is called the "thieves' cat," and has three knots in each of its three thongs. Mr. Sullivan observed that it was scarcely creditable that the English House of Commons, on the brink of a European war, should be discussing the torture of her Majesty's marines. He moved that the lashes should not be administered by any instrument save one duly approved "and stamped" by the Lords of the Admiralty. This alarmed the First Lord of the Admiralty, Mr. Ward Hunt. Noble and beneficent as the "cat" may be, that gentleman had no idea of transmitting to prosterity his name and fame stamped on an instrument so certain to take its place in the Museum along with the thumb-screw. So he eagerly protested against the stamping, to the amusement of the House. Flogging in the army has been abolished; in the navy there were only seven cases last year. Next year there may be one or two cases; thereafter none.—*M. D. Conway.*

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, MAY 14, 1877.

The Steamship Accidents.

The captain of the steamship Dakotah says the night was intensely dark when his vessel struck; she was going seventeen knots an hour, and he had no idea she was out of her course. She rebounded, and struck a second time. Another account says that a storm of thunder and lightning was raging when the Dakota went ashore. The passengers were saved mostly by life lines thrown over the vessel from rocky crags, by means of which, with the great heroism of the Welsh coast-guardsmen, all were saved, notwithstanding the high surf and breakers. One boat load of women and children had an exceedingly narrow escape, having struck once against the rocks, but a high wave fortunately carried it to the top of a crag, and left it there, whence the coast-guard rescued them all. With the coming of daylight the mist which had enveloped the steamer cleared away, and another large steamship was observed passing close at hand. Rockets were at once set off from the Dakota, warning her off the coast, and thus probably averting another disaster. The total number of passengers on the Dakota was about 250. Wreckers have been at work trying to save part of the cargo, but the vessel is hopelessly wrecked; her value was $750,000. The scene of the wreck is close to the place where the Australian steamship Royal Charter was lost in 1859, with 446 lives, and between $3,500,000 and $4,000,000 in gold. Steamship Abbottsford also became a total wreck at the same place in 1875; though no lives were lost.

The report of the arrival of the missing ocean steamship City of Brussels at Queenstown, Ireland, Friday evening, was premature; no tidings have been heard of her. She had on board about 300 passengers, most of whom were pilgrims on the way to Rome. Reinsurances were effected on the vessel, Friday, at forty per cent. premium.

Up to Saturday evening no further tidings had been heard of the Anchor Line steamship Sidonian, which burst a boiler and killed the captain, three engineers and three firemen, in mid-ocean week before last, and is trying to reach Europe under sail.

Another Horror.

A portion of the walls of the new county court house at Rockford, Ill., fell in on Friday, burying over twenty men in the ruins. Eight are known to be dead, and it is believed at least four more were killed; four bodies were recovered in a few hours after the accident. Ten or twelve others were badly hurt, and some of them will die. The building was not finished, and all the victims were workmen or engineers. The pecuniary loss is about $65,000.

An Earthquake.

There has been an earthquake on the Pacific. On Thursday, at Gaviota, San Luis Obispo county, California, an earthquake wave caused the tide to rise and fall about twelve feet, three times in twenty minutes. At Fort Point, at the entrance to San Francisco Bay, the self-registering tide-gauge recorded a series of waves one hour apart all through the day, the rise and fall being fourteen inches.

A despatch was received in New York, Saturday afternoon, from Valparaiso via London, that the city of Iquique had been destroyed by an earthquake and a tidal wave. This is a small seaport of Peru, with a population of 1000, and is a great place for the shipment of copper ore.

The War.

An artillery duel took place at Ibrail between the Russian batteries and Turkish squadron, Friday, in which a Turkish monitor was blown up by a shell and 300 men on board killed; she was the largest monitor on the Danube. The Russian battery which sunk her was masked by a vineyard until an hour before it commenced firing.

Mahommedan insurrections in the Crimea and Caucasus are giving the Russians much annoyance.

Turkish advices on the 11th reported a big battle imminent in Armenia. Ismail Pasha, at the head of 40,000 troops, had gone out to meet the Russians, who had withdrawn from Bayazid and Kars, and were massed in front of the Turks.

Roumania has declared her independence of Turkey.

News and Notes.

It is quite a remarkable circumstance that the brig H. C. Sibley, of Belfast, Me., now at that port for repairs, has, on every long voyage that she has made, lost a man overboard—five in number. They were, in every instance, knocked overboard by the mainboom or some gearing about the mainsail.

Pittsfield, Mass., had a remarkable elopement on Thursday. Early in the morning a little son of James Carver, aged three years and a half, and a three-years-old daughter of Samuel Parker were missing, and after a vain search in the neighborhood, they were found late in the afternoon taking dinner at a house in Pontoosuc, three miles and a half from their homes.

A week ago Miss Ella May Roberts left her home in Worcester, Mass., leaving behind a note indicating an intention on her part to emigrate to another world. After several days' search she was found in a friend's house at Rutland, Vt., the parties who had been following her trail having traced her to two different ponds between Worcester and Rutland, which she had visited with the possible purpose of committing suicide, but if so had been prevented from carrying out her purpose by the presence of objectionable spectators. She was taken home, and in explanation of her performances it was stated that she and a young man who had been paying her attentions had had a falling out. On Friday Miss Ella and John A. Alsop, the young man referred to, left Worcester together "on the quiet," their trunks being checked for Montreal.

At Newbern, N. C., a few evenings ago, three young colored persons, a man and two women, were returning from church during a severe storm when a stroke of lightning killed them all. They were walking under a steel handle umbrella.

Mr. Thomas H. Gibson of Westerly, R. I., has discovered a new use for eel grass. By a cheap chemical process he contracts the blade to one-quarter its natural width, giving it a permanent curl that resembles curled hair, thereby adapting it for use in upholstering. It is also an excellent paper stock, for which it will be used in the manufacture of the finer grades of paper, as it is susceptible of a high finish. Boston gentlemen have proposed to start the manufacture of it for paper stock and upholstering.

The most remarkable game of base ball ever played was played on Friday on the Boston grounds, between the Harvard club and the Manchesters, of Manchester, in this State. Twenty-four innings were played, neither club scoring a run. The best previous scores were in the games between the Stars of Syracuse and the Browns of St. Louis, fifteen innings and no runs, and between the Bostons and Hartfords, eleven innings and one run each.

Political.

The Senate of South Carolina has passed a resolution authorizing and requesting the Governor to invoke the clemency of the President of the United States in behalf of the prisoners now held to answer the charges of riot and murder in the late political struggle in that State. Good thing for "Gen." Massacre C. Butler.

The democratic editors are weeping the saltest of salt tears because the soldiers and sailors will get no pay after the 1st of July, owing entirely to the wicked refusal of the republican administration to call an extra session of Congress in June. But some people say the endeavor of the last democratic Congress to make cheap political capital for use in the Tilden campaign, by refusing to make the appropriations which were absolutely necessary, had something to do with the matter. People will talk, no matter what the democratic economists and army-and-navy-sympathizers say.

New Hampshire Items.

The defalcation of Charles H. Collins, late paymaster of the Nashua Iron and Steel Company, is the engrossing theme in Nashua, and many and curious are the conclusions reached. The amount of his peculations has not been determined, but it is said that it will exceed $10,000. False entries in copying from the shipping clerk's books to the journal was understood to be the method by which he abstracted the funds of the company; thus, a charge of $250 was copied as $50 and the balance pocketed.

Rev. Eleazer Smith, Chaplain in the New Hampshire State Prison, has served in that capacity for fifteen years, and has been a minister of the Gospel for fifty years. He last year preached 107 sermons in the prison, and his labors in the hospital, neighboring pulpits, etc., made in all 327 different efforts, or nearly one for every day in the year.

William A. Hoyt of Haverhill, Mass., who was arrested at Boston on the 8th inst. by Sheriff Kent, for the robbery of $1200 from Charles H. Greeley of East Kingston, last August, has been sentenced to two years in the State Prison at Concord, and taken there by the sheriff. All the money was recovered but $24.

The Strafford Guards of Dover are to celebrate their 54th anniversary on Tuesday, May 29th.

A double wooden house on Hanover street, Manchester, owned by C. K. Kendall and one Fairbanks, was burned on Thursday. Loss to the former about $1000; insured in the Ætna of Hartford for $1500. Fairbanks's damages about $1200; no insurance. The most of the furniture was removed.

The Nashua *Telegraph* is indulging in some wholesomely plain talk about Collins, the swindling book-keeper of that town, and about Jonathan Ladd, Esq., of Lowell, who calls himself counsel for Collins, but who is really shielding the thief from arrest, according to the *Telegraph*. We do like to read a newspaper article in which a thief is called a thief, even if he *has* stolen large sums of money entrusted to him, and "moved in the best society."

As a son of James Wightman, aged about twelve years, and a son of J. H. F. Varney, aged about sixteen, were in the woods at Rochester Saturday forenoon cutting bean poles, young Wightman was accidentally shot by a pistol in the hands of Varney. The Wightman boy was sitting on the ground, and Varney, while running after a squirrel, caught his foot in some brush and fell, thereby discharging the pistol, the bullet striking Wightman in the head. He lived but a short time.

The "Fighting Parson."

The editor of the Austin (Texas) *Statesman*, who was personally acquainted with the late Parson Brownlow, pays this tribute to his memory: "He was personally the most generous of men, and most devoted and tenacious in his attachments, and the very poor in East Tennessee never knew such a friend. When Knoxville was once ravaged by cholera there was no hut of poverty and wretchedness that did not have its pale watcher by the bedside of the plague-stricken in the person of the violent, fighting parson. When Brownlow's *Whig* was the most successful newspaper in money-making in the South, the editor and proprietor, who railed out so bitterly against his partisan enemies, gave money to the poor and helpless everywhere until he was himself always impoverished. Bitterly as he was denounced, and fiercely as he was hated as a party leader, it was never safe, where Brownlow, the man and private citizen, was personally known, to denounce his name or deeds."

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—A train of cars on a Florida railroad passed a man on horseback, and there was a great hurrahing among the passengers until they discovered that the horse was tied to the fence.

—A young lady sent a poem entitled "I Cannot Make Him Smile" to a British newspaper. The editor ventures to express the opinion that she would have succeeded had she shown him the poem.

—A Yale Sophomore recently excused from work because of sore eyes made his second 400-yards bull's-eye at a rifle shoot just as his professor came up to congratulate him on his speedy recovery.

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PART of the Dwelling House No. 30 Washington street; apply at the house. t.f.

To Let.

A GENTEEL RESIDENCE for a small family. Enquire at 57 ISLINGTON ST.

House to Let.

NO. 8 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

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March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

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A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

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DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibirt, South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

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HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Driscoe.

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To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.

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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

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NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

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THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS (formerly owned by the late Ira Hazelton, at the corner of Creek Street and Islington Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner, CLARENCE B. MASON.

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In 10 Minutes once a Day.

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The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint, Billiousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 6th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shal continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, and I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. *I know it, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be.* Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story, I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, NOV. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and neck. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for eight or ten winters, and have been traveling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go home and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure anybody, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

MESSRS. W. LANE—*Sirs:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. May thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.

MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West, 8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35† "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.40 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "
Concord and North,	10.30 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

IN MEMORIAM A. P. STEVENS.

At the semi-annual meeting of the Merrimack Valley Dental Association, held at Lynn, Mass., May 4th, Dr. C. G. Davis, of New Bedford, addressed the Association as follows, in reference to the life and death of the late Dr. Albion P. Stevens of this city:

Mr. President and Gentlemen: As a friend of Dr. Stevens,—and who that knew him was not his friend?—I feel it to be a sad but pleasing duty to offer, on the altar of that friendship which cherishes kindly recollections, a few words, however inadequately expressed, as a tribute to his memory. Whatever of faults fell to the lot of my friend, when viewed from the standpoint of others, I see only that which challenges my respect. There was an atmosphere created by the presence of Dr. Stevens that drew others, as well as myself, at once within its influence. I shall not forget the first time I ever saw him; it was on the occasion of my first meeting with this Association at Salem. Taking a seat in the rear of his, my attention was soon attracted by the shape of his head, and the high moral qualities indicated thereby, which impressed me that the man was one of more than common ability among us. At that meeting I obtained an introduction, and from that moment till the day of his death a constantly ripening friendship was maintained between us. We had frequent and prolonged private interviews, from which I always came away feeling myself much his debtor. One of the secrets of his influence was the dignified geniality of his manner in intercourse with all men, but especially with his professional brethren. His dignity was not that of the self-opinionated, but it was that of self-respect for a conscious manhood, made gracious by an equal respect for the manhood and brotherhood of others; while added to this was the intelligence of a naturally strong and original mind, well furnished by a reflective observation and love of books. His knowledge of our professional literature was not excelled, if equalled, by any member of this Association; I am not sure that I am saying too much if I say, by any dentist in New England. I need not remind you with what respectful attention you always listened to whatever he said upon any subject under discussion in this Association. There was no shadow of pretension or of arrogant self-assertion in his make up; whatever he did, or however well he did it, it was done with becoming modesty and a desire rather to be useful—to get and impart useful information—than to display himself or his attainments.

As a practical dentist he had few equals in many of the qualities that go to the make up of a successful man. He always inspired confidence, and commanded the respect of his patients to a remarkable degree, not only by his manner but by the gentle magnetism of his touch, doing long and tedious operations with the minimum amount of exhaustion to his patients, and executing the work so well as to make it not only useful but a source of pride to both the patient and operator.

But it was his qualities of heart, more than of mind, that determined his manner and enshrined him among the precious memories of his friends. I have seen him in his own family circle, and it was there that he shone brightest, and with a lustre peculiarly his own. That indefinable aroma of concord and harmony begotten by well-earned love and admiring respect, pervaded his household. Every lip was wreathed with a smile of happiness, and every eye brightened with pleasure in his presence. It was not merely so with wife and children, but with acquaintances and friends who happened in as visitors. I will not speak of the history of his ambition, and of his effort to avert the fate of an early and untimely death. It was foreshadowed to him, and he struggled with strong hope to attain in other pursuits, and another climate, that measure of health that would put far away to a riper age the event that must come once to us all; but when the weakness of organization gave way he met the inevitable with that same cheerfulness of spirit and hopefulness for the future that so characterised his life. That life, my friends, was not spent in vain, that so inspired those who knew it as to embalm its memory among their sacred treasures, and surround it with the aroma of living thought.

The following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, This society, since its last meeting, has been informed of the death of one of its members, therefore

Resolved, That in the death of A. P. Stevens, D. D. S., of Portsmouth, N. H., the Merrimack Valley Dental Association has lost one of its most valued members and honored ex-presidents; the dental profession one who, though young, had already become distinguished as among the foremost in its ranks; and the community in which he lived a worthy fellow-citizen, a genial gentleman, and a practicing dentist of no common skill and attainments.

Resolved, That as fellows of this Association we sincerely mourn his loss, and miss from among us the influence of a presence whose dignified but genial intercourse invited friendship, and whose readiness, intelligence, and courtesy in debate, commanded our admiration.

Resolved, That we extend to his family, in this dispensation of afflictive events, our earnest sympathy; and we most deeply feel how inadequately *words* can express the meaning of bereavement created by the death of so devoted a husband, so loving a father and so devoted a son.

Resolved, That these expressions of our appreciation and sympathy be placed upon the records, and that a copy be transmitted to the family of the deceased and to the *Dental Magazine* and the papers of Portsmouth and Dover.

A HINT FOR THE SECRETARY.

Messrs. Editors: When I read in the CHRONICLE of the 12th inst. the circular of the Secretary of the Navy, in which he declares his inability to pay the navy after a certain date "without violating express provisions of law," I could not help thinking it would be a good thing for him to take a lesson from the action of the Board of Aldermen of the city of Portsmouth, and learn how to "carry this on indefinitely," the law (which he has sworn to obey) to the contrary notwithstanding. Cannot the highest United States officials be clothed with as much power as our aldermen?—for then there would be no difficulty in their paying anything they chose, law or no law!

CITIZEN.

MEMORIAL DAY.

Persons who have lost relatives or friends (ex-soldiers or sailors of the United States) since last Memorial Day, or who know of the location of any hitherto undecorated graves of deceased veterans, are requested to give information of the same to John H. Locke or Robert E. Rich, of the Citizen's General Committee.

JOTTINGS.

On Saturday Messrs. Morse & Ilsley, auctioneers, sold the double house Nos. 11 and 13 Mechanic street to Henry Peyser for $400, and house No. 54 Middle street to Charles H. Sides, for $3000.

The announcement that Ex-President Grant and family had engaged passage to Europe in the steamship Indiana, of the American Steamship Company's line between Philadelphia and Liverpool, brought out a statement that the captain of the Indiana, Redford W. Sargent, is a native of Kittery. But a Dover man writes to his local paper that Capt. Sargent was born and educated in that city, his mother removing to Kittery after the death of his father, and that his first voyage was to San Francisco and around the world with Capt. Henry Libby of this city, in the ship Orion. He served in the navy during the war, then entered the Peninsula & Oriental Co's service, continuing in it several years, and then joined the Indiana as second officer, being promoted to the command in November last.

We hear that Brig-Gen. Clough has appointed First Lieut. David Urch of the Portsmouth Heavy Artillery to the office of Assistant Inspector General of the State Militia. Portsmouth is fortunate in getting this office, and the Artillery company is to be congratulated in furnishing the man worthy to fill the place. The duties of Lieut. Urch, who will now rank as Lieutenant Colonel, will be to visit, drill and inspect at least twice a year all militia companies of the State, and report to the Adjutant General, through the regimental commanders, the condition and efficiency of each company as inspected and drilled. —*Times.*

The stock and fixtures of the apothecary store lately occupied by H. W. Briant, bankrupt, and his interest in the lease of the store, were sold at auction on Saturday by Col. William H. Hackett, by direction of Sheriff Kent, the official assignee. The lease for an unexpired term, at $800 per year, brought $1; shelf bottles, labelled, with contents, 211 in number, brought ten cents each; prescription case sold for $50; and counter scales, which cost $100, sold for $45. The fixtures of all kinds belonging to the bankrupt (not including show case, mirror, soda fountain, etc.,) brought $775. The stock of medicines, perfumery, etc., brought $120. Dr. S. C. Whittier was the purchaser of nearly everything.

Deputy Sheriff Charles A. Shepard brought to this city and lodged in jail, Saturday morning, Hiram G. Gove, of Raymond, for attempting to shoot William M. Leighton of that town on Thursday. The case is quite an aggravated one, growing out of the ownership of a cow. Gove has considerable literary reputation, and is correspondent for several papers. He is a democrat in politics, but worked against Frank Jones at the late election in about the same way that Caleb Moulton worked for him, except that Gove nominated another man for Congress while Moulton nominated himself. Moulton's game beat Gove's.

Lieutenant Samuel S. Frye of the Veteran Artillery Association has tendered that organization a complimentary supper, to be given on the evening of June 14th, after the celebration of the one hundreth anniversary of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes.

A gang of men commenced clearing away the rubbish on the site of the Temple, Saturday morning, preparatory to putting in the foundations of the new opera hall.

It is reported that a dog belonging to Mr. John Mitchell, who lives on Bridge street, went mad Friday afternoon, and was shot at seven or eight times before he was killed. No wonder he got mad at such shooting as that.

Hon. Thomas E. O. Marvin's picture has been placed in the portrait-gallery of the city's Mayors, in the Aldermen's room in the city building.

SAD ACCIDENT.

A young son of Mr. John Walling in Hunking street, a lad of about 10 years, while at play on the planking over one of the water wheels of the South Mill on Sunday afternoon, about half past five o'clock, fell into the large tank in which the wheel was rapidly revolving and was carried around many times with great velocity before the machinery could be stopped. His injuries are serious, his right arm being broken, his throat badly gashed, besides a general bruising of the whole body. Messrs. John S. Tuckerman, Edward S. Watkins and C. Wesley Rand were especially active in rescuing the unfortunate boy from his perilous situation, and kind friends and neighbors flocked to the residence of the lad's father, as soon as the little sufferer was conveyed to his home, anxious to assist in any manner that they might be able. He was alive at last accounts, but his recovery is considered very doubtful.

Mr. Walling the father of the boy about referred to is peculiarly unfortunate. He has been sick for a greater part of the past year or more, and having a large family and much sickness in one way and another, he is very poor. We have assurances from reliable sources that he is a worthy man, and that his case is one deserving the sympathy and attention of the charitable.

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Of failing energy, that to which the fagged out man of business, the brain-fatigued author, the tired advocate or the weary artizan can resort with the greatest certainty that it will revive his overwrought powers, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a most genial tonic cordial, as well as a benign remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver, bowels and urinary organs, and a means of eradicating and preventing intermittent and remittent fevers. It not only enriches the blood and creates a new fund of energy in the system, but it has the effect of expelling impurities from the life current which beget disease. The injurious influence of abrupt transitions of temperature, of an unwholesome climate and injurious diet, are counteracted by it, and it promotes digestion, appetite and sound repose. Give it a trial and be convinced.

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should have pearly teeth behind them. To make the teeth pearly, and to keep them so, there is nothing like Fragrant Sozodont. It neutralizes every element of impurity that affects the soundness or whiteness of the dental bone. Moreover, it prevents gum-boil and canker.

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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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—A type foundry in St. Paul has lately furnished the types for the *Framvari*, an Iceland newspaper to be published in the Iceland colony at Keewaun, on the Red river in British territory, about sixty miles from Fort Garry. This will be the first newspaper published on the American continent in the Icelandic language. The preparation of the types required the greatest care. They are in the Roman alphabet, but with a great many peculiarities in regard to accentuation, and are of a very antiquated form. The Icelandic language is something like the Norwegian language as it was spoken about a thousand years ago.

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N. H. State 6s, 1873	111½
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Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	58½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	82½
Boston & Maine	91½
Boston & Providence	118½
Boston & Albany	136½
Nashua & Lowell	89
Concord	78
Eastern	34
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	21
Fitchburg	109½
Manchester & Lawrence	128
Michigan Central	41½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	36
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	56½

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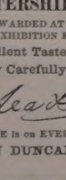

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or into any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for such refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, or any other of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any brook, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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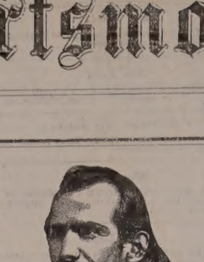

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The Danube, from its source to its mouth, in an air line, is 1000 miles, but the stream is so tortuous that its actual length is 1820 miles, and it traverses nearly 22 deg. of latitude and 5 1-2 deg. of longitude. The Danube and its tributaries drain an area of 300,000 square miles.

At Belgrade, the capital of Servia, it receives the waters of the Save, and pursues an easterly coarse, constituting the boundary between Austria and Servia, until it reaches the Transylvania or Eastern Carpathians at the extreme western end of Roumania.

Its course through this range is eighty miles, and the pass offers a great obstacle to navigation. The river is narrowed to less than half its breadth above, and in seven different places there are rapids and whirlpools, of which those in the so-called Iron Gate, below Old Orsova, are the most violent. At this point, opposite the small village of Tichevizzha, the stream is narrowed from a width of a mile to about 180 yards, and with a depth, as far as can be ascertained from the violence of the current, of from 800 to 1000 fathoms. The mountains on either side are very lofty, nearly five thousand feet high, those on the Austrian side being a thousand feet higher than those on the opposite bank. The mountains rise nearly sheer for about three thousand feet above the stream, and where not perpendicular, rather overhang the water. When the river is low, the sharp, craggy points of subaqueous rocks begin to show themselves above the stream, and between these the passage is most narrow, winding and shallow, and, in fact, can only be passed by steamers especially built for the purpose, of light draught of water, four paddle wheels and immense power, and even these steamers make use of a channel cut through the ledge. At the breaking up of the ice in the spring of 1876, the ice became jammed among the crags in the Iron Gate, which caused the stream to back up until vast tracts in Hungary were under water. Such a deluge was unprecedented, and it suggested at the time the feasibility of producing a similar effect by artificial means, as a measure of war. The blowing up of the precipice of Mt. Schireber on the Austrian side of the pass, would bring down many millions of tons of rock across the Iron Gate, and long before the obstructions could be removed a vast part of eastern Europe would be turned into an inland lake.

Having passed the Carpathians, the Danube takes a southerly course, forming the boundary between Roumania and Servia for a short distance, and then becoming throughout the rest of its course the boundary between Roumania and the Turkish province of Bulgaria. Below Widin it takes a turn to the east, which it pursues until it reaches a point only thirty-two miles from the black sea. Then it takes a sudden turn to the north, flowing in that direction for 1000 miles, to the junction with the Sereth, near Galatz. Then it turns again to the east, receiving the waters of the Pruth, which marks a part of the Russian frontier. After flowing east about forty miles, in the vicinity of Ismail and Tultcha it is divided into several branches. These wind sluggishly through the low and dreary alluvial country known as the delta of the Danube, and empty the waters of the great river into the Black Sea by three principal channels—the Kilia, Sulina and St. George—and four lesser ones. The most northerly of these—the Kilia—is the boundary at this point between Bulgaria and Roumania, and is only about twenty-five miles distant from the Russian boundary line.

The rapidity of its current in its upper course, its tortuous windings, the shallowness of the water in the portion which flows through Hungary, and in the outlets into the Black Sea, and the reefs, rapids and whirlpools which mark its course at many points, have rendered the navigation of the Danube so difficult that its commercial use has not yet been fully developed. The introduction of steam in 1830 inaugurated a new era in its history. By the convention of Nov. 7, 1856, between the States through which the river flows, vessels of all nations were allowed to ascend the Danube from its mouth to any point above, but navigation between the different points was reserved to the subjects of the countries along its banks. The treaty of March 13, 1871, authorized the levying of a provisional tax on all commercial vessels for paying for the removal of the remaining obstructions at the Iron Gate, in case that work should be undertaken. An Austrian company, which almost monopolizes the through traffic of the river, has a very large fleet of steamers and transports. Its vessels make the voyage from Vienna to Constantinople in seven days. This company employs 150 vessels on the lower Danube, and these are now all laid up by the impending hostilities.

Crows in the Cornfield.

I noticed in one of your numbers an article on the above, in which you advise, in some way, either by poison, trap, or any way, to kill a crow and hang it up, as a warning to the living. Now don't send them to my farm to kill crows. Crows and I are good friends. They do more good than harm every year. They are an enemy to potato bugs and destroy large quantities. They never pulled up a kernel of corn for me and I don't think they ever will.

I take my corn and soak it from twelve to twenty-four hours in warm water, then put the corn into a leaky box so the water will run off, then to about six quarts of corn pour on about two table spoonfuls of common tar, stir it with a stick till it all becomes coated with the tar, then sprinkle in ground plaster and continue to stir in plaster till it becomes dry so it will not besmear the hands. Plant as usual. By soaking it will not effect its coming up; if tarred dry it will retard it in germinating. By this process crows or birds will not pull it up nor worms destroy the kernel. I told this to my neighbor last year and he had not a hill disturbed and used nothing to scare them off. Brother farmers, try it.—*Cor. Nashua Telegraph.*

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, MAY 15, 1877.

What They Are Mad About.

Fred Douglass having delivered a lecture in Baltimore in which he told a great deal of unwelcome truth concerning Washington society in the past and the present, his removal from the position of Marshal of the District of Columbia is vigorously demanded by both political parties. The following is the substance of Mr. Douglass' lecture, according to the reports in the Baltimore papers:

"Washington was not a good city at the start. It had a good many churches, but it was some distance from the spot to which their spires pointed. It had a bad beginning, and never produced any great statesman or philanthropist. The descendants of its old families have made no mark. It sided with treason against loyalty, and its selection was a great mistake, being sandwiched between two slave States, and the head-quarters of the slave trade, where boys were sold as swine. It was cruel without reason and indecent without shame. Freedom of speech and of the press was unknown, and its idol was slavery. John Quincy Adams was threatened with death for advocating the right of petition. Drinking and gambling were prevalent under the dome of the Capitol, the duelist was in repute, and the place filled with poisonous weeds and serpents. Moral life was a sham; all was fair without, but foul within. Its boasted chivalry was to challenge a Northern man to fight and to whip a negro with his hands tied. The people applauded Breckinridge in his treason, stood between Andrew Johnson and impeachment, and in their midst was hatched the devilish plot that robbed Lincoln of his life. During the war Jeff Davis would have been more welcome than Lincoln, Lee than Grant, and the Stars and Bars more than the Star-spangled Banner. (Applause.) Washington society fanned into a fury the passions of men, and much of the old spirit was left. The portraits of Giddings, Gerrit Smith and such men had no place on the walls of the Corcoran Art Gallery, but the Calhouns and McDuffies were numerous. They know how to make Northern men with the Southern principles, and that class were reappearing now. It was again getting dark for the colored race, but the shadow would ultimately pass away. (Applause.) The Washingtonian is indolent in all his movements. Step into a store and you will wait five minutes before you are noticed. Every one of them has been or expects to be a great man. (Laughter.) They walk slowly but not measured, their arms hanging listlessly by their sides. He excels all other Americans in sitting, and can remain in an easy-chair longer without fatigue than any other man. (Laughter.) He is fully equal in this respect to the Turk. All Washingtonians wear their hats over their eyes in a sombre, unhappy, and sinister way; a fashion probably learned from members of Congress, who wear their hats in this way sometimes to avoid recognition, and sometimes because of intent thinking. The Washingtonian has a strong negro pronunciation, learned from the slaves. There is also a class of poor white trash in Washingtonian who in slave days were drivers of the negroes, but live now by huckstering, fishing, and hunting, and though they make a better living now than before, still they are not happy. Besides these there are office-seekers of all kinds, and more people trying to get something for nothing than in any other city in the country. To be honest in Washington is to be considered a fool. Nobody ever says no; all say yes. There is more insincere politeness and obsequious hat-lifting there than anywhere else. After all that can be said about the morals of the place, there has been a favorable change, and that in the condition of the colored people is wonderful. In conclusion, Mr. Douglass said he considered the future of Washington a hopeful one, and he was glad that in this day and generation he lived in Washington. I would have the Capital stay where it is. It is no longer sandwiched between two slave States, and is no longer a contradiction and obstacle to human progress, the hot-bed of slavery, the home of the duelist and bully, but a redeemed city, a bond of perfect union and peace on earth and good will to men. All American citizens may meet there under the dome of the Capital and shake hands, not over a bloody chasm, but over a free, united and enlightened nation."

The Washington correspondents, and the extreme partisan press of the whole country, have been for years depicting Washington as a very hot-bed of vice and iniquity, without making any especial stir; but as soon as Fred Douglass says something not half so severe there is a terrible row over it. The reason is that Fred Douglass is known to be a man who tells the truth, while nobody suspected the Washington correspondents and democratic editors of anything of the kind.

—The cat is not mentioned in the Bible, though the word "roof" occurs eleven times, "tongs" five times, and "hurl" three times.

News and Notes.

In consequence of the continued strike of the shipwrights, twenty-two Scotch shipbuilding firms, including all the shipyards of Glasgow, Greenock, Port Glasgow and Dunbarton, have agreed to a lock-out of all shipbuilding workmen, commencing on the 19th instant.

Frank Brasser, a young man eighteen years of age, was murdered at Brandon, Vt., on Saturday, by an unknown tramp, who blew his own brains out on being hunted down by the citizens.

Campbell & Thayer's oil-works in Brooklyn, N. Y., were burned Sunday. Loss $400,000; insurance $300,000.

The missing steamship City of Brussels was spoken Thursday evening, about halfway across the Atlantic, by steamship City of Richmond, and supplied with provisions. The City of Brussels was under sail, having broken her shaft on Monday morning, April 23d.

A Boston importer bought two cargoes of sugar, amounting to 5,152,000 lbs., some three weeks since, and sold it at an advance of about one cent a pound soon afterward. His profits were upward of $51,000.

Rev. Philip Brooks in one of his Yale lectures said: "There is a creature who ought to share with the clerical cheat the abuse of the people. I mean the clerical jester. He lays his hands on all sacred things. He is full of Bible jests, and he talks about the Bible with jests that have come down from generation to generation. The principles which, if they mean anything, mean life and death to the soul, he turns into material for jest."

A British member of Parliament recently travelling in this country, examining by the way the public schools, remarked regretfully that in no case did he meet with a pupil who expected to follow the occupation of his father, if the latter was employed in a mechanical pursuit.

The members of the Massachusetts House of Representatives have voted themselves one hundred dollars extra pay, and now they find that their chief legislative fame consists in being written down as salary grabbers.

Mrs. Gen. Sheridan has presented her husband with twin girls.

A New York paper says: A sufferer from the ravages of the potato bug for several years past, gives his plan of ridding potato fields of this pest. He says: Prepare mashed or ground raw potatoes by sprinkling thereon a little Paris green, and scatter it around on shingles or chips throughout the fields at a distance of about ten feet apart, commencing as soon as the crop is in the ground. He states that where this plan has been adopted thousands of bugs have been slaughtered before depositing their eggs, which not only does away with the old settlers, but prevents the immense increase in numbers which would otherwise occur.

The town of Vineland, in New Jersey, numbering 10,000 inhabitants, but whose charter prohibits the sale of liquor or beer, pays annually only $350 for police and peupers. The pauper-making and police demanding monster does not reign there. Every one of us has an unmeasured interest and an unspeakable responsibility in the overthrow of the greatest enemy of our land; in the settlement of the greatest living question of the present day.—*Word of Truth.*

The latest fraud on the farming community is the spring bed swindle, the *modus operandi* of which is as follows:—The first of the gang engages storage room in the farmer's barn for spring beds, representing himself as agent for the manufacturers. He gets the victim to write down his name and address and departs. Shortly afterward another stranger informs the farmer that the spring beds he ordered are at the depot and presents his bill for a large invoice. The farmer disclaims the transaction, upon which the collector shows him his signature to a large order for beds. If he still refuses to settle, two more strangers visit him representing themselves to be the lawyers of the company. They threaten legal proceedings, but are willing to compromise for a portion of the claim.

Gail Hamilton observes: "Compared with the ordinary party organs—reprehensible as these too often are—the organs of reform have a bad pre-eminence in the violation of the Ninth Commandment. The only advantage which they have over their neighbors is that they flaunt the banner of virtue while holding the carnival of vice. Under a thin veil of Pharisaism, one discerns the judgment of the infant, the conscience of the assassin, the tactics of the Thug. I set the Springfield *Republican* alongside the *Nation* as brothers in unity of slander; and I confidently assert that no peculation, no dereliction of duty has been committed by any officer of the civil service that is more malignant in its motives, more savage in its methods, more immoral in its tendencies, more cruel in its legitimate results—in one word, more destructive of society—than the slanders perpetrated by these reformers."

The War.

The Turks announce a severe repulse of the Russians before Batoum, Friday, the latter losing 4000 men and the Turks a baker's dozen or so. The Russians announce an overwhelming victory over the Turks near Batoum, Friday, the Turks losing many thousands and the Russians about forty.

Democratic "Economy."

The mischief caused by the democratic majority of the House of Representatives, in refusing to make the appropriations necessary to meet the expenses of the government, is incalculable, and extends to the civil as well as to the military branches of the service. Not only are the officers and men of the army and navy deprived of the pay which the law assigns them, but the course of justice is interrupted. Witnesses, jurors and officers are without pay, and in some cases the courts have adjourned, because, as the Judge at Trenton said, "the courts could not be run at the cost of the officers." All this was pointed out and fully explained when the bills were passing through the House. The estimates prepared were based upon the laws, and upon the experience of former years. It was clearly shown that the amount appropriated was insufficient to meet the expenditures required by law. But the democrats were pledged to "economy," to "retrenchment and reform," and their idea of retrenchment was to appropriate less than the exigences of the public service and the laws of Congress required; their idea of economy was to save money by refusing to pay the obligations of the government, postponing them to the future, and leaving the public service to all the embarrassments and dangers consequent thereon. The wrong to officers and men of the army and navy, and of the civil service, reacts upon the service itself, crippling it and greatly impairing its efficiency, in some cases interrupting it altogether, and, in the end, increasing the inevitable total, rendering a diminished service, at an increased expenditure. Such is the evidence that the democrats afford of their fitness to govern the country.—*Providence Journal.*

Feliculture.

The Toronto *Free Press* states that "Mansfield Island, in Lake Erie, has been bought by a man who intends to stock it with black cats, and kill their progeny for their fur. He will feed them at first on fish caught off the shore by men who will live on the island; but after the enterprise is well started he will utilize the meat of the slaughtered cats as food for the living cats." The wise man who said there was nothing new under the sun was unacquainted with the versatility of American genius. It would seem from the above that the old story of the Kilkenny cats is to be put to practical account. Whether feliculture, as we have ventured to call the enterprise, will prove to be a profitable investment remains to be seen. There will be music in it, whether there is money or not.—*Ex.*

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THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.

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THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 28x32 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 32x66 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.

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NO. 15 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.

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THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Ira Berry Clough, at the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.

For terms enquire of the owner,

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We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

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Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.

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CONDITION PILLS!

The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 23, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2[illegible] years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels, have suffered all the pain I could endure and live, have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 23, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 20, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shal continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is owing to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. *I know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, 75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and neck. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room about all the time for eight or ten winters, and have been traveling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON.

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., JAN. 29, 1875.

MR. THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.

MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

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JOHN H. SLATER,

AGENT.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.25† "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Henry Walling, the unfortunate little boy who fell into the mill race at the South End on Sunday afternoon is not likely to recover, inflammation of the brain having set in on Monday. A severe contusion of the scalp was discovered on the morning following the accident which was inadvertently overlooked by the surgeon at the time his injuries were examined, so that all hopes of recovery are banished. A subscription paper is being circulated for the relief of the family, and no one need refuse for fear of misapplying his charity, as it is a clear case of need.

Mr. John W. Drew of Concord gave an excellent temperance address in Franklin Hall on Sunday evening to a rather meagre audience. The lecture merited a full house. Mr. Drew has very greatly improved in the matter and manner of his delivery, since his last visit here, so that he will now compare very favorably with some of the best temperance orators.

We recently received an offer from Ash & Robbins, 360 Fulton street, Brooklyn, N. Y., of $72 to insert an advertisement in the DAILY CHRONICLE on condition that they pay $18 upon receipt of paper containing the first insertion. Like offers have been made other papers, and we have taken the trouble to investigate the matter. Our investigating agent having climbed three stories of a wretched old building based on a gin mill in Brooklyn, on which there was no sign to indicate the whereabouts of "Ash & Robbins," and reported all he found out to us, we have come to the conclusion that we would much rather have them pay $18 in advance than to give them the benefit of even *one* insertion and run the risk of losing by the operation. Cash is the best thing to operate on newspaper people with, now-a-days, Messrs. "Ash & Robbins," and the more of that article you send them the more confidence they will have in you. Take our advice, do with publishers as you would have them do with you, and you will find that $18 in cash will go a great deal further with them than $1800 worth of promises.

The famous Callender's Georgia Minstrels are coming, and will give an entertainment at Franklin Hall on Tuesday evening, May 22d. The New York *Graphic* says "It is one of the best negro minstrel troupes we have ever seen. They are colored men, and they certainly give the audiences more of the unadulterated negro than any other troupe has yet offered. For melody, action, grotesque humor and natural extravaganza, the Georgia's are unsurpassed. Any of their four end men is equal to the best end man of other troupes." The Memphis *Appeal* and Petersburg (Va.) *Index* praise the company as being far ahead of any "burnt-cork" troupe, and the Richmond *Enquirer* says: "It is a rare thing in this city to see ladies in attendance at minstrel shows, but the recollections which those famous colored men bring with them of plantation melodies, break-downs, and other diversions, have gained them nightly a fashionable attendance, which they richly merited."

Sunday and Monday were the warmest days of the season so far, and started out the plum and cherry blossoms in good shape.

Sometime between the hour of extinguishing the street lights Saturday night and daylight Sunday morning, some maliciously mischievious person or persons besmeared the sign, windows and door of the second-hand clothing and clothes cleaning establishment of Joseph Williams, corner of Daniel and Penhallow streets, with coal-tar. We do not know that suspicion points to any particular person as the perpetrator, but if he is discovered he will find out that such a "joke" is regarded by the law as a serious misdemeanor.

An interesting programme has been arranged by the committee of the Veteran Artillery Association for the celebration of the one hundreth anniversary of the Stars and Stripes, which occurs June 14th. There will be a reception to the Governor, the raising of the Stars and Stripes with "the original thirteen" thereon, a parade, with music, and a complimentary supper in the evening as already mentioned.

New Hampshire Items.

The skeleton of Evans, the Northwood murderer, which has been for several years in the medical museum, of Dartmouth college, was on Monday morning discovered suspended by the neck at a height of thirty feet between two republican flagstaffs on the Campus, attired in a duster and tall hat, with umbrella and carpet bag, the latter labelled "Montreal," in allusion to the seniors' contemplated but abandoned excursion to Montreal. The college carpenter with much difficulty succeeded in cutting down the skeleton, the Campus being filled with spectators, students and citizens.

Mr. Chauncy Cheswell of Newmarke, died on Saturday, the 5th inst., from the effects of an injury received the day before last day. He was at work in the mill, and in stooping to look at some machinery the pointed tube of an oil can was driven into his leg several inches. He thought nothing of it for a day or two until it began to pain him a little, when he called upon Dr. Greene and asked for some liniment to bathe it. Dr. Greene asked him if he shouldn't look at the wound, but Mr. Cheswell said it only pained him a little, and thought it would be no use. He continued his work till about the middle of the following week, when his arms and legs began to swell, and Dr. Greene being called saw that it had poisoned his blood, the wound being near an artery in his leg. He continued to grow worse and suffered much for two days, and on Saturday died.

George D. Stackpole, postmaster at Hill, who was charged with opening a letter addressed to the Boston *Journal*, of which paper he was agent, and held in the sum of $500 to appear at the present term of the U. S. Court at Portsmouth, has been honorably released from arrest by the grand jury.

Correspondence.

SOUTH SEABROOK, May 12th.

A warrant has been issued for a school meeting May 30th in District No. 5, to see if the district will vote to build a new school-house instead of repairing and refitting the old one.

The Boyd schoolhouse has been recently fitted with blinds; the money for the purchase of the same was raised by exhibitions given by the scholars.

Mr. Bryant Eaton has recently lost forty hens by some kind of an epidemic disease.

Mr. Washington Eaton will open a new store on Walton road in a few days.

I send you a copy of *The Word of Truth*,* the paper which is making such a stir in Newburyport just now. The publisher, J. E. Wolfe, was hired as City Missionary of Newburyport with the interest of funds left by Mrs. Emery to the Old South Presbyterian Church; the trustees this afternoon discharged Mr. Wolfe, three of the grocers mentioned in the paper being members of that congregation. One member has threatened to horsewhip Mr. Wolfe, and the excitement is great. Elder D. P. Pike gives a temperance lecture to-morrow (Sunday) night in the City Hall; he endorses Mr. Wolfe, and invites all horsewhippers to *take front seats*. ENO.

*This paper contains a "list of names of firms paying special tax for the sale of spirituous and malt liquours, for the year 1876, ending April 30, 1877," every two or three names being followed by "God says: 'Woe unto him that giveth his neighbor drink, that puttest thy bottle to him, and makest him drunken also.'" It has also a number of brief but pungent editorials on temperance matters, and we can readily credit that it has created a marked sensation in Newburyport.

Mrs. Tom-ri-jon Elliott.

During the past week a woman dressed in a long, gray frock coat, white trousers, with red stripes, and a crimson hat with flaming brim, has paraded Broadway. On a large label on her hat is "Tom-ri-jon's Volcano, 6 cts.," and slung to her side by a broad red band is a box containing copies of the paper. Newsboys followed her, and others stared. For the past three years she and her husband, Tom-ri-jon Elliot, published the paper in Boston, but two months ago they moved to New York. The husband is a tall man, with fierce beard and hair standing straight on end. Mrs. Elliott calls herself by her maiden name—Susi Dunli. She has two children, whose names are Retaliation and Avenger Elliott. Tom-ri-jon is actually the given name of the father. Susi Dunli says she is of Italian extraction, but was born in Smyrna, Maine, about twenty-seven years ago. She first adopted male attire four years ago, in order to sell her papers. The *Volcano* is a queer little sheet, illustrated with cuts. While Susi Dunli was standing at Pine street and Broadway, Wednesday, she was arrested for obstructing the street. In the Tombs Police Court she said that she disliked the brilliant colors of her clothes, but wore them so as to attract attention to her paper. Justice Otterburg asked her why she wore men's clothes. She at once took exception to this remark, and said they were not men's clothes; that they had been made for her and fitted to her form.

"But," said the Judge, "they are different from other ladies' garments, and they attract too much attention."

"Are there any two ladies who do dress alike? And besides, they all dress to attract attention. I dress to suit myself, and to attract attention to my paper. Dr. Mary Walker attracts a still greater crowd. Sensible men do not stand around and look at me, and I always try to avoid a crowd. I will take off this hat if you would like me to, and wear one less gaudy."

Justice Otterbourg said there was no law to prevent her from wearing what attire she pleased, but there was one against blockading the street. "Why," he said, "I myself would stop and look."

"Oh, no, Judge," she replied, "I can't believe it; no sensible man would."

"I certainly should."

"If you fine me I shall appeal and carry the case up," she said.

"You appear to be a lady, and act like a lady," the judge replied, "and I will treat you as such. The officer was right in arresting you. You are discharged, but I will impose a fine if you are arrested again."

Then she left the court room. Her stock of papers was sold in the court room.—*New York paper.*

A Goose's Fight with a Bull.

A heavy-throated bull near this village, noted for his fierceness, accidentally stepped on one of a brood of goslings recently which a stately gander was holding watch and ward over with great solicitude. Straightway the gander attacked the bull, and seizing him by the tail with his beak, his wings lashed the animal's flanks with the greatest fury. In vain the bull wheeled about to reach his antagonist; the gander wheeled with him, all the while retaining his hold upon the bull's tail, and showering blows with his powerful wings with telling effect upon the bull's legs, until he fairly roared with pain and terror. At last the gander, apparently thinking that his adversary had sufficient punishment, let go his hold and the bull took to his heels with the liveliest speed, only stopping when he reached the farthest corner of the field—*Middletown (N. Y.) Argus.*

If your lungs are half wasted by consumption Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will not cure you, yet as a remedy for severe coughs, and all curable bronchial, throat, and lung affections, it is unsurpassed.

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Of failing energy, that to which the fagged out man of business, the brain-fatigued author, the tired advocate or the weary artizan can resort with the greatest certainty that it will revive his overwrought powers, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a most genial tonic cordial, as well as a benign remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver, bowels and urinary organs, and a means of eradicating and preventing intermittent and remittent fevers. It not only enriches the blood and creates a new fund of energy in the system, but it has the effect of expelling impurities from the life current which beget disease. The injurious influence of abrupt transitions of temperature, of an unwholesome climate and injurious diet, are counteracted by it, and it promotes digestion, appetite and sound repose. Give it a trial and be convinced.

Pretty Lips

should have pearly teeth behind them. To make the teeth pearly, and to keep them so, there is nothing like Fragrant Sozodont. It neutralizes every element of impurity that affects the soundness or whiteness of the dental bone. Moreover, it prevents gum-boil and canker.

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A DELICIOUS CUP OF COCOA is easily made. Ask your grocer for the preparation made by Walter Baker & Co. It is healthful and stimulating, and far less injurious than tea or coffee.

THOUSANDS of persons are just beginning to appreciate the curative qualities of Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup. He receives daily a large number of commendatory letters, relative to the wonderful results being attained from the use of this last and best remedy for Consumption. Sold by all Druggists.

Free of charge—*Sample* bottle of *Adamson's Cough Balsam* at all drug stores. Owing to its perfect harmony in combination it is the very best mixture for the speedy cure and relief of croup, colds, throat or lung diseases. Large bottles 35 cents.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will sustain its well-merited popularity, and earn greater, by the sensible reduction of its rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

DIED.

DEARBORN. In this city, May 13, Sarah S. Dearborn, widow of the late Gilman Dearborn, aged 77 years.

☞ Funeral this (Tuesday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, from her late residence on Dearborn street.

MESERVE. In this city, May 13, Mr. Clement Meserve, aged 77 years.

☞ Funeral this (Tuesday) afternoon at half-past three o'clock, from residence of Mr. Peter Pray.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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ARRIVED, May 13.

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Shi Sinaloa, Robinson, Port Johnson.
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A Muscular Christian.

It is the custom in Baltimore to hold open-air religious services on Sunday afternoons. These meetings invariably attract large numbers of people, who for lack of something else to do or from motives of curiosity are always on hand. The Baltimore *American* gives an account of one such meeting. An old man conducted the services, and soon had a crowd about him. Among them was a fellow under the influence of liquor, and who was also inclined to be argumentative. He commenced by interrupting the speaker with a question about St. Peter's ear, and followed it up by another relating to the size of St. Thomas' feet. The speaker stopped, quietly stepped down off the box on which he had been standing, and going to the disturber said, "St. Thomas' foot was not used as mine is, nor were St. Peter's ears ever thwacked thus," and thereupon began to kick the disturber with his foot and beat him over the head with his cane. The rowdy ran away without attempting any defence, and the muscular speaker reascended his improvised pulpit, remarked that if any one else had it in their mind to be noisy or troublesome he would regulate the order of the meeting without delay, and then went on preaching as though nothing had happened.

—Rev W. H. H. Murray, of Boston, says: "If you want to hear a minister's faults, get another minister to talk about him."

—Kate Claxton was in the Richmond Theatre when it burned in 1811, according to the New York *Graphic*.

—A man in Green Bay, Wis., saved a young lady from walking off a bridge, and so far from being grateful for it, she married him.

—A man out West who offered bail for a friend was asked by the judge if he had any incumbrance on his farm. "Oh yes," said he, "my wife."

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	107½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	112½
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1878	111½
Massachusetts State 5s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	56½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	34½
Boston & Providence	145½
Boston & Albany	116½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	34
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	35
Fitchburg	102½
Manchester & Lawrence	135
Michigan Central	41½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	30
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	56½

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Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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Oats per bushels, 30 to 35 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 1.00
Pork per bbl., $20 @ $22.
Plaster per ton, lump $9; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 11 @ 13c; Gr. 13; Crushed 13½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
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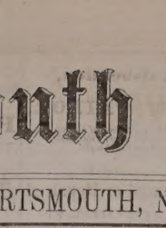

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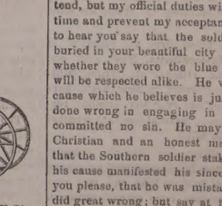

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Dead Languages and Death.

A New York druggist, whose name and place of business are paraded in the papers of that city in a way that is likely to ruin him, put up a prescription recently which by only a bit of luck failed to kill the patient who took it. The affair is of more than passing interest to others besides the patient and the druggist. The secret of it is just here; the prescription was written in Latin. Whether or no it is necessary to have a mystic R on all prescriptions to make them effective may be left open still to debate. R is necessary to oysters; it may be equally so to other things that it is good for us to take. But there is little argument in favor of using Latin terms that can stand against the logic of one such affair as this in New York.

The physician wrote *hydragyri chloride.* This, it is admitted, "*might* mean" calomel or it might mean corrosive sublimate, according as the druggist understood it. "Almost any druggist would have read it calomel," said one expert, who was spoken to about it. The druggist who had it to do, however, put up the poison, knowing its strength, but assuming that the medicine was for external application. The lady who took it was so nearly killed that it was several days before she was out of danger.

Now, if instead of the Latin name, the physician had written "calomel," nobody supposes the patient would have received corrosive sublimate. Does it need a single other fact to prove the folly of the present so frequent use of a language that is not ours? Doctors are no better penman than the rest of mankind, and when they write their prescriptions in Latin, marking the quantities, too, by symbols in which one curve more or less may make a dose eight times too big or little, an opportunity for mistakes is created which is altogether too great to fail of being often realized. The druggists buy a large part of their stock in English, and the whole tendency of the trade at wholesale is toward simplicity. It is a good time now for the doctors to begin the same sort of reform in their methods. People would be cured as readily, for example, by "cold water" as by "aq font.," and they would be saved the chance of a dose of aqua fortis; and people can be cured about as well by what they understand as by what they can't understand. It is not fair either to people or druggists to perpetuate the perils and annoyances of the present system, and it is far as possible from disrespect to suggest to physicians of good and regular standing that they have nothing to lose in discarding this element of mystery from their practice, and that it is just as well not to treat live people in a dead language.—*Hartford Courant.*

The Blue and the Gray.

In response to an invitation by the Mayor of Cincinnati and others to be present and participate in the exercises at Spring Grove Cemetery on Decoration Day, Postmaster-General Key has written the following letter:

Dear Sir: I thank you and the committee of which you are Chairman for your invitation to attend your memorial ceremonies on Decoration Day. I wish I could attend, but my official duties will demand my time and prevent my acceptance. I rejoice to hear you say that the soldiers that are buried in your beautiful city of the dead, whether they wore the blue or the gray, will be respected alike. He who dies for a cause which he believes is just may have done wrong in engaging in strife, but he committed no sin. He may have died a Christian and an honest man. The fact that the Southern soldier staked his life on his cause manifested his sincerity. Say, if you please, that he was mistaken; that he did great wrong; but say at the same time that he was honest and brave. On the grave of such a one tears may fall from kindly eyes, and flowers be strewn by lovely hands, without reproach.

"Give us our Wolves Again."

The feeling against dogs which is rapidly strengthening here is not confined to this side of the Atlantic. John Bull is becoming disgusted with the sheep-worrying and hydrophobia for which the canine race is responsible. An English journal of recent date remarks under the above heading: "This aspiration, which, in half earnest, Sydney Smith made use of in a well-known passage, is no more than a good many persons would seriously utter, if by the reimportation of wolves, they could be rid of the present terror from dogs. At all events the wolves would keep themselves to the better-wooded districts, and prowl mainly by night. The dogs roam unchecked everywhere and at all hours. They jostle us off the pavements of the street, spring out upon us in our country walks, are bigger, fiercer, less reverential towards human beings than any European wolves, and they go mad. It is quite true that to have a big dog at his heels is as necessary to male contentment as to have the plumage of a bird over head is to female vanity. I see that a correspondent recommends taxing dogs in proportion to their size. I should prefer a high general tax per head, with an abatement in all cases where service of value can be proved. Is there no bishop or archdeacon, at least, who will get hydrophobia for the general good, that the present mania for turning wild beasts loose upon the community at large may be restrained within limits?"

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16, 1877.

The War.

In the British House of Commons, Monday evening, a vote was passed sustaining the Ministry on the Russian-Turkish war question by a sweeping majority. It is reported that the Russians are preparing to cross the Parnia table-land into India in case there should be a war with England.

The Russians officially deny the Turkish account of a Russian defeat at Reni, on the Danube; no fight has taken place there.

A Turkish gunboat tried to run the gauntlet of the Roumanian batteries at Kalafat on Monday, and was reported to have succeeded. It is now stated that she was forced to surrender by the batteries. A Constantinople despath to England says: "News is received that a Russian corps with cavalry and artillery has crossed the Danube near Potback and entered Dobrudscha."

The Turks having stored several hundred tons of coal at Getchet for the use of their Danube flotilla, the Russians went over from Ibrail with lighters on Monday and stole it.

There has been a collision between Greek insurgents and Turkish troops in Thessaly. The Greek papers unanimously demand war.

News and Notes.

Every train that crosses the Niagara suspension bridge stops before making the passage, and the passengers get out and walk across, being told that the structure is not safe. The charge is made by the Great Western Railroad Company, which leases the bridge. The bridge company replies that the desire of the lessees is to break the lease, and then build a bridge for themselves. Referees are to investigate and decide the dispute.

In Oregon every man who drinks has to take out a $5 license. It is a penal offense for any liquor dealer to sell a drink to an unlicensed person.

Thomas Crapo of New Bedford, Mass., with his wife, will start from that port the 25th instant to cross the Atlantic to London, in a boat thirteen feet in length of the keel. It has been constructed expressly for the trip, which Crapo expects to accomplish in forty days. He is a seafaring man, and has been a mate in the merchant service. The venturesome fool may have a right to throw away his own life if he wants to, but he has no right to murder his wife in such a manner.

The State of Delaware indulged in its semi-annual diversion of flogging criminals last Saturday. Five men, all colored, were publicly whipped at Newcastle by the Sheriff of the county. Delaware is a little State, but it "wallops" more people than all the rest of the country.

Mr. Ross, the father of Charlie, has at last betaken himself to Barnum for assistance in his quest for the lost child. It is believed, from evidence recently obtained, that the boy is still alive, and that a liberal reward, with a guarantee of immunity from punishment would bring him to the arms of his much-afflicted parent. The great showman, it is said, will make a personal offer of $10,000 for the return of the child, and "no questions asked." Doubtless there is a bargain by which he is to exhibit him, if found, and so make a profitable speculation of it. The idea is not altogether a pleasant one, but if it results in bringing Charlie to light nobody will have the heart to criticise the means.

A shifting engine on the Boston & Maine Railroad at Lawrence, Mass., ran into a freight train Monday afternoon, smashing the cars, and blocking all trains for some hours.

Disastrous forest fires are reported in Northern Massachusetts, New York and Canada. The villages of Clinton Mills and Cannon's Corners, in New York, have been destroyed and over fifty families rendered homeless. Several lives are reported lost at Clinton Mills.

Chain Stallings, of Franklin county, N. C., who was found dead leaning against a tree in his field, in 1862, and was supposed to have died from natural causes, is now known to have been murdered by his colored help, Matilda, her two sons, and a negro named Gray. He was smothered, and his body was carried out and leaned against a tree. He had in his pocket $500, which the negroes divided. The murderers are all living, and will be tried for murder in August.

In Newtown, L. I., Monday morning, John Jansen was beaten to death by burglars while in bed with his wife, who was also fatally injured.

The Meriden (Conn.) Savings Bank was robbed of $2100 on Monday, by two thieves who entered the bank by a back door while a confederate kept the clerk engaged at the front.

The jury in the case of Smith, charged with the murder of Mr. Trim, his daughter, Mrs. Thayer, and her little girl, at Ellsworth, Me., on Monday rendered a verdict of "guilty of murder in the first degree," after being out thirty minutes.

Albert F. Joy, alias William Williams, has been indicted for murdering Charles H. Gilman at Rockport, Mass.

On Tuesday an immense number of people in New York city made fools of themselves, and called it a "carnival."

Rev. Mr. Thomas, pastor of the Baptist church of Gardiner, Me., was stricken with paralysis on Sunday while in the water baptizing a convert, and would have drowned had not the convert dragged him to the bank. It is believed the attack will prove fatal.

A large gang of non-union coal miners at Streator, Ill., were poisoned on Monday by arsenic put in their dinner pails, supposed by strikers; five or six of the poisoned men will die. All the men poisoned were Americans, Scotchmen, Germans or Swedes, not one of the Irish miners having been troubled although many of them are at work in the mines.

British steamship Sidonian, which burst a boiler in mid-ocean some time ago, has been spoken again, making fair progress toward Queenstown, Ireland, under sail.

Nearly the whole business portion of St. Stephen, N. B., was destroyed by fire on Monday; loss $400,000 to $600,000. One man was killed and many injured. The fire started in a bakery. Eleven wharves, sixty-three houses, a depot with cars and engines, and all the mills and warehouses in the place, were burned. The fire department of Calais, Me., which is just across the river from St. Stephen, was promptly on hand to aid, but the fire spread until it fairly burned itself out.

Miss Kate Claxton, the actress, has written a letter from Minneapolis, Minn., in which she complains bitterly of the annoyances to which she has been subjected since the Brooklyn Theatre and Southern Hotel (St. Louis) fires. She denies explicitly ever having had an interview with any one in which she predicted her death by flames. After speaking of the silly superstition which induces the guests at the hotels where she may stop to provide themselves with rope ladders, and of the coarse jests at her expense which sprinkle the columns of the Western papers, she says: "Do you not think with me that it would be acting the better part for the different writers to withhold their rough jokes about my late terrible experiences until the graves caused by these fires, and which hold some of our best fellow men and women, are a little less green?"

New Hampshire Items.

An immense fire is raging in the woods of northern New Hampshire and Vermont, from the vicinity of St. Johnsbury, Vt., on both sides of the Connecticut river as far as the eye can reach, through Lunenberg, Littleton, Norrisville, Passumpsic, Wells River, Woodsville and other small towns in this State. No estimate can yet be made of the loss, but it must be very great.

A large number of Manchester's business men have been swindled by a brother of George F. Avery, the "walking man," who announced a walking match between Avery and John Forster of Canada for $250 a side, and collected pay for a lot of advertisements that were to appear in a circular called "*Avery's Bulletin*." Neither walking match nor advertising circular have yet dawned on the Manchesterians. By-and-bye they will find out, as others have found out before them, that the most serviceable as well as cheapest method of advertising is through the medium of the local papers, which enter all homes and are read by all classes.

The annual convocation of the Grand Council of Royal and Select Masters of New Hampshire was held in Concord Monday evening. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Henry P. Glidden, Dover, W. P. Grand Master; Harvey L. Currier, Manchester, Deputy P. Grand Master; Edward Dow, Concord, P. Grand Master; Joseph W. Hildreth, Concord, Grand Treasurer; John A. Harris, Concord, Grand Recorder; James Adams, Candia, Grand Chaplain; J. Frank Webster, Concord, Grand Conductor; George A. Hatch, Laconia, Grand Captain of the Guard; Henry Lewis, Manchester, Grand Marshal; Charles E. Canny, Dover, Grand Steward; Samuel W. Emerson, Concord, Grand Sentinel.

Correspondence.

RYE, May 15th.

The Congregational Society have invited Rev. Mr. Smith, late of Essex, Mass., to supply their pulpit for one year.

The members of the "Cable Staff" are having comparatively an easy time of it, since the price of messages has increased from 25 to 75 cents per word. It makes a decided difference in the number of messages received and sent, whatever may be the effect in the receipts financially.

The wind has at last got round westerly, and brought with it, a smoke as dense, almost as any northeast fog. Some of the weather-wise predict three months of hot, dry and smoky weather.

The inside of the new Episcopal chapel, near the Farragut House, is being finished off, and it will be in complete order for services this summer. Another chapel is being built on Little Boar's Head; and Mrs. J. C. Philbrick (who with her accomplished daughter Miss Fannie is now spending a few weeks in California) is having erected a fine cottage at the same locality.

There is a stove of the Morrison pattern in this town, still in operation, which was set up in 1840 and has never been moved, and has had a fire in it every day since that time. How much longer it will continue to do duty remains to be seen, but if set up at auction it wouldn't bring many cents, unless somebody should want it as a relic. The house in which said stove is located was built in 1760. NAT.

YORK, ME., May 15th.

A dense smoke, with the odor of burning bushes, has choked us for the last forty-eight hours. Reports to-day say that in the vicinity of what is known as "Tattock," in the town of South Berwick, (and what was formerly a part of York,) a gigantic fire is raging, two miles in width, and progressing eastward at a fearful rate; the smoke is so dense here as to cause a bad effect on the eyes of the people, although ten miles from the fire. F.

"How Could You Ask Me?"

It is said of the late Governor Briggs, of Massachusetts, that he requested a lady whom he met at a party, and who took him to task for declining to drink wine at the table, to think over the families of her acquaintance, and note the effects of intemperance among them. She accepted the challenge, and in a little time responded with, "O, Governor Briggs! how could you ask me to do such a thing at a party? I am appalled. It is so dreadful to find that I do not know a family that does not number one victim, and some have all their brightest and best fall by it—fathers, husbands and children. It is too dreadful to think of; I would not have believed it. You are quite right, and I will never ask you to drink wine, nor ever call you fanatical for not taking it."

Now read the above earnest extract carefully, and then think over in your mind how many families of your acquaintance have been distressed and cursed, in some way or other, by strong drink. Oh, what a multitude of hearts and homes can testify to-day to the awful blight and withering curse of the intoxicating cup. Look at the vast army of drunkards in our land marching on to a fearful death and endless ruin. Think of it! Tramp, tramp, tramp,—on they go to darkness and eternal death. All these are somebody's fathers, husbands, sons, brothers, and loved ones, rushing right on to a dreadful future. Where is not the curse of rum felt to-day? Where is there a heart or home that has not been blasted by it in some way?

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A WARRANT in Bankruptcy has been issued by said Court against the Estate of LOUIS L. DERIOCHEMONT, of Newington, of the County of Rockingham, of the District of New Hampshire, in said District, adjudged a Bankrupt, upon the Petition of his Creditors; and the payment of any Debts, and the delivery of any Property belonging to said Bankrupt to him or to his use, and the transfer of any Property by him, are forbidden by law. A meeting of the Creditors of said Bankrupt, to prove their Debts and choose one or more Assignees of his Estate, will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be holden at Portsmouth in said District, on the 29th day of May, A. D., 1877, at 1 o'clock, P. M., at the office of J. S. H. Frink, before THOMAS E. SAWYER, Esquire, one of the Registers in Bankruptcy of said Court.

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House to Let,
NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises.

To Let.
TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.
THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to
March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

House to Let.
A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to
HENRY F. GERRISH.

House Lots.
DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Wibirt South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out.
Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.

For Sale.
HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Drisco.
Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,
at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

To Let.
BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
House No. 35 Deer Street.
Brick House No. 56 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 2 Rockingham Street.
Apply to
A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

Will Be Sold Low.
THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Willow Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjoent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.
Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.
FRANK W. MILLER.

Farm for Sale.
THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Blaney) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 35x31 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 52x60 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.
For further particulars enquire of
JAMES JANVRIN,
No. 38 South Street.

HOTEL TO RENT.
NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is new, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.
—APPLY TO—
JOSEPH S. GRANT,
2 AND 4 BOW STREET, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

LAND FOR SALE.
THE eligibly located FIELD LOTS formerly owned by the late Jos Herbert, on the corner of Creek Street and Boyd's Road are now offered for sale. The lot on Creek Street contains two acres, and commands a fine view of the city; there is also on the lot a BARN which measures 30x40 feet and has just been newly shingled. The other lot, on Boyd's road, contains seven acres, all of which is under a high state of cultivation, and will produce fifteen tons of best quality English hay. Upon these two lots is a great variety of choice fruit trees in bearing order, yielding large products of apples every year. This is a rare chance to secure a very desirable property, and unless disposed of immediately at private sale it will be offered at auction in lots to suit purchasers.
For terms enquire of the owner,
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A Thorough Gymnastic System
FOR LADIES and GENTLEMEN
In 10 Minutes once a Day.
Doubles the Strength in three months. Does not Fatigue nor Exhaust. Refreshes and Invigorates. Removes Dyspepsia and Indigestion. Tones the Nervous System. Improves the Circulation. Warms the Extremities. Increases the general Vitality.
RECOMMENDED BY LEADING PHYSICIANS.
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Open from 9 A. M. to 9 P. M.
A cordial invitation is extended to all who are interested in the subject of Physical Culture. lmdw78

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DURING the absence of Dr. POTTER in Europe his patients will be supplied with
MEDICINES, DAY OR NIGHT,
at this Office, as heretofore.
EDMUND P. PHILBROOK, APOTHECARY,
lmd246 No. 2 MARKET STREET.

MILLINERY
NOTICE.
We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of
TRIMMED
Hats & Bonnets
Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.
C. N. SHAW & CO.,
No. 3 Market Street.

DR. QUAIN'S
MAGIC
CONDITION PILLS!

The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint, Biliousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2½ years with Dyspepsia, and for the last three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.
Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from Mr. John W. Lord, one month later. Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 23d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.
Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.
JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving you praise so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his head to his head-board or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been so free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. *I know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yet I hear that they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.
Yours with respect, ED. F. FEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '7

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for several years with Neuralgia in all its violence and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most of the time for eight or ten winters, and have been travelling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis my attention was called to the advertisement of DR. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mr. Louis Sherrer, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.
Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875

MR. THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last 10 years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to those who are similarly afflicted, they have done me much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who ask me about them. Please send me two more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.
MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT

DR. QUAIN'S MAGIC CONDITION PILLS put up only by the AMERICAN MEDICINE CO. Manchester, N. H., THOMAS W. LANE, Agent.

For Sale in Portsmouth at the
N. E. P. Union store, Market
JOHN H. SLATER
AGENT.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.25 "
Concord Way,			4.25† "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "
Concord and North,		10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

[Communicated.]

ECLECTIC CLUB EXCURSION.

The Amateurs of the "Eclectic Club," who gave so charming an entertainment in Franklin Hall two weeks since, repeat the same, by very urgent request, in Portland Thursday evening, before a company of the best people in that city, by whom the tickets have been all engaged. Our Portland friends are to be congratulated on the very pleasant entertainment in store for them.

The company having been so urgently solicited to play there, proves that the complimentary notice given them in the CHRONICLE was a well deserved tribute, one or two jealous *friends* (?) "Cæca est invidia," and a profoundly ignorant "Admirer of Home Talent" who did not know the difference between a *complimentary notice* and a dramatic *criticism*, to the contrary notwithstanding. The article which so moved the indignation of the "Admirer of Home Talent" made not the slightest pretension to being a *criticism* of either play or players, the lady who wrote it having been for too many years connected both by personal friendship and professionally, with some of the best dramatic talent in the land, both writers and actors, not to be able to know the difference between a simply complimentary notice (well deserved) of persons giving a very pleasant entertainment for their friends, and that much deeper thing a dramatic criticism. That most *unprovoked* and uncalled for attack upon a woman who *never* in her life, here or elsewhere, wrote or procured to be written, a single word *against* any one, has only served to raise her still more in esteem of our people, and draw them more closely about her—but "verbum sat sapienti," so I will say no more. JUSTICE.

MEMORIAL DAY.

A meeting of the Citizens' General Committee was held Monday evening in the Common Council chamber. The finance committee made a favorable report, and the sub-committees presented their estimates. Chief Marshal Hilton announced the engagement of the Portsmouth Cornet Band, and probably other music. The Veteran Artillery Association, Heavy Artillery and Light Artillery have voted to participate in the observance, and it is probable that the Portsmouth Cavalry, Marine Corps and a company of sailors from the U. S. S. Enterprise will also accept the invitation already extended to them. On account of incomplete uniforms the Fire Department will not parade. The Committee will have their next meeting on Monday evening, the 21st.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.

The Circuit Court of the United States resumed its sessions in this city Tuesday forenoon at eleven o'clock, Hon. Daniel Clark, United States District Judge, presiding. The criminal docket was taken up, and the United States vs. Shea came first in order.

State vs. John Shea was tried. Responden was charged with committing perjury in falsely swearing to a voucher for payment of an invalid pension. Verdict guilty; Lew. W. Clark for deft.

United States vs. Cyrus Dunn (trial commenced) is an indictment for fraudulently concealing property, to wit, a lot of whisky, rum and cigars, valued at $2000, omitting the same from his schedule in bankruptcy. Hall for U. S.; Marston and L. W. Clark for deft.

Walter C. Harriman, Esq., of this city, was on motion of Hon. W. H. Y. Hackett admitted to practice as an Attorney in the United States Courts of this district.

JOTTINGS.

At the closing of the school term of the Conant High School at Jaffrey, the Principal, Mr. Wm. H. Gardiner of this city, was presented with a silver goblet, as a token of regard, by the pupils. Mr. Gardiner has been engaged for the next three terms, (the school year,) as Principal of the same school.

Concerning Mr. J. H. Randlett, the Dover carriage-builder whose advertisement is in another column of this paper, the Manchester *Mirror* says: "No man in New Hampshire makes more fashionable or better carriages than J. H. Randlett, of Dover. We have patronized him largely for the last fifteen years, and have never yet used a carriage built by him long enough to start a spoke, felloe or hub. He has the finest taste, employs the best workmen, and is honorable in all his transactions."

Squday, Monday and Tuesday were more like September days than days in the middle of May, being warm and hazy, and the air filled with the smoke from bush fires. The rise in temperature brought the leaves and blossoms out on the trees, and some of the early-planted crops and potato bugs out of the ground. The bug yield promises to be very large and will need assiduous cultivation with kerosene, Paris green, etc., or it will crowd out more valuable crops; a friend informs us that in ploughing a small piece of ground last week he turned out thousands of the bugs, all of the liveliest kind, and another gentleman asserts that while he was planting potatoes the bugs followed along closely in his wake and put a mark on every hill. One farmer of our acquaintance has commenced fighting the bugs already, his plan being to smash raw potatoes up as fine as possible, sprinkle Paris green over the pulp and then put the prepared food on shingles—a table-spoonful on each one—which he places in his potato fields at distances of about ten or twelve feet apart; how it will work he cannot yet tell, but it is said to have done good service in other places. We presume he will keep his poultry cooped up while that kind of fodder is abroad.

The police on Tuesday took to the station and killed, by request of Mr. Joseph S. Pfeiffer, a dog of his that was bitten by a rabid dog some weeks ago.

See advertisement of auction sale of choice plants at C. Dwight Hanscom & Co's store on Congress street, to-day.

Our York, Me., correspondent reports a great fire raging in the woods at South Berwick, Me., on Monday and Tuesday. It is probable there are other forest fires to the westward of this city and not very far off, as the smoke which has enveloped us since Monday evening could hardly have come from South Berwick (which is nearly due north of Portsmouth) with a southwest wind, and the extensive fires in the northern part of the State,—reported in another column,—would seem to be too far away to smoke us much, and not in the right direction, either.

On Monday, in the Massachusetts House of Representatives, the rule forbidding the introduction of new business was suspended upon motion of Mr. Osgood of Salem, and a bill presented allowing the Eastern Railroad Corporation to make a transfer of certain collateral security held by it. The bill provides that the Eastern Railroad Company, with the assent of the Trustees under the mortgage made in pursuance of chapter 236 of the acts of 1876, may pledge as collateral security for money borrowed any of the property which by section thirteen of said act it is authorized to sell with the assent of said Trustees; and may give the pledges of the same right in the property so pledged as if the same were not mortgaged to the Trustees; provided always that the proceeds of a loan so effected shall not be applied or disposed of except for the purpose specified in said section thirteen, and except with the consent of the Trustees first had and obtained. The act is to take effect upon its passage.

A "generous rivalry" exists between the Grangers of Stratham, Greenland and other neighboring towns, as to who can hold the most hens' eggs in one hand. Mr. James Pickering, of Newington, one of these aspirants for fame, some time ago held twenty-five eggs, which at that time put him ahead of all competitors, but a Stratham man "saw" his twenty-five and "raised" him a half-dozen; so Mr. Pickering tried it again, and this time piled thirty-six eggs upon his open palm, there being fifteen eggs in the first layer, or "ground tier." They were common-sized eggs, weighing one pound and three-quarters to the dozen. We think that like the deacon's yellow turnip, this "can't be beet."

We understand that the proposed May festival at Elwyn Park, which was announced to take place on the 24th, is to be postponed until June 14th, on account of the inability of several prominent speakers to be present on the first named date. A committee of the Park trustees are to wait on the Veteran Artillery Association relative to jointly uniting to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the "Stars and Stripes," which occurs on June 14th, and which the latter had previously voted to celebrate. There is no doubt but that the proposition will be accepted, and a fine celebration may be expected.—*Times.*

—The quiet old town of Guilford, Conn., has a very sleepy male population, and its ladies have formed a society of "United Workers" to attend to the municipal affairs neglected by their inefficient lords. Becoming tired of dark streets at night, a year or so ago, the society provided lamps, etc., and has kept them trimmed and burning ever since at its own cost. About the same time the same women took charge of the village park, put it in order, and thereafter assumed its entire care. A few days ago they joined their forces and came out to give the park what they had bestowed upon their houses, a Spring cleaning. Each lady carried a rake adorned with bright ribbons, and the procession was escorted to the ground by a brass band, which cheered the laborers with music. Upon reaching the park, the ladies took possession and allotted the work to be done in sections. All masculine intruders during the performance were compelled to pay a fine, which went into the society's treasury, to be devoted to future enterprises of utility or charity. The music woke up the sleeping lords of creation, who proceeded to investigate the proceedings and each was at once compelled to pay the imposed fine. The result of the day's work showed rosy cheeks for the ladies, a tidy park, a replenished treasury, and a general condition of good humor and jollity.

—Just because a Memphis man dyed his bald head in squares of yellow, green, crimson, etc., and then went to church and theatre, they shut him up in an insane asylum. He diverted the audiences too much.

—A frisky young boar that was being expressed on a German railroad, escaped from his cage and devoured a number of pounds of yeast cakes. The inflation in pork that followed was tremendous.

—Another mill closed on account of over-production. The supply of graduates at the Chicago Normal School exceeds the demand, so the school is to be closed a year.

—Riches are the baggage of virtue. They cannot be spared, nor left behind, but they hinder the march.

—Timely spring news—The rise in flours.

—Bennie, you're a pig, said a father to his little five-year old boy. Now, do you know what a pig is, Bennie? Yes, sir; a pig is a hog's little boy.

The Best Recuperant

Of failing energy, that to which the fagged out man of business, the brain-fatigued author, the tired advocate or the weary artizan can resort with the greatest certainty that it will revive his overwrought powers, is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a most genial tonic cordial, as well as a benign remedy for disorders of the stomach, liver, bowels and urinary organs, and a means of eradicating and preventing intermittent and remittent fevers. It not only enriches the blood and creates a new fund of energy in the system, but it has the effect of expelling impurities from the life current which beget disease. The injurious influence of abrupt transitions of temperature, of an unwholesome climate and injurious diet, are counteracted by it, and it promotes digestion, appetite and sound repose. Give it a trial and be convinced.

Pretty Lips

should have pearly teeth behind them. To make the teeth pearly, and to keep them so, there is nothing like Fragrant Sozodont. It neutralizes every element of impurity that affects the soundness or whiteness of the dental bone. Moreover, it prevents gum-boil and canker.

For the "attraction of cohesion," see Spalding's Glue.

A well-timed and judicious concession to the popular demand for reduced rates has added very greatly to the former excellent popularity of the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia.

A DELICIOUS CUP OF COCOA is easily made. Ask your grocer for the preparation made by Walter Baker & Co. It is healthful and stimulating, and far less injurious than tea or coffee.

THOUSANDS of persons are just beginning to appreciate the curative qualities of Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup. He receives daily a large number of commendatory letters, relative to the wonderful results being attained from the use of this last and best remedy for Consumption. Sold by all Druggists.

Free of charge—*Sample* bottle of *Adamson's Cough Balsam* at all drug stores. Owing to its perfect harmony in combination it is the very best mixture for the speedy cure and relief of croup, colds, throat or lung diseases. Large bottles 35 cents.

The Grand Central Hotel, New York, will sustain its well-merited popularity, and earn greater, by the sensible reduction of its rates from $4.00 to $2.50 and $3.00 per day.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

DIED.

TRUNDY. In this city, May 14, Mrs. Lucy Trundy, widow of the late John Trundy.

☞ Funeral services this (Wednesday) afternoon, at three o'clock, at her late residence, No. 3 North street.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED May 14.

Sch Elizabeth M Smith, Raymond, Boston.

SAILED May 14.

Sch Annie S Conant, Baker, Philadelphia.

ARRIVED May 15.

Sch Union Flag, Frisbee, Port Johnson
Sch Tantamount, Gilkey, Port Johnson.
Sch Laconia, Crockett, Perth Amboy.
Sch Juliet, Robinson, Rondout.
Sch Mary Willey, Williams, Bangor.

SAILED May 15.

Sch Mabel Rose, Allen, Philadelphia.
Sch Kate Walker, Veazie, Bangor.

Ship Grandee, Shillaber, unc at Melbourne April 5.
Sch Active, Seaward, for fals port sld from New York May 13.
Ship Frolic, Bush, from Liverpool Mar 28 for San Francisco spoken no date lat 9 lon 26 W.

"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $2. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞ N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. 19S&Gtf

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eodtry2

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For Sale.

THE STOCK OF GOODS, with the FIXTURES and other articles in the

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Apply to
WILLIAM H. ROLLINS, Att'y for Executrix.

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3 lb Cans	TOMATOES,	15 cents.
3 " "	SQUASH,	15 "
3 " "	GREEN PEAS,	10 "
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2 " "	PINEAPPLE,	15 "
3 " "	BARTLETT PEARS	25 "
2½ " "	APRICOTS,	25 "

—FOR SALE BY—

Butler and Laighton.

NEW GOODS
—IN—
PLATED WARE!

TEA SETS,
CASTORS,
ICE PITCHERS,
BUTTER DISHES,
KNIVES,
FORKS,
SPOONS,
ETC., ETC., ETC.

AT LOW PRICES!

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All Goods Warranted. Fine Watch Repairing, Jobbing and Engraving.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

—OF—

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GOODS.

—AT—

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NO. 8 MARKET SQUARE.

Having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

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is prepared to make them up into garments of the most style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

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☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

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ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

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Constantly on hand, consisting of,

Bosoms, Gloves,
Suspenders, Collars,
Linen Goods, Drawers,
Handkerchiefs, Shirts,

Of Every Description.

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Merchant Tailors.

We have the largest stock of dress cloths in this city, including some fine clothsin colors. Also

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Coatings and Suitings,

From which we are prepared to make

Garments of the Finest Manufacture,

AT REASONABLE RATES!

We trust, by personal supervision of all favors intrusted to our care, to merit a continuance of the public patronage.

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We have a very large assortment, and one of the best Stocks of

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GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS!

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We have a small lot of HATHAWAY'S SHIRTS, which we are closing out at cost.

WAITE & DODGE'S WHITE SHIRTS, laundried or unlaundried, Wamsutta Cotton, made in the best style.

MERRIAN'S New Style SANS PAREIL SHIRT, made of nice Cotton.

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A nice assortment of new COLORED SHIRTS.

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Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style with Collars and Pockets.

Spring Neck-Wear!

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N. H. State 6s, 1878	111½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	5½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	91½
Boston & Providence	112½
Boston & Albany	136½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	3½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	102½
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	41½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	36
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	56½

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within six feet of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No slender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same, and no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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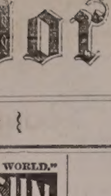

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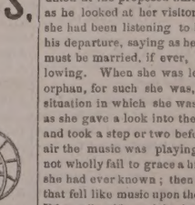

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THEATRICAL MEMORIES.

While we cannot but acknowledge there are faults of the stage that need correction, still there are few enjoyments of the past, especially those of our more youthful years, that we recall with greater pleasure than the hours we have spent within the walls of a theatre, when the drama, at its best, was presented for our entertainment. Such a time recurs to the writer in the palmy days of the old Tremont Theatre of Boston. It was on a holiday night, when the house was crowded from pit to gallery, and a new French drama was the chief attraction—how much so the audience little anticipated—that had never before been enacted upon the American stage. When the curtain rose, a room on one of the upper floors of a Parisian lodging, or what we would now call *tenement* house was seen. At the left was the fair Mrs. Barrett, representing, as she sat at work over an embroidery frame, the heroine of the drama; by her side was a dressing-table, with a looking-glass, and other needed articles for the toilet; behind her was a bed, with its neat white curtains. At the right a girl sat reading a novel, occasional passages of which she would declaim in the most rapturous mood, until interrupted by her companion in telling her that her lover, a young cabinet-maker, had come that morning to say that as he would reach his majority next day, his father was to furnish him a little money to enter business, and that he wished they should at once be married. The other girl, though but a poor seamstress, replied that she did not wish to marry a mechanic and continue to live as she then did in a room or two, but quoting from her book the kind of existence she would fancy, gave one an idea that it mattered little to her whether he who could furnish her the means for the luxurious life it pictured, was a husband or lover. At this point a flashily dressed but shabby-genteel looking individual made his appearance (a tenant also of the lodging-house,) and producing a bottle of cider and a paper of nuts, the fruits of his success at billiards that day, as he said, invited them to partake of his luxuries. Just before his entrance, the heroine of the drama, in connection with what she had said of her lover, had told her companion that the owner of their lodgings, a young man of fortune, Edmund as she called him, had overtaken her in a shower the day before, drove her home in his cabriolet, and complimenting her voice, that he had heard in passing the door of her room, offered to procure her admission, as a pupil, to the Academy of Music; an offer which the other urged her to accept, not doubting, beautiful as she was, the ulterior object of the youthful landlord in his proposal, Alexandre adding his advice to that of Terese, as we will call them. As they still talked of the matter, the young cabinet-maker entered, presented to his affianced a fresh-blown rose, and repeated what he had said in the morning about their immediate marriage; but she, amid the temptation by which she was beset, urged delay until they would be able to have a less humble home than then; the lover, Michel by name, still urging his wish for their union at the proposed time, and telling her, as he looked at her visitors, that he feared she had been listening to bad advice, took his departure, saying as he did so, that they must be married, if ever, the morning following. When she was left alone, the fair orphan, for such she was, musing over the situation in which she was placed, thought as she gave a look into the glass at her side and took a step or two before it to the sweet air the music was playing, that she would not wholly fail to grace a higher sphere than she had ever known; then saying in a voice that fell like music upon the ear, "If I were Edmund's wife, and he but faithful, what a brilliant lot would be mine!" Musing still, and then expressing the hope that the spirit of her mother will direct her in her dreams that night what to do, the scene closed by leaving her kneeling at her bedside, while the curtain fell to a soft, sweet strain.

The second act opened to a suite of apartments of the most luxurious description; the late embroideress entered in the most costly array, accompanied by servants bearing rich articles of merchandise she had purchased by way of whiling away her time. Terese, transformed into a duchess, or so she styled herself, appeared, and after chatting of matters connected with the style of elegance in which both were living, told the lady of the mansion that she had seen Edmund, looking pale, thin, and poorly attired, very different from what he had done when *she* was aiding him to get rid of his fortune; to which the other replied, with something of a regretful air, that it was very much his own fault, representing himself, as he did, to be richer far than he really was. Mons. Alexandre, changed from a poor fan-painter to a rich horse-dealer and gentleman artist at billiards, came to say that he had a splendid pair of bays at his stables, of which he would make her ladyship the first offer. A servant entered with the information that "my lord" was below, and wished to see the lady; but she, who had seen his carriage from a window, sent word that she was much engaged, that he could come next day, and would be the more welcome if he brought what he failed to do at his last visit. In a freak of fancy, when again alone, she sent for an upholsterer to redecorate her apartments, elegant although they already were, when Michel came, as his agent, and on their recognizing each other, she offered him a costly dia-

mond necklace, saying it would bring him large wealth, but although acknowledging that he loved her still, though nearly ruined by her desertion of him, he could not accept her gift.

After various changes in the downward fortunes of the heroine and those of Terese and Alexandre, she was seen as the keeper of a boarding-house of a medium class, and ambitious to do well, that had been left to her by her last "friend," the proprietor of an establishment such as people resort to for the purpose of winning the money of others, but oftener lose their own. Terese, without the slightest idea to whom she was to offer them, came to the door to sell oranges from the basket she bore on her arm, who brought the information that the last she heard of Alexandre was that for some indiscretion he had been obliged to "leave his country for his country's good," and had consequently gone on a trip to New South Wales.

The next that was seen of the unfortunate heroine, pale and emaciated, and cheaply clad, but still retaining much of the gentleness of manner of her better years, she had become the keeper of a humble lodging-house, and Terese, long unaware of her whereabouts, came to seek employment as a servant; and, to the horror of the mistress of the place, Alexandre, with a companion as villanous looking as himself, both escaped convicts from Botany Bay, after committing a burglary, also came in quest of lodgings and a place for the concealment of their plunder. A posse of the National Guard, with Michel as their captain, getting upon their track, arrest them, and the stolen goods being found in the house, without a knowledge of their being there by the mistress, she, in her distress, being equally liable to arrest, ran into the street, followed by the guard, with Michel at their head, who was most kindly disposed towards her, and before she could be overtaken, leaped from a bridge and disappeared beneath the waters of the Seine, the guard and their commander forming a tableau as they gazed upon the scene, after failing to rescue the unfortunate one from her fate.

While the audience looked on with downcast eyes, tears, that few could restrain, falling like rain, a mist obscured the stage to the footlights, and when it had passed, the same soft air being heard again with which the first act closed, the scene reappeared just as it was, with the orphan girl reposing in slumber upon her pillow, from whence she was awakened by a loud knocking at her door, and the voice of Michel calling on her to open it. Leaping from the bed to the floor, after a moment of bewilderment as if doubting if she was yet awake, she exclaimed in wild rapture. "Why, *it was all a dream*, and I am not so wicked as I dreamed that I was! Everything is just as I left it last night, even to the rose in the tumbler that Michel gave me, fresh and bright as when I placed it there. The spirit of my mother has indeed guided me in my dreams!"

The entire audience arose together to their feet, and while tears of joy took the place of those of sorrow, a scene of wild excitement caused, such as, from a similar cause, probably never before or since occurred within the walls of a theatre. Besides touching the hearts of all from the absorbing interest felt in the principal character, the moral lesson the drama conveyed was not overlooked. The play was that of "*Victorine, or, I'll Sleep on It*," the latter words being uttered by the heroine ere lying down upon her couch. It is now but seldom performed, though having a long and successful run, on its first production, in the large cities on both sides of the Atlantic.

J. H. B.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1877.

The War.

A despatch from Constantinople via London, on the 16th, says that the Turks claim to have stormed and captured Soukgoum Kaleh. The natives joined against the Russians, and all the country around has broken out in insurrection. This is an important port and fortified town which the Russians captured in 1791. It is situated on the eastern shore of the Black Sea, in the Russian Province of Abassia.

The statement that Roumania has declared war against Turkey is repeated. The Roumanian army is said to be small and badly equipped.

News and Notes.

The unknown man who murdered Frank Brasser and then killed himself at Brandon, Vt., has been identified as Charles Williams of Bristol, England, eighteen years of age. He was probably insane from family troubles.

Lillian Stearns, seventeen years old, a daughter of engineer D. B. Stearns of Jessup & Laflin's paper mill at Westfield, Mass., drowned herself near the mill Sunday night because her young man had left her for her sister. The lover and her sister heard her cries, and she might have been saved except for the lover's helpless fright.

The French ironclad Revanche burst a boiler at Villa Franca on the 15th inst., killing and wounding eighty-two of her crew.

Capt. Henry C. Sewall, of the American barque Edmund Phinney, of Portland, the chief officer and three seamen, and the captain's sister, died of cholera at Akyab, India. The cholera has prevailed to an alarming extent in the district about Chittagong, and on the islands along the coast which were inundated by the great storm wave on the 31st of October, 1876. More than 20,000 deaths have been reported from cholera alone, and in addition to these there have been a large number from pestilential fevers attributed to the same general causes, infection of the air by the decomposition of the multitudes of human beings and cattle which perished at the time. This state of affairs is likely to continue till the heavy rains carry off the remaining impurities.

—Brig C. C. Bearse, from Charleston for Boston, has been wrecked at sea. The two mates, steward and one seaman were picked up from a raft; the captain and three seamen were drowned.

The New York "carnival" on the 15th inst. was the first ever held in that city, and will be the last. The whole procession was simply an immense parade of out-door advertising, of beer, soap, suspenders and all sorts of patent gimcracks. The procession was several hours late in getting off, and gaps of tedious length were developed in it as it proceeded. The representations of the vaunted floats were simply ridiculous as a whole. No order was preserved, and many of those advertised were wanting. The people were much dissatisfied. After marching around the city the procession brought up at Gilmore's Garden, where a grand carnival ball took place, The ball was a most brilliant affair. The *Times* says the carnival proved the greatest failure that ever disgraced New York city. The morning procession was merely an advertising panorama. "Rex" turned out to be a stupid Staten Island brewer, who paid a large sum for the doubtful honor.

A fat German in San Francisco was going home late at night, recently, when two highwaymen demanded his money. He shouted for help so loudly as to scare the thieves and wake up all the police for three blocks, and made a dive at the throat of one of the thieves, who started on a run, pursued by the fat Dutchman, who made glorious time. Finding he could not shake off his pursuer, the robber fired several shots at him from a derringer, but he paid no attention to that. Finally the robber jumped over a high fence and crouched behind it, and the German in climbing after him fell, landing on the crouching thief and knocking all the wind and courage out of him. Finding this worked so well the fat German got up and sat down vigorously on the fellow some more, until he begged piteously for mercy, when the German took away his derringer and coolly escorted him to the police station.

Judge A. J. Willard was on the 15th inst. chosen Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of South Carolina, receiving 86 out of 128 votes cast in the Legislative convention. This is Willard's reward for supporting Wade Hampton.

Five children of the station master at Little York, a station on the Syracuse & Binghampton Railroad in New York, were burned to death in the building on the 15th inst.

Gov. Rice of Massachusetts has vetoed the local option liquor law, on the ground that the law as it now stands has only existed a year and has not therefore had a fair trial.

New Hampshire Items.

On Thursday Mrs. John Hanson, of Dover, died at the age of 84 years and six months, and the death of her husband at 90 years occurred a few hours afterward. These aged people had lived many happy years together, and have gone to peaceful graves esteemed by all who knew them.

Josiah Clifford of Allenstown, a well-off farmer, hung himself in his barn Thursday morning. Family trouble was the cause.

A young daughter of Josiah B. Jones, of Epping, disappeared from her home last week, and a young man named Peavey is suspected of foul play in the case. Detectives are at work on the affair.

The seventh annual reunion of the sons and daughters of Gilmanton will take place on Memorial Day, May 30. The citizens have been long in preparation, and it is intended that the present shall eclipse all former occasions of this nature. Rev. L. S. Coan is to deliver the address, and distinguished speakers from a distance have been invited to be present.

Extensive forest fires were raging in the vicinity of the Crawford and Fabyan Houses in Carroll on Tuesday and Wednesday. Large quantities of wood and timber were destroyed. Trains over the Portland & Ogdensburg Railroad were stopped, as it was dangerous to run through the burning woods.

A mysterious stabbing affray occurred on Saturday evening in Manchester, which has baffled every attempt of the authorities to unravel. At about nine o'clock Charles J. Benson, a young married man, was engaged in conversation with a young woman on Merrimac square, when they were approached by a female figure, and by a rapid movement both Benson and his companion were stabbed in the breast with a knife. The assailant then disappeared in the darkness.

A Sea Serpent Caught.

A veritable sea serpent has been captured in the harbor of Oban, on the coast of Scotland. It is not an infant specimen like the one nine feet in length washed ashore near Cape Ann a few years ago, but is one hundred and one feet in length by actual measurement, and eleven feet in circumference at the thickest part. It has a pair of side fins four feet wide, and a huge dorsal fin of five feet in height, but otherwise is a veritable serpent in all its shape and configuration. It was observed in the harbor and a large party of fishermen and inhabitants of the port went out to capture it. They formed a line with their boats across the waters of the harbor and by shouts and splashings frightened it so thoroughly that it was stranded on the beach, where it was killed by the musket balls of a party of volunteers. The body was taken possession of under the flotsam and jetsam rights of the Crown, and undoubtedly will be preserved in the best manner for the interest of science. It is lucky for the reputation of the sober inhabitants of Oban that the sea serpent was actually captured, for they might have fought him all day in the harbor, and thousands have seen him, but without his visible body the world would not have believed their oaths, and would have set down Oban as the abode of liars, in particular. Even now it will hardly be believed until the sea serpent is articulated and set up in the British museum beside the remains of the pterodactyl and the megatherium, and, in fact, we have been so often disappointed that the most trusting would rather see than hear tell on't. The facts, however, are given with all particularity in the Glasgow *News*.

—"Now, Mr. Professor Bell, as the telephone exhibition, can any one suggest a sentence that he would like transmitted to our friends at Manchester and Lowell?" A ripple of laughter passed over the rear of the hall when a youth said, in a voice audible to those in the vicinity. "Tell 'em to wipe off their china." The message was not sent.

—A Philadelphia judge decides that a railroad company is not responsible for baggage further than to check it, pound it to pieces, and keep an ordinary watch over the handles.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live, have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, at two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from Hay. John W. Lord, one month later. Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-five pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

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JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 6, 1875.

MR. LANE:—*Dear Sir:*—I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise. I tend you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times he would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. I persuaded my father to send for some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not send them. He has not been so free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I know of, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the good such medicine will do others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE.

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, 7

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most of the time for eight or ten winters, and have been travelling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they will advise me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get money to go to Florida when, through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathews my attention was called to the advertisement of DR. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrod, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875

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Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "	
Portland	8.45 "	4.45, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	8.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	3.15 P. M.	4.45	"
Great Falls	3.15 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	8.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35†	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30	"
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50	"

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT.

Wednesday, May 16th.

John Shea, of Manchester, who was on Tuesday convicted of willful perjury in swearing to an affidavit required to draw a pension, was brought into Court, and sentenced to pay a fine of $25 and to be confined in the State Prison at Concord at hard labor for the term of two years. He was taken to Concord on the afternoon train in charge of U. S. Marshal Patterson.

United States vs. Cyrus Dunn was tried. Indicted for willfully and fraudulently concealing a large portion of his assets from his assignee in June, 1875, when he went into bankruptcy. A number of witnesses were examined by the Government, and the case was argued by Lewis W. Clark for defendant, with whom was Gen. Marston, and by J. G. Hall, District Attorney, for the United States. The Judge's charge occupied three-fourths of an hour, and the case was given to the Jury at 4:45 P. M.; and at about 6:15 they came in with a verdict of guilty.

United States vs. Thomas Howe, of Manchester, for perjury in the case of Crohan, tried in this Court last October term, will be in order for trial Thursday morning.

POLICE COURT

Wednesday, May 16th.

William A. Plaisted was arraigned for renting to another man a building to be used for the sale of liquor. Mr. Plaisted claimed that the prosecution was prompted by personal malice and not by any desire to enforce the law for the benefit of the public, and that he should therefore be discharged; but Judge Batchelder ruled that he had nothing to do with the motives of the complainant, and as there was probable cause to consider defendant guilty of the charge brought against him he was bound over in the sum of $400 to appear in answer to the charge at the October term of the Supreme Court. The law making the letting of a building for the sale of liquor a misdemeanor was passed in 1870, and under its provisions a fine of from $50 to $200, at the discretion of the Court, can be imposed in case of conviction. We believe this is the first prosecution brought under this law, in this city.

JOTTINGS.

Mr. Josiah F. Adams in another column announces a very decided reduction in the price of funereal goods.

The steam yacht Maud, which has been running on the Merrimac, has been sold by her owner, Capt. Henry Vatter, to James A. Speed of South Newmarket, who intends to run her on the Piscataqua. She will be brought round to this port during the present week.

Considerable attention was attracted on Wednesday by a cook-shop on wheels, drawn about the streets by a sleek, comfortable-looking horse, while two men therein cooked and peddled out waffles. Everything about the "Centennial Waffle Bakery" (that is what was painted on it) looked neat and nice, and as we didn't know from experience what waffles were we bought a quarter's worth and ate 'em. Having just previously made a fairish dinner on dandelion greens and boiled ham, we managed to exist until supper time without great suffering from the pangs of hunger; but we made a calculation that if we were really hungry it would cost about two hundred and twenty-five dollars to give us a square meal of those cakes of baked atmosphere with sugar on, called waffles.

On the arrival at this city, Tuesday, of the pay-car of the Eastern Railroad, with Paymaster Hobbs, who had been settling the accounts with the employes of the road along the line to this city, a trustee process was served upon him by a Sheriff, at the instance of the Merchants' National Bank of Salem, which has recently made several attachments on property of the road. Paymaster Hobbs disclaiming any connection with the Eastern in paying off the men, another process was immediately served upon another gentleman who occupied the same car, presuming that he held the funds. He also disclaimed any connection with the road, stating that he was acting for outside parties; and, paying no attention to either process, they proceeded on their way.

The old house on Badger's Island, which was never unoccupied during the palmy days of shipbuilding but has been allowed to fall into decay since that industry went down, is this week being torn down and removed.

An old citizen writes us the following "Recollection of the Old North Burying Ground:" At a time previous to the introduction of tanks into Baptist churches, with conveniences for warming the water in the colder seasons, and when good people had courage and endurance enough even to go through a pathway cut in ice in the river side, a large gathering took place to witness such a scene at the portion of the North burying ground bordering on the mill-pond. Those who came first for the convenience of obtaining the best view stationed themselves by the fence that then ran along the edge of the water, and as the crowd increased behind them, to the great joy of the boys the fence began to strain and creak like an old cow-bedstead, not a little assisted as it was by the boys' own sly exertions. At length, when it could endure the pressure no longer, just as the good man who officiated on the occasion was about plugging one of the subjects for immersion into the chilling element, the fence gave way, posts and all, and so did the ice, thin and porous as it was, when such an "immersion" took place as had not been looked for. Of course the water was not very deep, if there *was* mud at the bottom, and much fun was afforded to others, while it was anything else to the victims of the accident as they wended their way home in dripping garments.

The San Francisco *Bulletin* of May 8th says: "Another attempt was made yesterday morning to pull off the ship Frank Jones, ashore at Port Point. The ship was moved forward a short distance; but it was found that the water was entering in great volume, and all feared that the pumps would not be sufficient to keep the vessel free from water. There was still about 150 tons of ballast in the ship, which, together with the sand which had worked in, made the total weight of the ship about 800 tons. As the ship would in all probability sink if got out into deep water, the attempt to haul her off was abandoned. There were three pumps on board, but they were evidently insufficient to keep the water down. Whether another attempt will be made is uncertain. The ship could undoubtedly be got off, as she was moved yesterday quite a distance, but if it is certain that she could not be kept afloat, as is now thought, it is probable that she will be broken up where she lies." The vessel was offered for sale at auction on the 11th inst., by the parties who bought her when she was first wrecked, they having given up the idea of getting her off.

Mr. Henry Ridge, having purchased the building lot on Spring street next west of Mr. A. Pearson's place, has commenced putting in the foundations for a large dwelling house; Mr. James Stirling is building a house on Miller avenue, nearly opposite Mr. James Miller's residence, and Mr. James Janvrin has the foundations laid for one next north of Mr. Miller's lot, on Broad street. The change of this neighborhood from what it was when Hon. Frank W. Miller built his house and commenced to make streets there a dozen years ago, is something wonderful for a "sleepy old town" like Portsmouth.

An Old Letter Just Published.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 10 1875.

My Dear Friend: I shall not lose my patience with you, but another letter of same purport from anyone else will certainly try my temper, which has already been put to the test by two similar raids upon it.

I met Bowles of the Springfield *Republican* a few weeks since in Maine, on his return from a Moosehead Lake tour, and rode with him for a day Boston-wards. He improved the occasion by assuring me that I had no chance for the Presidency, but that I might do a great thing for myself and my country by openly espousing the cause of Charles Francis Adams. Shortly afterward Charles Nordhoff wrote the same thing in substance on both points, urging me to "see Adams at once, ally myself with him, and make myself chief of his party." From Nordhoff, whom I like, this mild nonsense may be tolerated; but from Bowles, whom nobody likes, it is quite unendurable. I replied to Nordhoff in writing, as I did to Bowles in conversation, without mincing my words, and I shall do you the same favor. I assured Nordhoff that he could not have a lower estimate of my personal prospects than I had myself; that, in fact, the subject never entered my mind as one of serious promise, and I am sure I told you at Saratoga in August last that my nomination was not within the scope of remote probabilities—scarcely of possibilities. You need not, therefore, try so gingerly to let me down without hurting, for I really never felt that I was up.

But the cant and the nonsense which Bowles and Nordhoff and yourself put forward about Adams as the coming man both amuse and enrage me. When he comes the republican party is gone. "It would not be Adams' fall, but his rise, that would ruin us. No Adams ever yet headed a party without taking the life out of it. Old John—in many respects the best of them—took the Federal party in 1796, when it had the talent, the character, the culture, the wealth, and the patriotic traditions and prejudices of the country all largely in its favor, and in four years he so entirely destroyed it that it never reappeared, except as a ghost wherewith to frighten two succeeding generations of statesmen. A large part of the quarter century that he lived after he retired from the Presidency was spent in querulous efforts to throw the responsibility of his failures on the friends of Hamilton and the eleven other contrary jurymen.

John Quincy Adams was equally unfortunate with the republican party of his day. When he was inaugurated in 1825, there was no other political organization in the country, and a wise leader of men and of parties would have found no difficulty in harmonizing the personal feuds which were permitted to grow into such fearful magnitude and acquire such destructive force. Indeed, the Administration of the second Adams so wickedly wrecked the great republican party which Monroe left, that it never was heard from again except under an alias. Had John Quincy Adams died the day he left the Presidency, he would never have filled the prominent place to which he is entitled in our history. He would simply have been known as a child of political fortune—always in office, no matter which party was in power—head of an Administration which was remarkable only for its failures, author of a diary conspicuous only for its malignity, sire to a son unwise enough to publish it. The last seventeen years of his life, spent in the House of Representatives, all but one year in the opposition, developed those qualities which secured him his fame. It is in that field alone that the present generation know him, and Mr. Seward, when he wrote the biography of the "Old Man Eloquent" (he never was eloquent when young,) devoted more space to his service in the House than to all the preceding history of his official life, which may be said to have begun about the time he was weaned. As an Executive he was as utter a failure as his father.

Don't talk to me, then, I pray you, about nominating Charles Francis Adams as our candidate for the Presidency, unless you mean death for us all without resurrection. The republican party can be beaten under some candidates in 1876 and still have a future, but if it should win with Adams it would never breathe again. The day of his inauguration would be the day of its funeral. He is not the equal in talent of his father or grandfather, and though I have a very slight personal acquaintance with him, I judge him to have a plentiful supply of those qualities which made the two Adamses the conspicuous failures among our early Presidents, and a great lack of those characteristics which, with all their faults and failures as Executives, still made them justly illustrious in our annals.

The Presidents who were great leaders of men and of parties have been our successful Presidents. Washington and Jefferson among the early Presidents, Jackson and Lincoln at later periods, are the most shining examples. Among the men who possessed in a pre-eminent degree the talent and aptitude for the station were Hamilton, DeWitt Clinton, Henry Clay, Seward, and Stephen Douglas. But in not a single quality of any one of them can you find the least counterpart in Charles Francis Adams. *Stat magni nominis umbra.* And only the shadow! Very sincerely yours,

J. G. BLAINE.

—When the first Russian battery unlimbered and opened on a Turkish outpost with grape and canister, the crafty Turks immediately exclaimed: "Czar grapes!" and deftly ran away, pretending they did not want any of them.

—A young Indian girl who had curiously watched the process of marking barrel-heads in a flouring-mill in Winona, Minn., stole in one day, and taking possession of the stencils, ornamented her blanket with the words "Ellsworth's Choice," and paraded the streets in great delight, but to the disgust of Mr. Ellsworth, who is a bachelor and had made no such choice.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Sch Mabel Rose, Allen, Philadelphia.

Sch S & L Bryan, Lee, for this port, cld from Philadelphia May 15.

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2 " "	HARTLETT PEARS	25	"
2½ " "	APRICOTS,	25	"

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Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER gives notice that she has been duly appointed Executrix of the will of LAFAYETTE LAIGHTON, late of Portsmouth, in the County of Rockingham, deceased. All persons in debted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them to her attorney, Wm. H. Rollins.

Dated Portsmouth, N. H., May 9, 1876.

LYDIA H. LAIGHTON.

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to keep any stale meat, heads, offal or any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any salted or fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for such refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 18. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any slaughter house, privy vault, or other nuisance or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or in any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his premises into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Abolish the Constitution.

Mr. Stonara's contribution to the North American Review is printed just as he wrote it. He is in doubt whether "self-despatch" might not advantageously be substituted for our practice of duelling, but he has no doubt at all about the inconvenience of a written constitution, and advises us to "reform it altogether." Here is what he says about it:

I think, of all countries I have been in, this country is most backward. It is because here there is no change. In every other country there is change. The times we live in are the most changeable times that have ever been known. Japan changes, China changes even a little, Turkey changes also, only little, because of religion, all the other European countries change, only America in politics for a hundred years never changes. Always just the same constitution—but since that constitution was made, steamboats, railroads, telegraphs, many wonderful things have been invented, so the manners and customs of people have been changed, their opinions about every thing are quite different, liberty and freedom are being everywhere introduced, only in America the rights of the people have not been increased for one hundred years.

In Europe the people will not allow this; they make revolutions, then comes more freedom. In twenty years how much has happened! In Austria Hungary has been separated, and free institutions have been given—with two chambers. At Vienna also in two chambers all different races in the empire are represented, and can talk freely. In Germany, Empire has been formed with chambers also rather free, only Bismarck has too much power, but there is no old constitution to stop freedom when he dies. In Italy, the whole country has been united, bad governments of Naples and Pope have been abolished, king has no power—all power is in the chambers, quite free. In France, Empire has been abolished, free chambers have been established, only they have one bad thing, written constitution—only it is very short, and can easily be changed. In England, Queen has no power at all—House of Commons, that is, people's House, has all power. Immediately when people want, they can change government.

One hundred years ago when American constitution was made, people in Europe could not press themselves upon governments; now it is almost impossible for any government to resist will of the people. In France it is quite impossible. Always almost immediately they make revolutions. In England, also, it is not possible. There the people make peaceable revolutions, but government never can go against the people. Only here that is possible. This is the only country in the world, where, in a popular election, majority cannot elect their candidate.

One hundred years ago this government was most free of all governments. Since that time all other governments have moved on, pressed by the people, always pressed; so they go forward quite rapidly in a free direction. Only this never moves. It is the same with that remarkable people, the Chinese. I remark much resemblance between Americans and Chinese. They are both afraid to move from old customs. This is in many respects a good thing. It is just opposite in Japan. Japanese go too fast; they think they know everything, when they know very little, and they go rashly on—but Americans are too slow in politics. Only one step have they made in a hundred years, and that is backwards, when they gave votes to a different race, who have no education and small intelligence, to help to elect a President who for four years is not responsible to anybody. Already it has been found that many things are not provided for in the constitution; I counted nineteen difficulties during last election for which no provisos was made in the constitution. How can you go on with a constitution that allows such great dangers to exist? It has been proved, by what has just happened, that at any time they may occur again, but never again could you settle the question eight to seven. I have conversed with many persons who say that never again will they agree to that.

In Japan it would not be possible for those seven men to live, who have proposed this plan. After it failed they must commit *seppukku*, or the "self-despatch." Though I do not approve this practice, I think, until countries have arrived at an advanced political state, it is in some respects good. It makes men very careful in proposing political plans. The practice, in this country, by which political enemies kill each other with pistols, does not make them so careful, but perhaps it is necessary while the old constitution lasts, but with the introduction of popular government and a responsible Cabinet it might be abolished. In Japan it is hoped in the same way to abolish "self-despatch," which I think is a better check upon political violence and bad language than duels. In Japan all editors of newspapers writing like those in this country would be obliged to perform this act, and even Mr. Tilden after he had got majority of nearly 300,000 votes could not survive his defeat with honor, but this is not because he had used bad language, but because he himself has been so much abused. For this reason he would have to commit *seppukku*. In my book which I am going to write in Japan upon the moral condition of

this country, I will show how far the higher morality of Japan is due to *sappukku*, so that they may not abolish it rashly, or without providing some other check, by which all persons using violent language, slandering other persons, bribing other persons, being bribed, making false returns, frightening voters, or otherwise behaving badly, may be restrained. None of these vices exist now in Japan. This is in consequence of former government when such things were not possible. I believe they in this country entirely result from the hundred years old constitution.

To make this Republic into a more free government, there is no necessity to change the name. To take away power from President, there is no necessity to change his name. So I do not propose, because I want to see this government more free, to change any names; the only thing to be done is, abolish the constitution, then all is simple. Then make a law that President must choose his Cabinet from two Houses of Congress. Then make another law and give more power to House of Representatives, because that is people's House more than Senate. If the majority in the House of Representatives is against the government, then at once the President and the Cabinet must both resign.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1877.

The War.

The Roumanians lost 110 in killed and wounded during the artillery duel between Kalafat and Widdin. The Turks have 50,000 troops in Widdin.

An English correspondent says the Turkish fortifications of Rustchuk are very strong.

A Pera despatch, dated the 15th, says: "The Russians are apparently attempting to force the Danube, or by a manœuvre draw away the Turks from other points. Up to last night, however, they were not successful." On the same day there was a two hours' cannonade between Totrokan and Oltenitza, and the Russian batteries at Ibrail shelled the Turkish defences of Matchin.

Sixteen Bulgarian villages have been pillaged and burned by the Turks.

The correspondent of the London *Telegraph* sends word from Bucharest that the Russian campaign will now proceed according to the original programme, the Roumanian army remaining on the defensive, within their own territory, the Russians crossing the Danube at eight points simultaneously and pressing forward toward the Balkans with all possible rapidity, leaving behind in Bulgaria civil officials charged with the reorganization of the institutions.

A despatch to the New York *Times* from Giurgevo, dated the 17th, says heavy cannonadding was going on; the Russians were bombarding Rustchuk, had set Turkuksi on fire from Oltenitza, and Matschin also was burning. A determined attempt to force the passage of the Danube was looked for, and an equally desperate resistance, the Turks having gotten their ironclads into position at the exposed points of the river.

From the scene of war in Asia Minor there is but little news. The Russians acknowledge a check at Batoum, where the Turks claimed to have defeated them with great slaughter. Russian despatches speak of the bombardment of Soukgoum Kaleh by the Turkish fleet, and the landing of a hostile force, which was repulsed; the Turks claim to have driven out the Russian garrison, and to have been joined by the inhabitants, creating a revolt in the Russian rear. Should this revolt prove extensive it will badly disarrange the Russian plans of the campaign in Asia.

News and Notes.

The three-year-old daughter of J. P. Davis, of Thompsonville, Conn., bitten by a dog last August, died of hydrophobia on Sunday evening.

A flood has overwhelmed both banks of the Tigris river, and opened a new branch above Bagdad, completely blockading the city and sweeping away two hundred houses in the village of Kiamizie.

A forest fire in Wisconsin has swept over a belt of country from two to fifteen miles wide and 120 long.

Reports from Camp Brown on the 15th inst. state that the Snake Indian scouts discovered a hostile camp on the head of Bad Water, about seventy-five miles northwest from Brown, on the west side of the Big Horn Range. They report fifty or sixty lodges. Capt. J. Mix of the Second Cavalry, commanding at Camp Brown, with a portion of his command and Shoshene Indians under Tom Cosgrove, will move against them immediately.

A twenty-years-old son of Mayor Overstolz, of St. Louis, recently eloped with and married an actress named Lizzie McCall, several years his senior.

The Russian men-of-war which have been at San Francisco for some time past, sailed on Wednesday under sealed orders.

The Permanent Exhibition at Philadelphia is quite a success in regard to the numbers that attend, and some days fairly rival the corresponding days of last year in this respect. There have been not less than 18,000 persons within a single twelve hours on several occasions. The Philadelphians who didn't attend last year's exhibition are making up for lost time.

The Chicago and Boston base ball clubs played a sharply contested game at Chicago on Wednesday, the Bostons winning by a score of 1 to 0.

Sixteen square miles of woodland on the eastern end of Long Island have been burned during the past week.

Advices from Paris on the 16th announced the resignation of the Ministry, and that President MacMahon was trying to form a mixed Royalist and Imperialist Cabinet. It is expected that the Chamber of Deputies will be prorogued and then dissolved. The Republican majority will reply by a vote of want of confidence. The position is grave and a *coup d'etat* is feared. The situation causes great excitement in Paris.

The Russian squadron sailed from New York on Thursday, receiving salutes from the forts and U. S. S. Minnesota as they went.

Ex-President Grant sailed for Europe on Thursday, in steamship Indiana, Capt. Sargent.

George Carman, a miner, investigated some nitro-glycerine stored in an unused tunnel at Georgetown, Colorado, on the 15th, when it exploded and blew him into fragments, his remains being scattered for a distance of quarter of a mile.

The rediscovery at Canquenes, Chili, of the once famous gold mine, "Los Cristales," has created somewhat of a sensation. This mine, whose yield is supposed to have been almost fabulous in the old colonial times, has been lost for forty years. Having been abandoned at the breaking out of the revolution, it filled with water, and then a landslide removed all traces of it.

The Edinburgh *Scotsman* states that a firm of importers of nitrate of soda at Glasgow have receiving a telegram confirming the destruction of Iquique, Peru, by an earthquake. No lives were lost.

From the tone of the New York papers we should say that the "Yankee Carnival" was not a success. The *Herald* speaks of "the gimcrack day procession," "a two-mile funeral of show wagons and hand-bill throwing," "the gingerbread nut procession;" the *World* tells of the visit of King Carnival in "a somewhat heterogeneous fashion;" and the *Times* has a racy and quite funny account of the show under the head, "the festival of the fools, insane stupidity and pageantry." The great procession appears to have been a long line of advertising vans; or, as one paper expresses it, "a grand combination of dealers, an organized company of advertisers who occupied the public streets, impeded travel, and nauseated passengers with claptrap and vulgarity."

New Hampshire Items.

The great forest fires in this State burned 6000 cords of wood belonging to a coal company near the Fabyan House. Five hundred cords of wood were burned Tuesday night two miles west of the Twin Mountain House. The Portland and Ogdensburg train bound west was delayed thirteen hours.

The Spring meeting of the Dartmouth Athletic Association will take place May 23 and 24. Hon. J. W. Patterson will act as referee. A match game of base ball between the Harvard and Dartmouth Freshmen nines is expected to be a feature of the sports.

Earnest temperance meetings are being held every afternoon and evening at Music Hall in Manchester.

The citizens of Manchester have filed a petition in the Supreme Court against the City Government to prevent the construction of highways through Concord square.

President Bartlett of Dartmouth College arrived in Hanover, Wednesday afternoon, and will enter immediately on the duties of his office, but will not be formally inaugurated until commencement.

The musical festival at Manchester was not a success. The chorus was light, and a general want of co-operation on the part of local musical talent was manifest all through it. Annie Louise Cary drew the only large house.

The Grand Lodge of Good Templars of New Hampshire met at Pythian Hall, Dover, Wednesday forenoon, George A. Bailey of Manchester presiding. The Secretary and Treasurer made their reports, showing an increase of members during the past year.

At the annual convocation of the M. E. Grand Royal Arch Chapter of New Hampshire, held in Concord on the 15th inst., the following officers were elected and installed: John J. Bell of Exeter, M. E. Grand High Priest; George W. Currier of Nashua, E. Deputy Grand High Priest; Albert S. Waite of Newport. E. Grand King; Clark F. Rowell of Keene, E. Grand Scribe; Joseph W. Hildreth of Concord, E. Grand Treasurer; John A. Harris of Concord, E. Grand Secretary; Jas. Adams of Concord, E. Grand Chaplain; Henry A. Bailey of Manchester, E. Grand Captain of the Host; Charles N. Towle of Concord, Grand Principal Sojourner; Charles G. Conner. Grand Royal Arch Chaplain; Henry P. Glidden of Dover, Grand Master of the Third Veil; Benj. F. Webster of Portsmouth, Grand Master of the Second Veil; George A. Hatch of Laconia, Grand Master of the First Veil; James Farrington and George T. Woodcock, Grand Stewards; Samuel W. Emerson of Concord, Grand Tyler.

John B. Huckins' farm buildings at Plymouth were burned by an incendiary, Wednesday night. Loss $2500; insurance $1100.

The Dover *Democrat* of the 16th inst. says; "Together with all the rest of the business projected for this season in Dover, the United States engineer and others arrived here to-day to resume the work of clearing out the bed of the river below the mills and complete the deepening of the channel. There are, we believe some $14,000 to be expended, and that, it is supposed, will finish up the job which was undertaken several years since and has been carried on by piece-meal ever since. This with the new mill, the new street, and the erection of somewhere from fifty to a hundred new tenements in the city, ought to make Dover a very lively place."

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MEDICINES, DAY OR NIGHT,

at this Office, as heretofore.

EGMUND P. PHILBROOK, APOTHECARY,

1mdaw4 No. 2 MARKET STREET.

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NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

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Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 17TH.

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DR. QUAIN'S

MAGIC

CONDITION PILLS!

The Wonderful Remedy for Liver Complaint Billiousness, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Headache, Kidney Complaint, Nervousness, Scrofula, Piles, and all diseases arising from a bad state of the Blood!

No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 29, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 3 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. I have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. I have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 23d, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty; but as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of these pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package. JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head, or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, yet I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been an free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room and all the time for eight or ten winters, and have been traveling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. I could not lie down nor ever get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, which I did, but it was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON.

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

MESSRS. W. LANE—*Sirs:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all whom similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of these Pills.

MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

DR. QUAIN'S MAGIC CONDITION PILLS are put up only by the AMERICAN MEDICINE CO., Manchester, N. H., THOMAS W. LANE, Agent.

For Sale in Portsmouth at the

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JOHN H. SLATER,

AGENT.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	5.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M	
" " Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "	
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "	
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" " Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT:

Thursday, May 17th.

In the case of United States vs. Cyrus Dunn, counsel for the defendant moved to set aside the verdict and for a new trial, on account of errors in the charge of the Court to the jury, and asked leave to file exceptions thereto.

United States vs. Thomas Howe, indicted for perjury at the trial of Crohan, at the October term of the Court, was opened by Dist. Att'y Hall at the coming in of the Court in the morning. [Crohan was one of the Manchester ward five repeaters, and was acquitted on Howe's evidence, which it is claimed was false.] Seventeen witnesses were examined in behalf of the Government. Mr. Hatch opened the case for the defendant at about 4:30 o'clock P. M., and called several witnesses to testify to the good character of the defendant. The case was continued for trial on the 18th, when it was expected to be disposed of.

An incident occurred during the afternoon which tended to relieve the monotony of the trial. Counsel for defendant was examining a witness with the object of establishing the fact that the defendant had been a member of the State Legislature, when his Honor observed that it was a gratuitous statement and not material. Counsel—"But I think, your honor, it is evidence of respectability for a man to have been a member of the Legislature of this State." His Honor—"Hum—I have my doubts about that!" Counsel—"I will not press the point, your honor."

TEMPORA MUTANTUR.

The burning of the Temple has left the city without any suitable place for the assembling of large audiences, at operas, theatrical performances, lectures, fairs and high-toned negro minstrel shows. Such a place is needed, but will it pay to build it? —*Chronicle*, Dec. 27, '76.

The CHRONICLE this morning, with its usual enterprise, contained the above item, which was no doubt intended to keep amusements from this city while leading astray parties unacquainted with our hall facilities. We take particular pride therefore in saying that Franklin Hall *offers every facility for entertainments*, being large, finely and completely appointed and easy of ingress and egress, its constant demand proving that it is a most desirable place, the CHRONICLE to the contrary.—*Times*, Dec. 27, '76.

We are glad to be able to announce that on yesterday afternoon the heirs of the late Joshua W. Peirce effected the purchase of the entire interest in the property of the old Temple on Chestnut street, and a splendid opera hall is to be immediately erected thereon by the Peirce heirs and other parties. * * The entire stock for this new and *much-needed opera hall* has already been taken.—*Times*, May 11.

The "Evangeline" Combination have concluded to "jump" Portsmouth, we hear, because the stage at Franklin hall is not large enough to accommodate the big whale and other features of the great show. —*Times*, May 14.

FATAL COLLISION.

Schooner Marietta Tilton was run down and sunk off Cross Rip, Wednesday night, by steam collier Harrisburg, and the captain and his wife, the mate, cook and two seamen, were drowned. Two men were saved. The Marietta Tilton is well, known as a regular trader to this port with coal, and her master, Capt. Penniwell, some months ago married the only daughter of Mr. Henry Bright of this city. Mrs. Penniwell went to Philadelphia with her husband on a recent trip, and was on her way back to Boston in the vessel when the disaster occurred.

A LITTLE MORE.

Messrs. Editors: Allow me to come to the rescue of that profoundly ignorant dolt who does not know the difference between a complimentary notice and a dramatic criticism. Perhaps that maligned individual did have a shadowy glimmer of the difference, and tried to express it when he recommended discriminating praise, but not being gifted with the crisp and concise style of "Justice" failed to make his reasoning clear. If "Justice" is as well acquainted with logic as with equity, will he explain why an invitation from a neighboring city proves that a dramatic company possesses talent equal, if not beyond, that of any professed artists ever seen by an experienced observer? Did he never read in the law books "Qui nimium probat, nihil probat?" It looks like a "non sequitur" to one unacquainted with law. QUAERITUR.

["Peace reigned in Warsaw;" it also reigns in the Southern States, excepting in places where obnoxious republicans still live; pray let us have peace here. Our contributors having got to talking law, we think the subject should be dropped, as we confess we are off soundings as soon as we got afloat on the law. We never had anything to do with the law but once, and that was a few evenings ago, when a man walked into our office and paid us seventy-seven cents as our fee as witness in a case in which we never appeared and which we are not positive we ever heard of. We could not see that we had a shadow of right to take that seventy-seven cents, but we took it, and spent it as quick as possible for a bottle of mucilage and some peanuts, for fear the man would come back after it; this shows the demoralizing influence of contact with the law, and we want nothing more to do with it. Our friends have drifted from a discussion about an amateur dramatic performance, into dangerous proximity to a sea of law terms; and we can't stand it. So we trust that if they cannot make up and be friends they will at least do as well as the good Samaritan, and pass by on the other side without saying anything. —*Ed. Chronicle.*]

DIPHTHONGAL.

We recently received a communication, appended to which was a brief note which at once brought to our mind the story told by the engineer of the first locomotive that ran into Colorado. While the engineer, black and grimy from his long run, was looking over and oiling his engine, two rough-looking hunters came up, and after critically examining the machine and its driver one of them asked, "Air this a engine?" "Yes," was the answer. "Be you the engineer?" again queried the hunter; and receiving an affirmative answer he turned to his companion and remarked, "Bill, it don't take much of a man to be engineer, do it!" The note which brought this to our memory was as follows:

Will the editor see that the type setter makes no mistake in the diphthong "æ," (the letters "a" and "e" joined) in first word of first Latin quotation.

Our correspondent evidently thinks of an editor as the hunter thought of the engineer—"it don't take much of a man to be editor." The Chief Justice of the United States once told a young lawyer, who in arguing his first case before the Supreme Court was explaining at length some of the simplest principles of common law, "The Supreme Court of the United States may be *supposed* to have some knowledge of law;" and our contributor might have "supposed" that the editor of even a little country paper would know what a diphthong is,—and al-so how to spell it!

JOTTINGS.

On Thursday, May 17th, Mr. Frank P. Hill entered into a partnership (particulars under head of "marriages," in another column,) which we hope will prove eminently satisfactory to both the contracting parties; we have strong faith that neither will ever have cause to consider the step taken a false one. Mr. Hill is one of the craft, having for some years been employed in Mr. Charles W. Gardner's job printing office; but his first lessons in the art were taken in the CHRONICLE office, and no employe of all the long list of those who "stuck their first type" in this office under our direction ever started in better, or *were* better, than he. Throughout the years of our association we ever found him entirely trustworthy; and we do not doubt that the blooming young bride he has selected to look after him in the future, will find him always the same. The youthful pair have the heartiest good wishes of many friends (including "we") for their prosperity and unalloyed happiness. P.

The ten-mile race between Col. Hilton's horse "Julius Cæsar" and Woodbury Locke's "Kenoza Boy," for stakes of $500, comes off on the Dover track to-morrow, commencing at three o'clock P. M. A special train will be run over the Dover Railroad, leaving this city at 1:15, and Dover immediately after the race; fare 40 cts. for the round trip.

George E. Bartlett of Eliot has brought a suit against the town of Kittery for ten thousand dollars, for alleged injuries received two years ago by being thrown from his carriage near Portsmouth Bridge, his horse taking fright at some iron boilers lying by the side of the road.

The band organ man was around the streets on Thursday, to the delight of the small boys. Some of the older people, too, were pleased, for the organ was a good one.

The management of the Eastern Railroad has adopted a new standard of color and style in painting passenger cars. Henceforth the body of cars will be a rich straw color with red corner posts and number panels, dark platform trimmings and dark trucks, gold letters with blue shading; and uniformity in striping of panels will make the cars more neat and durable than before.

The old "American House" on Vaughan street, which has been thoroughly overhauled and put in splendid condition since it was last occupied, has been leased by Mr. James W. Goodwin, late of South Berwick, and will be opened immediately as the "Commercial." The furnishings will be entirely new throughout, to correspond with the great improvements in the building.

The advertisement of Callender's Georgia Minstrels (composed of twenty genuine negroes—no burnt cork) will be found in another column. The Boston *Traveller* says of them: "No question is made of the assertion, that this troupe surpasses all other organizations of the kind. The performances are the most artistic, refined, and thoroughly enjoyable of any ever given here, and absolutely the best we ever saw." There is no approach to vulgarity in their entertainment, though there is plenty of fun.

The wind made a sudden shift to the eastward, Thursday forenoon, greatly increasing the comfort and catarrh of the people. The thermometer at about two o'clock indicated sixty-three degrees above zero in the shade; at the same place and hour Wednesday it stood at eighty-two degrees above.

Oliver Wendell Holmes, M. D., Professor of Anatomy, Harvard University, says: "My three months' experience of the Health Lift has been entirely satisfactory. It furnishes a concentrated form of exercise which I have found salutary, agreeable and exhilarating. It calls the blood into the muscles and leaves them ready for further action, so that I have found myself more disposed to take a long walk after four or five lifts than before. I may add that the particular apparatus used at your rooms, 'The Reactionary Lifter,' is a most ingenious, convenient, and serviceable arrangement, by which the lifter's own weight is made to do service, and by an easy and simple adjustment of leverage, to furnish a resistance to be overcome, all the way from 20 to 1000 pounds and more." The Health Lift may be seen and tried at Badger's building, Daniel street.

The liquor law of Maine undertakes to punish the Attorney General and County Attorneys for failure to perform certain duties. In Nebraska, however, they go further, and provide that the justice who tries the case "shall render judgment for the whole amounts of fine and costs, and be committed to the common jail until the sum is paid!" This arrangement would suit the victims of the law in this State without doubt excellently well.

Political.

The country has been in a very useless sweat, it appears, over a reported interview between the President and Mr. Cowles of the Cleveland *Leader*. That journal publishes this statement: "It is true that Mr. Cowles had a very pleasant interview with the President, but it is not true that he told him that there was no hope of carrying Ohio on account of his Southern policy; and the statement in regard to Messrs. Evarts and Schurz, and the President not rewarding his friends, is false in every particular." So another bubble vanishes into thin air.

As the result of the investigation into the Cincinnati election frauds, Judge Cox, (republican) takes the seat on the bench of the Superior Court of Hamilton county in the place of Harmon, (democrat,) elected by the vote of repeaters.

What Will They Do?

It is not carpet-baggers who are now dispensing justice in Mississipi. There is undiluted home rule in De Kalb, and just what sort of rule this may be the country will be better able to judge when it sees what the native authorities purpose to do about the recent popular pastimes in that village.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The Mississippi authorities will do just as much to apprehend the Kemper county murderers as Gov. Nicholls did to bring to justice the assassins of Weber, the leading white republican of West Feliciana, who was murdered sixty days ago under circumstances which left no doubt as to the identity of the assassins. The punishment of a Southern democrat for killing a republican is a thing unheard of, and only such soft greenhorns as conduct the *Tribune* fancy such a thing will ever be done by the men who hold the offices in the South to-day by the triumph of the bullet over the ballot. —*N. O. Republican.*

—Spring showers—Clerks showing new goods.

MARRIED.

HILL—HUNT. In this city, May 17, by Rev. Eugene S. Grant, Mr. Frank P. Hill and Miss Lizzie C. Hunt, both of this city.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, May 16.

Sch Hattie Lewis, Coleman, Boston.

SAILED, May 16.

Sch A J Williams, Murch, Boston.

ARRIVED, May 17.

Sch Active, Seawards, New York.
Sch Emma Green, Philbrick, South Amboy.

SAILED, May 16.

Sch E I. Hammond, Card, Boston.
Sch Tantamount, Gilkey, New York.
Sch Laconia, Crockett, Rockland.
Sch Sinaloa, Robinson, Machias.
Sch Modena, Nickerson, Boston.
Sch Mary Willey, Williams, Bangor.

Steamer Crescent City, Shackford, cld from New York for Aspinwall May 15.

Sch Mayor Jones, Spalding, for this port cld from New York May 15.

Sch Olive Elizabeth, Lindsley, for this port from Port Johnson, passed through Hell Gate May 15.

Sch Hattie E King, Crowley, for this port cld from Baltimore May 15.

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WALTER C. HARRIMAN,
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PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. STARR, Keeper, at No. 3 Mt. Vernon St.

Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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JOS. HILLER FOSTER,
MOSES H. GOODRICH,
JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor, *Ex. Of.*

The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

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Daily Chronicle.

—The New Haven Aldermen are considering an ordinance which provides that hotels shall provide in each sleeping room above the second story a knotted rope, attached to a metal fastening, long enough to reach the ground, and capable of sustaining a weight of 300 pounds.

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United States Ten-Forties coupon	112½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	111½
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1575	131½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	55½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	91½
Boston & Providence	118½
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	3
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	21
Fitchburg	103½
Manchester & Lawrence	125
Michigan Central	41½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	32
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	53½

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Butter, per lb 20 @ 25c.
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Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 15c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ½ bbl qtl. Cod 6 @ 6c; Pollock 2½
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 22
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.60.
Molasses per gal., B. Cuba 43 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 @ 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 30
Pork per bll., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00.
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugarper lb, Br. 11 @12c; Gr. 12; Crushed 12½c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 40c. @ $75;
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

PROPOSALS FOR RATIONS.

HEADQUARTERS MARINE CORPS,
QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON,
1 May, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of Tuesday, the 5th day of June next, for furnishing RATIONS to the U. S. Marines at one or more of the following stations, from 1 July, 1877, to 30 June, 1878:

PORTSMOUTH, New Hampshire.
CHARLESTOWN, Massachusetts.
BROOKLYN, New York.
WASHINGTON CITY, District of Columbia.
GOSPORT, near Norfolk, Virginia.
ANNAPOLIS, Maryland.
MARE ISLAND, California.

Each ration to consist of twelve ounces of Pork or Bacon, or one pound and four ounces of salt or Fresh Beef; eighteen ounces of soft Bread or Flour, or twelve ounces of Hard Bread; or one pound and four ounces of Cornmeal; and to every one hundred rations Fifteen pounds of Beans or Peas, or ten pounds of Rice or Hominy, ten pounds of Green Coffee or eight pounds Roasted (or roasted and ground) Coffee, or one pound and eight ounces of Tea; fifteen pounds of Sugar; four quarts of Vinegar; one pound and four ounces of Adamantine or Star Candles; four pounds of Soap; three pounds and twelve ounces of Salt and four ounces of Pepper.

The rations are to be delivered upon the order of the commanding officer of each station, the Fresh Beef, either in bulk or by the single ration, of good quality, with an equal proportion of Ribs and fore quarters, necks and kidney tallow to be excluded; the Pork, No. 1 Prime Mess Pork; the Flour known as extra superfine in the market of the place where the station is located; the Coffee, good Rio; the Sugar, good New Orleans or its equivalent; and the Beans, Vinegar, Candles, Soap, Salt, etc., to be of good quality.

All subject to inspection.

A guarantee, signed by two persons, whose responsibility must be certified by a United States District Judge, District Attorney, or Collector, must accompany each proposal.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by such guarantee. Blank forms of proposal can be obtained upon application at any of the marine stations.

Newspapers authorized to publish the above will send the paper containing the first insertion to this office for examination.

Proposals to be indorsed, "Proposals for Rations," and addressed to the undersigned.

WILLIAM B. SLACK,
Major and Quartermaster, U. S. Marine Corps.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL.

HEADQUARTERS MARINE CORPS,
QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON,
3 May, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of Thursday, the 7th day of June next, for supplying WOOD and COAL to the U. S. Marines at one or more of the following places, during fiscal year ending 30 June, 1878.

The Wood to be merchantable Oak, and to be delivered, piled, measured and inspected, at such points within the limits of the Marine Barracks, as may be designated by the commanding Marine Officer, free of expense to the United States.

The Coal to be good White Ash Anthracite Egg Coal, free from dust, and to weigh 2240 pounds to the ton, to be inspected by the commanding Marine Officer, and delivered at such points within the limits of the Marine Barracks as may be designated by him, free of expense to the United States; and both Wood and Coal to be furnished upon the monthly or quarterly requisition of the Commanding Officer, showing the quantities required in accordance with regulations, viz:

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110 tons of Coal.
75 cords of Wood.
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110 tons of Coal.
75 cords of Wood.
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180 tons of Coal.
50 cords of Wood.
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15 tons of Coal.
25 cords of Wood.
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(Including Guard at Naval Magazine.)
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250 cords of Wood.
ANNAPOLIS, MD.
40 cords of Wood.
GOSPORT, VA.
50 tons of Coal.
40 cords of Wood.
MARE ISLAND, CAL.
80 tons of Coal.
200 tons of Coal.

(With the privilege of increasing the quantity one-third.)

The Wood and Coal furnished at Washington city to be measured, weighed and certified by the Government Inspector appointed by the Navy Department, and the expense attending such inspection, &c., paid by the contractor.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained upon application at any of the marine posts.

Payments will be made upon receipt of accounts duly authenticated by the commanding officers of the posts at which wood or coal has been delivered. The right is reserved to reject all bids considered unreasonable.

A guaranty, to be signed by two responsible persons, who as responsibility must be certified to by the United States District Attorney or United States Collector, must accompany each proposal, otherwise it will not be considered.

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Major and Quartermaster, U. S. Marine Corps.
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FOR PORTLAND AND STATIONS EAST 10:00, A. M. 2:30, 10:14 P. M.
FOR BANGOR, 10:00, A. M., 10:14, P. M.
FOR ST. JOHN, MONTREAL, AND QUEBEC, 10:14 P. M.
FOR GREAT FALLS AND WOLFEBORO' 10:00 A. M. 5:41 P. M.
FOR NORTH CONWAY 10:00 A. M.
FOR NEWINGTON, WAY STATIONS AND DOVER 10:07 A. M., 2:55, 7:00 P. M.
Trains leave FOR PORTSMOUTH—
FROM BOSTON at 7:30, A. M.; 12:30, 3:15, 4:45, 8 P. M.
FROM PORTLAND, 8:15 A. M. (except Mondays), 9, A. M.; 3:00 P. M.
FROM NORTH CONWAY 7:30, A. M.; 1:05 P. M.
FROM WOLFEBORO 8:40, A. M., 2:40 P. M.
FROM GREAT FALLS 7:24, 10:14, A. M., 4:20, P. M.
FROM DOVER 6:45, 10:00, A. M., 4:35, P. M.
FROM NEWINGTON 7:01, 10:56, A. M., 4:51, P. M.
TRAINS FROM BOSTON arrive at Portsmouth at 10:02, A. M.; 2:50, 5:38, 6:38, 10:10 P. M.
TRAINS FROM PORTSMOUTH arrive in Boston at 6:15, 9:30, 10:43 A. M., 1:40, 7:30 P. M.
October 9. A. P. ROCKWELL, Pres't.

Concord & Portsmouth Railroad.

PASSENGER trains leave Portsmouth for Newburyport, Market Junction, Manchester, Concord, and Upper Railroads, at 7:55 A. M., and 4:55 P. M.
Arrive at Manchester at 9:40 A. M., 7:10 P. M.
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Leave Concord at 7:30 A. M., and 3:40 P. M.
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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied when they deem it expedient in the premulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal of meat, heads, hides or fish; or any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley, or the city. Nor shall any person be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier, the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply, or to proceed with due diligence, such Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, any permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other wholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same, and no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown on his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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The Last Siege of Gibraltar.

The most memorable, in some respects, of all the fourteen sieges to which Gibraltar has been subjected was the last, called the "great siege," one of the mighty struggles of history, which began in the year 1779. The famous General Elliott was commander of the fortress. Spain, in alliance with France and Morocco, endeavored to surprise Gibraltar; but a Swedish ship gave Elliott the alarm. The garrison comprised but five companies of artillery, and the whole force was less than five thousand five hundred men. The enemy's force was fourteen thousand. The siege began by the blockading the port, and a camp was formed at San Roque with the design of starving out the garrison. When the English Governor resolved to open fire upon his besiegers, a lady in the garrison fired the first shot. Never did a siege war rage more furiously than did this for nearly three years. The garrison was often reduced to sore straits for food; "a goose was worth a guinea," and Elliott tried upon himself the experiment of living upon four ounces of rice a day for a week. Exciting stories are told of the privateers that ran in, amidst terrible dangers, with provisions, and of the storms which threw welcome wood and cork within reach of the besieged. The rock at one time would surely have been taken had it not been for Admiral Rodney, who, sailing off the strait, captured a small fleet of Spanish war ships and merchantmen, and clearing the strait of besiegers, brought his prizes into port. But all danger was not yet averted; Gibraltar was again blockaded; scurvy broke out in the garrison, and Morocco refused her harbors to English ships. The enemy crept closer and closer to the fortress, but relief coming every now and then enabled the English still to hold out. The bombardments were fearful to endure. "The city was almost destroyed; scarcely a house habitable, and those left standing pierced by shot and shell." At one time the desperate garrison fell to plundering the town; Elliott shot the leaders in this outrage. The long agony, full of terrific combats and frightful privations, ended by the final abandonment of the siege early in 1783. If in that year the English had to make up their minds that they may must let go their American colonies, they had at least the consolation that Gibraltar was still theirs.—*Harper's Magazine for June.*

An Old Yarn Spun Over.

The following thrilling item of "news" has been going the rounds of the press for a month:

"A few months ago a Russian peasant and his wife and four children, while travelling in a sleigh along the banks of the Pruth, were pursued by a pack of wolves. The peasant urged on the horses, but soon saw that the wolves were fast gaining upon him. At the moment when the sleigh was surrounded by the ravenous beasts the man seized one of the children, threw it in the midst of them, and while the wolves were struggling over their prey he hastened on his horses and gained ground. Four times the wolves came up with the fugitives, and four times the horrible sacrifice was completed. At last the peasant and his wife arrived at the nearest village, leaving behind them the bones of their four children. In the bitterness of her despair the mother informed against her husband, but the judges, considering that if the peasant had not resigned himself to the horrible sacrifice he would not only have lost his children, but also his wife, acquitted the prisoner."

We remember reading the same yarn over hundreds of times when we went to school, thirty years ago, as it was in the class reading book then used in the schools of this city. The story was entitled "The Uncalled Avenger," and related how a *woman* in Russia, pursued by wolves, threw her four children to them one after another, and thus escaped; but when she turned the steaming horses into the yard of an inn, and related the horrible incidents of the journey, a man stepped up to the sledge and with the remark, "Woman, you are unfit to live," brained her with an axe. This man we suppose was "The Uncalled Avenger;" and he was pardoned by the then Empress of Russia. The old reading-book yarn makes a very good story once more.

A Few Hints to Book Lenders.

A correspondent of the Boston *Transcript* writes:

"I have a considerable library, quite miscellaneous in make up, and I have for years lent books under certain restrictions. In the first place, I seldom lend a volume out of a set, or if for good cause I make an exception, I stipulate the time for its return, as I am a firm believer in what is worth borrowing is worth returning. In the third place, when I need to use a book loaned, or when I think it has been out long enough to be read, I send for it, whether the borrower be friend, neighbor or acquaintance. In the fourth place, I always intend to cover my paper a book I lend, though I believe a careful borrower should do this if the book is taken uncovered. As to fine bindings, I am more chary about loaning, my decision depending upon the borrower and my opinion of him or her. I seldom have lost a book by lending. If the borrower dislikes being reminded of his delinquency in keeping the book an unnecessarily long time, or

of my (the owner) needing the same, perhaps he will not soon again borrow, which decision on his part suits me exactly, if my experience with him shows his principles."

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, MAY 19, 1877.

News and Notes.

Thomas Burton, clerk and porter for H. B. Claflin & Co., of New York, has been arrested for robberies committed during the past six months, which aggregate fully $52,000. It appears he carried off quantities of goods, almost daily, and sold them to a dealer in dry goods and notions. He was caught in the act with 85,000 needles and 35 packages of thread. By the aid of his confessions bonds are discovered covering $9000. Daniel March was also arrested in the act of carrying off goods from the same firm.

The Massachusetts Legislature adjourned Thursday evening, after a session of 135 days.

Gen. Wells of Utah says that no orders have been issued for a muster of the Nauvoo Legion.

A hurricane passed over Fulton, Miss., Wednesday evening, demolishing ten dwellings and a portion of the railroad depot. One man was killed and several injured.

The crew of the brig C. C. Sweeney mutinied at sea a few days ago, and the mate was shot dead. The brig returned to Havre, France, Wednesday, and the murderers were arrested.

The New York *Herald* gives the following description of the "Grand Carnival Ball" in that city: "Eleven o'clock, a dreary waste of floor; twelve o'clock, the 'King' and a dozen courtiers, looking blank, bedraggled and disappointed; one o'clock, a fair gathering of ladies and gentlemen who wisely kept their seats on the tiers, or, promenading unmasked, showed their respectability; two o'clock, twenty or thirty couples on the floor, pirouetting with a strange suggestiveness of the fancy touches of a public dance-house or something worse; three o'clock, a strong accession from the brothels, a retirement of decent people, a public man making a speech in which he threatened to plunge into the fountain if he was interrupted, fun fast and furious, and the can-can as wild and desperate in its lascivious surroundings as if its votaries had been born in filth and fertilized in corruption."

The monument on Dorchester Heights, to commemorate the evacuation of Boston by the British troops, was formally dedicated on Thursday.

The Boston base ball club beat the Cincinnatis, 5 to 0, on Thursday; the St. Louis club beat the Chicagos, 3 to 2, and the Hartfords the Indianopolis club, 2 to 1, on the same day.

The *Iron Age* says that the Russians have been constructing a torpedo-boat, which, at a distance of six feet below the surface of the water, is calculated to discharge from a submarine cannon a rifled torpedo shell twelve feet long and one foot in diameter with such force against the object to which it is directed that it will go one mile in a straight line under water.

Of all the dog laws yet invented, that of Hartford is the most stringent and at the same time the most absurd. By its provisions all Hartford dogs are required, from the 27th day of April until the 27th of September, to be either confined on the premises of their owners, or else kept continually and securely muzzled. And any citizen has the privilege of killing any dog found at large without a muzzle. When will people make a distinction between the curs of the gutter and the well bred dogs that are but little less valuable and no more liable to hydrophobia than their horses. If anything would make a dog mad it would be keeping him chained for six months, or compelling him to wear a muzzle.—*Forest and Stream.*

Mr. Charles Birking, of Newark, N. Y., must have a passion for conversation. When the burglars entered his sleeping room one night they saw him sitting up in bed, whereupon they bolted. Mr. Birking then remarked: "Stop a moment; I want to speak with you;" but they uncivilly refused to comply with the polite request. Mr. Birking was so indignant that he fired several shots at the fugitives, that they might be prevailed upon to stop, but so anxious were they to avoid conversation with him that they left behind them a considerable portion of their plunder.

New Hampshire Items.

The session of the Supreme Court at Dover closed Wednesday evening, having been in session since the second Tuesday in February, excepting a short recess in March. This is probably the longest session of the court ever held in Strafford County.

Sunapee Lake is being restocked with land-locked salmon.

Mrs. George W. Milliken of Charlestown committed suicide by hanging Thursday.

The Legislature is to be asked to grant a charter for a railroad from Farmington to Rochester.

There are already fourteen candidates for the Speakership of the New Hampshire Legislature.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Concord Railroad will be holden in Concord Tuesday, May 29th.

One hundred deaths are reported in the town of Sandwich in the last year, being a mortality of one to every eighteen inhabitants, while in one school district there are living forty-four widows.

A party of gentlemen from Manchester, consisting of Gov. Cheney, Mayor Cross, Messrs. Stone of the print works, Williams of the soapstone works, Portmaster Stevens and representatives of the press were in Peterboro Thursday in the interest of the Manchester and Ashburnham Railroad, with the view of ascertaining the feasibility of connecting the North Weare road with the Monadnock road at that place.

Freedom Centennial Stackpole is a small boy of Salmon Falls. It is rare to find in one name so much of human attainment, national history and agricultural progress.

The Mississippi Tragedy.

Miss Cornelia Chisolm, the heroic daughter of Judge Chisolm of Kemper county, Mississippi, died a few days since from gangrene of the arm, resulting from one of the wounds she received while trying to protect her father from the organized band of assassins. We give a few extracts bearing on this brutal affair in Mississippi, from papers which have always been notably lenient toward local troubles in the South:

"The death of Cornelia Chisolm so deeply intensifies the public horror at the bloody affair in Mississippi that the Kemper County tragedy threatens to become a political catastrophe. It is in vain that democratic newspapers exhaust their ingenuity to show that the passions of party had nothing to do with the massacre, and overhaul old records to prove that the victims were men of doubtful character and turbulent manners. The spectre of this heroic young girl, with her "sweet intelligent face, brown hair, and large resolute blue eyes," shot to death while trying to save her father from the murderous mob, shielding him with her shattered hand, struck in the face and pierced with bullets, dying at last a martyr of filial devotion, puts argument to flight and defies cool judgment. It may be true that the feud which has reached this shocking termination was not entirely a political quarrel. Yet the Northern people will be sure to decide that Chisolm, his son and daughter, McLelland and Gilmer, were all massacred because they were republicans; and the Northern people will not be far from right. No one can read the story of the deliberate gathering of two hundred armed men, "sober, cool, and determined," on that black Sunday morning in De Kalb, or can recall the incidents of the long quarrel which preceded the murder, without feeling convinced that political animosity had more to do with the affair than the people of the district are willing to acknowledge. The most serious feature of the case is the tolerance, not to say the approval, with which the people of the county appear to regard the outrage."—*N. Y. Tribune,* (Ind.)

"Judge Chisolm and his daughter are both dead. It gives a much deeper sense of the intensity of hatred and the utter barbarism of the community to know that the mangled and hopelessly wounded father was compelled to die behind barricaded windows to prevent his end from being hastened by shots from assassins impatient at his lingering hold upon life, and that the heroic young girl, who risked her life to save her father's, was suffered to perish in agony from a slight wound because no surgeon was willing or dared to go to the house to dress it, than the story of the first hot tragedy. A community is liable to be hurried into cruelty and violence by passion, but such cold-blooded malignity and vindictiveness as this could only exist among barbarism. If the story had been told of Roumania, it would have afforded another text for an outcry against the unspeakable Turk, and if it had been done by the Sioux we should have rejoiced at the scalps which avenged it. Yet it was done in one of the States of the Union, and was not the act of a single abnormal criminal, but of an entire community, in good repute with itself and called civilized."—*Providence Journal,* (Repub.)

"Isn't it about time the country heard from Gov. Stone of Mississippi? What does he propose to do about the arrest and punishment of the bloody scoundrels who participated in the DeKalb massacre? These things have not been done in the dark, and and he may rest assured they will be remembered to the discredit of the entire State and his own reputation as an Executive."—*Cincinnati Commercial* (Ind.)

Why Printers Die Young.

A writer fully accounts for the reason why printers die young and why they are continually tramping from place to place in search of peace and quietude. He says that working for forty editors and scores of authors, every one of which is as sensitive as a sore thumb and as lively and interesting as a hornet, no wonder the printers die young, and only pachydermatous, grizzly, mulish specimens get their share of life. The writer wishes he could offer himself as an awful example of the perils which environ the man who meddles with cold—type. A thoroughly-trained printer should have a step-mother, and then a step-father, and then have been bound out to a tanner, and then have married a scolding wife and lived in a smoky house, and have had a family of babies who are afflicted with the colic. He should have added to all this discipline a thorough knowledge of science and law, languages, theology, history and biography. If, in addition, he has a vicious-looking countenance and an amiable disposition, he may stand some chance with these authors and editors; but the probabilities are, after all, that they will worry him to death. This picture will have a very depressing effect upon ambitious boys who are anxious to learn the "art preservative of arts." The picture, however, is a tolerably correct one. —*Elmira Advertiser.*

A Rabid Cow.

Mr. James Bolter lost a valuable Alderney cow yesterday from hydrophobia. The animal was taken sick on Friday last, the hired man reporting that she would not eat. Sunday she showed symptoms of hydrophobia, and was kept locked up in the barn. Mr. George Tuttle, a stock raiser and cow doctor, who lives on the Blue Hills road, was sent for, and pronounced it a case of hydrophobia without a doubt. He has had sheep bitten by rabid dogs, and he pronounces the symptoms exhibited by Mr. Bolter's cow as identical. The cow was killed yesterday morning. She was a valuable animal, worth $200. It is supposed that the cow was bitten by a rabid dog while in the pasture.—*Hartford Courant, May 15th.*

—A girl who can put a square patch on a pair of pantaloons may not be so accomplished as one who can work a green worsted dog on a yellow ground, but she is of more real value in the community.

State of New Hampshire,

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

By the Hon. Judge of Probate for said County.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of MARY D. HUTCHINGS, late of Portsmouth, in said county, deceased, represented insolvent, and to all concerned, Greeting:

You are hereby notified that the Report of the Commissioner of insolvency on said estate will be offered for acceptance at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in said county, on the second Tuesday of July next, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where you may appear and show cause, if any you have, against the acceptance of said report.

And it is ordered that Josiah S. Haley, the Administrator of said estate, give notice by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said county, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said court.

Dated May 18th, A. D. 1877.

By order of the Judge.

WOODBURY M. DURGIN, Register of Probate.

Commended by Wm. Lloyd Garrison, Clara Louise Kellogg, P. T. Barnum and others.

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In reference to a notice in the *Times* of the 16th inst., to the effect that my advertisement that I will furnish Hacks for Funerals at $3 each "is entirely unauthorized" by the hack proprietors of the city, I would say with all good feeling that I have not considered it necessary to be "authorized" by anybody to conduct my private business in my own way. My advertisement stated that *I*, and not *they*, would furnish hacks at $3 each. JOSIAH F. ADAMS.

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Brewster's Box,
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Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

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Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I know it, for I have tried them, and they are all yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them, and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '7

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get relief for a time. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for eight or six months, sometimes able to be walking and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered. I was advised to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was starting to get ready to go to Florida when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Matthews my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrill, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON.

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

MTHOS. W. LANE:—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills. MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

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Portland	9.45 "	4.45,	6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "		6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35†	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
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*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) cast or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

[Communicated.]

CLEAR THE TRACK.

Messrs. Editors: Please allow me space in your columns to utter a brief complaint, and give a hint (which may be of value) to the city authorities. My complaint is that in front of certain of the dry-goods stores on Market street the sidewalk is not only pretty thoroughly blockaded by large packing-cases all through the day and *every* day, but that the boxes are allowed to remain there all night, to the serious inconvenience and not trifling danger of pedestrians. These boxes are probably put there as advertisements, the same as cloths are hung out on awning posts and railings. and though it is a nuisance to have the public thoroughfares thus illegally (as I believe) obstructed yet no serious evils are likely to arise, as people can see to thread their way through in the daytime; but it is different at night, as I was recently made aware by falling over one of the boxes as I was hurriedly passing along at a late hour. I was not injured—only annoyed—by the occurrence; but had I been seriously hurt I have no doubt a suit against the city for actual and exemplary damages would have been successful. I would suggest to the Mayor and City Marshal, that if there is a municipal ordinance against obstructing the sidewalks it would be well to enforce it, at least so far as to have the walks cleared at night, lest at some time the tax-payers have a heavy bill of damages to pay; and if there is no such ordinance, I would suggest to the City Councils the propriety of immediately passing one declaring the sidewalks the property of the *public* and not of individuals. C. T. T.

U. S. CIRCUIT COURT:

Friday, May 18th.

The trial of Thomas Howe for perjury was continued, the first witness in the morning being Abram Jackson of Manchester, the gentleman who acted as moderator of the famous ward five in the city of Manchester at the March election in 1875, when the repeating was carried on openly and unrestrained. Jackson is a tall, cadaverous specimen, adorned with white hair and a bald pate, and graced with manners very "suave." He has testified before in cases arising out of that March election, and tells his story with a degree of confidence that is seldom equalled on the witness stand. The graceful wave of his hand, his profound bow, his knowing smile, are all studies, which can only be appreciated when seen in harmonious combination in the Court room.

Mr. Hatch, one of the counsel for the defendant, next testified as to occurrences transpiring at a former trial in which he was counsel, when the same matter was in issue though another man was defendant.

Hon. Lewis W. Clark began his argument for the prisoner at ten o'clock A. M., and occupied an hour. Mr. Clark seemed—judging from his tone of voice—to apprehend that some of the jury might be deaf; and as compared with the quiet, convincing manner of Dist. Atty J. G. Hall, who followed him, his plea was like the raging ocean, followed by the calm sea of logical argument for which the Attorney of the United States is justly celebrated.

The case was given to the jury at half-past two o'clock, and after considerable deliberation they were unable to agree upon a verdict and were discharged from the further consideration of the case.

Wm. Haskell, of Warner, was tried for being a retail dealer in liquor without payment of a special tax required by the revenue law. The evidence showed but two sales, and those under circumstances that did not convince the jury that he was a dealer; and they returned a verdict of acquittal. A. R. Hatch and W. C. Harriman, for the respondent.

The Court takes a recess until some time in July, when cases will be heard upon motions for new trials, etc. The petit jurors were discharged.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, May 18th.

Martin Johnson and his wife Margaret were arraigned on a charge of keeping a disorderly house on Brewster street. The man acknowledged the offence, but the woman pleaded not guilty; both were bound over ($100 each) to appear at the October term of the Supreme Court.

JOTTINGS.

The Band of Hope will meet this (Saturday) afternoon at three o'clock at Mechanics' Hall, when the question of the May Festival will be considered.

The steam yacht "Mollie" touched here on Friday morning with a party of gentlemen from Dover, who were on a piscatory excursion to the Isles of Shoals for the day. The "Mollie" is just the boat for down-river parties; she is strongly built, and somewhat similar in style to the steam launches used by our naval vessels; is about thirty-five feet long, with a beam of nine feet. She is owned by Mr. Eugene Smart; and Mr. Warren, who knows all the crooks and turns of the river, is skipper. We presume this fine little boat will be a favorite with fishing and other excursion parties from Dover and the other up-river places, this summer.

There was no meeting of the City Councils on Thursday evening. The Common Council at its last meeting, on the 10th inst., adjourned for two weeks; and there was no quorum in the Board of Aldermen until after eight o'clock, when it was considered too late to tackle the appropriation bill.

There will be a Temperance meeting at Mechanics' Hall to-morrow (Sunday) evening, at half-past seven o'clock, commencing with Praise Service, followed by speaking by members of the Reform Club. A collection will be taken to defray expenses.

Harry Bloodgood's Combination will give an entertainment in Franklin Opera Hall on Thursday evening, May 24th.

The apprehension expressed by many people last year that the improvement and alteration of grade of Richards avenue would be fatal to many of the fine trees there, seems not to have been well founded, for with one or two exceptions they have leaved out as well as ever and appear to be thriving finely.

The following additional particulars of the loss of schooner Marietta Tilton are given. The collision with the steamer Harrisburg occurred close to the light-ship on Cross Rip, Vineyard Sound, at about nine o'clock on the evening of Wednesday, May 16th, the schooner going down in about two minutes, two hundred yards from the light-ship, in seven fathoms of water. The crew of the schooner made an effort to cut the boat clear from the stern, but before the gripes were cleared—there being but one knife among the party—the vessel went down, carrying the boat, in which were the entire crew and the captain's wife. The steamer's boats were covered with the debris from the falling spars of the schooner, and it was impossible to clear them in time to be of service in saving any lives. Capt. Worth of the Harrisburg hailed the light-ship immediately on the sinking of the schooner, and they sent a boat's crew, which reached them in seven minutes, and assisted in saving one man, for which promptness they deserve great praise. But three of the crew were seen after the vessel went down, one of whom was struck while in the water by the mainmast as it fell clear of the steamer, and was not seen afterward. The Harrisburg was entangled in the wreck for two hours. After clearing from it, anchored and remained until daylight.

Auction sale of cottage on Jackson street, and house, barn and field on North road, by Messrs. Morse & Ilsly, this day. See advertisement.

The Portland *Press* of Friday morning contained the following notice of the dramatic entertainment given in that city by the Portsmouth Eclectic Club: "Last evening Music Hall contained a select and appreciative audience to witness the plays of 'A Happy Pair' and 'Meg's Diversion.' The acting was very fine and the audience testified their appreciation of it by their liberal floral offerings."

Those who live in the vicinity of the corner of Hanover and Fleet streets can fully appreciate the improvements made by Mr. James F. Jenness. The old stage stable which was a disgrace to the city for so many years, made its exit from the scene long ago; and the old rattletrap houses and pieces of houses, piles of ashes, dead cats, tin pots and hoop skirts which for some years occupied its site, have given place to a park, neatly fenced in and planted with fruit trees. The old Goodrich mansion has also been torn down, and some changes are intended there which will beautify the district and increase the present valuation of the real estate in the neighborhood.

Last week two young men of this city took a trip to Gilmanton, and brought back with them two hundred and forty-five trout. Those who know what brook trout are say that they were the handsomest lot ever brought to Portsmouth.

Lieutenant George R. Durand, lately on duty at this navy yard, is ordered to the iron-clad steamer Lehigh at Port Royal.

We have received from the publishers, Messrs. White, Smith & Co., Boston, the June number of the *Folio*, containing beside the selections of music and the usual amount of reading matter, a fine portrait of Rose Eytinge, the tragic actress,—all at the low price of fifteen cents per number.

Since the American House, Boston, has reduced its rates to $3.00 and $3.50 per day, the "Hub" is not behind any other city in affording first class accommodations at reasonable rates.—*N. Y. Mail.*

Miss Jeannette E. Hoyt of Newington has been appointed teacher of the Lafayette school. She is but sixteen years of age and came off victor over three other older and more experienced competitors, her rank being 96 1-4 per cent. There were fourteen applicants for the position, though only four presented themselves for examination.

The suit of George E. Bartlett of Eliot vs. Town of Kittery, for alleged personal injuries by his horse taking fright at a boiler lying by the side of the road, damages being laid at $10,000, has been decided against the plaintiff.

Amos S. Alexander, Esq., formerly of this city, died on the 9th inst., in Chicago, where he was an honored member of the bar. He was widely known in this State, was a native of Bow, and read law at Concord, where he was admitted to the Merrimack county bar. He practised his profession for a few years at Fisherville, then came to this city. He had resided in the West some twenty years, and was a member of the law firm of Merriam & Alexander. The bar and judges of Cook county, Illinois, held a meeting, at which addresses eulogistic of the deceased were made and resolutions passed to the memory of him who had long been a worthy member of the Chicago bar, honest, earnest and able, a lawyer of large experience and ripe judgment, and who was diligent, conscientious and courteous in the discharge of his professional duties. Mr. Alexander was one of the latest democratic editors of the NEW HAMPSHIRE GAZETTE, and one of the most able of the many able men who have occupied that position; he was a keen and fearless writer, and a gentleman.

—"Hit it." "Didn't." "Did, too." "Didn't, neither." "Did." "Didn't." "I won't play any more." "Don't want you to." "Hateful thing." "Don't you want to borrow our morning paper? Mother says you don't come and get it but six days in a week before we've seen it." Thus the familiar trifles of the croquet ground begin to be heard again as they float along the street.

—The world is all a fleeting show, and no matter whether you like it or not you cannot get your money back at the door.

Titans and Men.

"Blessed are the meek," exclaims the voice of inspiration, but can a man be meek with the consciousness that a dreaded monster is consuming his vitals. We are not a race of Titans. A Prometheus might stand chained to the torturing rock with a vulture perpetually gnawing his liver, and his face ever wear an expression of heroic and even meek endurance. But Prometheus has left no descendants. With vultures (disease) consuming his liver, the modern man makes himself and every one around him miserable. Fretful, gloomy, hypochondriacal, he sees the world and life all on the wrong side—the dark side—and whoever dares to assert that there is a sunny side, he regards as an enemy, or at best a mocker of his imaginary woes. Unlike the mythical Titan, the victim of disease is not succorless. There is an arm to rescue—a balm to cleanse and heal. As remedies for this most depressing of all diseases,—"Liver Complaint,"—none are more efficient or popular than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Pleasant Purgative Pellets. The Pellets effectually remove the effete and poisonous matters, while the Medical Discovery imparts strength and health to the entire system. They are sold by druggists.

The Debris of the System

Must either pass through its natural channels of exit, the bowels, the kidneys and the pores, or, in default thereof, poison and disorder the fluids of the system. In order to effect the complete expulsion of this dangerous refuse, the organs through which it passes off must be active and unobstructed. Fortunately there is a certain means of rendering them so when they are not. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters stimulate the action of the excretory organs, and by diffusing a genial warmth through the circulation, encourage moderate perspiration. By this triple effect the exodus of the foecal and other waste matters are encouraged, and the system freed from peril it would otherwise incur. The action of the bowels which follows the use of this beneficent alterative is easy and unaccompanied by griping, and its stimulative effect upon the urinary organs very conducive to their local health.

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The finest teeth will decay, and drop out of the dental line, unless due care is taken to neutralize the impurities with which they are liable to be infested. Sozodont is the only preparation at present known that accomplishes this object with absolute certainty and keeps the enamel spotless.

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—Blood relations—The news of the next few months.

—Wagner travels about so much that they are beginning to call him the "Flying Dutchman."

—Acording to the Lawrence *Eagle*, they are a little personal in the Lawrence City Government. "Does the Council understand the question now?" asked the President. "I did," answered Councilman Sweeney, scratching his head, "till you began to explain, but now I don't know anything about it."

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—A newspaper correspondent in Virginia tells a rather romantic story about the widow of Commodore Vanderbilt. It is, in brief, that Miss Crawford, before her marriage, had a great liking for a cousin of hers in Virginia, a young physician, and their engagement was reported. After her marriage to the Commodore the physician also married. Now she is a widow, and he a widower, and the report is that their intimacy has been renewed, and that their marriage is likely to follow.

—The Emperor William's favorite mare which he rode at the battle of Sadowa died a short time ago, and in connection with the event this story is related. During the battle, the King accompanied by Prince Bismarck, repeatedly placed himself in great danger from the shells whizzing all around. In vain Prince Bismarck urged him, and replied, "Well, Bismarck, now let us ride on." So saying, His Majesty turned and cantered away as slowly as though riding along the Linden. That made me wild, and riding up behind him I gave Miss Sadowa a sly kick that considerably hurried her movements. The King looked round surprised, and I fancy had some slight suspicion of the truth, but he said nothing."

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Maine State 6s, 1889	116
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111¼
Massachusetts State 5s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103¼
Eastern R. R. scrip	20¼
Pacific Oil, Falls & Conway 7s	64¼
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62¼
Boston & Maine	91¼
Boston & Providence	118¼
Boston & Albany	113
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	20
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	109¼
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	41¼
Northern N. H.	65¼
Old Colony & Newport	22
Portsmouth, Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	50¼

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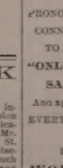

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ers or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal of meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for such refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 17. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substance.

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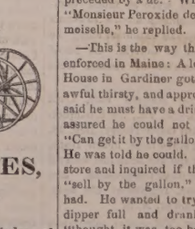

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The Bootblack's Saratoga Trip.

"This begins to remind me of a trip to Saratoga," sighed one of the bootblacks, as he dragged himself into the shade of a post. "Purty hard times to go off down there," realized one of his friends; "it takes cash to travel around and boss hotel clerks." "What! Ain't you going anywhere?" "Well, ma and I went to State Prison last July, and we are talkin' of goin' agin this summer, but I don't think we'll swing around to Saratoga. We've got to have a new ice-box and a clothes-line, and we ain't the kind to put on style and go without the comforts of home. Be you going?" "Jim, kin I trust you?" asked the first in a whisper. "Yass." "I'm going to blow around about Saratoga wherever I can, but when the time comes to go I'll take a walk up to the water works, lay out for a few nights, and come back all wrinkled up, and I'll get all the credit and save all the expense. Keep mum, Jim—style is everything."

How the Artist got his House.

In connection with the recent sale of some pictures by Adrian Van de Velde, the Flemish painter, the *Journal d'Anvers* relates how he became possessed of his country house near Antwerp. The house belonged to the great Lord Clarendon, and Van de Velde, happening to pass by it one day, was so much struck by the beauty of the site and of the gardens that he determined to transfer them to canvass. He took up his quarters in a neighboring village, and after completing the picture went with it to London, where he put it into a public sale with a heavy reserve upon it. Lord Clarendon, who was in London at the time, happened to attend the sale, and, recognizing his own house, bid for the picture. There were several other offers, and Lord Clarendon, after having been outbid several times, said, "I will give the original for this copy." At the word "copy" the painter, who was in the room, apostrophized Lord Clarendon in no measured terms, and asked him what he meant by suggesting that the picture was a copy. Lord Clarendon repeated his offer, adding, "I know that Van de Velde is the painter, and I will give him the original for the copy." There was no mistaking what this meant; the offer was accepted.

—The Brookville *Jeffersonian* relates that the first book agent of the season appeared yesterday and met with an ovation. It struck him just ova the left eye and eggsploded.

—Love may be a relic of paradise, but when a man has been sitting up in the back parlor with the light turned down till half-past twelve his imagination, as his footsteps reverberate through the silent shadowed streets on his homeward way, does not revel so much in thoughts of poetry and buds and flowers, as it does in the prospect that there are a few cold beans left in the house.—*Norwich Bulletin.*

—At a very exclusive ball at the French seaside, a young druggist clerk approached one of the fairest and most aristocratic of the ladies, and humbly solicited the favor of a quadrille. The lady inspected him critically from his tie to his boots, and, taking her card, said: "I never, monsieur, dance with people whose names are not preceded by a *de*. What shall I inscribe?" "Monsieur Peroxide de Manganese, mademoiselle," he replied.

—This is the way the prohibitory law is enforced in Maine: A lodger at the Johnson House in Gardiner got up in the morning awful thirsty, and approaching the landlord, said he must have a drink of cider. He was assured he could not buy it in the city. "Can get it by the gallon, can't I?" he said. He was told he could. So he went up to a store and inquired if they had any cider to "sell by the gallon." He was told they had. He wanted to try it, and drew a pint dipper full and drank it. He said he "thought it was too hard for mince pies," and threw a dime on the counter and left.

—A silly fellow in San Francisco recently got the worst of his own practical joke, as every joker ought. He advertised in the San Francisco newspapers for one thousand able-bodied men, to receive $2.50 per day. Two thousand unemployed workingmen assembled before the Mechanics' Exchange at the appointed time. When they saw that they were heartlessly hoaxed, they marched to the City Hall and asked the Mayor to discover the author of the hoax. The latter was arrested next day, just after he had paid for an advertisement offering a twenty-five dollar reward for information regarding the author of the hoax.

—The Hartford correspondent of the Springfield *Republican* has this story of a Congregational clergyman of that city who exchanged with another: On his way home from the church he found himself behind three ladies engaged in a lively discussion over the music of the service, one condemning the soprano and another the tenor, while the third stoutly defended both. As the discussion grew warm, the third lady sought to pour oil on the troubled waters, and, in the words of the clergyman, "did so to perfection by a single judicious and truthful remark, to which all of them at once assented." "And what was that, pray?" asked his interested auditors as he told the story. "Oh, said he, "she simply said, 'Well, it was a *miserable sermon anyhow.*'"

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, MAY 21, 1877.

The War.

A despatch from Bucharest says, in the Turkish village of Tourtakai there is quite a Christian element, though subordinate in numbers to the Turks. On the night of the 16th inst. the latter made a concerted and general attack upon the Christians. Some frightful atrocities took place; the males were put indiscriminately to the sword; many of the older women shared the same fate, and the younger were brutally outraged. The cries of the victims were distinctly heard by the outposts of the Roumanian army on the opposite side of the river, and the story is further corroborated by the reports of two Bulgarians, who in some way succeeded in avoiding the fate of their companions and managed to effect their escape by crossing the Danube. Their account of the outrage and murder of old and young and the cruel deaths inflicted is horrible.

Eight Turkish soldiers, captured near Ibrail, were armed with American rifles, firing thirty-six cartridges without reloading. In addition to the charges contained in his rifle, each soldier was provided with a hundred and twenty rounds of ammunition.

The New York *Sun's* London special of the 18th says: From all naval rendezvous prodigious accumulations of naval and military stores are en route to the Mediterranean stations. Orders have been sent to India to mobilize the Mussulman contingent. Under these signs the markets have become unsettled, and corn, anticipating cavalry demands, has reached extreme prices. The tone of the majority of the London and provincial press is outspoken for instant intervention upon almost any pretext. War newspapers repeat the street arguments that the Russians disregard the final clauses in the Black Sea treaty of 1854 guaranteeing the inviolability of a narrow slip of territory north and west of the Danube. War measures are welcomed with enthusiasm among the great body of merchants whose business is crippled by the blockade of the Black Sea and the cessation of traffic with that region, which is Liverpool, Glasgow and London more than equals trans-Atlantic operations. Besides this, various ranks of business sustain heavy losses, many suffering bankruptcy by the capture, confiscation or dispersion of their Asiatic branches. In English homes, even among the lower ranks, a feeling of intense hostility against Russia is marked. They charge upon the Czar's covetous ambition the hardships arising from the rise in the price of bread, the stagnation in business, and all the miseries that accompany war without its advantages. England's interests will be the pretext, and the first Russian success of magnitude the occasion for intervention. That this will be the end, the best informed men in Parliament, the press, and in public life concur in declaring. The war party press clamor for instant protection of England's interests.

The reported desperate and bloody conflicts at Kars, Batoum and Poti, in Asia Minor, are now said to have been mere skirmishes, "neither of which can be elevated to the dignity of a battle."

News and Notes.

A Mrs. Donovan, of Cincinnati, having some trouble with her husband on Friday, took her two children, a boy of six months and a girl of two years, to the river, and drowned them and herself.

A private telegram received at London says that the amount of property destroyed at Iqique in Peru was considerable, including stores, quays and about 10,000 tons of nitrate of soda ready for shipment, and the railway connections were so much damaged that it will require a month to repair them. The earthquake extended along the Peruvian coast and to Bolivia. At Fabel Lon-de-Pisca a number of vessels were wrecked.

The British brig Maggie Vail, Capt Fields, from Richmond, Va., for Rio Janeiro, went to sea from Cape Henry Dec. 28, and as she has not since been heard from, it is supposed that she has been lost with all on board, some eight or ten persons. She had a cargo of flour, registered 430 tons, and hailed from Halifax, N. S.

Lloyd's agent at Valparaiso telegraphs that seventeen ships were totally lost and forty damaged on the coast of Peru by the earthquake that destroyed Iquique.

The crippled steamer Sidonian has been spoken within less than a hundred miles of the Irish coast.

New Hampshire Items.

Charles Ryan, for the past three years tax collector of the town of Marlboro, is reported to be "short" in his accounts with the town about $2200; an error in the drawing of his bond, it is said, will render it valueless, and the town will have to bear the loss.

Russell Charles of Chatham, now in his 80th year, recently drove a pair of steers and harrowed two acres of ground twice over and went about a mile home to dinner and back. Mr. Charles is the father of nine sons and two daughters, all of whom are living.

The case of Joseph Buzzell, charged with instigating the murder of Susan J. Hanson will come before the full Bench in Concord in June. The question as to whether Buzzel can be tried twice for the same offence is still engaging the attention of the lawyers, and the decision is awaited with considerable anxiety.

The suspending of the skeleton of Evans, the murderer, by the Dartmouth students, on the college campus, recalls another incident in regard to his remains, which caused considerable excitement. Three years ago this Spring, after the execution at Concord, his body, which he had sold to the Dartmouth Medical College for $50, was placed in the dissecting room. Four students broke in by night, took away the body and placed it in the chapel in the Freshmen's seats, where it was discovered the next morning at prayers, and the Freshmen were excused from attendance that morning. The Faculty and Trustees were very indignant over the matter, and no pains were spared to discover the authors of the deed, but they were never found.

The Dover *Press* is authority for the statement that no less than four persons have become insane since the close of the revival meetings in that city, caused by religious excitement.

The dwelling house and barns of Elon Cutting, in Newport, were partially destroyed by fire early on Saturday morning. Loss $4000; insured $3000. The fire is supposed to have been the work of tramps.

Political.

There is considerable talk about the restoration of the Whig party in North Carolina. If there is anything left of that party above ground it is likely to be found in the old Tar State, which was a Whig State as long as there was a Whig party. But the best word that comes from North Carolina is the revolt against partisan despotism and intolerance which has begun there. Gen. Leach, a democrat, appears to be a leader in the movement, but he is not alone. He declares his approval of the President's course, and predicts that any Southern Congressman who votes against his policy and runs again will be know as the candidate who "ran for office and got no votes." He warns the democratic leaders of the State that if they continue to pursue their present bitter and intolerant course, there is trouble ahead.

A "conciliatory" preacher, one Rev. Walker Lewis, in delivering the oration at Macon, Ga., on the Confederate Memorial Day, thus addressed his hearers: "Stand then to your principles, and give the present hypocritical administration the tribute of your immeasurable loathing. Its head, if not himself a thief, is knowingly a receiver of stolen goods, and neither previous worth nor subsequent conservatism can condone the injustice of his infamous inauguration, or cover the shameless degradation of wearing the stolen honors of another. False to his own party, false to the stupendous villains that gagged States in his behalf, false to the black commission and its perjured judge, all that he does with seeming decency is only the bid of a hypocrite for the treachery of others."

The democratic Chicago *Times* is more forcible than elegant, but at the same time sound, in its criticism of the refusal of ex-Governor Tilden, Governor Robinson and other New York democrats to attend the Chamber of Commerce dinner "lest their attendance should seem an endorsement of the declaration of the election of President Hayes." The *Times* says: "The behavior of those incorrigible relics of the silurian party was ridiculous and contemptible. They simply made conspicuous asses of themselves."

A Precious Rascal.

Miss Ella E. Jones, the sixteen-years-old daughter of Josiah P. Jones of West Epping, who has been missing for some time, was found on Friday at the house of Ira Rollins at Alton Bay, in company with Cyrus W. Peavey, the canting young hypocrite who enticed her from her home. The girl's story (which is believed in Epping) is as follows:

"Peavey called in the evening and asked me to take a short walk with him. I was acquainted with him and thought there was no harm in going. We went slowly as far as the depot. When I wanted to go back home he said if I would walk a little ways down the railroad he would then go home with me. We then started down the track. I soon grew tired and bagged of him to take me home. He then threatened me and said that I must go with him. I was tired and could hardly stand. Then he held a bottle to my nose and in a short time I lost all recollection and knew nothing more till I found myself in Rochester next morning. Afterward, through fear of him, I kept with him, as he visited friends and relations, until my father found me. I tried to write home but he would give me no chance to. He told the people where we visited that he was married to me."

The girl disappeared on Sunday evening, May 6th. She is sickly, and had always borne a good character until she left with Peavey, who while in Epping pretended to be very religious and an apostle of temperance. When Peavey and his victim were found, the girl gladly accompanied her father home; but before papers could be made out for the arrest of Peavey he had fled. Why in the name of common sense somebody did not arrest the scoundrel without papers we cannot see. And a choice lot of worthy citizens the people where the pair have been stopping must be, not to have acquainted the girl's father with her whereabouts; for it is impossible, with the wide publicity given the affair by the press, that they should not have known all the suspicious circumstances of the case.

—"Pull out, Bill!" shrieked an engineer's son to one of his playmates, a brakeman's boy, who was in imminent danger of getting smashed by his mother, who was coming after him; "Git on the main line and give her steam! Here comes the switch engine!" But before the juvenile could get in motion she had him by the ear and he was laid up with a hot box.

—The growing custom of putting the choir at the pulpit end of the church has the very serious drawback that it prevents a man from turning around and looking up at the organ in a critical manner just before the contribution box approaches his pew.

The McGarrahan Claim.

The celebrated McGarrahan case, involving the title to the New Idria Quicksilver Mine, is again before the Interior Department. McGarrahan is asking no special action by the Government at this time. He has brought suit in the California courts upon the manuscript of a patent which he claims to have been issued by the Interior Department. The California court having decided adversely to his claim, he has appealed to the United States Supreme Court, and the case will be tried at the next term. Per contra, the New Idria Mining Company desires to have the Interior Department issue a patent to them, and the question whether they are bound to do so has been submitted to the Attorney-General for his opinion. It is this question which has been recently been argued by Judge Montgomery Blair, counsel for McGarrahan, and ex-Senator Stewart for the New Idria Company. The debate on this occasion was quite heated and personal. This great land suit has now been running on for a number of years and excites the deepest interest in California; it has been before Congress and the Supreme Court several times and has been debated by the ablest legal minds. The claims of the New Idria Company were supported by Hon. Jere S. Black, ex-Speaker M. C. Kerr, Hon. Eugene Casserly and others, while McGarrahan's case has been upheld by Hon. James B. Beck, John A. Bingham, Hon. Montgomery Blair and Hon. George W. McCrary, now Secretary of War, and other distinguished gentlemen.

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You are hereby notified that the Report of the Commissioner of insolvency on said estate will be offered for acceptance at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in said county, on the second Tuesday of July next, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where you may appear and show cause, if any you have, against the acceptance of said report.

And it is ordered that Josiah S. Haley, the Administrator of said estate, give notice by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said county, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said court.

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" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
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Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35† "
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Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

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DEACONS BEWARE.

A correspondent at Kingston (a clergyman) writes us as follows: "Beware of an imposter. He has been operating in eastern Massachusetts, and has lately turned up in this county. He has various aliases, and hails from different places,—but *regularly* wants to 'borrow' only two or three dollars just to help him on his way home, as he has a 'sore thumb' and can't work. He is described in a Boston paper as 'a good sized man, past twenty years old, with light complexion, smooth face,—is a glib talker,' especially interested in the children. In Massachusetts he wanted to go to Maine; and now here, he wishes to get back from Maine to some place west of us. He professes to have been a Sabbath School Superintendent, and hunts out the deacons for his victims."

THE IRON-HORSES' STABLE.

While taking a walk about the town a day or two ago we chanced to wander up along the Eastern Railroad track to the "Round House," so-called, and through the courtesy of our friend Mr. Edward A. Ferguson we were shown the various objects of interest in this neat and extensive department of the E. R. R.. In the semi-circular brick building near the creek that one sees as he rides out of the city by rail toward Boston, there are fifteen locomotive pits. Over these pits at different hours of the day or night are trundled the several engines of the road, each engineer having a regular place for his engine. For instance, pit No. 1 is "Charley" Green's, pit No. 2 is Peter Page's, pit No. 3 "Billy" Calder's (perhaps,) and so on through the fifteen. In each section (embracing three pits) there is a good sink with plenty of soap and crash for "washing up;" an ample locker, with all the necessary appurtenances for oiling, cleaning and supplying the engines with small stores as are in common use in the daily running of these machines. So the engineer can here make his toilet; and the fireman, after cleaning up his engine, can also make himself up here in a style good enough to allow him to meet his girl on his way home without that maidenly blush that was so common when we were boys, and an old, dingy, dirty engine house was the stabling facilities of the E. R. R.

In one portion of this immense "round house" are piles of springs for locomotives, so that if an engine should come in with a broken spring, all that is needed is to find a No. of spring corresponding with the No. of the engine, "jack up" the machine, take out the broken piece and insert the new, and the engine is again as good as ever. Just so with trucks. There is a goodly supply of locomotive trucks, so that if one is sounded (as it always is on arriving here) and found broken or weakening, a new one is substituted.

A large turn-table is situated in the arc of the semi-circle formed by the construction of the building, and every locomotive must needs run upon this and be turned ere it reaches its pit. The ingenious manner in which this table is constructed, together with the nicety of its adjustment enables a twenty or thirty-ton locomotive to be turned with the ease with which a father would turn a perambulator containing his first pair of twin babies. Just across the neatly graded yard is a large coal shed containing 800 tons or more of coal, and three immense water tanks that are kept constantly filled with water, for the purpose of supplying the engines with their sinews of life before they take their respective trains. In another apartment may be found sleeping berths for those firemen and engineers whose trains leave or arrive at various hours of the night. Conveniently near are sinks for washing, together with the modern appliances for bathing, hot and cold water being supplied in the most abundant manner; so that a fireman can have just as good a wash as he could were he a regular boarder at the Rockingham. Separated from these bed-rooms by a brick wall is a large storeroom where all the necessary small stores, such as kerosene, sperm oil, benzine, cotton waste, and so on, are kept in bulk and issued whenever required by an individual selected for the purpose, who notes everything thus disposed of in a small book kept for the purpose, and at the end of each month makes a return of his doings to the Master of the Yard, who, after incorporating it in his more extended monthly account, forwards it to headquarters.

A pleasant room with all the machinery for making the needed repairs on locomotives that may chance to get out of order, and another room where there is one forge in full blast and appurtenances for two more, complete the construction facilities at this station. Everything in and about those buildings is neat and orderly. The business of the yard is conducted quietly and systematically. Each man knows his duty and is expected to attend to it. When he don't, his discharge is as sure as the going down of the sun, and a new man appears in the morning.

The supervising manager, Mr. E. A. Ferguson, has held his present responsible position some four or five years, and thoroughly knowing his duty faithfully attends to it. No better evidence of this statement need be adduced than a general look at the several departments in and around this locomotive yard.

JOTTINGS.

On Thursday evening, as the seven o'clock train from this city for Dover was crossing Dover Point bridge, the dead body of a man was seen floating up the river. It is supposed it was the body of William S. Roberts, drowned near Boiling Rock some days previously.

The Portland *Advertiser* says: "Callender's Georgia Minstrels far excel their darkey imitators in many points. The new melodies find in them the fittest interpretations. They have a wealth of plantation sayings you look in vain for among the more pretentious delineators of negro characters. The little extravaganzas are very rich in their fidelity to negro life, and they are full of natural rollicking fun, in which there is no taint of vulgarity. Their audiences are large and fashionable ones, and are enthusiastic over their performances." They will appear at Franklin Hall to-morrow evening, when Bob Height, Billy Kersands, and other artists will take part.

Sloop yacht Ada, built for Rev. W. H. Hepworth, and latterly owned by Messrs. O. & C. Laighton of the Appledore House, Isles of Shoals, has been purchased by Valentine Doane of this city.

In the paragraph relating to the excitement in Newburyport over the publication of the *Word of Truth* temperance paper, in our South Seabrook correspondent's letter last week, it was stated that "one of the members of the Old South" congregation of Newburyport threatened to horsewhip Mr. Wolfe, the editor and publisher of the paper; it should have been "one of the dramsellers" (and was so written), the grocers connected with the church who sell liquor keeping it only for their customers and none of them keeping a bar.

Schooner D. & J. Lee, lying at anchor near Pier wharf, was attached Saturday and Capt. Smith, her commander, arrested, for damages to schooner Active, off Nantucket Shoals, in 1875. Our shipping reporter says the D. & J. Lee sailed on Saturday, so we presume the matter was settled in some way.

Rev. Mr. Hubbell is preaching a series of sermons at the North church, Sabbath mornings, on "The Fruits of the Spirit." The subject of the last Sunday's discourse was "Joy."

The Exeter *News-Letter* says "Carmi A. Norton of Greenland came very near his end Saturday, May 12, by a horse he purchased the day before, from the Pierce farm. After placing himself in his carriage, the horse started to run, taking off the corner board of his house, thence over a horse power, and then over a wood pile, throwing Mr. Norton to the ground and completely demolishing the carriage. The horse then ran until the swamp brought him up, where he was found. Mr. Norton escaped with a lame ankle, much to every one's surprise."

Harper's Magazine for June is a beautiful number, and for the uniform excellence of its illustrations and the variety and interest of its reading matter, it deserves commendation. The illustrations are seventy-eight in number and represent the work of leading American engravers. For sale at J. H. Foster's book-store and Moses Brothers' newsroom.

The Burroughs estate on Pleasant street has been purchased by Woodbury Langdon, Esq., of New York, for $15,000, we are informed. Mr. Langdon is a great-grandson of Judge Langdon and a great-grandnephew of Gov. Woodbury Langdon; his mother, Mrs. Bassett of New York, is a sister of Mrs. Cutter of this city.

Parts 37 to 40 inclusive, of *Zell's Encyclopedia*, have been received, and fully sustain all we have said in praise of previous numbers. The work will be completed in sixty-four numbers, forming two quarto volumes of 2600 pages, containing 160,000 articles, nearly 3,000 illustrations and 18 maps, and, as we have before remarked, no student or professional man can afford to be without it. It is, in fact, equal to a complete library of works on all subjects. The subscription price is but fifty cents per number. T. E. Zell, Davis & Co., of Philadelphia, are the publishers, and Horace King of Thompsonville, Conn., is the New England agent. Address Mr. King if you wish a specimen number (which will be sent for twenty cents) or would like to secure an agency.

Schooner Clyde, Capt. Jamieson, of Valentine Doane's fishing fleet, on Saturday landed twenty-five thousand pounds of codfish, the product of five days' fishing.

The committee on music for Memorial Day have engaged (besides the Portsmouth Band) the Rochester Cornet Band, an organization that was down here on Memorial Day two or three years ago, and pleased and surprised our citizens by the quality of music they produced. The band had not then been long in existence, and it is probable has not deteriorated any since.

THE TEN-MILE RACE,

Saturday, on the Dover track, between Col. Frank W. Hilton's horse "Julius Cæsar" and Mr. Woodbury Locke's "Kanoza Boy," for $250 a side, was won by the former in 34 minutes and forty seconds—an average of three minutes and twenty-eight seconds to the mile. There were about 150 carriages on the grounds, and some five hundred people witnessed the race. Hilton's horse was driven by Golden, and Locke's by Dustin, both professional drivers. The start was effected at twenty minutes past three o'clock, the horses getting away on the second attempt, (Golden, Hilton's driver, having requested that the word might be given under any circumstances if he was behind at the score,) with "Kanoza Boy" slightly on the lead; but "Julius Cæsar" soon took the pole and kept it throughout the first and second miles, "Kanoza Boy" getting it on the third and keeping it throughout that mile (which was the only one in which he beat,) "Julius Cæsar" retaking it on the fourth mile and keeping it to the end of the race; the last two miles Col. Hilton's horse had an easy time of it, apparently, coming in at the finish on a jog-trot, shaking his head and seeming but little if any distressed. The time was as follows:

Miles	Minutes	Seconds
First	3	14
Second	3	7
Third	3	12
Fourth	3	11
Fifth	3	32
Sixth	3	29
Seventh	3	36
Eighth	3	41
Ninth	3	40
Tenth	4	16
Total	34	49

—To Gen. Sheridan—twins—both girls.

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—The girls' colleges are going to adopt the cap and gown, while young men think of changing their scholastic costume for the cap and bells.

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N. H. State 6s, 1879	111¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	111
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
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Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	91½
Boston & Providence	118½
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	3
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	109½
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	91½
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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf; but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing adverse said to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds, or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy or vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any or said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

DANIEL W. JONES, M. D.,
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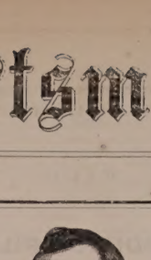
Health Officers.



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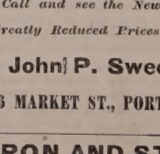

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Military Salute.

A correspondent of the *Army and Navy Gazette* writes: Within the last few years, among the many changes which have been introduced into the army is that of the salute. Why the old time-honored salute was abolished no one knows; but it is an interesting fact, and one probably unknown to most of our readers, that the old salute, which consisted of the hand being brought to a horizontal position over the eyebrows, has a very old origin, dating, in fact, from the very commencement of the history of the English army. Its origin is found in the tournaments of the middle ages, and was as follows: After the queen of beauty was enthroned, the knights who were to take part in the sports of the day marched past the dais on which she sat, and, as they passed, they shielded their eyes from the rays of her beauty. Such was the very interesting origin of the old salute; and it is a question worthy the attention of our military authorities, why should not the old salute, possessing such an origin, and associated with our army from the earliest time, be restored? It is difficult to discover for what purpose it was ever abolished.

Webster and the Highwayman.

Webster was on his way to his duties at Washington. He was compelled to proceed at night by stage from Baltimore. He had no travelling companion and the driver had a sort of felon look which produced no inconsiderable alarm in the Senator. "I endeavored to tranquilize myself," said Webster, "and had partly succeeded, when we reached the dark woods between Bladensburg and Washington—a proper scene for murder, or outrage—and here, I confess, my courage again deserted me. Just then the driver turned to me, and with a gruff voice, enquired my name. I gave it to him. 'Where are you going?' said he. The reply was 'To Washington. I am a Senator.' Upon this the driver seized me fervently by the hand, and exclaimed, 'How glad I am! I have been trembling in my seat for the last hour; for when I looked at you I took you to be a highwayman.'"

The Old Maid of the Period.

She don't shuffle round in "skimpt" raiment and awkward shoes and cotton gloves, nor has she hollow cheeks. The modern old maid is round and jolly, two dimples in her cheeks, and has a laugh as musical as a bobolink's song. She wears nicely fitting dresses, and cunning little ornaments about her plump throat, and becoming little knots and bows; she goes to concerts and parties, and suppers, and lectures, and matinees, and she don't go alone. She carries a dainty parasol and wears killing bonnets, and has live poets and philosophers in her train. In fact, the modern old maid is as good as the modern young maid—she has sense and conversation as well as dimples and curves—and she has a bank book and dividends.—*Scrap Book.*

A Queer Character.

A short time since some of the Boston papers noticed the death of Miss Joanna Farnham, about 80 years of age, and for a long series of years known as the housekeeper at the American House in Boston. She went from Milton, N. H., in her early days, and during her long life at the hotel nobody supposed she had any property, and at her death it was not generally known that she had a surplus dollar anywhere. But she had a trunk at the American House, which was opened and found to contain a variety of dry goods, notes for $5000 against the proprietor of the American House, a bank book of the Blackstone Bank showing depoits of $1700, a small sum of money, and also a piece of paper having a trunk key wrapped up in it, and on the paper was a writing stating that the key belonged to another trunk, which could be found at the house of a relative in Milton. This led to a visit to Milton, and some very curious developments were made. The trunk referred to as being at Milton was found, opened with the key found in the former trunk, and this second trunk was packed full of all sorts of fine wearing apparel, and contained also a key in a piece of paper, upon which was the statement that this key belonged to another trunk at a certain other house. And so this thing was followed up until twenty very large sized trunks and three huge packing chests were found, all crammed full of the most expensive articles of ladies' wearing apparel and house furnishings that the Boston market afforded. When these trunks and boxes were all collected they loaded down a four-ox team, and were drawn to a large hall in Milton, unpacked and inventoried, preparatory to an auction sale for the benefit of the heirs. Among all these valuables were eighty-nine dresses, new and perfect, made of silk velvet, satin, and all kinds of plaid silks, black and colored thibets, poplins, alpacas, brilliantines, cashmeres, etc., etc.; three silk velvet cloaks, nineteen shawls, from common to the richest Paisley and wrought crape; 106 skirts of all colors; 114 pairs of hose; undergarments too numerous to mention, counterpanes, blankets, coverlets, sheets, live geese feathers; sets of elegant China ware; a large lot of table and teaspoons of best coin silver, silver knives and forks; a fine gold watch and chain, and a large lot of fine jewelry, and so forth and so on. It is said that the best dress cost not less than $200. All of these

goods are perfectly new and in the best order, never having been used at all. There is enough of the whole to stock a large store, and all in all it is the strangest legacy ever left by a poor housekeeper who worked for small wages all her life. Yet there is said to be no doubt that she came honestly by all, as it has since been ascertained where and of whom she purchased them at various times as she went along. The original cost of all these goods was not less than $3000, and the owner while she lived went clad all her days in the very cheapest sort of apparel.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, MAY 22, 1877.

The War.

Reports from Constantinople announce that the Sheik ul Islam has proclaimed a holy war, and that the Porte and the Turkish chamber are in opposition. It is also hinted that the present Sultan is likely to be soon put out of the way.

The Turks claim a victory at Ardahan, in Asia Minor, asserting that two Russian attacks were repulsed with great loss. Per contra, the Russian commander notifies his government that "The outworks of Ardahan, its fortifications, citadel of sixty guns, immense stores of provisions and ammunition, and the camp formerly occupied by fourteen battalions of Turks, lie at the feet of the Czar. On May 17th the admirable fire of our artillery, between three and six o'clock in the afternoon, made a breach in the walls. At six o'clock the Erivan, Tiflis and Baku regiments and the sappers advanced to assault. The enemy could not withstand the onslaught and fled, leaving a great number of dead. At nine o'clock our troops traversed the whole town and fortifications, the bands playing the National anthem. The troops are full of enthusiasm. Our loss is believed to be one officer and fifty soldiers killed and four officers and 180 soldiers wounded." Ardahan is an important fortified place, commanding a pass through a chain of mountains.

The Turks have really taken Soukgoum Kaleh, and have sent four large transports, with 10,000 troops and five batteries, our ironclads and a despatch boat, to hold the town and encourage the Circassian insurrections. The Turks report the Russians as having sacked and burned all the villages near, and massacred all the men, children and old women in true Turkish fashion.

A Wonderful Escape.

We have already reported the capsizing (on Wednesday, May 9th,) of schooner Codseeker, off Barrington, N. S., and the supposed loss of ten of her crew, the captain and two boys only escaping. Advices from Barrington now announce the arrival there on Saturday, May 12th, of four more of the Codseeker's crew; and that two others, cut out of the wrecked schooner's forecastle by an American schooner's crew on Sunday, the 13th, after being imprisoned from the time their vessel rolled over on Wednesday night, were safely landed there on the 14th. This is one of the most remarkable escapes ever recorded.

News and Notes.

There were half a dozen cases of sunstroke Friday in New York and Brooklyn, and two deaths from heat on Saturday.

The potato crop on Long Island is being entirely ruined by the potato bug.

Paul Valleau Cartier, a New York dancing master, waltzed for six hours on a stretch in New York, Friday evening, on a wager.

Marshal Austin arrived at Bristol, Tenn., Friday, with six illicit distillers, captured in Lee county, Va., a week ago. They were fired on by the outlaws last Monday, and Vandervitter, a citizen, was killed. Austin's party returned the fire, killing one and wounding three others. Sheriff Doyle, with a party of armed citizens, has gone in pursuit of the gang, and Gov. Kemper has promised aid to the United States officers to execute the Federal laws.

The steamer J. Bramall from New Haven, with munitions of war worth $1,000,000 for the Turkish army, arrived at Constantinople last Thursday.

Prof. Albert E. Carpenter, the mesmerist, under indictment at Worcester, Mass., for assault with intent to ravish on Mary E. Sterry, was released Saturday afternoon on $3500 bail, a despatch having been received from ex-Gov. Jewell of Hartford, Conn., directing H. H. Bigelow to furnish bail, and that he (Jewell) would see the bondsmen held harmless.

The steamer Sidonian, which exploded her boiler April 29th, on the passage from New York to England, killing the captain, three engineers, two bremen and one coal trimmer, arrived in Bristol Channel on Sunday, May 20th.

Near Arlington, Ky., Eli Fyle, a sixteen-year-old negro boy, attempted to outrage the wife of his employer, C. R. Fyle. Failing in his purpose he choked and beat her until he supposed her dead and threw her into a cistern. The water was only four feet deep, and Mrs. Fyle had sufficient presence of mind to tie her long hair around a projecting root. She remained in this position five hours and will recover.

The suit of Admiral Porter and other prominent naval officers for $3,000,000 prize money on account of their alleged participation in the capture of Richmond, has come to a disastrous conclusion. The Court below awarded $33,000. On appeal the decision is reversed with severe comments, the Court finding that the officers did not really participate in the capture, as is shown by the official reports of the officers themselves. The District Attorney characterized the suit as one of the most outrageous that had ever been brought, and the general opinion about the Court is that the high naval officers in the suit have placed themselves in a very unpleasant attitude before the country. Admiral Porter's own report in 1865 used this language, which shows that the navy then did not lay claim to the capture of Richmond: "As the movements have been regularly reported to the War Department, I have not deemed it necessary to report."

New Hampshire Items.

The body of Maria Clark, a young lady about 18 years old, was found floating in the canal at Manchester Sunday morning. She was an operative in the mills and has been missing from her boardinghouse seven weeks. The canals were dragged soon after her disappearance but without finding any trace. She was evidently driven to despair by the abandonment of her lover, a young unmarried man, who fled from the city two or three days before she committed suicide. Her relatives are respectable people living in Francestown.

Joseph Buzzell will be tried as accessary to the murder of Miss Hanson, of Brookfield. Several days ago Hon. Mason W. Tappan, the Attorney-General, communicated to the Justices of the Supreme Court his opinion that Buzzell can be tried as accessory to the murder before the fact, notwithstanding he has already been tried as principal. Cook, who made the confession, will be used as State's evidence. Buzzell's case will be presented to the Grand Jury at the October term of the Court for Carroll county, and there is no doubt but that he will be promptly indicted as accessory to the murder.

Ernest Lee Claflin of Hopkinton, Mass., a nephew of ex-Governor Claflin, and a student in Phillips Academy, was drowned in Exeter river on Saturday at noon. All attempts to recover his body proved futile during the evening. The search was kept up without intermission until Sunday morning at ten o'clock, when the body was found.

The loss of the Nashua Iron and Steel Company by the defalcation of Paymaster C. H. Collins, is not as large as was at first estimated. Upon further investigation of their books by the auditor, it is found that their loss will not exceed $3500. It is expected that Collins will return to Nashua the first of the week and that affairs will at once be settled satisfactorily to the company.

Political.

Governor Robinson of New York vetoed the item of the supply bill allowing $5000 for the "promotion of agriculture," but approved of the item giving $25,000 to the "Catholic Protectory" of New York city. Well, the returns show that agriculture did not do much toward electing Mr. Robinson, while the sponsors of the "C. P." made him Governor.

Ex-Governor Chamberlain told a reporter that all the negroes under the Hampton regime in South Carolina are kindly treated, and that there is no disposition manifested to maltreat them; that the State is at peace, and the whites and blacks alike devoting themselves to the development of the industries of the State. He also said that President Hayes's Southern policy was an experiment, the wisdom of which will only be known when it has had a fair trial.

The New York *Evening Mail*, referring to Governor Robinson's veto of the school bill, says that back of the reasons assigned, back even of the impelling power of Tammany, is another main cause of action, and its strictures will be easily recognized. "There has been going on for a long time," it says, "a silent revolution in the management of education. Here and there, by little and little, the deadly enemy of our system of free schools has won small victories. These victories are mainly the result of bargains made between this enemy and the democratic party. We see how it worked in this city, during the reign of Boss Tweed, when, in return for fifty thousand votes, the Boss secured illegal appropriations to the amount of nearly $1,500,000 for the schools and other private institutions of this powerful foe of free education. It is this foe that has instigated the veto."

"The Danicheffs."—Sara Jewett.

"The Danicheffs," which is now on the boards at the Globe Theatre, is, in some respects, the finest play ever produced there. For delicacy and purity of sentiment it commends itself to the most refined and fastidious. It is wonderful, and a promising sign of the times, that a play which cannot be called sensational, and which has no single character absorbing the chief interest of the spectator, thereby hiding the weakness of the plot and shielding the deficiences of the support, should be so successful. We have been so accustomed to the "one part" plays, that a well-distributed action and a finished performance of each has a novelty refreshing to everybody who knows that in art and in life, not exaggeration, but proportion is most beautiful.

The story of the Danicheffs is one of love and sacrifice:

"Of love that never found its earthly close
Except through streaming eyes and breaking hearts."

It is not called a tragedy, but is tragic in many of its most impressive situations; not heroically so, but in a concurrence of circumstances and events which are the field of impassion and inevitable suffering, and in the sequel the happiness of the two long-tried lovers is overshadowed by the noble self-sacrifice of a third.

It would be too long to tell the whole story of "The Danicheffs." Vanity, pride, ambition, revenge, love and all the passions are wrought, in light and shade, throughout the piece.

Perhaps the two most interesting characters are Osip, the serf, and Anna, the serf girl. The latter character is played by Miss Sara Jewett, a lady well known in Portsmouth. She is loved by two men, the serf Osip and the Count Danicheff. She loves the Count, but is formally and legally, though not really married to Osip.

In the development of the plot which centers about her, she seems to have little else to do than "stand and wait." In fact we do not remember any modern play in which a chief character excites at once so much interest and says and does so little. It is something like a Greek tragedy, in which the chorus chants about the silent victim of divine wrath and chastisement the tale of all that has been, and foretells the suffering and compensation which must be. Anna stands motionless, awed and subdued by her mysterious fate. She cannot act; her wrongs come from her own household, from those she respects, leans upon and almost loves while they strike. She is a helpless spectator of the magnificent devotion and affection of two men who are at once most loyal to each other and to herself—they love each other and both passionately love her.

What can she do but await and submit to the solution which time and destiny alone can bring? To the sympathetic mind this is the most affecting thing in the play. It is so because it corresponds to woman's customary part in real human tragedy. Her capacity for suffering is greater, as her power of resistance is less than man's. She suffers, she weeps, she returns no blow, nor does she extricate herself from her perils otherwise than by yielding; but something in her nature often saves her in extremity, as the child's soft and unresisting limbs are saved in a thousand accidents which would undo the well-knit form of man.

Miss Jewett has herself, in a letter to a friend, given her conception of her own part in "The Danicheffs." We cannot quote the whole of it, but its substance is this:—and it will be seen that the woman and the actress are curiously blended in her ideas—she thinks the character of Anna is a cipher. She forgets her in her intense sympathy for the two men who love her, and so she cannot but wish for a part more absorbing, herself, although seeing that as a work of art the character completely fills the place for which it was intended. In brief, the woman is sufficiently interested and satisfied, but the actress wants a greater field for dramatic action. Anna seems to her a negative sort of woman, born to be content and to suffer, and therefore giving no scope for the higher flights of passion and speech which the aspiring artist covets. But her critics and friends cannot quite agree with her; for nothing finer could be imagined than Miss Jewett's poetic interpretation and rendering of the part of Anna. It will certainly be appreciated, as it has been, by those whose applause is more far-reaching, if not so loud, as those who laugh where they should cry, and who do not recognize the latent power of a movement, a gesture, a look, the eloquence of silence and the graceful energy of repose.

We understand that while in Boston Miss Jewett will have a benefit as Juliet, where she will have ample opportunity for the range and depth of her powers, and her friends and the public an occasion for testifying their appreciation of an accomplished woman and a finished actress. J. A.

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MR. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago Intrigued him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I know it, for I have tried them, and they are all, you, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story, I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.
Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE
Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.
DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.
MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for eight or ten winters, and have been traveling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most obstinate they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Mr. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.
Yours truly, J. S. PATTON.
Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy are Headache.
LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.
MESSRS. W. LANE—*Sirs*:—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.
MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.
DR. QUAIN'S MAGIC CONDITION PILLS are put up only by the AMERICAN MEDICINE CO., Manchester, N. H., THOMAS W. LANE, Agent.
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Commended by Wm. Lloyd Garrison, Clara Louise Kellogg, P. T. Barnum and others.
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ONE NIGHT ONLY,
TUESDAY, MAY 22
Reappearance of
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GEORGIA MINSTRELS
THE GREAT Original SOUTHERN COMPANY of GENUINE NEGROES. 4 END MEN. 20 ARTISTS.
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Uproarious Plantation Minstrelsy!
BILLY KERSANDS, DICK LITTLE, I. GRACE, &c.
First appearance here of the celebrated Bo[illegible] HEIGHT (from England) the greatest colored comedian, in the great Boston and English hit "Aunt Clausen's Soiree," with the great burlesque jig; also Bob Mack in the inimitable "Hen Caucus," in "infant Kersands," Billy Kersands' "senegambia Revel," &c., &c.
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ONE NIGHT ONLY.
Thursday Eve'g, May 24
HARRY BLOODGOOD'S
MINSTREL
—AND—
BURLESQUE COMBINATION
WITH
BRASS BAND & ORCHESTRA
HARRY HARRY HARRY
WILL APPEAR IN HIS BUDGET OF COMICALITIES
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Supported by his Mammoth Company
—OF—
24 ARTISTS 24
REDUCED PRICES: Reserved Seats, 50 cents. Ready at Stavers'.
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To Let.
PART of the Dwelling House No. 30 Washington street; apply at the house. t.f.
To Let.
A GENTEEL RESIDENCE for a small family. Enquire at 37 ISLINGTON ST.
House to Let,
NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises.
To Let.
TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire of the house.
To Let.
THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.
House to Let.
A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.
House Lots.
DESIRABLE BUILDING LOTS on Islington South, Union, Broad and Spring Streets, and Lincoln and Miller Avenues, for sale, from $150 to $1000,—terms to suit purchasers—to close out. Apply to FRANK W. MILLER.
To Let.
BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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Apply to A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.
Pasture To Let.
THE PASTURE bounded by Lafayette Road, Middle Road and South Road, containing about one-quarter acres, is to let for the season or longer. Apply to CALVIN PAGE.
Portsmouth, May 16, 1877.
For Sale.
HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Drisco.
Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND, at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.
Will Be Sold Low.
THE NEW UNFINISHED HOUSE on Islington Lane, near Lincoln Hill, and the good garden LOT adjacent. House will be sold as it is, or finished, to suit purchaser.
Also, the very desirable LOT OF LAND on Union Street, near South, with the good BARN thereon and stone ready for House cellar.
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THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) Road within three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 35x43 feet, containing eight rooms; there also a Barn 32x56 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.
For further particulars enquire of
JAMES JANVRIN,
No. 38 South Street.
HOTEL TO RENT.
NO. 13 Vaughan Street, Portsmouth, N. H. The House is now, with all the modern improvements. It is the best locality in the State for hotel and bar business. Situated within two minutes walk on the main travelled street to and from the Eastern and Portsmouth & Concord Railroad Stations. Rent reasonable to a responsible party.
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DURING the absence of DR. POTTER in Europe his patients will be supplied with
MEDICINES, DAY OR NIGHT,
at this Office, as heretofore.
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MR. E. A. TILTON desires to announce that in consequence of substantial inducements, he will continue to receive Pupils in
CULTIVATION OF THE VOICE,
and PIANO FORTE PLAYING
At One-Half Former Rates!
39 CONGRESS STREET, ... PORTSMOUTH

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35† "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

MEMORIAL DAY.

All ex-sailors and ex-soldiers of the United States service in this vicinity are invited to meet in the Common Council room on Wednesday evening, at half-past seven o'clock, to organize for participation in the procession and observances of Memorial Day. PER ORDER.

[Communicated.]

ABOUT SERVANTS.

Messrs. Editors: I clipped the following local item from the *Times* of Saturday evening on account of the flippant, shoddy aristocracy that it contains, and I desire to comment upon the drift of it:

The thorough independence of "servantgalism" now-a-days was well illustrated in this city. It seems that a few days ago a servant living with a West End family (who had only recently employed her) was requested by the lady of the house to procure from the cellar a bottle of cider for dinner. The lady was rather taken aback on hearing the girl reply about as follows: "No marm; I've got conscientious scruples agin that thing; besides, the Lord won't let me do any such thing', and considerable more of like import. The result was that her services were no longer needed, and the family have now another servant.

No honorable man or woman of good common democratic sense can read the foregoing without getting a good impression of the character of that girl, whoever she may be. There is involved in that refusal a fearless conscientiousness that is to be admired, rather than ridiculed as it is in the above item. It was simply a rigid adherence to what she considered to be her duty in reference to the pledge that she had doubtless taken—"not to touch, taste or *handle*,"—and she stood firm and true to her convictions at the sacrifice of her place. If we had a temperance reform club made up of such stock, or a community composed of such conscientious individuals, we could challenge the world for virtue and integrity. And it is with feelings of regret mingled with shame that we learn from the same item that the parties who employed the girl did not have a sufficient admiration for true devotion to principle (even though they might have differed from the servant in opinion and have thought the idea ridiculous) to retain her in their service. I don't want to know the names of the master and mistress who thus made asses of themselves, but I would really like to know the name of the young woman who exhibited such a degree of moral courage. I will guarantee that she shall not be a great while without employment. * * *

POLICE COURT.

Monday, May 21st.

Samuel Hill and his wife Mabel, Robert H. Minge and Peter Williams (all colored) were brought up and tried for creating a brawl and tumult in Jefferson street Sunday evening. Williams, at the time the officers arrived at the seat of war, was standing on the doorstep of the next house; he went quietly to the station with the officers, but flatly denied having been engaged in the rumpus, and as there was no positive evidence that he had been he was released by the Court. The others were fined $8 each and one-third the costs, $8.40.

JOTTINGS.

This (Tuesday) evening, at Franklin Hall, Callender's Georgia Minstrels will give one of their favorite entertainments. The Boston *Journal* says of this troupe: "As to the merits of this company, it is enough to say that any one who attends their performances, is in danger of falling into a chronic state of laughter. The troupe is made up of gentlemen whose faces vary in shade—from the lightest mulatto, to those upon whom charcoal would leave a white mark. The troupe must be heard and seen to be appreciated. No minstrel company has ever enjoyed such popularity. Their success has been immense." Other papers—the *Post, Traveller, Herald*, etc.,—are equally warm in their commendations, and all agree that there is absolutely nothing approaching immodesty or low vulgarity in the programme or performance of the Georgians, while there is much fun and genuine music. Advertisement in another column.

The wreck of ship Frank Jones was sold for the second time at San Francisco on the 11th inst., and brought $700. Mr. A. Powell was the purchaser.

The yacht built by Mr. William Dixon at his yard at Kittery Point for Capt. Decatur, was launched Saturday afternoon.

At the annual meeting of the Methodist society, held on Friday evening, the following officers were elected: President, John H. Broughton; Trustees, John H. Broughton, Stephen W. Clarke, William C. Newton, Daniel McIntire, Samuel Cottle, Andrew Gardner, John F. Leavitt; Secretary, Daniel McIntire; Treasurer, Edwin H. Leslie.

Those who never saw a pine-apple growing and don't know how it looks, can see one on its stalk and surrounded by its uncomfortable leaves, by looking into the show window of Mr. Wm. B. Lowd's bookstore. This pine-apple plant and the cocoa-nut "in the husk" which lays beside it, were brought from Harbor Island, one of the Bahamas, in Valentine Doane, Jr's, schooner Mayor Jones, which arrived at this port on Sunday evening from New York. The Mayor Jones has been in the fruit carrying trade all winter, and arrived at New York from her last trip on Saturday, May 12th, after experiencing some very heavy weather on the coast, which she rode out with but trifling damage. She brought a load of salt with her from New York; discharged her salt and fitted for fishing on Monday, and on Monday evening was all ready for a trip mackereling. No great amount of time wasted there.

On Thursday evening, May 24th, Harry Bloodgood's Combination will give one of their select entertainments at Franklin Hall. No doubt our citizens will appreciate the agent's good judgment in reducing the rates, giving those who are disposed an opportunity to purchase reserved seats at the reduced price of 50 cents, while the admission will be 35. Harry Bloodgood needs no introduction to a Portsmouth audience, and his present troupe is highly commended. The Lawrence *American* speaks of their entertainments in flattering terms, their performance having given such satisfaction in that city as to lead to a most successful repetition the week following its first presentation. The programme includes minstrelsy, burlesque sketches, songs, dances, and general variety business which cannot fail to interest and amuse. Harry Bloodgood will appear in new sketches.

"Governor Goodwin" is to be the name of the large ship of 1700 tons now building at East Boston by Campbell & Brooks, and to be commanded by Capt. William Lester of Stratham. She will be ready to launch in June, and promises to be one of the best vessels in the country and a fast sailer as well. She is destined for the East India trade.

The Dover *Democrat*, in an item announcing the formation of a Drum Corps in Dover and urging the citizens to give it generous support, pays the following merited compliment to the Kearsarge Flute and Drum Band of this city: "This Company patterns, we suppose, from the famous Portsmouth Drum Corps, which discoursed such excellent music on our streets during the last Presidential campaign. We trust they may become as proficient in handling the drum-sticks as the Portsmouth brethren."

The second annual session of the Rockingham County Sunday School Convention is to be held at the Middle street Baptist church on Tuesday, May 29, commencing at ten o'clock A. M. This convention is composed of schools of all Protestant denominations in the county. Reports of the Sunday schools will be read, blackboard exercises given, and an essay presented by Rev. George E. Street of Exeter.

Persons out in boats in the lower harbor on Sunday report the flying of many very large flocks of coots, or some sea-fowl about the size of coots. One man, familiar with the coast for thirty years or more, tells us he never saw so many birds of the duck kind before in the same length of time.

Mr. John C. Philbrick and daughter, of Rye, returned on Monday from a six weeks' tour to California.

The Supreme Court resumed its session before Judge Doe at Exeter, Monday morning, case McIntire vs. Eastern Railroad being the first on trial.

RAILROAD WAR SETTLED.

The Boston *Journal* says: "We are sure that parties living on the lines of the Boston & Maine Railroad and Eastern Railroad, and the public generally, will hear with satisfaction that a committee representing the directors of both corporations have come to an amicable settlement of all the difficulties pending between the two roads. The committee representing the Boston & Maine were intrusted with full powers, and the committee representing the Eastern Railroad require the indorsement of the trustees, which will no doubt be given at an early moment. This settlement includes all law suits growing out of the contest and an equalization of charges on through freight upon terms satisfactory to both parties. It is a cause for congratulation that what seemed an irrepressible conflict has been terminated. The traveling public will lose nothing, and the stockholders will be benefited. Time which has been devoted to the study of legal quibbles will be devoted to the development of the property. Money which has been used to defray expenses incident to litigation will be saved to the treasury, and what is quite as important, these two competing roads will now be relieved of a fight for through freight, and will see that it is for their interest to study the possible resources of their own roads. The result must be beneficial."

—Do you know, ye who have insurance on your pictures in your houses, that unless your policy reads so much on pictures and frames that the frames are not insured but only the pictures contained therein?

—Very little is known of a remarkable natural curiosity in southern Illinois in the shape of a natural bridge. It is near Pomona, on the Cairo and St. Louis Railroad, and is a wonderful freak of nature. It is of pure sandstone, one hundred feet in length on top, and seventy-six feet from one abutment to the other. It is sixty feet high, and nine feet broad on the top. The average thickness is nine feet, and a team is said to have crossed it in perfect safety.

—In France recently a divorce case attracted a large crowd of ladies. The Judge remarked that he was sorry to see so many of the fair sex present, and he felt it his duty to notify them that some of the evidence would bring a blush to the face of any virtuous woman. Several ladies retired at once. The Judge added, after looking at those which remained, "Proceed, Mr. Counsellor, all the honest women have left."

—"Not lost, but gone before," exclaimed the man when his hat blew off and ahead of him.

—Charles, playfully—"How much, really, did that hat cost, Jennie?" Jennie, archly—"If you really want to inspect the bills for my dry goods, Charles, there is a way to do it." And what else could Charles do but propose on the spot?

—"Were you a member of the army?" asked the traveller of the wooden-legged man from West Hill. "Yes, sir," was the reply; "I was membered by a recruiting officer, dismembered by a rebel artillerist, and remembered by peg-leg manufacturer."

Equal Rights to All.

While this is the spirit of the constitution, the teachings of many directly oppose it. For example, the man who largely advertises dry goods, hardware, or Government bonds, is regarded by all as an enterprising benefactor—perhaps philanthropist; while he who advertises family medicines (no matter how universally acknowledged their merits) is denounced by some as a quack. Do all enjoy equal rights? Those who thus condemn may attempt to justify themselves by pointing to the worthless nostrums that flood the country. If that were a sufficient reason, why not condemn all dry good merchants and bankers, because some unprincipled knaves deal in shoddy goods or bogus bonds? Is it not as sensible?

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the standard remedy for the cure of coughs, colds and incipient consumption. As an alterative, when used in connection with Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets, it will effectually overcome torpid liver and constipation. In skin diseases it has no equal.

The Debris of the System

Must either pass through its natural channels of exit, the bowels, the kidneys and the pores, or, in default thereof, poison and disorder the fluids of the system. In order to effect the complete expulsion of this dangerous refuse, the organs through which it passes off must be active and unobstructed. Fortunately there is a certain means of rendering them so when they are not. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters stimulate the action of the excretory organs, and by diffusing a genial warmth through the circulation, encourage moderate perspiration. By this triple effect the exodus of the foecal and other waste matters are encouraged, and the system freed from peril it would otherwise incur. The action of the bowels which follows the use of this beneficent alterative is easy and unaccompanied by griping, and its stimulative effect upon the urinary organs very conducive o their local health.

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The finest teeth will decay, and drop out of the dental line, unless due care is taken to neutralize the impurities with which they are liable to be infested. Sozodont is the only preparation at present known that accomplishes this object with absolute certainty and keeps the enamel spotless.

Spalding's Glue makes broken things stronger than ever.

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IF YOU WISH THE BEST, buy Walter Baker & Co.'s Cocoa. It is pure, healthful, and cheap. Sold the world over by leading grocers.

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Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, Philadelphia.
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Sch G W Raitt, Coleman, Bangor.
Sch Revolution, Anderson, Bangor.
Sch Mayor Jones, Spalding, New York.

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—The Japanese ambassador at Berlin has just been married to Fraulein von Bade, the daughter of a Pomeranian nobleman. The civil ceremony was performed at Berlin, but none of the evangelical clergy there would bestow the blessing of the Church on the union of a Christian with a Buddhist. The religious sanction was therefore sought at Bremen, and was given by Dr. Manchot, minister of the Church of St. Rembert, in that city.

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Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
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Boston & Maine	91½
Boston & Providence	118½
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Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	3
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	100½
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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall not be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal, or dead beasts, fish or any kind of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the City. Nor shall any fishermen of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the City, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive matter, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his hand into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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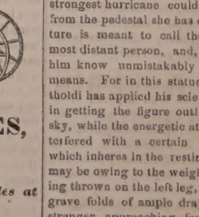

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The State and Court of Monaco.

The Principality of Monaco, like bigger States, rejoices in its own red-book, from the pages of which may be gleaned much useful information. It would appear that the interests of the principality require that it should be represented abroad by two "Envoys Extraordinary and Ministers Plenipotentiary," and by 48 consuls or vice-consuls.

The internal administration is conducted by a Governor-General, a Secretary-General, 3 Councillors of State, 1 Secretary of State, 1 Bishop, 11 priests, 1 Chancellor and 1 Secretary of the Order of St. Charles, 13 Judges, 1 Treasurer-General, 1 Councillor for Naval Affairs, 1 Port Captain and 1 Port Lieutenant, 1 Artillery Guardsman, 1 editor of the official journal, 1 Chief of the Police, 12 "agents" and 28 carbineers or gendarmes. The military force of the State consists, in addition to the 1 Artillery Guardsman, of 1 Colonel, 1 Captain, 1 Lieutenant, 5 non-commissioned officers and 63 soldiers.

The court of Monaco embraces a household establishment of respectable dimensions, including, as it does, a chaplain, an honorary chaplain, two aides-de-camp, an orderly officer, a chamberlain, a secretary, a physician-in-chief, a commandant of the palace, an aide-de-camp to the hereditary Prince, a lady of honor to the Prince's mother, and "5 superior officers of the guards of honor."—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Bartholdi's Colossal "Liberty."

In an article entitled "France to America," in *Scribner* for June, occurs the following description of Bartholdi's Colossal "Liberty," which is to stand in the harbor of New York:

Allowing twenty feet for the height of the island above the water, the pedestal is to be one hundred and ten feet high, and the statue, to the flame of the torch, one hundred and forty-five. This makes the torch at least two hundred and seventy-five feet above the level of the bay. It will equal in height the column in the Place Vendome at Paris, and will be larger than the colossus of Rhodes, so much celebrated by antiquity. Like that statue, it will have to be cast in pieces of manageable size, and built up much after the manner of an armored frigate. The construction will be a curious piece of engineering skill, for which the sculptor and Mr. de Stuckle will be responsible. At night it is proposed that a halo of jets of light shall radiate from the temples of the enormous goddess, and perhaps the flame of the torch may be fashioned in crystal, in order that it may catch the light of the sun by day, and at night form a glowing object illuminated by electricity.

In respect to the pose of the statue, that has been calculated with care. A Liberty would have to be draped, even if a draped statue were not advisable in a climate so cold as ours, where nude figures suggest extreme discomfort. But M. Bartholdi has also used his drapery to give a tower-like, and therefore solid look to this lofty woman, without forgetting the necessity for variety in the upward lines. Or perhaps it would be better to say that he has followed the laws of stability to be seen in the trunks of trees, which are very broad at the ground, where the roots are indicated, yet by no means of one monotonous breadth from the root to the branches.

She will stand so as to suggest that the strongest hurricane could never budge her from the pedestal she has chosen. Her gesture is meant to call the attention of the most distant person, and, moreover, to let him know unmistakably what the figure means. For in this statue, also, M. Bartholdi has applied his science to fine effect in getting the figure outlined against the sky, while the energetic attitude has not interfered with a certain dignified repose which inheres in the resting position which may be owing to the weight of the body being thrown on the left leg, as well as to the grave folds of ample drapery. Even if a stranger approaching from the Narrows should not know at once what she is holding up to see, the energy of her action will awaken his curiosity, and the dignity of it will make him await a nearer approach with confidence. When he can make out the tablets of the law which jut from her left side as they rest on her bent arm, and the flaming torch which she holds high up above her head, while her eyes are fixed on the horizon, he will be dull indeed if he does not understand what she wishes to tell.

—The excuse a base ball nine put in, this summer, for non appearance on the field was that the "pitcher was full."

—A dreamy writer says it would be curious to follow a pound of silk from its spinning until it became a lady's dress. No doubt; but most men would prefer to follow in after it became a dress, and the lady was in it.—*New York Mail.*

—A one-legged Welsh orator named Jones was pretty successful in buttering an Irishman, when the latter asked him, "how did you come to lose your leg?" "Well," said Jones, "on examining my pedigree and looking up my descent, I found there was some Irish blood in me, and becoming convinced it was all settled in that left leg, I had it cut off at once." "By the powers," said Pat, "it 'ud 'av been a deuced good thing if it had only settled in yer head."

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 23, 1877.

A Frightful Accident.

The iron steamship Saratoga was to have been launched from John Roach's shipyard at Chester, Penn., at nine o'clock on Tuesday, but for some reason she started before the time fixed, and before the workmen were notified. Some forty of them were under the vessel and a number were killed and injured. The scene after the vessel had left the ways was most frightful and sickening. The bodies of the dead were scattered in every direction. Two were cut in half, others had arms and legs severed, and everything was covered with blood. Five men were literally ground to pieces beneath the moving vessel, two others were fatally injured, and three are missing; in addition, many were less seriously wounded.

Life Insurance.

As a matter of interest to those holding policies, we copy the following from the Boston *Journal*: "From a perusal of the twenty-seventh annual report of the Union Mutual Life Insurance Company of Maine, presented to the directors by President De Witt, we are convinced of the fact that the policy of the management is such as not only to increase the confidence of those insured in this great institution, but to largely augment its business. The key-note of Mr. De Witt's management is to deal honestly and aboveboard with the public, to be economical in expenditure, prudent in investment, frugal in promises, prompt in payment, to win confidence by stating facts as they actually are, and so managing affairs as to do nothing that one would care to conceal; and to so invest funds as to have ready money when it was wanted. Few companies can excel the record of the Union Mutual Life, and a plainer report was never presented to policy-holders than the one we have been reading. The assets of the company have been marked down to hard-pan figures, and in referring to this fact, the Insurance Commissioners of Maine and Massachusetts believe that the estimated shrinkage will ultimately recover a very considerable margin. The system of non-lapsing policies, under the Maine non-forfeiture law, modelled after the law of our own State, is one of the special advantages which the Union Mutual now offers, and which will prove highly beneficial to policy-holders."

Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 19.

Recent utterances by Mr. John Goode, Jr., of the Second Virginia (Norfolk) district shows that he has actively entered the lists for the honors of the Speakership of the Forty-fifth Congress, making, eight democrats who have already tendered their invaluable services; and there yet remains about four months during which other aspirants can file their claims and impress the public with their peculiar qualifications. Goode's election is conceded to have been clearly fraudulent, by those familiar with the facts of the campaign in his district, and the decision of the contest for the seat between him and Mr. Platt, his republican competitor, a shameless outrage upon the theory of majority rule. Just before the final decision (which it was generally supposed would seat Mr. Platt, the evidence conclusively proving his election) the committee on banking and currency was driven to a vote on the repeal of the resumption act. According to the best information attainable, Goode was classed among those opposed to the repeal, making the members evenly divided; but the vote disclosed the fact that Goode had voted with the inflationists. "One Goode turn deserves another." He was freely charged with having sold his vote to them in return for theirs in his favor. Whether the charges of venality were well founded or otherwise, that element voted to seat him, and the iniquity was consummated by a bare majority, many democrats refusing to ignore the facts and voting for Platt's admission.

Now that the consideration of more important matters has been disposed of or deferred, Banning's right to a seat in the present Congress is again a subject of discussion. It will be remembered that he was declared elected over Stanley Matthews by a very meagre majority. Matthews' election to the Senate removed all danger of a contest; but it is claimed that Congress has the right to declare the seat vacant in view of the confessions of Eph Holland and Charley Young, either of whom cast more votes for Banning than enough to cancel his alleged majority. In the face of all the proven democratic frauds, the majority of democratic Congressmen are not credited with sufficient cheek to vote in favor of sustaining such a burlesque upon a fair election.

The present war and its threatened colossal proportions in the immediate future has invested the matter of the right of search and seizure of neutral ships at sea with more than ordinary importance. It appears that we have treaties with France, Prussia, Brazil, Sweden, Netherlands, several South American States, Spain, Holland and a few other powers, clearly defining the rights and duties of the searchers and the searched. It is stipulated that the vessel making the search shall remain beyond gun-shot range of the party suspected of carrying contraband goods, and only send one or two small boats with a small force to make an examination. The certificates relative to the nature of the cargo, where from and to, are bound to be accepted in good faith. Neither the batches nor packages are to be opened without bringing the vessel to port, and only then in the presence of competent officers; nor can the commander of the suspected vessel be required to leave his ship. The treaties with Great Britain and Russia are silent relative to all these particulars; the honesty or dishonesty of the ship's papers largely governing with the other nations named. By English laws, cannon, muskets, gunpowder, pikes, swords, horse furniture, ship timber, resin, tar, copper in sheets, etc., are, under certain obvious circumstances recognized as contraband. Our treaties generally confiscate what is really contraband, leaving the vessel and balance of cargo free, and in other cases the common law would apply.

Many of the intelligent here, who sympathise with every sincere effort abroad towards the substitution of republican government for the present monarchial and absolute forms, note with alarm the grave situation in France. It is felt that McMahon has allowed himself to be used as an instrument by all the reactionary elements of that country, including Bonapartists, Monarchists, Legitimatists, and Clericalists, to the destruction of the Republic by a *coup d' etat* movement. They have succeeded in forcing a rupture between the President, never a republican at heart, and his moderately republican Cabinet; and by the law of natural selection he has gone among the enemies of the present Government for his new Cabinet, some of the names of those composing it rendering it certain that the Republic has nothing to hope for from their Administration; and additional intelligence from the French Capital is awaited with profound anxiety. True to their instincts, many representative democrats do not seek to hide their gratification at the evidences of reaction across the water, and I am forced to believe from the sentiments expressed that the success of the present conspiracy to uproot the Republic will be hailed as a democratic triumph.

It is conceded that Gladstone has succeeded to driving the Tory Government of Great Britian into a clear definition of its purposes relating to Russia. The discussion has made apparent the fact that a minority of the present Government will never consent to a declaration of war against that power, so long as she confines herself strictly to obtaining guarantees that will hereafter protect the Christian subjects of Turkey from the barbarities of the past, and abstains from all attempts at territorial aggrandizement.

It would surprise no one here who has given any attention to European matters, to learn at any time that Austria has occupied Servia, followed by the active participation in the war of every other power in Europe, ranging themselves according to their own supposed interests upon the Russian or Turkish side. NNOX.

GREENLAND, May 22.

The old Brackett Academy is being thoroughly renovated, and fitted with modern appliances for a town hall and schoolroom. The school taught by Miss Merrill is held in the Eclectic Club rooms, next door east of the Masonic Hall, during the time occupied in refitting the academy. It is expected that the building will be ready for occupation by the 1st of September, and a full and flourishing school is hoped for that shall fill a want long felt in this community.

RYE, May 21st.

The proposals for building the roads advertised for by the Selectmen, were opened on Saturday; and bids as follows were made, and the contract for the road from John O. Foss to E. W. Lang's awarded to Joseph R. Holmes of Portsmouth, his being the lowest bid:

Joseph R. Holmes,	$863
Richard P. Goss,	875
Supply F. Trefethen,	973
George H. Seavey,	1247
Obed Rand,	1315
G. G. Lougee,	1600
Jenness Marden,	1789
Aaron Rand,	1717
John F. Locke,	1960

This road is to be finished by the 1st of June, 1878; is 231 rods in length, and will be quite an accommodation to the residents on the Beach Road, who will save half a mile in going to Portsmouth. The road was laid out by the County Commissioners some three or four years ago, and the town has been fighting it ever since, at an expense of nearly one-half of what the road will cost, which goes to show (in the minds of many tax-payers) that the most economical way to do is to go to work and build a road, after it is laid out, instead of going to law about it. Four bids were handed in for the road from the Farragut House to North Hampton line—the lowest by E. B. Philbrick, Esq., to whom the contract was awarded. The bids were as follows:

Joseph R. Holmes,	$550
Albion R. Philbrick,	410
G. G. Lougee,	340
Emmons B. Philbrick,	300

This road is 54 rods long, and is to be completed by the 15th of July. This, it is fondly hoped by the great majority of the tax-payers, will be the last that will be heard of new roads for twenty years at least, and that whatever is to be done in that direction hereafter will be for the improvement of those now in existence.

Potato bugs have made their appearance and are reported as being extremely lively.

The prospect for much of a crop of apples is not encouraging, except on the line of the seashore, and from quarter to half a mile back therefrom. It is a singular circumstance, that the apple trees there bear in the "odd years," while everywhere else, it is the "even years" that yield.

The warm weather of the past week has brought out the leaves, and started up the grass and clover, so that the face of nature wears a beautiful and green aspect. All the varieties of birds have arrived, including the bobolinks, Baltimore orioles and humming birds, which put in an appearance the past week. Mosquitoes have also come out, seemingly with more than their usual inclination for tormenting folks—and in numbers, far in excess of any demand.

Miss Bailey, of Portsmouth, who has a class in music at the Town Hall on Saturday afternoons, proposes to give a Floral Entertainment at that place on Thursday evening next, consisting of readings and musical exercises,—assisted by a fine soprano, and Miss Susie Ham, contralto.

John D. Marston, Esq., of Breakfast Hill, it is reported is soon to open a law office in Boston.

There is a fine opportunity at present for the curious-minded to see the stumps at Jenness' beach, at low water. A recent visit there was rewarded by a good sight of two hundred or more of these stumps, as well as some logs, all of which have been there apparently many hundreds (and perhaps thousands) of years, and are in a good state of preservation now, and likely to last many years to come. It is supposed by some that there was formerly a swamp there, as the stumps are cedar,—at any rate, it is evident that the ocean did not always ebb and flow over that particular spot as it does now. NAT.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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To Let.

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To Let.

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" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.25 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35‖ "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M	
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M	
Portland and East,	11.20 " 6.50 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.20 "	
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "	

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) cast or rest may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

MEMORIAL DAY.

All ex-sailors and ex-soldiers of the United States service in this vicinity are invited to meet in the Common Council room this Wednesday evening, at half-past seven o'clock, to organize for participation in the procession and observances of Memorial Day. PER ORDER.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, May 22d.

Robert Foster, Albert Chamberlain and George Peirce, all drunks, were each fined $3, costs $6.90; all gone to Brentwood.

A decent appearing man was brought up, charged with having said things not proper to say, to a lady, while under the influence of anger; the Court judged the charge sustained, and fined him $2, costs $6.90; but as he has never before figured in our Police Court reports we refrain from mentioning his name. He appealed, and gave bonds to prosecute the same; but afterward paid the fine and costs, probably considering that the cheapest way to settle the affair.

WRECKED IN PORT.

The steamer "Mystic" started from one of the north-end wharves with two coal-loaded gondolas in tow, Tuesday afternoon, when the strong flood tide swept the hindmost gondola across the bows of a large schooner lying at the head of Fernald's wharf, the heavy-loaded craft striking with such force that her broadside was crushed in. The unfortunate gondola immediately filled with water and turned bottom up, and now there is a coal mine at the bottom of the Piscataqua. The man steering the gondola had a narrow escape, but by climbing up the schooner's bow in double-quick time he escaped entanglement with the sinking wreck.

HANDS OFF.

The first private burglar alarm in this city has been put up by Mr. John F. Shillaber, connecting his gun and locksmith shop on Bow street with his residence. The machine works by electricity and is noiseless in the daytime, being shut off at the house before the store is opened; but after the connection is restored in the evening, when the store is closed, the opening of either door or window sets the electrical bell to clattering, and once started it won't stop; it is useless to throw boots and swear, or to shut the door or window the opening of which has induced the racket; the noisy machine can be stopped in only one way, and that is by going up to it and closing a stop which holds the clapper. And it would be of no use for an enterprising burglar to cut the wire between the house and store, for that act would break the electrical circuit and set off the alarm; and even if he should get through a window (by breaking out glass and sash) without giving the alarm, he would be almost certain to start the machine by touching some of the innocent looking objects in the store which he must not touch if he wishes to keep his nocturnal visit a secret from the proprietor at his home. A modification of this invention, which works on the principle of the hotel annunciator, is used as a door bell, and keeps up a loud but not disagreeable tinkling as long as the bell-pull is kept drawn out, and ceases the instant the handle is released. One of these electric bells has been put up on the door of Hon. Marcellus Eldredge's fine new mansion on Islington street. In connection with his burglar alarm, Mr. Shillaber has put in a Morse key and sounder at each end of his line, and telegraphs back and forth from house and store *ad lib.* This is the first private Morse telegraph line in the city.

While we are on the telegraph line we may as well give one or two other items, which may be of interest to our readers. After investigating Mr. Shillaber's arrangement for demoralizing burglars, we called in at the counting room of the Eldredge Brewing Company, and inspected the working of the telegraph between that office and the brewery. The instruments used on this line were made by the Howard Watch Company of Boston, the principal parts with which we have to do being an operating and reading dial at each end; the operating dial is surrounded with ivory keys—one for each letter of the alphabet and one for the "space" between words—and when the key marked with any letter is pressed the indicating needle points to that letter, the needle on the reading dial at the other end doing the same. In this way messages between the two points can be rapidly spelled out, the instruments leaving no record of the messages sent.

From the Eldredge Brewing Co's rooms we went to the office of Hon. Frank Jones. Here a House printing telegraph, as improved by Welch & Anders, of Boston, is in use. The machine appears to be a cross between a sewing machine and a piano; the keys, instead of being arranged in a circle around a dial, are in a line like those of a piano; and whenever the line is in use the operator must keep a Hall treadle going, the electricity employed being generated by magnets instead of chemical action. As each key is touched the corresponding letter is distinctly printed in "Roman" on an endless strip of paper, at each end of the line, and a duplicate of all messages sent is thus preserved, so that if a mistake occurs it is easy to trace it to its source. To show us how it worked the machine was put in motion, and the operator at the brewery notified—"Just started up for experiment, to show how telegraph works," and immediately the answer came back, "Well, start her up again, and give us some orders!" which demand was instantly obeyed. The saving in time and trouble effected by these private lines between the breweries and offices is very great.

MORE TELEGRAPH.

The Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Co., finding the public respond heartily to their endeavors to accommodate, will soon establish a number of supplementary stations in this vicinity, viz.: permanent stations—at the Rockingham House and the Eldredge Brewing Co's office; for the summer season—at Steamboat Wharf, near foot of Deer street, and the Farragut House, Rye Beach; for the winter, to accommodate the fisheries—at C. E. Walker & Co's, Water street. With the exception of the Eldredge Brewing Co's office, all these stations will be open for the public, and each will be in charge of a trained operator. The business over this company's wires has increased to such an extent since the rates were reduced that the New York office, which it was supposed would be big enough for years to come, is already found too small to accommodate the traffic; there are two through wires from New York to Portland, and construction parties are extending the line to St. John, N. B. The two wires between Boston and Portland are found insufficient for the business offering, and one of the wires is to be duplexed immediately.

MASONIC.

G. M. John J. Bell of Exeter, G. L. Daniel W. Edgerly of Farmington, D. D. Chas. A. Tufts of Dover, and D. L. Russell B. Wentworth of Rochester, will officially visit St. Andrews Lodge on Thursday evening, May 24th. Work on M. M. degree.

JOTTINGS.

A young lady friend of ours has lost a fine red silk handkerchief, all hemstitched, and if any one finds it and restores it to its owner we shall feel under obligations.

Hon. T. E. O. Marvin, President of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is to form a Society of a similar character in Dover to-night. Mr. Charles W. Gardner will deliver a lecture appropriate to the occasion, the subject of which will be "The rights of animals."

Harry Bloodgood's minstrel, variety and burlesque combination are to give one of their select entertainments at Franklin Hall to-morrow evening. The performances given by this troupe in other towns and cities this season have received very flattering notices from the press, and we feel safe in assuring our citizens that they may expect and will see a good show to-morrow evening. Reserved seat tickets may be procured at Stavers' Bazaar, at fifty cents each.

The thirty-sixth annual report of the Directors of the Concord Railroad for the past year shows the total gross earnings to have been $871,528.08, and the total expenditure $576,766.75, leaving a balance of $294,761.33 of receipts over expenses. From this have been paid two dividends of five per cent. each, amounting to $150,000.

The property on North road known as "Walker's field," with the house and barn on the same, were sold at auction by Messrs. Morse & Ilsley on Saturday, to Mr. Nathan Jones, for $1750.

News and Notes.

During Whitmonday amusements at Hull, Eng., a balloon about to ascend was blown against a gas jet and exploded. Eighty-six spectators were injured. Sixty proceeded to their homes after having their wounds dressed. Six of the cases are dangerous.

E. M. Gates and Fannie Landers were lately married at the jail door in Liberty, Mo. Gates has been imprisoned for about a year for obtaining money under false pretences. He stood just inside of the jail and she on the outside, the twain joining hands in the doorway. At the conclusion of the ceremony the bride returned to her home and the groom went back to his cell.

A Havana letter of the 16th says that the Customs Collector of Camacho is in prison for embezzling $700,000, gold, of the Government revenues. Another defeat of the Spaniards is reported near Puerto Principe, in which they lost 18 officers killed and 750 men killed, wounded and prisoners.

The Boston case ball club beat the Louisvilles, 5 to 0, Monday; and the Hartfords beat the Indianapolis club, 1 to 0.

At a recent meeting of Liberals in a Scotch town, Rev. David Macræ mildly remarked that "the attempt to go to war on behalf of Turkey was a diabolical one. There seemed to be parties who, for selfish ends, would maintain the integrity of hell and subsidize the devil."

Thirty persons were drowned by the wreck of a vessel plying between Adelaide, Australia, and the Albany Isles.

Among opinions handed down by the Supreme Court of New York, General Term, was one affirming the order granting an additional allowance to the defendant in the suit of Francis D. Moulton vs. Henry Ward Beecher, for malicious prosecution growing out of the late unpleasantness in Plymouth Church. That suit has been dropped on the court's refusal of a change of venue to some northern county.

B. F. Flanders, Assistant U. S. Treasurer in New Orleans, is charged by the N. Y. *Sun* with stealing $300,000 belonging to the government, through crookedness in cotton transactions soon after the close of the war.

New Hampshire Items.

Daniel Webster Osgood, late of North Andover, Mass., died in Raymond, May 16, aged 35 years, 3 months 6 days. He went from Raymond with the Fifth New Hampshire Regiment as a musician in the late war. For some years past he was leader of the band in Lawrence, Mass. His disease was consumption.

The Spring Conferences of the New Hampshire Unitarian Association assembled at Peterboro, Monday afternoon, Gov. P. C. Cheney in the chair. Delegations from Concord, Manchester, Dover, Nashua, Keene and Wilton were present. In the evening, Rev. R. L. Collyer of Boston addressed a full house.

Henry Plaisted has committed suicide near Ashland. Evidence against him in regard to firing his father-in-law's, J. B. Huckins, buildings, burned on Thursday night, was very strong. That Sheriff Brown, who worked the case, followed him so close was undoubtedly the cause.

The trial of Alvin H. Johnson, for the murder of his wife at Bristol, commenced at Plymouth on Monday. It will be remembered that about the first of July last the body of a woman was found in the Pemigewasset River about a mile below Bristol, but in such a state of decomposition as to render her identification extremely difficult. All clothing, with the exception of shoes and stockings and a bit of ribbon about the neck, had been removed, and she had been literally scalped to avoid identification. As Mrs. Johnson had been missing several months and her husband's accounts of her whereabouts were conflicting, suspicions were aroused that the body might be hers, which were speedily confirmed, and led to the arrest of her husband. Johnson is twenty-six years of age, was born in Campton, and lived there until he was twelve years old, since which time he has led a roving life, seldom finding employment in any place long at a time. Intellectually he is inferior to men in general, although superior to his wife, who was but little more than an idiot, and whose reputation was even more unsavory than his.

J. H. Bowers and S. B. Tyler, two old and highly respected citizens of Nashua, died last Saturday evening, aged 65 and 78 years respectively.

For twenty-six years the Winnipesaukee Lake Cotton and Woollen Manufacturing Company have successfully denied the right to run logs through their dam at Lake Village, at the outlet of Lake Winnipesaukee. G. Cook & Co., sash and blind manufacturers of Laconia, recently purchased one hundred and sixty thousand feet of lumber lying in the water above the dam. About three o'clock Sunday morning a force of twenty men under the direction of Cook & Co., commenced opening the dam for the passage of the logs. Employes of the Lake Company resisted by inserting fresh planks for those removed, but these quickly disappeared under the axes of the Cook party. Logs were kept running through all day, and the dam was replaced at 8 o'clock in the evening. Large, excited crowds witnessed these proceedings. Cook & Co. openly hold themselves responsible. Public sentiment appears largely in their favor.

MARRIED.

MAHONEY—SMITH. In this city, May 21, by Rev. L. L. Harmon, Mr. John Mahoney and Mrs. Mary O. Smith.

DIED.

WALL. In this city May 22, Mrs. Susan E. Wall, wife of Mr. Michael Wall, aged 79 years, 6 months.

☞ Funeral on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, from her late residence, No. 2 Pray street.

BOWDEN. In York, Me., May 20, Rachel Bowden, wife of Hon. George Bowden, aged 67 years and 5 months.

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A Japanese Belle.

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—A Missouri wedding party, on a bridal tour last week, consisted of the groom, aged 85 years, the bride, aged 76, and a son of the former, aged 61.

—Experiments have recently been successfully made in Italy on a method of burning petroleum under steam-boilers, which consists simply in pouring the oil over a thin layer of asbestos. The petroleum burns with intense heat, while the asbestos, being incombustible, is not affected, but serves as a means of retaining the oil and acting as a wick. During the experiment sheets of paper placed beneath the furnace were not injured, although the heat from the oil above was most intense.

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United States Ten-Forties coupon	112½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	111½
Maine State 6s, 1889	116
N. H. State 6s, 1892	112
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	50½
Portsm. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	82½
Boston & Maine	58
Boston & Providence	117½
Boston & Albany	116½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	2
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	103½
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	42½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	91½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	50½

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Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
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Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 30, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ers or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners or occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind upon the stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. For any such offence or fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them in the city or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine or privy, over either or the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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'Squire Sedam.

In Hamilton county, Ohio, they are trying to break the will of the late Squire Sedam. The contestants say he was crazy, and have undertaken to prove it by showing that he administered justice instead of law.

The office which the Squire held was in a certain sense hereditary. He was elected nine or ten times, and the term of office was for three years. His father, Col. Sedam, had been a magistrate before him. When his father died, he succeeded him. The office had been in his family from 1800. To be exact, his father was first commissioned in 1795.

It was shown that where one party brought a case, if he could see the other party before the trial came off, the Squire would try and have a compromise arranged. He would even go and see the other party and try and have the matter settled so as not 'have this quarrel between neighbors. Once a man came to institute a suit before him. It was winter, and quite cold. The Squire had not got out of bed. He sent word to the suitor to sit down on porch until he had got up. The Squire rose and dressed himself and went to town, leaving the man sitting on the porch in the cold. There was nothing heard more of that suit. He sometimes sent men to jail, and, after keeping them there a couple of hours, let them go. He was also known to banish men to Kentucky. A leaf from Squire Sedam's docket was produced, containing the entries in a case in which a party was sued by Snead, Collard & Hughes, bankers. The following was the judgment in the case:

1. Both attorneys are responsible for all costs.

2. Any person putting his money in such a bank, ought to lose it.

3. The claim is rather unsound and fishy like.

4. Four per cent per month is unconstitutional in Storrs Township.

5. No monopoly of that kind can recover from the godly citizens of Storrs Township.

6. Both parties are required to come into court with clean hands.

7. A man who will not pay his own debts shall not recover off his neighbors.

8. Notice of appeal is considered contempt of court.

He generally fixed his trials for Saturday afternoon, and in pleasant weather he would hold them out in his orchard. He had a long bench under the apple trees. He would open court, and, if it were in watermelon times, he would have melons to eat. If a particular friend were present, he would have crackers and cheese. While he was calling his cases, he would send the parties out behind the smoke-house to settle them if they could, saying, "If you come back here, you will get in chancery and there will be no chance for you." If the parties could not settle, he would make a compromise of their case, and when he got through, he would order them to pay the constable a dollar. He very seldom gave litigants what they claimed, but he was never known to charge costs. He had even been known to go out of his township and not charge fees for the service.

The Squire had very vivid descriptive powers. He was an admirable talker when he chose. He could make fun out of almost anything, and very frequently used this means to reconcile the parties or shame them out of court. When Judge Cox brought suit to recover a fee, the Squire asked him how long he had known the defendant. Judge Cox said ten or twelve years. "And didn't you know that he was a poor, trifling cuss, and wouldn't pay you?" Judge Cox admitted that he knew all that, but thought he could get his fees. The Squire said he wouldn't encourage any such proceeding and gave judgment for the defendant. "You ought to have got your money out of him long ago," the court remarked to the discomfited suitor.

On another occasion he rendered a judgment against a steamboat captain for the wages of some of the crew. While the captain was gone up town to get a bond for appeal, the Squire broke open some of the pork barrels and gave the men the amounts of their judgments in pork. When the captain returned and offered his appeal bond the squire said "Appeal be hanged! The judgment is paid." The captain returned with his bondsmen.

It seems a pity that the last act of this peacemaker should become an occasion for litigation. It is enough to make the old man turn over in his grave. At last advices, the case was still on trial.

Potato Beetles.

We observe a number of remedies for the Colorado potato beetle advertised in the newspapers, most of which are particularly recommended because they are "soluble in water," Paris green being well known to be insoluble. All these remedies as a matter of course owe efficiency to their poisonous character, otherwise they would not kill the insects; and if soluble they would be absorbed by the pores of the potato plant and the tubers. Their solubility would therefore make them dangerous by poisoning the potatoes. Nothing has yet been found that will compare with Paris green for the certain destruction of this insect, and its entire safety is partly owing to its insolubility and its not being absorbed by the plant. Another point of safety is the iron contained in all soils, mostly about one

hundred times as much as is required to neutralize the poison as soon as it is washed down. Still another is the very minute portion required, when compared with the entire bulk of the soil in which the plants grow. The fact that it has been used on tens of thousands of farms at the West for several years past, without the slightest trace of any injurious effect on the wholesome character of the potato, is a conclusive proof of its entire safety.—*Country Gentleman.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1877.

The War.

The strongholds of Asia Minor were selected and fortified without any suspicion that modern progress would invent field artillery; so they are mostly all commanded by higher hills at short ranges. These out-lying hills have been in turn fortified by earthworks, but when these are taken, the fortress becomes untenable. In this way Ardahan fell an easy prey to the Russians. The Russian force which attacked Ardahan numbered 17,000. The garrison of Ardahan numbered 8000, besides which several thousand were encamped before the town. During the flight of the Turks the Russian cavalry inflicted a loss of 700. The London *Times'* Vienna correspondent says that the fall of Ardahan, besides securing to the Russians their position before Kars, opens out a new line of operations either against Kars or Erzeroum.

War between Greece and Turkey is announced as inevitable.

It is reported that an amicable understanding has been arrived at between Russia and England, both in substance and form as regards the Suez Canal, and in substance as regards Constantinople.

A Scoundrel's Suicide.

The death of Henry Plaisted in Ashland, on the 20th inst., has brought to light a chapter of crime which shows that he died none too soon. Plaisted, it appears, was married about a year ago to a Mrs. Hoyt of Holderness. Mrs. Hoyt had two little boys, children by her first marriage, and soon after the marriage Plaisted began to abuse his wife and the children in a most shameful manner. In March last Mrs. Plaisted stole away from his home, and soon afterward she obtained a divorce from her husband, the Court giving her an interest in the homestead and also the custody of their child. From the time of the divorce Plaisted exhibited a most malignant hatred of his wife and a desire for what he termed revenge for her leaving him. He publicly threatened her life, and said that he would be revenged upon any person who harbored her or her children. The two boys had been taken home by Mr. Huckins, their grandfather. Plaisted was especially exasperated because the Court had given Mrs. Plaisted an interest in the homestead, and he remarked that he would see how much she would get out of that. Four weeks ago in the dead of night Plaisted's buildings were burned to the ground. On the night of Thursday, the 17th inst., the farm buildings of Mr. Huckins and their contents were burned. The flames communicated so quickly to the house that the family barely escaped with their lives. The circumstances of the fire were such that there seemed no doubt but that it was the work of an incendiary, and the community were unanimous in the opinion that Plaisted had applied the torch. The suspected incendiary was missing after the Huckins fire, and a posse of men were distributed in various localities for the purpose of preventing the escape of Plaisted, who was believed to be concealed in the woods in the vicinity. Friday and Saturday passed and no trace of the fugitive criminal was discovered. Hunger and exhaustion, however, began at length to tell on him, and subsequent developments afford reason for believing that Plaisted at length began to realize that his escape was impossible, and so resolved that he would not be taken alive. For forty-eight hours he had fled from forest to swamp under cover of darkness, and not daring to ask a single person for food. Finally, driven to desperation, he shot himself through the heart. Sunday morning the body of Plaisted was found amidst the ruins of the house, his revolver being found by his side. He had fired only once and his death must have been instantaneous. The suicide was born in North Hampton, and was about 35 years old. He was a son of Cyrus P. Plaisted, a very respectable citizen of Ashland.

Another Rum Tragedy.

George A. Austin, twenty-seven years old, was beating his wife Mary E. Austin, who is forty years old, at Bow, on Tuesday night, May 22. Mrs. Austin ran for protection to the room of William J. Flanders, her son by a former marriage; and young Flanders, while his step-father was choking his mother seized a gun heavily loaded with pistol bullets, and fired, four bullets hitting Mrs. Austin in the arm and three entering her husband's shoulder. Mrs. Austin's arm has been amputated, and she will recover; the man will die. The boy, who is but seventeen years old, is under arrest. Austin was drunk at the time he was beating his wife.

News and Notes.

An organization of lawless men exists in several border counties of Missouri and Arkansas, who call themselves "Ghouls," but are more familiarly known as ku-klux. Their chief purposes are to run and protect small illicit distilleries in the mountains, and kill or whip, or otherwise punish all persons who oppose them and show any disposition to enforce the laws.

The disaster at the launching of the Saratoga, previously reported, was the first accident that has occurred in that shipyard since Roach has had control of it, and he has launched forty vessels without the slightest accident. John Fountain, who had entire charge of the launch, makes the following statement: "I found the ship ready to move, and called for all hands to get out from under before I commenced cutting loose. The men who were down by the after blocking evidently did not hear the order or did not obey, as they had fully five minutes to get out from the time the order was given until the ship started. Some of the men remained under, which is frequently the case, to attend to the forward blocking."

The prominent liquor dealers of Manchester closed their saloons on Tuesday, the 22d inst., in obedience to orders from the City Marshal. Most of them are storing their goods in places of safety to avoid seizure.

In addition to the war with Russia the Turks have begun a war on female vanity. Hamdi Pasha, Turkish Minister of Police, has issued a decree ordering all Turkish women to discard the European costume and return to the national one; thus obliging them to sacrifice on the altar of patriotism the furred robe, high-heeled boots, the Paris hat, and the chignon itself. But the Constantinople official does not appear to have succeeded, for a correspondent writing from that city states that the ladies make their appearance at the Valley of the Sweet Waters with boots the heels of which are higher than ever, and other articles of attire in accordance.

Four men and three women were drowned at Malognawatch, Cape Breton, on Sunday, by the upsetting of a boat while on their way to church.

John C. Simpson of Oregon county, Mo., has been convicted of illicit distilling. Simpson is fifty years old, was County Judge two years, and has been a Baptist minister twenty years.

The market value of the mines on the Comstock lode in January, 1875, was $271,059,200, and in May, 1877, it is $38,394,800. The authentic news of some journals would say the loss greatly exceeds 250 per centum.

Secretary of War McCrary and General Sherman, General Hancock, Generals Warren and Tower of the U. S. Engineers, and other officials, visited Boston on Monday and inspected the fortifications.

Levi Pyle, the colored boy who attempted to outrage the wife of his employer, and failing in that beat her until he thought she was dead and then threw her into a cistern of water, from which she was rescued alive, was taken from jail at Blandville, Ky., by an armed mob, and dragged to the woods by a rope around his neck. His dead body was afterward found hanging to a tree, riddled with bullets and with the clothing burned off, indicating that the miserable creature was tortured to death.

From recent developments it is established that ninety-seven years ago a revolutionary claim for $8,000 was brought against the government. The latter refused to pay it. It was pressed from time to time, until last winter, when it was taken before Congress, which body gave the claimant the right to go before the Court of Claims with his case. He won it, together with nine-seven years' interest. The government appealed the case to the Supreme Court, which affirmed the decision of the court below, and this spring the claim, which, with interest, amounted to about $51,000, was paid at the Treasury department. In this case procrastination was the thief of money as well as time.

We are informed that the Lowell Machine Shop has been obliged to to take the new cotton mill at Atlanta, Ga., in payment of its claim for furnishing the machinery. The enterprise has thus far proved a failure, the full capital stock not being forthcoming. Northern capital can alone make the enterprise a success. The South is poor. It needs capital; but to get it it must make a radical change in its treatment of Northern republicans. The republican party contains a large share of the capital and enterprise of the country. The Southern prejudice against republicans as such is foolish and pernicious. They are the progressive and expansive element of the country, and the South should welcome them as the West does, with open arms. The South cannot afford to ostracise them either socially or politically.—*Nashua Telegraph.*

New Hampshire Items.

Emmett Lyon, the notorious desperado who broke jail at Manchester and discharged a pistol at the turnkey's wife and escaped, has been apprehended at Springfield, Ill.

Ella Josephine Barrows, daughter of President Barrows of the Tilton Seminary, one of the presiding elders of the Methodist Episcopal Church, was married at Plymouth Tuesday morning to Prof. R. Shipley of Fort Edward, N. Y.

On Wednesday, May 23d, at the opening of the court at Plymouth, counsel for Johnson, the Bristol wife murderer, stated that he wished to withdraw his plea of not guilty, and plead guilty of manslaughter in the first degree. This was accepted, and Johnson was sentenced to ten years in State prison.

Political.

A friend of Cronin of Oregon, who had quite passed out of remembrance, comes forward to say: "He is not a foreigner, but a native of New York; he is a good-looking man, without facial peculiarity, except in the eyes of hostile reporters; he is a strictly temperate man, and one of the best lawyers in Oregon."

We hope it is not true, as reported, that Governor Stone of Mississippi proposes to allow the De Kalb atrocity to die out. The words attributed to him are that it will not do to "stir the thing up." It will never do to let such things rest. If the Governments of the Southern States can fulfill the promises made in their behalf and repress disorders, punish crime and execute the laws, we look to see them do it and prove that "home rule" means the protection of life and the rights of citizens. If they cannot, let them acknowledge it, and admit that home rule means brutal outrage and murder unpunished. Nothing but vigorous and determined action on Governor Stone's part will prevent a wide-spread and well-founded distrust of the power and disposition of local authorities in the Southern States to punish such crimes, when democratic politicians are concerned in them.—*Boston Globe.*

The Petersburg (Va.) *Index-Appeal* intimates that Jeff. Davis' memoirs of the Confederate Government will be likely to make a lively rumpus among the ex-rebel leaders, by revealing the cause of several mysterious misunderstandings between high officials of the Confederate Government while the war continued, and exposing many mistakes by which "the cause" suffered.

The trial of the democratic Sheriff Wallace of Cincinnati, convicted of conniving at the escape of repeaters, ended on Saturday with his sentence, a fine of $500.

The St. Louis *Times*, a democratic paper, speaking of the butchery of the Chisolm family, says: "The plain truth is that not only the State of Mississippi, but the democracy of the Union, is on trial in this matter." And further: "That State and that party cannot afford to lie under the imputation of having aided or permitted those outrages, or of having suffered them to go unavenged."

Ex-Gov. Chamberlain retires with dignity from the office to which the people elected him, but in which he could not be sustained except by the forces of the federal government. He declines the place of Solicitor of the Treasury. The offer and the declination were equally creditable. The President manifested his unabated confidence in the Governor, and the Governor declines to accept anything that might be construed into a compensation for the loss of his position at home, which he has filled with credit and honor, and from which he is driven by revolutionary violence.—*Providence Journal.*

The Krupp Gun.

The name of Krupp is more frequently heard in connection with discussions of war in the East than the names of either the Turkish or Russian commanders, and the engine of war to which his name has been given bears a conspicuously important part in the list of factors to be estimated. But the Krupp gun that is employed in Turkish service is a very different implement from the huge specimen that gave Americans their idea of this species of war engine, at Philadelphia last summer. These guns are made of cast steel, and pure wrought iron, melted in crucibles and then run into large ingots, which are worked under powerful steel hammers. The breech block, in loading, is draw n out far enough to allow the charge and projectile to pass through a hole in its end; an exterior lever working on a hinge starts the block, which, being guided by power grooves, can be readily moved in or out. The larger calibres are from six to fourteen inches. The heaviest Krupp guns used at the siege of Paris were 6-inch, weighing about 6000 pounds, and firing fifty-five to sixty-pound projectiles, and these were opposed to the heaviest French naval guns. The largest Krupp guns weigh about 112,000 pounds, so the range of manufacture must be evident. Turkey, Roumania and Servia were among the first to follow the example of Prussia in the use of the Krupp gun, and Turkey is now well supplied with field artillery of this character.

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" Way,	10.40 "	4.45	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.55,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.55 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.55	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30	"
Dover,	10.20 " 5.55	"

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

FIRE-WORKS LEGISLATION.

We suppose our city authorities have received, in common with those of other cities, the circular letter from the office of the National Board of Fire Underwriters, asking that the manufacture, sale or discharge of fire-crackers or fire-works be forbidden on the approaching Fourth of July. The Fire Underwriters send along with their circular the draft of a law such as they would like to see passed, and a formidable array of statistics, showing that the ruin caused by the fire-cracker has been something prodigious. According to their statement, since 1865 the total loss by fires resulting from the fire-crackers has been $20,000,000. The Fourth last year was an exceptionally fortunate one, but yet $244,000 worth of property was destroyed. It is estimated that for every dollar's worth of fire-crackers imported into this country there has been $100 loss by fire. We do not suppose our city government can bring itself to prohibit so sweepingly as the Fire Underwriters would have it; but it should consider the question carefully, and make whatever regulations are practicable. The following form of ordinance is recommended by the National Board of Fire Underwriters for adoption by cities and towns in the United States:

"No person shall cast, throw or fire any squib, rocket, cracker, torpedo, grenade, or other combustible fireworks or explosive preparation, within the city; and every person, for every such offense shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding five dollars.

It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to sell or offer for sale within the limits of the city, any crackers, squibs, rockets, or other combustible fireworks; provided however, that this section shall not apply to the sale of any such article when sold in the original package as imported, and every offender against any of the provisions of this section shall pay for each and every offense two dollars.

It shall not be lawful for any person or persons to manufacture, within the limits of the city, any crackers, squibs, rockets, or any combustible fireworks, and every offender against the provisions of this section shall forfeit and pay the sum of twenty dollars for each and every offense."

A LIBERAL "SUBSCRIBER."

If there is a possible chance to play a mischievous trick anywhere in the world, the college student will discover the chance and play the trick. At Dartmouth the favorite pastime is to cut up pranks with the ribs and trucks of old Evans, the murderer; but a Rochester (N. Y.) "student" recently studied out a new style of joke, which had the especial merit of making life a burden to one of the Professors and also victimized in a small way nearly every publisher of a daily paper in the country. The New York *Tribune* thus describes this latest invention of that demon, the college student: "A naughty student of Rochester University has made Professor O. H. Robinson very unhappy. The publishers of thirty or forty newspapers received a postal card with this message: 'Please send daily for one year. Will remit soon. Address Professor O. H. Robinson, Rochester University.' The Professor was somewhat alarmed when he found these newspapers swelling his mail every morning, and still he wonder grew when bills for the year's subscription were presented." We may remark, by the way of parenthesis, that Prof. Robinson received the CHRONICLE for a week or so, no doubt to his utter astonishment. And the *Tribune* greatly underrates the number of papers for which the Professor involuntarily subscribed, for the pranks of a student took the *Newspaper Directory* and sent one of his "favors" to nearly every daily paper in the country. We know where that student will go to, some time in the future.

THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

There have recently been made additions to the material resources of the Fire Department, which will render that efficient department still more serviceable than ever. Two thousand feet of new hose has been procured, made by the same firm (Eastman & Co., of Concord,) that manufactured the excellent hose procured last year, the two sets being fitted with nickel-plated couplings.

On Wednesday there arrived a new two-wheeled hose carriage, built by Joseph T. Ryan of South Boston; it is fitted with all the modern improvements, and will carry 1,000 feet of hose and six men. In case of fire the hose company will lay one line of hose while the hosemen attached to the first steamer on the ground are laying another, so that as soon as steam is up two streams of water instead of one can be thrown; and should a fire occur in the outskirts of the city, where a long line of hose is necessary, the new hose carriage and its hose and crew will be of especial value. The four-wheeled hose-carriages are done away with in large cities, the two-wheeled ones being so much more easy to handle. The new carriage cost $750, and is stationed at the Hanover street engine house.

A new supply-wagon has also been procured, to carry coal for the steamers when at work, tubs for fresh water for the boilers, buckets, and all other gear needed around the engines when in actual use. This wagon is at present located under the Court House.

Chief Engineer Marston has had a new attachment made to the suction of Dearborn Steamer, No. 1, which obviates the necessity of handling the suction hose at every fire; the machine was recently tried with the new attachment, steam sufficient to work with was raised in seven minutes, and the trial was entirely satisfactory in every respect.

Sagamore Steamer, No. 2, will be sent to Portland some time this week to receive a new boiler, have her pump bored out, and be put in thorough repair by the company that built her.

The city can congratulate itself in having a Fire Department of which each member, from "the Chief" down, is earnestly interested in the department's attainment to the highest possible standard of efficiency; and the Fire Department Committee of the City Councils, and the entire City Government, display a praiseworthy readiness to give every practicable encouragement and assistance to the Department.

JOTTINGS.

Harry Bloodgood's minstrel and combination troupe appear at Franklin Hall this evening. Reserved seat tickets fifty cents each. This company appeared in Lawrence, Mass., a few evenings ago, and on the following day the *American* gave them the following notice: "City hall was well filled last night to witness the entertainment by the Bloodgood troupe, and the applause was long and loud. Bloodgood has a capital show and excelled all his former efforts. Especially good were the Daly Brothers, clog dancers and Negro and Irish character sketch artists. The audience exhausted itself in recalling them, and they were exhausted in responding. Clayton and Weston gave performances on the full stock of a music store, with several musical instruments of their own invention in addition; and Bloodgood's 'Ole Uncle Rufe' and his lecture on everything mixed, carried the audience into convulsions of laughter."

Mr. N. M. Perkins, formerly of this city and well known as a member of the late Naval Band, has purchased the "Auburn cigar and tobacco store" and business at Lewiston, Me., and settled down there.

The five-mile race for $250 a side, $100 forfeit, between Col. Hilton's "Julius Cæsar" and Mr. Locke's "Kenoza Boy," which was to have taken place on the Dover race course on Saturday, May 26th, is "off" Mr. Locke having withdrawn his horse and paid the forfeit.

The Memorial committee have secured the banquet room in Franklin Block for the preparation of evergreens and flowers, where they request the ladies to meet on Monday, to arrange the same.

According to the annual address of Most Worthy Grand Master John J. Bell of the Most Worthy Grand Lodge of New Hampshire, St. John's Lodge of Masons of this city, is the largest in the State, numbering three hundred and fifteen members. St. Andrew's lodge stands fourth in the list, having a membership of two hundred and thirty-five.

One of the pair of California quails that have occupied a cage in the window of Mr. John S. Sides' saloon for some months past, has laid a dozen eggs, and Mr. Sides expects a flock of quail chickens if all goes well.

A Maypole, cut on the farm of Mr. Samuel Langdon, and by him presented and drawn to Langdon Park on Wednesday, May 23d, was set on the top of the hill, in the centre of the grounds, by the trustees, in the afternoon—that being the date of the settlement of New Hampshire, when David Thompson and his party landed at Odiorne's Point. The public celebration for the pole will be held June 14th, at the Park, at the same time with the parade of the Portsmouth Veteran Artillery to celebrate the centennial of the U. S. Flag. The Maypole is like the original in America, a straight and handsome pine tree fifty feet high.

Moutengerin Women.

Montenegrin women have the same passionate attachment with the men to family and country, and display much of the same valor. Goptchevitch supplies two most remarkable examples. A sister and four brothers, the four of course all armed, are making a pilgrimage or excursion to a church. The state of war with the Turk being normal, we need not wonder when we learn that they are attacked unawares on their way, in a pass where they proceed in single file, by seven armed Turks, who announce themselves by shooting dead the first of the brothers and dangerously wounding the second. The odds are fearful but the fight proceeds. The wounded man leans against the rock, and though he receives another and fatal shot, kills two of the Turks before he dies. The sister then presses forward, and grasps his rifle and his dagger. At last all are killed on both sides, excepting herself and a single Turk. She asks for mercy, and he promises it, but names her maidenly honor as the price. Indignant, and perceiving that now he is off his guard, she stabs him with the dagger. He tears it from her hand, they close and she dashes the wretch over the steep precipice into the yawning depth below. The second anecdote is not less singular. Tidings reach a Montenegrin wife that her husband has just been slain by a party under the command of a certain Aga. Knowing the road by which they are travelling, she seizes a rifle, chooses her position, and shoots the Aga dead. The rest of the party take to flight. The wife of the dead Aga sends her an epistle. "Thou hast robbed me of both my eyes. Thou art a genuine daughter of Tsernagora. Come to-morrow alone to the border-line, and we will prove by trial which of us was the bettter wife." The Tsernagorine appeared, equipped with the arms of the dead Aga, and alone, as she was invited. But the Turkish woman had thought prudence the better part of valor, and brought an armed champion with her, who charged her on horseback. She shot him dead as he advanced, and, seizing her faithless antagonist, bound her and took her home, kept her as a nursemaid for fourteen years, and then let her go back to her place and people.—*W. E. Gladstone, in Nineteenth Century.*

—A turkey supper—A pint of corn.

—The botanical reporter of the New York *Tribune* begins the season after his last years' style. He says "flowering almonds make Carroll Park fragrant," whereas the flowering almond has no more odor than a snowball.

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You are hereby notified that the Report of the Commissioner of Insolvency on said estate will be offered for acceptance at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in said county, on the second Tuesday of July next, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where you may appear and show cause, if any you have, against the acceptance of said report.

And it is ordered that Josiah S. Bailey, the Administrator of said estate, give notice by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said county, the last publication thereof to be at least one week prior to said court.

Dated May 18th, A. D. 1877.

By order of the Judge.
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Perhaps the most lamentable circumstance in connection with the frauds and failures that have happened during the last three years is the fact that it seems possible for a man to be guilty of almost any delinquency in regard to money, and yet to retain his social position if his dishonesty be only on a sufficiently large scale. To give an instance in point: A man came to a friend for a loan of $100,000 and the friend, with very great difficulty, managed to oblige him. Within a few weeks the borrower failed, having, meanwhile, settled largely on his wife, and his failure caused the ruin of the lender. Not long since the latter observed to a friend, with great emotion, "I have experienced to-day the greatest insult I ever had in my life. That fellow, P., who ruined me, positively had the audacity to ask me to drive up town in his carriage, which, with its liveried servants, was at his office door." The P.'s are reported to "live delightfully," and their dinners and parties are greatly in request. The head of another firm, which failed at over $6,000,000 not long ago, and haven't paid one cent on the dollar, lives with similar elegance. As long as the doers of such deeds are exempt from social ostracism, commercial morality will remain what it is. —*N. Y. Sun.*

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—After a careful perusal of his obituaries, Alexander Stephens is said to have declared that from them he has learned of incidents in his life and traits of character of which hitherto he had been profoundly ignorant.

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Gold	106½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112½
United States Five-Twenties, 1868 coupon	111½
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N. H. State 6s, 1875	111½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1896	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	56½
Portsm. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	92½
Boston & Maine	92
Boston & Providence	117½
Boston & Albany	116½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	56½
Eastern dividend in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	109½
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	43½
Northern N. H.	85½
Old Colony & Newport	21½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	10½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	80½

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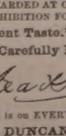

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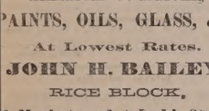

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below the water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within twenty-four from the promulgation of this ordinance, and thereafter on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting to do so, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect, a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal in any kind about their stalls or stores over night, nor shall they be allowed to throw into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall use the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the Health Officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, yard or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by section of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, yard or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, so placed that offensive substances therefrom will be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other wholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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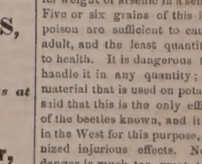

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 150.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

All who have been taught anything relative to the first settlements of our State, have been taught that the first were in Portsmouth and Dover, in 1623. But the place where these began in Portsmouth was not in what is now the compact part of the town, in fact, not in what is any part of Portsmouth now. The place was included in the town at first and for some years. When Rye was constituted in 1726, it was made up of a part of Hampton and a part of Portsmouth. The place where the settlers landed and began operations, was afterwards named Little Harbor, also Odiorne's Point. It is about three miles from Market Square, in a southerly direction.

In November, 1871, being in Portsmouth, I walked out there to plant my feet on the spot where the settlement of the State was commenced, and to see what is there to be seen. One lone house, a handsome farm residence is there. The owner and occupant was found to be Mr. Eben L. Odiorne. It was found by conversation with him and documents in my possession, that the name Odiorne's Point came of his family, a long line of his ancestors having resided there, running through about two hundred and sixteen years. The first of the name, who came over the water and lived in Portsmouth so far as I know, was John Odiorne. He was in town in 1657, and if not at Little Harbor then, was in 1660. He had a son, Deacon John Odiorne, who, it is said, lived at the same place. Descendants followed down to Eben L. Odiorne, already named. That line of geneology it is not intended to give. But the first John had a son besides Deacon John, whose name was Jotham. He was born about 1675, and in 1724 was one of the Counsellors of the Colonial government. Farmer says he resided at Newcastle. He died Aug. 16, 1748, aged 73 years. Deacon John, above named, had a son Ebenezer, who lived in Greenland. He had the title of Captain. Capt. Odiorne had a son, who settled in Exeter. This was Deacon Thomas Odiorne. He was living in the latter part of the last century, I think. The name Odiorne was in Exeter, but a few years since, and may be now, and probably are descendants of this old Odiorne family.

Ex-Gov. Edward Kent,

Of Maine, a native of Concord, this State, died at Bangor, on Saturday, May 19, aged seventy-five years. He was a graduate of Harvard, and among his classmates were Ralph Waldo Emerson and Josiah Quincy. He was a lawyer by profession, and was governor of Maine from 1838 to 1840. His election in September, 1840, gave great encouragement to the whig party, and was the precursor of Harrison's triumph. It was this victory that gave rise to the campaign refrain:

"Have you heard the news from Maine, Maine, Maine,
How she went, hell bent,
For Governor Kent?"

Judge Kent helped to form the republican party in Maine, and in 1859 he was appointed an associate justice of the Supreme Court of Maine, serving until 1873. He was a fine specimen of the old school gentleman, lawyer and politician.

P. B. and Paris Green.

Prof. S. Dana Hayes, State Assayer of Massachusetts, writes as follows to the Boston *Journal* regarding the use of Paris green to kill potato bugs:

"Will you oblige me by publishing these few lines on Paris green for potato bugs, in reply to several correspondents. Paris green (known by a variety of other names,) is a fine powder composed of arsenic, copper and acetic acid, and contains about half its weight of arsenic in a semi-soluble form. Five or six grains of this irritant metallic poison are sufficient to cause death in an adult, and the least quantity is deleterious to health. It is dangerous to inhale or to handle it in any quantity; and this is the material that is used on potato plants. It is said that this is the only efficient destroyer of the beetles known, and it has been used in the West for this purpose, without recognized injurious effects. Nevertheless the danger is much too great to permit its use by New England farmers. It is not known that the arsenic or copper is absorbed by the plant; they may be; but assuming that they are not, then the dangers attending the common mode of digging and gathering potatoes from the adhesion of particles of the poison, in a soil upon which it has been scattered, the danger in distributing it and in placing it in the hands of the workmen, and the danger to animals, such as poultry, hogs, sheep and even dogs, who may venture into the fields, make only part of a list of dangers that may be readily brought to mind. And when we add to this that the effects of metallic poisoning may not be observed for months, or years in some cases, there is certainly reason for saying that the indiscriminate use of Paris green on these plants may be more disastrous in its results than the loss of several crops of potatoes. I cannot suggest any harmless chemical agent that will drive off the bugs; but do not use any metallic poison."

—Some extraordinary births have been recently reported at Hartford. A twenty-pound child came into the world there the other day, and it is now stated that a German woman gave birth to five children last week, all of whom are now living.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, MAY 25, 1877.

The Era of Good Feeling.

The Meridian (Miss.) *Mercury* is a representative democratic paper of that State; was one of the earliest and most outspoken advocates of the "Mississippi plan" (*i. e.*, murder,) in politics, home rule in State government, Tilden's election, etc. Commenting on the cowardly and brutal murder of Judge Chisolm and other republicans, including Judge Chisolm's son and sixteen-years-old daughter, by an armed mob of democrats, the *Mercury* says: "April 29, in DeKalb, never ought to be investigated, and if wisdom and statesmanship prevail, never will be. On that day the higher law, which antedates common law and all other law, ousted them and all their ministers of jurisdiction, and for a brief period of time, sufficient to its purposes, held sway. Its judgments were final. No court is competent to distub them. Every attempt to review them will be both futile and mischievous. Special instructions to grand jurors are likely to go unheeded, and to save an exhibition of their impotency, had best not be given." But notwithstanding the *Mercury's* advice and prophecies, Governor Stone of Mississippi shows a disposition to "stir this thing up" after all. He has called a special session of the Court in Kemper County for the purpose of having the murder of Judge Chisolm and others investigated. Now the question is whether a Grand Jury will be found to do its duty fearlessly.

The era of good feeling in Louisiana is wonderful to contemplate. Two negro postmasters for Feliciana parish have arrived at their destination and been notified that they would be killed if they remained, unless they resigned their office. On Saturday night last, at Jackson, James Law, a colored Representative in the last Legislature, was assassinated at his door by a body of armed white men, and no arrests have been made. Postmasters Chapman of Clinton and Dula of St. Francisville, both educated negroes, have written Postmaster-General Key full details of these affairs. Probably as soon as the bull-dozers have murdered or driven out of the State every white republican, and every "nigger" who can read, the era of good feeling will set in some more.

A Nest of Pirates.

A vessel commanded by Capt. Rideout was lost on the French shore of Newfoundland in 1874. A St. Johns paper says a person from Bonne Bay relates the following: The Captain had $1000 on his person at the time. The craft went ashore near a hut occupied by an old hunter, known as "Jacko." All the crew got ashore and built a tent. A certain "B. W.," with the members of his family, understood to be hunters, wreckers, etc., visited the tent and offered to pilot the crew to the channel. The offer was accepted, and while the party were crossing a pond, the crew were shot, three falling at the first volley. The "W's" cut a hole in the ice and put the bodies down, after robbing them. Jacko, aware of the circumstances, was bought over, but becoming sick, confessed. The informant also states that a Nova Scotian craft fishing there found on the shore the remains of the captain, named Sterling, fearfully chopped up. The people are confident the crew were all murdered by the same gang. Many other vessels and crews, he believes, met with the same fate. He further states that the people at Port au Port do little else than plunder. In his opinion they would not hesitate to use lights to decoy vessels on the shore. The matter has been placed in the hands of the Chief of Police of St. Johns to investigate. It is said the officers of Her Majesty's ship Eclipse, visiting the shore now, will be directed to seek information relative to the crime.

The War.

A despatch received in London from Erzeroum, Thursday morning, stated that a desperate battle was in progress around Batoum, the Grand Duke Michael having been reinforced by 20,000 men. The Russians are closely investing Kars, with 90,000 men. A force of 8000 Turks is shut up in a small fortified town thirty miles from Ardahan, being unable to reach Mukhtar Pasha or to retreat. The Circassian revolt is becoming more alarming to the Russians, and the Mahommedan insurrection in the Crimea is spreading.

Hobart Pasha is trying his hand at alarming the Russians from Sebastopol to Odessa. His main fleet, reported to consist of three monitors and five broadside frigates, is hovering around the coast at the mouth of the Dnieper, threatening Kinburn and Odessa, while other detachments menace the Crimea. The description of his vessels, as counted from Odessa, indicates very closely their identity. The "monitors" are first-class turreted frigates, each of 10,000 tons and twenty-six guns, mostly ten-inch rifles. The frigates are all about 6500 tons and twenty-one guns, nine-inch calibre. These ships are the best and most powerful in the Turkish navy. If any force threatens Odessa it is likely to be these vessels, and Hobart Pasha is likely to be their commander. To oppose them the Russians have their two Popoff kas at Nicolaieff and a coast town with torpedoes. The Russian generals are massing all available men and material along that portion of the coast which seems to be threatened.

Despatches from London say negotiations between England and Russia in relation to a demarcation line to be observed during the war, are proceeding quietly, and are expected to result in a satisfactory termination.

The Servian reserves have been called out, to meet fully armed and ready for immediate service.

The Roumanian chambers have voted to suppress the annual tribute paid to the Porte. This action is merely supplementary to the declaration of Roumania's independence of Turkey.

The *North German Gazette* states that Russia has declared to Tunis that if military or pecuniary aid is rendered to the Sultan the Bey must prepare to see his capital bombarded. The Tunis Government is also disquieted by the concentration of a French force on its frontier.

News and Notes.

Barque Pharo, at Halifax from London, reports that she ran into the barque Ella Vose on the Newfoundland banks on the 17th of May. She struck her amidships, and while the vessels were together the first officer and five men escaped from the Ella Vose to the Pharo. After the vessels separated nothing was seen of the Ella Vose, which was loaded with corn, from Baltimore for Queenstown. The weather was foggy at the time.

Bears are very bold in Milo, Me. There have been fifteen or more sheep and lambs killed there this Spring, and a number bitten. Friday night, May 18th, C. M. Herrick had three sheep killed; on Saturday a company of men watched for bruin, who made his appearance about ten o'clock in the evening. Mr. D. B. Tolman fired at him, breaking his leg. The bear ran for the woods, and the men after him; after following him about one mile through the woods and shooting ten bullets into him he was killed. He weighed 325 pounds.

Fred Smith, aged fourteen, and Howard Abbott, aged twelve, both sons of well known citizens of Biddeford, left town Wednesday for parts unknown. Young Smith carried off with him $119 belonging to his brother. The police are making diligent search. Herbert West, aged fourteen, and Charles Bradbury, same age, disappeared on Monday, and nothing has been heard of them since. These precocious youths have no doubt been luxuriating in dime novels, or reading "*The Boys of New York*," which is about on a par with the dime novel literature.

Another rotten building has fallen, with fatal results. At Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on Wednesday, a large brick block in course of construction fell in, burying some twenty men in the ruins. One man was taken out dead in a short time, and four or five others who cannot live; while others had limbs broken, ribs crushed, faces stove up and disfigured, and were otherwise injured.

The Town Hall presented to the town of Ayer, Mass., by Dr. J. C. Ayer, in consideration of its adoption of that name, has been pronounced unsafe for use by a competent architect, and in accordance with this decision the town authorities have forbidden the using or letting of the hall. The architect found the rafters unable to support the great weight upon the roof, and not being properly secured at the base the walls are pushed outward several inches to such an extent that any sudden jar would cause the fall of the structure.

The city forester of Boston likes the English sparrows. He says their introduction there is attended with great benefit, almost beyond all calculation in the destruction of caterpillars and canker worms, and he denies that they molest or interfere with any other bird.

A Paris despatch to the London *Times*, under date May 23d, has the following: France will doubtless pronounce overwhelmingly against President MacMahon at the elections, even if the Senate gives a majority in favor of dissolution, which is very doubtful. The refusal of the Senate to authorize dissolution would inevitably cause MacMahon's resignation.

United States District Attorney Howard estimates the number of murders committed in Utah since the Mormons made their settlement at Salt Lake City at 600. Until 1871 no person was ever even indicted by the courts for that crime; and since that time only one murderer has been convicted and executed, viz., John D. Lee, for his participation in the Mountain Meadow massacre.

The dead body of Hon. William N. Matson of Hartford, Conn., who was last seen alive on board steamer Granite State on a trip to New York, Dec. 29, 1876, was picked up in the Sound, near Ricker's Island, on Wednesday. His gold watch was still in his pocket.

In Mississippi there is already active preparation for the Fall campaign, but quiet reigns in Kemper County. All the wounded men and women have died, and Gov. Stone, good, easy man, doesn't want to "stir this thing up."—*Tribune.*

New Hampshire Items.

During the past three months a large number of bold burglaries have been committed in Manchester, until hardly a merchant felt safe in leaving his store unprotected. Wednesday evening four French Canadians were arrested on suspicion. Large quantities of property were found, connecting them with eight burglaries. The others of the gang are still at large.

It is understood that Johnson, the Bristol wife murderer, confessed to killing his wife by drowning her in Pemigewasset river, near New Hampton bridge, on the 5th of April, 1876. His counsel, to whom he confessed, refuses to make his confession public, but it is understood that he first made his wife unconscious by liquor and ether, and then threw her into the river.

The following officers have been appointed on the staff of the first Brigade New Hampshire Volunteer Militia: A. W. Smith, Concord, Assistant Adjutant-General; David Urch, Portsmouth, Assistant Inspector-General; Ezekiel Morrill, Concord, Medical Director, each with the rank of major; George W. Nichols, Manchester, Brigade Quartermaster, John S. Rowell, Exeter, Brigade Commissary, Herbert Taylor, New London, Aid-de-Camp, each with the rank of captain; William G. Kidder, Portsmouth, Aid-de-Camp, with the rank of first lieutenant.

Alec Rand and Gus. Lambert, two young men of Manchester, have been arrested for numerous buglaries and thefts in that city, and considerable stolen property recovered. The evidence against them is conclusive, and they acknowledge their guilt. They will doubtless go to State prison.

A Unique Fact of History.

In January, 1795, the French entered Amsterdam under the command of Pichegru, who, compelled to obey the formal orders of the committee of the French nation, unwillingly conquered Holland. He was afraid of exposing his army to certain destruction in case the Hollanders once more cut their dikes, but the severity of the winter allowed him to cross the frozen rivers with his artillery, and soon squadrons of cavalry crossing the solidified waters, marched to the extremity of North Holland and captured the Dutch fleet, which was imprisoned by the ice in the port of Helder—a unique fact of history, which certainly authorized Pichegru's troopers to be entitled horse marines, and perhaps originated that expression. The call of "All hands on deck to repel mounted boarders!" must have astonished the ancient mariners of the Batavian Navy. Think of an admiral striking his flag to a colonel of dragoons, or a company of hussars picketing their roughshod horses on the spar-deck of a frigate!

—A Russian has invented an "electric candle" which promises to give the gas companies pause. Six of them in a public hall in Paris, gave a light equal to that from one hundred Argand gas burners.

—The deformity of unequal limbs is now obviated by making the longer limb shorter. Apparatus has been contrived by means of which a peculiar fracture of the thigh bone is produced. When the injury is repaired by nature shortening results and the deformity no longer exists. So it is said.

—At a recent meeting of the French Anthropological Society a long report was read proving that, notwithstanding the priests' exertions, Druidism is not quite extinct in Brittany, where some of the people still adhere to pagan practices. This causes the clergy to desire to destroy druidical remains, and a petition has been made to the government against such iconoclasm.

PROPOSALS FOR RATIONS.

HEADQUARTERS MARINE CORPS,
QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON,
1 May, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, M., of Tuesday, the 12th day of June next, for furnishing RATIONS to the U. S. Marines at one or more of the following stations, from 1 July, 1877, to 30 June, 1878:

PORTSMOUTH, New Hampshire.
CHARLESTOWN, Massachusetts.
BROOKLYN, New York.
WASHINGTON CITY, District of Columbia.
GOSPORT, near Norfolk, Virginia.
ANNAPOLIS, Maryland.
MARE ISLAND, California.

Each ration to consist of twelve ounces of Pork or Bacon, or one pound and four ounces of salt or Fresh Beef; eighteen ounces of soft Bread or Flour, or twelve ounces of Hard Bread or one pound and four ounces of Cornmeal; and to every one hundred rations fifteen pounds of Beans or Peas, or ten pounds of Rice or Hominy, ten pounds of Green Coffee or eight pounds Roasted (or roasted and ground) Coffee, or one pound and eight ounces of Tea; fifteen pounds of Sugar; four quarts of Vinegar; one pound and four ounces of Adamantine or Star Candles; four pounds of Soap; three pounds and twelve ounces of Salt and four ounces of Pepper.

The rations are to be delivered upon the order of the commanding officer of each station, the Fresh Beef, either in quarters or by the single ration, of good quality, with an equal proportion of hind and fore quarters, necks and kidney tallow to be excluded; the Pork, New York; the Flour known as extra superfine in the market of the place where the station is located; the Coffee, good Rio; the Sugar, good New Orleans or its equivalent; and the Beans, Vinegar, Candles, Soap, Salt, etc., to be of good quality.

All subject to inspection.

A guarantee, signed by two persons, whose responsibility must be certified by a United States District Judge, District Attorney, or Collector, must accompany each proposal.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied by such guarantee. Blank forms of proposal can be obtained upon application at any of the marine stations.

Newspapers authorized to publish the above will send the paper containing the first insertion to this office for examination.

Proposals to be indorsed, "Proposals for Rations," and addressed to the undersigned.

WILLIAM B. SLACK,
Major and Quartermaster, U. S. Marine Corps.

PROPOSALS FOR FUEL.

HEADQUARTERS MARINE CORPS,
QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, WASHINGTON,
3 May, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock M., of Thursday, the 7th day of June next, for supplying WOOD and COAL to U. S. Marines at one or more of the following places, during fiscal year ending 30 June, 1878.

The Wood to be merchantable Oak, and to be delivered, piled, measured and inspected, at such points within the limits of the Marine Barracks, as may be designated by the commanding Marine Officer, free of expense to the United States.

The Coal to be good White Ash Anthracite Egg Coal, free from dust, and to weigh 2240 pounds to the ton, to be inspected by the commanding Marine Officer, and delivered at such points within the limits of the Marine Barracks as may be designated by him, free of expense to the United States; and both Wood and Coal to be furnished upon the monthly or quarterly requisition of the Commanding Officer, showing the quantities required in accordance with regulations, viz.: At

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180 tons of Coal.
20 cords of Wood.
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15 tons of Coal.
75 cords of Wood.
WASHINGTON, D. C.
(Including Guard at Naval Magazine.)
120 tons of Coal.
250 cords of Wood.
ANNAPOLIS, MD.
40 cords of Wood.
GOSPORT, VA.
50 tons of Coal.
80 cords of Wood.
MARE ISLAND, CAL.
50 cords of Wood.
100 tons of Coal.

(With the privilege of increasing the quantity one third.)

The Wood and Coal furnished at Washington city to be measured, weighed and certified by the Government Inspector appointed by the Navy Department, and the expense attending such inspection, &c., paid by the contractor.

Blank forms of proposals can be obtained upon application at any of the marine posts.

Payments will be made upon receipt of accounts duly authenticated by the commanding officers of the posts at which wood or coal has been delivered. The right is reserved to reject all bids considered unreasonable.

A guaranty, to be signed by two responsible persons, who are responsibility must be certified to by the United States District Attorney or United States Collector, must accompany each proposal, otherwise it will not be considered.

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Brewster's Box,
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East (beyond Portland)	8.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	8.45 "	4.45 "
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Concord Way,	"	4.35† "
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Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
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Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
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THOUGHT HE LOOKED GUILTY.

For a few days past an agent has been in this city, endeavoring to introduce a really useful article of household convenience, and one of his patrons was a certain lawyer whose name was for some years prominent in Police Court reports, though not as defendant or counsel. The agent having performed his work entirely to his customer's satisfaction, the latter drew a check for $40, and the agent sought fresh fields and pastures new. Entering "the finest hotel in New England," he sought to make a trade with the landlord, incidentally remarking that he had just finished with Mr. ——, "and here is his check for forty dollars," exhibiting it. The landlord looked sadly at the check, then at the agent, and then back at the check. "What's the matter?" asked the agent, a little flurried; "isn't this check good?" Without giving a direct answer the landlord called to a gentleman not far off reading a paper, and who had seen and heard all that passed, "Aaron, just look here a moment, please." Up came "Aaron," looked at the check, and then asked mine host contemptuously, "Where did you get that?" "This? his, it's mine," broke in the now thoroughly wretched agent; "isn't it worth anything?" "Well, *I* don't want to give you forty dollars for it," said "Aaron," and the agent was in despair. As it was then past bank hours the poor man could not at once put the worth of his check to the test, so he walked down street, vowing vengeance dire if it should turn out to be worthless. Meeting a hardware merchant whom he was slightly acquainted with he showed him the check, told his suspicions and asked if they were well founded. "Well," returned the merchant, "the fact is, I don't want any trouble with Mr. ——, and I'd rather say nothing about it." This was too much, and chucking the check in his vest pocket the agent exclaimed, "I'll be blessed ["blessed" is a free translation of the word he actually used] if I didn't *think* he looked guilty when he was writing it!" What the poor man thought of his wicked tormentors, when his check was promptly cashed on presentation Thursday morning, we do not know; but we presume they will scoot if they see him coming within a day or two.

FISHY.

There has been this Spring a scarcity of bait very unfortunate for the fishermen out of this port. There has been an unusually good school of fish on the fishing-grounds in the neighborhood of the Shoals, and when the fishermen could get bait they have been generally rewarded with good fares. Large schools of herring have been hanging around, but amounted to nothing as a bait-supply, as the herring would not "mesh" in the nets owing to the "firing" of the water. The weirs at the head of the river and Great Bay have furnished large quantities of alewives for bait, and had it not been for them the outside fishermen would have been even worse off than they have been; and as it was, even if they got good fares the cost of the bait took up a large share of what would otherwise have been profits.

Lobsters have been more plentiful this season than for some years past, some of the fishermen getting more than they could dispose of. They are smaller than the average, but "hard-shelled," well filled out and heavy, and finely flavored.

Many of the boats are fitting out to "drag" for mackerel, which if successful pays better than cod-fishing.

We find a great diversity of opinion among the fishermen regarding the effect trawling has on the numbers of fish. About half the fishermen are confident that trawling has greatly reduced the fish in numbers and in size, and that the thinning out is evident from year to year; the other half maintain that the fish are as plenty as ever, but that they do not strike close in on the coast in such numbers as formerly, as the trawling on off-shore grounds keeps them baited up so that they can get enough to eat in deep water. It is in this way the latter theorists account for the fact that where large, marketable fish used to be caught in large numbers on hand-lines,—say just outside of Whale's-back,—it is now rare to catch anything bigger than a cunner, or cod a foot long.

DOWN WITH THE FIRE-CRACKER.

Every paper that has commented at all on the move made by the National Board of Underwriters (and a great many of them have done so) to do away with the fire-cracker-style of celebrating the Fourth of July, has thoroughly supported the measures advocated by the insurance men. Several cities—Boston for one—have decided to have no public exhibitions of fireworks this year, though we do not know that any have prohibited private exhibitions. As a sample of how the papers in the large cities talk we give the following from the Boston *Post:*

"There has been more or less war made upon the fire-cracker ever since the oldest inhabitant burned his fingers with his first pack, and various reasonable grounds of opposition have been urged. It offends all the senses that take cognizance of it and accomplishes no definite purpose except to stimulate a depraved taste in the 'unspeakable' small boy. It frightens horses, disturbs invalids, and—most potent objection of all—it destroys property—not by the hundreds but by the millions of dollars. For this latter reason the public generally ought to sympathize and co-operate with the fire insurance companies, which through the National Board of Underwriters have begun a crusade against Fourth of July fire-crackers and other loose pyrotechnics. The figures that are given to support this action and show the bad effects of these commercial pests, it is not necessary to reproduce; if they are correct, as is probable, they are conclusive, and ought to stir local governments to adopt measures of protection. Another reason why these ancient nuisances should be abandoned is the desirability of reforming the public taste. There are methods of entertainment, more refining, but not more expensive, that a little pains on the part of public-spirited people would easily put in the place of the offensive practices now indulged in, and the masses would be better for the change. The present year is a good one in this city to try something of that kind."

A strong argument against fireworks can be drawn by their enemies from an incident which occurred in Metz, Germany, May 7th, when the roof of the magnificent cathedral, which was over five centuries in building and is one of the finest Gothic piles in the world, was destroyed by a fire kindled by fireworks. It was only by the desperate exertions of the firemen and all the troops of the garrison that the fire was confined to the roof, and had there been any wind the whole edifice would have been wrapped in flames, inflicting a damage not to be estimated in dollars and cents.

The people of Portland we presume need no warning as to the peril involved in the setting off of fireworks in what is generally the hottest and dryest season of the year, having learned that lesson thoroughly over ten years ago; that once-destroyed city sternly sits down on the whole fireworks business; and it would seem that a precaution which it is sensible for a city to take after it is well nigh ruined, would be quite as properly taken by cities that have not yet been laid in ashes. Locking the stable door after the steed is stolen is all very well, but it is better to lock it while the horse is still in his stall.

THE APPROPRIATION BILL.

The following is the annual appropriation bill, as it passed the Common Council on Thursday evening, May 24th:

SECTION 1. There shall be raised and is hereby ordered to be raised on the polls and estates of the inhabitants of the city and non-residents, to pay the current expenses of the city for the year ending December 31, 1877, and to pay such debts of the city as are required to be paid the current year, the sum of $146,860.79, which with the sums to be received from the railroad and savings bank taxes, and other income of the city, shall be appropriated as follows:

State Tax	$20,269 00
County Tax	22,650 79
City Debt	5000 00
Interest	9000 00
Streets	7000 00
Fire Department	10,500 00
Support of the Poor	7000 00
Police	1100 00
Street Lights	2300 00
Repairs and Rent of Schoolhouses	2500 00
Watch	4300 00
Printing	700 00
Roads & Bridges out of compact part of city	700 00
Schools (in addition to Literary Fund)	23,500 00
Collector's Commission	800 00
Sidewalks	1000 00
Sewers	1300 00
Sprinkling Streets	500 00
Health Committee	500 00
Expenses prior to 1877	1000 00
Celebration of Independence	100 00
Repairs of Alms House	300,00
Salaries	5900 00
Hose Tower and Stable	4700 00
Discount on Taxes	6500 00
New Hose and Carriage	3600 00
Contingent	5600 00
Memorial Day	100 00
	$146,860,79

In the Board of Aldermen the bill was read and referred.

JOTTINGS.

The last half of Mr. Lamprey's dancing school in Congress Hall commences on Saturday, May 26th.

The Common Council on Thursday evening passed an ordinance licensing and governing hacks, carts, drays and job wagons doing business at the railroad stations and steamboat landings. The Aldermen referred the ordinance to the proper committee.

The Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company are putting up a second line of wire between this city and Dover. Two new offices were opened by this company on Thursday, one at Nashville, Tenn., tariff (from this city) 25 cents, former tariff $1.-50; and one at New Bedford, Mass., tariff 25 cents, former tariff 40 cents.

A meeting of the ex-soldiers and sailors was held at the Common Council chamber Wednesday evening, to take action for participation in the general exercises of Memorial Day. A company organization was formed, and it was voted that the veterans meet at the old Masonic hall in Franklin block, (entrance on Fleet street) on Wednesday next at 12:30 o'clock, to revive the old drill, previous to being assigned to one of the divisions of the procession. Members will appear in dark clothes and hat with white gloves. A committee was appointed to communicate by mail with the soldiers and sailors who were not present at the meeting, and also with those residing in Kittery, relative to their participation in the memorial exercises.

The navy yard anchor-hoy was on Thursday taken up to Portsmouth bridge to assist the wrecking schooner which is engaged in trying to raise the sunken schooner Ceres. The bow of the Ceres is deeply embedded in sand, which the force of the strong tides has packed solid around her, and the divers are finding it extremely difficult to work. But little hope is entertained of raising the vessel.

Eastern railroad stock sold in Boston on Wednesday at $2.50; Portland, Saco & Portsmouth, $80; Kearsarge Mills at $41.

We are credibly informed that two young men of this city were about ten days since discovered at an early hour in the morning indulging in the pastime of shooting birds in Harmony Grove Cemetery. Is it not possible that we have now found out in them the names of those marauders who rob graves of flowers and other friendly tokens that have been left exposed on the tombs of our departed?

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You are hereby notified that the Report of the Commissioner of insolvency on said estate will be offered for acceptance at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in said county, on the second Tuesday of July next, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where you may appear and show cause, if any you have, against the acceptance of said report.

And it is ordered that Joseph S. Haley, the Administrator of said estate, give notice by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said county, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said court.

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Gold	106¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	111¼
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1879	111¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103¼
Eastern R. R. scrip	58¼
Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway 7s	64¼
Boston & Lowell R. R.	63¼
Boston & Maine	92
Boston & Providence	117¼
Boston & Albany	116¼
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	58
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	109¼
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	63¼
Northern N. H.	65¼
Old Colony & Newport	91¼
Portsmouth, Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	56¼

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Butter, per lb 23 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 14c.
Flour, Fancy, 10¼ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12¼
Fish per ¾ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 2¼
Hay per ton, $16 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 22
Lard per pound, 12¼ cents.
Land Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., ft. Cuba 48 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bll., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ¾, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ¾, Br. 11 @ 12c; Gr. 13; Crushed 13¼.
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NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

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Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements has for made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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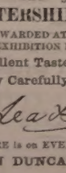

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FOR GREAT FALLS AND WOLFEBORO' 10:56 A. M., 5:41 P. M.
FOR NORTH CONWAY 10:06 A. M.
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FROM WOLFEBORO' 8:40, A. M., 2:50 P. M.
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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ers or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the premulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to have any state or tubs, pails, pieces of offal of any kind about their sta ls or stores over night, nor suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall upon such refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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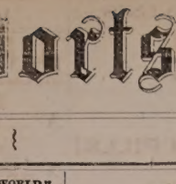

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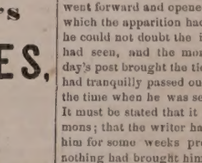

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

An Authentic Apparition.

A writer in the current number of the *Church Quarterly Review* vouches for the following marvellous incident: "The fact is that *this* class of what are called "ghost stories' is so numerous, and so thoroughly well authenticated, that the hesitation would rather be as to whether they be properly supernatural at all. We mean that the question arises whether it may not be possible in the nature of things—under certain circumstances—for the departing spirit to manifest itself to distant friends at the instant, the fleeting moment, of transition from this world to the other? If any one replies, if so, why is it not even *more* common? our answer is easy. There are numbers of things quite natural which are much *more* uncommon than the well-ascertained instances of this class of events. In the house in which these pages are written a tall and wide staircase window, with a northern aspect, throws a strong side-light on the entrance into the chief living-room, which stands at the end of a passage running nearly the length of the house. It was after midday, in midwinter, many years since, that the writer left his study, which opens into the passage just mentioned, on his way to his early dinner. The day was rather foggy, but there was no density of vapor, yet the door at the end of the passage seemed obscured by mist. As he advanced, the mist, so to call it, gathered into one spot, deepened, and formed itself into the outline of a human figure, the head and shoulders becoming more and more distinct, while, the rest of the body seemed enveloped in a gauzy, cloak-like vestment of many folds, reaching downward so as to hide the feet, and from its width, as it rested on the flagged passage, giving a pyramidal outline. The full light of the window fell on the object, which was so thin and tenuous in its consistency that the light on the panels of a highly varnished door was visible through this lower part of the dress. It was altogether colorless, a statue carved in mist. The writer was so startled, that he is uncertain whether he moved forward or stood still. He was rather astonished than terrified, for his first notion was that he was witnessing some hitherto unnoticed effect of light and shade. He had no thought of anything supernatural, till, as he gazed, the head was turned toward him, and he at once recognized the features of a very dear friend. The expression of his countenance was that of holy, peaceful repose, and the gentle, kindly aspect which it wore in daily life was intensified (so the writer, in recalling the sight, has ever since felt) into a parting glance of deep affection. And then, in an instant, all passed away. The writer can only compare the manner of the evanescence to the way in which a jet of steam is dissipated on exposure to cold air. Hardly, till then, did he realize that he had been brought into close communion with the supernatural. The result was great awe, but no terror, so that instead of retreating to his study, he went forward and opened the door close to which the apparition had stood. Of course he could not doubt the import of what he had seen, and the morrow's or the next day's post brought the tidings that his friend had tranquilly passed out of this world at the time when he was seen by the writer. It must be stated that it was a sudden summons; that the writer had heard nothing of him for some weeks previously, and that nothing had brought him to his thoughts on the day of his decease."

Harvard College Morals.

Harvard College students are sensitive upon the reproaches cast upon them for their connection with the recent Soldene exhibition in this city. They say the stories of their attendance upon these performances have been greatly exaggerated. There was some indiscretion on their part when the troupe first came here last December, but on its second visit the numbers who witnessed the performances were much smaller. The young men say they bear the blame of the sins of others, for well-dressed youth who have no connection with the college are often supposed to be its students. I suppose the truth is that there is about the same amount of human nature among these young men that will be found in five or six hundred youth with as little restraint anywhere. It would be strange indeed if some of them did not make asses of themselves by following after these women. The great bulk of the students, however, should be exempt from reproach in this connection. They come from good families, and have brought with them the effect of home influences. There never was a time when study was more faithful at Harvard College than it is to-day, and if the rules of discipline in some respects are relaxed, those exacting study are more severe than ever before. The moral atmosphere of the college is not as bad as has been represented, and a larger proportion of the students are faithful to their opportunities than in earlier years. If a boy be naturally bad, there will be no difficulty in his finding bad company, in any city, if away from home; but there is plenty of good company, too, in Harvard college, and it is not made unattractive by any means. It is as safe to send a boy there as to any other city, provided he comes well fortified by good tastes, sound principles, and worthy aspirations.—*Boston Cor. Hartford Courant.*

—The oysters are enjoying their ostracism.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, MAY 26, 1877.

The War.

According to a despatch from the English Military Commissioner with the Turks in Asia, Mukhtar Pasha has been utterly unable to hold the mountain passes between Kars and Erzeroum. The Commissioner adds that the Turks are obliged to retreat without giving battle, and attributes the rapid advance of the Russians to the total want of efficient preparations on the part of the Turks. He fears that Erzeroum will not be able to hold out for any time. The London *Telegraph's* despatches from Erzeroum on Wednesday night say that the movements of the Russians have been so amazingly accelerated that the exact situation is now difficult to follow or describe. It would be impossible to exaggerate the critical importance of the military situation at this moment.

A despatch from Trebizond, dated Thursday night, gives the intelligence that Moukhtar Pasha has removed the headquarters of the Turkish army from Erzeroum to Ecsingjan, a town on the Euphrates, about seventy-five miles west-southwest from Erzeroum. The reasons for this retreat are not given. Ersingjan has good railroad connections, and is less liable to interruption than the former station; but the fact of a further retreat inland is looked upon as an acknowledgment of Turkish weakness. The same despatch reports that the Russians made two attacks on Kars Wednesday, and each time were repulsed with considerable loss. They then withdrew beyond the range of the Turkish guns, but are evidently preparing for another movement. Meantime the main body of Russians moved forward, together with large reinforcements, and took up very advantageous ground at Alti, where they halted. It was their presence there which doubtless induced the Turks to withdraw their headquarters. Alti is about sixty-five miles from Erzeroum, and the next attack will undoubtedly be made on that town. The Russians are moving rapidly in that direction, with field pieces and siege guns.

The Russians are mobilizing a reserve force of about 15,000 Cossacks of the Don, to be used chiefly in operating in the disturbed provinces of Abasia, where Circassian outbreaks are becoming very annoying. The Cossacks are the only men that can cope successfully with the Circassians, as their style of warfare is about the same.

News and Notes.

Jacob Steinmacher, a watch-chain manufacturer of New York, quarrelled with his young and beautiful wife continually, through jealousy; the wife in a fit of anger took a dose of prussic acid, in his presence, and died immediately; and two days later the man blew his brains out with a pistol, beside her coffin.

Government detectives have discovered that McClenahan is the name of the head-centre of the grand smuggling operations at Montreal, by which hundreds of thousands of dollars' worth of goods get smuggled through the lines to the United States by bribery of the customs officers, baggage men, etc. They have also discovered that whole cargoes of liquors are smuggled in canal boats under supposed loads of grain, in one instance a valuable cargo being landed in New York and sold to a firm within a stone's throw of the Custom House.

It is stated that the gunboat Yantic, which arrived at Norfolk a few days ago, is so rotten that her battery of guns was left at Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope, as her commander deemed it too perilous to all on board to bring them further.

It is announced from Liverpool that Fairchild, United States Consul there, is absent on leave, and that Badeau, Consul-General at London, is going to Liverpool to receive ex-President Grant. The Mayor of Liverpool has tendered his hospitalities to the distinguished traveller.

At San Francisco, on the 24th, the testimony taken on the trial of one Stainbrook, charged with complicity in the murder of the Chinese at Chico, reveals that it was a heartless and cold-blooded atrocity on the defenceless Chinamen. There are no doubts that Stainbrook will be convicted for both murder and arson.

An Havanna letter reports the capture of the battalion of Holguin by the insurgents in the eastern department, the defeat in a two hours' engagement of 400 Spanish troops, near Palmo Soriano, and the capture and sack of a place called Azerradero by the insurgents under Gen. Maces.

The report of the Canadian Fisheries Commission shows an increase of exports of Canadian fish to European countries, which indicates a strong tendency to a change in the course of trade in certain kinds of coast fish, formerly supposed to find sale only in the markets of the United States.

Schooner G. P. Whitman, Capt. Jerome McDonnell, recently weighed out 140,000 pounds of fresh halibut at Gloucester, on her return from a trip to the Banks. This is the largest fare of fresh halibut ever landed.

Pettengill & Co., have issued a small edition of their Newspaper Directory in sumptuous form, with interleaved blank pages, Russia leather binding, etc. This is much the most trustworthy and complete Newspaper Directory published, and is entirely free from the damaging suspicions of blackmail which have attached to some other ambitious efforts in the same direction. Messrs. Pettengill & Co. are one of the oldest and best established firms of advertising agents in the United States, and can always be depended upon for honest and capable work.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Political.

What is the matter with Gov. Williams of Indiana? The democratic journals outside of Indianapolis are accusing him of being the tool of the "rings" at the capital, and are saying all sorts of ugly things about him. Perhaps the truth is leaking out gradually that it requires something besides a pair of blue jeans breeches to make a capable executive.

Robinson, the renegade republican whom Samuel J. Tilden elected Governor of New York, has given the most striking instance of narrow-minded partisanship on record, in vetoing an appropriation to pay for a portrait of Lincoln, painted by order of the State and paid for from the public Treasury. He approved of an appropriation for the purchase of a bust of Washington, but then Washington was not an active member of modern republican party. A public-spirited citizen of New York city has offset this petty action of the Governor by offering to pay for the frame himself.

President Hayes' policy seems entirely satisfactory to "Col." Pat. Donan, formerly editor of the Lexington, Mo., *Caucasian*,—the fellow who printed a full-sized picture of a horse-pistol at the head of an article advocating the assassination of President Grant. Donan says: "I consider the course of our howling democratic irreconcilables, of whom this fellow Knott is a fair specimen, as a commingling of lunacy and crime. The man who to-day would throw one straw in the way of the chariot wheels of pacification and fraternization is a public enemy to the South. Mr. Hayes has thus far shown himself a patriot instead of a partisan, the President of the whole Republic, and not of a party. He has in ten weeks done more for the South, more for the restoration of the Union, indeed, and more for the peace and prosperity of the entire country than has been accomplished in the whole twelve years of Grant and Andy Johnson. He has given home rule to the South, and rest to her people. So long as he holds to his present heroic and patriotic policy, he deserves and should have the support of every true man in the land, but especially in our redeemed fairy sunny Southern land."

New Hampshire Items.

Rev. J. H. Learned has accepted a unanimous call to the Baptist Church at Amherst, and has already entered upon his labors.

Keene's total valuation is $5,500,080; polls, 1842; amount assessed, $60,900; rate per cent. on $1000, $10.70. The valuation is about $250,000 less than last year, and the per cent. $1.20 per thousand greater.

A series of school meetings have lately been held in Hanover, the result of which was a vote carried largely by the professors and students to bond the town to the amount of $10,000 for a new schoolhouse.

Mrs. J. S. Milliken of Charlestown hung herself on Wednesday of last week, but as she lived alone she was not discovered till several days afterward. Misfortunes, ending in mental depression, were the cause of the act.

The valuation of real estate and personal property of Nashua is $6,988,768, to which is added 2926 polls at a total value of $292,600, making a total value of $7,281,368. The tax per $100 is $1.70. The rate last year was $1.50 per $100.

The *Mirror* says, that of the very numerous cases of relief furnished to the poor of Manchester, the name of a single German does not appear on the list. The Germans came to Manchester in large numbers to obtain employment and are poor, but their frugality and thrift enables them to care for themselves, while the Irish element in Manchester draws heavily upon the County Treasury for charitable aid, after expending their wages at the rum shops.

A Noble "Sport."

The St. John (N. B.) *Globe* prints the following, which shows that the society with the long name has a "mission" in England as well as in this country:

A case that was lately brought up in an English court is calculated to excite men's sympathies, and deeply move their feelings, although it relates only to a brute. The Secretary of the Royal Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals applied at Beaconsfield for a summons against three of the huntsmen of Her Majesty's staghounds for cruelty to a hind. There had been a hunt and the poor animal had made a desperate run for life. At last it got into a pond, and two dogs were sent in after it. They chased, bit and tore it, but, becoming exhausted, were called out, and other dogs sent in, and when these were tired out another relay was at hand—so that in an hour and a quarter six dogs took their turn at the poor beast. Even then it was not conquered. Finally a larger and more savage hound was sent into the pond. Even it did not succeed in conquering the animal until it had frightfully mutilated its hind quarters, and had actually torn open its skull, leaving the brain exposed. The dreadful character of the "sport" which permits such cruelties as this must disgust ordinary humanity. The Secretary said, in presenting his case, that he did not appear against hunting, but against an incident in it, which every gentleman must deplore and deprecate. The British "Magistrates setting in petty sessions" appear to be a petty specimen of petty men, for they declined to issue the summons on the ground that the hind was not a domestic animal, but they had doubts of their own judgment, for they added that that if the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was of a different opinion "it could find an opportunity to test their judgment." It would have been much more in accordance with the spirit of humanity to have granted the summons and thrown the raising of this issue upon the wretches who so brutally treated the poor beast.

—A 'game that ought to be red-hot—Cricket on the hearth.

How to test the Quality of Coffee.

The following tests for determining the purity of coffee may be of interest and great value to housekeepers: Take some cold water in a glass and throw on to it about half a teaspoonful of the coffee to be tested, stirring it around so as to wet the grains. Pure coffee will float, and scarcely colors the water. Beans and chicory sink to the bottom. Chicory colors the water at once, beans more slowly. Test the portion that floats by chewing it. Coffee will thus be recognized by its taste. Nut shells, which also float, are hard and brittle. A species of nut which has lately come into use very strongly resembles coffee when ground up, by floating on the water, as well as by its feeling between the teeth; but the difference can easily be detected, because the adulterating ingredient is nearly tasteless. After subjecting the suspected article to the above test spread some of it on a sheet of paper and examine it carefully for grains of rye, oats and peas. The pea ingredient will frequently be found in pieces one-eighth the size of a pea and the rye in half grains. Chicory is tough when taken between the teeth and has a bitter taste, different from the bitter of coffee. The varieties of coffee can only be distinguished from each other by an expert, and even an expert is frequently at fault. Pure ground coffee can be purchased at most respectable grocery stores—even those who sell the imitation article noted; for be it understood that such "coffee" would never be sold if there was no demand for it. People come in and inquire for cheap coffee, and cheap coffee, like cheap everything else, is at least only an imitation of the genuine. That, however, there is some huckstering in genuine coffees there is no doubt. The lower grades are often mixed with to extend the higher, as, for instance, Maracaibo is mixed with Java, and Java with Mocha. One thing should be remembered about coffee, and that is that the ground product should cost from seven to ten cents per pound more than the raw berry, in order to enable the grocer to sell it at a profit. It may, therefore, be set down as an axiom that a man might just as well expect to buy gold dollars for fifty cents in currency as to purchase pure ground coffee at half the price of the raw berry.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 8.50 P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.30 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.30 "
Concord and North,		10.30 " 6.30 "
Dover,		10.30 " 5.50 "

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E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening:

Leave to encumber Chestnut and Warren streets for building purposes was granted the heirs of J. W. Pierce.

Petition of E. W. Cochrane for leave to erect a post in front of the lot upon the corner of Congress and Chestnut streets was referred to the committee on streets.

Petition of the various temperance organizations for a meeting of citizens to take into consideration the closing of the rum shops was laid on the table.

The committee on gas lights, to whom were referred the bills of John Dame and Daniel Webster, reported said bills, recommending that they be paid, and it was so ordered. Same committee reported bill of Portsmouth Gas Light Company, which was laid on the table.

Voted, That the committee on Gas Lights, with Mayor added, be requested to confer with the Directors of the Gas Company in reference to the bills for street lights.

Voted, That the City Marshal be notified that no further bills for provisions and supplies will be paid unless authorized by the Mayor.

The committee on claim of H. P. Colson for damage to sleigh, recommended that he be paid $7.50. The recommendation was adopted.

The committee on city lands and buildings reported that Mr. Peirce will let the land rear of Court House yard for $75 a year. Said committee was instructed to offer fifty dollars a year rent.

The committee on police, to whom were referred sundry bills for witness fees, reported, recommending that the bills of John Quinn and John O'Connor be paid, and that the bill of George O'Connor be not paid.

The committee on claims recommended the payment of Samuel S. Whidden for dog killed, to be paid from the dog tax. Voted that the claim be paid.

Asa T. Walker's complaint of street sprinkling apparatus in Brewster street was taken from the table.

Voted to refer the petition of Asa T. Walker to the committee on streets; said committee to inquire as to the cost of filling the lower part of Brewster street so that the apparatus for pumping water for street sprinkling may be removed, or that this part of the street may be used for resting and turning the teams used for street sprinkling; also to consult with Mr. Walker to see if such proposed alterations will be satisfactory to him, and report to this board.

Sent up, the following bills passed by the Common Council: "An Ordinance making appropriations for the year 1877," "An Ordinance authorizing the transfer of certain unexpended appropriations," "An Ordinance for licensing and governing owners and drivers of hacks, coaches, carts, drays and job wagons." All these bills were read once and referred to the proper committee.

The report of the committee on application of James Lawry for purchase of a lot in Cotton's burying ground was accepted, and it was

Voted, That Mr. Lawry be notified that the city is not disposed to sell a lot on that ground.

THE HACK ORDINANCE.

The following is the ordinance relating to the licensing and governing of hacks, drays and job wagons, as passed by the Common Council on Thursday evening:

SECTION 1. The Mayor shall from time to time grant licenses, to such persons as they may deem expedient, to set up, use, and drive any hackney coach or cab for the conveyance of passengers for hire, and any job wagon or other carriage for the transportation of the baggage of passengers to and from any railroad depot or steamboat landing, in this city.

SECTION 2. For every license granted there shall be paid to the City Clerk the sum of one dollar per annum for the use of the city, and the City Clerk shall pay the same over to the City Treasurer.

SECTION 3. No such license shall be sold, assigned or transferred without the consent of the Mayor and Aldermen; under penalty of forfeiture of such license.

SECTION 4. Every driver of any such hackney coach, cab, job wagon or other carriage, or other person having charge of the same, shall wear in some conspicuous place when attending to his duties as such driver, a badge having the number of his license.

SECTION 5. The Mayor shall authorize the person to give directions respecting the standing and disposition of such hackney coaches, cabs, job wagons or other carriages at any railroad depots or steamboat landing in the city, and respecting the disposition and conduct of the drivers thereof persons having charge of the same at such places.

SECTION 6. If any person shall set up, use or drive any hackney coach, cab, job wagon or other carriage between the places named in Section One of this Ordinance without first having obtained a license as aforesaid provided; or if any person shall drive any such carriage between the places aforesaid without a badge as hereinbefore provided; or if any person so driving any such carriage or having charge thereof shall refuse to obey any order or directions of any person authorized by the Mayor to give directions as aforesaid respecting the disposition of such carriage or respecting the standing, disposition and conduct of the drivers thereof or any person having charge thereof; shall be punished by a fine not less than five dollars nor more than twenty dollars and by forfeiture of his license if he have one.

SECTION 7. A price to be charged by said driver of any hackney coach or cart, job wagon or other carriage for the transportation of passengers or baggage shall be established by the Mayor, and said prices shall be posted within said hackney coach and upon said transportation wagon in a conspicuous place, and any violation by such driver, by charging in excess of said prices, shall be fined not less than five dollars or more than ten dollars for each offence.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, May 25th.

Michael Ryan, for an assault on Dennis O'Leary, was find $1, costs $6.90; appealed and gave bonds in $50 for appearance at October term of Supreme Court.

[Communicated.]

MONUMENTAL.

Messrs. Editors:—Passing through the South Cemetery a Sunday or two ago, my attention was attracted to a fine looking monument marked "Bilbruck," and I said to a friend near by that it was the finest specimen of monumental work in the Yard. I was curious enough to examine its base to find who wrought it and I read the name of "J. S. Treat" thereupon, and at once concluded that he was its builder. I was somewhat surprised, therefore, a week or so later to read the following in the Portsmouth *Journal:*

One of the finest ornamental monuments adorning Harmony Grove Cemetery has just been erected on the lot of Mr. George Bilbruck. It is of marble, ten feet shaft, fluted, surmounted by a handsome urn, and stands twenty feet high. It was finished by Mr. James Borthwick, marble-worker at the Silas Philbrick yard, and is in every respect a superb piece of ornamental work.

Now, I shall doubtless live to want a headstone or something of the sort, to indicate where I may be buried, and I shall naturally enough seek the best workman. So it is important that the record be correct, and if Mr. Treat's name is wrongfully inscribed on the piece of work alluded to, it should be chipped off. JUSTICE.

JOTTINGS.

Rev. James Pike, D. D., Presiding Elder of Dover district and formerly pastor of the M. E. Church of this city, will preach in the Methodist church on Sabbath morning.

Rev. H. W. Bellows, D. D., of New York, is to preach at the Unitarian church on Sunday.

Rev. E. M. Grant will give the third sermon in his course on "What it is to be a Christian," on Sunday forenoon; subject, "What made you a Christian?"

Rev. Mr. Hubbell will preach in the North Church, Sunday evening, a sermon prepared at the request of the Grand Army Post, New Haven, upon "The Observance of Decoration Day." The usual afternoon services will be omitted.

Mrs. Sarah M. C. Perkins is to lecture for the Temperance Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall on Sunday evening, 27th instant. Mrs. Perkins comes among us strongly endorsed by those with whom she has been laboring, and a good address may be confidently expected. A fee of five cents admission will be charged. Half-hour praise service before the lecture.

A good place to go to get a meal at any hour of the day, well cooked and neatly served up, and at a reasonable price, is at Webster's Dinning Rooms, Nos. 19 and 21 Fleet street, corner Congress street, under Franklin Hall. Open on Sunday from eight o'clock A. M. to nine o'clock P. M.

The entertainment given at Franklin Hall on Thursday evening by Harry Bloodgood's combination was well attended, the gallery being completely filled with a congregation of thirty-five centers, and some three hundred of the reserved seats on the lower floor being occupied. The entertainment was one of the best ever given here by Bloodgood,—and he has given many good ones at different times. The "telephone," clog dancing, Irish and negro character sketches, the musical performances of Clayton and Weston, and Bloodgood's "Old Uncle Rufe" and lecture, were all capitally done and greatly enjoyed. The company is the best Bloodgood has ever had with him, and gives a correspondingly good show.

The roundabout way which the law sometimes takes to do a thing is well illustrated in a case recently sent up to the law term by the court at Exeter. It grows out of a suit brought by Nellie M. Sawyer of Raymond, the wife of George A. Sawyer, a brakeman who was killed on the Portsmouth & Concord Railroad. The suit is to recover *pay for the suit of clothes* which Sawyer had on at the time of his death, and which were spoiled by the accident, and for $6,000 exemplary damages, the defendant being an employe on the railroad on which he was killed.

Hiram G. Gove, of Raymond, who was lodged in jail here some days ago to await trial on a charge of shooting at a neighbor in Raymond on account of disputed ownership of a cow, has become a raving maniac. On Friday he was taken to the Insane Asylum at Concord by Sheriff Kent, assisted by Deputy Sheriff Charles A. Shephard of Raymond, both officers having their hands full to take care of the unfortunate man and prevent him from destroying property, injuring himself or others, or escaping. Before arrangements for his transfer to the Asylum were completed he smashed up everything smashable in and about his cell in the jail, and on the way to Concord broke a pane of glass in the car; and after arriving at the Asylum he made a sudden spring at a window, put his foot against the sash and went through into the open air, carrying the whole window with him. He was quickly secured, however, and safely lodged in the Asylum, to the great relief of both officers and of Sheriff Kent in particular, a furious lunatic not being a very pleasant person to have charge of.

At the adjourned parish meeting of the Universalist society, held Thursday evening, the following were elected officers for the ensuing year: Wardens, William Simes, John Hodgdon, 2d, Edward J. Moulton; Parish Clerk, Alfred Senter. It was voted to have a volunteer choir with a paid leader at the close of the present church year.

The Portsmouth City Guards have elected Edward F. Hickey captain. Hickey is one of the well-known "lightning drillists," and not quite twenty-one years of age.

On Friday forenoon the jury in the case of McIntire vs. Eastern Railroad, which had been on trial at Exeter most of the week, rendered a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of three thousand dollars. The sum asked was $30,000.

The assignee's sale of the estate of A. H. Hill takes place to-day, Saturday. Morse & Ilsley, auctioneers.

In the case of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire vs. the Eastern Railroad Company, which is an equity suit removed from the State Court, brought before the recent session of the United States Circuit Court in this city, counsel for the plaintiff moved to dismiss this bill without prejudice. To this the counsel for the defendants objected, and the motion was subsequently withdrawn. The defendants were allowed until July first to file an answer.

No Hotel has received during the past year more unlimited or well-merited praise from its guests than the American House, Boston. This famous Hotel has always borne a good name, and we congratulate the Proprietors on the reputation they have achieved.—*Chicago Hotel Reporter.*

—The old King of Gaboon, in Africa, is dead at the age of nearly one hundred. His eldest son, Adaude, at once, on succeeding him, cashiered the hundred women of his father's harem, liberating fifty slaves, and abolished the sacrifice of human beings at religious rites. Admiral Ribaut and staff, of the French squadron in the Gulf of Guinea, assisted at the coronation ceremonies. The Admiral gave the King a cow and a bull by way of starting a herd of cattle for his majesty.

—A ten-cent piece of fractional currency reached Jackson, Mich., recently, bearing this inscription: "Black Hills, February 16, 1877. This is the last of $60,000 left me by my father two years ago."

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TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of MARY D. HUTCHINGS, late of Portsmouth, in said county, deceased, represented insolvent, and to all concerned, Greeting:

You are hereby notified that the Report of the Commissioner of Insolvency on said estate will be offered for acceptance at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in said county, on the second Tuesday of July next, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where you may appear and show cause, if any you have, against the acceptance of said report.

And it is ordered that Jeremiah S. Haley, the Administrator of said estate, give notice by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said county, the last publication thereof to be at least one week prior to said court.

Dated May 18th, A. D. 1877.

By order of the Judge.

WOODBURY M. DURGIN, Register of Probate.

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Daily Chronicle.

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—Mrs. Pratt of Brooklyn asks a legal separation from her husband just because he flung a pitcher at her, hit her with a lighted kerosene lamp, drew a knife across her neck and threatened to cut her throat, threw glass bottles at her, stuck a fork in her leg, poured hot tea over her, hit her in the back with a bootjack, and refused to give her money. When will wives learn that patience is their brightest ornament?

—In an interview with a Pittsburg reporter Don Cameron related the following business experience: "In 1861 and 1862 I employed every dollar I had in the world, together with a great deal of money belonging to other people, in manufacturing pig-iron. I kept the furnace in operation as long as I could borrow money to run it. The result was that I piled up over 7000 tons of iron, at a cost of $11.50 per ton. This immense pile of iron was the subject of much tribulation. There it lay for months, and there was no indication of an advance in price. I would occasionally go and look at it, and become heartsick at the gloomy prospect of getting my money back. At length pig-iron started upward; at first it advanced to $30 per ton, at which figure I sold a small quantity. Then it reached $50, $70, and finally $80 per ton, and when I had closed out that 7000 tons I found that I had realized an average profit of about $40 per ton. This was the first money I ever made."

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	106¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114¼
United States Ten-Forties cupon	112¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	111½
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1875	111¼
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	114
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	92
Boston & Providence	117½
Boston & Albany	117½
Nashua & Lowell	99
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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for such refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or pigs, owned either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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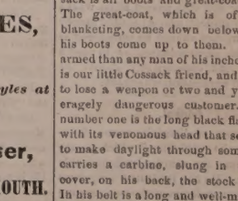

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A Romance of War and Law.

The result of a suit before the Superior Civil Court on Thursday, in which George W. Ela, of New Hampshire, sued Major J. Homer Edgerly of this city to recover on a promissory note for $100 given by Edgerly during the war, has already been reported. There was, however, quite a romance connected with the case, which is worth telling. It seems that in the spring of 1864 the Third New Hampshire Regiment was lying at Hilton Head, S. C., and Mr. Edgerly, then First Lieutenant of Company E, came home on a leave of absence. Captain Richard Ela of his company entrusted to him $100 with which to purchase a sabre, belt and other accoutrements to be sent to him. Lieutenant Edgerly gave him his promissory note for the amount, as collateral for the money, and on arriving in Boston bought the sword, etc., and forwarded them to Captain Ela by Adams' Express. After about forty days' absence, Lieutenant Edgerly rejoined his regiment, which had by this time been transferred to Bermuda Hundreds on the James River, and was at once detailed to command Company H. The next day the regiment started on the march, and the following day Captain Ela was killed in a charge at Drury's Bluff. Lieutenant Edgerly had had no opportunity to secure the return of the promissory note, and it was accordingly found among Captain Ela's effects after his death, and bearing no indication of what it was given for. The suit was brought by Mr. George W. Ela, father and administrator of Captain Ela, to compel payment. At the time the note was made Lieutenant Edgerly was an "infant" in law, being only twenty years old, but the defence was not based on this ground, nor on the outlawing of the claim—the note being over thirteen years old—but on the ground that value had been rendered, and that the note was void. By lucky chance Captain Stearns, formerly of the Third New Hampshire, was found just before the trial, and he was able to testify to the essential facts. He came home on a leave of absence at the same time with Lieutenant Edgerly, and, after a few days passed in New Hampshire, they came to Boston together, visited a military out-fitter's on Washington street, and Captain Stearns bought some tactics and other articles for himself, while Lieutenant Edgerly bought the sabre and belt for Captain Ela. Captain Stearns also remembers seeing Captain Ela wear the sabre after his return to the regiment, and before the battle in which the latter lost his life. But for Captain Stearns' testimony, it must have been very difficult for Major Edgerly's counsel, Messrs. West and Gould, to prove his case, as the firm of which he bought the sabre has dissolved, and its members gone elsewhere, and the express receipts showing its delivery to Captain Ela have been long since destroyed. Major Edgerly is prominently known in Grand Army circles here, and is the officer who pulled down the rebel flag at Fort Fisher, for which he was breveted Major by President Lincoln.—*Boston Globe.*

The Cossack.

The Cossack is a little chap, about five feet five, even on his high heels, but at once sturdy and wiry. His weather-beaten face is shrewd, knowing and merry. His eyes are small, but keen, his mouth large, and between it and his pug nose—rather redder than the rest of his face—is a tuft or wisp of straw-colored moustache. His long, thick, straight hair matches his moustache in color and is cut sheer round by the nape of his neck. He wears a round oilskin peakless shako with a knowing cock to the right, to maintain which angle there is a strap round his chubby chin. Below the neck the Cossack is all boots and great-coat exterlorly. The great-coat, which is of thick gray blanketing, comes down below his knees; his boots come up to them. He is more armed than any man of his inches in Europe, is our little Cossack friend, and could afford to lose a weapon or two and yet be an averagely dangerous customer. Weapon number one is the long black flagless lance, with its venomous head that seems itching to make daylight through somebody. He carries a carbine, slung in an oil-cloth cover, on his back, the stock downward. In his belt is a long and well-made revolver in a leather case, and from the belt hangs a curved sword with no guard over its hilt. Through the chinks in his great-coat are visible glimpses of a sheepskin undercoat with the hair worn inside. His whip completes his personal appurtenances; he wears no spurs; and he rides, cocked up on a high saddle, with a leathern band strapped over it, a wiry little rat of a pony.

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Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, MAY 28, 1877.

The War.

Advices from various sources in Asia Minor claim that the Turks in Armenia are in a critical position. The Russian forces investing Kars and Erzeroum have secured advantageous positions commanding both places, and their surrender is said to be certain.

Advices from Crete report a terrible state of affairs existing on the island. The Turks have combined against the Christian population, and are committing most horrible outrages. Women are insulted, ravished and debased, and the entire population are in a state of the greatest terror and excitement. It is rumored that British protection has been solicited.

The blowing up of a large Turkish monitor on the Danube, by Russian launches bearing torpedoes, is announced.

News and Notes.

The dwelling of Henry Tower, of North Clarendon, Vt., was burned Friday night, and his two sons, aged nine and eleven years, were burned with it.

In the United States Court at Hartford, Friday, Judge Shipman pronounced sentence on John C. Tracy, President, and James L. Chapman, Cashier of the Farmers and Mechanics' National Bank, who had pleaded guilty respectively to deceiving the Comptroller of the Currency and to perjury and embezzlement by which the bank lost $598,000. Tracy was sentenced to the Connecticut State Prison for six years and six months at hard labor, and Chapman to the Connecticut State Prison at hard labor for fiveyears and a nominal fine of one dollar. Both these men moved in the best social circle, and were prominent in religious matters.

The teller of a bank in Great Barrington, Mass., stole $24,000 in 1871, and paid $1,500 to a man who helped him to escape. The bank officers later obtained proof of the facts, and by a lawsuit have recovered the $1,500.

A curious episode occurred at a fashionable party at Providence the other evening. Among the guests was a young, handsome and richly-dressed woman who had been recently engaged to a New Yorker of high standing, who accompanied her. She wore an elegant antique bracelet, the gift of her lover, who said it was an heirloom of his family, brought over from Holland. A New York woman present, after scrutinizing the ornament, startled the company by remarking that it was the same bracelet which her cousin had lost in a New York theatre and which contained a picture of Miss Cary. The bracelet was opened, and sure enough, the identical picture was revealed. In the flutter that ensued the would-be bridegroom vanished, and hasn't been seen since.

The Turkish Government has restored to the University of Pesth the valuable library known as the Corinna library, carried off by the Turks when they overran Hungary. The restoration was received by the Hungarians with public demonstrations of joy. Parts of Hungary favor the Turks and are antagonistic to Russia.

Jonathan P. Cilley, the present Adjutant-General of Maine, is a son of Hon. Jonathan Cilley, who was killed in a duel near Bladensburg, Maryland, February 24, 1838, while a member of Congress from Maine, by William J. Graves, member from Kentucky. The latter died at Louisville in 1848. Cilley's second in that memorable duel, ex-Senator George W. Jones of Iowa, is still living, and Graves' second, the late ex-Gov. Henry A. Wise of Virginia, died but a few months ago.

New Hampshire Items.

The Rhode Island base ball club were defeated by the Manchesters on the grounds of the latter, Friday afternoon, by a score of 6 to 1.

Joseph Austin, who was shot by his stepson at Bow last week, died Friday night.

The report that the Faculty of Dartmouth have forbidden any student to smoke, dance, drink spirituous liquors or play billiards, is explained by the vote passed some weeks ago, that no student who expended money for these purposes should be considered as being in such circumstances as to need a scholarship and consequently should be denied any if application was made.

Political.

Gov. Kemper of Virginia seems determined to make "chivalry," which is the Southern name for murder, unfashionable in his State. He has instituted a rigorous search for the murderers of the two revenue officers in Lee County, and says of his intentions: "While this affair is grossly exaggerated, I want it distinctly understood that I scorn the idea that Virginia cannot preserve the peace within her own borders under any and all circumstances. Any intimation that she cannot is a slander upon the good name of the Commonwealth. I have the force to uphold the arm of the law, and you may state, and I do not care how strong you put it, that should affairs in Lee County or anywhere else in the State demand it, I would call out the whole militia and command them in person." When the guilty men are discovered and brought to justice the public will believe the Governor means what he says.

In the next Electoral College the South will poll 138 solid democratic votes. Only New York (35 votes) and Indiana (15 votes) are needed to elect a President in 1880. In these two States the democrats can consolidate all their money. These won and with the solid South besides we shall have 188 votes, and that is more than is required to elect. The republicans can have every other State. The death knell of republicanism is sounded, and a restored Union is near at hand. With the triumph of democracy, which is so certain, the party understood from the beginning to be an American, not one, retired from office because he wore the gray, and had the manhood to be proud of it, and refused to forswear himself for a pitiful salary. The South need not go North for a President in 1880 unless she chooses.—*Columbus (Ga.) Enquirer.*

The New York *Tribune*, which has been so determined an enemy of "carpet-bag governments" for years past, now suggests to Gov. Stone of Mississippi that the only difference between him and a carpet-bag governor "seems to be that the latter could not enforce the laws, while the former can but will not. The carpet-bagger's case is the better of the two." And it adds: "Gov. Nicholls will prove his ability to govern Louisiana by the promptness with which he exterminates the bulldozer. He should do what his party blamed his predecessor for not doing, and should lose no time about it."

The Deacon's Sunday.

"Beautiful! beautiful!" mentally ejaculated Deacon Barnes at the close of a sermon about heaven. "Those are my sentiments exactly."

And so enwrapt was he with his thought, as he pushed out of church, that he forgot to ask lame Mrs. Howe to ride home with him, as was his usual custom.

"Perhaps it is just as well," he thought, "for she is a worldly old woman, and would probably have drawn my thoughts away from heaven."

At the dinner table his son exclaimed, "Oh, father, I have a situation at last!"

"Have you forgotten it is Sunday, John?" asked his father, sternly. "Don't let me hear any more such talk."

John ate his dinner in silence. How could his situation be a wrong to speak of on Sunday? He was so thankful for it that it seemed to come from the hand of God. God knew all about the restless month in which he had answered an advertisement every day. When the minister gave thanks in church for all the mercies of the past week, John's heart gave a grateful throb, and he determined anew to acknowledge God in all his ways. John ate his dinner in silence, while his father thought about heaven. In the afternoon Mr. Barnes' nephew, a stranger in the place, came over from his boarding-place, opposite, and sat on the piazza talking with John.

"I can't allow this, Tom," said Mr. Barnes, at the door with the Bible in his hands; "you must not sit here breaking the Sabbath. Go back to your boarding-place and read some good book."

Tom started up angrily, and spent the afternoon fishing and bathing with an old colored man, his only other acquaintance in the place, while Deacon Barnes sat in a rocker on the piazza with a handkerchief over his face, and thought about heaven. Presently two little grand-daughters came out on the piazza with a large picture-book and ran down near him. There was a flutter of leaves and a great deal of buzzing, as the little yellow heads bent over the book, and finally they laughed outright.

"Children, where's your mother?" very sternly demanded Deacon Barnes, springing to his feet.

"Up stairs, putting baby to sleep," they answered together.

Deacon Barnes strode into the hall.

"Ellen! *Ellen!*" he shouted. "I should think you might keep these children quiet on the Sabbath. They won't let me even think."

Ellen had been awake all night with a fretful baby. She had hushed him, and he had just fallen asleep when her father's voice roused her and woke the baby.

"Please send them up stairs," she said very wearily.

And all that sultry afternoon she amused the three children in a close upper room, while their grandfather rocked and fanned himself and—thought of heaven!

Turkish Information.

Sultan—The sovereign of the Turkish Empire—the recognized organ of all executive power in the State. His headquarters are at Constantinople.

Porte—The Government of the Turkish Empire.

Sublime Porte—The official name of the government, so called from the gate of the Sultan's palace.

Grand Vizier—The chief minister of the Turkish Empire.

Divan—The Turkish Council of State—the "Cabinet."

Grand Mufti—Chief Interpreter of the Mohammedan law and head of the "wise men"—jurists, theologians and literati—who assemble for consultation on his order. He is mostly styled the Chief of the Faithful. A writer says a fetwa or decree from him would summon around the standard of the Prophet all the fanatical hordes of Islam to fight to the death against the "infidels, in the firm belief that death on the battlefield is a sure passport to Paradise."

Pasha—Governors, Viceroys, commanders, civil and military rulers of provinces.

Beys—About the same as Pashas.

Sheik—The name given the heads of Arabian tribes or clans. It means elder, or eldest in dignity and authority.

Osmanli—A Turkish official.

Islam—The religion of Mohammed.

Islams—Mohommedans themselves.

Mussulman—A follower of Mohammed.

Ottoman Empire—Another name for the Turkish Empire, and derives its name from Osman, its founder.

Osmanlis—The Turks proper.

Not all the followers of the Prophet are Turks. In European Turkey there are in round numbers five million Mohammedans, less than half of whom are Osmanlis, the rest being of Slavonic descent, but none the less ardent worshippers of Islam.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

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The committee on marking graves desire, preparatory to decoration on Memorial Day, to have a flag planted on every grave; but many graves are without headstones and omissions are quite possible. If on Tuesday afternoon or Wednesday morning any one cognizant of the location of a grave should find it unmarked by a flag, a notice of that fact left at Stavers' store, under Franklin Hall, will cause it to be at once attended to,—and the committee earnestly request that such notice may be given them.

JOTTINGS.

A distinguished son of Portsmouth, Hon. Charles H. Harris, Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Hawaiian Kingdom, is in town, for a short home visit.

Mr. Albion K. P. Deering, one of our well known citizens, died on Saturday morning of consumption, after a long illness. During the palmy days of shipbuilding at this port, the firm of Deering & Yeaton, of which the deceased was senior member, for many years did a large part of the rigging work done here, and had the reputation of being skillful and faithful workmen. Mr. Deering was a Knight Templar and a member of other societies, and was prominent in the Order of Odd Fellows.

At the assignee's sale of real estate of Aaron H. Hill, bankrupt, which occurred Saturday forenoon under a license from the United States District Court, Messrs. Morse & Ilsley, auctioneers, sold all the right of Mr. Hill in the homestead at No. 120 State street, for $5100, and the same right in the dwelling house and land at No. 4 Court street, for $1250. The property was bid off by a gentleman named Little, belonging in Portland, a brother of Mrs. Hill.

Oscar Joseph Pfeiffer of this city is assigned to give a political disputation with a fellow-student at Dartmouth College, on "Is our Government sufficiently responsible to the people?" at the Commencement exercises, June 28.

Miss Emily E. Tomlinson, of this city, is teaching the school in district No. 6, in Seabrook.

The Lawrence *American* says that reports are in circulation to the effect that the Eastern Railroad will, in some unexplained way, rid itself of or repudiate its lease of the Portland, Saco & Portsmouth Railroad, and make use of the Boston & Maine tracks between Dover and Portland.

NUMISMATICS, ETC.

The origin of coin is involved in great obscurity, and the question of leather or wood being first used has never been fairly settled. Herodotus ascribes the invention of coin to the Lydians, and Pliny attributes it to Bacchus. The Romans commenced the making of silver coin in the year 480 and gold about the year 640; the Jews had coins before the time of Maccabeus, which they designated shekels, talents and drams; and of the earliest coiners of metal, were also the Chinese. Coin was first made by placing the metal between two dies and striking with a hammer. This was used in England until the reign of William III. In France the mill was used from 1553 to 1585, and alternated between that and the hammer process until 1645. England took the mill in 1623, and in 1662 its use was universally established. The rapidity of its work can be estimated by the fact that four boys can strike 30,000 pieces in an hour. The first gold coined in England, as far as there is any account, was by Henry II., and the first issue of copper the farthings and half pence made during the reign of Charles II. Shells were at an early day current for coin in the Maldives, Indies, Congo and particularly in the States of the Great Mogul; also fruits, cocoa, maize, etc., were used in Mexico and in the East Indies; but maize ceased to be common money as soon as America was discovered.

A few days ago, when at the residence of Mr. James F. Jenness on Hanover street, we were invited to look at some old coins; and supposing we should be entertained by the sight of perhaps a few hundred, such as one generally sees on exhibition, we accepted the invitation and proceeded to the repository in which the ancients were kept. Hardly had the door opened when we were made aware that it was to no ordinary entertainment we had been invited, but to a feast of rare dishes of ye olden time that would have quickened the pulse of the numismatist or antiquarian. We were first shown two large cases containing specimens of silver and copper coins comprising nearly 40,000, enough to supply ten or twelve museums with more complete collections than are usually seen on exhibition at the present day.

In silver, the oldest piece which we were shown was a Roman scudi, dated 1236. Mr. Jenness' collection of foreign silver coin numbers from ten thousand to twelve thousand pieces, embracing specimens from almost every country and from one to six hundred years old. In American silver dollars he has from the years 1793 and 1794 up to the last issue, five or six complete collections, excepting for the year 1804; [it is said that only five of this latter date ever came from the mint, and many who supposed they had one in their collection have been sadly grieved when they discovered that the date was altered from the issue of 1801;] in half-dollars and quarters-dollars ten or twelve full sets; and in ten, five and three cent pieces his collection is complete. The first issue of three cent pieces was in 1851, and it continued until 1859. There were no silver dollars coined in the year 1793, nor from 1805 to 1835, nor 1837 and 1839. Those of 1836 and 1838 were only patterns, with a flying eagle on the reverse. Of half dollars none were issued in the years 1793, 1798, 1799, 1800, and 1816. Of quarter dollars none were made of dates 1793, 1794, 1795; from 1797 to 1803; from 1804 to 1814, 1816, 1817, 1829 and 1830. Dimes were not coined in 1793, 1794, 1795, 1799, 1806, 1808, 1810, 1812, 1813, and from 1815 to 1819. Half dimes were not coined in 1793, 1798, 1799, 1804, 1806 to 1828.

The silver dollars which are rare, are of the years 1794, 1804, 1851, 1852, 1858; of half dollars, 1796, 1797, 1804, and 1815; quarter dollars, 1796, 1823, 1844 and 1846; dimes, 1796, 1797, 1798, 1802 and 1846; half dimes, 1794, 1802, 1803, 1805, 1846; and three cent pieces, the date of 1855.

One of the oldest copper coins was a Jewish shekel, and like the style of all ancient currency had square corners. In foreign copper coin we might safely estimate from 15,000 to 17,000 specimens in this collection.

Of the silver Pine Tree Shilling, and sixpenny and four-penny pieces, which are difficult to obtain, we noticed some twenty or thirty specimens.

In American copper cents he has fifteen or sixteen complete collections, and about one-half as many of half cents. It seems quite conclusive that no cents were coined in 1815. The mint shows no record of coinage of that date, and no collector has seen a genuine 1815 cent; some changed from 1813 have been in the market, but the counterfeit has been usually detected. In 1856 the nickel (or "buzzard," as many called it) cent was first introduced, and is very rare, as is also the date of 1857; copper cents of 1793, 1799, 1804, 1823 and 1857 are very rare. A cent of 1804 is valued at fifty dollars; 1793 and 1799, at forty dollars, if in good condition. Of half cents there were none coined in the years 1798, 1799, 1801, 1812 to 1824, 1830, 1837, 1838, 1839, 1858 and 1859.

It is very remarkable that in so large and rare a collection that the die on almost every piece is as perfect and legible as when issued from the mint.

A feature which brought up some pleasing reminiscences, was the sight of the twelve and a half cent (or "nine-penny") pieces, the price in our youthful days for admission to a concert,—and the four-penny that would buy molasses candy enough for every scholar in school to have a lick at; and we could not help pondering, as we examined one after another of the more ancient coins, on their unwritten histories, of the worlds they perchance helped to conquer, how in the changes of life they had borne a part in every happiness and mingled in the shadows of every grief, and whether in the treasury of the king or in the hands of the peasant, have been the great moving yet dumb actors in life's struggles.

Mr. Jenness has also collected the various bank bills that were circulated by the towns and cities in the several States, also fractional currency issued by the government and by our merchants during the war; Confederate and Continental money of the different valuations; and postage stamps from the Franklin three-cent issue up to those in present use.

In medals, both silver and copper, are those of the several Presidents from Washington up to the present Chief Magistrate, and many others of more ancient date.

Mr. Jenness has not confined his collection to coins and paper money, but has also gathered in old documents and other articles of interest. Among the papers is an autograph book, which was a present to Mrs. Jenness, containing the signatures of President Lincoln, and the Vice President, Cabinet and Members of the Senate and House of Representatives during President Lincoln's term. Mr. Jenness considers this as one of the principal attractions in his cabinet.

A pocket book, which was presented to Mr. Jenness, was accompanied with the following note, which tells its story: "This is the kind of a Pocket Book was in use a hundred years ago. It belonged to Captain Benjamin Jenkins and the two dollar bill in it is the kind of money the army was paid with in the Revolutionary War. I have heard him say, after they gained their independence, in less than a year they could not buy a pair of shoes for a hundred dollars of this money. I have heard him tell his sufferings in the war. 'Tis fresh in my memory now as some time ago. He was captain of the Sea Fencibles company in the war of 1812, at Newcastle. J. Witte."

Of miscellaneous articles in the collection we also noticed an English pewter plate brought over by the Gardner family, and a composition or brass face of a clock of date 1609, as fresh as if just taken from the factory, which was found by Mr. Nathaniel D. Miller amongst some old composition; also a U. S. Seal of 1802, and the upper point of the rod which once graced the spire of the North Church; an almanac two hundred years old, and a deed of the land now owned by Mr. Henry S. Hartshorn near Sagamore Bridge, of which the following is a copy:

"These presents testifies I Henry Sherburn of Portsmouth In Piscataqua River yeoman for a valuable consideration In hand paid by Tobias Lear of ye same place Mariner have bargained and sold, aliened, assigned and sett over and by these presents doth bargain, sell, assign and sett over unto ye said Tobias Lear, a parcel of land from a marked spot in ye fence on ye northwest side down to ye water side and so up to ye head of a Cove against Thomas Onions and thence on a strait line to a little field that was first fenced in by Jonathan Sherburn and so striking on ye northwest of ye highway to a great rock allowing two rod for a highway; and a parcel of fresh marsh lying up in the woods, containing by estimation four acres be it more or less, said parcel of fresh marsh adjoineth to some marsh ye said Elizabeth Lear who possesseth as also a parcel of salt marsh lying near ye house wherein Tobias Langdon late lived containing by estimation five acres be it more or less as it is now fenced in, to have and to hold ye above mentioned tracts of land upland and marsh to him ye said Tobias Lear his heirs, executors, administrators and assigns forever with all ye privilege thereunto belonging to said Henry Sherburn his heirs, executors and administrators and for every of them doth covenant, promise to and with ye said Tobias Lear his heirs, executors administrators and assigns and with every of them ye as present and before ye unsealing hereof he standeth seized and possest of all ye before mentioned land in a good estate of fee simple and that he hath not heretofore made any former bill of sale or mortgaged ye said premises nor any part thereof to any other person but to he his heirs executors, administrators will all times hereafter defend ye title thereof unto him ye said Tobias Lear, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns against all persons whosoever in witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and seal dated in Portsmouth aforesaid this first day of January anno domino 1667 and ye 19th year of ye reign of our Sovereign Lord Charles ye second King of England, Scotland, France and Ireland and Defender of ye faith &c. HENRY SHERBURN [Seal]

Signed, sealed and delivered in presence of George Wallis, Sam'l Sherburn, Rich'd Stileman. } It is mutually agreed between both parties that from ye marked spot to ye burying place and so down to ye back cove there is to be a highway on the northerly point.

Portsmouth ye Dec. 28th, 1668 me Henry Sherburn acknowledges this instrument to be his free act and deed before me

ELIAS STILEMAN, Commissioner.

recorded according to ye original ye 4th January 1668.

By ELIAS STILEMAN, Recorder.

Probate of New Hampshire. } The foregoing is a true copy as it is recorded in ye Publick Records for ye Probate aforesaid In book No. 3 page 4th compared this 4th February ye 5729—30 page.

JOSH. PEIRCE, Recorder."

There were many other interesting and valuable articles which time did not permit us to note, but among the last that attracted our attention were the Directories of Portsmouth from the first to the last publication. The first one was published in the year 1821, by Wibird Penhallow. The former owner of this copy was evidently a jolly fellow, and in notes which were written against many of the names, his neighbors' traits of character were commented on according to his ideas of their qualifications. We give a few samples: "George Ayers, mason, candidate for President;" "John S. Cutts, baker, philosophical;" "Peter Emery, smart fellow;" "John Gaines, lost his boots in the town clock." Those who were in the habit of indulging in liquor he classified from the "moderate drinker" and "drunk on every Saturday night," to the "all the time drunk." Among the list of streets and lanes we find many of which some of the present generation have never heard,—Cotters lane, Cold lane, Cores street, Fetter lane, George street, Gravesend street, Horse lane, Methodist lane, Puddle lane, Short street, Windmill lane, etc. The preface written by Mr. Penhallow shows the kindly feeling he entertained toward his townsmen: "The author of the Portsmouth Directory feels it a duty he owes himself to declare, that in mentioning the different professions and occupations of the inhabitants of this town, he has not exercised any preference to one more than the other; as a book of this kind is a new thing in this place, it may be thought by some that he has evinced partiality when nothing of the kind was intended." The memory of Wibird Penhallow is fresh in the minds of many, and we feel moved to express (in the words so often repeated by him) a confident hope that in the "great hereafter" he has found the ever "Pleasant day—just so."

Mr. Jenness commenced when a school boy, twenty-one years ago, to collect coins for his museum, and was indefatigable in his efforts to obtain every attainable kind issued by the several nations. Mr. John Elwyn, a connoisseur on this subject, was of great assistance, often calling at Mr. Jenness' office and helping to classify and give the coins their standard valuation. The original value of this collection was about $5,000; its present value will approach $10,000. Mr. Jenness has had numerous offers but they have not proved tempting enough for him to dispose of it. The coins are always kept in the bank, excepting when taken out for a friend or visitor to see.

—Adonis (to boy with wheelbarrow)—"Here!—hi! —boy!—just wun and fetch my hat, there's a good fellah!" Boy—"O yes, I dessay. And you'll walk off with my barrer!"

—A crowd man—The worsted seller.

—Society circles in London have revived the old fashioned Scotch songs.

—Strawberry short-cake this year contains a good deal of cake as usual, and is dreadfully short of strawberries. Hence its name.

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Heads that ache, stomachs that inflict dyspeptic torments, muscles and joints racked with the rheumatism, are infallibly restored to health by the celebrated elixir, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, a medicine prescribed by physicians, possessing infinite purity, and which no one takes in vain who is afflicted with any of the numerous complaints to which it is adapted. It frequently happens that so-called remedies fail to produce a permanent effect. This is because they are merely palliatives, and therefore do not remove the cause of the maladies, whose symptoms they alter after a time cease to ameliorate. This is notably the case with opiates and sedative drugs. It is not so, however, with Hostetter's Bitters, which are a searching specific that conquers the disease as well as banishes its *indicia*.

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It is very safe to say that the most fastidious guest never leaves the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., dissatisfied with his visit to that famous hostelry.

FOR BREAKFAST many persons find coffee positively injurious. Walter Baker & Co. prepare a "Breakfast Cocoa," which preserves the nutritive portion of Cocoa, yet leaves no sensation of heaviness after its use. Highly recommended by physicians, and sold by all grocers everywhere.

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PUTNAM—PIKE. In Lee, April 27, Mr. Charles W. Putnam of Lee, and Annie Bell Pike, of Epping.

YOUNG—BABB. At Centre Strafford, May 13, Mr. Charles M. Young to Anna Belle Babb, both of Strafford.

FRENCH—CREIGHTON. In Newmarket, Dr. Alger W. French of Portland, formerly of Exeter, and Miss Lizzianna St. Clair Creighton of Newmarket.

DIED.

GREEN. In Lynn, Mass., May 16, Frank Alden Green, aged 2 years, child of Robert W. and Annie M. Green, formerly of this city.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Schs Extra, Jones, Argo, Taylor, and Clara E Simpson, Tolbert, for this port old from Philadelphia May 23.

Schs Union Flag, Frisbee, from this port, and Jessie Williamson Jr, Frisbee, from Salem for Philadelphia arr at New York MAY 24.

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By the Hon. Judge of Probate for said County.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of MARY D. HUTCHINGS, late of Portsmouth, in said county, deceased, represented insolvent, and to all concerned, Greeting:

You are hereby notified that the Report of the Commissioner of insolvency on said estate will be offered for acceptance at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in said county, on the second Tuesday of July next, at 10 o'clock A. M., when and where you may appear and show cause, if any you have, against the acceptance of said report.

And it is ordered that Jeremiah S. Haley, the Administrator of said estate, give notice by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said county, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said court.

Dated May 18th, A. D. 1877.

By order of the Judge.

WOODBURY M. DURGIN, Register of Probate.

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Daily Chronicle.

—An enterprising bank watchman in Eufaula, Ala., placed some burglars' tools near the vault, killed a hen and scattered the blood about the place, and discharged his pistol several times, creating the impression that he had driven off a band of burglars. The hen was found, and prospects of a reward vanished.

—A young gentleman from Chicago—the *Tribune* recounts the adventure—was insulted in a cafe in Paris by a professional bully and duelist. The friends of the American insisted that he must fight, and by a judicious use of stimulants induced the timid soul to send a challenge. The fatal morning came and the enraged duelists confronted each other on the Belgian frontier. "Keep cool!" said the Chicago warrior's second. "Stick your sword into him—that's all you have to do; never mind any of his monkey-shines, but go in just as if he belonged to St. Louis and hadn't them tom-cat mustaches." Despite the assurance that his friends, if worse came to the worst, would have his remains put up on ice and shipped to Chicago, the American showed no signs of fight until he was face to face with the enemy, when, to the astonishment of the bystanders, he parried and thrust like a madman, and in twenty seconds ran one of the best swordsmen in Europe through the throat. He bears his triumph with modesty, for his confidential advisers know the secret of his sudden burst of valor. When the duel began the horrible thought flashed across his mind that the undershirt he had on had been worn a week and was in need of repair, and that he would cut a disgraceful figure if he were wounded and stripped.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	1002
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112½
United States Five-Twenties, 1867 coupon	111½
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Con way 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	92½
Boston & Maine	172
Boston & Providence	117½
Boston & Albany	116½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	3
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below the water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and hereafter on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after a time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, but shall suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city, or into any place of filth be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river below water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that a person within his family is sick with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, yard or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time to be limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier shall neglect to comply with the notice within the time so limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier,

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Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 26.

The Council of the "Ladies' Mt. Vernon Association" assembled at the historic mansion last Tuesday, and is still in session. Mrs. Sweat, Hudson, Harper, Halsted, Townsend, Leighton, Ball, Ware and Comyges, representing the following States as Vice Regents in the order named: Maine, Connecticut, Maryland, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Virginia, Kansas and Delaware,—California, South Carolina and the District of Columbia being represented by proxies, and Mrs. Leighton ably presiding over the deliberations. All of Tuesday and Wednesday were consumed in considering the propositions of the six competitors who bid for the exclusive privilege of the transportation by boat of pilgrims to the Mt. Vernon shrine, from and to Washington,—the eight year contract of popular Captain Hollingshead expiring next April. As heretofore conducted the business has been a close monopoly, no other boat save Hollingshead's being permitted to land passengers at the wharf of the Mt. Vernon estate. The contract stipulated that his boat was to make a daily trip (Sundays excepted) when navigation was possible, paying twenty-five per cent. of all fares collected to the Association, the round trip being fixed at one dollar per head for adults. Some idea of the profits accruing from this source of revenue to the Association may be had by the statement that excursion parties, ranging from fifty up to eight hundred are frequent during Spring, Summer and Autumn, and the grounds are never without some visitors, even during the Winter, when the ice permits navigation. To the fortunate boat owner the monopoly was a rich bonanza, particularly during the season of 1876 in carrying Centennials. A knowledge of these facts has brought a large number of competitors to the front, some of the present bidders offering a royalty of fifty per cent. on every dollar collected, for the exclusive right to the passenger traffic.

Mrs. Briggs' revelations, a few years ago, convinced the public that a "ring" was administering the affairs of Mt. Vernon, trading upon the nation's veneration for the illustrious dead buried there, and brought about the incontinent retirement of the resident regent, who, with her little circle of subordinates, neither toiled or spun, but just lived in clover on the banks of the placid Potomac, undisturbed by the struggles for bread of their less fortunate fellows of the outside world! Possibly a suspicion that the benefits of this reciprocal arrangement between the steamboat man and the successor of Mrs. C—, are to be applied as during her administration, accounts for the clamor of those familiar with the facts for the abatement of the monopoly, and the dissatisfaction arising from the arbitrary restrictions imposed upon all visitors in the matter of transportation; whatever its cause, there is a general desire to see a more liberal method inaugurated.

The Nation's Government representation at the Paris Exposition has been before the Cabinet, Mr. Evarts proposing the appointment of a provisional commission to make preliminary arrangements, and to make it permanent in case Congress makes the needed appropriation to a creditable display—about $300,000 being thought necessary—otherwise to drop the matter. No decision was reached.

The matter of issuing a proclamation of neutrality has also been discussed in Cabinet session, but it appeared the sense of those present to defer action for the time being, the matter to be decided by future events in Europe.

The indifference of Governor Stone and minor officials of Mississippi over the cowardly Chisholm family murder, and their determination to take no steps to secure the punishment of the murderers, has aroused a good deal of indignation here; and it has been rendered more intense and outspoken by the unprovoked assassination of Laws, the colored member of the Louisiana Legislature; and the President's reported purpose to notify Stone that he is expected to promptly move in the matter, is a leading subject of conversation among officials, about the hotels and on the streets.

French affairs still occupy a good degree of the time devoted to our trans-Atlantic brethen. Mr. Evarts is reported to regard the recent ultramontane *coup d' etat* as very materially complicating the situation of affairs there. McMahon is roundly abused by everybody for his share in what now looks very much like a conspiracy, except by the hopelessly Bourbon publicists and the blindly devoted adherents of the Roman Church.

The assaults of the Richmond politicians have at last been effectual in the decapitation of Miss Van Lew as postmaster or postmistress, and the substitution of a Col. Forbes. It is asserted that the hand of Mosby, who is assigned the same influential position with the present Administration as with the last, is plainly perceptible in this Richmond business, and the removal is being mercilessly criticized in many quarters.

The President and heads of Departments have never been more sorely beset by the legions of office seekers than since their return from their New York visit, the White House and grounds being crowded from early morning till the appearance of the stars at night. Baltimore politicians who have heretofore been accorded the custody of the champion belt for cheek, have lost it during the struggle of the past few days, and it will be carried in triumph somewhere "down in Dixie." KNOX.

The Terrible "Alarm."

The *Army and Navy Journal*—the best authority on such matters among the press of the United States—thinks but little of the English "fish torpedo," and much less of Admiral Porter's famous torpedo boat, the "Alarm," though it belives the Ericsson torpedo has immense possibilities. Here is what it says of Admiral Porter's "terrible" pet:

It will be well to bear in mind that while England has its Beresford to explain and extol the *fish torpedo*, America has certain journals of high repute which furnish sensational pictorial representations and extol "Admiral Porter's system of torpedo warfare," particularly the *Alarm*, with its terrible beak. This sea-monster, it is stated, has the power of sending iron-clads of all classes to the bottom; hence the admirers of Admiral Porter's system lament that our Russian friends have not an *Alarm* in the Black Sea, as it would enable them, it is believed, to destroy the Turkish iron-clad fleet and thereby facilitate the transportation of war material for the Russian army in Armenia, besides other important advantages resulting from the command of that sea. We would fain abstain from expressing an adverse opinion of the *Alarm*, which, so far, has only served to entertain curious spectators, particularly the naval attaches of the several foreign legations at Washington. The subject being too grave, in a national point of view, to be passed in silence, we deem it important to expose the true nature of the U. S. torpedo ram built in accordance with "Admiral Porter's system of torpedo warfare." In the first place, then, the speed of the *Alarm* is inferior to that of the iron-clad ships in the English navy. Secondly, her sides are so weak that a single well-directed broadside, however inferior in point of calibre, would sink or render her utterly unserviceable. We call special attention to the important point that the *Alarm* cannot harm unless coming in actual contact with the object intended to be struck. Now, such a contact becomes impossible unless (1) the speed of the torpedo ram be greater than that of the opponent, and (2) unless its hull be capable of resisting shot. Neither of these conditions being fulfilled in Admiral Porter's torpedo ram, it must be considered practically worse than useless. Agreeably to the published statements before referred to, now before us, the *Alarm* has very low freeboard—a great advantage, we are informed, as presenting a small target to the enemy's fire. But this circumstance shows that the vessel, notwithstanding her inferior speed, presents minimum immersed section, and that she is incapable of carrying the necessary thickness of armor and the weight of the powerful machinery indispensable to attain a speed equal to that of the European iron-clad ships. In the face of these facts the American public is informed that "Admiral Porter's torpedo vessel *Alarm* is probably the most formidable craft afloat, not excepting the Italian iron-clads with their 100-ton guns, and in time of war will form a model for a fleet of like steamers." This statement scarcely demands refutation; but let us imagine the puny torpedo ram essaying an attack on the impregnable *Dandolo*, and that instead of running away, the Italian directs his fire toward his assailant. It needs no demonstration to show that the 2,000 pound projectile from the 100-ton gun of the floating iron castle would rake and sink the frail torpedo at the first fire. Referring to the 15-inch smooth bore gun mounted at the bow of the *Alarm*, visitors have repeatedly put the question: What is the object of this gun, which, being wholly unprotected by armor, will be dismounted, and the gunners serving it killed by a single well-directed shell? Again, if protected by armor of adequate strength, of what avail is this gun against the armor of modern iron-clad ships? We deem it needless to criticise the complex electric apparatus and other curious mechanical devices by which this useless torpedo vessel is intended to be manœuvred. The foregoing particulars will convince the friends of the Czar that there is no occasion to lament the absence of the *Alarm* on the Black Sea. The truth is, that the Sultan has not a single seagoing iron-clad ship which could not outrun and easily destroy Admiral Porter's torpedo ram.

The War.

The following details are given of the destruction on the Danube of the Turkish monitor by torpedoes: Two young Russian engineer officers attempted to reach the monitor early in the evening with torpedoes, but were discovered and driven back by a heavy fire. At three o'clock in the morning they returned in two skiffs, carrying a chain of small torpedoes filled with dynamite. No lookout being kept about the monitor they securely lodged the chain across her bows. On their return they discharged the whole series of torpedoes by means of an electric battery. The vessel immediately disappeared.

The trouble in Constantinople between the Softas and the Porte has been settled by the arrest and punishment of the leaders.

News and Notes.

It is announced that the great twelve-inch rifled guns, the first made for the Government of the United States, will be cast at the South Boston foundry on Wednesday.

The Russian newspapers are growling at England, since Lord Derby's letter, and the St. Petersburg *News*, semi-official, says that a war between England and Russia is only a question of time, since the actual seat of the Moslem power in Europe is not at Constantinople but in London. A grim jest.

The German ironclad fleet has been ordered to the Mediterranean.

Thomas Nesbitt, a hitherto highly respected citizen of Newark, N. J., has been arrested on a charge of being one of a gang of conductors, brakemen, ferrymen, etc., who have robbed the Newark Branch Railroad to the tune of $100 a day for the past four years.

M. T. Hatch, editor of the Newport, Vt., *Palladium*, in his last issue published an article derogatory to one Miss Hadlock. Friday afternoon, as Hatch was passing a store in North Troy, Miss Hadlock emerged therefrom, threw a handful of red pepper in his eyes, completely blinding him, then drew a large horse-whip and gave him a severe thrashing in the face and upon his head, and finally rotten-egged him. Both are respectably connected. Hatch was a captain in the army during the late rebellion.

Gen. Grant and party arrived at Queenstown, Ireland, Sunday evening.

The young ladies of the graduating class of the Lewiston (Me.) High School have acceded to the request of the Superintendent to dress in American prints at the exercises of graduation, and the young gentlemen are arranging to make the graduating expenses merely nominal.

The long contested case in the Supreme Court of York county, Me., Risworth Jordan vs Moses Lowell, administrator, and which was referred to Hon. Wm. G. Barrows as referee, has been decided in favor of the plaintiff, in the sum of $2763.25.

The case which has long been pending in the courts, between the Yale Lock Company and James Sargent of New York, in regard to the right to patent improvements in time locks for safes, has been decided in favor of the latter.

Colonel Corbin, who has been on duty at the Executive Mansion since the inauguration of President Hayes, has been relieved and ordered to duty at the War Department. Colonel Corbin served ten years with his regiment on the frontier without leave of absence.

A bloodstone ring cut with a family crest, and worn by an officer in the Custer massacre, has just reached Washington. The mother of the officer to whom it belonged began a search for it on the news of his death, and a short time ago it was recovered from a member of Crazy Horse's band.

The four Biddeford, Me., boys, who started in pursuit of such adventures as the dime novels describe, met with no adventures, but encountered practical difficulties about foot and lodging, and went ingloriously home.

J. E. Wolfe, of Newburyport, has issued the second number of his *Word of Truth*, containing (like the first number) a list of all the individuals and firms in that city paying a special tax for the sale of spirituous and malt liquors, followed by texts of Scripture. He asks the following conundrum: "We wonder if the grocery-firms selling strong drink would have been so fearfully outraged if we had come out with a free advertisement stating that the choicest flour, halibut and bacon were kept constantly on hand?"

The men who escaped from the bark Ella Vose at the time of the collision with the bark Popono, on the Newfoundland banks, arrived at Halifax, N. S., on Saturday. They state that Capt. Doody and nine men remained on the Vose when they left. The Popono struck the Vose amidships, crushing through the covering boards and smashing the largest boat. As the vessels separated Capt. Doody was heard to call out, "Stand by us, we are sinking." The Popono cruised around several hours, but found no trace of the other vessel.

Mme. Titiens, the prima donna, is dangerously ill in London. She underwent an operation for dropsy recently, and on Thursday and Friday the worst fears were entertained, but Saturday there were some encouraging indications.

A crowd of drunken roughs went from Syracuse, N.Y., to a hotel just outside the edge of the city, Sunday morning, and announced their intention to clean out the place. They commenced on the barkeeper, who did some good shooting, killing one and badly wounding two others of the ruffians, with three shots. The rest of the gang were arrested.

Thomas Crapo and his wife sailed from New Bedford for Liverpool on Monday, in a boat twenty feet long.

The Attorney-General of Mississippi confirms the report that Gov. Stone is resolved not to "stir up" the horrible murder case in Kemper County, for he publishes a letter saying the Governor has not consulted him about the matter in any way. He adds an opinion of his own which will meet the concurrence of the public: "If the press of the State persist in their attempts to palliate, excuse, or justify such violence, murder, and brutal assassination, it will only serve to invite a repetition of such disgraceful savagery and admonish all good citizens of the State to flee to Mexico or Santo Domingo for a better enforcement of the law and for a higher grade of civilization."

New Hampshire Items.

Hiram Beckman, living next to the South Seabrook church, some time since built an ornamental slat fence in front of his house and grounds. Being made of pine it has on several occasions been badly defaced by cutting with a knife, pickets have been pulled off, and a short time since (in the night) the small gate was taken off and was found in the woods with the slats broken, evidently done with rocks. Mr. Beckman has the wreck of the gate swinging in place in front of his house, evidently hoping the sight of it will satisfy the destructiveness of his tormentors and elicit the sympathy of good citizens.—*Exeter News-Letter.*

Four-pound trout are now being caught out of the waters in Errol.

Mrs. M. S. Brown is appointed Postmistress at Canterbury, in place of H. H. Brown, resigned.

A teamster while near the depot at South Keene on the 19th, killed a black snake nearly six feet in length.

Several French citizens who left Nashua a few weeks ago for Manitoba have returned, and many others would be glad to if they had any way of doing so; but as many of them who went had only money enough to carry them there, they are unable to return to their homes. The railroads carried them from Nashua to Manitoba for $18 each, but will not bring them back short of $200. Therefore they are obliged to remain there and live the best they can. Some of the party that have returned say that they walked about 200 miles, and, by paying $50 after that succeeded in reaching Nashua.

—Nellie Grant Sartoris' boy has been christened Algernon Edward.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 " "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 " "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 " "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.55 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 " "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 " "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M, 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 6.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, May 28th.

Charles S. Walker, who with his wife has for some time past kept an establishment on some one of the streets near the river side, was up for an assault on his wife. He promised to leave town in a hurry and go back to Maine, where he came from, if the Court would allow him,—the Court was only too happy to have Charles emigrate, and Monday afternoon he shook the dust from his feet and went over the river. If the stories told by the police are true, his wife and the "establishment" might both follow him without inflicting irreparable damage on the city.

Bridget Scott was to the fore to answer to a charge of stealing five dollars from somebody, but the complainant did not appear, and as there seemed really no ground for the charge the case was dismissed.

The civil business of this Court is rapidly increasing, the legislature at its last session having passed an act allowing suits in which the amount in dispute does not exceed $100 to be brought in police court, s though suits for sums exceeding $13.33 *may* still be brought in the Supreme Court. After the amendment making it obligatory to bring all such petty suits before a police magistrate has been incorporated in the constitution and declared in force, a further increase in business must take place. Judge Batchelder has drawn up a set of rules for governing and expediting the civil business of the court, which will be to the mutual advantage of the magistrate and the lawyers, as well as the litigants.

[Communicated.]

"BLAST THE ROCKS."

Messrs. Editors: Being a believer in "keeping the ball in motion" when it is once started in the right direction, I wish to add a word to your article under the above heading, published some weeks ago. I was (and know that many others were) greatly pleased with that article, not only for what it contained, but because it showed that at least one of the local papers has an intelligent interest in the necessary improvement of our harbor. Certainly all the places you mentioned are dangerous, and it is equally certain that nearly every one of the obstructions specified could be removed at small cost, and with trifling labor compared to what has been expended on improvements of far less importance in other ports and rivers. But you failed to mention one hidden danger—the flat ledge at the entrance to the dock, about midway between Commercial and Pier wharves, which is a source of serious annoyance to the winter fishermen drawing eight feet or more of water, for with a sudden dying away of the wind when a vessel is trying to make a berth in that dock on a strong ebb tide she can hardly escape striking that rock, and many vessels have done so. The very thing which gives our harbor its exceptional value as a winter port,—the swift and varying currents which prevent the formation of ice in masses sufficient to obstruct navigation,—makes these rocks far more perilous to vessels than they would be in harbors having more placid waters, and greatly increases the necessity for their removal. If the Board of Trade would take the matter in hand, the Board of Pilot Commissioners would undoubtedly give them all the data necessary to enable them to make such a representation of the case to Congress, through the medium of our Representatives there, as would cause an investigation by the National engineers,—and that investigation once secured there is no fear but a prompt improvement of the harbor would be ordered, for a survey would show the great need of the work being done and how easy it would be to do it. Hoping the Board of Trade (which seems to me the proper agency to work it up) will act on the suggestions given, I remain

Yours truly, HAND LEAD.

JOTTINGS.

The Portsmouth Philharmonic Society will hold their last rehearsal before adjourning for the Summer, at Mercantile and Grange Hall, this (Tuesday) evening. Mr. Pearson is one of the best conductors the Society has ever had, and Miss Hanscom as pianist has given good satisfaction.

Yacht "Phantom," built by Mr. William Dixon at Kittery Foreside for Mr. Stephen Decatur of Kittery Point, was launched on Friday, May 18th. Her dimensions are as follows: length of keel, 27 feet; length over all, 31 feet; breadth of beam, 12 feet five inches; depth of hold, five feet; she draws about three feet of water aft and eighteen inches forward, and measures about eleven tons. She is to be sloop rigged; her bowsprit is 14 feet over the stern, mainmast 35 feet long, topmast 14 feet, mainboom 33 feet, gaff 18 feet. She will carry 100 yards of canvas in her mainsail, 50 yards in the jib, 40 yards in the gaff-topsail, 30 yards in the jib-topsail and 100 yards in the balloon jib. Her cabin, which is thirteen feet long, is finished in pine with black walnut trimmings, and upholstered with striped terry,—stateroom in forward part of cabin; altogether she has sleeping accommodations for eight persons. The cockroom is forward. Her centre-board is ten feet long and five feet wide; she is fitted with Lawley & Son's steering gear, and has a binnacle which cost $200. She is painted white, and is expected to do some fast sailing when she gets settled down to business.

Messrs. C. E. & J. E. Dixon, No. 7 Congress street, have the exclusive agency for Portsmouth and vicinity for Morton's bismuth pens. These pens are non-corrosive in any kind of ink, and will not change the tints of red, carmine or violet inks; they write well—that is, if the writer knows how to write well with any kind of a pen—and are far more lasting than steel pens. Call and get a dozen, for fifty cents.

A two horse team belonging to a Mr. Thompson, of York, took fright while standing in front of Call's lumber yard, Monday afternoon, and ran away over Noble's Island bridge; but the wagon struck the gate at the toll-bridge, the shock breaking the pole and tumbling one of the horses on his back, and there the runaway stopped.

Engine Companies Nos. Three and Four on Monday evening voted to attend the funeral of the late A. K. P. Deering, in uniform.

MEMORIAL DAY.

ORDER OF EXERCISES.

The procession will form on Market Square, right resting on Market street, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., sharp, and move promptly at two o'clock in the following order:

City Marshal,
Platoon of Police,
American Band, Rochester,
Chief Marshal and Aids,
U. S. Marines,
Portsmouth Heavy Artillery,
Portsmouth Light Artillery,
Portsmouth Cornet Band,
Portsmouth City Guards,
Portsmouth Cavalry Company,
War Veterans,
Officers of the U. S. Navy,
Invited Guests.

Route of procession: Through Market, Deer, Vaughan, Congress, Islington, Cabot, Middle, Cass, countermarch, Middle, State, Pleasant and South streets, to the South cemetery.

EXERCISES AT THE CEMETERY.

Selection by Band,
Prayer—by Chaplain Grant,
Reading of General Order by Comrade John H. Locke,
Address—Rev. James W. Hubbell,
Decoration of Graves,
Recall of Procession,
Volley by Marine Corps,
Hymn "America," by the audience, with bands,
Benediction—Chaplain Grant.

The procession will return through Richards Avenue, Middle and Congress streets to Market Square, where it will be dismissed.

TO THE LADIES--SPECIAL NOTICE.

The committee on Memorial Day observances *earnestly* request the aid of the ladies to-day, in arranging evergreen for decorating the graves of the Nation's dead to-morrow; a large quantity of material has been procured, but without generous assistance from the ladies it cannot be utilized. All who can give even an hour or two to this work are invited to call at Franklin upper hall (entrance on Fleet street) as early as convenient, for much remains to be done,—the material is there, but much more help is needed. The hall will be open all day and evening.

RYE LETTER.

RYE, May 26th.

The rate of taxation the present year is $1.35 on $100; $6000 is to be raised, and $1200 of this is appropriated for schools and $2000 for highways. The total valuation of everything in town which is taxable was $696,975 in 1876, which amount is probably somewhat increased by the annexation of Gosport, as well as by some new houses built since then. The following statistics may be of interest:

Deposits in savings banks,		$242,662
Value of lands,		345,150
Stock in National banks, value,		14,178
Railroad stock,	"	7,716
Stock in trade,	"	1,900
Neat cattle, number,		522
Horses,	"	269
Sheep,	"	104
Dogs,	"	61

The number of ratable polls is 302; of voters over seventy years of age, thirty-two. The following is a list of persons who pay taxes of $25 and upward:

E. H. Balch	37 77	Geo. G. Lougee	100 03
Amos P. Brown	46 57	Joseph Locke	25 56
Daniel Brown	39 95	Jenness Marden	39 10
Geo. H. Brown,	29 82	Levi W. Marden	39 10
John H. Brown	27 91	Thos. I. Marden	26 40
Joseph W. Brown	54 16	H'rs O. D. Marden	33 16
Daniel Dalton	38 54	C. A. Odiorne	43 51
Albert Dove	63 49	Thos. J. Parsons	79 18
Charles A. Drake	52 59	Warren Parsons	25 86
John Drake	28 21	Abraham Perkins	90 60
John O. Foss	29 31	Daniel Philbrick	34 31
John Foye	38 04	E. B. Philbrick	93 36
Orin L. Foye	33 21	J. Curtis Philbrick	32 80
Wm. E. Chesley	25 88	J. N. Philbrick	30 16
Moses Clark	30 91	G. W. Peirce	25 62
Joseph J. Drake	29 21	John R. Poor	151 84
Charles Garland	27 51	H'rs J. Philbrick	229 90
Moses Garland	27 51	Elvin Rand	37 14
Rufus I. Garland	47 97	Henry S. Rand	38 92
Wm. C. Garland	20 91	Isaac D. Rand	33 86
Joseph W. Garland	45 78	Jedidiah Rand	60 74
John L. Goss	26 67	J. Jenness Rand	39 92
Richard T. Goss	27 54	Wm. J. Rand	29 83
John Grover	29 42	John S. Remick	48 87
H'rs Edw. Garland	42 79	Levi T. Sanborn	33 07
Moses L. Garland	32 40	Horace Sawyer	37 20
William Holmes	33 92	Geo. H. Seavey	28 23
Alfred G. Jenness	46 98	Eben L. Seavey	28 42
David Jenness	33 05	Joseph W. Seavey	29 30
Emery C. Jenness	39 57	Joseph L. Seavey	44 30
Geo. W. Jenness	33 52	J. P. Trefethen	26 65
Gilman H. Jenness	32 81	G. L. Trefethen	25 29
Job Jenness	40 71	Miss E. A. Walker	63 76
Joseph D. Jenness	33 47	Wid. J. H. Webster	27 00
N. G. Jenness	29 04	John Woods	42 61
Oliver Jenness	27 89	NON-RESIDENTS.	
O. P. Jenness	53 13	Woodbury Seavey	30 61
Richard Jenness	35 11	T. C. Cummings	40 50
Sheridan Jenness	51 21	E. A. Shaw	79 27
Orl H. Jenness	49 38	Heirs J. H. Dow	41 88
Mary Jenness	25 99	William Walker	27 00
Maria S. Jones	29 09	Direct Cable Co.	27 00
Chas. N. Knowles	25 92		

A fair sized audience seemed well satisfied with the Floral Entertainment given by Miss Bailey and her pupils on Thursday evening; the singing by the Misses Ham of Portsmouth was of course excellent; Miss Stella Delaney was very pleasing in the rendering of the "Popping corn" song, and was vigorously applauded. The Rye Cornet Band was on hand, and played several selections.

The band serenaded Mr. and Mrs. Alfred V. Seavey on Wednesday evening, and were entertained by the happy couple.

Canker worms have commenced business, and farmers hereabout anticipate plenty of work in fighting these pests, which in connection with the potato bugs, will keep them busy for some time to come. Gardner Bunker, however, will only be able to use one band in exterminating these enemies of the farmers, for some time to come; the circular saw which they use at the new steam mill at Greenland depot to cut slabs, happened to come in the way of two of his fingers and nearly cut them off,—this occurred Saturday.

The road mania has broken out afresh, and in a virulent form. There are, it is reported, petitions in circulation for *four* new highways, and *two* for widening portions of those already open; also there is talk of *two more* at least,—and it has been mentioned that a railroad from Greenland depot on the Concord Road, intersecting the Eastern near the Ocean road, and thence running to the Beach, would be a good thing. NAT.

—The late President Finney's prayer on the Franco-German war is now appropriate. He lifted up his voice and said: "O Lord, how long? how long? Bring this war to a speedy close. O Lord, they go on killing women and children and burning villages, and they call this civil warfare. O Lord, did you ever hear of anything so ridiculous?"

—A Chinaman went into a store kept by a Jew in San Francisco recently, and began to ask the prices of the goods. After he had ejaculated "Too muchee" several times, the proprietor lost his patience, and, hustling him about, cried: "Get out of here, you heathen!" The Chinaman withdrew to a safe distance and said: "Whaller maller you? Hi, me sabe you. You kill Mellican's joss!"

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DIED.

DEERING, In this city, May 26th, Mr. Albion K. P. Deering, aged 55 years and 7 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

ARRIVED, May 28.

Sch Hattie E King, Baltimore.
Sch John Shay, Tilton, Hoboken.
Sch Georgia, Dodge, Port Johnson.

Ship W H Marcy, Marcy, in port at San Francisco May 18, laid up; also barque Quickstep, Barnabee, to load for Manila.

Ship Calcutta, Hansen, cld from Bangor for Liverpool May 23.

Ship Midnight, Marcy, from Manila Jan 28 arr at Boston May 27 with hemp to order.

Schrs Mabel Rose, Allen, and Mary J Adams, Coombs, for this port cld from Philadelphia May 14.

Sch Georgia, Dodge for this port from Port Johnson arr at Vineyard Haven May 25, also sch Kenduskeag, Trask, for this port from Hoboken arr 26th

Sch War Eagle, Frisbee, from Bangor arr at Boston May 27.

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—The Emperor of Brazil visited the Salpetriere Hospital in Paris, recently, to witness experiments of Dr. Burg's system of restoring sensibility to paralyzed limbs by the application of metals. For nearly two hours he watched with attention in the hospital wards the Professor running bodkins through the flesh of arms and legs in which there was no feeling, and saw, a few minutes after the application of copper or gold, according to the idiosyncrasy of the patient, the slightest prick draw blood and produce screams. He was particularly struck by the case of a girl, certified to have had her arm useless some days previous, who was now able to lift heavy weights.

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Maine State 6s, 1889	116
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	92
Boston & Providence	117½
Boston & Albany	126½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	3
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	109½
Manchester & Lawrence	128
Michigan Central	91½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	91½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	50½

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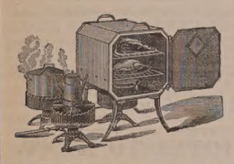

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind upon their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier shall omit to notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause such nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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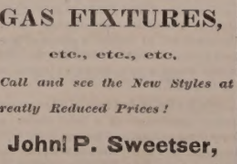

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—Representative Asbill has introduced a bill in the South Carolina Legislature to prevent the intermarriage of races, and to make it punishable by fine and imprisonment at hard labor.

—The New York correspondent of the Springfield *Republican* says: "Just now there is a very pretty little quarrel between the editor of the *Tribune* and the Messrs. Appleton, of which there are two or three versions. The one most generally credited is that the Messrs. Appleton sent a set of their cyclopædia to Mr. Whitelaw Reid, and that therefor he returned his check for the value of the work. The check was promptly and politely returned, with the explanation that the publishers did not want the money, but hoped that Mr. Reid would give the cyclopædia such a notice as it deserved in the *Tribune*. It is said that Mr. Reid informed them that his self-respect would not allow him to notice a work one of the editors of which had abused him repeatedly and malignantly, referring, of course, to the editor of the *Sun*, Mr. Charles A. Dana."

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Lynch Law.

Friday morning, before daybreak, Mrs. C. C. Chambliss of Stewart county, Georgia, was murdered by three negroes. They fired fences and drew her husband away from the house. The negroes then proceeded to the house to rob it and were met by Mrs. Chambliss, a beautiful woman, aged eighteen years, armed with a gun. One of the negroes, Jerry Snead, took the gun from her and lodged its contents in her head, causing death instantly. The negroes burned a corn-crib and fled, but were pursued and captured. Jerry admitted the deed and implicated his companions, Stephen Abrams and William Booth. They were brought to Chambliss' home that afternoon, when it was unanimously decided by about three hundred whites and blacks present that they should be hanged. The gallows was erected and the murderers were hanged with trace chains. The colored participants in the lynching threw the lifeless bodies into an old field to rot, and with great difficulty the whites persuaded them to permit their burial. The culprits met their fate jeeringly, glorying in the deed and taunting their executioners. A cotton rope was first used on Stephen Abrams, but it broke, and he asked the crowd to get a stronger one. No other rope could be found and trace chains were used.

Went to Sea in a Bowl.

Three thousand people assembled on the wharves of New Bedford Monday noon, to witness the departure of Captain and Mrs. Crapo, the bold (and foolish) mariners who propose to cross the ocean in a schooner of small dimensions. The schooner's measurements are as follows: Length, 19.55 feet; breadth, 6.4 feet; depth, 3.16 feet; tonnage, 1.62 tons. The length of keel is 17 feet; centre-board, 3 1-2 feet, and 1 1-2 feet wide. She is built somewhat after the whaleboat model, but shorter, broader, deeper and with more sheer, and her draught of water will be about 13 inches, with centre-board up. Most of her provisions are canned goods, and she is provided with a little petroleum stove. Most of the weight on board consists of her store of fresh water, about 130 gallons in six kegs, which is stowed fore and aft, three on each side. Her provisions and water weigh about 1500 pounds. The craft is a shorter boat than has ever crossed the Atlantic, but Capt. Crapo thinks she is superior as a sea boat to the little craft that made the voyage last year. The steersman will sit in the after hatchway, and is provided with a canvass boot to fasten round the body in rough weather. Any time when the sea is too high for convenient running the boat will lie to with a drag. The boat carries charts, a compass and quadrant. Capt. Crapo will keep his longitude by dead reckoning, verylifying it by any vessel passing, and most of the way will be directly in the track of the ocean steamers. He will call first at Falmouth, in Cornwall, and expects to arrive in forty days. Thence he will proceed to London and afterward Havre. The boat had been lying some hours at Rotch's wharf with Capt. Crapo on board, and Mrs. Crapo arrived just before noon with her pockets full of lemons. Mrs. Crapo is an agreeable lady of twenty-three, a daughter of Frederick Stiff of London, manufacturer of music-boxes; she is a healthy-looking woman, slightly above average proportions, and is as enthusiastic as her husband in relation to the voyage. She has sailed two years and a half with him, and says she will probably be seasick about one or two days. Capt. Crapo and his wife shook hands all round, the encircling boats scattered to make room, the boom which had been triced up alongside the mainmast was lowered, and away she went for Europe and a market.

The War.

A correspondent of the New York *Times*, writing from Trebizond, says that, in the midst of general uncertainty there, three things are certain: Moukhtar Pasha is a wholly incompetent general, in whom the soldiers have no confidence; the Russians are within the Turkish frontier in great force; and, while the Russians are well supplied with trained cavalry, the Turks have scarcely any horsemen with which to cope with them. From this state of things he infers that the Russians will ultimately carry all before them in Asia Minor. Having secured the territory which it has so long coveted on the south of the Black Sea, Russia will be able to treat with Turkey on her own terms. All this is based on the presumption of no interference from England.

St. Petersburg despatches say the real facts of the blowing up of the Turkish monitor in the Danube are as follows: The Russian officers conducted the torpedoes to the monitor in open daylight and under fire. One of the Russian boats was almost submerged by the explosion of the torpedoes and another was struck by a shot. The two lieutenants who commanded have been decorated with the Cross of St. George.

The Turks claim to have recaptured Ardahan.

News and Notes.

The Pacific Mail Steamship Company's officials have received advices from Mexico, stating that the steamer City of San Francisco struck a sunken rock May 16, and is a total loss. Passengers and crew saved.

The Chicago base ball club, travelling with the champion flag, was on Monday taken in by a country nine in the wilds of Ohio and beaten by three to nothing. The winners were the City club of Springfield, a nine which consists of a pitcher and eight unknowns. The pitcher's name is Mitchel, and he is by odds the best man the champions have met this year. They made one bit off him on a fall game, while the other chaps got nine off Bradley, the Chicago's pitcher.

Fifty-two vessels, of 28,000 tons aggregate measurement, have been posted at Lloyd's as missing in the first four months of the present year, compared with twenty vessels in the corresponding period of 1876. It is believed that about 650 persons have perished with these vessels, which are valued at over half a million sterling. Eleven vessels, having on board 84 men, were posted as missing in April.

Lucy Ann Mank, alias Mink, alias Lulu A. Martin, the woman who murdered her paramour in Maine, for which crime she was tried and acquitted, and who later murdered another paramour, Charles Ricker, in Lowell, Mass., is now on trial for the last murder.

The Secretary of the National Rifle Association has received a telegram from Capt. Mildmay, Secretary of the British Rifle Association, that "the National Rifle Association will send the United Kingdom team to Creedmoor this year." This will result in probably the greatest rifle match yet fought. The British team will include the pick of Scotch, Irish and English small bore shots, while the American team will comprise the cream of the American rifle ranges.

Frank Blake, in Newburyport jail awaiting trial for horse stealing, attempted suicide by hanging Monday morning, but was discovered by Officer Sargent in time to prevent the accomplishment of his purpose. He was placed in solitary confinement, but bruising his head severely against the wall of the cell it was found necessary to confine him with another prisoner who is able to take care of him. Blake is a desperate character, and there are charges against him for horse stealing in New Hampshire.

Great lawlessness prevails in South Carolina. The Charleston *Mercury* says that in Darlington and Chesterfield counties, "the sheriffs' offices are crowded with warrants of arrest, but they are not executed and the ordinary processes of law afford no protection to the people." On the same authority it is stated that three notorious criminals were stalking about Society Hill in broad daylight, two of whom were escaped convicts; and no officer went near them.

The steamship City of Brussels arrived at Liverpool on Tuesday.

Fletcher Harper, senior member of the firm of Harper & Brothers, died on Tuesday, aged 72 years.

Gen. Miles had a fight with Indians on the Rosebud river, May 7th, in which four soldiers and fourteen Indians were killed. Lame Deer and Iron Star, two noted chiefs, were among the slain.

New Hampshire Items.

The consolidated pension agency for Maine and New Hampshire will be located at Concord, and E. L. Whitford, the present agent there, will have charge of the new office.

The Advent camp meeting will commence in Seabrook the Sunday before July 4th, lasting through the following Sunday.

A little daughter of Daniel W. Patrick of East Colebrook was attacked and seriously injured by a ram last week; one arm was broken, and a severe contusion was made over her right eye. The child's mother rescued her with difficulty with a hammer, and so badly injured the animal that it had to be killed.

George Lewis of the Industrial Home is missing from Dover, with a horse and carriage, since last Thursday. He is five feet eight inches high, with dark hair and light moustache.

The Board of Assessors in Nashua made an awkward mistake of $1,000,000 in figuring up the total valuation of property, being a less amount than it should have been. After about $400,000 of taxes had been made up the attention of an old and experienced Assessor was called to it, and upon examining the books the mistake was found. This correction will make a great difference with some of the heavy tax-payers of Nashua, reducing the tax per cent. from $1.70 to $1.50 on $100.

—The demand for passports at the State department indicates that foreign travel this season will be largely in excess of previous years. Compared with last year, the number issued to date shows an excess of four thousand.

—Many years ago a lady in a town near Concord purchased of a local trader a cheap dress pattern, and finding, some days after, that she needed more to complete the garment, went four miles to procure it. The day was the last secular one in the week, and the sun nearly at the horizon. Making known to the man in charge—who was half drunk—the purpose of her visit, he, being averse to rising from his chair, lest his unfortunate condition be disclosed, looked seriously upon his customer, and said, in a benign manner, "Madam, it is not the practice in this store to transact business so near holy time as five o'clock Saturday afternoon."

—The son of Mr. Rae, a wealthy gentleman of Whitestone, L. I., got entangled in a love-scrape with a young Irish girl. He promised marriage, and a child was born. The young man still meant to make his promise good, but an angry father contrived to send him off. Then the abandoned girl resorted to strategy to secure his return, and had her death advertised in the papers. This had the desired effect; the old folks killed the fatted calf, and the prodigal returned, only to be nabbed by the officers for abandonment of his Irish sweetheart. In the interval the girl has used her blandishments so effectually as to reclaim her fickle lover, and again there is dismay and anger in the respectable family circle, and the girl bids fair to yet wear the wedding ring.

—Cool but not always collected—An ice bill.

—The *Alliance* says that the Baptist translation of the Bible into Japanese astonished the Japs with: "In those days came John the *Soaker*, preaching the *soaking* of repentence. Repent and be *soaked*, every one of you."

—What perplexes a philosophical man is to discover how, when he is shaking carpet with a little woman on the other end, she can so exasperatingly hold on, and shake, and shake, and jerk his end out of his hands, and call him a butter-fingers.

—Consolation is always soothing to the bereaved. Here is what a Western journalist offers to his readers: "Owing to the death of our chief editor there will be no editorial article on Tuesday, but look out for a regular ripper on Wednesday!"

—Three convicts arrived at the Ohio penitentiary last Saturday night from Wyandot county in that State, under sentence for burglary. The offense was committed Friday night, the men were arrested Saturday morning, examined before a justice, bound over to court, indicted by a special grand jury, tried, sentenced, and inside the penitentiary by seven o'clock the same evening.

—They were acting charades at a Boston party one evening last week, and got along finely until trouble occurred on the word Beautiful. A lovely young lady had represented "Beauty" with charming effect, but when they endeavored to get a young man who parted his hair in the middle and wore a tall collar to play the part of "Fool" for the second act, he refused with such vigor that it cast a gloom over the entire company.

—At the Paris School of Arts and Trades experiments were lately made with a paper alleged to be incombustible. Sheets of it were exposed singly to the fierce flames of a spirit lamp without other effect than to slightly wither it. When the paper was exposed in bulk no effect was apparent. It was thought very desirable for the manufacture of bank notes. The secret of the manufacture rests with the experimenter.

—A gentleman, rather given to conviviality, desirous that the effects of a slight over indulgence should not be noticed by the groom who was holding his pony's head for him to mount, sprang so lightly into the saddle as to land on the turf on the other side. John, advancing to meet him where he lay, exclaimed, "Ech, Sir, I hope you're not hurt?" "No, John," was the reply, "but I never knew the beast to do that before!"

—The Keene *Sentinel* reports that a professional man in that city, noted for his brusque manner, accosted one of his daughters on the street a day or two ago, and received a somewhat caustic reply, accompanied with a hurried movement toward home and a saucy toss of the head. He looked perplexed for a moment and then exclaimed in a deprecating tone: "Well, go along—you are too much like your father for me to have anything to say to you!"

—The New London *Telegram* says: "A man with less brains than recklessness jumped from the New Haven train while it was passing Lawrence's wharf this morning and barely escaped severe injuries. He landed on his head, and for a second or two covered an extensive area of ground. His valise accompanied him in his aerial flight, and whizzed around through space in a manner suggestive of chain lightning. Jumping from a moving train is a game that few win at."

—When Mr. Boker, the United States Minister to Russia, was Minister to Turkey, General Ignatieff called upon him and said that he had honored him and the United States with the first official visit, although a little while before Mr. Boker had seen the General enter the British Embassy. Mr. Boker knew the Russian's peculiarity well, and soon afterwards, having heard that the latter had so bad a cold that he had lost his voice completely, remarked, "if that is so the recording angel will enjoy a respite."

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Boston, South & West, 6.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 5.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

DECORATION DAY.

The following is the official order for the observance of Memorial Day:

ORGANIZATION OF PROCESSION.

The procession will form on Market Square, right resting on Market street, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., sharp, and move promptly at two o'clock in the following order:

City Marshal.
Platoon of Police.
American Band, Rochester.
Chief Marshal Frank W. Hilton, Aids, J. Horace Kent, Capt. Frank Williams.
U. S. Marines.
Portsmouth Heavy Artillery.
Portsmouth Cornet Band.
Portsmouth Light Artillery.
War Veterans on foot.
Portsmouth Cavalry Company.
War Veterans in carriages.
Officers of the U. S. Navy.
Orator and Chaplain.
Mayor and other City Officials.
Invited Guests.

The various local organizations comprising the procession will be promptly in the places assigned them at half-past one o'clock, so that there shall be no delay in taking up the line of march at two o'clock.

The ex-soldiers and ex-sailors are requested to meet at upper Franklin Hall (entrance on Fleet street) at 12:30 o'clock, wearing dark clothes and hat and white gloves. The disabled soldiers and sailors and all others who are to ride assemble at the City Rooms at 1:30 o'clock, where carriages will be provided.

The Marines will be met at the navy yard landing at 1:30 o'clock by the Portsmouth Heavy Artillery led by the Rochester Band. The officers of the Navy will also be met at the landing by prominent residents and taken under escort to landaus in waiting.

The following will be the

ROUTE OF PROCESSION.

Through Market street to Deer, through Deer, Vaughan, Congress, Islington, Cabot, Middle, Cass, countermarch, Middle, State, Pleasant, South street, and Sagamore Road to the further entrance to the cemetery, proceeding through the same to the lawn near the soldiers' monument, where will take place the following exercises:

Selection by Band,
Prayer—by Chaplain Grant,
Reading of General Order by Comrade John H. Locke,
Address—Rev. James W. Hubbell,
Decoration of Graves,
Recall of Procession,
Volley by Marine Corps,
Hymn "America," (1st and 2d verses) by the audience, with bands.
Benediction—Chaplain Grant.

The procession will then return through Richards Avenue, Middle and Congress streets to Market Square, where it will be dismissed.

A cordial invitation is extended to all war veterans, societies and organizations, civil and military, to take part in the exercises of the day, and the citizens are called upon to lend their influence and assistance to the success of the undertaking.

Ice water will be supplied at the cemetery to members of the procession. Citizens are invited to provide water along the route.

FRANK W. HILTON,
Chief Marshal.

It is desirable that the contributions of decorative emblems be left at upper Franklin Hall (entrance on Fleet street) as early this forenoon as convenient. A committee will be present to receive and carefully look after the same. Any special offering will be placed wherever the contributor desires, if the name of the comrade and the cemetery in which he is buried is designated and attached thereto.

The committee on flowers desire us to say that if any persons have *any* flowers to spare, and will send them in to Franklin upper hall as early as convenient this forenoon, they will be very thankfully received and applied to the general decoration of soldiers' graves this afternoon. There are many graves on which to place floral tributes, and more flowers are most earnestly solicited.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION

For Rockingham County assembled in the Middle street Baptist church on Tuesday forenoon; Rev. Mr. Robie, of Greenland, President of the County Society, occupied the chair, and B. R. Jewell, of South Hampton, was secretary. The exercises opened with a half-hour-long Praise Meeting, after which the secretary read the report of the last meeting (at Newmarket last year,) which was followed by short reports from the various Sabbath Schools. A committee appointed at the last meeting to draft a constitution, reported the same; and the report was accepted, and the constitution (after some discussion) adopted. The Convention then adjourned to the North Parish chapel on Middle street, where an abundant collation was spread, the tables being tastefully decorated with flowers, and the young ladies of the society gracefully waiting on the delegates, who proved the correctness of the old saying, "Them pious eats awful!"

The Convention re-assembled at half-past one o'clock P. M., and after a short Praise Meeting an able and interesting essay on Sabbath School work was read by Rev. George E. Street of Exeter. A discussion of the topic embraced in the essay followed, in which Rev. Messrs. Alden and Hubbell of this city and Peabody of Stratham, and Dr. Goodall of this city, took part. Blackboard lessons were then taken up, and illustrated by Mr. B. R. Jewell,—followed by discussion. A business meeting closed the session, which was attended by some two hundred delegates from all parts of the county.

THE NEXT REUNION.

FRANKLIN, MASS., May 28.

Eds. Chronicle:—It seems hardly possible that almost a year has slipped by since the High School Reunion of last summer. The months have been carrying us forward with their swift feet, and here we are in the neighborhood of another reunion. We can say now our "*Third* Reunion." How we are growing! What a weight of blossoms we find already on this young tree of our affections! It will do us all good to stop in this busy, hurrying life, and remember that we were all young once. The revival of old associations will fling a little of the dew of youth back to our dusty branches and refresh us all, and we dare say will make the fruit taste better that is growing there. The life that keeps young and sympathizes with the young, is always better flavored. So let us all endeavor to be at the next "Reunion."

It helps too the "curly heads" and "golden locks" at the High School, about to appear as Alumni and Alumnæ among the older graduates, if their graduation day is followed by some conspicuous gathering in the evening.

It pushes into still greater prominence the fact of graduation, and gives a start in life all the greater eclat. By all means, let us old folks be present, if we can *hobble* there, and let us heartily welcome to active life the young folks.

May we make one suggestion? There is sufficient time to arrange an excellent bill of fare for a literary feast, when we remember how much talent shows its ripened fruit on "Old Strawberry Bank," and the securing of this will give a very just prominence to our exercises among the High School gatherings of the land. E. A. R.

[The above letter is from one of the officers of the High School Association, who, though residing in another State, has been an active, working officer at former reunions. We learn from Mr. Hazlett, of the Board of Directors, that the Alumni are already making arrangements for the Third Reunion, which it is their intention to make even more pleasurable and instructive than was the one which afforded so much satisfaction last July. More attention will be given to the Literary Exercises at the Hall in the evening preceding the social meeting. The funds for the payment of the expenses of former reunions have been cheerfully contributed by the past members of the school and the same plan which secured the necessary sum last year will be adopted this year. The reception by the graduating class and the reunion of the alumni will be held, as usual, in the evening of the day of the annual exhibition, about the 12th of July.—*Eds.*]

JOTTINGS.

No paper will be issued from this office to-morrow.

The Post Office general delivery will be open only from 7:30 A. M. to 12 noon, and from 5 to 6 P. M., to-day. Box office open from 7 A. M. to 9 P. M., as usual.

Miss Sara Jewitt's benefit as Juliet, in Romeo and Juliet, will take place Thursday afternoon at the Boston Theatre.

The festive potato-bug has found out a new article of food for himself, on which it is expected he will thrive in a manner hitherto unknown,—the sea-weed on the beaches. At Hampton beach, we are informed, the sea-weed is fairly alive with these bugs.

The funeral of the late Mr. A. K. P. Deering took place Tuesday afternoon, under direction of the Knights Templar and Odd Fellows. The Fire Department, of which Mr. Deering was for many years an active member in his younger days, was represented by Engine Co's Three and Four, in uniform.

Commodore Guest, Commandant of the Navy Yard, issued an order that there would be no work on the Yard on Memorial Day; but we are informed that on Tuesday orders arrived at the Yard direct from the Department at Washington, not to shut down on that day, but to allow any workmen who wished to absent themselves (without compensation) to do so—a privilege we imagine navy yard workmen, as well as most others, have always enjoyed. Is this extra care of the Navy Department not to give even an indirect official sanction to the exercises of Memorial Day a part of the "conciliatory" policy?

Sheriff Kent has appointed J. Newell Brown of Seabrook deputy sheriff.

The Mechanics' Fire Society are to have their quarterly supper at the Kearsarge House next Friday evening, the host being brother John Stokell.

It was *good* music the Portsmouth Cornet Band made on Tuesday afternoon.

The annual report of the Concord Railroad Corporation for the year ending March 31, 1877, shows that the gross receipts as compared with last year have fallen off ten per cent. in the passenger and seven per. cent. in the freight department, equal to about $79,000 in all. To offset this the expenses have been cut down or reduced about fourteen per cent. or $98,000. The gross earnings of the road the present year are $871,528.08, the expenditures $576,766.-75, leaving a balance of $294,761.33. From this sum there has been paid in taxes and dividends $294,107.42, leaving a balance to the contingent fund $653.91. During the year the value of the stock for the use of the road has decreased $8399.62. The report shows the road-bed to be in good condition and in many respects better than last year. During the year there have been three accidents by which four persons have lost their lives; 529,835 passengers have passed over the road and 612,756 tons of freight have been transported.

Some surprise has been expressed that the fire companies were not assigned positions in the line of the Memorial Day procession, and it has been stated that the firemen did not wish to parade, having no uniforms. This is a mistake, as the companies all have uniforms, and very neat and handsome ones; but so large a proportion of the members belong to the various military organizations, with which they intended to appear, that but a mere skeleton display could be made by the different fire companies unless the uniforms were filled with substitutes, which was not considered advisable under the circumstances.

Steam tug Clara Batemen, Capt. Rand, will leave this afternoon for Gloucester, Mass., to tow over a steam dredge, scows, etc., to be employed in the improvements of the Cocheco river channel.

A Kittery correspondent of the Biddeford *Journal* writes that paper: "In the case of George E. Bartlett of Eliot *vs.* the Inhabitants of Kittery, which was tried recently at Alfred in the S. J. Court, the verdict was in favor of the town—a result not usually anticipated in such cases. Corporations usually suffer to some extent, perhaps for the reason that they are said to have no souls. The damages claimed in this case was $10,000. The plaintiff had many sympathizers, some in the defendant town, but through the firmness of M. A. Safford, who was town agent, no attempt was made to compromise the matter, as he was of the opinion from the first, although the case was novel in some respects, that the town had a good defense; and the very thorough manner in which he prepared and presented it to the jury, should render the town under lasting obligations to its officer, while it reflects upon him credit as an advocate and lawyer to which he has never made claim. The case was brought by a Boston lawyer, who had associated with him one of the ablest counsel in this State. No lack of means existed on the plaintiff's side and the case was thoroughly tried out."

"Dr. Ox's Experience" and "A Winter Amid the Ice." We have just received the new issue of Jules Verne's ever popular stories, in the favorite "Lakeside Library" editions. Illustrated with 29 characteristic engravings. It is sold by all newsdealers at ten cents; or sent postpaid for twelve cents, by the publishers, Donnelley, Loyd & Co., Chicago, Ill.

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CONSUMPTION AND CLIMATE.—The census of 1870 shows the average mortality from consumption throughout the Union to be, in a rough way, proportional to the average temperature of the given State. Deaths from this cause are ten times as frequent in Massachusetts, and—as Mr. Bill has rather candidly neglected to inform us, says an exchange—twice as frequent in Minnesota as they are in Georgia. Minnesota is indeed a colder State than Massachusetts, but its greater cold is offset, in part, by the greater dryness of its soil. A damp soil is one of the most prolific causes of consumption. Minnesota occupies an elevated portion of the continent; it is an undulating country, and its natural watersheds insure its thorough drainage. This circumstance undoubtedly conduces to the healthiness of the climate. But we have found, from personal observation, that where persons are liable to consumption, it is far better to take some prescribed remedy, such as Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup, which is sure to cure if taken in time, and will relieve the worst cases.

THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world.—*Pueblo Col. People.*

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Sch Concord, Gray, Rockland.
Sch D Ellis, Norney, Rondout.
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Boston & Albany	116
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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, privy-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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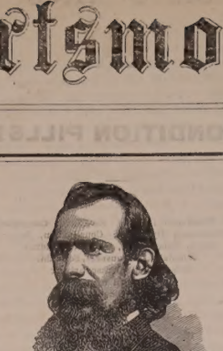

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

"DIAMONDS."

"Oh, you ought to see the new gentleman!" exclaimed Nellie Ford, as she rushed into the boarding-house parlor, where three eligible ladies of the house were lounging. "Such magnificent diamonds! Just think, he wears a pin as large as a frying-pan, and a ring to match; and he's a Californian, and isn't married, and he must be as rich as Cœsus, for he's taken the rosewood rooms all to himself. He is looking for a wife, too—I heard him tell Mrs. Crumpet so, myself. Isn't it splendid?"

And Nellie clapped her hands and waltzed around the room.

A rich bachelor looking for a wife! The ladies, as if electrified, started from their apathy, and eagerly besieged Nell, who had been favored with a look at him, with all sorts of questions concerning him.

"What is he like?" asked Miss Bell, who doated on tall men. "Is he tall or short?"

"Well," said Nell, hesitatingly, "he isn't very tall; in fact, he is rather short, and pretty stout, too!"

"Oh!" exclaimed Miss Bell, in impatience and disgust; "but he must have lots of money, though," she added, "so one can overlook defects. Is he handsome in the face, Nell?"

"Not very," said Nell again. "You see, his face is pretty red, and his hair, too."

"Ah! weather-beaten from exposure at the mines," said Mrs. Lee, an interesting widow, on a sharp lookout for number two. "Such a delightful, adventurous life! And then these Californians are so chivalrous, and such worshippers of our sex; and so liberal, too—their gifts are often princely."

Here Mrs. Lee glanced complacently at her pretty fingers, as if in her mind's eye she saw the new gentleman's big ring flashing there.

That evening brought our new guest, whom (not knowing his proper name) we had christened "Diamonds"—a name that stuck to him to the end of the chapter.

After dinner he held a kind of court in the parlor, at which all the lady-boarders of Mrs. Crumpet's establishment (a fashionable one in New York) were presented. And never, on any one occasion, had they so vied with each other in splendor of costume.

"Just think," said candid, but worldly-minded Nell, "If it wasn't for the man's diamonds, it is quite likely we never should speak to him, for goodness knows there's nothing in his looks to recommend him."

The others, less candid, would not agree with her. His diamonds and elaborate dress rather enhanced than hid a ruffianly look he had, which they all called his charming piratical air; and he was sweetly and playfully compared to Captain Kidd, Byron's Corsair, and scores of other darling of romance.

He at once became the lion of the house—yes, indeed, in more ways than one; for like the roaring lion, he went about seeking whom he might devour, but was sensible not to roar so as to scare away his prey. He was consulted on all matters of business by the gentlemen, who would sit absorbed listeners to his accounts of mining and the description of the countries he had travelled through. But no one seemed to notice the fact that he never knew anything about the many persons whose names were mentioned to him, although the life he described as having led must have brought him in close contact with many of them.

It was impossible for an outsider to tell which was Diamond's favorite among the ladies. After breakfast he would lounge, morning paper in hand, into the parlor, where the widow and Miss Bell were sure to repair.

Both ladies bore this partnership with good nature, as each one managed plenty of undisturbed interviews with him. Diamond improved these interviews so well that he soon became the affianced lover of the widow, and the ardent and favored suitor of Miss Bell.

So, each lady, being under the blissful delusion that she was the sole object of his choice, could, in her sweet security, allow him to be gallant to her friend; it was so gentlemanly.

"We will keep our engagement a sweet secret, darling," he said to the widow, "until my birthday, just three weeks hence. It seems a long time to wait, dear one," he added, caressing her, "but it would give me such pleasure to make it known on that day! How astonished they will all be, won't they, pet? Now, just set your little head to thinking what pretty things you would like me to get for you. Do not be afraid to tell me what you fancy, for whatever money can purchase, my wife shall have."

There was no need to make any such request of Mrs. Lee, for she had been busy thinking of what she intended to have ever since she met Diamonds. First came his diamond ring and pin—each, as Nellie said, as large as a frying pan—which Mrs. Lee already looked upon as her own property.

"It is in bad taste for a gentleman to make such a display," she said to herself. "I can easily talk him into giving them to me. Won't they all be jealous. There is that absurd Miss Bell, and that contemptible little school-girl Nell, both tagging after him all the time. I believe they actually imagines he cares for them."

That evening Diamonds being left alone in the parlor with Miss Bell, drew close to her, and, bending over her, said tenderly, and almost sadly, "If you had not said something I heard you say once, I would have the boldness to ask a great favor of you."

"Why, what did I say?" asked she, coquetishly.

"You said you would never live out of New York."

"Well, what of that?"

"Why, my home is in San Francisco," he said significantly.

Just then, to Miss Bell's great vexation, some one entered and interrupted him; but the next day she did a great deal of shopping, and began making her trousseau immediately.

The afternoons of Diamonds were devoted to business visits down town, so he said, and as he liked a walk for a constitutional, he generally managed to pass Nell's school just as it was being dismissed, and had the pleasure of escorting her home. During these walks he so ingratiated himself in her favor, and dazzled her by descriptions of his wealth and his home in California, and of the magnificence he intended to lavish on his wife, that she finally consented to elope with him, partly because it was romantic.

"Dear mamma will be sure to forgive me," she thought.

And she pictured herself coming with her husband, in her own elegant carriage, to ask her mother's forgiveness and receive her blessing, and of then carrying her off with her to her home in California, which her lover had so glowingly described.

The evening assigned for the elopement arrived. The day following was to be the much-talked-of birthday of Diamonds, on which he was to make known to the household his betrothal to Mrs. Lee, and on which also he had, in a tender, significant tone, requested Miss Bell to grant him a private interview.

The household were all assembled in the parlor as usual, engaged in merry chat. Diamonds, Miss Bell, Nell and Mrs. Lee formed the liveliest group, and the hearts of the ladies were beating high with their varied emotions. Little the three imagined what was passing in each other's mind.

Poor little Nellie trembled like a frightened bird at the dreadful thing she was about to do, and began to repent her rashness.

"In another hour," she thought, growing dizzy as she looked at the clock, "we must start."

She dared not look at her lover; she half thought she hated him, and fervently wished she had some girl friend who could go with her in her flight. She was growing more and more nervous, and had just thought, "Oh, how I wish something would happen to prevent it!" when there was a sound of strange voices in the hall, and after a slight commotion a man walked coolly into the parlor, with the exclamation, "Ah! here he is."

And walking up to Diamonds, he slapped him familiarly on the back with one hand and then jingled a pair of handcuffs rather ostentatiously in the other.

Diamonds turned pale, but made no attempt to escape.

"Was going to bolt to-night, wasn't you?" said the officer, for such he was. "I've been up to the room, and saw all your things packed up in readiness."

The excitement was dreadful.

"What is the matter? What does it all mean?" cried every one in a breath.

"It means this," said the detective. "After a long chase, I have arrested him for shooting a man in Colorado and absconding with his money, besides leaving a wife and two pretty children into the bargain."

"The awful wretch!" exclaimed Mrs. Lee and Miss Bell simultaneously, clasping their hands in horror.

"Oh!" cried Nellie, faintly, dropping into a seat.

Diamonds turned on them with a fiendish grin. Kissing his hand and bowing to them in turn, he delivered himself as follows:—

"My sweet Nellie, our elopement will have to be postponed for a while—sorry to disappoint you. In half an hour we would have been off.—Dear Clara, we will have that little talk some other time.—My own Helen, good-bye," bowing very low to the widow. "I am sorry our marriage cannot take place quite as soon as we intended."

"The man must be crazy!" cried the lady. "What on earth does he mean?"

Nellie buried her face in her mother's lap and sobbed hysterically, that was finally comforted by Fred Hall, a young gentleman who had long been attached to her, but as he had no diamonds, it is supposed that he had been slow to find favor in her eyes.

The door closed on Diamonds for the last time, and he left three wiser, if not better women behind him.

—A man will carry five hundred dollars in his vest pocket, but a woman needs a morocco portemonnaie as large as a fire and too heavy to carry in the pocket, to escort a fifty-cent scrip, a recipe for making jelly cake, and two samples of dress goods.

—A Texas paper reports that the postmaster in Denton, that State, threw out of the mail in one day lately three centipedes, two tarantulas and one horned frog. No mention is made of his drinking habits.

—Some enterprising burglars who carried off a large iron safe from the depot at Cheraw, S. C., on a hand-car, found plunder in it amounting to the snug sum of $150,000—Confederate notes.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JUNE 1, 1877.

Boston Letter.

BOSTON, May 30.

That commerce naturally tends to concentrate in a few central locations is no new theory, but if it was the good citizens of the ports between Boston and Portland could be easily convinced of its correctness. Portsmouth tradition lovingly lingers over the memory of the extensive West India and Mediterranean trade once enjoyed by that port, not to mention the happy days when the bold mariner put a half-dozen iron six-pounders aboard his fast-sailing schooner, called himself a privateering patriot, and sailed away to steal a hapless merchant ship and cargo from his country's enemies; Salem suffers the torments of the very bad indeed when she remembers how the East Indiamen used to swarm at her now empty wharves; and Newburyport, which once had an extensive foreign commerce, has now none at all, and but for a moderate amount of ship-building which is carried on would be "deader" even than Portsmouth. Portland and Boston, easier to reach and with better distributing facilities than the places named, gradually absorbed the foreign trade of them all; then Boston took a large share of Portland's trade away, and for a year or two past the indications have been that New York, Baltimore and Philadelphia would take Boston's trade away and reduce her to something little better than a coal and fishing port, like Portsmouth. But this year our shipping trade is looking up; a local paper recently published a list of one hundred and twenty-eight vessels (many of them ships and barques) bound from foreign ports to Boston, a larger number than we have known for years. Whether the Hoosac tunnel and increased railroad and grain-handling facilities will enable Boston to hold her own against the natural centralizing tendency of commerce, remains to be seen.

Another striking illustration of this tendency of trade to go to the big centres is found in the rapid increase of Boston's retail trade with the surrounding country, particularly in the dry goods line, and to a less extent in furniture. In groceries there is little done in this direction, for when a man wants a pound of sugar or butter he cannot stop to send to Boston for it, and the cost of transportation would more than swallow up the saving in price on such quantities of groceries as are usually laid in at one time; but some of our extensive dealers in furniture rarely have a day pass in which they do not sell a heavy bill of goods to furnish some house fifty miles or more away, and the retail trade in dry goods—particularly dry goods for ladies' use—is immense and daily increasing. The heavy firms, importing the most of the goods they sell, have but one profit to make, and so sharp is the competition between them that even that profit is put at the lowest living figure; so that a lady who wishes to purchase a costly dress, if she lives within two or three score miles of Boston, can actually save money by coming here to purchase it, —a fact which the amount of such patronage received shows is well understood. Then some of the leading houses, as Houghton & Dutton, and Jordan, Marsh & Co., sell an immense amount of goods by sample, through the mail; a lady sends for samples, which she receives, with the price of each sample; and all she has to do is to return the sample she approves, with her order and the accompanying money, to be sure of receiving the exact article ordered, and the exact amount. The increase in this branch of the dry goods business here in the past year is almost incredible, and it is daily growing.

The small boy is to have no Fourth of July this year, in this city; at least, the city will not send off any fireworks to please him, and a strong effort is being made, by insurance companies and real estate owners, to extinguish the fire-cracker altogether. Is the Boston small boy a peer or a vassal?

Moody and Sankey have been here, and gone; immense audiences were interested, Unitarianism and the Young People's Church Union (which is engineered by the Unitarians), and other evil influences, were hit right and left—but Boston has not yet become so moral that the horse-car companies think it advisable to take away the bell-punches from the conductors. PA.

The Late Earthquake in Peru.

The Panama *Star and Herald* of May 21 says that Callao was visited the morning of the 10th by a species of tidal wave, or rather a gradual upheaval of the sea, which caused serious damage. The docks and piers of the Nurelle d'Arsena were the principal sufferers, together with some stores along the shore line, which were completely carried away. Vessels made fast and laying alongside the outer walls of the dock were lifted fully eight feet, but strange to say not damaged. Most of the steamers at anchor in the bay slipped their cables, fearing further danger, and some larger vessels stood out towards the offing. The United States storeship Onward left her anchorage, the officer in command evidently remembering the fate of her predecessor, the Fredonia, in the great tidal wave at Arica in 1868. The tidal wave is known to have extended as far south as the northern boundary of Chili, (but how much further is not known, as communication by cable is interrupted,) and resulted in almost completely destroying Antofagasta, Iquique, Arica, Tambo de Moro, Pabellon de Pico and Ilo. Although severe shocks of earthquake were felt they did little damage. The destruction of life and property was owing to the frightful upheaval and ingress of the sea.

A passenger by the steamer Trujillo says that the flourishing town of Iquique, the principal port for nitrate shipments, is left as complete a ruin now as it was after the frightful earthquake and inundation of 1868. At Arica the sea washed over the town to the hill back of the church and destroyed much very valuable property. The wreck of the United States steamer Wateree, which was carried inland a couple of miles by the tidal wave of 1868, was again floated and carried a mile or two further up the coast. The lower part of Antofagasta, which is the port celebrated for the coracoles mining district in Bolivia, is reported as completely destroyed. The smelting and other works, near the shore, were all swept away. The shipping at Pabellon de Pico and the guano de posits suffered severely, and some half-dozen fine vessels are reported ashore and complete wrecks. The sea in some places is stated to have risen over sixty feet. Making all due allowance for exaggerated statements, the destruction of life and property has been enormous. Between 600 and 800 lives are said to have been lost. At Mollendo, 300 feet of railway, which runs along the shore, was destroyed. At Ilo, the town and railway were seriously damaged, although no loss of life is reported. Anxiety prevails as to the fate of Arica. The steamer Santa Rosa left Arica on the 9th, and reports that while under way experienced the shock of an earthquake and saw a tidal wave. At Arequipa a strong shock was felt, but no damage was inflicted on the city.

The Last Steamship Wreck.

The following particulars are given of the loss of the steamship City of San Francisco:

The steamship left Panama May 11, at 4:40 A. M., with 137 passengers. On Wednesday morning, May 19, day bright, atmosphere clear, at 9:13 o'clock, a peculiar indescribable tremor was felt, the ship having struck upon an unknown reef, probably, cutting into her hull a hole fully sixty feet in length, into which the water rushed with fearful velocity. The ship was then six miles southwest from Sartus shoals and thirty miles from shore, the captain having known by observation her position at eight o'clock. The captain and officers were cool, calm and clear-headed, and as soon as the ship struck orders were given to get the boats ready and put the life-preservers on, as the danger of sinking was most imminent. Soundings between the reef and sand banks showed five and one-half, seven and a half, and twenty-two fathoms of water, and no bottom. There was but little confusion, and the boats soon started for the shore, thirty miles away, upon reaching which each boat was overturned and the passengers thrown in the surf. Captain Waddell says the steam pumps, capable of throwing 130 barrels of water each minute, were absolutely useless, as the whole bottom of the ship's stern had dropped out. Captain Waddell has steamed over the spot repeatedly, and his only conjecture is that the late earthquake has upheaved the submarine rocks. One hour and two minutes after striking, the ship was under the waves and grounded in thirty feet of water on a sandy bottom. The next morning a part of her stern was seen out of the water. The reef upon which she struck is not down on any chart, but a document sworn to before the United States Consul at Acapulco by one Perer, and witnessed by William Lund of the gunboat Mexico, deposes that the said Perer was perfectly conversant with the rocks extending from Point Maldonadocit in a southwest direction, and that these are sharp pointed and covered with four or five fathoms of water, extending in nearly a straight line to the southeast to a distance of from twelve to fourteen miles from land, and that he has fished for turtles frequently there.

News and Notes.

Mrs. Lydia Sherman, of Derby, Conn., who confessed to poisoning two husbands and six children after she had been sentenced to State Prison for life, escaped from the prison at Weathersfield Wednesday night.

Ex-President and Mrs. Grant are receiving the most marked attentions from the people and officials of England.

Peru has another revolution. One of the rebel chiefs stole the ironclad Huascar, the finest vessel in the Peruvian navy. The government has proclaimed the Huascar a pirate.

Ex-Gov. Warmoth of Louisiana was married on Wednesday at Newark, N. J., to Miss Sallie Durand, daughter of James W. Durand, a prominent jewelry manufacturer. After a short tour in this country Warmoth and his wife go to Europe for several months, and afterwards their residence will be in New Orleans.

The British barque Ella Vose, from Baltimore, arrived at Queenstown on the 27th ult, with her starboard side damaged. It will be remembered that she was run into by the barque Pohono in a fog, and that five of her crew scrambled on board of the Pohono, when the vessels separated and were seen no more from each other, consequently fears were entertained for their safety. Now both have arrived without loss of life.

Capt. Waddell, who was in command of the steamship City of San Francisco at the time she was lost, is the fellow who commanded the British pirate ship Shenandoah, alias Sea King, which destroyed so many whaleships in the Arctic Ocean after the war was over.

Thirty houses, a large saw-mill, a factory and lumber yard, were burned in Montreal on Wednesday. Loss $750,000. Seventy-five families were rendered houseless.

The wife and daughter of John Ballinger, of Bound Brook, N. J., were brutally outraged on the night of May 20th, by seven armed roughs from Newark. Two of the ruffians are in jail, and the police are hunting down the others.

A New York State gardener has been able to keep his garden clear of potato-bugs by toad power this season, and perhaps that talent is the precious jewel which this little animal—"ugly and venomous"—possesses. If so, it would be a good idea to take up the cultivation of toads as a parallel industry to the cultivation of potatoes.

The first twelve-inch rifle ever made in this country was successfully cast at the South Boston Iron Foundry on Wednesday.

Captain Howgate of the Signal Service proposes to push his Polar expedition enterprise at once. He has determined to send out a vessel under the charge of Captain George E. Tyson to make preliminary arrangements, and collect Esquimaux dogs, clothing and sledges at a point to be designated on the coast of Greenland. Captain Tyson, in a recent note to Captain Howgate, suggests that the schooner Eva be chartered, and that she be prepared to prosecute whale fishing, thereby covering the cost of the venture and possibly making something more. He estimates the cost of fitting her out at between eight and ten thousand dollars. Fifteen men only, he says, would be necessary, and they should be shipped "on a lay, catch nothing get nothing." The captain seeks contributions either in money or supplies from those interested in Polar exploration. Any inquiries regarding the matter will be cheerfully answered by O. Parker, Signal Office, Equitable Building, Boston.

New Hampshire Items.

The general opinion at Bow is, that Flanders killed his step-father in cold blood, and not while defending his mother, as he pretends.

The Massachusetts papers have been discussing the question, "May cousins marry?" and Rev. O. M. Cousens, of North Conway, takes occasion to say that that has been the opinion in his family.

Farmers who do not take the papers stand a good chance now to be humbugged by itinerant venders of specifics warranted as a dead shot for the potato bug. Intelligent farmers who do take the papers are in little danger of such frauds. A Raymond farmer is the first victim. He bought a package of "dead shot" for the beetle, for which he paid two travelling venders $1.25, and on trial found it utterly worthless. The beetles fairly stood on their hind legs and gyrated their tentacles at him for his pains.

The War.

The supreme command of the Turkish armies in Asia Minor has been vested in Djeni Pasha, Mukhtar's performances not coming up to Turkish expectations. The Turks claim to have defeated a Russian column moving on Erzeroum, and to have gained a great victory at Batoum in a battle which lasted ten hours. The reported recapture of Ardahan by the Turks is not confirmed, and is not believed.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M.
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, *10.15 P. M.
" Way,	10.30 A. M.,	5.50 P. M.
Portland and East,	11.30 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.30 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 "	6.50 "

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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

DECORATION DAY.

Memorial Day opened with a cloudless sky and scarcely a breath of wind; and a gentle breeze from the southward, later in the day, did not prevent it being oppressively warm. More people than usual were on the streets during the forenoon, and more than the average amount of patronage was enjoyed by the various stores, which were all kept open until about two o'clock, when many of them were closed, and kept closed until after the observances of the day were over.

At a quarter past one o'clock, P. M., the Portsmouth Heavy Artillery, Maj. D. J. Vaughan commanding, with the Rochester Cornet Band, proceeded to the Navy Yard landing to receive the United States Marines, of which there were two companies, commanded by Capt. Highby and Lieuts. Whipple and Sherman. The officers of the Navy were also met at the landing by prominent citizens, and escorted to the landaus in waiting close at hand, Commodore Guest, Commandant of the Navy Yard, Commander Erben, Lieut. Commanders Lambertson and Shepard, Surgeon Cleborne Paymaster Guild, Chief Engineers Macomb and Williamson and Constructor Wilson taking part in the exercises of the day.

The procession formed promptly, in the order specified in the previously published programme, with the addition of the City Guards, Capt. Hickey, which appeared in line with nearly full ranks. Among the prominent citizens we noticed in one carriage Ex-Gov. Goodwin, Hon. Frank Jones and Mayor Broughton. Prompt on the stroke of two o'clock Chief Marshal Hilton gave the word of command, and the procession started on its march over the advertised route, which though not unreasonably long was somewhat wearisome, owing to the heat. The observances at the cemetery were carried out according to previous arrangement, and the procession returned to Market square and dismissed at about half-past five o'clock. The route of the procession was changed, so far as to lead through Court and Pleasant streets to Market square, from Middle street, on the return march, on account of a lady being sick in a house on Congress street.

The progress of the procession through the streets was rendered much less tedious than it otherwise would have been, by the generous courtesy of Messrs. Brown and Barri, who gratuitously ran their street sprinklers over the entire route, thereby earning the gratitude of every person who made the march, and the citizens generally.

JOTTINGS.

We do not remember a holiday—or semi-holiday—when the streets were so free from drunkenness as on Wednesday. There may have been, and probably were, more or less drunken people about the city somewhere, but they kept themselves pretty well out of sight, for we did not see one. Considering the number of people on the streets, the number of saloons and the heat of the day, we should not have been surprised at seeing two dozen on Market square alone.

Calvin Page, Esq., has been appointed assignee of Spalding & Parrott of this city, and Howe Call, Esq., assignee of Lewis L. DeRochemont of Newington.

That the citizens' committee on Memorial Day observances made a most judicious selection in choosing a Chief Marshal is acknowledged on all hands. It is generally considered necessary to have a Chief Marshal who makes a fine appearance on horseback, and the gallant and portly Colonel entirely filled the bill in this respect; in addition to which he moved the procession exactly on time,—a rare thing to do with so long a line, as everyone knows who ever waited a weary half hour or more after taking position before getting the word to march,—and himself gave the necessary orders for getting the procession under way, and did it in good style, too. The committee, and everybody else who felt interested in having things go off smoothly on that day, owe him thanks for accepting the position he so creditably filled. Col. Hilton had two most efficient aids in Col. J. Horace Kent and Capt. Frank Williams.

It is reported that Hon. Willard P. Phillips, one of the trustees of the Eastern Railroad under the legislative act, will refuse to sign the contract made between the Eastern and Boston & Maine companies, and that this will invalidate it.

The Rochester Cornet Band was deservedly commended some two or three years ago for the quality of music furnished on Memorial Day, our citizens (and they were then inclined to be rather critical, having been long accustomed to the excellent music of the Marine Band) being agreeably surprised that a country band should perform so creditably. This good opinion of the band was heightened last Wednesday, when a liberal quantity of most excellent marching music was given, and a selection from "Moses in Egypt" was played at the cemetery with a precision and expression which could hardly have been hoped for. If the band serves out anything near as good music at home as it has on the two visits to this city, the citizens of Rochester should encourage the organization with liberal patronage.

A friend thinks we must have made some mistake in a recently published item, in the CHRONICLE, concerning the yacht "Phantom," built at Kittery by Mr. William Dixon, in saying "her bowsprit is fourteen feet over the *stern*." We want our friend to understand that *we* wrote that item, and when we "write up" a new vessel we propose to rig her to suit our own fancy, and if we choose to ship her bowsprit over the stern it's nobody's business; and we'll hang her rudder to the cutwater, too, if we take a notion, and put her shoe in the foretop and her knightheads on the taffrail.

No other city in the State, of the size of Portsmouth, can make anything near so creditable a military display as was made here Memorial Day. There was a company of heavy artillery, one of light artillery, one of infantry and one of cavalry. The cavalry turned out with forty-three sabres, and attracted a great deal of deserved attention and commendation. The City Guards' uniform of blue, though far less showy than the uniforms of the two artillery companies, is quite as well fancied by old campaigners, if we may judge from remarks we have heard from some of them; it is evidently a uniform for use, and would require no change if the company were mustered into the United States service.

We are informed that a freight train over the Portland, Saco, & Portsmouth Railroad, due in this city at ten o'clock on the evening of Tuesday, May 20th, ran over a horse when just this side of Kennebunk. As the train passed, the poor animal was seen hobbling off, evidently in great agony, and the train was stopped and backed to the spot where the accident happened, where the lower portions of both the poor brute's hind legs were found lying beside the track. The train men at once set out to hunt up the wounded horse, and he was found almost half a mile away, and at once mercifully put out of his misery. The train arrived here nearly two hours behind time,—but the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals evidently has no mission to fulfill so far as the railroaders on that train are concered.

The temperance meeting at Mechanics' Hall on Thursday evening was unusually interesting, Mr. John F. Coles, the eloquent champion of temperance reform, addressing the audience. The lecture on Sunday evening next will be by Mr. Charles W. Gardner; subject, "Retrospective and Prospective." A collection will be taken to defray Hall expenses.

On Wednesday evening two marines left the barracks at this Navy Yard, stole a boat, came over to town and got drunk; and on returning, a little past midnight, through their drunken management upset their craft just off the north side of the Yard, and would have been drowned but for the help of Mr. Richard Davidson and another watchman on duty at the Yard, who, after much labor, succeeded in rescuing them from their perilous situation. Besides getting a fright, and a ducking, the unlucky marines got caught in unauthorized absence from quarters, and will not be likely to get another chance to get drunk on the sly for some time to come.

A REMINISCENCE.

Portsmouth, as a friend in town writes us, although unaware of the honor at the time, might once have boasted of a genuine highwayman, who could order a traveller to stand and deliver his watch and purse with as much grace as did ever Dick Turpin, or any other "gentleman of the road" upon the London highway. Mike Martin was his name, and "the green isle" his birthplace. After figuring upon the road on both sides of the Atlantic, he came to our city, and hiring a brew-house that stood not far from where the Kearsarge Mills are now located, went into the manufacture of beer. He was a gentlemanly-looking fellow in his then fashionable "long-tailed blue" with gilt buttons, short pants, bell-crowned hat, and high-heeled boots, and could be seen on a summer evening taking an ice-cream at Peduzzi's confectionery. After being here for a while, he hired a horse and chaise at Hall's stable on Pleasant street for a day's jaunt, which by some strange forgetfulness probably, he somewhere sold as if they were his own. The next heard of him was that he had robbed one Major Bray upon the Salem turnpike, for which indiscretion he was hanged at Lechmore Point, near Boston, though asserting that the pistol he placed at the major's head was empty, the charge having been fired at a cat upon the road.

The Blue and the Grey.

First Lieut. Frank D. Webster, U. S. Marine Corps, of this city, had command of the Marine Battalion, at Norfolk, Va., on the 25th., which took part in the Memorial ceremonies of respect to the confederate dead. The Norfolk *Virginian* says:

"This is the first time since the war that the soldiers who fought on opposite sides in that unhappy struggle have united in the observance of Confederate Memorial Day, and we wish that the whole country could have looked on and witnessed the occurrencies which took place in our two communities on yesterday. We think it would have given great comfort to the patriots who desire the obliteration of sectional animosities and the return of peace and good will between the sections, and it would have satisfied the demagogues who seek to foment discord and strife that their occupation is gone, and that the true men of the North and of the South have determined to bury forever the bitterness of the past and to make common heritage of its glory. The action of the Federal officers and their troops in volunteering to partake in the Memorial ceremonies (in honor of the Confederate dead, was as just to their own generous impulses as it was gratifying to our people. It was the tribute of brave men living to brave men dead; it was the outward manifestation of that respect and admiration which the chivalric soldier always feel for a worthy foe, and more than ever in the hour of victory. It was more; it was the recognition by American soldiers whose hands had raised the stars and stripes to victory, of the valor and the honesty of purpose of their countrymen who had faithfully followed another flag to defeat, and who had sealed with their own blood their devotion to a lost cause. It was gracefully and nobly done, and in behalf of our two communities and of the State of Virginia, and of the whole South, we thank every officer and man who participated in the tribute to the Confederate dead. And we tell them that in their noble, soldier-like way, they have done more to erase all bitterness of feeling, and to fix the returning affections of our people on the flag under which they march so worthily, than Presidents or statesmen have it in their power to do. In thus honoring the men who died for us, and whose memories are still so dear to us, they have touched the tenderest spot of our nature, they have knocked at the inner door of our hearts, and our affections rush out to meet them."

Cheerfulness the Offspring of Health.

That equable state of the mind which is unruffled by trifling incidents, and looks on the sunny side of things in general, is the result of a healthful state of the brain and stomach. The dyspeptic and nervous invalid may, although this is rare indeed—feign cheerfulness, and may bear the harassing symptoms which persecute him with an assumption of heroic indifference, but in reality he is the victim of despondency. To experience genuine cheerfulness of mind, the stomach must recover its lost tone, the thinking organ its normal quietude. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters are the best remedy for mental depression, since they overcome the nervous debility and indigestion which originate and foster it. Persons suffering from infirmities peculiarly incident to the decline of life, ladies in delicate health, and convalescents, derive solace and vigor from its use. Drive away the blues and revive the drooping energies with this grand stimulative tonic.

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CONSUMPTION AND CLIMATE.—The census of 1870 shows the average mortality from consumption throughout the Union to be, in a rough way, proportional to the average temperature of the given State. Deaths from this cause are ten times as frequent in Massachusetts, and—as Mr. Bill has rather candidly neglected to inform us, says an exchange—twice as frequent in Minnesota as they are in Georgia. Minnesota is indeed a colder State than Massachusetts but its greater cold is offset, in part, by the greater dryness of its soil. A damp soil is one of the most prolific causes of consumption. Minnesota occupies an elevated portion of the continent; it is an undulating country, and its natural watersheds insure its thorough drainage. This circumstance undoubtedly conduces to the healthiness of the climate. But we have found, from personal observation, that where persons are liable to consumption, it is far better to take some prescribed remedy, such as Dr. A. J. Figg's Cough and Lung Syrup, which is sure to cure if taken in time, and will relieve the worst cases.

THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world. — *Pueblo Col. People.*

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NORTON—KENNERSON. In Newmarket, May 22, Irvin W. Norton and Miss Georgia A. Kenerson.

DIED.

RAND. In this city, May 28, Maria Theresa Rand, daughter of Mr. Reuben Rand, aged 20 years, 7 months and 19 days.

LOCKE. In Rye, May 26, Adna P. Locke, son of Mr. Joseph Locke, aged 28 years, 3 months and 10 days.

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Sch Free Wind, Fristuce, cld from Newburyport for Bangor May 28.
Sch Golden Gate, Amee, for this port cld from Boston May 29.
Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, from this po t for Philadelphia arr at Vineyard Haven May 28.
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THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SEAVEY, Keeper, at No. 3 Mt. Vernon St. Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They therefore would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set out them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

Extinct New England Industries.

Half a century ago bellows making was a thriving trade. Every house had its pair of bellows, and in every well-furnished mansion there hung a pair by the side of every fire-place. Ipswich, in Massachusetts, acquired a notoriety all over New England for elegant and substantial articles produced. But as stoves and grates took the place of open fire places, and as coal was substituted for wood, the demand for bellows diminished until the business as a separate trade quite died out. The same is true of flint cutting. Flints were once necessary, not only for fire arms but for tinder boxes, and a tinder box was as necessary to every house as a kettle, a gridiron or a skillet. Every one who looks back to a childhood of forty odd years ago must remember the cold winter mornings, when the persistent crack of the flint against the hard steel sent up from the kitchen an odor of igniting tinder and sulphur, which pervaded the house. I have no more idea what became of the producers than an old man of sorrowful memories, who two or three times a week called at our door with brimstone matches, for one cent the half-dozen bunches. Both have been as completely banished from England and New England as have the red Indians and the Druids.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	1002
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	1144
United States Ten-Forties coupon	1123
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	1111
Maine State 6s. 1889	111
N. H. State 6s. 1875	1114
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	1024
Eastern R. R. scrip	54
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	63
Boston & Lowell R. R.	92
Boston & Maine	84
Boston & Providence	1171
Boston & Albany	116
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	84
Eastern	2½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	109½
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	42
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	21½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the ground. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about the premises of the Legislature or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 71. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, poultry, over flows of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any slaughter house, privy vault or receptacle of any swine, slaughter house, privy vault, or other nuisance, some or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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The Perils of the Base.

The only son of a widowed mother in the vicinity of Douglas Park, is member of a B. B. C. On Saturday he had his hair cut and oiled, and accoutred himself for the fray, and his fond mother tied one of her best lace trimmed handkerchiefs round his throat, and put a clean handkerchief, with some cologne on it, in his belt, and kissed him, and he went like a sheep to the slaughter. About a quarter past seven he returned—that is, the most of him—and the following conversation ensued:

"My son, where is the lace handkerchief you had round your neck?"

"Here, ma, tied round his finger. I took up a daisy-cutter. I think the finger is only out of joint, not broken."

"My son, why do you not speak plainer? Surely, surely you have not been drinking?"

"No, ma; but in the latter half of the seventh inning our catcher's hands gave out and I went behind, and I stopped a foul tip with my teeth; that is all."

"My son, your nice new uniform is all blooded in front. What ever can you have been doing?"

"Nothing, ma, only I was trying to just scoop in a high one at third, and the sun got in my eyes, and I muffed it, and the ball came on my nose, but I put it over to first and got him out."

"My son, your white flannel pants are all green behind,"

"That, ma, was in the third inning when I tried to steal to second, and had to throw myself down and slide in. I got the base anyhow, and came in on a two-baser to left field."

"Alas, my son, I fear that you have had an unpleasant day. Let me send for a surgeon and a dentist, and get some arnica, ice-water, lint, raw beefsteak, splints, sticking-plaster, vinegar and brown paper, Radway's Ready Relief, Perry Davis' Pain-Killer, compresses, slings, leeches, clean clothes, opodeldoc, horse liniment, and in a few days you will not know yourself."

"O, ma, it was the bulliest game I ever was in—ten innings, and the score seven to six. If I die I give my bat to Billy Humpreys and my spiked shoes to Charley Cross." (Exit, led out by his ma. Curtain falls.)

A Word for the Dogs.

Mr. George T. Angell, president of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty, comes to the defence of dogs, against which there is especially severe legislation in Boston. He says:

"If we had only two deaths of hydrophobia in Boston in twenty-four years, if not one person out of twenty or thirty bitten, is infected, and out of more than four hundred cases treated by a skilful surgeon not one died, surely the danger is not so great as to require the instant slaughter of every dog that slips out the front door without his muzzle, or has it stolen, or rubs it off. Two persons have lost their lives during the past twenty-four years, because dogs were made mad. How many human lives have been saved by dogs that were not mad? How many homes have been made safe from fire and burglars? How many children, and fathers, and mothers, have they made happy? In Constantinople, where some eighty thousand dogs roam the streets, hydrophobia is unknown. In Egypt, Syria, southern Africa, South Sea Islands, Lisbon, Madeira, and many other places where there is no restriction and no tax, it is unheard of. Undoubtedly we are justified in protecting human life by all reasonable means. Undoubtedly we ought not to subject the humblest creature to unnecessary suffering. If public safety requires that they be killed, let it be done privately and mercifully, after three days' detention, and let not the disagreeable duty be imposed on our police, of shooting or poisoning them in our public streets."

A Friend of the Profession.

A man, on coming down town the other morning, discovered that his boots needed polishing, and called a boot-black, to whom, the operation being concluded, he tendered the customary fee. "Keep your nickels, mister," urbanely replied the artist, drawing the cuff of his jacket across his nose; "we don't charge nothing to friends of the profession."

"Friends of the profession? How? What? Don't understand you," said the West Sider.

"Well, I'll explain," said the boy. "May be you don't live on West Van Buren, up near Ashland avenue, beyond where the boys used to play base-ball and near them big houses with marble boddices in the gardens, and maybe you haven't a garden plot and a hose?"

The man said his informant's information, whatever its source, was indubitably correct.

"Well, mister," continued the boy, "I see you the other evening slinging water out of that hose all over creation, like as if you was Noah and the Twelfth Ward was Sodom and Gomorrah, and I see you sprinkle the boots of $2 dollars worth of young swells as was going down to get their girls and go to the theatre, and of course they had to have them shined up again. You was making business for us, and we allow you the regular commission. Your hat's chalked—your boots I mean—at every box in town. You can't drop a cent, not if your feet was twice as big as they are. And, mister, if

our society ever strikes it rich, they're going to have a statue of you, life size, in plaster, with a hose in your hand squirting round like Cassbianca, or Ben Bullwinkle, or any of them pillars of fire, and we'll put it up in Union Park, bet you we do," and the enthusiastic boy, bowing humbly to his benefactor, departed.—*Chicago Tribune.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JUNE 2, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 30.

General Ord's arrival here has had the effect to bring Mexican matters to the surface again, they, and also the Mormon business, having run their self-limited course as sensations and subsided several days ago. With Secretary McCrary the General held a long consultation with Mr. Evarts yesterday, relative to the line of policy to be adopted in the treatment of the Mexican cattle-raiders, he giving it as his opinion, derived from long experience as commanding officer on the Rio Grande, that the practice can only be effectually suppressed by the pursuit of the offenders until overtaken and punished. It has been for months tacitly understood that he was permitted to cross into Mexico to recapture the stolen property but not inflict other punishment than that incidentally resulting from his efforts to repossess such property. The point yesterday talked over was as to the advisability of so enlarging the scope of his authority as to inflict proper chastisement. No conclusion was reached and the matter goes to the Cabinet to-day for decision.

Those who hoped to learn something of the intentions of the Government towards Lerdo and his fellow fillibusters in case of an attempt to cross into Mexico by way of the Rio Grande, were disappointed, as it is not known that any allusion was made to the matter.

The movements of McMahon, under direction of the ultramontane prompters, are watched from this point with a good deal of interest; and every new telegram from Versailles is regarded with an intensity of feeling showing the deep concern of the public men, and politicians gathered at Washington, in the republican experiment in France; and the whole European situation now attracts almost as much attention as political and other matters at home.

Following the explosion of the sensational story sent away from this city last Friday night relative to the formation of a new party with Blaine at its head, there was published in a yesterday morning's paper, with every evidence of approval, an incredible yarn of another "new party" movement, having for its purpose a message of concern composed of leaders from both of the existing parties who could be drawn into support of the Administration, "with such ghastly recruits from the grave of the whig party as could be induced to come out on a social invitation. It was stated that the White House had been almost continuously invaded during the past six weeks by the most prominent citizens and political managers in the country, consulting with President Hayes and his Cabinet advisers with the purpose of getting the hybrid on its legs as soon as possible and then to insure it a good send off. Finally it intimates the scheme is so far advanced that the obligations of secrecy are no longer binding; and it announces that a meeting in New York has been determined upon when the birth of the Administration party will be formally proclaimed and celebrated, and the President's friends called to rally to his support. The *Star* of last evening devoted a paragraph or two to its consideration, speaking rather incredulously, but warning all interested that new parties are largely spontaneous productions, and cannot be called into being to gratify the ambition or resentments of anybody.

It is said the refusal of one of the District Commissioners to paying an excessive charge for advertising to the *Republican* explains the warfare now being waged on the Commissioners by that sheet, in connection with the recent awards for paving and repairing our streets. The report has it that the price charged was just twice that paid the *Star*, a much more widely circulated paper. ENOX.

The War.

Along the Danube things are generally quiet, the swollen state of the river preventing active operations. The proposed Turkish attack on Montenegro has been again postponed. The London *Times'* special from Belgrade says the Turkish irregulars have attacked an island in the Drina on Servian territory, where the inhabitants were peaceably working in the fields, and killed several. They carried off some people and cattle. The Government has sent a commission to investigate the matter. Another band crossed the Danube between Kalarack and Jalomitza. They captured fourteen Roumanian militia men and cut off the calves of their legs.

The Vienna *Tagblatt* says that Moukhtar Pasha, recently the Turkish commander-in-chief in Asia Minor, has been dismissed and will be court-martialled for representing that he had equipped an army of 68,000 men, whereas he had only 30,000 at his disposal. Malversation on an enormous scale is said to have been discovered. The Russians acknowledge that the Turks have retaken Ardahan, after the Russians had reduced the place to ruins. The Russian official despatches give the following account of the fighting around Batoum, previously reported by the Turks as desperate and bloody battles: "General Oklobskio, commanding the operations against Batoum, ordered his advance guard to the left bank of the river Klutrisch to carry the Sameba heights on the left of the Turkish line. The enterprise was accomplished. Meantime the detachment ascended the Klutrisch, and after great difficulty established a position about four miles from Klaizubani, thus cutting communication between Batoum and the population of the Kabeleti District. The Russian loss in both enterprises was four killed and thirty wounded."

The Chisolm Massacre.

A Mississippian, in Washington, who has served with Gov. Stone in the Legislature, declares that the latter does not dare take active measures to punish the Kemper county murderers from fear that it would lose him his election next November. Nine-tenths of his party sympathize with the murderers, and not one of the fifty-nine democratic papers in the State has yet condemned the massacre.

Gov. Stone says that no jury in Kemper county would convict the murderers of the Chisolm family; and this is given as an excuse for the slight attempts to bring them to justice. Public opinion sustains the crime and shields the perpetrators. The apologists of this barbarism point to outrageous crimes in New England, as an offset to the Kemper county horror. Crimes are committed everywhere. No condition of society is exempt from them. But in a civilized society, as in New England, public opinion is against the offenders; and public justice seeks, not in vain, to bring them to punishment. In Mississippi and in others of the reconstructed States, the offences are committed by the class of men who in the North punish them. No jury can be found to convict a man who has murdered a republican, black or white.

The Baltimore *Sun*, a paper which even the veriest Bourbon must acknowledge is soundly democratic, says of the Chisolm massacre: "Whether, however, the work of the mob had any political significance or not, it was alike brutal, savage, and murderous. The authorities of that State owe it to justice, humanity, and the safety of their own people to inflict righteous retribution upon the perpetrators of that abominable crime. We have seldom heard of a massacre as wicked, cowardly, and cruel. It had not about it one redeeming element. If they had given Mr. Chisolm fair play, if they had permitted the presence of his little son and daughter to stay their hands for the time even, there might have been more pretense of 'chivalry' than there can be now. * * * It is about time that this state of things should come to an end, even in the most remote districts, and no part of the country is more interested in such a result than that which is most exposed to the evil machinations of those who wish to make the South 'a permanent issue in our politics.'"

News and Notes.

A Havana letter says that the insurgents captured the small town of Santa Rosalia, opposite Guisa, on the 22d ult., killed and captured the garrison, sacked the houses and set fire to them. They carried off considerable booty, including one hundred stand of arms, thirty thousand rounds of fixed ammunition and a large quantity of stores. Several boats and launches, with Spaniards from Gibara, were repulsed with a heavy loss as they attempted to rescue the town. Sickness increases in the Spanish army.

The match for the billiard championship of America, the Delaney gold medal, value $600, and a stake of $1000, between Joseph Dion, champion, and William Sexton, both of New York city, was played Thursday evening at Tammany Hall. There was a large attendance. It was the three-ball carom game, 600 points. The following is the score: Dion, 442; Sexton, 600; number of innings, 49; time of game, 2 hours 45 minutes. Sexton's highest run, 247. Dion's highest run, 84. Saxton's average, 12.49; Dion's average, 9.1. On the 49th inning Sexton made his run of 247, running the game out amidst the greatest excitement.

J. Lothrop Motley, the American historian, died Tuesday, May 29, of paralysis, at the Kingston-Russell House, Dorsetshire, England, the residence of his son-in-law, Algernon Sheridan. Mr. Motley was a native of Dorchester, Mass., and a graduate of Harvard. He entered the diplomatic service in 1841, when he was appointed Secretary of the U. S. Legation at St. Petersburg. In 1861, he was appointed Minister to Austria, a position which he held for six years. Subsequently, for a few months, he was our Minister at the Court of St. James. Mr. Motley's great fame rests upon his "Rise of the Dutch Republic," and "History of the United Netherlands." He was 63 years of age.

When the steamer Costa Rica arrived at Mazatlan with the wrecked crew and passengers of the City of San Francisco, Admiral Murray of the frigate Pensacola called Capt. Waddell to his private room and urged upon him a large sum of money, saying: "Pay it when you can, and if never all right." The captain declined the offer although reduced to almost penury. Subsequently the officers of the flagship Pensacola sent Capt. Waddell $488.50, the amount of a subscription for the women and children of the wrecked steamer.

The Alleghany base ball club, of Pittsburg, Pa., and the Indianapolis club, played a game of fourteen innings on Thursday, resulting in a draw, each side having scored two runs.

The jury in the case of Lucy Ann Mink, at Lowell, on Thursday brought in a verdict of guilty of manslaughter again-t her for killing Charles Ricker, her paramour, for deserting her for another woman as degraded as herself. She was once before tried for a similar crime, the killing of Dr. Baker, in Maine, but escaped conviction. Her counsel took exceptions to the judge's rulings, and sentence was deferred.

Hughes and Mullins, who were apprehended in an attempt to break open the tomb of President Lincoln at Springfield, Ill., were on Thursday convicted and sentenced to imprisonment for one year in the State Prison. Considering the nature of the offence the penalty is looked upon as a light one. At the time of their arrest an effort was made to have the perpetrators of the crime bailed out on straw bail, but it was unsuccessful, and some persons who offered themselves as such bail and were qualified are now to be tried for perjury. The testimony developed a most extensive conspiracy. The idea was to obtain Mr. Lincoln's remains and demand as their ransom the sum of $200,000. Some of the leading counterfeiters and crooked men of the West appear to have been involved in the matter, and indictments have been found against many of them; and the seven who committed the perjury, in falsely qualifying as bail, will be brought to trial at once.

A mutiny occurred on board brig C. C. Sweney, of Harrington, Me., on the 16th of May, a few hours after the vessel sailed from Havre. Four of the six men composing the crew refused to work, and killed the mate, Henry Harris, with shots from revolvers. They then attempted the assassination of Captain Cole, the master, and the second mate, who escaped by barricading themselves in the captain's cabin. Through the energy and courage of the cook, the steward and two of the men who were loyal to their officers, the vessel was got back to Havre. Upon visiting the vessel with the Chief of Police the United States Consul found the body of the mate riddled with pistol bullets. The mutineers were placed in irons and at once sent to prison, the witnesses remaining on board under police guard awaiting the action of the French authorities, who claim jurisdiction over the case, as it is charged by the French pilot who was on board at the time of the mutiny that the mutineers fired upon him.

Rice vs. Coolidge, a case of scandal in "high life," is on trial in Boston and attracting much attention. The evidence offered in the case is very "rich"—a synonym for very filthy.

There is a report, which it is hoped will prove true, that McLelland, the brave Scotch victim of the Kemper county tragedy, was a British subject, and that a demand has already been made on Secretary Evarts that his murderers should be punished. In this way it would become the duty of the National Government to interfere, and the neglect of the State to arrest and try the murderers would be remedied by federal action, which no doubt would be prompt and rigorous.

New Hampshire Items.

Work has begun on the new Ashuelot railroad depot at Keene.

The debt of Rockingham county has increased the past year some $10,000, and now amounts to about $120,000.

The valuation of the city of Dover for the present year is $7,256,025 80; ratable polls, 2840; whole valuation, $7,540,000; whole assessment, $113,500; rate of tax, $1.50 on $100, an increase of 10 cents on last year's rate.

The Keene *Sentinel* says that the extended list of candidates for the Speakership of the House has been reduced to two or three the past week, and that the selection seems likely to fall to Augustus H. Woolson of Lisbon.

It is stated that 70,000 persons have signed the pledge in New Hampshire during the reform movement, of whom 13,000 were confirmed drunkards.

The Tecumseh and Manchester base ball clubs played a game at Manchester on Thursday, the former club winning, 5 to 0.

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CITY AFFAIRS.

At the meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, a petition of M. B. Vennard and others for the grading of Vaughan street with crushed stone, was referred to the committee on streets.

Petition of Charles Walker for relay of sidewalk in front of his residence on Richards avenue, was referred to the committee on streets with power.

Leave was granted to C. H. Mendum to encumber Congress street, and to John H. Flagg to encumber Union street, and to Main & Winchester to repair drain.

Petition of Mrs. Salter for cross-walk on State street was referred to committee on streets.

Complaint against the lamplighter in District No. 3 was referred to committee on gas-lights.

Protest of A. J. Penhallow against the public meeting asked for by Rev. John A. Goss and others was accepted.

The committee on widening streets, etc., to whom was referred the petition of F. K. Brown and others for a highway from North street to the foot of Jackson Hill street, reported. The matter was referred back to the same committee for further investigation.

Line of Lafayette Road near new house of Mr. Willey, was referred to the committee on streets with power.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred A. T. Walker's complaint against the street sprinkling apparatus in Brewster street, reported that in their opinion there is no nuisance, and recommended that the apparatus be allowed to remain. The report was adopted.

The Board voted that the petition of James R. Connell and others, for an alteration in the highway at and near the junction of Myrtle and Dennett streets, be granted, provided it can be done at a cost not exceeding $15, and that the subject be referred to the committee on laying out and widening streets, with power.

The committee on bills on second reading, to whom was referred the Appropriation bill for 1877, reported the same with amendments: Reducing the amount to be raised by taxation to $126,000 [The balance of amount necessary to pay appropriations, it is estimated, will come from railroad and savings banks taxes, from the State treasury]; increasing appropriation for streets from $7,000 to $9,000; reducing appropriation for schools from $23,000 to $21,500; and reducing appropriation for sprinkling streets from $500 to $300. The bill was then read a second time and passed as amended.

The committee on city land and buildings, to whom was referred to application of B. F. Webster for the purchase of a part of the city farm, reported, recommending that the land be sold to Mr. Webster for $225 per acre. The report was accepted.

The subject of vacations for members of the police force was referred to the mayor with power.

The application of the chief engineer for screen doors to the hose tower was referred to the committee on fire department with power.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, May 31st.

Mary A. Macdonald was brought up on complaint of Mrs. Margaret Stratt, who said Mary was drunk and assaulted and battered her. Mrs. Macdonald said it was Mrs. Stratt who was drunk, and that the bruises on her face were caused by her falling down a flight of steps and against a picket fence. The police officer who was called to arrest the Macdonald woman, just after the alleged row, found Mrs. Stratt so drunk that he took her to the station instead of the other. The case was dismissed.

Friday, June 1st.

James Dermody, charged with vagrancy, was sent to Brentwood for four months, costs $6.90.

LET THE BIRDS LIVE.

Messrs. Editors: Looking out of my chamber window a day or two ago, my attention was attracted by a golden robin—a female—busily engaged in pecking among the top-most limbs of a pear tree, where the canker worms have been at work. Whether she was eating the canker worms or not I cannot say, but there was nothing else there for her to eat, and for some ten or fifteen minutes she was very busy, hopping from twig to twig, pecking into the crotches of the limbs and peering beneath their under sides in a most comical manner. She was shortly joined by her brilliantly attired mate, who alighted on a twig near her and sidled up with a most insinuating twitter, but the soberly dressed little lady gave her lord a dab with her beak, probably by way of notice that she was engaged in serious business and had no time to spare for love-making; at least he seemed to take it that way, for he immediately gave up his twittering and went to pecking among the branches,—which convinced me that he won't be boss in that family. I was so much entertained by the movements of the beautiful little creatures that my cigar went out, and my pen, full of ink, laid itself down on the letter I was writing, but suddenly the birds and I were startled by the report of a gun; a few leaves dropped from the top of the pear tree, and my feathered friends flew away. Sticking my head out of the window I saw a boy, perhaps a dozen years old, holding a gun in one hand and his jaw in the other, and crying. Unaccustomed though I am to public speaking, yet I did orate to that boy, extempore. What I said I do not exactly remember, but possibly my remarks may have aroused that boy's suspicions that I am not a member in good and regular standing in any evangelical church; but I don't care what such a boy as that thinks of me, anyway. When my exhausted breath occasioned a pause, the boy (by way of apology for his attempted crime) blubbered out that his gun had kicked up and hit him in the jaw, and was comforted with the assurance that I was sorry it hadn't kicked him hard enough to stretch his neck out three feet long; however, I did relent sufficiently to take him into the house and bathe his swollen face, (I fear his jaw was not broken,) for which he had to pay by listening to my stern rebuking until my wife put me out of the room and took charge of things herself—just like the golden robin. There may not be any point to this story; come to look over it, I don't think there is; but I wish to add that if boys (and men, too) would but study the habits of the birds instead of pitilessly and aimlessly slaughtering them, they would find out that there is more genuine entertainment in one living bird than in a dozen shattered and blood-stained ones. Also, I wish to notify all boys that whoever kills one of these little birds near my house will have my lasting hatred—that's just the word—and I shall rejoice when I hear his gun has burst and blown his head off. BIRD FANCIER.

JOTTINGS.

Ninety-two in the shade, Friday.

Steamer Clara Bateman arrived in the lower harbor from Gloucester, Mass., with a steam dredge for use on the Cocheco river improvements, Thursday evening, and on Friday took the big, clumsy-looking craft up the river to her destination.

A son of Mr. Harry Gray, aged about eight years, was knocked down and stepped on by a horse one afternoon this week, just after leaving school, and was considerably injured, one of the horse's corks being driven into his forehead. The driver of the team we are informed was not to blame for the accident, as the boy heedlessly ran in front of the team just in time to be struck.

The depositors of the Rockingham Ten Cent Savings Bank will not receive the promised second dividend this year, because of the tardy realization of the assets. The total dividend to depositors will amount to between 60 and 70 per cent.

The Society for Prevention of Cruelty offer a reward of $25 to convict a Bird-killer. See advertisement.

The American House, Boston, in addition to its excellent table, has always had the reputation of being one of the cleanest Hotels in the country: but the keen eye of a thorough housekeeper was never more apparent than at the present day.

Messrs Prescott & Plummer are to open a new grocery store in a few days on Congress street in the building formerly occupied by the Jackson Express Co.

The drug store corner of Market and Daniel streets, formerly kept by H. W. Briant, and closed since his bankruptcy some months ago, has been re-opened by Mr. Dwight Rundlet.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Portland, Saco & Portsmouth Railroad will take place at Kittery on Monday.

"Will advertising pay?" is a very old question which has been always answered in the affirmative, but the question in a newspaper office is, "will the advertiser pay?" This is not always answered in the affirmative.

Newton Johnston, Esq., of this city, the new County Commissioner, took the oath of office at Exeter on Wednesday, before Chas. G. Conner, clerk of the Supreme Court. The Board of Commissioners have organized with Frank P. Cram as Chairman, and Sewell D. Tilton as Clerk.

Mr. Andrew J. Locke has taken the contract for laying the foundation for the new opera hall, an assurance that the work will be done in the best possible manner, for Mr. Locke is a thoroughly competent mechanic.

No. 1 Steam Launch, at the Navy Yard, while moored at the store-house wharf Thursday night, caught under the iron strap around the wharf fender, filled as the tide rose, and sank in fifteen feet of water (at low tide). The stern line parted, but the bow line held; hawsers were slipped under her, and the officers and crew of the U. S. S. Enterprise raised her on Friday.

MR. PENHALLOW'S PROTEST.

At the meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen Thursday evening, Mr. A. J. Penhallow's protest against the granting of the petition of the Reform Club asking that a public meeting be called to discuss the liquor question, was read, as follows:

The undersigned respectfully represents that his name stands on the "list" of an organization known as the Reform Club of this city. As I have reason to believe this "Club" has presented a petition requesting that the city will authorize a meeting for discussion, etc., therefore I take the liberty to say that I object to such use of my name.

1. Because the ordinary course of municipal legislation is fully enough onerous, and should not therefore have any additions that can be very well disposed of by citizens generally.

2. Because they of the Club have in themselves all reasonable liberty of discussion which will surely accomplish its object unless all ideas that are not "one-sided" and narrow are excluded. To aid in such exclusiveness would not be right on the part of the city.

3. We have had disagreeable experience enough that such meetings are the cause of wrangling, divisions and alienations, and perhaps not in one case out of ten would they result in anything of permanent advantage to the sacred cause sought to be promoted thereby.

4. Because to my mind the true course of friends of temperance is to make a careful analysis of the means by which the good already wrought out has been attained. Be thankful for these results, and take courage therefrom, and make full determination to fight it through "on the same line."

No person more than myself can deplore the degradation and corruption that is manifested in the extensive use of evil drinks, and the "short-sightedness" in the perversion of our pure water, the befouling of our air, and the defacement of our moral beauty by the manufactories.

And no one can wait more patiently with eyes toward the Lord, that he will avenge the "poor and the needy," and "purge the flow" of whatever evils baffle human wisdom and power. The Almighty does not always long delay an answer to those "who cry night and day unto Him," but some form of answer may be said to come immediately. The answer in this case seems to be, "Keep on praying, old people, middle aged, youth and children; and all maintain a consistent *example*."

Then let the manufacturers take what unmanufactured stock they have and the materials of their buildings, and distribute to those who need food and dwellings,—thus would they get a glory such as is promised by the Gospel.

In the light of these communications, the best welfare of our city and the cause of temperance require that the petitioners be given leave to withdraw.

As in duty bound, &c.,

A. J. PENHALLOW.

At a special meeting, Wednesday evening, of the tax-payers of school district number five in Seabrook, which comprises nearly all of what is known as South Seabrook, it was voted to reconsider the vote of a previous meeting "to repair and refit the schoolhouse," and it was further voted to build a new schoolhouse, two stories high, and to raise $1900 for the purpose. Messrs. Charles Dow, Simeon L. Eaton and Reuben Eaton, Jr., the committee previously chosen to enlarge and repair the old schoolhouse, were chosen a committee to build the new one. There are one hundred and twenty-five children in the district between the ages of five years and fifteen.

The earthquake waves which did such damage on the coast of Peru and astonished the government observers in California, destroyed much property and many lives at the Sandwich Islands. The water rose from fifteen to thirty-six feet on a level.

—The warm weather brings relief. The manufacturers of cough medicines have withdrawn their advertisements, and the reader of the newspaper no more sees staring him in the face the startling lines, "Consumptive, Beware! A little cold will lead to death!" and so on. The cough medicine is now put up in other bottles and is sold as a first-class hair-dye.

Cheerfulness the Offspring of Health.

That equable state of the mind which is unruffled by trifling incidents, and looks on the sunny side of things in general, is the result of a healthful state of the brain and stomach. The dyspeptic and nervous invalid may, although this is rare indeed—feign cheerfulness, and may bear the harassing symptoms which persecute him with an assumption of heroic indifference, but in reality he is the victim of despondency. To experience genuine cheerfulness of mind, the stomach must recover its lost tone, the thinking organ its normal quietude. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters are the best remedy for mental depression, since they overcome the nervous debility and indigestion which originate and foster it. Persons suffering from infirmities peculiarly incident to the decline of life, ladies in delicate health, and convalescents, derive solace and vigor from its use. Drive away the blues and revive the drooping energies with this grand stimulative tonic.

It Would be Ridiculous

for those who use Sozodont to decry it, for the moment they opened their mouths the state of their teeth would contradict the slander of their tongues. It removes discolorations, imparts a glittering whiteness to the enamel, and renders the decomposition of the teeth impossible.

An article of prime necessity—Spalding's Glue.

The popular verdict of the travelling public is that the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, cannot be excelled by any other house in the Quaker City.

THE OVERWORKED BRAIN needs especial care in the choice of stimulants. Business men and invalids gain added vigor by the use of Chocolate or Cocoa in place of tea or coffee. The preparations of Walter Baker & Co. retain the highest rank in the market. All grocers sell them.

WORTHY OF TRIAL.—Persons afflicted with any of the well known diseases, such as Consumption, Bronchitis, Bleeding of the Lungs, Asthma, etc., are earnestly recommended to try Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup. Is guaranteed to relieve and cure if taken in season. For sale by all Druggists.

THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world. — *Pueblo Col. People.*

Cure that cough! How? With *Adamson's Botanic Balsam.* It is warranted to cure coughs, colds, asthma and all lung difficulties. Sample free. Large bottles 35 cents.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMONIC CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED June 1.

Sch Ocean Queen, Parker, Gloucester.

SAILED June 1.

Sch Georgia, Dodge, New York.

Sch Post Boy, Robinson, Rockport.

Ship Favorita, Gerrish, sld from Hollu for Boston, April 17.

Barque Quickstep, Barnabee, sld from San Francisco for Hong Kong May 30.

Schrs Jesse Williamson Jr., Frisbee, and Helen G King, Elwood, for this port from Port Johnson, passed through Hell Gate May 30.

Sch Clara E Simpson, Talpey, for this port, cld from Philadelphia May 30.

"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $3. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. 22S&Gif

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a recipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eodfy2

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Borders,
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☞ Remember these are all NEW GOODS as the old were all sold at auction.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

—A FEW MORE OF THOSE—

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,

Cut Low in the Neck, at

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H. B. BUZZELL & SON

Have received for the

SPRING TRADE,

14,000 ROLLS OF

ROOM PAPERS

comprising 300 of the most desirable Patterns, selected from four of the largest manufactories in the United States, which we offer to the public at the following

EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

BROWNS	from 6 to 10	cents	per	roll.
BUFFS	" 10 to 12	"	"	"
WHITE	" 11 to 15	"	"	"
FLATS	" 16 to 18	"	"	"
SATINS,	" 16 to 25	"	"	"
GOLD	" 30 to 100	"	"	"

BORDERS of all grades from 1 to 12 cents per yard. Our Papers are all made on No. 1 stock. None on No. 2.

We also have a large stock of WINDOW SHADES at prices ranging from 50 cents to $2.00 each.

CURTAIN FIXTURES, CORD, TASSELS, TASSEL CLAMPS, &c. at low prices.

Remember the best patterns go first. Call early, examine and select, while our stock is full.

STOVES, RANGES, FURNACES.

WE invite the attention of our friends and the public generally, to our large and varied Stock STOVES and other wares usually kept in a first-class

Stove and Kitchen Furnishing Store.

Gas and Kerosene Fixtures,

LAMPS AND FITTINGS.

CLOTHES WRINGERS.

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26 WATER STREET, ... PORTSMOUTH.

The best Pipe made for Sewers, Culverts, Cellar and Sink Drains, Water Closets, etc., etc. Gives perfect satisfaction wherever used. Is proof against frost, acids, and all substances which pass through the Pipe.

For sale at wholesale or retail, or laid in the best manner.

Orders for Pipe and laying left at the factory, or with MARCELLUS BUFFORD, at the City Clerk's office will receive prompt attention.

BLUE ARMY BLOUSES.

WE have just received a few more of those BLUE ARMY BLOUSES, which have been in such demand for the last twelve months.

C. E. MYERS & CO.,

No. 3 BOW STREET.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

— OF —

SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS.

AT —

W. P. WALKER'S

NO. 8 MARKET SQUARE.

Having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, ETC.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

SUMMER SUITINGS, is unequalled.

☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

ARMY & NAVY REGULATION UNIFORMS.

ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

Constantly on hand, consisting of

Bosoms, Gloves, Suspenders, Collars, Linen Goods, Drawers, Handkerchiefs, Shirts,

Of Every Description.

J. E. HAM & CO.

27 MARKET STREET.

Merchant Tailors.

We have the largest stock of dress cloths in this city, including some fine cloths in colors. Also

SPRING AND SUMMER

Coatings and Suitings,

[From which we are prepared to make

Garments of the Finest Manufacture,

AT REASONABLE RATES!

We trust, by personal supervision of all favors intrusted to our care, to merit a continuance of the public patronage.

☞ *Garments made in style, or according to the fancy of the purchaser!*

We have a very large assortment, and one of the best Stocks of

PANTALOON GOODS

in the city, which we are making to measure at from $5.00 to $11.00; French, English and Domestic Goods.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS!

WHITE SHIRTS:

We have a small lot of HATHAWAY'S SHIRTS, which we are closing out at cost.

WAITE & DODGE'S WHITE SHIRTS, laundried or unlaundried, Wamsutta Cotton, made in the best style.

MERRIAN'S New Style SANS PAREIL SHIRT, made of nice Cotton.

COLORED SHIRTS.

A nice assortment of new COLORED SHIRTS.

NIGHT SHIRTS.

Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style with Collars and Pockets.

Spring Neck-Wear!

NOBBY STYLES!

CUTTING!! CUTTING!!

CUTTING at short notice and in the best Style.

☞ In order to reduce our Large Stock, we shall continue to sell Goods by the yard at cost for a short time!

Don't Forget the Number!

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From Caledonia County, Vermont,

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Cheaper than has been done for Eighteen Years!

They also have a nice line of

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We make a Specialty of selling our Piece Goods at a very low figure and will make up in good shape or cut and trim at the option of customers.

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No. 3 BOW Street.

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BOCK BEER!

THE FAVORITE SPRING BEVERAGE,

Drawn from the wood, at

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All Goods Warranted. Fine Watch Repairing, Jobbing and Engraving.

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Prices Reduced, May 1st.

LEHIGH,
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COALS of the BEST QUALITIES, all sizes, well screened and delivered at the lowes prices in the City. Also,

WOOD WOOD

An extra nice lot of HARD and SOFT WOOD sawed and split to order.

C. E. WALKER & CO.,

137 MARKET STREET,
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☞ Orders left at WALKER & SON'S Hat and Fur Store, 15 Congress Street, promptly filled.

MILLINERY

NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

TRIMMED

Hats & Bonnets

Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.

C. N. SHAW & CO.,

No. 3 Market Street.

LANGDON PARK

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SMART, Keeper, at No. 2 Mt. Vernon St. Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others, have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 400 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them, may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

Charming Pets.

There is a pet rattlesnake in Boston. He was brought from Florida, is about five feet in length, and has a body the size of a man's arm, the white, yellow and brown cuticle blending rather beautifully in patches of various forms. The heavy triangular head, characteristic of venomous reptiles, has a sinister expression, and in moments of excitement the five rattles on his tail keep up an unpleasantly suggestive whirring, while a forked tongue of inky blackness and surprising length darts from his turtle-like mouth. He is no sleepy, half-starved fellow, as may readily be imagined, but wide awake, and ready for an encounter of any kind. It was into the cage occupied by this snake that some days since a rather small-sized, wharf rat was introduced, in the expectation that the rodent would form a meal for the stranger. The snake darted on the unwilling visitor and caught him by the neck. The rat, who had hitherto been running around the cage trying to get out gave a sharp squeal as he felt the serpent's fangs, and twisting himself about, buried his teeth in the scaly jaw of the aggressor. The snake writhed and twisted and rattled sharp notes of alarm as the rat kept his sharp incisors at work, and before the spectators could fairly comprehend what had happened, the little quadruped had shaken himself loose and was hopping in affright at the further end of the cage for a means of exit. To the surprise of all, he showed no effects of poison, and when the snake again made a grab at him, he met his creeping foe half way, and snipped off a piece of his long forked tongue. This seemed to be rather more than the Floridian had bargained for, and he dragged himself into a corner, cast down and defeated. Since that time the rat has flourished in his strange quarters. He capers over the body of his whilom enemy, and avoids the punch of a stick by creeping under the head of the snake.

—Whatever else may be said against the Chinese, no one can truthfully say that he ever saw one who patted his hair in the middle.

—A Philadelphia divine is reported to have closed a very impressive discouse by warning his hearers against bartering away their immortal life for a "pot of message."

—When only twenty years old, Abdul, now commander-in-chief of the Turkish army, eloped with a pretty Moldavian Jewess, the vivandiere of his regiment, and the lovers withdrew into a remote village, where they were discovered a year after. He was degraded and reduced to the ranks.

"Canker in the Bud."

You watch its development with expectant solicitude—the choice, exquisitely-moulded bud which promises to unfold with the perfect flower. You perhaps think how it will adorn the drawing-room vase, and anticipate the pleasure of showing it to your flower-loving friends. But some morning you find its head drooping, its fragrance fled, and an ugly purple spot on one of the delicately-tinted petals. It is the poet's "canker in the bud." How often the loathsome canker blights the cherished "infant blossoms" in our household gardens—those human buds give earnest of a brilliant future. The noisome canker, so long concealed—scrofula—at length reveals its dreadful presence and to our bright hopes succeeds the most agonizing fear, for we know the fatal sequel! It portends—pulmonary consumption. It is estimated by eminent medical authorities that at least one-fifth of mankind are afflicted with this insidious malady. But its ravages are so secret, that even its victims are unaware of its presence until it suddenly discloses itself in some of its myriad and oftimes fatal forms. A slight cutaneous eruption is often the only indicator of its presence. The only means of exterminating this disease from the system is by a thorough course of constitutional treatment. This treatment must fulfill three indications, namely, promote nutrition, alter or purify the blood, and arrest disorganization of the tissues and the formation of tubercles. No more efficient alterative can be employed for these purposes than Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. While imparting strength and tone to the digestive organs it cleanses the blood and heals the diseased tissues. Test its virtues ere the deadly canker has blighted the life you prize.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	109½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	111½
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	56½
Portsm. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	54½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	117½
Boston & Albany	116
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	2½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	38
Fitchburg	109½
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	53½
Northern N. H.	85½
Old Colony & Newports	24½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 20 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $5.50.
Eggs per dozen, 14c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 11 @ 12½
Fish per ¾ by the qtl. Cod 4 @ 5c; Pollock 3½
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 22
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.50.
Molasses per gal., R. Cuba 45 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Onts per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Rr. 11 @ 12c; Gr. 12; Crushed 12½.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

S. S. HOUGHTON
55 TREMONT STREET,
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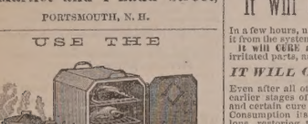

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause the same to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No person may at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer the same to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the City, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that the offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any building leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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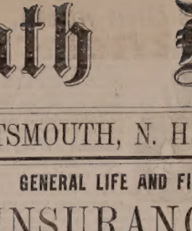

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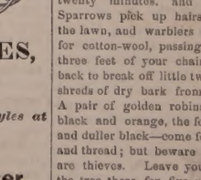

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Three Southern Heroes.

John Esten Cook furnishes the following for the columns of the Philadelphia *Times:*

"The death of the famous cavalry man produced a deep and painful sensation, in some degree akin to that produced by the death of Jackson. The Southern people had indeed become accustomed to couple together the three great names, Lee, Jackson and Stuart, valuing each for his peculiar qualities. No comparison is intended to be made between these three distinguished soldiers, but it is interesting to notice how sharply they were contrasted in character, and how peculiarly each was fitted for the sphere in which he moved and his special functions. Lee, the head and front of the struggle, was the born commander-in-chief, fitted for the conception of great campaigns, ever wide awake, a man of august dignity by nature, calm, suave, grave, taking good and evil fortune with the same imposing serenity; in person, one of the most noble and graceful men of his epoch, and the finest rider in the Southern army; in character, simple, pure, patient, binding to himself both the love and respect of men. Jackson was the infantry leader, the 'right arm' to execute what Lee conceived; in person not graceful, in manner silent, reserved, and often abrupt; cautious to counsel but rapid and terrible in execution, going to the battle with muttering prayers on his lips, leaving all to Providence, but striking with all the power of his arm to do his part, and in many ways resembling the Ironsides of Cromwell. Stuart, on the contrary, was the cavalier, essentially belonging to the class of men who followed the fortunes of Charles I., ardent, impetuous, brimming over with the wine of life and youth, with the headlong courage of a high-spirited boy, fond of bright colors, of rippling flags, of martial music and the clash of sabres—in all the warp and woof his character an embodiment of the best traits of the English cavaliers—not of their bad traits. Although his utter carelessness as to the impression he produced subjected him to many calumnies, it is here placed on record, by one who knew his private life thoroughly and was with him day and night for years, that he was in morals among the purest of men—a faithful husband, absolutely without vices of any description, and if not demonstrative in his religious views, an earnest and exemplary Christian. His love for his wife was deep and devoted, and on the death of his little daughter, Flora, he said to me with tears in his eyes, 'I shall never get over it.'"

Bird's Nests.

The best way to find nests is to watch a bird while building; in that way, moreover, you are sure to see them in their best condition, and to know when the eggs are fresh. It requires patience; but you see the workers return again and again to the same spot, and a little closer inspection usually completes your knowledge, though you may sometimes be deceived or nonplussed by the caution and cunning of the architects. You will facilitate your work by scattering cotton-wool, horse-hairs, straws, string, worsted, and cloth where they will attract the attention of the birds about you. Put them on your lawn or on the piazza vines, and watch them. A robin comes to carry off the string, and having used up what you have provided, and liking the material, attacks a long piece wound round a stake, and supporting a gladiolus. By persistent effort he frees a part of it, but the harder that he pulls at the rest, the tighter he ties the knot around the stake, and the string is becoming entangled with his legs; he fights twenty minutes, and then gives it up. Sparrows pick up hairs and straws from the lawn, and warblers come to the vines for cotton-wool, passing fearlessly within three feet of your chair; then they come back to break off little twigs and to peel off shreds of dry bark from the honeysuckle. A pair of golden robins—the male with black and orange, the female with yellow and duller black—come for string, worsted, and thread; but beware of them, for they are thieves. Leave your knitting under the tree there for five minutes, and it is gone; you will find it a week later, a part irrevocably woven into the hanging nest, and a part dangling with the needle in it. The weaving is so cleverly done that you wonder whether the orioles haven't used your needles. Not at all, madam; I defy you to produce with your implements such a piece of work as these birds have produced with their bills. Successful experiments have been made by supplying the orioles, in the tree where they are occupied, with bright silks and worsteds, which they employ altogether, if liberally provided, so that a very gay and parti-colored nest may swing in your orchard where you can see it from the house. Wilson says that an old lady, to whom he showed an oriole's nest in which a piece of dry grass, thirteen inches long, was passed through thirty-four times, asked him, half in earnest, if the birds couldn't be taught to darn stockings. —*Harper's for June.*

Just the Difference.

A woman will take the smallest drawer in a bureau for her own private use, and will pack away in it bright bits of boxes, of all shades and sizes, dainty fragments of ribbon, and scraps of lace, foamy ruffles, velvet things for the neck, bundles of old love letters, pieces of jewelry, handker-

chiefs, fans, things that no man knows of, all sorts of fresh looking, bright little traps that you couldn't catalogue in a column, and any hour of the day or night she can go to that drawer and pick up any article she wants without disturbing anything else. Whereas a man, having the biggest, deepest and widest drawer assigned to him, will chuck into it three socks, a collar box, an old necktie, two handkerchiefs, a pipe and a pair of suspenders, and to save his soul he can't shut that drawer without leaving more ends of things sticking out than there are things in it, and it always looks as though it had been packed by a hydraulic press.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JUNE 4, 1877.

The War.

A St. Petersburg special confirms the report of an engagement outside of Kars between the Russian besieging force and the Turkish garrison. The action was very sharp, resulting in a decisive advantage for the Russians. The Turks lost outlying guns and a large quantity of ammunition. The Russian loss was 36 men killed and the Turks lost 100.

It is stated that a number of Bosnian refugees in Servia, confiding in the Turkish promise of amnesty, crowded the frontier in the hope of returning home and were immediately seized by the Turks and driven to Derbenda, thrown into a dungeon and murdered in cold blood. The massacre has spread terror throughout Bosnia. Fears of a general massacre are entertained. The population are arming and looking to Russia for help.

Reports from Greece announce that the new ministry, after a protracted debate, have decided that Greece shall take part in the war.

Tiflis, in Asia Minor, is reported as having been burned by the Russians.

The Boston Collectorship.

It was known soon after the inauguration of Hayes that Collector Simmons of Boston had cast an anchor to windward by quietly securing the signatures of a great many prominent merchants to a petition to have him retained in office. The extent and weight of this document had not, we believe, been made public, until Friday, when the Boston *Post* made use of one of the printed copies provided particularly for the President and the Treasury Department. It appears that Mr. Simmons secured a letter from Governor Rice, who sets forth that although he at first opposed actively the appointment of Simmons to the Collectorship, he is now convinced from the way the duties of the office have been performed that the opposition was not well founded; and this letter is endorsed by the Lieutenant-Governor, Secretary of State, and all the Executive Council. Other laudatory letters are from ex-Governor Gaston, the Governor and Governor-elect of New Hampshire and the Governor of Maine; the Mayor of Boston, ten Aldermen, and the President of the Common Council; President Cogswell of the State Senate and Speaker Long of the House; and several Methodist brethren, including Mr. Simmons' pastor and Sunday School teacher. Finally comes a petition asking that Mr. Simmons be retained, signed by 815 houses, mostly doing a heavy business. Collector Simmons claims a reduction of $138,821, in salaries, comparing 1876 with 1873, the last year of Collector Russell, besides an estimated saving of $12,000 in rentals; the salaries, however, still reach half a million dollars. Altogether, Mr. Simmons has accumulated a formidable array of documents, and it is evident that President Hayes would not remove Collector Simmons, after all these gentlemen were committed in his favor. The affairs of the Boston Custom House will, however, be submitted to an examination similar to that which has taken place in New York. If the Collector can show a clear bill of health, he will be retained; if otherwise, otherwise.

Political.

Senator Morgan (democrat) of Alabama has written a letter to Attorney General Devens of very decided character, urging the dismissal of indictments against those who by ballot stuffing defeated Jeremiah Haralson (colored republican) for Congress. Haralson's district was republican, and gave him a large majority. Shelley, his opponent, and some fifteen others, were discovered in the most shameful frauds upon the ballot boxes, and indicted. Haralson has been notified that he will be killed if he returns to the district to prosecute his contest for his seat; that his life will only be safe after he abandons the contest. Senator Morgan now writes that if the policy of conciliation means anything it must embrace pardon for all political offences, and that if the President expects any support from democrats in Alabama he must not countenance further prosecution of this matter in the United States Courts. Senator Morgan of Alabama, in writing such a letter, not only perpetrated a piece of coarse and vulgar impertinence, but showed himself a conceited ass,—and the democracy won't thank him for any such braying, for they do not want democratic ideas too openly expressed just yet.

The Richmond *Dispatch* has a correspondent in North Carolina who is terribly excited over the anticipated (by some people) "split" in the democratic party. He writes: "Note the visit of Key to North Carolina 'on postal business,' he says. I hate a liar, but a southern liar is beyond hate. He couldn't have chosen a better field. Then there is the Hill party in Georgia, the Houston faction in Alabama, and anything you call for in Tennessee. How about Virginia! H'm! Talk with a few Old Line Whigs, and ask yourself how many papers there are in the South whose necessities are such that a little cash in hand and a promise of something better will carry them just wherever Evarts wants them to go. Solid South! 'Tis a thing of the past. Key in North Carolina is the entering-wedge, and the split is virtually accomplished."

Says the Kennebec *Journal*: While Senator Blaine is quietly in his garden, trimming his apple trees and cutting his asparagus, some political idiots at Washington are using his name in connection with a new party. The impression in Maine is that Mr. Blaine belongs to the republican party, that he does not proprose to leave it and that he will stand to the end for its time-honored principles, no matter who may desert or grow faint. He knows nothing whatever of the absurd movement that is rumored in Washington.

A newspaper is about to be published in Boston by a colored Bostonian, called "The New Departure and Colored Progressive Democrat." It will uphold the democratic principles, and hold that the liberties and future welfare of the colored race will be more secure in democratic hands than in those of the republican party as now constituted. It will advocate union and peace between the races in the South; an intelligent ballot, the education of the freedmen, etc.

News and Notes.

The Debt Statement shows a reduction of the debt for May of $6,981,274.83. The reduction from July 1st, 1876, to date is, $36,062,002.52. Currency balance, $4,515,515.47. Special fund for the redemption of fractional currency, $7,762,271. Special deposit of legal-tenders for redemption of certificates of deposit, $49,510,000; coin balance, $106,137,083.33; including coin certificates, $45,407,500; outstanding legal-tenders, $360,412,580.

Seven hundred people are homeless consequent upon the burning of every house and building of Oneota, on Lake Superior.

By an accident on the Lehigh Valley Railroad near Wyalusing, Pa., on Friday, two persons were instantly killed and seventeen injured, six of them fatally.

Immense forest fires are raging in Michigan, and several villages have been burned.

The Rice-Coolidge scandal case has been taken from the Court, in Boston, and referred to a board of referees. This will disappoint lovers of scandal, but will please every decent person in the community.

New Hampshire Items.

At the meeting of the Manchester School Board, Friday evening, it was voted that forty weeks constitute a school year, and that the schools close July 6th. The salaries paid the teachers last year aggregated $38,950, and a reduction of about five per cent. was voted; female teachers receiving $450 and upwards were reduced $25 each; the Principal of the High School was reduced from $2000 to $1800; the first assistant from $1000 to $950; the Principal of the Training School from $600 to $550; the Principals of Grammar Schools from $1500 to $1350; the music teacher receives $1200. The total reduction is $1800.

An Impromptu Duel.

A fight of the bloodiest and most sensational character occurred in broad daylight in a crowded street of Houston, Texas, last week. The principals in the affair were City Marshal Erichson and a gambler named Woodlief. Woodlief was mad at the marshal for causing his arrest the day before, and was just out on bail, when, meeting the object of his ire on Main street coming toward him, the gambler drew his five-shooter and fired, but missed. Erichson, perceiving his danger, made a pass for his pistol, which he grabbed, but the weapon hung in his clothing. In the mean time Woodlief obtained his second shot, the ball striking Erichson in the right thigh and breaking the bone. He fell, but succeeded in drawing his pistol. The first time the weapon snapped. For the next few seconds one shot followed another. Erichson, although prostrate, fired four shots, three of which took effect in the person of his assailant, giving further evidence that he is a crack shot. One shot took effect in the right groin of Woodlief, another penetrated the right arm, and a third bullet struck in the right leg below the knee. It is impossible to see how the numerous people on the streets—some of them women and children—escaped being shot, the locality of the shooting being one of the most frequented in the whole city. Woodlief lay a considerable time in the dust and dirt of Main street, his hat off, and his blood flowing freely through his pant leg and mingling with the soil of the street, with a dense crowd surrounding him.—*Texas paper.*

How to Get Rich.

Nothing is more easy than to grow rich. It is only to trust nobody—to befriend none—to get everything and save all you get—to stint ourselves and everybody belonging to us—to be the friend of no man and have no man our friend—to heap interest upon interest, cent upon cent—to be mean, miserable and despised for some twenty or thirty years—and riches will come as sure as disease and disappointment. And when pretty nearly enough wealth is collected by a disregard of all the charities of the human heart, and at the expense of every enjoyment, save that of wallowing in filthy meanness—death comes to finish the work—the body is buried in a hole, the heirs dance over it, and the spirit goes—where?

Bucharest.

Bucharest has had its share of sorrows since its foundation. If the majority of the houses are not more than two stories high, it is because they are built with an eye to future earthquakes. In 1793, in 1802, and in 1817 violent shakings of the earth, attended by immense loss of life and property, taught the citizens that their foundations were insecure. It is said that the earthquake of 1793 destroyed nearly every ancient house in the town. War and pestilence have been the two greatest enemies of the peace of Bucharest. A plague decimated the town in 1710, in 1738, in 1793; and in 1813 this terrible scourge carried off seventy thousand persons within six weeks. Since that time the Bucharestians have learned something about drainage and other measures for the public health. But the great mass of the Wallachian peasantry still live in a condition bordering on swinishness. Indeed, some of the peasants laboring by the roadside look less happy and less clean than the pigs that trot away suspiciously whenever a vehicle or a train rushes across the fields. Bucharest has been occupied by foreign troops a good many times. The city was forcibly taken or used as a temporary garrison by both the Turks and the Russians in 1769, by the Austrians in 1789, by the Russians in 1807. In 1812 the Russians concluded at Bucharest the treaty of peace which by the consent of the Turks, gave to the Russian Empire all Moldavian Bessarabia.—*Cor. Boston Journal.*

—A singular fight took place in Newburyport recently between a rat, hen and rooster. A hen scratching near a water cask, in a door-yard, was suddenly interrupted by a huge rat, and neither would give way. Finally the hen made a pass with her beak, which the rat dodged, and then the rat made a spring for her neck, which was not a success. At this juncture, a cluck from the hen brought up the rooster, who came into the ring to take a hand himself. Then commenced a triangular scrimmage with teeth and beaks. The rat gathered for a spring on his antagonist, which was prevented by the cock lighting upon him and putting both spurs into his body, performing the solemn tragedy of harikari. Not satisfied with disembowelling their enemy, they picked out his eyes and left him.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

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[WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

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JOHN W. LORD.

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EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

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Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

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Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
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Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
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PRESENTATION OF AN ELEGANT DIAMOND PIN.

At the close of the temperance lecture on Sunday evening in Mechanics Hall, an elegant and costly diamond pin, (the gift of friends in Boston and elsewhere) was presented to Col. J. Horace Kent the occasion which prompted it being the fifth anniversary of Mr. Kent's life as a total abstinance man. Charles W. Gardner, Esq., made the presentation remarks, which were substantially as follows:

My Dear Friend and Brother: Yesterday I received from your esteemed friend, Mr. John F. Coles of Boston, the well known and gifted temperance lecturer, a package containing an article of great value, accompanied with the request that I should on Sunday evening, June 3, publicly present it to you; it being, as you of course are well aware, the fifth anniversary of your act of signing the total abstinence pledge. I very much regret that unavoidable circumstances hinder Mr. Coles from acting my part in this event, because the peculiar personal relations existing between him and yourself make it more fitting that you should receive the choice gift from his kindly hands, conveyed through the medium of his heartfelt and eloquent utterances. It will gratify you to learn that a few of your friends who made your acquaintance at the Washingtonian Home in the summer of 1872, as well as others elsewhere, prompted in part by their joy in the knowledge of your faithfulness to your pledge, as well as your fidelity to the work of saving others, have procured a beautiful diamond pin, and have delegated to me the privilege of conveying it to you thus publicly.

To some here present, it may not seem quite in accord with common usage or good taste to appropriate the closing hours of the Sabbath to these presentation ceremonies. And while *I* cannot but regard the hour as all the more fitting on account of the sacredness with which the day is commonly observed, it must be borne in mind that the anniversary which the gift is designed to commemorate, falls upon the Sabbath, and as a delay of the matter would cause it to be ill-timed, I have chosen this opportunity at the close of my evening's address, to formally present the testimonial to which I have alluded. And although, as I have intimated, the gift is one of rare value intrinsically, neither its worth nor its cost can be compared with the spirit which prompted the bestowal. And my dear brother, I should not be just to you nor to your generous friends did I withhold from you their accompanying words of eloquent regard for yourself and the glorious cause you have so faithfully espoused. They are these:

"A few of your personal friends who are cognizant of your past history, and especially that part of it included in the past five years, have fixed upon this occasion, it being your first anniversary as a total abstinence man, to present to you a slight memorial of their friendship and to thus express their appreciation of your manly and successful efforts to maintain your own integrity as a temperance man, and an acknowledgement of the efforts you have made, to persuade others from time to time, at home and abroad, to embrace the reformatory principles you have so faithfully incorporated with your own life and practice.

We have selected as a token of our regard, a diamond pin, because it is emblematical of the fair divinity of Temperance.

As water is the purest of all the elements, so is the diamond the purest of all gems. As the diamond shoots its brilliant rays of light and beauty in every direction, so does the sparkling fountain and the gushing spring with equal bounty, shower on either hand their pearly drops of matchless lustre.

The indestructibility of the diamond is indicative of the solidity and perpetuity of the vital principles upon which the cause of temperance is founded.

In presenting you with this testimonial, your friends wish also to extend their congratulations at your success in keeping the sacred pledge you took five years ago, and they pray that your future may be as free from stain or blot, as this jewel is from flaw or blemish."

No poor words of mine can add anything to these eloquent expressions of confidence. So I now have the honor as well as the pleasure, in behalf of these thoughtful friends, of placing in your hands the packet which contains the gift alluded to. Keep it, my brother, as a souvenir of your freedom from a worse bondage than that of the galley-slave. Keep it, as a remembrancer of your struggles and your triumphs over passion and appetite! Keep it as a reminder of the many ready hands that were and are ever outstretched to aid you! And above all, keep it as an incentive to nobler action, nobler efforts for the unfortunate around you; thereby making your future a succession of glorious deeds that shall be as so many polished stones in that spiritual temple, which, unlike that made with hands, is enduring and eternal.

Mr. Gardner then passed to Mr. Kent the morocco packet enclosing the diamond, at the same time handing him some papers containing the names of the donors, and other items of interest connected with the affair, on receiving which Mr. K. replied as follows:

Friend and Brother: I can truly say to you as the representative of the kind friends who have contributed to this beautiful present, that I receive it with feelings of delight and gratitude; and, as highly as I prize the gift itself, I value much more the friendly and generous emotions which prompted the hearts of the donors to make it under such flattering circumstances.

It is pleasent to know that one has good friends, and it is equally pleasant to know that his course in life meets with their approval. Brother—while I accept this testimonial with joy and thankfulness, I can hardly see how I have especially deserved it. Five years ago I found myself in a dangerous and critical condition. I was wedded to a habit which had not only brought care and suffering to myself but sorrow to my family and friends. In self defence I sought refuge in the temperance pledge; I bound myself in good faith; and I thank God and the encouragement of good friends for having had strength and will enough to keep that faith till this moment.

What I have done for others, has only been in part payment for what others have done for me; and I accept this token not as a premium for what I have done, but for what I should and ought to do. And brother, as I have no command of language sufficient to express my grateful thanks to the donors, I will endeavor to show to you and them, in the truthfulness and purity of my future life, how highly I prize their offering, which will ever be to me a reminder of their kindness to me, and of my obligations to them and to the cause of total abstinence at large.

With a heart overflowing with gratitude I again thank you and them.

SIR PETER WARREN,

Whose large portrait has lately been returned to the Athenæum from the Burroughs mansion, and that came originally from the Pepperrell House at Kittery Point, was a famous gentleman in his day, having commanded the forces on the water, as Sir William Pepperell did upon the land, at the capture of Louisburg. On returning to his home at New York, a public dinner was given him by the Mayor and Corporation of the city, that was attended by all the people of note among the inhabitants. Included in the compliments bestowed upon those who had taken part in that renowned expedition was the following, read at the table:

"When glorious Anne Britannia's sceptre swayed,
And Louis strove all Europe to invade,
Great Marlborough then, on Blenheim's hostile fields,
With Britain's sons o'erthrew the Gallic shields.
The Western world and Pepp'rell now may claim
An equal honor and as lasting fame;
And Warren's merit will in story last,
Till future ages have forgot the past."

His mansion and extensive grounds were as far up-town in New York as Aaron Burr's famed country seat in after days, known as "Richmond Hill." On his premises was an obelisk in commemoration of Wolfe, the hero of Quebec. Warren street, that runs from Broadway to the Hudson River, was named for him. He is often mentioned in the New York papers from 1744 to '49. One notice of him reads thus:

"The brave Commander Peter Warren arrived yesterday in his Majesty's ship Launceston, with a French ship as a prize, having on board 600 hogsheads of sugar, 52 lbs. of bar gold, indigo, and other valuable merchandise. This is the fifteenth French vessel taken by the distinguished commander during the war, and when he sails again, which will be very soon, we may well say:

The sails are spread; see the bold warrior goes
To sweep from ocean's face his country's foes."

J. H. B.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, June 2d.

Leonard C. Cook, of York, Me., was charged with trespass in having abducted a cow and halter from the premises of Mary P. Hodgdon, of this city. From the evidence offered it appears that one Moles, acting on behalf of plaintiff, went to York some time ago to trade a horse for a cow; Cook declined to trade in that way, but swapped horses,—as Moles says, even; but Cook says he was to receive $20 to boot. Moles then bought a cow for $20, paying all but $3, and the cow and the new horse were brought to this city. Some weeks after, Cook (who had never applied for payment of the balance of the $20) and his hired man, Kimball, came to this city, and without making any demand for the remainder of the purchase money or for the cow, cut the halter with which the cow was tied, and took her away; and this suit was brought to recover the value of the cow and halter. The defence was that the $20 (of which Cook acknowledged having received $16.75) was the "boot" on the horse trade, and that the cow had not been even partially paid for. The evidence of Cook and Kimball was flatly contradictory in many points, and the Judge rendered a verdict for the plaintiff for the amount claimed, from which decision Cook appealed.

Arthur Blaisdell, a boy, was arraigned for an assault on another boy named Charles W. Ham. The assault it appeared was committed by a gang of street "gamins," but it did not appear that Blaisdell was the one most to blame, and he was let off.

BACK AGAIN.

Rev. Silas Ilsley, formerly pastor of the Middle street Baptist church, is in this city paying a visit to his old friends and parishioners. He is accompanied by his wife, who is a sister of Capt. Samuel Harding. It is nearly thirty years since Mr. and Mrs. Ilsley resided in this city; they have lived in several places since, but for quite a number of years past in Dover Plains, Duchess county, New York. The journey from that place to Portsmouth was made in a phaeton, by easy stages, occupying about two weeks. The journey is to be continued down into Maine, how far the travellers have not definitely decided; but before they return they will visit Limerick, where Mr. Ilsley was born and where his father some time since died at the advance age of ninety-seven years, to visit the old homestead and look after some property there. Of the three boys in their family when they left here, one (the youngest, who was born in this city) is since dead, at the age of twenty-eight; the second is temporarily at Dover Plains, and the oldest is in business at No. 173 Pearl street, New York city. The visitors find many changes in this city since they left it, but nothing to attract their attention so strangely as the great improvements made in the vicinity of Lincoln Hill.

RELIGIOUS.

Rev. John A. Goss of the Christain Church administered the rite of baptism by immersion, at Noble's Island, to a number of candidates on Sunday. A large congregation was present to witness the ceremony, most of whom gave respectful attention to the exercises.

Rev. Dr. Alden, at the close of the Sunday morning's service, gave the right hand of fellowship to several candidates for admission to the rites and privileges of the Baptist church.

JOTTINGS.

Sunday was the hottest of the season thus far.

Our citizens are promised a grand and imposing parade of the Antiques and Horribles, next Fourth of July, in default of something better and more sensible.

Schooner Hattie E. King, which recently discharged a cargo of coal at Concord Railroad wharf, and sailed on Saturday for Calais, Me., was forty days on the passage from Baltimore to this port.

The ship Midnight, now lying at the National Dock, East Boston, discharging, was built at Portsmouth, N. H., in 1854, and is consequently twenty-three years old. She registers 838 tons, rates A 1, and is in excellent order. Built of New Hampshire white oak, copper fastened, through tree-nailed and well ventilated, she is considered as good as any ship of the same class afloat. She is commanded by Capt. Marcy, and made her last passage from Manila, deeply laden, in 117 days. From the water's edge to the trucks she is in fine order, and reflects great credit on her captain, officers and crew. Messrs. Henry Hastings & Co. own her, and keep her liberally equipped and ably commanded, which accounts for her good luck and fine condition. —*Boston Globe.*

The closing spring rehearsal of the Portsmouth Philharmonic Society was postponed from last Tuesday evening on account of the preparations for Memorial Day, and will take place on Tuesday evening, June 5th.

The Portsmouth Light Artillery are to parade with the Newmarket Cornet Band at early evening on the 6th. The company have tendered escort to the Portsmouth Heavy Artillery and Portsmouth Cavalry for the morning of the 7th, all of which companies are to go to Concord on a special train at six o'clock to participate in the parade of the State Militia on the occasion of the Governor's inauguration.

Ensign William Winder, of this city, has been detached from the Dictator and placed on waiting orders. Passed Assistant Paymaster Stephen Rand, Jr., is detached from the Canonicus on the 30th of June, and ordered to settle accounts. Ensign John F. Parker's orders to duty at this navy yard go into effect June 20.

Capt. Richard H. Ela, who was mentioned in an item copied into the CHRONICLE a few days since, concerning a suit relative to his estate,—we are informed by Mr. F. W. Miller was one of the earliest carriers of this paper, at the start.

The labors of the Young Men's Christian Association of Gospel Workers of Maine, at Kittery, resulted in the conversion of about one hundred persons.

A few days ago Mr. Charles Cottle of Kittery had occasion to go to the navy yard on business, and driving there left the team standing unhitched. The horse got frightened soon after and started for home. The marine guard at the gate, seeing the animal coming at a furious rate, attempted to shut the gate, when the horse went through, leaving the wagon behind.

The doves which used to be so numerous in the vicinity of Market square have been greatly thinned out of late, very few now appearing on the square and the adjacent streets. We are informed that they have been shot in the early morning hours, before there is any stir about the streets, by parties who use some kind of a small gun which makes but very little noise—hardly more than a good-sized fire-cracker. Our informant is under the impression that some of the police force have assisted in this work.

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Sch William G R Mowry, Eaton, Calais.
Sch Viola, Cole, Machias.
Sch Sinaloa, Robinson, Machias.
Sch Hattie E King, Crowley, Calais.
Sch D K Ham, Freeman, Boston.
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Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had 12½ cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

Courting By Telegraph.

The Seattle (Oregon) *Tribune* speaks of a novel courtship conducted by telegraph, and in which Mr. Hill Harmon of Dakotah, figures conspicuously. Mr. Harmon shortly after the death of his first wife, informed his family and his friends of his determination to marry again, at the earliest possible moment. Knowing of a lady in Maine (whom however, he had never seen) who possessed all the qualities his heart desired, he at once opened a correspondence with her by telegraph, which after several messages resulted in their engagement, and the naming of a day for their marriage. Packing his valise, Mr. Harmon started, using the telegraph in the dispatch of amatory messages all the way. On the 7th of April they were married, and now they are at their Stellacom home—he after an absence of thirty-three days. In that time he has travelled 9,000 miles, met his present wife for the first time and married her, and been to New York, Buffalo, Montreal, Quebec, Toronto and San Francisco, at each of which places they made short stays. She is a fine-looking, sensible woman who will make him a good wife.

Curious Chinese Feasts.

The first day of the New Year's feasts is called by the Chinese Birds' Day (Kar-Yat), and is intended to bring to mind the utility of the feathered tribes as food. On this day the Chinese are expected to abstain from eating flesh, and it is frequently observed as a day of fasting. The second day is Dogs' Day (Ku-Yat). According to a Russian writer, the Chinese honor the dog so much that they have workmen whose especial business it is to make coffins for dead dogs. They believe that the life of one of their sages was saved by a dog killing and eating the man who attempted to murder him, and yet the Chinese eat the flesh of the dog which they consider a great delicacy. The third day, Hogs' Day (Chen-Yat), is celebrated in honor of a hog that drew a valuable manuscript out of a fire. The Chinese honor this animal by making its flesh their principal dish on this festive occasion. The fourth day, Sheep's Day (Yaong-Yat), is specially honored in memory of Pun-Koon-Venga, a shepherd who clothed himself with the bark of trees, and refused to make use of any part of the sheep either for food or clothing. The fifth day is Cow's Day (New-Yat). This day is consecrated to the cow that suckled an orphan, who afterward became Mandarin, and built a temple in honor of the cow. Ma-Yat or Horse Day, the sixth day, is set apart to call to mind the usefulness of this animal.

Mutinies in the British Navy.

There was recently a mutiny on board the British iron-plated ship Alexandra, it is stated, in consequence of the stringency of the discipline and the unusual severity of punishment. The whole of one watch refused to do duty, and threw the sights of the guns overboard. Three insubordinates were sentenced to forty-two days' imprisonment, and were sent home in the Monarch to undergo the punishment. A telegram from Athens, dated May 31, gives an account of another and apparently more serious mutiny while the Alexandra was lying at the Piraeus. The mutiny was quelled by the marines and men summoned from other vessels. The mutineers were arrested and a court marshal convened to try them. The cause of this second outbreak is stated to be dissatisfaction because of the refusal of shore leave, whereupon they rendered the Alexandra's guns unserviceable. It is deemed necessary to send the Alexandra to cruise in the Mediterranean until further orders.

—Lessing, the German author, was, in his old age, subject to extraordinary fits of abstraction. On his return home, one evening, after he had knocked at his door, the servant looked out of the window to see who was there. Not recognizing his master in the dark, and mistaking him for a stranger, he called out, "the professor is not at home." "Oh, very well," replied Lessing; "no matter—I'll call another time!"

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	106¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	111¼
Maine State 6s, 1889	120
N. H. State 6s, 1873	111¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	54½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	54½
Boston & Providence	117½
Boston & Albany	116
Nashua & Lowell	59
Concord	74
Eastern	31
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	33
Fitchburg	108½
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	63½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	97½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	79

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Butter, per lb 20 @ 25c.
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Eggs per dozen, 16c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
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Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
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Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
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Pork per bll., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ⅌, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ⅌, Nr. 11 @ 12c; Gr. 13; Crushed 13½.
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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect, a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive matter or substance therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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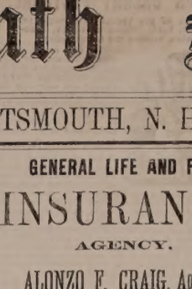

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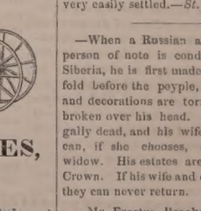

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Remember that so long as you are in health these liquors are unnecessary; a great many medical men have asserted it, and hundreds of teetotalers prove it.

Remember that most persons who act as you do ruin their lives by so doing.

Remember that not drunkenness alone, but drinking, fills our jails and penitentiaries, our poor houses and our lunatic asylums; employs our coroners and our hangmen, and works mischief incalculable on all ranks and both sexes, of which no human institution takes cognizance.

Remember that drinking retards education, industry, and every branch of political and social improvement.

Remember that multitudes yearly die a drunkard's death, and go to meet a drunkard's doom.

Remember that every year multitudes from your "moderate" ranks recruit the wasted army of drunkards.

Remember that every drunkard once tried to follow the example you set, and on trial fell from his slippery ground into the whirlpool of intemperance.

Remember if you sanction the custom you are answerable for its fruits.

Remember that the weak and tempted ones look to you, and that under God it depends on you whether they may be drunkards or sober men.

Remember that "to him that knoweth to do good and doeth it not, to him it is a sin," and that there is "woe for that man through whom offenses come to the little ones."

Remember that you can not be neutral; and there will be a day when you will be unable to plead ignorance.

Remember that all this weight of responsibility rests with you, as you raise the cup, if you think it right, but we envy not your conscience.

Fighting for a Home.

A woodpecker's hole is such a very convenient place for a nest, that many other birds are glad to find one unoccupied. Sometimes a pair of wrens will watch the motions of the woodpeckers while they are at work, until an unfinished hole is left unguarded, when they will take possession of it. As soon as the lawful owners return the thieves are driven off, but they are so persistent and troublesome that, although a woodpecker is larger and stronger than twenty wrens, the owners sometimes abandon the place and make a new nest. Still, the wrens are not always allowed to keep the house they have stolen, for the blue-birds are equally covetous of it, and sometimes fight fiercely with the wrens in their attempts to gain possession of it. Occasionally both wrens and blue-birds are driven away by the martins, for these birds also prize woodpecker's holes very highly. The fierce battles between these various birds over an abandoned hole are very numbing, and often last several days; for they are all very obstinate birds, and as each one is determined not to give up, the matter is not very easily settled.—*St. Nicholas for June.*

—When a Russian army officer or other person of note is condemned to exile in Siberia, he is first made to kneel on a scaffold before the people, while the epaulets and decorations are torn off and his sword broken over his head. He is declared legally dead, and his wife, if he is married, can, if she chooses, consider herself a widow. His estates are confiscated to the Crown. If his wife and children follow him they can never return.

—Mr. Erastus Brooks, in retiring from the editorial management of the New York *Evening Express*, recalls some interesting facts. He has been connected with the paper as joint editor and proprietor for forty-one years, the first eighteen of which he acted as correspondent at Washington during the sessions of Congress. During this long period 112 daily papers have been born and have died in New York city, and there are now fewer newspapers there than twenty-five years ago.

—"Gimme that ere!" exclaimed old Mixon, as he jerked the lawn-mower from the hands of his son, and started off on the double-quick around the lawn with it. Suddenly he collided with a hidden obstruction, and the handles of the machine plunged half-way through his body, converting him into a very forlorn mower indeed, and he curled up with a sickly sort of smile and nearly died. His son finished the mowing.

—A Texas editor accepted a position on a Baltimore paper, and the first week he was arrested three times for libel, had striking arguments with four offended individuals who came in to horsewhip him, and was stabbed between the shoulder-blades one night as he was leaving the office. At the expiration of ten days he resigned his position. He said editing a newspaper in Baltimore was too tame work—not enough variety and excitement in it for him; and he had concluded to return to Texas, where an editor's duties were more varied and required a knowledge of pistol practice.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JUNE 5, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 1.

"Old Probabilities," by the kindly manipulations that insured us Wednesday a sunny day, tempered to the point of comfort by cooling breezes from the Northwest corner of his province, relieved himself to some extent of the suspicions incurred by his manner in the past of his want of sympathy in the observances of the 30th of May. Excursions to Richmond, Harper's Ferry, Gettysburg, down the Potomac, and many smaller ones to the woods and groves surrounding Washington, served to lessen somewhat the crowds that annually go to Arlington, Soldiers' Home, Oak Hill, Congressional Cemetery, and other soldiers' burial places in the neighborhood, to strew the graves with the testimonials of our love and gratitude for their sacrifices in behalf of the living. But the immense numbers and enthusiasm of those attending Wednesday here and elsewhere, and who observed the day by an abstinence from usual business pursuits, show how deep a hold these men who laid down their lives that the nation might live, have upon the great national heart. The custom has grown to be almost universal and is more generally observed than the 4th of July.

Politicians here are just now somewhat exercised over a characteristic letter of mock condolence written by Gen. Butler to Marshal Pitkin, another victim, according to Butler's letter, to the conciliation policy, which is treated with quite effective sarcasm. But the chief interest of the letter arises from some reflections upon Wayne McVeigh, Butler broadly intimating that Wharton was made Pitkin's successor as the price offered him by McVeigh for disrupting the Packard Legislature in Nicholls' interest. Both McVeigh and Wharton have denied the truth of the insinuation, which raises an interesting question of veracity; but the General is not regarded as a man that will quietly submit to have his statements impeached, and it is thought likely the controversy may take a wide range and bring to light during its progress something of the "true inwardness" of the New Orleans Commission.

Ohio still continues to lay the nation under a still heavier burden by contributing others of her statesmen to the public service. A rumor is current that Hill, Supervising Architect of the Treasury, is to give place to an Ohioan, and that the duties of the office are to be split into an Eastern and Western division, the latter to be under the direction of a Cincinnati subordinate. It is said that the rule of only one in a family in public service is to be enforced in the Treasury Department, which will curtail the income of two at least of the six Auditors of that Department, to the extent of the salary of a second class clerk in the case of each. An interesting performance on the part of these two modest officials is talked of here, to the effect that in order to silence the strictures made relative to the son holding office under the father, an exchange or "swap" was made so as to partially allay the gossip that might in time prove fatal to the official life of one or the other by attracting too much attention to the abuse. If these are thought exceptional cases on the part of grasping officials who prate loudest of the sacrifices of dead soldiers whose widows or other dependent relatives have been discharged from the Departments and are actually suffering for food, I can assure the incredulous that there are scores of similar cases and of favorite families which have two or more representatives in the public offices in Washington. Let us have civil service reform according to promise.

To those remembering the haste of Gideon J. Pillow to turn over to Jeff. Davis' bogus government, early in 1861, that large portion of the United States army under his command, also millions of dollars worth of property, and further the cruelties observed towards Federal prisoners that fell into his hands during the war, it may be gratifying to learn that he has at last announced his willingness to forgive the coercive efforts adopted by the Government towards him and his fellow conspirators during that struggle, and that he has concluded to extend to it hereafter his invaluable advice and other services. In return for this gracious condescension he asks nothing above that conferred upon the most humble citizen, save the trifling favor of an appointment to the position made vacant by the death of Judge Emmons of the Western United States circuit, for which purpose he is now here modestly pushing his suit. In the exuberance of reconciliation he has written a letter, assuring the President of his approval and support, and suggesting how easily the Mexican problem may be solved by adopting his (Pillow's) plan of stealing or otherwise acquiring two Mexican States, thus pushing our frontier line further southward to a natural boundary which he minutely describes, at the same time capturing a great deal of the highly intellectual, peaceable and altogether desirable material produced in most Southern latitudes, out of which to make citizens.

The city is filled with men fiercely hungering and thirsting for Government pap. Many of them were participants in the secession war, which, with other democratic antecedents, has operated to bar them from all places of emolument or profit in the Government's administration during the past sixteen years, but they fancy they see their way back to the disproportionate number of offices their section monopolized prior to that time; and the White House and the Departments are besieged by the most formidable set of men seen here for years. By many the reported decision of the President to vacate all the higher grades of diplomatic office which have been filled by their present occupants four years, is regarded as a sign of yielding. KNOX.

New York Letter.

NEW YORK CITY, May 30th.

DECORATION DAY.

To-day has been a triumph of beauty, devotion and sentiment contrasted with the disgusting attempt a short time ago to celebrate and engraft upon this city the rule of "Beer and Rum," under the title of Carnival. New York never before presented a more beautiful and brilliant appearance than to-day. Madison and Union Squares were the centres of attraction in the upper portion of the city, and well-behaved masses of people invaded the sacred grass plots, and sat under the shade trees, while the children fairly reveled in their enjoyment of the privileges of romping and rolling on the green sward. The Mayor and other prominent persons, with their families, viewed the procession from a stand erected for the purpose at the junction of Broadway and Fifth avenue. The procession was very grand and imposing. The statues and monuments in the parks throughout the city were elaborately decorated with flowers and evergreens. Divisions of the general procession proceeded to the various cemeteries and decorated the graves of all soldiers or sailors, making no distinction. This beautiful custom of observing Decoration Day, has grown into a National holiday, and it is destined to become the most popular, and will exert the best influence upon the minds of the people of all the holidays.

"THE GLORIOUS FOURTH."

There is quite a strong opposition growing up here against the noise, smell of burnt powder, and danger, the usually accompany the celebration of that 4th of July. It is quite probable that the indiscriminate use of fire-crackers and other explosives will be prohibited by the city authorities this year.

SEEKING FRESH AIR.

Last Sunday all the excursion boats leaving the city for a trip up the Hudson, or a glimpse of the ocean, were crowded; and Central Park was swarming with people seeking the fresh spring air.

CUSTOM HOUSE.

The custom house investigation is proceeding cautiously and conservatively, and seems more like an experiment than a reform. Collector Arthur claims to be the slave of the old system of bestowing political patronage, and says that the New York Custom House is but a huge hospital for defeated and broken down politicians, and that these patients were brought to him by Senators and members of Congress, and that he dared not refuse to care for them.

THE BOSS.

Tweed's chances for breathing the free air again are not so promising now as they seemed about the time of the publication of the story of his flight from the city, his hair breadth escapes, etc., which appeared in print about a month ago. There has been bad management of his case, either on his own or his friends' part; and the chances of his prison doors swinging open when he opens his mouth are not so probable as they were.

AMUSEMENTS.

Most of the Theatres close this week for the season and the Summer Gardens are already open and liberally patronized.

E. E. B.

The War.

A telegram from Syra, in Asia Minor, to London, on the 3d, says "great discouragement exists in official circles in Constantinople because it is not known how a sufficient force can be collected to resist the Russian advance. The hopes that the capture of Sougkoum-Kaleh would lead to an insurrection in the Caucasus have now disappeared. The Circassians feared Russia and laid down their arms. Turkey is weak from material causes, which render it difficult to maintain a long resistance." It is officially announced from Constantinople that the reported capture of Ardahan is erroneous. A despatch from Tiflis says 4000 Circassian cavalry, who were bivouacking between Erzeroum and Kars, were surprized during the night by an overwhelming force of Russians. They refused to surrender, and no quarter being given, a frightful massacre ensued, and only 200 of them escaped. The Russian army is very near Erzeroum, and the position of Moukhtar Pasha's army is considered to be very critical.

The Montenegrins have destroyed the village of Stozer, killing 150 Turks and having 130 of their own men killed and wounded. The Montenegrins are preparing to attack Niesics.

An alliance of Austria and England, with France possibly added, is talked of as among the probabilities. Should this occur, Germany and Italy would be soon ranged on the side of Russia.

A Bully Well Disposed Of.

Policeman Thomas Train, of Manchester, was on Saturday night assaulted, knocked down and brutally beaten by a gang of roughs, while on his beat shortly before midnight. The officer succeeded in getting upon his feet, when one Michael O'Brien clinched him and a desperate struggle ensued, the other roughs assisting. Drawing his revolver, a thirty-two-calibre Wesson, he emptied it at the crowd, two shots taking effect on O'Brien. One entered the right breast, passing through a rib into the right lung. The officer signalled for assistance, which immediately came, and with much difficulty the disturbance was quelled. Brickbats were thrown and shots fired at the police, the former missiles taking effect in some instances. O'Brien was conveyed to the police station, and it is expected (and is to be hoped) he will die. He is only about twenty years old, but is known as a bully and thief, having served a number of jail sentences. No blame whatever is attached to Officer Train, as had he not drawn his revolver death would undoubtedly have claimed him as a victim, and it is considered a clear case of self-defence. The entire community back Train. The officers previously had some intimation in regard to this attack, but paid no attention to it, as quite frequently they have such threats. Others of the crowd of attacking roughs will be taught that the law is not to be violated with impunity, even by the most enterprising ruffians.

The popular verdict of the travelling public is that the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, cannot be excelled by any other house in the Quaker City.

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No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels, have suffered all the pains could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 23d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yet, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for nearly twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for eight or ten winters, and have been traveling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought this was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. R. M. Mobley, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura J. Shurtleff Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON.

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

MR. THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who come to see them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills. MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

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Portsmouth, N. H., June 2, 1877.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M,	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, June 4th.

John Reese, a boy, for an assault on Charles W. Ham, another boy, was fined $2, costs $6.96. A free lecture was thrown in by the Judge.

Leonard C Cook, of York, furnished bonds for the prosecution of his appeal in the case of trespass decided against him on Saturday.

Julia Mahoney complained of Minnie Welch, for insulting her on the street. The testimony showed that at the time of the alleged insult Miss Mahoney was at home and abed, and that if any charge could be sustained against Minnie Welch it was slander and not insult, so she was discharged. Another Minnie, surnamed Wilson, also charged with insulting Julia Mahoney on the street, had her case continued to Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock.

PORTLAND, SACO & PORTSMOUTH RAILROAD.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Portland, Saco & Portsmouth Railroad was held at the company's hall in Kittery at eleven o'clock Monday forenoon. The meeting was called to order by the President, S. Lothrop Thorndike, who read the call for the meeting, and then presented the thirty-seventh annual report, which was quite favorable to the road, and was unanimously accepted. It was then moved to proceed to elect by ballot seven gentlemen to serve as directors for the ensuing year. Mr. Charles E. Barrett of Portland stated that he had been a director since the commencement of the road, and must decline further serving. On motion of Mr. Stevens, a vote of thanks of the corporation was extended to Mr. Barrett for his past valuable services. A ballot was then taken, which resulted in the election of Alfred P. Rockwell, S. Lothrop Thorndike, W. H. Y. Hackett, George P. King, George E. P. Jackson and John B. Brown. Each of these gentlemen received the full number of votes cast, 2829. The meeting then dissolved.

A PETITION.

We are requested to publish the following petition which was recently presented to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen by the temperance organizations in this city:

"To the Honorable Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the City of Portsmouth:—The undersigned, delegates from the various temperance organizations, in convention assembled, after a full and free discussion of the evils of intemperance and the means for their suppression, resolved to asked the Board of Mayor and Aldermen to call a meeting of the citizens at some convenient hall for the purpose of taking such measures as may be considered prudent and wise for the suppression of the same. And to this end we respectfully ask your honorable body to call a meeting of the citizens without distinction of sex or party, to take into consideration the alarming evils of intemperance in all their varied aspects, to the end that a public sentiment may be created which shall tend to eradicate this vice from our city."

Here follow the signatures of twenty-five delegates from the five temperance organizations.

JOTTINGS.

It may not be generally known that Rev. J. A. Goss, a devoted friend of temperance, is holding gospel temperance meetings at his church on Court street, every Tuesday evening, and that one is to be held there this evening. Everybody is invited to attend. The meetings are free to any one to give the honest expression of his feelings, either in speech, prayer or song. It matters not what kind of "suasion" a person believes in, he is welcome.

On Monday the steamer Clara Batemen towed up to the city the three-masted schooners Clara E. Simpson and Jennie N. Huddell, both at once. Both were coal laden, and were berthed in good shape at the North End wharves by Capt. Rand, who not only has a good tug-boat but knows well how to handle her. We hope she will pay better this season than she has for a year or two past, for an efficient and well-handled tow-boat is an absolute necessity at this port.

Alexander H. Ladd, Esq., has recently made very considerable repairs and improvements in the surroundings of his beautiful residence on Market street.

On Saturday Chief Engineer Benjamin F. Garvin reported at the Navy Yard for duty, relieving Chief Engineer David B. Macomb.

Thursday of next week, June 14th, the joint celebration arranged by the Veteran Artillery Association and the Trustees of Langdon Park will take place. At sunrise a flag of thirteen stars will be hoisted on the staff at the Park by Col. T. E. O. Marvin, without any especial ceremony. At three o'clock, P. M., escorted by the Light Battery and accompanied dy the Park Trustees and the children of the public schools, the Veteran Artillery Association will march to the Park, where a salute of thirteen guns will be fired in honor of the "old flag" of one hundred years ago, to be followed by the ceremonies and amusements around the Maypole. In the evening the Veterans will sit down to a social supper,—and no further assurance that it will be a first-class one is needed than the announcement that it will be gotten up by mine host Hilton, at the Rockingham. The official programme will be published in due season.

The ancient mariner of the CHRONICLE wonders why the Government spends so much money at the up-country, Dover end of Piscataqua river, and never a dollar at this sea end? Why, bless your heart, man, they are trying to help show that the first settlers landed at Dover and then came *down* river to Odiorne's Point, as the Doverians claim, and so are clearing the way for the truth of history.—*Portsmouth Weekly.*

A farm windmill of the Halladay standard pattern was erected at Lincoln Hill Cottage last week, by Mr. Charles W. Jenness of Rye, the agent for this vicinity, to pump water for irrigation and domestic uses. It works to a charm—especially to the pumpers who are now relieved.

Rev. Dr. Storrs of New York, Rev. Dr. Warren of California and Rev. Mr. Cobb of Minnesota will give addresses at the North Church this evening upon the condition and prospects of the great West, with especial reference to the work of Home Missions. These gentlemen are making a tour through the principal cities and towns of New England. Everywhere their meetings are attended with great interest. The citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity, without distinction of denomination, are invited to attend; assured that they will be instructed and entertained by these eloquent speakers. Admission *free*, and no collection.

At the twenty-fifth annual meeting of the New Hampshire Homœopathic Medical Society, held at Concord last week, Dr. S. J. Donaldson of this city was admitted to membership. Remarks were made in favor of retaining the medical law, and Dr. Donaldson was chosen one of a committee to represent the Society before the Legislature relative to the same.

Mr. L. Blumauer makes in our advertising columns an announcement to the ladies, of special interest this hot weather. He claims to have on hand a stock of ladies' linen suits which "for style, quality and cheapness" surpass anything now in the city, or that ever has been in it,—and asks the ladies to put his assertions to the test of a critical examination. It must not be inferred that he proposes to sell *only* ladies' linen suits, as he has (as usual) a large and varied stock of all the articles to be found in a first-class dry-goods store.

On Monday the bowsprit for the new ship on the stocks at Kittery was taken from the sparyard of Mr. William R. Martin, where it was built, to be transported to Kittery. The bowsprit is of hard pine and weighs about nine tons, the truck on which it was mounted (one of the navy yard timber trucks) weighing about a ton; and on arriving near the draw the oxen were unhitched and the load left standing, the bridge owners refusing to take the responsibility of permitting it to cross, possibly fearing the wheels would cut through the planking, or that the heavy weight might carry one of the draws down altogether,—at any rate, they would not assume the risk of allowing the heavy laden truck to be drawn across. During the afternoon the railing of the bridge was cut away, and the heavy bowsprit tumbled overboard, making a prodigious splash as it struck, to the infinite delight of the usual crowd of overseeing small boys.

The canker worms are committing extensive ravages in this vicinity. Large trees which on Saturday seemed flourishing all the same as a bay tree, on Monday looked almost as though fire had swept through the branches. These pests have not done so much harm before for years.

The annual meeting of the Rockingham Congregational Conference will be held at North Hampton, beginning to-day.

Mr. Amos T. Leavitt, of Hampton, died very suddenly on Monday forenoon. He had attended to various minor duties about the place during the morning, and a female relative had but a moment before his death been talking with him, when he appeared as well as usual; he stepped into a bed room, and the lady, hearing sounds for which she could not account, looked in and found he had fallen or laid down upon the bed, where he died almost instantly. Mr. Leavitt has for many years—between thirty and forty, we believe—kept one of the most popular and liberally patronized boarding houses in Hampton, and is widely known and highly respected.

News and Notes.

A fifteen-year-old son of Samuel Ninny of Greenburgh, Pa., to get "even with the old man," whose discipline was strict, poisoned his father, his sister, Mrs. Patterson and her child, and a visitor, Mrs. Harris, with arsenic in coffee. The lives of all except Mrs. Harris are despaired of, The boy was arrested.

Ex-President Grant dined with the Duke of Wellington at Apsley House on Saturday night, a large number of the British nobility being present. The Prince of Wales received Gen. Grant at Marlborough House, privately, Saturday afternoon.

The Queen of Holland died on Sunday, aged 63 years.

A train on the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad was thrown from the track in Missouri, Sunday night, and three men were killed. The rails had been torn up, evidently by train-wreckers.

New Hampshire Items.

For the past four or five months there has been a gang of pickpockets at work in Nashua, and ladies visiting the Post Office have lost their wallets and contents. Saturday evening the mystery was solved, and a gentleman caught a little girl not more than six years old with her hands in his wife's dress pocket, and also saw another taking from a lady a pocket-book. The gentleman caught one, and the officers who have been on the watch caught the other, and Saturday evening these little girls were at the police station with their confederates, not one of whom was over eleven years of age.

Bunyon Robinson, a deaf and dumb resident of the town of Hudson, was instantly killed while walking on the track of the Nashua and Rochester Railroad near Lawrence Corners in that town. His age was sixty-eight years. He was struck by a freight train.

Louis Fineburg, a Pole, was drowned at Great Falls on Sunday, while bathing in the river.

Peter Fountain was drowned in the river at Hanover on Sunday, and efforts to recover the body by dragging having failed, an old twelve-pounder cannon was brought out, placed on the bridge, loaded with six pounds of powder and a lot of wet grass, and fired. The cannon burst into a thousand fragments. One piece weighing sixty-three pounds was driven up over the bridge across the Connecticut into Norwich, Vt., where it passed down through the roof of a house owned by E. R. Jenne, through a feather bed in the chamber, through the chamber floor to the pantry, through the pantry floor to the cellar. The property was damaged heavily. The family were in the next room and escaped uninjured. Another fragment passed through the bridge, striking the face of Asa S. Brown of Hanover and wounding him severely. Pieces flew over the heads of students and citizens, two hundred being in the vicinity. Fortunately no lives were lost. The cannon was used in the Revolutionary war and killed one man twenty-five years ago in a Fourth of July celebration. It has not been fired for fifteen years and being stored in a damp cellar became rusty.

—An attempt to introduce hippophagy in the East has failed. The Arabs say they can't endure horse for dinner, though they don't mind a little camel for their desert.

—The First Lord of the English Admiralty, who is a man of weight, was buying a horse the other day. As soon as he mounted it fell down, but he kept his seat and the horse rose again under him. Upon which Mr. Hunt, much pleased, exclaimed, "I'll buy this horse!" "But he has just fallen with you, sir!" said the dealer. "True, but he is the only horse that ever got up again with me."

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THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SMART, Keeper, at No. 2 Mt. Vernon St.

Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. G. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees rec, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them, may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

—What lovers swear—To be true until death. What husbands swear—Unfit for publication.

—The fashionable style for strawberry short-cakes this season is to have them cut bias and rather fuller in the crust than usual. Those in two shades of saleratus, trimmed with the material, are much in vogue.

—A company of antiquarians has been formed in Switzerland for the purpose of unearthing the village of Plurs, in Graubunden, which was covered by a fall of rocks in 1618, entailing a loss of nearly 1000 lives. A rich booty is anticipated from the shops, factories and churches.

—Count Moltke says, in his recently published letters, that in England all classes are outwardly alike in appearance, but that is not the case in Russia, which is a land of striking contrasts, where a brilliant capital stands in a waste, palaces are elbowed by huts, a railroad runs 400 miles without approaching a town, and coarseness co-exists with excess of refinement. He divides the Russians into half a million of cultured, and 60,000,000 totally uncultured.

—Lucky Baldwin, the Californian, speeds one of the plows on his farm with a $20,000 team, doing it to exercise the horses. A recent visitor to his immense ranch near Los Angeles, came across a ten-acre field of wild flowers, which, from their variety and brilliancy, astonished the stranger. "Yes," said his host, "that's my polishing crop," and when his guest turned to him with an inquiring gaze, he resumed: "You see I need a great deal of beeswax to polish the furniture, and that's the bees' pasture."

—Edmund Yates' London paper thus hits off the inconsistencies of English philanthropy: "This is a grateful country. A year ago nobody knew or cared who the Bulgarians were. Lady Strangford has since then distributed £28,000 of English money among that interesting, if drunken and cowardly race. Every English man or woman who can read has devoured Robinson Crusoe. Not quite £100 has been collected for the descendants of Daniel Defoe."

—A funny joke was perpetrated on a music-loving but anti-dancing Methodist minister of Alexandria, Minn., lately. He was at the village hotel displaying his skill on the festive violin to a number of amateur musicians, when a gay party of young folks in an adjoining parlor, thinking it too bad to have so much good music wasted, formed a cotillion and enjoyed themselves very much, while the good Methodist brother played away with all his might, never for a moment suspecting that he played while they danced.

—When the first branch bank was opened at Bloemfontein in the Orange Free State, South Africa, a Boer, who, after the manner of his kind, had hoarded up all his savings at home, with a view to buying land, presented himself to the manager and said: "I hear you take care of people's money. How much do you want for taking care of mice?" "We don't want anything," was the answer; "and moreover, if you leave it with us for a fixed time, we'll give you interest on it." "What!" said the Boer, "you offer to pay me for taking care of my money? You must be a great set of scoundrels!" And he walked off, buttoning up his breeches pocket.

—A most extraordinary scoundrel, eight years old, has been detected in Baltimore, Md. His crowning achievement was to poison two hogs belonging to a neighbor. But it appears that during a long and ill-spent life he has been killing cattle, burning buildings, and destroying property generally. Only last year this venerable wretch was convicted of girdling fruit trees, and escaped State Prison by forfeiting his bonds. He has cost the State of Vermont, his family, and the community generally, more than any other man in it; and the number of his offenses and trials during the last twenty years is large enough to be remarkable. However, he is eighty years old, and will soon suffer an arrest which will be final, and go through a trial from which there will be no appeal.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	106¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	114¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	111½
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1875	111½
Massachusetts State 5s. Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	5½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	104
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	117½
Boston & Albany	116
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	3½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	103½
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	42½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	20½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 20 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 80c.
Cod, Ambr. per ton $6.50, Saithe', per chal $5.50.
Eggs per dozen, 14c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 22
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.60.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 47 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 11 @12c; Gr. 13; Crushed 13½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
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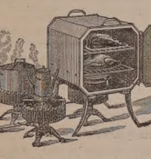

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing adressed to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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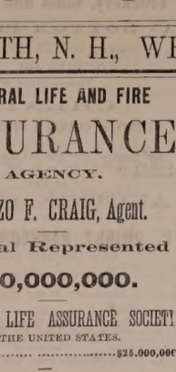

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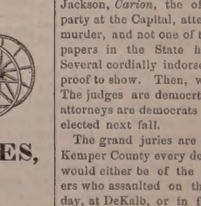

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Papacy.

Rev. F. E. Boyle, pastor of St. Peter's Church (Catholic) in Washington, D. C. lectured Saturday night upon "The Golden Jubilee." After reviewing the long life, as a ruler of the Catholic Church, of Pope Pius IX., and remarkable events of his episcopate, the lecturer proceeded to a defence of the syllabus of infallibility, against the assertion that the relations between the Catholic church and civil society are completely altered, and whatever it might have been in the past, with regard to citizenship and patriotism, is now entirely destroyed, and a new order of papalism reigns throughout the country. The lecturer closed with a fierce review of the book of Hon. R. W. Thompson, Secretary of the Navy, entitled "Papacy and the Civil Power," published recently. He charges that the author convicts himself of ignorance and dishonesty by misquoting the Pope, Innocent, XI., and then giving the original Latin text as a foe note, proving the misquotation. Referring to Mr. Thompson's query, "What Roman Catholic Archbishop or priest in the United States would repeat to-day Archbishop Kendrick's words that 'The Primacy is essentially a spiritual office which has not of divine right and temporal appendage and that the patrimony of St. Peter has no necessary connection with the Primacy.'" Fathey Boyle said: "Now right here in this presence, with the full understanding of my responsibility to my ecclesiastical superiors, and in sure confidence that my action will be sustained by every Archbishop, Bishop or priest not only in the United States, but throughout the world, I do repeat the words above quoted from the writings of the venerable and learned Archbishop Kendrick. I declare distinctly that while the sovereignty of the Pope, the patrimony of St. Peter, is useful and necessary for the free, full and proper discharge of the Pontifical office for the performance of his duties as the supreme visible head of the Catholic church, it is in no sense of divine right and has no divinely necessary connection with the Primacy.

Why He Don't "Stir This Thing Up."

"An intimate personal acquaintance of Governor Stone" of Mississippi, writing to the Washington *Star*, gives the following as Governor Stone's reasons for not wanting to "stir up" the Kemper County massacre of men and children by an armed mob:

"Few public men care to make martyrs of themselves, however good the cause. Governor Stone is not an exception. An election for Governor occurs next November. He is a candidate for nomination by his party. In this instance he became Governor by the forced resignation of Governor Ames, being President *pro tem* of the Senate at that time; now he wants to be elected by the people. He knows that a vigorous effort to prosecute the Kemper County murderers would insure his certain defeat; and why? Simply because nine-tenths of his party in the State sympathize with those men. The Meridian *Mercury*, the most popular paper in East Mississippi, in its issue of May 4th, says that ninety-nine of every one hundred of the respectable citizens of Kemper County indorse what was done, and assume their proportionate share of the responsibility for the brutal deed. The *Mercury* spoke the truth, and it might have said as much for all the State. The Jackson, *Carion*, the official organ of the party at the Capital, attempts to excuse the murder, and not one of the fifty democratic papers in the State has condemned it. Several cordially indorse it, as I have the proof to show. Then, what is to be done? The judges are democrats, the prosecuting attorneys are democrats and have to be reelected next fall.

The grand juries are democratic, and in Kemper County every democrat on the jury would either be of the 300 armed murderers who assaulted on that bloody Sabbath day, at DeKalb, or in full sympathy with them, and I would not give a penny for the life of the man or woman who dare to testify against them; no petit jury of democrats in Mississippi—and they have none other now—could be empaneled to convict if indictments were found. Nothing could be more absurd than to hope for justice in that direction. Governor Stone knows this and he does not propose to urge a farce of a trial and sacrifice his hope of nomination. The 'White Liners' made him, and they can unmake him as quickly. They run the State, its courts, Governors, and all, and now have the fear of nothing before them. They are reveling in the luxury of home rule. Governor Stone is not really to blame, because he can not help himself. He is as powerless as a child, in fact. Place the blame where it belongs; with the people who elect Governors and commit murders with the same bloody hands. Gov. Stone must know that as Governor he is but the product of crimes. The campaign of 1875 required over three hundred republican lives to insure success. A party that murders and assassinates itself into power will hold by the same means, and the man who expects its favor must, at least, consent to its crimes."

—A small pine tree, on its voyage around the world, arrived in New York the other day, having travelled from San Francisco in front of the different locomotives on the various roads. It was placed on the prow of a Liverpool steamer and sent on its way.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 6, 1877.

The War.

The massacre of 4000 Circassian irregulars by the Russians, reported by the Turks, was a trifling affair according to official Russian despatches. The Circassians were surprised at night, and fled after losing 83 men.

The State Department has received a cable dispatch stating that Roumania has made a treaty by which she places herself under the entire control of Russia.

News and Notes.

The Peruvian turret ship Huascar, which was recently stolen by revolutionists, got herself into trouble by interfering with British subjects. Two British men-of-war went after her and found her, battered her badly and made her run away, and she was soon after surrendered to the Peruvian squadron.

A tornado struck the city of Mount Carmel, Ill., on Monday, and blew down two churches, two schoolhouses, the Court House and several stores and residences; the ruins took fire, and a large part of the city was destroyed. Eight dead bodies were taken out in a short time, and many of the large number of people wounded will die. Forty or fifty persons are missing. Mattoon, Ill., was visited by a tornado the same afternoon, and many buildings were overthrown, but no lives are reported lost.

Charles Motley, a brother of the late John Lothrop Motley, resides in Berwick, Maine, at the age of 91 years.

Fred A. Plaisted, of New York, and Wallace Ross, of Portland, N. B., pulled a four-mile straightaway race on the Kennebecassis river, near St. John, N. B., on Tuesday, for a prize of $1000.

The Italians and the Norwegians, who are our only serious competitors in wooden shipbuilding now, and the great swarm of whose shipping in our ports is the phenomenon of the times, buy an American built ship, and then beat the American shipmasters with it in bidding for cargoes in any part of the world. It is a very striking fact. Italians and Norwegians also buy their pitch pine, masts, and a great deal of the other wood they use in the United States, freight it 3500 miles across the sea, and build a ship composed in large part of these materials. They then sail into New York harbor with the red flags of Italy or Norway at the masthead, and take the bread and butter right out of the mouths of American shipmasters here, and of British shipmasters too. Now why is that? Ask the Italian or Norwegian Consuls here, and you will learn, perhaps for the first time, how little cost of ships has to do with the present depression of the American carrying trade. The real cause is, the people of other nations can build a ship cheaper when they get it afloat. How is free trade in ships going to help that?—*N. Y. Tribune.*

The United States Government has established telegraphic communication between Monhegan Island light station and Brennan's Island, on the coast of Maine, at which point there is a fog-horn. The wire is run in two sections 700 and 500 feet respectively, upon three immense standards thoroughly braced and fastened upon the ledges. The standards are 135 feet high, one on Monhegan Island, a second on Smutty Nose Island, and a third on Brennan's Island, and at a height sufficient to admit any vessel passing under it safely.

The number of vessels belonging to, or bound to or from ports in the United States, reported totally lost and missing during the past month, is 46, of which 20 were wrecked, 4 abandoned, 2 sunk by collision, 5 foundered, and 15 missing. The list comprises 2 steamers, 4 ships, 12 barques, 7 brigs, and 21 schooners, and their total value, exclusive of cargoes, is estimated at $1,770,000.

They have discovered in Utica, N. Y., that it is not necessary to kill a horse which breaks its leg. A valuable mare, kicked by another horse, had its leg, which was broken between the fetlock and gambrel joints, mended in seven weeks. She was slung up and the leg was first set with splints and a leather boot, and afterwards a plaster of Paris bandage was used.

New Hampshire Items.

The Great and General Court of New Hampshire meets in Concord to-day.

There is unfortunately a possibility that O'Brien, the Manchester rough who was shot Saturday night, will recover, although he is in great agony from the wound in his breast. Officer Frain, the victim of the bullies' cowardly and brutal assault, is confined to his bed; his bruises are severe, and those about his face will probably badly disfigure him for life.

The contract to build the new mill structure of the Cocheco Manufacturing Company was given on Saturday last to Messrs. Cressey & Noyes of Lawrence, Mass. They are to do all the brick, stone and wood work after the grounds are fitted and made ready for commencing at the foundations. The wall trenches are to be sunk to the surface of the ledge which forms the substratum of the lot, by the Cocheco Company, and on that ledge bottom the contractors will commence their brick work. They are to furnish all material and have the building completed by next December, ready for the machinery. It will be an enormous building. We understand that the dimensions will be 76 by 400 feet and five stories high. A large gang of men are at work making the excavations, a large portions of which are in solid rock. Business will be lively here throughout the entire summer, and we don't see how any steadily and industriously inclined person can lack for employment. The price to be paid the contractors for the erection of the mill we have not been able to ascertain.—*Dover Democrat, 4th.*

Political.

The jury in the Ellenton (S. C.) conspiracy case, disagreed, the six white democrats all deciding for an acquittal, and the six colored republicans wishing to convict the accused. This case grew out of the brutal massacres of colored republicans in the Ellenton district by white democrats in the Hampton campaign; the evidence was conclusive of the guilt of the accused, but party feeling is stronger than regard for an oath, in the South Carolina democracy. Conciliation is necessary, and to punish a white democrat for the cowardly murder of a few unarmed negroes, "for the good of the party," would be another frightful example of federal tyranny over the oppressed South.

Information has reached Washington that one of the most prominent democratic journalists in Georgia has established a paper at Atlanta for the express purpose of supporting the Southern policy of President Hayes, and to oppose the overthrow of the present liberal constitution of Georgia.

The New York *Post* wonders if Wade Hampton will enforce the law upon the white murderers of colored men at Ellenton, S. C. It says: "The Ellenton jury seems to have been divided by the color line; and in the circumstances that is not surprising. There is one matter, however, in which it would be scandalous to draw the color line, and that is the pursuit and punishment of the murderers. Chief Justice Waite and the Federal courts have failed to execute the questionable enforcement law. Now let us see whether Governor Hampton and the State courts can execute the law against murder. There is no occasion of surprise at the failure of the enforcement law, and we are not sure that there is occasion of much regret. Certainly there will be very little if the local laws to secure even and exact justice are enforced. Will they be?" No, they won't be: Governor Stone of Mississippi has decided that "it won't do to stir this thing up" when republicans are butchered in that State, and Wade Hampton won't punish men who committed murder in his interest.

PORTLAND, SACO & PORTSMOUTH RAILROAD.

The following is the thirty-seventh annual report of the Directors of the Portsmouth, Saco & Portland Railroad, presented to the stockholders's annual meeting on Monday:

"The year commenced under circumstances of greater depression for the value of your road and of darker prospects for its future than it had before experienced, these circumstances arising from the misfortunes of the Eastern Railroad Company, to which your road is bound by permanent contract, as familiarly known. The notes of this corporation issued under the contract for the accommodation of the Eastern Railroad Company to the amount of $250,000, were due, or speedily becoming due, and the holders were pressed for payment. This payment the Eastern Railroad Company, the party primarily liable, could not provide for, and your corporation had no funds to meet the same.

The Boston & Maine Railroad had a claim against us under an old contract for half a million dollars, which it was vigorously urging. The entire year has been spent in the attempt to disentangle your corporation from these embarrassments, and your Directors feel that they have a right to congratulate you on the result which has been reached.

The first attempt made in accordance with your vote of last summer to provide for outstanding notes by the issue of mortgage bonds, was a failure. The subscription was offered to our stockholders at a time when new securities, especially railroad securities, were looked with suspicion. It was taken only to a very limited extent, and had to be abandoned. Various other projects were suggested by your Directors, and presented for consideration of your creditors and of the Eastern Railroad. Finally, the plan was devised which received your approval at your recent special meeting. This plan has been accepted by the Eastern Railroad Company, and by our creditors, and has already been so far carried out that its success seems assured. It consists, in brief, of the issue by the Eastern Railroad Company and the party primarily liable, of its certificates of indebtedness to the amount of the outstanding notes. These certificates have been marketed at fifty per cent. of their face, and thus one-half the debt is cleared off. For the balance, our creditors will accept payment in eight instalments at intervals of six months, and these payments the Eastern agrees to meet.

It will be seen that the Eastern Railroad has met us with a liberal sense of its duty to provide for the emergency into which its misfortunes had brought us, and in full recognition of the mutual importance of our two roads to each other. It has also conceded to us three points upon which your Directors insisted, and which we believe place our contracts with them upon a better footing than ever before, viz:

First, When our present note indebtedness shall have been settled in the mode indicated above, we shall not again be called upon for the use of our credit.

Second, If our contract with the Eastern Railroad shall ever be terminated it will present no claim for betterments made before the date of our new supplementary contract.

Third, We shall have a right of re-entering upon our property for other breaches of contract than the non-payment of dividends, which has heretofore been the only defect for which that remedy was expressly provided.

In consideration of all which, we have agreed, in accordance with your recent vote, that the semi-annual payment to our stockholders shall continue hereafter to be three dollars a share instead of five dollars as originally fixed. The supplemental contract embodying all these provisions, and the mortgage securing the successive instalments upon our notes, have been executed in the form adopted at your recent meeting.

It should be added that the settlement of the suit of the Boston & Maine, already mentioned, and of a counter-suit of ours against them, is concluded in a contract between the Eastern and Boston & Maine roads, already consummated.

Thus by the first of the ensuing month we shall have a property free from debt excepting $125,000 of mortgage notes, and at the expiration of four years, unless some unforeseen calamity shall befall us or the Eastern road, we shall have a six per cent. paying property free from debt or incumbrance.

Our road is in good and substantial order and repair, and the Eastern Railroad is contemplating important improvements in rails, road beds and terminal facilities at Portland. Our chattel property in charge of the Eastern Railroad is also believed to be in good order and serviceable condition.

—An ingenious gentleman has invented and is exhibiting in Chicago a poison-sucker, by which the virus from wounds made by mad dogs or other creatures may be extracted.

—Sweet and fragrant are the amenities of Chicago journalism. The *Times* describes Mr. Joseph Medill as "one of the most canting of Pecksniffs and dirtiest of moral polecats."

—The Direct Cable Company performed a remarkable telegraphic feat on Wednesday in sending the result of the Derby race from London to New York. The time of transmission from the Company's London office to its office in New York was not over five seconds, while it took just forty-five seconds for the dispatch to reach the Associated Press office from the time of filing in London.

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Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 5 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago Individual him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not send them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get temporarily relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for eight or ten weeks at a time, and have been walking and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

MR. THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.

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Portsmouth, N. H., June 2, 1877.

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LIFTING A WRECK.

The arduous attempt to raise the schooner Ceres, which sank alongside of Portsmouth bridge last Fall, has been abandoned for the present, after being very nearly crowned with success, as on Sunday night and Monday the vessel was raised to the top of the bank of sand and gravel in which her bow had been embedded, and which was deposited around her during the Winter by the swift currents. When the schooner sank she had on board a cargo of coal, and she went down in sixty feet of water at high tide, her bow being considerably lower than her stern, which rested on some large rocks. The wreck and cargo were purchased by Boston parties, and a wrecking gang soon after came around here, but owing to the lateness of the season operations for raising the vessel were postponed until Spring.

Some weeks ago the wrecking schooner Republic arrived,—sent around by the Boston Wrecking Company, of which Mr. Gibson is the principal, Mr. William Fredson (formerly of this city) foreman, and Mr. Larry Moran submarine diver,—and operations were at once commenced. The work of slinging the wreck by getting chains under her bottom was one of unusual difficulty and danger. The vessel was lying up against the piles of the bridge, and an immense embankment had formed around her bow; the current is so swift that the diver could work but for a short time each tide, at slack water only, and after the rains of some weeks ago he could only work at high water slack, when the influx from the ocean made the water clear, as the fresh water coming down from the rivers on the ebb was so muddy as to make the darkness absolute at low tide; and the bridge, and the wrecking schooner and the huge scow called an anchor-hoy (which were directly over the wreck) made the place at its best the darkest the diver ever worked in. An additional annoyance, and an actual peril, as well, was the vast mass of old logs lying in all directions on the bottom and tiered up many logs deep among the piles of the bridge, just as they have touched bottom when cut from the bridge through all the years it has been standing; it was quite possible that by stepping upon the end of one of these logs in the darkness a whole heap might be displaced, and the venturesome diver pinned helplessly down under sixty feet of water, with no possible chance of escape. It is not pleasant to contemplate what the feelings of a man would be in such a situation, through the many hours he would live if he were not crushed to death or the air tube of the apparatus obstructed.

The first thing to be done toward raising the vessel was to "break her out" of her bed of gravel, and the diver having succeeded in getting a chain cable under her bottom, well aft, and another around her windlass and the heel of her bowsprit, the first "lift" was given to her on Sunday, May 27th. The after chain was taken to the wrecking schooner and the forward one to the anchor-hoy; both were hove as taut as possible, at low water, and as the tide rose the tremendous lifting power started the wreck out of her bed, but not enough to clear the bank so that she could be hauled shoreward, and as the tide fell she dropped back again very nearly into her old place. Powerful hydraulic jacks were procured, to increase the lift of the tide by heaving up the timbers to which the slings were fastened; another cable was got under the forward part of the wreck, and after several days' hard work she was slued out from her broadside-on position alongside the bridge, sufficiently to enable the wreckers to place the anchor-hoy directly over her, and then preparations were made to lift her out of her bed "for good," and haul her ahead upon the bank of gravel, preparatory to the first shortening-up of the chain slings. Three heavy timbers were placed upon each end of the hoy, with their ends projecting over her sides; over these timbers' ends the chains were taken, and hauled taut as possible with tackles at low water; and then, by the application of the powerful hydraulics, the wreck was raised ten feet—enough to clear her "bedding"—and swung around to point as they wished her to. Anchors had been laid out to the eastward, and properly backed; and as soon as the wreck was raised clear from the bottom the anchors were hove on, but the hoy wouldn't budge, the anchors "coming home." What to make of this the wreckers could not tell; but the diver went down once more and found that a large rope, one end of which was fast to the wreck, had its other end twisted and jammed among and around the piles of the bridge; the wreckers did not want to tow the bridge ashore, so the diver cut the rope, the men hove away on the anchors and the Ceres at last left her Winter's berth. On Monday forenoon the wreckers' labors had resulted in the schooner's being turned around, hauled about her length to the eastward, and landed on the gravel bank, with but twenty-two feet of water on top of her house; and it was expected that unless they had some serious drawback they would in three or four days have her in a position to commence discharging her coal. But in the afternoon that "serious drawback" arrived; all was ready for a grand lift, and the vessel had been raised six feet from the bottom, when the chains broke—the after one first, and a moment later the forward one—and down to the bottom once more went the Ceres, there to lay until August before any further attempt to raise her will be made, the wrecking gang having two other vessels to get up in the meantime.

The master wrecker, Mr. Gibson, is evidently like Mr. Grant, a very obstinate man, or he never would have persisted in attempting to raise the Ceres after he found out what difficulties the job presented; a vessel in a most un-get-at-able position, under sixty feet of water in a rapidly flowing river, and embedded for two-thirds her length in hard gravel, would to most men have seemed worth more to leave where she was than to raise; but he said she must come up, and she did come part way, and will have to come the rest of it if she don't break in pieces—and even then he may insist on pulling out the pieces.

The diver, Mr. Moran, says the place where the vessel laid is by all odds the worst one he has ever worked in, the depth of water, the intense darkness, the unpleasant abundance of old logs and the rushing tide rendering a man almost helpless. On the deck of the schooner it was all very well; but when it came to poking around in the dark under her bottom, feeling his way among the piles of slimy, slippery logs, and not knowing at what moment he might hit one that would bring the whole lot down on top of him, he is free to say he was not carried away with a desire to stop there any longer than was necessary.

DOWN WITH THE PIGEONS.

Messrs. Editors: I see by an item in a recent issue of your paper that you disapprove of the killing of the pigeons which have for so long infested the belfry and projections on the North Church, and made themselves an intolerable nuisance to persons entering the church, besides defiling the front of the church in such manner as to render it repulsive to took at. You also blame the police for assisting in this good work of exterminating the pests, for pests they are. Now, of what use are these birds? They are pretty to look at, I grant, but they are not particularly cleanly, and they do not destroy insects or worms; and there is no cruelty in shooting them, and I consider that whoever does that abates a nuisance and deserves praise rather than censure. Kindness to animals does not consist in allowing them to multiply until they become an annoyance, nor to exist after they have become so, but in treating them properly as long as there is no motive for destroying them, and in killing them as expeditiously as possible when it becomes necessary to kill them.

Yours respectfully, A MEMBER.

[We do not know how "A Member" found out that we "disapprove of the killing of the pigeons," nor when we wrote any item "blaming the police" for it. We merely mentioned the fact that the doves are less numerous than formerly, and gave as an explanation of it that they have been shot in the early morning hours by some persons with new-fangled guns of some kind, adding that our informant was "under the impression" that the police assisted in the work. We commended no one, and censured no one; in fact, we expressed no opinion at all in the matter. We are aware that the pigeons used to be a great nuisance through roosting over the church doors, and it may be all right to kill them all; and if they are to be killed we don't care who kills them, though we prefer they should be killed in the early morning, for we run no danger of being hit by any stray shot until some time after the "early morning" hours are past.—*Eds. Chronicle.*]

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, June 5th.

Case Julia Mahoney *vs.* Minnie Wilson, continued from Monday, was finished. Judgment against Minnie; fine $3; costs $10.52. Minnie entered an appeal, and furnished bonds in the sum of $50 to prosecute the same.

Minnie Walch complained of Julia Mahoney, for disorderly conduct. Case dismissed.

JOTTINGS.

Will the gentleman who posted a letter to the CHRONICLE in the mail-car (probably at Hampton) on Tuesday morning, oblige the editor by communicating his name?

Schooner Clara E. Simpson, Talpey, on her last passage from this port to Philadelphia, when in Vineyard Sound was struck by a white squall and thrown on her beam ends, but her head sails were split and blown away by the first stroke of the squall, which allowed the schooner to luff and right herself. She went over so far that a staysail which was lying on the main hatch floated away over the lee rail, and had she been a centre-board instead of a keel vessel she would doubtless have turned bottom up. At the time of the squall the schooner was sailing along with a favoring breeze, and there was no indication whatever to warn the crew of the coming puff which so nearly made a mess of things.

A petition signed by some twenty of our most influential citizens is to be presented to the Board of Aldermen on Thursday evening, asking that the wells on Daniel, Austin and Warren streets be cleaned out, and the water made fit to drink. It is hoped that our city fathers will at once see what few drinking fountains we have put in good order.

The Band of Hope will hold its annual June Festival at Franklin Hall, this (Wednesday) afternoon. Members of the Woman's Temperance League are cordially invited to be present. A picnic collation will be served in the Banquet Hall.

Assistant-Inspector-General David Urch of this city officially reports to the Adjutant-General that Portsmouth will send one hundred and ninety men and forty-seven horses to Concord on Thursday, to participate in the parade of the State militia at the inauguration of Governor-elect Prescott. The special train leaves this city at six o'clock on that morning. An opportunity will be given our Concord neighbors to see the Portsmouth phalanx in a body, either before or after the procession. We understand that the Portsmouth Cavalry has been given the right of the line in the grand procession, and that twenty-eight companies will parade.—*Times.*

Don't kill the cherry-birds. What if they (as well as the robins) do eat a ripe cherry or two when they get a chance? they more than pay for their board by the service they do against the canker worms. The busiest set of mortals we have seen for a long time was a flock of cherry-birds in a magnificent apple tree within fifty feet of the back windows of our office, on Tuesday evening,—that is, the tree was a magnificent one on Sunday, but is a shabby looking affair now. The little, crested gluttons stuffed themselves with the canker worms until they could hardly fly, then sat on a limb and meditated awhile, and then ate some more. Each bird must have eaten scores of the worms; and if they were too late to save the tree from destruction it is some satisfaction to have revenge on the canker worms, which we despise from the very bottom of our heart.

The police officers give a flat-footed denial to the story that they shot the pigeons on the Parade. They make their denial quite comprehensive, asserting that they have not shot pigeons or other birds, with airguns or guns of any other kind, in the "early morning hours" or at any other hours. They say they are willing to be blamed for all they do, but not for all others do. Well, *we* didn't blame anybody.

We call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of Messrs. Alex. Frothingham & Co., which will be found in this issue. Those of our friends who wish to transact business of that kind can find no better parties to act for them than the above firm, who are thoroughly acquainted with the business and are well known in New York Banking circles.—*Thompson's Bank Note Reporter, New York.*

NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

RYE, June 5th.

The third attempt of the Congregational society to get a pastor to succeed Mr. Aldrich has failed, and for the past two Sundays the meeting house has been closed, but the wardens expect another candidate next Sabbath.

An immense number of potato bugs have been picked during the past week, but their number does not seem to diminish. One farmer says his spring chickens, which are now pretty well grown, will eat them just as they will corn if they are thrown to them, and that they follow him round while he is hoeing and pick the bugs from the vines. Another says his hens will run and look at them, if thrown before them; from which it seems that chickens will eat potato bugs, while hens will not.

Oren S. Green, our town clerk, has the handsomest young pear orchard in Rye. It was set out three years since and comprises fifty trees of different varieties, and they are looking exceedingly thrifty at the present time.

Hon. Thomas J. Parsons has this Spring set out on his land, bordering on the highway, near his residence at the Centre, about 150 rock maples. They were taken from a nursery near Chesley's Four Corners, from which over 1000 trees have been taken up and transplanted this year.

Three cases of unpleasantness resulting in personal encounters have taken place not many miles from Rye Harbor during the past three weeks, between parties who are old enough to vote. No cards, no pistols, coffee,—*at present.*

Adny P. Locke, who died the 26th ult., was buried the following Tuesday from the Congregational church. Many were present to pay their tribute to the memory of their young associate, and to express their sympathy for the bereaved father, Mr. Jos. Locke, who now in his advanced years is left childless, two daughters having previously passed away, as also did his first wife, their mother, some years since. To the medical fraternity, his case was one of considerable interest, and Dr. J. W. Parsons, of Portsmouth, in whose charge he has been for some over a year past, made a report of it to the New Hampshire Medical Society in June last, at their annual meeting in Concord, which was published in their transactions.

The advanced guard of the summer sojourners have arrived at Foss' Beach.

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HAMPTON, June 5th.

Mr. Amos T. Leavitt, who died very suddenly on Monday, probably from heart disease, was widely known and highly respected as an honest, upright, Christian man. Not only his townsmen, but the many guests who have for a long series of years summered at his large private boarding house at North Beach, will regret his loss. Mr. Leavitt was seventy years old; his wife and six children survive him.

A case of spontaneous combustion occurred in Hampton a few days since. Mr. Freeman Brown, having completed a fishing seine and oiled it preparatory to use, placed it on a wheelbarrow in the barn. Mrs. Brown having occasion to go to the barn some time after, discovered smoke, and on opening the door found the seine a mass of fire. Most women under similar circumstances would have shrieked and ran away, leaving the barn door open so as to create a nice draft and burn up the whole concern; but Mrs. Brown, with great presence of mind, cool courage and her own two hands, promptly trundled the wheelbarrow and its dangerous load out of doors, thereby undoubtedly preventing a conflagration, which must have been a disastrous one in that neighborhood, if it had once got fairly under way.

RUSTICUS.

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Daily Chronicle.

—It is not the loudest expressions that show the strongest feeling. Still waters run deep, and a watch ticking can be heard farther than a bed ticking.

—There was a strange christening scene in All Saints' Church, West Bromwich, Eng., on May 13. The church, the churchyard and the streets were crowded, for the gossips had known for a week that one of the vicar's parishioners, who accused him of being the father of her illegitimate child, intended to present herself before the font. "What name do you give this child?" asked the vicar, whose name was Frederick Willett. George White, the young woman's father, answered sharply, "Frederick Willett White." Mr. Willett instantly refused to give the child that name, stating that they were assuming his own name. The child's mother shook her head and the child's grandfather said "No." Taking the child in his arms and pouring water on its head, the vicar named it "George White." The grandfather remonstrated against the arbitrary use of his own name, and the High Sheriff, who happened to be the vicar's father-in-law, went forward and led the irascible gentleman out of the church.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110
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N. H. State 6s, 1875	111
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. scrip	54
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 10	64
Boston & Lowell R. R.	82
Boston & Maine	94
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	114
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	3
Eastern Railroad 5s N. H.	31
Fitchburg	103
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	43
Northern N. H.	65
Old Colony & Newport	31
Portsm. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

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Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall carry them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind in, about or on his or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city, but shall in every case be prohibited to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds; or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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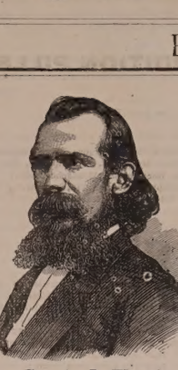
Health Officers.



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Portsmouth Chronicle.

—At a colored ball in Memphis, Henry Joy killed a jealous rival. There was a motion to arrest him, but the general sentiment was, "On with the dance; let Joy be unconfined."

—"Which of the four is *the* 'Harper,' and which are the 'Brothers?'" some person once asked of James Harper. "Oh, any one of us is Harper, and all the rest are the Brothers," was the reply. In this sober jest is couched an essential ingredient of the success of the great publishing house.

—An American traveller reproved an Irish cab-driver for belaboring his horse so constantly with the lash. Pat was very good-natured about the matter. "Why," said the gentleman, "we do not employ whips at all nowadays in America." "So I've heard," rejoined the driver, quietly; "ye use revolvers."

—Base-ball has not only its own literature, but its own remarkable names of eminent players. Here in one newspaper we read the exploits of Luff, and Tipper, and Burdock, and Woodhead, and Recap, and Blong, and Start, and Blogg, and Snigg. Clearly, Dickens died too soon; should have lived to see the names we can produce in the national game.

—At the outbreak of the civil war the Mount Vernon Association left a lady of culture in charge of Washington's house and grave. Batteries were planted on the bank above and below; the pickets of each army were stationed on the wooded slopes near by; but not a tree, not a shrub on this consecrated ground was hurt. There was fighting to the south and to the west, but they "left him alone in his glory."

—A little five-year-old lady was recently very curious to learn more about the past life and residence of a little baby brother that had made his appearance not long ago, and in reply to her inquiries the nurse said: "The angels brought him down from heaven in the night. "The idea was a big one, but the young questioner grappled with it, and after pondering a moment she asked: "How did the angels get back—in an elevator?"—*Rochester Democrat.*

—We want to say gently, but firmly, that we have rather weak lungs; that we know it would improve them if we laid out a bit of garden, sir, and dug in it a little every day, sir, and fussed about it, sir, and all that, and that we weren't going to lay out any such a garden, that we won't dig a peck of potatoes, that we won't have a back as well as lungs, and don't intend to inflict one with a chronic ache in order to build up the other. No garden in ours. We are not averse, however, to following good advice so far as we can. We will compromise, therefore, by sitting on the porch and watching our industrious neighbor, who has no back, dig.—*Hawkeye.*

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THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world.—*Pueblo Col. People.*

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Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1877.

New Hampshire Legislature.

Most of the members of the Legislature arrived in Concord on Tuesday, and the party caucuses were held in the evening, to nominate officers of the House and Senate. The republican nominations were as follows:

House—Speaker, A. A. Woolson of Lisbon; Clerk, C. C. Danforth of Concord; Assistant Clerk, A. W. Baker of Lebanon; Sergeant-at-Arms, Charles E. Cummings; Doorkeepers, William H. Gardiner of Portsmouth, and William W. Hill of Concord.

Senate—President, Natt Head of Hooksett; Clerk, Tyler Westgate, Haverhill; Assistant Clerk, Calvin Sanders, Dover; Doorkeeper, John W. Babbitt, Keene.

The democrats nomidated Heratio Colony of Keene for Speaker of the House, John B. Mills of Manchester for Clerk, and Francis M. Hatch of Portsmouth for Assistant Clerk.

On Wednesday the nominees of the republican caucuses were elected, in Senate and House.

News and Notes.

Bath is said to be the busiest town in Maine just now. The ship-yards are more active than at any time since the war; twenty-three vessels are on the stocks, and there is not a man in the city willing to work who is unemployed. About $75,000 was added to her valuation last year and her population is increasing, while during the hard times it has been on the wane.

Admiral Reynolds, at Yokohama, on the 10th ult. was about sending the gunboat Alert to rescue sixteen men and one woman wrecked from some American vessel, reported to be on an island near Dampier Straits.

During the "Centennial Agricultural Show" at Bath, England, on the 6th inst., the bridge over the Avon river gave way when crowded with people, and sixty persons were drowned.

Mrs. Lydia Sherman, the Connecticut poisoner, who recently escaped from State Prison, was recaptured in Providence, R. I., on the 5th inst.

Those who had faith that the potato bugs could not cross water are likely to be disappointed. At New Bedford they have been seen crossing the Ocequeecan river in shoals, and the fish, though rising to flies, would not touch them.

The barn of Jesse Doliff, in Kennebunkport, Me., was struck by lightning Saturday, and Mr. Doliff, who was in it, knocked down and paralyzed.

The city government of Biddeford, Me. has passed the appropriation bill, which amounts in all to about $95 [illegible] Five hundred dollars was appropriated for Independence Day.

New Hampshire Items.

A valuable horse belonging to a Mr. Westgate of Hanover fell into an open well on the 4th inst., but was dug out without serious injury.

A curious lawsuit is soon to be tried at Rochester. When Harry Bloodgood's troupe were in the town the band frightened a Mr. Dame's team, and the wagon was smashed and Mr. Dame's ankle broken. He has, accordingly, sued the Bloodgood company for $500, and attached their horses and carriages.

A singular chain of circumstances led to the arrest of Charles Cote at Tilton, who proves to be the ring-leader in the recent burglaries in Manchester. One Louis Provancher was arrested for fornication. On him was found a gold watch burglarized from G. F. Bosher & Co.'s warerooms. Provancher, to clear himself, gave the name and address of Cote.

Political.

President Hayes' course does not appear to have smashed the republican party very badly down in Norwich, Conn. At the municipal election there on the 4th the republicans elected their candidates for Mayor and other city officers by an average majority of 550, which figures represent the republican gain over last year, when a democratic mayor was elected.

We do not intend that the negro race shall be deprived of the right of suffrage in the South so long as the race by its presence here with that right entitles us to many members of Congress more than we would otherwise have. We care little how the negro votes or whether he votes at all, for we have demonstrated our power to carry the State in spite of him, but we most strenuously insist that from henceforth the negro must have the right to vote. Our Northern brethren have put the stick into our hands, and we take infinite pleasure in breaking their heads with it.—*Memphis Appeal.*

Gov. Stone says that everybody in Mississippi condemns the DeKalb murderers. But nobody manifests any eagerness to hang the murderers.

Woman's Heroism.

The bravest girl in Australia is Grace Vernon Bussell. The steamer Georgette was wrecked off the west coast, near Perth; a small boat had been capsized in the surf and women and children were struggling in the water. On the crest of a precipitous cliff appeared the figure of a young lady on horseback. To the sailors on the stranded vessel it seemed utterly impossible that a horse and its rider should be able to descend that precipice. But the young lady never faltered. She plunged down at full speed, and reaching the shore, spurred her horse into the boiling surf. There were two lines of roaring breakers. With splendid pluck she dashed through them and reached the boat, to which the affrighted women and children were clinging. Her horse stumbled over a hawser which stretched between the wreck and the small boat; but she clung to the saddle and brought the women and children to land. There was still a man left on board the boat. She plunged into the breakers again and brought him safe to the shore. While those whom she had saved were rescuing those who remained on the wreck, the heroic girl, drenched with the sea foam and half fainting with fatigue, galloped a dozen miles home to have relief sent to the half-drowned, half-naked folks whom she had left on the beach. Her sister, Mrs. Brockman, took horse, galloped that night through the woods to the shore, taking tea, milk, sugar, and flour for the destitute people; and the next day the rescued were brought to Mr. Brockman's house and cared for. The anxiety and excitement proved fatal to Mrs. Brockman, who took a severe cold, and died eventually of brain fever. Grace Vernon Bussell still lives.

The Steamer George S. Wright.

An Indian named Coma, a survivor from the steamer George S. Wright, which was so mysteriously lost on the Pacific coast north of Oregon three or four years ago, has been recognized on the street at Nunaimo, British Columbia, arrested and taken to Victoria, Vancouver's Island, and he has confessed to the Superintendent of Police that one night the boilers of the steamship exploded, and she began to sink at once. Captain Ainsley, with four United States officers and a passenger, got into a boat, and told Coma, who was on deck, to get in too. The rest of the people were in bed, or tried to escape by other means. The captain's party of seven pulled ashore near Cape Caution. They were nearly naked, and the Indians gave them blankets to keep them warm. A day or two afterward three canoe-loads of Indians came to the spot, and Captain Ainsley offered the leader $500 to convey the shipwrecked men to Fort Rupert. Four of the Indians were armed with muskets, with which they soon killed all the whites. They then tied stones to their bodies and sank them in deep water. They robbed the bodies of all the valuables, including the captain's gold watch and chain. They spared Coma, but told him if he ever dared narrate the circumstances, they would kill his father. Coma thinks that all the people on board who were in bed at the time of the explosion were drowned, and that the ship went down rapidly. The prisoner was confronted at Victoria with the four Indians who were brought in as prisoners by the steamer Rocket some weeks ago and have since been in jail at Victoria, and identified two of them as belonging to the party of murderers. His story of the murders agrees with that recently told by another Indian being the scene of the tragedy.

"Freedom of the City."

"The Freedom of the City of London" which has just been given to General Grant is an honor which has been accepted with thanks by the third Napoleon, the Emperor Alexander, and the great French statesman Thiers, but has never before been conferred upon an American. London has been styled "a municipality within a metropolis." Within its limits its Lord Mayor takes precedence of all the Royal family, none of whom can even enter it, in an official character, without his formal permission. The citizens of the city proper have many rights and privileges of their own, under a special government based on the votes of its freemen, while all the remainder of the great metropolis is governed by Parliamentary authority. "The freedom of the city"—a parchment in a gold box—warrants to the holder the right of franchise as a citizen of London, and many other privileges, the exercise of which are now mostly obsolete. In the case of foreigners, the bestowal of the freedom of the city is simply a compliment, and a great one, to the recipient. The citizens have already formally voted this honor to General Grant, and he will of course accept and appear before the City Chamberlain, take the "oath of fidelity" necessary to its formal acceptance, and sign his name in a big book, with those of the officers of the City Chamber, who are ready to act as his "compurgators," and make themselves responsible for his good citizenship.

A Singular Superstition.

A queer bit of superstition is that concerning the death of all the owners of an emerald which used to flash on the shirt fronts of prominent negro minstrels. The stone was sold by Pony Moore, the London minstrel manager, first to Luke West, who was then in excellent health. Very soon West was taken sick, was at the point of death, and wishing to give Matt Peel something for his kindness in nursing him, presented him with the emerald. At once Luke began to regain his health, but Peel died after wearing the jewel a year. Hiram Rumsey bought it from the widow, wore it for a while, and dying, bequeathed it to George Christie, who after a few months of dreadful suffering with epilepsy died in New York city. The emerald was then sold to Sher Campbell, but he never wore it but loaned it to Unsworth, who sported it on the stage at Bryant's. Bryant, Unsworth and Seymour all wore the "gravestone," and in less than a year the trio, with Sher Campbell, were all dead. The night Nelse Seymour died his brother and Tony Pastor smashed the stone and scattered the tiny fragments.

Women in an Election.

A practical illustration of the workings of woman suffrage was given our citizens for the first time at the election for School Director, Monday, by which Mrs. M. L. Jordan was elected by a majority of sixty over her opponent. We stated last week that we presumed the ladies would avail themselves of the opportunity of voting which the occasion offered. They not only did so, to the fullest extent, but gave the gentlemen a lesson in politics which was hardly to have been expected from those who had had no previous experience in political wire-pulling. In fact, the ladies captured the polls, ran the election, and elected their candidate by a rousing majority. Up to the very hour of opening the polls it looked as if the ladies really, as opponents of woman suffrage have so frequently and confidently asserted, "cared nothing for the ballot, and would not exercise the privilege if accorded them." How vain are the plans of men—when women take it into their heads to thwart them! It was refreshing to see men who have persistently sneered at the idea of women doing otherwise than voting as the men dictated, themselves voting at the ladies directed! Why, these tyros in politics actually rallied business men from their stores, captured them on the streets, electioneered them wherever they could corner them, and thrusting into their hands ballots which bore the name of their candidate, sent them to the polls—not to vote as since time immemoral they have been accustomed to, for their own, but the ladies' choice.—*Lake City Silver World.*

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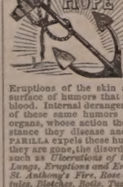

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Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir;*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving testimony; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do a day work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. *I know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the right side. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for eight or ten winters, and have been trying and using medical stimulants, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One said he could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Tex.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON.

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last two years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills. MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

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Portsmouth, N. H., June 2, 1877.

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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40	A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40	"	4.45 "
Portland	9.45	"	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	"	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45	"	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M., 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	3.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

HEARD FROM.

Capt. J. Albert Sanborn, of this city, who with his uncle, Mr. John Gulliver, started from here for the Black Hills on the 3d of May, arrived at Deadwood May 28th, a private letter (from which we are permitted to make some extracts) written by Capt. Sanborn on the 29th having been received in this city on Tuesday, the 5th inst. Their party went out by way of Yancton and Fort Pierre, leaving the steamboat at the latter place and tramping over the ground between that place and Deadwood for two weeks. He says: "right glad we were to have our journey over, as we were getting pretty footsore. The first week of our march we had it very muddy, and some days we made but five miles; the last week the roads were good, but there was a scarcity of drinking water; we made about twenty-five miles a day, the last week." Messrs. Sanborn and Gulliver left the road on the last day's march and took a trail over the mountains, arriving at Deadwood five hours ahead of the train; but they "had some awful climbing by the way. It was a strange sight,—for miles in some places the trees are all broken short off about thirty feet from the ground, the track of the whirlwinds being distinctly marked. In passing through the valleys in the hills, the mountains had a very peculiar look, as though they had been heaved up by an earthquake through the overlying gravel and rock strata. We are camped at Deadwood Gulch, in the 'suburbs!' A brook of nice water flows in front of our tent and we have wood all around us." Mr. Gulliver, who is an old stager in the mines, having had twelve years of it in Idaho and eight in California, Capt. Sanborn says "likes the looks of the country here and thinks we shall do well. We shall stay here, and no doubt we shall get hold of something; but I would give no advice to anybody to come. Thousands have come here with no idea of a mining country, and there are hundreds here now, 'dead broke' and not knowing what to do; they will have to 'get.' We met nearly a thousand going back when we were coming in. Claims can be bought, but everything about here is taken up." Their party took the wrong route—at least, Capt. Sanborn says they would have saved a good deal of time, ten days or a fortnight, by going via Cheyenne, and have had good roads all the distance they would have had to foot it. We expect to get some interesting letters from Capt. Sanborn, for publication.

A SILLY RIVALRY ENDED.

The agreement entered into by the managers of the Eastern and Boston & Maine railroads, with the object of terminating the long-continued, senseless and ruinous rivalry between the two roads, went into effect June 1st and is working well. Its basis is the pooling of all competing business; the road that does the business is to have fifty per cent. of the receipts, and the balance, or the remaining fifty per cent., is to be divided equally between the two corporations. All freight cars of the Eastern road can go beyond Portland, but all other cars, with the exception of the night Pullman trains, are to stop at Portland, where passengers will be transferred. At certain stations only one agent will be employed for both roads, thereby effecting a saving in salaries. Trains of the Eastern road are allowed to run into Lawrence, and all lawsuits between the two roads are considered settled. Each road is at liberty to inspect the free passes issued by the other road.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, June 6th.

Lizzie Burns and Joanna White brought cross suits against each other for assault and battery. The Burns woman went to the house, Joanna White to get her trunk, but Joanna refused to let her have it and ordered her out of the house; Lizzie refused to go and Joanna tried to put her out, and there was some pulling of hair, pounding with parasol, etc., but no serious damage was done. Both cases were dismissed.

APPLEDORE.

Laighton Brothers, of Appledore, have completed all the improvements on their buildings they proposed last Autumn, the extension to the main building adding thirty rooms to the previously large number; the buildings have all been newly painted, the central (or main) one a little darker than the others, the contrast being quite noticeable some distance from shore and adding greatly to the appearance of the huge pile. The steamer Appledore has also been repainted, and been fitted with all the new improvements to add to her speed and secure the comfort and safety of her passengers. On Wednesday she towed the large landing stage to the island, and it was moored in its place for the Summer. Capt. Robinson, her popular and thoroughly capable commander, has secured the services of two officers who are well and favorably known to those who have been guests at the Appledore House in seasons past—Mr. William Gerrin as engineer, and Mr. William Hulin ("Modoc") as mate. The Laightons have also engaged most of the corps of careful and experienced sailing-boat skippers who have given such satisfaction to guests at the house in past years. As heretofore, everything that can be done to promote the comfort and enjoyment of their patrons, will be done by the "Kings of Appledore." The hotel will open on the 14th inst., when the steamer will commence making two trips daily. A large proportion of the rooms are already engaged.

A BEAUTIFUL DRIVE.

Among the many beautiful drives for which the neighborhood of our city is noted, there is none which in the same distance offers so many and so varied attractions as a trip over Sagamore road and Wentworth avenue, through the quaint old town of Newcastle and back over the three bridges to the city again. Sagamore creek, though far less beautiful than formerly, owing to the cutting away of the woods which used to stand on its south bank near the bridge, is still a beautiful place at high water; and the Wentworth road is "countryfied" enough to be refreshing to one who cannot get further out of town. The view of Little Harbor and the Atlantic from the new bridge, the drive past Hotel Wentworth and through the queerly-laid-out and picturesque streets (or roads, for we don't which they are called) on "Great Island," with glimpses of Whale's-back and the river's mouth, Fort Constitution, with its lighthouse and the old round tower whose portholes command no place in particular, the lower harbor, Pepperell's cove, Kittery Point, the harbor islands and the Navy Yard, all together make up a panorama varied and beautiful in the extreme. The upper bridges have been put in good repair and are entirely safe; and any one with a couple of hours or so to spare for a drive will find the route we have indicated a most agreeable one,—that is, if he has an eye for quiet beauty in nature, for if he has not, a drive on a race-course will probably be more satisfactory to him.

JOTTINGS.

Sanger's Great London Circus and Menagerie is to be here the last of this month.

Market square seemed very lively on the evening of Tuesday, the 5th inst. There was a large meeting in the North church, where Rev. Dr. Storrs of New York, Rev. Dr. Warren of California and Rev. Mr. Cobb of Minnesota addressed the people in the interest of Home Missions; the Philharmonic Society had their closing rehearsal for the season in Grange Hall, the Cornet Band were practising in their rooms over Frye's store, and the Heavy Artillery had a hall drill with drum and fife,—and the hot weather causing all the windows to be thrown open, loungers about the square were treated to music in variety; then the Cavalry had a drill, and pranced up and down street a number of times; and the numbers of people passing to and fro exceeded anything seen before this season.

Mr. Benjamin T. Tredick, formerly of Dover and later of Philadelphia, and who died in the latter city recently, left bequests amounting to $54,000 to charitable institutions, to be paid on the death of his widow, Dorcas H. Tredick. He left "to the Howard Benevolent Society of Portsmouth, N. H., $3000;" "to the Congregational Church and Society at Newcastle, N. H., the income for the support of the Gospel ministry, $5000;" "to the Mayor and Councils of the city of Dover, N. H., the income for the improvement of Pine Hill Cemetery, $5000." The library of deceased is bequeathed "to the Athenæum of Portsmouth N. H., his native place, its use, however, being reserved to his wife during her life."

Mr. Fred B. Coleman, for several years clerk in Thatcher's drug store at the corner of Congress and Vaughan streets, has lately purchased the stock therein and is now doing business on his own account.

Master Hugh Kuhle, recently on duty at this naval station, has been detached from the receiving ship Wabash and ordered back to this yard.

[Communicated.]

THE UNITED STATES FLAG.

It is not generally known, at least among the young, through how many changes our national flag passed before reaching its present perfection as "the star-spangled banner," the centennial anniversary of which the Veteran Artillery Association are to celebrate on the 14th of June. At first it was simply St. George's cross, or ancient flag of England. Second, St. Andrew's cross, or ancient flag of Scotland. Third, Union Jack, or combination of the St. George and St. Andrew crosses. Fourth, flag of the mercantile marine of England, identical with the "Union flags" displayed by the Colonies prior to their union in 1775. Fifth, striped "Union flag" adopted by the Colonies after their union. Sixth, U. S. flag after the independence of the Colonies, prescribed by Congress in 1777. Seventh, U. S. flag from 1795 to 1818, prescribed by Congress on the admission of Vermont and Kentucky into the Union. Eighth, the Star-spangled Banner, the most beautiful flag in all the world. What American is there whose heart does not thrill with joy as it meets his eye on land or sea, and who is not ready to exclaim with the poet,

"Forever float that standard sheet!
Where breathes the foe but falls before us,
With Freedom's soil beneath our feet,
And Freedom's banner waving o'er us!"

Who that looked upon the scene can ever forget the bright Sabbath morning when the people of New York went forth *en masse* to greet the First New Hampshire Regiment while on its way to the capital? when Broadway was filled by countless thousands, far as the eye could reach, cheering the dear old flag, never so dear as then, as it waved from every lofty roof, and joining their voices in the national anthem! Such a scene of wild enthusiasm was never enacted before in the great city, all vowing that the grand old banner that had been struck down by a traitor horde at Sumter, should be restored by patriot hands and float again in triumph! It *was* restored to the battered walls of the time-honored fortress by the hero who had defended it until overpowered by so unequal a force, and well may we sing its praises now that it has indeed

"braved a hundred years
The battle and the breeze." J. H. R.

[Communicated.]

CUI BONO?

There are people in this world who delight in nothing but misery. Like Simon the Stylite, they would stand perched up on one leg for the love of pain, and so prominently that every one besides will have an opportunity of enjoying their misery; for it is an old and true saying, that "misery loves company." They can never see a beautiful bird, without wanting to destroy it. If you show them a pretty flower, they will say "of what use is it? There might be potatoes and cabbages growing instead of flowers—and potatoes and cabbages are of much more use than flowers." Like Judas Iscariot they will say of anything fine, let it be sold and the money given to the poor,—so much regard do they profess to have for the miserable. When they see a beautiful ornamental tree, they have a longing desire to cut it down for use as fire wood, even if there should be a plenty of other combustible material all around. A howling wilderness would suit them better than the garden of Paradise. I once knew a good old lady, who was so much actuated by a pious regard for the Christian Sabbath as to ask one of her friends to bring in for Sunday reading some newspapers, containing solemn subjects. Said she, "I want something giving an account of a horrible murder, and other such matters, so that I may have something serious to read about." If such people see doves or pigeons flying about the streets, devouring what would otherwise be wasted, and doing no injury to any one, when proper precautions are used, they are at once seized with an irresistible desire for their extermination, for fear that some one may derive pleasure from looking at them. Doves and pigeons, however, combine the useful with the beautiful, as many an invalid can attest. In Venice the pigeons are fed every day at the public expense.

ESTHETICS.

[Communicated.]

UNCLE ROBERT, THE NURSE.

Who does not know Uncle Robert? Even the children of tender years know and love his genial face, for they have learned how much of harmlessness and real kindness may accompany looseness of dress and a wood saw! Many of us have known Uncle Robert in years past, as the generalissimo at the Court House, for he was as good at keeping order among the boys there, as he was for trimming and pruning the surplus growth of suckers on an apple tree. He was as much at home in the Hospital, nursing a bad case of small-pox, as he was in grafting pear and apple scions in the orchard.

Uncle Robert has a large circle of friends in every class of society,—some very warm and grateful friends, who owe to him their comfort during illness, and perhaps their lives. As we were passing to and fro a few days since, on one of our main business streets, there stood Uncle Robert, in his usual easy attire (for he was never a dandy in his style of dress, usually at this season wearing neither coat nor vest,) with the sleeves of his blue shirt turned up to the elbows, revealing his healthy, sun-burnt arms. In this guise he stood for a long time, earnestly talking with a fashionably dressed and charming young lady of perhaps twenty summers. The contrast was striking; and when, after the long interview, the young lady placed her delicately gloved hand in his rough and ready, bidding him a very cordial good bye as they parted, we accosted Uncle Robert with a pertinent (or impertinent) inquiry as to his relative, for such we took her to be. "Bless ye—no, she's no relation of mine," said he. We ventured a remark upon her appearance: "Yes, yes," said he, "she looks well enough now, but I have seen her when she was anything but handsome, for I tended her when she had the small-pox a few years ago. Indeed, I tended the whole family, some eight or nine of them; they all had it, and they all lived but one, the father,—he died." "Well," we said, "she certainly is an evidence of your faithful and successful nursing." "Yes," he continued, "I have not seen her for a long while, and we have been talking over the old times and our old acquaintance; she's a fine girl, but I've seen the time when she wouldn't have known herself in the glass, but she's all right now, that's a fact." Of such ministrations the life of Uncle Robert has been full. May it be long before we shall miss his ruddy, genial face upon our daily walks. OBSERVER.

—The black lace mitts now so fashionable for street wear furnish a brilliant foil for jewelled finger rings.

—Two souls with but a single thought—Two ragmuffins climbing over an orchard fence, with a fierce-eyed dog in pursuit.

—Dixon, Ill., boasts a clergyman who is accused of poisoning his wife, because he wished to espouse another and more fascinating female.

—Said a faded belle to a fresh young rival: "You are having a great trial to-night; I wonder what your enemies will say now?" "I was just going to ask you," was the keen retort.

—A merchant in Easthampton asked his Sabbath-school class the other Sunday, "What is solitude?" and was answered by a boy that reads the papers, "The store that don't advertise."

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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At 10 o'clock, A. M.,

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The Stock of Groceries and Goods in said Store, consisting of Teas, Sugar, Molasses, Vinegar, Cider, Liquor, Flour, Salted Meats, Shelf Goods, Stone, Glass and Earthen Ware, and other articles such as are usually kept in a Grocery Store.

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Or any citizen, or Son or Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—will be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTE , or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

A Strange Bird Story.

L. Page and son, cutting wood near San Jose, noticed for several days that a number of birds remained constantly upon a tree near them, some going and coming from time to time. Upon cutting down the tree they discovered a limb with a hollow cavity, some two feet in length and three or four inches in diameter, in which were two full-grown birds of some goodly-sized species. There was a small aperture through which the birds were supplied with food from their mates. The limb was cut and the birds liberated. They were neither of them able to fly, having evidently never been out of their imprisonment. How they came inside is a question. It is probable that the mother bird was small, and though able to make her nest in the hollow of the tree and rear her young, could not extricate them, and they did not gain strength enough to help themselves until the hollow had so closed that escape was impossible. Those who examined the birds say they are about two years old. They had been fed from their birth by their bird-fellows through the aperture in the limb of the tree. A nobler instance of devotion even the human family never exhibited.

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United States Ten-Forties coupon	111¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106¾
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	111¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	102¼
Eastern R. R. scrip	56¼
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64¼
Boston & Lowell R. R.	82¼
Boston & Maine	93¼
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	115¼
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	108¼
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	42¼
Northern N. H.	65¼
Old Colony & Newport	94
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	4
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

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Flour, Fancy, 10¼ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per b by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3¼
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., ht. Cuba 45 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bll., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per b, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Br. 11 @12c; Gr. 12; Crushed 13¼c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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FROM NORTH CONWAY 7:30, A. M; 1:05 P. M.
FROM WOLFEBORO' 8:40, A. M., 2:50 P. M.
FROM GREAT FALLS 7:34, 10:14, A. M., 4:29, P. M
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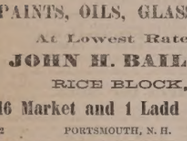

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be drained by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to be thrown within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may receive it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and on a future one before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit one pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer offal to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for such refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or if after his usual place of abode he shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flats or marshes, adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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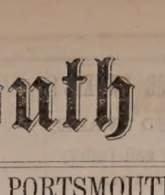

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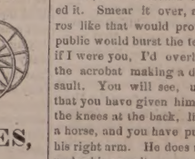

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Mr. Biles' Pictures.

The manager of our theatre recently organized a circus and menagerie as a kind of supplemental show to the theatre, and he got a young artist in Wilmington to get up some designs for posters. When they were done they were not completely satisfactory, and Mills, the manager, sent for the artist in order to explain his views of the designs. He said—

"Mr. Biles, there are some few little matters about these drawings that struck me as being, as it were, hardly calculated to impress the public mind with a sense of the dignity of this undertaking. Now, in this picture of Professor Martine doing his great bareback act, I think the professor would be better satisfied if you would place his mouth in front and not around under his ear; and if you would fix up that right eye so that it would be as small as the other one, and would not so closely resemble the bottom of a teacup. The professor is sensitive about such things. And smooth down his hair a little, too; reduce that off hind leg of the horse so that it will not be a couple of feet longer than the other legs, and draw in his neck until it ceases to look as if he were a cross between a mule and a giraffe. Don't you think that would be an improvement?"

"Maybe it would," said Biles.

"And, Mr. Biles, I think if you were to daub in another kind of an elephant, perhaps the cravings of the public mind for conformity to nature would be better satisfied. This elephant is so constructed that an ordinary observer cannot tell which is his tail and which is his trunk. He looks to me as if he were picking up hay with his tail, and switching flies with his trunk. I see that you have painted him a light green color, too. Now a light green elephant is rarely seen. I cannot offer such a phenomenon to the public. What you want is to go out and study elephants a couple of years, so's to get some idea of what they are like; so's to ascertain that their ears do not stick up like a rabbit's, and that they have no wings. If those wings ever reach the public eye I'm a goner. Now you must needs know that an elephant has no wings."

"Maybe it hasn't."

"There is another thing. I've been trying to find out what you meant by painting in that picture a flour barrel lying on a four-legged table with a keg on the side of it and a calf's head sticking out of the end. We have nothing of the kind in our menagerie. We do not barrel our calves, and if we did we should not place the barrel on the table."

"Why, thunder!" said Biles, "that's intended for a dromedary. That's not a keg; it's the hump on the dromedary's back."

"Oh, it is, hey? Well, our dromedary is less phenomenal than that. I think I would reconstruct the picture. Our object is to instruct the public; not to make them laugh. And while you are at it, I would fix up that pig somehow. Precisely why you have wrapped the pig in blankets and represented it with a carbuncle on its snout, I do not know. I suppose you must have had some mysterious purpose in view."

"Why, you don't understand. That is a rhinoceros with a horn on his nose. What you call blankets is his thick skin hanging in folds."

"Ah, hah! I should never have suspected it. Smear it over, anyway! a rhinoceros like that would provoke a riot. The public would burst the tent down. I think, if I were you, I'd overhaul that picture of the acrobat making a double-back somersault. You will see, upon examination, that you have given him three legs and put the knees at the back, like the hind legs of a horse, and you have put two elbows on his right arm. He does not place his head under his armpit, as you depict him, and he never jams his nose against the small of his back. I'd build him over again, and at the same time reduce the size of the clown so that he will not appear twice as large as the elephant by which he is standing. You must either run up the elephant or compress the clown."

"Maybe it'd be better."

"I think so. Have you made up your mind whether that is a zebra or a Bengal tiger? Sometimes I think it's one, and sometimes the other; and my ring-master has a bet with me that you meant it for a cow, because it has horns. I should have thought so myself if you hadn't put stripes on it and painted it with a bill like a poll-parrot. It will excite curiosity as it stands, but I think you'd better make up your mind what kind of an animal you want it to be and then rearrange the details. If you intend it for a poll-parrot, wipe out a couple of legs, and if you propose a tiger, modify the beak and remove the feathers from the tail. There is a large scope for improvement in that work of art."

"I'll look it over," said Biles.

"Do. Now observe that kangaroo! The hind legs of a real kangaroo are long and its fore legs are short. But you have made one hind leg and one fore leg long and the others short. You have got up a kangaroo that can walk sideways on a steep hill, first rate. But it is unlike the kangaroo of nature, and you hurt the effect more by representing it in the act of laying an egg in a nest on the top of a tree. S'pose you modify that kangaroo a little, and also stop that Brazilian ape from reading the news-

paper while he picks his teeth with his tail. Pebble will go wild about such great blunders."

"Why, that is not intended for an ape," said Biles. "I painted that for a picture of you, standing in the ring, looking over your programme while you sucked the end of your cane."

"Me?"

"Yes, sir, a likeness of you."

"Mr. Biles, that lets you out. You mean well, no doubt; but you are not in your element as the artist of a first-class circus. When a man gets out a portrait of *me* so that it is mistaken for a Brazilian ape, his usefulness is ended. You can go, sir. I'll hunt up another painter to finish the contract."—*Max Adeler, in N. Y. Weekly.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JUNE 8, 1877.

New Hampshire Legislature.

On Wednesday the nominees of the republican caucuses were elected, in Senate and House.

Hon. J. E. Sargent of Concord was chosen temporary chairman of the House, and a ballot for Speaker was taken, resulting as follows:

Whole number of votes	364
Necessary to a choice	183
Horatio Colony of Keene had	147
Augustus A. Woolson of Lisbon	217

And Mr. Woolson was declared elected.

Royal H. Porter was chosen temporary chairman of the Senate, and a ballot for President was taken, with the following result:

Whole number of votes	12
Necessary to a choice	7
John F. Cloutman had	4
Natt Head	8

And Natt Head was declared elected.

Routine business only was transacted, and both Houses adjourned at an early hour.

New Hampshire Items.

The military show at Concord on Thursday was one of the most extensive ever made there on inauguration day, but the storm of Wednesday, which continued through the night and up to nine o'clock Thursday morning, prevented any extended decoration of buildings. The Portsmouth Cavalry led the column. The walking was execrable, but the tramp was kept up bravely through the mud to the capitol, where Gov. Prescott took the oath of office and delivered a long message. The troops were reviewed by Brig. Gen. Clough in the afternoon.

Charles Cotry, the ringleader of the notorious gang of burglars recently operating extensively in Manchester, was arraigned in the Police Court Wednesday morning, pleaded guilty to five complaints and was bound over to the Supreme Court in $1900, and in default goes to jail. Other complaints are held against him.

The valuation of Concord is $9,244,428, and the rate of taxation is $1.45 on the $100.

The War.

You can get all kinds of news from Eastern Europe in the same column of any of the large city dailies. You can learn positively that there is to be peace, that the war is going on; that the Danube will be crossed June 16, that it will not be crossed at all; that Mukhtar Pasha is cashiered, that he is still fighting away; that Ardahan is recaptured, and that it is not; that the Turks in Asia are perfectly powerless, and that the Russians there are badly beaten, etc. etc. After reading all this, and columns more like it, the only thing that you reliably know is that you don't know anything.

Turkish despatches report a victory over the Montenegrins at Maljat, at the entrance to the Duga pass. The Montenegrins fought desperately, and repulsed many assaults, though the odds against them were tremendous, the Turks having 35,000 men. The assailants finally occupied a hill commanding Danilograd, after losing 1000 men. Montenegrin accounts say the Turks were repulsed. The London *Times* correspondent at Vienna says the Turkish attack was but a feint to draw off troops from the Montenegrin army besieging Niesics. Another correspondent of the same paper announces some minor successes of the Monteuegrins near Niesics, and says that the Turks lost over 1000 men in an attack on Martinitza, the Montenegrins losing fifty men.

The Turks on the 5th shelled a line of pontoons which the Russians were launching at Gnirgevo, on the Danube. The shells were thrown from a battery located on the heights outside of the town, which had previously been dismantled. The firing was evidently from Krupp field guns of considerable size. At six o'clock, or one hour after beginning, they had thrown twenty-five shots, with splendid aim, into the midst of the working party. Several boats were blown up, but the Russian preparations continued without any halt. The Russians batteries made no reply.

Fire and Death in Boston.

A tenement house corner of Shawmut Avenue and Pleasant street, Boston, built of brick, four stories high and with a French roof, and occupied by eight families, the lower floor being used as a bake-shop and liquor saloon, took fire Wednesday evening and was destroyed. How the fire caught is not definitely known, one account stating that the building was struck by lightning, while the more general opinion is that the baker, Henry Kewer, was kindling his fire in the basement with kerosene. The fire was first seen by a boy named Henry Woodbury, who hastened to give the alarm; three alarms were struck, calling out the whole fire department of the city; but in two minutes the fire completely filled the only stairway in the building, from cellar to attic, cutting off all retreat by that way. The occupants of the building, thus cut off from the only means of exit, were seized with indescribable consternation. Shrieks and calls for help arose on every hand, and a scene of heart-sickening dismay ensued. Many of the people, thus hemmed in by the advancing flames, jumped from the front and rear windows to the streets, amid the utmost excitement of the spectators. Some were rescued by means of ladders by the brave firemen, and there were several marvellous escapes from death. The suddenness of the disaster did not prevent the firemen from displaying a great deal of genuine heroism. Some of the rescued persons were severely burned, and others were cruelly bruised and otherwise maimed. One man was killed, and several persons were seriously hurt, one, at least, fatally.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 4th.

At a lecture delivered at Odd Fellows' Hall last evening, Rev. F. E. Boyle, pastor of St. Peter's (Catholic) church, Capitol Hill, took occasion to make a rather ill-natured attack upon Secretary Thompson, author of a lately published work entitled "Papacy and the civil power." The bigoted priest was perceptible all the way through the harangue. He referred to the Secretary as "a certain R. W. Thompson," and attempted to ridicule the work by pointing out a grammatical error in the preface; Mr. Thompson's intelligence, culture and honesty were all assailed; and I think Mr. Boyle did not advance his reputation by his last evening's effort.

The ladies assembled at Mount Vernon concluded their business after a week's session, and feeling the responsibility of awarding the contract for transportation of visitors from this city to Mount Vernon and return too weighty for their own shoulders, they transferred it to the executive committee. It is understood that the competition among steamboat men was so sharp that the Association will be able to make it much more profitable than it has been heretofore.

Those not familiar with the postal service have little idea of its steady expansion. New localities in the West are almost daily calling for an extension of the mail service, and old ones all over the country for its increase. Increase of cost in the month of May was, for railroad service, $17,774.62; for steamboat service, $1,336.42; and for "star service" (by any means that will insure certainty, celerity and safety, at the option of the contractor) $7,939.08. The service in certain portions of the South is a source of great vexation and annoyance, usually on account of political disturbances and intolerance. One postmaster in Louisiana, appointed more than two months ago, has not yet dared to assume the functions of the office, because assured by the threats made that his life would pay the forfeit. Another has had his commission sent him with notice of his appointment, three times, and as often returned endorsed "not called for," because threatened with death should he dare take it from the office. The Department now proposes to put the appointment into his hand by special messenger, and should he be interfered with the mail will be discontinued.

There is great delay in adjusting claims before the Pension Offices. Pensioners should understand that this is partially due to a lack of clerical force, and partially dependent upon the red-tape exactions of the pompous Commissioner at the head of the office, according to the statement of those having business with him. KNOX.

New York Fashions.

The contest at present waged between Nature on the one hand, and Art on the other, is often extremely curious. A potent example of such combat, is that process of compression which takes place when a stout individual wishes to reduce herself to those nymph-like proportions necessary for a becoming appearance in her new Princess costume. Cinderella's sisters never tried harder to fit themselves to the fabled slipper; but here, as there, the net result must be classed under the head of mortifying failures. True, our friend does actually get into her costume, but what then? Nature, like murder, "will out," and to my way of thinking, her ample dimensions become only the more conspicuous. On the other hand, one might reasonably conclude that the half-developed damsel would rest content in the knowledge that she at any rate possessed a degree of slenderness requisite for the fulfilment of the demands of Dame Fashion. Not so. She squeezes herself just as much, and I suggest as a question for some debating society, which of the two results in the greater absurdity. From the above remarks, a deduction may be drawn that just now one needs to be slender in order to be fashionable. Precisely so; and to attain such end, not only are costumes cut accordingly, but underclothing is narrowed down to the extremist limit. Garments are so diminished in breadth as scarce to be recognizable; petticoats strings are a thing of the past, and this because the petticoat proper is not allowed to come higher than the hips, where it is attached to a tight fitting yoke, while as a recent improvement even on this, we find that the corset cover is made to serve a double purpose, and brought down low gives support to a skirt cut as narrow as is consistent with locomotion. We do manage to walk, but should matters be carried any farther, I assert without fear of contradiction, that we would have to be carried around in litters.

A COTE DE LA MODE.

The consequence of all this is that not a few of us are content with being *a cote de la mode*; which literally translated, means, "by the side of the Fashion." But let us be done lecturing, and come to actual facts, to something practical. In our list of new designs for summer, we find the Veronique polonaise, which is another of the many modifications of the Princess. It is tight fitting; the fronts lapped evenly on the waist, but below this, the right side extends over the left. The Alexandra is also one of the most elegant of the many Princess polonaises. The Carmita basque, in connection with the Eugenie train forms an effective costume, and for children, the Rita dress, for girls from eight to twelve years of age, and the Lily blouse, for from one to six years old, may be recommended.

FASHIONABLE FANCIES.

For perfume, fashionables delight themselves just now in Colgate & Co.'s Violet Water. Really it is delicious, yielding the essential principles of a hundred bouquets of violets, for little more than the cost of one, and for use in the bath is equally delightful as for the handkerchief. Colgate & Co's Cachmere Bouquet Extract is also in very great favor, and mention may be made of the Cachmere Bouquet Toilet Soap as being preferred by our *elegantes*. In fans, our fancies are so numerous, that I hesitate to write concerning one kind, for fear of doing injustice to some other kind. There are fans of feathers, satin, silk, morocco, kid, and lace, each of these being subdivided into many differing varieties, and furthermore diverse as to combinations of different material, such as ivory, tortoise shell, wood, ebony, mother of pearl, gilt, etc. Which is the more fashionable, 'tis hard to say, since all are fashionable. Sizes are medium, and in price, we surely have range enough, since from three cents, they go up to one hundred and fifty dollars. Vexillo—the new lawn game—is the latest attraction among our fashionables. "Croquet in fancy dress, and much improved," as a leading journal puts it. The features of the latter's popularity have been carefully preserved, so that Vexillo, while it offers its own peculiar charms, furnishes something new to those who while they would enjoy, affect ennui of the old name.

LUCY CARTER.

Train Wreckers Caught.

Four of the gang of villains who recently threw a train from the track of the St. Louis & San Francisco Railroad near Woodend station, Mo., by which three men were killed, have been caught. A young man named Oliver was suspected and arrested; he confessed and gave the names of the other parties, viz., George Gibson, Allen Greenstreet and James Long, who have since been arrested and are under a strong guard at Richland. Four others connected with the gang are not yet captured. Oliver says that an ex-convict put up the job and led the party. Their intention was to run the train off the track and then rob the passengers and plunder the train. Detectives are on the track of the other scoundrels. All the parties live at or near Richland, Mo.

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$25 Reward.

THE N. H. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will pay Twenty-five Dollars for evidence that will convict any person or persons who have shot, or may hereafter, during the present season, shoot, or otherwise destroy, any insectivorous bird or birds, within or near either of the cemeteries of the city.
Portsmouth, N. H., June 2, 1877.

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.25 "
Concord Way,		4.25 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE TROOPS REMOVED.

The threatening weather on Thursday morning did not deter the military from turning out with full ranks to participate in the "Election Day" display at Concord. The Cavalry were on hand at four o'clock to oversee the embarking of their horses on the cars, which was completed in safety before the arrival of the Infantry and Artillery companies at the depot, and there was no delay, all being in readiness to start at the time previously set, six o'clock. The Cavalry, Capt. Elbridge G. Peirce, Jr., went up with forty-eight horses, all but three uniforms being filled. The Heavy Artillery, Capt. D. J. Vaughan, were accompanied by the Portsmouth Cornet Band, and the Light Artillery, Lieut. Wm. O. Sides commanding, were accompanied by the Newmarket Cornet Band. The Newmarket Band on this occasion appeared for the first time in public in their new uniform, which is a very handsome one of dark gray trimmed with black and gold lace, red epaulettes with gold fringe, caps trimmed with the same, and white plumes tipped with red. The City Guards, Lieut. Ford commanding, were up to their usual standard and were first of the three companies of foot soldiers to appear at the depot, receiving the others as they arrived with a military salute. Portsmouth added as much to the military display at Concord as any city in the State. A large number of citizens, and many ladies, went up in the train with the troops, others following in the train leaving here at eight o'clock.

THE COMMERCIAL HOUSE

On Vaughan street—formerly the American House—after being idle for several months subsequent to the extensive alterations and improvements made in it last Fall, was opened to the public on Wednesday evening, a large number of citizens accepting the invitation of the proprietor, Mr. James W. Goodwin, to inspect the building and partake of a choice supper. Those who were familiar with the arrangements and accommodations of the old house would not recognize it now—although the old house was not a bad one—so extensive have been the improvements made. The lower floor is divided up into office, sample room for commercial travellers, sitting room, ladies' parlor, dining room (with seating accommodations for forty persons,) and bar-room. The ladies' parlor is very handsomely furnished with black walnut furniture and English tapestry carpets, with handsome pictures tastefully arranged on the walls. On the upper floors are twenty sleeping rooms, all furnished with spring beds, gas, etc., the electric annunciator running all over the house; and in all the arrangements care has been taken to provide as far as possible for the comfort and convenience of guests. Mr. Goodwin has with him as clerk Mr. Herbert W. Nowell, formerly clerk at the Kearsarge House—an assurance that guests will always meet with courteous attention instead of the "grand bounce" when business or inclination takes them to the office. The hotel is really a very fine one, and most conveniently situated within a few minutes walk of Market square and the railroad stations; the furniture and fittings are all new, and the charges moderate; and we can see no reason why the house should not be patronized to the extent of its capacity. The landlord proposes, whether he receives a liberal patronage or not, to deserve it by keeping his hotel as it should be kept.

JOTTINGS.

Carpenter Daniel Jones, U. S. N., died at his home in Kittery on the 5th inst. Mr. Jones was one of the oldest carpenters in the service, having been appointed Dec. 9th, 1847; of the 29 years and 6 months he spent in the service, he was 11 years and 6 mos. at sea, 6 years and 9 mos. on shore or other duty, and unemployed 11 years and 3 months; his last cruise ended in February, 1865. He was placed on the retired list some years since on account of incapacity induced by long and faithful service. He is to be buried this afternoon at two o'clock, with military and Masonic honors, at Kittery, the place of his birth and death.

The Brewers' Convention met at Milwaukee, Wis., on the 6th inst. Hon Frank Jones of this city was there, and was one of three brewers who were chosen Honorary Presidents of the Convention. There were 213 delegates present.

Some four hundred children attended the June festival of the Band of Hope in Franklin Hall on Wednesday afternoon, and a general good time was enjoyed.

The canker worms are more than usually numerous and destructive this year, not only in this city but all over the Eastern States, and any easily applied and effective method of checking their ravages must be of great value. It is well known that a very light jar will throw them down from a tree, but the pesky things will crawl right back again. Mr. George A. Mansfield, of Melrose Highlands, Mass., having easily and cheaply saved his trees when attacked by the worms, has sent all around to the papers postal cards giving his recipe, as follows: "Shake the worms from the tree. Bank the tree (*steep*) a few inches with dry, fine ashes, lime or plaster. The worms cannot pass it. Better than ink." Mr. Mansfield evidently believes in this remedy, as he has been at some trouble and expense in making it known; it is easily tried, certainly, and costs nothing.

The Heavy Artillery last year won well deserved plaudits at Concord for precision in marching and evolutions, and soldierly appearance, and we are informed that the good they impression created then was increased on Thursday. And as neatly performed an evolution as we ever saw was the wheel from fours to company front when they struck Congress street from Vaughan, on their return to this city in the evening. The company had the right of the second battalion of the first regiment, in the column at Concord. All the "bold soger boys" arrived back in good condition at about eight o'clock in the evening, and marched to Market square and dismissed shortly before nine.

The *Scientific American* has this comforting intelligence for smokers: "The effects of tobacco smoking are discoloring of the teeth by carbon, excitement of the salivary glands by the ammonia, headache and lassitude from the carbonic acid, disease of the heart from the carbonic oxide, nausea from the bitter extract, and a tainting of the breath by the volatile empyreumatic substance. The system may become used to these things, yet is made liable to consumption, nervous exhaustion, paralysis, and other ailments."

Daniel Sullivan, a thirteen-year-old boy, attempted to cross the railroad track in front of a train, Wednesday evening, but fell and had the calf of his left leg badly crushed by a wheel. No bones were broken.

Until quite recently we were under the impression that canker worms confined their attention to apple trees, but we notice that they are engaged in ruining many of the fine elms about the city. The noble trees on the Raynes estate have been attacked by them, and now present a pitiful appearance. In another paragraph is given what is claimed to be an effective remedy for the canker worm pest, but we do not see how it could be put in practice in the case of such large trees, for Goliath of Gath would have a tough job at shaking the worms off those big elms.

The "International" Boat Race.

The boat-race on the Kennebecassis river, near St. John, N. B., on the 6th inst., between Plaisted of Philadelphia and Ross of Portland, N. B., resulted in a very easy victory for Ross. Plaisted won the toss and took the outside position. A prompt start was made. Plaisted took the first water and got ahead, striking the water viciously when ahead, settling down to thirty-three strokes a minute, using all his force. Ross rowed coolly at thirty-two strokes a minute. Plaisted crossed into Ross' water and jockeyed him, his movements being discovered from the Judges' boat. This jockying continued for three-quarters of a mile, Plaisted rowing his best, while Ross made no exertion. At three-quarters of a mile Ross made a spurt and steered away to get a clear course. Then Plaisted again crossed over and got into Ross' way, when a foul occurred, both boats stopped and the judge at once declared Ross the winner of the race, Plaisted being blamed for the foul. Not knowing this the carsmen again started off fairly, Ross rowing easily and going right ahead, and Plaisted following in a hopeless and desperate stern chase. Ross kept two or three lengths ahead without exertion, and reached the finishing point in 27.07 3-4. Plaisted was two lengths behind. Ross was quite fresh, Plaisted showing signs of exhaustion. The latter claimed a foul, but it was not allowed.

News and Notes.

A tornado near Easton, Pa., Tuesdry night, did considerable damage. It killed G. Bruser, a farmer; Hattie Williams, a little girl; and a tramp.

Mrs. Gov. Van Zandt of Rhode Island is a daughter of the late Albert G. Green, who wrote that excessively picturesque chant "Old Grimes is Dead." Mrs. Van Zandt is known for her zeal in charitable projects.

As to the results of Miss Neilson's dramatic tour of the country, Mr. Max Strakosch, her manager, says: "Miss Neilson has made her greatest success this season. For 140 performances I have paid her $70,000 as her share and $3000 she got for benefits. I never turned over so much money so willingly, for I never made so much myself so easily and so pleasantly. Miss Neilson is, to my mind, at once a gold mine and a beautiful star."

An Italian corvette, with two hundred men aboard, came to grief in the Dardanelles by striking a torpedo. No further particulars.

The Summer Holiday Number of *Wide Awake* will open with a delightful story by Cicely Morney Marston, the sister of the English poet, Philip Bourke Marston.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 151.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

In the main room in Phillips Academy at Exeter is a fine collection of portraits, obtained chiefly, if not altogether, by Hon. B. F. Prescott of Epping, the present Governor of the State. His preparatory course for college was there commenced in 1850.

Directly behind the teacher's desk, which is midway on the north side of the room, is a portrait of John Phillips, LL. D., the founder of the Academy. It is life size, in a sitting posture. The dress is as in the time in which he lived, breeches, light colored stockings, up to his knees, buckles on the knees and shoes.

We find those of teachers in the Academy next. Benjamin Abbot, LL. D., Principal and teacher fifty years, ending in 1838. This is at the east end. Gideon L. Soule, long a teacher, and after Dr. Abbot's retirement, Principal, is nearly opposite at the west end. He is still living. Of others who taught in the institution are those of Daniel Dana, D. D., and Professor Joseph G. Hoyt.

Now we will mention portraits of some who were students, who rose to great distinction: Gov. Edward Everett, Hon. Lewis Cass, Hon. Daniel Webster and Hon. John P. Hale. There are also portraits of Gov. Josiah Bartlett and Gov. Jeremiah Smith. One of Charles Burroughs, D. D., one of Hon. John Kelly and Hon. Amos Tuck. Last, but not least, one of Mr. Bancroft, author of the most extensive History of the United States ever published.

We have only noticed a portion. The whole number is about twenty-five, we think. It is a fine show. Literary persons, statesmen and others delight to spend a little time there.

Better Than Killing Them.

Mr. Pliny Jewell, of Hartford, Conn., has a great deal of satisfaction every evening in feeding the crowd of goldfish which swarm in the lake on his premises. The fish have learned to look for his daily visits. He first places a quantity of crackers in the water near the edge of the lake. The fish will not touch these, as they are for the birds, who come flying down in flocks to get their evening meal. Then Mr. Jewell goes to the other side of the lake, and ringing a small bell, the water is seen to bubble and boil, as it were, with the fishes who come hastily to the edge and grab at the bits of cracker and bread thrown into the water for them. Even the frogs and the turtles come up for their share, and so tame have some of the frogs become that they will come out of the water and hop to Mr. Jewell's feet to pick up the crumbs that are dropped. The turtles eat ravenously and do not show the slightest sign of fear. One and all, birds, frogs, fish and turtles, seem to heartily enjoy their evening meal. In some parts of the city flocks of pigeons have also been tamed and know the whistle of those who feed them, and come sweeping down without fear to eat the bits of bread and crumbs provided for them.

—We see by a fashion exchange that light dolmans will be very fashionable this spring. There is one style to which the young lady takes most, and that is the very light doll-man, who parts his hair in the middle and breathes sweetly through a bronze mustache.

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Physicians who have tested Hostetter's Stomach Bitters concur in representing it to be an *eminently safe stimulant*, far preferable to the ordinary liquors of commerce, not only because it is infinitely pure. Its alcoholic basis is the finest old rye, and this is tempered and rendered medicinal by the curative ingredients of botanic origin which it holds in solution. It has often been imitated, but never rivalled, and is to day the leading tonic, diuretic and aperient of America. Malarial fevers are prevented and remedied by it, and it is a thoroughly reliable medicine in cases of dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaint, rheumatism, gout, nervousness, urinary and uterine affections. It improves the appetite, increases the bodily stamina, checks premature decay, and as a sustaining and comforting cordial for the aged and infirm is unequalled.

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THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world.—*Pueblo Col. People.*

The popular verdict of the travelling public is that the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, cannot be excelled by any other house in the Quaker City.

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DIED.

CHAMBERLAIN. In this city, June 5, Mr. Albert H. Chamberlain, aged 55 years.

JONES. In Kittery, Me., June 5, Carpenter Daniel Jones, U. S. N., aged 72 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Barque Quickstep, Barnabee, sld from San Francisco for Hong Kong, May 25.

Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, from this port, arr at New York June 5.

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Portsmouth, June 4, 1877.

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SMART, Keeper, at No. 2 Mt. Vernon St. Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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Daily Chronicle.

Buffalo Bill as a Justice.

A good story is told of how Buffalo Bill performed the ceremony of marriage while he was justice of the peace. It was his first attempt, and the applicants were of the true Western type. They called upon Cody in the log cabin where he held his justice office. Bill had a book of forms, which he took down and studied attentively to get some idea of how he should tie the knot. There were forms for nearly every transaction of life, but he failed to find what he was looking for, and finally slammed the book down and observed to the parties:

"You two fellers join hands;" and the "two fellers" did so.

Then he said to the groom: "Are you willing to take this woman to be your lawful wedded wife, to love her, honor her and obey her?"

"You bet your butes," was the response of the bashful hair-lifter.

"And you, miss, are you willing to take this here man to be your wedded husband, to love him, honor him and support him?"

She giggled, and nodded in the affirmative; but this didn't suit Bill, who said: "See here, miss, we've got to have this on the dead square, and we can't marry folks by halves in this country. We are bound to go the whole hog. If you want this here man for a husband you must speak out and say so, as though you meant it sure. I'll ask you again. Will you take this here man to be your lawful wedded husband, to love him, honor him and support him?"

This time the lady responded, bravely, "Yes sir, I will."

This satisfied his honor, and he remarked: "That settles it."

"And now," added Bill, let's take another sip of tarantula juice, and drink to the happiness of the happy couple," which everybody with true Western unanimity proceeded to do.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	119½
United States Ten-Forties cupon	111½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	106½
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1875	111½
Massachusetts State 5s. Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	104½
Eastern R. R. scrip	50½
Pacific. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	95½
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	113½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	3
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	102½
Manchester & Lawrence	128
Michigan Central	83½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	24
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	5
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

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Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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Potatoes per bushel, 60 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $8; ground $10.
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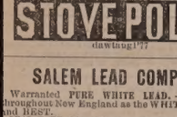

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 19, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but will bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may reuire it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be entitled to leave any offal, heads, feet, or other, of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, and for them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the City. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but will either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable matter, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, yard or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier of said notice having been given to him, or at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by section of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing adverse to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any premises occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom will be discharged or drained into either of said mills or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading into the same, or into any other place in such a manner as to cause any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other wholesome or offensive place, into either of said mills, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. Nor shall any person shall throw or suffer to be thrown on his land into either of said ponds, or upon any said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substance.

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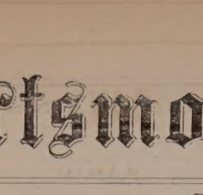

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COUSIN MARY ANN.

Eveleen Blake was a school-teacher.

Rather a laborious and ill-paid life it was for a girl of nineteen; but our little heroine knew she had her living to earn somehow. There wasn't an inkling of romance in her life, except what she had unconsciously absorbed out of yellow covered novels in the circulating library. Her two sisters were both married—Mrs. Simon Sykes and Mrs. John Smith—each of them looked out industriously for Number One.

"Eveleen has had an education," said Mrs. Sykes. "Let her take care of herself. Of course one wants to be sisterly, and all that sort of thing, but when dear Simon married me he did not intend to marry the whole family."

"Of course not," said Mrs. Smith. "She can't expect us to support her."

She was mending a pair of gloves one October afternoon, by the window, when Mrs. Simon Sykes walked in with a great rustling and smell of patchouli. Mrs. Simon Sykes—*nee* Blake—was tall, large and rosy. Eveleen was on the *petite* scale with large, limpid gray eyes, very little color, and straight brown hair, which shone like satin, in the level rays of the setting sun.

"Dear me," said Mrs. Sykes, "how good that teapot smells, and I'm tired out with my walk."

"Would you like a cup of tea?" said Eveleen.

"Well, I don't mind," said Mrs. Sykes, unpinning her shawl; "that is if you've a bun or a biscuit, or something to nibble with it. Tea, alone, always gives me the heartburn."

So Eveleen went industriously to work and brewed a cup of tea, and brought out a plate of rusks, which were to have made her own frugal evening meal.

"But I can eat a biscuit or two," thought self-denying little Eveleen, as she watched the biscuits disappear before Mrs. Simon Sykes' appetite.

"I've had such a turn," said Mrs. Sykes, as she held out her cup for a second replenishing.

"A turn?" asked Eveleen inquiringly.

"Yes," nodded Mrs. Sykes; "a visit from a poor relation. I dare say she will be here next, but I advise you to send her about her business, as I did."

"Who is it?" asked Eveleen, in surprise.

"It's Mary Ann Blake. Wants some thing to do. Expects me to take her in and give her a home until she can obtain a situation."

"There's the little hall bed-room that you don't use," hinted Eveleen, who had a sort of instinctive sympathy for the houseless and homeless.

"I want that for Mr. Sykes' relatives when they come to town," said Mrs. Sykes. "He's got a single brother with property, and a married sister, with no children, who is very well off indeed; and if I didn't want it, I don't propose to open a free asylum for every old maid that comes along."

"But what will she do?"

"Do! Why, do as other folks do, I suppose. Go to a lodging-house. There's plenty of them, I'm sure."

"But if she hasn't got any money?"

"Then she's no business here," said autocratic Mrs. Sykes. "Why didn't she stay where her friends could take care of her."

"Perhaps she hasn't any friends."

"Then she certainly must be an undeserving character," said Mrs. Sykes, shaking the crumbs down upon Eveleen's neatly swept carpet. "Oh, here's Selina Smith as true as the world."

Mrs. John Smith came fluttering in—a thin, sharp-featured little woman, with snapping black eyes, and a new Fall hat, all a-quiver with artificial asters.

"Oh!" said Mrs. Smith, "you're here, are you, Debby? How do, Eveleen? Well, since you're taking tea, I will have a cup. Heard the news?" as she sat herself down.

"About Mary Ann Blake? Yes, of course," answered Mrs. Sykes, with a toss of the head. "She's been to see us; but I sent her about her business."

"Well, she certainly can't expect us to provide for her," said Mrs. Smith, beginning to crumble up the reserve of biscuits that Eveleen had brought out with a sigh. "Smith's salary ain't large, and I've a good-sized family of my own. I told her pretty plainly that as far as I was concerned, she needn't expect anything. I do hate these genteel beggars! And if she should come here, Eveleen, I hope you will give her the cold shoulder. Hush! There's a knock now. If it should be her!"

"It's a good thing we're here to advise her," said Mrs. Sykes, as Eveleen went to the door. "Eveleen is so unsuspecting! Anybody could impose upon her."

"Yes, to be sure," nodded Mrs. Smith, complacently. "And—but dear me, it is Mary Ann!"

Both sisters nodded frigidly at the approach of a tall, nervous-looking female, in poor black, followed by Eveleen, who drew out the softest easy-chair for her accommodation, and gently untied her wispy bonnet-strings.

"Do sit down," said Eveleen; "I am sure you are tired. Let me give you a cup of tea at once."

"Yes," said Mary Ann Blake, looking apprehensively from Mrs. Simon Sykes to Mrs. John Smith," I am tired. I've been walking a good way."

"I hope you got a situation?" said Mrs. Smith, icily.

But Mary Ann Blake shook her head.

"It was very foolish of you coming here at all, wasting your money on an expensive journey," said Mrs. Sykes. "Why couldn't you go to Aunt Pamela?"

[Now Aunt Pamela was the rich old aunt who so systematically ignored her nieces and kept her money in bonds instead of investing it in Mr. Sykes' wholesale grocery, or Mr. Smith's insurance company.]

"I did," said Mary Ann, dejectedly. "But she declined to assist me."

"Stingy old harridan!" said Mrs. Sykes, with energy.

"She has a right to do as she pleases with her own, I suppose," said Eveleen, who was making some fresh tea for the pale guest, and cutting thin slices.

"No, she hasn't," said Mrs. Smith. "People get so miserly."

"Sykes thinks we might some day clap her into a lunatic asylum, and put the property into the hands of trustees, for the use of her relatives," said Mrs. Sykes.

"I don't know about that," said Mary Ann Blake. "I only know that she wouldn't give me anything. And I do not know what to do. You are my cousins. Perhaps—"

"Oh, indeed, we can't do anything for you," said Mrs. Sykes, becoming absolutely Arctic in her demeanor, while Mrs. Smith drew herself up and set her thin lips together like a thread of carmine. "Better get back as fast as you can," added Mrs. Sykes.

"By all means," said Mrs. Smith, with a toss of the artificial asters. "And to tell that old lady that she's a deal better able to provide for you than we are."

"No," said Eveleen, gently. "Cousin Mary Ann shall stay with me. There's plenty of room on my little iron bedstead for two, and I can go out with her, looking for a situation, after school hours."

"Eveleen, you're crazy?" said Mrs. Simon Sykes, uplifting both her hands.

"You're a fool!" politely added Mrs. John Smith.

But the stranger's lips quivered.

"God bless you, child!" said she, rising up, and putting aside the veil of worn lace that drooped on her face. "And now, girls, I may as well tell you that I am your Aunt Pamela."

"You, Aunt Pamela?" shrieked Mrs. Sykes.

"Yes, I."

"But—you are rich!"

"People say so."

"Then," gasped Mrs. Smith, "why do you come here in the guise of a beggar?"

"To try the hearts and natures of my three nieces," said Aunt Pamela, drily. "Deborah calls me an old harridan; Louisa refuses to help me by so much as a penny; but little Eveleen is willing to share her scanty all with me. What money the old woman has to leave shall be Eveleen Blake's.

Mrs. Simon Sykes and Mrs. John Smith looked at each other in dismay, but it was too late to apologize now. And little Eveleen was an heiress, after all.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JUNE 9, 1877.

News and Notes.

Barque Emily Smith has been wrecked on Kangaroo Island, off the coast of Australia, and thirty-eight lives were lost.

The town authorities at Windsor Locks, Conn., having recently offered a reward of one dollar each for dead dogs, a fine animal of the Newfoundland species, that had but lately saved two children from drowning, was one of the first victims.

Brig Mary A. Chase, of Portland, Me., previously reported abandoned, was towed into Bonsco, Bay of Honduras, December 6th, by twenty men from the island, and pumped out. By order of the Governor, the brig was sold at public auction, bringing $900, and the men who brought the wreck in were awarded by the American Consul $14 to be divided among the twenty, being seventy cents each!

George William Curtis has declined the mission to England, and James Russell Lowell the mission to Austria.

The wife of Dr. George E. Woodbury, a physician of Methuen, Mass., gave birth Wednesday night to four children, three girls and a boy. Two girls and the boy died after living about three hours.

G. A. Lensey of Harvard, Mass., a soldier of the rebellion, attempted suicide Tuesday by discharging a revolver at his head. The bullet flattened on the skull and caused little injury. That's the kind of a skull for a soldier to wear.

Painters, Frescoers and Upholsterers have done good service the past three months and the American House, Boston, now looks brighter and neater than ever. This is saying a great deal.

Two new oil wells in Bullion district, Penn., yield each 1000 barrels of oil daily.

A boy two and a half years old killed a boy three years old in Charlestown, Mass., on Thursday, by smashing in his head with a stone.

Political.

The blackened, scarred and mutilated remains of Miss Cornelia Chisolm, the heroine who laid down her life in efforts to shield her father from the fury of a mob, may well provoke a cry for vengeance, but we have demanded justice only, that the law should be enforced, that guilty parties should be arrested, tried and, after conviction, punished. Judge Chisolm, daughter and son, and the brave Scotchman, McClellan, were sent to untimely graves,—their voices are silenced forever. The murderous work was perpetrated by a mob, and its fiendishness can never be obscured by the stale cry of "bloody shirt." * * * Thank God! the Northern press are beginning to realize something of the true condition of affairs, and God grant that the enlightment may go on until the history of Southern democracy shall be known, and held up to the execration of mankind.—*Jackson, (Miss.) Times.*

The Boston *Post* has already commenced to again carry Maine for the democracy. Its Bangor correspondent writes that "owing to pressing business engagements" the candidate for Governor who was run down last year will not run again, but that Gen. Samuel J. Anderson of Portland will probably get the nomination, and "prove a candidate to whose support the people of Maine would rally with an enthusiasm which would give assurance of a glorious triumph." If the democrats had won all the "glorious triumphs" the *Post* gave them "assurance of" for the last ten years, the republicans would not have carried a single State.

It is now stated that Peter B. Sweeny has compromised his suits and will be allowed to go unpunished on the payment of $400,000. Tweed's release on a compromise of $2,000,000, is also soon expected. It is a great shame and disgrace that the leaders of the Tammany ring should be permitted to compound their felony. It is true Tweed has been already severely punished for his misdeeds, but his case was exceptional and the country needs just the example which he would furnish, if compelled to serve out a life sentence. Sweeney is generally credited with providing the brains for the ring, and is guiltier, because he had greater abilities. If he can not be convicted, then New York law is a mockery of justice. That misgoverned city needs an organization of the nature of a vigilance committee to insist on the summary punishment of rogues.—*Worcester Gazette.*

Narrow Escape.

Two of the crew of the schooner Centennial of Gloucester, recently arrived from a Grand Bank trip, Peter Scanlan and George Stickling, were capsized in a dory on the fishing grounds on the 21st ult., and had a narrow escape from a watery grave. They had completed the hauling of their trawls and were ready to return to the vessel, when a sea boarded and sunk the dory, but she soon capsized and came up again, and the men succeeded in getting hold of her, Scanlan at the bow and Stickling at the stern. In going over the hook of one of the trawls caught in the leg of Stickling, and he was compelled to bear his own weight and that of the trawl, which he was enabled to do by fortunately securing a foothold in the stern becket of the dory. But the combined weight of man and line kept the unfortunate man nearly under water the greater part of the time, and his position was one of extreme discomfort and peril. Scanlan was more fortunately situated, having no encumbrance except his clothing. After being thus exposed for about a quarter of an hour they were discovered by the men in another dory, who were returning to the vessel, who at once went to their rescue. Stickling was nearly exhausted, and in pulling him in the hook was broken off in his leg, and on reaching the vessel it was found necessary to cut it out, making an ugly wound from which he has not yet fully recovered.—*Cape Ann Advertiser.*

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A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

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THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street.

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For Sale.

HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Drisco.

Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND, at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

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THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 28x33 feet, containing eight rooms; there also a Barn 22x36 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.

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For Sale.

THE STOCK OF GOODS, with the FIXTURES and other articles in the

Store lately occupied by Lafayette Laighton

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$25 Reward.

THE N. H. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals will pay Twenty-five Dollars for evidence that will convict any person or persons who have shot, or may hereafter, during the present season, shoot, or otherwise destroy, any insectivorous bird or birds, within or near either of the cemeteries of the city.

Portsmouth, N. H., June 2, 1877.

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Caskets, Coffins and Robes

Always on hand or made to order. I have Patent Corpse Preserver for use when required.

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☞ RESIDENCE, No. 23 WASHINGTON STREET.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,	7.40,	9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, *10.15 P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 "	9.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, a message was received from the Common Council to the effect that that body had concurred in the Aldermen's amendments to the appropriation bill with the exception of the amendment substituting $300 in place of $500 for sprinkling streets. The Board voted to recede from said amendment.

A message from the Common Council announced that the Council had accepted in concurrence the report of the joint committee on application of B. F. Webster for purchase of part of the city farm.

Petition of Charles W. Gardner and others for drainage of waste water around public wells was accepted and referred to the committee on streets with power.

Petition of Samuel Adams and others to utilize the spring near Richards avenue for drinking and other purposes, was referred to the committee on streets to report.

Petition of George E. Hodgdon and others for the construction of urinals, was received, and the Board voted that the petitioners have leave to withdraw.

Application for settees in Plains schoolhouse was referred to committee on schoolhouses with power.

Petition of George W. Plumer for leave to erect two hitching posts on Congress street, was referred to committee on streets with power.

Voted, that the pay for labor on highways under the surveyors be $1.50 per day for men, $1.25 for horses and $2 for oxen.

Subject of removing stagnant water on land near reservoir on Madison street, was referred to committee on streets with power.

Voted, that in making the assessment of taxes the present year, five per cent. be added to the amount previously voted to be raised by taxation, to answer any abatements that may be made, and that the same be paid into the city treasury for the use of the city; and that the State, county, school, highway and city taxes be included in one assessment, agreeably to the laws of the State.

Voted, that the subject of sprinkling streets be referred to the Mayor with power.

Sent up, the following joint vote passed by the Common Council in concurrence:

"Voted, by the City Councils of the City of Portsmouth: That the inhabitants of this city and non-residents who shall pay to the collector their taxes for the year 1877 within thirty days next after the assessors shall have committed to him, the said collector, the lists of assessments of taxes for this city, shall be entitled to a discount of six per cent. on the amount of their said taxes; within sixty days after the time aforesaid, shall be entitled to a discount of four per cent. on the amounts of their said taxes; provided, that no discount shall be allowed to any person until the whole tax of such person for the year is paid.

Voted, further, that the collector of taxes shall, four months after he shall have received the lists of assessments of taxes from the assessors, issue notice to all persons whose taxes then remain unpaid, stating the amount of the same, and that if the same shall not be paid, with twenty cents for such notice, within fourteen days thereafter, the collector shall distrain for the same."

Resignation of E. Lowd as lamp-lighter in Ward Four was presented, and the subject was referred to the committee on gaslights with power.

Remonstrance of A. T. Goodrich and others against passage of ordinance licensing hacks, job wagons, etc., was accepted.

The committee on bills on second reading, to whom was referred the bill entitled "An ordinance licensing hacks," etc., reported the same without recommendation. The bill was laid on the table.

Report of committee on accounts was presented and the bills were ordered to be paid.

The Board signed the order for the widening and straightening of Jackson Hill street, and the committee on streets were given power to have the work done.

Adjourned for two weeks.

JOTTINGS.

Sheriff Kent will sell at auction to-day, Saturday, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the foot of Hunking street, on an attachment against Alfred Hook in favor of Thomas S. Gay *et als.*, the schooner "Emma," as she lies. Terms cash. The "Emma" was built at Hampton in 1876, is 29.6 feet long, 10 feet beam and 4.5 feet depth, and measures 7.58 tons.

At the North church, Sunday, the pastor, Rev. James W. Hubbell, will preach in the morning the fifth sermon in the series upon the Fruits of the Spirit; subject, "Gentleness." In the afternoon, upon "A word to the weary."

The Bow Mission Service, Sabbath afternoon, promises to be very interesting. This will be the last service until September. Subject of the service, "Praise and Promise." Friends are cordially invited. Service at 4:15.

Mr. Stephen W. Clark, President of the Portsmouth Temperance Mutual Relief Association, will speak at Mechanics' Hall tomorrow (Sunday) evening at eight o'clock before the Reform Club. A half-hour's Praise Service will precede the address. Collection to defray expenses.

Steamer "Appledore" will leave her wharf at the North end this afternoon on a trip down the harbor, out around the Shoals and return. Capt. Robinson and Engineer Gerlin would be pleased to have their friends accompany them, on this their first trip of the season. The steamer will leave the wharf at two o'clock.

A man calling himself Thomas Shepard, and claiming to be a Unitarian, has been visiting members of that denomination in Providence, R. I., and soliciting funds to enable him to reach this city. He is set down as a first-class fraud.

Smuty Nose Island, the fishing port of the Isles of Shoals, has recently been greatly improved by Laighton Brothers, the owners, and Mr. Samuel D. Caswell, the lessee, by the rebuilding of the wharf, the erection of new buildings and the repairing of the old ones. Mr. Caswell carries on the fishing business there, and during the past season has bought large quantities of fish to cure for the market, paying a slightly higher price than other large purchasers in this vicinity. In less than a fortnight over 50,000 lbs. of fish were landed there from small boats. An unusually large quantity of lobsters has been caught in that vicinity this season, and the fishermen report them still plentiful.

Officer John Turner, on Thursday night, at about eleven o'clock arrested Michael Cunningham, a young man formerly employed in one of the breweries, while attempting to break into a freight car standing on the line of the Eastern Railroad near the foot of Dover street. The road has for some little time been losing freight from their cars while they have been standing near this locality, in transit, and Station Agent Barrett placed the matter in the hands of an officer, this arrest being one of the results.—and Mr. Turner is entitled to much credit for his successful efforts. Cunningham was brought before Judge Batchelder Friday forenoon, Judge Page prosecuting; officer Turner, Sheriff Kent and Mr. H. F. Dixon testified for the State; Cunningham made a lame defence, and was held to answer at the October term of the Supreme Court, in the sum of $600, failing to procure bonds for which he was "jugged."

Referring to the inauguration day display in concord, the Manchester *Mirror* says: "Manchester and Portsmouth divided between them the honors of the procession. Their Heavy Artillery and our Battery attracted great attention, and the infantry companies were very fine." The Portsmouth Light Artillery paraded with full ranks, and their brilliant uniform attracted much attention; and their marching and wheeling, as well as that of the Portsmouth City Guards, was so far in advance of most of the other companies in line as to admit of no comparison. The Portsmouth Cavalry, being the only cavalry company in the procession, of course attracte dmarked notice,—as they would have done under any circumstances, from their proficiency in drill, their soldierly bearing, and the magnificent show of horse-flesh they gave.

THE FLAG'S CENTENNIAL.

On the 14th of June, 1777, while the armies under Generals Washington and Howe confronted each other in New Jersey, Congress

"*Resolved*, That the Flag of the thirteen United States be thirteen stripes, alternate red and white; that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation."

On Thursday, June 14th, the joint celebration arranged by the Portsmouth Veteran Artillery Association and the Trustees of Langdon Park will take place at the Park. The exercises will be as follows:

At sunrise a flag of thirteen stars, nearly a century old, will be hoisted at the Park by Col. Marvin; and it is desired that all the flags in the city may be raised.

About 2 o'clock P. M. the Veteran Artillery Association, Capt. G. W. Towle, with Band, will form on Market Square, and march to the Park, the Portsmouth Light Battery, Capt. Wm. O. Sides, acting as escort, and probably other military companies joining.

The Governor and ex-Governors of the State, U. S. Government and Army and Navy officers, Mayor and other officials, speakers and distinguished guests on the occasion will follow in carriages, and probably some of the scholars of the public schools.

At the Park, at three o'clock, a Federal salute of thirteen guns will be fired, in honor of the "old flag" of one hundred years ago; to be followed by music by the Band; the singing of the Star Spangled Banner by a choir, in which all are invited to join, with Band accompaniment; and brief remarks by Hon. C. L. Woodbury, Hon. John Quincy Adams, Col. A. H. Hoyt, and other distinguished gentlemen from abroad and at home.

Rev. Mr. DeNormandie will read a poem written for the occasion by Albert Laighton.

The ceremonies and amusements around the Maypole will follow, and will consist of brief remarks by Messrs. Woodbury, Albee, Adams, DeNormandie and others, and a Floral dance on the green in which, as in all the exercises, all, old and young, but especially children, are invited to join. [Citizens willing to contribute bouquets, wreaths, or loose flowers for the occasion, will please send them to the Park on Wednesday forenoon, or leave them at the store of J. H. Foster.]

At six o'clock the Veterans with invited guests will dine at the Rockingham House.

The naval officers at this station, and the marine corps, will take part in the celebration. A salute will be fired at noon from the yard, and the "Enterprise" will be dressed in bunting fore and aft, in honor of the flag and the occasion.

SHIP "DANIEL MARCY" LOST.

A dispatch from London states that the ship Daniel Marcy, of Boston, Captain Bicknell, which sailed from Manila April 20th for New York, has been lost in Gasper Straits. The crew were all saved. No particulars are received. The Daniel Marcy was a fine ship of 1212 tons register, built in this city in 1863, and was owned by J. Henry Sears & Co., of Boston. She had on board a valuable cargo, the insurance on the cargo in Boston offices being about $120,000, on the vessel and freight money $55,000, making a total of $175,000.

THE CITY VALUATIONS.

The following are the city valuations for the current year, as made up by the City Clerk:

	Number.	Value.
Polls	2217	$221,700
Horses	634	60,261
Oxen	72	5,666
Cows	519	18,043
Other Neat Stock	96	1,915
Sheep	64	192
Swine	55	385
Carriages		40,060
Real Estate		3,519,060
Wharves		63,660
Mills and Machinery		336,960
Bridges		30,000
Aqueduct		60,000
Stock in Trade, includ'g Shipping		815,518
Shares in Banks, etc.,		822,010
Money		334,706
Total Valuation		$6,330,126

The rate of taxation will be $2.09 on one hundred dollars.

A Point on Which the Doctors Agree.

Physicians who have tested Hostetter's Stomach Bitters concur in representing it to be an *eminently safe stimulant*, far preferable to the ordinary liquors of commerce, not only because it is infinitely pure. Its alcoholic basis is the finest old rye, and this is tempered and rendered medicinal by the curative ingredients of botanic origin which it holds in solution. It has often been imitated, but never rivalled, and is to day the leading tonic, diuretic and aperient of America. Malarial fevers are prevented and remedied by it, and it is a thoroughly reliable medicine in cases of dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaint, rheumatism, gout, nervousness, urinary and uterine affections. It improves the appetite, increases the bodily stamina, checks premature decay, and as a sustaining and comforting cordial for the aged and infirm is unequalled.

T. E. MOSELEY & Co., 469 Washington street, make a specialty of boys' and misses' boots, shoes and gaiters for dress and school wear, which they offer at moderate prices.

Such a combined effort upon upon the part of all its *attaches* is always made to please its guests, that the visitor to the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., is pretty sure to return.

COCOA SHELLS, prepared by Walter Baker & Co. furnish an excellent substitute for tea and coffee, at half their cost, and are palatable, nutritious and healthful. All grocers sell Baker's Chocolates, which are the best in the market.

Adamson's Botanic Balsam will not make new lungs, but will prevent the disease from spreading throughout the whole substance of the lungs, thereby facilitating recovery. Price 35 cts. Samples free.

WORTHY OF TRIAL.—Persons afflicted with any of the well known diseases, such as Consumption, Bronchitis, Bleeding of the Lungs, Asthma, etc., are earnestly recommended to try Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup. Is guaranteed to relieve and cure if taken in season. For sale by all Druggists.

The Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world. — *Pueblo Col. People.*

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

DIED.

HAVEN. In Philadelphia, June 3d, Mr. Cullum Haven, formerly of this city, aged 67 years.

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"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $3. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. r38&6tf

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NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

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Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 11TH.

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For sale at wholesale or retail, or laid in the best manner.

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—OF—

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—AT—

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GREAT INDUCEMENTS!

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21 MARKET STREET,

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GOLD	" 30 to 100	"	"	"

BORDERS of all grades from 1 to 12 cents per yard. Our Papers are all made on No. 1 stock. None on No. 2.

We also have a large stock of WINDOW SHADES at prices ranging from 50 cents to $2.00 each.

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Having received a full assortment of

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AT REASONABLE RATES!

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We have a very large assortment, and one of the best Stocks of

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We have a small lot of HATHAWAY'S SHIRTS, which we are closing out at cost.

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Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style, with Collars and Pockets.

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Stock of Groceries, Grocery Wagon,

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THE SUBSCRIBER having attached upon a writ in favor of Frank Jolles against Samuel Rowe, will sell by consent of parties, at Public Auction,

—ON—

Tuesday, June 12, 1877,

At 10 o'clock, A. M.,

At the STORE ON MARKET STREET in Portsmouth, N. H., recently occupied by said Rowe,

The Stock of Groceries and Goods in said Store, consisting of Teas, Sugar, Molasses, Vinegar, Cider, Liquor, Hams, Salted Meats, Shelf Goods, Stone, Glass and Earthen Ware, and other articles such as are usually kept in a Grocery store.

Also, the Fixtures of said Store and one Grocery Wagon, one sleigh, one Pung and one Harness.

Terms Cash. J. HORACE KENT, Sheriff.

Portsmouth, June 4, 1877.

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COALS of the BEST QUALITIES, all sizes, well screened and delivered at the lowest prices in the City. Also,

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LANGDON PARK

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SEAVEY, Keeper, at No. 2 Mt. Vernon St.

Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

Board of Trustees.

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MOSES H. GOODRICH,
JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor, *Ex. Off.*

The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings of the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

GOV. PRESCOTT'S INAUGURAL.

Gentlemen of the Senate and House of Representatives: Having been elected by the people of the State to the position of chief executive magistrate, I have taken the oaths required by the constitution and now enter upon the discharge of the duties of the office. Grateful to the people for this honorable expression of their confidence, and the honor conferred, and fully appreciating the responsibility that rests upon an executive of a State in the performance of the various duties connected with the position, and relying upon the aid of those of him who has shaped our course as a State and nation for a completed century, I assume them, and can only assure you and the people that they shall be performed to the best of my ability, looking always to the consideration of the good of people, and the advancement of the permanent material interests of the State.

In accordance with custom, I now present to you some suggestions upon matters which will require your action, and, in some instances, your careful consideration. And first, I will call your attention to our

FINANCES.

The first duty of a State is to preserve its credit, manage with economy its affairs, promptly meet its obligations, and avoid extravagant expenditures. There are no demands of an extraordinary nature upon the treasury; but those that are absolutely necessary will, without doubt, be provided for by your action.

The public will always regard the number of finances with a greater degree of interest than most topics presented for your consideration, because it directly affects all classes and individuals in the community, and they will be disposed to look at the legislative department of the government, which is charged with the duty of determining the amount necessary to be raised by taxation for the support of the State government, and the executive officers charged with the disbursement of the fund, as a strict accountability for the faithful discharge of their respective duties. The report of your auditor of accounts will show the condition of the treasury as presented at the session, will exhibit in detail the financial transactions of the year.

The net indebtedness of the State on the first day of June, 1877, was $3,574,290.87, a reduction of $33,143.87 during the year. The reduction of the debt during the year just closed has been equal to the average of the last five years; but it must be borne in mind that the payments of the educational convention have been paid from the revenues of the past year, and will not have to be provided for during the present fiscal year. It has therefore been the policy of the legislature to raise by taxation a sum which, with the miscellaneous revenues of the State, would be sufficient to meet all the expenses of the government, pay the interest on the debt, and provide for the payment of a portion of the principal of the debt each year; and the several acts of bonds which have been issued in accordance with this policy.

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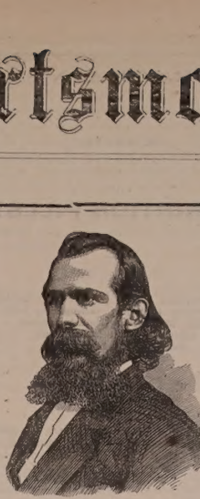

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Business Laws.

Ignorance of the law excuses no one.

It is a fraud to conceal a fraud.

The law compels no one to do an impossibility.

An agreement without consideration is void.

Signatures made with a lead pencil are good at law.

A receipt for money paid is not legally conclusive.

The acts of one partner bind all the others.

Contracts made on Sunday cannot be enforced.

A contract made with a minor is void.

A contract made with a lunatic is void.

Principals are responsible for the acts of their agents.

Agents are responsible to their principals for errors.

Each individual in a partnership is responsible for the whole amount of the debts of the firm.

A note given by a minor is void.

Notes bear interest only when it so stated.

It is not legally necessary to say on a note, "for value received."

A note drawn on Sunday is void.

A note obtained by fraud, or from a person in a state of intoxication, cannot be collected.

If a note be lost or stolen, it does not release the maker; he must pay it.

An endorser of a note is exempt from liability if not served with notice of its dishonor within twenty-four hours of its non-payment.

Do Not Face the Light.

Oculists employed in infirmaries for eye diseases have shown that the habit of some persons in facing a window from which the light falls directly in the eyes as well as on the work, injures their eyes in the end. The best way to work is with a side light, or, if the work needs strong illumination, so that it is necessary to have the working table before the window, the lower portion of the latter should be covered with a screen, so as to have a top light alone, which does not shine in the eyes when the head is slightly bent over and downwards towards the work. In the schools in Germany this matter has already been attended to and the rule is adopted to have all seats and tables so arranged that the pupils never face the windows, but only have side lights from the left; and as a light simultaneously thrown from two sides gives an interference of shadows, it has been strictly forbidden to build school rooms with windows on both sides; such illuminations having also proved injurious to the eyes of the pupils. We may add to this the advice not to place the lamp in front of you in the evening, but a little on one side, and not to neglect the use of a shade, so as to prevent the strong light shining in the eyes. This is especially to be considered at the present time, when kerosene lamps, with their intensely luminous flames, become more and more common.

—*Medical Journal.*

—Newfoundland's sealing voyage this year has been uncommonly prosperous. Vessels of the fleet have already returned with full cargoes, the cargo of one of them being 27,000 furs. Her voyage lasted only fifteen days. All of the vessels were propelled by steam, steamers having been found more profitable than sailing vessels. Only half as many men as were formerly employed are now needed on the fleet.

—On a recent evening a young man dashed into a neighbor's house to tell the unconscious family the chimney was on fire. He sprang into the dining-room, saw no one, opened a door that he supposed led into the sitting-room, but which didn't, and with a despairing shriek he went plunging down the cellar stairs, bringing up in a wild chaos of pickle jars, pie plates, mackerel kits, and a pork barrel and a tub of ancient turnips. He says the whole town may go burn now for all he cares, because to add to his troubles the man of the house, when he heard the uproar, came out to the door and shot five times down into the gloom of the cellar, shelling the woods for a burglar.

—The Duke of Richmond's Burials Bill, which offers to English Dissenters the privilege of a silent funeral service in the parish church-yards, passed to a second reading in the House of Lords, by a vote of 141 to 102. The smallness of the majority has greatly encouraged the opponents of the bill. Lord Granville moved an amendment, declaring that no measure will be satisfactory which does not enable the relatives or friends of a deceased person to bury in the parish yard with such Christian services as may to them seem appropriate. Both the archbishops, though they voted for the Government bill, declared that it would not, in their opinion, give satisfaction. Lord Granville told, in the course of his speech, this strange story: "Some years ago, Sir Morton Peto, a Baptist, purchased a large estate in Norfolk. In the interests of his Church of England tenants, he created and endowed, at the expense of many thousand pounds, a National church and church-yard. Soon after the consecration of the church-yard he lost a beloved daughter. He was obliged to carry his daughter's corpse many miles to a strange cemetery, because it was not allowable for him to bury her with the funeral rites of the Baptists in the grave-yard which he had given to the State Church."

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JUNE 11, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 6th.

As we approach the time for the meeting of Congress in October the impression becomes more and more prevalent that influences that have only been felt locally in distant States heretofore, are to have a good deal to do with the organization of the next House, and will make themselves felt in the Senate. The continued business depression and distress throughout the country have inclined the masses, apparently, to patiently listen to anyone having a remedy to propose. The tens of thousands of laboring men all over the land who have been waiting for renumerative employment ever since the panic of September, 1873, have grown impatient of party dictation, and there are a good many signs of a positive revolt in both the great parties, struggling for supremacy; and the politicians, seeing they are likely to be defied should they attempt to continue the lead in the old directions, are hastening to put themselves at the front of the mutinous columns, thus hoping to retain their places as leaders.

The greenback and silver questions are among those issues that are assuming larger proportions here every day; and the prime agitators of both are exulting in the hope that they are soon to find themselves the central figures of a great popular movement. Many a demagogue will have his short-lived afternoon as a great statesman, only to sink back into the obscurity from which he could never have emerged had it not been that his overwhelming possession of "cheek," aided by a wholly exceptional and fortuitous circumstance, has for once enabled him to get a hearing. The attitude of the President toward the matter of a remonetization of silver is variously reported, the authority of to-day being contradicted by that of to-morrow. The *Star* of last evening represents him as appproving Governor Cullom's veto of the bill to make silver coin legal tender in Illinois, he giving as a reason that he does not believe it wise or constitutional,—the *Republican* of this morning denying it, and asserting with equal positiveness that he condemned it. Thompson, Sergeant-at-Arms of the House, a recognized authority among democrats, is confident that his party will carry Ohio this fall by endorsing the "Southern policy" and putting itself squarely on record in favor of more greenbacks and the double standard, and demanding a halt on the part of Secretary Sherman in his efforts to reduce the national debt,—almost $7,000,000, having been canceled during the month just past. From Connecticut comes, according to report, a cry of distress from a prominent democrat, saying in effect, that they are whipped unless the democracy turn square about and denounce the President in every thing he does, right or wrong; while from Pennsylvania comes the lugubrious assurance that if such a course is pursued, democracy may as well abandon its organization in that State. It is also becoming more and more apparent that Southern democrats, appreciating the advantage of their position, will insist upon the Southern Pacific Railroad and other vast jobs of internal improvements in that section, paid for out of the National Treasury, or at least their bonds guaranteed by the Government, as a test of democracy; and unless Mr. Randall consents, it is believed in many quarters that his chances for the Speakership are not worth considering. Butler's incessant, but good natured assaults upon the administration furnish a good deal of amusement to those looking on, while evidences of republican discontent are not wanting. KNOX.

The Official Vote.

The following is the official vote for Governor and Councillors:

FOR GOVERNOR.

Whole number of votes cast,	77,870
Necessary for a choice,	38,936
Scattering	24
Asa Kendall,	12
James A. McKean,	29
Asa Kendall, of Swanzey,	258
Daniel Marcy, of Portsmouth,	76,721
Benjamin F. Prescott, of Epping, had	40,753
and was declared elected.	

FOR COUNCILLORS—DISTRICT NO. 1.

Whole number of votes,	14,899
Necessary for a choice,	7,450
Scattering	4
Jeremiah Blodgett,	87
William Rand, Rochester,	6,557
Joshua B. Smith, Durham,	8,113
and is elected.	

DISTRICT NO. 2.

Whole number of votes,	16,825
Necessary for a choice,	8,413
Scattering	10
John Moulton,	12
Timothy S. Lacoles,	18
Francis A. Cushman,	61
Warren Clark, Concord,	8,201
John M. Parker, Goffstown,	8,521
and is elected.	

DISTRICT NO. 3.

Whole number of votes,	13,224
Necessary for a choice,	6,612
Scattering	11
David Heald,	10
Charles C. Kennieton,	25
Clark Hadley, Manchester,	5,591
Edward Spalding, Nashua,	7,586
and is elected.	

DISTRICT NO. 4.

Whole number of votes,	13,544
Necessary for choice,	7,773
Charles C. Kennieton,	8
Harvey Munch,	62
Lyman A. Rousseyel,	6,708
Francis A. Cushman, Lebanon,	6,765
and is elected.	

DISTRICT NO. 5.

Whole number of votes,	17,551
Necessary for choice,	8,776
Scattering	3
Jos. Brown,	16
Joseph Monitor,	23
Joseph Brown,	48
John M. Parker,	67
George W. Libbey, Whitefield,	7,420
Jeremiah Blodgett, Wentworth,	9,921
and is elected.	

What They Do For a Living.

The following statement of the trades and occupations of the members of the New Hampshire House of Representatives we take from the Concord *Patriot*:

"The agricultural pursuits lead off with 163 farmers as its representation; there are 35 merchants, 17 lawyers, 17 manufacturers, 9 lumber merchants, 7 machinists, 6 blacksmiths, 5 butchers, 5 druggists, 5 mechanics, 4 physicians, 4 shoe manufacturers, 4 woolen manufacturers, 3 accountants, 3 auctioneers, 3 clerks, 3 dentists, 3 insurance agents, 3 lumbermen, 3 shoemakers, 2 brick manufacturers, 2 brokers, 2 dry goods merchants, 2 grocers, 2 journalists, 2 retired merchants, 2 overseers, 2 paper manufacturers, 2 provision dealers, 2 shoe dealers, 2 tanners, 2 teachers, 2 tinsmiths, and 1 each of the following: Agent, architect, artisan, banker, bank cashier, bank president, belting manufacturer, bookseller, brewer, canvasser, carriage manufacturer, clergyman, corn dealer, college professor, contractor, cooper, copper-smith, gardener, glove manufacturer, grain merchant, hardware merchant, house builder, insurance commissioner, iron founder, jeweler, last manufacturer, mason, master carpenter, master car builder, merchant tailor, milk dealer, milliner, millwright, moulder, retired news dealer, operative painter, paper hanger, peg manufacturer, photographer, pilot, professor of music, sash maker, shoe cutter, superintendent, teamster, treasurer, wooden war manufacturer, wood turner and wool merchant, stationer, stone cutter, lecturer, retired manufacturer—86 different occupations in all."

The War.

Several Turkish officers have been condemned by court martial, and shot, for the loss of Ardahan. A despatch from Vienna states that Moukhtar Pasha has been cut off from Erzeroum and Kars. Erzeroum is unprovisioned and the garrison of Kars are on half rations.

A String of Wrecks.

The Secretary of the Navy has directed the United States steamer Lackawanna, now at Acapulco, to search for the rock near Tartan shoals, upon which the steamer San Francisco struck on the 16th of May. When the locality is ascertained it will be properly buoyed, and notice will be given of the exact position. The City of San Francirco is the second of the Pacific Mail Company's iron fleet that has gone to the bottom, the first being the City of Guatemala, companion to the City of Panama, lost on Watling's Island, on the Atlantic side, in 1874. But the City of San Francisco is only one in a long list of Pacific Mail vessels that have been unfortunate. The wreck record embraces sixteen steamers. The Tennessee, the first loss in the fleet, ran ashore in a fog. The Golden Gate was wrecked on the coast of Mexico, and 250 lives were lost. The America was burned in the harbor of Yokohama, and the Japan was burned at sea between Yokohama and Hongkong. The Herman was lost on the northeast coast of the Island of Nifon, Japan, and several hundred lives lost. The Ariel was wrecked very near the spot where the Herman sank, and the Winfield Scott was lost on Anacapa Island. The Golden City was wrecked on the coast of Lower California, and the Sacramento went ashore on a reef near the Island of San Geronimo. The list might be continued. The company has quite a large and fine fleet of steamships left, however, to be either burned up or sent to the bottom.

News and Notes.

The schooner Nimble has arrived at Halifax, N. S., from Cape Race, with the machinery, anchors and chains of the steamer George Washington, wrecked last winter. Her cargo was carried off by the sea. The divers discovered that her boiler had exploded. No trace was found of the steamer George Cromwell, supposed to have been wrecked at or near the same place shortly before the George Washington was lost.

A fire at Galveston, Texas, on Friday, destroyed twenty-six of the principal buildings, entailing a loss of between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000.

At a Cabinet meeting on Friday, the Utah troubles were discussed at some length, and the opinions of United States Attorney Howard of that territory, in regard to the prosecutions for complicity in the Mountain Meadow massacre were fully considered. It was agreed that the United States authorities in the territory should proceed with firmness in these prosecutions and all offenders be brought to justice. Should the Mormons make any attempt to prevent the punishment of their leaders the Government will see that sufficient force was sent to the territory to enforce the decrees of the Court, but it is not believed that there will be any trouble. The Secretary of State read a communication, just received by him from our Minister at Mexico, to the effect that the Mexican authorities will co-operate with the United States authorities on the Rio Grande to prevent raids into Texas and break up cattle stealing in that section.

Jenny Lind is fifty-one years old, and her baby three months.

The Ocean Bluff House at Cape Arundel, Kennebunkport, Me., under the management of Job Jenness & Son, will open for the season, June 25th.

A farmer living in Kennebunkport informs us that he has a large tract of land planted with potatoes. Soon after the potatoes showed themselves above the ground he found them to be covered with the beetle or potato bug, and he began to fear his whole potato crop would be destroyed, but learning that hens would destroy the beetle, he turned his flock into the section planted to potatoes and they completely cleaned the piece of the bugs. He now makes a practice of feeding his hens in his potato patch, and the result is he keeps it free from the potato bug.—*Biddeford Journal.*

Why Farragut Went Aloft.

The following letter from Thurlow Weed to the New York *Tribune* explains itself:

"*Sir:* The press has frequently spoken of an incident in Admiral Farragut's life, which in the popular mind adds to his well-earned reputation for gallantry. In a well-known painting the Admiral appears lashed to the mast of his ship in the Mobile Bay fight. The question why the Admiral took that unusual position has often been asked, but as far as I know the true answer has not been given. I looked for it in the interesting letter to the *Tribune* of Mr. Page, the artist, who had favorable opportunities while the Admiral was sitting for his portrait, but was disappointed. I have now read attentively a charming letter from Mrs. Bartlett to the Portsmouth (N. H.) *Weekly*. Mrs. Bartlett, who met the Admiral at a ball given in his honor, availed herself, during a pleasant conversation, of an interval to inquire why he lashed himself to the mast. His answer, as given by that lady, is incomplete. He was lashed to the mast, as she relates, to protect himself from being precipitated to the deck by casualty. He had another reason for the lashing which she does not mention. He needed the free use of his hands, in one of which he held his speaking trumpet. But the Admiral's object or reason for going aloft instead of remaining upon his quarter deck is still a mystery. And yet that reason, as he gave it to me very much in the spirit of his conversation with Mrs. Bartlett, was a very simple and yet a very satisfactory one. In his former battles below New Orleans and up the Mississippi River, he had been seriously embarrassed, once by the condition of the atmosphere, and again in the vicinity of bluffs, when the smoke of his guns, instead of rising and leaving his view unobstructed, formed and hung about the decks. The high bluffs in the Bay of Mobile, with a heavy atmosphere as he was about to commence the engagement, induced an apprehension that his view might again be obstructed by the smoke of his own guns. He went aloft, therefore, to get above the smoke and to obtain a clear view of the enemy's batteries and of the position and movements of his own ships."

New Hampshire Items.

Benjamin Carr, a prominent citizen of Concord, fell out of a third-story window on Saturday, and was killed.

John Coleman, a carriage painter, fell from a third story window in Manchester on Saturday, and was fatally injured.

The City Savings Bank of Manchester is in trouble, owing to the depreciation of real estate representing about $70,000 of the banks assets. The Bank Commissioners and the Trustees have had an examination, and the deposits, amounting to $411,000, have been reduced 21 per cent. There are no symptoms of a run on the bank, which is found in a perfectly sound state after the $70,000 referred to is taken out; no blame whatever is attached to the officers, and it is hoped the depositors will be paid more than the 79 per cent. guaranteed. Deposits are being received as usual, new books being issued.

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Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 21, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 7 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels, have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. I have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I feel well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $5.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 8th, and wrote you February 23d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and twenty, but am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardships on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years' Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago Individual Hills to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for eight years, and have not been able to travel, and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most obstinate that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if our pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

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" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	4.45 "
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.45 "
Dover,		7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M.	5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	
Concord and North,		10.50 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.50 "	5.50 "

*Ideally for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

True Osgood, Esq., of Concord, Past Grand Master of the Odd Fellows in this State, and in honor of whom Osgood Lodge, No. 48, of this city, was named, recently presented the lodge named with a Chaplain's regalia of elegant material and finish, for use in the meetings and public parades of the lodge. On Thursday evening last the Noble Grand of the lodge, Mr. Edward B. Prime, presented the regalia to the Chaplain (Rev. J. A. Goss) with a few appropriate words, which were pleasantly responded to by the latter, who is much beloved by his brethren of the Order. Mr. Osgood is a printer, which fact will, in a measure, account for his liberality, as well as for the vivaciousness for which he is noted.

The Concord *Patriot* man is very much struck with the immaculate vest of one of our Portsmouth representatives. In his list of old members present this year he mentions "Sise of Portsmouth, wearing that white vest;" and he thus winds up his report of Friday's proceedings in the legislature: "Then, at twenty minutes past nine, the House adjourned till four o'clock on Monday afternoon, on motion of Mr. Sise of Portsmouth, who paid Norris for five 'chips,' and took his way to the depot to be sure to get that white vest home in season." The envious *Patriot* chap may as well understand that the Colonel is just the man who *can* wear a white vest, and that he can't be jeered into giving it away to any covetous newspaper man.

Daniel E. Chase, distiller, of Boston, has recently failed, and the firm of Thomas E. Call & Sons, of this city, find themselves among the list of unsecured creditors to the amount of $1200.

The *Times* of Saturday evening says: "By orders of the post office department, Portsmouth is to be made a money order office under the new postal treaty between Italy and the United States. Hand-organ men travelling in this neighborhood and who wish to send money home to their relatives will take notice." Why didn't the *Times* also notify the man who keeps the post-office peanut stand? he behaves himself like a good citizen, and is just as much entitled to postal facilities—if he pays for them—as any hand-organ man. Such favoritism is the meanest thing.

Schooner "Emma," built at Hampton in 1876, 29.6 feet long, 10 feet beam and 4.5 feet in depth, and measuring 7.58 tons, was sold on Saturday by Sheriff Kent on an execution against Alfred Hook in favor of Thomas S. Gay and others, Rider & Cotton being the purchasers at $152.50.

Steamer Appledore took out a large party of ladies and gentlemen to the Shoals on Saturday afternoon—invited guests of Capt. Robinson and Engineer Gertin. A thick fog which hung over the river up to the hour of starting cleared away just at the right time, and a very pleasant run was enjoyed to the Shoals, though a long, lazy swell caused considerable disquietude to a number of the ladies and several of the gentlemen. Arriving at Appledore a quantity of stores was landed, and the boat then steamed over to the Star Island roads; and after giving his guests a look around there Capt. Robinson headed the Appledore for town, arriving back all right—of course. The boat travels better than ever, we think, and is in excellent condition. We were particularly pleased with the pilot house, which has been very neatly fitted up, and is decorated with several very pretty and appropriate pictures and several mottoes—"Be Pure in Heart" and "The Lord is My Shepherd,"—a third one, "Peace, Be Still," and the picture beneath it, of a ship under sail in a heavy sea, being very handsomely worked in colored worsteds,—a present to the popular commander of the boat.

Mr. Walter A. Cate, whose somewhat sudden death is recorded in the usual place, was formerly a leading butcher in this city, though he has not been engaged in the business for many years. He was very active as a politician in his younger days, and was prominent and influential in town affairs before Portsmouth became a city, though we are not aware that he ever held any other office than that of selectman—which, however, is one of the most important offices under a town government.

BRING ON YOUR FOG-HORN.

The three-masted schooner Annie M. Allen, Capt. Conkling, of Providence, R. I., bound to this port from Georgetown with a load of coal, after hanging around off the coast several days attempted to make the harbor on Saturday in a fog. There was not much wind, but the schooner was slipping along through the water very nicely and all was going on apparently well, when suddenly the centre-board bumped on the bottom, to the astonishment and disgust of the crew. The lead was handled in a hurry, but there was little use in heaving it, as the centre-board kept taking soundings on its own account, so both anchors were dropped, instead of the lead, and the vessel was brought up, swinging close in to the rocks at Rye Beach. As the fog lifted so the crew could see where they were it was found that there was not room to get the vessel under weigh, as with the wind in the quarter it then was in, she would have gone ashore before she could gather headway; but her uncomfortable position was seen from the steamer Clara Bateman, (which had just towed out a schooner,) and Capt. Rand ran down, hooked on to her and before dark had her safely berthed at Concord Railroad wharf. Fire up that fog-horn on Whale's-back, please.

A REMINISCENCE.

Some time ago, in a notice of the death of Ex-Gov. Edward Kent, of Maine, we gave a brief record of his life, and particularized his election as Governor in 1840, stating that it gave rise to the Whig campaign refrain—

"Have you heard the news from Maine, Maine,
How she went, hell bent,
For Governor Kent?" [Maine,

We are sure that was the refrain as we first heard it and learned it—and it was about the first song we ever did learn; we are all the more certain of it because we still have a vivid remembrance of going into the house one afternoon and singing that "hymn" in triumph to the sewing circle, or some other gathering of the female members of the North church, which met at our house that afternoon, and of getting Cayenne pepper put on our tongue for our pains, after the folks had gone,—which accounts for our extreme circumspection in the use of words ever since. We have also seen the refrain printed in a score or more of papers, since Gov. Kent's death, just as we gave it; but a Concord correspondent, who we have no doubt is correct in what he says, writes us as follows:

Messrs. Editors: In your notice of the death of Ex-Gov. Kent of Maine, you speak of the old refrain which was an outgrowth of the campaign of 1840, when he was elected Governor, and which was different from the version given. The circumstances which brought it out, as I now recollect them, were as follows: There was an old "Tip and Ty," song with each verse ending:

"For Tippecanoe and Tyler too,
And with them we'll beat little Van.
Van, Van, Van is a used up man,
And with them we'll beat little Van."

When the news of the Maine election reached Concord, there was a Merrimac County Democratic Mass Meeting assembled in the Old North Church, which was not equal to the expectations of the leaders in point of numbers. Among the speakers were Henry Hubbard, Franklin Pierce, John P. Hale and others. Hale waited for the Boston stage to get in with the news of the expected democratic victory in Maine, (for which great efforts had been made, so as to lead off the campaign well at the start,) before making his speech, which was to infuse more courage and spirit into the convention. Joe Gale's face told the whole story of a Whig victory when he drove up to the old Eagle Hotel. George Kent, brother of the Governor, was living in Concord, and when he had finished reading the Boston *Atlas*, he at once wrote a new verse to head the old song, which ran:

"Have you heard the news from Maine, Maine,
All honest and true,
How she went for Governor Kent, with three thou-
For Tippecanoe and Tyler too," etc. [sand gain

It was not long before the added verse was in type, and printed copies in the hands of the boys, who sang it with unction to the democracy, as they retired sad and silent from the Convention to their homes.

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ANOTHER CAUGHT.

Early Sunday morning, Officer John Turner made another important arrest of one of the gang of freight car thieves, who have been robbing the Eastern railroad in this city. He discovered in a car standing on the track near the creek, Michael Ledden, a young man, who formerly lived with his parents at the west end, but who has of late led a nomadic life. The officers having in charge this case had suspected Ledden, and Officer Turner was on the watch for him, and was provided with a warrant. As soon as Ledden saw the officer, he jumped from the opposite side of the car, in which he had been, and ran for dear life up Creek street to Islington street, and into Jones Brewery yard. The officer closely following him, knowing the crooks and turns at the brewery, having formerly worked there, Leddin dodged into a side door, and down cellar, but Officer Turner was not outwitted, and "collared" him in the cellar, where the two had a tussle, Ledden coming off second-best. He was then taken to the jail and locked up.

Mud-Throwing Statesmen.

Gen. Butler and Wayne MacVeagh have been having a mud-throwing bout, which we have carefully watched, though we cannot tell which has won most honor in the contest.

Gen. Butler uses a sharp pen, and in a private letter which was published in all the papers he very strongly hinted that MacVeagh went to New Orleans with "the Commission" in the interests of a corrupt bargain between the Administration and the democratic revolutionists who were then seeking to get (and have since succeeded in getting) control of the State government of Louisiana.

MacVeagh also uses a sharp pen, and he promptly came up to the scratch with reflections on Butler's reputation for veracity and insinuations that he stole spoons and things at New Orleans.

Butler then "got back" at MacVeagh with an insinuation that he married for money, and is mad that his father-in-law Cameron will persist in living right along.

MacVeagh replies that Butler is very much no better than he should be, using the following language: "My chief purpose [in writing the mud-throwing letters] was to exhibit you as a warning to younger men, by showing them that, in spite of great ability and energy, you had become the leper of our politics, by reason of the general conviction that you habitually disregard the eighth and ninth commandments. That purpose has been fully answered by the comments of the country upon your character, and I have no further interest in the matter. I will not even take the trouble to deny any new falsehoods you may think it to your advantage to invent about me, for those who know me will not believe anything you say against me, and those who know you of course will not believe anything you say against anybody."

We do not propose to umpire this fight; Butler's friends consider him to have flattened out and destroyed MacVeagh, and the latter's friends say he hasn't left even a grease-spot of what was once Butler; but we are unable to decide with which combatant rests the glory. We do not believe the general public regards MacVeagh as a corrupt trickster, as Butler suggests he is; nor is Butler's reputation what MacVeagh says it is. Each one has undoubtedly said of the other what he knew to be untrue, under the spur of anger; and the correspondence shows that if Benjamin F. Butler is in reality the low blackguard MacVeagh says he is, that Wayne MacVeagh can write very like a low blackguard when he gets mad. And the latter's announcement that he will not fight any more, in the same letter in which he calls Butler a thief and a liar, seems very like throwing the last handful of mud and then taking refuge in a hole and pulling the hole in after him. "Oh, that mine enemy would write a" letter to the newspaper.

—A Sabbath school teacher was attempting to teach a very small boy the meaning of wages in the passage, "The wages of sin is death," and asked him, "What does your father get on Saturday night?" "Drunk, ma'am," answered the boy, without any hesitation.

A Point on Which the Doctors Agree.

Physicians who have tested Hostetter's Stomach Bitters concur in representing it to be an *eminently safe stimulant*, far preferable to the ordinary liquors of commerce, not only because it is infinitely pure. Its alcoholic basis is the finest old rye, and this is tempered and rendered medicinal by the curative ingredients of botanic origin which it holds in solution. It has often been imitated, but never rivalled, and is to day the leading tonic, diuretic and aperient of America. Malarial fevers are prevented and remedied by it, and it is a thoroughly reliable medicine in cases of dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaint, rheumatism, gout, nervousness, urinary and uterine affections. It improves the appetite, increases the bodily stamina, checks premature decay, and as a sustaining and comforting cordial for the aged and infirm is unequalled.

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THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world. — *Pueblo Col. People.*

MARRIED.

WHITE—WILLIAMS. In Great Falls, June 4th, Mr. James G. White of Boston, Mass., and Miss Ella M. Williams of Kittery, Me.

DIED.

CATE. In this city, June 8, Mr. Walter A. Cate aged 63 years.

TARLTON. In North Hampton, April 18, Mrs. Abigail Tarlton, aged 69 years, 10 mos.—June 10, her husband, Samuel Tarlton, aged 82 years.

BLACK. In Chelsea, June 8, William W. Black, aged 50 years, formerly of this city. His death was caused by falling from a building in Boston, Saturday, June 2nd. His remains will be brought to this city this afternoon at 3 o'clock, and interred in Harmony Grove Cemetery.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch Evelyn, Crowley, for this port from Hoboken, passed through Hell Gate June 7.

Sch Albion, Blackman, for this port cld from Philadelphia June 7.

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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTE , or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

—Felt hats—Those worn on a sore head.

—In a debate on the Leather Tax, in 1695, in the Irish House of Commons, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir John Plankett, observed, with great emphasis, "In the prosecution of the present war, every man ought to give his last guinea to protect the remainder." Mr. Vandeleur said, "However that might be, the tax on leather would be severely felt by the barefooted peasantry of Ireland." To which Sir Boyle Roche replied, that "This could be easily remedied by making the underleathers of wood."

—Little May had been on a visit to some of her mother's friends in Canada, and while there had heard the Sunday school hymn so well known, "Come to Jesus, He will wash you white as snow," etc. After her arrival at home, not feeling in a verry playful mood, she seated herself in her little rocking chair and began singing, "Come to Jesus—" which seemed to be all she could remember of the hymn. After repeating the words several times she was asked by her auntie, "May, where is Jesus?" May answered, "Over in Tanaday!" "Well, what does he do?" "He works," said May. "Works at what?" To which, after some hesitation, the little one replied, "He washes!"

—A droll discussion took place recently in the Town Council of Musselburgh, near Edinburgh. Bailie Smart moved that the Council spend £5 on the Queen's birthday. "Nothing of the sort," said Treasurer McKinlay. "Oh, you are teetotalers!" exclaimed the Provost. "It would be better for you," was the retort, "if you were all teetotallers. If you want to fuddle, have it at your own expense." After more sharp talk the Provost said, with much dignity, "In consequence of the coolness with which the motion is regarded, and since we cannot observe the day in a manner creditable to Her Majesty, we had better let the matter drop." "Your conduct," he added, addressing the Council, "is utterly contemptible." So the five-pound note will not be abstracted from the borough funds.

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Gold	1024
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110
United States Ten-Forties coupon	111
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	105
Eastern R. R. scrip	5½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62
Boston & Maine	95½
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	135
Nashua & Lowell	95
Concord	74
Eastern	41
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Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
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Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ers or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall carry them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to have any such meat, fish, or other offal of any kind about their sta ls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, he shall Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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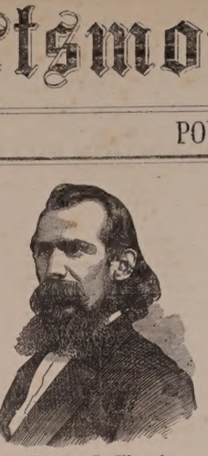

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[Written for the Chronicle.]

Memories of Napoleon the Great, Living and Dead.

As the years go by, since the great soldier who made all Europe tremble was running his brilliant career, more and more rare does it become to find one who looked upon the living face of Napoleon the First, as he came to be termed, when, strange as it would once have seemed, his nephew succeeded him upon the throne of France. It was not so within the memory of many of the present generation. I saw him, said, in substance, a resident of Portsmouth, since deceased, to the writer, at the head of a hundred thousand of the half million who followed him to Moscow, (ef whom, very sadly, so few returned,) and can never forget the enthusiasm his presence awakened within me, scarcely less, I think, than that apparent in the faces of his soldiers who so loved him; but while he had been looked upon, through English spectacles, as an ogre, and all sorts of evil beings to be detested, I had not so regarded him; for, while not a Washington, whom I had seen in my boyhood, on his last visit to Portsmouth, and though not concurring by far in the picture Byron drew of him and his career in his familiar poem, I well remember the pleasure with which I read it on its first appearance, until able to repeat it for the most part from memory, and how fully I agreed with it in sentiment in its fierce denunciation of "the land of the Gaul" for its base desertion of him at his downfall, when all Europe combined against him at Waterloo. Within a very few years, the narrator of this sketch saw among Julian's band at New York, and listened to the tones of his little instrument, the flageolet, that were like the notes of a bird in sweetness, a veteran, who, as a soldier, in his youth had accompanied Napoleon to Russia, and though suffering the horrors of the terrible retreat it makes one shudder to read of even at this late day, never lost his faith in or affection for the great captain; and among his other memories of him, loved to recall the night when many thousands of his comrades set on fire the bundles of straw, holding them upwards upon their bayonets, that had been dealt out to them to sleep upon, to bid him welcome when he joined them. No one of foreign birth, save Lafayette, since since the noble men such as Kosciusko, who served in our revolutionary struggle, was ever received in this country with warmer regard than the brave Marshal Bertrand, the "faithful among the faithless," who accompanied Napoleon to St. Helena and remained with him there until he died, and bore a conspicuous part in the removal of his remains to France, and in consigning them to their final repose beneath the dome of the Invalides. To thousands who greeted him here, so closely were they associated in the history of the past, it seemed almost as if they had seen his great commander, for whom his love was like that of David and Jonathan. Interesting as these memories are to him who recalls them, and others of a like nature, even more so are those he received from a lady who saw Napoleon often from the time in her childhood when he landed from the ship that bore him to St. Helena, until he was laid in his tomb upon the "lone barren isle;" his hands had been laid upon her head in benediction, more than once had she received a kiss from his lips, and she had been permitted to look upon his dead face and touch his dead hand when he was again brought to the light of day after reposing in the earth, while the ocean waves sounded a requiem around him by night and by day, for a score of years; and if it was with a saddened heart and tearful eyes that she saw the interment in her early youth of the mortal remains of the dead Emperor, it was with a feeling of the deepest awe that in her womanhood she witnessed their exhumation. Remembering its every particular, it was with emotion scarcely less than if it was still before her, that she recalled the scene. Commencing at midnight on the 15th of October, 1840, it was nine hours she said, before the enormous stone that covered it could be lifted from the tomb. As if fearful that the mighty dead would break forth and make the nations again to tremble, as he had done so often in life, his sepulchre had been constructed seemingly to last until the last great day. Prayer was made when the coffin was reached, and then, after the encasing metals were removed, and the lid raised, Napoleon was seen as if reposing upon his bed in slumber. The awe-struck spectators at once detected the fact that one hand was removed from the attitude in which it had been laid to repose, and for a moment a feeling of horror filled all hearts that the dead had revived after being laid in the grave, until Gen. Bertrand dispelled the dreadful thought by saying to one, who like himself had assisted at the interment, "Do you not remember that after we had arranged his limbs, and just before we left him, I raised that hand to kiss it?" Very curiously, while time had dimmed all the other ornaments; the Cross of the Legion of Honor still retained its brightness. Remembering with affection the gentle kindness with which the great man had treated her when but a little child, she had visited his tomb often as long as his remains reposed there; chatting when she did so with the veteran soldier who kept his post—the "Old Guard" indeed, who never deserted his master—until he accompanied his remains

to France, where he was the first who was allowed to land, and where he was embraced by the great and honored who thought themselves honored in thus doing. Familiar with him for so long a time, it was with the deepest regret that the lady, as she said, took leave of him when he left St. Helena in the steamer that bore the remains of the Emperor from the rocky isle he had made so famed for all time. In the same room where this interesting narration to the writer took place, the once familiar engraving of "Napoleon Musing at St. Helena" could be seen. Pointing to it she said, "That is no fancy sketch. After visiting, with General and Madame Bertrand, on my sixth birthday, as it chanced, the basaltic columns upon the rocky shore that are such an attraction to strangers, I saw the Emperor, who had been near us all the time, just in that attitude, with folded arms, looking forth upon the sea." J. H. B.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1877.

The War.

The desperate attempts of the Turks to force a passage through the Duga Pass have been defeated and the Turks driven back by the Montenegrins, the former losing 4000 men and the latter 700. The fighting lasted five days.

The Russians made several attempts to cross the Danube on Saturday, but they are believed to have been mere feints to cover the real movements.

A battle on the Danube between six Russian torpedo boats and three Turkish iron-clads, in which the former were driven off and three of them sunk, is reported.

News and Notes.

The Mansion House at Augusta, Maine, was totally destroyed by fire at one o'clock this morning. Six horses were burned to death.

Several thousand baskets of strawberries were thrown overboard at New York on Saturday night, the traders being unable to sell them at any price. They sold during the day at from two to three cents per basket, and were exceedingly fine berries.

The small boys and the big boys of Brooklyn are not to be allowed fireworks on the Fourth of July.

John Cleary, an Irishman of Newport, R. I., is under arrest for most inhumanly beating his two children for neglecting to attend the Catholic church schools. It is believed one of the children will die, both of them having been fearfully cut up with a knotted clothes-line. The savage brute is held in $1000 bail.

Isaac B. Sawtelle, Jr., is under arrest in Boston for enticing several young girls to secluded places or houses of bad reputation, and feloniously assaulting them. Three of his victims have positively identified him.

The ship Gustave and Oscar, from Bremen, reports that on June 6, lat. 42 20 N., long. 64 22 W., spoke a small two-masted boat from New Bedford for London, having one man and woman on board, undoubtedly Capt. Crapo and his wife.

The steamer Bermuda has arrived at Halifax, N. S., from St. John's, N. F. The Newfoundland seal fishery for the season has resulted in a catch of 412,000 seals, 43,000 being taken on the second trip. In number and weight the catch of the year is good, but the depreciation in value reduces it to an average one.

The clipper ship Canterbury has won the annual race of wool-ships from New Zealand to London, making the passage in sixty-five days, the fastest time on record.

A mysterious attempt was made a few nights ago to abduct a young woman named Parmelee from her home in Bristol, R. I. In the early evening her mother, who is in feeble health, went into the woodshed for some purpose, and was seized and gagged by two men, who carried her away to the woods. They said that they had been waiting two months for a chance to steal her. In their hasty flight they had not noticed that their prisoner was the mother of the person whom they intended to capture. Arrived at a place of safety, they struck a light and discovered their mistake. After a few curses, their victim was set free and allowed to return to her home, where she was prostrated for several days by the shock to her nervous system. There is no clue to the men who attempted the abduction, and nothing is known of the motive for the act. Mrs. Parmelee is unable to identify or describe the ruffians. The citizens are watching for a repetition of the attempt, and measures have been taken to prevent its success.

D. Lothrop & Co., are to issue immediately, as summer reading for the young folks, the initial volumes of the Sea-side Series, "Nan, the New-Fashioned Girl," by Mrs. S. C. Hallowell, and "Good-for-Nothing Polly," by Ella Farman, the former for the girls, the latter for the boys, "Polly" being a delightful young scapegrace drawn from life. The same firm will also bring out at once a handsome edition of "The Confessions of Augustine," a rare religious work long out of print.

The dead body of an unknown man has been found in the ruins of the fire at Galveston, Texas.

A negro caught attempting to break into a store in Nashville, Tenn., Saturday night, was arrested by the police, but was soon after taken from their custody by a mob and drowned in the river. Such incidents as this, which are constantly occurring in the South, evince a reckless disregard for the law, such as a northern man can form little idea of. When mob-law goes to the extent of murder in the large cities, as a common thing, and the murderers go unpunished by the law and are supported by public opinion, there is little wonder that the semi-civilized inhabitants of the country districts commit such atrocities as the Kemper county massacre.

A relative of the ring fugitive Connolly states that the ex-Comptroller says he will not give a red cent to New York city and don't care whether he ever sees the place again. It is understood that Keyser, Fields and Genet, of ring fame, will be permitted to make a settlement on the same basis as Sweeney and Tweed.

The wife of Capt. Tyrell of the schooner Ario Pardee, who died aboard of the vessel off Saybrook, Conn., while on a voyage from Perth Amboy to Somerset, Mass., is accused of poisoning him. His stomach shows death from poison.

The Centennial of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as our flag will be observed at Boston on the 14th, when Mr. Nathan Appleton will deliver an address on the subject. Mrs. William Stuart Appleton, 39 Beacon street, has the "Star-spangled banner" of Fort McHenry, celebrated by Francis S. Key. Lieutenant-Colonel George Armstead, who defended the fort, had the flag made to fling to the breeze on the occasion of Mrs. Appleton's (his daughter's) birth, which event took place only a couple of days before the bombardment.

A Chicago *Tribune* correspondent writing from Black Hills reports wages declining, the population increasing, and prices rising. On the 13th of May, flour was worth $16 per hundred pounds at Deadwood; it rose rapidly for three days, until on the afternoon of the 16th, it was $35 per hundred. That night a heavily laden ox-train came in, and in the morning flour had fallen to $16 again. Men with lean pocket-books are better off at home.

Autographs went begging at the last auction sale at New York. Even a letter written and signed by the own hand of Theodore Tilton only brought five cents, while the great George Francis Train's signature was sold at seven cents. But these, seriously speaking, were enormous prices comparatively, because the autograph of Dickens, which usually brings at least $5 was sold for $1; Tom Moore's sold for $3.-25; the Duke of Wellington's for $2.10; Sheridan's for $4.25; and Mad. de Stael's for $4.50. Rare and large paper copies of books at the same sale brought no better prices.

New Hampshire Items.

Twelve men and boys were arrested for indecent exposure by bathing in the Merrimac River near the Amoskeag Bridge, Manchester, on Sunday.

O'Brien, the East Boston thief and bully, who assaulted Officer Frain of Manchester and got shot for his pains, did a good thing Monday morning: He died.

Frank Miller was arrested at Hudson on Sunday while breaking into a house.

Political.

The Troy (N. Y.) *Press*, a rabid democratic sheet, says: "Grant's visit to England and the ovations he has received were all gotten up to spite Hayes, and we shall expect to see an effort made after Grant's return to run him for the much-coveted third term on the virtue of his 'popularity abroad.' We shall see how that thing works." To call the democrat who runs the Troy *Press* a donkey would evidently be no slander.

There have been a good many shallow jibes about the number of Federal offices bestowed upon Ohio men, but an examination of the matter reveals the fact that a smaller proportion of appointments has been made from that State than from most others. It has not a clerk or employe in the State Department. In the Consular and Diplomatic Service it has received 8 appointments, while New York has had 38. In the Secretary of the Navy's office Ohio has 1 clerk, Pennsylvania 13. Of Assistant Surgeons in the army now in service, Ohio has 2, Pennsylqania 30, and New York 27. In the Quartermaster's Department Ohio has 48 and New York 14. In the Pay Department of the Army Ohio has 8, New York 23, and Pennsylvania 17. Among the Engineers of the Navy Ohio has 5, New York 62, and Pennsylvania 61.

The grandson of a prominent well-known citizen of the Highland District rushed into the house recently and exclaimed with much vigor and great excitement: "O grandpa; I've just seen the worst Irish funeral I ever saw in my life. The men were all in the open carriages and shouting and smoking cigars!" Gentle reader, the "men" were the members of the City Council out investigating the new park scheme! A true story, as related at the City Hall.—*Boston Globe.*

Butler's personal allusion to Wayne MacVeagh's family matters requires explanation before the record of the controversy between these two great men can be considered complete. MacVeagh is a son-in-law of Simon Cameron, but the way he married into that family was by eloping with the young woman. Whether the Cameron family regard MacVeagh with the dislike and want of respect which Butler asserts we do not know, but the fact that he is out of sympathy with them in political matters seems to give some color to the charge. The extraordinary tenacity with which Old Simon holds on to life is what Butler refers to when he intimates that MacVeagh, having married for a share in his money, has waited many years in vain for "dead men's shoes."—*Pittsburg (Pa.) Leader.*

—A near sighted and modest resident of Cazenovia entered a dry goods store in that village, and, thinking to perpetrate a joke, stepped up to the dummy on which new patterns of dresses and mantles are displayed, and struck it on the shoulder, saying, "Well, old woman, how are you?" The old woman at once turned around and not only answered his question, but volunteered a great deal of information besides.

—A cross dog will make the top of a hemlock board fence feel soft as downy pillows are.

—A Georgia man named Thomas Henry is about attempting the feat of exploring an unknown cave half way down the side of a precipice on Stone Mountain. To do this he will have to be lowered from the top by a rope 2100 feet long.

—There is said to be a young girl in Clinton, Canada, whose eyesight is as good as anybody's by day, but when night sets in she becomes blind and has to be led around. She is in good health, and the cause of this singular phenomenon is a mystery.

—An exchange observes that a man who had sunk so low as to hold a seat in the New York Assembly a few years ago, by turning over a new leaf and devoting himself to honest industry, has risen to the high position of captain of a base ball nine in Kansas. There is hope for the most degraded.

—The romantic story of the elopement of a beautiful young nun of St. Franciscus Hospital, Pittsburg, Penn., with a young doctor of the institution, is qualified by the fact that the young woman had not taken the vows at all, but was only a probationer. Under the provocation of the handsome doctor she simply elected that wedded life was preferable to conventual chastity.

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MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking Dr. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. *I know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story, I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir*:—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for eight or ten winters, and have been traveling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most piteously. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mathis, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have live applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1876.

THOS. W. LANE—*Sir*:—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend the use of those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.

MRS. P. L. ELLIOTT.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
" Way,	10.40 "	4.45 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.45, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
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Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.45 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, *10.15 P. M
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Portland and East,	11.20 " 5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
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Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

[Communicated.]

WHAT CAN WE DO ABOUT IT?

Is there no way in which we can protect our cemeteries from the ravages of thoughtless and heartless boys and men? It would seem that these places, if no others, might be kept inviolate: as if the flowers which were planted, and the birds which sing and nest among our dead, might be left undisturbed by the hand of theft and of cruelty. But what is the truth? One scarcely dares to arrange a flowering vase, or a tasteful plot of shrubs and vines, the flowers and roots are so continually stolen. Young men have been seen actually shooting the little birds "which sing among the branches;" and if a too confiding robin or thrush dares to build its nest within the reach of human cruelty, it is ruthlessly torn down and carried away with its eggs or helpless young.

A robin built this spring in my lot: in a spruce tree, too low, alas! to prove a secure resting place. I have watched it from week to week with almost painful anxiety, knowing how little honor or mercy there was to be found among men. Sunday before last four little ones were in the nest; last Sunday all was gone—birds, and young and nest. Do you think I enjoyed my walk, that calm Summer evening, in a place where of all others we ought to be free from hard or bitter thoughts?

It is a crying shame that no place and no thing is safe; that civilized people can have no rights which these savages are bound to respect. But what can be done? I would gladly give a considerable sum to have my little birds safe back again, or, since that cannot be, to protect those yet unmolested. But what will money do? A reward has already been offered for the conviction of the bird murderers seen in the same place recently. And what will law do? Our bird law, if enforced, would protect all birds, old and young, in field or forest or garden. The law against trespass would of itself protect our cemeteries; but these laws seem powerless. What *can* we do?

M. A. F.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, June 11th.

Michael Ledden, a young fellow of about twenty, and having much the appearance of a vagrant, was bound over in the sum of $600 to appear at the October term of the Supreme Court to answer to a charge of attempting to steal goods from a freight car on the Eastern railroad. In default of bail, Ledden went to jail.

A VALUABLE FOG-SIGNAL.

A good illustration of the value of the bell on Whale's-back as a guide for vessels entering—or trying to enter—this port in a fog was afforded on Saturday. The bell was heard tinkling all the afternoon by Mr. Pearson, at his place on Broad street,—several miles away, but on land, and nearly dead to leeward of the light-house; but it could not be heard at sea or to windward far enough to guide in a vessel bound into the port, though there was but a moderate breeze blowing at the time, and no sea running to speak of; and a valuable vessel owed her salvation from total wreck within a few miles of the light-house solely to the fact that she carries a centre-board, for had she been a keel vessel her first intimation of danger would have come from a smash on the rocks. The last Congress appropriated a sum of money to put a Daboll fog-trumpet on Whale's-back; and though we consider the sum referred to utterly insufficient for the purpose, (for the new tower has not room for a steam fog-horn, and the old tower was condemned as unsafe before the new one was built, and has not become any more safe since,) yet we give Hon. Frank Jones credit for bringing the matter before Congress, for the fact that any appropriation at all was made was an acknowedgement that a better signal than we now have is a necessity. We hope Mr. Jones will push the matter when Congress meets again, so that before another Winter sets in we may have a signal that can be heard further than a dab of mud thrown against a brick wall; and if the light-house engineers decide that such a signal cannot be placed on Whale's-back until the old tower is rebuilt, then let it in the meantime be put on the extremity of Odiorne's Point,—which would not be a bad place for it permanently, for a large proportion of the vessels making the harbor come in to the westward of the Shoals, and would pick up the sound of an effective signal on Odiorne's Point in ample time to steer clear of danger. Let Congressman Jones urge this matter—as we feel assured he will gladly do—and if the parties most in interest, the shippers and ship-masters and fishermen, will also work for it, before the snow flies again there will be some kind of a decent fog-signal somewhere at the harbor's mouth.

JOTTINGS.

The employes of the Eldredge Brewing Company have formed a rifle club for the purpose of practice in target shooting. To give zest to the sport they have procured an elegant gold badge, to be given to the champion shot. The Creedmoor target, six feet by four, will be used, and the best score at two hundred and three hundred yards (five shots at each distance) will decide who will carry off the honors—and the badge. As there are a number of good shots in the club the contest will no doubt be very interesting. The badge was made by Messrs. C. E. & J. E. Dixon, and its unique and chaste design and superior workmanship reflect credit on their establishment.

If you need anything in the harness-maker's line, call on Tilton, at No. 18 Congress street. He has a full line of all goods kept in a first-class harness-store, and makes and mends in the best manner, using only the best materials.

We clipped the following extracts from a recent issue of the *Times*. They read well together, and we heartily endorse all the assertions made: "Whatever can be purchased of our own citizens, of as good quality and at as low prices as can be bought elsewhere, should be purchased at home. Many of our people have found to their cost that they cannot do as well by going abroad to buy. As a rule,—and the rule has very few exceptions,—a dollar expended in Portsmouth brings as good a return as anywhere else. Our citizens should remember that in giving a liberal support to any honorable business man here, they are helping the material prosperity of the city." "Read the advertisements and trade with those who advertise. You will save money by so doing."

The stock of groceries in the store on Market street recently occupied by Samuel Rowe, will be sold at Sheriff's sale to-day, on the premises, at 10 o'clock A. M. Also at same time and place, the store fixtures, and a wagon, sleigh, pung and harness. See advertisement.

Mr. D. J. Lynch, having purchased the stock in trade and good-will in business of the late Lafayette Laighton, will continue the business at the old stand, No. 44 Market street. See his advertisement in another column.

The One Hundredth anniversary of the Stars and Stripes will be celebrated Thursday evening, by a Grand Promenade Concert at Mechanics' Hall. Music by Harlow's Orchestra. Tickets 50 cents; ladies free. *

The Summer arrangement of trains on the Eastern railroad went into effect on Monday.

The celebration at Langdon Park on Thursday will be extremely interesting. Many prominent men will be present, and a highly interesting programme has been arranged.

The Portsmouth *Weekly* says: "The new organist at the Unitarian church in this city, Miss Lizzie Davis, is a pupil of Mr. A. Pearson, who has instructed most of the young organists in the city for several years. Miss Davis was recommended by Miss Miller, who declined holding the position at any reduction of salary. Miss Lizzie Ham, one of the most charming singers we have ever had in the city, has accepted the position of soprano in the quartet at this church, which otherwise remains the same as last year." The *Weekly* might have added that the retiring organist, Miss Miller, is included in the list of Mr. Pearson's pupils.

The Antiques and Horribles will be out on the coming 4th of July, and we learn that some persons who believe that good and effective hits at local shortcomings can be made through this medium, have nearly completed their arrangements for administering the said hits, which are expected to make the body politic hold its nose.

Mr. Benjamin Carr, a well known photographer and prominent citizen of Concord, who while reaching out of a third-story window in that city on Saturday, lost his balance and fell to the ground, receiving injuries from which he died, was formerly a resident of this city, and married a daughter of the late Mr. Levi Moses. Mr. Carr's wife survives him, and he leaves one daughter.

Schooner Light of Home, Capt. L. F. Doane, with one hundred and eighty barrels of mackerel, arrived at Doane's wharf Sunday afternoon, the first fare of mackerel landed here this season; the Light of Home sailed for the Block Island fishing ground, Monday afternoon. Schooner Glide, Capt. Thomas Jamieson, arrived at Doane's wharf Sunday evening with thirty thousand pounds of split cod, the result of twelve days' fishing; the Glide goes to Gloucester, Mass., to wash out. Schooner Daniel Marcy, with two hundred and thirty barrels of mackerel, the Henry M. Clark, with two hundred and fifty barrels, and the Mayor Jones, with one hundred and twenty-five barrels, are expected to arrive at Doane's wharf this week.

A company of forty-five boys has been organized at the High School, to take part in the celebration of Thursday. Several of the pupils are connected with other companies, and some were unwilling to march, otherwise the company would have been larger. The officers chosen are: Captain, J. H. Emery; First Lieut., S. W. Foss; Second Lieut., A. R. Locke; Orderly Sergeant, D. S. Broderick. It is expected that all, or nearly all, the school will be present at the Maypole, and sing "The Red, White and Blue," under the lead of Prof. S. W. Cole, who is now giving the school instruction in music preparatory to exhibition.

—An ingenious girl, who has never "a feller" in the world, goads the other girls in her neighborhood to madness by lighting up the parlor brilliantly and then setting her father's hat where its shadow will be boldly marked against the curtain.

—The exhumation of the obelisk "Cleopatra's needle" near Alexandria, Egypt, for London has been completed. Eighteen inches of the apex is gone, and the corners are somewhat damaged, otherwise it is in a fair condition.

—Here's another warning. A man refused to stay at home after an early supper and help his wife whitewash the back yard fence, and his black hair turned white in less than a minute.

—The St. Louis *Globe* makes honorable mention of an oaken chest in that city which, it asserts, is 800 years old. The boards are an inch and a half in thickness, and are held together by wooden pegs.

A Point on Which the Doctors Agree.

Physicians who have tested Hostetter's Stomach Bitters concur in representing it to be an *eminently safe stimulant*, for preferable to the ordinary liquors of commerce, not only because it is infinitely pure. Its alcoholic basis is the finest old rye, and this is tempered and rendered medicinal by the curative ingredients of botanic origin which it holds in solution. It has often been imitated, but never rivalled, and is to day the leading tonic, diuretic and aperient of America. Malarial fevers are prevented and remedied by it, and it is a thoroughly reliable medicine in cases of dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaint, rheumatism, gout, nervousness, urinary and uterine affections. It improves the appetite, increases the bodily stamina, checks premature decay, and as a sustaining and comforting cordial for the aged and infirm is unequalled.

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THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world.—*Pueblo Col. People.*

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Sch Ellen Elizabeth, Duryea, York.
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Daily Chronicle.

—A Harlem man has a goat which he has named "Oleomargarine," because it is a very poor kind of butter.

—"J. R. Grosse, Grocer, Groceries," is the positive, comparative, and superlative style of a Brighton store-keeper's sign.

—In six of the spaces under the arches of the theatre at Naples, Italy, opening to the street, are arranged little pine tables, at each of which sits an elderly and intelligent looking man, with an inkstand and stationery before him, and usually with a customer seated alongside and pouring a voluable story into his attentive ear. These are the public letter writers, who will indite for you an epistle of any kind, from a love letter or a proposal of marriage up to a ferocious dun or a cartel of defiance.

—A Parisian and his wife quarrelled. "I shall drown myself," she finally cried out, exasperated. "Go, if I am all that deters you," he answered. Still, he followed her, and when she threw herself into the Seine, plunged in and brought her to land. As he was climbing up the bank, however, he slipped back into the river, and being exhausted by his previous exertion, was unable to save himself. His wife seeing his situation, plunged in after him, but as she could not swim, that was of no avail, and both must have been drowned had it not been for the timely arrival of some policemen, who pulled them out. The pair went home like two turtle-doves.

—The fishermen of Norway carry in their fishing boats a water telescope or tube three or four feet in length. They immerse one end in the water, and then, looking intently through the glass, they are enabled to perceive objects ten or fifteen fathoms deep, as distinctly as if they were within a few feet of the surface. Hence, when they discover plenty of fish they surround them with their large draught nets, and often catch them by hundreds at a single haul, which, were it not for these telescopes, would often prove precarious and unprofitable fishing. This instrument is not only used by the fishermen, but it is also found in the navy and coasting vessels.

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United States Ten-Forties coupon	111½
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Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	114
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	30½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	50½
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	132½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	4½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	108
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	42½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	32½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	5½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

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Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.60.
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Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $19 @ $21.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Fr. 11 @12; Gr. 12; Crushed 13½c.
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FROM WOLFEBORO' 8:40, A. M., 3:30 P. M.

FROM GREAT FALLS 7:34, 10:27, A. M., 2:32, 4:52 P. M.

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the ground. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to carry any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing adverse said to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Tsernagora, or Montenegro.

The following article, which we take from an exchange, is of peculiar interest just now, when the "conflict of ages" between the Turks and Montenegrins is raging so fiercely. It gives the most graphic description of the country and people of Montenegro we have ever seen, and fully explains the trouble the Turks have had in "revictualling Niesics," which has been a standing job for them for over a year, and is not yet finished:

The backbone of European Turkey is a mountain formation shaped like the letter T. The upright line is the range between Albania and Roumelia. The horizontal line represents the Balkans. On the west, the line of the Balkans intersects the Alpine chain, running down the eastern coast of the Adriatic. The wild and broken region where the Alps and the Balkans meet, is known as the Black Mountain country—Montenegro. The principal peaks, Mount Dormitor on the northeast and Kutsh Kow on the southeast, are 8500 and 9300 feet above the sea level. The hills are wooded with dark forests of fir, oak and poplar.

For five hundred years, the people of this mountain region have held at bay the tide of Turkish war, which in 1389 overwhelmed the great Servian kingdom. Montenegro was then a part of Servia, and was governed by a prince of the royal blood. The language of the mountaineers is still a very pure Sclavonic dialect; their religion is still the religion of the Greek church. Their whole territory is 1880 square miles; Rhode Island contains 1300 miles. They number 130,000, with an army of 26,000 fighting men and a reserve of 14,000; Rhode Island has a population of 217,000.

Far up in the western part of the Black Hills is the capital, Cettigne, containing twenty or thirty well built houses, besides a convent and the Prince's palace. From this citadel, the river Zeta flows down to Lake Scutari, south of the mountains. To Cettigne, in 1484, Ivan Tchernoievitch removed the seat of government. Scutari, on the lake, had been taken by the Turks; the Herzegovinians on the north had submitted; Ivan withdrew to the mountains, and wonderful to relate, took with him a printing press, only 28 years after the appearance of the first printed book!

The mountaineers have had but little time for literature. It was a part of their fundamental law, that no son of Tsernagors,—as they call the Black Mountain in their own tongue,—should quit the field without the order of his chief; that a runaway should be forever disgraced, and banished from his people: that he should be dressed in woman's clothes, and presented with a distaff; and that the women, striking him with their distaffs, should hunt the coward away from the sanctuary of freedom. The struggle with the Turks lasted, with but little intermission, until 1714. In 1710, the Czar of Russia promised to the Prince of Montenegro an annual subsidy of 8000 ducats, which is still faithfully paid. The Turkish victory of 1714 was only temporary. As soon as the Turks withdrew, the Montenegrins refused to pay their taxes. In 1722, 1727 and 1732, Turkish armies were bitterly discomfitted, and so it has continued to this day. Last year, in July, 4000 of the Turks commanded by Mukhtar Pasha were slain with a loss of only 70 Montenegrins; in August, 5,000 Montenegrins put to flight 20,000 Turks; in September five Montenegrin battalions defeated Dervisch Pasha and slew 3000 of his men; in October, Dervisch Pasha was again driven down into the plains, with a loss of 2,000 men.

The Turks last year brought 130,000 men against the Black Mountain—an army equal to the whole population. The result of the campaign was a Turkish loss of 26,000, and a Montenegrin loss of 1,000. The mountaineers, of course, have the advantage of defending their passes against an attacking enemy. The armistice put an end, for the time being, to this series of Turkish disasters. Since the renewal of hostilities, there has been more actual fighting among the Montenegrin hills than on the Danube.

The Turkish effort now is to revictual the fort of Niesics. The Black Mountain is shaped like a wasp. In the middle, deep valleys penetrate the hills on each side, and in these valleys the Turks have established two strong fortresses—Niesics on the north, and Spuz on the south. These two forts are less than twenty miles apart, but the intervening region is nearly inaccessible. Spuz is easily reached by the Turks from Scutari and Podgoritza. Niesics can only be approached through the Duga pass. The Turks are not now fighting for conquest, but to maintain the two forts.

The road from Gatschko to Niesics is the route which Suleiman Pasha has taken. The pass begins at Fort Kristacs, and from that point, the Turks must advance in single file along two tortuous paths, exposed at every step to the fatal fire of the Montenegrins from behind the rocky parapets of overhanging cliffs. The Turks last Monday lost 3000 men in trying to dislodge the Montenegrins from the heights beyond Kristacs. The Montenegrin loss is reported at 600. The Montenegrins then withdrew from the heights, and on Wednesday suddenly attacked Spuz, but retired leaving 23 dead and 16 wounded.

The first code of written laws was promulgated in Montenegro by Prince Peter,

to France, where he was the first who was allowed to land, and where he was embraced by the great and honored who thought themselves honored in thus doing. Familiar with him for so long a time, it was with the deepest regret that the lady, as she said, took leave of him when he left St. Helena in the steamer that bore the remains of the Emperor from the rocky isle he had made so famed for all time. In the same room where this interesting narration to the writer took place, the once familiar engraving of "Napoleon Musing at St. Helena" could be seen. Pointing to it she said, "That is no fancy sketch. After visiting, with General and Madame Bertrand, on my sixth birthday, as it chanced, the basaltic columns upon the rocky shore that are such an attraction to strangers, I saw the Emperor, who had been near us all the time, just in that attitude, with folded arms, looking forth upon the sea." J. H. B.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JUNE 12, 1877.

The War.

The desperate attempts of the Turks to force a passage through the Duga Pass have been defeated and the Turks driven back by the Montenegrins, the former losing 4000 men and the latter 700. The fighting lasted five days.

The Russians made several attempts to cross the Danube on Saturday, but they are believed to have been mere feints to cover the real movements.

A battle on the Danube between six Russian torpedo boats and three Turkish iron-clads, in which the former were driven off and three of them sunk, is reported.

News and Notes.

The Mansion House at Augusta, Maine, was totally destroyed by fire at one o'clock this morning. Six horses were burned to death.

Several thousand baskets of strawberries were thrown overboard at New York on Saturday night, the traders being unable to sell them at any price. They sold during the day at from two to three cents per basket, and were exceedingly fine berries.

The small boys and the big boys of Brooklyn are not to be allowed fireworks on the Fourth of July.

John Cleary, an Irishman of Newport, R. I., is under arrest for most inhumanly beating his two children for neglecting to attend the Catholic church schools. It is believed one of the children will die, both of them having been fearfully cut up with a knotted clothes-line. The savage brute is held in $1000 bail.

Isaac B. Sawtelle, Jr., is under arrest in Boston for enticing several young girls to secluded places or houses of bad reputation, and feloniously assaulting them. Three of his victims have positively identified him.

The ship Gustave and Oscar, from Bremen, reports that on June 6, lat. 42 20 N., long. 64 22 W., spoke a small two-masted boat from New Bedford for London, having one man and woman on board, undoubtedly Capt. Crapo and his wife.

The steamer Bermuda has arrived at Halifax, N. S., from St. John's, N. F. The Newfoundland seal fishery for the season has resulted in a catch of 412,000 seals, 43,000 being taken on the second trip. In number and weight the catch of the year is good, but the depreciation in value reduces it to an average one.

The clipper ship Canterbury has won the annual race of wool-ships from New Zealand to London, making the passage in sixty-five days, the fastest time on record.

A mysterious attempt was made a few nights ago to abduct a young woman named Parmelee from her home in Bristol, R. I. In the early evening her mother, who is in feeble health, went into the woodshed for some purpose, and was seized and gagged by two men, who carried her away to the woods. They said that they had been waiting two months for a chance to steal her. In their hasty flight they had not noticed that their prisoner was the mother of the person whom they intended to capture. Arrived at a place of safety, they struck a light and discovered their mistake. After a few curses, their victim was set free and allowed to return to her home, where she was prostrated for several days by the shock to her nervous system. There is no clue to the men who attempted the abduction, and nothing is known of the motive for the act. Mrs. Parmelee is unable to identify or describe the ruffians. The citizens are watching for a repetition of the attempt, and measures have been taken to prevent its success.

D. Lothrop & Co., are to issue immediately, as summer reading for the young folks, the initial volumes of the Sea-side Series, "Nan, the New-Fashioned Girl," by Mrs. S. C. Hallowell, and "Good-for-Nothing Polly," by Ella Farman, the former for the girls, the latter for the boys. "Polly" being a delightful young scapegrace drawn from life. The same firm will also bring out at once a handsome edition of "The Confessions of Augustine," a rare religious work long out of print.

The dead body of an unknown man has been found in the ruins of the fire at Galveston, Texas.

A negro caught attempting to break into a store in Nashville, Tenn., Saturday night, was arrested by the police, but was soon after taken from their custody by a mob and drowned in the river. Such incidents as this, which are constantly occurring in the South, evince a reckless disregard for the law, such as a northern man can form little idea of. When mob-law goes to the extent of murder in the large cities, as a common thing, and the murderers go unpunished by the law and are supported by public opinion, there is little wonder that the semi-civilized inhabitants of the country districts commit such atrocities as the Kemper county massacre.

A relative of the ring fugitive Connolly states that the ex-Comptroller says he will not give a red cent to New York city and don't care whether he ever sees the place again. It is understood that Keyser, Fields and Genet, of ring fame, will be permitted to make a settlement on the same basis as Sweeney and Tweed.

The wife of Capt. Tyrell of the schooner Ario Pardee, who died aboard of the vessel off Saybrook, Conn., while on a voyage from Perth Amboy to Somerset, Mass., is accused of poisoning him. His stomach shows death from poison.

The Centennial of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as our flag will be observed at Boston on the 14th, when Mr. Nathan Appleton will deliver an address on the subject. Mrs. William Stuart Appleton, 39 Beacon street, has the "Star-spangled banner" of Fort McHenry, celebrated by Francis S. Key. Lieutenant-Colonel George Armstead, who defended the fort, had the flag made to fling to the breeze on the occasion of Mrs. Appleton's (his daughter's) birth, which event took place only a couple of days before the bombardment.

A Chicago *Tribune* correspondent writing from Black Hills reports wages declining, the population increasing, and prices rising. On the 13th of May, flour was worth $16 per hundred pounds at Deadwood; it rose rapidly for three days, until on the afternoon of the 16th, it was $35 per hundred. That night a heavily laden ox-train came in, and in the morning flour had fallen to $16 again. Men with lean pocket-books are better off at home.

Autographs went begging at the last auction sale at New York. Even a letter written and signed by the own hand of Theodore Tilton only brought five cents, while the great George Francis Train's signature was sold at seven cents. But these, seriously speaking, were enormous prices comparatively, because the autograph of Dickens, which usually brings at least $5 was sold for $1; Tom Moore's sold for $3.-25; the Duke of Wellington's for $2.10; Sheridan's for $4.25; and Mad. de Stael's for $4.50. Rare and large paper copies of books at the same sale brought no better prices.

New Hampshire Items.

Twelve men and boys were arrested for indecent exposure by bathing in the Merrimac River near the Amoskeag Bridge, Manchester, on Sunday.

O'Brien, the East Boston thief and bully who assaulted Officer Frain of Manchester and got shot for his pains, did a good thing Monday morning. He died.

Frank Miller was arrested at Hudson on Sunday while breaking into a house.

Political.

The Troy (N. Y.) *Press*, a rabid democratic sheet, says: "Grant's visit to England and the ovations he has received were all gotten up to spite Hayes, and we shall expect to see an effort made after Grant's return to run him for the much-coveted third term on the virtue of his 'popularity abroad.' We shall see how that thing works." To call the democrat who runs the Troy *Press* a donkey would evidently be no slander.

There have been a good many shallow jibes about the number of Federal offices bestowed upon Ohio men, but an examination of the matter reveals the fact that a smaller proportion of appointments has been made from that State than from most others. It has not a clerk or employe in the State Department. In the Consular and Diplomatic Service it has received 8 appointments, while New York has had 38. In the Secretary of the Navy's office Ohio has 1 clerk, Pennsylvania 13. Of Assistant Surgeons in the army now in service, Ohio has 2, Pennsylqania 30, and New York 27. In the Quartermaster's Department Ohio has 48 and New York 14. In the Pay Department of the Army Ohio has 8, New York 23, and Pennsylvania 17. Among the Engineers of the Navy Ohio has 5, New York 62, and Pennsylvania 61.

The grandson of a prominent well-known citizen of the Highland District rushed into the house recently and exclaimed with much vigor and great excitement: "O grandpa; I've just seen the worst Irish funeral I ever saw in my life. The men were all in the open carriages and shouting and smoking cigars!" Gentle reader, the "men" were the members of the City Council out investigating the new park scheme! A true story, as related at the City Hall.—*Boston Globe.*

Butler's personal allusion to Wayne MacVeagh's family matters requires explanation before the record of the controversy between these two great men can be considered complete. MacVeagh is a son-in-law of Simon Cameron, but the way he married into that family was by eloping with the young woman. Whether the Cameron family regard MacVeagh with the dislike and want of respect which Butler asserts we do not know, but the fact that he is out of sympathy with them in political matters seems to give some color to the charge. The extraordinary tenacity with which Old Simon holds on to life is what Butler refers to when he intimates that MacVeagh, having married for a share in his money, has waited many years in vain for "dead men's shoes."—*Pittsburg (Pa.) Leader.*

—A near sighted and modest resident of Cazenovia entered a dry goods store in that village, and, thinking to perpetrate a joke, stepped up to the dummy on which new patterns of dresses and mantles are displayed, and struck it on the shoulder, saying, "Well, old woman, how are you?" The old woman at once turned around and not only answered his question, but volunteered a great deal of information besides.

—A cross dog will make the top of a hemlock board fence feel soft as downy pillows are.

—A Georgia man named Thomas Henry is about attempting the feat of exploring an unknown cave half way down the side of a precipice on Stone Mountain. To do this he will have to be lowered from the top by a rope 2100 feet long.

—There is said to be a young girl in Clinton, Canada, whose eyesight is as good as anybody's by day, but when night sets in she becomes blind and has to be led around. She is in good health, and the cause of this singular phenomenon is a mystery.

—An exchange observes that a man who had sunk so low as to hold a seat in the New York Assembly a few years ago, by turning over a new leaf and devoting himself to honest industry, has risen to the high position of captain of a base ball nine in Kansas. There is hope for the most degraded.

—The romantic story of the elopement of a beautiful young nun of St. Franciscus Hospital, Pittsburg, Penn., with a young doctor of the institution, is qualified by the fact that the young woman had not taken the vows at all, but was only a probationer. Under the provocation of the handsome doctor she simply elected that wedded life was preferable to conventual chastity.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.40 A. M.,	4.45, 6.30 P. M
" Way,		10.40 "	4.45 "
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East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.45 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
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MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	10.10 A. M. 5.50,	*10.15 P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.30 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 "	5.50 "

*Ready for delivery the following morning.

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

[Communicated.]

WHAT CAN WE DO ABOUT IT?

Is there no way in which we can protect our cemeteries from the ravages of thoughtless and heartless boys and men? It would seem that these places, if no others, might be kept inviolate: as if the flowers which were planted, and the birds which sing and nest among our dead, might be left undisturbed by the hand of theft and of cruelty. But what is the truth? One scarcely dares to arrange a flowering vase, or a tasteful plot of shrubs and vines, the flowers and roots are so continually stolen. Young men have been seen actually shooting the little birds "which sing among the branches;" and if a too confiding robin or thrush dares to build its nest within the reach of human cruelty, it is ruthlessly torn down and carried away with its eggs or helpless young.

A robin built this spring in my lot: in a spruce tree, too low, alas! to prove a secure resting place. I have watched it from week to week with almost painful anxiety, knowing how little honor or mercy there was to be found among men. Sunday before last four little ones were in the nest; last Sunday all was gone—birds, and young and nest. Do you think I enjoyed my walk, that calm Summer evening, in a place where of all others we ought to be free from hard or bitter thoughts?

It is a crying shame that no place and no thing is safe; that civilized people can have no rights which these savages are bound to respect. But what can be done? I would gladly give a considerable sum to have my little birds safe back again, or, since that cannot be, to protect those yet unmolested. But what will money do? A reward has already been offered for the conviction of the bird murderers seen in the same place recently. And what will law do? Our bird law, if enforced, would protect all birds, old and young, in field or forest or garden. The law against trespass would of itself protect our cemeteries; but these laws seem powerless. What *can* we do?

M. A. F.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, June 11th.

Michael Ledden, a young fellow of about twenty, and having much the appearance of a vagrant, was bound over in the sum of $600 to appear at the October term of the Supreme Court to answer to a charge of attempting to steal goods from a freight car on the Eastern railroad. In default of bail, Ledden went to jail.

A VALUABLE FOG-SIGNAL.

A good illustration of the value of the bell on Whale's-back as a guide for vessels entering—or trying to enter—this port in a fog was afforded on Saturday. The bell was heard tinkling all the afternoon by Mr. Pearson, at his place on Broad street,—several miles away, but on land, and nearly dead to leeward of the light-house; but it could not be heard at sea or to windward far enough to guide in a vessel bound into the port, though there was but a moderate breeze blowing at the time, and no sea running to speak of; and a valuable vessel owed her salvation from total wreck within a few miles of the light-house solely to the fact that she carries a centre-board, for had she been a keel vessel her first intimation of danger would have come from a smash on the rocks. The last Congress appropriated a sum of money to put a Daboll fog-trumpet on Whale's-back; and though we consider the sum referred to utterly insufficient for the purpose, (for the new tower has not room for a steam fog-horn, and the old tower was condemned as unsafe before the new one was built, and has not become any more safe since,) yet we give Hon. Frank Jones credit for bringing the matter before Congress, for the fact that any appropriation at all was made was an acknowedgement that a better signal than we now have is a necessity. We hope Mr. Jones will push the matter when Congress meets again, so that before another Winter sets in we may have a signal that can be heard further than a dab of mud thrown against a brick wall; and if the light-house engineers decide that such a signal cannot be placed on Whale's-back until the old tower is rebuilt, then let it in the meantime be put on the extremity of Odiorne's Point,—which would not be a bad place for it permanently, for a large proportion of the vessels making the harbor come in to the westward of the Shoals, and would pick up the sound of an effective signal on Odiorne's Point in ample time to steer clear of danger. Let Congressman Jones urge this matter—as we feel assured he will gladly do—and if the parties most in interest, the shippers and ship-masters and fishermen, will also work for it, before the snow flies again there will be some kind of a decent fog-signal somewhere at the harbor's mouth.

JOTTINGS.

The employes of the Eldredge Brewing Company have formed a rifle club for the purpose of practice in target shooting. To give zest to the sport they have procured an elegant gold badge, to be given to the champion shot. The Creedmoor target, six feet by four, will be used, and the best score at two hundred and three hundred yards (five shots at each distance) will decide who will carry off the honors—and the badge. As there are a number of good shots in the club the contest will no doubt be very interesting. The badge was made by Messrs. C. E. & J. E. Dixon, and its unique and chaste design and superior workmanship reflect credit on their establishment.

If you need anything in the harness-maker's line, call on Tilton, at No. 18 Congress street. He has a full line of all goods kept in a first-class harness-store, and makes and mends in the best manner, using only the best materials.

We clipped the following extracts from a recent issue of the *Times*. They read well together, and we heartily endorse all the assertions made: "Whatever can be purchased of our own citizens, of as good quality and at as low prices as can be bought elsewhere, should be purchased at home. Many of our people have found to their cost that they cannot do as well by going abroad to buy. As a rule,—and the rule has very few exceptions,—a dollar expended in Portsmouth brings as good a return as anywhere else. Our citizens should remember that in giving a liberal support to any honorable business man here, they are helping the material prosperity of the city." "Read the advertisements and trade with those who advertise. You will save money by so doing."

The stock of groceries in the store on Market street recently occupied by Samuel Rowe, will be sold at Sheriff's sale to-day, on the premises, at 10 o'clock A. M. Also at same time and place, the store fixtures, and a wagon, sleigh, pung and harness. See advertisement.

Mr. D. J. Lynch, having purchased the stock in trade and good-will in business of the late Lafayette Laighton, will continue the business at the old stand, No. 44 Market street. See his advertisement in another column.

The One Hundredth anniversary of the Stars and Stripes will be celebrated Thursday evening, by a Grand Promenade Concert at Mechanics' Hall. Music by Harlow's Orchestra. Tickets 50 cents; ladies free.

The Summer arrangement of trains on the Eastern railroad went into effect on Monday.

The celebration at Langdon Park on Thursday will be extremely interesting. Many prominent men will be present, and a highly interesting programme has been arranged.

The Portsmouth *Weekly* says: "The new organist at the Unitarian church in this city, Miss Lizzie Davis, is a pupil of Mr. A. Pearson, who has instructed most of the young organists in the city for several years. Miss Davis was recommended by Miss Miller, who declined holding the position at any reduction of salary. Miss Lizzie Ham, one of the most charming singers we have ever had in the city, has accepted the position of soprano in the quartet at this church, which otherwise remains the same as last year." The *Weekly* might have added that the retiring organist, Miss Miller, is included in the list of Mr. Pearson's pupils.

The Antiques and Horribles will be out on the coming 4th of July, and we learn that some persons who believe that good and effective hits at local shortcomings can be made through this medium, have nearly completed their arrangements for administering the said hits, which are expected to make the body politic hold its nose.

Mr. Benjamin Carr, a well known photographer and prominent citizen of Concord, who while reaching out of a third-story window in that city on Saturday, lost his balance and fell to the ground, receiving injuries from which he died, was formerly a resident of this city, and married a daughter of the late Mr. Levi Moses. Mr. Carr's wife survives him, and he leaves one daughter.

Schooner Light of Home, Capt. L. F. Doane, with one hundred and eighty barrels of mackerel, arrived at Doane's wharf Sunday afternoon, the first fare of mackerel landed here this season; the Light of Home sailed for the Block Island fishing ground, Monday afternoon. Schooner Glide, Capt. Thomas Jamieson, arrived at Doane's wharf Sunday evening with thirty thousand pounds of split cod, the result of twelve days' fishing; the Glide goes to Gloucester, Mass., to wash out. Schooner Daniel Marcy, with two hundred and thirty barrels of mackerel, the Henry M. Clark, with two hundred and fifty barrels, and the Mayor Jones, with one hundred and twenty-five barrels, are expected to arrive at Doane's wharf this week.

A company of forty-five boys has been organized at the High School, to take part in the celebration of Thursday. Several of the pupils are connected with other companies, and some were unwilling to march, otherwise the company would have been larger. The officers chosen are: Captain, J. H. Emery; First Lieut., S. W. Foss; Second Lieut., A. R. Locke; Orderly Sergeant, D. S. Broderick. It is expected that all, or nearly all, the school will be present at the Maypole, and sing "The Red, White and Blue," under the lead of Prof. S. W. Cole, who is now giving the school instruction in music preparatory to exhibition.

—An ingenious girl, who has never "a feller" in the world, goads the other girls in her neighborhood to madness by lighting up the parlor brilliantly and then setting her father's hat where its shadow will be boldly marked against the curtain.

—The exhumation of the obelisk "Cleopatra's needle" near Alexandria, Egypt, for London has been completed. Eighteen inches of the apex is gone, and the corners are somewhat damaged, otherwise it is in a fair condition.

—Here's another warning. A man refused to stay at home after an early supper and help his wife whitewash the back yard fence, and his black hair turned white in less than a minute.

—The St. Louis *Globe* makes honorable mention of an oaken chest in that city which, it asserts, is 800 years old. The boards are an inch and a half in thickness, and are held together by wooden pegs.

A Point on Which the Doctors Agree.

Physicians who have tested Hostetter's Stomach Bitters concur in representing it to be an *eminently safe stimulant*, far preferable to the ordinary liquors of commerce, not only because it is infinitely pure. Its alcoholic basis is the finest old rye, and this is tempered and rendered medicinal by the curative ingredients of botanic origin which it holds in solution. It has often been imitated, but never rivalled, and is to day the leading tonic, diuretic and aperient of America. Malarial fevers are prevented and remedied by it, and it is a thoroughly reliable medicine in cases of dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaint, rheumatism, gout, nervousness, urinary and uterine affections. It improves the appetite, increases the bodily stamina, checks premature decay, and as a sustaining and comforting cordial for the aged and infirm is unequalled.

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of Sozodont, renders it the most agreeable article ever used as a tooth wash. It has none of the acrid properties of the astringent tooth powders, and instead of contracting the gums, it renders them firm and elastic.

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T. E. MOSELEY & CO., 469 Washington street, make a specialty of boys' and misses' boots, shoes and gaiters for dress and school wear, which they offer at moderate prices.

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Adamson's Botanic Balsam will not make new lungs, but will prevent the disease from spreading throughout the whole substance of the lungs, thereby facilitating recovery. Price 35 cts. Samples free.

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THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world.—*Pueblo Col. People.*

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

DIED.

MONTGOMERY. In this city, June 9, Willis Winkley Montgomery, son of David H. and Abbie G. Montgomery, aged 2 years.

☞ Funeral this (Tuesday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock from 131 State street.

JENNESS. In Rye, June 11, Annie E. Jenness, wife of Mr. C. Austin Jenness, aged 31 years and 6 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

ARRIVED, June 10.

Steamer Pottsville, Peirce, Philadelphia.
Sch D K Ham, Freeman, Boston.
Sch Modena, Nickerson, Boston.

SAILED, June 10.

Sch Leonora, Bonsey, Ellsworth.
Sch Helen G King, Elwood, Calais.
Sch Palestine, Howe, New York.
Sch Earnest T Lee, Blatchford, Calais.
Sch Hattie M Mayo, Hickey, Calais.
Sch Ellen Elizabeth, Duryea, York.
Sch Golden Gate, Amey, Boston.
Sch Charles E Hellier, Coombs, Bangor.

Sch Triton, Rand, for this port cld from Bangor June 8.

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A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $2. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. r3S&Gtf

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WE have just received a few more of those BLUE ARMY BLOUSES, which have been in such demand for the last twelve months.

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THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SMART, Keeper, at No. 2 Mt. Vernon St.

Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

—A Harlem man has a goat which he has named "Oleomargarine," because it is a very poor kind of butter.

—"J. R. Grosse, Grocer, Groceries," is the positive, comparative, and superlative style of a Brighton store-keeper's sign.

—In six of the spaces under the arches of the theatre at Naples, Italy, opening to the street, are arranged little pine tables, at each of which sits an elderly and intelligent looking man, with an inkstand and stationery before him, and usually with a customer seated alongside and pouring a voluable story into his attentive ear. These are the public letter writers, who will indite for you an epistle of any kind, from a love letter or a proposal of marriage up to a ferocious duo or a cartel of defiance.

—A Parisian and his wife quarrelled. "I shall drown myself," she finally cried out, exasperated. "Go, if I am all that deters you," he answered. Still, he followed her, and when she threw herself into the Seine, plunged in and brought her to land. As he was climbing up the bank, however, he slipped back into the river, and being exhausted by his previous exertion, was unable to save himself. His wife seeing his situation, plunged in after him, but as she could not swim, that was of no avail, and both must have been drowned had it not been for the timely arrival of some policemen, who pulled them out. The pair went home like two turtle-doves.

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 38, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ers or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, bones, or any offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any butcher of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance or any other nuisance shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 8. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing adversaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his hand into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Tsernagora, or Montenegro.

The following article, which we take from an exchange, is of peculiar interest just now, when the "conflict of ages" between the Turks and Montenegrins is raging so fiercely. It gives the most graphic description of the country and people of Montenegro we have ever seen, and fully explains the trouble the Turks have had in "revictualling Niesics," which has been a standing job for them for over a year, and is not yet finished:

The backbone of European Turkey is a mountain formation shaped like the letter T. The upright line is the range between Albania and Roumelia. The horizontal line represents the Balkans. On the west, the line of the Balkans intersects the Alpine chain, running down the eastern coast of the Adriatic. The wild and broken region where the Alps and the Balkans meet, is known as the Black Mountain country—Montenegro. The principal peaks, Mount Dormitor on the northeast and Kutsh Kow on the southeast, are 8500 and 9300 feet above the sea level. The hills are wooded with dark forests of fir, oak and poplar.

For five hundred years, the people of this mountain region have held at bay the tide of Turkish war, which in 1389 overwhelmed the great Servian kingdom. Montenegro was then a part of Servia, and was governed by a prince of the royal blood. The language of the mountaineers is still a very pure Sclavonic dialect; their religion is still the religion of the Greek church. Their whole territory is 1880 square miles; Rhode Island contains 1300 miles. They number 130,000, with an army of 26,000 fighting men and a reserve of 14,000; Rhode Island has a population of 217,000.

Far up in the western part of the Black Hills is the capital, Cettigne, containing twenty or thirty well built houses, besides a convent and the Prince's palace. From this citadel, the river Zeta flows down to Lake Scutari, south of the mountains. To Cettigne, in 1484, Ivan Tchernoievitch removed the seat of government. Scutari, on the lake, had been taken by the Turks; the Herzegovinians on the north had submitted; Ivan withdrew to the mountains, and wonderful to relate, took with him a printing press, only 28 years after the appearance of the first printed book!

The mountaineers have had but little time for literature. It was a part of their fundamental law, that no son of Tsernagoras,—as they call the Black Mountain in their own tongue,—should quit the field without the order of his chief; that a runaway should be forever disgraced, and banished from his people: that he should be dressed in woman's clothes, and presented with a distaff; and that the women, striking him with their distaffs, should hunt the coward away from the sanctuary of freedom. The struggle with the Turks lasted, with but little intermission, until 1714. In 1710, the Czar of Russia promised to the Prince of Montenegro an annual subsidy of 8000 ducats, which is still faithfully paid. The Turkish victory of 1714 was only temporary. As soon as the Turks withdrew, the Montenegrins refused to pay their taxes. In 1722, 1737 and 1732, Turkish armies were bitterly discomfitted, and so it has continued to this day. Last year, in July, 4000 of the Turks commanded by Mukhtar Pasha were slain with a loss of only 70 Montenegrins; in August, 5,000 Montenegrins put to flight 20,000 Turks; in September five Montenegrin battalions defeated Dervisch Pasha and slew 3000 of his men; in October, Dervisch Pasha was again driven down into the plains, with a loss of 2,000 men.

The Turks last year brought 130,000 men against the Black Mountain—an army equal to the whole population. The result of the campaign was a Turkish loss of 26,000, and a Montenegrin loss of 1,000. The mountaineers, of course, have the advantage of defending their passes against an attacking enemy. The armistice put an end, for the time being, to this series of Turkish disasters. Since the renewal of hostilities, there has been more actual fighting among the Montenegrin hills than on the Danube.

The Turkish effort now is to revictual the fort of Niesics. The Black Mountain is shaped like a wasp. In the middle, deep valleys penetrate the hills on each side, and in these valleys the Turks have established two strong fortresses—Niesics on the north, and Spuz on the south. These two forts are less than twenty miles apart, but the intervening region is nearly inaccessible. Spuz is easily reached by the Turks from Scutari and Podgoritza. Niesics can only be approached through the Duga pass. The Turks are not now fighting for conquest, but to maintain the two forts.

The road from Gatschko to Niesics is the route which Suleiman Pasha has taken. The pass begins at Fort Kristacs, and from that point, the Turks must advance in single file along two tortuous paths, exposed at every step to the fatal fire of the Montenegrins from behind the rocky parapets of overhanging cliffs. The Turks last Monday lost 3000 men in trying to dislodge the Montenegrins from the heights beyond Kristacs. The Montenegrin loss is reported at 600. The Montenegrins then withdrew from the heights, and on Wednesday suddenly attacked Spuz, but retired leaving 23 dead and 16 wounded.

The first code of written laws was promulgated in Montenegro by Prince Peter,

the Saint, in 1796. His successor, Radatomovo, set his face sternly against the lawless practices which had grown up in twelve generations of camp life. Prince Danilo completed the work of establishing internal order. The reigning Prince, Nikitka, is now thirty-four years old. He has two fixed purposes—to continue the work of civilizing his people, and to liberate the Servian lands still in servitude. It is to his influence and example that the risings in the Herzegovina, in Bosnia and in Servia, are partly due, though the controlling agency, of course, has been the encouragement of the Czar. If the tame submission of the Serfs and Sclaves generally to the Turk has made their names synonymous for serfs and slaves everywhere, the shining courage and resolution of their kinsmen, the men of Montenegro, ought to go far to wipe out the reproach.

The following detailed account of the fighting in the Duga pass last week, is from the correspondent of an English paper:

"After making his dispositions with great care, and seizing several important positions in front of Krygstaz and at the immediate entrance of the Duga Pass, Suleiman Pacha advanced with several battalions and mountain artillery to force a defile held by the Montenegrins. There being only one available road, and that leading directly through the Duga Pass, the Turks sought by dint of sheer fighting to seize the bends of the road so as to place their guns in a position to support the advance of the head of the column. The ground was favorable for this plan of operations. For the first two days the Montenegrins slowly retired before the well deployed Turkish line until the narrowing of the ground and the increasing difficulties of the road forced the Turks to reduce their front. Then the concentrated fire of the Montenegrins, delivered from every rock and gully of the rugged mountain slopes, began to tell with frightful effect on the Turks. Amid a perfect hail storm of bullets the Turkish infantry struggled onward, encumbering the road with dead and wounded at every step. The guns posted before Golia shelled the defile in advance, but with little effect, as the Montenegrins were well covered and suffered only when the Turks desperately charged on them amid the rocks and brushwood. The fighting on the third day was almost hand to hand, the combatants firing in each other's faces at a few yards distance; but although the Turks gained ground slowly it was at a terrible loss in men. Their superior numbers enabled them to push up supports to take the place of the slain, and it seemed as if the head of the Turkish column of attack was melting away as before a furnace. Notwithstanding the stubborn bravery of Suleiman Pacha's troops the fourth day's fighting found them no nearer the key of the pass, and they had already lost nearly 3000 men. Still they endeavored to maintain possession of the ground they had gained at such a fearful cost; that effort was hopeless. The hardy Montenegrins repulsed every attempt to advance, and it became now only a question of covering the retreat of the exhausted column. This was commenced by a furious onslaught on the Montenegrins by the troops furthest in advance, but which was quickly repulsed by a murderous fire. The retreat now became general, and the victorious mountaineers speedily followed the retreating Turks, killing immense numbers and reoccupying their former positions. In this prolonged and bloody combat, lasting over five days, the Turks lost over 4000 men and a quantity of arms left on the field. The victorious Montenegrins lost 700 men. This disproportion in casualties is due wholly to the natural strength of the position, and to the necessary exposure of the Turks during the attack and retreat. The failure of the Turks to force the Duga Pass is believed to insure the capitulation of Nicsics within a short time, but it is likely that Suleiman Pacha may again attempt to relieve the town."

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 13, 1877.

Another Wife Murder.

Charles H. Payson, living on a farm three miles from Tilton, attacked his wife Monday afternoon, going behind her while washing, and striking her three blows with an axe, cutting two gashes over four inches long in her head, exposing the brain, and one in the shoulder. The wounds are probably fatal. Payson was arrested by his wife's two sons, who held him till the officers came. He was intoxicated. The woman was conscious when the physician arrived, told how the deed was done, and made her will.

News and Notes.

Col. D. G. Potts, a democrat, has been appointed Postmaster of Petersburg, Va. There were five republican applicants for the office.

Messrs. D. Lothrop & Co. have now in preparation about one hundred new books for the holidays, some quite small, some quite large, and all very fully illustrated.

Hon. John A. Kasson of Iowa has accepted the Austrian ministry, and James Russell Lowell the ministry to Spain.

Ex-Mayor H. A. Blood of Fitchburg, Mass., formerly General Manager of the Boston, Clinton & Fitchburg Railroad, and prominently connected with other roads, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities, $1,528,310.48; nominal assets, $1,310,600.

The comparatively few deaths among us from the bites of animals or reptiles, give emphasis to the returns just received in England from India of the number of persons killed in that country during the year 1875 by wild beasts and snakes. It appears that no fewer than 21,391 persons and 48,254 head of cattle perished from these causes, snakes being responsible for the deaths of 17,070 human beings, most of them being natives who go about bare-footed. The withdrawal of the customary reward for the destruction of these reptiles by the Government, which was a fruitful source of fraud, is said to be the cause of this increased mortality, and the fact that the natives are not allowed the free use of firearms makes them and their cattle an easier prey to wild beasts.

The fishing schooner Edward H. Norton, of Wellfleet, Mass., was struck by lightning on the 7th inst., twenty miles from Noman's Land. The topmast was snapped asunder, and the fore and mainmasts were shattered and splintered beyond repair. The hull was not injured. One of the crew, Thomas Nickerson of Barnstable, Mass., was stunned and thrown to the deck by the shock, but has since recovered.

By a railroad collision near the Point of Rocks, Maryland, Tuesday, four men were killed and several others injured.

William Truedell, arrested on Saturday by a Vigalance Committee at Kirksville, Mo., confessed to being one of a gang of horse thieves extending through Illinois and Missouri, including many people believed to be respectable, one of whom, named Lowe, is a preacher who recently got up a revival, at the meetings of which his confederates could steal horses. Lowe has been arrested and is now in jail at Havana, Ill.

President Hayes will leave Boston for Providence at eight o'clock on the morning of June 28th, and next day will be the guest of Gov. Van Zandt at Newport.

For the first time the items of the Tammony Ring robberies in New York are made public, and the total is an appalling one when we consider that it represents an indebtedness incurred wholly by theft and robbery. Among the items are the following in round numbers: Advertising, $2,355,000; Broadway widening job, $8,682,000; street opening jobs, $1,500,000; concrete pavement, $607,000; wooden pavement, $2,000,000; New York Printing Company, $3,000,000; new court house, $8,000,000; market frauds, $500,000; board of education, $800,000; park commission, $8,000,000; total $29,944,000. Notwithstanding the infamous crime involved in this gigantic robbery, it is being followed by another no less infamous. The New York democratic authorities are compromising with all the chief robbers. Arrangements have already been made to settle with Tweed, Connolly and Sweeney, and similar arrangements are to be made with Keyser, Fields and Genet. Such action will do more to sap the foundations of society than the whole career of the Ring thieves.

Sunday afternoon a young man named Blow, accompanied by two young ladies, cousins of the same name, and their little five-year-old brother, were walking in a field near Tuffield Blow's house, east of Bennington, Vermont, the young man having an old shot-gun, which was capped but supposed to be unloaded. To frighten the girls he snapped the gun at them, when, going off, it hit one in the right breast and the other in the back. Seventy shot holes were counted in one girl, and possibly her wounds will prove fatal; the other girl was slightly wounded. The fracas ended by the little brother chasing the offender half a mile, armed with a hatchet.

Jane Weather Sixty Years Ago.

The following is a copy of a diary kept by Mrs. Peter Knapp, who lived at the one in the southern part of New Hampshire. The original manuscript is in the possession of Mr. A. B. Knapp, No. 108 Fifth avenue, New York city:

Wednesday, 5th of June, 1816. Cloudy and some rain in the forenoon and very warm in the afternoon; some thunder in the evening, with heat lightning.

Thursday, 6. Cool and blustering in the forenoon with snow flying; in the afternoon a severe snow-storm until evening; very cold night followed; froze the ground considerable; ice in tubs at the door three quarters of an inch thick, and some snow yet coming; looks like winter.

Friday, 7. The snow melts as it falls pretty much to-day, but continues to fall the greatest part of the day; toward evening snow comes very fast—looks like a stormy night ensuing.

Saturday, 8. Snow three inches deep in the morning and remained on the ground all the day; froze some last night, icicles hanging to the eaves of the house toward night eighteen inches long.

Sunday, 9. Some more moderate, the ground chiefly covered with snow this morning; afternoon the sun comes out and the snow gone by night; though it is a very cold wind, people go to meeting to-day on foot with great coats on; corn all killed, leaves on the trees turning black, etc.; vegetation has a gloomy appearance!!!

New Hampshire Items.

The Manchester base ball club on Monday defeated the Alleghanys, 5 to 2; and on the Saturday previous the Maple Leaf club of Canada were defeated by the Manchesters.

There is a movement at Peterboro to have a citizens' celebration there the coming Fourth, with three military companies, a good band and plenty of men willing to aid financially. N. H. Morrison of Baltimore is expected to deliver the oration.

Gen. A. F. Stevens will be the leader of the House majority and Bingham and Sinclair will hold the reins of the minority.

At a special meeting of the City Government of Manchester on Monday night a bill was introduced appropriating $100,000 to build a railroad to Peterboro, and $50,000 to extend the railroad to Henniker. The former, which would give Manchester an independent route to the West, passed the Council. Reaching the Aldermen, it was referred to a second reading. An attempt made by Alderman Clark to introduce a resolution in the interest of the Concord Railroad, which would defeat the project, was rejected. It was also voted to appropriate $20,000 for a soldiers' monument.

The boy Flanders who shot his father-in-law at Bow, a short time since, will be indicted for murder by the October Grand Jury.

The Manchester police made raids on the liquor saloons Monday evening.

The annual meeting of the Young Women's Christian Association of Manchester was held in the Franklin street vestry Monday evening. Miss Alice Abbott, Treasurer, reported the receipts for the year as $554.11, expenses $832.57. Mrs. David Cross was elected President for the ensuing year.

Political.

It is necessary now to prove to the country that Mississippi justice is blind, and holds the scales with even hand whether democrats or republicans be the culprits. Unless this be done, without halting or hesitation, Mississippi will remain under a cloud for years to come, and will bear a reputation for violence and lawlessness foreign to the temper and nature of her people.—*Charleston News and Courier* (Dem.)

In October, 1876, Governor Stone of Mississippi thought the Governor was supreme, and that he was the man who executed all the laws and conserved the public peace, and he asserted that he was able to bring all perpetrators of wrongs to justice, and was resolved to do it. He was so assured of his absolutism that he took pains to write a letter to Attorney-General Taft, anent his speech at Cincinnati, denying his statements in regard to the affairs of Mississippi, and asserting that everybody was secure under the Governor's full power to protect everybody, and his determination to do it. Governor Stone now confesses that this was all bombast and false pretence, and that he has nothing to do with the administration of justice or the enforcement of law, and has no more authority than any other citizen to bring murderers to justice. Governor Stone now confesses that Governor Stone of that time was a very shallow pretender.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

—When Puckler Muskau was in England, some forty years since, being one night at Almack's, he personally complimented Lady Jersey, who was pardonably vain of the clearness of her complexion, on "her beautiful leather." The fair Sarah stared. "Pardon," resumed Puckler Muskau, "I did mean your ladyship's beautiful hide."

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Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
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Resolved, That the Flag of the thirteen United States be thirteen stripes, alternate red and white; that the union be thirteen stars, white in a blue field, representing a new constellation.

Resolved, That Captain John Paul Jones be appointed to command the Ranger, ship of war.

Resolved, That William Whipple Esq., member of Congress, and of the marine committee; John Langdon Esq., Continental agent, and the said John Paul Jones, be authorized to appoint Lieutenants and other commissioned officers, and warrant officers, necessary for said ship.

The Ranger, a sloop-of-war of eighteen guns, six pounders, was built at Badger's Island in Portsmouth harbor, and launched in May 1777. Captain John Paul Jones sailed in command of her from Portsmouth, with a crew of 150 men; and this was undoubtedly the first ship that bore our National flag to Europe. The thirteen stars on this first flag were arranged in a circle, and this arrangement was continued until 1795, when the stars were ranged in lines.

This, then, is the Centennial that Portsmouth is to celebrate on Thursday, June 14th inst., and in which the Portsmouth Veteran Artillery Association respectfully invite all citizens and others interested to join, viz. the anniversary of the adoption of our National Flag; the anniversary of the commissioning of the officers of the first vessel that carried it abroad; and the anniversary, with sufficient nearness, of the launching and fitting out of the noted ship Ranger from this port—in all which important events the gallant John Paul Jones, our own patriot hero John Langdon, and the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity generally of that epoch took so important a part. What more fitting than that these stirring events and this interesting anniversary should receive public recognition here, on the very spot of their occurrence?

THE MAYPOLE.

The Trustees of Langdon Park, at the suggestion of Hon. C. L. Woodbury, having decided to set up a Maypole in the Park, with appropriate festivitives, on the 25d of May—that being generally accepted by the best authorities as the date of landing at Odierne's Point, of David Thomson and his party, who settled New Hampshire—a lofty pole or tree was on that day cut from the farm of Samuel Langdon, Esq., and by him drawn to and presented to the Langdon Park, and set up on the hill, by the Trustees, without public ceremony.

But on account of the near recurrence of the Flag anniversary, as above stated, and the preparations of the Portsmouth Veteran Artillery Association to celebrate the same in a befitting manner, at the Park, and for other reasons, the Board of Park Trustees preferred to defer the Maypole exercises, and to unite the two celebrations; and this, by the concurrence of the Artillery Association, has accordingly been done—and all citizens and others interested are invited to join in and assist the same.

THE ORDER OF EXERCISES,

On Thursday, June 14th,

For the double celebration, will be as follows:

At sunrise a flag of thirteen stars will be hoisted at the Park by Col. Marvin; and it is desired that all flags in the city may be raised.

The bells of the city will be rung, morning, noon and night.

The U. S. S. Enterprise, Comdr. Remey, lying at the Navy Yard, will be decorated with flags and streamers; and the flags at the yard hoisted.

At twelve o'clock, noon, a National salute of 21 guns will be fired from the Navy Yard, by order of Com. Guest, in honor of the first hoisting of the flag of the Old Thirteen, a century ago, almost on the very spot where the yard now stands.

About two o'clock P. M., the Veteran Artillery Association, Capt. G. W. Towle, with the Portsmouth Cornet Band, will form on Market Square, and march to the Park, the Portsmouth Light Battery, Capt. W. O. Sides, acting as escort, and probably other military companies joining, and the scholars of the Boys' High School.

The Governor and ex-Governors of the State, U. S. Government and Army and Navy officers, Mayor and other civil officers, speakers and distinguished guests on the occasion, will follow in carriages.

The Procession will move at half-past two o'clock, through Congress and Middle streets and Richards Avenue to the Park. Carriages will not be admitted to the Park.

At the Park, at half-past two o'clock, a Federal salute of thirteen guns will be fired, in honor of the "old flag" of one hundred years ago; to be followed by

Music by the Band.

Singing of "The Star Spangled Banner" by choir, under direction of Mr. Henry L. Harlow, with Band accompaniment, in which all singers are invited to join.

Singing of "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean," by the Girls' High School, under direction of Prof. Cole,—all joining in the chorus of "The Red, White and Blue."

Brief remarks by Hon. C. L. Woodbury, Governor Prescott, Col. A. H. Hoyt, and other distinguished visitors and citizens.

The ceremonies and amusements around the Maypole will follow, and will consist of

Music by the Band.

Singing by the Choir, with Band accompaniment.

A Poem written for the occasion by Mr. Albert Laighton, and read by Rev. J. DeNormandie.

Brief Remarks by Messrs. Woodbury Albee, DeNormandie and others.

After which a Maypole Dance, by nineteen youthful couples, (representing in number the thirty-eight States,) under the direction of Mr. Samuel Lamprey, with Harlow's Quardrille Band.

To be followed by other Dancing on the green, at the pleasure of the public in attendance.

As in all the general exercises, old and young, but especially children, are invited to join.

The schools of the city will be closed in the afternoon. Many of the stores we understand will be closed from two o'clock to six, and all of them we hope will be.

About five o'clock the Artillery Association, with their escort, etc. will return by South, Pleasant and State streets to the Rockingham House.

At seven o'clock the Veterans, with invited guests, will dine at the Rockingham House.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, June 12th.

Henry Adams, charged with cruelty to a horse, in over-driving and cruelly beating the animal, was bound over in $100 to answer at the October term of the Supreme Court.

JOTTINGS.

The Boston *Journal*, in a recent article urging "reform" in the management of revenue collection in the customs districts of New England, published a table showing the cost to the government of the various districts, and gave as the cost of collecting the customs revenue in this district, $10,312.47. These figures were evidently gleaned from the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1875, only, whereas the expenditures for the year ending June 30th, 1876, are but $5,722.82. The entire table published at that time was evidently made on some basis prior to the sweeping reduction and reform made by Secretary Bristow.

Miss Morgan affords her pupils and their relatives a great pleasure in securing so eminent and eloquent a lecturer as Mr. James T. Fields to address her school. On Tuesday next, June 19th, at three o'clock P. M., he will give his celebrated lecture on Fiction, which is peculiarly adapted to the taste of his young audience, embracing as it does both instruction and entertainment. Indeed, it is one of the striking features of Miss Morgan's system of instruction that it combines at once pleasure and profit, instilling in her pupils an enthusiasm for their work which assumes more the character of an exhilarating intellectual entertainment, than of a task. *

A petition for presentation to the City Councils at their next meeting, for the appointment of some person to keep the street crossings in a passable condition, is in circulation, and has already received about one hundred and fifty signatures.

Eastern Railroad stock is going up. Several hundred shares changed hands on Tuesday, at $4.75 a share.

The Sheriff's sale of the stock of groceries at the store of Samuel Rowe will be continued this morning.

The body of a marine named McCarthy, who has been missing for eleven days, was found on Tuesday evening at Portsmouth bridge, near the toll-house, by Mr. Preble, a workman on the bridge.

Twenty-five years ago yesterday, (June 11, 1852,) Mr. Frank W. Miller had his sign put up for the Portsmouth CHRONICLE, Mr. Gardner J. Greenleaf of this city doing the hanging work for him. By a singular coincidence and in just a quarter of century thereafter, this same Mr. Greenleaf attended to the putting up of Mr. Miller's sign for his new *Weekly.—Times*, June 12th.

GREAT LONDON SHOW.

This immense establishment, which has the past week created such a *furore* in Boston, will perform here twice on Thursday, June 21. Of its magnitude and perfection there can be no shadow of a doubt, as the large attendance there and the unqualified endorsement of the entire press is ample proof. The Boston *Herald* of June 5th says:

"The Great London Circus, Dockrill's Arenic Aggregation & Sanger's English Menagerie of Trained Animals" is the somewhat pretentious title of the equestrian show which spread its acres of canvas yesterday on the vacant lot opposite the Providence depot, and will continue to exhibit till the end of the week. A visit to the performance last evening verified the statement of its managers, that it is the best appointed and best conducted circus that has visited Boston for years. It is often remarked that circuses are all alike, and that there is nothing which can be put into them that is new. This is not the fact with the London, for they have one original feature at least. That is an Irish clown in the form of John Patterson, who has been but a few weeks in the country. This man is very funny, as might be expected, his Irish dialect being natural and easy, and his jokes and stories told with a freshness somewhat at variance with the old hackneyed style of years past. The principal feature of the performance is the sensational riding of Miss Eliza Dockrill, who is without doubt the greatest female equestrian ever seen in Boston. She gave a bareback principal act with wonderful grace, agility and dash, and appeared subsequently in a four-horse act. She performs all the feats usually presented by male riders, as well as many more of her own arrangement and invention. Besides the daring act of Mme. Dockrill, there were many features of rare excellence, including the performance of Mlle. Victorine on the slack wire; the leaping of O'Brien, who turns a double somersault over the backs of five elephants; the wonderful trapeze performance of the Lawrence Sisters, the gymnast business of the Victorelli Brothers, and numerous other attractions. A remarkable performance was the pyramidal tableau of the five performing elephants. The den of performing royal Bengal tigers, was entered by their tamer, who induced the savage animals to perform many exciting acts. The menagerie comprises some thirty cages of fine looking animals of all the various species known to such exhibitions. The five great elephants are a whole show in themselves, and it is the wonder of all how they can be so brought under subjection and restraint.

—Journalists have frequently to decide how to put every man's advertisement in the same place at the same time; how to put two columns of matter in one column's space; how to display a solid nonpareil advertisement in great primer type, and not occupy more space; how to fill a paper with fresh sensation when nothing has happened; how to eulogize a dead man who was notoriously bad all his life; and how to make a grand reception out of a mush and milk party of six.

—A strong spring bed—A bed of early onions.

A Point on Which the Doctors Agree.

Physicians who have tested Hostetter's Stomach Bitters concur in representing it to be an *eminently safe stimulant*, far preferable to the ordinary liquors of commerce, not only because it is infinitely pure. Its alcoholic basis is the finest old rye, and this is tempered and rendered medicinal by the curative ingredients of botanic origin which it holds in solution. It has often been imitated, but never rivalled, and is to day the leading tonic, stimulant and aperient of America. Malarial fevers are prevented and remedied by it, and it is a thoroughly reliable medicine in cases of dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaint, rheumatism, gout, nervousness, urinary and uterine affections. It improves the appetite, increases the bodily stamina, checks premature decay, and as a sustaining and comforting cordial for the aged and infirm is unequalled.

The Fresh Fragrance

of Sozodont, renders it the most agreeable article ever used as a tooth wash. It has none of the acrid properties of the astringent tooth powders, and instead of contracting the gums, it renders them firm and elastic.

Breakage is immaterial if you have Spalding's Glue at hand.

T. E. MOSELEY & Co., 469 Washington street, make a specialty of boys' and misses' boots, shoes and gaiters for dress and school wear, which they offer at moderate prices.

Such a combined effort upon upon the part of all its *attaches* is always made to please its guests, that the visitor to the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, Pa., is pretty sure to return.

COCOA SHELLS, prepared by Walter Baker & Co. furnish an excellent substitute for tea and coffee, at half their cost, and are palatable, nutritious and healthful. All grocers sell Baker's Chocolates, which are the best in the market.

Adamson's Botanic Balsam will not make new lungs, but will prevent the disease from spreading throughout the whole substance of the lungs, thereby facilitating recovery. Price 35 cts. Samples free.

WORTHY OF TRIAL.—Persons afflicted with any of the well known diseases, such as Consumption, Bronchitis, Bleeding of the Lungs, Asthma, etc., are earnestly recommended to try Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup. Is guaranteed to relieve and cure if taken in season. For sale by all Druggists.

THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world.—*Pueblo Col. People.*

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Steamer Crescent City, Shachford, from Aspinwall arr at New York June 11.

Schrs J Trafton, Hoyt, from Port Johnson for Boston, Evelyn, Crowley, for this port from Hoboken, and Active, Seawards, from Windsor N S for Philadelphia are at Vineyard Haven June 10.

Ship Triumphant, Libbey, from Liverpool April 5 for San Francisco spoken May 5 lat 4 N lon 25 4 W.

"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $3. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞ N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. 93&G1f

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod1y2

Wanted.

A PROTESTANT GIRL to do general house-work. Apply at this office.

☞ *Great Slaughter of Room Papers and Window Shades at*

GEO. H. TRIPP'S,

Corner Daniel & Penhallow Streets.

DENNIS SHEA,

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CEMENT STONE PIPE

—AT,—

20 WATER STREET, - - - - - PORTSMOUTH.

The best Pipe made for Sewers, Culverts, Cellar and Sink Drains, Water Closets, etc., etc. Gives perfect satisfaction wherever used. Is proof against frost, acids, and all substances which pass through the Pipe.

For sale at wholesale or retail, or laid in the best manner.

Orders for Pipe and laying left at the factory, or with MARCELLUS BUFFORD, at the City Clerk's office will receive prompt attention.

AND STILL THEY COME!

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Large and Elegant Assortment

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Borders,
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Window Shades,
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Selling Very Cheap

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☞ Remember these are all NEW GOODS as the old were all sold at auction.

GRAND OPENING

—OF AN—

ELEGANT STOCK

—OF—

LADIES'

LINEN SUITS

—AT—

L. BLUMAUER'S.

Ladies in want of cool, convenient and most stylish Garments during the hot season will do well to examine our Splendid Assortment of LINEN SUITS, which in variety of Style, Quality and Cheapness will surpass anything of the kind ever brought to this city.

LADIES! Do not fail to favor us with an early call as we are prepared to offer you

GREAT INDUCEMENTS!

L. Blumauer,

21 MARKET STREET,

Uy5 PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

OFFICE OF LIGHT HOUSE BOARD, WASHINGTON, D. C. June 4th, 1877.

Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, June 19, 1877, for furnishing to the Light House Board, a centre-board schooner of about 199 tons new measurement. The vessel should draw not more than 8 feet loaded, should be in good condition, well found in every respect, and have a powerful windlass. She should also sail well, handle easily and be metaled. Proposals should give name, age, register-tonnage, description in full of the vessel, sails, rigging, spars and ground tackle, with price for which she will be sold, and should also state when and where she can be seen and examined by an agent of the board, together with the names of her owners. JOHN HENRY,

d11,13,15 Chairman Light House Board.

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Have received for the

SPRING TRADE,

14,000 ROLLS OF

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comprising 300 of the most desirable Patterns, selected from four of the largest manufactories in the United States, which we offer to the public at the following

EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

BROWNS	from 6 to 10	cents per	roll.
BUFFS	" 10 to 12	" "	"
WHITE	" 11 to 15	" "	"
FLATS	" 10 to 18	" "	"
SATINS,	" 16 to 25	" "	"
GOLD	" 20 to 100	" "	"

BORDERS of all grades from 1 to 12 cents per yard.

Our Papers are all made on No. 1 stock. None on No. 2.

We also have a large stock of WINDOW SHADES at prices ranging from 50 cents to $2.00 each.

CURTAIN FIXTURES, CORD, TASSELS, TASSEL CLAMPS, &c. at low prices.

Remember the best patterns go first. Call early, examine and select, while our stock is full.

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Having received a full assortment of

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is prepared to make them up into garments of the latest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

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☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

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ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

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Constantly on hand, consisting of

Bosoms, Gloves, Suspenders, Collars, Linen Goods, Drawers, Handkerchiefs, Shirts,

Of Every Description.

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We have the largest stock of dress cloths in this city, including some fine cloths in colors. Also

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Coatings and Suitings,

From which we are prepared to make

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AT REASONABLE RATES!

We trust, by personal supervision of all favors intrusted to our care, to merit a continuance of the public patronage.

☞ *Garments made in style, or according to the fancy of the purchaser!*

We have a very large assortment, and one of the best Stocks of

PANTALOON GOODS

in the city, which we are making to measure at from $3.50 to $11.00; French, English and Domestic Goods.

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WHITE SHIRTS:

We have a small lot of HATHAWAY'S SHIRTS, which we are closing out at cost.

WAITE & DODGE'S WHITE SHIRTS, laundried or unlaundried, Wamsutta Cotton, made in the best style.

MERRIAN'S New Style SANS PAREIL SHIRT, made of nice Cotton.

COLORED SHIRTS.

A nice assortment of new COLORED SHIRTS.

NIGHT SHIRTS.

Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style, with Collars and Pockets.

Spring Neck-Wear!

NOBBY STYLES!

CUTTING!! CUTTING!!

CUTTING at short notice and in the best Style.

☞ In order to reduce our Large Stock, we shall continue to sell Goods by the yard at cost for a short time!

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Owing to various counterfeiting of my original receipt and preparations, I have changed my labels and wrappers, which in future will be printed in CARMINE INK. The genuine is prepared by the

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No. 30 PLATT ST.,

NEW YORK CITY.

☞ Dealers selling HELMBOLD'S BUCHU, other than with Carmine Wrappers, will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

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Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon

— AND —

SMALL PIG HAMS.

GOSHEN PINE APPLE

— AND —

DUTCH CHEESE.

FOR SALE BY

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BLUE ARMY BLOUSES.

WE have just received a few more of these BLUE ARMY BLOUSES, which have been in such demand for the last twelve months.

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BOCK BEER!

THE FAVORITE SPRING BEVERAGE,

Drawn from the wood, at

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Blank Books manufactured to order, and Book Binding promptly attended to.

LANGDON PARK

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SMART, Keeper, at No. 2 Mt. Vernon St.

Or any citizen of Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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MOSES H. GOODRICH,
JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor, *Ex. Of.*

The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them, may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

Probabilities for June.

The Providence *Journal* gives a long list of "probabilities" for the coming month; among them are the following:

Six Cossacks will cross the Danube; another Turkish monitor will sink with all on board, save one; Niesic will be revictualled twice, each time for six months; there will be an insurrection in Crete and Albania; the Turkish ministry will resign; England will be reported to be on the point of helping the Turks; peace will be announced by the London *Daily Telegraph*; Russia will issue a circular on its own disinterestedness, which nobody will believe; MacMahon, Thiers and Gambetta will publish a manifesto; the Pope will be reported to be dying; the London Change, the Paris Bourse and the Chicago grain market will have a panic; Minister Pierrepont will give thirty-seven entertainments; South America will have another revolution; there will be more raids on the Rio Grande; General Butler will write another letter; two or three insurance companies will suspend; Professor Watson will discover another asteroid; George Francis Train and Gail Hamilton will astonish themselves; three new parties will be started; the newspapers will publish editorial articles upon the weather and the clams; the college boys will make excessively solemn speeches upon nothing; the democrats will try to discover a policy; the two B.'s, Blaine and Butler, will be canonized by the radical saints; some postmasters will declaim earnestly on what might be done but for the civil service policy of Mr. Hayes; briefless lawyers will discuss the relative merits of Saratoga and the White Mountains as Meccas of rest; bronchial affections will increase in the ministerial profession, some very severe cases necessitating a European trip; lovers will "sigh like a furnace," and the world will jog on and introduce July with its noisy fusilade and sweltering heat.

—Several engagements have been broken off this spring already, because the couples would play croquet and she would insist that he hadn't passed through the last wicket and he'd get mad and say wicket words.

—"Mr. Blank appointed a foreign minister, eh?" remarked old Mr. C., as he glanced up from the paper he was reading. "Why, he's no minister! He's only a lawyer, and they do say he can swear like a pirate!" and he stopped to meditate upon the degeneracy of the pulpit.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	119
United States Ten-Forties coupon	111
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1575	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	50½
Portsm. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	82½
Boston & Maine	95½
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	113½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	4½
Eastern Railroad in S. H.	31
Fitchburg	108
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	44½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	32½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	5½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 20 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 90c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 16c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 5 @ 6c; Pollock 2½
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 45 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushel, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Dr. 9½ @ 11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

☞ *No Trouble to show Goods, and we are willing to sell, at*

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HAMS AND BACON

FOR SALE BY

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MILLINERY

NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

TRIMMED

Hats & Bonnets

Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.

C. N. SHAW & CO.,

No. 3 Market Street.

Only Circus that will visit Portsmouth this Season

COMING IN THREE SPECIAL TRAINS

OF ITS OWN CARS!

And large enough in its OVERWHELMING MAGNITUDE to overshadow and Swallow Up any Six Shows on this CONTINENT!

Portsmouth, Thursday, June 21.

Wait for the Monarch! The Best Show in New England for a Dozen Years!

THE GREAT LONDON CIRCUS!

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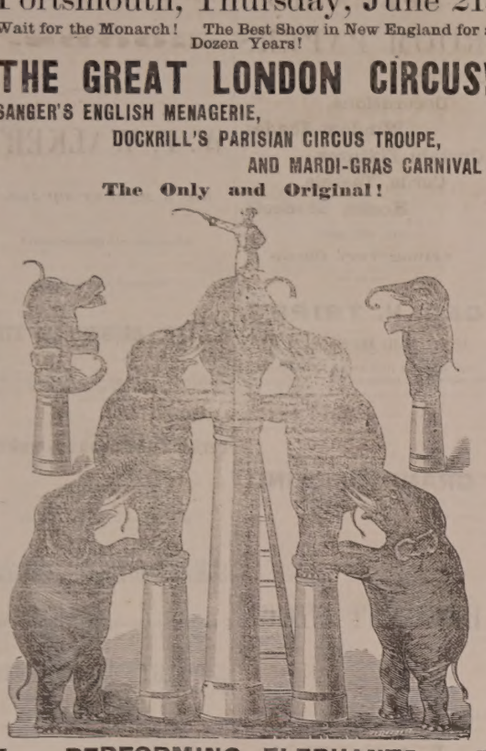

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any putrescible or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit any pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal or fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each such refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or if at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such dwelling, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the still ponds belonging, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same; and no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any flat or marsh, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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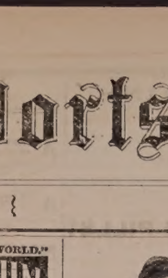

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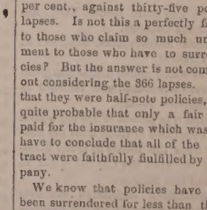

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How Many Policies Mature?

There has been an astonishing amount of ignorance shown of late in regard to the number of policies which really mature. Some writers have boldly asserted that only six per cent. of the number issued were ever paid as claims. The whole thing seems to have come from some loose statements that got into print, and one and another have used them and rearranged them to their own notions, until, like the story of the three black crows, it has grown to a wonderful extent. No one seems to have given the subject the slightest investigation; but very many have been quite willing to talk about it, and use it as an argument against the life insurance business. We are perfectly well aware that a great many life policies are forfeited and surrendered. We know that in some companies the man who surrenders a policy receives the full value of the policy, and that this value, with the insurance he has had, has given him the full worth of his money. We know, also, that other companies do not give anything near the value that ought to be given for the surrender of a policy. The insurer, it is true, has had his insurance, but when he surrenders, his policy is not treated fairly. We regret this and believe it to be a great evil, and we hope to see it corrected. We make this point: that if a man wishes to withdraw from a life company, and receives from it all that is justly due him, after he has been assessed for his share of expenses and losses, there has been no injustice done, any more than if *his* policy had become a claim. In the early years of life insurance a great many policies were issued upon term plans, to run only from one to seven years. These policies *matured* at the expiration of the term. The insurers have had what they bargained for—their insurance. So in some companies many policies were issued upon the half-note plan, the party really paying only one-half schedule rates and paying no more than the insurance was worth, and when the policy was forfeited, he had the worth of his money, just as much as he would have had in the termination of a fire insurance policy. If a party pays money for any purpose, and gets the value of it, whether it be in a fire insurance company, or to a life insurance company, or to a grocer, there has been no wrong. It is only fair that the life companies be judged upon their merits, and that the question of the number of policies which are surrendered, be treated as the question of the number of insurers who receive the worth of their money.

Let those interested look at actual results, by taking 1,000 policies issued thirty-two years ago, in what is now a leading company, and see what has become of them. These policies have been subjected to all the hard times and good times of the whole life insurance period in this country. What has become of them? The premiums were never paid on 76, for they were not acceptable. There were 184 term policies which ran out. There were 176 paid as death-claims, and 50 were surrendered for consideration; 148 are now in force, and 366 lapsed. This gives 634 contracts disposed of with perfect justice, or sixty-five per cent., against thirty-five per cent. of lapses. Is not this a perfectly fair answer to those who claim so much unjust treatment to those who have to surrender policies? But the answer is not complete without considering the 366 lapses. It happens that they were half-note policies, and it is quite probable that only a fair price was paid for the insurance which was had. We have to conclude that all of the 1,000 contract were faithfully fulfilled by the company.

We know that policies have frequently been surrendered for less than their value; that some companies have failed outright; but we know that in other cases the full value of the insurer's money has been given him. We want every man who pays money to a life insurance company to get the value of it, and we are glad that people are learning wisdom and feel compelled to look carefully to the kind of insurance and kind of contract they are making when the insurance is taken.—*N. Y. Independent.*

—George Francis Train talks at the rate of 250 words a minute and occasionally pauses for breath. These pauses seem to annoy him, and it is his habit to fill them by putting the question before the house and calling for the yeas and nays. His auditors always like to make a noise, and an affirmative response follows as a matter of course, and then the lecturer, having regained his breath, proceeds with his remarks. An audience at Rochester on June 6 was betrayed by these tactics into a very unfortunate expression of opinion. He had been complaining that Christianity consigned to perdition such men as Shakespeare, Byron, Franklin, and Washington, who were not within the pale of church membership. "If I ever know a hereafter," he exclaimed, "I want to be where I can feel the wondrous influence of these great men, and I want to be able to grasp their extended hands, even if I have to go to hell to do it." "And, by the way," he added, gasping for breath, and apprehending the approach of a pause, "all those in favor of going to hell with me say 'aye.'" From all quarters of the house came mechanically the thundering response "aye!" Then they straightened themselves in their chairs, and reflected calmly on the pleasure trip to which they had prematurely committed themselves.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, JUNE 14, 1877.

Correspondence.

CONCORD, N. H., June 12.

It puts one in mind of winter to go through the State House yard at the present time, for those magnificent elms which have so adorned and beautified that place in former times, are now destitute of leaves, the effects of the ravages of the canker worm.

Monday afternoon about a fourth of the members of the Legislature were present. No business of special importance was transacted. Notices of a number of bills were given, among them being acts providing for the erection of a new State Prison, and for the establishment of railroad corporations by general law, to amend section 2, of chapter 4, of the pamphlet laws of 1876 in relation to Savings Banks, and providing for a topographic and hydrographic survey of the State. The resolution, that the use of the Representatives Hall be granted for holding Agricultural meetings on Thursday evening of each week, when not required for Legislative purposes, was carried with more zest than any other measure that has been proposed thus far this session.

The following are the chairmen of the different standing committees:

National Affairs, David Cross of Manchester.

Elections, Horace S. Cummings of Exeter.

Judiciary, Aaron F. Stevens of Nashua.

Railroads, Charles J. Amidon of Hinsdale.

Banks, Oliver Pillsbury of Concord.

State Prison, Alexander V. Hitchcock of Newport.

Insurance, Edward J. Durant of Lebanon.

Agriculture, Thomas J. Sanborn of Compton.

Manufactures, Charles H. Sawyer of Dover.

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Finance, Nehamiah G. Ordway of Warner.

Towns and Parishes, John H. Albin of Henniker.

Division of Towns, Greenleaf Clarke of Atkinson.

Asylum for the Insane, John W. Sturtevant of Keene.

Roads, Bridges, and Canals, Alexander Warden of Monroe.

Mileage, James B. Summer of Dalton.

Fisheries, William H. Shepard of Derry.

Retrenchment and Reform, William R. Newell of Manchester.

Military Affairs—William E. Stevens of Concord.

Incorporations—David H. Goodell of Antrim.

Reform School—Henry H. House of Manchester.

Normal School—George F. Mosher of Dover.

Bills on their Second Reading, George F. Sawtelle of Lyme.

Printer's Account, Henry Colby of Claremont.

Military Accounts, Enoch Q. Fellows of Sandwhich.

Claims, Stillman Humphrey of Concord.

Unfinished Business, James A. Wood of Acworth.

Engrossed Bills—J. C. A. Hill of Concord.

State Library—Albert S. Batchellor of Littleton.

State House and State House Yard, Andrew S. Smith of Concord.

Constitutional Amendments, Jonathan E. Sargent of Concord.

The bills of which notice notice was given yesterday were introduced and referred to proper committees to-day.

A resolution was passed of having a joint committee appointed of three from the Senate and ten from the House to invite President Hayes to visit the Capitol while in New England this Summer.

At the republican legislative caucuses held this evening the following nominations were made: For Secretary of State, A. B. Thompson of Concord; for State Treasurer, Solon A. Carter of Keene; for Commissary-General, William H. Sise of Portsmouth. For State Printer, John B. Clarke of the Manchester *Mirror* was nominated over F. B. Cogswell of the Concord *Monitor*, after a spirited contest, on the second ballot, by one majority: the vote stood, O. C. Moore, 4; P. B. Cogswell, 98; John B. Clarke, 103. The three first candidates named were nominated by acclamation.

YOURS, A. B.

EPPING, June 11.

Friday was a gala-day in our village, the occasion being the reception of Governor Prescott. On the arrival of the afternoon train from Concord the Governor and Mrs. Prescott, with friends, were taken in escort by the citizens *en masse*, and conducted to a mammoth tent near the Town House, where a beautiful collation awaited them. The procession was led by seventy young men, finely mounted, under the charge of Marshals Plumer, Ordway, and Corning; followed by the Candia Brass Band and a Battery Company of the same town. The carriage occupied by His Excellency was followed by one hundred and fifty others, containing citizens of this and adjoining towns. It is estimated there were two thousand persons present. The order of exercises at the tent was: prayer by Rev. Mr. Jones of the M. E. Church; pleasant remarks of congratulation from several prominent gentlemen present; and a poem. About eight o'clock, the Governor's party with ladies marched into the Town Hall, remaining a short time, while the Band gave some excellent selections. After they retired, dancing occupied the hours till midnight. The decorations were elaborate, with a profusion of flowers. The Governor's table, especially, was richly and artistically arranged. In the Hall, upon a central arch, was the word "Welcome;" and on either side "Plumer, 1812," and "Prescott, 1877." From either direction of the room was a continuation of arches, heavily trimmed with spruce, with hanging baskets of ferns and flowers. The effect, after it was lighted, was very fine. Many of the residences along the route were also decorated, in a style one does not see excelled in our larger cities. It was truly a citizens' affair, and did the town great credit. The enthusiasm and the admirable manner in which it was arranged and carried out made it one of those occasions which always bring a host of pleasant recollections, with, perhaps, a pardonable degree of pride, to all concerned. CARROL.

RYE, June 12.

Shepard's Jubilee Concert at the Town Hall, Wednesday evening last, was not a pecuniary success, on account perhaps of the inclement weather. That the troupe might give under more favorable auspices a fair entertainment seems reasonable, but in order to make a repetition a success, it would be well to have the price of admission stated plainly in the bills, and not mislead patrons by making them pay ten cents more at the door than they were led to expect they would have to by posters; and the address on the "Past History of the African Race" would give much better satisfaction if not principally relating to the experience of the orator, up in one of the back towns of this State not more than ten years ago.

The Portsmouth *Weekly* says that it is "the persistent sale of liquors by a prominent member of the Society" which is the reported trouble, which makes it difficult for the Congregationalists to get a minister. Perhaps it is; the writer of this don't know; but perhaps it won't be stating an untruth to observe, that as long as there are "prominent members" of a society to buy, there will be some others equally prominent, ready to sell,—whether it be liquor, tobacco or sugar; and that such things take place not only in Rye, but in a good many other places.

Col. Eastman, at Odiorne's Point, has had built a road from the highway to his elegant cottage, and fenced it in a substantial manner. The fence is built of posts and boards, and has more feet of timber in it than can be found on any other portion of the highway in the town of Rye. It is unnecessary to inform anybody who has ever been in Rye, that the fences are principally stone walls; and the wonder is, where all the rocks came from with which they are built. A person coming into town,—a stranger from Connecticut, who has been here for a year or more,—says it made both eyes ache at first to see so many stone walls; and it may be that they are not done aching yet,—for the stones are none the less, and not likely to be at present.

The canker worms are making sad havoc on the apple trees near the shore, and also in some localities farther back, when the trees are not enclosed at the trunk by a "tin protector" filled with oil. The crops of all kinds, with the exception of apples, are looking flourishing at present; and it is to be hoped that the persistent warfare on the potato bugs during the past two weeks will result in a good crop of potatoes, and a marked decrease in the crop of bugs.

Three deaths have occurred in town within the past two weeks—an unusual occurrence for this place—the ages of the deceased being respectively twenty-eight, thirty-one and thirty-six years. NAT.

News and Notes.

A terrible domestic tragedy occurred in Garrett City, Ind., on Sunday night. One George Nevins, a well-to-do citizen, returning home under the influence of liquor, commenced to quarrel with his wife, whom he accused of being too intimate with one Charles Thomas, a clerk in a hotel. It is said that Mrs. Nevins in her fright made a confession that such was the truth, whereupon her husband knocked her down and inflicted wounds with a knife from the effects of which she died Monday. After committing this deed he went to the hotel and fired one or two pistol shots at Charles Thomas, one of which took effect, and the wound is considered dangerous. Nevins is under arrest.

Business at the Revere and Tremont Houses, Boston, continues excellent, and Messrs. Chapin, Gurney & Co. have reason to feel gratified at the ever-increasing success and popularity of their establishments, so deservedly celebrated throughout the United States, since their opening, full thirty years ago.

A Los Angeles, Cal., despatch says that a volcanic eruption occurred in the mountains opposite Flaming Wells station, on the Southern Pacific Railroad, about sixty miles from Yuma, at 9 o'clock on the morning of the 11th. It was preceded by a violent vibration of the earth; about half an hour after, a dense volume of smoke and huge broken bowlders were observed to issue from the mountains. It continued in active state all day, but became nearly passive at nightfall.

Judge Lee, United States Attorney, is investigating the Chisholm tragedy in Mississippi, and has had an interview at Meridian with Mrs. Chisholm and J. M. Wells.

A despatch from Denison, Texas, says R. M. Grubbs, republican, was elected Mayor, Monday, by a plurality of 163 and a majority of 80 over both democratic competitors. The Assessor, Collector, Marshal, Treasurer, and all but one of the Councilmen elected are Northern men.

New Hampshire Items.

The Manchesters defeated the Maple Leaf base ball club a second time, on the 11th; this puts the Manchester club on the lead for the International championship. The Bostons were beaten by the Hartfords on the same day 7 to 0; the Chicagoes beat the Louisvilles, 3 to 1; and the Live Oaks whitewashed the Harvards, making six runs themselves.

Rev. Mr. Park, of Manchester, was chosen Chaplain of the House on Wednesday, on the eighth ballot.

The new city directory of Keene contains 2224 names.

Nathaniel Shorey of Rochester has recently lost twelve sheep by dogs.

Of seven liquor saloons searched by the Manchester police, Monday night, liquors were found in only one.

The Manchester Board of Aldermen, at a special meeting on the evening of the 11th, refused to concur with the Common Council in appropriating $150,000 for extending Manchester's railroad facilities.

The physicians in attendance on Mrs. Charles H. Payson of Northfield, whose head was split open with an axe by her drunken husband, think it quite probable the injured woman may recover, which will save the neck of the would-be murderer.

—The bane of pedestrianism—Bananas.

—A misnomer—An impatient Job-wagon man.

—The bachelor's toast—The day we collibate.

—The man who keeps cool is happier than the man who keeps school, this warm weather.

—The holders of Centennial stock will get back about thirty per cent. of their original investment.

—A lot of Brooklyn schoolmarms took a trip to West Point and all came to the conclusion that the cadets wore corsets.

—Baltimore, to increase her water supply, is making a tunnel which is to be seven miles long and twelve feet in diameter. Five miles of rock have to be drilled through in this great work.

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Portsmouth, June 12, 1877.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2½ years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the bowels. I have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 8th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shal continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

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EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

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Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

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Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

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Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.43, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CELEBRATION TO-DAY,

Unless all signs fails, will do no discredit to the occasion it is intended to memorialize; the city will take something very like a half holiday in the afternoon, as there will be no sessions of the public schools, and the places of business generally will be closed. The programme as already published will be carried out; and there will be no postponement on account of the weather, unless the weather should be of the most execrable kind.

It is a little singular that the idea of celebrating the centennial of the national flag did not occur to any one until it was broached in this city, when Col. T. E. O. Marvin, a member of the Veteran Artillery Association, proposed that the Association should take some public cognizance of the day,—at least, this was the first public mention made of the matter. Boston will this evening have a commemorative meeting in the Old South used-to-be church, when and where will be displayed the flag that floated over Fort McHenry during its bombardment,—the identical flag which inspired Francis M. Key, when a prisoner on board one of the assailing ships of war, to write "The Star-spangled Banner;" but with this exception the flag's centennial will pass without public notice, save in this city. And every citizen who has a spark of national pride, and sympathizes with the patriotic sentiments expressed in Key's noble hymn, should to-day render every aid toward making the celebration the decided success it promises to be.

The hour for the formation of the line on Market (square has been changed from half-past two to two o'clock. Invited guests will be received at the city hall at half-past one o'clock.

The route of the procession will be as follows: Through Islington street to Cabot, through Cabot to Middle, countermarch on Middle near Cass, from Middle through Richards Avenue to Langdon Park, Returning through South, Pleasant, Washington, State, Mulbury, and Daniel streets to Market Square, when the parade will be dismissed.

The dance to be given around the new flagstaff under the direction of Mr. Samuel Lamprey, will be the exquisite "Swedish May Pole Dance," in which some of the best young dancers in the city are to take part. It will be a beautiful novelty, and should not be missed by any one.

Mr. Barnard will keep the water in the South Mill-pond all day, for which he merits the thanks of all who may come in sight of the pond to-day.

JOTTINGS.

The members of the Portsmouth delegation in the Legislature are appointed to the following committees: Richard H. Waldron, Claims; George E. Hanson, Asylum for the Insane; Frank W. Hackett, Judiciary and State Library; Wm. A. Hodgdon, Manufactures; Wm H. Sise, Military Affairs; Titus S. Tredicks, Thomas E. Call, Banks; Andrew Sherburne, Agricultural College; Mercer Goodrich, Normal School; Samuel Langdon, Towns. and Parishes. John Amazeen of Newcastle is on Fisheries, and E. A. Peterson of Greenland on Agricultural College.

A boat for the transportation of passengers across the South Mill-pond will be run from the foot of Edward street to Langdon Park this afternoon, by Mr. James Goodwin.

There will be preaching at Gravelly Ridege this evening, (14th,) at 7 3-4 o'clock, by Elder E. Owen.

Don't forget the Promenade Concord to-night at Mechanics' Hall. Grand March at 9 o'clock.

In the arrangement of the committees of the State Legislature, Portsmouth, with ten Representatives, was not honored with a single chairmanship. Concord has five chairmanships.

Pensioners whose pensions are payable at the agency in this city will save themselves some trouble and probably much delay by applying at once for the payments now due, as after June 30th they will be unable to draw their pensions until the transfer of the agency to the consolidated office at Concord is completed,—and after that transfer it is more than likely that there will be far greater delay than heretofore in making the payments, as the number of pensioners to draw from the Concord agency will be very large, and the required examinations will consume a great deal of time.

Hon. Thomas B. Reed, member of Congress from the First District of Maine, is in town.

The managers of the Kearsarge Mills had proposed to shut down for some weeks from about the first of July, to put in some new and more powerful machinery, but an accident occurred to the engine, Wednesday morning, necessitating a shut-down sooner than was desired. The "rocker" of the engine broke, which badly demoralized the whole machine, as by the time it stopped the huge piston was bent into the shape of the letter S, and the engines and its foundations were badly shaken. The direct loss, though large, is not so serious a matter as the interruption of work, for there was a large amount of work on hand to be finished up before the shut-down took place. The managers hope to be able to repair the damages in a week or so, in which case the mill will be given several weeks' running before the new machinery is put in.

"The Little Corporal," Mr. George A'Lord, who was a corporal in Co. G, 125th N. Y. Vols., throughout the war, and is vouched for by Capt. Lemon, who commanded the company, the Colonel and Chaplain of the regiment, and others, as having been a brave soldier, and honorably discharged for disability consequent an arduous and faithful service, is in town and will call on all our patriotic citizens. He is engaged in selling a nicely printed copy of the Constitution of the United States, which he offers at the low price of ten cents. Give him a helping hand.

Joseph R. Clark, of Derry, has been appointed sealer of weights and measures for Rockingham county, in place of George F. Adams, declined.

[Written for the Chronicle.]

A Brief Story of Some Amateur Theatricals.

At the time, not very long ago, when amateur theatricals first came in vogue, a party of young friends, who were accustomed to meet together for mutual enjoyment, were at a loss what to do in the way of getting up some specie of recreation for the Christmas holidays, and it was finally concluded to enact a play, the old English drama of "Town and Country" being chosen for the purpose. The best of readers there were among them, from much practice in an art in which few, comparatively, excel, but to undertake to perform a whole play, with appropriate costume and scenery, as they purposed doing, was something they never before contemplated. The home of two of the members, a brother and sister, was in one of the large and tastefully constructed mansions that survive in the New England cities as relics of the English architecture of the eighteenth century, in which was a spacious upper room, out of all reason in size for a sleeping apartment, which, by the aid of carpenters' work, and that of an ornamental painter who had served in his time as a scenic artist, was soon converted into quite a tasteful temple of the muses. When the several parts had been studied and duly rehearsed, and everybody was ready for the Christmas Eve entertainment to which they had invited a host of their friends, the gentleman who was to sustain the *role* of Reuben Glenroy was taken ill, and not one was there who could fill his place. After much perplexity, a young gentleman friend of one of the members was found, who had come from New York to visit relatives, and being familiar with amateur theatricals at home, his services were procured to fill the vacant position. "Of one thing I must caution you," said the friend who had been able to secure his aid, "and that is, not to fall in love with the young lady who is to enact the heroine, Rosalie Somers, to your hero, as any young man would be very apt to do before he was aware of it." Dresses were procured of the appropriate kind, and when Christmas Eve came, a stranger who had witnessed the performance would have imagined the *corps dramatique* none other than members of the theatrical profession, such as he was accustomed to see upon the stage in the larger cities. While all did well, *very* well, the hero and heroine of the drama were pronounced most to have excelled, and more than one susceptible young gentleman among the auditors thought they would like to take the part in private life of Reuben Glenroy to the Rosalie Somers they had seen upon the stage, for never before had she seemed so winning in their eyes.

When Christmas was past, and the stranger visitor had returned to New York to share in the ever popular New Year's festival, the club went on "the even tenor of their way," enjoying the recreations prepared for the winter months before them, planning others for the future, looking forward to rural rambles in the springtime, and in the summer days jaunts to pleasant gathering places of the season, to mountain tops, and by "the sad sea waves."

The seasons came and went, during which occasional entertainments occurred in the "temple of the muses," as well as in the spacious parlors of other dwellings, until Christmas eve was again approaching, when, at the request of their friends, the club made arrangements to produce the same drama that had afforded so much enjoyment to all the year before at the ever happy time. It so chanced that the young gentleman came again from New York to visit his relatives, and did not decline when asked to repeat the character in which he had before acquitted himself so well. When the performance was over, and all were on the way to their several dwellings, a young lady who could do very cleverly whatever her fancy conceived, managed by dropping his arm at the right time, to leave the hero to accompany home the heroine of the play; and as the night was cold, on reaching the door, the latter could do no less than invite her escort in to warm himself before starting again for the home of his friends. After getting in a very comfortable condition at the parlor register, instead of taking his leave he was struck with sudden admiration of a choice oil painting that hung upon the walls, and then no less so by a winter scene of like merit; some elegantly illustrated books next detained him, (being a man of taste,) and about which he discoursed until his attention was drawn to an album of seamosses, whose rich colors and tasteful arrangement he much admired; and then, as if about to depart, but without wishing to do so, and lingering still, he took the hand of his companion, and said in a voice that needed something of steadiness, "After enacting first the part of a lover to you as Miss Rosalie Somers on the mimic stage; then, through all the year, within the deepest recesses of my own heart, and to-night, again, 'before many witnesses,' I would now ask if the great happiness may be mine of being accepted as such *in reality*, and that you will become my dearest of companions, the sharer of my fortunes in the drama of life; I could not love you more;" and then, as he pressed still closer the hand, and looked upon the half-averted face of the fair girl at his side, he added, "Twice have I heard from your lips the words 'Rosalie will never wound the heart of him who loves her.' May I be so happy as to hear those sweet words again, giving me the hope that my love has not been all astray?" Silence reigned for a few brief moments, no sound being heard amid the stillness of midnight save the beating of two fond hearts that yearned for each other; and there came to his ear in a soft, low tone, that was the sweetest music one of the pair could have heard, "*Rosalie will never wound the heart of him who loves her.*"

What followed need not be said, being a private matter between the very happy pair, neither the reader or the narrator have anything to do with it; it may, however, be stated, as *he* will not deny should he chance to read this sketch, that one of the twain had some trouble in getting into the dwelling of his friends after reaching the door, as the master of the household, on awaking from a long nap over his evening paper, supposing that all were in at 2 1-2 A. M., turned the key in the lock, slid the bolts, and put up the chain.

Another result of the Christmas eve performance the club so obligingly prepared for the entertainment of their friends, was, as it may please those who take an interest in such things to learn, that Captain Glenroy found courage to solicit a like favor from the young lady with whom he had been so intimately associated in the drama, that Reuben had won from the fair Rosalie; and being alike successful, the summer days succeeding found *two* "happy pairs" journeying together on their bridal tour.

Such are the dangers of indulging in amateur theatricals. Let "young men and maidens" beware lest they share a similar fate.

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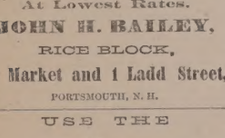

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each such neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or if at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over any part of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same, and no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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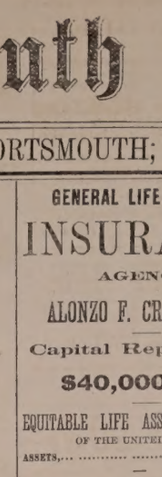

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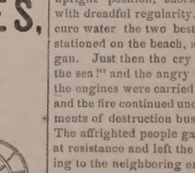

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Great Earthquake.

A correspondent of the Panama *Star and Herald*, writing from Lima, Peru (May 20), says: While the interior towns have escaped destruction, the visitation along the coast has been much more severe than in Aug. 1868, when the tidal wave overwhelmed Mollendo and Arica. At about 8:30 on the night of the 9th a severe earthquake shock, lasting from four to five minutes, moved the entire southern coast, even reaching down as far as Antofagasta; so severe was the movement that in many places it was impossible to stand upright without support. The first shock was succeeded by several others of less intensity, and then the sea, receding from the shore, seemed to concentrate its strength for the fearful and repeated attacks it made upon the land. Leaving Callao, and proceeding southward, the first port visited was Pisco, where the damage done was not great.

At Arica the people were busily engaged in preparing temporary fortifications to repel a threatened assault of the rebel ram Huascar at the very moment when the roar of the earthquake was heard. The sea was suddenly perceived to recede from the beach, and a wave from ten to fifteen feet in height rolled in upon the shore, carrying before it all that it met. Eight times was repeated this assault of the ocean. The earthquake had leveled to the ground the Custom-house in great part, the railway station, the Submarine Cable office, the hotel, British consulate, steamship agency, and many private dwellings. Owing to the early hour of the evening and the excitement attendant on the proposed attack of the Huascar, every one was out and stirring and the only loss of life reported is that of three little children, who were overtaken by the water. The progress of the wave was only stopped at the foot of the hill on which the church stands, which point is further inland than that reached August, 1868. Four miles of the embankment of the railway melted away like sand before the assault of the water; locomotives, cars, and rails were hurled about by the sea like so many playthings and left in a tumbled mass of rubbish. The United States steamer Wateree, stranded by the bore of 1868, was lifted up bodily and floated two miles north of her old position. The next morning the scene was pitiful. The shocks still continued; the sea was yet dreadfully agitated; the only two vessels in the bay, anchored far out, escaped injury, but all the launches and boats had been destroyed.

The movement was experienced at Iquique at the same moment and with the same superhuman force. Its duration was exactly four minutes and twenty seconds, proceeding from the southeast, directly from the location of the Ilaga volcano. The houses, built of wood and cane, tumbled down at the first onset of the enemy. Lamps were broken, and the burning oil, spreading over the debris, immediately started a general conflagration. Three companies of firemen—German, Italian, and Peruvian—were instantly at their posts, although it was still difficult to maintain an upright position, shock following shock with dreadful regularity. In order to procure water the two best fire engines were stationed on the beach, and the work began. Just then the cry arose "The sea! the sea!" and the angry waves rushed in, the engines were carried out by the reflux, and the fire continued unopposed. Three elements of destruction busy at one moment! The affrighted people gave up all attempts at resistance and left the city to its fate, flying to the neighboring eminences. The fire destroyed a large portion of the town, the earthquake leveled nearly all the rest, and the water covers the ruins which it took in its reflux. Four entire squares of buildings were swamped and taken by the waves; all the wharves were destroyed; the Custom-house is gone; the nitrate stores have disappeared; the water condensers along shore are ruined—a most irreparable loss for Iquique, as no potable water is found there. Nearly 400,000 quintals of nitrate then in the stores at Iquique and the adjacent ports of Molle and Pisagua, were destroyed. Small loss of life took place, probably ten persons in all.

Away up on the pampas, 11 miles from Iquique, the splendid nitrate establishment, La Neuva Carolina, was completely destroyed. The town of Tarapaca, twenty-three leagues inland, and the villages of Pica, Matilla, and Canchones more or less ruined. The loss of life is reported as not being great. The sufferings of the people of Iquique were intense; the absence of water and the destruction of the principal stores added to their hardships; tents were improvised along the sides of the hills near the town, and the neighborhood soon resembled a vast encampment. It is estimated that the damage done in Iquique will amount to nearly 4,000,000 soles.

The shock of earthquake was especially severe at Chanavaya. In some spots the earth opened in crevices of fifteen meters (49 1-2 feet) in depth, and the whole surface of the ground was changed. At least 200 people were killed, bodies were floating around in the bay, and a pestilence is feared. A small steamer, the Ballestas, was instantly dispatched to Iquique for assistance, but the condition of that place was such that but little could be afforded. At Huanillos, another guano-loading station, the damage inflicted was fearful. All the houses were destroyed, the guano cuts have fallen in, and at Pabellon, [illegible]

must be suspended for at least two months, as that will be requisite to effect the necessary repairs.

Mexillones was visited by a tidal wave sixty-five feet in height; two-thirds of the town completely obliterated; guano-shoots, wharves, launches, boats, water distilleries, railway station, locomotives, cars, and furniture, all swallowed up by the insatiable enemy, the sea. At Tocopilla little or nothing remains of the town. A mine called "La Pena Blanca," four miles to the southward, sunk in, smothering 200 workmen, of whom forty were Cornish miners. Cobija, the principal town on the Bolivian coast, has lost three-fourths of the houses. The wave, thirty-five feet high, swept along the main business street and left it as level as the desert. Wharves and launches were all carried out to sea. The church spire was knocked over, and even consecrated ground was entered—the cemetery suffering somewhat from the watery foe. All these towns are in the greatest distress. Chili has escaped without injury. The northern ports of Peru were damaged but little, although the sea was running remarkably high.

On the evening of the 14th, Lima and Callao were visited by a very severe shock of earthquake lasting twetny-two seconds, and causing general alarm, but little damage. Fears were entertained that it might have been a second edhion of the southern disaster, but telegrams from Mollendo announced that no repetition of the catastrophe had taken place.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JUNE 15, 1877.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, June 13.

Now that the different Standing Committees have been appointed, the House for the past two days has made some progress on the legislative business; yet some of the new members can hardly recognize that anything has been done thus far, realizing, in their estimation, that large bodies move slowly.

On Tuesday Frank W. Hackett of Portsmouth offered a resolution requesting the family of the late Hon. Daniel M. Christie of Dover to furnish his portrait to be placed in Representatives' Hall. In advocating his resolution Mr. Hackett made his maiden speech, as well as the first one of the session. On all sides he is receiving the warmest and most gratifying praise for his eloquent effort.

The nomination of John B. Clarke of Manchester for State Printer was the cause of considerable excitement. Two ballots were necessary to accomplish it. It was the hardest contested political nomination that has been seen in Concord for a long time. Both sides were ably generaled and all tactics were carried out without any political animosity.

The different county delegations met today and perfected an organization. Rockingham county delegation chose Wm. A. Hodgdon of Portsmouth as Chairman, and Mercer Goodrich of Portsmouth as Clerk. A committee of five, consisting of Wm. H. Sise of Portsmouth, Greenleaf Clarke of Atkinson, Horace L. Cummings of Exeter, E. A. Peterson of Greenland, and James M. Davis of Plaistow, were appointed to devise some means whereby the county expenses for the current year can be diminished. Considerable feeling was expressed about the matter of buildings at the County farm.

The representatives are acting upon the suggestions expressed in the message of Governor Prescott, and are examining the State Prison themselves. From opinions that have been expressed there is no doubt but that the bill for the erection of a new State Prison will pass.

It seems to be universally conceded that there will be considerable discussion between the friends of the Boston, Concord & Montreal and Portland & Ogdensburg railroads, about the matter of allowing the P. & O. R. R. to build the section they desire, but wise and knowing persons say the measure will pass. The members of the "third house" are here in full force, and are as active as the friends of different measures could desire.

Quite a number of Portsmouth faces were seen about the streets yesterday, among them Postmaster Pierce, Collector Howard and Sheriff Kent. To-day the tall form of Ex-Judge Lory Odell appeared in the doorway, and he was invited by the Speaker to take one of the front seats. A. B.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 13.

A religious controversy between some of the prominent Protestant and Catholic pastors is imminent,—already in progress, in fact. First, Priest, Boyle went out of his way in a lecture, to arraign Secretary Thompson, pointing out a grammatical inaccuracy in the preface of that gentleman's book on the "Papacy and the Civil Power" as conclusive proof of his lack of character and ability, and of his wicked motives generally. Next, the pastor of St. Matthew's Church, to manifest his zeal, made an attack upon Parson Newman, of the Metropolitan Methodist Church, this city, accusing him of giving utterance to a half dozen lies, more or less, in a recent lecture, and charging him with being a fool. The Doctor replies in a caustic way, and our church members and others are ranging themselves according to preference, and a prolonged bitter dispute is expected, that will arouse all the latent bigotry and fanaticism existing among the adherents of both sides. This feeling of hostility will be aggravated on the part of the Catholics by the establishment in this city of a new paper, the *American Watchman*, whose purpose is stated in the prospectus just issued, to be, "the advancement of Protestant Christianity and the defence of civil and religious liberty against the encroachments of Roman Catholicism." As the several pastors are representative men, and the writers engaged for the new publication are known to be ripe scholars, capable of engaging the attention of the country, the agitation precipitated may become National.

The Sherman relatives serving the country in its civil service are being remorselessly hunted up by those likely to be hurt by the late order, limiting families to not more than one in his Department. The list published is already formidable, with lots of back counties in remote State yet to be heard from; and it is intimated that the late transfer of a nephew from a good position here to another equally lucrative, where his incumbency would attract less attention because of its distance from the National Capital, was arranged with a special view to the order subsequently issued. Up to last accounts only one bureau has been searched for victims, and the astonishing number found more than justifies all the charges of nepotism made in these letters.

Butler is honing his scalping knife for a final and fatal assault, it is supposed, on MacVaigh, who cried quits; or it may be that the look of sardonic exultation observed as he draws his thumb deliberately across the edge to test fis fitness for the work in hand, is inspired by the fancied writhings of Hawley or some other obnoxious member of the Louisiana Commission, as he (the General) carves them into mince-meat.

The removal of Marshal Pitkin, of Louisiana to make place for a soldier of fortune in the person of Jack Wharton, is generally regarded here as grossly inconsistent with the civil service reform professions that have been made, and particularly so with the assurance that no removals would be made except for cause. No single removal so far made has caused so much unfavorable comment here, even among warm Administration supporters, as the one in question. KNOX.

The War.

The Turks have succeeded in relieving Nicsics.

Mukhtar Pacha is evidently in a critical position at Erzeroum. Unless the Russians are drawn off by some strategy it seems impossible that the Turkish forces there can avoid surrendering en masse. The fortress and town of Van are similarly situated. The great difficulty is that communications are cut off. The Russians are guarding every pass and road. Intelligence is not to be obtained of what is being done in Van, Erzeroum, Arzetoum and Batoum. Several efforts have been made to restore the telegraph, but have failed.

News and Notes.

A suit against Samuel J. Tilden for unpaid income tax from 1861 to 1871, aggregating with interest $150,000, was entered by United States District Attorney Woodford in the District Court for the District of New York on Wednesday.

Letters from Australia state that Fairbanks & Co., the American scale manufacturers, have received the highest prize at the recent international exhibition at Sydney, and that the Committee of Award recommended a special medal of honor for the excellence of their exhibit.

Gov. Chamberlain, late of South Carolina, has arrived in New York, and is ready to enter upon the practice of his profession. The younger bar of this city has not in many years received an abler re-enforcement. It is a noticeable fact that one of the young lawyers in Gov. Chamberlain's new office is the son of George H. Pendleton. The law makes just as strange bedfellows as politics.—*Tribune.*

New Hampshire Items.

A tramp entered the house of D. B. Dennison, at Great Falls, Wednesday evening, when the family were absent, and demanded of a servant girl the money and valuables in the house, on pain of being murdered. She begged for her life. The tramp stood in the hall, and allowed her to go up stairs under pretence of getting money, when she procured Mr. Dennison's revolver, and ordered from the top stairs the tramp to leave or she would shoot. He made threats of her life. Before he reached her she fired and he fell. Two other tramps coming to his assistance and taking him away, he remarked, "John, I am hit." The police searched in vain for the tramps all night. The girl fed the one who attacked her, just before night. She is only about twenty years old.

—An old soldier, who was discharged from the Treasury a day or two ago because both he and his son were employed in the same department, said: "When we stepped up to be sworn in as soldiers in defence of the Union sixteen years ago, no objection was made to us because we belonged to the same family."

—The silver question—"Can you lend me a quarter?"

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PICKERING—EMERSON. In this city, at the residence of Mr. H. W. Waldron, June 14th, by Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D., Mr. Albert T. Pickering and Miss Addie N. Emerson, youngest daughter of Joseph B. Emerson, of Boston, Mass.

NEALE—TORREY. In South Newmarket, June 4, Austin J. Neale, Esq., and Miss Mary F. Torrey.

WADLEIGH—LANE. In Hampton Falls, June 6, Mr. Charles F. Wadleigh of Kensington, and Miss Annie Lane, daughter of Levi E. Lane, Esq., of Hampton Falls.

DIED.

FERNALD. In this city, June 13, Mrs. Elmira Sullivan Fernald, wife of Amasi R. H. Fernald.

☞ Funeral at the Stone Church, Friday afternoon, June 15th, at two o'clock.

TUTTLE. In Newmarket, June 5, Mrs. Elizabeth C. Tuttle, aged 50 years, 8 months, and 26 days.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 5 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all this pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from Maj. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 23d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I run free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardships in the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

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EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. *I know it,* for I have tried them, and they are all yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

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Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

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Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.40	4.35	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	4.43, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE FLAG'S CENTENNIAL

Was celebrated in this city more elaborately than anywhere else in the Union. At sunrise a flag of the original pattern, with thirteen stars, was hoisted on the staff at Langdon Park, and all the bells of the city rang out a joyous peal, reminding the small boy of the delights of Fourth of July (perhaps) to come. At noon the bells rang out again, and a National salute hundered out from the guns at the Navy Yard; and shortly after many of the stores in the city were closed (and *all* should have been), in honor of the occasion.

The day was very warm and oppressive, and long before two o'clock the picnic wagons were engaged in conveying full loads from Market square to the Park, where an immense crowd had congregated before the arrival of the Veterans and their escort, and the guests of the day. Shortly before three o'clock the Veteran Artillery Association, Capt. George W. Towle, escorted by the Light Artillery, Capt. Wm. O. Sides, the Portsmouth Cornet Band furnishing music, and accompanied by the Boys' High School company, and the speakers of the day, officers of the navy and invited guests in carriages, started from Market square and marched over the previously advertised route to the Park.

On arriving, a salute of thirteen guns was fired by the Light Artillery. This was followed by "The Star-spangled Banner," given with fine effect by a large choir, the band accompanying. Hon. Charles Levi Woodbury then gave a historical address, which was of course most interesting and appropriate, for that gentleman couldn't make a blunder or a tame speech if he were to try. He was followed by Ex-Gov. Fred. Smyth, in another felicitous speech. The High School pupils then sang "The Red, White and Blue," with band accompaniment, the audience joining in the chorus. This ended the exercises at the Park in honor of the adoption of the Stars and Stripes as the flag of the American Union on the 14th of June, 1777.

At the Maypole, after an introductory address by Hon. Frank W. Miller, Rev. James DeNormandie read the poem composed for the occasion by Albert Laighton. A number of the former pupils of Mr. Thomas P. Moses than sang a verse of one of his favorite songs, "The month of June," which was received with such applause that another verse was given. Mr. Woodbury and Gov. Smyth then addressed the assemblage, their remarks being as appropriate to the Maypole festivities as their previous ones had been to the celebration of the flag's centennial.

The exercises closed with a Swedish Maypole dance, performed by nineteen young couples (representing the thirty-eight States of the Union), under direction of Mr. Samuel Lamprey.

The line of march was then resumed, the Light Artillery escorting the Veteran Association to the Rockingham House, and then marching to their Armory, where they dismissed.

The Maypole at the Park was dressed with streamers and evergreen, beside the "old thirteen" ensign, and there was a very general display of flags throughout the city, nearly everybody who owns a flag seeming to have had it out. At Liberty Bridge the tall flag-staff bore the Tilden and Hendricks flag of the last Presidential campaign. The few vessels in the harbor had their flags set, and the U. S. S. Enterprise, at the Navy Yard, was gaily dressed in bunting.

The lessee of the South Mill very courteously kept the water in the pond all day, and a boat on the pond did a good thing all the afternoon in transferring passengers from the foot of Edward street to the Park, and back.

At sundown the bells were again rung; and at an early hour in the evening the Veteran Association, with their invited guests, sat down to their memorial dinner at the Rockingham House.

Among the guests of the Association was Capt. N. J. Ham, who was a member of the once famous "Gilman Blues,"—the crack company of this region for many years, in auld lang syne,—at the time the late Col. Pierce was its captain, and who was one of the men to whom thirty-eight rounds of ball cartridge were served out one night in 1812, on the Parade, preparatory to the march to Rye to repel the incursion of several boats' crews from some British men-of-war off the coast. The Blues on that occasion got half-way to Rye before Capt Pierce was notified by a messenger that the marauders had retreated to their boats, when he marched his men back to the Plains, when they were treated to a hot supper instead of a dose of cold lead, which was better for their comfort if not so good for their glory.

Ex-Gov. Smyth, Hon. C. L. Woodbury, Mayor Broughton, Ex-Mayors Miller and Goodrich, Commander Yates, Rev. E. M. Grant, Messrs. T. Salter Tredick, Henry M. Clark and others, were also guests of the Association.

As the dinner was gotten up at the Rockingham, it would be supererogatory to compliment it. After the viands had been duly attended to, toasts were in order, and were given as follows:

Our Country—response by Hon. Charles Levi Woodbury.

The Flag—Rev. Eugene M. Grant.

The President. [Ex-Gov. Goodwin, who was to have responded to this toast, was unable to be present.] Response by the band—"Hail to the chief."

The Continental Congress—Stephen W. Clarke, Esq.

The Army—response by the band.

Our Navy—Commander Yates, U. S. N.

The Militia—Capt. Wm. O. Sides.

The Ladies—Lieut. Charles W. Gardner.

New Hampshire in the Revolution—Ex-Gov. Smyth.

The Revolutionary Press—Hon. Frank W. Miller.

The Heroes of '76—response by the band.

Our Foreign Relations—Hon. Chas. L. Woodbury.

Remrks were made by Capt. John Clark, a veteran soldier, and others; and shortly after ten o'clock all bands joined in singing "Home, Sweet Home," and then went there.

The whole celebration passed off with credit to those who were active in getting it up. No such extensive "time" as we had on the occasion of the Return of the Sons was looked for, or desirable; the time for making arrangements was limited, and general contribution of funds was not asked. But it was peculiarly fitting that the flag's centennial should be publicly noticed, and by the organization which took the matter in hand,—the Veteran Artillery Association, many of whose members were prominent in military affairs thirty or forty years ago, and not a few of whom have served—and every one with honor—in the ranks of the Nation's defenders, more than one of them bearing the scars of honorable wounds. And so far as we are at present aware, Portsmouth—"sleepy old Portsmouth"—was the only city in which there was any general notice taken of the day and occasion.

JOTTINGS.

Steamer Three Brothers, built at Kittery Point, was successfully launched on Wednesday. Her machinery will be put in here.

The steamer Appledore commenced her regular trips to the shoals Thursday forenoon. She carried out several boarders.

The body of Mr. William S. Roberts, of this city, who was drowned near Boiling rock, in the upper Piscataqua, on the 8th day of May, was picked up early Thursday morning floating near Fernald's boat-landing, (the same landing from which he sailed on the day of the accident) by a young man from Eliot. On the body was found his gold watch and chain and $14.40 in money. The hour hand of the watch was broken off and the crystal gone.

Ship Anna Decatur, 1210 tons register, built at this port in 1866 and now lying in New York harbor, has been sold for German account, at $23,000.

Secretary Thompson will soon be cruising along shore as far north as Portsmouth, on the Tallapoosa, commanded by Lieut. McRitchie. Judging from the criticisms in the Roman Catholic papers on his book he has been sailing in against the Holy See.—*Ex.*

We have received *Peterson's Magazine* for July. It contains a beautiful steel engraving, "Cherry Ripe;" a large colored fashion plate, with five figures; besides some twenty other engravings, a number of continued stories, and other matter usually found in periodicals. A new volume begins with this number, affording an excellent opportunity to subscribe. Price, two dollars a year, with great deductions to clubs, and premiums to persons getting up clubs. Specimens sent, gratis, to those wishing to get up clubs. Address Chas. J. Peterson, 306 Chestnut street, Philadelphia.

Who is Hon. Augustus A. Woolson of Lisbon, Speaker of the House? We never heard of him particularly until he was brought forward as a candidate for the Speakership; and he has never heard of Portsmouth at all, judging from his arrangement of the House committees.

Hon. Marcellus Eldredge, of this city, is chairman of the Senate committee on military affairs; he is also second in committee on elections, and third in committee on roads, bridges and canals.

The heartiest endorsements of the Great London Circus and Menagerie meet the eye in the papers of places where the show has been exhibiting. To judge from our exchanges—city and country—no show ever gave better satisfaction in New England than this one. The Concord *Patriot* of the 11th says: "Howe's London Circus arrived here from Boston at four o'clock this morning, and at half-past nine made a parade of the principal streets. This was one of the finest parades ever given in Concord. The chariots were gorgeous and the animals in splendid condition, far surpassing any connected with a circus that ever showed in this city. The reputation that this circus has established preceded its advent in this city; the papers wherever it has appeared speak very highly of it, and all lovers of this kind of amusement can find no better opportunity of satisfying themselves."

NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

NORTH HAMPTON, June, 14.

The Annual Conference of Congregational and Presbyterian churches met in this town on the 12th, continuing until Wednesday afternoon, June 13th. The meeting was held in the Cong. church, of which Rev. T. V. Haines is pastor. Rev. A. B. Peabody, scribe of the Conference, led the opening prayer meeting at 10 A. M., Tuesday; public services followed, Rev. James W. Hubbell preaching a most eloquent discourse on a text in Matthew 26:53, "Twelve legion of angels and more," the reserve power of Christ being particularly enlarged upon. A business meeting followed, at which Phineas Morrill of Stratham was chosen chairman of the Conference, and A. B. Peabody scribe, for the ensuing year; it was also voted to receive women as delegates. The Conference then adjourned for dinner, and on reassembling short reports of the state of the churches were read. The question, "What is the duty of the church toward Christians who delay in becoming church members?" was discussed by Rev. Messrs. Street, Peabody, Rand, Chapman and Wright. At seven o'clock, P. M., a praise meeting was held, conducted by Rev. Mr. Hadley of Newington; after which there was a discussion on the question, "How can the churches of Rockingham county be revived."

On Wednesday, at half-past eight o'clock A. M., there was a short prayer meeting, followed by a praise meeting. At ten o'clock the question, "What are the duties of teachers in our Sabbath schools?" was discussed by Rev. Mr. Haley of Seabrook and Hampton Falls, followed by Rev. Messrs. White, Rand, Hubbell and Street. At eleven o'clock there was a discussion on the question, "Have the Tabernacle meetings in Boston proved the need of a change in our methods of preaching the gospel?" in which Rev. David Bremner of Plaistow and Rev. Joseph Bartlett of South Newmarket took the principal parts; Mr. Moody's use of the Bible, his confidence in what he spoke, his earnestness in seeking immediate results and his independence of manuscript, were especially held up as worthy of consideration. A resolution on the death of Mrs. Betsey Whitehouse of Pembroke was passed. Rev. Wm. A. Rand of South Seabrook brought forward a resolution calling for more efficient legislation concerning the manufacture and sale of cider; and on the re-assembling of the Conference at two o'clock this cider resolution occasioned a spirited discussion. A vote of thanks was passed for the hospitable entertainment of the delegates; after which there was a public service, Rev. Jesse Page of Atkinson opening, and Rev. Mr. Robie of Greenland preaching the sermon; this was followed by communion service, after which the Conference adjourned to meet in Portsmouth in June, 1878.

On Wednesday forenoon, while the Conference occupied the church, the Rockingham County Branch of the Women's Board of Missions held a meeting in the vestry, at which Mrs. H. C. Knight of Portsmouth made an earnest and most interesting address.

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YORK, ME., June 12.

Capt. E. H. Savage, Chief of Boston Police, who is spending a few days at the Riverside Cottage in York, informs your correspondent that for three weeks he and his force have been on track of an East Boston scoundrel who has been enticing young girls from Tremont and other central streets into by-places and in some instances accomplishing diabolical villainies. Saturday afternoon the chief received a telegram from his Deputy, that Capt. Ford, of the force, had arrested the scoundrel, who is an East Boston rough and a fighter. He is fully identified and will no doubt get punished to the full extent of the law,—which law in cases of this kind seems too mild. When Chief Savage read the telegram, his countenance brightened, and he exclaimed "Good! If you had brought me five hundred dollars I should not have been more pleased!"

A clergyman not a hundred miles from York says that he would sooner see either of his darling children die, than to administer a drop of alcoholic stimulant to save its life. Now is that man sane, a fool, a fanatic, a liar, or does he want to see his child die? Which?

On Sunday, Mr. Charles L. Grant, (of the firm of Stewart & Grant,) lost a valuable horse. Also on the Wednesday previous Mr. Geo. T. Bragdon lost a horse, valued at two hundred dollars, by colic.

Yours truly, P.

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Boston & Maine	97¼
Boston & Providence	120
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Concord	74
Eastern	81
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	108
Manchester & Lawrence	126
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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEE. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any state meat, heads, offal or any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city, but shall cause all offal to be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice being given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

MY TREASURES.

[The following is the poem written by ALBERT LAIGHTON for the Maypole celebration of Thursday, and read on that occasion by Rev. Mr. DeNormandie.]

I.

No titled lands are mine,
And yet, by right divine,
A heritage I claim in all that lies
Beneath the skies.
Whose gold can buy the loveliness of morn
The glory of the day,
The sunset's splendor, or the beauty born
Of night's enchanting hour?
Or take away
The soul's immortal dower?

II.

These are my happy fields, to childhood dear;
Mine the ancestral trees that stand
Lofty and grand
Through all the changing year;
Here are my woodlands dim
Where the arbutus blossoms, meek and pale,
The earliest flower to bring
Its tribute to the Spring.
Here my Arcadia fair, my Arno's vale;
Here low and sweet,
Or wildly when the tempests beat,
The ocean chants for me its solemn hymn;
Here at my feet,
The clear, blue waters of my glorious river
Flow on unchecked forever;
While far away
Beyond the winding bay,
Distinct against the western skies,
My cloud-kissed mountains rise.

III.

I seek no alien sky,
Here all my treasures lie
Far from the ceaseless tread of hurrying feet,
The turbulence that fills
The city's crowded street.
Sweeter to me the sea's mysterious rote,
The murmur of the wind-swept pine;
The melody divine,
That warbles in the wild-bird's silver throat,
The freedom of my native woods and hills!

IV.

O wealth that knows no loss,
O gold that hath no dross;
Why should I ask for more?
Why swell my countless store?
Enough for me to dwell,
'Mid scenes I love so well;
And whether life for me be long or brief
Here may I sink away,
Into the sweet eternal rest,
As peacefully as on some autumn day,
When winds are hushed, the ripened leaf
Falls on Earth's tender breast.

An Extraordinary Shipwreck.

It is a curious thing to find a wreck due not to the ship striking a rock, but to a rock striking the ship, yet this is what seems to have happened in the case of the iron screw steamer Knight Templar, which, on February 23, off the Gulf of Tunis, seems to have been struck by a rock from a submarine volcano, while in 1000 fathoms of water, at a distance of ten miles from the nearest known group of rocks. The shock was accompanied by a rumbling noise and by the seething of the sea into a white foam all round the ship, and though the ship was not stopped in her course, she soon began to fill, and had to be steered to the Island of Galita, where the captain ran her on shore in a shallow place, which he accomplished within four hours of the submarine shock. When examined by divers, and subsequently in dock in Malta, it appeared that at a distance of about fifteen feet from the stem of the vessel some nine or ten feet had been torn out of her by something which crossed her course at right angles, and the ship had also been struck in a similar way on the after part from the same direction, and a good part of her keel twisted. Mr. William Coppin, ex-surveyor to the Board of Trade, who gives us this account at length, is evidently quite satisfied that a rock driven through the sea by a submarine volcano had struck and wrecked the ship. It is hard for the sailors that at the very time when man is contriving such frightful torpedoes for their destruction the earth herself should begin exploding natural torpedoes upon them, without even the warning of a declaration of war.—*London Spectator.*

A Handy Earthquake.

The earthquake theory promises to be as great a convenience to navigators as to novelists of the California school. The officers of the Pacific Mail steamship City of San Francisco contend that at the time of the earthquake that destroyed Iquique on the Peruvian coast there was an upheaval of the submarine reef on which the vessel struck. The naval officers at Acapulco entertain the same theory, and the entries on the log-book of the United States steamship Lackawanna in the same harbor are cited in proof of the assertion that there were a great many big tidal waves with troughs behind them about the time the steamship was wrecked. This view is confirmed indirectly by an account which an English paper publishes of the wreck of the steamship Knight Templar under similar conditions in the Gulf of Tunis. The ship did not strike the rock; nay, the rock struck the ship; and it must have been a rock from a submarine volcano, for the vessel was at a distance of ten miles from the nearest known group of rocks, and in many hundred fathoms of water. The shock was accompanied by a rumbling noise and by a seething of the sea into white foam all round the ship, and though the ship was not stopped in her course, she soon began to fill, and had to be steered to the island of Galita, where the captain ran her on shore in a shallow place. Of course, if a steamer in the Gulf of Tunis tripped her heels over a submarine volcano, another steamer off the Pacific coast may be expected to stumble over an earthquake, and to be sucked under by tidal waves. It is true that the steamship Washington struck this rock which wrecked the City of San Francisco.

soundings around it in 1862; but the theory explains everything, is handy for navigators, and edifies the marines.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 14.

Another ring scandal is afloat, it being alleged that at the very threshold of the investigation ordered into Indian affairs evidences of a ring have been struck that promise to pan out a big scandal equal to post traderships at least. The issue of supplies, based on a false count of the Indians to be supplied, was one way of operating, according to this morning's report; and the scrip issued to the Indians is claimed to have been so manipulated by collusion between outsiders and officials here, that it ultimately fell into the rapacious hands of the ring by which it was made to cover valuable tracts of land until they were stripped of timber, when it was lifted and made to cover other tracts, the process being repeated many times. It is understood that a great panic prevails among some of the employees of the Indian Bureau, the fear of dismissal not being the only one oppressing the guilty parties.

Secretary Sherman is reported to have expressed himself as favorable to the remonetization of silver to the extent of making it a legal tender in all currency contracts, only to be issued in exchange for United States notes and fractional currency, thus insuring the retirement of a dollar of the latter for every dollar of silver put in circulation and making it subject to only such fluctuations as the currency is liable to. He claims that the adoption of the plan would be a fair compromise between the extremes of opinion between the East and West, and that it would inevitably tend towards resumption by the retirement of soft money and its substitution by silver. It is said here that the Western republicans are favorable to the authoritative adoption of the Secretary's views by their respective State conventions, while the democratic leaders of that section will inscribe upon their banners as watchwords of the Fall campaign the remonetization of silver on an equal footing with gold, and a further issue of greenbacks; in other words, inflation by means of the latter and also of the restored silver standard. The Secretary is in receipt of congratulatory dispatches from every part of the country and money centres in Europe upon his success in his negotiation of the new four per cent loan; and in response to inquiries as to whether popular subscription is to be limited to the twenty-five millions already subscribed for by the syndicate, he gives assurances that none who come will be turned away empty, and that even $50 subscriptions will be thankfully received.

Secretary Evart's determination to hold Spain strictly responsible for every infraction of her obligations toward us, is generally commended here at the Capital; and the desire manifested to avoid war with Mexico does not appear to exist towards Spain, at least not to the same degree. When the Government vessel sent to obtain the affidavit of the Captain of the schooner Rizpah shall have returned, decided measures will be adopted to enforce our rights in the premises, if found to have been trifled with.

There seems no doubt that Lerdo contemplates an early move against Diaz, but it is positively denied that any but Mexican citizens will be allowed to participate in the movement, and the reported filibustering expedition as being fitted out at New Orleans against Cuba is as positively contradicted. KNOX.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, June 15.

On Wednesday evening the republicans met in caucus in Rumford Hall for discussing the bill introduced by Judge Jonathan E. Sargent of Concord entitled "An act to fix the time when the constitutional amendments, adopted in March last, shall take effect; and also providing for compiling the statutes of the State." The different portions of the bill were discussed for an hour and a half, the chief participants being N. G. Ordway of Warner, David Cross of Manchester, Levi W. Barton of Newport, Gen. A. F. Stevens of Nashua, and Judge Sargent, who explained his bill at length and the majority of the speakers heartily coincided with his views. It is the intention of the republicans to further discuss the bill in caucus so that when it comes up in the House for consideration there will be a unanimity of action concerning it.

Last evening the farmers and their friends gathered together in the Representatives' Hall and had a regular old-fashioned farmers' meeting, the subject being "The Revival of Agriculture," the speakers being Gen. Natt Head, Ex-Senator Patterson, Mr. Humphrey, President of the Board of Agriculture, Hon. James O. Adams, Secretary of Board of Agriculture, Capt. Sanborn, Chairman of the Committee on Agriculture, and Col. Weare of Seabrook. It was a very enjoyable meeting, the speech of Ex-Senator Patterson being received with marked approbation. At the meeting on the 21st, a lecture will be given by Col. John C. Moore, on Ayrshire Cattle. In anticipation of the event that Judge Sargent's bill will be passed, two or three plans for redistricting the State into the twenty-four districts have been drawn, and one gives considerable satisfaction.

Yesterday a message was received from Gov. Prescott, containing the annual reports of the State Treasurer, State Prison, Insane Asylum, Normal School, and Insurance Commissioner. These reports with the four daily papers furnished reading matter enough to occupy the attention of the members while the leaders were carrying on the business. In recognizing Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth one day this week, the speaker said Mr. Portsmouth of Hackett.

This morning the House met at 9 instead of 10 and for the first time the Chaplain was present and prayer was offered. The members from the rural districts desiring to put one day out of the six upon their farm work, prevailed upon the House to adjourn after a half hour session, in which some bills were read and referred, and notices of a number of others were given. A. B.

The War.

A desperate fight took place Wednesday night at Rustchuk, between the Turks and a large body of Russians from Giurgevo, on the opposite bank of the Danube. The Russians in considerable force crossed the river under cover of the darkness for the purpose of capturing a Turkish battery. The Russians were well to work before they were discovered, but the Turks opened fire before they had time to board the gunboat, and a deadly struggle ensued. The Russians, after sustaining a heavy loss, were finally compelled to withdraw. During the engagement the Russian and Turkish batteries on either side of the river became engaged, and the canonade continued throughout the night without intermission.

A dispatch from Erzeroum states that a great battle all along the Turkish line between Kars and Erzeroum is imminent. The fate of the Turkish arms in Asia Minor hangs upon the events of the next ten days.

New Hampshire Items.

The Advent camp-meeting at Seabrock will commence in Beckman's Grove, near the depot in that town, on Saturday, June 30th, and, including July 4th, continue over two Sundays. Ample provision has been made for boarding and lodging on the grounds. Fare on the Eastern Railroad and branches has been reduced one-half, with the addition of ten cents, from June 25th to July 12th. Sunday trains will run at the same rates.

A large dwelling-house owned and occupied by Charles Sanborn of Sandown was burned to the ground Thursday night about 9 o'clock. It caught in the attic, probably from the chimney. Everything valuable was saved. The building was fully insured.

The Postmaster-General has appointed David G. Chandler postmaster, in place of Gilman C. Noyes, resigned, at Columbia.

The house and barn belonging to Spaulding Parkhurst, situated at Amherst, was totally destroyed by fire Thursday. Cause unknown. Loss $1500; no insurance.

On Monday a carriage load of passengers rode up Mt. Washington from the Alpine House, Gorham, which is considerably earlier than guests have ventured on this trip, at least since the Messrs. Milliken have been the proprietors of mountain houses.

The Dover *Democrat* tells the following as having occurred in that city on the 10th inst: "A little boy named Felker, perhaps eight or ten years old, fell head foremost over a bank wall to the ground and rocks and roots some ten or fifteen feet below and broke his neck, or rather dislocated it, which most people would say was just about certain death. But this fellow was not really hurt at all. He fell upon his head, and the blow turned that head at exactly right angles from its proper position, so that when he was picked up he was facing straight out over one shoulder, and could not move his head a particle either way. The neck bone had been thrown from its socket joint. A physician was called and carefully put that head right about half-face, and the little fellow was as well as ever. It was a peculiar case, the like of which we never heard of before." In a later issue the *Democrat* announces to those inclined to scoff at this story, that it is true and will be corroborated by a leading physician of Dover.

News and Notes.

The covered bridge over the Connecticut river, between Northampton and Hadley, Mass., was blown over by a hurricane, which was accompanied by a severe thunder-shower, at half-past one o'clock Thursday afternoon. The uncompleted bridge of the Massachusetts Central Railroad was also demolished. There were six teams on the bridge when it went over, and Mrs. Sullivan of Old Hadley was instantly killed. Sheriff Enos Cook of Hadley was cut badly on the head, and died that evening; Wm. Smith of Amherst had a shoulder dislocated, and many others were badly hurt. Two horses were taken from the ruins alive. The bridge was 1214 feet long, and the newest portion of it has been built about fifteen years. Numerous tobacco sheds were also blown down by the gale.

At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Bridgeport (Conn.) Water Company, Thursday evening, P. T. Barnum was elected President, and changes were made in the Executive Committee whereby a greater liberality of the management is ensured. A large supply of new mains are already ordered, and a largely increased supply is promised within thirty days. This first practical result of the popular demand for a more abundant supply grew out of the burning of Glover, Sandford & Son's hat factory, whereby eleven lives were lost and $250,000 worth of property destroyed.

United States Marshal Powell of Texas writes from Austin as follows: "There is a reign of highwaymen in Texas, and stage and passenger robberies are of daily occurrence. One man alone robbed four stages in one day. He was captured two days afterwards with money and letters on him, and will be tried and convicted at once." The particulars of several other robberies were given.

Rear Admiral A. Murray, in command of the North Pacific Station, in a dispatch to the Navy Department, dated Mazatlan, May 24, reports the particulars of the loss of the City of San Francisco on the 16th of May, heretofore published, and says owing to the good management of Capt. Waddell, of that vessel, and the perfect discipline of the ship, no lives were lost out of a total of 251 persons, many of them women, children, and infants. Admiral Murray says it gives him pleasure to make this statement, as Capt. Waddell was formerly a lieutenant in the Navy. He also speaks in the highest terms of the humane, self-sacrificing and gallant conduct of the captain, officers and crew of the little Mexican gunboat Mexico, in transporting the wrecked passengers and crew to Acapulco, and says it merits some recognition from our government. In conclusion, he says the passengers all concur in the testimony that Capt. Waddell did everything that skill and courage could do for them and for his ship, which he was the last to leave. Indeed, the officers, crew and passengers seemed to have conducted themselves bravely and heroically.

An extraordinary wretch in New York carried his own child off to a police station and left it there with a story that he had seen it abandoned in the City Hall Park by its mother. He gets two years in the State Prison for his perjury.

Col. Forbes has filed his bond as Postmaster at Richmond, Va. He has appointed as his Assistant Postmaster M. A. Q. Holliday, a democratic State Senator from Henrico county.

The preliminary examination of the four men charged with attempting to wreck a train on the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad in Missouri, for plunder, a few nights ago, was concluded Wednesday. All the prisoners were committed to Springfield jail, to await the action of the Grand Jury. Bail was refused. They will no doubt be indicted for murder in the first degree and have a speedy trial.

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Greenland, June 14, 1877. 3t

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June 1, 1877. 62t HAVEN L. SCOTT.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2[illegible] years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 23d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure diseases of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

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Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

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NOT A FAIR DEAL.

A friend suggests that we seem to be disgusted at the arrangement of the committees in the House of Representatives at Concord, in which Portsmouth is so carefully snubbed,—or, rather, so completely ignored. Well, we *are* disgusted with it. Exeter, with four representatives, Keene, with seven, and Nashua, with eleven, each have one chairmanship; Dover, with eleven representatives, has two chairmanships; Manchester, with twenty-seven representatives, has three chairmanships; Concord, with fifteen representatives, has *six* chairmanships; Portsmouth, with ten representatives, has—no chairmanship at all! Thus Concord, with fifteen representatives, has as many chairmanships as Manchester, Nashua, Dover and Portsmouth, all put together, though the four cities last named have fifty-nine representatives in the House. As there are twenty-nine committees of twelve members each, one of two members, and two of three members each, it was not easy to make them up in such a way as to leave the Portsmouth delegation off entirely; so we find Hacket tenth on judiciary and second on State Library, Tredick sixth and Call eleventh on banks, Hodgdon second on manufactures, Sherburne twelfth on Agricultural College, Langdon fifth on towns and parishes, Hanson seventh on Insane Asylum, Sise fourth on military affairs, Goodrich third on Normal School, and Waldron second on claims. Not one of these members is a fool; the Portsmouth delegation as a whole is far above mediocrity, and without making any invidious distinction we may say that several of our representatives are far better qualified to preside over important committees than the men who have been appointed to that duty.

[Communicated.]

SOUND THE HORN.

Messrs. Editors:—I am glad to see that you still keep playing on that tuneful instrument, the fog-horn, and I (and every other nautical man who has the interests of the port and the seamen visiting it at heart) hope the papers of the town and the Congressman of the District will keep harping on it until it is put in place and operation. As another illustration of the need of it, let me speak of the experience of the schooner T. J. Trafton, Capt. Hoyt, of this port. This vessel was caught at sea in the great gale and snow storm of December 29th last, in which so many vessels were wrecked and so many lives lost, she being then on a passage from some port in Maine to New York city. When she took the gale she was to windward of this port, and in as favorable a position to run in as could be wished; yet Capt. Hoyt, who is thoroughly acquainted with the port, instead of running in preferred to take his chances of keeping off shore by carrying sail, (though everything indicated that a terrible storm was coming,) rather than run for the narrow entrance of the harbor in a snow-storm, knowing as he did that he could get no aid in making the harbor from any fog or storm signal. So he carried on until his mainsail, mainboom, and foregaff were carried away, and then, having fortunately been driven into comparatively smooth water somewhere under the lee of Cape Cod, he let go his anchors and managed to ride out the gale, getting into Vineyard Haven when it was over, and towing thence to New Bedford for repairs. A fog-horn at the harbor's mouth would have enabled him to run in with confidence and in safety, and the peril to his vessel and the lives of his crew would have been avoided. HAND LEAD.

JOTTINGS.

Rev. John Moore will give the second lecture in his course on "Science and the Bible" in the Congregational chapel this evening; subject, "Antiquity of Man."

Services at the North church, to-morrow, only in the morning. The pastor, Rev. James W. Hubbell, will preach the sixth of his discourses in the series. Subject, "Faith." During the warm weather the afternoon service will be omitted. The Sabbath school will meet at 2:30, P. M., the pastor teaching a Bible class of young men. Chapel service at 7:30 in the evening.

Mission services for the Summer months, every Sunday at 10:30 A. M., at the Almshouse, 12:30 at the city jail. At 8:45 every Monday evening, in the chapel at the Home, No. 16 Deer street; friends are especially invited to this service. Hours at Home, every day from eight to ten o'clock A. M., and twelve to two o'clock P. M. Bow Mission adjourned to September.

Mr. John E. Roberts, a member of the Reform Club, will speak at Mechanics' Hall to-morrow (Sunday) evening at 8 o'clock. Subject, "Individual Tact in the Propagation of the Temperance Work." A praise service will precede the lecture. Collection to defray expenses.

In our reports of the Veterans' dinner at the Rockingham, published in the CHRONICLE of Friday morning, the response to the toast "The Heroes of '76" was credited to the band. This was an error. Hon. Marcellus Bufford, who had been billed for a response to that toast, was unavoidably absent, so Lieut. Nathaniel D. Miller was called on at a minute's warning; and he made one of the very best speeches of the evening, too, being evidently entirely "at home" with his subject.

Mr. Charles E. Walker has purchased the house corner of Union and Cabot streets, for $2000.

Somebody or other, supposed to have been a gang of boys, recently raided on the cellar of Mr. Eben M. Lang, on Union street, gaining entrance by a window. The thieves stole an earthern pot of doughnuts and several jars of jelly, a pie, and a basket in which to carry off the plunder. One of them evidently put his hand into a jar of preserved barberries, in his explorations for more provisions to appropriate, as the marks where he wiped his dirty paw on the outside of the jar and on the shelf where it sat were plainly visible.

Of the Great London Circus the Boston *Post* says: "The management promises nothing that is not fulfilled to the letter, and, as a consequence, those who go there with the expectation of finding a few mangy animals, and that the energy of the establishment has been mainly expended on the dead walls of the city, are most agreeably surprised. Nothing has been slurred over, and the more frequently the entertainment is seen the more satisfying is it found to be. The sagacity and tractability displayed by the horse Ellington is wonderful. He dances, prances, and goes through a variety of performances with almost the accuracy and judgment of a human being. The grotesque Mardi Gras Carnival with which the show begins is very pleasing to the young, in particular, and throughout the entire proceedings a succession of delights is assured them."

Government officials who are disabled soldiers, will doubtless read with satisfaction, that the President informed Commander Tanner of the G. A. R. "that no such soldier should be disturbed in his office throughout the country." Now, we presume, Major Vaughan will be ordered to Concord, to assume the duties of pension agent—as the incumbent in that city, whence the rolls for the State of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont are to be transferred on the first of July, we think, was not a soldier, while the Major's disability shows itself on the face, above all others.—*Journal.*

Trains will be run on the Portsmouth & Dover railroad on Thursday, June, 21 at reduced rates to accommodate those wishing to attend the great London Circus that is to visit us on the above date. Tickets from Dover to Portsmouth and return, only 90 cents, which entitles one to admission to the show.

We have just heard of a somewhat amusing incident which occurred in this city on the evening of Decoration Day, when a widow lady called at the police station and requested the arrest or at least the summonsing to Court of another woman, because the latter had that day decorated, with wreaths and flowers, the grave of the aggrieved lady's husband. The police suggested that as the decorating was nicely done and no property was harmed, a criminal action would not lie, but that possibly a civil suit for trespass would pan out favorably, whereupon the irate widow left for home.

A man named Blute, residing at the Creek and employed on the foundation for the new opera hall, had the forefinger of his right hand taken off at the first joint Friday forenoon, by getting it caught between the cog wheels of the derrick.

Schooner Velocipede, Capt. Charles Ross, arrived at Doane's wharf on the 12th with 500 bbls. of mackerel.

One of the latest amusements which the boys have taken up, and also one of the biggest nuisances, is the throwing of stones with a sling. It is dangerous to walk through some parts of the South End from the richochetting of stones flying in every direction.

He Didn't Say It.

We clip the following item from an exchange.

The senior naval officer on the Examining Board at the Naval Academy at Annapolis is reported to have said recently, that he had "never known a graduate of the Naval Academy who could sail a ship or navigate one."

We do not believe the officer referred to ever said anything of the kind. We are not of the enthusiastic admirers of the Naval Academy, and it needs no argument to show that a young man graduating at the end of four or six years of study and jollification at that institution must be greatly inferior in practical seamanship to a young man of the same length of experience in heading a watch on board a merchant ship. But so far as the mere navigating a ship is concerned, no better place could be found to learn it than the Naval Academy; and many of the fledglings who leave there with no more idea of practical seamanship than they have of true democracy, develope into efficient officers, able to handle a ship under sail in good style. Had the remark attributed to the examiner been that he had "never known a graduate of the Naval Academy who could *sail* a ship" at the time of his graduation, we might have believed it; but the statement that none of them can navigate a ship is absurd.

Political.

All these assaults upon the people of Kemper County, as a band of lawless men with no regard for human laws or human life, are but base slanders, worthy only of the vile wretches who utter them.—*Kemper (Miss.) Herald,* (dem.)

In the town of Deerfield, Mass., they keep, in a glass case, guarded with all possible care, what is considered one of the most suggestive relics of the brutality of the American Indians of two centuries ago. It is the door of Mr. Sheldon's house. The Indians, who descended upon the village, hacked a hole in the door with their tomahawks, and, putting a rifle through it, shot a woman. Two hundred years later a mob of Mississippi democrats, at De Kalb, break down a door, and through the opening shoot a woman and a boy. Thus the white savage goes his aboriginal brother one better. And it may be added that the Indians fled for their lives, but the Mississippi murderers sit around at home, and the Governor of the State says all is quiet.—*Hartford Courant.*

John Colby, a son of Charles Colby of Plainfield, on Tuesday night put some corrosive sublimate into a mug of cider, intending suicide, he says, but put the mug aside without tasting. His two sisters drank it for pure cider the next day. The recovery of one is doubtful.

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MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Schrs Sahoo, Palmer, for this port from Hoboken, and Senator, Grant, for this port from Rondout, passed through Hell Gate June 13.

Sch Nicola, Randall, for this port from Port Johnson, arr at Vineyard Haven June 13.

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Proposals will be received until 12 o'clock noon, June 19, 1877, for furnishing to the Light House Board, a centre-board schooner of about 120 tons new measurement. The vessel should draw not more than 8 feet loaded, should be in good condition, well found in every respect, and have a powerful windlass. She should also sail well, handle easily and be metaled. Proposals should give name, age, register-tonnage, description in full of the vessel, sails, rigging, spars and ground tackle, with price for which she will be sold, and should also state when and where she can be seen and examined by an agent of the board, together with the names of her owners. JOHN HENRY,

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A nice assortment of new COLORED SHIRTS.

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Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style, with Collars and Pockets.

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CUTTING at short notice and in the best Style.

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SMART, Keeper, at No. 2 Mt. Vernon St.

Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

"The Sure Witness."

"The nineteenth century is the age of novels," remarks a literary historian,—he might have added with equal truth, "and novel impositions." Studied politeness has been passed off on us for nature refinement, the forms of devotion for its essence, and speculation for science, until we look askance at every new person or thing, and to an assertion of merit, invariably exclaim, "Prove it!" In brief, Satan has made himself so omnipresent, that we look for his cloven foot everywhere—even in a bottle of medicine. Imagine a lady, having a complexion so sallow that you would deny her claims to the Caucasian type if her features did not conform to it, purchasing her first bottle of the Golden Medical Discovery. The one dollar is paid in the very identical manner in which Mr. Taylor might be expected to purchase a lottery ticket after his experience with "No. 104,163," with this difference, his doubt would be the result of personal experience, while hers would be founded on what a certain practitioner (who has been a whole year trying to correct her refractory liver) has said concerning it. At home, she examines the bottle half suspiciously, tastes of its contents carefully, takes the prescribed dose more carefully, and then proceeds to watch the result with as much anxiety as a practitioner would count the pulse-beats of a dying man. She takes another dose, and another, and shows the bottle to her friends, telling them she "feels better." Her skin loses its bilious tint, her eyes regain their lustre, her accustomed energy returns, and the fact that she purchases another bottle is a sure witness that she has found the Golden Medical Discovery to be a reliable remedy for the disease indicated. The lady wisely resolves that in future her estimate of any medicine will be based upon a *personal knowledge of its effects*, and not upon what some practitioner (who always makes long bills rhyme with pills) may say of it. Dr. Pierce is in receipt of letters from hundreds of the largest wholesale and retail druggists in the United States, stating that at the present time there is a greater demand for the Golden Medical Discovery and Purgative Pellets than ever before. In affections of the liver and blood they are unsurpassed.

—Fruitless shrubs—Hat trees.

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—A home ruler—The broom-stick.

—It is thought wonderful that the arms of the Venus de Milo, which were lost more than fifty years ago, should have been found. But some arms were recently found at Germantown which are supposed to have been lost by a revolutionary soldier a hundred years ago.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	104¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	119¾
United States Ten-Forties coupon	111
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	109½
Maine State 6s. 1889	110
N. H. State 6s. 1879	104½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	35
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	58½
Boston & Providence	129
Boston & Albany	112½
Nashua & Lowell	120
Concord	71
Eastern	44
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	108
Manchester & Lawrence	125
Michigan Central	62½
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	22½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 20 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $6.00, Smiths', per chal $5.50.
Eggs per dozen, 16c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 5 @ 6c; Pollock 3¼
Hay per ton, $16 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 29
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.80.
Molasses per gal., R. Cuba 48 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 60 @ 100
Pork per lb., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $15.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.60
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 10¼ @11½; Gr. 12¼; Crushed 13c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
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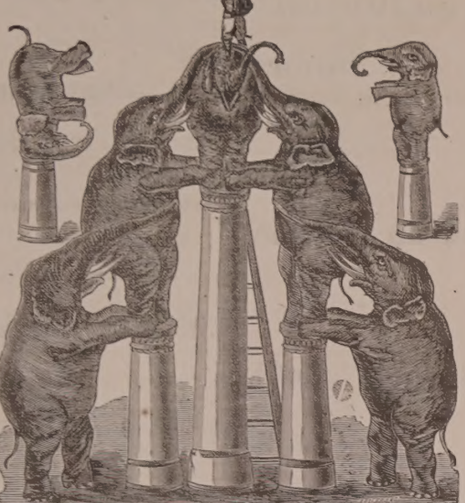

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$50,000 That no Competitor can Exhibit Half as Many Performing Tigers in the Country, and that the London show makes a successful specialty of these Rare Features.

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6 STUPENDOUS CHARIOTS DEFTLY GILDED 6

$50,000 That these Golden Cars cost four times the amount paid by any other Show for pretended Chariots, and that no Manager, no matter how wealthy or influential can build and exhibit their equal in one year.

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That no animal exhibition Duplicate $50,000 in the United States can this feature.

6 TRAINED MEXICAN PANTHERS, 6

That no Manager in can approach this $50,000 Europe or America great attraction.

8 - Full-Maned Ferocious Lions, - 8

50 Dens of Wild Beasts, Birds and Reptiles 50

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FOR PORTLAND AND STATIONS EAST 10:56, 10:56 A. M.; 2:32, 9:08 P. M.

FOR BANGOR, 10:56 A. M., 9:08, P. M.

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FOR GREAT FALLS AND NORTH CONWAY 10:27 A. M.; 2:32, 5:41 P. M.

FOR WOLFEBORO' 10:27 A. M.; 5:41 P. M.

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ers or occupants to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEE. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infections, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgating of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind in the street, or in any place or store over alley, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said pond, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Lerwick, Shetland.

On the hill-side rising from the north shore lie the clustering houses of the town of Lerwick. Like the towns of the Orkney Islands, it is a curious jumbling together of low, gable-roofed, small-windowed houses. The general air of the place savors of the Low Countries towns. The short skirted women, with white frilled caps, heavy clothes, and often wooden shoes, almost astonish one when they speak English instead of Dutch. Over the winding, crooked street with the great paving-stones the veritable Shetland ponies clatter along, and the carts lumbering behind them make a dull rumbling. It is on market days that Lerwick dons her holiday dress. The little quays, privately owned, and jutting out into the waters of the bay, are alive with men, women, and children. It is the custom on such days for people of the neighboring islands to enter their boats, and, with their cargo of peat, set sail for the town. Often there will be great numbers of these well-laden boats entering the harbor, and swarming around the piers like bees about a hive. The women leap from the boats, and slinging the baskets of peat over their shoulders, start off for the nearest shop, that they may barter for this and the other. The men, left behind, clothed in rough tarpaulins and odd homespun clothes, lazily fasten their boats, and pass the news with their friends. But not only do visitors come from seaward. From the central part of the island—from the regions of solitude and peat-bogs—numberless troops come winding over the hill behind the town, down the slope, to the market-place. It is a quaint sight to watch them. The little ponies, shaggy of mane, and with long, handsome tails, are heavily burdened. They have no bridle, only a string about their neck; on their backs are pack-saddles, often so covered with bags of peat, or perhaps grass, that the pony is scarcely to be seen at all. If by chance, after all the goods are crowded upon the docile animal's back, one small portion of the rump appears, the good woman, his master, leaps lightly on, and away goes pony, bag, and woman to the town beyond. When this collection of ponies, men, women, and children is seen together, the sight is very picturesque. All look so odd, are so animated, that one long remembers it. After the day's trading is over, away go the boat-loads, singing and laughing, the women pulling the stronger oar. Over the hill the long file of ponies and riders wend their way homeward.—*Harper's for July.*

Examination of the Fishway.

C. G. Atkins, of Bucksport, Superintendent of the U. S. Breeding Works at that place, and the designer of the fishway at the dam at Treat's Fall; E. M. Stillwell, State Commissioner of Fisheries, with L. H. Eaton, the constructing engineer of the works, visited the fishway again Saturday evening, the tide being at its lowest stage, in order that Mr. Atkins might go through and examine the entire work, to effect which the water had to be shut out. When this was done two salmon of large size were found, evidently surprised at not finding the gates open. A gentleman living near the works jumped into the fishway and lifted one of the salmon out, weighing some 18 or 20 pounds; but it was thought best to restore him to his native element, that he might pursue his way to the head water. Mr. Atkins and Mr. Stillwell expressed themselves satisfied with the efficaciousnes of the structure, having had, with others, ocular demonstration that fish passed through, and the citizens of Bangor and those interested in maintaining the supply of fish in our river, may feel assured that the bar to this interest, created by building the dam at Treat's Falls, has been well overcome by the admirable designs of Mr. Atkins. The fishway is the largest and most thoroughly constructed of any in the New England States, and, taken altogether, is superior to any in the United States. It will probably be the type of the most important fishways hereafter to be constructed in the country.—*Bangor Whig, May 28.*

A Thrifty Householder.

A man who went from Newburyport to live in Tennessee, writes thus of one of his native neighbors:

He was a man of considerable means. He had a tannery, money in a bank, and more at interest. When he went away from home, his habit was to mark the amount of bacon which his family were to use while he was away. On one occasion he was taken sick away from home, and would not write to his wife about it, as it would cost postage. The family were in distress, as they did not dare to overcut the mark on the bacon. His wife by inquiring found where he was, and borrowed a wagon and servant of me, to send for him. He was very angry about it, and was about to punish his wife, till he found they were borrowed, and there was no charge. He subsequently presented me with a quart of persimmons, that had been nicely frosted and all the pucker taken out of them. He also required his family to wait till a neighbor's family had done their washing, and then get their soapsuds to save soap in the washing for his family.

—In Florida a man who has lost an arm or a leg, no matter how, is exempt from taxation on his business, unless it be liquor selling.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JUNE 18, 1877.

The Administration Endorsed.

The Boston *Globe* of Friday contained the following despatch from Washington, dated June 14th:

A despatch was received in official quarters to-day from Concord, N. H., stating that at a republican caucus of the New Hampshire Legislature it was decided to take the public printing from the newspaper hitherto enjoying that privilege, which was a Blaine organ, and give it to a newspaper published at Manchester, which has been a constant supporter of the Administration. This action of the Legislature of New Hampshire is regarded as an evidence of the rapid infiltration of the policy of the Administration into the minds of the people.

We do not believe the Administration really needs bolstering up by any such feeble means as that; if it does, down it must go, sure as Fate. The statement that the State printing was given to the Manchester *Mirror* as a rebuke to the Concord *Monitor*, is inconceivably absurd; and if it were true it would not show an overwhelming "endorsement of the Administration" by the New Hampshire republicans, for Mr. Clarke had but *one* majority in the caucus, and that only after a number of ballots had been taken. The truth of the matter is that politics had nothing whatever to do with the award; the Concord papers and people always want everything (and get almost everything) in the shape of State patronage, just as the *News-Letter* and people of Exeter want (and get) almost everything in the shape of Rockingham county patronage, equally regardless of outsiders and the public interests; the rest of the State is jealous of Concord; and it was owing to skillful generalship of the anti-Concord forces that the State printing was given to the Manchester *Mirror* instead of to the Concord *Monitor*.

The *Monitor's* course in opposing the "conciliatory policy" as being an absolute surrender to the pro-slavery and anti-Union democracy, seems to give the Administration's supporters much pain; but their talk of establishing an opposition republican paper in Concord is all bosh, for the *Monitor* is too firmly established and too ably conducted to be easily run off the track, and the editor's independence in maintaining his views can but win him respect, even from those who think his views not the correct ones. And flings at the *Monitor* as a "Blaine organ," from papers which for years have been trying to so trim their sails as to catch both the democratic and republican breezes, will not hurt it any in the estimation of the square-dealing republicans of New Hampshire.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, June 16.

Yesterday at 3:35 P. M. saw nearly all of the carpet bags and umbrellas go out of the city and what few remain are compelled to do so from force of circumstances, being mostly inhabitants of northern counties and impossible for them to go to their homes and return again. The members are making the most of their passes while they have them. Yesterday quite a party of them, to vary the monotony of their homeward journey took a trip across Lake Winnipesaukee. Next week for a trip quite a party propose to go to the Fabyan House. Those members who have been put upon the committee on Roads, Bridges, and Canals are making up their minds for a rich time in junketing about the State free of expense.

The readers of the *Patriot* turn with curious eyes every morning to the space devoted to "observations of men and facts," and there is sure to be some observation upon Col. Sise's white vest. I think that the reporter for that paper either has never seen a white vest before or else he is hinting to the Colonel to give him one.

Yesterday morning while Clerk Danforth was reading a bill he read *secretary* fourth instead of *section* fourth.

Thursday afternoon Mr. Alexander V. Hitchcock of Newport rose to explain an article about himself that had appeared in the papers throughout the State, but especially in the *People*. The article which appeared in the *People* was sent from Newport and was as follows: "Alexander V. Hitchcock, one of the representatives from this town in the legislature, was, on Saturday last, arraigned before Justice Town on a charge of embezzlement, for wrongfully appropriating and converting to his own use, property entrusted to his charge as agent by an administratrix of a deceased person's estate. He waived examination and was bound over in the sum of $500 to answer to the charge at the next September term of the Supreme Court for this county. We observe the significant, perhaps prophetic fact, that since then the Speaker has appointed Mr. Hitchcock chairman of the Committee on State Prison." Mr. Hitchcock after admitting the arrest went on to relate the facts of the case, showing that he owed nothing to the estate, and expressed his willingness to resign the chairmanship of his committee if in the opinion of the House and Speaker the public good demanded it. Following him Mr. Barton of Newport, by unanimous consent, corroborated his statements and went on to show that this arrest was made out of personal malice and spite and especially instigated by those parties who desire the overthrow of a man who for four years has stood by his pledge. Mr. Barton's remarks were loudly applauded, and it is safe to say Mr. Hitchcock stands higher in the estimation of the members of the House than before the attack was made.

The only clergyman member of the House finds his duties so arduous and overpowering that he has been obliged to have a foot-rest put in under his desk to relieve weariness.

Col. Banks of Nashua is the eldest member, being 77 years old to-day; Dr. Sullivan of Manchester is the youngest; Mr. Weed of Sandwich is the oldest member in service.

Seats and gas lamps have been erected on the balcony of the Phenix Hotel for the purpose of having weekly band concerts by the Concord Band, the first one of which was given Thursday night. A large and appreciative audience enjoyed its dulcet strains.

Senator Wadleigh, Col. Blair and Major Briggs, representatives from the second and third Congressional districts have been in the city this week. Charles H. Powers, President of the Board of Railroad Commissioners was here for two days. A. B.

[Written for the Chronicle.]

Our Currency, Present and Past.

It has been a habit of not a few ever since our present national currency came into existence, to term it "greenbacks," "rag-money," and latterly, especially during the late Presidential campaign, to have a great deal to say about "the rag-baby;" yet the first one of them was never seen who would have disdained to pick up in the street or receive as a gift even a five cent note, before such things gave place to the metal coin representing that sum. The elder of these sneerers at "greenbacks" seem to have forgotten the time, after the old United States Bank, (before it became a State of Pennsylvania institution and went to the dogs,) ceased to regulate the currency—which it had done so well—and money was at all sorts of discount from twenty-five per cent. to half of one per cent.; and when, besides the Western "red-dog money," as it was called, fraudulent institutions came into existence, the issues of which, after a little time, became perfectly worthless. Most of these plans for robbing the masses were got up by a class of Wall street financiers not a whit better than counterfeiters, and who, like them, should have been sent to hard labor in a State prison. Their mode of operation was to issue bank notes, dated at some distant point, redeem them in New York at half or one per cent. discount, and when they had a good round amount in circulation, cease any longer to redeem them, when, as a matter of course, they became valueless.

One of these frauds was known as the Wolfborough Bank, in which, as a brick structure was erected for the purpose, and an iron safe visible in the banking-room, many worthy people of the place were induced to invest money in it as stockholders. Its notes being redeemed promptly in New York, coupled with the fact that the greatest trust was placed in Eastern money generally, this bank was in good credit until a run was made upon it, when the munificent sum of sixteen dollars in silver was found, wherewith to redeem some hundreds of thousands of its circulation. Ten to twenty years went by, and then a stranger made his appearance at Wolfborough in pursuit of stock in the defunct bank, for which he paid ten cents on the dollar. The holders were very glad to get it, yet thought it a very foolish way of spending money on the part of the purchaser. The next move of the financiers, as it afterwards appeared, was to have new plates engraved and a plentiful stock of notes printed therefrom. About the same time a member of the New Hampshire Legislature, who had got an inkling of the matter, arose in his seat, and without a preliminary word, offered a resolution that the charter of the Wolfborough Bank be repealed, which, as the institution had been dead and buried so long, was regarded as the best joke of the season, and amid shouts of laughter, it was passed by acclamation. It was no joke to the knaves who had the revived fraud in hand, but a very good one for the public at large over a wide circuit, as they were saved from a fresh batch of the same worthless issues by which they or others had been before defrauded of at least a quarter of a million.

Another of these frauds was known as the Georgia Lumber Company, and while its notes were dated at Portland, Maine, their place of issue and redemption was New York city. When they had got pretty freely mixed up with the currency of the time, the broker in Wall street who had redeemed them at one per cent. stopped doing so, and the holders were glad to sell them at almost any price; and then when most of them, probably, had been bought in by the agents of the concern, they were again redeemed for a time until widely in circulation, when the redemption again ceased, rendering them unsaleable for ever afterwards. Numerous other plans for robbery had their day, and were in time forgotten, but these are quite sufficient to show that notwithstanding the grumblings against the present currency, which none refuse, but on the contrary are glad to receive, there have been times when it would have been hailed with gladness. It may excite surprise that such spurious representatives of value should be received by the public; the explanation of which is that the currency was in such a disarranged condition, and business being as dull as it could well be, people were glad to get anything that would pass in trade as money, while well aware it was not safe to keep it from Saturday night until Monday morning. It was intended mainly for circulation in the great cities, where proprietors of many kinds of business, giving employment to large numbers of men, were glad to get it at some rate of accommodation from those who issued it, and paying it out to their employes, it at once found its way into the hands of grocers, bakers, etc., who gave it in charge of their customers, thus spreading it far and wide. J. H. B.

The War.

The Turkish commander at Vilayet, on the Danube, has given orders to execute all Roumanian soldiers taken prisoners in battle.

A despatch from Erzeroum, in Asia Minor, reports the capture by the Russians of Toprak-Kaleh, after a hard battle. [This town is between Kars and Erzeroum.] The Russian accounts of the fighting around Kars (which according to Turkish reports was desperate and very disastrous to the Russians) makes it out to have been but unimportant skirmishing.

—The Boston Custom House officers superintending the discharge of the cargo of the bark Benjamin Dikerman, recently arrived from the West Indies, discovered a trap-door concealed under a desk in the captain's cabin leading to a false hold, in which was stowed away $4,000 worth of bay oil and bay rum, supposed to be a private venture of the captain.

—Business life is very much like base ball. In the long run "safe hits" are better than "stealing bases."

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THE SUBSCRIBER gives notice that he has been duly appointed Executor of the last will of MEHITABLE WILLIARD, late of Newcastle, in the County of Rockingham, deceased. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2[illegible] years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. I have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. I have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May, John W. Lord, one month later. Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 23d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shal continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package. JOHN W. LORD.

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EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise, so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be bought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been an free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know it*, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

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Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

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" Way,	10.35 " "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 " "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 " "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 " "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 " "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 " "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 " "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 " "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M., 5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 " " 3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " " 6.50 "
Dover,	10.20 " " 5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

A WORTHLESS SOUL.

Every few months the papers all over the country enter into a match to see which can rake up for its town the meanest man in all creation—and they do manage to rake up some awfully mean men, if one-quarter of their yarns are to be believed. A Boston paper recently came up with a story about a big dry-goods firm, asserting that one of their shop-girls having fainted in the street in front of the store, she was taken home in a hack very ostentatiously sent for by a member of the firm, and had five dollars taken from her week's wages of six dollars, on the following Saturday night, to pay the hack hire. A Connecticut editor saw that effort, and raised the Boston editor right out of his boots with a story of a man who, having sold a cow to a widow, before delivering the animal unscrewed the brass balls from her horns, thereby adding six cents to his profits on the sale.

But there is a vast deal meaner and more contemptible man in North Hampton than either of the other champion meannesses; what his name is we do not know,—wish we did, in which case he would get the benefit of an advertisement in this paper, one insertion, gratis. On Memorial Day a gentleman residing in Boston came down to North Hampton, bringing flowers and little flags to decorate the grave of his son, who was killed at the second battle of Bull Run and is buried at North Hampton. Next morning, as he passed his son's grave in the cars, on his way to Boston, he saw that something (which no doubt calls itself a man) had been there, torn the flags into strips and destroyed the wreaths and bouquets, and scattered the pieces all around. Yet we suppose there are people who believe that the soul of the contemptible sneak who could conceive and carry out such an act as that, is worth saving. We are happy to say that we don't. Artemus Ward was "a non-resistanter as a general thing, but could lick any man who called him obtoose;" similarly, our religious faith has a strong leaning toward Universalism, as a general thing, but whenever we hear of such an act as this North Hampton sneak committed we immediately become converted to a hearty and enduring belief in eternal punishment of the very hottest kind. But we fear the arch enemy (whom we despise and contemn, considering him no good,) would regard the soul of such a cur as too utterly worthless even to burn up, and therefore refuse it a refuge in the only place fitted for such a contemptible thing. If we were sure of this we would immediately relapse into Universalism again, for we might just as well not have any hell if such fellows don't go to it.

PISCATAQUA SAVINGS BANK.

The following bill in relation to the establishment of another savings bank in this city, has been introduced in the Legislature:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

SECTION 1. That Ichabod Goodwin, William H. Y. Hackett, Edward P. Kimball, William L. Dwight, John H. Broughton, Robert C. Pierce, John W. F. Hobbs, Ephraim C. Spinney, Emmons B. Philbrick, Augustus Lord, J. Albert Walker, J. H. Hutchinson, and Alfred F. Howard, be and they hereby are constituted a body politic and corporate by the name of the Piscataqua Savings Bank, to be located at Portsmouth, and they, with such other persons as shall be duly elected and admitted members of said corporation, at regular meetings thereof, according to such by-laws as may hereafter be established, shall be and maintain a body corporate and politic by said name, and are and shall be invested with all the powers, rights, and privileges, and subject to all the duties and liabilities, which by the laws of this State are or may become incident to corporations of a like nature.

Sec. 2. Said corporation may receive from any person or persons, corporations, or associations, any deposit or deposits of money, and may use, manage, and improve the same, for the benefit of the depositors, in such manner as shall be convenient or necessary for the security and profitable investment thereof. And all deposits may be withdrawn, and the net income or profits of the deposits divided at such reasonable times, and in such manner and proportions, and subject to such equitable rules and regulations, as said corporation shall from time to time prescribe, not incompatible with the laws of this State.

Sec. 3. Said corporation may take and hold such real estate as may be proper and convenient in transacting its business, and also such real estate as may be in good faith received by them, by way of security or payment for loans made by them, or for any debts, demands, or liabilities which may be owing or accrue to said corporation.

Sec. 4. Whenever any deposit shall be made by any minor, the trustees of said corporation may, at their discretion, pay to such depositor as may be due him or her, and the check or receipt or acquittance of such minor shall be as valid as if the same were executed by the guardian of said minor, or the said minor was of full age, provided such deposit so to be withdrawn was made personally by such minor.

Sec. 5. Said corporation shall not issue any bill or promissory note to circulate as currency, nor shall the members or officers of said corporation receive any profit or emolument from said savings bank; provided, however, that a reasonable compensation may, from time to time, be made to the treasurer, secretary, and other servants of said corporation, for services actually rendered.

Sec. 6. Said corporation may from time to time make such by-laws, rules, and regulations, for the government and management of its business, as shall not be incompatible with the laws of the State.

Sec. 7. William H. Y. Hackett, Ichabod Goodwin, and Edward P. Kimball, or any two of them, may call the first meeting of this corporation, at such time and place and in such manner as they may think proper.

Sec. 8. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

I. O. O. F.

A. F. Craig, Most Worthy Grand Master, Rev. L. F. McKenney, R. W. Grand Warden, and Joseph Kidder, R. W. Grand Representative, will visit Piscataqua Lodge, No. 6, I. O. O. F., this (Monday) evening. A good time is expected, and all members of the Order are invited to be present.

JOTTINGS.

Mr. William H. Flynn, of South Berwick, one of the contractors of the Portsmouth and Dover Railroad, has bought out the establishment of Mr. Nathan Jones on Fleet street. Mr. Flynn is a very popular man among his acquaintances in this city.

Messrs. C. A. Shannon & Son have removed their harness shop from Daniel street to the Stavers' building on Vaughan street, lately occupied by J. Mahoney as a billiard hall.

Hon. J. G. Blane is to be in town to-day and to-morrow to attend the closing exercises at Miss Morgan's Seminary.

If the members of the Board of Health would take a walk around the wharves and see (and smell) the condition of some of the docks at low tide they might find something to interest them.

The Boston *Globe*, under the head of "Portsmouth, N. H.," says: "A Portsmouth school committee man headed his warrant, 'The stait of New Hampshur,' and has charged the 'districk' with one 'brum to sweap the flore, a water-pale and sum chock for the black-bord.'"

The Boston *Post* of Saturday says: "Arrangements at Portsmouth have already been made for celebrating the evening of the Fourth of July according to the old fashion. There will be an extensive parade of 'Antiques and Horribles,' sack racing, greased pole, bag feats, tub racing and numerous other amusements, in all of which purses will be offered. A military dress parade and review is expected."

The Boston *Journal* says of the big circus and menagerie which will show here on Thursday: "This show has been very successful in Boston, for the simple reason that it is all it professes to be, and people leave the tent with a feeling of satisfaction, having witnessed a thoroughly good performance. The animals on exhibition are as numerous, and as fine specimens of their species as can be found in any traveling menagerie, while the circus performance is far in advance of the average. In fact, it is probably the best show of the kind which has visited Boston in many years. The employes of the great show are courteous and polite, and the proprietors having kept faith with the public in all respects, will leave behind in Boston the most favorable impressions, ensuring a warm welcome if they should return on some future day."

Rev. James DeNormandie has gone to Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio, from which he graduated, to deliver an address by invitation of the faculty.

"Justitia" writes to the *Times* a letter severely commenting on the hurried manner in which the dead body of the marine recently found in the river was disposed of, and suggests that serious blame rests with some person or persons for not causing due enquiry into the circumstances attending his death.

News and Notes.

A large number of citizens of Southwestern Virginia have sent a petition that troops be sent there in force enough to enable the officials to capture a gang of illicit distillers.

Hon. Mrs. Norton, Richard Brinsley Sheridan's grand-daughter, who was married at the age of seventy, a few months ago, to Sir Wm. Stirling Maxwell, Bart., who was then sixty years old, died last week.

William Rector, of Washington, D. C., a married man with four children, had a growl with his wife Friday evening, she rebuking him for wasting his time playing with some kittens. Remarking "I will end this," Rector drew a revolver and blew his brains out.

Cherries, grapes, currants, and strawberries are as fashionable as flowers for trimming bonnets. This gives a new means of recognition. "By their fruits ye shall know them."

On Thursday, by the sudden breaking away of a dam near Norwich, N. J., a fishing party of ten persons went through a sluice-way; three women and one man were drowned, and two other men fatally injured by being drawn into the machinery of a mill lying below the sluice-way.

Friday was quite a day for hanging. Three colored men were hanged at New Orleans, for the murder of other colored persons; a white man was hanged at Dayton, Ohio, for the murder of a white man; and Stephen Brinkly was hanged at Atlanta, Ga., for the murder of his wife four years ago. None of these were engaged in the butchery of Judge Chisolm and his daughter and little son, nor in the Hamburg butchery conducted by Gen. Massacre C. Butler's white liners.

The Mount Vernon (Ill.) National Bank shipped by Adams Express a package containing $8000 to the Third National Bank of St. Louis, on Wednesday. The Mount Vernon Bank has received a telegram from St. Louis saying the package contained only pieces of brown wrapping paper when it reached that place.

A man in Pawlet, Vt., used kerosene oil to destroy the potato bugs in his patch, and succeeded in killing fourteen cows which broke in at night and ate the well anointed vines.

A San Francisco despatch of the 15th inst. says: "The China, from Panama, brings news that the wrecked steamer City of San Francisco was not broken up by the action of the sea, and a schooner load of merchandise was saved and brought to Acapulco. All that part of the ship forward of the mainmast is above water. The smokestacks are still standing. Capt. Nolan of the China has left on the Constitution for the scene, having been commissioned to protect the interests of the company. Nothing was taken directly from the sunken ship. The merchandise saved was found floating or picked up on the beach."

New Hampshire Items.

Col. John M. Weare of Seabrook has given to the State the original return of the selectmen of Seabrook in 1776, of the names of the male inhabitants of twenty-one years of age and upwards who signed to defend themselves against the hostile acts of the British government.

While picking onions from a crate in a grocery store in Manchester, Mr. Michael Gilbert was bitten on one of the fingers of his left hand by a centipede that had come from Bermuda in the crate with the onions. Mr. Gilbert at once went to a physician, who applied and administered proper remedies, and by this prompt action a fatal result was probably prevented. The bite of a centipede is very poisonous and has been known to cause death in six hours, but that is not always the case. This insect is only found in the tropical climates. The one above referred to was an unusually large one, being six inches in length, with twenty-two pairs of legs and twenty-one joints in the body. The circumference of its body measured about an inch and a pair of antlers guarded its head.

From Rev. Edward Smiley, Pastor of the Universalist Church, Claremont, N. H.

Having at various times used Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup, personally and in my family, with the very best results following, I do not hesitate to recommend it as an excellent remedy for coughs and colds and diseases of the throat and lungs. I find, also, on inquiry, that it is very generally used in Claremont, where the Doctor has been a practicing physician for the past ten years.

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THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world.—*Pueblo Col. People.*

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WIGGIN. In Kittery, June 16th, Mrs. E. Wendall Wiggin, aged 76 years, 3 months, widow of the late Samuel P. Wiggin, and daughter of the late Capt. Edmund Q. Wendell.

☞ Funeral from the Methodist Church, Portsmouth, this (Monday) afternoon at three o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited without further notice.

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Sch Nicola, Randall, Port Johnson.
Sch Sea Foam, Scott, Hoboken.
Sch G W Raitt, Coleman, Rockland.

SAILED, June 16.

Sch Evelyn, Crowley, Addison.
Sch Mary Means, Parker, New York.

Barque Armenia, Salter, at Cochin, May 10, unc.
Sch Hyperion, Gardner, for this port from Hoboken, arr at Newport June 14.
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Greenland, June 14, 1877. 3t

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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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Daily Chronicle.

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The Last of Table Rock.

On the 24th ultimo the last of what was so long known as Table Rock, at Niagara, broke off and fell into the river. The mass weighed nearly sixty tons, and up to 1876 over four thousand names of visitors had been carved upon it. The part which fell on the 24th composed only half of the original rock, the rest having fallen in. On Saturday, January 1, 1829, a surface of the rock supposed to be the size of half an acre, forming the bed of Maiden Walk, broke loose, and was precipitated into the immense chasm below. The crash was heard for a distance of five miles, and the effects in the immediate neighborhood resembled the shock of an earthquake. The water running under the bank is supposed to have caused the fall on the 24th, and the shock when the rock struck the water was distinctly felt three miles from the fall. Several of the trees which stood on the rock are now seen standing in the river as erect as when in their original places on the rock. Where the rock shelved off from the bank, at a distance of twenty feet from the top, can be seen the root of a tree estimated to be two feet in diameter.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110
United States Ten-Forties cupon	111
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	106
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1575	104
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. scrip	56
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62
Boston & Maine	93
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	42
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	108
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	49
Northern N. H.	65
Old Colony & Newport	36
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	8
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

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Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
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Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH, call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth, and all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to remove any state or part of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any shlers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley, or into any wharf, unless such wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that the contents thereof shall or shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Stormy Scene.

There was a stormy session of the French Chamber of Deputies on Saturday. Every Deputy was at his post; the time for opening the Chamber was two o'clock, but long before that time every available seat was occupied. A despatch says: After some informal business M. Fourton, Minister of the Interior, read the message of the President, which was received with marked derision by the Left. After it had been read, M. Paul Bethmont developed the interpellation offered by M. Gambetta on the 17th of May. With his speech commenced such scenes of violence as have never been known since the days of the first revolution. There were heard imprecations and insults which M. Grevy, the President, declared had never been paralleled in the annals of French legislative history. During the whole of M. Bethmont's speech there was a successsion of the most furious imprecations on the part of the Right, and every attempt of the President to keep order was met by shouts and threats of defiance. After M. Bethmont, M. De Fourton ascended the tribune to speak on behalf of the Government. He was bold, able, vindictive and defiant, and was continually met by the Left with indignant protestations. He was as repeatedly and furiously applauded by the Right while the Left vainly endeavored to suppress their indignation. In a portion of his speech he made a chance allusion to M. Thiers as "the liberator of the territory," when there occurred a most extraordinary and exciting scene, the whole Left as by inspiration rising to their feet and giving cheer after cheer. Many of the members rushed to the venerable statesman to mark their sense of the justice of this tribute. After M. De Fourton had concluded, M. Gambetta ascended the tribune. The Deputies and galleries were at this time under the influence of profound emotion. His first sentences were met with a storm of disapprobation and insult from the Right. In vain the President rang his bell and tried to preserve order. Every appeal he made was met by scorn and insult; such was the violence of Paul De Cassagnac that the President demanded a vote of censure against him. It was at once passed. This had no effect in allaying the storm; almost every word that the orator uttered was met with imprecations from the Right, the Left responding by vociferous applause. At every successful hit made by the orator a number of members would rush into the area in front of the tribune and menace the orator with threats and uplifted arms. At this the Left would also rush to the area, and at times a collision would seem inevitable and the orator likely to become one of its first victims. For five minutes the Chamber became a perfect pandemonium, the President losing all control of its angry elements. During this time Gambetta with folded arms stood unmoved in the tribune. During the remainder of his speech there was scarcely a pretence of order. Interruptions, denunciations and oaths were hurled at him from the Right, and were met by the wildest applause from the Left, and amid all this disorder and violence M. Gambetta continued his speech unmoved. Never was the great orator more terrible in invective or in scathing irony. His steutorian voice was heard above all the din and clamor of his enemies, and he compelled them to listen to him. On concluding his speech and descending from the tribune he was overwhelmed with congratulations by the Left. The Duc de Cazes ascended the tribune at seven o'clock to reply to Gambetta, but the Left, irritated beyond endurance at the treatment of the latter, refused to listen to him, and after vain efforts he gave way and the Chamber adjourned till Monday.

—An officer in the navy, on board of one of our vessels in China, tells us this neat thing in the way of blessing: A man on the United States steamer Monocacy, whose term of service had just expired, proceeded to take leave of his late officers. Approaching the commander, he invoked the choicest blessings on his head, in a brogue that left no doubt as to his native sod. And so he went from one to another with a "God bless ye!" or "May heaven reward ye!" until he came opposite the Lieutenant Commander, who had frequently been obliged to suppress Pat's love for the "ardent" by stopping his leave. With a reluctant touch of his cap and down cast eye, he mumbled out, "And may God bless you, too, Misther C—, to a sartin extint!"—*Harper's Magazine for July.*

—The Hartford *Times* has discovered a polite Chinaman. As a street car was making its way along, lady after lady entered and seat after seat was resigned by gentlemen, until a Chinaman was the only representative of his sex who was not hanging on to the straps. Soon the car stopped again, and the Oriental, who had been all along expressing by his looks a profound contempt for the chivalry of the Americans, yielded his seat to a simpering school-girl. The Celestial clung to the strap with a tightened grip until he reached his destination, when, reaching the sidewalk and meeting an acquaintance, he exploded, "Too muchee she."

—Thirty years ago a Sheboygan school-teacher struck a boy on the head with a ruler. One day last week the boy, now a man of forty, met that teacher and pounded him. The wheel of time never stops.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JUNE 19, 1877.

The War.

Intelligence has been received from Sclavonic sources that there was a sanguinary engagement, lasting all day Saturday, between 10,000 Turks and 3000 Montenegrins at Rasuoglavika. The Turks were defeated and pursued to Spuz, leaving 2000 dead on the field. Per contra, the Turks claim to have defeated the Montenegrins. A Vienna despatch reports Nicsics revictualled, but only after terrible slaughter of the Turks.

A despatch from Vienna says that it is reported that a body of Cossacks have entered and captured Asaban and massacred 800 women and children. Danube telegrams from Turkish sources state that the Russians are showing themselves in great force along the river near Turkukai, and that the passage of the river was expected to take place immediately.

An officer high in the confidence of the Russian Government says the relations between England and Russia are of a most critical kind, short of actual war. The two countries stand on the very verge of hostilities, and the slightest indiscretion might at any time precipitate a conflict. The Czar complains of England throwing her moral influence in favor of Turkey, and thus encouraging the Porte to take action which would not be ventured upon but for the reliance placed on the ultimate aid of England.

Judge Sargents' Bill.

As the legislation required to make effective the vote of the people on the Constitutional Amendments is likely to be the most important work of the present session of the legislature, we give the full text of the bill introduced for that purpose by Hon. Jonathan E. Sargent:

An Act to fix the time when the constitutional Amendments, adopted in March last, shall take effect; and also providing for compiling the statutes of the State.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

SECTION 1. That the amendments of the constitution of this State, which were proposed by the constitutional convention of said State at its session in December, 1876, and which were submitted to and legally adopted by the qualified voters of said state at the annual election in March, 1877, shall take effect at the times following, to wit:

1. The amendment relating to the trial of causes, in which the value in controversy does not exceed one hundred dollars and the title to real estate is not concerned, without the intervention of a jury, which is covered by the second question thus submitted to said voters; and the several amendments abolishing the religious test as a qualification for office, all which are covered by the seventh question thus submitted to said voters; and the amendment prohibiting the general court from authorizing towns or cities to loan or give their money or credit to corporations, as covered by the eighth question thus submitted; and the amendments authorizing the general court to provide that appeals from a justice of the may be tried without the intervention of a jury, and authorizing said general court to increase the jurisdiction of justices of the peace to one hundred dollars, as covered by the tenth and eleventh questions thus submitted; and the amendment prohibiting money raised by taxation from being applied to the support of schools or institutions of any religious sect or denomination, as covered by the thirteenth question thus submitted,—shall all take effect on the first day of August next.

2. The several amendments relating to the change of time for holding the State election for the choice of members of the legislature, the executive officers of the State, county treasurers, registers of deeds, registers of probate, solicitors, and sheriffs, from March to November, and that the election of said officers shall be biennial, or only once in two years, as covered by the third, sixth, and ninth questions thus submitted, shall take effect on the first day of October, A. D. 1878.

3. All the remaining amendments of said Constitution, relating to biennial sessions of the legislature, to the tenure of office, to the basis of representation in the house of representatives, and increasing the numbers of the senate and the senatorial districts, as covered by the third, fourth, and fifth questions thus submitted, and all other amendments legally adopted, shall take effect on the first Wednesday of June, A. D. 1879.

SEC. 2. The governor, with advice of council, shall, as soon as may be, appoint and commission three persons learned in the law, whose duty shall it be to compile force, and including those of the present session, and arrange the same according to the form and order of the General Statutes, as far as may be, and prepare the same for publication before the next session of the legislature, in June, 1878, and make report to said legislature; and that they be authorized to make such changes and alterations in the existing laws as shall be rendered necessary by the adoption of said constitutional amendments, and also such as may be rendered necessary by any change that may be made in the time of holding the election for the choice of town officers, or in the tenure of office of such officers. With the above exceptions, and such others, if any, as the legislature may prescribe, the work of said commissioners shall be confined to a compilation of existing laws.

SEC. 3 This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 15.

It would be quite impossible to mention all the financial rumors of the past few days. It cannot be doubted, however, that the President's reported conversion in favor of the absolute restoration of silver to the place it occupied prior to 1873 has caused some apprehensions of an unfavorable influence upon the new loan; the opinion of Assistant Secretary French that it will be paid in gold, brought a response from London saying that it was having a very reassuring effect. It is the general feeling that Secretary Sherman's success in negotiating the new loan insures a lower rate of interest in private monetary transactions. The *Republican* this morning contained a statement intimating that at a conference between the President and Sherman upon the silver matters yesterday, the difference was such as to make a Cabinet vacancy a foregone conclusion. It did not however vouch for its correctness, but if the general opinion as to their respective positions is correct, it would seem to preclude any hope of compromise.

About $8,000 of the $10,000 needed for the Howgate Polar expedition has been subscribed, with a prospect that it will all be secured shortly; and it is understood that it will start about the first of August under command of Capt. Tyson of the Polaris. It is proposed to take fifty or more hardy and resolute men with fuel, provisions, a comfortable house all fitted and ready to be put up, and everything else that past experience suggests as essential, and establish a colony somewhere in Lady Franklin Bay, about 400 miles from the Pole. This is to be visited annually by a vessel carrying recruits and a new supply of everything deemed necessary to the comfort and success of the colonists. Game is said to be abundant in the vicinity of the proposed colony and further northward, and constant expeditions are to be sent out to travel by sledge and boat in the direction of the Pole. It estimated by Howgate that within three years a solution of the problem will have been reached.

Chief Justice Waite has just returned from the Ellenton trials at Charleston and from others in North Carolina. He is represented as being very much dissatisfied with the sentiment existing in some parts of the South as manifested by the failure to punish the participants in the political murders of last fall's campaign, so notorious as to be familiar with the readers of current events everywhere. It is stated also, that he was socially ignored in South Carolina, but that his reception was very cordial in North Carolina.

The State Department is in receipt of dispatches from St. Petersburg, giving the substance of the recent imperial ukase. It is as follows: Neutral States may continue commercial intercourse with Russia by observing international and Russian laws, and every facility will be afforded consistent with military operations. The merchandise of enemies is protected by a neutral flag, save such as is contraband of war, and that of a neutral, similarly restricted, protected by an enemy's flag, is exempt from seizure.

Had Messrs. Tilden, Hendricks, Robinson and the other speakers at the late New York democratic demonstration been addressing men more prejudiced than the crowd that listened to them against thieves and thieving, ballot-box stuffing and stuffers, mob violence and almost every other crime against the genius of republican institutions of which the Tammany Hall gang stands convicted through a long series of years, they would from very shame have omitted their remarks relative to the duty of American citizens to preserve the purity of public morals and the ballot box; and had their audience been more intelligent, their allusions in condemnation of the Electoral Commission—an essentially democratic offspring—had never been made. It is the general verdict among politicians here, that Tilden by his unexpected acceptance of the invitation to attend and speak, fairly turned the tables on Tammany. Like a veritable marplot he utilized a movement of his enemies to shelve him by bringing Hendricks forward for the nomination in 1880, to file his own claims and bespeak a renewal of the support of 1876. But wily schemer as he is, he has lived to little purpose if he supposes that political matters are to remain *in statu quo* for four years, and that at the expiration of that time the controversy of last fall is to be picked up where the Electoral Commission decided and dropped it, just to gratify the consuming ambition and the pitiable spite of one small man. But as viewed from this right, the part played by Gov. Robinson in the ceremonies of Monday night by which he formally renounced all ownership in himself and acknowledged the validity of Tammany's mortgage upon New York's Governor was the most humiliating; and the assertion publicly made by the disreputable local politicians on that evening of their undisputed title in the chief executive of the Empire State was as impudent as it was characteristic. KNOX.

News and Notes.

The lines of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company are being rapidly extended, 186 new offices, accommodating over 700,000 people with cheap telegraphic facilities, having been established since May 1st. The exorbitant charges in force before this line was established have been reduced to a low figure, in many cases being now but one-sixth the old rates.

S. B. A. Harper, late editor of the New York *Tablet*, was on Sunday married to Mrs. L. St. John Eckel, daughter of Maria Monk, authoress of a book which appeared in 1836, entitled "Awful Disclosures of Maria Monk," which has attracted considerable attention. Mrs. Eckel is authoress of the book entitled "Maria Monk's Daughter."

Augustus Clossen, ten years old, was crossing a vacant lot in Providence on Sunday, when he was accosted by three other boys about his own age, one of whom drew a pistol and shot Clossen in the head. The wounded boy will recover, but the assailants are at liberty and he never saw them until they attempted to murder him. Dime novels.

The seventeenth annual meeting of the National Educational Association will be held in Louisville, Ky., on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, the 14th, 15th and 16th of August, 1877.

Three men were drowned at St. Johnsbury, Vt., on Sunday; while on the river in a boat, and all under the influence of liquor, their boat rolled over with them.

A Cattaraugus, N. Y., girl has sued her father for $500 for breach of contract. She says that while he was a widower he offered her $500 to get him a wife. She got him a wife, and now he refuses to pay. He denies the contract, and says he did his own courting.

William D. Higgenbotham, of Providence, R. I., a married man fifty-one years of age, was found dead in an outhouse in the rear of his wife's residence on Sunday, having poisoned himself with strychrine and laudanum. He had been turned out of the house a week or more before by his wife, for maintaining improper relations with her daughter by a former husband.

Frederick Hendricks, a wealthy farmer of Oldtown, Ill., in a fit of drunken rage shot his wife and then himself, Sunday. Both died.

A body of Lerdo's adherents, defeated by partisans of Diaz, recently crossed the border into Texas from Mexico. The latter also crossed and attacked the fugitives at night, on United States soil. Some forty or more of the Mexicans are under arrest, most of them being of the Lerdo army, the Diaz men having escaped the United States troops and recrossed the border.

Dr. Oscar Worthley, of Lancaster, in this State, has been arrested for illegally causing an abortion, Louise Paquet being the victim, the operation being performed in Boston. Dr. Sabine (alias "Dr. Dix") and his wife, and Dr. Brechin, all of Boston, are held on another charge of abortion, Eliza Brown, the daughter of a wealthy merchant of Western Massachusetts, being the victim of the last crime.

Reports of Indian murders at Mount Idaho, Washington Territory, have been received at Walla Walla, and all the available government troops at that point have been dispatched to the scene of conflict.

R. A. Thompson, one of the proprietors of the Memphis *Avalanche*, has been appointed Postmaster at Memphis, Tenn. The *Avalanche* was formerly a red-hot democratic paper, but couldn't swallow Tilden, and since the election has supported President Hayes and the conciliatory policy.

Burglars blew open the doors of the Uxbridge Savings Bank in Uxbridge, Mass., on Friday night, with gunpowder, but the explosion alarmed the people of the town, and the burglars fled without obtaining any booty.

Don M. Dickinson, Chairman of the Michigan Democratic Central Committee, took poison in mistake for sherry last Friday. His condition is precarious. Queer mistake for a democrat to make.

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WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
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Portland and East,	11.00	"	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30	"	
Concord and North,	10.20	"	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20	"	5.50 "

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[Communicated.]

"ONLY A MARINE!"

PORTSMOUTH, June 16.

Messrs. Editors:—The comrades of John McCarthy (private marine, whose body was discovered in the river a few days ago) tender you their sincere thanks for the timely mention of the above. You may think it strange that the publication of the recovery should be an act (performed by you) sufficient to call forth our deep appreciation; but the whole proceedings have been wrapped in such deep mystery, as it were, since the night of the recovery, that, had it not been for the press of Portsmouth we might probably have been ignorant of the whereabouts of our much lamented comrade. The refusal of allowing a coroner's inquest to be held upon the body in order that it might be ascertained whether the man was foully dealt with or otherwise, and the very unceremonious means resorted to in interring the body, (not even the slightest invocation of God asked for in his behalf) seems to us and all others of any Christian feeling whatever to be an act that should be rigidly censured. We admit that it was the body of a marine: but have they not rights to be respected as well as all others that compose the Commonwealth? Again we thank you for your kindness, and sincerely hope you will place the foregoing in such a light that it may be viewed by others.

A COMRADE.

OBITUARY.

In the usual place will be found a notice of the death of Mr. Oliver Hanscom, whose worth merits something more than a mere passing notice. Mr. Hanscom was all his life (up to within a few years) an active and industrious citizen, and always a good one; of sterling honesty and irreproachable in morals, kind hearted, slow to believe ill of others and slower still to spread ill reports, he won and retained the respect and affection of those with whom he was brought in contact, to a degree which few men can boast. He at various times filled positions of honor and trust; he was at one time President of the Mechanics' Association, and for several years City Marshal of this city; and for ten years occupied the position of master coopor on the Navy Yard. He was an Odd Fellow, and one of the oldest members of Piscataqua Lodge, No. 6. His last public service was representing his ward in the Common Council, for two years; and during his last year's service there his associates on the Board noticed with regret the rapid failure of the old gentleman's physical and mental powers, though his courtesy and evident anxiety to do whatever was right remained as noticeable as ever. Since that time he has been seen but little in public, and for many months past not at all; his mind gradually faded into vacuity, and his removal from the little world in which he once took so active a part was absolute, so that the going of the worn-out body to its final rest now serves to recall to his old friends pleasant memories of a loved associate, rather than to awaken poignant sorrow. With large charity for others' failings, and needing little for his own; ever striving faithfully to do the duties of any position in which he found himself placed, he leaves behind a memory, so far as we are aware, without a stain.

THE LATE BENJAMIN CARR.

By special request we copy the following letter from Rev. Dr. Eames, rector of the Episcopal church in Concord, to the Providence *Journal*, relative to the death of the late Benjamin Carr, formerly of this city:

CONCORD, June 9.

A very sad and sudden death occurred in our parish this morning. Mr. Benjamin Carr, a photographer, went to his place of business this morning in his usual health, and in little more than an hour after was carried back to his home, a mass of bruised and broken limbs, having fallen from a third story window, out of which he was leaning to place some chemicals. He lost his balance and fell heavily to the ground, fearfully shattering himself. Providentially he was not conscious during the hour he lingered, for his sufferings must have been beyond mortal endurace. His only child, the wife of Rev. F. S. Harraden, rector of Trinity Church, Tilton, left here yesterday, and her first news from home was the telegraphic announcement of the injury her father had sustained. She came instantly, but death had come and put an end to a life so dear to her. Mr. Carr was a respected citizen and member of our parish, of exceedingly quiet and gentle manners. Fond of his home, he mingled little in outside matters, attended diligently to his business, was a loving husband and tender father. Over the sorrow that has come to the wife and daughter, always so tenderly cared for, we must draw a veil.

J. A. E.

[Mr. Carr, whose wife was a native of this city, was buried here June 12th with Odd Fellows' ceremonies, Rev. C. A. Holbrook, rector of St. John's church, preaching the funeral sermon.]

JOTTINGS.

On the last day of the exhibition in Boston of the London Circus and Menagerie, the *Globe* concluded its notice of the entertainment as follows: "The Boston public have recognized its superlative excellences, and were the combined menagerie and circus to remain in Boston for weeks longer, the managers could be sure of crowded audiences every evening. It is to be hoped that the great canvas show may again pitch its tents here during the season. Nothing better has been seen here. The promises of the management have been more than kept, and Mr. Howe's circus and menagerie may be commended to all the people of the towns where it is 'billed' as a most admirable show."

NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

SEABROOK, June 18.

The store of John Locke, on Walton road, was feloniously entered on Saturday night about midnight, and the contents of a box and shot-bag, amounting to between fifty and sixty dollars in silver, carried away. The thieves effected an entrance by breaking a pane of glass and then removing a screw which fastened the window. A young man who was passing at the time of the robbery saw a man in the store, who afterward went to Mr. Locke's barn and tried the padlock, but supposing it was Mr. Locke, he passed on. Suspicion rests on certain fellows who were around the place that evening.

On the same night a door was stolen from a building lately bought by Mr. Abel Souther of South Seabrook, and moved to his premises, and which he was fitting up for a dwelling house. The rogues and criminals have not all left Seabrook, yet.

ENO.

New Hampshire Items.

It is claimed that silver should be remonetized, and that the bonds should be redeemed in silver coin, because the Government has no right to throw away the legal advantage it possesses of paying its debts in a cheaper currency than gold. It is claimed also by the same economists that silver, when remonetized, will not be cheaper than gold, but will at once advance in value up to the gold standard. Plain people who endeavor to reconcile these two positions as parts of a coherent argument become confused.

Isaac W. Hammond of Concord has been appointed Deputy Secretary of State.

George E. Atkinson, chosen by the Dartmouth Seniors as class poet, has resigned on account of ill health, and there will be no poem on class day.

The largest drive of logs of the season is gathered in the Connecticut at the Hanover bridge, and at the falls two miles below. About 100,000 lumbermen are preparing to loosen the chain of several million feet.

Rev. John S. C. Abbott died at his residence in Fair Haven, Conn., Sunday morning, aged 71.

The State Treasurer, in his report, says that a State tax of $400,000, which will be but one-fifth of one per cent. of the valuation, will be sufficient to provide for the expenses of the coming year, as the savings bank, railroad and insurance taxes will nearly supply the needed funds.

The New Hampshire Historical Society has chosen the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Charles H. Bell; Vice Presidents, B. F. Prescott, J. E. Sargent; Corresponding Secretary, Rev. Nathaniel Bouton, D. D.; Recording Secretary, Amos Hadley; Publication Committee, William L. Foster, John J. Bell, Albert R. Hatch; Standing Committee, Joseph B. Walker, E. S. Towle, Enoch Gerrish; Auditing Committee, Woodbridge Odlin, Joseph C. A. Hill; Library Committee, J. B. Walker, John H. Bell, John A. Harris; Treasurer, Samuel S. Kimball; Librarian, Samuel C. Eastman.

[Written for the Chronicle].

Reminiscences of the "Red-Dog" Currency Frauds.

While it was anything but agreeable to be robbed by the fraudulent currency referred to in a late communication in the CHRONICLE, some rather amusing memories survive in connection with them. At the time when the Wolfborough Bank, by which so many were defrauded, was in existence, among the passengers one day in the stage from Dover to Wolfeborough was a fashionably-dressed gentleman, evidently by his conversation, from New York, and a theological student who was on his way to visit a young lady whose acquaintance he had made some time before at the place where the institution he attended was located. Such a talkative individual as the New York gent. might not easily have been found, until they were half way to their destination, when, on the student asking if any one present was acquainted at Wolfeborough with a person whose name he gave, his loquacity ceased, and he was missing when the rest of the passengers resumed their seats in the stage at the place where they stopped a short time for refreshment. Whither he had disappeared none could conjecture, and a discussion of the matter afforded much merriment the rest of the way. The next morning, when the student went forth from the house of his young lady friend, about the first person he met was his talkative fellow-passenger of the day before, who seemed as glad to see him as Damon would have been some centuries before to have met his friend Pythias. The explanation of the matter was that the New York individual was on his way to obtain redemption of some thousands of the notes of the Wolfborough Bank, and imagining that the student was on a similar errand from his mentioning in his enquiry a name similar to that of the cashier of the bank, while the rest of the passengers were at dinner he procured a conveyance, and reached Wolfeborough ahead of the stage, as well as in time to accomplish his purpose before the bank closed for the day.

When ten years had passed since the final stoppage of the famed Georgia Lumber Company, a member of the press, who had retained as an undesirable memorial of it a three dollar note, (on which he had bestowed various anathemas when it chanced to meet his eye,) entered a New York store, where the lady proprietor asked him if he had any knowledge of a bank such as that on the face of a two dollar note that she laid before him,—a woman standing by from whom she had received it. A very few words enlightened the dealer in fancy goods as to the thrice-repeated fraud, and sent the would-be purchaser, whether innocent or guilty of an intent to wrong, on her way. After enjoying his dinner that day, he of the press, converting himself into an avenging Nemesis in consequence of *that* three dollar note, went to work on four communications exposing the renewed scheme of villainy, all of which appeared next morning in the papers of New York and Brooklyn; thus blighting the expectations of the Wall street knaves who had hoped to reap another harvest by the new notes they had procured to be engraved of the ever-to-be-remembered Georgia Lumber Company.

Had no other benefit accrued from the national bank currency, the prevention it has been to such plans for plunder as the above, would be sufficient to make it valued by all.

J. H. B.

Disease is an Antagonist

That should be attacked the instant he shows himself. Don't wait. At him before his nails are grown, and wipe him out. The great alterative and invigorant of the age. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, will speedily infuse such healthful tone into your organization that it will be enabled to successfully resist future attacks. The bitters prevent and remedy chills and fever and bilious remittents, and eradicate dyspepsia, constipation, liver complaint, rhumatic ailments, urinary and uterine difficulties. It is particularly beneficial when the system has been drained of its vitality or is inherently deficient in strength. The nerves gather from it both vigor and tranquility. But while it imparts strength and gives a wholesome stimulus to the animal economy, it does not unduly excite it like the cheap exhilarants sometimes resorted to under the erroneous impression that they can invigorate.

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Travellers often wonder why their fellow-travellers are so loud in their praise of the Colonnade Hotel, Philadelphia, but, after a visit themselves, they are satisfied of its famous excellence.

THE Russian Court invited Dr. Ayer and his family to the Archduke's wedding in the Royal Palace. This distinction was awarded him not only because he was an American, but also because his name as a physician had become favorably known in Russia on its passage round the world. — *Pueblo Col. People.*

DIED.

HANSCOM. In this city, June 18, Mr. Oliver Hanscom, aged 73 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, June 17.

Sch Charles Carroll, Cudworth, Rockland.
Sch Emily and Jenny, Bernard, South Amboy.
Sch Loella, Amee, Boston.

ARRIVED, June 18.

Sch Concord, Gray, Rockland.
Sch Planet, Eaton, Machias.
Sch Sophia Willey, Pool, Bangor.

SAILED, June 18.

Sch Nulato, Small, Machias.
Sch Annie M. Allen, Conklin, Georgetown.

Barque Antioch, Hemingway, at Hong Kong June 15, to sail same day for Cuba, to load for United States.

Sch H B Gibson, Dow, for this port from Port Johnson, arr at Narragansett Pier June 13.

Sch Hyena, Gardner, for this port from Hoboken, sld from Newport June 15.

Sch W F Hobway, Thompson, for this port cld from Philadelphia June 15.

Sch Jesse Williamson Jr, Sawyer, from this port for New York, arr at Vineyard Haven June 16.

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A STRONG, HEALTHY WOMAN as wet nurse. English or American preferred. Apply at this office.

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SHEARS AND SCISSORS,
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Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style, with Collars and Pockets.

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Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. G. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

The Story of a Mummy.

For seventeen years the most curious object in the Museum of the Tennessee Historical Society has been the Egyptian mummy. It has a very singular history. In 1860 Colonel Jeremiah George Harris was a purser on a United States man-of-war in the Egyptian waters. He went on shore, and was at once ushered into the august presence of the Khedive and his numerous household. He was walking out one day with a member of the Khedive's staff, when the latter was set upon by ruffians. Col. Harris, who is a man of great strength, interposed, and the roughs were soon vanquished.

"What can I do," asked the Egyptian officer, "to show adequate approbation of the services you have rendered me?"

"Give me a mummy," laughingly suggested Col. Harris.

"A mummy?" repeated the officer, holding his breath and pondering. "Did you not know, sir, that our laws prohibit the removal of mummies, under penalty of death? But, never mind; your request shall be fulfilled. Just before your vessel leaves the harbor a boat will come alongside. It will contain that for which you have asked."

Col. Harris had dismissed the subject from his mind, but just before the hour for the departure of the ship three natives were seen pulling toward the vessel. The boat contained a bundle directed to Col. Harris. This bundle was not opened until the arrival of the ship at Boston, when it was discovered that there were six mummies instead of one. They were unwrapped, and the best one forwarded to the Tennessee Historical Society, of which Col. Harris was then and is still a member. When Professor Huxley was here he examined the mummy with a great deal of interest, and said that he believed it to be the best preserved specimen either in America or in Europe. —*Nashville American.*

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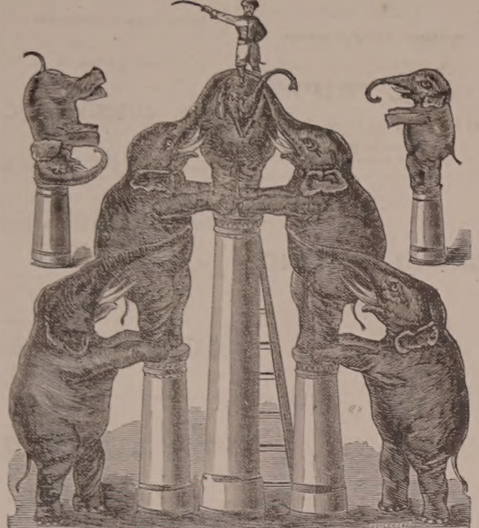

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own tenants or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And each owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any state meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any fish be buried nor permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance or any other nuisance shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises upon such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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The Gifts to Rome.

"Where the Money Goes" is the title of the *Catholic Review's* account of the money sent to the Pope on the occasion of his jubilee. The dollars are not a personal gift to the Pope, but the patrimony of the church. "The church does not live on air; bishops, priests and religions do not live on air. The churches they tend are not built on air; the charities under their charge, the institutions and those who fill them, are not airy creations. The Catholic missions are not conducted by angels from heaven, but by men and women. The schools and churches that they found have to be supported." The new order of things in Italy has dispossessed the church of its property. "dispersed most of the monks and nuns, destroyed their work, their charities, appropriated their revenues, sold their libraries, their effects, their statues and paintings, their objects of art, allowing in some cases a certain return value at a fixed sum. If we recollect rightly, either one or two-thirds the amount yielded from this kind of revenue flows into the royal coffers for the king's personal use." These monks and nuns have to be supported by the Pope and the charity of the faithful; the church and school expenses and the charities, must be carried through. "The Catholics of the United States have contributed a goodly sum; yet, before these troubles arose, the Pope's own donation to our American college in Rome was $85,000 at one offer." Also, the bishops and priests of Germany and Switzerland "are not forgotten by the old man of the Vatican.'" And, finally, says the *Review*, "the noble response made by the Catholic people to the mute appeal for aid is a standing rebuke to extortionate and tyrannical governments. Their revenues go to minister to 'royal' pleasures, to set a premium often on vices, to multiply destructive armaments, which threaten the world's peace and cramp labor and peaceful pursuits; but the revenues of the church are devoted primarily and wholly to the service of God, and the cause of all humanity."

When Men are at Their Best.

Dr. Beard states that from an analysis of the lives of a thousand representative men in all the great branches of the human family he made the discovery that the golden decade was between forty and fifty; the brazen between twenty and thirty; the iron between fifty and sixty. The superiority of youth and middle life over old age in original work appears all the greater when we consider the fact that all the positions of honor and prestige—professorships and public stations—are in the hands of the old. Reputation, like money and position, is mainly confined to the old. Men are not widely known until long after they have done the work that gave their fame. Portraits of great men are delusions; statues are false! They are taken when men have become famous, which, on the average, is at least twenty-five years after they did the work which gave them fame. Original work requires enthusiasm. If all the original work done by men under forty-five was annihilated, they would be reduced to barbarism. Men are at their best at that time when enthusiasm and experience are almost evenly balanced. The period on the average, is from thirty-eight to forty. After this the law is that experience increases, but enthusiasm decreases. Of course there are exceptions.

—Just now the average "sweet girl graduate" is in a tremor of trepidation and greatly excited over coming events.

—A young girl from the country, being on a visit to a Quaker, was prevailed on to accompany him to the meeting. It happened to be a silent one, none of the brethren being moved to utter a syllable. When the Quaker left the meeting-house, with his young friend, he asked: "How didst thou like the meeting?" To which she pettishly replied: "Like it! Why, I can see no sense in it—to go and sit for whole hours together without a word. It is enough to kill Satan himself!" "Yes, my dear," rejoined the Quaker, "that is just what we want."

—An unfortunate widower, preparing, not long since, for a ride with a young lady, and desired to blind the eyes of his housekeeper respecting his errand, very politely informed his little son that he could go too. "No, I guess not," answered the small man in roundabouts. "Why, yes, wash your face and come along," persisted the father. "Shan't do it," replied the urchin. "Why did'nt you go? questioned the lady in charge, after the father had left; "he wished it, I think." "Didn't either," retorted the boy; "he said in the bedroom he'd give me ten cents if I'd stay at home."

—The New York *World* says that the other day a lady was deploring the death of an acquaintance with one of the latter's most intimate friends. During the course of their conversation the son of the deceased gentleman entered the room, and conversation became general. On his departure, however, free and personal comment was passed upon him. Said lady No. 2, "That boy has got his mother's eyes." "Yes," subscribed No. 1, reflectively, "and I noticed that he had got his father's umbrella." This remarkable description has stuck to him ever since, and he is known as "the boy with his mother's eyes and his father's umbrella."

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 20, 1877.

The War.

Details of the fight between the Turks and Montenegrins near the village of Piana, on the road to Nicsic, previously claimed as a victory for the Turks, show a decided victory for the mountaineers. It seems that the advance of the Turks from Podgaritza, Albania, had been carefully watched by Montenegrin spies, and every precaution had been taken in selecting a point at which to receive the invading party. The Turks moved forward to Spuz, reaching that place on Friday night. On Saturday morning at daylight, the advance into Montenegro began. The Turkish force numbered 10,000, under Ali Saib. There are two roads leading in the direction of Nicsic toward the north; the road to the left is far less direct and in much worse condition than the one on the right; therefore, as the Montenegrin commander, Bozza Petrovich, had foreseen, Ali Saib chose the road to the right. The Montenegrins were believed by the Turks to be at Rassotgi. The Montenegrins had taken up a station at Piana, a very small village on the route of the Turkish advance, and, 3000 strong, awaited the invaders. The situation was one of their own choosing, and was adapted to their manner of warfare. With the utmost confidence the hardy mountaineers awaited the attack. About eleven o'clock fourteen Turkish battalions attacked the Montenegrins, being repulsed by the latter, who were entrenched behind some earthworks. A third advance of the Turks was made with eight battalions, led by Ali Saib. He was nearly beside himself with rage because of the repulses. Flushed with their victories, the Montenegrins saw their enemies come up. They refrained from firing until within 200 yards, then poured a deadly volley into their enemies' front, as a body of Montenegrin horsemen dashed out from either side and fell upon their flanks. At first the flanks wavered, but rapidly changing front, they killed many of the attacking party. The centre came up without halting until it received a second volley; then, through some mistaken order, or because of disincliination to advance, the Turks halted. This was fatal to them, for, quicker than it takes to tell it, the Montenegrins sprang as one man over the parapet of their intrenchments and with yells attacked with the bayonet. A few bayonet wounds settled the fray. The Turks broke, but were partially rallied by Ali Saib and fell back about two miles in tolerable shape to an open piece of country. The Montenegrins re-formed and began the pursuit, making a few prisoners, but they killed about all they overtook. The Turks were pursued to Spuz, leaving over 2000 dead on the road, besides their wounded and prisoners. The Prince of Montenegro was profoundly affected at the losses and the victory. A correspondent at the Montenegrin headquarters states that Nicsic has been provisioned by the Turks; but the importance of that place has ceased, as its capture can now be effected at any time. Artillery is now commanding it.

Turkish reports say the Montenegrins have been driven from the Duga Pass, are being hard pressed in all quarters by 70,000 Turks, and that their position is extremely critical.

Despatches from Asia Minor confirm the Russian successes before Kars, where the Turks were driven from important positions after two days of heavy fighting. A despatch from Erzeroom says the Turkish army at Delebata has been defeated and Mehemet Pasha killed. The Turks have won successes near Sookgoum-Kaleh.

Reconciliation.

If there is any one thing over which more "gush" has been expended during the past three or four years, by a portion of the northern press, than the "reconciliation" of the southern democracy, we do not know what it is; and the southern democratic press, also, has had much to say about that same desirable article. Now that democratic rule is supreme throughout the South, the white democracy of Abbeville, South Carolina, are so devoted to reconciliation that they propose to place it on an enduring basis by running every white republican out of the country. That excellent community recently held a meeting to secure peace, and the speaker advised the appointment of a committee to secure the desired end as soon as possible. The Abbeville *Press* states the reasons for the course in this clear and forcible manner:

"As long as a white man is allowed to stir up strife there will be contention and dissatisfaction. Whenever they 'retire their pretensions' we will have peace. Will they do so peaceably, or do they intend to force violence? Violence is sure to follow whenever they malign the whites and attempt to alienate the negroes from us. Whenever a head of this sort shows itself it will be only service to one's country to cut it off. Since the death of Jo. Crews, in Laurens, there has been no trouble in that county, and there would be none here either if it were not for a few fomenters of strife; and if they do not desist hereafter they will be dealt severely with."

This is unanswerable logic. Jo. Crews was killed some twelve months since because his republican ideas bred continual disturbance in Laurens, and the democrats were obliged to kill him in order to make him keep his mouth shut. Ever since that day there has been peace, like the silence of the catacombs, in that county. If Jo. Crews is not satisfied with the peace measures of Laurens he doesn't deserve to have even a tombstone.

The Louisiana democrats, too, go in strong for reconciliation. This is what the Nachitoches *Vindicator*, "a truthful democratic newspaper," says about the late republican Senator for that district:

"Blunt must go, and that quickly. We have forgetfulness if not forgiveness for the tools of his former ambition, but for him there can be nothing but distrust and bitterness. If he remains, we wash our hands, as a community, of what is quite likely to occur in his particular case. Weber, of Feliciana, and Frank, of Webster, should be examples sufficient to convince the Burches, the Twitchells and the Blunts that there is no resting place in this State for men who have done all that villainy could suggest to destroy the rights and liberties of Louisiana's people, and plundered them and their children of homes and bread."

The democratic press of New Orleans and the North, and Gov. Nicholls of Louisiana, have denied that Weber's murder was political, and that Frank was killed for no other reason than that he was a republican; yet the *Vindicator* holds up their fate as a warning of what will come to all prominent republicans who do not fly for their lives.

"Reconciliation" is nice.

News and Notes.

Miss Nellie Williams, aged 22, was burned to death Sunday morning in Belleville, N. J. While she was pouring kerosene oil on the kitchen fire the can exploded and her clothing ignited. She died two hours afterward.

The Ordnance Bureau of the Navy Department has adopted the slotted screw, or French system, in converting 100-pound Parrott guns into breech-loaders.

Public Printer Defrees, in a circular, informs the printers throughout the country that "there are now more sober, industrious and capable workmen of this character in Washington than can at any time be employed. It would be unjust and cruel to discharge any of these workmen merely to put others from a distance in their places, and it will not be done. It must also be distinctly understood that this establishment cannot be made either a religious, political or charitable asylum."

New Hampshire Items.

The Turf Association of Nashua have decided to gold their first series of races at the Nashua Riding Park, commencing July 3d and continuing four days. They offer $3200 in premiums, the classes ranging from three minutes to 2:28. The prospects at the present time are that there will be a long list of entries, and that the meeting will be a success.

The house and outbuildings belonging to Mrs. E. L. Hardy, situated in Brookline, were burned on the 16th instant. Loss $1800; insured $950 in the Fitchburg Mutual. Supposed incendiary.

On Monday morning Mr. Samuel H. Hanson, an old and respected citizen of Dover, was found dead in his barn, where he went at an early hour. He had long been somewhat troubled with disease of the heart, which probably hastened him away at last. He was nearly 70 years of age.

The Glen House opened Saturday, a party of seventy-five coming from Portland, Gov. Connor of Maine, and other distinguished gentlemen being among the guests. The road to the summit of Mount Washington opened on the 11th, earlier than ever before. Snow is still in patches on the mountains, and the thermometer at noon was forty on the summit.

At the meeting of the State Temperance Camp Meeting Association held at Concord, Monday, it was decided to hold meetings at Weirs Landing, Lake Winnepiseogee, on September 4th, 5th, 6th and 7th. The first day is to be given to the Sons of Temperance, Good Templars and other kindred organizations; the second day to the Women's Christian Union; the third day to reformed men and Temple of Honor; and the fourth day to the church, for religious services. John B. Gough will speak on the third day, and addresses will be made by Hon. H. W. Blair, M. C.; Gen. Natt Head, President of the Senate; Col. W. E. Stevens, editor of the Concord Monitor; Hon. Lewis W. Clark of Manchester, Samuel B. Page of Haverhill, and others. Efforts will be made to have an address by Henry Ward Beecher on the fourth day.

Political.

Our Milton Sayler is a bold navigator of the political seas. He has received a gilt-edge invitation to the white-gloved conspiracy of the Manhattan Club in honor of Tom Hendricks, at which the democratic chickens of a New York breed are to be hatched for 1880. Milton declined. He believes with Senator Beck that the year of democracy like the star of empire, should take its way Westward.—*Cincinnati Enquirer* (Dem.)

Gov. Stone, of Mississippi, calls the Chisholm murder "an unfortunate affair." Does not the Governor employ rather severe language? Is he not afraid of irritating the law-abiding citizens of the State, and stirring up their natural indignation to acts of violence? Things have settled down with remarkable quiet there. The Vicksburg *Herald* says that there will be no opposition to the democratic ticket in Yazoo county, this fall. The republican vote in Yazoo in 1874 was 2499. In 1876 it was *two!*—Such has been the reduction effected by the mild and wholesome rule of the reconstructed democracy. It is a pity that Gov. Stone should excite the community by such words as are attributed to him at the head of this paragraph. It is, however, to be remembered in his favor that he confines himself to words. He does nothing to show that he regards the affair as even unfortunate. One might suppose that he looked upon it as a legitimate exercise of the authority of public opinion.—*Providence Journal.*

—There is a great saving of eggs in all eating-house custard. Corn starch is the principal ingredient—but it is nutritious.

—When they make a hog's head into cheese and his tail into souse, they may well be said to make extremes meat.

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No medicine ever offered to the public has given such universal satisfaction as Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. Their praises are on every tongue where their merits are known. They strike at once at the seat of disease and show their healing power almost immediately. Thousands of voluntary testimonials of their merits have been received by the agent, from those who have been cured by them, of which the following are samples:

Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well and Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 2 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels. have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $1.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have faith I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shall continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving them praise; so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At last he was taken so bad that he could not lift his hand to his head or do any work at all, especially in cold weather. A short time ago I advised him to get some of these Pills. He believed nothing in them, but I gave him the last package I had of you, as I did not need them, and he has not been as free from the Rheumatic Complaint for years. No Rheumatism, no pain. What helped him? It was DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, the best medicine in the world. There is nothing like them. I *know* it, for I have tried them, and they are all, yes, more than they are recommended to be. Give them a fair trial and you will say so. I write this because I know the goodness of them and wish others to know the same. Some may think I am telling a big story. I am. But remember I am not giving them half the praise they ought to have.

Yours with respect, ED. F. PEVARE

Wonderful Effect of Four Doses of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills upon Neuralgia of Twelve Years' Duration—Testimony of Rev. J. S. Patton.

DAINGERFIELD, MORRIS CO., TEXAS, Nov. 15, '75.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I have been afflicted for near twelve years with Neuralgia in the face and head. I tried I do not know how many physicians, and could only get partly relieved. I also tried many patent medicines with the same result. I have been confined to my room most all the time for eight or ten winters, and have been travelling and visiting medical springs, and I still suffered most intensely. The physicians pronounced my case the worst and most stubborn that they had had anything to do with. One told me I could never get well; they all advised me to go South and spend the winter, and thought that was the only chance for me, and I was trying to get ready to go to Florida, when through the kindness of Rev. H. M. Mills, my attention was called to the advertisement of Dr. Quain's Magic Condition Pills. I immediately sent to you for a package. I have taken four doses and I am almost free from pain. The impression here seems to be that if your pills will cure me, they will cure anybody. I have five applications to send for the pills. Enclosed please find three dollars; send five packages to me and oblige. Send one to Mrs. Laura Sherrel, Sulphur Springs, Hopkins county, Texas.

Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache.

LACONIA, N. H., Jan. 29, 1875.

THOS. W. LANE—*Sir:*—I have been troubled with Bad Blood, Liver Complaint, Nervousness, Dropsy and Headache. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done me more good than all the medicine I ever took; I have taken considerable medicine within the last five years. For the nerves I think there is nothing so good as those pills. I can recommend them to all who are similarly afflicted, they have done me so much good. I think they will recommend themselves wherever they go. I shall recommend those Pills to all who need them. Please send me two packages more, one for myself and one for a lady friend of mine. Many thanks to the inventor, agent and advertiser of those Pills.

MRS. F. L. ELLIOTT.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M., 5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 " 5.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "
Concord and North,	10.30 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 " 5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

BARRATORS CAUGHT.

On Sunday evening a small sloop yacht of about five tons measurement entered this harbor, and as soon as practicable came up to the city and moored at the wharf near the Spring Market. She is a nice-looking little vessel, painted white outside, with the word "Osto" in capital letters on her stern. She was manned by two men, and nothing particular was thought about her.

On Tuesday the police authorities received a letter from Mr. John Steward, of Pittston, Me., enclosing a letter sent to him from this city, and a copy of a handbill offering a reward for the recovery of his sloop-yacht (named the "Abeona," and hailing from Boston,) and the detention of her crew, Fred Taylor and Melvin Corbett, who had stolen her. Assistant Marshal Gray at once visited the "Osto," verified her identity with the "Abeona" by certain marks mentioned in the hand-bill, and arrested Taylor and Corbett, who were locked up to await the arrival from Pittston of Mr. Steward. The thieves, it seems, have been sailing the "Abeona" since some time in January, but recently concluded to run away with her; so having erased the vessel's name from the stern, and the first and final letters of the word "Boston," thus making her name read "Osto," they boldly came in here, wrote to the owner that they had lost the vessel on Glover's Rock, and proceeded to negotiate for a purchaser. The following is the letter sent to Mr. Steward, *verbalim et literatim et punctuatim*:

Portsmouth Juno 1877

Dear old frend

i serpose you wold like to no whare me and fred is and what we ar about and what becom of the old boat We went to Portland ol rite and had got back as far as glovers rock We wore under clause reefs and wold have been home the next day but a dam squal struck us and i tryed to ceep her from coming to in the trouth of the see and carried away our redder hed and she mad a bee line for glovers rock and the Davel cold not stop her When she struck she went to peaces in less then 2 minets We com near goin to Daveds Jones her mast went over the bow and i went after it i did not see fred for a long time i thought he was gorn but i see him at last i worked with my hands until i got to whare he was he was about gorn we hung together till about 8 oclock the next day when a schooner Picked us up we wore about gorn i can tell you i did not no much for 3 days the schooners Name is James E. Dunbar we ar bound to Charleston C S she came in hear to get a New mainsail she will go to New york to finisf out loding She has got a general cargo now well i have told you about all i Want you to rite me we will probably stop to homes hole rite me thar and tell me about Lillie has she gone home or not let me no if she is thar tell her to rite to me tell her to sell all thar is thire and try to get home if she can i wold send her som money if i cold but i have jest sined to men left here so we go in thar room if Lillie is thar kiss her for me i no her hates me now but i cant help it sho this to freds Mother

The two men are both young, tall, sailor-looking fellows, one being dark complexioned and the other fair. They gave their names as Charles Frederick Taylor and James Melvin Cobbett, and while acknowledging that they failed to return the yacht at the end of the period for which they hired her, deny that they had any intention of stealing her. If they can make the courts believe that story they will be all right.

The owner of the "Abeona" arrived here on the afternoon train, Tuesday, and took charge of her; and officers got here at nine o'clock in the evening, and took the prisoners back with them on the return train.

[Communicated.]

"GIT OUT, SMALL BOY!"

Messrs Editors: Is our City Marshal *deaf*, or is the small boy and his fire-cracker to be endured for three weeks before the orthodox time of torment arrives? If so, let them retire to some vacant lot, where they will not be a terror to every one driving into or out of Portsmouth for purposes of business or pleasure. VOTER.

[Communicated.]

THE MARINE QUESTION.

Messrs. Editors: The *Times* of Saturday and the CHRONICLE of Monday each contained communications severely censuring the authorities of this city for their conduct concerning the disposition of the body of a marine recently found in the river, the articles seeming to be particularly aimed at myself. The writer of those communications (for both are evidently from one pen, and that *not* the pen of a private marine,) is especially aggrieved that the Commandant of the Navy Yard was not notified of the finding of the body, and that no coroner's inquest was held. As to his first complaint I will only say that as soon as I was informed of the finding of the body I sent a messenger to the yard to inform Major Field, commanding the marines there, of the fact, and that he immediately sent over two officers who made all arrangements for the burial; and after that I considered all my duties in the case performed. After the body was buried the doctor of the yard came over and inquired into the matter, was told what had been done, and said the Commandant of the yard was the proper person to notify. Now I, in common with all our citizens, have only respect for Commodore Guest, and could have notified him as easily as Major Field; but the latter was the marine's immediate commander, and as he has taken so much interest in the men of his command when they have been over here alive and drunk, I considered him the proper officer to notify when one was found dead. As a civilian I do not profess to be acquainted with, and certainly am not bound by, naval regulations or etiquette; but if it was of primary importance that the Commandant should have received the notice, why was it not given him by the subordinate officials on the yard (who *are* under naval rules and familiar with naval etiquette) after they had received it? As to not ordering a coroner's inquest, I could see no reason for involving the city in an expense of $75 or more, as I had no knowledge of any indications whatever of foul dealings, or that any suspicion existed concerning the same; nor has anything come to my knowledge since, notwithstanding the indignant letters of "Justitia" and "A Comrade," to convince me that an inquest was necessary or desirable.

JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor.

JOTTINGS.

Among the pleasant attractions at the Universalist strawberry festival this evening, will be the presentation of "Never Say Die" and "Thirty Thousand Dollars," in both of which several young ladies and gentlemen are to take part. The proceeds are in part to help swell the fund for the removal of the organ of the church from the gallery to the rear of the altar.

Rev. Mr. Moore will deliver the third lecture in his series, (subject "Science against Darwinism") this (Wednesday) evening in the Congregational chapel on Middle street.

A lady who has investigated the matter tells us that the linen suits for ladies advertised by L. Blumauer are all he claims them to be—for style, quality and cheapness surpassing anything offered in Portsmouth for a long time.

Two families, each with loads of household furniture, passed through this city Tuesday forenoon in teams, on the way to York Beach, to occupy cottages there. They had traveled sixty miles.

The remonstrances of the National Board of Fire Underwriters against the use of fire-works will not avail to destroy the happiness of the Portsmouth small boy this year, if we may judge from the quantities of fire-crackers displayed in the store windows already.

The Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company's office at the Rockingham House will be open all night in the future, a convenience the public will appreciate.

The Bostons beat the St. Louis base ball club on Tuesday, 13 to 0, the Bostons making 9 runs in the 7th innings. The St. Louis club had previously beaten the Bostons twice.

Steamer Major, Capt. Bird, commenced her regular trips to Star Island, Isles of Shoals, on Tuesday.

The committee on Fantastics for the Fourth of July had a meeting Monday evening and decided to award $50 in cash prizes, as follows: Best hit (local or otherwise,) $10; best four-wheel team, $10; second best, $5; best two-wheel team, $5; second best, $3; horse-back rider, $5; second best, $3; person on foot, $4; second best, $3. Kittery, Rye, Newcastle, Greenland, Newington and other towns are invited to help swell the ranks of the Antiques and Horribles.

NEIGHBORING TOWNS.

RYE, June 18th.

Fashionable weddings are not common in Rye, but they do say that there is to be one next Thursday at the Episcopal chapel near the Farragut House, which is to be in all respects "*au fait*."

The "Farragut" and "Sea View" have opened their doors, have some company, and are prepared for more. The Western Union telegraph line from Greenland depot to the above named houses, was put in complete order during the past week. The coaches from "Rye Beach station" (which is situated in the town of North Hampton, "six or eight miles away"—Greenland is about four,) will commence running July 1st.

The new road from Abram Perkins' to the beach is finished and open for travel—and for purchasers of cottage lots who desire to locate for the summer in a fine locality, and help pay for the road by contributing their share towards paying the town's taxes.

E. B. Philbrick has completed his contract for building the road near the Farragut House, and it is now safe to drive over, which it hardly has been in years past.

A Praise Meeting under the auspices of the Rye Musical Union, to take place either in the Town Hall or one of the churches, is in contemplation, and will probably come off at an early day.

Farmers will commence haying this week.

The feed on the highways never was better than it is this Summer. It is a pity that it should go to waste. Some of it don't. Some folks turn their horses and cows into the road, and forget to drive them to their pasture. Others have conscientious or other kind of scruples about doing this thing. There's a law, for one thing, against such proceedings; and besides, they have a little consideration for their neighbors, who don't like to have such animals about their doors, but still hate to make any fuss about it. It's a pity to let so much feed "go to grass," so perhaps it would be a capital idea to have a law passed requiring every house owner to put up a fence round his house, and then be sure and keep the gate closed and the bars leading into the fields put up,—and everybody in town, having cows, oxen or horses could turn them into the highway to get their living, and not have any more anxiety about them than they would about their dogs or hens running loose.

Rev. Mr. Bodwell, from Western Massachusetts, has preached very acceptably to the Congregational society for the past two Sundays, and he may receive a call.

Choirs should be very careful and have only one tune to a hymn. When the different parts have each different tunes it is apt to make discord, and when such a thing occurs, while the congregation are standing up looking at them, it makes it decidedly awkward to have to come to a dead halt and have somebody decide which of the tunes it is proposed to sing. Such an episode occurred not many weeks since in a church not a thousand miles from Rye, and the blunder was of course the chief topic of conversation for the remainder of that day.

The proprietors of the boarding houses who have made contracts to take company at low rates (and all applicants this season, without exception, are *very* particular to know the lowest possible terms,) are feeling blue over the decided advance in the price of beef. NAT.

TSERNAGORA.

The Portsmouth CHRONICLE copies the article on "Tsernagora," from Monday's *Advertiser*, and kindly remarks that it "is of peculiar interest just now, when the conflict of ages between the Turks and Montenegrins is raging so fiercely, and it gives the most graphic description of the country and people of Montenegro we have ever seen." This compliment would have been perhaps too pointed, if the CHRONICLE had not taken care to describe the *Advertiser* vaguely as "an exchange."—*Portland Advertiser.*

Don't be huffy about a little thing like that, brother; it was only out of pure kindness of heart that we credited the item to "an exchange." We didn't want to steal it, as our giving credit proves; but we didn't know but what you stole it, and then if we credited it to you the other fellow would come down on us both. We'll never try to do a good action again.

—Bathing suits this year are of diver's kinds.

—New ornaments for hats take singular shapes. Some resemble a hinge; others bars studded with nails; still other a section of lattice or trellis-work in gilt or silver.

—A teacher, after reading to her scholars a story of a generous child, asked them what generosity was. One little boy raised his hand and said, "I know; it's giving to others what you don't want yourself."

MARRIED.

REINWALD—ADAMS. In this city, June 19, at the residence of the bride's father, by Rev. Eugene M. Grant, Mr. Ralph L. Reinwald, of Woonsocket, R. I., and Miss Alice Gertrude Adams, oldest daughter of Mr. Josiah F. Adams of this city.

DIED.

HANSCOM. In this city, June 18, Mr. Oliver Hanscom, aged 73 years.

☞ Funeral this (Wednesday) afternoon at two o'clock, from his late residence, No. 1 Sheafe street.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, June 19.

Steamer Pottsville, Peirce, Philadelphia; making the round trip within one week, and bringing 1600 tons coal.

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Sch Agenora, Huchings, Perth Amboy.
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SAILED, June 19,

Sch Althea, Blackmer, Philadelphia.
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"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $3. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. F33&6if

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To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipe that will cure you, FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod1y2

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A STRONG, HEALTHY WOMAN as wet nurse. English or American preferred. Apply at this office.

Wanted.

A PROTESTANT GIRL to do general housework. Apply at this office.

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Has re-opened the OLD STAND

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And everything pertaining to a FIRST-CLASS GROCERY STORE.

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THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of N. P. ORDWAY & CO., and doing business at Greenland, N. H., was dissolved on the 13th day of June instant.

N. P. ORDWAY.

Greenland, June 14, 1877. 3t

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GOLD	" 30 to 100	"	"	"

BORDERS of all grades from 1 to 12 cents per yard.

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We also have a large stock of WINDOW SHADES at prices ranging from 50 cents to $2.00 each.

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J. E. HAM & CO.

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We have a small lot of HATHAWAY'S SHIRTS, which we are closing out at cost.

WAITE & DODGE'S WHITE SHIRTS, laundried or unlaundried, Wamsutta Cotton, made in the best style.

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A nice assortment of new COLORED SHIRTS.

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Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style, with Collars and Pockets.

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CUTTING at short notice and in the best Style.

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Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

It Wasn't Blue Glass.

A chronic sufferer from rheumatism, in Hartford, at last resorted to the expedient of placing glass under each leg of his bedstead, so as to insulate the bed, electrically. His rheumatism at once disappeared, and he claimed to have got well. But he kept the glass (thick little preserve plates, we believe) under the legs of the bedstead. A month or two later his wife, who never had any faith in the performance and thought it was "all his imagination," quietly removed the glass one day, without letting her husband know it—with a view to joke him about it, at some future time; but the next day he complained, for the first time for six weeks or more, of a partial return of his old complaint—and by the day after that it was "all on again." A restoration of the glass insulators again stopped the rheumatism. This wasn't imagination, surely—for the sufferer didn't know the glass had been removed.

A Terrible Monster.

The Virginia (Nev.) *Enterprise* relates the following: "The other day the residents of the eastern portion of the city were surprised, and not a little terrified at first, by the appearance in the heavens, and apparently hovering over them, of a fiery flying serpent of immense dimensions. Its head appeared a fluid flame, while its eyes rolled as if in search of victims. Its motions through the air, as it billowed here and there, were like the contortions of a huge snake. This monster was subsequently ascertained to be a Chinese kite. Its head was red paper, with eyes half red and half white, which rolled as the wind found its way through the apertures, representing the sockets. This head kite was followed by eighteen others, about eighteen inches apart, made of tinted paper, oblong in shape, through the centre of which passed slender rattans, the tips extending some distance on each side and trimmed with fire red-paper tassels. Similar tassels along the tail and pendant from the head gave the whole a flying and fiery appearance truly startling."

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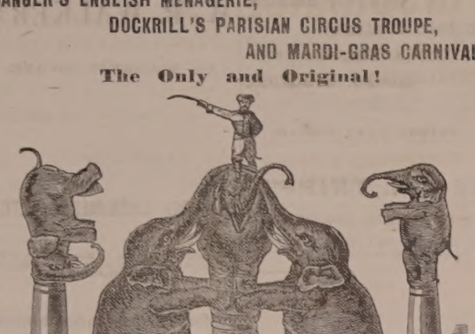

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEE. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any state meat, heads, offal, or any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, but shall bury the same, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive matter therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, any slaughter house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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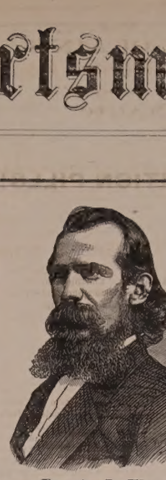

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

New Hampshire Items.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council, Tuesday, the following appointments were made: John C. Pillsbury of Concord, Warden of the State Prison; John G. Kimball of Nashua, Amos J. Blake of Fitzwilliam and Leander W. Cogswell of Henniker, Bank Commisssoners; Wm. W. Johnson of New Ipswich, Special Railroad Commissioner for the Peterboro' & Shirley Railroad; John K. Stokes, Concord, Janitor of the State House; Erastus V. Cobleigh, Lancaster, Sealer of Weights and Measures for Coos county; Hon. Daniel Marcy, Portsmouth, Trustee of the Reform School. The resignation of Judge Sawyer was received and accepted.

A young man in Rochester went to an apothecary, told a pitiful tale and wanted some rhubarb. After it was put up he wanted a little whiskey. The apothecary would not sell it, but gave him some. The next day he returned and wanted some more rhubarb put up in whiskey, which was done. Then the sneak went and informed, and the apothecary was arrested for selling liquor. Now that young man can't appear in public unless he is greeted with the cry of rhubarb. He was driven from a hall by the taunts, and going to a circus the clown commenced his jokes on him, and he retired. The apothecary has some cigars labeled, "rhubarb cigars, good for colic."

The third trotting meeting of the "Eastern Circuit" opened at the Dover trotting park on Tuesday. The first race, for 2:50 horses, purse $800, was won by Voltaire, which horse took the 3d, 4th and 5th heats; best time, 2:28. The second race, in the 2:22 class, purse $800, was won by Comee in the 4th, 5th and 6th heats; best time 2:26.

The house, barn and outbuildings, owned and occupied by Dudley Ladd, situated in the west part of Deerfield, were burned by an incendiary on Sunday morning. Loss $1500; insured $800.

News and Notes.

Gen. Benjamin F. Butler delivered his famous lecture on Tuesday night at the New York Academy of Music, entitled the "Irish Soldiers in America." The Academy was crowded. Charles A. Dana presided, and introduced Gen. Butler as the "renowned soldier, statesman and patriot."

James C. O'Connell, a prominent tobacco dealer, shot and killed Levi Ball on account of a debt, at Lodres, Ky. Also opposite Ripley, Ohio, C. Boyd shot and killed Dr. Lytle for the alleged seduction of his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorton D. Oxx of Newport, R. I., have just been "blessed" with their 20th child.

Bergh has procured the conviction of Thomas Dickinson, engineer of the Hebrew Orphan Asylum, in New York, for throwing a live dog into a blazing furnace, and fined $100, or imprisonment not to exceed 100 days.

Mr. James Gordon Bennett's friends, says the New York correspondent of the Cincinnati *Commercial*, are writing to him to "come home and stop this nonsense of affecting exile." One of them, a noted man of fashion, wrote him the other day he must not flatter himself that it was dangerous for him to come back, or that people were still talking about him. "Ex-Mayor Hall," he said, "bowed you out long ago."

A remarkable fact, but nevertheless true, that the dinner given by the Manhattan Club, in New York, was gotten up by Hon. Samuel J. Tilden for Samuel J.'s benefit, and yet Thomas Hendricks reaped the reward. How strangely our plans are upset.
—*Cincinnati Enquirer (Dem.)*

—The American giantess, Mrs. Ruth Beaton, alias Fanny Wallace, who has traveled with circuses all over the country, has just died at her residence in Vernon county, Wis. She was fifty-four years old, seven feet four inches in height, and weighed 585 pounds. Her coffin was seven feet eight inches in length, three feet six inches in depth, four feet wide at the center, twenty-four inches at the head, and twenty-three inches at the foot, and it required eight men with block and tackle to lower the remains into the grave. She is described as having been "a kind, good neighbor, a loving mother, and was beloved by all who knew her. Knowing that she must inevitably shuffle off the mortal coil, all the necessary preparations were made, and she died surrounded by her family and many friends, happy, contented, with an unshaken belief in her adopted religion, which was that of an 'Advent.'"

—The Chicago *Tribune* is still protesting against General Grant's supposed clothes. The *Tribune* finds that the law gives army officers retired from the service the right to wear the uniform pertaining to the highest rank they ever held in the volunteer army, and hence deduces that, the law being silent about officers who are retired from the regular army, and perhaps never held any position as volunteers, they can't wear their old uniforms. By the same token, the law being silent about it, it is a question if Grant can legally wear any clothes at all. He wore citizens' dress when he was President, and we can't find on the statute books any law authorizing a retired President to wear the clothes of a President, or any other clothes whatever.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, JUNE 21, 1877.

New York Letter.

NEW YORK, June 18.

The Association of Art Students, whose rooms are at 108 Fifth avenue, is based upon the co-operative plan. It is sustained by monthly dues from students and its aims are to extend to its members, mutual aid, encouragement, and unlimited facilities for study in the various branches of art. Ambitious students found themselves restricted in their facilities for advancement at the old academy, and so conceived the idea of establishing the Art Students' League, which has within two years grown into a vigorous, progressive and permanent institution, affording its members better advantages for study than can be obtained elsewhere, except in Europe.

The advocates of temperance seem for once to have a legal advantage over the traffickers in intoxicating liquors. The temperance champions, Thursday, caused the excise board to be arrested for violation of law in granting licenses to retail liquor dealers. It has been discovered that the law passed in 1857, which prohibits license for retailing liquors, is the only law now in force. What is called the Tweed excise law, which granted retail liquor licenses, was passed in 1866, but the legislature of 1870 repealed it, which leaves the whole question subject to the retail prohibition law of 1857. The temperance advocates are active and alert and there is much excitement among the small liquor dealers. A test case will be tried in a few days.

The ladies of Staten Island have organized what is termed "The ladies' out-of-door sport club." Among the active members are some of the most prominent and aristocratic ladies of Staten Island. Their sports consist of archery, croquet and other lawn sports. They have already had several interesting meetings.

The New Horticultural Society closed the exhibition of roses and strawberries at Gilmore's Garden last night. The display of roses was superb, and the strawberries were immense; one lot of ten berries weighed one pound. This display brought out the aristocracy; so we had roses and *bon ton*, strawberries and *creme de la creme*.

Att'y General Fairchild has rejected and returned the proposition made by Tweed for his relief. It seems that the Tweed issue has been used by the State politicians to carry selfish and party measures; and that the prisoner has been but a political shuttlecock and scapegoat ever since his "last residence in Ludlow." Mr. Townsend, Tweed's counsel, will probably make public the whole statement; yet there is little hope of obtaining a release for his client. Tweed is dejected and expresses himself as discouraged relative to ever gaining his freedom.

It is a fact that Tilden is so broken down that he has but little mental vigor left, and in place of leading his party in 1880 the probabilities are that he will be unknown in politics, and that then he will be in the great unknown which awaits all.

Ex-Secretary Belknap has been in New York at the St. James Hotel for a month or more, but what he is doing does not appear. Mrs. Belknap is in Keokuk, Iowa.

Gen. Butler will lecture at the Academy of Music this evening in aid of a Catholic church. It seems that Butler is "wool gathering" in New York, in place of raising sheep in Colorado.

Thursday, the 14th inst., was the birthday of the American Flag, and in honor of the day, the Stars and Stripes floated in the city almost as conspicuously as on a fourth of July.

The exodus of ministers to Europe this summer seems in numbers largely increased over last year. A large number of popular city pastors are already off for their summer vacation.

E. E. B.

Another Indian War.

The reports of an Indian outbreak and massacre in Idaho and Oregon are confirmed. A party of Nezperces Indians under White Bird attacked the settlers on Comas prairie, killed four or five men and their families, and several teamsters. The other Indians in the neighborhood joined the marauders, and the slaughter of whites continued until about thirty or more were killed. Two companies of troops from Lewiston, Idaho, with 150 citizens and some friendly Indians, attacked the hostiles at the head of White Bird canon. The troops dismounted, and left a few of the soldiers and twenty friendly Indians to hold the horses. The Indians opened fire upon the troops, and fighting was continued for some time. The friendly Indians became alarmed. The soldiers guarding the horses could see that the Indians were getting the best of the fight, and that the soldiers were retreating. The Captain of the party of citizens and Sergeant Lytle and one private are known to have been killed. The whole of the horse guard, both Indians and whites, broke and ran. A soldier who reached the garrison at 8 o'clock on the morning of the 18th, from the fight, reported that the troops were on foot and surrounded by Indians in the canyon, and in a hand-to-hand fight Col. Perry and about half of the command are said to have been killed. The remainder were surrounded and fighting against odds when the informant left. There is a general uprising of the savages and the whole country is wild with alarm. The Indians are massacring men, women and children on the Comas prairie, and the settlers fleeing in all directions for safety. Gen. Howard is at Lewiston, but is powerless, owing to inadequate military forces. Troops have been ordered from a number of posts in the department, and will soon be on the way to the scene of the disturbances. Gen. McDowell, commanding the Division of the Pacific, has been telegraphed to for the speedy assistance demanded.

County Reports.

The annual reports of the County Commissioners, Supt. of County Farm, Sheriff, County Treasurer, etc., for the year ending May 12, 1877, is issued from the press of Wingate & Dunton, of Exeter, and distributed to the people. The total payments by order of the County Commissioners were $55,009.73, the items being as follows:

County Farm	$26,320 54
New Asylum for Insane (construction)	5,194 31
House of Correction "	444 42
Paupers off the Farm	9,741 09
Exeter Jail	1,700 97
Portsmouth Jail	4,348 71
Registry of Deeds and New Index	1,599 65
Probate Expenses	357 95
Expenses of Court and Court Houses	2,829 75
Officers and Justices' Fees	1,370 52
Coroner's Inquests	51 60
Miscellaneous	1,048 22
Total	$55,007 73

From the report of the Superintendent we learn that the number of commitmeuts to the House of Correction at Brentwood for the last year was two hundred and fifty-nine (259) males 240, females nineteen, for the following causes: Common drunkard ten, drunk ninety-one, drunk and intoxicated 5, stealing 7, desertion 9, disorderly conduct 2, assault 9, threatening 1, obscene and abusive language 2, public vagrant, beggar and tramp 19, vagabond and tramp 4, vagrant 1, public beggar and tramp 5, begging 3, brawl and tumult 13, public vagrant 1, tramp 2, vagabond beggar and tramp 25, maliciously destroying property 1, unlawful exposure of goods for sale 3, insulting and impeding 1, breaking glass 1, vagrant and tramp 60, breaking and entering 3. Of these 187 paid fines and costs in money or labor, 65 deserted, of whom 13 were recommitted, 185 served time, one died, 2 discharged by order of court. Amount of fines and costs received in cash and paid treasurer $279.30 besides a large amount worked out by valuable labor, both in doors and out. As a number of prisoners are committed on two or more charges, and several deserters of the previous year are necessarily counted again, the total number of committals show in excess of the number of prisoners received.

The payments on account of County Farm were $26,320.54; interest on valuation of real estate, $3,906; depreciation of personal property, $2,932.26; total, $33,158.80 Taking from this the sums paid the County Treasurer by the Superintendent, and the labor of men and teams on the new Asylum, together amounting to $3,099.70, and the total expenses of the County Farm for the year stands at $30,059.19. The average number of prisoners and paupers was 232; weekly cost per head, $2.49. There were three births and 25 deaths at the Farm during the year.

From the Sheriff's report it appears that 9 prisoners were confined in Portsmouth jail when he took charge of it, August 16, 1876, and up to May 15th, 1877, 49 others were admitted. The highest number in the jail at one time was 22; lowest number, 10; average, 15; at present in jail, 10. In Exeter jail there were 7 prisoners on August 19, 1876; admitted since, 26; highest number, 13; lowest number, 9; average, 6; now in jail, 4.

The County Treasurer reports the debt increased during the past year, by $10,037.84; total debt May 12, $119,056.56.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, June 19.

The House assembled yesterday at 4 P. M. with a smaller number than has been seen at any one time this session. There were three petitions and six bills introduced which were referred to the proper committees.

The report through the Governor by the Secretary of State of the special committee on Normal School appointed at the last session was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Warren F. Daniell was qualified and took his seat for the first time this session.

The different committees have organized and are now rapidly considering the different bills that have been sent to them. The committee on judiciary have a vast amount of work assigned to them.

The Portland & Ogdensburg and Boston, Concord & Montreal railroads have settled their own difficulties among themselves, and thus the session will be shortened one week. I have been informed that the B. C. & M. has agreed that the portion of the road which the P. & O. had built from the Connecticut river to Scott's Mills and upon which the B. C. & M. had laid an injunction, should be legalized for one year, without going to the legislature for it, and that the P. & O. trains should run over the B. C. & M. road without any hindrance. It seems to be the plan among the different railroads to settle their own differences and if possible to unite their forces and kill the general railroad bill which will make its appearance from the railroad committee ere long.

A great deal of dissatisfaction has been expressed with the fish laws as they now exist upon the statute-book. A bill has been introduced, which, if passed, would give the monopoly of some of the fish ponds in the northern part of the State to the sportsmen of New York. One of the farmers proposes ere long to introduce a bill to give a bounty for killing crows, thinking this bird is an enemy to all other birds that are useful in destroying pestiferous insects.

Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth gave notice this afternoon of a bill to incorporate a Board of Instruction in Portsmouth.

The Publishers of the *People Hand Book* when trying to obtain the statistics of the members, received the following letter from one of the Town Clerks:

C. C. PEARSON & CO.—*Dear Sirs:* You ask me the occupation of our Representative. He is not a farmer, though he owns a large farm; he is not a hotel-keeper, but he has a hotel; he is not a lumberman, though he has yarded out five hundred cords of wood this winter; he is not a horse-jockey, though he has some good horses; he is not a civil engineer, but has laid a good many miles of railroad track; he is not lazy enough to be called a gentleman by profession, and I can't tell what to call his occupation. You may call it what you are a mind to. Yours, etc.

———, Town Clerk.

There are 22 members who are each on two committees, and 52 who are not on any.

The Cheshire county delegation had their pictures taken in front of the State House this afternoon.

Mr. Ordway of Warner introduced a bill regulating the sale of cider, whereby a man cannot purchase any unless 10 gallons are procured at one time. Referred to a special committee of ten, one from each county.

Yours, A. B.

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Dyspepsia Four Years, Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels Three Years, Confined to my Room Two Years, Pain so I Could Not Sleep Without Morphine. One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills Made Me Eat Well, Sleep Well ax. Free from Pain, after being given up by Physicians.

WEST LEBANON, ME., Feb. 22, 1

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I have been sick for 25 years with Dyspepsia, and for the past three years Constipation and Inflammation of the Bowels, have suffered all the pain I could endure and live. have been confined to my room for two years, and could not sleep nights without the use of morphine. I have been given up by physicians as past cure. I have taken one package of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS, and they have done me more good than all the doctors I have had. I sleep well, I eat well and have no pain. They are all they are recommended to be. Please send me three packages, as two of my neighbors wish to try them. I enclose $4.50.

Your truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Another Letter from May. John W. Lord, one month later Wonderful Cures by Dr. Quain's Pills Effected on Him in Thirteen Days. First time Free from Pain for Three Years.

WEST LEBANON, ME., March 22, 1875

MR. THOMAS W. LANE:—I commenced taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS February 9th, and wrote you February 22d of their wonderful effect. I have continued to improve ever since. My appetite is good, and I sleep as well as I ever did in my life. I am free from pain for the first time in three years. When I was taken sick four years ago, I weighed one hundred and eighty-six pounds; I now weigh one hundred and thirty, but, as I am gaining in strength, I have no fear I shall regain my flesh this summer, by the use of the Pills. I shal continue taking them for some time to come.

Yours truly, JOHN W. LORD.

Dr. Quain's Pills the Remedy for Soldiers' Aches and Pains.

WEST LEBANON, ME., June 1, 1875.

MR. THOMAS W. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—I am now able to walk out every day, and am gaining in strength very fast, all of which is due to you as agent for the best Pills in the world. I have taken no other medicine, and my improvement has been steady since first taking DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS. They have done everything for me, and I will say to you, advertise them direct to the soldiers, for they will certainly cure them of aches and pains caused from exposure and hardship on the field. Please send me by return mail another package.

JOHN W. LORD.

Rheumatism for Twenty Years Cured by One Package of Dr. Quain's Condition Pills—"The Best Medicine in the World."

EAST ANDOVER, N. H., Dec. 10, 1875.

MR. LANE—*Dear Sir:*—As I know the value of DR. QUAIN'S CONDITION PILLS and the good they have done me, I take pleasure in giving my testimony, so I send you another testimonial. My father has been troubled with Rheumatism for twenty years or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not hit his head to his mouth for twenty or more, and has tried everything that could be thought of, but to no good. At times it would be so bad that he could not walk. I have known him

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P.M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Concord Way,		4.35 "	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Dover,	7.40, 10.49 "	4.35 "	

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	4.35 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.50 "	
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "	

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

HE ISN'T DEAF.

In answer to the enquiry of "Voter" in Wednesday's CHRONICLE, "Is our City Marshal deaf, or is the small boy and his fire-cracker to be endured for three weeks before the orthodox time of torment arrives!" the Marshal replies that he is *not* deaf, and that he does not need to have noises reported to him, as he can hear them as well as anybody; and further, that if "Voter" or any other person who is annoyed at the firing of crackers will *report to him the name of the boy or man who fires them*, (instead of complaining in the papers that the noise is made and then virtually shielding the offenders,—for that is what a failure to complain of them amounts to,) it will be of more assistance to the police in the execution of their duty than two whole columns of the most vigorous growling.

The Marshal certainly seems to have hold of the common-sense end of the question. There is no city ordinance against the discharge of fire-arms or fire-works in the streets, chapter 252 of the General Statutes covering the whole matter, Sections Five and Sixteen reading as follows:

SECTION 5. No person shall, within the compact part of any town, fire or discharge any cannon, gun, pistol or other fire-arms, or beat any drum, except by command of a military officer having authority therefor, or fire or discharge any rockets, squibs, crackers, or any preparation of gunpowder, except by permission of a majority of the police officers or selectmen in writing, or make any bonfire, or improperly use or expose any friction matches, or knowingly raise or repeat any false cry of fire.

SECTION 16. Any person convicted of any offence in this chapter mentioned shall be fined from one to twenty dollars, or imprisoned from five days to six months.

The above provisions, if enforced, would effectually stop the annoyance "Voter" complains of; but they are not enforced in any town or city in the State, cannot possibly be enforced by the unaided efforts of even the most efficient police, and more than that were never intended to be enforced. If it was really desired to stop the discharge of fire-works in any place, say in this city, it could be easily done by passing an ordinance prohibiting their sale; that would do it, and nothing else will, for as long as crackers, torpedoes, dummy pistols for exploding percussion caps, etc., are exposed for sale in half the shop-windows in town, just so long the small boy will bang them off under horses' feet and ladies' dresses and alongside old gentlemen's ears, to the disgust of the aggrieved parties, who will continue to growl at the police but will not complain of or give evidence against their annoyers.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

The committee of arrangements for celebrating July Fourth announce the following sport: At 8 o'clock the Antiques and Horribles will form on Richards Avenue, and march a half hour later around the city to Market square. This is expected to be one of the largest and most comical turnouts ever seen in this city, and to still further add to its interest the committee have decided on making the following awards:

For the best hit (either local or otherwise,) $10; best four-wheel team, $10; second best, $5; best two-wheel team, $5; second best, $3; horse-back rider, $5; second best, $3; person on foot, $4; second best, $3.

These prizes are to be awarded by disinterested parties after the close of the march. All the neighboring towns are cordially invited to swell the ranks and contest for the prizes.

At 2:30 o'clock the sports will begin on Market square, for which $25 in prizes will be awarded: Potato Feat $5; Running Match $3; Sack Race $5; Jumping Match $2; Three-legged Race $5; Greased Pole Climbing $5. Prizes to be awarded at the conclusion of each feat. Parties desiring to compete are requested to confer at the earliest moment with any member of the following committee: John S. Treat, Wilbur I. Trafton, Charles E. Hatch, John S. Perry, Plumer D. Norton, Oliver M. Knight, Charles A. Canney, Edward D. Coffin.

This committee are to hold another meeting on Friday evening to make further arrangements. A subscription paper has been left at Rundlett's drug store for the convenience of those desiring to help along the celebration. Mr. William G. Kidder has been chosen Treasurer.

THE YOUNG LADIES' SCHOOL.

The closing exercises at Miss Morgan's school took place on Monday and Tuesday, and were largely attended by the parents and friends of the scholars from abroad as well as by our own citizens. Not having been able to be present ourselves, we cannot give a detailed list of the performances; but we hear from all quarters loud praises of the excellence of the recitations in the several departments and of the vocal and instrumental music, in which the pupils reflected equal credit on their own diligent application and the skilful instruction of their several teachers. The French play which closed the Monday exercises was beautifully rendered; and "those who know" say that the accent of the young ladies is perfect. On Tuesday afternoon Mr. James T. Fields gave to a delighted audience his charming lecture on "Fiction," to praise which would indeed be superfluous. At the close he "dropped into verse, in a friendly manner," and in a few felicitous lines, in which he interwove the various names of the young lady pupils, expressed his interest in and admiration of the school and occasion. We hope to obtain and present these to our readers. The reception, Tuesday evening, was a very pleasant affair and highly enjoyed by all present, among whom we noticed Judge Fowler and Hon. Geo. E. Todd of Concord; Hon. H. N. Jose of Portland, Gen. McNeil and many gentlemen and ladies from Lowell, Salem, and other places. Senator Blaine, who was expected, was prevented by other engagements from arriving in season.

THE CIRCUS.

Comes to-day, and gives two performances, one in the afternoon and one in the evening, besides the out-of-doors "Saturnalia of splendor" on the streets. That the show will be fully attended and that entire satisfaction will be given the audience, we do not doubt. No similar show ever received such notices as this one from the press, within our memory, the papers universally declaring that all is performed and shown that the advertisements announce will be. We have already given numerous quotations from leading papers, and shall give but one or two more, and those brief ones. The Providence *Journal*, a staid, dignified paper that never "slops over," says: "Everybody seemed pleased, as well they might be; for it is seldom that a circus travels through the land that presents so great attractions, and so very satisfactorily redeems its promises." The Boston *Globe* says the show "performs everything contained in the programme," and the *Herald* says "it is the best appointed and best conducted circus that has visited Boston for years." We could fill a column with two-line extracts from unqualified commendations given this show by our exchanges; and if the entertainment given here is but half as good as it is credited with having given in every other place it has appeared in this season, all who attend will be satisfied. The advertisement can easily be found on the fourth page.

Trains from Dover to Portsmouth will be run for 90 cents, which will include fare both ways and admission to the above show.

A "WHAT-IS-IT?

On Wednesday Mr. E. A. Tilton brought into our sanctum a pet straddlebug, adopted by him the day before. It is a queer looking insect, about the size and nearly the shape of a large wasp, its head and front pair of legs being a brilliant yellow, two other pairs of legs and the body being so dark a brown as to be almost black. It has a pair of transparent wings, handsome but apparently quite useless, as the creature cannot fly; but what makes it looks oddly is a sort of slender, cylindrical tail nearly four inches long. What this exaggerated continuation is for we are not entomologist enough to tell; it is not a stinger, and the only use the insect made of it in our presence was to be capsized by it when it got foul of anything. Mr. Tilton does not know what kind of an insect it is, any more than do we; it is not a dragon-fly, nor anything like one. If the Kittery man who found fault with the way we rigged Mr. Dixon's yacht "Phantom" could only see this wonderful bug, he would be sorry he growled at us for putting her bowsprit "fourteen feet over her stern."

TELL IT ALL.

Messrs. Editors:—We were very glad to see the *Times* come out Wednesday night and rap a shortcoming of our Mayor, and as Mr. Guppy is so ready to retrospect a little on republican ground, we hope he will not decline to do so in democratic fields. Serve all alike; show up the Rockingham House supper, and also the buying of the Steam Fire Engine No. 4,—for justice hurts no honest man and these are stories the people would like to hear about.

TAX PAYER.

[Communicated.]

THE MARINE WAR.

Messrs Editors: I have noticed with some interest the sharp attacks of a writer in the *Times* and your paper, on Mayor Broughton, for not having ordered an inquest on the body of the marine lately found dead in the river, and also the Mayor's spicy reply to his assailant. I judge from the anonymous communications that the writer is more enraged at some fancied breach of naval etiquette by the Mayor, than he is by any assumed want of humane interest in the dead man; and he certainly gets as good as he sends when the Mayor informs him that he cares not a snap for naval rules or customs. As to the suspicious circumstances attending the marine's death, I for one never heard of them until they were discovered by the anonymous writer; I heard that the man was last seen alive going over Portsmouth bridge, and very drunk; that his dead body was found eleven days later, given in charge of the marine officers, and under their direction at once buried.

But even had there been "suspicious circumstances" connected with this case, the experience of the Portsmouth police in a former case in which a marine was concerned (and with the working up of which I had something to do) was not such as to tend to make the force over anxious to have anything to do with this one. A marine was found in Kittery, having been terribly and it was at first supposed fatally beaten; a humane comrade told a cock-and-a-bull story about finding him with his head caved in near the pump on Noble's Island, and carrying him on his back across the bridge; and the "North End roughs" of Portsmouth were unsparingly denounced (in the CHRONICLE and elsewhere,) as brutal murderers. The police took hold of the case, and at considerable trouble and expense soon accumulated abundant proof that the real assassin was the humane comrade, and that the assault was committed in Kittery; this evidence was laid before the officers at the Navy Yard and the law officers of York county, but no other notice was taken of it than to snub the officers by mildly suggesting that they were meddling with what was none of their business. I feel safe in saying that from that time forward none of *that* police force took much interest in cases where marines complained of wrong, if there were any such. That I have stated the facts correctly Messrs. Israel Marden and Ozro J. Hobbs, the then Marshal and Assistant Marshal, will testify.

MEMORY.

JOTTINGS.

An advertisement of interest to farmers about to commence haying will be found in another column.

On Tuesday the schooner Jennie brought in twelve hundred nice mackerel, taken at the Shoals.

In the July number of *Harper's Magazine*, Bret Harte leads off, with a pictured poem "On a Naughty Little Boy, Sleeping." In the "Snow Banners of the California Alps" Mr. John Muir gives us some capital pictorial illustrations as well as a chapter of very interesting information well suited to hot weather. Mr. Trowbridge has a narrative (or rather a dramatic) poem, "The Wreck of the Fishing-boat," with illustrations. In the paper on "The Mohawk Valley During the Revolution," Harold Frederick has an interesting chapter, with singularly fine wood-cut illustrations. There is also an attractive paper on Westminster Abbey, by Lyman Abbott, with twenty-six illustrations, and a great variety of other good things. Moses Brothers and Joseph H. Foster have "Harper" for sale.

The largest and fairest strawberries we have seen this year are from the Robie farm in Greenland, sold by Mr. S. S. Frye. Three tiers just fill a box.

The fishermen report the mackerel sharks are unusually numerous this year, and a source of great annoyance to the seiners, often causing not only the loss of a good catch of fish but the destruction of the nets. One of these objectionable attendants on the mackerel schools was taken by the schooner Weehawken on Wednesday, and weighed one hundred and seventy-five pounds.

Strawberries are cheap enough now—only fifteen cents a box for nice ones, on Wednesday. We don't see how they can afford to grow at that price.

Governor Goodwin is the name of the new ship owned by Messrs. M. F. Pickering & Co., now nearly ready for launching from the shipyard of Campbell & Brooks at East Boston, and built under the supervision of Captain Edgar Paine, the Marine Inspector of American Lloyd's Register. She is 1000 tons, carpenters' measurement, has a full figure of Governor Goodwin of New Hampshire for a head, and is of a good model for carrying and sailing. Captain Lester will command her. He is also interested in her as an owner, and has superintended her construction throughout. A day has not yet been selected for her launch.—*Globe.*

There is to be a circus in town to-day any to-night. A lot of pilferers generally keep along with a circus, in hope of plunder. Would it not be wise to leave the street gas-lights burning all night.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, June 20.

Sch Mary Willey, Williams, Bangor.
Sch George W Collins, Hodgkins, Philadelphia.
Sch America, Trueworthy, Rondout.
Sch Sarah Louisa, Perkins, Boston.
Sch Modena, Nickerson, Boston.

SAILED, June 20,

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Sch Agricola, Whitmore, Ellsworth.
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COLORED SHIRTS.
A nice assortment of new COLORED SHIRTS.
NIGHT SHIRTS.
Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style, with Collars and Pockets.
Spring Neck-Wear!
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PORTSMOUTH, N. H.
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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.
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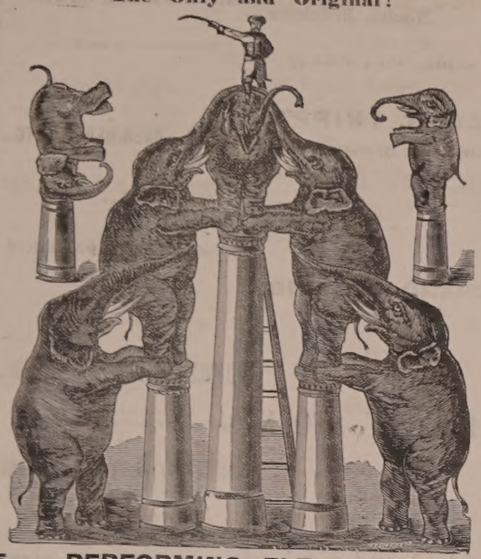

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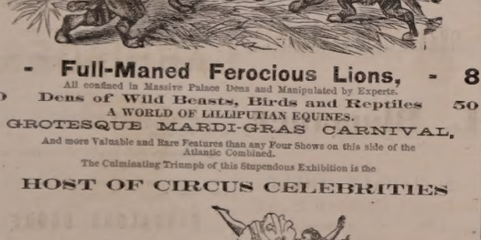

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 16, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth, and all vaults and privies of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of manure of the stalls shall be permitted to keep any stale meat, heads, offal or refuse of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing adverse said to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Origin of the Postage Stamp.

The postage stamp was born in London on the 10th of January, 1840, and England employed it alone for ten years. It was a curious incident that gave rise to the idea of postage stamps. A traveller was crossing, about forty years ago, a district in the north of England. He arrived at the door of an inn where a postman had stopped to deliver a letter. A young girl came out to receive it; she turned it over and over in her hand and asked the price of postage. This was a large sum, and evidently the girl was poor, for the postman demanded a shilling. She sighed sadly, and said the letter was from her brother, but that she had no money; and so she returned it to the postman. The traveller was a man who rambled about the earth for instruction and observation. Having a good heart, he offered to pay the postage of the letter, and in spite of the resistance of the young girl he paid the shilling. This resistance made him reflect. Scarcely had the postman turned his back when the young innkeeper's daughter confessed that it was a trick between her and her brother. Some signs marked on the envelope had told her all she wanted to know, but the letter contained no writing.

"We are both so poor," she added, "that we invented this mode of corresponding without paying for our letters." The traveller, continuing his road, asked himself if a system giving place to such frauds was not a vicious one.

The sun had not set before Mr. Rowland Hill (that was the name of the traveller) had planned to organize the postal service upon a new basis. He said that in England, where family ties are strong, and where the members often live far apart—where, too, the spirit of commerce knows no limits, the correspondence was only limited by the cost of the post; and that by lowering this barrier, a great service would be rendered to society without hurting the resources of the treasury. These views were agreed to by the English Government, and on the tenth of January, 1840, not more than a penny was paid for letters which circulated over the whole extent of the British Isles. This bold scheme soon surpassed the hopes of the legislators. Ten years later, in 1850, the number of letters increased from 1,500,000 to 7,239,962.

How the Oyster Builds His Shell.

The body of an oyster is a poor, weak thing, apparently incapable of doing anything at all; yet what a marvellous house an oyster builds around his delicate frame! When an oyster is first born he is a very simple, delicate dot, as it were, and yet he is born with his two shells upon him. For some unknown reason he always fixes himself upon his flat shell, and being once fixed he begins to grow, but he only grows in summer. Inspect an oyster shell closely, and it will be seen that it is marked with distinct lines. As the rings we observe in the section of a trunk of a tree denote years of growth, so does the marking of an oyster shell tell us how many years he has passed in his "bed" at the bottom of the sea.

Suppose an oyster was born June 15, 1870, he would go on growing up to the first line we see well marked; he would then stop for the winter. In the summer of 1871 he would more than double his size. In 1872 he would add to this house. In 1873 and 1874 he would again go on building till he was dredged up in the middle of his work in 1875, when he would be five and a half years old. The way in which an oyster builds his shell is a pretty sight. I have watched it frequently. The beard or fringe of an oyster is not only his breathing organ—*i. e.*, his lungs—but his feeding organ, with which he conveys the food to his complicated mouth with his four lips. When the warm, calm days of June come, the oyster opens his shell, and by means of his fringe begins building an additional story to his house. This he does by depositing very fine particles of carbonate of lime, till they at last form a substance as thin as silver paper, and exceedingly fragile; then he adds more, till at last the new shell is as hard as the old shell. When oysters are growing in their shell they must be handled very carefully, as the new growth of shell will cut like broken glass, and a wound on a finger from an oyster shell is often very troublesome.—*Cor. Forest and Stream.*

A Rothschild in Court.

The other day Baron von Rochschild, from Frankfort, had to appear before the Berlin Stadtgericht, together with the other millionaire, Baron von Bleichroder. They were both witnesses in the trial of Baron von Diest-Daber, who among other offenses for which he was arraigned, was also indicted on a charge of libelling Prince von Bismark by saying he was bribed to a large amount on the occasion of the establishment of the Central Boden-Credit-Anstalt. Baron von Rochschild is deaf, and Baron von Bleichroder nearly blind. But this is not the point. Baran von Rothschild, when under examination, afforded great fun to the audience by his replies. Being asked how old he was, he said, "I am fifty-six—should like to be younger." The next question was whether he had been offered any money or presents to give evidence in favor of certain persons. "For Heaven's sake, no!" was his rejoinder. In the course of his examination the Baron often looked at his watch. "I suppose," said the presiding judge, "you would like to be soon

released from this interrogation?" "Certainly," replied Cræsus. "It is 1.30; the train leaves at two for Frankfort, and my children expect me." This caused what you call a roar of laughter, but the fun culminated when the President said to the witness: "Have you given 500,000 thalers to Prince von Bismark for his participation in the institution?" the Baron answering, "How, Mr. President, am I to get half a million?" This *naïvette* simply killed the audience, and even the stern Staatsanwalt was unable to suppress a smile. You hear of nothing else but this scene in every drawing-room, at every dinner-cafe.—*London Mayfair.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JUNE 22, 1877.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, June 20.

To-day has been a good legislative day and the first opposition of the session presented itself. The committee on railroads, to whom the Portland & Ogdensburg railroad bill was referred, made a report, and instead of the old bill, which was referred, recommended a new bill based upon the recent compromise agreed upon by the P. & O. and B., C. & M. railroads. The bill got as far as the third reading when Mr. Stevens of Nashua moved the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be put upon its third reading at that time. Mr. Ordway of Warner, fearing some hidden plot, moved that the bill be laid upon the table and the usual number of printed copies be obtained for the use of the House. After some slight debate between Ordway of Warner, Stevens of Nashua, and Sinclair of Bethlehem, a division of the House being called for Mr. Ordway's motion was adopted by a vote of 139 to 97. Thus the matter stands for the present.

Among other bills passed this afternoon was one to incorporate the Rochester & Farmington R. R., and one to incorporate the Portsmouth Temperance Mutual Relief Association.

A rigid temperance act was introduced this morning, which if it becomes a law and is enforced will be rather disastrous to some of not to all rumsellers. Among its provisions is this: if a person displays a sign with the words wine, beer, rum, whiskey, brandy, etc., upon it, or if bottles are displayed in the window going to show they do or will contain spirituous liquors, these things will be sufficient evidence to prove that intoxicating liquors are sold there and the person will be liable to indictment for the sale of the same. Furthermore, if a person applies for a license to sell liquors and obtains it, he will be liable to indictment for selling liquors. Mr. Ordway of Warner introduced a bill regulating the sale of cider, whereby no person can buy a smaller quantity than ten gallons at a time. This will be rather rough on those who want only a few glasses in a year, but will have no effect on the farmers, as they usually purchase a barrel at a time. These with some others relating to the temperance movement have been referred to a select committee of ten, one from each county.

As an example of to-day's business, there were this morning four petitions introduced and referred, seventeen reports from the different committees, most of which were ordered a third reading, twenty-three bills introduced, and notices of thirty-nine others to be introduced on to-morrow or some other subsequent day. Among those introduced were two by Mr. Hanson of Portsmouth and one by Mr. Hackett. Those of Mr. Hanson's were an act to amend chapter 272 of Revised Statues; an act to amend section 6, chapter 195 of the General Statues, relating to Justice's Courts and civil proceedings therein. That of Mr. Hackett's was an act to provide for the employment of prisoners in County Jails. Mr. Sise of Portsmouth this afternoon introduced an act in relation to formation of co-operative associations.

The Speaker has appointed the following committee on Reduction of State Expenses; Viles of Alstead, Langdon of Portsmouth, Sawyer of Dover, Hayes of Alton, Banks of Nashua, Haines of Wolfeborough, Daniell of Franklin, Kimball of Charlestown, Parker of Boston, and Lane of Whitefield.

Mr. J. A. French, a photographer from Keene, has been about Concord for the past two days, taking stereoscopic views. This morning he took a view of the House while in session.

The session's supply of stationary has been apportioned and I will give the exact amount given to each, so that your readers may see how great a waste of the public money there is: three half-sheets of letter paper, three whole sheets of letter paper, three envelopes, and a lead pencil; how extravagant! Some of the members suggest that the authorities, having this matter in charge, have been so generous that they had better supply them with a jack-knife to sharpen their lead pencil. A. B.

[Communicated.]

How Long, Oh How Long!

The news now comes of another massacre by the Indians of the white settlers in Oregon and Idaho. Such casualties are continually happening all along the vast frontier of the United States. Men, women and children of the Caucasian and African races are murdered at every full moon—the time when the red savages delight to make their forays—and boys are carried off into a captivity worse than death. It is only when an unusually large massacre takes place that notice of it is thrust before the public of the thickly settled States; then only to create a sensation for a short time, after which another horrible tale is related in due course of events. But, says a mistaken philanthropy, "oh, let these poor people alone; they have been robbed of their homes and their property." The fact is, that they never had any homes or property. They were always a miserable, thievish set, never content except when killing or plundering one another. They were probably Tartars coming across from Asia by the way of Behrings straits or the Aleutian islands, and exterminating a race of people far better than themselves. Had it not been that a pestilence had thinned them off at about that time, the settlers here might never have gained a foothold. The Quaker policy may suit them, but it does not suit civilization. They have been fed and armed by this government continually, only to go forth, whenever the fancy might seize them, to rapine and plunder again. All the talk about the mistreatment of them amounts to nothing; for whenever they show themselves satisfied to remain in the settlements, they are in fact treated even better than others. It scarcely ever happens that they have been molested unless when in the wilds or on the war path. They are still a very numerous crewd, wandering over an immense region in tribes. The tribal system should be broken up by this government and these people treated like all other people. Ben. Butler (however much his enemies may have justly or unjustly blamed him) once truly said in Congress on this very question that the time had gone by in the United States, when any men or set of men should be paid for behaving themselves. VIATOR.

A Seasonable Book.

We have examined with care the new work on the Eastern Question. "The Cross and the Crescent," of which the publishers, Messrs. Hubbard Brothers, of Philadelphia, have kindly sent us the advanced sheets. This work has been very carefully prepared by the well-known historian, Dr. L. P. Brockett, whose previous works on our late Civil War, the Seven Weeks' War, the Franco-German War, etc., have had such large sales. No work yet issued, or likely to be issued on this question which is now absorbing the attention of both Europe and American, can compare with this in fulness, accuracy, and interest. We have here in condensed form, but written in most attractive style, the history, religion, and social life, not only of Russia and Turkey, but of the principalities, and the countries adjacent; the relations of the great powers of Europe to the contending nations, the causes which led to the war, the positions of the tributary States, the religious and social conditions of the provinces where the insurrection began, and the whole history, as it has never been told elsewhere, of the horrible massacres and outrages in Bulgaria, a year ago, in the words of those who were eye-witnesses. We have also a full account of the earnest efforts of the Great Powers to prevent war, and the circumstances of their failure; and then, in a masterly word picture, a bird's eye view of the whole situation, and of all parties concerned, as it was on the day of the declaration of war. Appended to this clear and deeply interesting narrative, we have biographical sketches of the leading actors in this great drama, not dry biographical dictionary notices, but portraitures which enable you to read the souls of the men, and to understand the motives of their action. The whole book is a most valuable contribution to modern history. The price is very low, for it has over 500 pages, and fifty elegant illustrations, and every man and woman, and every boy and girl in the community, ought to possess and read it. The farmer needs it to learn how those far-off lands, with their semi-savage inhabitants are able to compete successfully with him in the culture of grain, of silk, of fruits, and of cotton; the merchant, to show him how he can buy to the best advantage the products of those distant countries, and what he can best sell them of our productions; the manufacturer, to learn how to adapt his goods to the wants of these strange races; the sailor, to ascertain what are their best ports and harbors; and the children to increase their knowledge of other lands, and the people that dwell in them; and all who read the news, to enable them to comprehend the situation and understand the important events that are effecting momentous changes in nations, religions and civilization.

The War.

The Turks were defeated at the battle of Delebaba, in Asia Minor, on the 16th, losing 350 prisoners and 1000 killed and wounded. Mukhtar Pasha is in a critical position—as usual.

In attempting to move toward Danilograd Wednesday, the Turks were attacked by the united forces of the Montenegrins, and after a sanguinary struggle of five hours' duration were driven back to Spuz, abandoning their camp and baggage to the mountaineers.

News and Notes.

The Indianapolis and Allegheny base ball clubs played a game at Pittsburg, Penn., on Wednesday, resulting in a tie, the score standing 2 to 2 at the end of seventeen innings.

Eleven Molly Maguire murderers were hanged in Pennsylvania, Thursday, some of them for murders committed fifteen years ago. The market price of murder in the Molly Maguire district may now be expected to advance above ten dollars.

The dead body of Mary Ella Harrington, the East Boston girl whose disappearance created so much excitement about a year ago, was found in the Merrimack river six miles from Lowell, Wednesday night. The body was bound with ropes into the smallest possible compass, sewed into a sack, and weighted down. The body was badly decomposed, owing to its long stay in the water.

Rear-Admiral Reynolds, commanding the Asiatic Station, has sent the United States steamer Alert to search for the shipwrecked persons, sixteen men and one woman, reported on some island near Dampier Straits. It appears that the schooner Urania sailed from Kodiak, Alaska Territory, on the 29th of December, 1875, for San Francisco, and has not since been heard from. She had on board Mr. Sheeran, United States Collector at Alaska, Capt. Lee and wife and others, in all numbering sixteen men and one woman. It is probable that the shipwrecked persons are those who were on the Urania and may yet be rescued.

St. John, N. B., was almost destroyed by fire Wednesday night. The fire commenced in a boiler shop and destroyed the Victoria hotel and two other public houses, all the public buildings and newspaper offices, Academy of Music, all the best houses, north and south wharves, Dock street, Market square, Prince William street, King street, all the way down to the lower cove and part of Germain street. Several lives are reported lost.

At Vancebury, Ky., there has been a fight between a gang of horse thieves and a vigilance committee. The reports say about seventy men were engaged and four were killed, but do not say which party whipped. At Ludlow, Ky., a sheriff's posse attempted to arrest a man named Oebsner, who fortified his house and stood a seige; he finally offered to surrender, and in pursuance of an agreement left his house, when he was shot dead. His friends threaten vengeance, and the citizens have organized for defence. In Kentucky, the democrats having always had entire control of affairs, human life and property are as safe as in any northern State.

St. Stephen, N. B., had an incendiary fire Wednesday night; several houses and a church were burned; loss $19,000.

Fifteen thousand persons were rendered homeless by the St. John fire. All the grocery and provision stores in the city were burned, and aid is earnestly called for.

The Augusta *Journal* says the expenses of two-thirds of the newspapers of Maine for the last six or eight months have been larger than their receipts.

Bertha Von Hillern on Wednesday evening walked 25 1-2 miles in ten minutes and thirty-seven seconds inside of six hours, at Lawrence (Mass.) City Hall.

Five tramps were sleeping on top of an old lime kiln in Bridgeport, Penn., on the night of the 19th, when it fell in and they were buried with rubbish. Four were instantly killed, and the other, Charles Blake of Worcester, Mass., was mortally wounded.

San Francisco reports of the 20th inst. say the latest advices from Gen. Howard, commanding in Idaho, state that Capt. Theller of the 21st infantry was killed in the fight with the Nezperces Indians at White Bird canon. The total killed and wounded in the fight number twenty-seven.

Judge Hilton, who owns the business of the late A. T. Stewart, having given orders to the managers of the Grand Union Hotel at Saratoga which resulted in Mr. Seligman, the New York banker, being refused accommodations at that hotel because he is a Jew, the Hebrews all over the country have ceased trading with A. T. Stewart & Co. This, it is said, will make a difference in their trade of at least $4,000,000 a year. Serve 'em right; what business is it of Hilton's what a man's religion is, so long as he pays his bills?

Barbarians of trade who deface natural scenery with advertisements would do well to be more cautious hereafter in plying their paint brushes in this State. Gov. Robinson signed on Friday a bill which was prepared by Senator Gerard and passed by the last Legislature, making the persons who would be benefited by such an advertisement legally responsible for it unless they can prove that it has been painted without their authority. A heavy fine and imprisonment is the penalty for every infraction of the law. In case the owner of the property defaced does not make a complaint, the overseers of the poor of a county are authorized to make one, and if any fine is obtained, to use it for the benefit of the poor. "Shocks to the sensibilities" through such advertisements, as Senator Gerard well said before the Senate in advocating his bill, greatly lessen the value of property at some summer resorts.—*Tribune.*

In spite of all that England is doing for Gen. Grant's pleasure, the London *Times*, with the recollection of Mr. Walter's visit to this country fresh upon it, comes forward with a deprecatory air to wish things were better where Americans are to be entertained. It says: "The Americans are hospitable to a fault when they are visited by any well-known Englishman. Statesmen, writers, men of science, all come back delighted with the warmth of their greeting; and the reception of the Prince of Wales was a memorable event among the many occasions on which he has received a civic or a National welcome. If this country is not quite so alert in the dispensing of public hospitalities, our American friends will be good enough to remember the multitude of our distinguished visitors. Great soldiers, Ministers, Kings, Emperors, Eastern personages of somewhat mysterious but awful dignity, pay flying visits to our shores, and they must be greeted with honors befitting their National position. Personages equally worthy of homage must often escape distinction simply because they are more or less private citizens."

New Hampshire Items.

Sylvanus Holmes' steam mill at Lancaster was burned Thursday, with a lot of lumber. Loss $7000.

A wood-shed and freight car belonging to the Eastern Railroad were burned at Great Falls on Thursday, by an incendiary fire. Loss about $700.

The house of Foster Gage, at Goffstown, with a store and barn adjoining, were burned Wednesday night. Loss $5000; fully insured.

The extensive lumber mills recently erected at Sawyer's River, five miles from Upper Bartlett, were burned on Wednesday. The mills were owned by C. W. Saunders of Lawrence. All the machinery, including five portable engines, was totally destroyed.

At the Dover Trotting park, Wednesday, the race for horses in the 2:27 class, purse $800, was won by Joe Ridley; best time 2:27 1-4. The 2:31 race was won by Lottie, best time 2:28 1-2.

The dwelling of Clara E. Morrill, at Bristol, was burned Wednesday morning. Loss $800; insured $500.

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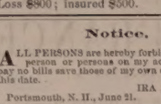

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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.50 "
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THE CIRCUS

Arrived on Thursday according to previous announcement, and did everything else according to previous announcement, too. At an early hour in the morning the five performing elephants were treated to a bath in the North Mill-pond, the sagacious but unwieldy brutes evidently enjoying the fun like a parcel of schoolboys in swimming in some prohibited spot. They splashed and bumped each other around, laid down, stood on their heads, and cut up other pranks to their hearts' content until they were ordered out of the water, an order the animated and docile hay-stacks immediately obeyed.

Quite a little excitement was occasioned at the tent in the forenoon, when a female rope-walker travelled up a wire from the ground to the tent pole. As she was on the way down, the wire was swayed violently by the puffs of wind, and she turned to go back to the tent-pole again, when she suddenly lost her footing and came down flop on top of the tent, to the great horror of many of the lookers-on. She was not hurt a bit, and some people suspected the fall was a shrewd advertising dodge.

The street procession took place between nine and ten o'clock, the Mardi Gras Carnival filling the juvenile soul with unalloyed delight, and the man in the den of hyenas attracting much attention. The street show, as had been promised, was the best ever seen here, and it was witnessed by the usual crowds, the sidewalks being lined with citizens and visitors from the surrounding towns.

The afternoon and evening shows were largely attended, and fully merited the patronage received, for (unlike some other circuses that have been here) the whole strength of the establishment was not put into the street show, leaving but a meagre entertainment for the inside. On the contrary, things were done just as advertised; the performing elephants formed the pyramid as represented in the pictures, and one of them stood on his head; Mlle. Dockrill showed the most skillful and daring feats of horsemanship ever exhibited here by a woman; Fred O'Brien turned a double somersault over the backs of five elephants, and didn't break his neck; in short, the promises of the managers were faithfully carried out, and we believe no show of the kind that has been here within our recollection ever gave so general satisfaction.

We have noticed that our exchanges have spoken in most complimentary terms of Mr. Barnum, the manager. Mr. Moore, the press agent, Mr. Durand, the advance agent, and other gentlemen connected with this show; and we are satisfied the compliments have been deserved, for a more courteous and capable set of officials we have never met with.

[Communicated.]

MISS MORGAN'S EXHIBITION.

Those who had the pleasure of attending Miss Morgan's School Exhibition the present week, could not have failed to be satisfied, from her thorough system of education, and the progress of her pupils, that the institution confers credit alike upon the accomplished lady who conducts it and the city in which it is located; as well as being fully deserving of its yearly increasing popularity as its merits become known. A girls' school, with so many fair young faces blooming with health, and eyes sparkling with animation, is ever a beautiful scene, recalling to memory Mrs. Hemans' familiar lines. Such an one as Miss Morgan's must excite an ambition in the younger of their sex to be alike accomplished with her pupils in their later studies, and carry others back to their girlhood at some similar institution, where they acquired the education that has had for them so many sources of pleasure, as well as enabled them to grace society in their maturer life.

Of Mr. Fields' lecture, it is scarcely necessary to say that it was every way worthy of our best public lecturer at the present time. If his theme was *fiction*, there was none, as Mr. George W. Haven pleasantly remarked in introducing him, in the warm-heartedness of the welcome he received, and certainly no fiction in the pleasure he imparted to all present. It is the fortune of but few to be able to hold so undividedly the attention of their audience as does Mr. Fields. Especially was it the case amid the heat of Tuesday afternoon; all listening with the same eager interest to every word that fell from his lips. Of his lecture it may be said that it was elegant, entertaining and instructive, and high-toned in principle in that it denounced all corrupt literature whether of the present or the past.

A happy and enlivening scene was presented at the reception of their friends by Miss Morgan and her pupils on Tuesday evening; the young, the fair and the gay engaging in "the mazy dance," while others looked on with not less of pleasure; all promenading and chatting amid the pauses in the dance. It was one of those delightful scenes it is ever most pleasant to recall. The guests, in parting, wished Miss Morgan and her young lady scholars every enjoyment during the season of summer vacation. B.

SOON SQUARED UP.

As the circus procession was passing through the streets Thursday forenoon, a horse belonging to Mr. John Woods took fright at the elephants, near the junction of Market and Deer streets, and running away came in collision with another horse owned by the same man, one shaft of the cart to which the first horse was attached penetrating the other's breast a long distance, inflicting a wound resulting in immediate death. The horse which ran away was injured, but not seriously.

Mr. Woods called Sheriff Kent, and an interview was had with Mr. Henry Barnum, manager of the circus, relative to compensation for the loss of the horse. Mr. Barnum announced his willingness to accept service and give security for whatever damages might be assessed against the circus by the courts, but said that at the same time he did not think the circus could be compelled to pay for the horse, as the city had licensed the circus to appear and the street procession is a part of the advertised show, so that he thought most probably the city was liable; besides, the management had taken all possible care to guard against accidents, sending a mounted man ahead over the route of the procession to warn all people with horses that those animals are always afraid of elephants. However, the management was disposed to be not only just but liberal, and would pay a fair claim for damages, waiving all claim to exoneration under the law. Messrs. Henry R. Stoddard and Robert Roberts were called in, and appraised the dead horse at $200, and the damage to the other one at $20; and Mr. Barnum handed over $220 to Mr. Woods in full of all demands.

We do not know what the law might say about the responsibility for such an accident as the one above referred to, but Mr. Barnum's view certainly seems a commonsense one; the city having granted a permit for the parade, and it having been conducted with all reasonable precaution, one would naturally consider the city liable for any accidental damage that might occur, through no fault of the parties licensed to parade. But Mr. Woods is no doubt glad to get his money without the trouble and expense of a law-suit with the circus or the city, or both, and the prompt and liberal settlement made will not injure the reputation of the big show any.

JOTTINGS.

At the seventy-fourth anniversary celebration and graduation exercises of Bradford, (Mass.) Academy, Wednesday, Miss Mary Gay Goodrich, daughter of Hon. Moses H. Goodrich, was one of the graduates and read an essay on "Deeds, not words."

A busybody correspondent of the *Times* and CHRONICLE is much exercised because more legal and formal ceremony was not exhibited in the burial of a poor marine found dead in the river the other day. But there was no mystery or cause for suspicion about the case, and we think most coroner's inquests only a useless burden and tax upon the people. The inevitable verdict would be, "Rum did it," and we do not think it at all "difficult to say where lies the most blame," for it is clearly first with the unfortunate man for drinking, second with the men who made and who sold him the liquor, and last but by no means least, with the community which tolerates and allows all these drunken practices.—*Weekly.*

Punch and Judy attracted a large crowd of juveniles on Market square, Wednesday.

Chief Engineer David B. Macomb, lately on duty at this naval station, has been ordered to the Hartford as fleet engineer of the North Atlantic station.

Seymour Wilcox Tullock, a son of Portsmouth, graduated at the Rensalaer Polytechnic Institute at Troy, N. Y., on the 12th instant. His thesis was a "Review of the new wrought-iron lattice bridge of the Delaware & Hudson Canal Company over the Hudson River at Troy, N. Y." The reading of fourteen theses by the members of the graduating class of '77 occupied two days, and on the day of the fifty-first annual Commencement of the Institution, twenty-seven received their diplomas, and the degree of Civil Engineer. Rev. Dr. Tucker delivered the baccalaureate sermon at the St. John's M. E. Church, and Prof. Alfred P. Boller, Class of '61, the annual address, at Music Hall. The Troy papers give a glowing account of the interesting occasion, including the Commencement exercises at Music Hall, "with its splendid auditorium filled with the beauty and fashion of the city, and the graduates appearing like so many heroes facing the batteries of bright eyes from behind safe redoubts of flowers, piled up in great profusion and magnificence by fair friends." The theses "evinced deep thought and indicated that a thorough research had been made by each writer on the scientific topic he had chosen to discuss." The drawings were pronounced excellent, "displaying great beauty of workmanship and accuracy of outline." The farewell meeting and class supper of the graduates at Harmony Hall was very interesting and sumptuous, "music and speeches whiled the happy hours away." Speeches were made by Mr. Tullock and other members of the class, to great acceptance. Also, the ball at the close of the exercises "was a brilliant affair, and lasted into the 'wee sma' hours.'"

Political.

The greatest man in modern American politics stood up when Samuel J. Tilden made his speech in New York the other evening.—*Milwaukee News* (dem.)

Mr. Tilden's talk at the Manhattan Club is made on the basis of last December's public opinion. The world has moved since then and the apples are much further down the stream.—*New Orleans Times* (dem.)

The investigations of republican irregularities in South Carolina are bringing to lights facts that democrats will not like to see. A clerk of the Legislature charges that the ablest democratic paper, the Charleston *News and Courier*, accepted all of the disbursements for advertising which were offered it. This journal does not deny the charge, but to show that it was not the only democratic journal accepting plunder for printing, publishes a list of thirty-one papers which received $75,000 in 1872 for printing the laws, of which eighteen were democratic, and another list of twenty-eight papers which received $48,096 in 1872-3, of which twenty-one were democratic.

—Some one said to Hugo once upon a time: "It must be very difficult to write good poetry." "No, sir," replied the poet; "it is either very easy or utterly impossible."

—John Bull continues to grumble because Jonathan's beef is sold a few pence higher than British beef. Mr. Bull, do you expect to purchase cattle raised and fattened on freedom's proud prairies, in the land of the Fourth of July, at the same price as that which you pay for the beef of an effete little monarchy?—*Boston Herald.*

A Medicine of Many Uses.

A medicine which remedies dyspepsia, liver complaint, constipation, debility, intermittent and remittent fevers, urinary and uterine troubles, depurates the blood, counteracts a tendency to rheumatism and gout, and relieves nervousness, may be truly said to have many uses. Such an article is Hostetter's Bitters, one of the most reliable alteratives of a disorderly to a well-ordered state of the system ever prepared or sold. It has been over a quarter of a century before the public, is endorsed by many eminent professors of the healing art, and its merits have received repeated recognitions in the columns of leading American and foreign journals. It is highly esteemed in every part of this country, and is extensively used in South America, Mexico, the British possessions and the West Indies. If its increase in public favor in the past is to be regarded as a reliable criterion of its gain in popularity in coming years, it has indeed a splendid future before it.

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SALTER—PHILBRICK. At Rye Beach, at the Church of St. Stephens by the Sea, June 21st, by Bishop Niles, Mr. Albert E. Salter of New York to Miss Fannie W. Philbrick, eldest daughter of the late J. C. Philbrick.

DIED.

YEATON. In Newcastle, June 1st, Mrs. Louisa A. Yeaton, aged 42 years and 10 months, wife of Mr. Rufus A. Yeaton.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch Alice, Curtis, for this port, sld from Alexandria June 15.

Sch Jesse Williamson Jr, Sawyer, from this port arr at New York June 19.

Sch Free Wind, Friebee, from South Amboy arr at Newburyport June 19.

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Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, or such variety as he may indicate, by sending $3, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the name of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Daily* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

—General Nipanditucki seems to be directing operations in Asia Minor.

—A farm laborer near Seilhac, in France, while ploughing somewhat deeper than usual, found his plough arrested by what he thought a stump. It proved to be an ox hide filled with gold pieces of the reign of Frances I., worth $60,000 for their weight alone, without reckoning their special value as rare coins.

—During the ceremony of decorating the graves of Confederate soldiers at Baltimore Capt. McIlenry Howard, President of the Society of the Army and Navy of the Confederate States, publicly announced his belief that the lost cause was a just one, and that there will be no reconciliation until the people of the North recognize the justice of that cause.

—In Yucatan a baby's clothing consists of a pair of sandals and a straw hat, and when it is fed a piece of meat or fruit is attached to a string, the other end of which is attached to the child's toe. The child after that takes care of itself. If it sucks the food into its throat and gets choked it naturally kicks, and that jerks the obstruction out again.

—There were two of them, says the Philadelphia *Bulletin*, hanging over the front gate the other night. She was standing in the yard and he on the sidewalk outside, both leaning on the top rail, and apparently as happy as two pigs in a cornfield. He was saying, "Now, my own little darling, sweet idol of my soul, whose image is ever on my heart"—when he saw the old man coming down the front walk, and continued in a different strain: "The potato bugs haven't destroyed our crops so much since we purchased Paris green, and you will find that cabbages can be raised better on a richer soil." The old gentleman heard it and turned back, saying, as he entered the house, "These young people take more interest in agricultural affairs than people generally suppose."

—A beautiful young gentleman, living near Bolton, England, won the heart of an English maid who worked in a spinning-mill. The happy day was set—May 26 by the calendar—and the bridal procession formed. At the church gate the tempter came. An acquaintance whispered to the bridegroom that he ought to fortify himself for the solemn ceremony. The bride pleaded, the bridesmaid frowned, the "best man" swore, but the bridegroom crossed the street, and drank two glasses of whiskey in a public house. The bride finding that he tarried, sought him out and summoned him to the altar. He would not budge. She appealed to her friends to drag him into the church. They seized him and carried him into the churchyard, where he broke loose from them and ran down the street with a crowd at his heels. They cut his new silk hat into shreds, rolled him in the dust, and beat him with umbrellas and baskets. The wedding was adjourned sine die.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	108½
Maine State 6s, 1889	116
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	33½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	91½
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	114½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	43½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	130
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	87½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	36½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	79

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 20 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 25c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 90c.
Ind. Asthr. per ton $4.50, Smiths', per chal $3.50.
Eggs per dozen, 18c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per b by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., ft. Cuba 48 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per b, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per b, Br. 10½ @11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
Tea per b, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Fine $4.

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to throw any offal, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any offal of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance or any other nuisance shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing adjudged to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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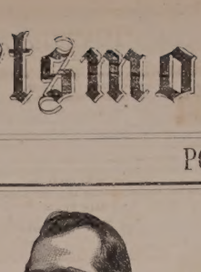

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Close by the basement door-step,
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Has made, all the sultry summer,
His quiet and cool abode;
And the way he bumps and bounces
About on the area stones,
Would break every bone in his body,
Except that he has no bones.

When a man is cringing and abject
And fawns for a selfish end,
Why they should call him a toady,
What mortal can comprehend?
Since for resolute independence,
Despising the courtier's code,
And freedom from mean ambitions,
There's nobody like a toad.

I know how strongly against him
Some popular whimsies go;
But the toad is never vicious,
Nor silly, nor stupid, nor slow.
Stupid? perhaps you never
Noticed his jewel eyes?
Slow? or his tongue's red lightning
Striking at darting flies?

Oh, but the mouth he carries!
To make its dimensions clear,
One longs to describe it briefly,
As reaching from ear to ear;
But no professor of reptiles
Is able (so far as appears
In books upon kindred subjects)
To locate batrachian ears.

No matter how stern and solemn
The markings about his eyes,
The width of his mouth preserves him
From wearing too grave a guise;
It gives him the look (no matter
How sad he may be the while,
Or deep in profound abstraction)
Of smiling a chronic smile.

His ponderous locomotion,
Though full of nerve and force,
And well enough here in the area,
Wouldn't do for a trotting course;
Too modest to run for Congress,
Too honest for Wall street strife,
His principles all until him
For aught but a virtuous life.

A hole in the ground contents him,—
So little he asks of fate;
Philosopher under a dock-leaf,
He sits like a king in state;
Should a heedless footstep march him,
In gravel absorbed and blent,
He never complains or grumbles,—
He knows it was accident.

No drudging scribe in a sanctum,
No writer of prose or rhyme,
Gets through with so much hard thinking
In the course of a summer-time;
And if sometimes he jumps at conclusions,
He does it with accurate aim,
And after mature reflection,—
Would all of us did the same!

But what will he do this winter,
In the wind and snow and hail,
With his poor, soft, unclad body
Unsheltered by wings or tail?
He cannot go South, poor fellow,
In search of a milder air,
For spring would be back triumphant
Before he was half-way there!

But what are his plans for the future,
Or where he intends to go,
Or what he is weighing and planning,
Are things we shall never know.
He winks if you ask him a question,
And keeps his own counsel well;
Like the grinder of knives in the story,
He has never a tale to tell!

The Molly Maguires.

The hanging of ten men in Pennsylvania on one day marks a final triumph of law and order over one of the most desperate and cruel organizations that ever existed in this country. The history of the Molly Maguires of Pennsylvania is a novel one to us, although its purposes and its methods were in direct descent from the Ribbon Societies in Ireland, so far as they dealt with local agrarian troubles. It was conducted on the same system, and to make the resemblance still greater, its members adopted the name by which the agrarian secret societies in the north of Ireland were at one time known. It is justly observed by Macaulay and Froude that while assassination has been always abhorrent to the English race, it is not so to the Celtic Irish, nor until recently to the Celtic Scotch. It was considered a justifiable method of obtaining revenge for wrong, or of national warfare, and the sympathy of the community was with the criminals. The history of the Ribbon Societies of Ireland is full of assassinations in revenge for eviction or tenant oppression, and even for improvements or the enforcements of agreed rent. The burning of Wildgoose Lodge with a whole family of men, women and children, still lights the horizon of Louth in unforgotten tradition, and there are many other cruel crimes raised above the level of "the wild justice of revenge" by plain murder in the long list of Irish troubles. It would be injustice to say that these crimes, horrid and cruel as they were, ranked with ordinary assassinations for plunder or personal revenge. Robbery was very seldom attempted, and more often than otherwise the murderer was absolutely unknown to his victim. Mr. W. Stewart Trench has thrillingly set forth in his "Sketches of Irish Life," how, when it was decided in the Ribbon Lodge that he was to be "put off the walk," that the assassins were sent for from another parish and put upon his track. They followed him like bloodhounds and persistently attempted to kill him, although he had never done them an injury in the world. He escaped, but other agents and landlords around him were murdered with as slight personal animosity on the part of the assassins. Assassination was a part of the system, and men called to the duty felt no compunctions of conscience at the cruel work.

The Molly Maguires of the coal regions were composed almost entirely of Irishmen, and they kept the forms and practices of the secret societies of the old country. They combined against mine owners and bosses as they had combined against landlords and agents, and from the combina-

tion came assassinations likewise, although with less excuse, if there can be any excuse for assassination, for they were not starved or evicted. Their crimes were worse, as their excuse was less, and the cruelty was as ferocious as the offence that caused it petty. In committing the murders, the society took the course common in Ireland, and had it done by persons unknown in the section where the victims lived, and returns of courtesies were arranged by which murders were exchanged. They also pursued the same course in regard to terrorism of witnesses and to subornation of perjury, and consequently for a long time made trials a farce. To finally conclude the parallel, their fate was sealed by an "informer" among their own number, and out of the ten men who expinted their crimes on the scaffold, nine were finally convicted by the testimony of their associates.

The history of the Molly Maguires has been fragmentarily told many times during the past two years, as revelations of horrors were discovered, but it may be well to briefly summarize it at its culmination in this last wholesale hanging. It began fifteen years ago in an organization to resist the drafts, and the society was then known as the "Buckshots." The first murder was that of Langdon, a mine boss, who was clubbed and trampled to death for the offence of resenting insult to the American flag on the Fourth of July. No one was punished for it, although the parties were well known, and emboldened by impunity, the organization spread over the whole of the coal region. Murder after murder was committed, and great quantities of coal and other property destroyed by incendiarism. They terrorized over the whole country, and in 1875, during what is known as the "long strike," threatened whole towns and compelled the ordering out of the militia. After the withdrawal of the troops, a series of the most cruel murders was commenced. A policeman, who had arrested a "body master" when he was drunk, was shot as he was putting out the street light in front of his own house. Two mine superintendents were killed at the mouth of a pit in the morning, and another was shot as he opened his door. Two means resulted in the final arrest and conviction of the ten murderers and accessories. One was the employment of a detective by Mr. F. B. Gowen, President of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad. This man took his life in his hand, joined the organization and lived with the assassins until he had learned their secrets and put the rope around their necks. The other means was the capture of three of the murderers of a mine boss, almost red-handed, and finding an informer among them. With these two witnesses the case was hopeless, and the cloud of members of the society, who appeared to swear to alibis, were advised by the counsel of the prisoners to go home and not be prosecuted for perjury.

The trials developed a phase of criminality heretofore unknown in this country. By the tyranny of a society, men went out and slew persons whom they had never before seen, because they had been denounced for some fancied oppression, and prided themselves on the act. A mistaken sense of labor oppression grew into a system of assassination. The Molly Maguire murders are not free from the taint of personal revenge and malice, for they were frequently instigated by the meanest motives; but their foundation was in ignorance, a degraded clannishness, a hatred of the rich and those in authority as such. Not all of those executed were criminals by nature, and two or three shed blood only from loyalty to the commands of the order. But against such organized attacks society was obliged to vindicate itself, or to permit perpetual anarchy. It is to be hoped that the stern lesson will be sufficient to repress such deeds in the future, although it is a melancholy fact that a considerable portion of their fellow workmen sympathized with the murderers, and that women will secretly teach their children to say prayers for their souls as martyrs.—*Prov. Jour.*

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JUNE 25, 1877.

News and Notes.

The round of brilliant receptions in honor of Gen. Grant continues, in England. Friday night a special performance was given at the Royal Italian Opera, London, at which Gen. Grant appeared for the first time in uniform, and was most enthusiastically received. It must be pleasant for Dana, of the New York *Sun*, to read of the honors paid the man Dana has for so many years been engaged in trying to lie out of his good name.

Patrick Golden was brutally murdered in his own house at Nicholson, near Scranton, Penn., one day last week. He was sitting with his wife in the parlor, when masked men entered with a double-barrelled gun, and fired two shots at Golden. The latter, who was eighty years old, died shortly afterwards. The murderers escaped. There seems to be no cause for the crime.

The past week revenue officers raided illicit distilleries in Putnam, Jackson, White and other mountain counties of Tennessee, broke up fourteen, got into a fight, killed an illicit distiller named Sam Johnson and badly wounded two others named Morgan, and captured twelve prisoners.

A deputation of ladies, headed by Mrs. Mary A. Livermore, waited on Mayor Prince of Boston, Friday, and presented a memorial of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union urging that no wine be on the table at the dinner to be given in honor of President Hayes. Mr. Prince told the ladies that while he respected them and their motives he considered prohibition all wrong; that he has wine on his own dinner table every day, though he has five children; and that he considered it but an act of courtesy to provide wine for the Presidential junket, which consequently he would do. Mr. Prince's avowal of his principles on this point puts him in entire accord with the liquor interests.

The striking ship laborers at Montreal, Canada, on Friday undertook to blow up a steamship with dynamite, but two of the rigg-leaders were sent to jail for six months instead. The police, armed with rifles, are doing patrol duty, and standing by for a call at any time. The strikers have made several attacks on the new workmen, but quickly disperse when they see the police coming.

The academy at Franklinville, Long Island, was nearly destroyed by a stroke of lightning on Friday, but was not burned. The walls were thrown down, the belfry shattered and the doors torn off. No lives were lost.

The office of the Grand Trunk Railway in Montreal, Canada, was robbed of $50,000 in bank bills on Friday.

Albert White and Mrs. Dora A. Cook, the former of whom boarded at Mrs. Avery's in Lowell, Mass., at the time Mary Ella Harrington came to her death there, and the latter of whom is Mrs. Avery's daughter, are under arrest and held in $10,000 bonds each. James A. Favor, uncle of the girl's paramour, is also under arrest. Mrs. Cook has confessed, but the confession is not made public.

The War.

Bismark has proposed to Austria an offensive and defensive alliance with Germany. The Turks claim to have beaten the Montenegrins at all points, and to have also won the fight at Delebaba Pass in Asia Minor.

The Russian passage of the Danube seems actually to have commenced at last, at Ibrail and Galatz. The movement commenced on Wednesday, without opposition from the Turks.

Despatches received in London on Saturday say the Russians, on landing on the Turkish bank of the Danube, opposite Ibrail, penetrated directly into the interior, gaining possession of the heights commanding Matchin after an obstinate fight with Bashi-Bazouks. The engagement lasted from daybreak until noon. The capture of Matchin is imminent. Another despatch says the Turks have abandoned Matchin, are destroying the railroads, and evacuating the Dobrudscha. At Galatz the Russians crossed in considerable force, and strongly intrenched themselves. No opposition was offered by the Turks.

The Idaho War.

A telegram was received at the army headquarters in San Francisco on Friday afternoon from Gen. Howard, dated Lewiston, Idaho, June 20th. He reports that Perry's loss in the engagements of the 17th inst. is one officer, Lieut. K. Heller of the Twenty-first Infantry, and thirty-three men. A press despatch says the Indians, when they commenced the massacre did not kill the women and children, but allowed them to be taken under the escort of friendly squaws to State Creek, which thus far is left undisturbed. At State Creek the whites have fortified themselves in a stockade fort into which have been received the wives and children of the murdered men, together with the families of the men who escaped massacre. These women are thus shut up in the midst of the hostile Indians without adequate means of defence and without aid. They will almost certainly be overpowered and murdered, as the Indians declare their determination to take the fort and murder the men. It cannot be hoped that the Indians will again spare the women and children, after the losses they must suffer in capturing the fort, as the men will fight to the last. Troops and armed citizens are hastening forward to rescue the people in the stockade.

In contradiction to the previous reports that the troops behaved badly in the fight at White Bird canon, it is asserted by citizens who were in the fight that the troops, though they allowed themselves to be decoyed into ambush, displayed throughout the action the utmost gallantry and fought like tigers. About twenty-five or thirty soldiers were killed in the same number of minutes.

The situation in northern Idaho is considered very grave, and it is believed it will tax the best resources of the Government and of all the people immediately interested, to subdue the Indians and restore peace in the country. The Indians knew the army on the Pacific coast is a skeleton, and that the people are helpless from want of arms.

Political.

A sharp controversy is going on in New York between Boss Tweed's counsel, Townsend, and Attorney-General Fairchild, Townsend charging Fairchild with having broken faith with the Boss, after using his confession to advance the political schemes of the Tammany democracy. The *Tribune* says that whatever the "confession" may be worth, it is reasonably certain the democratic Attorney-General used it not for the people's interest but for his party's.

The Sachems of Tammany have issued a call for a meeting of that pure, fraud-hating Society in Tammany Hall on the 4th of July, to have a grand concerted howl over the President's title to his office. No other body of men on earth is so well qualified to howl about fraud as the organization that furnished Tweed and Tilden to our politics, and stole the State of New York,—once for Seymour and Hoffman, and again for Tilden and reform.

It has been the general belief that ex-Governor Bullock of Georgia was a rank corruptionist while in power in the heyday of carpet-bagism. Not only the democratic press but many of the leading republican journals bitterly denounced him. When the democrats assumed power in Georgia, it was charged that Bullock was a swindler. He fled the State, but last Fall he was brought back on a warrant accusing him of cheating the commonwealth. He was promptly bailed, and through his counsel, Ben. Hill and General Gartrell, demanded a speedy trial. This has been refused him, and now an impression is gaining ground that the State has no case. During the past week his case came up before the court at Atlanta, but the Attorney-General asked for farther delay, claiming that he was not ready to proceed, owing to other engagements. Mr. Hill asked that a day be named for a trial, but the State's Attorney objected, and the court sustained him. Then Hill put in a demand in writing, and the arguments were assigned for Wednesday last, but when the court opened, the Attorney-General moved to postpone the hearing of the arguments indefinitely, which motion was granted. This is not fair treatment. Ex-Governor Bullock complains at not being accommodated with a trial, as he is anxious to have the matter disposed of.—*New Haven Union*, (dem.)

New Hampshire Items.

The Coroner's jury returned a verdict Friday exonerating Police Officer Frain of Manchester, for shooting Michael O'Brien, late of East Boston, in a desperate affray on the night of June 2d. The killing of O'Brien caused considerable excitement at the time, and an inquest was deemed necessary by the authorities.

Frank A. Groves of Concord was drowned by the upsetting of his boat while sailing on Long Pond Friday.

John Nutter of Dover was struck by an outward bound baggage car on the Boston and Maine road, Friday evening, and was thrown under the car. He had a leg and foot badly crushed and they will undoubtedly have to be amputated.

On the fourth and last day of the racing at the Dover trotting park, last week, Ned Wallace won the race for horses in the 2:24 class, in three straight heats; best time 2:26 3-4. The 2:38 race was won by Powers in three straight heats; best time 2:33 1-2.

A Primative Powder-Mill.

The mode of making gunpowder is nowadays about the same everywhere. The saltpeter, the charcoal, and the sulphur all must be ground very finely. Among the rude tribes in Asia, as in old times, the grinding is done by women and children, who pound the ingredients with wooden pestles in wooden mortars, and often finish by blowing up the entire family, house and all. In other places they pass a crank-shaft through a barrel and fix it in a frame. This barrel they partly fill with what they wish to pulverize, and also with a quantity of brass or wooden balls. By turning the crank rapidly the balls and the material are both rolled around from side to side, and finally the grinding is effected. Next they the mix three together in proper proportions, spreading it on a wooden table, turning it with wooden paddles, and rolling it with wooden rollers; then they put it back into the wooden mortar or tub and pound it again, any blow, just as likely as not, being the last they will live to give. If they and the powder survive this, they then spread it on a cloth in the sun to dry, and if it don't blow up before they can gather it together again, the husbands and fathers of these brave women and children soon have plenty of powder. I have been told of a lady, brought up in the East Indies, whose most vivid remembrance of her early life was the blowing-up of a "native" family by such means.—*St. Nicholas.*

A "Christian" Powder-Mill.

A powder-mill is not in the least like other mills. Instead of one great building, it is composed of many rough-looking little sheds,—sometimes as many as seventy or eighty. These are long distances apart, separated by dense woods and great mounds of earth, so that if one "house" is blown up, the others will escape a like fate. Of some the walls are built very strong, and the roofs very slight, in the hope that if an explosion happens, its force will be expended upward only. Other houses have enormous roofs of masonry covered with earth; the roofs of others are tanks kept always full of water. The constant danger inseparable from the work would be greatly increased were there not strict rules, always enforced. No cautious visitor can be more careful than the workmen themselves, for they know, if an explosion happens, it will be certain, instant death to them. So no lights or fires are ever allowed; no one lives nearer the mills than can be helped; some of the buildings are carpeted with skins, and the floors are kept always flooded with an inch or two of water; and in front of every door is a shallow tank of water. Before entering, every person must put on rubber shoes and walk through this water, for the nails in a boot-heel might strike a spark from a bit of sand or gravel, which might explode a single grain of gunpowder, and cause widespread disaster. So the rubber shoes worn in the mills are never worn elsewhere. Then, too, every one is expected to keep his wits about him; there is never any loud talking and laughter, and no one ever thinks of shouting. Yet, with all this extreme care, explosions sometimes occur, and then there is seldom any one left to tell how it happened.—*St. Nicholas for July.*

Deep Sea Life.

The mystery of deep sea life lies in the fact that there are multitudes of representatives of the animal world which, in virtue of their animality, are incapable of nourishing themselves upon inorganic matter, yet which are living miles below the limit at which vegetable life ceases. Some of the organisms found in deep sea soundings are undoubtedly of a vegetable nature; but these are surface-living diatoms, or other forms, which sink when they die. This animal life at the sea-bottom is capable of appropriating as food the organic matter held dissolved in the ocean water, as well as the inorganic substances necessary for the formation of its skeleton and the gases required for respiration. For life at the bottom of the sea is essentially like all other animal life; it requires food to eat, air to breathe, and minerals from which to elaborate its frame-work. Careful experiment has solved the difficulty: the surface-living nutriment descends after death; very slowly and laboriously the life-sustaining oxygen makes its way from the surface to the depths where cold and darkness reign, and as slowly the poisonous carbonic acid—the result alike of life and death—makes its way to the surface. Thus, just such life as *can* exist under the difficult conditions there present, *does* exist in enormous extent.—*Scribner for July.*

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Sheriff—"When did you come into town?"

Tramp—"This forenoon."

Sheriff—"Where from?"

Tramp—"Kennebunk, Me."

Sheriff—"I'll see what I can do for you" —at the same time calling to Police Justice Batchelder, who occupies the adjoining office, and introducing him to Mr. Lawrence. The Sheriff continued: "Judge, this fellow says he is needy and wants money to help him on his way home. He also tells me that he came to this city this forenoon. He is a fraud. I saw him yesterday afternoon on Islington street, ringing the door-bells of every house on both sides of the street for some distance, and begging; he was then partially intoxicated, and is now, and I suggest that you give him some wholesome advice!"

Judge—"Young man, I advise you to leave this city as soon as you conveniently can, otherwise I may be called upon in an official capacity to attend to your case."

Tramp—"Gentlemen, I acknowledge the corn and gratefully accept the wholesome advice! I have got into the wrong box—and I trust you'll believe me when I say that if I had seen that Sheriff's sign over the door before coming in I wouldn't have troubled you. Good day, sirs"—and he retired in good order. The last seen of him he was going over the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad bridge at a rate that would have given Bertha Von Hillern the heartache, could she have seen it.

TELL THE TRUTH.

The *Times* of Saturday copies the communication to the CHRONICLE signed "Tax Payer," urging the *Times* to "show up the Rockingham House supper, and also the buying of the Steam Fire Engine No. 4," calls the suggestions "sneaking insinuations," and says:

"Nobody will believe that he ["Tax Payer"] or the CHRONICLE ever suppressed any story, true or false, which might injure any democrat or his party."

Yes, they will believe, and the editor of the *Times* is himself personally aware, that the CHRONICLE did repeatedly suppress stories—known to be true and easily proved so by scores of witnesses—concerning officials under the late democratic city government, when the promulgation of the stories would not only have seriously injured the men but would have damaged the democratic party,—and this, too at a time when a red-hot political fight was going on for the control of the State, and in face of earnest and repeated remonstrances from leading republicans against our course in "suppressing" the stories referred to. Further, we can send to the *Times* editor one of the best known "working" democrats in the city, who was in our office at a time when we were urged by a prominent republican to ventilate a certain occurrence, he telling us,—"It's a life-and-death fight between the democrats and our side, and this thing is legitimate (and if you use it will be effective) political capital; our folks are mad that you don't use it, and the democrats won't thank you for not doing it." But we did not use it, nor do we ask democratic thanks for our conduct; we simply state a fact,—and what the *Times* knows is a fact, notwithstanding its statement quoted above.

JOTTINGS.

We are requested to say that the name of O. M. Knight was attached to the committee of the Fourth of July celebration without his knowledge or consent.

Don't forget that the combination entertainment,—"She Stoops to Conquer," and music by the Parlor Orchestra,—is offered for to-morrow evening at Miss Morgan's Seminary. If the peals of laughter issuing from the house in which it was given to an invited few last week are a reliable indication, we may expect the best thing ever. Tickets at Mr. Foster's.

The Committee of the New England Association of Gas Engineers have fixed upon Wednesday, August 15th, as the date for holding their semi-annual meeting at the Rockingham House, in this city, the business of the session commencing at noon. They will remain until the following evening to participate in a steamer excursion to some prominent point, afterward returning to partake of a banquet at the Rockingham.

Gentlemen voters desiring to sign a petitions to so amend the Constitution of New Hampshire that women may vote, can find one at the *Portsmouth Weekly* Counting Room for a day or two only. Walk up, gentlemen!

The Supreme Court for Rockingham county has appointed George A. Ramsdell of Nashua referee in what is known as the Eastern Railroad controversy. There is pending an information and bill in equity. The former was brought by the State in the nature of a quo warranto, and the latter by several stockholders of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, asking the Court to declare the lease of this branch to the Eastern Railroad Company void. The annual meeting of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire is to be holden in this city July 10th. The stockholders will vote upon the question to amend Article Three of the by-laws of the corporation, relative to the number of votes to which the stockholders are entitled, so that it may be in accordance with the existing laws of the State on that subject. The Portsmouth, Great Falls and Conway Railroad will also hold the annual meeting here on the same date.

Steamer "Appledore" is now running her regular trips between this city and the Shoals, leaving her wharf near the foot of Deer street at eleven o'clock A. M. and six o'clock P. M., and the Shoals at seven in the morning and quarter past three in the afternoon. There were about seventy-five regular boarders at the Appledore on Saturday, and the numbers arriving increase daily, a large proportion of the rooms being already engaged for the season. Tickets at reduced rates, for the trip to the island and retuen, every Wednesday, can be procured at Preston's drug store.

Mr. Frank W. Miller is daily driving to and from business in this city, a very promising colt, half brother to old Fearnaught, and closely resembling that famous horse. The little gelding is but just two years old, but is well-broken, and shod. He is in-and-in bred, being from Fearnaught's dam, by Dover, by Fearnaught.

Among those who have secured rooms at Hotel Wentworth are the following: Prof. Childs and family of Cambridge, Mass. Prof. Hedge of Harvard College, and Miss Sara Jewett, the actress, with her father and mother.

Commodore John R. Goldsborough, U. S. N., died at Philadelphia, on Friday, aged 69 years. He was appointed midshipman in 1824, was commissioned captain in 1862, and commanded the Florida and Colorado during the war. In 1864 and '65 he was stationed at this Navy Yard, as ordnance officer; afterward commanded the Sheandoah; in 1867 was commissioned commodore, and in 1868 was ordered to Philadelphia Navy Yard for ordnance duty, where he remained until his decease.

Several gentlemen availed themselves of the opportunity to enjoy a moonlight excursion on the Steamer Major to Star Island and return on Saturday evening. The Major is bright in new paint and fresh adornments, and Capt. Bird, her commander, is the same polite and attentive gentleman he proved himself to be last season.

A dog five months old, belonging to Mrs. Robert Stokell, on Vaughan street, showed signs of being mad on Saturday, but became more quiet in the evening. Mrs. Stokell was somewhat alarmed and asked the opinion of some of her friends about him, and they assured her there was no trouble. On Sunday he became violent, tearing around the house, breaking a looking glass and other articles, and giving them all a terrible fright. The police were called in and shot the dog before he caused any further trouble. On Saturday he bit the daughter of Mrs. Stokell; Dr. Folsom was called and cauterized the wound, and prescribed internal medicine. A young son of Mr. Wm. J. Lydston, who lives in the same house, barely escaped being bitten by the dog, which made a rush for him on Sunday, but the boy jumped aside and escaped.

A Notable Story of Murder and Suicide.

Rockwell, Texas, sends on the story of a complication of murder and suicide, resulting from an affray in April, 1876, when Emberry Cannon, his son William, and two nephews on a spree severely beat and cut Sheriff Alex. C. Starks, who in defending himself shot William Cannon dead. The feud grew bitter, and Starks tried to sell his farm preparatory to leaving the place. In September, 1876, a stranger who desired to purchase the property accompanied Starks there, and the dead body of the latter was found next morning in the woods. The murderer, whose name was George W. Garner, fled, but was subsequently indicted with Emberry Cannon as the instigator of the crime. Neither could be found. Garner had previously shot the sheriff of Lee county, Texas, and after his recovery the latter went on track of the assassin, found him in Arkansas and took him to Lee county, where he was convicted of the murder of Starks and sentenced to be hanged June 15th. After conviction, he confessed that Emberry Cannon hired him for $500 and a team of horses to kill Starks. The evening before the day set for the execution Mrs. Garner was permitted to enter the jail and remain with her husband. Next morning the sheriff found both dead. She had carried poison to her husband in her mouth, but there not being enough for both, the deed was completed by strangulation.

—Industrial drawing—Pulling a junk cart.

—Very swell young men omit the cane from their wardrobe. "Everybody carries one," you know.

—When a man gets on the down-hill road of misfortune about the only consolation left him seems to be to kick any other man who happens to be going down still faster.

—"If I have a stupid son," pompously announced Capt. Smith of the army, "I'll make a parson of him." "You don't intend to follow your father's example then," remarked Rev. Mr. Brown.

—A German lost his wife, and the next week married again, and his new wife asked him to take her out riding. He felt indignant that she should have no more respect than that for his deceased wife, and said: "You dink I ride out mit another woman so soon after the death of mine frau?"

—A gentleman not unknown in literary circles was present at one of the Pope's receptions. The holy father approached him and said: "You're American. Are you a Catholic or Protestant?" "Holy father," replied our friend, "I am neither a Catholic nor a Protestant; I'm a journalist." His Holiness laughed heartily and moved on to some one else.

A Medicine of Many Uses.

A medicine which remedies dyspepsia, liver complaint, constipation, debility, intermittent and remittent fevers, urinary and uterine troubles, depurates the blood, counteracts a tendency to rheumatism and gout, and relieves nervousness, may be truly said to have many uses. Such an article is Hostetter's Bitters, one of the most reliable alteratives of a disorderly to a well-ordered state of the system ever prepared or sold. It has been over a quarter of a century before the public, is endorsed by many eminent professors of the healing art, and its merits have received repeated recognitions in the columns of leading American and foreign journals. It is highly esteemed in every part of this country, and is extensively used in South America, Mexico, the British possessions and the West Indies. If its increase in public favor in the past is to be regarded as a reliable criterion of its gain in popularity in coming years, it has indeed a splendid future before it.

Diamonds and Pearls.

Eyes bright as diamonds should be supplemented by teeth white as pearls, and this latter element of beauty can be secured by using Sozodont. If brushed in night and morning, this fragrant vegetable preparation is guaranteed to preserve the soundness of the teeth, and prevent their turning yellow.

Each day, in all dwellings, Spalding's Glue is needed.

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SAILED, June 22.

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Sch H B Wilson, Dorr, New York.
Sch Wingaersheck, Donnell, Newburyport.
Sch Lizzie, Frambes, Bangor.
Sch S Rockhill, Boker, Bangor.

ARRIVED, June 23.

Sch Champion, Farris, St John, N B.

SAILED, June 23.

Sch Mary Willey, Williams, Bangor.
Sch Leolia, Amee, Bangor.
Sch Traverse, Lane, Boston.
Sch Concord, Gray, Rockland.
Sch George W Collins, Hodgkins, Bangor.

Sch Garland, Libby, for this port from Port Johnson, passed through Hell Gate June 21.

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"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $3. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. eSS&Gif

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THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SMART, Keeper, at No. 2 Mt. Vernon St.

Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

The Cry of "Dead-Heads."

In a long article on "journalism and reporters," the New York *Evening Mail* says thus: "It is the people and not the journalists who are the 'dead-heads.' In case anything more serious than stubbing the toe befalls a man, he hastens to the nearest newspaper and demands that the editor shall wield the pen and shed ink in his vindication or defense. And if the jaded editor does not with alacrity espouse the cause of his 'patron,' he will make an enemy for life. 'Members of the press' are literally hunted down by all sorts of people who have axes to grind. The managers of a public meeting who do not find the reporters at the table suffer stings of disappointment; the judge who sonorously blows his nose before reading his opinion, looks anxiously for the stenographers; the preacher who descants upon some special subject sees spirit in the representatives of the press are not there; even the burglars on the way to the State prison, covet a talk with the 'newspaper man.' Yet the outside barbarian thinks all newspaper men are dead-heads, and envies them the fine times they have in the way of free dinners and free tickets to all manner of shows. There never was a greater mistake. People do not seem to realize that, on the part of the journalist, it is merely a matter of business; that the editor or reporter goes to these places, so attractive to outsiders, much as the horse goes to the plow—because he must do so. We venture to say that four-fifths of their entertainments are to journalists intolerable bores. The press is the victim of the public's rapacious and unceasing demand for services without pay. Let us have the boot on the right leg."

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Gold	103¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	119
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109¼
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	5½
Portl. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	84
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine R.	84½
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	114½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	71
Eastern	42
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	108
Manchester & Lawrence	125
Michigan Central	42½
Northern N. H.	68½
Old Colony & Newport	19½
Portsm. Great Falls and Conway	8½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 20 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 90c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 15c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 13½
Fish per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3½
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., B. Cuba 48 @ 65c; New Orleans 50
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 30 @ 100
Pork per bll., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Br. 10½ @11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 15c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 40c. @ $75
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Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 12TH.

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 19, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls to be stored over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family or house is sick with small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or conducted into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his hand into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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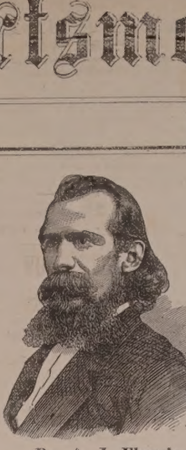

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Dick Johnson's Sign.

Dick kept the fashionable saloon in town. It was tip-top. Every glass was polished to perfection. The liquors just sparkled in the decanters. The counter was all over carving and gilding and the barkeeper was the daintiest young man in Fiddleburg. Fiddleburg had a new painter. He was an artist. A picture of Nichol's was a real gem. Most of the stores had one, in some shape or another. The livery stable man had a horse painted that people came miles to see. The butcher had a cow that you could almost hear calling her calf, so life-like did she appear. The restaurant man had a pie, and some cakes and doughnuts, so exquisitely done, that when he put them in his window, the boys just felt like grabbing at them. And the milliner had a wooden dummy in her window, with a face and neck so tinted and fixed, that the men all stopped to gaze at that lovely thing. Well, to make a long story short, Dick Johnson thought he would have a sign for his saloon. With Dick, to think was to act. Cost was nothing to him, so the his fancy was tickled. "I want a sign," said Dick: "I want a sign like these other folks. Something to show what I do; something to suggest the business, you know. Just any good thing that you can think of. You are a painter, and can tell better than I can what is right." "I'll do it," said the knight of the brush, and Dick was off without another word. The painter went to work; he got a long board four feet wide, and filled it with human figures, almost life size, and so near life in appearance, that you could almost see them stir. Beginning at one end was a good looking young man coming to take a drink. The next figure was the same, just a little drunk. Then he was down in the gutter; then in jail; then in a fight, and lastly, a poor, wretched, broken-down creature was dangling at the gallows. Alongside of him, in different stages of his life, were his mother and sisters, weeping at his fate. His poor wife begging her bread with her children at her side. Then his boy was seen in the Industrial School. Then his girl in the Magdalen. Oh, it was beautifully done. And underneath was written in fine large characters, "We make these things here." When Dick was told it was done, he ordered it put up at once, and settled the bill before he filled his pipe, went on with his cards, and thought no more of the picture. It was covered with paper till dark, intending to surprise the natives of Fiddleburg at daylight. And it did. As Dick's customers came by for their morning bitters, they saw that picture and stepped back. Not a man crossed his threshold that day. Dick had played late, and slept till noon. When he came down stairs the saloon was empty. Not a soul had been in. Barkeeper said the whole town had seen that picture, but not one had called for a drink. Dick went out to look, too. He saw the paint, and cursed that painter, you bet.—*Liverpool Herald.*

Learn to Swim.

Hanging in the shouds of a sinking ship on a wild November afternoon, the engine-room flooded from the leak, the steam-pumps not able to work, my back tortured beyond endurance with hard labor at the levers of the hand-pump, the deck swept by the bursting seas, a wild and angry sky above, the lee shore perfectly horrible in the tempest of its waves and the thunder of the surf that went rolling and charging by squadrons of billows over a half mile of low sandy bottom, I asked myself whether, if the ship broke up, I could manage the under-tow,—that merciless drag backward of the sea, the topmost wave washing the swimmer illusively toward the shore, the undermost sucking him down and out. I said to myself an emphatic "Yes!" But the experiment was spared me, and I got ashore next morning in a life-boat. Ever since that awful hour and night, I have had a sincere respect for the science and art of swimming, in which, next to God, then rested all my hope and trust. But before we talk about fighting an under-tow in a wicked sea-way, let us discuss the principles and methods of swimming. To drown in a river, with the shore only a few yards away, when any dog or monkey would reach the land, must involve a feeling of personal humiliation as well as despair. To be self-trustworthy is the first thing in moments of danger; but the art of swimming has a high value in the saving of other lives, and is, besides, a luxury and accomplishment worth the having, for the mere fun of the thing. In our civilization, swimming is an acquired accomplishment. It is understood to be a natural function with nearly all kinds of animals, hogs and humanity being the leading exceptions. The inability to swim is in all cases a defect of education. —*Sanford B. Hunt, St. Nicholas for July.*

Behind the Times.

A South Carolina resident came down from the mountains one day, lately, and asked of the first man he met—

"What's the news from the war?"

"Oh, it's booming right along," said the stranger.

"Richmond keeps holdn' her own, then?" quizzed the mountain man.

"Richmond!" exclaimed the stranger; "there isn't any war in Richmond—it's on the Danube and around Batoum and Erzeroum, and pointing on toward Constantinople."

"Oh, yaas," observed the mountain man,

hesitatingly, "it's drifted 'round to them 'ere places, has it?"

And as he passed on around a cliff, the amazed stranger heard that mountaineer muttering to himself—

"I hain't read the papers much, lately, that so, and I reckon I'm gittin' a little behind on the news."—*Chicago Evening Journal.*

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JUNE 26, 1877.

New York Letter.

NEW YORK, June 22.

The action of Ex-Judge Hilton, manager of the Stewart estate, in excluding Mr. Seligman and family from the Grand Union Hotel at Saratoga, is causing great excitement here. Although an Israelite, Mr. Seligman is one of the most liberal, cultivated and prominent gentleman in New York, and this indiscreet order of Judge Hilton's to the Sup't of the hotel to exclude all Jews this season, will open up a broad question, which will turn into a National one. Already the straws are visible which indicate one of the directions the breeze will take; for nearly all the prominent Jewish merchants in New York and elsewhere, have withdrawn their patronage from the house of A. T. Stewart & Co.

The Plymouth church Sunday-school had a boat excursion a few days ago, and while Mr. Beecher, the pastor, was comfortably seated at the bow of the boat enjoying the sail and scenery, the Sunday-school were dancing in the cabin, and on the deck. Verily the world (and churches) moves.

Reform, like charity, should begin at home. Those who cry loudest for reform want everybody but themselves to repent, reform and prepare for the New Jerusalem. This leads me to say that the latest publication in New York is a monthly entitled the "Eclectic and Peacemaker," or it has been called the "New Jerusalem Omnibus;" are invited to take a ride to the promised land—fare, usual price—five cents.

Most of the temples of (fashion) worship are closed for the summer. The season will begin again in the Fall.

Some of the members of the Independent Liberal Society, over which O. B. Frothingham presides, have become dissatisfied with his extreme liberal views, and have gone over to Rev. W. R. Alger's Society. These conservative souls should know that if they were before in the frying pan they are now in the fire.

Gen. B. F. Butler lectured at the Academy of Music Wednesday evening, his theme being "The Irish Soldier in American history." The Hall was crowded, and as the proceeds went to St. Cecelia parish, priests and politicians were alike made happy.

To the attractions at the Aquarium there have just been added four living white whales. Light comedies are being played at Daly's and Wallack's theatres; at Gilmore's Garden a concert is given every evening, but on Sunday evenings the music is supposed to be of a more sacred and devotional character; if a selection from the "Rollicking Dutchman" should appear upon the programme during the week—on Sunday it would appear as "The German's Prayer."

In looking over I see that my items are nearly all of a *religious nature.* I do get spells that way sometimes—but I hope you will excuse me.

Business is *status quo*,—well, in fact, not enough to speak of. E. E. B.

[Written for the Chronicle.]

The Way the Laws are Administered in New York.

If there is a place on earth where the laws are worse administered than in the city of New York, it would excite no surprise if it shared the fate of Sodom and Gomorrah. While punishment never fails to be meted out to slight offenders, great criminals very, very often escape unwhipt of justice. By way of illustration as to the way the laws are put in force, we will suppose that a burglar robs a bank of a million of dollars. On his arrest it is arranged that if he can procure bail for two hundred thousand dollars, he will have his liberty until wanted for trial. One of his friends comes forward and says he will be his bondsman in that amount, and when asked how he came in possession of so large a sum, his reply is that it was given him by the individual who robbed the bank; yet, notwithstanding such a caricature as it is of justice, he is taken as bail. Incredible as it would once have seemed, precisely the same thing was done in the case of Tweed, who, after stealing sundry millions from the treasury of the city of New York, was allowed to go at large until he chose to run away, by his son becoming his bail in the sum of one million of dollars, which he acknowledged in court had been given him by his father. It will be rather a curious fact, a century hence, in the past history of New York, that after the years the laws have been trifled with since Tweed and his brother plunderers were exposed, they were allowed to go scot free—as seems to be the plan in the case of Sweeney—at the rate of $400,000 restored for $6,000,000 stolen. As in some of the States a law exists against the compounding of felony, it may be asked if such an one is to be found among the Revised Statutes of New York, and should that be the case, if those who make such an arrangement with the thieves are not liable to punishment for its violation.

Another phase of the manner in which crime is not only shielded but fostered in New York, is given in the following facts, which are as well known as that there is such a pleasure ground as the Central Park. As long as the wealth and fashion of New York centred around the Battery, when Union square was far up-town, and what is now the Central Park was out-of-town, a woman calling herself *Restell*, (a name she borrowed from one of the same infamous calling in Paris) established herself in Greenwich street as an abortionist, from which place she was turned out-of-doors at an hour's notice by an indignant lady, when she became aware to what a disgrace to her sex she had let her respectable premises. Removing to a location not far off, and thriving in her horrid trade, she was in a few years in a condition to purchase of a new owner the dwelling she first occupied. The death of one of her victims caused her arrest and conviction, but instead of being sent to the gallows as she should have been, she was merely sent to the Penitentiary for one year, and during that time there was not force enough in the government of the city to compel the keeper of the Penitentiary to oblige her to eat and work with and dress like the other criminals; officials were sent there to see that her sentence was enforced, but it was the merest farce, as long as she had money wherewith to bribe those who shielded her from punishment. At a subsequent time, after the death of another of her victims and her escape from its consequences, her house was surrounded by a mob, who, had she been a man instead of one of the other sex, would very likely have hanged the creature to the nearest lamp-post; but escaping through the yard of her dwelling, she managed to secrete herself until the excitement was over. Twenty years went by, and then, with the wealth she had accumulated, she was able to erect a palace on Fifth avenue, that in splendor, with its costly adornments of art, surpassed anything of the kind ever before seen in that famed locality; and there, unmolested, she has been permitted to pursue her infamous vocation, until it may be said that could the skeletons of her victims be gathered in a heap, they would form a spectacle not less appalling than Tamerlane's pyramid of human skulls! Astounding as it may seem, forty thousand dollars would be a moderate estimate of the revenue a New York daily, having contained her advertisements during her entire career, has derived from such a source; escaping, too, the penalty for thus violating the laws. Such are the beauties of an elective judiciary, and of a constituency such as puts that judiciary in power.

J. H. B.

The War.

Further particulars of the crossing of the Danube at Ibrail and Galatz have been received. It had been ascertained by Russian spies that the Turkish forces at Matchin were in no condition to oppose a crossing if made in force, and that only straggling bands of Bashi-Bazouks were to be met among the lowlands along the river. Accordingly, before dawn, a few barge loads of Cossacks were sent across from Galatz to Ghlacet. The crossing was assisted by small steamers. In this manner a sufficient number of horsemen were soon across and mounted. They remained close to the river, having their sentres out to give notice of an approach of the enemy. The guns in the forts at Galatz fully covered the cavalry. Meanwhile the same movement had been made at Ibraij. All being ready at both points the telegraph was put in requisition from Ibrail, and a simultaneous movement took place, the Cossacks advancing with great rapidity into the Dobrudscha. In less than two hours the two lines of horsemen had formed a juncture, the distance between Galatz and Ibrail measured on the inside of the bend of the river being only eighteen miles, thus forming a cordon of Cossacks between the river's bank and the enemy. Under cover of the Cossacks cordon, the pontoons were towed into position and the bridges at the two points were soon laid.

Eight thousand men and two batteries of artillery then passed over as rapidly as possible, each battalion forming directly it had reached the dry ground. The enemy in the shape of scattered irregular cavalry had shown themselves at various points; and when the main body of troops had formed, and the batteries had been placed, the Cossacks were ordered forward, to drive back the videttes. An advance was then made toward Matchin, the object being to attack at once before the place could be reinforced.

After a hand-to-hand fight the outlying fortifications were captured and the guns turned on the fleeing Turks. The second assault followed as soon as the men could be formed, and with the aid of the newly-acquired field pieces the heights were carried by storm. These struggles, in which the fighting was in many instances hand to hand, continued until late in the afternoon. Driven from their entrenched position, the Turks fell back on Matchin. On Saturday morning the battle was renewed; but after a few shells had been thrown into the entrenchments and the town the Turks evacuated the former. The Russians advanced and occupied the town only to find that it had been abandoned by the main body of the Turkish troops during the darkness.

Marblehead Burned.

Marblehead, Mass., was almost destroyed by fire on Monday, fifteen acres of buildings, including all the shoe factories in the town but five, being burned. The fire broke out in the rear of the Marblehead Hotel, and soon spread to the General Grover engine house, which was situated directly over the main water supply, the Brick Pond reservoir; this forced the firemen to wait until the engine house and hotel were burned before they could get water, and during that time the fire spread rapidly. Engines from Lynn and Salem arrived, and after burning three hours and destroying two-thirds of the business part of the town, the fire was got under control. Police from Lynn and Salem were sworn in as specials, and a militia company ordered out, to prevent plundering by thieves. One life was lost.

News and Notes.

Let our cities look upon the desolation in St. John; let them remember how a similar though smaller conflagration crippled Portland, and then let them act as common sense and precaution dictate, regarding the toleration of fireworks upon the Fourth. The warning is a startling one, and to neglect it would be worse than folly. We certainly cannot complain that the teaching of experience is lacking, for this year at least it is timely and terrible.—*Boston Post.*

On Sunday, in Boston, Mrs. Jeannette Locke, whose husband recently procured a divorce from her, inflicted a slight pistol shot wound upon John Lavey, a witness against her on the trial; and Michael Maguinness, a North End rough, was arrested for assaulting another rough with a cleaver.

The Mollie Maguires are reviving their infamous business in the coal districts of Pennsylvania. Several persons who gave evidence against the recently executed murderers have been assassinated, others have had their doors "coffined" (a warning that they are singled out for murder), and several men have disappeared.

John Weldon and his sister and daughter were murdered on their farm in Logan county, Ohio, on Sunday.

A sailboat containing five persons was capsized off Fort Independence, Boston harbor, Sunday afternoon, and a man and two boys were drowned.

The President having accepted the invitation of the Massachusetts authorities to visit Boston, the following programme for the week has been arranged: Leaving Washington on Monday, the 25th, the President will arrive in Boston on the morning of Tuesday, the 26th instant. He will be escorted to the State house by a portion of the militia, and will there be formally welcomed by the Governor. On Wednesday he will attend the commencement exercises at Harvard, and on Thursday he will attend the military anniversaries at Providence.

Secretary McCrary has written a letter to Governor Emery of Utah in reply to the Governor's requisition for additional troops, informing him that while he does not share in the apprehension of a Mormon rebellion, yet in order to calm existing excitement and ensure the Gentiles protection, he will send the additional reinforcements asked for. Both Generals Sherman and Sheridan are of the opinion that there is no necessity for sending troops to Utah; yet they agree with the Secretary that it will be best to send them as a precautionary movement. Information has been laid before the Grand Jury of Utah implicating church officials high in authority, and it is the opinion of the Governor that in case these people are indicted, serious trouble will result. The Governor is anxious to have a sufficient force on hand to protect the Court and to enforce its decrees, as he is determined, so far as lies in his power, that all those implicated in the Mountain Meadow massacre, or other outrages, shall be brought to justice.

New Hampshire Items.

James Savage, of Manchester, stabbed his wife in the abdomen with a jack-knife on Sunday, and struck his daughter on the head.

Gilman Noyes, a worthy citizen of Columbia, committed suicide on Saturday night by cutting his throat.

Political.

It will be remembered that on the day of President Hayes' inauguration, Donn Piatt's *Capital* newspaper at Washington, in a blazing editorial leader, counselled the assassination of the new President. Lo and behold! a wonderful change has come over the spirit of the dream of Donn Piatt. He has held out as long as possible, and at last comes down gracefully with a confession that he is a convert to the Hayes Southern policy. And in so doing, he proclaims that he has no sympathy with "the white-chokered, swallow-tailed old frauds of the Manhattan club," meaning by this somewhat forcible expression that he goes back on Tilden, Hendricks & Co. Now, Donn Piatt's last estate is infinitely improved over his first estate; but as to the reflection upon the President and his policy, we prefer to keep silence.

"The South is solid," we are told; and yet here comes an account of a formal meeting of the democratic editors of Mississippi, who took pains to resolve in the most solemn manner that they deprecate and will discourage all independent party movements and oppose all candidates of such movements. If it is "all solid," what's the necessity of such resolves?

Soon after the 4th of July, the President will make a trip to Richmond and Petersburg, where he has already accepted an invitation, and may extend it to West Virginia. After that he will remain in Washington a few days, and then go to Vermont to visit his relatives, and participate in the ceremonies of regard for the memory of one of them, who perished in the Ashtabula accident.

The apologists for Southern outrages point to the disorders and crime in the North, and especially to the offences of the Molly Maguires in Pennsylvania. How northern society deals with crime has been shown in the executions of Thursday. This most formidable and extensive organization for murder has been broken up by the trial, and conviction, and execution of the offenders. The whole machinery of the law, supported by a sound public opinion, was brought against them. In Mississippi and in the more civilized community of South Carolina, the law is silent, and public opinion sustains the crimes. And when the arm of the federal government is stretched out for the protection of the innocent and the punishment of the guilty, it is paralyzed by the refusal of juries to do their duty. The Chief Justice is said to have expressed the opinion that no white man can be convicted of an offence against a negro in South Carolina.

—A London despatch says the Emperor and Empress of Brazil are there, but the furore about Gen. Grant causes but little attention to be paid to the former.

—Scene—A baker's shop. Lady customer: "What! bread gone up again? And pray, Mr. Doey, why is that?" Mr. Doey: "Well, mum, you see, it's in consequence of the war in the Yeast. Everything is going up. Why, the papers say that even the Caucasses is rising!" (Lady customer pays her bill without another word.)

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A thousand dollars a vote is probably a very low estimate—and this does not include the compensation of Mr. Caleb Moulton, the gentleman who, after taking part in the various republican conventions, (and later tarrying a night at the Rockingham House, Mr. Jones' splendid hotel,) accepted the prohibition nomination for Congress and secured ninety-eight votes—not a great number, certainly, but enough to insure the election of Mr. Jones.

The size of our grief on discovering that we mode use of such language as the foregoing may be imagined though it cannot be described; but our inexpressible anguish, when on looking over the GAZETTE of April 5th we discovered several other paragraphs relating to Mr. Moulton, in one of which we found the following, cannot be imagined by anybody that we know of:

He atttended the republican Congressional convention and voted for the candidate who received the nomination; and then,—after a visit to Portsmouth and a night spent at Hon. Frank Jones' hotel,—he came out as a prohibition candidate in opposition to the man he had helped nominate! Whether they are right or wrong in their belief, the republicans *do* believe Caleb Moulton was "induced" to run by Hon. Frank Jones; for Moulton's candidacy was entirely in Jones' interest, and he did not nominate himself until after his visit to this city. * * Moulton has written a letter to the Manchester *Mirror*, denouncing as false any statements that he was bought or hired to run for Congress by Mr. Jones. Nobody imagines that any receipt was passed between the parties, whatever other "documents" may have been handed over.

Having duly considered the foregoing utterances of ours, made before we fully understood Mr. Moulton's character, we now feel inspired with a holy zeal to do the fair thing by that gentleman. First, we have read his long and labored letter; and considering the estimation in which we hold the writer, we think that is penance enough to justify us in a hope that we shall be able to slip through purgatory without getting our hair singed. But having determined to do what is right in the premises, we will go still further, and reprint the principal points of Mr. Moulton's letter. Extract first:

Not satisfied with this plain denial, next, a harmless little note written by me to an old friend, enclosing a few Prohibition tickets, was hunted up and published as a grand disclosure.

Mr. Moulton in the preceding statement conveys the impression that he wrote *but* one "harmless little note" asking the recipients to put the enclosed tickets where they would do the most good, and this may be correct; but a number of similar letters were sent to others by somebody. Extract second:

I did not vote for Gen. Marston, and I have never said that I did, or called any witness to prove any such thing; and no one to this day has ever asked me how I voted.

There is a gentleman whose reputation stands as high as Caleb Moulton's did before the election, and who was a delegate to the Republican Congressional Convention, who we are informed has asserted that Mr. Moulton told him in the convention that he voted for Gen. Marston, and requested him to remember it in case his [Moulton's] vote should be called in question; this story was some time since published, and is probably what is referred to in Mr. Moulton's denial; but this is a question of veracity we shall not attempt to decide. Mr. Moulton further says that he was sick for several weeks after the Congressional convention, and adds:

During that time the Prohibition State Convention was held, at which I was nominated for a candidate for Representative in the First District. The nomination was unsought by me, and I had no intimation that my name was to be used, nor that I had been nominated until nearly three weeks after the convention when a member of the prohibition committee came to notify me.

The general impression has been that Mr. Moulton was not nominated by any delegate convention whatever, but that imitating the glorious example of Cronin of Oregon, the noblest rum 'un of them all, he organized a convention of one and unanimously nominated himself, and it is gratifying to learn that he and "a member of the prohibition committee" found out more about the doings of the prohibitory State convention than the convention itself or any of the newspaper reporters attending it did. We have looked over all the reports of that convention that we can find, and do not find that Caleb Moulton of Hampstead (or anybody else) was nominated for Congress in this district by the prohibitionists; and a delegate to the convention gives us the following account of its proceedings: After the other business before the convention was disposed of, on motion a committee from each Congressional district was appointed for the purpose of bringing before the convention the names of candidates to be supported for Congress, each committee consisting of three delegates from the district. The committee for the first district consisted of a Mr. Sanborn of Epping, and Messrs. A. F. Craig and Joseph R. Curtis of this city; in commitee, Mr. Craig advocated the nomination of Moulton, but Messrs. Sanborn and Curtis preferred, if any Congressional nomination at all was made, to have Gen. Marston nominated, and the committee rose without deciding on a candidate, Mr. Sanborn not re-entering the convention. After Messrs. Craig and Curtis returned, the former announced to the president of the convention that the committee of the first district offered the name of Caleb Moulton, when Mr. Curtis replied that the committee did nothing of the kind, as they were two to one against him. A spicy debate followed; the president of the convention finally ruled that as such it could not nominate candidates for Congress, and the convention adjourned without nominating anybody,—unless Mr. Craig's rejected motion to nominate him was a regular nomination. Mr. Moulton further says:

It is also charged that, "after a visit to Portsmouth" I "came out a candidate." I went to Portsmouth but once, a week before the election, and more than a month after my nomination, and I am glad to have an opportunity to make my business there known. I received a tetogram from A. F. Craig, Esq., one of the prohibition committee, to meet him at Newmarket Junction to help arrange some political meetings during the week. I went there immediately, and not finding Mr. Craig, went on to Portsmouth in the last train and booked my name at the Franklin House, where I usually stop when in that city. I soon found Mr. Craig, and we stayed in his office until a late hour arranging for the meetings of the several speakers and for our tickets for this county, doing what we could that evening, when I went to my room and to bed at about 12 o'clock, being quite unwell. The next morning I went to Mr. Craig's office very early and found him already at work. We made some further arrangements, when I took the posters for the meetings and the tickets for our section, which had been printed while I was there, and left for home.

Mr. Moulton has evidently made a slight mistake here. He did not "book at the Franklin House" a week before the election, or if he did his name does not appear on the register of that hotel anywhere in March; but it does appear at the Rockingham House ("Mr. Jones' splendid hotel") under date of March 5th, on which occasion he was assigned to room No. 25. And under date of April 5th (after the election) both Mr. Moulton and Mr. Craig are registered at the Rockingham, though neither is assigned a room. It seems a little odd that Mr. Moulton should so confound the Franklin House, ("where he usually stops when in this city,") whose glory as a hotel long ago departed, and the palatial and widely-known Rockingham House, as not to be able to tell which one he stopped at; but probably his pen slipped, or some rascally compositor made "Franklin" of what he wrote for "Rockingham."

In the foregoing extracts and remarks we consider that we have given Mr. Moulton a fair show, and have certainly apologized all we are able to for anything we may have said about him; and we hope he will be satisfied when he reads what we have written, if he ever does read it.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, June 25th.

James Sullivan, accused of brawl and tumult, was adjudged guilty and sentenced to pay a fine of $2, costs taxed at $5.76.

JOTTINGS.

The evening service at the Middle street Baptist church is discontinued until September.

Whatever influence has developed the dramatic talent in Portsmouth we are profoundly grateful for its results. We heard a lady of great experience and rare cultivation pronounce Portsmouth the "Weimar of America," after listening with delight to the last play presented by the Eclectic Club, and it seems to us that Goethe could not have been surrounded in his little theatre for which he wrote and played with a greater array of talent that Portsmouth posseses,—and they do say that "She Stoops to Conquer" is to be the best thing yet, even better than "The God-natured Man." The musical troupe offer on the same occasion some exquisite music. The music begins at eight o'clock, this evening, at Miss Morgan's Seminary. Tickets at Mr. Foster's. †

The little steamer built by Mr. Pillsbury of Kittery Point for navigating the Merrimack river, was towed to the wharf of Trent's stone yard by steamer Clara Batemen, Monday forenoon, to receive her machinery.

The July dividend on the Concord and Portsmouth Railroad shares to stockholders in this vicinity, will be paid on Thursday next, 28th inst., at the office of William H. Hackett.

On Sunday afternoon two sailors from the U. S. S. Enterprise procured a boat from Mr. Albert Goodwin; while sailing in the lower harbor the jib halliards broke, and one of the sailors climbed the mast to reeve them, when a heavy gust of wind capsized the boat, throwing both men into the water. Another boat which happened to be near at the time picked them and the boat up, and carried them into Newcastle, with no material damage to the sailors or boat.

The temperance lecture on Sunday evening by Col. J. Horace Kent was an eloquent production, full of practical truths and logical deductions that the most specious and ardent defender of light and moderate drinking could not satisfactorily answer. The unusually large audience was the best compliment that could have been paid the speaker, to say nothing of the present of a beautiful cone-shaped bouquet that was placed on the table just before Mr. Kent commenced his remarks. We hope that the address referred to will be delivered elsewhere, as it has the true ring to it, because it was prepared by one who has "been there" and speaks from the abundance of the heart. These are the men who are the most effective in the great reform work, from the simple fact that their experience with alcohol consists of no finely spun theory but a frightful reality from which Col. Kent and such as he have happily escaped.

—A beneficial strike—Striking a job.

A Medicine of Many Uses.

A medicine which remedies dyspepsia, liver complaint, constipation, debility, intermittent and remittent fevers, urinary and uterine troubles, depurates the blood, counteracts a tendency to rheumatism and gout, and relieves nervousness, may be truly said to have many uses. Such an article is Hostetter's Bitters, one of the most reliable alteratives of a disorderly to a well-ordered state of the system ever prepared or sold. It has been over a quarter of a century before the public, is endorsed by many eminent professors of the healing art, and its merits have received repeated recognitions in the columns of leading American and foreign journals. It is highly esteemed in every part of this country, and is extensively used in South America, Mexico, the British possessions and the West Indies. If its increase in public favor in the past is to be regarded as a reliable criterion of its gain in popularity in coming years, it has indeed a splendid future before it.

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Eyes bright as diamonds should be supplemented by teeth white as pearls, and this latter element of beauty can be secured by using Sozodont. If brushed in night and morning, this fragrant vegetable preparation is guaranteed to preserve the soundness of the teeth, and prevent their turning yellow.

Each day, in all dwellings, Spalding's Glue is needed.

T. E. MOSELEY & CO., 469 Washington street, Boston, offer their large stock of shoes and gaiters for ladies, misses and children, at very moderate prices.

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PIERCE—CARLTON. In this city, June 23, by Rev. James Noyes, Mr. George Pierce and Miss Rose Ann Carlton.

DIED.

JARVIS. In this city, June 22, Hope Jarvis, twin daughter of the late Mr. Robert C. Jarvis, aged 6 months; June 23, Faith Jarvis, twin daughter of the late Mr. Robert C. Jarvis, aged 6 months.

☞ Funeral this (Tuesday) afternoon at 5 o'clock, from No. 60 Islington Street.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, June 25.

Brig Catharine, Boutin, Lingan, C B.
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A BLACK MORGAN MARE, about 15 hands high, weighs about 1050 lbs., sound, kind and gentle, has no tricks. Also one CARRYALL, HARNESS and WHIP. The whole will be sold at a bargain if taken together.

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Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or other of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees ref, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

A Smart Pig.

A Kentucky pig has suddenly developed a genius for gymnastics and engineering which eclipses the proudest former achievements of his race. This eminent pig was recently placed by his owner in a pasture surrounded by a high wall and ornamented by elm trees festooned with wild grapevines. The walls, however, could not confine his bold and ragrant spirit. Selecting a tree standing near the western wall of the pasture, he carefully bit loose the lower end of a stout grape-vine, which was attached by its tendrills to a limb on a tree, and taking this improvised rope in his mouth, swung himself in the air until he had gathered an impetus which sent him entirely over the wall and landed him in the next field. Though often recaptured, he has constantly repeated this extraordinary feat, and his intelligent owner, instead of cutting down his elm trees to restrain his pig's wandering propensity, has decided to educate him for the trapeze business.

—At Belchertown, Mass., recently, an Amherst couple, named respectively Fry and Boll, were married under rather exciting circumstances. The girl's father didn't want her to marry the man, and so the latter took her to the place where her sister was employed till the wedding could be arranged. The sister, however, was also opposed to the match, because the same fellow had previously made love to her, and so she locked the bride-expectant into her room. After's a night's incarceration she jumped from the window and joined her lover at the hotel. The clerk of the house drove off furiously for a clergyman, and the Methodist pastor was just beginning the ceremony when the sister appeared at the window to forbid the banns. The certificate was all right, however, and the minister concluded to go on, but in his excitement he read most of the baptismal service, beginning, "Whereas all men are born in sin," and repeated the names of the couple half-a-dozen times. The clerk held the door so that the sister couldn't come in. On Sunday the girl's father came to the church door and called the minister from his Sunday-school class to demand of him why he married his daughter, at the same time admitting her legal age. Meanwhile the groom has lost his place at Amherst, and left for parts unknown.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	119¾
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109¾
Maine State 6s, 1889	115
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	102½
Eastern R. R. scrip	23½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	102½
Boston & Maine	91½
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	114½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	108
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	42½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	33½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	8½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 20 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.50, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 15c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 4 @ 5c; Pollock 3½
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., ft. Cuba 43 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, imp'd $5; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 10½ @ 11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 12c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
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SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

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SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to offer for sale any of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owner or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person with his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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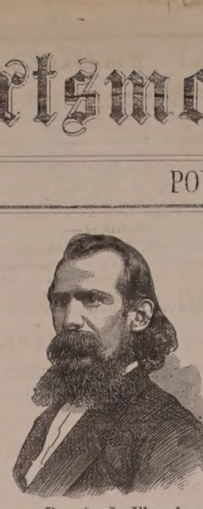

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Conversation A La Mode.

First Lady—Did you go to the Wagner festivals?

Second Lady—Yes, my dear, and I quite really must confess I liked them. There is something so quite awfully too amusingly jolly about them to be missed.

First gentleman—Been to the Grosvenor?

Second Gentleman—Yes. Isn't it quite awfully proper. Some of the pictures are so quite too terribly awfully good, and the restaurant business is a splendidly awfully fine idea of Sir Coutts'. It's the quite too charmingly jolliest place of the day for a lounge.

First Lady—Yes; the whole idea is so quite too *comme ill faut.*

Third Gentleman—Quite too awfully—weally—ah! What a awfully—weally—quite too doosibly how wid wude thing that is they're playing at the Cwitewion now, isn't it?

First Lady—Quite too awfully naughty. I've seen it three times. It's quite too delightfully wicked. I sh'n't allow my husband to see it.

Second Lady—Oh, I thought it quite shockingly awfully smart. So quite too really absurd.

Third Gentleman—Do you see that quite nearly all the fwuiteres stick up in their windows now, "Aspawagus is cheap today," evewy day? It's wealy awfully quite too nonsensically silly, because it can't always be cheap—he! he!

First Lady—It makes it really quite too common; asparagus will soon be as vulgar as broad beans, and then wo sh'n't be able to include it in the *menu.* It's quite too shameful to make it so quite too vulgarly commonly cheap.

Second Lady—My dear, it's quite so too quite awfully terribly fearfully quite too so quite shockingly awful to so quite too much as contemplate.—*London Fun.*

How a Chicago Girl Fixed Him.

"Will you do something to oblige me?" shyly asked a beautiful young woman of a timid gentleman whose acquaintance she had just made at a small social gathering on West Adams street the other evening.

"Anything that I can in honor, miss," he replied, blushing,

"Well," said she, "come into the back parlor, where it is dark, and sit on the sofa with me, and let me rest my head on your shoulder, and you pretend to whisper in my ear—only don't blow, because that tickles and I can't laugh, for this new dress is very tight—and when anybody looks you can draw your arm away—I forgot to say I wanted you to put it round my waist—and I'll pretend to blush."

"But, my gracious, honored miss," stammered the young man, after hastily dividing four into 1877 and finding that it wasn't leap year; "my goodness, before all these people—and I am already engaged—and your father must weigh—"

"Hush, I know what I'm up to," replied the artless girl. "I'm engaged, too, to that young man talking to the waxen-faced thing with somebody's hair over there. I want to stir him up—to bring him down to business—make him come up to his milk, that's all."

The young man said that a load had been lifted from his bosom, and aided her to the best of his ability, so well, indeed, that in three-quarters of an hour the true betrothed got his girl into the library, demanded an explanation of her shameless conduct, was softened by her tears, called himself a brute, asked if she could ever forgive him, and promised to behave better in future. And how did the young girl reward the young man who had helped her to this happiness? Why, she never said a word to him all the evening, in fact never mentioned him except to say to her reconciled lover, "Alonzo, *could* you have been so stupid as to think I could see anything to admire in such a mutton-headed clam as that?" "O, woman, in our hours of ease," etc.—*Chicago paper.*

What Made the Court Laugh.

The Court in the Ellenton, S. C., trial was convulsed with laughter by the quaint talk of a singular type of African, named Frederick Jones. He was about sixty or seventy years of age, not more than five feet high, short-legged and straight-bodied. He lived on "de hard-scrabble road," near Rouse's bridge, and on this Sunday was going to meeting, for there were to be three funerals preached. On his way he saw a cluster of men riding up and down the road and carrying guns. He got scared, and when they happened to come close to him he ran, but they hemmed him in, and he was captured and taken to Mr. Dickson Owens. Then he told his story, about as follows: "Mr. Owens said, 'Frederick!' I said, 'Sah?' He said, 'What for you run?' I said "'Cause I'm scared.' He said, 'Frederick!' I said 'Sah?' He says, 'Don' you know me?' I said, 'Yes, sah, I do now, but I was so scared I didn't know nuffin'.' Den he said, 'How you voted?' I said I generally voted straight along way. He said, 'You must come to our compliion.' [Moderate laughter.] He said, 'You mus' all come to our compinion or we will make you.' Den he said hadn't I seen Colonel Butler and his men? I said, 'I dunno, sah; I seed three or four hundred thousand men.'" At this unexpected and sweeping exaggeration, uttered in the comical piping tones of the witness, even the court broke down. Chief-Justice Waite

and Judge Bond made no effort to conceal their feelings, and the jury, witnesses, counsel, defendants and spectators, all joined in one general guffaw. The witness, seeing that something had happened, but hardly comprehending what it was, felt called on to make an explanation, and as soon as there was a lull he went on: "Well, de men was about three acres long and four tier deep." This did not give relief to the aching sides of the dignified men who were doing their best to suppress their laughter, and a fresh outburst was the result. As soon as quiet was restored the witness tried it again, but made it worse: "Well, you see dey looked bigger to me 'cause I was standin' in a big old field, 'bout 500-acre field, and dey looked like a million."—*Charleston (S. C.) Letter to N. Y. Times.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 27, 1877.

The Last "Civil Service Reform" Order.

The following is President Hayes' circular order to office-holders, issued June 22d:

Sir: I desire to call your attention to the following paragraph in a letter addressed by me to the Secretary of the Treasury on the conduct to be observed by the officers of the General Government in relation to elections: "No officer should be required or permitted to take part in the management of political organizations, caucuses, conventions or election campaigns. Their right to vote and to express their views on public questions, either orally or through the press, is not denied, provided it does not interfere with the discharge of their official duties. No assessment for political purposes on officers or subordinates should be allowed." This rule is applicable to every department of the civil service. "It should be understood by every officer of the General Government that he is expected to conform his conduct to its requirements. R. B. HAYES.

This order, it is said, as interpreted by members of the Cabinet, is intended to absolutely prohibit Federal office holders and their employes from holding any connection with what is known as the "machine of politics," and to prohibit office holders from any connection whatever with any of the various ward, township, county, State or national organizations for conducting political campaigns. Those who now hold any of these positions will be removed if they continue to hold them after time enough has elapsed for the general circulation of the President's order.

It seems to us that the civil service reform hobby is being run into the ground. That the President can enforce his order by removing from office any men who violate it, and filling their places with more plastic material, we believe; that this order is flatly opposed to the spirit of our republican institutions we also believe. The President has a right—and it is his duty—to remove from office any man who neglects the duties of his position, for politics or anything else; but when he demands that a man on accepting office shall give up all or any part of his rights as a citizen, he meddles with what is emphatically none of his business. He has a right to demand that an official shall faithfully perform all the duties of his office, but there his rightful control over the office-holder ends, and it is as much a piece of impertinence for him to dictate how the official shall act politically outside of his office, as it would be to direct him what church to attend or what kind of shirt collar he should wear.

Civil Service Reform started out on the platform that office should not be a reward for political service, but it has now got so far beyond that that political service is considered a disqualification for office—as shown in the appointment to office by the present Administration, in more than one instance, of active working democrats, to the exclusion of eligible candidates whose misfortune it was to be active republicans; and now the office-holder who as a private citizen was active and earnest in attending to his political duties, and who since his appointment to office has continued the same course, is notified that he must give up part of his rights as a citizen, though he will still graciously be allowed to speak and write his sentiments, under certain judicious restrictions, and to vote. Next he will be prohibited from voting, unless he votes with the opposite party.

Charleston "Chivalry."

After Chief Justice Waite, of the United States Supreme Court, returned from South Carolina, where he had been to preside at the trials of the Ellenton conspirators, the northern papers showed up how sincere the chivalry of Charleston, S. C., have been in the cry of "conciliation" they have kept up for years, by exposing the fact that the Chief Justice and his accomplished lady were socially ostracised in that hotbed of conciliation and fraternal love, not a solitary lady or gentleman of prominence in Charleston society having called upon them during their stay in that city, this marked discourtesy being all the more noticeable from its contrast with the manner in which Mr. and Mrs. Waite were received in North Carolina. The Charleston papers, evidently surprised and chagrined that the matter should have attracted so much unfavorable comment at the North, hastened to explain that the studied avoidance of Mr. and Mrs. Waite (whom they acknowledged to be the social equals of the best) was not owing to the fact that the Chief Justice is an official of the United States, but to the fact that he presided at the trial of the Ellenton murderers, and was accompanied by Judge Bond, who has been active in endeavoring to bring the Ellenton and Hamburg murderers to justice and thereby incurred the displeasure of the chivalry. Now we have the following letter from Judge Waite to Ex-Gov. Aiken of South Carolina, which is going the rounds:

My Dear Governor: I have to-day seen for the first time an article which, as I understand, has gone the rounds of the press, to the effect that I was not satisfied with the especial attentions which I received while I was in Charleston. Most certainly I hope my friends will not believe me guilty of any such foolish complaints. I have never said a word from which any such inference could be drawn. No such thought was in my heart. It has annoyed me exceedingly, and my daughter is as much annoyed as I am with this newspaper paragraph. M. R. WAITE.

It will be observed that Mr. Waite does dot deny the entire truth of the stories referred to; he merely says that neither he nor his daughter had any idea of whimpering over the matter,—that's all. The New York *Tribune* makes the following brief comment on the affair, which seems to cover the whole ground: "The exact truth seems to have been reached at last in the matter of Chief Justice Waite and the people of Charleston. It will confirm the popular notion that the manners of the 'chivalry' are as poor as they were in the days of slavery, and that to be 'a Southern gentleman' does not necessarily imply either intelligence or good breeding."

Beecher on the Hilton-Seligman Affair.

Rev. Henry Ward Beecher, in his last Sunday's sermon, said;

"There was a terrific row raised in Ephesus by a merchant because a Jew had appeared there. When an attempt was made by friends to defend him they were forbidden. How far has the world grown since that time? During the past few days we have seen a similar attempt to ostracize a man because he was a Jew, and for the space, not of two hours, but two days—an age in New York—there has been something of the same kind of an uproar. I have had a long acquaintance with the gentleman who has been brought into such unpleasant connection with this affair, Mr. Seligman. I bear testimony that during all this time his behavior has not only been what we might expect from a Christian gentleman, but often even such as to put the behavior of most Christian gentlemen to shame. I have met Mr. Seligman in repeated seasons at the Twin Mountain House, and in general assistance for benevolent undertakings, in the successful organizing and helping of prayer-meetings, or in whatever volunteer service might be needed, he has been one of my deacons. Beyond the restrictions necessarily imposed by his own religion, I suppose no man could show himself more tolerantly courteous."

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 23.

It is by everybody conceded—even by iron-clad Bourbons—that Townsend's letter places the "Reform" Attorney-General of New York in a most unenviable position where, unless able to disprove the allegations of Tweed's lawyer, he must inevitably be ground to impalpable powder between the upper and nether millstones of public opinion. There has long been an opinion among the politicians encountered here that the New York officials were only intent on suppressing Tweed's testimony because of possible danger to themselves and friends should it be made public. Fairchild appears to have retained the so-called "confession" just as long as suited his own purposes and then returned it to the heart-broken old thief languishing in Ludlow, with the statement that his continued confinement is deemed of more advantage to the plundered city and State than the arrest and conviction of scores of others equally criminal, which it is claimed could be readily accomplished upon the testimony of the old Boss.

The late "reform" candidate for the Presidency setting up as a plea the statute of limitations in the suit against him for $150,000 tax withheld through alleged perjury, and all the sombre possibilities of Tweed's revelations in the background lead to reflections not at all calculated to lessen the gloom at present surrounding many of the Tammany and other democratic statesmen of the country.

Very little sympathy was excited here in behalf of the "Mollies" yesterday executed in Pennsylvania. Outraged law has at last been vindicated and it is felt that the world would lose nothing if every brute who could be identified as one of the cowardly gang known as "Molly Maguires" was to be sent to his own place by the same road taken by the elven despatched yesterday.

The fusilade between the Methodist parson, Newman, and the Jesuit pastor, White, and Secretary Sherman's last letter are about the only matters of general interest just now. KNOX.

The War.

The Turkish losses in the recent fighting in Montenegro it is said will reach fully 10,000 men killed. The Montenegrins lost heavily, but nothing like the Turks. A correspondent at Pera reports that Suleiman Pasha is retreating toward the Albanian frontier, having to fight every step. The Montenegrins line the hills on his flanks and hover in the front and rear, firing perpetually, charging wherever opportunity offers and availing themselves of every rock and accident of ground to impede his progress. They are ever on the watch and lose no chance of killing a Turk or cutting off an isolated detachment. The Turkish garrison of Spuz made an attempt to render Suleiman's retreat somewhat easier by a sortie, but the effect was hardly perceptible. The Montenegrins are well supplied with mountain artillery. It is admitted that this march of Suleiman Pasha is the most disastrous to the Turks of any event recorded in the history of their wars with Montenegro.

There has been some heavy fighting in Armenia, lasting for several days, Mukhtar Pasha claims a "decisive" victory, and other sources report a repulse of the Russians.

News and Notes.

The U. S. revenue cutter Gallatin sailed from Boston for St. John, N. B., on Monday, with a full cargo of clothing, provisions, etc., contributed by the citizens of Boston for the sufferers by the great fire.

Capt. William W. Low, of the United States Navy, died at Frankfort Arsenal, Saturday evening, aged 55 years. He will be buried at New Haven, Conn.

John Douglass and wife of Porter, Me., were driving down a steep hill in that town, Sunday evening, when part of the harness gave way, the horse became frightened, and ran. Mr. Douglass was thrown out and instantly killed, and Mrs. Douglass fatally injured.

Fannie Brown, arrested in St. Louis on the charge of abducting Mary Masterson, aged ten years, pleaded guilty at Philadelphia, Monday, and was sentenced to five years' imprisonment.

A heavy gale and rainstorm passed over Missouri, Illinois, Wisconsin, Michigan, Ohio and Iowa on Monday; houses were unroofed and blown over, trees torn up, railroad trains blown from the track and towns flooded, but no lives are reported lost.

Tug boat Herbert exploded her boiler at Taunton, Mass., on Tuesday, killing the engineer and one deck hand. The deck hand was blown thirty rods, over a barn and into a field.

President Hayes arrived in Boston on Tuesday, and was received with the honors due his station.

The losses by the St. John fire foot up $30,000,000; insurance $5,527,000, much of which will be unavailable, owing to the ruin of the infurance companies.

Robert Dale Owen died on Monday, at his home in Indiana, aged 76 years.

Lieut. Catsby Jones, formerly of the United States Navy, but who left the service and commanded the Confederate ram Merrimac at the fight in Hampton Roads, was lately killed in a street encounter in Selma, Ala.

New Hampshire Items.

Hon. Wm. E. Chandler is sick, and his physician has forbidden his engaging in any business this summer.

The Legislature has asked Congress to repeal the Bankrupt act.

James Holman of Fitzwilliam fell from his granite loaded wagon, Friday, and was run over. His injuries are thought to be fatal.

Major A. P. Blake, one of the oldest hotel keepers in New Hampshire, landlord of the Squamscott House at Exeter, died suddenly Sunday morning, presumably of heart disease. He was widely known.

The storms of winter make great changes in the condition of New Hampshire's magnificent line of beaches, where so many thousands annually seek recreation and rest. For a number of years the beach close to the Granite House at Hampton, on the northerly side of Boat's Head, has been covered with rocks which made it unpleasant riding or bathing. Fortunately the storms of last winter drove all the rocks above high water mark or carried them out into deep water. This is a cause of congratulation to Miss May Batchelder, the young lady whose enterprise and tact as hostess has made the Granite House so popular with summer visitors, and the work performed by the winds of winter is worth hundreds of dollars to Miss May.—*Post.*

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Political.

The New York *Tribune* is anxious to know who will watch Cox and Sayler and Randall and Morrison and Walker, at White Sulphur Springs, while they are defeating the scheme of Hayes to make a republican Speaker. There'll be no trouble about that. Neither of those gentlemen will be able to look through a keyhole without seeing one of the others dodge.—*Cincinnati Enquirer,* (Dem.)

Mr. Kline, editor of the Amsterdam (N. Y.) *Democrat,* has been given a post-office. Mr. Kline's claim to the position was that he published an independent paper, turning it into a democratic paper, we believe, during the late campaign. It is said that the republicans of the locality opposed him for the position. Civil Service Reform is a peculiar institution.—*Rochester Dem. Chron.* (Rep.)

ST. JOHN'S SUFFERERS.

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH,
MAYOR'S OFFICE, June 26, 1877.

AN APPEAL FOR AID for the sufferers by the late fire at St. John is being nobly responded to by our sister cities. It is hoped that the people of this city who have themselves suffered in years past the same way, will show their sympathy in a substantial manner. I, therefore, call a meeting of the citizens of Portsmouth, at the Common Council Room, on

Wednesday Evening, June 27,

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DRESS REFORM FOR THE HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS.

Some days ago we clipped the following paragraph from the *Times*:

It seems to be the general hope that the approaching annual graduation at the High School will not be made a dress affair. A departure from former customs is desired and certainly desirable.

Perhaps the following edict in regard to graduation dresses, issued by the principal of a young ladies' seminary in Tennessee, will meet with the approval of our neighbor: "The young ladies are to dress in white, and the material is to be muslin, tarlatan, or its equivalent. No trimmings permitted, except when made of the same material as the dress. Lace, silk and satin expressly forbidden. No satin nor silk sashes, and no train of over ten inches in length. No sleeves shorter than the elbow. No low-neck, or low, square-neck dresses. No lace except for sleeves and neck."

Then there is the graduating class of young ladies at the Lewiston, Me., High School, who some time ago voted to appear in American prints on graduation day, and have been advertised and commended therefor by two-thirds of the papers in the Union,—we presume our contempory across the street considers those young ladies about the right kind to have around. Whether he does or not, he is on record as thinking a departure from former customs in the matter of dressing for graduation day desirable in this city,—and he will find many to agree with him, among them many parents who, should their daughters at some time graduate, would not be able to afford them costly dresses to wear on that one occasion, and who yet would not wish their children to appear before a large assemblage of ladies and gentlemen dressed in so markedly inferior a manner as to attract general attention, like a jackdaw among a flock of peacocks.

There is plenty to be said on both sides of the question. The advocates of unlimited piling-on of adornments urge that the desire to appear attractive is a natural and proper one with woman, and that as graduation day is the one public occasion in the life of the average girl graduate in which she is likely to appear as a central figure, she should be made as attractive as fine clothes can make her, regardless of expense. The other side urge that to show the extent to which the minds of the pupils have been cultivated should be the object of "Exhibition Day,"—instead of which it is often little more than a display of choice dry goods,—and that the natural desire of a young girl to appear as well as her fellows may (and often does) result in mortification and pain as she sees herself outshone in dress by a companion whose father is richer than her own. The following is a case in point, which occurred in this city within a few years past:

A young girl of the graduating class, one of the best scholars in the school, was very anxious to take part in the exercises of the day; but her mother, a poor widow, industrious and thoroughly respectable, was absolutely unable to go to the expense of fitting out her daughter in such style that the poverty of her dress would not attract notice as she appeared among her richly-dressed class-mates. Between her anxious desire to graduate with her class, and her consciousness that if she did so she would have to attend in a dress which by its glaring contrast with others would serve to call the attention of the spectators to her mother's poverty rather than to her own mental attainments, the poor girl fretted so much that she was taken seriously ill; and though through the kindness of a few friends, who knew the girl's ability as a scholar and sympathized with her perplexity, she was finally enabled to appear in a dress which did not cause her public mortification, she would have no doubt displayed quite as good scholarship and enjoyed the occasion much better in a calico dress, had custom rendered it possible for her to have appeared in such an one.

The public schools are not for the poor any more than for the rich; they are for all,—and the daughters of the wealthy have the same legal right to attend in silks that they or others have to appear in calicoes; a change in public opinion is the only thing which can effect what is certainly a much-needed change in this matter of dressing on graduation day, for the school authorities have no power to regulate dress, though they can prohibit any public exercises at the end of the school year,—and it is a question whether it would not be better even so, rather than have the competitive extravagance of past years repeated indefinitely, increasing as it does with each repetition.

SMASH-UP.

On Tuesday forenoon, as Mrs. H. C. Denney was driving along Market street, near J. Brooks & Co's corn and flour store, in a carryall, the horse took fright at a boy who was passing with a cloth-covered framework on his head, and ran away. Mr. Brooks' carriage, which was standing in front of his store, was collided with and it and the horse attached capsized, the runaway horse keeping on as far as Green street, up which he turned, but one of the forward wheels of the carryall struck against the corner of Wendell block, the shock throwing the horse down and Mrs. Denney clear out of the vehicle, she fortunately going far enough to clear the hoofs of the horse, which was secured before he could again get under way. Mrs. Denney, though somewhat lame at first from a bruised hip, and rudely jarred, announced herself as but little hurt; the carryall (a very fine one) was badly injured, one wheel being shattered, both shafts and the cross-bar broken, one axle twisted and other damage done. It was a fortunate escape for the lady, those who saw the accident wondering how she got off with her life, or at least without broken bones.

BAND OF HOPE.

The juvenile temperance society known as the Band of Hope meets every Saturday afternoon in Mechanics' Hall at three o'clock. We invite parents to encourage the children to come to this service; there is *nothing sectarian* about the work. Our motto in this, as in every good work, is, "Prevention is better than cure." The society has been organized about two years, and at the present time has a membership of about five hundred; but we desire to have *all* the children and young people interested in this noble work—and may we not expect the hearty co-operation of the fathers and mothers? A prize is offered to the member who shall bring in the most new members during the month of July. We invite friends to come to our Service, and hear the beautiful singing, and the speaking by members of the Society. SUPER.

JOTTINGS.

The Eastern Railroad is having one or two passenger cars fitted with revolving cane chairs, forty-two chairs to a car. These cars are to be run on the White Mountain trains via North Conway, Crawford's and Fabyan's.

The splendid schooner Henry M. Clark arrived at Doane's wharf on Tuesday from her first fishing trip, with four hundred and thirty-five barrels of mackerel.

If we were a horse we should like to be owned by Mr. Joshua Brooks, as his horses have plenty of fun, even when standing still. Some weeks ago the horse attached to J. Brooks & Co's store wagon, while backed up to the North Mill to get a load of meal, was struck by a runaway team and turned exactly upside down, so that he laid on his back and looked up at the sky with his feet; and on Tuesday Mr. Brooks' carriage horse, while hitched in front of his place of business, was run down and capsized by another runaway team, though he was not rolled quite so far over as his stable-mate was on the former occasion. No particular harm was done either horse, though their astonishment must have been very considerable.

The *Times* makes a "local" of President Hayes' circular to government officials, (notifying them that "no officer should be allowed to take part in the management of political organizations, caucuses, conventions or election campaigns," and that "no assessments for political purposes on officers or subordinates should be allowed,") by heading it "Elbridge to the Rear." This is a fling at the gentleman who has for some years conducted the affairs of the Post-office here to universal satisfaction; but we don't imagine he will go very far to the rear on account of the order, nor break his heart over it, either, for if it should result in relieving him of some of the political hard work he has been accustomed to do it will also keep considerable money in his pocket,—and that we do not suppose will hurt his feelings any, though no one can justly accuse him of ever being tardy or niggardly in his contributions to campaign funds, or in assisting to make up any deficiencies which might occur. Men are not apt to be indignant at having their work reduced and their compensation increased.

A bill was last week introduced in the Legislature, providing for a Board of Instruction to consist of twelve members and take the place of our present School Committee, and to be elected by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen in the month of July. This bill provides for a classed Board, four members to be elected for one year, four for two years and four for three years, one-third to be elected every subsequent year. The authors of this bill claim that better men can be obtained to manage the schools by this manner of election than are usually elected by the people.

The prize speaking for the Clarke and Lockwood prizes, at Dartmouth college, came off Monday evening in the college church. There were twenty contestants, and the speaking was unusually good. Mr. George William Bartlett, of the senior class in the scientific department, took the fourth prize. Mr. Bartlett also took prizes in his sophomore and junior years.

Chief Engineer John W. Moore, U. S. N., formerly of this city, was elected Dictator of a branch lodge of Knights of Honor instituted in Washington a few days ago, composed entirely of naval officers stationed at that navy yard. After the institution Mr. Moore gave a banquet to the members at his residence.

The July coupons on Portsmouth city bonds, of the dates of Jan. 1. 1873, and Jan. 1, 1877, will be paid at the Hide and Leather Bank, Boston.

A bushel of new potatoes raised on the City Farm were brought to market by Superintendent Shannon on Tuesday, and sold to Mr. Henry M. Clark for two dollars.

Schooner Clara E. Simpson, Capt. Talpey, which arrived at this port on Tuesday, reports that between seven and eight o'clock Monday evening, when off Thacher's Island, was struck by a squall which split the foresail and did other trifling damage.

A child of Mr. Frank Moran, about four years old, fell from a window Tuesday afternoon to the sidewalk below, a distance of ten feet, and was badly injured; but Dr. Hall, who attended the case, reported no bones broken and that the child will probably recover.

Seven big three-masted schooners were alongside the Concord Railroad wharf on Tuesday, discharging or waiting a chance to discharge coal.

Some persons in a boat near "the landing" at Kittery, Tuesday afternoon, were amusing themselves with rifle practice at one of the can buoys in the river, the bullets ricochetting in lively style across the track taken by boats to and from the Navy Yard, to the disgust of those who had to cross the line of the firing. No one supposes the marksmen intended to hit anybody, but it is suggested that an accidentally hit man feels just as uncomfortable with a bullet in his "innards" as a man who is shot on purpose.

At a meeting of the Heavy Artillery, on Tuesday evening, Shirley B. Cunningham was elected First Lieutenant. William A. Payson was unanimously elected Second Lieutenant, but declined the position, and Andrew P. Preston was then chosen, also by a unanimous vote.

See call for meeting at Common Council Rooms this evening, to adopt measures for assisting in relief of suffering occasioned by the fire at St. John, N. B.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

At the third semi-annual meeting of Sagamore Lodge, No. 258, Knights of Honor, on Monday evening, the following were elected officers for the ensuing term:

Past Dictator, Clarence B. Mason.
Dictator, R. Hamilton Perkins.
Vice Dictator, Edwin A. Leslie.
Assistant Dictator, Stephen W. Clarke.
Reporter, George A. Perkins.
Financial Reporter, Shirley B. Cunningham.
Treasurer, Plumer D. Norton.
Chaplain, William C. Newton.
Guide, Charles H. Marston.
Guardian, Alfred M. Lang.
Sentinel, George A. Mudge.
Auditing Committee, Charles A. Shannon, Charles A. Hazlett, Charles H. Marston.

The officers will be installed on Monday evening, July 9th. The financial condition of the Lodge was reported excellent. Elbridge G. Peirce, Jr, has been appointed District Deputy Grand Dictator for this Lodge.

—Now the pensive William Goat, surrebutting every boaster, calmly cools his burning throat with a chew of circus poster.

MARRIED.

MARTIN—TRIPP. In this city, June 25, by Elder E. Oven, Mr. Joseph L. Martin and Mrs. Sarah L. Tripp.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, June 26.

Sch Frank Leaming, Cullen, Lingan, C B.
Sch Norman, Hodgdon, Philadelphia.
Sch Henry M Clark, Cahoon, Fishing.
Sch Clara E Simpson, Talpey, Philadelphia.
Sch Elizabeth, Snow, Hoboken.

SAILED, June 26.

Sch Allegro, Sanborn, Machias.
Sch Helen J Holway, Thompson, Philadelphia.
Sch E L Hammond, Card, Newburyport.

Sch Elizabeth, Snow, for this port from New York passed through Hell Gate June 25.
Sch Golden Gate, Amee, for this port cld from Boston June 25.

D. J. LYNCH,
Successor to
Lafayette Laighton,
Has re-opened the OLD STAND
44 MARKET ST., 44
Where he will continue to keep—as has been kept in former years—a choice stock of
TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS, SPICES,
And everything pertaining to a FIRST-CLASS GROCERY STORE.
ALSO A CHOICE STOCK OF
ALES, PORTERS, WINES and LIQUORS.
☞ *All Goods Sold Cheap for Cash.* ☜

Newcastle Bridge.

THE Annual Meeting of the Proprietors of Newcastle Bridge will be held at the office of the Treasurer, No. 16 Pleasant street, on Monday, July 2, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the choice of Directors and to transact any other business that may come before them. W. L. DWIGHT, *Pro. Clerk.*

PICNIC and YACHTING PARTIES
fitted out at short notice, with the very best articles usually used on such occasions.
Potted Ham, Tongue and Chicken,
Potted Yarmouth Bloaters,
Anchovy Paste,
Lunch Ham, Lunch Tongue,
Boned Chicken,
Boned Turkey,
Condensed Milk, Malltoptonique,
London Stout,
Lager Beer,
Champagnes, English Ale,
Boneless Ham, boiled ready for table,
Chowder Crackers,
Soda, Milk and Water Biscuit, Pilot Biscuit
BUTLER & LAIGHTON.
No. 1 MARKET SQUARE.

For Sale.

A BLACK MORGAN MARE, about 15 hands high, weighs about 1050 lbs., sound, kind and gentle, has no tricks. Also one CARRYALL, HARNESS and WHIP. The whole will be sold at a bargain if taken together.
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AND STILL THEY COME!
ANOTHER
Large and Elegant Assortment
OF THOSE
SPLENDID ROOM PAPERS
Borders,
Decorations,
Window Shades,
Curtain Fixtures,
Cords, Tassels,
Hooks, Brackets,
ETC., ETC., ETC.
Selling Very Cheap
—AT—
GEO. H. TRIPP'S,
CORNER DANIEL AND PENHALLOW STS.
☞ Remember these are all NEW GOODS as the old were all sold at auction.

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—OF AN—
ELEGANT STOCK
—OF—
LADIES' LINEN SUITS
—AT—
L. BLUMAUER'S.
Ladies in want of cool, convenient and most stylish Garments during the hot season will do well to examine our Splendid Assortment of LINEN SUITS, which in variety of Style, Quality and Cheapness will surpass anything of the kind ever brought to this city.
LADIES! Do not fail to favor us with an early call as we are prepared to offer you
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21 MARKET STREET,
6y5 PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS,
—A FEW MORE OF THOSE—
CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS,
Cut Low in the Neck, at
William P. Walker's,
173 No. 8 Market Square.

☞ *Great Slaughter of Room Papers and Window Shades at*
GEO. H. TRIPP'S,
Corner Daniel & Penhallow Streets.

H. B. BUZZELL & SON
Have received for the
SPRING TRADE,
14,000 ROLLS OF
ROOM PAPERS.
comprising 300 of the most desirable Patterns, selected from four of the largest manufactories in the United States, which we offer to the public at the following
EXTREMELY LOW PRICES.

BROWNS	from	6 to 10	cents	per roll.
BUFFS	"	10 to 12	"	"
WHITE	"	11 to 15	"	"
FLATS	"	16 to 18	"	"
SATINS,	"	16 to 22	"	"
GOLD	"	30 to 100	"	"

BORDERS of all grades from 1 to 12 cents per yard.
Our Papers are all made on No. 1 stock. None on No. 3.
We also have a large stock of WINDOW SHADES at prices ranging from 50 cents to $2.00 each.
CURTAIN FIXTURES, CORD, TASSELS, TASSEL CLAMPS, &c. at low prices.
Remember the best patterns go first. Call early, examine and select, while our stock is full.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK
—OF—
SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.
—AT—
W. P. WALKER'S
NO. 8 MARKET SQUARE.
Having received a full assortment of
FOREIGN & DOMESTIC
CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, ETC.,
is prepared to make them up into garments of the newest style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and
Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.
HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR
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☞ Particular attention paid to the making of
ARMY & NAVY REGULATION UNIFORMS.
ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS
Constantly on hand, consisting of
Bosoms, Gloves, Suspenders, Collars, Linen Goods, Drawers, Handkerchiefs, Shirts,
Of Every Description.

J. E. HAM & CO.
27 MARKET STREET.
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We have the largest stock of dress cloths in this city, including some fine cloths in colors. Also
SPRING AND SUMMER
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From which we are prepared to make
Garments of the Finest Manufacture,
AT REASONABLE RATES!
We trust, by personal supervision of all favors intrusted to our care, to merit a continuance of the public patronage.
☞ *Garments made in style, or according to the fancy of the purchaser!*
We have a very large assortment. and one of the best Stocks of
PANTALOON GOODS
in the city, which we are making to measure at from $5.00 to $11.00; French, English and Domestic Goods.

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS!
WHITE SHIRTS:
We have a small lot of HATHAWAY'S SHIRTS, which we are closing out at cost.
WAITE & DODGE'S WHITE SHIRTS, laundried or unlaundried, Wamsutta Cotton, made in the best style.
MERRIAN'S New Style SANS PAREIL SHIRT, made of nice Cotton.
COLORED SHIRTS.
A nice assortment of new COLORED SHIRTS.
NIGHT SHIRTS.
Gentlemen's NIGHT SHIRTS, in the latest style, with Collars and Pockets.
Spring Neck-Wear!
NOBBY STYLES!
CUTTING!! CUTTING!!
CUTTING at short notice and in the best Style.
☞ In order to reduce our Large Stock, we shall continue to sell Goods by the yard at cost for a short time!
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Cheaper than has been done for Eighteen Years!
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BOYS' KNIVES, GENTLEMEN'S KNIVES,
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POCKET SCISSORS,
Joseph Rodgers' Celebrated Hollow Ground RAZORS.
JOSEPH H. FOSTER,
No. 1 CONGRESS BLOCK, CONGRESS STREET.

LANGDON PARK

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SMART, Keeper, at No. 2 Mt. Vernon St. Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $3, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sum as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor, *Ex. Off.*

The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

He Lost Every Time.

The unhappy Kentuckian who bet on every race during the week, and lost every time, illustrates the freaks of fortune in this respect. He had just $50 left, and in sheer desperation cried out in the crowd that assembled at the hotel after the races: "I'll bet $50 I can name two men with twenty-three fingers." When the bet was taken this child of Fate continued: "Anybody'll do. Here, my friend, I'll take you. I have thirteen fingers and you have ten—that makes twenty-three. I knew there was one bet I could not lose." The stranger gazed at him with a pitying expression, and then said, compassionately: "Well, I'm sorry for you. You have struck a hard streak of luck. I had three of my fingers shot off at Chickamauga."

—The New Bedford ball nine is called the Metacomet. When a member gets a regulation ball between the eyes he thinks he has met five million comets, besides other fireworks.

—In a late style of marriage announcements only the names of the bride and clergyman appear. As civilization advances, the groom becomes of less and less importance on such occasions.

—Mr. Lonoir, of North Carolina—a descendant of an ancient Hugenot family—owns a successfully managed estate in London county of 2500 acres. During the war Burnside's command found its way to the Lonoir estate, and the General remarked to old Mr. Lonoir that he admired the property, and had been thinking of proposing to trade for it. The old gentleman said he might swap it for Rhode Island if the General would give boot enough.

—A little anecdote illustrative of Miss Adelaide Neilson, that is to say, of the lady who has made the most money of any star in the country during the past season: When she was playing at Buffalo she proposed to her agent, Ned De Nyse, and her principal support, Eben Plympton, to take a trip to Niagara, and she added: "We will each bear a third of the expense." The expense was $23. They each, therefore, paid $7.66, De Nyse, I believe, paying the two odd cents. Miss Neilson at this time was making $500 a night, Plympton $100 a week and De Nyse $75.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	109¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	120¾
United States Five-Forties coupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	116¼
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	53½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	114½
Nashua & Lowell	120
Concord	78
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	108
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	63½
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	36½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 20 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 90c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.50, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 18c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 5 @ 6c; Pollock 3½
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 45 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 9 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 10¼ @11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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BLACKSMITHS' SUPPLIES.

I RESPECTFULLY invite the attention of Blacksmiths, Wheelwrights and others interested, to the fact that I keep on hand and for sale, a general assortment of Hubs, Rims, Spokes, Wheels, Shafts, Seats, Seat Sticks, Sleigh Dashers, Sleigh Runners, Hard Lumber, Norway Iron, Tire Iron, Sleigh Steel, Spring Steel, Springs, Axles, Washers, Rivets, Bolts, Nuts, etc., etc.

G. J. GREENLEAF,

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MILLINERY

NOTICE.

We most respectfully inform our customers that we have concluded to dispense with our usual Spring Opening this year, but shall display a full line of all seasonable goods, together with a selection of

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Hats & Bonnets

Which we intend shall compare favorably with any that we have shown in past seasons. Shall, as usual, purchase our goods in the best New York markets, and have them ready for your inspection on and after APRIL 17TH.

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SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of manure at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind that may cause a nuisance or offence, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley or the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the City, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any dwelling from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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An Editorial Slanderer.

The following suggests itself to a crabbed editor as an admirable class ode for the numerous commencement exercises now being perpetrated by the female colleges throughout the land:

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Upon this sad commencement day,
And bid each other long farewell,
Our Paris muslin waists do swell,
Our tears gush from our pencilled eyes,
Our painted lips breathe perfumed sighs
Upon the platform as we stand
And each one grasps a kid-gloved hand,
(Twelve-buttons—all the style they are,
Four dollars and six-bits per pair.)
Please tell me if you'll be so kind,
How does my tilter look behind?
And do you think the audience knows
I wear a pair of striped hose?
I'm sure they see my white kid shoes—
Threes are my number, these are twos.

The Meek Detroiter.

There are some meek-faced and tender-hearted men in Detroit, remarks the *Free Press* man. There is one in particular who owns a house and lot in the eastern part of the city. Another citizen, whose face doesn't betray meekness, owns a vacant lot next to him, and a few days ago he wanted to buy the meek-faced man out and build a factory covering both lots. The figures were too high, and he went away feeling mad and revengeful. Coming across a showman who wanted to set up his tent and exhibit a wild man and other interesting specimens of life and death, he gave him the free use of the vacant lot. It was stipulated that a hand-organ should be kept going, bells rung now and then, and if the wild man uttered wild yells occasionally, so much the better. When the meek-faced citizen saw the tent put up, a tender, forgiving smile crossed his face, and he made for a printing office. About the time the showman was ready to open the doors to the anxious public the meek-faced citizen was ready with his signs and tack-hammer.

"Gentlemen, walk in and see the great Kickapoo kangaroo from Kalamazoo!" said the showman.

"Tack! tack!" and up went a sign on the fence reading, "Look out for the small-pox!" A second and a third followed, and the meek-faced man was putting up the fourth when the showman closed a bargain with a truck to move him down town. He wasn't over fifteen minutes packing and loading, and when the lot was clear again the meek-faced citizen sat on his door-step and mused:

"He who wants to sell out let him sell, and I wonder how much ahead they are?"

To Protect Animals from Flies.

A gallon of warm water poured on a pailful of walnut leaves will make a safe wash for horses and cattle, and save them the annoyance of flies. We recommend its use daily until we hear of something better.

—A woman thinks a man brave if he only picks up a cockroach with his fingers, but she doesn't think it requires any courage to swear off smoking for three weeks.

—Joseph Cook receives many condolences from the press on his approaching marriage. One of the most sympathetic is from the Lowell *Courier*: Joseph Cook is soon to be married and will know how much more blessed it is to give lectures than to receive them.

—"Mamma," tearfully inquired an uptown girl, "why can't I have a pony phaeton this summer? Everybody that is anybody has one." "My child, you know I have passed the appropriation, but your pa has vetoed the bill." More tears and the promise of a new croquet-set out of the market money.

—If there is one thing above another which exasperates a man on the top rail of the fence of impecuniosity, with a tendency to drop over into the sandy park of dire poverty and starvation, it is to see nice white vests advertised for $1 and know that it costs thirty cents to have a vest "done up" at the laundry.

—Hundreds of confiding parties send their daughters to Vassar or its rivals, fully believing that they are to be thoroughly educated. Will not such parents feel outraged on learning that the average Yale Freshman knows more of rowing and ball-playing than does the average Vassar graduate? The female colleges are little better than the male colleges of twenty years ago, where what was called the mind of the student was regarded as the true subject of education. For them to claim an equality with the best rowing colleges of the present day is, to put it plainly, impudent and dishonest.—*N. Y. Times.*

—The Providence *Press* says that a wealthy merchant doing business in that city and living in an adjacent town lost his pocket-book a few mornings since while coming to his place of business. The purse contained $750 in money, besides a large number of valuable papers. A poor lady, who depended on the labor of her hands for her daily support, found the purse, and after a long, tedious search restored it to the owner. The merchant was, of course, highly elated at recovering his money, and after thoroughly catechising the lady he dismissed her with the promise of an early reward, which she received the next morning in the shape of a small bottle of cologne costing twenty-five cents. So much for generosity.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1877.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, June 25.

The House assembled at 4 P. M. and soon proceeded to business. Seven petitions were disposed of and three reports from committees, when the minority report on State Prison bill was presented to the House. After the report was read and laid upon the table, Mr. Hitchcock, the chairman of the State Prison committee, moved that the majority report, which was presented last Friday, be recommitted, and that the minority report lay upon the table until the majority report be reported again and that both then be printed together. Mr. H. F. Norris of Epping, (one of the minority,) offered an amendment that the minority report be also recommitted, and then some squabbling occurred as to whether Mr. Norris' amendment was in order, and it was finally decided by the Speaker that it was not. Mr. Hitchcock's motion was then put and declared carried. Mr. Norris then called for a division of the House, when fifty-nine voted in the affimative and nine in the negative, and the Speaker declared no quorum was present,—and thus all legislative business was at an end, and the House adjourned. The matter will come up before the House again to-morrow as unfinished business. The committee stood seven in favor and five against the new State Prison. The minority report claims that there is land enough belonging to the State Prison to build a large addition at its northern end, that the convicts could do the most of the work, and that the sowerage can be made better with but very little expense. It furthermore says that if specific plans and contracts were given so as to assure a new prison would not cost more than $200,000, they would be in favor of it; but that this general indefiniteness looks too much like a ring hidden somewhere. It is rumored that Thursday is to be set apart for the consideration of the State Prison bill. If a vote could have been taken when the legislature first assembled I think the bill for the erection of a new State Prison would have passed, but as it is now I hear but a very few express a favorable opinion toward it, outside of Concord.

The two members, who made an affirmation instead of taking an oath at the commencement of the session, were Stephen C. Meader and Joseph M. Hanson from Rochester, both of whom are Quakers. Col. Enoch Q. Fellows of Sandwich twenty-three years ago was doorkeeper of the Senate. Yours, A. B.

CONCORD, June 26.

To-day being the last day when notice of the intention to introduce bills could be given, quite a number of notices were given, there being seventy-one in all. There was combination of all kinds of parliamentary rules and legislative business. This afternoon the Speaker of the House, President of the Senate, and joint committee, appointed to invite President Hayes to the Capital, went to Boston to pay their respects to the President. In the absence of the Speaker, Judge J. E. Sargent of Concord occupied the chair.

Mr. Sinclair of Bethlehem this afternoon introduced a joint resolution in words to the following effect;

Resolved, in the opinion of the House of Representatives, the acts of the head of the present Administration in the removal of the troops from the three Southern States, Florida, Louisiana, and South Carolina; the restoration of good government in the same States; the prohibiting of assessment of officials for political purposes; and prohibiting government officers from participating in political machinery meets with unqualified approval.

Mr. Stevens of Nashua moved that the resolution be referred to the committee on National affairs. A debate then occurred between Stevens of Nashua, Cross of Manchester, and Sinclair of Bethlehem. The remarks of Judge Cross were loudly applauded. He rebuked Mr. Sinclair for attempting to smuggle into his resolution a hidden meaning in the term "head of the Administration," instead of President. Mr. Sinclair called for the yeas and nays, and for the first time this session they were called; and Mr. Stevens' motion was adopted by a vote of 171 to 115. Mr. Sinclair thinks his resolution will never see daylight again.

Among other bills introduced to-day was one amending the existing law in regard to the taxation of dogs, and as amended it shall read, "the tax on male dogs shall be two dollars and on female dogs ten dollars." An audible smile ran through the House as it was finished reading. The Speaker assigned it to the judiciary committee. Mr. Barton of Newport moved it be referred to committee on finance; a division of the House was called for, and the vote stood sixty-six in affirmative and eighty-three in negative. The motion was lost through a quorum not voting.

A bill was introduced entitled "an act to compel cases to be tried within the reasonable expectation of a man's life."

A bill was introduced in regard to the hanging of Joseph La Page so that when he shall be hung it shall be in some public place, and that the sheriff of the county be requested to provide a suitable place where the public may see that execution.

Mr. Sise of Portsmouth introduced a bill in relation to the State Normal School, setting forth that whereas the friends of that institution agreed when the building was erected that they would not call upon the State for any aid, and whereas the State has appropriated $33,000 since 1870, in sums from $5,000 to $8,000,—be it resolved that the friends of that institution be requested to fulfil their pledges hereafter, and that the State will not give them any further assistance. The bill was laid upon the table, and the usual number of printed copies were ordered for the House.

There is so much business on hand that the House will not make its final adjournment until after the Fourth of July. The different committees have so much business that a motion was carried that the House meet at eleven o'clock to-morrow instead of ten, so that the committees may have more time on their business.

The committee on Agriculture and Agricultural College are loud in their praises of the College farm and its condition at Hanover, and of the courtesies extended to them while there. Yours, A. B.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 25.

The position taken by Senator Jones in the report of the silver commission which he is understood to have about completed, is being discussed and elicits a great diversity of opinion. The inflationists proper commend him generally, those occupying middle ground with Secretary Sherman, are disposed to regard his views unfavorably, while the hard money men, those cleaving to gold as our only hope, denounce them as heretical and to the last degree dangerous. The same may be said of the Senator's opinion as he says of Secretary Sherman's, to wit: that it is just as valuable as an indication of what will be done or will not be done, as that of any other man who is similarly qualified to judge. The Secretary's letter giving it as his belief that there would be no action on the part of Congress or the Department, looking to the payment of the interest or the redemption of the four per cent. bonds in anything of less value than gold, is admitted to have had a re-assuring effect. It was needed; but it is predicted that the Senator's position will increase the distrust felt, and that the prospects of the new loan, at first so flattering, are being rendered more and more doubtful by the mischievous utterances of those favoring unlimited inflation. Now that the new loan is fairly on the market and its practical working more apparent, it is generally felt that it was a great mistake to limit the time of popular subscription to thirty days.

There is a good deal of dissatisfaction in many quarters with the Presidential edict, forbidding federal officials from active participation in the conduct of political campaigns. Its revolutionizing effect, if carried out to the letter can hardly be overestimated. It deposes several Chairmen of State Committees, among them General Wykoff of Ohio, the Chairmen of the Republican Committee of Wisconsin, and one democrat, I am informed, the recently appointed postmaster at Memphis, Tenn. The penalty of disobedience will, it is said, be a prompt dismissal from the Federal office. It wouldn't be safe to predict a large number of removal on this account.

Stanley Matthews, guilty or not guilty, is credited with the paternity of the effort to bounce Dowling, the postmaster at Toledo, against the wishes probably of a very large majority of the citizens of that town. Dowling was a soldier and his record as postmaster is first class in every respect, so it was quite impossible to find any ground upon which to base a request for his removal; and though he has been asked to resign no cause has been assigned, only that the President desired it. But he refuses and is generally commended for his grit. Pitkin's case was not as much talked about here as Dowling's has been and still is; and the doubts the President managed to arouse relative to his sincerity in his civil service reform profession by his action in the former case, ought to prepare him for what will surely follow in case he removes a faithful officer, for no other purpose but to repay a political servitor. This case has been so long before the public that every particular is well known; and any interference now with the plucky postmaster will be sure to gain him popular sympathy, and render all concerned in his removal correspondingly unpopular. But somehow the impression has got abroad that Mr. Matthews is insatiable in his demand for places for his personal adherents, and that he will not withdraw his claims for one, so long as there is any hope of obtaining it, not even to relieve the President from embarrassment.

Not one expression of sympathy did I hear for the doomed Molly Maguires on the day of their execution. The usual reaction in favor of criminals sentenced to suffer the extreme penalty of the law as they near the hour of execution, was wholly absent in the case of the Pennsylvania ruffians: but instead, every one seemed to grow more pitiless as the full enormity of their revolting crimes and the danger to society from such as they, became better known and fully appreciated; and if there were any signs of relenting towards those still awaiting execution, the murders reported since the terrible scenes at Pottsville, Maunch Chunk and Wilkesbarre last Thursday, have already dissipated them. KNOX.

News and Notes.

A San Francisco despatch says: Under the decision of the United States inspector of hulls and boilers, in the case of the wrecked steamship City of San Francisco, Capt. Waddell was notified that his certificate as captain in the merchant marine would be suspended one year on the ground that he did not use sufficient care while running along that portion of the coast where shoals and dangers were known to exist, although not marked upon the chart. Waddell will appeal from this finding.

Ella McCloud, a Georgia negress, died on St. Catherine's Island last Sunday, aged 120 years. She outlived seven or eight husbands and died childless.

To properly wake the late Alexander Campbell, hanged on Friday at Maunch Chunk, Penn., took eight dozen pipes, fifteen pounds of tobacco, and twenty dollars worth of cheap whiskey. The house was packed with people, closely guarded by Campbell's friends to keep out enemies, and closely watched by the Coal and Iron Police on the part of the citizens. Wakes of some of the other Mollies were equally elaborate, and they were prolonged more than one night, with an effect probably unfavorable to the future peace of the coal regions.

It is said that the engineers of the Boston and Maine Railroad who struck last March are still in receipt of regular weekly wages from the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers.

On Tuesday, June 26th, Ex-President Grant and his wife were received at Windsor Castle by Queen Victoria. They arrived at Windsor from London at half-past five o'clock, and were conveyed in one of Her Majesty's carriages to the castle, where they were received by the Queen at the bottom of the staircase at the Queen's entrance, and conducted through the State corridor to the white drawing-room. After a short interview Gen. Grant and wife were conducted to apartments over the Waterloo gallery, overlooking the home park. In the evening a grand dinner party was given in Gen. Grant's honor, during which the band of the Grenadier Guards played in the quadrangle.

Fears of serious trouble at Montreal on the 12th of July are entertained. The Irish unions, numbering about 2500 members, advertise a special meeting. The Orangemen are arming and preparing for trouble.

A despatch from Plymouth, Pa., says that Monday night, near Nanticoke, a party of drunken Molly Maguires attacked a number of miners, injuring all of them. Martin McIntyre, one of the colliers, was so badly wounded that he died.

Robert Williams, Chief Factor of the Hudson Bay Company, on a tour of inspection of the company's posts on the northwest coasts of British Columbia, was drowned while crossing Queen Charlotte Sound in a canoe with five Indians, one of whom was saved.

A man was found insensible on the sidewalk in New Haven, Sunday night, and died Monday. He proved to be Christopher Mower, business manager of the Rand Powder Company, and had been knocked down and robbed, and death was caused by concussion of the brain.

The ship-laborers' strike at Montreal came to an ignominious termination, the men having themselves begged to be taken back at reduced rates. The request was acceded to, and they have returned to work.

The Secretary of the Navy has issued a circular directing commandants at Navy Yards and stations to conform strictly to the requirements of the navy regulations of 1876, and to hold all under their command to a strict accountability under these regulations. Laborers shall be employed in Navy Yards by the proper officers in charge with reference to their skill and efficiency, and without regard to political or other considerations. No officer or employe in any of the Navy Yards shall require or request any workingman to contribute or pay any money for political purposes, nor shall any workingman be discharged for political opinions.

Davis of Portland beat Faulkner of Boston fifteen seconds in the single scull race on Wednesday, on the Charles river course at Boston.

The Harvard-Columbia eight-oared race at Springfield on Tuesday was won by Harvard, beating Columbia by fourth lengths in 22 minutes and 37 seconds.

By a boiler explosion at Ravensdale iron works, at Tunstall, England, eight men were killed and thirty wounded.

A heavy storm at Newfoundland blew twenty vessels ashore, and destroyed several of them.

New Hampshire Items.

Work upon the new Manchester horse railroad began Tuesday morning, the 26th, under the supervision of D. Atwood of Cleveland, O. A part of the material has arrived, and the grading of the road will be rapidly pushed, and completed about July 15th. The capital stock of the company is $25,000; length of road about three miles.

Mr. John H. Barber, one of the oldest residents of Bath, died June 25th at the age of 83 years. He was one of the first settlers of that place and had held many local offices. He had been a member of the Masonic order for 62 years. The deceased leaves a widow and a large family of children.

The Supreme Court, which has been hearing equity cases at Exeter, on Wednesday adjourned to July 6th.

At Rumney, on Monday, the only child of Mr. Eugene Elliot, a little girl four years of age, was with her mother at a neighbor's, and unobserved pulled a bottle of ammonia from a table, spilling it upon her clothing and face; some of it went into her nostrils and mouth, nearly suffocating her. Medical aid was summoned at once, but to no avail. She lingered about thirty-three hours, when death ended her sufferings.

An ice-cart containing five men was struck by a train at Concord on Wednesday, the cart demolished, the horse killed, and two of the men badly hurt, one it is feared fatally.

While Michael Barrett of Alstead was cleaning a gun on Saturday night, the weapon was accidentally discharged and the charge entered his mouth and came out of the back side of his head, injuring him so that he is not expected to live.

Political.

The Boston *Globe* is displeased because the New Hampshire Legislature, instead of adopting the resolution introduced by an old dyed-in-the-wool democrat like Sinclair of Bethlehem, endorsing the policy of the National Administration, referred the resolution to a committee where it can have a nice sleep. The New Hampshire republicans have not been accustomed to follow the lead of Mr. Sinclair or the Boston *Globe*—hence they have been accustomed to win victories even over the persistent, active and ever-ready-to-fight democracy of the State. How the democrats would enjoy it to have the republicans conduct a State campaign according to *Globe* tactics!

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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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AID FOR ST. JOHN.

The meeting of citizens called by the Mayor to take measures for extending aid to the sufferers by fire at St. John, N. B., was held in the Common Council room on Wednesday evening. The meeting having been called to order, Mayor Broughton was chosen chairman and Col. William H. Hackett secretary. Mr. Hackett offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Voted, That a Committee of ten be appointed who shall be authorized in behalf of this meeting of citizens to receive subscriptions for donations toward the relief of the sufferers by fire at St. John, and all contributions made shall be forwarded under the direction of said Committee to the Mayor of St. John, as a contribution from the citizens of Portsmouth.

The chair, having been delegated by the meeting for that duty, appointed the following gentlemen a Committee for the purpose in view:

Hon. Frank Jones, Hon. Daniel Marcy, Ex-Gov. Ichabod Goodwin, C. H. Mendum, Esq., Capt. John S. Pray, John Sise, Esq., Rev. James DeNormandie, Capt. E. G. Peirce, Jr., Col. T. E. O. Marvin, Stephen W. Clarke, Esq.

On motion, the meeting added Mayor Broughton to the committee, and the meeting then dissolved.

The committee will meet this (Thursday) evening at the same place, at eight o'clock.

[Communicated.]

AN EVENING'S ENTERTAINMENT.

A large and highly appreciative audience gathered at Miss Morgan's hall on Tuesday evening to listen to a rare treat in music, and not less so in the reading of Goldsmith's fine old comedy of "She Stoops to Conquer." The orchestral corps was made up largely of the youthful pupils of Mr. Harlow, who conferred great credit upon themselves and their able teacher. The piano music gave evidence of the very highest culture on the part of the young lady artists, for such they truly are, who officiated at that instrument. We have much native talent among us, and in no art is it more conspicuous than in that of music; rendering it the more gratifying that so many of the young are ambitious to excel in an accomplishment that has ever so refining an influence. The ever attractive compositions, "The Sleigh-Ride" and "The Fireman's Polka," arranged and improved by Mr. Harlow, in the brilliancy and effect with which they were given brought most pleasantly to memory, to one at least present, Jullien's band, during the little maestro's ever-to-be-remembered visit to this country. Our citizens have been greatly indebted to Mr. Harlow in his skill both as a leader and a teacher, for much of enjoyment during his entire residence among us.

Of the reading of "She Stoops to Conquer," so well was it done, it would be hardly generous to say wherein it might have been improved. Besides the expressions of pleasure by the auditors during the progress of the reading, others of hope that it would at some time be repeated could be heard as they went their several ways homeward at its close; all acknowledging that it had been a season of great enjoyment to a degree that, had the somewhat familiar question been asked, "Ar'n't you glad you came?" not one could have been found to reply in the negative.

Among the humorous incidents of the evening, the modestly expressed pride of Mrs. Hardcastle at her success in imitating the London style of dressing the hair, left a merry thought in the memory. The familiar tones of the Bailiff and his assistant, Mr. Flannagan, whose acquaintance had been made in "The Good-Natured Man"—the involuntary laughter of one of the pairs of lovers, in which the audience joined for the reason that they could not help doing so, and the notes of the little doggie, his appreciation, perhaps, of the performance, that for a moment were supposed to be the latest novelty in music, (such as Jullien's imitation of katydids and crickets,) will also be remembered in aftertime. While so acceptable an entertainment can be gotten up from its own resources, Portsmouth has little occasion to procure from elsewhere its amusements or its music.

JOTTINGS.

In another column will be found the advertisement of Wilkinson's Dramatic Combination, announcing that "Uncle Tom's Cabin," with Lillie Wilkinson as "Topsy," will be given in Franklin Hall on the evening of the 4th of July.

The *Times* calls our reference to Postmaster Peirce as "the gentleman who for some years has conducted the Post-office here to universal satisfaction," eating "humble pie." Possibly the *Times* editor may at some time have seen something in the columns of the CHRONICLE that could be construed into finding fault with Mr. Peirce's management of the Post-office; we never did,—and if the *Times* man ever did, we suggest that he publish it.

The fare of four hundred and thirty-five barrels of mackerel landed at Doane's wharf on Tuesday by schooner Henry M. Clark, Capt. Cahoon, is the largest fare yet reported this season.

Schooner Metacom, of this port, has been purchased by Mr. Benjamin F. Poor and Capt. Joseph G. Stevens of Newburyport, to be used as a market boat.

We have just received the July number of The Sanitarian, a monthly magazine published in New York in the interest of health and physical culture. The matter of the present issue relates more particularly to the public interests of New York city, although much of the discussion of the question of "what should be the policy of a great city towards its poor" may be profitably read by the managers of smaller places than the great metropolis. The Sanitarian is an ably edited magazine and will increase in its circulation as people grow more intelligent.

Ensign William Winder, U. S. N., is ordered to the naval torpedo station at Newport, R. I., for instruction in torpedo practice.

The house of Jackson A. Hanson at Eliot, together with nearly all the contents, was destroyed by fire early on the morning of June 26th. The barn adjoining was partially burned. Loss about $2000. Insured for $1400.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, June 27th.

John Anderson, drunk, fined $3, costs $5.76.

"NAT" DISCIPLINED.

RYE, June 26.

Messrs. Editors: In the GAZETTE dated June 21st I observe that your correspondent signing himself "Nat," calls attention to an accident that befel the choir of a church not a thousand miles from Rye. Considering that *Nat himself* was one of the new singing in that choir who had the *wrong tune*, it would have shown better taste had he let the accident pass quietly over; it reminds one very much of "the pot calling the kettle black." If your correspondent had called attention to the miserable state of the organ, and suggested a subscription for a new one, he would be doing better than writing about the choir, who attend voluntarily, sometimes at a great inconvenience, to practice on Saturday evenings, often to find the minister has not arrived and are therefore unable to decide on the "right tune" until just before service on Sabbath morning. Under these circumstances, I think they deserve to be sympathised with, rather than to be criticised by your correspondent "Nat," who I am informed is unable to sing with them any more this Summer, and who, no doubt was glad of this opportunity to give them a parting shot. I am sure all right thinking members felt very sorry for them, it being the first time such an accident has occurred there. In justice to the young lady organist I am informed she played the right tune. Apologizing for troubling you, I remain,

A SYMPATHISER.

[We cheerfully allow "A Sympathiser" room to rebuke our valued correspondent "Nat" for his misdeeds, and trust he now feels a proper degree of contrition. We did not detect any hidden ill-nature in his item about the choir, when we first read it; and now that we are informed that "Nat" himself was one of the guilty ones who sang the wrong tune, thereby causing an apparent discrepancy in the music, his object in writing it is plain, viz: to make people so angry over his sins as a newspaper contributor that they will forget all about his fearful singing on that fatal Sunday. We suggest to "Nat" that he take his critic's advice, and give the old rattle-trap organ (we know nothing about it, and allude to it in this manner solely to placate "A Sympathiser") particular fits. By so doing he may be able to restore himself to favor in the community.—*Ed.*]

Charleston, S. C., had a special election for members of the Legislatvre on June 29th. Fourteen white and three colored democrats were chosen. There was no disturbance—as the republicans made no nominations!

A dis-tressed maiden—One who has lost her most expensive curl.

Assignee's Sale at Auction.

THE SUBSCRIBER as Assignee, in Bankruptcy of the estate of SPALDING & PARSONS, Bankrupts, will sell at Public Auction on

SATURDAY, June 30th,

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People who neglect their minor ailments rarely live to make old bones. The secret of hale and vigorous old age, lies not only in taking care of one's health in early life, by the observance of sanitary rules, but also by judicious medication when the premonitory symptoms of bodily disorder manifest themselves. Indigestion, bowel and liver complaints are fruitful causes of injury to the constitution. These diseases should be, therefore, checked without delay. The best medicine for the purpose is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. This standard preparation disciplines the digestive organs, gives renewed impetus to the bilious secretive function, and exerts a beneficial influence upon the organs of urination. It has no rival as a remedy for and preventive of chills and fevers and bilious remittents, infuses vigor into the debilitated frame, and is an excellent appetizer and nervine.

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Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 48 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
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Pork per bll., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 10½ @11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
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THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that any person can obtain permission to set out one or more Trees in the Park, on application either to a member of the Board, or to Mr. GEORGE E. SMART, Keeper, at No. 2 Mt. Vernon St.

Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Hosiery Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Daily Chronicle.

The First Steamboat Trip.

In the Suffolk *Gazette*, printed at Sag Harbor, on the east end of Long Island, October 12th, 1807, is a letter from Robert Fulton to Joel Barlow, giving an account of the first trip of the first steamboat on the Hudson River. It is as follows:

To JOEL BARLOW, Philadelphia:

New York, 22d Aug., 1807.—My Dear Friend: My steamboat voyage to Albany and back has turned out rather more favorable than I had calculated. The distance from New York is 150 miles; I ran it up in thirty-two hours and down in thirty hours. The latter is just five miles an hour. I had a light breeze against me the whole way going and coming, so that no use was made of my sails; and the voyage has been performed wholly by the power of the steam engine. I overtook many sloops and schooners bearing to windward, and passed them as if they had been at anchor.

The power of propelling boats by steam is now fully proved. The morning I left New York there were not perhaps thirty persons in the city who believed that the boat would ever move one mile an hour or be of the least utility. And while we were putting off from the wharf, which was crowded with spectators, I heard a number of sarcastic remarks; this is the way you know in which ignorant men compliment what they call philosophers and projectors.

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However, I will not admit that it is half so important as the Torpedo system of defence and attack; for out of this will grow the liberty of the seas; an object of infinite importance to the welfare of America and every civilized country. But thousands of witnesses have now seen the steamboat in rapid movement, and they believe—but they have not seen a ship of war destroyed by a torpedo, and they do not believe. We cannot expect people in general to have a knowledge of physics, or power of mind sufficient to combine ideas and reason from causes to effects. But in case we have war, and the enemy's ships come into our water, if the government will give me reasonable means of action, I will soon convince the world that we have surer and cheaper modes of defence than they are aware of.

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U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	1192
United States Ten-Forties cupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	1064
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1878	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	108½
Eastern R. R. scrip	55½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	92½
Boston & Maine	90½
Boston & Providence	119½
Boston & Albany	114½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	31
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	136
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	62½
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Old Colony & Newport	20½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	55
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	76

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 8. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive nuisance therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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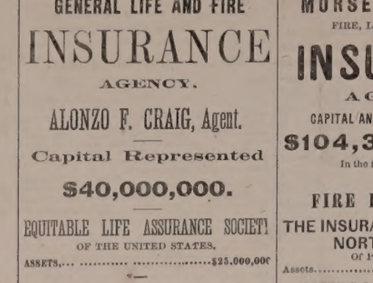

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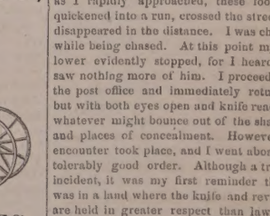

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THE BLACK HILLS.—LETTER NO. 1.

In Camp on Whitewood Gulch, near Deadwood, Black Hills, June 5th, 1877.

Messrs. Editors: As my "pard" has gone off on a tramp of eighteen miles to look at a claim, leaving me to keep house, I will avail myself of the first leisure day I have had since my arrival, to give you,—and the readers of the CHRONICLE, if you see fit—a brief description of "our journey to the Black Hills." Omitting any remarks I would like to make upon the beauty and interest of our railroad ride across the fertile prairies of the nearer West, I will begin at Yancton, Dacota, where ended our railreading, at six o'clock P. M., April ninth.

Yancton is the capital of the territory, the depot for Government supplies, and is beautifully laid out. It has all the appearance of rapid growth and a prosperous future. The only articles we found high-priced here (for here we laid in our supplies for our tramp across the plains) were the emigrant's prime necessities, flour and bacon. Butter was ten cents per lb.; eggs, six cents per dozen; milk five cents per quart. We got a good supper at the hotel for twenty-five cents. After completing our purchases we moved our luggage aboard the steamboat Ashland, which had just arrived, and there found about one hundred fellow pilgrims bound for the golden Mecca, Deadwood. The loading of the boat was an animated spectacle. She had been run as near as possible to the high bank of the river, and moored; a long plank was then run ashore, and over this narrow causeway a large gang of negroes were rapidly conveying a vast quantity of freight, until long past midnight. An iron basket, attached to an upright pole in the bank of the river, filled with blazing pitchwood, cast a glare over the boat and river, and threw the picturesque element into a scene always exciting and interesting—that of loading a steamboat.

Here occurred my first little adventure. At about eleven o'clock P. M. I went ashore for the purpose of mailing a letter. Just as I had got beyond the glare of the torches, and as I was passing through a perfect maze of freight and dunnage of all description, a crouching figure—but dimly perceptible—arose and stealthily followed. To make sure of the fact I stopped and turned around, when the figure slunk into the dark shadow of a wood-pile, and was lost to sight. I then turned and walked slowly up the levee, turning my head so as to command the approach by the rear. In a moment the figure reappeared, dogging me in a wary, sneaking manner. Satisfied that I was being followed, I drew my knife and held it ready for instant use (I had left my revolver on board.) Passing across the levee, I took the street leading to the post office. The stealthy footsteps behind were distinctly heard by my sharpened sense, though the form was only occasionally seen. About five hundred yards up the street, I became aware of the presence of another person ahead of me. I caught the sound of footsteps as I was passing up the wooden sidewalk with a steady stride, and as I rapidly approached, these footsteps quickened into a run, crossed the street and disappeared in the distance. I was chasing while being chased. At this point my follower evidently stopped, for I heard and saw nothing more of him. I proceeded to the post office and immediately returned, but with both eyes open and knife ready for whatever might bounce out of the shadows and places of concealment. However, no encounter took place, and I went aboard in tolerably good order. Although a trifling incident, it was my first reminder that I was in a land where the knife and revolver are held in greater respect than law, and that to be "well-heeled" was a greater protection, personally, than that intangible guard which an older community throws around its members, and which finds its expression in the written statutes and common sense of society. The anomalous condition of society found on the frontier, I hope to be able to present to you in some faint degree, not so much by personal adventures, as by the relation of stories, incidents that have occurred to *others*, and descriptions of the scenes I have passed through before this series of letters has been concluded.

At three A. M., on the 10th of May, and long before we were awake, our boat started up the river. My sensations on awakening and looking for the first time upon the murky, dirty volume of water rolling down upon us, and against which we were ploughing, were novel; and when told it was to be our washing, drinking and cooking medium for four or five days, I was aghast. I could not look upon this experience with any pleasant memories, until we had encountered the alkali and slums of the "bad lands," and our astonished eyes had looked upon the Cheyenne river. Suffice it for me to say that the waters of the Missouri river *are* muddy. So rapidly do the deposits of mud take place, that the channel of the river is constantly changing. I can compare it only to the twistings of a huge serpent. About an hour after sunrise we struck the first bar; and here we were shocked and grieved (two Chicago *Tribune* printers especially were made sad) by being compelled to listen to the atrocious language of the first mate of a Missouri river steamboat. He was calling all hands to get out the spars, start the donkey engine, and

lift the boat over the bar. Suffering Indiana!! How that first mate swore. None of your hackneyed anathemas, stale expressions, or worn-out figures of speech either. They rushed and crackled and tore like discharges of canister. I do not know why it should be so, but it was, the printers were the first to recover, and I regret to say, they perched themselves on the rail and clapped their hands, and said, "beautiful," "charming," "Oh, what a darling first mate," at each fresh explosion of language. After getting over the bar the channel was found close to the right bank of the river, and for several miles we actually bumped and scraped against the procipitous bluffs lining that side of the river. We were aground many times during the trip, and ceased noticing it after the first day's experience. During the afternoon a huge snag ploughed along the bottom of the boat, broke one of the rudders, and ran up into the great wheel at the stern with a fearful crash. This delayed us an hour, but ready hands repaired damages, and we continued up the river until eleven o'clock P. M., when the boat was run close to the bank, a hawser was made fast to a tree, and here we remained until about three o'clock the next morning. Thus we proceeded each day, the difficulties of navigation being too great to run all night.

On the next day, (Friday,) some of the pilgrims had more "bars" to contend with than on the previous day. Early in the morning we passed the steamer "Fannie Tatum," which had broken her shaft a week before, and was waiting for a new one to be brought up the river. We also passed Fort Randall, one of the Government posts.

On Saturday we passed the Brule Agency. Large numbers of Indians are camped on the banks of the river, and they all live in tepes, or conical tents, furnised by the Government. One chief and his three wives, all mounted on ponies, rode abreast of the boat for a long distance. The only person on the boat whom the chief would condescend to recognize, was a solitary and inconsequential individual who wore a silk hat. One hundred pilgrims standing in rows along the side of the boat would count, "one," "two," "three," and then simultaneously ejaculate "How!" but to this royal greeting the stoical red man was indifferent; he had eyes and ears for that silk hat only. This sort of thing was too much for the printers, and they avenged themselves by calling the "poor Indian" names. I remember that "Old Leather-head," "Snuffy," and "Smokey-nose" were some of the elegant titles that were conferred upon the "Big Injun." The chief stood this until his squaws began to giggle and laugh, and then he rode off in evident disgust. I do not propose to advance any ideas on the morality of the above proceeding in particular or the Indian question in general. Possibly the chaffing of the Indians was provoked by their personal appearance, and the recollection that in all probability all the murders of Black Hillers last year were committed by these agency Indians. It is the universal testimony of the frontiersmen (and I have talked with many) that the Indians have no redeeming qualities; they are thieves and murderers, and false to every principle of honor recognized by whites. A frontiersman in conversation will instantly express his deep and lasting hatred of an Indian, and in the few opportunities I have had to study them should say they were nearly correct. I have not yet seen a prepossessing countenance. Their eyes are quick, suspicious and furtive, never looking one square in the face. Their faces are utterly cruel and repulsive; and precisely the same feeling toward them has crept over me, that one feels toward a venomous snake. This is not Christian, I will allow, but it is an instinct one cannot control. It was the expressed wish of our party of seventeen, to have nothing but a good "square fight" with them, if we encountered them on the plains, and the "*square fight*" was what we knew we would *not* get, if the Indians had their own way about it. The Sioux Indians are tall, and accounted the best warriors of the plains. Physically, the average Indian is not the equal of the average white. They have not the muscle, brain, or endurance of the white mountaineer or miner, and will never attack and push a fight to the bitter end on equal terms with them, or with our army.

With no unusual occurrence we arrived at Fort Pierre, at seven o'clock A. M., Monday, May 14th, and disembarked. at once. The pleasure of our trip was somewhat dampened by continuously cloudy weather. This prevented us from obtaining accurate ideas of the scenery, but my impression is that though much of it is beautiful, there is a lack of variety, which is unsatisfying to one accustomed to our charming New England scenery. The lack of wood and forest is almost irritating. Like the prairies, the hills and bluffs bordering the river are destitute of trees, generally, although there are many benches and "washes" where the cottonwood grows luxuriantly. At each of these places are "wood stations," inhabited by lonely whites, and in a very few instances by Indians, (the squaws cut the wood). Occasionally we would pass a solitary "brave," dismounted from his pony and squatting on a hillside, where he would remain motionless until we were out of sight. Many Sioux graves are on the hills along the river. They consist of four poles upright in the ground, to which the body is attached in a horizontal position.

The greatest pleasure of our trip we found in good fellowship and social converse with many men of varied experiences and from all parts of the country. By tacit consent "our party" came together on the boat, and made arrangements for our mutual protection and advantage. There were seventeen of us—including our "Bullwhackers" whom I shall introduce in my next letter. At the head of the list I shall place "Mac," an old frontiersman, a crack shot and whole-souled fellow; then follow the printers, a Scotchman, an Irishman, a Norweigan and a German. The balance were Americans, and included a veteran miner of twenty years' experience. One man had served in the regular army on the plains for eight years; two had served in the Union army during the late war, and one had served in the Confederate army. All—including your correspondent—were capital fellows, and all the enjoyment that can be extracted out of a trip across the plains was "gathered in," you may believe. My next shall be devoted to an inadequate, because necessarily brief, description of the aforesaid "trip." As ever, AL.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JUNE 29, 1877.

The Legislature.

In the House, Wednesday forenoon, the bill to incoporate the Magdalena River Railroad was ordered to a third reading; also the bill to fix the time when the constitutional amendments adopted last March shall go into effect. The bill to increase the revenues of the State by taxing express companies was referred. The act to amend the laws relating to the present Judiciary system, making the Judges consist of the Chief Justice and six assistants, was ordered printed; also the bill to provide for the classification of towns for representation. The action in relation to the execution of Joseph La Page, making it public, was indefinitely postponed.

The Editorial Excursion.

The New Hampshire editorial party will go to Stowe, Vt., on Friday, July 13th, and stop at the Mount Mansfield hotel. Gov. Smith, president of the Central Vermont railroad, has written a letter to the committee extending the hospitality of his road to the editorial fraternity of New Hampshire. It is thought that the expense to those visiting Mount Mansfield will not exceed $12 for each person, and perhaps less. The party will pass Saturday and Sunday at Stowe, go to the top of Mount Mansfield on Monday, go to St. Johnsbury, Vt., spend the night there and return over the Passumpsic road to Wells River and on the Boston, Concord and Montreal railroad to Concord on Tuesday.

The War.

Desperate fighting is reported in Asia Minor, along the Danube and in Montenegro, but the accounts are extremely contradictory.

The Russian general who commanded at the fight near Delebaba says the Turks were repulsed with great loss, the Russian loss being 150; the Turks claim a victory. The Turkish governor of Erzeroum announces a victory, 400 Turks and 3000 Russians being killed. Other fights are reported in Asia Minor, but each side lies so it is impossible to more than guess at the truth. It however seems to be settled that the Russians are besieging Kars.

On the Danube, the Russians are still crossing, and meeting no serious resistance. Rustchuk is being destroyed by a Russian bombardment, and Giurgero (opposite Rustchuk) by a Turkish bombardment.

Turkish advices say the Montenegrins are hopelessly penned up; Russian advices announce every invader driven from Montenegrin soil.

A Rustchuk dispatch, dated midnight on the 28th, says: "The Russians are crossing the Danube near Sistova, not far from Yantra, assisted by the islands lying between the banks. Terrible fighting is now going on, the Turks doing their utmost to resist the enemy. Another crossing is confidently expected at Tlemunda, opposite Nicopolis. The bombardment of Rustchuk continues."

A dispatch says that the Russian cruisers operating in the Black Sea at points are so near the Bosphorus as to argue an utter contempt for the Turkish fleet. Their latest exploit was the sinking of three merchant vessels in the harbor of Heraclea, in Asia Minor. This was accomplished by one of the Russian cruisers pushing boldly into the harbor and sending out launches with torpedoes, by means of which the vessels were sunk. This created quite a disagreeable sensation in Constantinople.

New Hampshire Items.

Frank Woods and Lon Morrill, two Concord roughs, while half drunk on Thursday made improper proposals to Mrs. Sarah J. Wilson, who was taking a walk with a young lad named Stevens. She resented their advances and fled, when she was struck in the face by Woods with a stone, knocked down and severely injured. The ruffian then placed a rope around her neck, fastened a stone to it, and threatened to drown her, but did not throw her into the water, which was near by. Woods was arrested, but Morrill managed to escape for a time.

Political.

Mr. Clerk Adams has completed his list of the next House, which shows a democratic majority of eight. He has only disfranchised three republicans—the Fourth California, Third Missouri and Colorado Districts, from all of which the State courts or executives have decided that republicans are elected. Mr. Adams belongs to the State Rights party.

Secretary John Sherman, since he took control of the Treasury Department, has been absent from his post just one day. That day he passed in New York on business for the country. At the present time, he is the only Cabinet Minister in Washington but Mr. Thompson, and the latter is not away because he has no place to go to. Messrs. Evarts and Schurz, the two great Civil Service Reformers, take their ease a good portion of the time.—*N. Y. Com. Adv.* (Rep.)

The expected departure of Mr. Tilden for Europe about the fifteenth of July, leads the New York *World* to remark that "it may be safely inferred, therefore, that he agrees with a great majority of democrats throughout the United States in thinking it is hardly worth while to waste much energy in making an *ex post facto* war on a *de facto* President." We should say not.

A private letter from Mississippi to a gentleman in Washington says that the following were Judge Chisolm's last words, which he addressed to his wife at his bedside: "I am innocent of any crime, and when I am dead I want you to tell my children so, and train them up to know that their father never did an act for which they need to blush or feel ashamed. I have been murdered because I am a republican and would live a free man."

During the Presidential campaign—and other past campaigns—the democratic papers loudly asserted that the wonderful democratic gain in districts in southern States where the colored vote preponderated was due to the conversion of the negroes to democracy. This was especially the case in Virginia, where a bought-up colored preacher was paraded over the State as a stump-speaker; but now comes the democratic Richmond *Despatch* with the following statement: "We do not believe that one hundred negroes voted the conservative (meaning democratic) ticket at any election ever held in Virginia. The negroes are all republicans. They regard that negro as a traitor to his own people who votes the democratic ticket. We beg to be excused from entering into a scramble with darkies as to who shall be the white people's candidate for Governor."

News and Notes.

It is announced from Washington that Secretary of the Treasury Sherman has entered upon an extensive real estate transaction, and has made arrangements to erect sixty-four houses on Capitol Hill. This sort of thing should not be allowed; let the President issue a circular forbidding government officials entering into real estate speculations.

We are pleased to again find among our exchanges that excellent paper the St. John (N. B.) *Globe*, missed since the great fire. It is much reduced in size, as might be supposed would be the case, and bears internal evidence that the "plant" of its old office was destroyed; but so well conducted a paper must speedily recover from even so great a misfortune as overtook it and the city of its publication together.

It is stated that Francis Murphy, the temperance reformer, is shortly to be married to a lady named Mrs. Rose Wood.

Mrs. Dr. Johnson of Trenton, Ky., gave birth to four children one day last week. The slightest one weighed eight and one-half pounds.

William Parker of Hamblen county, Tenn., was killed by a blow with an iron poker in the hands of his step daughter on June 11th. Parker slapped his daughter in the face, and she retaliated by striking him on the head with a poker. He died next day. The girl was lodged in jail for lack of bail. She is seventeen and he only twenty-five years of age.

The schooner George P. Rust, Captain Lawrence O'Brien, while lying at anchor on George's Banks at five o'clock on the morning of June 22d, was run into by an unknown ship and cut down to the water's edge, knocking two men that were in their berths sleeping across the forecastle upon the floor. She was struck just forward of the fore rigging, carrying away foremast, bowsprit and all of the fore rigging and head-gear. She is damaged about $1500 to $2000. She is insured in the Gloucester Mutual Fishing Insurance Company for $3588. She was towed into Gloucester, Mass., by the schooner Flying Scud, Capt. Patrick Hogan. The ship was hailed by the crew of the schooner and told they were in a sinking condition, and received an answer, as they understood it, "You are all right," and the ship kept on her course without heaving to. The schooner, with salvage and damage, will be a total loss.

MARRIED.

NOWELL—LANGLEY. In this city, June 27, by Rev. James DeNormandie, Mr. Herbert W. Nowell, son of the late Wm. G. Nowell, and Miss Lizzie Langley, youngest daughter of Mr. Jos. C. Langley, all of this city.

PAGE—GARLAND. In Hampton, June 20, by Rev. J. S. Batchelder, John I. Page and Miss Sarah M. Garland.

ANDERSON—GOODWIN. In North Berwick, Me., June 13, by Rev. A. DeF. Palmer, Rev. Samuel H. Anderson, Pastor of the Baptist Church in East Washington, N. H., to Miss Josie S. Goodwin, daughter of Samuel Goodwin, Esq., of North Berwick.

DIED.

LANE. In this city, June 23, Mrs. Eliza Lane, aged 75 years and 9 months.

BREWSTER. In this city, June 27th, Jeremiah G. Brewster, Esq., aged 80 years.

☞ Funeral from his late residence, No. 3 Mark Street, this (Friday) afternoon at 3 o'clock.

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To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term,* June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1872, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry, but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Atty.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

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" Way,		10.55 "	3.40 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40,	10.46 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

Under the proposed new apportionment of the State, Senatorial District No. 24, to be known as the "Portsmouth District," will include Wards One, Two and Four in this city. District No. 22, to be known as the "Newmarket District," will include Durham, Epping, Greenland, Newcastle, Newington, Newmarket, North Hampton, Rye, South Newmarket, Stratham, and Ward Three in this city.

By an accident at Newburyport, Thursday morning, Mr. A. Fanning, a freight brakeman on the Eastern Railroad, received severe and probably fatal injuries. The train due in this city from Boston at about ten o'clock A. M. was making a shift, and while pulling a pin Mr. Fanning's foot was caught and he was knocked down by the train, his head being badly injured. His family reside at Chelsea, Mass. The coupling and uncoupling of cars always looks to be a dangerous job, and that it is really so is proved by the numbers of men who lose their lives at it every year. The inventor who perfects a simple coupling which can be operated with entire safety will make a fortune and be a public benefactor.

We are indebted to Paymaster C. F. Guild, U. S. N., of this city, for a copy of "Facts About the Carroll County Kearsarge Mountain,"—the title under which Mr. G. V. Fox has published a pamphlet of seventeen pages, read by him before "The Appalachian Mountain Club," in which he demonstrates that the mountain in North Conway, called "Kearsarge Mountain," is rightly named "Kearsarge." He proves that this mountain has had that name for about a century, on maps, deeds, acts of the Legislature, public records, and by undisputed usage. He does not deny, however, that the mountain in the towns of Sutton, Salisbury and Warner is entitled to the same name; in other words, he says, "there *are* two mountains in New Hampshire named Kearsarge, and there always will be, because history teaches that the names applied to the soil by the common people survive when the race that spoke them have ceased to exist." And the evidence produced by Mr. Fox is (we consider) conclusive that the Carroll county mountain was the one in honor of which the famous little sloop-of-war that sank the "Alabama" was named.

We are informed by Mr. A. F. Craig that Mr. J. B. Sanborn of Epping, who was chairman of the committee of three appointed by the prohibition State convention to nominate a candidate to be supported for Congress in this district, was in favor of the nomination of Caleb Moulton; and that it was by request of Mr. Sanborn that Mr. Craig reported to the convention that the majority of the committee were in favor of the nomination of Mr. Moulton. Mr. Craig further informs us that after the nomination had been left to the delegation from this district, under the ruling of the chairman of the convention, the district delegation with but one dissenting voice (Mr. Hurd of Dover, if we remember aright,) decided to nominate Mr. Moulton; and that Mr. Moulton was notified of his nomination by Mr. Craig at least a week prior to "the night spent at Mr. Jones' splendid hotel."

The property on Bridge street belonging to the insolvent estate of Luke Quinlan was sold at auction on Thursday to Mr. James Jones, for $2475.

The Portsmouth *Weekly* says Francis Scott Key, author of the "Star Spangled Banner," was son of John Ross Key, who was an army officer in the revolution. Francis Scott Key died in 1843, leaving a numerous family. One of his sons was shot in a duel by John Sherburne of this city, and Daniel E. Sickles shot another (Philip Barton Key) in Washington on a Sunday in 1859.

In another place in this paper will be found an interesting letter from the Black Hills gold region, written by Capt. J. Albert Sanborn of this city, who has promised us a series of letters from that part of the world. In a private letter he informs us that "The climate here is perfectly —— [the adjective employed is blurred so that we cannot make it out.] It would knock the stuffing out of Old Prob. to prognosticate. We had a snow storm on the first of June, and we have either rain, hail, snow or thunder and lightning every day. Yesterday morning the ground was white with a thick frost. To-day it is as hot as 'the hinges,' and ten to one we will have thunder before night, then a hurricane until midnight and by to-morrow morning more frost. It beats anything I ever saw or felt." He boasts of his mining knowledge as follows: "I take to the life like a duck to water, and what I don't know about sluices, flumes, bed-rock, drifting, ditching, etc., would make a large sized book; and as for quartz,—oh, my! you would turn green with envy to see me sit down in the middle of a group of tender feet, and sling about my lore in pyrites, sulphites, crystals, wall-rock, leads, blowouts, deposits, pockets, etc." Capt. Sanborn writes a readable letter, and ambitious youths who yearn to "rough it out on the diggings" will be able to do it very nicely by proxy,—far the most comfortable and safe way, and generally the most remunerative.

The Rochester *Courier* says that a cock-fight came off at Gale farm, four miles below Rochester, on Fast Day, at which there were about a hundred spectators and three regular pitched battles between the pugnacious birds. It further gives the details of the recent prosecution, in the Rochester police court, by A. F. Craig, Esq., of this city, Secretary of the N. H. Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, of two Dover men and four Rochester men, all of whom were convicted and fined, the fines and costs footing up $19.62 against each of two of the accused, the others getting off with $21.62 each. All appealed and gave bonds, but the *Courier* is of the opinion that they don't think cock-fighting so good fun now as they used to.

A gentleman who had heard us say we had never seen a potato bug or its grub, on Thursday sent in about three quarts of the repulsive looking things (the result of an hour's foraging among his potato vines) in a bucket, for our inspection. We don't want to see any more of them.

A Real Boat Race.

The following interesting account of a real boat-race—not a fifteen-minutes' spurt in cockle shells weighing less than a coal-hod, over water as smooth as if ironed by a Chinese laundry-man, but a pull over a rough sea in boats built to work or fight in, and weighing two tons apiece—is from the Yokohama (Japan) *Gazette* of May 14th:

The race between the barges Magic (14 oars) of the U. S. flagship Tennessee, and Albert (16 oars) of H. M. S. Audacious, for the championship of the Asiatic Station, came off on Saturday afternoon, May 12, and resulted in a remarkable victory for the American crew. Since our first announcement of the match, lively interest has been manifest both ashore and among the shipping, the Audacious being the favorite until Saturday morning, when the prospect of a calm day and smooth water encouraged the backers of the American boat to offer slight odds. Toward noon, however, a breeze sprung up, and as the wind rose Tennessee stock fell. At four o'clock a strong wind, varied by severe puffs, was blowing directly across the course (about four miles in length), and, as a disagreeable swell was running, the Americans expressed a willingness to delay the race until 5:30, which was met by objections from the Audacious crew, who believing their chances more favorable in rough water were anxious to hurry the event on, and finally presented the ultimatum "4:30 or no race."

Although this was half an hour earlier than the time announced in the *Gazette* of Friday and would have deprived many visitors invited by the officers of the Tennessee and Alert of the pleasure of witnessing the race, the Tennessee's crew reluctantly assented rather than have the match declared off. Shortly after four o'clock the Magic was lowered from the Tennessee's quarter, and at 4:35 both coxswains reported alongside of the starter's boat to toss for choice of position. Arrangements had been made to start the contestants by the stern from a rope stretched between two cutters anchored near the flagships; but, owing to the roughness of the water, this was found impracticable, and after much fruitless effort the plan was abandoned, and the boats were brought abreast in the trough of the sea on an imaginary line at right angles with the course. At 4:58 the starter's flag fell, and considering the state of the water both crews got to work in fair shape, but from the first a vast difference was observed in the style of rowing displayed by the contestants. Notwithstanding the desire repeatedly expressed on the part of the Audacious for a heavy weather race their crew seemed totally unprepared for such an emergency; starting their boat in the trough of the sea on a quick, jerky stroke numbering forty-two to the minute, while their opponents gathered headway on the remarkably low stroke of 28, which, taking advantage of a temporary lull, they suddenly increased to thirty-nine and made a rush for the lead which they easily gained, and immediately settled down to a long swinging gait of thirty-six, which they maintained to the finish.

In less than five minutes the race was virtually decided. The coxswain of the Magic, who had won the toss for choice of position and taken the "weather guage" in starting, deliberately threw away this great advantage, after gaining a lead, by crossing the course ahead of the English boat, and taking a position on her lee bow. The sailors on board the Tennessee were much puzzled by this strange manœuvre, and from her spars and rigging came loud shouts of "Keep to windward, Willis!" "Are you crazy?" etc., etc., but the tall Yankee who handled the Magic tiller proved a very methodical lunatic.

Under the disappearance of their opponents from the weather bow had a marked effect on the Audacious' crew. Their stroke became irregular, and some of them so far forgot themselves as to look round. Their coxswain also seemed a trifle bewildered, and, instead of holding his boat to windward, steered directly after the Magic. A change of tactics was now observed in the latter boat; she was thrown out of the trough of the sea and headed directly for Treaty Point, the crew rowing hard between seas, and easing whenever the boat was about to plunge. In seventeen minutes and forty-five seconds from the start the Magic reached the lightship, around which the turn was to be made, the Alert being at this time three minutes behind, and fully 500 yards to leeward, the British crew pulling gamely what they must have already realized was a hopeless race. The Magic made a splendid show at the lightship, completing the turn in seventeen seconds, though their boat had thirteen inches of water on board, which was increased to fifteen inches by the cap of a sea which boarded them just after turning. Coming home with the wind slightly abaft the beam both boats behaved better, the Tennessee's men increasing their lead, and finally tossed oars at the finish six minutes forty-eight seconds ahead. After cheering their opponents, who, whatever mistakes they may have made in training, displayed pluck and endurance throughout, the Magic's crew rowed 200 yards head to windward at a higher rate of speed than either boat had shown during the race. The men of the Tennessee and Alert were wild with joy, and the winning crew on boarding their ship were seized and carried round the decks on the shoulders of their excited comrades. Midshipman C. M. Winslow, U. S. N., was umpire for the Magic.

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Eastern R. R. in N. H.

THE Annual Meeting of the stockholders in the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire will be held at the County Court House on Court street in Portsmouth, N. H., on Tuesday the tenth day of July next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

I. To see if the Corporation will accept an act passed by the Legislature of New Hampshire at its session in 1876, amending the Charter of the Corporation.

II. To see if the Corporation will make any changes in its By-laws, or will reier the By-laws to a Committee to report any changes which may be desirable therein.

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Daily Chronicle.

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer the same to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any cove, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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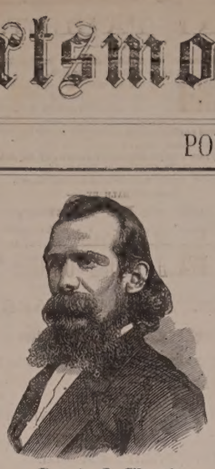

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BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

In our researches in these articles we have kept pretty closely at home, that is, in our own country, and intend still to do so. But for variety as well as interest, an account of one or two distinguished characters and events with which they were connected in England will be noted.

Warren Hastings, and the celebrated trial of Warren Hastings are frequently named by American writers. Who was Hastings, and for what was he tried? The answers will be given:

Mr. Hastings was an Englishman, and was appointed Governor-General of Bengal. He was accused of high crimes and misdemeanors in that office. George III. was king, the year was 1786. It appears that the king with his constitutional advisers were somewhat favorable to Hastings, who had friends in the distinguished Mr. Fox and Mr. Sheridan.

The principal accuser in Parliament was the able and celebrated Mr. Burke. This gentleman was talented, a very effective speaker, of great perseverance and inflexibility in what he regarded as duty and right. He introduced articles of impeachment into the House of Commons. Mr. Hastings was in London, probably retired from the Governorship. At his request he was allowed to appear at the bar of the House, where he undertook to answer the charges. In this his course and language were unhappy, so that the feeling against him was increased.

It would be tedious to give the details of this affair. Suffice it, that without much investigation or trial, it was put off from one session to another running for seven years. The trial was before the House of Peers. So much time passing, it became an old matter, and interest was lost as to it. Mr. Hastings urged to have it finished, and finally the end was reached. The defense had been finished some months previously. In the closing part of the trial, Mr. Burke argued the case for the government. He spoke several days, three at least, some accounts say more. All testimony is that it was a masterly speech in ability, and in some parts of great eloquence. It seemed at times he was carrying all before him. Macauley says, "Handkerchiefs were pulled out, smelling bottles were handed round, hysterical shrieks and sobs were heard, and Mrs. Sheridan was carried out in a fit." It appears that Mr. Hastings for a time almost felt himself guilty, for he said afterward that "for half an hour he looked up at the orator in a reverie of wonder, and during that space of time he actually felt himself the most culpable man on earth."

The vote of the Peers was taken. On some of the specifications six voted against him, on others less. For innocence on some charges the votes were nineteen, on others twenty-three, twenty-six, etc. The Chancellor of the realm announced the decision to Mr. Hastings, who received it in silence, bowed, and retired from the bar. We have no account of Mr. Hastings after this. July 8, 1797, Mr. Burke died, aged 58 years. He was an eminent political writer, clear-headed statesman, and able parliamentary orator.

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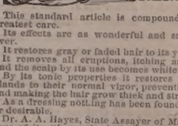

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SATURDAY, JUNE 30, 1877.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, June 28, Morning.

To-day, by a vote of the House, at 11 A. M. the bill entitled "an act to fix the time when the constitutional amendments adopted in March last shall take effect" and also providing for compiling the statues of the States, is to be taken from the table and discussed. As the democratic side of the House made the motion to discuss the bill at this time there is a probability that they are going to make some opposition to it.

To-morrow at 11 o'clock has been assigned as the time for the discussion on the State Prison bill.

Eleven different House bills were distributed to the members to-day; also, report of the Adjutant-General; report of the special committee appointed by the Governor and Council to examine into the condition of the State Normal School; reports of the Board of Trustees, Superintendent, and Treasurer of the Reform School; and the New Hampshire Register and Business Directory for 1877. These, with the daily papers furnished reading matter while the roufine was going on.

When the bill for the protection of fish in a certain brook in East Hanover had received its third reading, Mr. Batchellor of Littleton made some remarks against the passage of the bill, saying that a great number of such had been introduced and when the new topographical survey of the State should be made probably a hundred more brooks would be found and all of them would have to be protected and thus put a great deal of expense upon the State; he hoped all such bills would be killed. Mr. Whitcher of Strafford followed in the same strain, and the bill was defeated.

In all probability as a take-off on the number of bills in relation to protection of fish-ponds, Mr. Sherman of Keene introduced a bill to prevent the taking of fish in the waters of the State for ten years, such as eels, horn-pouts, suckers, dace, shiners, etc., the fine to be ten dollars for every fish found in possession of any one. This was received with roars of laughter.

The bill in relation to the execution of Joseph La Page was indefinitely postponed, on motion of Mr. Sise of Portsmouth.

The final report of the Centennial Committee was sent to the House and is as follows:

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Leaving an unexpended balance of $814.37, which is now in the hands of the State Treasurer. Signed by James A. Weston, Lewis W. Clark, and Mason W. Tappan, Commissioners. The report was accepted and ordered placed on file in the office of the Secretary of State.

Another democratic resolution was introduced in favor of the civil service reform movement of the President, but they had no discussion from the republicans this time, for it was tabled and ordered to be printed.

CONCORD, June 28, Evening.

Agreeably to previous assignment, the House considered at 11 o'clock the bill entitled "an act to fix the time when the constitutional amendments, adopted in March last, shall take effect; and also providing for compiling the statutes of the State." Mr. Hodgdon moved to put the bill back upon its second reading so as to offer an amendment to the bill in regard to the time of the taking effect of the constitutional amendment prohibiting the General Court from authorizing towns or cities to loan or give their money or credit to corporations, as covered by the eighth question thus submitted. Judge Sargent's bill fixed the time for this amendment to take place on the first Wednesday of June, 1879. Mr. Hodgdon's amendment makes it take place in June, 1878. Then followed considerable discussion upon Mr. Hodgdon's motion, Messrs. Hackett of Portsmouth, Sawtelle of Lyme and Hodgdon of Barnstead speaking in favor, and Messrs. Cross of Manchester, Goodell of Antrim, and Ordway of Warner against it. Judge Sargent made an explanation why the time was thus fixed. After discussion the motion was put and decided [illegible]. A division was called for by Mr. [illegible] of Portsmouth, which resulted [illegible] 158 in the negative, [illegible] it was defeated. Mr. Hackett [illegible] called for the yeas and nays, which resulted [illegible] 118 yeas and [illegible] nays, and thus the motion was lost. The bill was then put upon its passage and passed unanimously. Thus one of the "great bills" of the session has been disposed of; the next one will not meet with so easy a passage.

An act to incorporate the [illegible] Home for Indigent Women at [illegible] was passed.

The adjournment of this afternoon was made a subject of considerable importance. After the regular routine of business was disposed of, Mr. Sinclair of Bethlehem gave some political resolutions to the Speaker, and just as he was about to read them Mr. Stevens of Nashua said that there was considerable business for the committees to do, and that there was a prospect of a heated political discussion, and therefore he moved the House adjourn. Mr. Sinclair called for the yeas and nays, and the motion to adjourn was adopted by a vote of 175 to 140.

The railroad committee reported this morning, unanimously, that it was inexpedient to legislate upon the general railroad law. The House adopted the resolution,—and thus that great bobgoblin of the railroad corporations in the State has been laid low.

The bill to enable parties "to have their cases tried within the ordinary expectation of a lifetime," was reported on—that it was inexpedient to legislate thereon. Adopted.

The bill to amend chapter 37 of the General Statutes, in relation to the choice of town officers, received the same fate.

House bill No. 25 was negatived; it was an act in amendment of chapter sixty-one, section five, of the General Statutes, relating to weights and measures:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

SECTION 1. That the standard weight for marrow beans shall be sixty pounds, for medium beans sixty-two pounds, and for pea beans sixty-four pounds.

SEC. 2. That this act shall take effect on the first day of September next, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed.

A bill has been introduced by Mr. Ordway of Warner, entitled "an act to reorganize and equalize the Senatorial Districts according to the amended Constitution." The State is divided into twenty-four Senatorial Districts, each one of which may elect one Senator to the Legislature, biennially. The following is the apportionment:

District No. 1—Coos county,—to be known as Coos District.

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District No. 4—Alexandria, Ashland, Bridgewater, Bristol, Campton, Centre Harbor, Danbury, Grafton, Groton, Hebron, Hill, Holderness, Madison, Moultonborough, New Hampton, New London, Orange, Plymouth, Rumney, Sandwich, Springfield, Tamworth and Wilmot,—to be known as the Plymouth District.

District No. 5—Andover, Belmont, Franklin, Laconia, Meredith, Northfield, Salisbury, Sanbornton and Tilton,—to be known as the Laconia District.

District No. 6.—Alton, Brookfield, Effingham, Freedom, Gilford, Gilmanton, Middleton, New Durham, Ossipee, Tuftonborough, Wakefield and Wolfeborough,—to be known as the Winnipisoogee District.

District No. 7—Acworth, Charlestown, Claremont, Cornish, Langdon, Newport and Unity,—to be known as the Sullivan District.

District No. 8—Alstead, Antrim, Bennington, Bradford, Deering, Gilsum, Goshen, Hancock, Hillsborough, Lempster, Marlow, Newbury, Stoddard, Sunapee, Walpole, Washington, Windsor,—to be known as the Hillsborough District.

District No. 9—Boscawen, Bow, Canterbury, Concord, ward 1, Dunbarton, Hennikcr, Hopkinton, Pembroke, Sutton, Warner, Webster,—to be known as the Merrimack District.

District No. 10—Concord, wards three, four, five, six and seven,—to be known as the Concord District.

District No. 11—Allenstown, Barnstead, Barrington, Chichester, Concord, ward two, Deerfield, Epsom, Lee, Loudon, Madbury, Northwood, Nottingham, Pittsfield, Strafford,—to be known as the Pittsfield District.

District No. 12—Farmington, Milton, Rochester and Somersworth,—to be known as the Salmon Falls District.

District No. 13—Keene, Nelson, Roxbury, Sullivan, Surrey, Westmoreland,—to be known as the Keene District.

Distriot No. 14—Chesterfield, Dublin, Fitzwilliam, Harrisonville, Hinsdale, Jaffrey, Marlborough, Richmond, Rindge, Swanzey, Troy and Winchester,—to be known as the Cheshire District.

District No. 15—Brookline, Francestown, Greenfield, Greenville, Hollis, Lyndeborough, Mason, New Ipswich, Peterborough, Sharon, Temple and Wilton,—to be known as the Peterborough District.

District No. 16—Amherst, Bedford, Goffstown, Merrimac, Milford, Mount Vernon, New Boston and Weare,—to be known as the Amherst Disfrict.

District No. 17—City of Nashua,—to be known as the Nashua District.

District No. 18—Manchester, wards three, four, five, six, seven and eight,—to be known as the Manchester District.

District No. 19—Manchester, wards one and two,—to be known as the Amoskeag District.

District No. 20—Auburn, Candia, Chester, Derry, Fremont, Hooksett, Hudson, Litchfield, Londonderry, Pelham, Raymond, Salem and Windham,—to be known as the Derryfield District.

District No. 21—Atkinson, Brentwood, Danville, East Kingston, Exeter, Hampstead, Hampton, Hampton Falls, Kensington, Kingston, Newton, Plaistow, Sandown, Seabrook and South Hampton,—to be known as the Rockingham District.

District No. 22—Durham, Epping, Greenland, Newcastle, Newington, Newmarket, North Hampton, Portsmouth ward three, Rye, South Newmarket and Stratham,—to be known as the Newmarket District.

District No. 23—City of Dover and Rollinsford,—to be known as the Dover District.

District No. 24—Portsmouth, wards one, two and four,—to be known as the Portsmouth District.

Act to take effect for the purpose of election on the first day of October, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and for all other purposes upon the first Wednesday of June, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine.

Rev. Daniel B. Dodge of Bloomington, North Carolina, this evening gives a lecture in Representatives' Hall on the Industrial Relations of the South and New England. This is to take the place of the regular agricultural meeting. If the members don't wish to attend that, then they have the opportunity of listening to Col. Blair of Plymouth in Eagle Hall, upon temperance, or a band concert on the balcony of the Phenix Hotel, or attending a democratic caucus in Phenix Hall,—the latter of which no doubt will have a full attendance. A. B.

An Excursion Party Blown Up.

Steamer Lady of the Lake, a little pleasure steamer plying on Silver Lake at Plympton, Mass., exploded her boiler on Thursday while conveying two small parties of church people from Boston about the lake. The upper deck and pilot house were blown away, the sides of the boat shattered, and a man and child thrown into the water; and fully half of the forty persons on board were cut and bruised or scalded, or otherwise injured. The boat took fire, and a little girl, who was entangled in the wreck, was badly burned before she was discovered by Miss F. S. Merrill of Boston, who rushed in and rescued the child at the peril of her own life, the lady and child both being dangerously injured. No deaths have occurred from the accident as yet. The cause of the explosion is a mystery. The engineer (who was badly bruised and burned) says he had plenty of water in the boilers and eighty pounds of steam on. The head of the boiler was blown out and holes blown in both sides of the boat, and the machinery was blown to pieces. The steamer originally came from Newburyport, and is about five years old. She ran in Plymouth Harbor one season under the name of "Glide," and was transported overland to the lake in 1874, and named Lady of the Lake. This is the second steamboat explosion in Massachusetts within a short time; a tug at Taunton recently blew up, killing the engineer and one deck hand.

The War.

The crossing of the Danube has been effected at several points, and the report of a general movement of the entire Russian line has been confirmed. The last detachment that has crossed over performed the feat near Gura, and met with no opposition. The Turks seem to have been taken completely by surprise. The Russian army now practically controls the Danube, and the strategy of the Russians Generals has secured the command of the river almost without striking a blow. The whole Russian army is now in motion, and within a few days news of the gravest importance may be looked for.

News and Notes.

Annie Graham, daughter of Daniel Graham of Hartford, Conn., aged four years and eight months, died Thursday of hydrophobia. It was clearly defined case. She was bitten May 21st. This is the second death from hydrophobia in Hartford this season. Prof. Alvergnat died of this disease, (or fright,) May 31st.

Fifty Jewish houses in Cincinnati, representing an aggregate of over $10,000,000 of capital, have published a card in the Cincinnati papers pledging themselves to entertain no business relations whatever with the house of A. T. Stewart & Co. Among them are several heavy clothing houses.

A fatal and singular accident occurred on the Pennsylvania Railroad on Wednesday. The ten o'clock express, which was going at a rapid rate of speed, struck one of a party of four tramps who had stepped on the track to avoid a freight train which was coming the other way, near Forestdale. The train struck him with such force as to hurl him against a telegraph pole and sever his head from his body. The head flying and striking another, broke his leg. It is said that every bone in the body of the tramp who was killed, was broken.

Dr, R. V. Pierce, the greatest living medical advertiser, is flatteringly mentioned as a candidate for the office of Mayor of Buffalo, the Queen City of the Lakes. Let other advertisers and other medical men imitate his example, and we shall hope in time to record the fact of similar distinctions conferred upon them all. They cannot all be Mayor of Buffalo, but each may become great in his own locality, or, what is better, great in the consciousness of a great deal of money judiciously spent. We tender our respectful compliments to Dr. Pierce. Let him be Mayor!—*N. Y. Sun*, June 9th, 1877.

The American House, Boston, has the reputation of being one of the most homelike hotels in the country. To make their patrons comfortable seems to be the great effort of the proprietors, and the clerks do not deem it beneath their dignity to shake hands with a guest. Diamond studs and button hole bouquets are at a discount in that office.—*Detroit Free Press.*

New Hampshire Items.

The late Chief Justice Chase's legacy of $10,000 to Dartmouth has just been received by that college.

President Hayes has concluded to visit New Hampshire after he has attended the Bennington (Vt.) celebration, August 15th and 16th.

—"Charles, dear," said a lady to her escort at the Boston Theatre, as the bewitching Aimee glanced tantalizingly out of the corners of her eyes at a row of Harvard boys in the orchestra chairs,—"Charles, dear, I'm afraid she is saying something very improper. Find me the place in the libretto, will you?"

—"Which is the most valuable—experience or instinct?" was the subject up for discussion at a county debating society recently. One member said experience teaches us to back up to a hot stove when we are cold, but when our cont-tails catch fire instinct is boss.

—Man claims there are things he can do better than a woman, but the most experienced base ball player can never hope to equal the dexterous back-handed action with which a woman "picks up" her dress.

"Making Old Bones."

People who neglect their minor ailments rarely live to make old bones. The secret of hale and vigorous old age, lies not only in taking care of one's health in early life, by the observance of sanitary rules, but also by judicious medication when the premonitory symptoms of bodily disorder manifest themselves. Indigestion, bowel and liver complaints are fruitful causes of injury to the constitution. These diseases should be, therefore, checked without delay. The best medicine for the purpose is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. This standard preparation disciplines the digestive organs, gives renewed impetus to the bilious secretive function, and exerts a beneficial influence upon the organs of urination. It has no rival as a remedy for and preventive of chills and fevers and bilious remittents, infuses vigor into the debilitated frame, and is an excellent appetizer and nervine.

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At last a perfect dentifrice has been discovered. Never was tooth brush dipped into a preparation so unobjectionable and so effective as Sozodont.

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JUST THINK OF IT.—That dread disease consumption, which takes away 40,000 lives every year in New England, might easily be avoided by the timely use of Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup, which is gaining a wide reputation by its curative properties. 50 cents will buy it at your druggist's.

VANILLA CHOCOLATE.—The highest perfection is obtained in the goods made by Walter Baker & Co., who received the first award over all the world, even at the Paris Exposition. Ask your Grocer for *Baker's*, and you will get the very best Vanilla Chocolate in the market.

FAMILIES will find in the large and carefully selected stock of T. E. Moseley & Co., 469 Washington street, Boston, every style of boots and shoes that they may require.

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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

DIED.

GUPPY. In Dover, June 22, Annie Laura Guppy, only child of Mr. George Fox Guppy, aged 8 months and 26 days.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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ARRIVED June 28.

Sch Golden Gate, Amee, Boston.
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Eastern R. R. in N. H.

THE Annual Meeting of the stockholders in the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire will be held at the County Court House on Court street in Portsmouth, N. H., on Tuesday the tenth day of July next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

I. To see if the Corporation will accept an act passed by the Legislature of New Hampshire at its session in 1876, amending the Charter of the Corporation.

II. To see if the Corporation will make any changes in its By-laws, or will refer the By-laws to a Committee to report any changes which may be desirable therein.

III. To elect a Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

IV. To transact any other business which may legally come before the meeting.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT, Clerk.

Portsmouth, N. H., June 28, 1877.

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IRA E. RANDALL.

Portsmouth, N. H., June 21. 3t

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Will appear in her original creation
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☞ Admission, 25 cents; Children under 10 years, 15 cents. All Reserved Seats, 35 cents. It is respectfully suggested that all secure their seats in advance as the hall is sure to be crowded. Reserved seats at Franklin Bazaar under hall.
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TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

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THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street.
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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	7.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.30 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 "	5.30 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

DRAW YOUR WALLETS.

A meeting of the committee appointed by the citizens to raise funds in aid of the St. John sufferers was held Thursday evening, Hon. Daniel Marcy presiding, in the absence of the Mayor, who was out of town. Charles H. Mendum, Esq., was appointed treasurer, and Postmaster Peirce and Charles H. Mendum were appointed a sub-committee to wait upon and solicit subscriptions from the substantial citizens of this city. Capt. Joseph H. Thacher and Joseph H. Foster, Esq., were added to the general committee.

There are many hundreds of absolutely destitute people in St. John, who must be fed, clothed, and sheltered, mainly through the voluntary contributions of more fortunate communities. Our city and St. John have been for many years more or less closely connected in commercial enterprises; but no business relations can increase the right of suffering humanity to look for aid to those who have escaped disaster, nor does lack of personal acquaintance release the fortunate man from the moral duty of extending aid to his unfortunate fellow in the hour of his great need. Hundreds of people in St. John have lost their all,—seen the results of a life's labor swept away in an hour, and must for a considerable time depend upon the charity which they have a right to expect, and which other cities are liberally bestowing. It is of course not to be expected that Portsmouth can stand beside the large cities in the number of dollars contributed to the cause; but it can, without suffering, raise for the stricken city a sum which will be of substantial benefit, and maintain its reputation for generous sympathy with suffering wherever it may occur.

We trust that no one who can afford a subscription, however small, will refuse it when called on by the committee.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, June 29th.

Frank Ludlow was charged with an assault on G. H. Kennard, a brakeman on the Eastern Railroad. The evidence showed that Ludlow, then somewhat under the influence of liquor, was on the platform of a car at North Hampton, Thursday evening, and the brakeman, as was his duty, attempted to enforce the rule against passengers standing on the platforms of cars. Ludlow was abusive and violent, and on the train's arriving in this city at nine o'clock, he was given into custody. Fine $10, costs $6.90.

James Sullivan and Michael Welch, two young fellows whose names have appeared in these reports before, for disorderly conduct were fined $3 each,—each to pay half the costs of prosecution, which footed up $9.18.

Sullivan and Welch were also complained of for malicious mischief (breaking glass), and Welch was fined $3, costs $5.76; the case against Sullivan was "nollied."

Jeremiah W. Edwards, otherwise "Professor" Edwards, was brought up on complaint of his wife, who charged him with assaulting her. Mrs. Edwards testified that she was not defendant's wife, she having separated from him; was once married to him, and never divorced; is not his wife now. The evidence was to the effect that the Professor notified Mrs. Edwards from Boston that he was going to send her ten dollars; she notified him that she didn't want any of his ten dollars or him either, and that she was going to Concord right away; he notified her that he was coming to this city right along,—and he came at nine o'clock Thursday night, went to his wife's home and into her chamber, and according to her version of the affair tried to choke her. The latter part the Professor denied; he was glad to see his wife, and kissed her just so (giving the Court a practical illustration of just how it was done); that was all. The Court, after patiently listening to all the evidence offered, ordered the Professor's release from custody.

ENGLAND TO BE INVADED.

A hundred years ago, when the Revolutionary War was raging, had any one suggested a hint of the possibility of a military expedition from Portsmouth, New Hampshire, ever invading Portsmouth, England, he would have been very suddenly and decidedly and properly sat upon, as being an idiot and a false prophet; yet this is exactly what is now intended, the Portsmouth Light Artillery proposing to invade both England and France next summer, and in the identical red-coat uniform worn by the royal troops when they invaded what were then the rebellious colonies—now the United States of America—a century ago. At a meeting of the Light Artillery, held Thursday evening, the following preamble and resolutions were unanimously adopted:

Whereas, The pleasant relations long existing between the municipal officers of Portsmouth, England, and those of this city, having resulted in the cordial invitation of the Mayor of that city to the Portsmouth Light Artillery through its former captain, Col. Thomas E. O. Marvin, to visit England, extending to them the freedom of Portsmouth; and

Whereas, The company have on 4th inst. accepted the said invitation and with great unanimity voted the thanks of the organization to Mayor Kent for this unusual honor, and, unable then (having just returned from an extended tour to the American Exposition) to name the time when the company would make the contemplated visit to England, it is therefore

Resolved, That the Portsmouth Light Artillery visit Portsmouth, England, in the summer of 1878, and extend the trip to attend the Paris Exposition; also

Resolved, That the company appoint a committee of seven to make the necessary arrangements.

Agreeably to the above vote, the following gentlemen were appointed a committee of arrangements: Wm. O. Sides, Joseph R. Curtis, D. J. Spinney, John S. Trant, Justin French, S. J. Slaney, John Turner, John C. Lewis.

We have briefly examined the plan of operations proposed by the managers of this scheme, and have no doubt that it will be carried to a successful issue, and that to the Portsmouth Light Artillery will belong the honor of first showing to the inhabitants of a British city a specimen company of the citizen soldiery of the United States.

The members of the company have pledged themselves to pay into the treasury the sum of one dollar each from week to week from now to June 1st, 1878, the amount thus contributed to be placed in the Portsmouth Savings Bank on deposit. After this sum shall, with interest, amount to $3000, then the honorary members and public will be invited to help swell the fund to $6000, which will be sufficient to cover all the expenses of the trip. Circulars are now preparing, giving full particulars, and will be sent to the honorary members and prominent gentlemen.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At the Methodist church, preaching at the usual hours forenoon and afternoon, by the pastor. Subjects—forenoon, "Secret of Prosperity;" afternoon, "History of the Methodist Church in Portsmouth." Sacrament of the Lord's Supper after the afternoon service.

Rev. James W. Hubbell will preach at the North church, Sabbath morning, the sermon preached by him recently at the annual meeting of Rockingham County Conference. Subject, "The plus quantity in Christ."

At the Universalist church, Sunday forenoon, the pastor will preach, the subject of his sermon being "Unconscious service and conscious neglect."

There will be a floral service in the Court street Christian church on Sunday morning at half-past ten, with singing and recitations by the Sunday school children. Also, preaching in the afternoon at quarter before three o'clock. Prayer meeting at half-past seven o'clock in the evening. All are welcome.

The Temperance Reform Club meeting at Mechanics Hall to-morrow (Sunday) evening will be addressed by the President, Mr. James Janvrin. It is understood that Mr. Janvrin declines a re-election, so his remarks will be of the character and tone of a valedictory. He has been in office six months and has discharged the difficult duties of presiding officer of the Club in an acceptable manner, and proved himself worthy in every way of the high trust committed to him by the members of the organization in choosing him as their leader. Honest in his purposes, unflinching in the discharge of duty and earnest in the work of reclaiming the fallen, Mr. Janvrin stands among us as a noble instance of salvation from the slough of intemperance, and his reclamation is a signal victory for the Portsmouth Temperance Reform Club. Give him a good house on Sunday night! Praise service from half-past seven until eight.

[Communicated.]

MODERN IMPROVEMENTS.

It is a propensity of not a few in every age to compare the time in which they live with the past, to the disadvantage of the latter. If we may believe Cowper, the generation among whom his lot was cast were to a great extent very bad when compared with those of the "good old times" of which he wrote who were the very salt of the earth, according to his idea, in goodness. That the former were *bad* enough there can be no doubt, when "people of quality" as they were called, meaning the *higher* class, if the phase may be used, played cards for money at parties, in which pastime misses and masters in their teens were allowed among themselves to indulge; when what was known as the *double entendre* was regarded as evidence of smartness, however impure the thought concealed beneath it, and when *gentlemen* as they regarded themselves, boasted of deeds which should have consigned them to infamy in the eyes of those of either sex possessing the slightest sense of honor and virtue. Whatever may have been the merits or demerits of the people in the "good old times" of which *we* hear and read, there is no denying the fact that a great change for the better has come about within the memory of most of us in many things, and among them none is more noble, or deserving of a greater degree of encouragement than the interest awakened everywhere in the welfare of the dumb creation, and the efforts made to protect them from abuse. There was a time when burdens were placed upon horses that taxed their utmost strength to draw even but a few rods at a time, and if not progressing as rapidly as their inhuman task-masters desired, the lash was applied with a severity it makes one's blood run cold to think of; the poor creatures could be seen, too, [illegible] bleeding sores [illegible] it was to be regretted could not be transferred to the backs of their brutal owners. There are laws in these better days to punish such inhuman wretches and kind-hearted people to see that they are put in force. Before the enactment of such restraints, through the exertions of good men like Mr. Bergh and others of both sexes, of which we have a share, the driver of a cart in New York, by way of taking vengeance upon his horse, when his hard-day's work was over, for treading upon his boot, tied him to his stall, and applied the whip until his own strength was exhausted; then, as he was giving the last blow, in stooping to recover his instrument of torture that had fallen from his hand, he received a kick from the iron-shod hoof of his victim, that broke his skull, and after hours of suffering, caused his death. "Served him right" was the verdict of all who read the story.

There was once no laws to prevent the destruction around Portsmouth of birds whose sweet song was music to the ear and whose bright plumage, often, was a delight to look upon. A daily sight it was, in summer time, to see *brave* sportmen returning from the country with strings of birds of every kind from a ground sparrow to a robin redbreast or golden-winged yellow hammer; just as common was it to see school-boys come back from their Wednesday and Saturday afternoon rambles, bearing with them unfledged little ones of which they had robbed the parent birds, and eggs they had stolen from the nests of others; they are taught better now if they were not then, and a very mean boy it must be, few and far between it is to be hoped, who would be guilty of acts so base and heartless. Nor less frequent an occurrence was it to see a poor cat, who chanced to come in their way, pelted even to death with stones by vagabond boys, who regarded it as the greatest of enjoyments to do so; the breed of such creatures may yet remain but a nobler race of their sex and age might be found I fancy who would teach them that throwing stones is a game at which, in such a cause, two parties could play. The croakers to the contrary notwithstanding, we *do* live in a better age than the past in many ways; and there is reason to hope that the generation to come will be better still.

J. H. B.

JOTTINGS.

Sale by auction at noon to-day, at the store on Market street recently occupied by Spalding & Parrott, of the entire stock in said store. Sale positive. See advertisement.

At the annual meeting of the Court street Christian Society, Thursday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Wardens, Joshua Stackpole, Alfred S. Goss, James H. Morrison; Collector and Treasurer, Charles E. Buzzell; Assistant Collector, Albert A. Junkins. This society is enjoying excellent success under the earnest ministrations of its worthy pastor, Rev. John A. Goss.

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THE Annual Meeting of the Proprietors of Newcastle Bridge will be held at the office of the Treasurer, No. 10 Pleasant street, on Monday, July 2, at 11 o'clock A. M., for the choice of Directors and to transact any other business that may come before them. W. L. DWIGHT, *Pro. Clerk.*

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Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

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The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which will be issued, containing a report of all the proceedings in the Declination of the Park, [illegible] DeNormandie, Hon. C. [illegible] with a full list of the 700 [illegible] the persons or Associations [illegible] —may be had at 25 cents [illegible] of J. H. FOSTER, or [illegible] Counting Room. Sent [illegible]

Chang Ah-Tung, who was arrested about six weeks ago for forging the name of Charles Samuels to three money orders of $40 each, was placed on trial in the United States Circuit Court, New York, but the trial had gone on only a short time before it was discovered that the Chinese signature which was supposed to be Samuels' name was in reality that of Ah-Tung himself. Assistant District Attorney Foster entered a hasty nolle prosequi, and Mr. Chang Ah-Tung resumes his former place in the confidence of the community. This illustrates the general uncertainty of life, and the painful vicissitudes of a Chinese handwriting.

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Concord	74
Eastern	50
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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vault, room or stall of the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any solters of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the Health Officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughterhouse, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his tenement either of said ponds, or upon any flat, dam or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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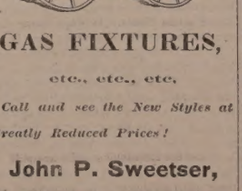

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The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.
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Portsmouth Chronicle.

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In eighteen hundred and seventy
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By eighteen hundred and seventy-one
The Tweed Ring's stealing had all been done.
By eighteen hundred and seventy-two
The amount of their stealing the people knew.
By eighteen hundred and seventy-three
Most of the thieves had decided to flee.
In eighteen hundred and seventy-four
Tweed was allowed his freedom no more.
In eighteen hundred and seventy-five.
The thieves for forgiveness began to contrive.
By eighteen hundred and seventy six
A suspicion was had of some legal tricks.
By eighteen hundred and seventy-seven
By the payment of gold the Ring were forgiven.
In eighteen hundred and seventy eight
All the Ring were restored to their rights in State.
—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

Fancy Farming.

It has been of late proposed to raise by subscription enough to enable Mr. Evarts to hold the office of Secretary of State without damage to his private interests. One of the best features in such measures would be to abolish the Vermont farm, which is said to exhaust the best part of his income. He has 70 head of cattle, 200 sheep, 16 horses and 25 swine. The extent of land is 800 acres. Last year 200 tons of hay were cut, costing the proprietor not much more than double the market price. More than 2000 bushels of corn were raised, at an estimated loss of 50 cents a bushel, and therfore ought to be of good quality. His pork is estimated at 20 cents a pound, and chickens at $3 a pair.

Beecher last year raised about 15,000 bushels of onions on his Peekskill farm. They cost him $1.50 a bushel, according to estimate, and as the price in this city was $1, any one can see how much he made. Beecher can send beef to New York market at 50 cents a pound, and can raise oats at as low a mark as $2 a bushel. His butter is reckoned at $1.25 a pound, and his eggs at 75 cents a dozen. He cleared $40,000 by lecturing last winter, and if he maintains such an income he will be able to continue farming.

Gough lectures five times a week, his fee being $200. He has a farm in Worcester, which at one time contained 175 acres. He has no children, but his expenses are very heavy, and, to bring matters in a snug shape, he sold a part of his land, and reduced the farm to 125 acres, which is as extensive as his income will admit. A few years ago his wife, who was a Yankee girl, undertook to raise fancy fowls, which some say are very profitable. She got up a very nice variety, and at a rather reasonable expense, for the Shanghaes did not cost more than $75 a pair. The Cochin Chinas were a little cheaper, and bantams could be rated at from $25 to $40. After stocking the place with these rare birds, Gough, it is said, found that if they were to be kept up he would be obliged to lecture on Sundays as well as on week days to make a living. When it costs $15 to winter a chicken a man needs a good income. The system was therefore changed; the fowls were abolished and regular crops were tried with decided success. As long as Gough's rye does not cost more than $5 per bushel, and the other crops are kept at an equally reduced rate, his present income will enable him to live in a very decent manner. There is nothing like a farming life for men who have plenty of money.—*New York paper.*

Mr. Beecher Rising.

It is very plain to see that Henry Ward Beecher is rapidly regaining his former position of power and influence in this community, while those who attempted to pull him down have one after another disappeared from view. Mr. Beecher is also rapidly replenishing his exchequer. One of his senior counsel during his trial informs me that he has received $50,000 for his public lectures; furthermore that it is true that he has had an offer from the Boston bureau of $25,000 to lecture in California during the summer vacation. Manifestly Beecher stock is rising. It is understood that Messrs. Moulton and Tilton are now not only estranged but hostile to each other. Mr. Moulton is reported to have said in Boston the other day that it was a shame he ever threw himself away for such a fellow as Tilton. Mr. Beecher's counsel believe, or assume to believe, that Mrs. Moulton sooner or later will come out with a confession to the effect that she was persuaded by her husband to say what she did on the trial, and will then proceed to tell a directly opposite story—*New York cor. Chicago Journal.*

—If there were no other feature to mark the importance of the institution of Freemasonry its stability would recommend it to the consideration of the wise and thoughtful. There is a deal of nobility in this sturdy changelessness of the fraternity. It is our pride that the craftsman of to-day is laboring in the same quarries, and for the same objects as his brother of centuries ago. Not because of the odd sentiment brought out by the thought, but because it exhibits the strength of that humanity, whose problems wrought out one after another, through the ages, are still renewed for thoughtful inquiry, year by year.—*Noah's Sunday Times.*

—Barnum has presented A. H. Byington of the Norwalk *Gazette* with a jackass. What do they want of two such editors on that paper?

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JULY 2, 1877.

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The undersigned, in announcing his retirement from the journalistic field, and especially from the editorship and proprietorship of the DAILY CHRONICLE and NEW HAMPSHIRE GAZETTE, desires to tender his heartfelt thanks to the many personal friends and the patrons of the CHRONICLE and the GAZETTE, who by their uniform courtesy, kindly remembrances and many proofs of confidence and esteem, have aided in rendering his arduous and trying duties less irksome than if unsupported by sympathy and substantial endorsement. No person placed in the responsible position of editorial management for a series of years can fail of being convinced that however indefatigable may be his exertions and conscientious his motives, his success still largely depends on the kind co-operation of friends and well-wishers. It is an exceedingly pleasant remembrance that from the time the writer first ventured into active and responsible journalism (April 12, 1868,) he met with an encouragement that has continued through the nine years and more that have intervened. It is a matter, also, of extreme pleasure to note that his associations in business and editorial labor have been unmarred by serious disagreement or conflicting opinion. Personalism in journalism is evidently being "cultivated out of sight," but the readers of this paper will doubtless excuse references that seem due to others ere the writer relinquishes the pen editorial.

First among those offering encouragement to youthful ambition was good old "UNCLE TOBY," Heaven bless his memory! How sadly was he missed from the CHRONICLE sanctum when his life-work of good deeds was ended, and the record closed of a life wholly unconscious of any intention to do wrong to others, but, instead, impressed with a desire to help right the wrongs of others. Then comes to the mind's eye, the energetic partner to whom Portsmouth is more deeply indebted than its citizens ever realized, and to whom it gave the Chief Magistracy for a period, all too brief, Hon. FRANK W. MILLER, the first person who established here a daily newspaper, and who, true to his convictions, cannot confine his "pent-up" ideas and once more dashes into editorial life with all the vigor of youth and energy of his nature. He was succeeded by Mr. WASHINGTON FREEMAN, as steady a balance wheel as one could wish for, a financial manager whose integrity could never be doubted, and whose influence has largely tended toward increasing the success which has attended the CHRONICLE from its inception to the present time. And who that has once known him can forget the "ancient mariner," whose humorous and patriotic letters from Australia, in war times, were sought for eagerly, and who on returning published in this paper the remarkably convincing series of "Pakeha" letters, on the merchant marine and naval matters, which, being extensively copied, aided in gaining Congressional adjudication which gave naval "staff" officers their rights. The writer of these sturdy articles, Mr. ISRAEL P. MILLER, soon gravitated to editorial life and has ably taken charge of the editorial labor on this paper during the past year.

The correspondents and volunteer reporters who have kindly favored this paper in the past with discussion and news, have aided in continuing its success; and to them and the brethren of the press at home and abroad, with whom many pleasant acquaintances have been formed, acknowledgment of courtesies received is due. A chief regret at retiring from editorial life is the severance of these professional ties, which have grown and strengthened with each succeeding year. Due regard, however, for personal health and business interests elsewhere which demand attention, although not of such an exacting nature as newspaper publishing, furnishes a motive for this withdrawal.

The CHRONICLE and the GAZETTE will remain in excellent hands, and will gain by the partial change of proprietorship which takes place to-day. May the papers and their proprietors meet with still greater success, and the readers and patrons increase tenfold and be abundantly satisfied.

GEO. W. MARSTON,

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 27th.

Many thousand Centennial visitors who included the Federal Capital in their journey to or from Philadelphia last season, viewed the incompleted shaft of marble 174 feet high and one half mile south of the White House, and when told it was the rudiment of the Washington Monument, began so many years ago, the almost uniform wish expressed was that it might speedily be completed. These indications of popular sympathy, quickened by the inspirations of patriotism absorbed at Philadelphia on the 4th of July, 1876, probably induced Hon. John Sherman to move the appropriation of $200,000 for its completion, on the following day, which was carried without opposition. A commission of army officers was at once designated to test the sufficiency of the foundation to support the great weight of a gradually tapering shaft of marble, carried upward to a height of 600 feet from a base about 80 feet square. Contrary to several previous reports of competent engineer officers, and to general expectation based on the statements of our local papers that everything was found all right, after several months spent in sinking shafts an unfavorable report was made, stating that the portion already up was deflected several inches from the perpendicular, from the inequality in the substance of the underlying earth. The Monment Association was highly incensed, and attacked the report with such vigor as to discredit the conclusions of the scientific West Point gentlemen; for it has been pretty conclusively shown in the controversy that the *fixed point*—a stone marking the meridian of Washington—serving as the basis of all their measurements and calculations, was moved a few years ago without their knowledge, invalidating the results arrived at. Thus the matter stands, and likely Congress will be asked at the next session to indicate its pleasure in the premises—either to tear it down or complete it according to the original, or some other plan.

Hard money men are said to be growing dispirited at the evident tendency in high official quarters to adapt the alleged suggestions of Senator Jones to be made in his forthcoming report as spokesman of the silver commission, to make the silver dollar a legal tender without restrictions of any kind, thus placing it on an equality with gold. It is now given out that Secretary Sherman is gradually retreating from the middle ground he at first took in favor of a limited restoration of silver, toward the President's position of an absolute repeal of the demonetization act of 1873. Under such circumstances it is held that the redemption of the four per cent. bonds and the payment of their interest in silver would do no violence to the spirit of the Secretary's assurances in his late letter, but about every one here understood him to mean gold, and there is no doubt from Senator Jone's criticism that that was precisely his understanding of the matter.

Dowling's case is kept very quiet. It will certainly require a good deal of courage to remove him in the face of the protest of nearly the entire population of Toledo, and that too in the absence of a single valid cause for such action, as it would serve very greatly to discredit the Presidential professions of civil service reform. A good many people shake their heads knowingly at every mention of Stanley Matthews, as though he couldn't be too soon or too persistently snubbed, if the President would save himself from the suspicion of allowing that gentleman too much latitude in dictating removals and appointments.

The storm that devastated so many farms and villages on its way here from the West, struck us last evening about sunset. Its force was so nearly spent that it did no material damage, though it made matters lively in the streets for a few moments, and gave us a copious fall of rain, accompanied by thunder and lightning. KNOX.

Couldn't Manage It.

Mr. John G. Sinclair, of Bethlehem, has tried hard to delude the republicans of the New Hampshire Legislature into indirectly acknowledging that the Southern States were badly governed by the republicans and are well governed by the democrats, through the introduction of resolutions pretending to be an endorsement of the President's Southern policy. First, he introduced a resolution endorsing the "Head of the Administration" (not the "National Administration," as the press despatches made it) for his Southern policy; but the republicans didn't propose to allow a hide-bound Bourbon like Sinclair to dupe them into even an indirect admission that there is no "President" in the country, so they banished his resolution to a committee. Next he introduced a resolution and preamble, the preamble setting forth that "justice has been established and domestic tranquility restored" in the South by the "Southern policy." As the Kemper county, the Hamburg and the Ellenton assassins are still at liberty, and though well known are holding their heads high as ever in democratic society, unmolested by and fearless of the law, the republicans declined to declare that "justice has been established" in the South, even though invited to do so by Mr. Oily Gammon Sinclair. And they did just right.

The War.

A despatch from Athens says an Austrian Lloyds steamer landed at Corfu for the Turkish Government 103 cases of arms intended for reshipment to Prevesa in Albania, but the Russian consul protested to the Greek Government against the use of neutral territory as a neutral territory as a depot for the arms of a belligerent. The Government thereupon ordered the detention of the arms, and the captain of the Austrian ship in which they were already embarked, on hearing the protest, unloaded them into the boats, where they remain. The Turks intimated they are about to send a man-of-war to fetch the arms. The Greeks replied that they would send what force was at their disposal to prevent it. The Turkish Government protested, but notwithstanding, the Greeks have ordered the iron-clads George and Olga to leave immediately, and they are now ready. The Greek Government has informed the powers of this, calling upon them for support in preserving neutrality. They will allow the arms to be taken to Trieste by a neutral ship.

From all accounts there has been severe fighting along the Danube, though the Russians have succeeded in establishing themselves on the Turkish side of the river at a number of points. At Nikopolis and Sistova the Russian loss was very heavy; between Sistova and Simuitza the fighting was not so severe, and the Russians easily brushed the Turks out of their way. A despatch from Nikopolis dated June 29th, says that the Russians attempted to cross the river Thursday in fifty lighters; ten of the lighters were sunk by shells and the attempt failed; the slaughter was frightful.

A despatch from Constantinople says the Porte has declared it is willing to conclude peace with Montenegro should Montenegro request peace.

A telegram from Trebizond says that on Friday the Turks assaulted and carried the Russian positions at Batoum, in Asia Minor, in which they achieved a great victory. The Russians are retreating, after a severe battle, in which they lost a large number of men.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, June 30.

Among the first movements in the House yesterday morning was that Mr. Cross of Manchester asked for unanimous consent to have the report of the railroad committee on the general railroad law reconsidered. Mr. Sinclair of Bethlehem objected; then Mr. Cross gave notice that he should move a reconsideration. Then followed sixteen different reports from the committee on judiciary.

The committee on banks reported that the bill to incorporate the Piscataqua Savings Bank ought not to pass. Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth said that some parties from Portsmouth desired to be heard upon the bill, and upon his motion the bill was laid upon the table.

At 11 o'clock Mr. Barton of Newport called for the special order, being the State prison bill. On the objection of Mr. Sinclair, the Speaker ruled that the general orders must be disposed of. Mr. Stevens of Nashua moved that the rules be suspended and the special assignment be considered. On the objection of Mr. Sinclair, Mr. Stevens withdrew his motion. After a number of bills were read a second time Mr. Sinclair called for the unfinished business of the day preceding, being the resolution offered by himself. Then for two hours and quarter there was warm a political discussion as one would wish to hear. The Speaker read the preamble and resolution which was as follows:

"*Whereas*, A resolution was presented to this House on Tuesday last approving the acts of the National Administration in removing the United States troops and restoring self-government to the States of Florida, Louisana, and South Carolina, by which justice has been established and domestic tranquility restored, and also of the order prohibiting undue interference by officers of the National Government and their subordinates with elections; and whereas, it appeared in the discussion that the sentiment of that resolution was warmly and unanimously endorsed by the House; and whereas, the only objection to said resolution, was found in the source from which it emanated and its phraseology or grammatical construction, therefore,

Resolved, That the Committee on National Affairs be respectfully requested to prepare and report a resolution couched in chaste and unexceptional language, expressive of the unanimous and unqualified approval of this House of those great distinguishing acts."

Mr. Sinclair supported his resolution in his usual story telling, witty, sarcastic and facetious manner. Then resolutions, amendments, and points of order were offered, made and debated by Messrs. Wood of Acworth, Stevens of Nashua, Patterson of Hanover, Ordway of Warner, Sinclair of Bethlehem, Stevens of Concord, Barton of Newport, and Colony of Keene. Time and space permits of only a mere outline of this debate. After Mr. Sinclair's first speech Mr. Wood offered a humorous substitute, which was rejected. Mr. Stevens of Nashua called for a division of the question, dividing the preamble from the resolution. Mr. Ordway then offered an amendment. Ordway and Sinclair then debated whether this amendment was germane. Mr. Stevens of Nashua then offered an amendment. Mr. Stevens of Concord then offered an amendment. Mr. Stevens of Nashua moved to refer the whole matter, with all the amendments, to the Committee on National Affairs. Mr. Sinclair moved as an amendment to this that the committee be instructed to report a resolution endorsing the President's policy in regard to the Southern States, and in regard to civil service reform. Messrs. Stevens of Nashua, Barton, Patterson, Sinclair, and Colony then debated whether Mr. Sinclair's amendment was in order. Finally Mr. Stevens moved that Mr. Sinclair's amendment be tabled, to be taken up when the parties interested should agree. Mr. Sinclair asked the Speaker, if the motion was carried to table his amendment, if it did not carry with it the whole matter. The Speaker said he thought it would. Mr. Sinclair said, amidst loud laughter, "Then to bar against all accidents I will call for the yeas and nays on the motion to table." The yeas and nays were called and the whole matter was tabled by a vote of 202 yeas to 128 nays.

The Speaker gained a good deal in the estimation of the House by his fairness and impartiality in the debate.

The State prison bill, which was crowded out by this debate, has been assigned to next Friday at 11 o'clock.

In the afternoon many members deserted the House, but those remaining managed to dispose of a vast amount of work and the Speaker's desk was cleared. For over an hour bills were read the third time and passed.

The House adjourned until Monday, at 4 o'clock P. M.

Yours, A. B.

"Making Old Bones."

People who neglect their minor ailments rarely live to make old bones. The secret of hale and vigorous old age, lies not only in taking care of one's health in early life, by the observance of sanitary rules, but also by judicious medication when the premonitory symptoms of bodily disorder manifest themselves. Indigestion, bowel and liver complaints are fruitful causes of injury to the constitution. These diseases should be, therefore, checked without delay. The best medicine for the purpose is Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. This standard preparation disciplines the digestive organs, gives renewed impetus to the bilious secretive function, and exerts a beneficial influence upon the organs of urination. It has no rival as a remedy for and preventive of chills and fevers and bilious remittents, infuses vigor into the debilitated frame, and is an excellent appetizer and nervine.

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The Smithsonian Institution records show that the capital city of Minnesota has a winter of 148 days, during which the temperature is 10° Fahr. below the freezing point. That such an arctic temperature is more favorable to the cure of consumption than a climate comparatively warm and uniform throughout the year, is a point that is not proved. Of the consumptives who go to Minnesota, even in the early stages of their complaint, but one in fifteen are cured. The Young Men's Christian Association of St. Paul has found it necessary to take in charge the burial of the friendless invalids that flock there in the vain hope of the climate cure; and they have abundant duty as undertakers. In short there seems to be no sovereign balm for consumption in Minnesota. And this is not only the case there, but is also true of other supposed beneficial climates. Far better would it be for the patient to remain at home, and take some reliable remedy like Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup, which the inventor, a well-known practising physician of Claremont, N. H., has used with unparalleled success in his practice for over fifteen years.

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THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of MARSTON & FREEMAN is dissolved from this date. All persons having claims against either member of the late firm are requested to present them for payment, and all persons indebted to the late firm are requested to settle with WASHINGTON FREEMAN, who is authorized to make collections and settle accounts.

GEORGE W. MARSTON,
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Portsmouth, N. H., June 30, 1877.

Lost.

A THOROUGHBRED SHEPHARD DOG, six months old, black, with four white feet, white stripe in face, end of tail white, and tan points; a spot of bare skin on left side of face. Had on steel linked collar, without name. Answers to name of "Pedro." A handsome reward will be paid for his return, or for information that will lead to his recovery. J. HORACE KENT.

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To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term*, June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1873, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.

A true copy.
Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.

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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.35 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M	
" Way,	10.35 "	3.00 "	
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Concord Way,		4.35 "	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "	

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

See advertisement of dog lost in another column.

Charles Levi Woodbury and James T. Fields are at the Appledore House, Isles of Shoals.

The usual dividend of three per cent. on the Portsmouth and Dover Railroad shares will be paid to-day, at the Treasurer's office in this city.

Piscataqua Lodge, No. 6, I. O. O. F., will have a public installation of officers at Odd Fellows' Hall this evening.

Sagamore Lodge, No. 258, Knights of Honor, will install the officers for the ensuing year on Monday evening next.

Ex-Gov. Noyes, of Ohio, and United States Senators Wadleigh and Rollins of this State, are at the Boar's Head Hotel, Hampton Beach.

Ex-humid—the street crossings, under the direction of Commissioner Sides—for which every pedestrian on Saturday morning gave thanks.

Mr. John Sides brought into our office on Saturday potatoes, raised in his garden this year, one of which weighed eleven ounces and measured six inches in length.

At the hearing at Concord on Wednesday in relation to the bill asking for a charter for a new bank in this city, to be called Piscataqua Savings Bank, it was unanimously voted that it is not expedient to grant the charter.

Lieut. Comdr. Augustus G. Kellogg has been ordered to take command of the U. S. S. Speedwell at this navy yard. After the vessel is prepared she will proceed to Salem and take on board Prof. Baird and his party, who are there engaged in duties relating to the fish commission, and proceed with them to the meeting of the commission at Washington.

About two weeks ago Lucinda Hooper, an enterprising dairy and poultry market woman of York, barely escaped serious if not fatal injuries at Portsmouth bridge. Her horse became frightened at the moving train of cars and came near throwing her out. Some workmen near by helped the woman from the wagon, and attempted to hold the animal by the bit, but failing they were soon obliged to witness a general smash up of wagon, butter, eggs, etc. The bridge company, however, made all damages good.—*Biddeford Journal.*

When the voters of Ward Two sent Col. Sise to the Legislature they were not aware that they were sending forth a missionary; but it is so, for since he has been in Concord the clothing dealers there expose white vests in their shop windows, for sale. But the residents of that city do not seem inclined to treat him as the New Zealand heathen used to treat their teachers—roast them—for he is most kindly cared for. A few days ago the clerk of the hotel where he stops heard him complain that there was no bible in his room, and within a very short time he was presented with one suitably inscribed, by the New Hampshire Bible Society. Naturally enough the colonel values the gift highly; and we are satisfied that the remark we heard made Saturday evening by Lieut. "Bob." Rich, viz: "That bible is an elephant on his hands—he don't know what to do with it!" was instigated solely by envy.

We copy the following from the *Times*: "In looking over the neatly-printed pages of a little sheet called 'The Travellers' Record,' we came across an item which says: 'It takes but a slight mishap to put one on the shelf for a few weeks or months. A slip, a trip, a stub of a toe, a sprain, cut, bruise, burn, etc., has often done it as effectually as a railroad collision or a boiler explosion.' True as gospel; and as accident is liable to happen to anybody at any hour, we would advise those who have not already invested in a policy to call on Messrs. Morse & Ilsley, agents in Portsmouth for the Travellers' Life and Accident Insurance Company of Hartford, Conn., and invest a small sum, which is sure to secure large benefits in case of accident. The 'Travelers' is a thoroughly reliable company, as very many people in this city are able to testify." Just so, neighbor; and you might have given a personal illustration of the value of accident insurance, had not your modesty prevented.

Concerning the Wilkinsons, who are to appear at Franklin Hall on the evening of the 4th, the Worcester (Mass.) *Gazette* spoke as follows after a recent entertainment given in that city: "Jolly old Charlie Wilkinson was more jolly than ever before as he stood at the gate at the foot of the Mechanics Hall stairs, last evening, and answered nods and took tickets from the hundreds who were gathering to see his company play 'Uncle Tom's Cabin.' The big hall was full, and it is not to be wondered at that the company have met with great success in suburban towns, for though small in numbers, it is above the average in dramatic ability. Lillie Wilkinson plays the difficult part of 'Topsy' finely, and Charlie is as funny as in 'the days of long ago.' Their 'Uncle Tom' was good, 'St. Clair' very good, 'Ophelia' fair, and 'Eva' one of the best, Portia Albee being more worthy the title 'child artist' than scores of the little girls who attempt to act. That the old story was effectively told was evidenced by the alternate tears and laughter of the audience, the most critical of whom found little to wish bettered. The Wilkinsons should come again."

On Friday night a new, unpainted dory, belonging to George T. Vaughan and lying on the beach in the rear of his store, was stolen, the thieves launching her, and no doubt towing her off, as she was without rowlocks or tholepins.

Morse & Ilsley will sell at auction at eleven o'clock this forenoon, at their office, bank stock, parlor organ, etc. See advertisement.

The graduating class of the Portsmouth High School, and others, to the number of about thirty, went to Dover Friday night, by invitation, to attend the reception of the graduating class of Dover High School. They report hospitable entertainment and a good time. The reception was from eight to nine o'clock, dancing following and continuing until one o'clock, Blaisdell's orchestra of Concord furnishing the music.

We learn from Rev. Charles A. Holbrook that the Children's Home has received a donation of fifty dollars from some charitable person in Egypt, and also the sum of nine dollars from the Bradford Female Academy at Bradford, Mass.

A number of navy yard workmen will be taken on this morning.

New Hampshire Items.

The State of New Hampshire redeems a hundred thousand dollars of her bonds to-day.

More visitors than usual this season are reported at the White Mountain hotels, and the season will generally open this week.

The Manchester and Fall River base ball clubs had a game at Fall River on Thursday, and played fourteen innings, the Fall Rivers scoring one run and Manchesters none. On Friday the Manchesters were beaten by the Live Oaks of Lynn, 3 to 2.

Mrs. Payson of Tilton, who was assaulted with an axe two weeks ago, is improving, with prospects of her recovering.

Two yokes of cattle, one belonging to George W. Otis and the other to Orin K. Otis, were stolen from their pasture at Farmington on Wednesday night, June 20th. They were traced to Lyman, Maine, where they were found on Saturday night.

The Turf Association of Nashua have postponed the races which were advertised to commence July 3d and continue four days, still later in the season, on account of the small number of entries in the different classes. The meeting of the Association will probably be held the last of August, and everything will be done to make it the best that has ever been held in the State.

A last spring's calf belonging to Joseph C. Langford, in some way got on the railroad at East Candia, just before train time. When the locomotive reached the little fellow he was caught up on the cow-catcher, and thrown into the air from six to ten feet, coming down "right side up," about twenty feet from the track. He gathered himself up, took a good look at the engine, then went quietly on about getting his supper.

Among the most distinguished of the necrology list of Dartmouth College for the past year may be mentioned Ether Shepley, class of 1811, ex-Senator of the United States and Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Maine; Hon. Daniel M. Christie, LL. D., 1815; Cyrus P. Smith, 1874, the Brooklyn millionaire; Rev. Wm. H. Lord, D. D., Montpelier, Vt., son of the late President Lord.

The annual report of the State Insurance Commissioner shows that there are in the State fifteen towns mutual companies and six State mutual, while sixty-six outside companies do business in the State. The risks written in 1876 were $39,149,711, and the gross premiums $544,548. The losses reported were $405,037, and $381,351 were paid. None of the State mutual companies have received enough during the year to pay expenses. There are twenty-three life and accident insurance companies doing business in the State, which is nine less than the previous year. The amount insured was $1,892,135, and losses paid $177,093.

News and Notes.

The Harvard-Yale boat race at Springfield, Saturday, was won by Harvard by a length.

The Baltimore *Sun* says of Fred Douglass' visit to his old owner's house the other day: "He evidently felt like one returning home and receiving a master's blessing after many wanderings," a sensation which few people can appreciate. It adds, "Both the master, now ripe for the tomb, and the former slave, now covered with honors, wept when they parted." This reads like the story of the probable son.

In the law organizing the Electoral Commission there was a singular oversight. There was no provision made for a depository of the records of the Commission, and they consequently remain in the custody of the Secretary, who is somewhat annoyed by their possession.

That is a very curious case of Mrs. Sarah M. Victor in Ohio. She was convicted some years ago of murder in the first degree for poisoning her husband, and sentenced to be hung, but the Governor commuted the sentence to imprisonment for life in the penitentiary. Mrs. Victor is tired of that kind of life, and a year and a half ago petitioned to the Courts in Columbus to have the original sentence carried out, on the ground that she never consented to the commutation. She prefers to be hung. The Judge, after holding the case under advisement all this time, renders a decision holding that in law Mrs. Victor is an escaped prisoner after conviction, and he has issued an order for her delivery to the authorities of the county in which she was tried, to await action by its Courts. It is thought that the Supreme Court will not sustain this decision, but will say that Mrs. Victor has no right to be hung. The case is said to be without a precedent.

—The big guns in the Brooklyn navy yard have been named "Moloch," "Lucifer," and "Satan," notwithstanding the protest of the chaplain.

MARRIED.

TUCKER—DOW. In Seabrook, June 20, by Rev. I. J. Burgess, of Hampton Falls, Mr. J. Monroe S. Tucker of Amesbury, Mass., and Miss H. Maria Dow of Seabrook.

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ELLISON—DAVIS. In Newmarket, June 16, by Rev. H. Dorr, Mr. J. Albert Ellison, and Miss Nettie Davis.

DIED.

GARLAND. In Epping, June 22, Mr. Joseph Garland, aged 56 years, 8 months.

NASON. In Raymond, May 26, Mrs. Martha Nason, aged 41 years.

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Notice.

THE SUBSCRIBER gives notice that he has been duly appointed Executor of the last will of MEHITABLE HILLIARD, late of Newcastle, in the County of Rockingham, deceased. All persons indebted to said Estate are requested to make payment, and all having claims to present them for adjustment.

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I. To see if the Corporation will accept an act passed by the Legislature of New Hampshire at its session in 1876, amending the Charter of the Corporation:

II. To see if the Corporation will make any changes in its By-laws, or will refer the By-laws to a Committee to report any changes which may be desirable therein.

III. To elect a Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

IV. To transact any other business which may legally come before the meeting.

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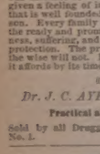

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them, or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or store over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury it or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any foul, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

[Written for the Chronicle.]

SAGAMORE CREEK.

Many years ago, Estwick Evans, Esq., a native of Portsmouth, whose early home had been in the picturesque region of Sagamore, after making himself noted in the law, in politics, in a "pedestrious" tour, (as he termed it in his book of which it was the subject) over some thousands of miles at mid-winter, and for a somewhat famous journey to Greece, when the people of that classic land of old were suffering from the barbarities of the Turks, (such as the sacking of Scio,) finally took up a residence at the National Capital. When he had been absent a score of years, and time had kindly healed the wounds from real or fancied injuries of the past, he sent the following lines to one who had known him well, the Hon. Abner Greenleaf, then present among us, who, after keeping them for a while, gave them to our late much esteemed citizen, Charles W. Brewster, Esq., for publication in his paper, the *Journal*, in which they soon were seen.

TO SAGAMORE CREEK, PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

BY ESTWICK EVANS.

Ye tides that flow from ocean's roar,
To wend your silent way
Along these flow'ring hills and dales
. That blest my early day;

If memory sleeps, she sleeps to weep
For all ye were to me,
Ere persecution blew her blasts
To tear my feet from thee.

But, oh! some hands that did the deed,
To time have ceased to be,
Whilst I remain to drink the cup
That they prepared for me—

When young ambition heard the voice
Of its own country's praise,
And leaped to grapple for the Right,
And win immortal bays.

But, God be thank'd! I loved them then,
Yes, and I love them still,
And, God be thanked a thousand times!
I *never* wished them ill.

And ye, my friends, that yet remain,
Whose lives are on the lees,
My heart, my hand, are all your own,—
I pray remember me!

Though sixty winters crown my top
With ever blanching snows,
The granite rock that was my stock
No faltering yet doth know.

Years more than twenty now have passed
Since last I left your shores,
But twenty years are nothing scarce
To what is ever more.

Nothing is lost, and all is gain,
To those who love the Truth—
Our age advancing brings us near
To Everlasting Youth.

Washington City, Nov. 20, 1850.

In a little time the following also appeared in the *Journal*, from the graceful pen of a young lady* of Portsmouth, in behalf of such as survived of the early friends of the absent one, (her father being among them,) and such a kindly response must have been, indeed, as "balm to a wounded spirit."

TO ESTWICK EVANS, ESQ.

Cold mantles the ice o'er Sagamore's wave,
But the tide rolls calm below;
Unchanging the green of her spiral dire,
Though their tops are covered with snow.

The song of birds on Sagamore's trees
Disturbs the silence not;
The winter's blast has driven them hence,
But the birds are not forgot!

Friendship is like the Sagamore's tide,
No chill its depth can know,
And green as her firs his memory
Who left us long ago.

Though bitter the blast that drove his feet
From his loved and native spot,
His heart may linger in Sagamore's woods—
He will not be forgot!

For friends whose brows are blanching like his,
Remember their friend of old,
And still is the tale by Sagamore heard
Of her adventurer bold.

Soon will the spring, with promise and joy,
Hover these woods among;
The snows of winter shall vanish away,
And the birds bring back their song.

Thus, soon, in the warmth of a brighter spring,
Will strong be lost in truth,
And parted friendship meet again
And age be changed to youth!

Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 3, 1851.

In the twenty-six years that have elapsed since the above lines appeared in print, Mr. Evans and the friends to whom he so touchingly referred, have all passed away.

J. H. H.

*Miss Sarah Foster.

A Russian Dare Devil.

Among the officers on the Grand Duke's staff is a tall, handsome man with a lithe, active figure, a clear, blue eye, a large, prominent, well-shaped nose, and a face young enough for a second lieutenant. It is Skobeleff, the youngest General in the Russian army, the conqueror of Khokand. He has the reputation, even among the Russians, of being a madman who would fling away his own life and those of his troops without the slightest regard for consequences. During the war which resulted in the conquest of Khokand, a Russian detachment of 800 men, with 400 Cossacks, was compelled to retreat before a superior force of the enemy. Gen. Trotsky decided upon a night attack, and confinded his plan to Col. Skobeleff, then his chief of staff. The latter entered into the idea with great enthusiasm, and proposed to lead the attacking column himself, and to take only 150 Cossacks. Skobeleff, having reconnoitered the ground, perceived that the Khokandians had encamped within a mile and a half of the Russians in an open plain which gave every facility for the manœuvering of cavalry. At midnight he took his 150 Cossacks, divided them into three parties, and cautiously surrounded the enemy's camp. The party, led by Skobeleff him-

self, managed to pass the enemy's outposts, who were sound asleep. Then he gave the signal for the attack by firing his pistol, and, followed by his 150 Cossacks, he rode headlong into the enemy's camp of 6000 or 7000 men, shouting and yelling like fiends, and cutting down everything in their passage. For a quarter of an hour the plain resounded with shrieks and yells, shots, the trampling of horses, shouts and groans, and all the uproar of battle. Then all was silence. Skobeleff assembled his Cossacks, and when morning came he found that the whole army of the enemy, 6000 or 7000 men, had disappeared, leaving on the field about forty dead, 2000 or 3000 muskets and sabres, all their camp material and baggage. But what was his astonishment on calling the roll to discover that he had not lost a man either killed or wounded.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JULY 3, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., June 30.

Resident and visiting democrats are unusually jubilant over the telegraphic announcements of the decidedly rebellious spirit manifested by the Iowa republicans assembled in State Convention at Des Moines, Wednesday. The gratification afforded is quite sufficient to make them oblivious, for the moment, to the wanton insults continually offered their party by the British nobility in their royal ovations to "Old Grant," which have so distressed them for the past month. The censure implied in the negative course adopted by the convention is regarded as quite conclusive of a smouldering volcano that will rend their opponents in the fulness of time, as though the President had been formally read out of the party in their resolutions, and all fellowship denied him. Anomalously enough an uncertain number of republicans are found enjoying the situation. These are the "implacables" of the Chicago *Tribune*. They are more quiet and discreet in external appearances, but their sense of triumph is none the less positive. The taunts, the gibes and jeers with which they have been gratuitously assailed during the past three months, both by democrats and those of their own household, have been treasured up, and they will now retaliate upon the latter, who mourn their recreant Iowa brethren.

The lines are apparently being so rigidly drawn as to exclude all chances of neutrals in the triangular contest to be inaugurated on Capital Hill, Oct. 15th next. The prophet's role is an exceedingly hazardous one, and I forbear, contenting myself with the remark that the "Hayesy" appearance of a few months ago has been succeeded by a most ominous condition of the political heavens, provocative of direst apprehensions on the part of the timid; and many a veteran mariner would be only too happy to get out his anchor to wind'ard, did he know just where to locate that point in the angry horizon.

Responses have been received from almost every important point, to the President's late order prohibiting officials from actively participating in political contests. It has had but little appreciable effect upon Departmental officials here. The majority of this class only ask to be "let alone," caring little, seemingly, which king they serve under so that their salary is promptly paid. To expect any considerable number of them to run a muck against an order that would render them liable to immediate dismissal and that relieves them of assessments only paid by many heretofore because a refusal was deemed hazardous, is to look for a rigidity of political conviction that would be altogether phenomenal. But away from the Capitol, where Federal officials come more immediently in contact with the voters as leaders of the party, or are under the surveillance of the leaders who make and unmake men politically, it appears to have excited a good deal of opposition. Protests are frequently heard against it as an assumption of power on the part of the Chief Executive never before ventured upon and nowhere warranted. By others it is claimed as a virtual prohibition against the duties of American citizenship. Still another and larger class hold that to submit to its mences would be degrading to an honorable man, and that its effect will be to exclude such from office. It presents a splendid opportunity for martyrdom, of which some will likely avail themselves.

It is conceded about the War Department that the suppression of the new Indian outbreak in Idaho looks like a formidable job; and there is no little anxiety manifested while awaiting intelligence from General Howard. I doubt whether a critical investigation as to its origin would prove very satisfactory to our conscientious Government; but the murder of a score of innocent settlers appears to leave the Government no alternative but to crush this incipient rebellion before it shall have spread to the tribes of surrounding territories. The tendency now appears in favor of Gen. Crook's method—pitilessly destroying until peace shall be established, then giving the survivors just such opportunities in the struggle for life as is granted other citizens.

Existence has rarely been more enjoyable here during the Spring and early Summer than during the present season up to date. We have had very few uncomfortably warm days, and none oppressively hot like those a year ago. Refreshing sleep has been possible every night, and our markets are filled to repletion with every desirable production of land and water. KNOX.

The War.

A Russian official despatch from Asia Minor says, after the Russians were driven from the foremost positions near Zewin, on the 25th ult., they retired at night to their previous line to escape the Turkish fire. The Russian troops fought with great heroism and suffered considerable losses because the enemy were numerically superior. Six officers were killed and twenty-four wounded; eighty-five of the privates were placed *hors de combat.*

A Turkish despatch from Trebizonde says the Russians have been repulsed with terrible loss in attempting to storm some outworks at Kars. Dervish Pasha telegraphs from Batoum that he has driven the Russians in several sharp fights.

Telegrams from Turkish sources assert that a great battle was fought about twenty miles south of Sistova, on the Danube, on Friday and Saturday, which resulted in the total defeat of the Russians. The same accounts say the Turkish gunboats have completely destroyed the Russian bridge between Simnitza and Sistova.

The Weather.

The reports from all around show that rain, wind and thunder storms were common and severe on Sunday.

At Pittsburg, Penn., the Liberty Oil Works were burned by lightning; loss $30,000. At Coatesville, Penn, twenty families were unhoused by a whirlwind, one woman instantly killed and two men fatally wounded.

In central New York the rainfall was the heaviest for years, much loss resulting. Lightning struck in many places, kindling a $10,000 fire at Boonsville.

A whirlwind swept over Missouri, Indiana and Ohio, doing immense damage to crops, fences and buildings. At O'Fallon, Mo., a railroad depot and grain elevator were destroyed and two churches damaged. One man was killed and another fatally hurt by a tree which was blown upon the buggy in which they were crossing a bridge at New Richmond, Ind.; the bridge was blown over.

At Waverly, Ind., a woman and three children were killed by the blowing down of one house, and two children in another. At St. Paul two men and a woman were killed.

There were sharp squalls and heavy thunder showers in Vermont and Massachusetts. On the line of the Ogdensburg Railroad, between St. Johnsbury and Swanton, there was a severe hailstorm of half an hour's duration. At Williamstown, Mass., the high wind blew down several barns and uprooted many trees.

Mr. James P. Burnap, of Dunstable, Mass., was killed by lightning while sitting at a table reading to his wife.

Heavy showers, accompanied by much thunder and vivid lightning, passed over Biddeford Me., on Sunday morning. Rain fell in torrents and the damage is estimated at over $2000 to the streets. Eight inches of water fell in two hours, and persons could go about many streets in a skiff. In Kennebunkport the house of Mr. Townsend was struck by lightning and two ladies were severely injured. The house of J. H. Mattey, of Deering, was struck by lightning and nearly every room in the house damaged, but no person injured; lost about $1500.

In this State the storm was very severe. At Manchester it is said the thunder storm was the heaviest ever known there, though no particular damage was done by the wind and rain, and none at all by lightning. Joseph Smith of Laconia was knocked senseless by lightning Sunday morning, lying unconscious for four hours. During a second thunder-storm in the afternoon lightning struck the Catholic church, burning it to the ground. Loss $6000, fully insured.

News and Notes.

A grand regatta was had at Nagasaki, Japan, May 10, between the crews of men-of-war of different nations. Entries were made of boats from the "Kearsarge," the Japanese "Lily," and the Russian "Haydamack." The Kearsarge's cutter won an easy victory, the Haydamack's being second. The Kearsarge gig "Starlight" also won a second race over the Russian, Japanese, and United States Depot gigs.

Dowling, postmaster at Toledo, Ohio, has been removed and Alexander Reed appointed to the position. Dowling was a soldier in the rebellion and has made an unexceptionable postmaster, but he was removed,—in accordance with civil service reform rules, probably.

Schooner Ann Maria, Capt. Robbins, from Gloucester for Georges, fishing, put into Newburyport for bait on Sunday and was totally wrecked on the north breaker. The crew were rescued by the Life Saving Station men.

Elijah Corliss, foreman in the granite quarry of Churchill & Hitchcock at West Quincy, Mass., was fatally injured by the explosion of an old charge he was attempting to drill out, on Friday.

Myra Phillips, nine years of age, one of the persons injured by the steamboat explosion on Silver Lake last week, died at her home in Harrison Square, Boston, on Friday. Her mother and a Miss Orne are not expected to recover.

The cost to the city of Boston of entertaining President Hayes will not exceed $4200.

Miss Phoebe Cozzens has been chosen First Vice-President of the Association of the Alumni of the St. Louis Law School.

A grumbler asserts that the officials in the New York Navy Yard are examining the laborers who apply for positions to dig mud or lift heavy pieces of timber and iron as to their knowledge of geometry, astronomy, navigation and the geography of the Russian Empire, in accordance with the new code of civil service reform rules.

A young man named Mills, who killed a companion named Smith, near Locust Grove, in Franklin county, Va., a few weeks ago, killed three out of five men who were trying to capture him, and was himself killed by the two survivors, on Saturday.

The blacksmith shop of James M. Andrews, at Biddeford, Me., with much valuable machinery used in quarries, was totally destroyed by fire Friday night. Loss about $5000; partially insured.

A mob of twenty men on horseback appeared before the jail at Hickman, Ky., Saturday night, with a man whom they claimed was a notorious character named Morgan, for whose apprehension a reward had been offered. The unsuspecting jailor led the way into the jail, when four of the party put revolvers to his head and demanded the delivery of the key to the cell of Jarvis and Tom Anderson. They took the prisoners out and both escaped. The officers subsequently captured Jarvis Anderson, who had the whole top of his head shot off. Tom Anderson hid under a house on the bank of the Mississippi, where he was found early Sunday morning and remanded to jail.

The grand total expended for cigars, liquors, refreshments and carriage hire for members of the city government of Boston during the past fiscal year, amounts to $25,119.99.

The noted stallion, Smuggler, defeated the New York horse Great Eastern at Beacon Park, Brighton, Mass., on Friday, Great Eastern winning the first heat in 2:22 1-2. Smuggler then took three heats, in 2:21, 2:19 1-4, 2:23 1-2. The purse was $1000. Great Eastern is the horse which beat Smuggler last Autumn.

Schooner A. H. Eaton, from Bilbao, has arrived at Philadelphia, Spain, bringing one of the crew, S. Barnett, in irons, he having during the voyage fatally stabbed the first mate, James B. Johnson. One of the witnesses describes the occurrence as follows: On June 3d Barnett quarrelled with the first mate, who went into the cabin and shortly after came on deck with a slung-shot in his hand. Some words passed; he threatened to hit Barnett, when Barnett said if the slung-shot was used he would use his knife. The mate then struck him and he attempted to run away, when the second mate, John Sullivan, went at him with a pump handle. A pistol shot was also fired, but did not hit any one. Barnett then drew his sheath-knife and stabbed Johnson in the left breast, killing him instantly. After a short struggle he was placed in irons, and on the arrival of the vessel at the port he was handed over to the police. Six of the crew were also locked up as witnesses.

Oakley S. Barker, a grandson of the late Commodore Vanderbilt, is in jail in New York for stealing $220 worth of jewelry from a woman of indifferent character. He acknowledges his guilt.

The following sentence is imposed in the case of Lieut. W. W. Fleming of the Twelfth Infantry, convicted of appropriating funds entrusted him by prisoners: "To be dismissed from the service of the United States and confined at hard labor for three years, and be further confined until he pays the United States a fine of $1000, provided the whole period of confinement does not exceed five years; also that his crime, his name and place of abode be published in the papers of the State from whence he came. The President approved the sentence, and the State Penitentiary of Iowa has been designated as the place of confinement." Thus, for stealing some small sums of money, Fleming is far more severely punished than Major Reno was for using his power as a commanding officer to debauch a brother officer's wife, and then grossly slandering her for remaining true to her husband. Reno was merely suspended from rank and pay for two years.

An attempt was made by a man early Saturday morning to enter the rooms of Harry Hough, assistant cashier of the Cocheco Bank, Dover. Upon being discovered the man fled. He would have met with a warm reception and failed in obtaining the keys, as all the banks in Dover have keys divided among several persons, no one having possession of all.

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Portsmouth, N. H., June 30, 1877.

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To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term,* June, 1877. No. 13.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1873, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden in Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

A true copy. Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.
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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40,	10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.45,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	
Concord and North,		10.50 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.30 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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A BEAUTIFUL SERVICE.

The Court street Christian church was well filled on Sunday morning, despite the drenching rain and the flooded streets. The attraction was a floral service of a novel character. The interior of the church was profusely decorated with the luxurious and floral harvest that only the month of June can furnish, arranged in crosses, crowns, harps, chaplets and other shapes, giving a delightful odor for the sense of smell and a pleasing effect to the eye. To heighten the attractiveness of the scene, and typify a Paradise, some ten or twelve cages of singing birds were hung in different parts of the room, and by their incessant twittering, chirping and singing, made sweet music throughout the service. Add to such a scene a room full of radiant and happy children who bore their parts successfully and well, and it is not a matter of surprise that the exercises were repeated to a large house at six o'clock in the evening. Crowds went away at this hour, unable even to get a peep in at the door. There have been gotten up here in our midst in times gone by, what were called floral services, but we have witnessed none of so beautiful a nature as that above described. Children, birds and flowers well combined and managed, make a far more pleasant attraction on a hot Summer Sunday than the ablest thesis on the Trinity or the "five points." Mr. Goss, the pastor, and his assistants, are entitled to much credit for this public treat.

THE THUNDER STORM.

The lightning by which the heavy shower that passed over this city Sunday evening was accompanied did no damage here, so far as we have heard, but a number of bolts struck in neighboring towns.

In Newington, twenty-nine poles of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph line between this city and Dover were thrown down, and a number of large trees shattered. Three fine trees near the eastern end of Mr. N. D. Miller's residence were struck and broken, and Mr. Furber, who was sitting on the piazza, was knocked senseless. No damage was done to the house. One of the trees struck was a cherry tree, and another an ash a foot or more in diameter. Mr. Furber (Mr. Miller's son-in-law) was enjoying the magnificence of the storm from what he considered a safe position, when the first thing he knew he knew nothing. The deafening crash which startled the inmates of the house he did not hear, and all he remembers is that while he was gazing at the storm a bluish light seemed to fill the inside of his head, and his next experience was finding himself trying to get up, which he soon did, and staggered into the house to find it full of a sulphurous smoke or gas. From the bases of the splintered trees, reaching a number of feet in the direction of the house, deep furrows were ploughed in the ground. On Monday Mr. Furber was in town, and reported himself as entirely deaf in one ear, and his hat as feeling to that side of his head like a section of extra heavy stove pipe. From the time the lightning struck until Mr. Furber entered the house several minutes elapsed, and he must have been insensible during that time.

In Kittery the lightning struck twice in some willows near the Foreside, and trees at the Point also suffered, but no buildings were struck that we have heard of.

At York, Me., the Summer cottage recently erected by Mr. French at "the Neck" was struck, the lightning knocking a hole in the roof and the floor immediately below it, and setting fire to the sleeve of Mrs. French's dress, the lady being in the parlor at the time. No serious effects resulted, the fire being at once extinguished by Mr. French.

During the morning shower, also, several rude jokes were played by the lightning in York. At "Concordville," a lady was rendered senseless and a man totally deaf; and a flash struck the stable at Norton & Co's brick yard, though it did but little damage. The telegraph wires and office at York suffered considerably from the elective fluid, both morning and evening.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, July 2d.

Henry Moulton, charged with an assault, was adjudged guilty and fined $5, costs taxed at $6.90. In another complaint against Moulton, for being a common drunkard, the hearing was postponed to ten o'clock Tuesday forenoon.

JOTTINGS.

Messrs. Morse & Ilsley on Monday sold at auction fifteen shares National Mechanics and Traders' Bank, at $109.75 per share; and five shares New Hampshire National Bank, at $109.50 per share. Hill & Carr's interest (one-half) in Sagamore Cemetery, and eight acres of pasture land adjoining, brought $960.

A correspondent at the West End entreats us to use our influence "to suppress, if possible, the ringing of the Cabot street bell on Wednesday next, the 4th. You can have no idea of the annoyance it is, to us at the West End. The harmony of our beautiful city bells is all lost to us by the clatter it makes, and we see no reason why it should not be suppressed altogether, except as an alarm bell." We are afraid our influence does not go very far, and we have never heard the bell referred to; and if it is as disagreeable as we have been told it is, we hope we never *shall* hear it, either. It was put there solely for a fire-alarm.

At the forty-sixth semi-annual examination of the State Normal School in Salem, Mass., last week, Miss Helen L. Chesley of this city was a graduate of the advanced class, and read an essay on "Cheerfulness."

The temperance address by the President of the Reform Club, Mr. James Janvrin, Sunday evening, was good in every respect. It was remarked by many of those who heard it that it was the best lecture that has been delivered here by any of our local talkers. Like the speaker of the previous Sabbath evening, Col. Kent, Mr. Janvrin speaks from a personal knowledge of his subject, and with a heart overflowing with sympathy for those who are yet in the "bonds of iniquity." It is stated that Mr. Janvrin has consented to serve a while longer as presiding officer of the Club, it being the unanimous wish that he remain its President.

Morse & Ilsley will sell to-day, at noon, on the premises, the two-story dwelling No. 4 Warren street; also, the blacksmith shop on same street. See advertisement.

There will be a meeting of the Portsmouth Temperance Mutual Relief Association this evening. The petition for a charter has been granted, and the prospects of the Association are good. A full attendance is desired, to transact business of importance.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

The Fantastics will start promptly at 8:30 A. M. marching over the following route:

Richards Avenue, Middle, Congress, Market, Deer, Vaughan, Congress, Islington, Union, Middle, Court, Pleasant, Water, State, Cabot and Islington Streets to Market square, where the procession will be reviewed and the prizes awarded.

The afternoon sports on Market square will be as follows:

1. Grand "Oration;" prize, $000.00.

2. Potato feat; prize, $5,—to be given the person who shall quickest pick up 25 potatoes, two feet apart—best two in three trials.

3. Running match; prize, $3; heats, best two in three; distance, from reservoir to Chestnut street.

4. Sack race; prize, $5; heats, best two in three; distance, 150 feet.

5 Jumping match; prize, $2; best two in three trials, each person to choose his own style of jumping.

6. Three-legged race; prize, $5; heats, best two in three; distance, 150 feet.

7. Climbing greased pole; prize, $5,—a $5 greenback will be placed on top of the pole, to belong to the one who can get it. Contestants to draw for chances, and take turns in regular order. The committee will reject any contestants from this feat who may have any sand or grit on their clothes, tacks or any contrivance to prevent their slipping, or who attempt any unfair means.

Prizes awarded at close of each feat. All entries must be made to-day, to W. I. Trafton.

In the evening, Charlie Wilkinson's Dramatic Company will give "Uncle Tom's Cabin" in Franklin Hall.

Political.

By the last statement of the Auditor of Virginia the State debt is about $32,000,000, and is increasing at the rate of $700,000 a year. No republican or carpet-bagger of the republican name has ever had anything to do with the financial policy of that State. That debt is a monument of democratic financial management.

In future elections, if Southern democrats are wise, they will consider the strength of the negro vote in nominating candidates. It is true the democrats can elect their candidates without the negro vote. They have redeemed the Southern States in spite of the opposition of the negro and the carpet-bagger, but there can be no perfect lasting concord between the blacks and whites so long as the blacks are excluded from office. If the negro vote is worth soliciting, it is worth conciliating.—*Memphis Appeal* (Dem.)

There are plenty of men, the most active workers in the republican party, who are Federal office-holders; and when the next Congressional election comes round, the President can no more stop their working on for the party than he can persuade them to resign their offices under Government. The millennium in politics has not dawned yet. A few pretty orders no more brings it about than a single swallow makes a Summer. Does anybody believe the President will forbid Collector Simmons repaying Gov. Rice at the risk of forfeiting his place in the customs?—*Boston Post* (Dem.)

—Freemasonry was first introduced into Scotland by the architects who built the Abbey of Kilwinning. This is manifest not only from authentic documents, by means of which Kilwinning Lodge has been traced back as far as the fifteenth century; but, also by other weighty collateral evidence. It is probable that about this time Masonry was introduced into England. But whether the English received it from the Scotch Masons at Kilwinning, or from their brethren who had arrived from the continent, there are no means of determining.

—The New York *Graphic* is excited over the banishment of the lady's boot and the reappearance of the slipper. And yet there is no convenience for a lady who is the mother of a large family like a pliant and well hung slipper.

—An idle roomer—The discharged hotel clerk.

—Mr. Blackbord has been arrested in North Carolina for debt. Why don't his creditors take some chalk and draw on him.

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Eastern R. R. in N. H.

THE Annual Meeting of the stockholders in the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire will be held at the County Court House on Court street in Portsmouth, N. H., on Tuesday the tenth day of July next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

I. To see if the Corporation will accept an act passed by the Legislature of New Hampshire at its session in 1876, amending the Charter of the Corporation.

II. To see if the Corporation will make any changes in its By-laws, or will refer the By-laws to a Committee to report any changes which may be desirable therein.

III. To elect a Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

IV. To transact any other business which may legally come before the meeting.

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—An Alabama man refused to accept certain bank bills tendered him because the mules engraved upon them were not properly geared. He said that the engraver had put the breeching upon the lead mules instead of those at the wheels, which made a very grave state of affairs in going down grade.

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U. S. Sixes 1881, coupons	116
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N. H. State 6s, 1873	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	23½
Portsm. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	24½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	62½
Boston & Maine	96½
Boston & Providence	119½
Boston & Albany	114½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	21
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	21
Fitchburg	108
Manchester & Lawrence	126
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Northern N. H.	65½
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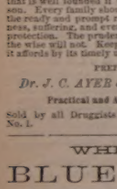

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed into the sewers or by occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall carry them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any hide meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his hand into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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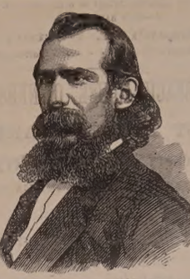

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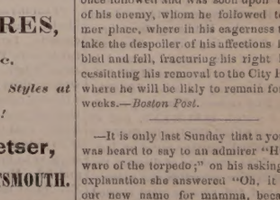

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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Cossack Law.

The Cossack cavalrymen are all comparatively young men and have young wives. Whenever they set out on a campaign, they buy a white scarf or handkerchief to take with them. At the close of their period of service, they return to their villages and are met by the whole population. Now a wife who has been unfaithful to her lord, kneels down before him in the road, puts her face in the dust, and places her husband's foot upon her neck. This is a confession of guilt, and at the same time a prayer for forgiveness. If the husband then covers his wife's head with the white scarf, it means that he forgives her and agrees to forget her fault. If the white handkerchief is not produced, the woman returns straight to her father's house without again entering her husband's dwelling, and a divorce is pronounced. Mr. MacGahan recounts a tragical story which a soldier told him on the Danube. A returning Cossack was informed by a malicious neighbor before he reached his home that his wife had been unfaithful. His comrades perceived that he had all of a sudden taken to drink and dissipation, although he was not a man given to these vices. When he reached his village his wife, as he feared, came forward, knelt down, and put her face in the dust at his feet. The spectators saw him look at her as she lay in the dust for a long time. Two or three times he put his hand in his breast for the white handkerchief as if he were going to cover the repentant woman's head—but each time the movement was restrained. Finally, as if driven by a sudden impulse, he drew his sword, and with one stroke severed her head from her body. The punishment for the crime was two months imprisonment, while the malicious neighbor who had taken the trouble to inform him beforehand of his wife's misconduct was sentenced to Siberia for three years.

A New Motor.

The use of steam as a motive power for canal navigation has always been objectionable by reason of the damage to the banks by the "wash" caused by propeller screws, or paddle wheels. A Baltimore inventor has obviated this, and has constructed a canal boat—the Alpha—of over seven tons burden, which is moved by means of the forcing of water from her stern. The Alpha has a boiler amidships, working a No. [illegible] minute. The water is drawn from the stream in which the craft is sailing and is forced out some four feet below the water line, through a nozzle five-eighths of an inch across. It is a familiar law of physics that reaction and action are equal, and as the water is forced backwards, the boat is driven forwards, or *vice versa*, for there are water exits at both stem and stern. The Alpha has but two nozzles opening at the stern, and has been sailed eight miles an hour. The water of the canal is scarcely disturbed, the great desideratum, and this new application of an old principle is claimed to have accomplished the solution of a long discussed problem. The Alpha is to be tried on the Erie canal.

So Near and Yet So Far.

John Offer, a colored gentleman thirty years of age, offered a short time since to share the joys and sorrows of this world with a fair damsel of the same complexion, and, being accepted, last evening was set apart for the purpose of making the twain one flesh. The happy event was to have taken place at the residence of the bride, on Cove street, but just as they were to be united one Robert Edwards obtained an interview with the bride, the result being that the twain suddenly disappeared. Offer at once followed and was soon upon the trail of his enemy, whom he followed to Brimmer place, where in his eagerness to overtake the despoiler of his affections he stumbled and fell, fracturing his right leg, necessitating his removal to the City Hospital, where he will be likely to remain for several weeks.—*Boston Post.*

—It is only last Sunday that a young lady was heard to say to an admirer "Hush! beware of the torpedo;" on his asking for an explanation she answered "Oh, it is only our new name for mamma, because she blows us up so."

—At certain Paris restaurants the custom is to pay ladies who attract custom a commission on the bill of themselves and companions. Recently a newly-married couple visited a restaurant, and the groom ordered a costly dinner for two in a private supper-room. In due course the bill is called for and settled, and the waiter adroitly slips a five-franc piece into the young bride's hand, and whispers to her: "From the boss. He says to bring him again—bring him often—bring lots of 'em."

—The following remarkable announcement has appeared in several of the Italian journals: "At the earliest favorable opportunity Pius IX. will leave Rome for Civita Vecchia and thence to Marseilles and Lyons in a French corvette which will be sent to convey him. His departure will be the signal of complications between Italy and France." In connection with this rumor it will be interesting to recall a discourse which the Pope delivered to a body of pilgrims from Lyons, and in which he alluded to the probability of his having to seek refuge in that city.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 4, 1877.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, July 3.

The House met at 4 P. M., yesterday and its session lasted only about half an hour, a hundred members being present. The business consisted of a communication from the City Council of Concord relative to the typographical and hydrographical survey, the disposition of three reports of committees, and the ordering of twelve House bills to a third reading. This forenoon the House met with a larger number present than were yesterday. After an hour's unimportant legislative work the House adjourned to met at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The business consisted of reports from a few committees and six bills were ordered to a third reading. The Speaker at 11 o'clock called Mr. Stevens of Nashua to the chair. An hour's session in the afternoon finished the work of the day and the House then adjourned until Thursday morning at 11 o'clock. House bills 40, 41, 43, 44, 47 and 51 were tabled so there might be a discussion when more members are present. House bills 42, 45, 48, 50, 51 and 52 were passed.

The farmers in the Legislature will hold their final meeting for discussion of Farm Topics, in Representatives' Hall, on Thursday evening, July 5, at half-past seven o'clock. The general subject will be "Plant Food." The Secretary of the Board of Agriculture has engaged Prof. Stockbridge, of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, to give a lecture on that subject. It is generally known that Prof. Stockbridge has recently attained a high reputation for his system of applying the chemical elements which exist in our farm crops. His practice has been successfully adopted by our best farmers, and is creating a new interest in our State. Other gentlemen will speak on the subject, and it is expected that the meeting will be of much importance to our farmers. All are invited to attend, and the Board of Agriculture have full confidence that if farmers from the neighboring towns are present they will be benefitted by the discussion.

Other than the House bills there were other acts, among them an act making the observance of the 30th of May, known as Decoration Day, a legal holiday, and an act to increase the efficiency and reduce the expenses of the militia; six petitions praying that equal rights be granted to all, irrespective of sex, looking to allowing women to vote, were referred to the Committee on Judiciary. Among the bills tabled this afternoon was the following: an act in relation to taxes paid by savings banks in the United States, as follows: "All taxes paid by the savings banks of the State to the United States shall be proportionally charged by said banks to those depositors [illegible]

Among those called to the chair last week to relieve the Speaker was Mr. Frank Hackett of Portsmouth. He filled his position with credit. Yours, A. B.

The War.

Turkish advices say that the Russians on Sunday abandoned the siege of Kars and are now in full retreat toward the river Karstchai on the frontier of Asia Minor. The Turks are greatly elated over their success and represent the Russians as being utterly demoralized.

The town of Tiernova, in Bulgaria, has been taken by the Russians. It is important from its position to a pass in the Balkans. The Roumanians have crossed the Danube from Kalafat, and Widdin will be at once invested.

The Wrecks of the Year.

The statistics of wrecks which have occurred within the range of the Life-saving Service during the past fiscal year have just been made up at the Treasury Department, from which it appears that the total number of vessels driven ashore by stress of weather during the year is 120, and that they had on board 1,253 persons. Of this number of lives there were 1,214 saved and 39 lost; the number lost being about three per cent. of those imperilled. The estimated value of the vessels wrecked is $1,746,464, and of their cargoes $1,348,876, making a total property valuation of $3,095,-331. The total amount of property saved, so far as reported, is $1,554,505, and of that totally lost $1,053,826, leaving $487,000 not yet ascertained whether saved or lost. Upon fifty of the occasions of disaster, the Life-saving Service apparatus was successfully used and 838 persons were rescued through its instrumentality, in addition to which assistance was rendered in nearly every instance in saving property by the crews of the Life-saving Stations.

The thirty-nine persons who were lost, perished under the following circumstances: Twenty-eight went down with the ill-fated ship "Circassian," which went to pieces near Bridgehampton, Long Island, on the night of the 29th of December, 1876, with the party of Shinnecock Indians who were endeavoring to save her. Seven lives were lost at the wreck of the schooner Margaret and Lucy, which went ashore near Tom's River, N. J., on the 2d of March, 1877. Three lives were lost upon the occasion of the stranding of the steamer L'Amerique near Long Branch, N. J., on the 7th of January, 1877. The remaining victim was one of a crew of four persons of the schooner Massachusetts, which went ashore on Peaked Hill Bar, Cape Cod, on the morning of the 2d of January, 1877.

Notwithstanding the high state of efficiency in which the Life-saving Service is shown to be by the foregoing record, great efforts are being constantly made to bring it to still greater perfection. Recently Mr. Kimball, who has charge of the service with Capt. Merriman, the inspector, have been devoting much attention to the subject of extending the range of the shot line, and after a series of experiments at Cold Spring, N. Y., with a new gun and projectile invented by Robert P. Parrott (the inventor of the Parrott gun,) the gratifying results are that with a gun which with its carriage weighs less by twenty pounds than the mortar now used at the stations, and some modification in the line, which is so coiled up or braided as to be very elastic, an additional range of more than one hundred yards has been attained for the shot line; this is considered the most important improvement in the service since its re-organization and the introduction of the patrol system. The Department has ordered 24 of the new guns, which will be supplied to those stations at points on the coast where a long range is required.

Additional signals are being prepared to be incorporated into the National Code for use of vessels and Life Saving stations, which will greatly facilitate communication between the vessel and the shore. The present high state of efficiency in this important service is due in a great measure to the earnest efforts of Mr. Kimball to make it what it is, the first in point of effective service and discipline in the world.

New Hampshire Items.

A Sunapee correspondent writes the *Patriot* that John B. Smith has just completed a telescope sixty inches long and four in diameter. The object glass is four inches clear. It also has four eye pieces—one terrestrial and three celestial—varying in power from 80 to 400 diameters. An object the size of a silver five-cent piece can be plainly seen at a distance of one mile and a half. A ben has been seen at a distance of 15 miles. A further description would fall far short of its real power.

The manufacturers on the Cocheco river are highly elated over the passage of the act of the Legislature authorizing the canalling of water from Merry Meeting pond to the river, thus making it one of the best manufacturing streams in New England. The power at Rochester will be trebled, and measures are being taken to perfect an organization under the charter so that work may be commenced at once.

On Sunday afternoon a tornado struck the woods in Surrey, passed through the south part of Gilsum, and spent itself in Sullivan. Twenty barns and sheds were blown down in Gilsum. Chimneys, timber and fruit trees were prostrated. Alanson Wilder had two barns blown down, one unroofed, and all the slate torn off his house. The school-house was taken up and turned round. In Sullivan, Charles Mason's barn was blown down and E. P. Kemp's house unroofed.

Mrs. George W. Caverno of Strafford, a lady 75 years old, on a visit to her brother, [illegible] lar stairs on the 26th ult., breaking her collar-bone and bruising her head badly.

A man named Carpenter, while walking a tight-rope at Littleton, Monday, fell, breaking an arm and ankle and receiving internal injuries which may prove fatal. The accident was caused by the rope giving way at one end.

The store of Alfred E. Jaques in Wilton was entered by thieves some time during Saturday night and about $200 worth of jewelry was stolen from one of the show cases. Entrance was effected by cutting through one of the rear doors. There is no clue to the raiders.

Alonzo Ballou, a farmer in the north part of Swanzey, 59 years old, went out on Sunday afternoon before the storm to salt his cattle and has not been seen since. A large party searched for him Monday, and the pond at Swanzey factory was partly drawn off and was searched with torches Monday night.

A "Graphic" Condensation.

A reporter of the New York *Sun* has had an interview with Charles Francis Adams, and Mr. Adams' utterances, as published at length in that paper, are condensed by the *Graphic* as follows:

"I am the son and grandson of two Presidents. I am politically the State of Massachusetts. I am the Hub of Boston. I shook hands with President Hayes only from a sense of duty. I know he felt what I have written about him. He looks worn. It is a terrible thing to have the Old Adam let loose on you. I told in my letter he was a fraud. I am the son of a President. That is his picture. I cannot help feeling that I ought to be President, but republics are ungrateful. My grandfather was a President. Mr. Hayes means well. I am sorry for him. My father's name was John Quincy Adams. I am glad that Mr. Dana is doing what he can in the *Sun* to serve the people. These are perilous times. Even my grandfather, John Adams, never saw such times. That was my grandfather. Civil service reform? New policies? Bosh! That isn't Government. Only the Adams family can rightly govern this unhappy republic. My father was a President. Civil service reform is a mere side issue. My name is the time-honored name of Adams. The Tammany Society invited me to be with them on the Fourth. But that could not be. My dignity and the dignity of the Adams family would only allow me to write Tammany on the danger the country is now in. That was a great honor to Tammany. For I am the son and grandson of two Presidents. I am the only original living son and grandson of two real Presidents. My name is Adams."

—They tell of a Kentucky schoolmaster who had his wife for a pupil, and found it necessary to chastise her one day. Next day a notice appeared on the door, saying: "School closed for one week; schoolmaster is ill."

News and Notes.

Gen. Grant visited the British House of Lords, Monday evening, and stood at the foot of the throne. The Earl of Carnarvon, immediately upon perceiving the General, quitted the Treasury Bench and had a chat with him. Gen. Grant subsequently proceeded to the House of Commons and remained a few minutes in the gallery for distinguished visitors.

While a carriage, containing Mrs. Falkenburg of Quebec, widow of the late Baron Falkenburg, and two friends, was crossing a bridge over the Montmorency river, near Quebec, Saturday, the bridge gave way, precipitating the party to the bed of the stream and killing Mrs. Falkenburg. Her companions escaped.

Three men, named Floy, Bellinger and Pierce, were boating in the Niagara above the falls Sunday evening when the boat got into the rapids, and Bellinger and Pierce jumped out and attempted to swim to the shore but were carried over the falls. Floy remained in the boat and was rescued.

A man giving the name of John Miller has been arrested at Newburyport as an impostor. He has represented himself as blind, and has been appealing to the charitable on that pretence. The sum of $2093 was found on his person. He has been travelling about the country.

The Montreal *Gazette* reports that Miss Susan Parker of Boston, said to be worth $60,000, was recently married to John Fields, a waiter in the Russell House at Ottawa, Canada, to whom she proposed marriage two years ago. The man is rather fine-looking, but is said to be lacking even an ordinary education.

The steamer Red Wing, while en route to St. Louis, from Keokuk, Ia., Saturday afternoon, burst her steam pipe at a small town named Dallas, Ill., killing four and wounding two men. Edward Henry, the steward, is missing.

The authorities of Marblehead, Mass., have held an inquest to try and discover the author of the disastrous fire which recently swept over the town. John Hartnett testified that he extinguished an incendiary fire in the barn of the Marblehead House (where the last fire started) a week before the big fire. The impression has been general in the community that the fire was purposely set, for revenge on some person. A verdict was expected Monday evening.

Frank Dodge, aged twenty-three years, a telegraph operator at the depot in Newburyport in the employ of the Eastern Railroad, committed suicide Tuesday morning by throwing himself under the rear car of a freight train. His body was terribly mangled and he lived but an hour. He had been threatened with softening of the brain, brought on by religious excitement.

Schooner Ann Elizabeth, Capt. Currier, bound from Boston for York with corn, flour, etc., sprang a leak and capsized on Monday. She was an old vessel of about fifty tons, and was owned in York. No lives lost.

—Let Turks delight to howl and fight, for 'tis their nature to; let Bear and Lion growl and bite, for madness made them so. But Yankees, you should never let your angry passions rise; don't quarrel; trade, work hard, lie low, and forward the supplies.

—An old lady sleeping during divine service in a church let fall a Bible with clasps to it, and the noise partly awakening her, she exclaimed aloud, "What! you've broke another jug, have you?"

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The Smithsonian Institution records show that the capital city of Minnesota has a winter of 148 days, during which the temperature is 16° Fahr. below the freezing point. That such an arctic temperature is more favorable to the cure of consumption than a climate comparatively warm and uniform throughout the year, is a point that is not proved. Of the consumptives who go to Minnesota, even in the early stages of their complaint, but one in fifteen are cured. The Young Men's Christian Association of St. Paul has found it necessary to take in charge the burial of the friendless invalids that flock there in the vain hope of the climate cure; and they have abundant duty as undertakers. In short there seems to be no sovereign balm for consumption in Minnesota. And this is not only the case there, but is also true of other supposed beneficial climates. Far better would it be for the patient to remain at home, and take some reliable remedy like Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup, which the inventor, a well-known practising physician of Claremont, N. H., has used with unparalleled success in his practice for over fifteen years.

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THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing under the firm name of MARSTON & FREEMAN is dissolved from this date. All persons having claims against either member of the late firm are requested to present them for payment, and all persons indebted to the late firm are requested to settle with WASHINGTON FREEMAN, who is authorized to make collections and settle accounts.

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To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term,* June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1872, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will; that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel S. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.

A true copy.
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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

No CHRONICLE to-morrow.

The general delivery at the Post-office will be open to-day from 8 to 11 A. M., and 5 to 6 P. M. Box office open all day.

The city appropriation of $100 for the celebration of the "glorious Fourth" will be expended in the ringing of bells at sunrise, noon and sunset, and concerts by the Portsmouth Cornet Band on Market square from seven to eight in the morning, and from eight to half past nine in the evening.

The re-union committee of July Fourth, 1873, have their annual meeting this forenoon at eleven o'clock, at the Common Council room.

This evening, at Franklin Hall, Charlie Wilkinson's Dramatic Company will present "Uncle Tom's Cabin," with Lillie Wilkinson as "Topsy." The Company has drawn large audiences and won lavish praises from the press in other places, and Charlie and Lillie Wilkinson are well known here. Hard times prices—25 cents for adults, 15 cents for children under ten years of age, 35 cents for reserved seats.

CITY AFFAIRS.

A special meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held Monday evening, when the following business was transacted:

The Mayor, to whom was referred the claim of Mr. F. Grant, reported, recommending that he be paid $150, the driver's bill $60, and the doctor's bill $25, making a total of $235. The report was accepted and the consideration of the subject will be made the special order for the next regular meeting.

The petition of Nathan W. Tarlton for leave to remove a building from the corner of Union street to Dover street, and a complaint of the grade of Warren street, were referred to the committee on streets with power.

The Mayor was authorized to expend the appropriation for the celebration of Independence Day.

The pay-rolls of the fire department were ordered to be paid.

The Portsmouth & Dover Railroad bill for interest on $44,000 capital stock of said road from Jan. 1 to Feb. 23, was ordered to be paid.

The committee on accounts presented bills of Street Department, amounting to $649.78, which were ordered to be paid.

The same committee reported bills of police and watch, amounting to $623.69; school houses, $98.42.

Voted, That the report of the committee on streets relative to paving on North and Vaughan streets, presented May 24, be adopted.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, July 3d.

Henry Moulton (convicted on Monday of an assault) was brought up on a continued case, charged with being a common drunkard. The prisoner's counsel, Mr. Hodgdon, had claimed a discharge for his client on the ground that the warrant was defective, it having been drawn by the City Marshal, and an act of the Legislature passed in 1875 providing that "any writ, declaration, plea, complaint and warrant, or other process made by a sheriff, police officer, constable or city marshal for another person shall be void." The Court ruled that in this case the warrant was not "made for another person," the City Marshal being himself the complainant. Moulton was adjudged guilty, and sentenced to two months in Brentwood, and to pay $9.-25 costs. An appeal was taken, and Moulton was allowed twenty-four hours to procure bonds, but after an unsuccessful search for an hour to find some individual confiding enough to stand as his surety, he gave it up and elected to go to Brentwood right off.

Hannah Griffin was charged with being a common drunkard. Two witnesses swore she had been drunk as often as every other day since the 15th of May, and she was sentenced to thirty days at Brentwood,—costs $6.90. Appealed, and held in $50 bonds to prosecute the appeal.

[Communicated.]

FOURTH OF JULY MEMORIES.

Curiously interesting it is to listen to Fourth of July memories of the past, some of the very long gone past, from those who can recall them. One has to tell of "the good old times" when the Federalists had their celebration and dinner at the Assembly Room, (that now forms portions of the dwellings on Raitt's Court,) and the Republicans (or Democrats) had theirs at Jefferson Hall, and when each had very pronounced opinions of each other, quite equal to the politicians of the present day. Another remembers when the "Feds" and the "Pubs" ceased to call each other hard names during the peaceful administration of James Monroe, and the Liberty Pole was erected that still adorns Liberty Bridge, on which occasion Estwick Evans, Esq., delivered an oration. A rather cheap affair of the kind had been raised the year before on Middle street, about opposite the entrance to Lafayette road, at which a distinguished individual of the time named Cutts officiated as orator, and who in later years made a memorable speech on the Fourth at Jefferson Hall, by invitation of the young gentlemen of Portsmouth; a copy of which, it is deeply to be regretted, if those who were fortunate enough to hear it are to be believed, was not procured of the orator and printed. When the politicians waked up again, according to other relators, while John Quincy Adams was President, they waked up the Fourth of July also, which had been rather sleepy for several years previous, and having each a celebration, made lively times on the national holiday during the campaign; not forgetting to *compliment* each other in the toasts and speeches at their several dinner tables. One of the dearest and best of venerable ladies, retaining all her faculties still unimpaired, has to tell of the way *she* spent the Fourth of July in one of the earliest years of the present century. A party of her young friends of both sexes, of whom she has long been the last survivor, went on a sail up to Piscataqua Bridge, then a most popular resort, and where, besides enjoying themselves in other ways, gay parties were wont to dance upon a floor beneath the bridge, to which a stairway led from above. While they were on their way down the river, they were overtaken by the heaviest of rain-storms, and despairing of arriving home before morning, they succeeded in reaching a small dwelling upon the shore—the young gentlemen conveying their fair companions from the boat in their arms. The lady of the mansion being of a somewhat cross-grained temperament, was not disposed to admit them, but her better-natured half was more hospitable and made up a good fire upon the kitchen hearth that enabled them to dry their drenched garments. But one spare bed existed in the little dwelling, and that was occupied by the young ladies in lying crosswise, while their gallant admirers made themselves as comfortable as possible by the kitchen hearth. The party, after landing next morning in a retired spot at the South-end, made their way home, dilapidated as they were in costume, by all the obscure retreats they could find, and never forgetting their Fourth of July trip to Piscataqua Bridge. J. H. B.

JOITINGS.

See advertisement "Girls Wanted" in another column.

House No. 4 Warren street was sold at auction, Tuesday, by Morse & Ilsley, for $820, Mr. C. H. Mendum being the purchaser.

Mr. John H. Cheever, for many years chief clerk at the Purchasing Paymaster's office in this city, has accepted a clerkship at the Eldredge Brewing Company's office.

Mr. Charles E. Walker is to remove the house from the lot of land at the corner of Islington and Union streets, and erect a large, two-story, double-tenement dwelling house thereon.

The new ship now being built at the Raynes shipyard by Mr. Wm. F. Fernald is too wide by two feet to go through the draw of Noble's Island bridge, and Mr. Fernald has served the bridge and railroad companies with notice that the ship *must* go through on the 15th of August next.

About nine o'clock, Tuesday forenoon, a horse belonging to Mr. Henry M. Clark took fright on Islington street, and ran away with the store wagon he was drawing, a little daughter of Mr. Wm. W. Cotton being seated in the bottom of the vehicle. When in front of Col. Sise's residence one hub of the wagon struck a tree hard enough to scrape off a piece of the bark, though fortunately not hard enough to overturn the wagon or throw out the little girl; and the animal kept on until he reached Mr. Clark's store, where he was stopped without difficulty, having done no farther harm than to frighten a number of people.

"NAT" APOLOGIZETH.

RYE, July 2d.

Mr. Editor: "A proper degree of contrition" is precisely the feeling experienced by the writer after reading "A Sympathiser's" criticism of that little item about a choir. It is very consoling to have the editor come to the rescue, and say that he detected no "hidden ill nature" in what was written. There *was none*; yet if any one chose to get mad about it there's no law to prevent them, but to any fair minded individual it would be apparent that, under the circumstances, the item was written simply as an occurrence that actually took place and was considered too good a thing to be buried under a bushel,—and that, without intending to be personal in any respect, it was written simply to fill out a correspondent's letter, and with no idea of hurting anyone's feeling, or giving a "parting shot" to anybody. If "A Sympathiser" or any one else, thinks that the writer of this has any but good feelings toward the members of any choir in Christendom, they are very much mistaken. Yours, very penitently and in haste, NAT.

P. S. I hear that the "old rattle trap organ" has been removed.

[Communicated.]

THE DRESS QUESTION.

Mr. Editor:—I was pleased to see a few days ago, a very sensible editorial on "dress reform" in relation to the annual High School graduating class. I will not trespass upon your limits to the extent of arguing the subject, but will merely remark that the time will come when our public school managers will see that these dress exhibitions are too thin to cover mental deficiencies, however dazzling and glossy they may appear to the superficial inspector. Without doubt the flounced and furbelowed muslin, the white kid slipper and white kid glove will be conspicuously present at the coming High School shows but I, in common with many other parents, shall hope for a more substantial brain exhibit, and less of the starch and gloss that does not stand the perspiration which is alluded to in the decree that "by the sweat of thy brow shalt thou eat thy bread."

A PARENT.

THE MANAGEMENT PUFFED.

"House Bill No. 36," which gives a generous puff to the management of the Eastern Railroad, is as follows:

An Act to protect the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire.

Whereas, The Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire is now leased to, managed and run by, the Eastern Railroad in Massachusetts, and whereas, it is so mismanaged as to preclude the possibility of the stockholders of said leased road ever receiving any income from their investments: Therefore,

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

SECTION 1. That the act approved June 26, 1863, entitled "An act authorizing the Eastern Railroad Company in Massachusetts to unite and form one corporation by the name of the Eastern Railroad Company" be and the same is hereby repealed.

MARRIED.

HUNT—GRAY. In this city, June 17, by Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, Mr. John S. Hunt and Miss Mary Gray.

DIED.

HUTCHINGS. In this city, July 3d, at the Home for Indigent Women, No. 10 Deer street, Julia A. Hutchings.

☞ Funeral service in the chapel at the Home, Thursday afternoon at half-past two o'clock. Friends are invited.

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I. To see if the Corporation will accept, an act passed by the Legislature of New Hampshire at its session in 1876, amending the Charter of the Corporation.

II. To see if the Corporation will make any changes in its By-laws, or will refer the By-laws to a Committee to report any changes which may be desirable therein.

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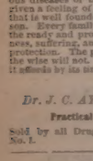

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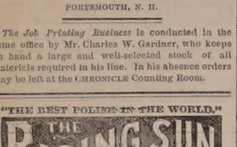

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind above the stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is sick with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds, or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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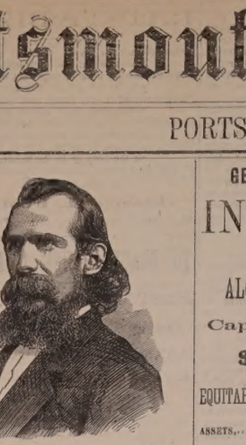

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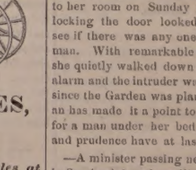

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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Rules for Bathing.

Whether in bath-tub, river or ocean, bathing should be accompanied only by pleasurable sensations. The whole body should be kept aglow. If any shiverings or chilly sensations are experienced, either you are not well, the water is not of the right temperature, or you are bathing too long. At all events, such feelings are nature's warning that you should at once leave the water and give yourself a thorough rubbing with a coarse towel. Bathing, especially swimming necessitates great muscular activity, therefore in order that digestion may not be interfered with, at least one hour, and better still, two or three, should elapse between a hearty meal and bathing. It is easily seen that eleven in the forenoon, four in the afternoon, and just before retiring at night, are the best times for bathing.

Some like a cold dash on rising in the morning. Very few, comparatively, can stand such a shock to their nervous systems. Let those who enjoy it, and experience a glow during the operation, continue the practice; but let them be careful how they urge its adoption upon those whose nerves possess a less degree of resistance.

Any one desiring to acquire the habit of a cold bath every morning should begin the custom in the warm weather, continuing it during the winter, and not commence it in the latter season.

If you are perspiring from walking, rowing or other exercise, as you reach the place of bathing, do not (as some advise) sit down on the bank to cool off before entering the water. Doff your clothes and dash in as soon as possible, only being careful to keep up the exercise without intermission after you are in the water. In this way you continue the glow which you experienced from the previous exercise.

Ten or at longest fifteen minutes in the water should suffice for the strongest aqueously inclined urchin. Strive always to leave the water before you feel chilly, or, certainly at the first approach of any such sensation, and continue or rekindle the glow by a vigorous rubbing with a coarse towel.

Turkish superstition says, wet your head thoroughly upon entering the bath; we say, do it to prevent rush of blood to the brain, which event may cause death.

Finally, as bathing, apparently a simple process, is not without its dangers, we would warn all boys not to begin the practice too early in the season, or to repeat it too often daily. Many have found an early grave by over indulgence, while others have endured long years of suffering from the obscure effects of excessive bathing. No physician should consider it below his calling to give specific direction to all seeking his advice as to when and how long they should bathe.—*W. H. Vail, M. D.*

—After a boy is tired out hoeing potatoes nothing seems to rest him more than to dig over a few square rods of greensward in search of bait.

—The largest tract of land held by one family in Massachusetts is said to be in possession of the heirs of Judge Tyng, of Tyngsboro. It is nine miles long.

—It is cruel for learned college freshmen to destroy at one fell sweep the reputation of a poet whom the world has revered for a century. Yet that is just what they have done with Burns at Middlebury, Vt., an article in the last *Undergraduate* deciding that "Burns' claim to genius is a myth."

—A young lady in Albany went up stairs to her room on Sunday night, and before locking the door looked under the bed to see if there was any one there. It was a man. With remarkable presence of mind she quietly walked down stairs to give the alarm and the intruder was arrested. Ever since the Garden was planted, gentle woman has made it a point to look every night for a man under her bed. Her discretion and prudence have at last been vindicated.

—A minister passing near some coalpits in Scotland heard a collier swearing most outrageously at having fallen into a pool of mud. "Young man," said the minister, "do you know where you are going to?" "Ay," said the collier, "a'm guan tae my wark up-by there." "No, my dear young man," said the minister, with a solemn shake of the head, and a warning wave of the hand, "you are going to the bottomless pit." "Man, you dinna ken muckle about pits, I see," replied the collier, "for I has wrocht in maistly every pit in the county, an' I never saw, far less heard 'o a pit without a bottom!"

—The anaconda in the Zoological Gardens, London, which has been considered quite a respectable snake, turns out to be a comparatively small creature of its kind. Henry J. Cooke of Caracas, Venezuela, in a letter to Frank Buckland, states that in the small rivers which flow into the Orinoco there are large numbers of anacondas much larger than the one the society has, and that in a large pond near a friend's house in Maturin lives in shy retirement one that is thirty-six feet long and a yard in diameter. The managers of the Garden have offered $2,500 for the capture and delivery in England of this serpent. It requires an expert fisherman to catch these creatures alive. In Africa a live dog is used as bait, and after the dog has been bolted the boa coils up and takes a nap; and then the fisherman stuffs him into a bag. A big pocket will be required for the gentleman in the Maturin pond.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JULY 6, 1877.

The War.

The London *Times'* Bucharest correspondent says: "Of eighteen gunboats and monitors which were on the Danube at the commencement of the war, six are in a small bay near Sulina, two have been destroyed, three or four are aground at Matchin, two at Silistria, one at Turtukai, two at Rustchuk and one at Nikopolis. The latter is reported to be surrounded by torpedoes and is helpless. All on the Danube will fall into the hands of the Russians unless destroyed."

St. Petersberg despatches deny that the siege of Kars has been raised. The Government publishes a despatch from a Russian camp before Kars, bearing date July 4th, describing the succesful attack on a Turkish battery. Mukhtar, however, has sent a long series of despatches to Constantinople describing the victorious advance of his own and the right column. In the last despatch, dated Alisounje, July 3, he says: "We passed the day in making reconnoissances. This afternoon the Russians abandoned Banliamed, flying to the south of Kars across the Ardost heights. They were pursued by our cavalry. The Russian left wing is almost annihilated, and is fleeing before the Turkish right with such precipitancy that they buried or concealed their artillery and destroyed or abandoned immense qualities of baggage and provisions. The road from Hilintz to Kara Kilissa is covered with the dead. Intercepted Russian letters show that the garrison of Bayazid is regarded lost."

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, July 3.

The committee on Reform School has paid its annual visit to that institution. Quite a number of the members express themselves as very much dissatisfied with the management of the institution and especially with the Superintendent. They complain that there is a useless expenditure in the matter of groceries, saying that sugar, tea, flour, etc., have been purchased in small quantities, whereas it would have been much cheaper to have purchased them in large amounts. They said over $20 have been expended in buying base balls and bats. Some propose to cut down the salary of the Superintendent, which is now $1700 and board of his family (equivalent to $3000) to $1000 and board per year. They say on his examination before the committee he gave far from satisfactory answers to the questions put to him.

Though it might be somewhat old, yet it is just as good as though it was known before, that when one of the committee on selection of a Chaplain was performing his duties some one stole his hat!

The judiciary committee seems to have the most business, they having had no less than a hundred different bills referred to them this session thus far.

Hon. W. H. Kimball, State Librarian, has made his annual report to the Legislature. It appears from this document that the additions to the library the past year, by purchase and otherwise, have been unusually large. The opportunity to file sets of reports has been exceptionally favorable, and was made available to that end. Many volumes of New Hampshire laws, town and other histories, biographies, atlases and kindred publications have been secured at auction sales. During the last ten years the volumes in the library have increased from 7000 to 15,000.

The sixth volume of the "Agriculture of New Hampshire" is now ready for delivery. By law, members of the State government, town clerks, for the use of the towns, and State and county societies are entitled to copies. At the close of the book, is a sketch of New Hampshire at the Centennial.

Yours, A. B.

Battle Statistics.

In the Franco-Prussian war breech-loading cannon were for the first time arrayed against each other in Europe, but the deadly effect of these weapons was not so great as might have been expected. A pamphlet lately published in Berlin gives many interesting particulars, from which we glean the following:

During the war the number of German troops injured in action was 88,877; killed, 13,556; died of wounds, 4,685; total deaths from wounds received on the battle-field, 18,241. Considering the immense armies engaged and the desperate resistance of the French, many persons will no doubt be surprised that the actual loss of life was so small.

Concerning the weapons which caused the deaths, we are informed that but *six* men were killed by sabres and butt ends of guns, and only 212 wounded! As there were quite a number of cavalry charges made by the French during the war, this is very surprising. Almost as remarkable is the fact that but *twenty-one* men were killed by bayonets and lances, and 574 wounded, —though there was a good deal of hand-to-hand fighting reported.

The noisy artillery of the French, though it was of the most improved modern construction, killed only 635 men, and wounded 4589—an effect ridiculously disproportioned to the amount of ammunition expended.

Thus it appears that by the "gleaming sabres" and "deadly bayonets," the lances and butt ends of muskets, and the explosions of shells, but 879 men were killed on the German side during the war. More than ten times that number fell before the modest but insinuating rifle bullet.

From all which we infer that if the swords were to be beaten into ploughshares and the spears into pruning hooks it would not materially interfere with man's ability to kill his neighbor.

News and Notes.

A boat upset on Horn Pond, at Woburn, Mass., on the evening of the 4th, and two women and a child were drowned.

Miss Minnie Howard, of Boston, while at a picnic near Fort Dumplings, Newport (R. I.) harbor, on the 4th, was hit in the right side by a minie rifle ball which went out at her back, inflicting probably a fatal wound. The bullet was fired by some unknown person near Fort Adams.

One man was killed and three badly wounded by the premature discharge of a cannon at Kingston, R. I., on the fourth.

The Secretary of the Navy has issued a general order, promulgating the decision of the United States Supreme Court in the case of Arthur Martin in regard to the eight hour law, and has fixed the rate of labor for mechanics, foremen, leading men and laborers on the basis of ten hours a day. All workmen electing to labor only eight hours a day will receive a proportionate reduction of their wages.

A romantic suicide occurred at Faystown, Vermont, last week. Daniel Wheeler and a Miss Adams were to have been married soon, but a few days before the appointed time the faithless fair one, who had been induced by her family to break the engagement, returned Wheeler his letters, rings, etc., and told him to consider all marriage arrangements at an end. The wretched lover made no expostulations, but went directly home, took a double-barrelled shotgun, retired to the woods and discharged the contents of both barrels into his heart. Miss Adams is overwhelmed with grief at the consequences of her freak, and says she will kill herself.

The customs officers having discovered that the engineer, fireman, brakeman and conductor of a freight train on the Central Vermont Railroad have long been smuggling liquors from Canada for saloon keepers in St. Albans, Vt., arrested the whole. United States Commissioner Rand discharged the engineer, and bound over the freight conductor, brakeman and fireman in $300 each to answer to the charge of smuggling liquors into the United States. The counsel for the Government claim that the pass-books and other evidence which they have discovered show that an average of twelve gallons per week have been smuggled on the train from St. Johns, to supply St. Albans dealers. They and the Central Vermont Railroad authorities are determined to put an effectual quietus on such practices.

New Hampshire Items.

Moses Varney & Co's tannery of Wolfeboro' was burned on Wednesday morning, Loss $25,000; insured $13,700.

There is great confidence in the riches of the mineral belt, which cuts into the northwestern part of the State for nine miles, from Bath through Littleton to the Connecticut river. During the past year eight shafts have been sunk by various companies, with excellent results. The ore principally found is copper, with some silver and gold. From the Paddock mine 250 tons of ore have been shipped during the year, which assayed from 8 to 14 per cent.; and in all the mines the quality improves with the descent.

We notice that the Massachusetts Medical Society has expelled Dr. S. M. Gale of Newburyport, who is vouched for by the paper of that city as a gentleman of honor and success in his profession, for the awful crime of practicing homœopathy. But there are sins more dreadful even than his, and we suggest that, if our Medical Society has gone into the business of expelling unworthy members, it pay attention to some of its "nasty doctors." Recent lawsuits in Massachusetts will furnish a number of candidates. The action of the society in his case recalls a similar contest between Dr. Gale's grandfather, Dr. Josiah Bartlett of New Hampshire, the first signer of the Declaration of Independence, and the New Hampshire Medical Society. He was opposed to the existing practice of bleeding fever patients, and depriving them of food and water, and introduced a more rational and successful system of treatment, as he also did in connection with putrid sore throat. He was suspended for six months, but the Society were shamed into restoring him to membership, and afterward elected him their president.—*Massachusetts paper.*

"All the World and the Rest of Mankind."

Can anyone give information where the above silly phrase originated? It has become as stale in the newspapers as the slang expressions we hear and read so much, and that are interwoven in the language of so many. It has been quoted as coming from General Taylor's inaugural, or the only "annual" message he lived to send to Congress during his short period in the Presidency. I cannot find it in either. He did not write nonsense. His dispatches from the army during the Mexican war were models of good English, as well as possessing the merit of brevity. B.

Cossacks and Roumanian Ladies.

When the first troop of Cossacks rode through Bucharest the Roumanian ladies were very anxious to see them, and the long avenue was lined with carriages. A column of dust arose, thickening and drawing nearer. A cry of delight and impatience passed all along, ladies eagerly stood up, favored gentlemen climbed upon the coach box and the wheels. The column of dust approached, and presently the Cossack lances pierced it, glittering in the sun. Dark and colorless masses loomed through it, and strange but stirring music was in the air. Not a sound was heard even while they passed, except that martial war song of the bards who lead each sotinia and the shrill accompaniment of whistles modulated to weird harmony. No rattle of accoutrements betrays the Cossack; his very horse seems to move with silent activity. With that pæn in one's ears, and the whistles screaming through it, one beholds without astonishment those warriors glide past, stealthily and swift. One recognizes the surviving race of an earlier time. To the same war song perhaps marched the ancestors of these people when they overran Russia. The Bucharest ladies were not a little impressed and a little frightened. They looked at each other blankly, with shrugs of the shoulder to express distaste. One of them afterwards expressed to the *Standard* correspondent, who described the scene, that her Muscovite sympathies vanished at sight of the first Cossack, so ugly and dirty was he.

—A rollicking Hibernian of the Light Division in the Peninsula, was once trudging leisurely along the road with a pig in a string behind him, when, as bad luck would have it, he was overtaken by Gen. Crauford. The salutation was not the most cordial. "Where did you steal that pig, you plundering rascal?" "What pig, Gin'ral?" exclaimed the culprit, turning round to him with an air of the most innocent surprise. "Why, that pig you have behind you, you villain!" "Well, then, I vow and protest, Gin'ral," rejoined Paddy, nothing abashed, and turning round to his four-footed companion as it he had never seen him before, "it is scandalous to think what a wicked world we live in, and how ready folks are to take away an honest boy's character. Some blackguard, wanting to get me into trouble, has tied that beast to my cartouche box."

—Pigeon-English, a language peeping about on the Pacific coast, was invented in Canton, Hong Kong, and Shanghai, where it is to-day used as the medium of business transactions between the natives and foreign merchants. The name was derived from the fact that the natives pronounce business *pigeon*; and, as neither of the two contracting parties could spare the time to acquire thoroughly either Chinese or English, a happy adaptation of the one to the other by practical intermingling was hit upon. At the present day some very large transactions take place in Pigeon-English in the cities named, as well as at other points.

—Two gamblers were in Leavenworth, Kan., several years ago, with about $50 in their pockets. They desired to get money enough to go to California. They went to separate hotels. One registered as a physician, and advertised a remedy for cholera. The other put up a large quantity of yeast powers into sample packages, with a little croton oil in each, and hired a boy to distribute them. Soon family after family, affected by the croton oil, felt what they believed were symptoms of cholera. The sale of the cholera remedy was enormous, and the gamblers were enabled to go to California. They now tell the story through the Virginia City *Enterprise*.

—Mrs. Van Cott's abrupt manner and pointed questions often alarm the more timid among her congregations. One evening an old negro who had occupied a seat pretty far back, and whose feelings had been worked up to a pitch of excitement by the shouting, groaning, and singing, fairly jumped to his feet in terror when Mrs. Van Cott, who had unseen stolen behind him, suddenly asked: "Brother, are you fixed upon a rock." "No," he answered, trembling, "not as I knows on, I ain't."

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "		6.30 "
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Concord Way,			4.35 "
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	4.00, 10.10	A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10	A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "		3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.50 "		
Concord and North,	10.20 "		6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "		5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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RELIEF FOR ST. JOHN.

John Sise, Esq., writes from St. John, N. B., under date of June 30th, to Mr. Charles H. Mendum, one of the citizens' committee, as follows:

"*Dear Sir:* I have just received your favor of 20th. Please put me down for twenty-five dollars. * * The present need of the people here seems to be more for clothing and bedding, than for food; but you can have no conception of the immense destruction of property. The fire burned over fourteen miles of streets, and the number of homeless people is by no means overstated. The greatest confusion still exists, and it will be a long time before any business can be properly carried on. The arrangements for distribution of donations are in excellent hands, and anything sent here from Portsmouth will be most acceptable."

Up to Monday evening, we are informed, the sub-committee (C. H. Mendum, Esq., and Postmaster Peirce,) appointed to wait upon the citizens to solicit subscriptions, had collected over $350; they were confident of bringing the total up to $400, and hoped to make it $500 or better.

INDEPENDENCE DAY.

The Fourth of July has been here and gone; the ubiquitous small boy and the aggressive fire-cracker showed themselves everywhere, but Portsmouth still stands. The week preceding the day especially devoted to noise was more quiet than it usually is in this city, and it was not until nightfall of the third that the racket really began; then crackers of all sizes and degrees of noisiness, guns, horse pistols, Roman candles, etc., came out in good force, though less than in years past. The "sacred ox, Rajah," which had been on exhibition in a tent pitched in the centre of Market square for two days, had his quarters shifted to the rear of the Police Station, as the manager considered it would be impossible for the boys to resist the temptation to throw bunches of lighted crackers on the invitingly-flat top of the tent, whereby the tent might be ruined and the golden calf's temper injured; but the man with the broad-brimmed hat, who had been selling from a big wagon some kind of quack mixture for curing rheumatism and cholera, eradicating corns, killing potato bugs and cleaning gun-barrels of rust, kept right on selling where he was, and made a mighty good thing of it.

Along in the evening the popular bonfire was kindled on the square, and as usual the back yards of dry goods and grocery stores were ravished of packing cases, for fuel. The fire was kept up well through the night, though there was a sudden check given to the supply of fire-wood and a total stop put to the firing of guns and crackers, and the songs of certain hilarious young men, at about one o'clock, by a sudden shower which came on at that time. Lots of young fellows and some old ones were almost—and some of them quite—"happy" enough to be called drunk; but they were about all good-naturedly boozy, and the police were not required to make their authority felt to any great extent.

Sometime after daylight there was another smart shower, which wet everything down nicely, but also prevented the appearance in the Fantastics' procession of teams from Greenland, Newington and Rye, which had made all ready to take part. At a later hour there was another shower, which clapped a stopper on the open air concert by the Portsmouth Cornet Band on Haymarket square, after a couple of tunes had been played. Many people supposed the procession of Antiques and Horribles would be given up; but though not so large as it would have been had the morning been clear, it started not far from the advertised time and went over the following route:

Richards Avenue, Middle, Congress, Market, Deer, Vaughan, Congress, Islington, Union, Middle, Court, Pleasant, Water, State, Cabot and Islington Streets to Market square, where the procession was reviewed and the prizes awarded as follows:

For the "best hit, local or otherwise," $10, to the "Light Artillery's trip to the 'hold' country," gotten up by Mr. John S. Treat and other members of the company. There were two teams employed to represent this, the forward one containing Mayor Kent, of Portsmouth, England, and the royal family, in the persons of Her Majesty the Queen and the Princess of Wales, anxiously gazing through huge telescopes to spy out the approaching visitors, Mayor Kent wearing the uniform (to a certain extent) of the Light Artillery. Following this team came one on which was mounted a fisherman's dory, labeled "Inman line" and arranged to represent a steamboat, a stove pipe being fitted up for a smoke stack, and whoever tended the furnace "firing up the middle door" with something abundantly provocative of smoke. If the dashing craft had no paddle wheels she had a marvellous wheel to steer with; and to more particularly show her errand she towed behind—after the manner of steamships in general—such a piece of field artillery as Herr Krupp himself never conceived an idea of. The picture was completed by her crew, which consisted of a half-dozen Light Artillerymen in various stages of sea-sickness. This turn-out was provocative of much mirth, the "point" being readily seen by everybody.

Four-wheeled teams, first prize, $10,—awarded to a turnout from Newington, the team being an ox and a horse driven tandem, with the ox for wheel-horse. Second prize, $5,—given to the "one-price boot and shoe store," Mr. Goodwin manager.

Two-wheeled teams, first prize, $5,—to a *three*-wheeled carriage built of a wheelbarrow (in which the driver sat) and a pair of carriage wheels, with long rustic shafts. [The man who entered this team, evidently not sure in which class his carriage would be put, had a spare wheel hanging up between the shafts, labelled "This is the fourth wheel."] Second prize, $3,—to an old chaise.

Equestrians, first prize, $5—to "the devil." Second prize, $3,—to a Yankee.

Pedestrians, first prize, $4,—to boy and girl. Second prize, 3—to two old women.

There was a well attended adjourned meeting of the Fourth of July Committee of 1873, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, in the Common Council room. After an interesting session the Committee adjourned to meet again on the same date next year, at the same time and place.

In the afternoon the sports on the square came off, commencing at about three o'clock. A large space was roped off and kept clear by the police, which was easily done, the large crowd of spectators being in the best of humor and determinedly good natured. The published programme of the sports was as follows:

1. Grand "Oration;" prize, $000.00.

2. Potato feat; prize, $5,—to be given the person who shall quickest pick up 25 potatoes, two feet apart—best two in three trials.

3. Running match; prize, $3; heats, best two in three; distance, from reservoir to Chestnut street.

4. Sack race; prize, $5; heats, best two in three; distance, 150 feet.

5 Jumping match; prize, $2; best two in three trials, each person to choose his own style of jumping.

6. Three-legged race; prize, $5; heats, best two in three; distance, 150 feet.

7. Climbing greased pole; prize, $5,—a $5 greenback will be placed on top of the pole, to belong to the one who can get it. Contestants to draw for chances, and take turns in regular order.

This programme was changed by the omission of the "grand oration." Mr. J. Knight Adams Hanson, the crier, who was to have delivered it, went around with his bell on the afternoon previous, proclaiming, "The oration to-morrow which was to be delivered by John K. A. Hanson, will not be delivered." That squelched the "oration." The rest of the programme was carried out to the great amusement of the spectators, the winners of the several events being as follows:

Potato feat, Samuel Wallace. There were four entries for this feat, and when the word was given in the first heat Wallace ran to the far end of his row to commence, while the others all commenced at the end nearest the tub. On the second heat all four commenced at the far end, but Wallace again won, two of the others being ruled out for a palpable "foul."

Running match, Charles E. Parks.

Sack race, Eugene S. Foote.

Jumping match, Charles E. Parks.

Three-legged race, William Quinn, 3d, and John Lolley.

Climbing greased pole, nobody. An alarm of fire just before this trial came off drew away several of the contestants, and the four who tried it being unable to accomplish it, the five-dollar greenback on top of the pole went (as previously agreed on) to the owner of the pole, for services rendered.

In addition to the regular programme there were several amusing "scratch" races around the roped-in space, between two built-up fat men, for twenty-five-cent stakes.

Considering the small amount of money at their disposal we regard the managers of sports—and particularly Mr. W. I. Trafton, who started the idea and worked hard to carry it out—as being entitled to much credit; they certainly provided a good deal of fun for a great many people, and at a small cost.

The bells of the city were rung, morning, noon and night, and a salute was fired from the Navy Yard at noon. Two band concerts had been arranged for, but the morning one at Haymarket square was stopped by the rain, as before stated; in the evening, from eight o'clock until ten, the band played on Market square, — and shortly after the streets were comparatively deserted and silent, though some of the boys kept up their songs until two hours later.

The consumption of whiskey was about the same as in years past, judging from the numbers of men half drunk; but there were no noteworthy disturbances. There was less powder burned than usual, but quite enough for the comfort of timid people; and we have heard of but one serious accident. Mr. Charles Palmer was handling an old navy pistol loaded with ball, preparing to shoot at a target with his brother Havilah, who was sitting near him, when the pistol was accidentally discharged, the ball entering the bowels of Mr. H. Palmer, inflicting a terrible wound. Drs. Hall and Whittier attended him.

The prisoners at the jail, ten in number, were treated by Sheriff Kent to a box of strawberries each, with sugar and cream *ad lib.*, and all the lemonade they cared to drink. Some of them told him they should make it a point to be boarding at his hotel next 4th of July.

FIRES.

An alarm of fire was caused at about five o'clock Wednesday afternoon, by the slight burning of the house of Mr. Joseph Marden at Freeman's Point, which caught behind the stove. The department turned out and some of the engines went a long way—to Great Falls, one fireman asserts—to find the fire; but their services were not needed.

Shortly after midnight another alarm was given, caused by the firing of the old Ham house at the Creek, owned by the Eastern Railroad and partially burned by an incendiary fire some months ago, on which occasion also an alarm was given,—and the fire put out with a few buckets of water, as it was this time, too. There is enough left of the building to cause several more alarms before it is finally all used up, and it would be patriotic on the part of the railroad corporation to tear the old thing down. We are informed that this was the *third* attempt to burn the wreck, the fire having been put out once without raising an alarm.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, July 4th.

George W. Laskey, a young fellow of about twenty years, was brought up on complaint of his mother, for being idle and disorderly. Brentwood two months; costs, $9.18.

Thursday, July 5th.

In the continued case of Ellen Gray vs. Thomas Coyle, for slander in charging the woman with having stolen a sum of money, a decision was rendered for plaintiff; damages $30. Defendant appealed. Page for plaintiff, Hatch for defendant.

JOTTINGS.

Mr. John Williams and wife, of Kittery Lower Foreside, went lobstering along the "Eastern Shore" on Wednesday afternoon, and had not returned up to three o'clock Thursday afternoon. Mr. Williams is was sober, industrious man and respected citizen of Kittery, and chaplain of Riverside Lodge, I. O. O. F. He has been employed on the Navy Yard as a rigger, and not appearing at roll-call on Thursday morning a messenger was sent to his house at noon, and returned with the information that neither he nor Mrs. Williams had been heard of since they started out lobstering the day before. As soon as work was over on the yard Boatswain Mc Caffery mustered a crew of volunteers and went outside the harbor with a staunch, boat to try and find out what has become of the missing pair, for whose safety grave fears are entertained.

The New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals makes the following report for the six months ending June 30th, 1877: Number of horses killed, 1; number of horses exposed to the cold and blanketed, 19; number of men prosecuted for cruelty, 11; number of complaints corrected without recourse to law, 46.

Passed Assistant Surgeon Thomas S. Streets has been detached from duty at the Smithsonian Institute, and ordered to the Speedwell, now fitting out at this station.

Damon Lodge, Knights of Pythias, installed the following officers on Tuesday evening, July 2d: Past Chancellor, G. H. Tripp; Chancellor Commander, L. McRae; Vice Chancellor, L. A. Johnson; Prelate, Herman Manson; Master-at-Arms, J. C. Tilton; Inner Guard, M. Fairbone; Outer Guard, E. C. Badger; Finance Committee, A. T. Pickering, M. T. Betton, O. D. Bryant. The officers were installed by District Deputy Grand Chancellor A. T. Pickering of this city.

DONT KILL THEM.

A few days ago Mr. Peirce Parker, of Kittery, informed us that he had found on his potato vines quite a number of small striped bugs, similar in appearance to the common squash bug, but thinner and not so dark colored, which he was confident devoured the eggs of the potato beetle; that he was very careful not to kill them, and that no slugs would be found on the same vines with these little bugs, though the punctured and empty eggs would be found on the under sides of the leaves. He showed us several of the bugs referred to, and though they were very like the striped squash bug we could easily note the difference when it was once pointed out. Since then we find in the Pawtuxet Valley (R. I.) *Gleaner* the following, which we reprint in hope it may be of benefit to farmers in this vicinity, by lending them to spare this natural enemy of the potato pest, as it is not likely Mr. Parker's garden is the only place in this vicinity in which it has commenced work:

"Hon. Christopher R. Greene, who has recently returned from a visit to the South, reports that while there he was shown and became somewhat acquainted with the habits of a bug that has recently made its appearance, and which resembles in many ways the common squash bug, only the latter is not so flat or light-colored. This new comer is gladly welcomed wherever it has appeared, as it greedily feeds upon the larva of the destructive potato-bug, and seems to be the first and only natural enemy of the potato destroyer. Since Mr. Greene's return home he has spoken to a number of his friends about these enemies of the potato bug, and the result is that recently some of the bugs have been discovered in this vicinity. Those who find *anything resembling a squash bug* upon their potato vines should let it alone, as it will not harm the vines if it is a squash bug, and it is more than likely to be one of the new insects, and will do a vast amount of good. It is to be hoped that these little friends of mankind will increase, and that the trade in Paris green will diminish in consequence."

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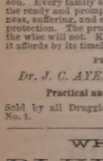

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 16, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth, and all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this notice, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or placed that offensive substance therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughterhouse, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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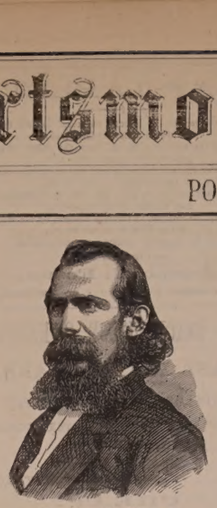
Health Officers.



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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Three Against One.

In 1834, while residing in Maine, I went to Wiscasset to attend the circuit court of the United States. Soon after entering the court house a stranger came to me and said he wished to engage me. We stepped into a lobby, and I asked him what the case was; in reply, he said that his name was Merriam, and he was postmaster at Camden, and that he had been bound over on a charge of abstracting money from the mail. I said, "If you are bound over, you have had a hearing before a magistrate,—what was the evidence in that hearing? Tell me as fully as you can."

He replied that there were three witnesses against him,—Mr. Mitchell, the postmaster at Portland, Mr. Pickard, the mail contractor, and the driver of the stage. Mr. Mitchell testified that letters containing money having been several times lost from the eastern mail, he was employed by the Postmaster-General to detect the offenders; that for that purpose he went to Belfast, and there he and Mr. Pickard, the mail contractor, prepared a letter addressed to General McLellan of Bath, purporting to contain a remittance from a debtor; that into this letter they put a sum of money, in bank bills, and made it up in such a manner as to appear to contain something and be easily distinguished from other letters; that they (Mitchell and Pickard) took a chaise and accompanied the stage leaving Belfast in the night; that they arrived at a post office between Belfast and Camden; that the bag was carried into the office, and in due time brought out, and then examined by all three, Mitchell, Packard and the driver, and the letter to McLellan was found in it; that they then proceeded on their way till they came to the post office in Camden; that the mail bag with the letter to McLellan in it was taken into the office and, after the usual time, was brought out and put into the stage; that they then drove some distance from the village, there stopped, took the bag from the stage and carried it to the chaise, and there they opened the bag, and took all the letters and papers and placed the letters on one end of the seat of the chaise and the papers on the other, and then they examined the bag; that they took each letter and each paper by itself and put them back into the bag, and the letter to General McLellan was not there. The bag was then taken by the driver to the stage, and he proceeded on his way.

Mitchell and Pickard returned to the village and had the postmaster arrested for abstracting money from the mails. Mr. Pickard testified to the same facts, confirming Mr. Mitchell in every particular. The driver also was a witness, and confirmed all that had been testified as to his participation in the business. In answer to questions, Merriam stated that all three of the witnesses swore that the letter to General McLellan was in the mail bag when it went into the office at Camden, and was not in the bag when it came out, and the driver testified that there was no one in the office but the postmaster. I asked my client what evidence he had. He replied that he had not any evidence. I then asked him what he had to say. He answered that all he could say was he was in his office that morning alone. The mail was brought to him; he opened it as usual, took out the letters for Camden, put in those that were to go forward, closed the bag, locked and delivered it to the driver, who carried it away, and that was all he knew about it.

Such was the case of my client as presented by himself. What was my duty? It is true he denied that he was guilty, but so can every criminal, and all do who employ counsel. He admitted that he had not the slightest evidence to offer against the testimony of three respectable witnesses, and that he had not a word to say in explanation. Ought I to have flared up with virtuous indignation and at once refused to aid a man to escape punishment who was so palpably guilty? That was not my course, but after reflecting a few minutes, I said: "Have you ever caused inquiry to be made of General McLellan whether he received that letter?" He replied, "No, I never thought of such a thing." I then advised him to send a person immediately to Bath and ask General McLellan if he had any knowledge of such a letter, and also to make the same inquiry of the postmaster at Bath. He sent a man accordingly, who in due time returned and reported that General McLellan said that he did receive such a letter on a day which he named, and which was a short timely only before. When he received the letter he had no recollection of the writer, but supposed it was all right. The messenger then went to the Postmaster who said that he recollected such a letter, that it came by the Eastern mail, on a day which he named, that he opened the mail-bag himself, and, seeing a letter directed to General McLellan which looked as if it might have money in it, he did not like to have it lying in his office, and sent it by his boy to the General. The time when the letter reached the Postmaster of Bath and General McLellan, as stated by them, was the afternoon of the day on which it passed through Camden. On receiving this intelligence I went to the District Attorney, Mr. Shepley, stated what information we had obtained, and requested him to subpœna General McLellan and the Postmaster at Bath to go before the grand jury. He did so, and the result was that no indictment was found and my client was discharged. He had been so anxious that, during the

absence of his messenger to Bath, he retained General Fessenden, and we, after conferring together, advised our client to bring an action against Mr. Mitchell for malicious prosecution. He did so and recovered over sixteen hundred dollars. —*Judge Peleg Sprague.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JULY 7, 1877.

Great Cry and Little Wool.

The Harvard boat's crew which pulled the recent race with the Yale crew at Springfield, and beat them, before the race put up over their boat-house a sign on which was painted, "Reporters and Loafers not wanted here." This has drawn down upon the callow fledgelings of Harvard the wrath of the press generally. A local paper stigmatized the Harvard boatmen,—in whom is undoubtedly centred the hope of the world for a generation to come,—as "a set of d—d hogs!" And the press generally, without distinction of race, color, politics or previous condition of servitude, unite in calling the inexperienced youths who represented Harvard at the boat race snobs and fools, for thus gratuitously insulting the hardest working class in the community by classing them with "loafers." Even the New York *Tribune* takes the trouble to sneer at the "Harvard young men" as "obviously very young persons," and to intimate to them that but few college graduates possess the ability to win success as newspaper reporters at the present day. We do not remember so universal a storm of ridicule and contempt ever being visited on the heads of eight insignificant persons before; and we respectfully suggest to our brethren of the press that they are magnifying a mountain into a molehill. If the eight young gentlemen of Harvard who carry their brains in their biceps choose to advertise themselves as snobs, in mercy's name let them do it. Don't let's have any more growling about it. The "very young persons" will learn, one of these days (after they leave college and try to earn their own living), that there are men—and able men—in the world who never saw a college; and that it is possible a man may fill a useful position, and be a gentleman too, without ever pulling an oar in a University boat race.

The War.

A telegram from St. Petersburg says that official advices have been received from the Russian Headquarters on the Danube to the effect that all of the Dobrudscha is occupied by the Russian forces up to Trajan's wall, and that 120,000 Russians have crossed the river at Simnitzs, together with an immense train of artillery, and that the cavalry scout the country up to the foot of the Balkan Mountains.

A telegram from Cettinje (the Montenegrin capital) says that the Turks have occupied that town and that the Montenegrin campaign has been concluded. Suleiman Pasha will immediately leave Montenegro and march towards the Danube with forty-five battalions of his army. A despatch from Vienna states that Austria is meditating a peace between the Porte and Montenegro.

A Turkish despatch from Erzeroum says the Russians have retreated from before Kars. A St. Petersburg despatch of the 5th says General Melikoff is to be removed from the command of the army in Asia Minor.

Torpedoes Against Ships.

A correspondent at Sulina writes as follows to a New York paper: Hobart Pasha, before he left on a cruise to return the visit of the audacious Russian steam-yacht which lately ran into Sulina, had so organized a system of torpedo defences for our ships while lying at anchor that he was enabled to telegraph to the Minister of the Marine, "Ships safe here; don't be anxious about them." He had not been gone three days when the long-looked-for trial was made of torpedoes against ships—a trial, I may say, interesting to all the naval world. It came off in the following way: The Russian part of the programme we learn from a prisoner, who, I regret to say, is either an Englishman or an American. He gives a very clear account of the whole affair until the time that he came to grief, stating, by the way, that he was to have been paid £4000 for every Turkish ship blown up. His story is that the flotilla of torpedo boats, consisting of six of these nasty little wasps, set out from the Russian coast towed by a steamer, and that when they arrived within five miles of the place in which our ships were anchored they were cast off and started for their work. On coming close to us they charged the ships—if I may use his expression—and did their utmost to succeed; but they were received by a warm fire. The American knew no more till he found himself floating about in the water, from which unpleasant position he was rescued by his captors. Now for our part of the business. We were lying at anchor with a steamer ahead on the look-out, and surrounded by guard boats arranged by means of a chain in such a way by our gallant chief that approach undisturbed was next to an impossibility. The torpedo boats made a joint attack on the headmost ship, and were received by a heavy fire from mitrailleuses and other small guns placed on the upper deck. The Turkish men-of-war boats crowded in, and a general fight ensued, during which two or three torpedoes exploded, without, however, doing any damage. Very shortly after the beginning of the engagement one torpedo boat sank, and before it was over two more followed suit. The other three succeeded by the help of the darkness in making their escape to the steamer, which, at some distance off, was waiting for them. I fancy, however, they must have been more or less crippled. When the firing and confusion had ceased six men, among whom was the individual I mentioned, were picked up by the men-of-war boats, and so ended this interesting affair. The result shows that ships *can* be defended from torpedoes if a good lookout is kept and proper precautions taken.

Fourth of July Items.

Fewer fires and fewer accidents occurred on the 4th this year than for many years previous. The explanation is that less powder and fewer fireworks were burned.

The village of Chester, N. Y., was nearly destroyed by a fire occasioned by fireworks; loss $64,000; insurance $41,000.

Three women were badly wounded by stray bullets, and all will probably die. Cristiana Cohn was shot through the lungs while sitting on her doorstep in New Brunswick, N. J.: Minnie Howard was shot at Fort Dumplings, at Newport, R. I.; and Louisa Culin was shot in the head at Chester, Penn.

Two boys in Philadelphia lost their lives by a loaded pistol fired in fun and supposed not to be loaded.

A son of William Goss of Epsom, 14 years old, had his eyesight nearly destroyed on the 4th by an explosion of powder.

New Hampshire Legislature.

On Thursday the House ordered to a third reading the bill appropriating $5000 to the Bennington monument, and $2500 for the transportation of troops to the celebration. Bill for providing for placing statues of John Stark and Daniel Webster in National Gallery at Washington was read a second time.

On Friday the bill for new State Prison passed, at 5:30 P. M., by a vote of 214 to 105. Portsmouth delegation—yeas 6, nays 3, absent 1.

News and Notes.

In the firemen's muster at Biddeford, Maine, on Wednesday, seven hand-engines competed. Volunteer 4 of Peabody took the first prize for first-class machines, playing 194 feet and 2 inches; Triumph 1 of Berwick took the first prize for second-class engines, 181 feet and 11 inches. An alarm of fire, rung just as the steamers were preparing to play, prevented the trial of steam-engines.

An innocent Boston reporter, detailed to get facts about the dinner of the "Society of the Cincinnati," on the 4th, at the Parker House, inquired of a member whom he caught in the hall, whether they all came from Ohio. Evidently he thought that such a gathering must affect the price of pork. On being disabused of this notion, he inquired whether this was not the sixth dinner of the society. "Sir," said the member, with dignity, "this is the 96th." "Ah," pursued the interviewer, "and have you been to all of them?" Then that member put his eye-glasses on and tried to wither the young man with a look, but it had no more effect on him than a blue glass sunbeam.

Jacob Levin was charged a few weeks ago in the Cambridge (Mass.) Police Court with committing an assault with a loaded pistol upon his son Joseph. The alleged cause of the shooting was the desperation of Levin at his son having abandoned the Jewish Church and joined the Catholic. The father was held for an examination by the Grand Jury. Solomon Levin has confessed to his parents that the whole prosecution was a plot, and asked their forgiveness. He charges that his crime was owing to his youth and inexperience and to the influence exercised over him by Hugh Ross and Bernard Rafferty, Rafferty promising him his daughter and some property, and Ross all the money he wanted, to induce him to join the Catholic church. He charges that one of the parties fired the pistol near the house. The grand jury found no bill against the father.

The captain and two seamen of schooner Joe Carlton, of Rockport, Mass., harpooned a sword-fish in Penobscot bay on the 5th. The fish dived and carried down the boat, and the two sailors were drowned.

Gloucester, Mass., had a $25,000 fire on Thursday.

A Bethlehem, Pa., despatch says that William Conner, whose body was found on the railroad track, was murdered by Molly Maguires because he denounced them. It is also discovered that John Connolly, whose body was found on the Lackawanna track a few days since, was murdered by the Mollies, making five murders by the Mollies since the executions. Several coal breakers have been burned since Saturday night by Mollies, and several people have received the "coffin" warning from Mollies, including the Sheriff of Schuylkill county.

The steamers Elphinstone and Redewater came into collision at Point Au Tremble, just below Montreal, Wednesday afternoon, and both were sunk. The former was bound inward with iron and the latter outward bound with corn. Both are large steamers and will be a total loss. The crews were saved. Both are well insured. Divers, steam pumps and every appliance for unloading have been despatched from Montreal and Quebec, and in a very short time it is hoped the vessels will be raised. The Elphinstone now lies in Hochelaga Bay, where she was run directly after the accident occurred.

The shot that wounded Miss Howard at Fort Dumplings, 1200 yards across the bay from Fort Adams, Newport, R. I., proves to have been fired by one of two fort soldiers, who disagree as to which one fired the last time, when the young lady fell.

Americans in the Russian Service.

Although it has been generally suspected for some weeks past that American soldiers were entering the Russian service, nothing definite regarding the matter was learned until it became known that a number, probably twenty, of Burdan's corps of sharpshooters sailed for Russia four weeks ago, to take part in the European struggle. The Burdan sharpshooters were formed in June, 1861, of the best riflemen in the United States, and furnished with heavy muzzle loading rifles with telegraphic sights attached. As an instance of the ability of the men, Joe Ketch, the Texan rifleman, the leader of the party which has sailed for Russia, made fifteen consecutive bull's-eyes at 800 yards. Colonel Burdan is now in the Russian service, and the negotiations were carried on at first between him and Ketch. When the Russian fleet came here Ketch, with several others, saw the grand dukes on board the fleet and at their hotel. The arrangements were satisfactorily made, and the men left by the Cunard line and are now on the Danube. All the expenses of the men to Russia were handed Ketch on board the Russian flagship, and he held numerous interviews with the Grand Duke Alexis both on board the frigate and at the Fifth Avenue Hotel. The men all took their own rifles with them.

—Another woman has betrayed a man. An escaped convict in Georgia had one tattooed on his arm and was captured by means of that distinguishing mark.

—While a group of criminals who had been sentenced at Springfield, Ill., to the State Prison at Joliet were standing in the depot and waiting for the train, a young woman stepped forward and resting her head on a convict's shoulder said, "Kiss me, George." The officers smiled, for the woman's face was besmeared with paint. But "George" took the kiss, and more; for between her lips was a small key with which he could unlock the steel bracelets around his wrists. As the train bowled along the road, he shook off his bonds and shot out of the window like a rocket. The train was stopped, the officers gave chase, and before long the fugitive was recaptured. So the kiss was thrown away.

—A good story of Prince Paskievitch: During the war of Warsaw he had ordered a certain Polish battery to be silenced by his own artillery, and became perfectly wild with rage on observing that the artillery fire produced no appreciable effect. Galloping to the battery he asked: "What idiot is in charge here?" "I, sir," answered the officer. "Then down you go to the ranks this very day," said Paskievitch; "you don't begin to know your trade; your shells do not explode." "I know they don't," answered the captain; "for the best of all reasons, that they can't explode." "That's a lie," said the prince. "Is it? See for yourself, then," replied the officer, coolly picking up a shell from the pile and lighting the fuse, and holding it up between himself and the marshal. The marshal tranquilly crossed his arms and watched till the fuse sputtered and went out. "There, sir," said the artilleryman, triumphantly, as he threw the shell on the ground. "You were right, after all," growled the marshal, and rode away to another point of the line, but at night the captain received at his tent the cross of St. Vladimir for bravery in the field.

DIED.

CARPENTER. In Foxboro', Mass., June 22d, Mrs. Abigail Carpenter, aged 77 years, 4 months, wife of Daniels Carpenter, Esq., and mother of Mrs. Dr. Alden of this city.

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III. To elect a Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

IV. To transact any other business which may legally come before the meeting.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT, Clerk.

Portsmouth, N. H., June 28, 1877.

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" Way,	10.55	"	3.00 "
Portland	9.45	"	4.35, 8.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	"	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40	"	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10	A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10	A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00	"	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20	"	
Concord and North,	10.20	"	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20	"	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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IMPROVED ORDER OF RED MEN.

At a Council Fire of Newichewannock Tribe No. 4, Improved Order of Red Men, held at their Wigwam July 5th, Past Sachem Geo. F. Thompson raised up the Chiefs in due form. The following is the list of officers for the coming term:

Sachem, J. W. Caswell.
Senior Sagamore, W. E. Littlefield.
Junior " W. H. Allen.
Chief of Records, J. C. Lamos.
Keeper of Wampum, E. A. Ferguson.
1st Sannap, H. W. Waldron.
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1st Warrior, C. B. Mason.
2d " J. J. Leavitt.
3d " C. A. Green.
4th " — — ———.
1st Brave, G. J. Edmands.
2d " H. C. Locke.
3d " H. F. Eldredge.
4th " T. S. Gay.
Guard of Forest, W. B. Randall.
Guard of Wigwam, W. B. Robinson.
Trustees, J. W. Caswell, H. F. Eldredge, C. B. Mason.

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, a petition of Jos. H. Thacher and others, asking that Bridge street be graded and repaired with crushed stone and gravel, and that the sidewalks on said street be raised to their proper grade, was accepted and adopted. Conductor Charles Wyatt of the Concord Railroad appeared before the Board and advocated the repairs, stating that in the Spring and Fall of the year he had seen the water ankle deep on it.

Petition of E. G. Peirce, Jr., and others, asking that the bill in relation to the licensing and governing of hacks, etc., be taken from the table and passed, was read, and the bill was taken from the table and referred to a special committee consisting of the Mayor and Ald. Sides and Norton, to report.

Report of the Mayor on the claim of Wm. H. Grant was taken up and considered, and the recommendation of the report was adopted.

Petition of J. D. Goodrich, administrator, for leave to construct a drain, was referred to the committee on drains, with power.

F. W. Miller's proposition to sell stone to the city was referred to the committee on streets with power.

Subject of building a shed for carts at the city farm, was referred to the committee on city lands and buildings, to report at next meeting.

Ald. Betton and Norton were appointed a committee to confer with the Eastern Railroad Company relative to the Ham house at the Creek.

Communication of J. K. A. Hanson in relation to wells, was referred.

The resolution reported by the committee on streets, for raising the grade of Vaughan street, was taken up and an amendment was offered by Alderman Yeaton, striking out the words "at least one foot deep" and inserting the words "to proper grade." The amendment was voted down and a motion to commit to the committee on streets to ascertain the best kind of paving and report at next meeting, was carried, after which the meeting adjourned.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, July 6th.

Mary Sullivan, a young woman from somewhere out of town, was brought up, charged with having been drunk and otherwise misbehaving in the yard of the High School on Thursday. She was fined $3, costs $6.90.

JOTTINGS.

Prof. E. C. T. Krauss to-day takes possession of the premises at Miss Morgan's seminary, preparatory to opening his German Conversational School next Wednesday.

Mrs. Frances Preston Blair, widow of the late Francis P. Blair, and a daughter of the late Hon. Levi Woodbury, died suddenly at the family mansion near Silver Spring, Maryland, at two o'clock Thursday morning. She was out riding on horseback on Wednesday.

The contract for the brick work of the new opera house has been awarded to Andrew J. Locke & Co., of this city, and the walls have already commenced to go up. Mr. Locke also did the stone work for the foundations of the building. The future patrons of the house will have no cause ever to fear its walls tumbling down or its foundations giving way, for Mr. Locke is not only a careful and conscientious workman but a master of his business.

They say there was a gay old time down to Portsmouth yesterday. Lots of fellows got balmy and didn't know their head from their heels and couldn't get along worth a rod either end up and finally got stowed away in the Station House down there. Among that neat and hilarious lot was that distinguised high Special Policeman Sir James Howard of Dover. The immortal Jim had a real good time, and now he means to get square by locking up under ground the first Portsmouth policeman he ever catches in Dover. So those Strawberry Bank fellows had better look out for the redoubtable James, if they ever come this way.—*Dover Democrat*, 5th.

Mr. Seymour W. Tullock, of this city, a recent graduate of the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute of Troy, N. Y., is employed in Arkansas as Assistant Engineer to the United States Hot Springs Commission, of which Ex-Senator Cragin of this State is chairman. Mr. Tullock has also been offered the position of Assistant in Engineering at the University of Wisconsin, located at Madison, and has accepted. He will enter that institution at the ensuing Fall term.

The Concord correspondent of the Manchester *Mirror* writes that paper describing the members of the Senate, and thus alludes to Hon. Marcellus Eldredge: "Mr. Eldredge, the democratic Senator from Portsmouth, is a brewer who has had too much business on his hands to take much part in politics, for which he has no great relish. He was nominated last spring because it was thought he was the only man who could beat the republican candidate. He is a genial, shrewd business man, something after the Frank Jones pattern, and, if the First Congressional District don't turn from the error of their ways, is liable to take Frank's seat in Washington before many years."

The following item appeared in the telegraphic news from Europe, Friday: "Referring to the statement that the Portsmouth, New Hampshire, Light Artillery has accepted the invitation of the Mayor of Portsmouth, England, to visit that city and partake of its hospitality, the Mayor says that he knows nothing about any invitation to Portsmouth, N. H., volunteers." The records of the company show that on September 29th, 1876, at a meeting of the company, "Captain Marvin, [then commander of the company] read an invitation from Mayor Kent of Portsmouth, England, inviting his command to visit that city, which was accepted, and it was ordered that the clerk publish the proceedings of the meeting in the *Journal*, and that copies of the same be forwarded to Mayor Kent." The explanation probably is that the gentleman who was Mayor of Portsmouth, England, last September, and who sent to Capt. Marvin the pictures of that city and its harbor now in the City Rooms, is not now the Mayor; but this will have nothing to do with preventing the command making the proposed excursion.

We are pleased to announce that Mr. and Mrs. John Williams, of Kittery, were not drowned after all, but were met near the mouth of the harbor by the relief boat under command of Boatswain McCaffery, Thursday evening, the "missing" couple being engaged in quietly paddling homeward with their catch of lobsters, happily oblivious of the anxious sensation occasioned by their absence. It seems they did not start out on the afternoon of the 4th, as was supposed, but waited until next morning, and then had a very pleasant day's excursion.

The American House, Boston, has waterfonts in every chamber, and we believe there is not a dark room in the Hotel. That's what travellers want this time of year — fresh air and plenty of running water!

The officers attached to this naval station, with ladies and invited guests, had a clam-bake at Dover Point on Friday, and it was pronounced by all present—including several connoisseurs in clam-bakes—to be one of the best they had assisted at for years. [Providence *Journal* will please stop "blowing" about Rhode Island clam-bakes.] There were about eighty persons present; music and dancing helped to make the time pass agreeably, and all participating proclaimed the affair a perfect success. Commander Erben and Paymaster Guild arranged and carried it out in all its details.

Andrew J. Roberts, Jr., stole a horse last April in Raymond and sold him in Haverhill, Mass. The horse was found soon after, but the thief escaped arrest until Thursday evening, when he was found in a house near his home, having arrived there that day. Deputy Sheriff Shepard brought him to this city Friday, and lodged him in jail to await the action of the grand jury. After stealing the horse he enlisted on the school-ship Saratoga, to which he now belongs.

The Catholic society are to have a picnic next Wednesday at Pinkham's Grove, near Dover Point. The Reform Club are to have a picnic at the same place about the 26th of July.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

Rev. Daniel P. Pike, of Newburyport, Mass., will preach in the Court street Christian Church 10:30 o'clock A. M., and 2:45 P. M.

At the Universalist church the pastor, Rev. E. M. Grant, will occupy the desk in the morning, and by request will repeat the sermon delivered last Sunday, on "Unconscious Service and Conscious Neglect." No evening service.

At the North church the pastor, Rev. James W. Hubbell, will preach in the morning the seventh in the series of sermons upon "The fruits of the Spirit." Subject, "Meekness." Pastor's bible class for young men at the chapel, at 2:45 P. M.

At the South Parish, Rev. James DeNormandie will preach a sermon appropriate to our National Anniversary, upon "The true Greatness of our Land." Sunday School at the chapel on Court street at 2:45 P. M. The Vesper Service is discontinued until the first Sunday in September.

New Hampshire Items.

A building that was being removed, at Keene, fell over Friday forenoon, and buried three workmen. Henry Eames was killed, and A. O. Brown and Henry Lowlar probably fatally wounded.

The barn of John Foster, in Merrimack, was struck by lightning on Sunday evening, killing a cow and ten sheep. The barn was not set on fire.

A girl in Manchester, who had stolen a watch chain, swallowed it when she saw the police after her.

Ira Moore, Gilman Moore, Treat Potter and Samuel J. Hayes, well-known sportsmen of Manchester, were out hunting woodcock Thursday, when Gilman Moore got in range of Hayes' gun and received a full charge of shot in various parts of the body. Being some distance away he escaped fatal injuries.

William O. Averill, son of Albert Averill of Exeter, met with a fatal accident on Wednesday of last week, while on a visit to his grandparents in Orland, Me. He was assisting another boy in carrying sawdust upon some kind of rigging which they carried upon their shoulders, when he lost his balance and fell, the frame striking him on the head, tearing off two-thirds of the scalp. He died on Thursday at the age of fifteen years.

On the night of the 3d, as L. J. Tebbetts of Manchester was going across Merrimack Common on his way home, he was accosted by three men, strangers, who asked him for a smoke. A few words ensued, and with an oath one of the men, assisted by his companions, caught hold of Tebbetts and threw him head first into the pond. As soon as he could emerge from the unwelcome bath he drew his knife, and the men coming for him a second time, he stabbed one of them about the stomach and then fled. Tebbetts had thirty-five dollars about him, which he thinks the men were endeavoring to get hold of. The police, on going to the spot, found a rope made into a slip-noose, which it is supposed the men intended to tie about Tebbetts when they threw him into the water, but the struggle being sharper than they had anticipated, it could not be brought into use.

A Hinsdale farmer recently set out over 3000 tobacco plants, and in less than three days cut worms had destroyed all but a single plant. A like number was set out again and again with similar results. The fourth setting is now ready for the insatiable destroyers.

While Superintendent Ray of the State Reform School was giving meritorious inmates a ride Wednesday, a few unruly boys, who were left behind, made a desperate assault upon the overseer, disarming him of his revolver and keys, and made a bold strike for liberty. Several doors were opened and the boys gained the railroad track. All have been recaptured, excepting a desperate youth named Early.

Political.

The Louisiana bull-dozers, having conciliated all the republicans out of the State government and the courts, and filled their places with reliable democrats, now propose to show the republicans (what indeed they have long known) that a murder committed by a democrat is a less crime than the voting by a republican of his party ticket. Ex-Gov. Wells and Gen. Anderson have been arrested for perjury and forgery, and other prominent republicans are "to be taught their place" by the unhung assassins of Colfax and Feliciana. It is announced that "Gov." Nicholls protests against this flagrant violation of democratic pledges, and announces that he will instantly pardon any one convicted under such circumstances,—from which it would almost seem the man must have actually thought there was some dependence to be placed on democratic promises. If he did think so it shows he knows nothing about his own party.

There is a howl all along the civil service line for the removal of Jim Wilson, one of the Government directors of the Union Pacific, because he was conspicuous in the late convention in Iowa, which refused to endorse Hayes. Why is all this wrath centered on a man whose official duties do not demand his daily attention, and nothing is said about Secretary of War McCrary, who left his post at Washington and went to Iowa in order to secure the indorsement of Hayes, or at all events to prevent hostile action? According to the new civil service rules it is McCrary who needs disciplining. Is it possible that the "independent press" discriminates?—*New Haven Union* (dem.)

It is better to have been a Doorkeeper of the House of Representatives than to have dwelt in the tents of Tammany. Fitzhugh, he of the effusive but misspelled letter, resresenting himself as a "biger man than old Grant" at Washington, has secrets in his possession, and with them he can make Congressmen tremble. One of them has leaked out, and it reveals Sam. Cox in a light that is not far from ridiculous. Fitzhugh says that once upon a time Mr. Ely wished to obtain from the Doorkeeper an appointment for a friend of John Kelly, the big chief of Tammany. Cox, hearing of it, sent a letter to the Doorkeeper to copy and send back to him addressed "My Dear Sammy Cox," and signed "Fitzhugh," expressing great pleasure at the opportunity of serving his friend Mr. Cox, by doing a favor at his request for Mr. Kelly. Cox having got this letter, used it as to him seemed good to advance himself in favor with the great men of Tammany, but Fitzhugh receiving a grateful response from Kelly himself, thought he smelt the pilfering rodent and declared that this was not right, as the appointment had been made at the request of Mr. Ely. He was finally persuaded not to write to Kelly about it, but he lets the story out now because it is so good he can't hold it any longer.

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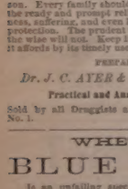

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers or buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of or at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stals or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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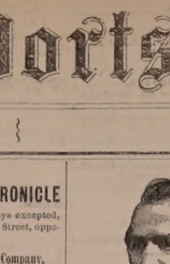

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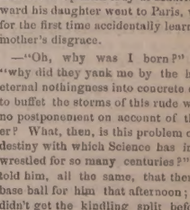

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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

—A righteous Louisiana Judge, in a horse case, ruled out both plaintiff and defendant and decided that the animal belonged to one of the witnesses.

—He said he hadn't been in swimming. He had on the Brown boy's shirt, but he accounted for that by saying that he and the Brown boy had been wrestling and it was likely the garments got changed that way.

—To be able to sample the length you will have your hair cut is a good thing. One of our barbers has the hair of his assistants cut different lengths and it is only necessary to point out which length is wanted, and trust to the honor of the hair cutter.—*Ex.*

—A man has been questioning his son, who has just returned from an expensive school, and says the boy answers four questions out of five correctly in every branch of his studies. To four questions out of the five, the boy says, "I don't know," and the answer is always a true one. When he hazards any other, it is apt to be wrong.

—A fond parent who bought a cow for his summer residence in anticipation of the delight that the product would cause his little daughter, was somewhat chagrined when Miss Pert, looking upon a pan of nectar, exclaimed: "Oh, the horrid yellow scum. It isn't half so good as the nice blue milk we get in Boston."

—A young man sat down and wrote on the back of two postal cards, and then turned them over and carelessly addressed them. The result was that a short carpenter received an invitation to go to ride and visit some parties in the country, and his young lady received an order for "samples of the stuff your shirts are made of."

—It is one of the odd phases of the labor question in St. Charles parish, Louisiana, that the freedmen object to working under overseers who carry umbrellas to keep off the sun, after the fashion of the overseers in slavery times. The freedmen either consider the umbrella a mark of degradation, or have a superstitious belief that it foretbodes their return to slavery, and their employers have to respect their wishes.

—The name of the terrible "Mollie Maguires" comes from Ireland. Some fifty years or more ago a poor old woman in Ireland had her cottage pulled down over her by her landlord. Her name was Mollie Maguire, and she died of grief and exposure. Thereupon her sons and some neighbor lads formed and took fierce revenge on Irish landlords in general. The band spread rapidly, and they called themselves the "Mollie Maguires," and Irish coal miners brought the name to America.

—Packard does not appear to interview readily, though he is the soul of courtesy. A Chicago reporter assailed him at night, and his card and pressing request for an interview received the following reply: "Say to the gentleman who sends this card, my sable brother, that I am at present in bed and very soundly asleep, and have been for some time; shall be so for an indefinite period, with a copy of his valuable and interesting newspaper under my pillow. *Au revoir.*"

—Gen. Sickles' daughter Laura has only lately heard of the blot on her mother's name, and the poor girl has taken it so much to heart that she has entered a French convent, where she is now expiating her mother's sin. Laura was a mere child at the time of the tragedy, and never knew of her mother's disgrace. She was carefully educated, and when her father was appointed Minister at Madrid, Laura went with him and did the honors of her father's house. She is a very lovely woman, almost the image of her mother. Gen. Sickles married a Spanish lady at Madrid. Afterward his daughter went to Paris, where she for the first time accidentally learned of her mother's disgrace.

—"Oh, why was I born?" said he; "why did they yank me by the hair out of eternal nothingness into concrete existence, to buffet the storms of this rude world with no postponement on account of the weather? What, then, is this problem of human destiny with which Science has impotently wrestled for so many centuries?" But she told him, all the same, that there was no base ball for him that afternoon; and if he didn't get the kindling split before his father came home, there'd be some wrestling that would make Science open her eyes when she struck that woodshed.

—Australians, it appears, never saw a post-hole digger until it was placed on exhibition in the American department at Sydney, nor a scuffle-hoe, nor yet a corn-sheller. That is not strange, perhaps, for the people of Vienna never saw a watering-pot with more than one sprinkling hole in it until Jackson S. Schultz showed a workman how to make one at the exhibition of 1873, nor had they seen a hundred of the little familiar household inventions so convenient and in such general use in this country. At all the world's fairs, no objects excite such wonder and attract so much attention as the innumerable variety of small Yankee notions which have sprung from the fertile brains of our people. One can in an hour's time collect scores of small things which no one can do without in America, and yet which are almost unknown in Europe, and if known, for which there would be a lively demand. In future world's fairs don't neglect the Yankee notions.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JULY 9, 1877.

"Water, Water, Everywhere."

Charley Gaffney of Rochester, who seems to have wrested from Ruel Durkee the sceptre of the lobby at Concord, has succeeded in bull-dozing the Legislature, including the retained lawyers of the Amoskeag Co. on the banks of the Merrimack, into passing a child-like and bland measure which taps the supply of the Lake Company and invites the waters of Merrymeeting Bay to flow towards the Cocheco, by means of a legislative enactment quietly put through the General Court while the vigilant retainers of the Manchester Corporations slept on their arms.

The result is, the supply that was intended to turn the wheels at Manchester, Nashua, Lowell and Lawrence, will now flow down the Cocheco and seek the bosom of the ocean at the mouth of the Piscataqua, instead of passing the bar at the Merrimac. The corporations on the Merrimac are considerably exercised at this *coup d' etat*, and will seek to have the Legislature do something for them this week. Failing in this they will try the Courts and show that irreparable injury will follow, ask injunctions, orders, decrees, decisions and determinations without number, while the legal profession will vote Gaffney a service of plate as the best friend of the profession in New Hampshire.

A Maryland "Blue Law."

A correspondent at Washington writes us as follows: Recently the District Commissioners solicited proposals for the publication of the delinquent tax list. The *Sunday Herald* was the lowest bidder. Its competitors at once raised the issue that it being published exclusively on Sunday, the work could not be legally given to it. Finally the matter was referred to the United States Solicitor General. He decided against the Sunday paper, basing his decision on an antiquated Maryland law, enacted in 1723, "in the ninth year of the Right Honorable Charles, Absolute Lord and Proprietor of the Provinces of Maryland and Avalon, Lord of Baltimore." It is entitled "An act to punish blasphemers, swearers, drunkards and Sabbath-breakers," and among its penalties are the following: "If any person is found guilty, wittingly, maliciously, and advisedly, of blaspheming or cursing God or of denying our Savior Jesus Christ to be the Son of God, or shall deny the Holy Trinity, the Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, or the Godhead of any of the three persons, or the unity of the Godhead, or shall utter any profane words concerning the Holy Trinity or any person thereof, either by verdict or confession, shall for the first offense, be bored through the tongue, and forfeit £20 sterling; for the second offense, be branded with the letter B, burned in the forehead, and forfeit £40 sterling; and for the third offense shall suffer death without benefit of clergy." It appears that this barbarous enactment is still in force in this District, or at least has never been repealed. Its rigid enforcement would mutilate half the tongues in the District, and the other half of the people would go about marked in the forehead like Cain, or like the President after having been partially cremated after the plan advocated by Professor Dana of the New York *Sun*; and it is safe to predict that through the fines incurred we could entirely discharge the national indebtedness in one decade.

Captain Howgate's Expedition.

The invitation of Captain Howgate to the merchants in the large cities of the United States, to assist pecuniarily in his polar explorations, has been responded to very liberally. The contributions have been so generous that he has been able to procure the vessel necessary to the inaugural movein his endeavor. This vessel is the Florence, and she will sail on the 20th of this month from New London, where she is now being thoroughly fitted out for her voyage. The officer who has been selected to command her is Captain Tyson, of the merchant marine, whose experience and ability peculiarly qualify him for his important position. He was navigator of the Polaris, and has been on several polar expeditions. Captain Howgate deserves great credit for his indefatigable energy, and it is hoped that Congress will aid him in his laudable enterprise.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, July 6.

The House yesterday spent most of its time in speech making upon important legislative bills, and more hours were spent in work than has been any day this season thus far. House bills 41, 44, 46, 47, and 51 were passed; No. 19 was laid upon the table; No. 21 referred to the special committee on Constitutional amendments; No. 43 indefinitely postponed; and joint resolution No. 1 referred to committee on education.

The second matter called up in the morning was House bill No. 41, relating to the encouragement of the destruction of noxious birds and animals. This is the same bill which was passed last year almost unanimously in the House but was defeated in the Senate. It favors the destruction of the fox, hawk, and crow. Mr. Colony of Keene moved it be put back upon its second reading so that he could make an amendment. Then followed a discussion which lasted until nearly one o'clock. Mr. Colony's motion was debated by Messrs. Colony, Whitcher, Barton, Sanborn, Brown and others. A division was called for, and it resulted in eighty-five in the affirmative, and 101 in the negative. Mr. Langdon of Portsmouth called for the yeas and nays. The roll call resulted in yeas 103, nays 133, and the motion was lost. Mr. Batchellor of Littleton moved to reconsider the vote. Mr. Mann, of Haverhill, advocated the reconsideration as the bill did not state what kind of hawks. This was further debated. It was then reconsidered and the amendment to place "then hawk or pigeon" before the word hawk was adopted. Mr. Hank of Woodstock moved to amend by adding the word "hedgehog" after the word fox; rejected. Mr. Grant of Auburn moved to strike out section three, that fixes the bounty on crows. This was debated by Messrs. Barton of Newport, Hanson of Rochester, Haley of Milford, Colony of Keene, and Whitcher of Strafford, and then the amendment was rejected. Mr. Dow of Concord then offered an amendment that the killing of these birds and animals on Sunday should not be rewarded, which was adopted, and the bill was put upon its third reading; and the first thing in the afternoon it was passed by the House.

After this bill was passed House bill No. 19 was put upon its third reading; this is an act to provide for a topographical and hydrographical survey of the State. Mr. J. S. Hayes of Dover moved to lay the bill upon the table. By unanimous consent Mr. Patterson of Hanover explained the bill in a lengthy, classical, and logical speech. It was further debated—in favor of it by Messrs. Hackett of Portsmouth, and Barton of Newport, and against it by Cross of Manchester, Pillsbury of Concord, Topliff of Manchester, and Ordway of Warner. It was then tabled and there it is likely to remain, but if it does come up again it will never reach the Senate chamber, as it cannot by any means be passed in the House.

The committee on National affairs reported a joint resolution in regard to the communication of the Governor of Vermont and the Bennington celebration committee, which was ordered to a second reading. The joint resolution is as follows:

1st. That the legislature accept the invitation of the Governor and committee.
2d. That $5000 be appropriated toward the Bennington monument.
3d. That $2500 be appropriated for the expenses of such of the New Hampshire militia as may be designated by the Governor.
4th. That the Secretary of State transmit a copy of these resolutions to the Secretary of State of Vermont and the Bennington Centennial committee.

The same committee reported the bill in favor of the representation of New Hampshire in the National Gallery at Washington, in a new draft, as follows:

That the Governor and Council be authorized to contract with artists for the statues of John Stark and Daniel Webster at a cost not exceeding $6000 each, to be placed, when completed, in the National Gallery at Washington. This bill was ordered to a second reading.

CONCORD, July 7.

Agreeable to a previous vote the "act providing for the erection of a new state prison" and the minority report of the state prison committee came up yesterday at 11 o'clock A. M., as the special assignment. The bill was debated for four hours and was characterized by good sound logic, facts, and common sense on both sides. The speakers in favor of the bill were as a general thing the leaders on both sides of the House. The following gentlemen advocated the erection of a new state prison: Hitchcock of Newport, Sise of Portsmouth, Ordway of Warner, Barton of Newport, Sawtelle of Lyme, Goodell of Antrim, Dow of Concord, John S. Hayes of Dover, Topliff of Manchester, Sinclair of Bethlehem, Kairy of Medford, Clatur of Manchester, Hanson of Rochester, and Durant of Lebanon. Messrs. Batchellor of Littleton, Morgan of Andover, Mann of Haverhill, Colony of Keene, Hitchcock of Hanover, and Sanborn of Campton spoke in the negative. The principal arguments in the affirmative were the unhealthiness, the insufficient and unsuitable accommodations, want of repair, and unsightliness of the prison. Those opposed said the prison was not unhealthy, that it could be repaired, if a new one was erected an immense debt would be incurred and that it could not be built for $200,000.

There were ten different amendments offered, all of which, with the exception of three were rejected. The three adopted were offered by Mr. Topliff of Manchester, Sinclair of Bethlehem, and Brown of Canterbury. Before the discussion the members were almost two to one against the bill. The adoption of the amendment offered by Mr. Topliff of Manchester changed more votes to its favor than any other thing during the debate. The amendment was nearly as follows: "the sum named in the bill shall cover land and right of way thereto, the erection and completion of the prison proper, walls, fences, gates and guard houses, shops of equal capacity of these now in use, store houses, grading of the grounds, sewerage, drainage, outside buildings for gas and water, steam works, appurtenances for heating, and for an abundant water supply, suitable furniture for the prisoners and for the families of the warden and deputy warden." Mr. Brown's amendment was that "no outlay whatever shall be made until satisfactory bonds and guarantees to the amount of $200,000 shall have been filed with the Governor." Mr. Ide moved to recommit the bill, which was lost and this closed the discussion. The bill was then ordered to a third reading. By a happy stroke of good fortune Mr. Sise of Portsmouth gained the floor and amidst loud applause moved that the rules be so far suspended that the bill be put upon its passage at that time which was carried.

A vote, viva voce, upon the adoption of the bill was declared in the affirmative when Mr. Colony of Keene called for the yeas and nays which resulted in a vote of 214 in the affirmative, 105 in the negative, and 58 absent or not voting. Portsmouth voted six yeas, three nays, one absent; Dover nine yeas, two absent; Concord every member present and all yeas; Manchester 23 yeas, one nay, two absent; Nashua six yeas, four nays, one absent; Keene all nays. Cheshire County voted almost solidly against the bill, and before Mr. Topliff's amendment it was the intention of all the members with the exception of two to vote against the bill. Clatur of Manchester, one of the members of the state prison committee, who signed the minority report, voted for the bill.

Mr. Stevens of Nashua offered a joint resolution that the present session of the Legislature be brought to a close on Saturday July 14, which was adopted.

The Senate passed the bill concerning the observance of Decoration Day as a legal holiday. The Senate deemed it inexpedient to legislate upon the act to increase the efficiency and reduce the expense of the State militia and an act to encourage the destruction of noxious animals and birds. Alas for the farmers who suffer from the depredations of the crow, hawk, and fox!

This morning the House upon the motion of Mr. Hackett concurred with the Senate in the amendment to the bill to provide for a Board of Instruction for the city of Portsmouth, the amendment is to the effect that the Board of Aldermen and not the Mayor shall choose by lot those members of the Board who are to serve for one, two, and three years. The House adjourned to Monday night at 8 o'clock. Yours, A. B.

News and Notes.

Messrs. William H. Ashton of San Francisco, Geo. W. Marston of New York city, D. Horace Holman of Lewiston, Maine, and Henry S. Vanderbilt of Washington, D. C., have purchased the "Belcher" and "Crown Point" mines at North Castle Creek, Dacotah, which is thirty-two miles south of Deadwood and three-quarters of a mile off the stage road between Custer City and Deadwood. The "Belcher," which has a tunnel projected under it, shows $40,000 worth of ore (quartz) in sight, projecting from six to ten feet from the ground. The mine is to be immediately incorporated and put upon the New York stock board —100,000 shares at ten dollars par value. The Superintendent predicts handsome dividends on its par value within the year. Mr. Ashton is the owner of thirteen other mines at North Castle Creek, which with the "Crown Point" and "Belcher" are located on "Bullion Hill."

For the year ending June 30, the public debt was reduced $39,000,000. The reduction last month was $3,219,000. The entire reduction of the public debt, from its highest point in 1866, is upwards of seven hundred millions of dollars. We have paid one fourth of the entire debt, and taking the interest accounts as a test we have paid a full third of it.

A. W. Goodrich, undertaker, was arrested in Lawrence, Mass., on Friday, for firing a gun loaded with shot at small children who were picking cherries beneath his trees. Theresa Noonan, Michael Callapy and John Maskett, two and a half, four and five years old, were wounded, but not seriously.

A San Francisco dispatch says a detachment of Gen. Howard's troops have been defeated by Josephs Indians, with a loss of twelve men and one officer.

The National holiday at the Exhibition building in Philadelphia was a grand affair, and the total admissions to the main building during the day figured up to a total of nearly 60,000. The success of this enterprise does not appear to depend upon its novelty but upon its substantial attractions, of which the general public is becoming more and more convinced.

The War.

Turkish advices say a battle was fought Thursday in the vicinity of Biela, which lasted twelve hours. The Russians were repulsed with considerable loss and fell back on Sistova. It is officially announced that the Russian losses in crossing the Danube at Sistova were 300 killed and 400 wounded. A Bucharest despatch says: The 120,000 Russians who have crossed the Danube at Sistova include 20,000 cavalry and 250 cannon. About 80,000 more Russians are concentrated between Simnitza and Turnu Magureli. The army which crossed at Sistova has been divided into three bodies, the principal of which is marching on Rustchuk, and the other two towards the Balkans and Nikopolis respectively. Gen. Ignatieff has arrived at the headquarters of Grand Duke Nicholas at Sistova.

That the Russians have met with serious reverses in Asia Minor is not to be doubted; whether their armies are being driven across the frontier, as the Turks claim, cannot be positively stated.

It is stated that Austria recently proposed joint mediation of itself and England between Russia and Turkey after a battle, which proposition was accepted by England. All efforts are now being made, it is reported, by Germany to prevent any such mediation by such a combination, and an effort is now being made to have the Emperors of Prussia and Russia meet. Bismarck is reported to be corresponding with Andrassy with this view. The fact of a close alliance between Germany and Russia has had considerable weight with England.

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Assignee's Sale at Auction.
UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—
Northern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Monilon and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts. To all whom it may concern: Take notice that I shall sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder
On FRIDAY, August 3, 1877,
At twelve o'clock, M.,
On the premises, the HOMESTEAD of J. C. CARR, situate Number 25 State Street, Portsmouth. This estate is well known as a desirable situation in one of the best neighborhoods in Portsmouth.
At half-past twelve o'clock, M.,
On the same day will be sold, on the premises, the double tenement HOUSE and LAND Number 25 Gates Street.
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Will be sold on the premises, four LOTS OF LAND on Lincoln Avenue, containing about five thousand feet each; these lots are in a desirable locality, and well worth the attention of buyers.
At half-past one o'clock, P. M.,
Will be sold the two-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then designated.
At two o'clock, P. M.,
Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.
At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,
Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.
All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.
Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.
For further particulars inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.
Dated July 7th, 1877.
CHARLES S. SYMONDS, Assignee.

To the Supreme Court.
ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term*, June, 1877. No. 12.
EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1872, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner executor with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.
And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.
He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court asked an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to transfer said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.
Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.
EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.
Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication thereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.
Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.
A true copy.
Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.

Eastern R. R. in N. H.
THE Annual Meeting of the stockholders in the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire will be held at the County Court House on Court street in Portsmouth, N. H., on Tuesday the tenth day of July next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:
I. To see if the Corporation will accept an act passed by the Legislature of New Hampshire at its session in 1876, amending the Charter of the Corporation.
II. To see if the Corporation will make any changes in its By-laws, or will refer the By-laws to a Committee to report any changes which may be desirable therein.
III. To elect a Board of Directors for the ensuing year.
IV. To transact any other business which may legally come before the meeting.
WILLIAM H. HACKETT, Clerk.
Portsmouth, N. H., June 28, 1877.

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THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street. For particulars apply to WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square, or HENRY A. YEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market Street.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West, 8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, July 7th.

John E. Lydston, for brawl and tumult, was fined $3, costs $8.81, which he paid.

William Quinn, 4th, was charged with having been drunk. He pleaded guilty, but in consideration of its being his first offence —or at least the first time he had appeared before the Court as defendant—he was let off on three months' probation.

Mary Sullivan, the young woman from Great Falls who was convicted of drunkenness on Friday and sentenced to pay $9.90, telegraphed to her father for money to get her out of her trouble. The telegram was received and paid for at the other end of the line, but no answer whatever was returned, from which it was inferred that the father did not care $9.90 worth about having his erring daughter back. She went to Brentwood on Saturday.

STOCK SALES.

The auction sale of stocks on Saturday was in sympathy with the depression in investments, and bidding was less spirited than usually an such occasions.

Concord & Portsmouth Railroad brought $121; at the last auction sale previous, $119.75.

Bank of New Hampshire stock was withdrawn.

National Mechanics' & Traders' Bank brought $108.50.

First National Bank brought $141.25, a decline of $15 from the price paid in January last.

THAT MARINE "MYSTERY."

Under the heading of "The Mystery at Portsmouth, N. H.," the *Army and Navy Journal* of June 23d published the following communication:

Sir:—Have marines no rights that Portsmouth is bound to respect? It would seem so in the case of the unfortunate man McCarthy, who was recently found dead near the Portsmouth bridge, under a suspicion of having been foully dealt with. It is known that bad feeling exists between the roughs of that city and the marines of the yard; from time to time, several of the latter have mysteriously disappeared, and last year one was left for dead on the bridge. It is strange that no inquest was held upon the body of this man, neither was there any medical examination; he was not removed to the Navy Yard to which he properly belonged (unless claimed by relatives), but hastily buried the next morning by order of Colonel Field. Altogether the object seems to have been to cover up an outrage, and this unseemly haste to get rid of a body, on the part of the civil and military authorities, deserves investigation. T. J. W.

In the same paper of July 7th, under the same heading, is a communication dated Portsmouth, N. H., July 2, and reading as follows:

Sir:—Under the above heading, in your issue of June 23, you publish a note which does injustice to this city and its authorities, and even to its "roughs." The writer intimates that a marine found dead, "under a suspicion of having been foully dealt with," was hurried under ground, by "the civil and military (marine) authorities," "to cover up an outrage." The facts are that the unfortunate man was last seen, alive, crossing Portsmouth bridge, and very drunk; eleven days later his dead body was found in the river, taken in charge by the police, and viewed by a coroner (who is a physician in good standing); but there were no suspicious circumstances to call for an inquest, so the mayor simply notified the marine commandant of the finding of the body, and it was buried next morning by a detail of marines. As to the marine "left for dead on the bridge last year," our police secured proof that he was assaulted by a comrade, and it was not their fault the would-be assassin was not punished.

CITIZEN.

REFORM CLUB ELECTION.

The Reform Club held the regular quarterly election of officers on Thursday evening, when the following were chosen for the ensuing term:

President,—James Janvrin.

Vice Presidents,—John E. Roberts, Geo. H. Ham, Geo. W. Randall, John Pierce, Walter Costello, Frederick Williams, Ransom B. Crook.

Secretary,—Sallie A. Pickering.

Treasurer,—Joseph Pettigrew.

Ticket Takers,—Augustus Ham, John S. Treat.

Standard Bearer,—James Eaton.

Chaplain,—William A. Loyne.

Finance Committee,—A. W. Haven, James Sanborn, Frank G. Thurston.

Ticket Seller,—Charles T. Wiggin.

JOTTINGS.

Mr. James M. Knapp of this city has been appointed foreman blacksmith in the Department of Steam Engineering at the Navy Yard.

The first weekly deposit of fifty dollars in the Portsmouth Savings Bank by the Light Artillery, in accordance with their plan for accumulating funds to defray the expenses of their trip to Europe next year, was made on Saturday.

The Secretary of the Navy has issued the following notice: "The proper business of the Department is obstructed by personal applications for positions. The Secretary notifies the applicants that the time for applications for positions in the Department is closed, and that the persons seeking places at the Navy Yards must hereafter apply to the commandants thereof. The Secretary declines to interfere in any way with appointments to places in any other of the Departments. The commandants of the various Navy Yards have full authority to employ all workmen needed, and, according to the circular issued a few days ago by the Secretary, persons will be employed on account of their skill and efficiency and without regard to political or other considerations."

Mr. L. J. Jennings writes from London as follows: "I suppose you will notice that the existing cables between England and America are all to be amalgamated, and that Mr. John Pender, President of the Direct Cable Company, is to be the boss of the Atlantic. The scheme is being rapidly pushed to completion, and, of course, the tariff has been raised again, and will be raised still higher before you receive this letter. This will cause great discontent among commercial men and the public, and will probably lead to the laying of a new cable under circumstances which will render any more of Mr. John Pender's neat operations impossible. A great row is going on here over the matter at this moment. It is probable, however, that Mr. Pender will not long be allowed to keep the telegraphic communication between England and the United States in his own hands, even if he should swallow all the companies now competing with him. There are rumors afloat which, if they reach Mr. Pender's ears, may serve to check his ardent hopes, and serve to remind him that the deepest laid plans are mighty 'onsartain.'"

Admiral J. C. Butler announces unusually cheap excursions to the Shoals on the steamer Appledore this season, for every other Thursday, commencing this week. They are destined to be popular, of course.

Mr. J. S. Lowell, who has been night operator of the Eastern Railroad telegraph at the depot in this city for some time, has been appointed to the day office in Newburyport made vacant by the recent suicide of Mr. Frank Dodge. Mr. George Wallace takes Mr. Lowell's position here.

United States Senator Bayard, of Delaware, and Hon. Heister Clymer of Pennsylvania, are the guests of Mrs. S. Bigelow Lawrence, at York,—though they are now on a brief trip to the White Mountains, in company with Hon. Frank Jones of this city. Gen. George B. McClellan is daily expected at the Marshall House, to remain a few weeks.

A ROW AND MURDER!

Rum, the probable cause!

THE VICTIM DIES IN TWENTY MINUTES!

On Sunday morning at half past one o'clock a sailor named Eldad L. Hankins stabbed and killed a shipmate named Wm. Daly on board the schooner Sellie Mair, Capt. Jacob Powell, lying at E. R. R. wharf, Noble's Island. The cause of the murder is not fully known, although it is believed to have resulted from an old feud that has existed between the deceased and Hankins for a number of months past. It seems that Capt. Powell on Saturday evening about six o'clock gave Hankins ten dollars, Daly five dollars and another one of the crew, Thomas Sullivan, five dollars with permission to go ashore. They went down into the city and were met by the captain in Market street near the Square about 8 o'clock, two hours later. They saluted him pleasantly, and as he says, did not seem to have been drinking, and appeared on the utmost good terms with each other. Capt. Powell went directly to his vessel and about nine o'clock turned in. At about half past one he was startled from his slumbers by the cries of Hankins at the companionway exclaiming, "For God's sake, captain, turn out, or they will kill me!" The captain was at once on deck, where a scene of horror met his gaze. Daly was lying across the entrance to the forecastle having fallen fainting with the loss of blood that was fast running his life away from a fatal wound about an inch from the heart and just below it. Sullivan and Hankins were rushing wildly about the deck, the latter holding on to his head which was bleeding quite freely from a wound made by a water bucket in the hands of Daly, as Hankins tells it.

The captain at once sent for a doctor and the police. Dr. Jones came, but too late to be of any service, as the man lived but twenty minutes after the thrust of the knife. Hankins and Sullivan were at once arrested and locked up, and the body of Daly was removed from the schooner's deck and placed in the corridor of the station house. An inquest will be held held on Monday afternoon at half past two o'clock by Coroner Whittier.

William Daly the murdered man was an Englishman 36 years of age; hailing from London, England. Eldad A. Hankins is also an Englishman, 40 years of age, from Cedarville, N. J. Thomas Sullivan is an Irishman, 26 years of age, a native of Boston. Neither of these men have families, as far as known by the captain or their friends.

Capt. Powell is wholly at a loss to account for the murder, as neither Hankins nor Daly were drinking men (that is, he says, "they never got the worse for liquor") and both were even-tempered, mild-mannered men, especially Daly, who was a rarely pleasant person, and never had any trouble, but was rather a favorite among the vessel's crew. The examination, which will be held this Monday morning in the presence of County Solicitor Small, may develop some facts that will serve to lift the cloud that at present envelops this affair in a mystery.

The prisoners were removed from the Police Station to the jail on Sunday morning in charge of Sheriff Kent where they will doubtless remain until the October term of court.

P. S.—Since the above was in type an autopsy has been held by Drs. Folsom, Whittier and Parsons, disclosing the fact that the knife entered the heart without touching the vital portion, thus prolonging what would otherwise have been an instantaneous death. The examination also revealed an incidental fact that the deceased was troubled with ossification of the heart. The jury of inquest, selected to sit upon the body aforesaid, are Dr. S. C. Whittier, Coroner; Dr. John W. Parsons, Messrs. Gideon H. Rundlett and Lewis G. Davis.

New Hampshire Items.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council, George L. Wentworth, sentenced to Dover jail for six months for selling liquor, was pardoned. George A. Kibby, sentenced to the State Prison for eight years for burglary, was also pardoned. He had served three years.

Considering the fact that the Granite State furnished over half of the troops as well as the general who fought the battle of Bennington, her proposed appropriation of $5000 toward the erection of the monument is very modest. Better make it ten thousand, gentlemen of the Legislature. Massachusetts gave that amount.—*Boston Globe.*

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You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. AKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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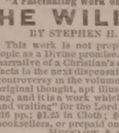

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SEC. 3. All waste water of house, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city, nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

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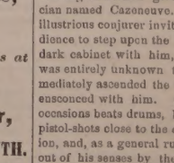

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. G. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 500 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Girl Valedictorian.

The Bates College valedictorian was a girl. To her classmates, many of whom still remain in town, and who are found properly, if somewhat unexpectedly, enthusiastic upon the subject of her many and varied talents, she is known as Jennie North and is described as a "perfect brick of a girl," whose career in college has been a continuous justification of the co-education of the sexes. Miss North entered the Class of '77 four years ago, at the age of seventeen. She found as her classmates thirty-eight young men and a single representative of her own sex. What stand this other young lady took in the class does not appear, and indeed need not be mentioned, for from the very moment of her entrance Miss North bent her energies solely to the task of defeating the thirty-eight young men her timid gaze had discovered sitting on the college fence.

She was the daughter of a physician in Bristol, Conn., and from the inauguration of her teens had taken kindly to Greek roots at the hands of a Yankee schoolmaster, so that she was well prepared for the ambitious task; and to do justice to the young men, though they magnanimously ignore the advantage, it must be admitted that the cruel sophomore favored her studious intent with a partiality not shown any of the male freshmen. Miss North, however, early showed that her talents were not confined to "grubbing."

She modestly refused an invitation to join the ball club, but developed a liking for the gymnasium, and is said during her junior year to have swung the Indian clubs as well and more gracefully than any man in the class. During the four years there were times when the tender conscience of this fair student was a serious hindrance to petty rebellions against class discipline, but even these unpopular characteristics are now related by her chivalrous classmates more in admiration than in bitterness.

Being the youngest member of "'77," it is to be supposed that Miss Jennie was the pet of the class; certain it is, she was present at all the the class contests; waved her handkerchief, some say her hat, at every class victory on the ball ground or elsewhere, and in every manner prominently identified herself with the interests of her classmates. There were a few young men malicious enough to assert that "Jennie would spoil her complexion," but Miss North seems to have feared none of the dangers incident to a collegiate education.

At what time it dawned upon the male mind that "the little girl of the class" was in a fair way of carrying off the highest honors, is not definitely known, but it is stated on good authority that when this discovery was made a united effort on the part of a dozen young men in the class attempted to defeat her, putting Miss North to the inconvenience of studying late into the night, by which means she triumphed.

Miss North leaves college with the intention of teaching school for awhile, as she has two little sisters to care for, but hopes eventually to become a practicing physician. It is an interesting fact that Bates College was the earliest (in 1875) to open its doors to and (in 1869) to graduate a woman, Miss Mary W. Mitchell, who is now a professor at Vassar, and it has now secured in Miss North the first female valedictorian. At the present time the New England colleges receiving women are Wesleyan, Waterville College, Vermont University, and Bates.

A Tilt in Magic.

There was a comical encounter between two noted professors of magic in San Francisco a few evenings since. Heller, fresh from the East, casually dropped into an evening exhibition given by a rival magician named Cazeneuve. When the latter illustrious conjurer invited some of the audience to step upon the stage and enter the dark cabinet with him, Mr. Heller, who was entirely unknown to his confrere, immediately ascended the platform and was ensconced with him. Cazeneuve on these occasions beats drums, blows fifes and fires pistol-shots close to the ears of his companion, and, as a general rule, scares him half out of his senses by the imposition on his head of spirit hands and other supernatural demonstrations. He also makes a practice of abstracting the watch of his victim, which is presently discovered secreted in the pocket of one of the audience, who is, of course, overwhelmed with confusion at being apparently detected. On this evening, however, the interest of the performance was considerably enhanced by the circumstance that whilst Cazeneuve removed Mr. Heller's watch from his pocket the rival magician spirited the dapper little Frenchman out of the cabinet altogether, and thereafter removed himself also to the street outside. Mr. Heller then, using his extraordinary powers of ventriloquism, threw his voice right across Bush street to the stage of the theatre and gave, in Cazeneuve's voice, the word to draw open the cabinet curtains. The gentlemanly interpreter who assists M. Cazeneuve obeyed the command, and, with the audience, was astonished to find the interior untenanted, whilst Heller and Cazeneuve at the same moment floated through the ambient air from the upper part of the house on to the stage. Mr. Heller's watch simultaneously disengaged itself from the pocket of Senator Sharon in the stage-box, and advanced

with loud ticks of welcome to meet its owner. The foregoing yarn we find in the San Francisco papers, and we have no objection to any one believing it who chooses.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JULY 10, 1877.

"Gobble" Grover's Election.

The Senate committee sent to investigate the circumstances under which Gobble Grover was elected U. S. Senator from Oregon, find that there was a remarkable smell of greenbacks in the air at the State capital the night before Grover's election. The following testimony was given by State Senator Goodman, in relation to a conversation between him and J. H. Mosier, a member of the House:

Mosier said to me the night before the Senatorial election, "How is this Senatorial question going?" I said, "I don't know." He asked, "Why won't Grover do?" I replied, "Well, Grover is a good man, but he is not my choice." He said, "There is a chance to make some money; a man can get $1000 for his vote." Said I, "Who has the money?" He answered, "I know where the money is, and you can get a thousand dollars for your vote; they want three more votes, and they have got three thousand dollars to pay for them." To the question of who offered it witness said, "You will have to judge of that as I did."

W. J. McConnell of Yamniel county testified that Wilson, a member of the House from Tillamook county, who voted for Grover, after being elected on a pledge to vote for Nesmith, and whose property was heavily mortgaged before the meeting of the Legislature, paid off some of his debts and cancelled his mortgage immediately after the adjournment; that he was seen to display considerable sums of money and changed $20 pieces frequently in Portland just after the Senatorial election.

W. J. Miller of Wasco testified that Butler, a member of the House from that county, who was supposed to be in limited circumstances before the election, immediately after purchased a half-interest in a steam saw-mill for $3000, which occasioned surprise and remark among his neighbors.

Mosier of Wasco county, who approached ex-Senator Nesmith and wanted money for his vote, and afterward voted for Grover, and who told Goodman, Senator from Linn county, that money could be had, and that it was right to take it, is keeping out of the way of the United States Marshal. When last heard from he was more than 100 miles from home, in the mountains. It is not believed he will be found. It has not yet been possible to find Butler, Mosier's fellow-member, and it is feared both will elude the Commission, who are making every effort to secure the attendance of these persons.

W. H. N. Stiles testified that he was a democrat, acted with that party in Salem, organized a Tilden and Hendricks Club and was Secretary of the club during the campaign; was in favor of S. F. Chadwick first and after that Grover, and worked for him some among the democrats who were in favor of Nesmith; never was in Grover's private rooms; saw Grover in conversation with Gilfrey at a hotel in Salem, on the night before election; heard Grover ask if Goodman could be depended on for the next day; Gilfrey answered "yes, but it costs him $1000," Grover answered "good; if we do not succeed on the first ballot to-morrow we are lost;" all this was in a low tone; know Mosier; saw him in Gilfrey's office; after the Senatorial election saw him come out of the Governor's office; he had some money in his hand; he counted the amount of $750; had a talk with Goodman before the election and asked him why he would not vote for Grover, and he said "I don't think Grover is an honest man, for he promised me one of the highest offices in his gift if I supported him;" asked Palmer of Benton county, what the people would say if he voted for Grover; he replied "he did not care—had a better thing;" subsequently told me he was to have charge of the penitentiary; Gilfrey was Grover's private secretary.

The Indian War.

Advices from Lewiston, Idaho, under date of July sixth, say:

On the 2d inst. Whipple's command, with volunteers under Randall, came across Looking-Glass' band at Clear creek. The Indians told Whipple they were prepared to fight, and opened by firing the first shot, when the order was given to the soldiers to fire, when the Indians broke and fled to shelter. It is not known how many were killed or wounded, as they scampered in all directions. The command captured the Indian camp, burned the provisions and plunder, and took about 1000 horses. No citizens or soldiers were killed or wounded. Capt. Elliott of the Idaho Rangers captured seventy-five of Joseph's cattle and forty horses. They had a skirmish on the Nimnana. Capt. Elliott does not know how many were killed, as they had to retreat. The Indians are mostly between Snake and Salmon rivers, and are now reported 900 strong and well armed. Col. Perry, with thirty men, while on the way to the Cottonwood, was attacked by hostiles. Lieut. Rains, ten soldiers and two citizens were killed. Col. Whipple joined Perry and drove the Indians off.

The Chiselm Tragedy.

A report on the killing of Angus McLellan, a British subject, in Kemper county, Mississippi, at the time of the Chiselm massacre has been presented to the Attorney General and by him given to the Secretary of State. The evidence confirms all the facts thus far published in connection with the tragedy, and at the same time develops some new facts, which show that the murder of Judge Chiselm was the result of a deliberately planned conspiracy and that it was intended to kill other parties arrested with him at the same time.

The killing was not the result of any sudden outburst of popular passion or frenzy, but was a deliberately planned and cold-blooded murder, the purpose of those perpetrating the scheme being to remove the victims of their conspiracy in order that they might not be witnesses against them for offences for which they were indicted in the State and Federal courts. The parties directly concerned in killing and those who aided and abetted them and who constituted all the actors in the tragedy, did not number over fifty persons. Of this number twenty-one were indicted for offences against the election laws in November last, and twenty-six were members of the Gully family. During the Presidential campaign a large number of outrages were committed upon republicans, black and white, in Kemper county, and for these offences twenty-one persons were indicted as stated above. Indictments were found against them in State courts and also in Federal courts. The trials in the State courts were to have been held prior to the massacre, but the indictments were all stolen from the clerk's office, and in consequence they could not take place.

The trials in the Federal Courts were to take place in May last, and the witnesses against the parties to be tried were Judge Chisolm, Rosenbaum, the Hopper brothers and Gilmer. All those indicted were democrats and the witnesses were republicans. It was to prevent these trials that the conspiracy was hatched, its deliberate purpose being to kill all the parties named above as witnesses, and the assassination of John Gully on the 26th of April was used as a pretext for the action of the conspirators against Judge Chisolm and his friends.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, July 9.

In reviewing the proceedings of the past week I find a few things here and there which may be of interest to your readers. Last Thursday Mr. Cummings of Exeter introduced a resolution which seemed to strike the House favorably, for it was almost unanimously passed. It was as follows: "*Resolved*, that the revenues of the National Government should be used for the sustaining of an efficient, creditable, and economical administration, and for the payment of all honest and equitable debts due its citizens, and the surplus be exclusively and sacredly set aside for, and devoted to the liquidation of the public debt; and that the National Government should not undertake any new obligation, assume any new liabilities, or lend its credit for the furtherance of any speculative schemes under the guise of internal improvements, that may be for the advantage of any particular locality or corporation." This aims at the subsidizing of the proposed Texas Pacific Railroad.

The petition of Frank W. Miller of Portsmouth and thirty-seven others for the equal political rights of all American citizens, irrespective of sex, and seven other petitions of a similar nature, were referred to the committee on judiciary.

The Senate tabled the act for the relief of the Rockingham Ten Cent institution.

The House has made Wednesday, 11 A. M., the special assignment to consider "an act to reorganize and equalize the Senatorial Districts according to the amended Constitution." Quite a hot political fight may be expected on this question.

During the debate on the bill to encourage the destruction of noxious animals and birds Mr. Barton of Newport called the crow "a bad *animal*."

The basin of the fountain in the State House yard contains over a hundred fish, and nearly twenty different varieties.

The father-in-law of one of Portsmouth's fair daughters keeps one of the most popular boarding houses for the members. He has the largest private club outside of the hotels, he having twenty members. The Eagle Hotel has twenty-five, and the Phenix has twenty of the members.

When the bill came up to regulate the sale of cider Mr. Boyle of Manchester offered an amendment that the words "400 hogsheads" be substituted in place of "ten gallons," and that "all the apple trees in the State with the exception of those in the town of Warner be cut down." This was rejected and the bill was finally tabled.

The following bill is to be considered this week:

An Act defining the representation of towns of less than six hundred population, as shown by the Census of 1870.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

SECTION 1. That the towns of Pittsburgh and Clarksville, neither of them having the requisite number of population required by the amended constitution for a representative in the General Court, are hereby classed for the election of a representative.

SEC. 2. That the towns of Berlin, Randolph and Success, neither of them having the requisite number of population required by the amended constitution for a representative in the General Court, are hereby classed for the election of a representative.

SEC. 3. That the towns of Franconia and Lincoln, neither of them having the requisite number of population required by the amended constitution for a representative in the General Court, are hereby classed for the election of a representative.

SEC. 4. That the towns of Ellsworth, Waterville and Woodstock, neither of them having the requisite number of population as required by the amended constitution for a representative in the General Court, are hereby classed for the election of a representative.

SEC. 5. That the towns of Carroll, Hart's Location, Livermore and Jackson, and Nash and Sawyer's Location, Crawford's Purchase, Thompson and Meserve's Purchase, Martin's Location, Green's Grant, Bean's Purchase, Cutt's Grant, and Chandler's Purchase, neither of them having the requisite number of population as required by the amended constitution for a representative in the General Court, are hereby classed for the election of a representative.

SEC. 6. That each of the remaining towns of this State, having less than six hundred population, as shown by the census of 1870, being so situated that they cannot conveniently be classed, are hereby authorized to elect a representative to the General Court, such proportionate part of the time as the number of its inhabitants shall bear to six hundred.

SEC. 7. All acts and parts of acts inconsistent with this act are hereby repealed, and this act shall take effect and be in force on and from the first day of October, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

The War.

A despatch from Bucharest states that the encounters at Biela and on the river Joutra were mere skirmishes and that no battle has been fought yet. The heads of the army of the Russians are massing at Tirnova.

A despatch from Erzeroum says the Russians were entrenched on the eastern side of Kars, and had renewed the bombardment of that place. A vigorous fire from the west would soon open. A telegram from St. Petersburg states that the Russians still hold the citadal of Bayazid. The cause of the dangerous position in which the Russian army in Armenia was lately thrown was chiefly the fact that Persia allowed a Turkish corps from Lakesvou to pass through Persian territory. This corps was thus enabled to surprise the rear of the Russians at Bayazid and jeopardize the position of a great portion of their army. The effect was all the more embarrassing as the Russians did not anticipate any such action on the part of Persia and were entirely unprepared for it. Reprisals of the most serious nature are considered inevitable, and the situation is likely to become further complicated. It is not yet known whether an irresponsible official, prompted by his Mohammedan feelings, acted without instructions in permitting this breach of neutrality, or that the responsibility can be directly fixed on the Shah's Government. In either case the consequences are likely to be very serious.

A cable dispatch says the abandonment of Montenegro by the Turks is confirmed, and of 15,000 Bashi-Bazouks who entered Montenegro with the Turkish army fully 11,000 are dead or missing.

The Emperor of Brazil and Gen. Grant are the two champion sight-seers of the period, and it is a doubtful matter which gets through the most in the course of a day. The General does a good deal more than is recorded in the newspapers. He is very fond of driving about London and the suburbs with his wife and son, and has been pretty nearly everywhere and seen everything that the "intelligent foreigner" cares much about.

—The Wandering Jew—Seligman.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
Washington, D. C., July 9, 1877.

The Bureau of Construction and Repair will receive proposals until 12 o'clock M. of Tuesday, the 16th day of August, 1877, for building the shells of the turrets of the double-turreted monitor "Miantonomoh," now at Chester, Pennsylvania; scrap-iron for the work to be furnished by the Bureau.

These turrets are to be 22 feet and 9 inches external diameter, and will be constructed of plates 9 feet long, about 5 feet broad, and 10½ inches in thickness, according to plans which will be for exhibition at the Navy Yard, League Island, on and after the 20th of July instant.

Separate proposals will be received under this advertisement as follows:

1st. For the entire work of completing these turrets, including the rerolling of the iron.

2d. For all the labor of building these turrets, the materials, ready for use, to be provided by the Bureau.

3d. For rolling the iron required in their construction. (The scrap to be furnished by the Bureau.)

Plates to be bent and planed according to plan.

Proposals will also be received under this advertisement for furnishing all the materials which may be required in the construction of these turrets; the plates to be of the size mentioned above, bent and planed according to plan, to be equal to the best quality of English turret iron, and all iron furnished will be subject to such tests as the Bureau may direct.

It is desirable that these turrets should be constructed on some wharf on the Delaware river, in such position as to be readily placed on board the ship.

No proposal will be received except from parties known to possess the requisite facilities to perform the work in a satisfactory manner, and the Bureau reserves the right to reject any and all offers, if considered to the interest of the Government to do so.

Proposals will be received at the same time for building shells of the pilot houses required for the same vessel, subject to the same conditions observed in building the turrets. d jy10 17 24 31

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At two o'clock, P. M., Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M., Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

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For further particulars inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

Dated July 7th, 1877.

CHARLES S. SYMONDS, Assignee.

To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term*, June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1873, in a codicil having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other persons to be Executors of her will; that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect of the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication thereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

A true copy. Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.

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Eastern R. R. in N. H.

THE Annual Meeting of the stockholders in the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire will be held at the County Court House on Court street in Portsmouth, N. H., on Tuesday the tenth day of July next, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

I. To see if the Corporation will accept an act passed by the Legislature of New Hampshire at its session in 1876, amending the Charter of the Corporation.

II. To see if the Corporation will make any changes in its By-laws, or will refer the By-laws to a Committee to report any changes which may be desirable therein.

III. To elect a Board of Directors for the ensuing year.

IV. To transact any other business which may legally come before the meeting.

WILLIAM R. HACKETT, Clerk.

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" Way,	10.55 "	5.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	8.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.50 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

GRADUATION DAY.

The graduation exercises of the High School will be held at Franklin Hall on next Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The class numbers nineteen, — twelve young ladies and seven young gentlemen, —as follows: Flora B. Dow, Lizzie M. Flagg, Etta B. Flanders, Annie G. Garrett, Mary L. Moran, Susie H. Shackley, Ida M. Varrell, M. Lizzie Varrell, Nellie L. Whitcomb, Ida F. Blaisdell, Mary E. G. Canty, Carrie A. Craig, J. Herman Emery, Samuel W. Foss, Arthur E. Gage, William D. Grace, E. Fred Owen, E. Scott Owen, Ira A. Stevens.

The Alumni reunion and reception by the graduating class in the evening promise to be the most interesting ever held here. The literary exercises are to commence promptly at half-past seven and will consist in part of a violin and piano duet by Willis E. and George Nowell, the reading (by a graduate of the class of '76) of an original poem written by James T. Fields, five minutes' remarks by Rev. E. A. Rand of Franklin, Mass., Rev. James DeNormandie, S. W. Clarke, principal of the school, and others. The singing of an original class ode by the graduating class, conducted by Mr. Coles, will be an interesting part of the programme. The words and music of the ode were composed by two of the members of the class. Mr. Henry C. Barnabee has accepted an invitation to be present. Harlow's orchestra is to furnish music for the occasion, which promises to be a most enjoyable one. Dancing will commence at nine o'clock. The graduates of the Dover high school have been invited to be present.

THE DALY HOMICIDE.

The inquest on the body of William Daly, the sailor who was killed in the drunken row Sunday morning on board the schooner Sallie Mair, was held at the Court House on Monday, commencing at eleven o'clock. Dr. Whittier, coroner, Dr. John Parsons, and Messrs. Gideon H. Rundlett and Lewis G. Davis constituted the board of inquest. Some fifteen or more witnesses were summoned, many of whom could give but little material testimony relative to the cause in hearing. The most important statements were made by the prisoners, Sullivan and Hankins, and the captain of the vessel, Jacob Rowell. The drift of the whole of it went to show pretty conclusively that the parties were considerably intoxicated, in just the condition to get easily provoked, and from tauntings they went to harsh words, these leading to blows, culminating in the stabbing and murder. As stated by the prisoner, Hankins, "rum was at the bottom of it all!" The inquest was concluded at about three o'clock, the jury taking time to consider their verdict.

The victim's funeral services took place at four o'clock Sunday afternoon, at the Police Station, Rev. E. M. Grant officiating. The body was placed in the receiving tomb at the South Cemetery.

THE EASTERN R. R. LITIGATION.

The Eastern Railroad filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States in this city, on Monday, a demurrer to the Bill in Equity of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, originally brought in the State Court of this county.

The grounds for the demurrer are, in brief: that the mortgages of the Eastern Railroad Co.'s road, franchises, and all the corporate property of the defendants, are necessary parties to the Bill, inasmuch as it is therein stated that the defendant has accepted the provisions of the act of the Massachusetts legislature by which it has agreed to mortgage the whole of its corporate property; and that in fact a mortgage of the road and franchises, and of the corporate property of the defendant, has already been executed in accordance with the terms of said act; but the complainant has not made the mortgagees parties to the bill. This proceedure on the part of the defendants will probably cause some delay as the question upon the demurrer must be decided before the defendants file their answer, and the parties proceed to make their proofs.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, July 9th.

George M. Smith and William Brooks, for drunkenness, were fined $3, costs $6.90. Both will work it out at Brentwood.

Eldad L. Hankins was arraigned for the murder of William Daly, pleaded not guilty, and was committed for examination on Thursday at ten o'clock. A large number of witnesses, including Policemen Johnson and Webster, who arrested Hankins and Sullivan, were held in their own recognizance to appear at the examination.

Thomas Sullivan, for aggravated assault on Hankins, was likewise committed for examination on Thursday.

JOTTINGS.

U. S. Revenue Cutter "Grant" arrived at this port Monday, having inspected the life-saving stations at Plum Island and Rye Beach on the way down from Boston. Secretary of the Navy Sherman, Capt. Walker of the Lighthouse Board, S. S. Kimball, Supt. Revenue Marine and Life Saving Service, and Webb C. Hayes, son of the President, are of the party travelling along the coast in the "Grant." They left her in Boston on Sunday, and came down by rail to rejoin her, Monday evening.

Ten hours is a day's work on the navy yard now.

Congress Hall was filled with a large and fashionable audience, Saturday afternoon, on the occasion of the close of Mr. Lamprey's dancing school for young people. As has always been the case with Mr. Lamprey's classes, the parents and friends of the pupils were more than satisfied with their proficiency in all the dances taught; but the principal attraction was the minuet, and we hear what seems almost extravagant praise of the stately beauty of the dance and the graceful dignity with which it was performed.

An Irish woman, very drunk and furiously driving a horse attached to a beach wagon about the streets, attracted considerable attention Sunday evening. A little girl in the carriage with her displayed great terror, and begged her mother not to drive so fast. The drunken woman had several narrow escapes from a smash-up, but no particular harm was done, the horse being finally stopped near the Commercial House on Vaughan street by Mr. Henry R. Stoddard. The woman and team were taken to the police station, where the team was delivered to a sober man to be taken home, and the woman allowed to go.

The South Parish Sunday School picnic will occur to-day in Wendell's woods. Wagons will leave the chapel on Court street at ten and eleven o'clock, A. M., and two o'clock P. M., for those who may wish to spend a part of the day in the grove. Tickets for those not connected with the Sunday-school can be had of the Sunday-school Treasurer, at twenty cents for the round trip. Refreshments will be sent to the chapel from eight to ten o'clock this (Tuesday) morning.

New Hampshire Items.

The Ranlet Manufacturing Company's dry house, at Laconia, was damaged $500 by fire Saturday. Insured.

The committee appointed by the last convention of the Protestant Episcopal church of the diocese of New Hampshire to make a report concerning a location for a boy's school, on Saturday examined the old Livermore mansion in Holderness. The school will probably be located there or at Drewsville.

The house and adjoining buildings on the Champion farm in Enfield, owned by John C. Tupper, were struck by lightning during a shower Sunday night and entirely destroyed, with a portion of the contents. Loss $2000; insured $1000.

The house of Charles Parcher in South Whitefield was burned Sunday night. Loss $1500; insured $870. The fire caught in a straw shed.

News and Notes.

The First National Bank of Keesville, New York, was robbed by masked burglars on Friday night of bonds and currency to the amount of $200,000.

Seven horse thieves, all members of the old James brothers' gang, have been shot to death in Ohio by a vigilance committee.

In a game of base ball Saturday at Wappinger's Falls, N. Y., between the Actives of that place and the Clippers of New York, the catcher of the latter club, John Quigley of Harlem, was hurrying to catch the ball, when a base-runner was coming home from the third base, and as Quigley stooped to catch the ball, the base runner's knee struck him in the forehead, crushing his skull. He is dying.

Rev. H. N. Wright was with his furniture ejected from the Congressional parsonage of Northville, L. I., Friday, by the trustees. The church was burned last May and he was tried as the incendiary, but discharged.

Stephen MacDonald was waylaid on Main street in Biddeford, Me., Thursday night, by Charles Riley and three other roughs, and frightfully beaten. Riley and one of the others were arrested and locked up. Mr. MacDonald being in a precarious condition their examination was postponed.

Officers and criminals have many exciting encounters in Arizona, but few that are more thrilling than that between a sheriff's party and four stage robbers near Eureka. There was a long chase on horseback, an exchange of about twenty revolver shots, and finally a hard fight with knives. One officer and two robbers were killed, and wounds were numerous.

A number of boys and young men found a half keg of blasting powder in a quarry near St. Louis, Mo., on the Fourth, took it to an open lot, put part of it in a tight box, covered the box with hay, which they fired, and withdrew a short distance to watch the result. The explosion was terrific and disastrous. John Ryan, fifteen years old, and James Gallagher, nineteen years old, were fatally hurt. Several other boys were injured, but none seriously.

A special to the Boston *Post* says there have been some whisperings of late over in Brooklyn that there was to be, ere long, a grand reconciliation of all the parties to the recent suit of Tilton vs. Beecher. The story goes that overtures to that effect have been made by a party authorized to act for the pastor himself, the only motive on his part being the Christian obligation to forgive enemies. The story further goes that similar overtures have been made by parties friendly to Theodore Tilton, and that the negotiations have proceeded so favorably that the reconciliation will probably be accomplished upon Tilton's return from Europe, whither he goes with his two daughters Saturday. It is also understood that Mrs. Tilton is to be a participant in the reconciliation, and this will lead to the restoration of her broken home.

Capt. John A. Webster, senior officer of the United States revenue service, died on Thursday at his home in Harford county, Md., aged 91. The deceased was a brave and gallant officer. He commanded the famous six-gun battery on the Ferry Branch when the British fleet bombarded Fort McHenry, and repulsed the enemy who passed the fort during the night in barges and light vessels. He was presented with several swords for gallant services in this action. Capt. Webster retired from active service a few years ago, but with full pay, and was understood to be waiting orders of consignment to duty.

The Catholics in New Rochelle, Ind., demand that the Catholic Bible shall be read in the public schools, styling the present Bible a mutilated and uninspired version of the Scriptures.

A company of infantry left Covington, Kentucky, on Saturday evening for Grayson, Carter county, under instructions from the governor to report to the sheriff of the county, to assist him in arresting a band of horse thieves and desperadoes, who have long been a terror to the citizens. The thieves are numerous, and well organized and armed, and it is expected they will offer a desperate resistance.

It is stated that Postmistress Van Lew of Richmond, Virginia, declined to be party to a plot by which she was to refuse to give up the office on the ground that the appointment of her successor was null, because Hayes was not legally elected.

Jesse Grant, the second son of the General, thinks dining every evening at a Duke's, or at an Earl's, and every afternoon at a Lord's, is all very fine to read about, but to experience it is to be horribly bored. He's tickled, however, at his own treatment. They regard him as a Prince, and at all the dinner parties he sits ahead of all the noble fellows; is addressed by the waiters as "His Excellency." Jesse has had to make several speeches, and altogether, he says, he has had a miserable time.

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You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. AKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may think have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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—What man is allowed to sit before the Queen with his hat on? Her coachman.

—Mr. Benson was out in his garden, dashing a coat of tar on the trunk of a very choice cherry tree, when his next door neighbor, with whom he is not on very good terms, came out and industriously set to work nailing lath between the pickets on the line fence. "I thought I'd fix this tree so that your dog wouldn't be able to get into it when the cherries are ripe," sarcastically observed Benson, as the work went on. "Yes, I see," was the reply, "and it remieded me that if the space between the pickets of this fence was reduced, your cat couldn't reach through and pick my raspberries." A deep and profound silence followed.

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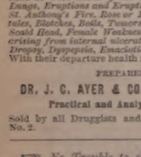

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than twenty nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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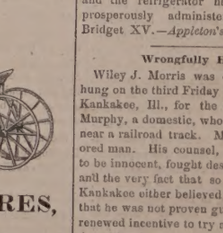

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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 900 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Steam Job Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Dynasty of Cooks.

A certain literary gentleman of New York, whose family had had a "little" difficulty in the matter of cooks, kept account of the rapid changes of down-stairs government, and called his document, when finished, "Culinary Dynasty of the House of Brown, from the Reign of Bridget the Pure down to the Present Monarch." Similarly embellished by incidental rhetorical graces, Mr. Brown's list read something after the following manner:

Bridget I., surnamed the Pure. Began to reign December, 1866; abdicated October, 1876, because contemplating a life of seclusion—and matrimony. Her reign was marked by great executive wisdom, clemency, and economy, and its cessation caused the most sincere regret. Succeeded by

Bridget II., a sovereign of considerable administrative power, but cursed with an irascible disposition. Insulted her prime minister (Mrs. Brown) when justly rebuked by that dignitary for her reckless consumption of butter. Popular opinion (Mr. Brown) being decidedly against her, she abdicated November, 1876, in favor of Katharine, surnamed the Flirt, on account of the multiplicity of her suitors. A giddy, good-natured queen, but wholly unfitted for her exalted position. Deposed November, 1876, and succeeded by

A Regency of Three days, during which Jane (a valued chambermaid) wielded with much ability the culinary sceptre. After which the kitchen was descended into by

Bridget III., a sovereign whose character previous to accession had been represented as stainless, but who early gave signs of the most revolting intemperance. Driven from the kitchen by an indignant people (Mr. Brown) after an alcoholic reign of only two days, and succeeded by

Mary Ellen, satirically surnamed the Skeleton, on account of her unnatural stoutness. Celebrated for intense laziness. Deposed December, 1876, and succeeded by

Margaret, popularly known as the Fiend. Threatened to kill her prime minister two hours after coronation. On the following day refused to abdicate. Resisted even the demands of the Army (a policeman) who unanimously indorsed the policy of the prime minister. Imprisoned for high treason, December, 1876. End unknown. Succeeded by

Bridget IV., surnamed the Lunatic. Her administration was chiefly distinguished by an attempt to subvert the usual methods of dining throughout her realm; causing soup to be served after fish and meat before either. Banished after a turbulent reign of twelve hours, and succeeded by

Ann, known as the Spoiler. * * And so through a terrible list of wrong and outrage, the chronicle continues, at last ending in the month of February, 1877, with the following happy item:

Bridget XV., the reigning sovereign, surnamed the Culinary Antoine. Modest of demeanor, gentle of speech, wise and economical in her rule. Beloved by minister and people. A slight difficulty with France (the children's foreign nurse) which occurred in the early part of her reign, has now been amicably settled. The realm is at present in a most flourishing condition, and the refrigerator has never been so prosperously administered. Long live Bridget XV.—*Appleton's Journal for July.*

Wrongfully Hanged.

Wiley J. Morris was condemned to be hung on the third Friday in May, 1861, in Kankakee, Ill., for the murder of Mary Murphy, a domestic, whose body was found near a railroad track. Morris was a colored man. His counsel, believing Morris to be innocent, fought desperately for him, and the very fact that so many people in Kankakee either believed him innocent, or that he was not proven guilty, gave him a renewed incentive to try and save his life. A petition for a reprieve or commutation of sentence to imprisonment was circulated, and received the signatures of a great many of the citizens of Kankakee who heard the trial. When it was carried to Springfield to be laid before the Executive, the Governor had been called away to Washington, and did not return to examine the petition until the day after Morris was hanged. The last words of Morris, with the cap over his head, the rope around his neck, his hands tied, and his feet pinioned, were, "You murder me, you murder me, you murder me," and with these words he was launched into eternity. It now transpires that the man was innocent of the crime, and that it was committed by three horse thieves, who captured the girl, kept her two days in confinement, horribly ill-treating and then murdering her. The affair creates a wide-spread sensation, and the bones of the unfortunate Morris, which had hung since his execution in a surgeon's office, have been buried with considerable display at the funeral.

—An alligator eight feet long, slain in the Twin lakes, Florida, when cut open was found to contain a turtle six inches across, as lively as if he had never been swallowed.

—Torpedo balloons are propsed by a correspondent of the *Scientific American.* The idea is to float the balloons over the enemy, and drop the torpedo by means of electricity sent over a wire. It is calculated that a city could be totally destroyed in this way by dropping a sufficient quantity of nitro-glycerine.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 11, 1877.

A High Toned Thief.

New York "good society" has been greatly excited and shocked over the sneaking dishonesty of one John Alfred Theriott, "a dapper little man of elegant manners, with a handsome brown moustache, waxed and curled, and who always dressed in the height of the fashion." He was at one time wealthy, but neglected business for amusement, and spent all his money—and all he could steal—for society pleasures, opera tickets, carriages and champagne suppers. He was also a military man, having at one time been a lieutenant in the Ninth Regiment N. Y. Vols., and later in the Seventh. He was quite a society pet,—a duck of a man; and he gobbled up such trifles as gold watches and diamond pins and necklaces whenever he found them laying around loose in houses where he had been invited to social entertainments. Among those who suffered from his pilfering propensities was Mrs. Mary B. Wendell, wife of Jacob Wendell, Esq., Theriott having one evening found his way to a bureau in her room and stolen the following-named articles; gold watch with chain, locket, and watchpin attached; set of stone cameo locket and earrings; set of Roman gold locket and earrings; one solitaire diamond ring; one diamond ring with four stones; one Roman gold shawl pin; one plain gold ring, (Mrs. Wendell's wedding ring), one moonstone ring, and other articles of jewelry to the value of $1,000 and upward. Theriott was arrested, but was admitted to bail, and "jumped his bail" and cleared out for Europe.

Theriott was well known in society, but he often visited houses where he was a stranger to the host and hostess. His elegant evening dress would secure his admission at the door. Once being in, he would accost any friend whom he happened to recognize with the remark; "George, do you know Mr.— (the host)? I know Mrs. — very well, and I wish you'd introduce me to her husband." The friend would do so, innocently enough, seeing him in evening dress at the party. Having talked a moment with the host he would say: "By the way, Mr.—, I think I know several friends of your wife. Won't you be kind enough to introduce me to her." In this way he would secure the best possible footing in a company of which he originally knew only one or two members.

Tornadoes.

Wisconsin had a tornado on Sunday night, which did much damage. At Pensaukee Station, on the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, it destroyed the Gardiner House, the largest brick hotel and summer resort in Northern Wisconsin. Eight persons are known to have been killed, and two are missing. Other buildings were blown to pieces. The place is a total wreck. A saw-mill, shingle-mill, schoolhouse and fifteen or twenty other buildings were blown down. A powerful gust of wind raised the railroad depot from its foundation and threw it across the track, preventing the passage of the Green Bay train for two hours. The bridge was misplaced and damaged. The steam tug Spray and a schooner were totally wrecked. The tornado was not over one thousand feet in width and lasted but two minutes. The velocity and power were terrific. The loss is estimated at $100,000. The town next in the course of the tornado was Coullordville, through which it passed in a track eighty rods wide, destroying everything in its course. Seventeen houses and barns were damaged in Coullardville, and the crops were badly injured. The total loss is estimated at $300,000.

Westfield, Mass., had a tornado at about four o'clock Monday afternoon. It came eastward through the gorge of the Westfield river and widened to half a mile, felling trees, scattering fences and demolishing buildings until its force was expended. It first struck the wall of the Salmon Falls paper mill, rebuilding from the recent fire, which fell, crushing in the engine-house, containing two men, one of whom was seriously hurt. Two men ploughing saw the storm coming and attempted to reach a barn near by; they and the horses were thrown to the ground and wounded by the flying stones; when they recovered their sight the barn was gone. A family of six persons in a house heard the whirling noise and knew nothing more until they found themselves on the floor, several rods from the site of the house. Two houses and a dozen barns were destroyed. Large quantities of crops, grass, and trees, were ruined. At Chicopee Falls the wind destroyed several barns, sheds and many large trees.

Mexico Invaded.

Telegrams received at the War Department from Lieut.-Col. Shafter (on duty in Texas) state that Lieut. Bullis chased Indian cattle thieves across the Rio Grande, had a fight with them and drove them into the mountains, and recaptured twenty-three out of fifty stolen horses they had with them. Col. Shafter will cross to support Bullis and also Lieut. Hunt, who also appears to be on the Mexican side following on the Indian trail. Harnesses, etc., were found by Bullis, which had been stolen from Gillespie county, Texas. This action is strictly in accordance with the orders given to Gen. Ord, commanding the Department of the Rio Grande, to follow Mexico marauders across the border whenever they make incursions into Texas. The President and Cabinet unanimously agree that this is the only way such outrages can be stopped. A Cabinet officer is reported as saying: "As often as a Mexican enters our territory on a thieving expedition, just so often will he be followed across the Rio Grande; and the next time our troops follow such a party of thieves they will probably bring back something besides a few horses. They will bring back some of the Indians who commit depredations on our territory, at the instance and for the benefit of the Mexican organizers of such cattle stealing expeditions." It is considered very likely that the Diaz Government will protest against this entry of United States troops into Mexican territory, but there is not the least probability that Gen. Ord's present instructions will be modified.

Kentucky Life.

The wholesale shooting of horse-thieves by vigilantes, already reported, took place in Carter county, Kentucky, and not in Ohio as at first stated. It seems that the population of Carter, Rowan and Fleming counties are a hard lot—ignorant, vicious and brutal, and most of them utterly opposed to the law; intermarriage has been so common that it is said there are not over fifty family names in three counties, if the imported iron and coal miners are excluded; and schools and churches are much scarcer than whiskey stills. As the horse thieves had proved themselves too strong for the law, that part of the population which gains a living by raising horses clubbed together to vindicate the majesty of the law by the assassination of the men who gain a living by stealing horses, and seven of the suspected thieves have already been shot down from behind trees and fences, or in their own houses or door-yards, in the interest of honesty and good government. It also appears that family feuds are at work, as in the Kemper county infamy; and altogether the state of society exemplified is hard for a New Englander to comprehend. Neither the State of Kentucky nor the counties named have ever been under "carpet-bag" or "radical" rule; but some people might prefer even the rule of the carpet-bag to that of the midnight prowler with his shot-gun and knife.

News and Notes.

Gen. Grant arrived at Cologne Monday and was received at the railway station by the American Consul, Vice-Consul and the President of the Police. The General visited several churches and the Cathedral, and made an excursion over the suspension bridge to Deutz, returning by the bridge of boats. In the evening he was serenaded at the Hotel du Nord by the military band.

Steamship Wisconsin on Monday arrived at New York with 723 Mormon emigrants, mostly women and young girls, for Utah. They comprised about 400 Danes, 150 Swedes, 112 German-Swiss, 80 English and 20 of other nationalities. They were clean, sturdy, industrious-looking people. They started for Utah in a special train at four o'clock on the evening of the day of their arrival.

Steamer Neversink, of New York, became disabled off Coney Island, Monday, with a large party of excursionists on board. She was towed to Fort Lafayette and the passengers safely landed by the tug Marion, whose owner only charged five cents salvage, with the proviso that the Neversink should always help any other disabled vessel.

At the annual examination of applicants for admission to the Naval Academy as cadet midshipmen, thirty-seven youths passed and have already entered the Academy. The whole number was seventy-five, but thirty-eight were found deficient, and the members of Congress who nominated them are now being notified to make other nominations.

The centennial anniversary of the adoption of the first constitution of Vermont was celebrated at Windsor on Sunday, the 8th, by commemorative discourses morning and evening. On Monday there were salutes and bell ringings, processions and speeches, illuminations and fireworks.

Steamer J. N. Camden, from Parker's Landing for Pittsburg, blew up and sank in the Ohio at Fish Creek Ripple on Monday, instantly killing four men and badly wounding three others.

The difficulty between the United States and Venezuela has been amicably settled, the Government of Venezuela having formally withdrawn the note of the 28th of January to Minister Russell, which was the occasion of his departure from Caracccas. Such questions as remain will now be treated by friendly conference and discussion.

The new reservoir at Athol, Mass., gave way Sunday, twenty-four hours after the town had voted to accept the water works. Eighteen feet of the west bank was carried away, in consequence, it is thought, of the gate to the high service-pipe being left open. The street was washed out so that an expense of several hundred dollars will be necessary for repairs, which the Water Company will promptly undertake. On reaching Beaver Brook the flood so increase the size of the stream as to carry away several small dams and injure the mill property on the bank. The total damage amounts to $1000.

Mr. Memory McCrary, a brother of the Secretary of War, has been a Mormon for the last twenty-five years and has two wives. He has just gone on to Washington to see his brother.

Titiens' physician tells her that she has a tumor whose removal is impossible, and that it will cause her premature death.

The United States Supreme Court has finally rendered its decision in what lawyers have known for more than a decade as "The Great Jumel Case." Ever since the death of Mme. Jumel in 1865, George Washington Bowen, claiming to be her natural son, has brought suits in various Courts to obtain possession of the property left by her, which went into possession of William I. Chase, the son of Mary Jumel Bowen, reputed to have been Mme. Jumel's neice. These suits were mainly ejectment suits, and to rid himself of the annoyance they caused him, Mr. Chase instituted proceedings to decide the question at issue beyond appeal. The opinion delivered by Mr. Justice Bradley confirms Chase as the legal heir of Mme. Jumel, denying all of Bowen's claims and enjoining him from bringing any more suits.

Foreign papers say that the limit of cattle-raising has been reached in many parts of Europe and that that country can take as many as 2,000,000 head of cattle from the United States, every year. At $75 a head, this would be $150,000,000, in revenue to this country. These are figures on paper of course, but the end of this year will show a very handsome export of fresh beef from the United States.

Human nature is human nature. The prosecution of Charles Bradlaugh and Mrs. Besant in London for publishing an obscene book has increased the sale of a very objectionable work from five hundred copies in a year to one hundred and twenty-five thousand in three months.

That is a very delicate phrase used in the dispatch concerning Senator Grover's corrupt election in Oregon. It is stated that one Goldsmith, a banker and friend of Grover's, arrived in Salem the night before the election and "interviewed six backward members." Backward members is a new name for fellows with itching palms.

New Hampshire Items.

The directors of the Sullivan County Railroad have voted unanimously to terminate its lease to the Vermont Central Company. The net earnings of the road last year were $60,000.

Henry Jutris, the young Frenchman who fell from a building in Manchester June 21, a distance of thirty feet, died Saturday from the injuries received.

Raphael Bellaveau was assaulted and roobed in Nashua on Sunday morning at one o'clock, and three young fellows were arrested as the robbers. One of them was bound over in $1000; and all of them will find out that they paid a high price for the cheap silver watch which was the only plunder they got.

Mrs. Joseph Hutchins' house at Bridgewater was robbed on Friday night of $75 worth of wool, and pork, potatoes and grain to the value of $25.

The Dover *Democrat* calls a woman who lately appeared in the Police Court of that city "a boisterous, impudent, ill-mannered, uncivilized old heathen termagant, a noisy, foul-mouthed specimen of the stormy petrel, just the kind of animal to keep a neighborhood in an uproar continually."

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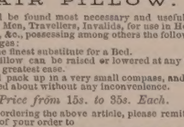

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CORPORATION MEETINGS.

PORTSMOUTH, GT. FALLS & CONWAY R. R.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Portsmouth, Great Falls and Conway Railroad, was held at the Ward Room on Elm street, near the Eastern Railroad station, Tuesday forenoon at half-past ten o'clock. The meeting was called to order by Hon. Ichabod Goodwin, who presided in the absence of Hon. W. H. Y. Hackett, the President of the Corporation. It was voted to proceed to the choice of Directors, and the following gentlemen were appointed by the chair a Committee to receive, sort and count the votes: William H. Rollins of this city, John W. Sanborn of Wolfboro' and Robert W. Hooper of Beverly.

While the process of voting was continuing a number of stockholders arrived in a train on their way to Conway. Having ascertained that their certificates would pass them only as far as this city, they came to the meeting in order to remonstrate with the authorities. One of the party, Mr. Currier, moved that the stockholders be transported to Conway and allowed to return next day on showing their certificates. This matter was debated for a few minutes. Mr. Currier, with his picnic basket in one hand and umbrella in the other, expressed himself very strongly in favor of the passage of the motion. But at this time somebody discovered that the train for Conway had already gone, so the motion was laid on the table.

The result of the balloting was then announced as follows:

Whole number of votes cast	5976
Necessary for choice	2989
Alfred P. Rockwell	5976
Samuel C. Lawrence	5976
Robert W. Hooper	5976
James W. Johnson	5976
George W. Burleigh	5976

And Messrs. Rockwell, Lawrence, Hooper, Johnson and Burleigh were declared elected Directors of the Corporation for the ensuing year.

The following resolution was then offered by Mr. Stevens of Boston, and unanimously adopted:

"*Resolved*, That the thanks of this Corporation be tendered to Hon. W. H. Y. Hackett and Hon. Ichabod Goodwin for their services as Directors of the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad—and that this resolution be entered upon the records of the Corporation."

Voted, That this meeting dissolve.

EASTERN RAILROAD IN N. H.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this Corporation was at the Court House in this city on Monday. Hon. Moody Currier of Manchester, President of the Road, was in the chair. The call for the meeting and the records of the last meeting were read by the Clerk.

The report of the Directors, giving an account of the present condition of the legal controversy to gain possession of the road, which had been printed and sent to each stockholder, was accepted.

The act of the Legislature passed July 20, 1876, relating to proxy voting by stockholders in this Corporation, was accepted and adopted.

The article relating to a change in the by-laws was referred to the Board of Directors.

On motion of S. C. Eastman, Esq., the stockholders proceeded to choose Directors. A committee of three was appointed to receive the votes. The committee, consisting of Messrs. Samuel C. Eastman, C. H. Odell and Henry M. Bates, reported that 2450 votes were cast, all of which were for Moody Currier, of Manchester, N. H., Dexter Richards, of Newport, N. H., Walter Hastings, of Boston, Mass., Francis Thompson, of Boston, Mass., and Edward L. Giddings, of Beverly, Mass., who were declared duly elected Directors for the year ensuing.

The following vote, offered by Hon. Francis Thompson of Boston, was adopted with an amendment offered by Judge Odell:

"That the stockholders be requested to contribute one dollar for each share of the stock of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire owned by them, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the present litigation with the Eastern Railroad Company in Massachusetts to recover the possession of the road, and that the Treasurer be authorized to give a receipt therefor, payable out of the future earnings before any dividend is paid."

The amendment, that interest should be allowed them, was accepted by the gentleman who offered the resolution.

The meeting then adjourned. There was a large attendance of stockholders, many of whom came from distant cities and places in this and other States, who seem to regard the able report of the Directors as evidence that their property was worth looking after, and the doings of the Directors were endorsed by a unanimous reelection, and the passage of the last named vote without a dissenting voice.

After the adjournment of the annual meeting the Directors organized and reelected Hon. Moody Currier of Manchester, President; Thomas J. Lee, Esq., of Boston, (No 60 State Street,) Treasurer; and Col. William H. Hackett of Portsmouth, Clerk.

PORTSMOUTH BRIDGE CO.

The annual meeting of the proprietors of Portsmouth Bridge was held on Tuesday morning, when the following named gentlemen were chosen Directors: Ichabod Goodwin, Wm. H. Y. Hackett, William L. Dwight, George E. B. Jackson, S. Lothrop Thorndike, William H. Hackett and John Wooldredge.

THE VERDICT.

To Samuel C. Whittier, M. D., one of the Coroners of the County of Rockingham:

The State of New Hampshire, Rockingham, ss.

An inquisition begun at Portsmouth, in said county, the 8th, and concluded on the 9th day of July, in the year 1877, before Samuel C. Whittier, one of the coroners of said county, upon the view of the body of William Daley, there lying dead, by the oaths of Gideon H. Rundlett, a justice of the peace for said county, and of John W. Parsons, M. D., and Lewis G. Davis, all reputable persons, who being sworn, and charged to inquire for the State, when, how and by what means the said William Daley came to his death, upon their oaths do say that the said deceased died of a wound in his left side, extending to and penetrating his heart, received while engaged in a fight on board the schooner "Sallie Mair," lying within the city limits of Portsmouth aforesaid, near the hour of two o'clock, A. M., on the 8th day of July, instant, said wound having been inflicted with a knife in the hands of Eldad Hankins, one of his shipmates. So the jurors aforesaid, upon their oaths aforesaid, do say the said Eldad Hankins, in manner and form aforesaid, the aforesaid William Daley, then and there did slay, against the peace and dignity of the State.

In witness whereof the said jurors have hereunto set their hands the 9th day of July, 1877.

[Signed] G. H. Rundlett, J. W. Parsons, M. D. } Jurors
Lewis G. Davis, }

In witness of all above written the said coroner hath hereto set his hand and seal the same day and year. [Signed]

Samuel C. Whittier, M. D., Coroner.

CAUGHT AT LAST.

On the 4th of August, 1876, David Makin, of South Groveland, Mass., had his watch and chain stolen at Hampton Beach. Sheriff Kent has for some time been on the lookout for Edgar W. Warren for the larceny of this watch, and having located him in Massachusetts endeavored to secure him on a requisition on the Governor of that State some three weeks since, but failed. Not content, he arranged with a person there to watch Warren and telegraph him if Warren ever came into New Hampshire. At ten minutes past three o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, the Sheriff received a despatch that Warren had left Haverhill, Mass., for Dover, at twenty minutes to two o'clock. Mr. Kent immediately went to Dover, and in less than a half hour after his arrival had his man handcuffed and on his way to this city, where he lodged the accused in jail. At Dover, Warren met two Massachusetts parties, both of whom are well known to Mr. Kent, and one of whom was at Hampton Beach when Mr. Makin's watch was stolen.

JOTTINGS.

See advertisement, "Girls Wanted," in another column.

The new ship Governor Goodwin will be launched at East Boston to-day

Schooner Lettie Wells with coal to E. F. Sise & Co. made the run from South Amboy to this port in forty-four hours.

On Tuesday, in the legislature, the act to protect the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, was referred to the next session.

Two men, giving their names as William Dalton and William Brown, were arrested by the police Tuesday forenoon, on suspicion of having been engaged in recent burglaries at Ipswich and Rowley, Mass.

The literary and musical exercises at the High School Alumni Reunion at Franklin Hall on Thursday evening will commence promptly at half past seven. No one but ticket holders will be admitted to the hall, and each ticket will admit but one person.

A Picnic is to be held at Pinkham's Grove to-day by the Catholics of this city, and arrangements have been made to guarantee a good time for both old and young. Fish chowder will be served on the ground. The amusements will consist of swinging, dancing, foot racing, foot ball, fat man's race, three-legged race, etc. Music by Turner's quadrille band. Cars leave Eastern depot at 9 and 11 A. M., and 3 P. M., returning at 7 P. M. Should the weather prove unfavorable it will be postponed until the next pleasant day. All are invited.

A BOAT RIDE.

On Monday evening three sergeants of marines, who had that day jointly purchased a boat, took her out on the river to try how she worked under sail. She worked all right, and they had a very pleasant time for an hour or so; but they gradually got nearer and nearer to Portsmouth Bridge, and suddenly made the unwelcome discovery that their nice breeze had died away and left them uncomfortably close to the bridge, with a strong flood tide running. Finding it impossible to pull the boat against the tide or to reach one of the spans, they did the next best thing,—took down the mast, and tried to run the boat through between two rows of piles, which they would very likely have succeeded in doing in safety,—or, rather, without accident, for there is mighty little safety in running a boat through the piles of that bridge, even though it may be done successfully,—had they not unfortunately struck one of the timbers which stretch athwart the tide from one row of piles to another. When the boat struck the timber, under it she went, but fortunately it was far enough above the surface to let her go under without quite filling her, and two of the sergeants nimbly hopped over the obstruction and into the boat again, and floated away up river in the half-swamped craft. The third man, as the boat careened and began to take in water, clasped the timber in his arms, and the swift current whisked the boat away from beneath him, and left him hanging on to the timber for dear life, with half his body in the water and the tide swashing him about in the most objectionable manner. He is a stout, heavy man, but he hung on to that timber for half an hour, clinging closer than a brother, until a rope with a noose in the end was lowered down to him by men on the bridge, when he placed the noose under his arms and was drawn up to solid footing, with no further damage than a thorough wetting and a proper amount of scare. All's well that ends well; but we are willing to wager a small sum with the three sergeants that they can't take their boat through between the piles of the bridge again, at the same hour of the evening and the same time of tide, without some of them getting drowned; and if they will give the odds we will bet on all three going.

RYE LETTER.

Rye, July 9th.

The season at the beaches may now be considered fairly open. The first hop of the season took place at the Farragut House on Saturday evening, Harlow's Orchestra furnishing the music.

Services were held in the new Episcopal chapel, "St. Andrew's by the Sea," yesterday, and will be continued every Sunday as long as the season lasts. Bishop Niles officiated yesterday. There is to be a Fair at Little Boar's Head the latter part of this month, to raise funds to finish the chapel recently erected there.

There is considerable company already here, and it looks now as though business would be good for six weeks to come. These are upwards of a hundred guests at the Farragut, and the Sea View and private houses have as much company as usual at this time of the season.

Everything at the Farragut and Little Boar's Head seems to be what some might term "high toned." At the Farragut the colored bell-boys sport, in addition to a brush broom, a blue uniform with gold stripes on their trousers legs, etc. The waiters wear white vests, stand-up collars, with white neckties, black pants and coat, and starched aprons; and they are not allowed to appear in the dining room if their shoes are not well blacked, and no holes in them.

The Cornet Band have Mr. Harlow to instruct them at present, and it is said that they are improving finely under his teaching.

Fourth of July was celebrated by ringing the bell, firing a few crackers, and a display of fireworks at the Farragut. Nat.

DIED.

Judkins. In Kingston, July 8, Deacon Simon Brown Judkins, aged nearly 85 years. For more than 22 years he had been Deacon in the church, and the Superintendent of the Sabbath School.

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CANDIDATES for admission to the High School will be examined at the High School building on Friday, July 13th. Examination will commence at eight o'clock A. M.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE,

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

BY THE JUDGE OF PROBATE FOR SAID COUNTY.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of Leonard Akerman, late of Portsmouth in said County, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting.

You are hereby notified that Charles C. Akerman, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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—For writing, "These houses are built to sell, and in a short time they will also prove that they were built to kill," a London builder brought an action against a newspaper. The case ended in an apology from the latter and a verdict of £2 and costs.

—This is getting too bad. An unscrupulous New Yorker is publishing an enlarged imitation of ex-Treasurer Spinner's signature as the line of march of the Russian soldiers to the Danube. The large blotty dashes are supposed to be the mountain ranges.

—A landslide in Schodack, N. Y., filled a creek, and turned the water in a different direction. The owner of a mill further down sues the farmer who owns the land on which the slide occurred, to compel him to restore the stream to its former condition.

—The word "balance" is becoming a general nuisance. A letter writer says: "I remained the balance of the day." Why could he not say in English, "the rest of the day!" Most adult Americans know what a balance is; but a verbal insanity seems to be raging.

—London lawyers are in trouble about the costume proper to be worn by the bar on red-letter days. A few days ago Mr. Justice Field, while presiding in the Second Court of the Queen's Bench Division, objected to the wig of a counsellor, who rose to address him, on the ground that "it was not of those dimensions which the solemnity of the day required." The counsellor answered that he "hoped that he would not be supposed capable of any want of respect either to Her Majesty or the court, and that he would, without delay, attire himself in a full bottomed wig. He had understood, however, that the full bottomed wig should not be worn at nisi prius."

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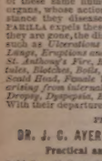

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 15. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

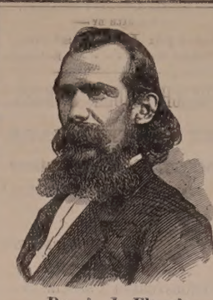
SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

DANIEL W. JONES, M. D.,
ROBERT SHILLABER,
DANIEL DANIELSON,
Health Officers.



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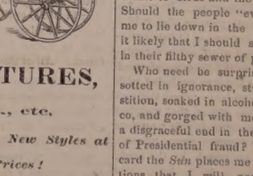

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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements on the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. Hepworth, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Daily Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Mr. Train Speaks.

George Francis Train writes the New York *Sun* as follows:

As deadheadism disgusts all but the deadheaded, henceforth I intend to prove my sanity by refusing longer to D. H. the American people with my opinions except at Bohemian rates! For thirty years, through my ignorance of the laws of life, I allowed the people to vampire on my 200 years' inherited stock of vitality and treat me as their equal, when physically, intellectually, morally and socially I felt myself their superior. As orator, linguist, author, traveller, business man, my life is a record of continual success. As the intellectual Blondin of the times, the public, tired of waiting to see me tumble off that tight rope into Niagara, have suddenly stopped their sneers! Have they discovered at last that I am a born emperor, not a subject?—a noble, not a slave?—a monarchist, not a republican?—a patrician, not a plebeian?—an aristocrat, not a democrat? By allowing them to shake hands with me for a quarter of a century, no wonder they lost their respect. A leaf next the eye obscures a distant mountain. No man is great to his valet. Of course I was abnormal to them. Vice is always abnormal to virtue! truth to falsehood! manhood to cowardice! sanity to insanity, morality to immorality! The people's ways, passions, ambitions, appetites, desires, were not my ways. Did Alexander, Cæsar, Frederick, Gustavus, Philip, Napoleon, Washington, shake hands with every Congressional, church and club bummer of the pave? Yet all these chiefs combined did not possess the psychologic power over life and death held in one drop of my pure blood! No Anno Domini ignorance can stand against my psychologic era knowledge! No evangelical fanaticism against my evolutionary thought!

Having published many books in my time, and been an amateur correspondent of newspapers in two hemispheres for three decades, without ever receiving a cent, and not wishing to lose my magnetism by again facing the adult world on the lecture-stage, or by personal contact or conversation privately, I propose to earn my daily bread as a Bohemian writer on these simple terms: Acceptors of my articles on all subjects to pay me what they consider their value every Saturday, they holding the option of rejecting anything too strong for their columns, but to return me all unused copy. I am too little interested in my literary children to examine or correct proofs, and as I do not wish to come in contact with editors, correspondents, interviewers, reporters and newspaper men, a postal mailed to Madison square will receive prompt attention. I hope "friends," "relatives," "acquaintances" and "strangers" will have too much respect for me to intrude upon my privacy by recognizing me or speaking to me while luxuriating in this magnificent solitude of a public park. Either in satire or otherwise, my Presidential aspirations are often paragraphed. If the sentiments expressed in this card for bread do not stop the "delusion," let me end the joke forever by requesting the people to give me a wide berth on this subject. The idea nauseates me. The people's gift! Bah! Can their disease strengthen my robust health? Their misery add to my happiness? Their bankruptcy to my solvent condition of living on $2 a week? Their carbonic acid gas measure itself with my oxygen? Their perpetual discord with my twelve hours a day content with the music of birds and the kisses of children? Should the people "evolute" into asking me to lie down in the gutter with them, is it likely that I should soil my clean hands in their filthy sewer of party politics?

Who need be surprised that a nation besotted in ignorance, stupefied with superstition, soaked in alcohol, steeped in tobacco, and gorged with meat, should come to a disgraceful end in the delirium tremens of Presidential fraud? By publishing this card the *Sun* places me under such obligations that I will never bore it again with my contributions except professionally, and journals copying it can hedge against former unkind words, and be remembered when absolute dictatorship becomes an acknowledged psychologic fact!

Cheap Girls.

A girl who makes herself too cheap is one to be avoided. No young man, not even the worst, except for a base purpose, wants anything to do with a cheap young lady. For a wife, none but a fool or a rascal will approach such a woman. Cheap jewelry nobody will touch if he can get any better. Cheap girls are nothing but the refuse; and the young men know it, and they will look in every other direction for a life-long friend and companion before they will give a glance at the pinchbeck stuff that tinkles at every turn for fascinating the eye of any that will look. You think it is quite the "correct thing" to talk loudly and coarsely, be boisterous and heydenish in all public places; to make yourself so bold and forward and commonplace, everywhere, that people wonder if you ever had a mother, or a home, or anything to do! So be it. You will probably be taken for what you are worth, and one of these years, if you do not make worse than a shipwreck of yourself, you will begin to wonder where the charms are that once you thought yourself possessed of, and what evil spirit could

have so befooled you. Go on, but remember, cheap girls attract nobody but fools and rascals.—*McMillan's Magazine.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, JULY 12, 1877.

New Hampshire Legislature.

In the House, on Wednesday, the Committee on Incorporations reported an act repealing sections three and four of the act passed the present session to incorporate the Strafford County Manufacturing company. The effect of this will be to take away from the company the right to take water from Merry Meeting pond into Cocheco river. It was debated at length and ordered to a second reading.

The special assignment for the morning was taken up, being the act reported to reorganize and equalize Senatorial districts according to the amended constitution. By the bill reported the State is organized into 24 districts, which will stand 17 republican and 7 democratic districts. Mr. Sinclair of Bethlehem offered an amendment making substantially a new bill that would give 14 republican districts and 10 democratic. Mr. Morris of Epping moved that the bill and Mr. Sinclair's amendment be recommitted to the Committee on Constitutional Amendments. A long discussion followed and Sinclair offered an amendment to the motion of Morris, instructing the Committee to report a bill giving the republicans 14 and democrats 10 Senators. Mr. Sinclair's amendment was lost. The House then adjourned.

Another Spanish Outrage.

Another American whaling schooner, the "Rising Sun," Capt. Taylor, has been seized by a Spanish man-of-war and her mate held a prisoner for five days, at the end of which time another gunboat arrived and the vessel was released. At the time the first man-of-war appeared the captain and mate of the whaler had just killed two small whales and were pursuing others when the boom of a gun was heard, and a shot ricocheted over the waves and plunged into the sea ere it reached them. Though astonished at this unlooked-for occurrence, the whalers still continued their work. But soon two more loud reports and two hissing balls followed each other in rapid succession. Capt. Taylor, perceiving that something must be done, leaving the dead whales, started for his vessel, but he was intercepted by the enemy. His own person was demanded as a hostage until the other Spanish gunboat should make her appearance and examine his papers. He refused, and they demanded his chief mate, and were inexorable. In vain he protested, reminding them of the loss to his vessel, and claiming the validity of his papers. Mr. Atkins, the mate, was taken and placed on board, the captain being left alone to secure the whales as best he could, a difficult task in the heavy sea. For five days the mate was detained until the second Spanish gunboat arrived and declared the papers correct. This detention at this particular time, in the midst of a school of whales, was a serious loss to the vessel, and is but a sequel to the outrage perpetrated on the Ellen Rizpah and her captain.

News and Notes.

The engineer of the Brooklyn bridge gives the following notice to mariners: On and after July 11 the stranda of the East river bridge cables will be in a final position, which will be at the lowest point at the middle of the river 145 feet above high water.

Ex-Lieut. Gov. Stockdale of Texas, aged fifty-seven years, was married in Washington on Tuesday night to a daughter of Congressman Schleicher, aged sixteen years.

An accident that was almost fatal occurred in Rowley, Mass., last Thursday, at the public wedding of Rev. John Lowell with Miss Hattie Richardson. It was intended to fire a cannon just as the bridal party left the altar, but owing to some mistake it was not fired until some seventy-five people came from the church and stood in front of it, when the gun exploded with such force that it drove large pieces through the church, and other pieces, that weighed fifteen pounds, were sent nearly a quarter of a mile. But two persons were injured. Mrs. Henry Wade was struck in the neck, and Mr. George Smith in the knee, but both were quite comfortable at last accounts.

Fourteen persons, nearly all officials of the National Steamship Line, have been arrested in New York for the wholesale smuggling of silks and laces into this country from Europe. The superintendent and delivery clerk of the National Line piers received $25 for every barrel of smuggled goods landed. One man confesses to having received over 120 barrels of fine silks within three years; and the pursers and storekeepers of the various steamships of the National Line confess to having each landed from thirty to fifty barrels of silks and two to ten cases of costly laces, within the same time. It is calculated that $1,000,000 worth of goods have been thus introduced in the past two years, and the smuggling has been carried on for eight years.

The Northampton bank robbers, and Jey, the Rockport murderer, are now on trial in Massachusetts.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 10.

There appears no diminution of interest in Mexican matters though the arrest of the Louisiana Returning Board now divides the attention recently devoted to them. There are no new developments of special significance to report. The *Star* charges that there is now here a large Mexican lobby, laboring to still further complicate our relations with that government and to precipitate hostilities. It is charged with having instigated many of the past raids from interested motives, and with a readiness to undertake another immediately to provoke an armed collision. Its character is generally understood as not the most reputable; but the matter and manner of its backing secures for it a quasi-respectability of character not accorded to the filibustering cabals that formerly honored the Federal Capital with their presence. Among other men known or believed to be more or less intimately identified with it, is Mr. Scleicher, member of Congress from the 6th Texas district. Great activity is noted in working up claims for indemnity, which are said to be sold for a very small consideration or given away in order to their wide distribution, thus insuring more general demand for war in case their payment is refused, as most of them likely will be.

Feeling ranges high over the arrest of Madison Wells and his Returning Board associates. The President is represented as much incensed at the alleged lack of good faith on the part of Louisiana democrats, who promised oblivion for offenses of the kind charged against Wells & Co. in return for the surrender of the State to their control. The indignation appears genuine and general throughout administration circles. Rumors as to the origin and purpose of the arrests are numerous and contradictory. On the one hand they are attributed to the extreme men of Nicholls' party, who are angry at his moderate course and are forcing this issue to rid the party of such as he. Pitkin, at present in this city and mysteriously busy, emphatically denies that he or Packard had aught to do with prompting the arrests as charged, but his manner renders it certain that he bears the administration no good will and that he, at least, will take advantage of every circumstance to vindicate himself and the cause he represented; and if the President were to be hurt thereby, it would not break his heart. In conclusion, I may venture to say that the most ingeniously vindictive could hardly hit upon a move seemingly more embarrassing to the administration, nor one that could more delight its opponents, and they are sufficiently numerous to make trouble, judging from present manifestations.

Advices from General McDowell reveal the same anxiety as is noticed about the War Department relative to General Howard's ability to successfully cope with the hostile Indians with the force now available for that purpose. His means for a rapid concentration are too inadequate to expect an early and a decisive victory. KNOX.

The War.

A Berlin despatch says: "At the last interview Lord Odo Russell informed Prince Bismarck that England would under no condition whatever suffer the Russian occupation of Constantinople. Prince Bismarck replied that he considered the occupation of Constantinople the best way to obtain the purposes for which the war was commenced."

It is stated that Constantinople is under a reign of terror. Crowds of lawless soldiers and bands of Circassians and Zebeks rob and murder with impunity. The streets are given up to these outlaws after nightfall and all cafes and public resorts close at sundown. The massacre of all Christians and foreigners in Constantinople is liable momentarily.

New Hampshire Items.

Lightning struck the steeple of the Methodist church in Littleton, Tuesday morning, the 10th, and passed through to the ground, damaging the building about $250.

The New England Conference of Young Men's Christian Associations will be held in Concord the second week in August. Moody and Sankey will be present.

In Nashua, on the 10th, Frank Donnelly, Humphrey Courtney and John Sullivan, arrested for highway robbery, were bound over in $1000 each to the September Court. George F. Almy, forger, was examined and held in $1000 for trial at the September Court. All of them went to jail.

The Hedding camp-meeting at Epping commences Aug. 27.

Sidney A. Hardy, ten years old, only son of Charles Z. Hardy of Pittsburg, was drowned June 28th.

Rev. C. M. Perry of Southwick, Mass., has accepted a call to the Congregational Church in Pembroke.

Louis Napoleon's Courtship.

Mr. Blanchard Jerrold, in his volume just published in London, tells the conclusion of Louis Napoleon's courtship. It was at the New Year ball in '53 that as the company were passing to the supper room, Mlle. de Montijo and Mme. Fortoul, wife of the minister of public instruction, reached one of the doors together. Mme. Fortoul, mastered by that jealousy of the fortunate lady which was general at court, rudely rebuked Mlle. de Montijo for attempting to take precedence of her. The young lady drew aside with great dignity before this affront, and when she entered the supper room the pallor and trouble in her face at once attracted the notice of the emperor as she took her place at his majesty's table. In great anxiety he rose and passed behind her chair to ask what had happened. "What is the matter? Pray tell me." The marked and sympathetic attention of the emperor drew all eyes upon the lady, who became covered with confusion. "I implore you, sire, to leave me," she answered; "everybody is looking at us." Troubled and perplexed, the emperor took the earliest opportunity of renewing his inquiry. "I insist upon knowing. What is it?" "It is this, sire," the lady now answered haughtily, the blood mantling her cheek, "I have been insulted to-night, and I will not expose myself to a second insult." "To-morrow," said the emperor, in a low, kind voice, "nobody will dare to insult you again." Returned home, Mme. de Montijo and her daughter, their Spanish blood thoroughly roused, made hasty preparations to leave Paris for Italy. On the morrow morning, however, the mother received a letter from the emperor, in which he formally asked the hand of Mlle. Eugenie de Montijo in marriage; and the ladies, within a few days, removed from their apartments to the Elysee, which was assigned to the emperor's betrothed. Within a month Mlle. de Montijo sat on the throne of the Tuileries beside Napoleon III.

—Palm leaf fans are popular with summer church goers, as they hide very effectually the most elastic yawn.

—When Thomas Crapo sailed out of the harbor of New Bedford a few weeks ago in a tiny boat bound for Europe, he had the consciousness of being the greatest ass in the world. It is unsafe to forecast the possibilities of human folly; for Crapo is to be out-Crapoed. Another Lilliputian craft is on the stocks in the same harbor; it is to be built of cedar with an oak frame, and is to have a centre-board and three masts; and is to round Cape Horn and possibly circumnavigate the world.

—Senator Spencer of Alabama was taken for a highwayman while he was journeying to the Black Hills, late in June. The Treasury agent who left Deadwood in the Bismarck stage had been cautioned to take no risks, and if any suspicious persons should appear on the road to "get the drop on them." The messenger, the driver, and another man employed by the company, all had rifles close at hand, when four horsemen were espied galloping down a mountain toward the stage. It was a lonely spot, and the messenger did not like the appearance of the strangers. As the four horsemen drove up and leapt from their saddles, they were covered by three trusty rifles. "Stop! we are honest men!" said the strangers. "Throw up your hands, then," cried the messenger; and the squad of four slowly approached under cover of the rifles, and finally convinced the guardian of the national treasure that they were not public plunderers, night-riders, murderers, but only Senator Spencer and friends.

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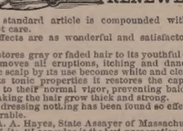

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
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Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35	"

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Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	5.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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JOTTINGS.

Candidates for admission to the High School will be examined at the High School building on Friday. Examination will commence at eight o'clock A. M.

Dr. Brainard Dearborn has rented the Haven House on Islington street, having returned to Portsmouth to resume the practice of his profession.

The two men arrested by the police of this city on Tuesday on suspicion of their having been engaged in burglaries in Rowley and Ipswich, Mass., were fully identified by officer Butler of Rowley as the men "wanted" at that place. The Massachusetts officer called the fellows William Parker and Fred Dalton; the names they gave here were William Brown and William Dalton. They were taken to Rowley in the evening.

The U. S. S. "Enterprise" was once more taken into the dry dock at the navy yard, on the 10th. The rumor that that she is to be sent to sea in the dry dock has no foundation whatever, as she has only been taken out of water this time to have her keel pasted on and her seams filled with glue. The "Speedwell," which had previously been in the dock, was taken out to allow the admission of the "Enterprise," the former having been overhauled all that was necessary to do in the dock.

The Secretary of the Navy has issued a circular to naval constructors. It fixes the pay of the various foremen, quartermen, superintendents, and others for a day's work of eight hours from $3.20 to $4.50 per day; also the pay for a day's work of ten hours, ranging from $4 to $5.50 per day.

The failure of Valentine Doane, Jr., fish merchant, is reported with liabilities amounting to $100,000.

A competitive examination takes place next Tuesday, of candidates for teachers of the grammar school now taught in the Academy by Mr. John Durgin. We understand that there are a large number of applicants for the position.

"Ideals Made Real," and "Haydn," poems by George L. Raymond, are published by The Riverside Press in one volume, gotten up in the usual excellent style of that establishment; price, $1.25. Professor Raymond is a vigorous writer and graceful versifier; we do not assume to say whether or no he is a poet, but we do say that we enjoy his poems, with their healthy, elevated sentiment and pure pathos, beautiful imagery and chaste language, far more than we do the slangy, slap-dash effusions of some of the "popular" poets of the day; and his poems will be read and admired years after the latter are forgotten, or remembered only to be derided.

A reception was given in honor of Ex-Gov. Noyes at Boar's Head, Hampton Beach, on the evening of the 10th, on which occasion he was presented with an ebony, gold-headed cane, by the temporary residents. A very large concourse of people assembled in the hotel parlor. Commodore Stevens presided and Hon. Daniel Needham delivered the address of welcome. Hon. Amos Tuck delivered the presentation speech. Gov. Noyes was deeply affected in his reply, the presentation being a perfect surprise to him. Remarks were made by Senator Rollins and Hon. J. D. Wyman. A serenade and ball closed the evening.

The new ship Governor Goodwin was successfully launched at East Boston, Wednesday morning. She is rated the highest that can be awarded any vessel by Lloyds; is 218 feet long, 48 feet beam and 24 feet depth of hold, and measures 1600 tons. Her owners are Messrs. M. F. Pickering & Co. of Boston, and she will be commanded in the San Francisco and China trade by Capt. William Lester. There was a large crowd in attendance to witness the launch, and about 300 went off in her.

"A WORHLESS SOUL."

NORTH HAMPTON, June 30th.

Publishers N. H. Gazette: I notice in your issue of June 21st an article entitled "A Worthless Soul." I will not stop to comment upon the first paragraph in that article, but proceed to the second. It appears, (according to the author's statement) that there is a very mean man in North Hampton (his name is not known) who has desecrated our cemetery in a most shameful way, by robbing the grave of one of the soldiers of our late war, of its flags, wreaths, and bouquets; scattering the flowers with destructive hand, and tearing the flags into strips, etc. That article has occasioned considerable stir in our community (as the author must have intended; and maliciously too, I fear) and doubtless throughout our State; and all sorts of comments and questions are heard, such as "Who could have been so mean?" "Wasn't it a shame!" "How badly the father must feel!" "Who wrote the article?" etc. Now, gentlemen, this last question is of more importance to us than the others. Does the *Gazette* ("The Oldest Newspaper In America") bear us any malice, that it does not take pains to investigate? I will tell the author of that article, that the crime of slandering the living, is greater than desecrating the graves of the dead.

THE FACTS.

Permit me to state a few facts in regard to this matter. Edwin D. Marston of Brookline (not Boston) decorated the grave of his soldier-son, with flags and flowers, on Memorial Day. Bunches of violets, fuchsias, and other humble but beautifully expressive tokens of love and affection, were placed upon the bushes, which are of themselves, an adornment to the grave. These flowers were not tied; neither were there any connected wreaths; all the flowers were loose. On the following day Mr. Marston took the flags from the grave and carried them into the house of Mr. Adna Brown, where they can be seen by any who so desire. Of course, the flowers would wither in due time, and be scattered by the wind, which was the case.

WHO WROTE THE ARTICLE?

And now, I repeat the question, *who wrote the article?* Please tell us, that we may know whether the author is a dweller in our midst or not. If he does dwell among us, we will try and save him. I believe that all men *may* be saved, even the author of "A Worthless Soul." Yours for the truth, D. B. MURRAY.

[*Note—Explanatory and Penitential.* As advancing years add to a man's avoirdupois and willingness to do less work for more pay, the caution of youth developes into timidity; hence, when we received the foregoing, we at first thought of flatly denying that we ever published any such article as the one referred to; then we thought of charging the authorship on some North Hampton man whom we dislike, that he might get scalped off hand, but we couldn't think of any such man; then we almost decided to say it was written by a former editor, who has since left the paper and the country and gone off with Capt. Tyson to hoist the stars and stripes on the North Pole; but when we noticed that the missive which so sternly demanded—in "small caps" and *Italics*—"Who wrote the article?" was signed with the name of a worthy clergyman (presumably a man of peace) and expressed the opinion that "even the author of 'A Worthless Soul'" *may* be saved, and said that the North Hampton folks were willing to tackle even that heavy job, we finally concluded to make a clean breast of it, and own up that *we* wrote the article in question. Having decided on this, we were more than half minded to say nothing in explanation, in order that the good people of North Hampton might wrestle mightily on our behalf; but this also we have reconsidered,—though our friends out there need not on this account remit their supplications for our improvement, as we think there is no danger of our becoming any too good, anyway. [We think we can get a certificate to that effect numerously signed in this city, if desired; but probably our brethren at North Hampton will not consider this necessary.] We would like to say that we are sorry we wrote the item; but it would not be true. We meant every word of it, at the time we wrote having no doubt the facts were as stated, our informant being a gentleman of unquestioned probity, and *his* informant a lady residing in the vicinity; and we still think the soul of a man who would desecrate a grave not worth the saving, even if it could be saved. But our correspondent has undoubtedly stated the facts, and we accordingly publish his letter, with this our apology. Further, we give an extract from a letter written by the soldier's father to a friend who wrote him on the subject, as follows: "All I know about the matter was what was copied in the Boston *Traveller* from the Portsmouth CHRONICLE. In all previous years I have allowed the flags to remain, so there is quite a number of them there in a dilapidated condition. This year when I came up on my way home I took up the flags and left them with a friend. * * I don't think that anybody in Little River felt that way toward my son Charley. I am inclined to the opinion that the reporter, whoever he was, as he saw things was honest in his report and felt as he wrote; but as I said before, the new flags were taken up by me." Thanking our correspondent for his letter, which has saved us the trouble of hating some unknown person as long as we live, we remain—*The Editor.*]

Sewing Machines.

One good effect in the reduction in the prices of sewing machines will be to diminish the proportion of sales upon the instalment plan. Prices have heretofore been so high that the poorer classes have been unable to pay cash down, and in many instances they have been two or three years in paying for their machines. There have been many cases of hardships resulting from the practical workings of this instalment plan, and it is gratifying that, while the reduction in the prices of sewing machines will bring these labor-savers within the means of nearly all who want them, it will also enable purchasers to obtain them upon conditions which will preclude the practice of such extortions and robberies as have frequently occurred in the past. Some sewing machine concerns have discontinued entirely the sale of machines upon the instalment plan, while others, that sell both for cash and on instalment, report that prices are so much lower than a few months ago that they are selling a much larger proportion of their machines for cash than formerly. There were some companies which were not directly protected by the patents which expired in May, but the result proves that they were all alike interested in them as far as regards sustaining the high figures which have until lately prevailed. Since the expiration of the patents the prices of all machines, whether the manufacturers belonged to the combination or not, have been very materially reduced. Some people had an idea that the prices of sewing machines would come down to $25, and this is, indeed, true in regard to some machines. There are high-priced machines and low-priced machines, and while the latter may now be purchased at $20 or $30, it will probably be a long time before we shall see what are really first-class machines going at these figures.

Sewing machines dealers now advertise their cash price instead of their instalment price, as formerly, and, great as the reduction has really been during the last few months, this change in the method of advertising prices is apt to convey an exaggerated idea of the decline. It seems like a decline of fifty per cent. to see a machine advertised for $30 which was formerly advertised for $60, but the $30 is cash price and the $60 the price on the instalment plan; and while the machine advertised at $60 could have been bought for cash at $45, the same machine now advertised at $30 would cost $37.50 if purchased upon instalments. Sellers, being obliged to make a large reduction, are anxious to make it appear even larger than it really is, and this change in the method of advertising their prices is well adapted thus to mislead purchasers.

They are very anxious to convey an exaggerated impression as to the decline which has taken place, in order that people may have an idea that prices have already touched bottom, and not insist upon still lower figures. The sewing machine manufacturers insist that present prices are so low as to afford a very narrow margin for profits, and that any future changes in price are more likely to be upward than downward. Everybody knows that the concessions which they have made were made because they felt compelled to take such a step, and if they think it possible again to put up prices they may be counted on to do it. It must seem very hard to the sewing machine companies, after extorting millions from the poor people of the country, to come down to legitimate profits and sell their goods for what they can really afford, and it is only fear of competition from new manufacturers that has constrained them to make any concession from their former extortionate prices. It is not probable, however, that anything like the old figures will ever again be established. The days of governmental protection against competition from outside parties are over, and the relation of supply and demand is likely in the future to be the regulator of prices. It might, indeed, be a good thing for the people in the long run if the companies should attempt to re-establish the prices which formerly prevailed. In this way competition from new sewing machine manufacturers would all the more readily be induced to enter the field—*Sunday Herald.*

—Chicago has at immense expense tunneled the lake for some miles, that she might obtain an inexhaustible supply of pure water, and then pours her sewage and dumps her garbage in the lake until the water supply is tainted.

—Daniel Webster and Jeremiah Mason, out driving the circuit together once, thought one Sunday they'd call on the Enfield Shakers, but friend Dyer said, inflexibly: "We cannot admit thee on the Sabbath." Mason became biblically emphatic in his language, and demanded if Dyer knew who he was. "Nay," said the Shaker, "but, judging from thy size and thy profanity, I take thee to be Jeremiah Mason."

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

BY THE JUDGE OF PROBATE FOR SAID COUNTY.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of LEONARD AKERMAN, late of Portsmouth in said County, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting.

You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. AKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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—A family of children who had been brought up in poverty and ignorance in the interior of Wisconsin were brought to Milwaukee a few days ago. As it happened none of them had ever seen a picture, and when a chromo of a cat was shown to them on the wall they rushed to it and endeavored to take the animal into their arms.

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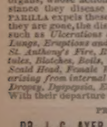

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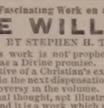

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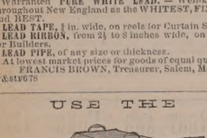

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of fish at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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At the period when the overthrow of Napoleon, upon the field of Waterloo, had restored tranquility to Europe, among the travelers who made a stopping place for a time of the pretty village above referred to, was George Roscoe, a young Englishman of large wealth and high position in a social scale, where fine form and handsome face drew upon him many admiring glances wherever he was seen in his journeyings. Of all the village maidens none was so fair in his eyes as Therese Dupre, whose acquaintance he had made in one of the rural rambles he was accustomed to take in the neighborhood unattended by his servant, when both had stopped to assist to the nearest cottage a lady who had been thrown from her vehicle by a runaway horse. She attracted him not more by her simple beauty and artlessness of manner, than the intelligence and culture she possessed, the source of which was readily apparent when he met her again and accompanying her home, received an introduction to her father as he sat at the door awaiting her return; for motherless as she was, they were all that remained of the family circle.

Pierre Dupre, though possessed of rare intellectual cultivation for one whose advantages of education in early life had been very limited, was a man of strong prejudices, and in no way was it more apparent than in his uncompromising antipathy to all of English blood; nor had the feeling ever reached with him so high a point as then, when the idol of his heart, under whom he had served in his prime of manhood, and shared with him in some of his most brilliant victories, was held by them a prisoner on the lone rock of St. Helena. It was in vain that his daughter tried to convince him it was a true and honorable affection professed for her by the first who had ever won her love, and that if she became the wife of George Roscoe, it would be their mutual wish that he should share with them their beautiful homes both in town and country; he would not believe that aught else than treachery could exist in the breast of an Englishman, nor would he listen to the idea of leaving the cot where he was born, even for a palace of royalty were it in a land whose people he so much detested.

After much solicitation, for her English lover had acquired, by persevering study, during a long sojourn in Paris, the language of the French as fluently as his own, Therese consented to take her leave of home with him on a designated night; trusting that her father would be reconciled to what she had done when the marriage tie was formed between them, and welcome her back with his wonted affection. If George Roscoe had ever contemplated for a moment a betrayal of the confiding girl who had trusted to him her all as she would to a brother, a single glance at the innocent face that looked up to his own in the morning light, and that had rested upon his breast through the livelong night, would have banished from his mind a thought so base. An hour's rest and refreshment at a village where they stopped at sunrise, enabled them to proceed on their way to the more populous place they reached by noon, where an English clergyman had made his home and gathered a flock of like faith around him, who formed the tie between them that death alone could part. Two days more found them in Paris, of which Therese had heard so much during the latter days of Napoleon's career, and the restoration of a Bourbon to the throne of France that succeeded, when she lost no time in writing to her father, announcing her marriage, and asking his forgiveness; but no answer came, nor a word of reply to the notes of affection through which she continued to keep him informed of all that related to her welfare in the three years that followed her departure from home.

In their journeyings from place to place, from one people to another of the various nations of Europe, and mingling with the most cultivated society that each afforded, George Roscoe never had cause to be otherwise than proud of the village girl he had taken to share with him his wealth and position in life. The Intelligent mind and refined tastes she inherited from her parents, though they had never known aught of the abundance and luxury that had fallen to the lot of their child in her marriage, rendered her the equal of all, whatever their degree, into whose society she chanced to be thrown. The only drawback to her happiness was the persistent continuance of her father in leaving her letters unanswered; but she was made acquainted with his well-being by a correspondence with one of the most valued of her former companions, and would not resign the hope that his iron will would at length give way, and she would be received by him with the affection of other days. How she wished his presence when looking upon some beautiful scene, some marvel of art of the great masters of old, or wondrous effort of the skill of the architect, that met her eye in her various wanderings, all of which she knew he had the mind and taste to appreciate, and hoped he would yet share with her, at some after day, in their enjoyment. She almost feared, sometimes, it was but a bright dream through which she was passing, as she thought of the happy lot that had been bestowed upon her; yet never forgetting to bless the kind Providence that had thrown such sunshine on her pathway, nor to ask that she might be made more worthy to receive such bounteous gifts.

Though mingling ever, when at home, with the most brilliant society his country afforded, the fortunate young Englishman had never the first thought of regret that his choice of a life-long companion had been made among those less favored than himself in worldly advantages; nor were it his lot to sit upon the throne of the sovereign to whom his allegiance was due, would he have asked other than Therese to share it with him. Had the "first gentleman of Europe," indeed, as he was termed by his flatterers, who filled the position, as regent, at the time, possessed but half his virtues and noble instincts, he would have been an honor to the land that gave him birth, instead of leaving but a name that serves at best but to "point a moral," though it can scarcely be said to "adorn a tale."

The youthful tourists were not of the class who rush with speed from one interesting locality to another, with neither the taste or capacity to appreciate that which to others gives present enjoyment and a theme for happy retrospect in after years, merely to say they have visited such and such places of note, without being able to recall the attractions they possess for more intelligent travellers. After a long sojourn in Italy, lingering for months together amid the attractive novelties of Rome, Naples and Venice, and the cities long buried beneath the lava and ashes of Vesuvius, they entered Switzerland over one of the great passes of the Alps, enjoying not less, though toilsome and rough the way, the dread heights and precipices, the roaring torrents, and the wastes of eternal ice and snow through which their route had led. From the beautiful valley where they stopped to rest, they could look back upon the craggy steeps, grey rock, and snow and ice-clad heights, that glistened like gold in the sunlight, over which they had so lately journeyed; the scene here and there dotted with spots of verdue, and picturesque cottages dwarfed to scarce beyond the size of toys by the towering heights that rose above them. Through the peaceful village where they sought repose, a little stream, spanned by a rustic bridge, passed on its way over broken rocks, making music to the ear of the lover of nature in the stillness around as it disappeared among the trees, while from the steeps above could be heard, at the sunset hour, the voices of shepherds as they sang their evening hymn. It was during the time of their stay in this quiet retreat, that the little Therese appeared to give an added joy to their hearts; nor was it until the first three months of her life was passed, that they retraced their steps across the Alps for a re-enjoyment of the scenes they could never forget, in the home of art and song, the sunny land of Italy.

Two happy years went by to George Roscoe and his much-prized wife, during which no spot famed for its classic beauty, or made memorable by deeds of old renown, passed unnoted by them in their journeyings between intervals of rest, and then, while at Venice, a letter came to Therese from the faithful correspondent who had kept her informed, unknown to him, of all that related in her absence to the well-being of her father, with the intelligence that his maiden sister, who had served him as housekeeper since her departure, had been called away to her long home. Therese, who had never ceased to write to her parent, without receiving a word of reply, with the ready acquiescence of her husband

at once imparted to him her intention immediately to return to seek once more his forgiveness, and a fulfilment of the long-cherished wish of both that he would accept the bounteous home they would give him.

Ere another fortnight came to a close the scene was enacted in the little cottage with which the reader has been made familiar. With the same unbending aspect as presented by the artist, the old man sat as if changed to marble, unmindful of the tears of his child, as, kneeling at his feet, she presented as an intercessor between them the perfect resemblance of herself in her own infantile years, until the voice of the little one was heard as she said, while looking upward, with a happy expression, to the statue-like face above her, "I love you, grandpapa, will you not love me?" It was too much even for the iron will of the stern old man, nature at length held sway, and clasping the little innocent to his heart, he gave vent to a flood of tears. Nor did he resist when his child bent over him as she held him in her embrace, and returned the kisses she impressed upon his lips.

When Pierre Dupre had learned from his daughter how faithful and loving and true her husband had ever been to her from the hour of their union; how gently he had cared for her in sickness and health, and amid all their wanderings, he sought to make amends to her noble and generous-hearted companion for the injustice he had done him through prejudice against the nation to which he belonged. It was no slight struggle that he had with himself ere he could consent to leave his birthplace, and the cot, though lowly, where he first saw the light, but he became reconciled at length when the assurance was given him that everything within the humble dwelling should remain just as it was, and that he could revisit it as often as it suited his inclination to do so. He lived long to enjoy a peaceful and happy home with his children at their London abode, and the beautiful country-seat that was theirs in its suburbs; and what was to him one of the great events of his life, he survived to share and hold an honored place in the gorgeous ceremonials when the remains of his beloved commander were brought from the "lone barren isle" where they had rested so long, to repose beneath the dome of the Invalides.

The story, though happy in its ending, teaches no lesson to the young of disobedience to parents, when is considered the reverse of the picture—an unwedded mother, a worse than fatherless child—that in most cases would have been the result of such a departure from a parent's wishes.

JOHN H. BOWLES.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JULY 13, 1877.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, July 11.

Late in the afternoon the motion to recommit the Senatorial district bill was debated by Messrs. Norris of Epping, Ordway of Warner and Batchelder of Littleton, and the motion was lost on the roll call by a vote of 121 yeas and 190 nays. Then the House was informed of a compromise which had been rumored all the afternoon. It agreed that the bill should be considered at 11 to-morrow morning, and that only two votes should be taken on the matter, one upon the substitution of Mr. Sinclair's bill for the bill now under consideration, and if this is rejected the other upon the bill under consideration.

The republicans have agreed upon some amendments to "an act defining the representation of towns of less than six hundred population, as shown by the Census of 1870," as proposed by the democrats, which will not materially alter the bill, and this bill will go through without much factious opposition.

House bill No. 59, which is "an act in amendment of chapter 99 General Statutes, in relation to trials of complaints and indictments for being a common seller of spirituous liquor, or for keeping the same for sale," Mr. Boyle made a motion to indefinitely postpone, and then called for the yeas and nays, which resulted in 53 yeas and 206 nays. The bill was then passed.

A joint resolution in regard to the proprietors of the Portsmouth Bridge was passed; also a joint resolution in relation to the celebration of the 100th anniversary of the battle of Bennington, appropriating $7500 in all—$5000 for a monument and $2500 for the celebration; also an act to incorporate the Manchester and Fitchburg Railroad Company; also a joint resolution for the appointment of a Commission to take into consideration matters relating to the Winnipiseogee Lake Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Company. This Commission was the result of petitions signed by 1200 parties claiming to be damaged by the flowage and drainage of Lake Winnipiseogee by the company.

Mr. Barton introduced a bill for the destruction of noxious animals and birds, which is the same as the one which has just been defeated in the Senate, with the exception of the crow section being left out.

Considerable discussion arose as to whether $6000 should be appropriated to the N. H. College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, but it was passed. Yours, A. B.

The War.

A despatch from Constantinople states that the Sultan has sent a peremptory command to Abdul Kerim Pasha to advance, and a battle is liffely to open immediately at Rasgrad, on the Shumla line. The Khedive has sent the Sultan a reinforcement of $20,000 men. A telegram from Erzeroum says that the Russian garrison at Bayazid is expected to surrender, owing to the terrible sufferings of the troops, they having neither provisions nor water. The Russians acknowledge their campaign in Asia Minor a failure. Mukhtar Pasha has reached Kars, and the Russians have raised the siege of that place.

News and Notes.

The Georgia Constitutional Convention met at Atlanta on Wednesday, and organized. Charles J. Jenkins was chosen President. In his address to the Convention, Jenkins said "It is unnecessary to caution you against doing anything that would infringe upon the rights of the negro race." This was received with great applause.

Joseph E. Davis, Mayor of Tuscoloosa, Alabama, has been poisoned. He was a witness in the trirl of some counterfeiters, and while in the secret service arrested them. Another secret service officer, an important witness for the Government in the same case, was assassinated at Blount Springs, and Paul Boulton, who testified against the counterfeiters, was fatally shot at Tuscaloosa. Thomas Maxwell, another witness, was poisoned.

Mrs. Eliza O'Connell and her child, and Mrs. Mary M. O'Connor and her two children, were drowned at Baton Rouge, La., Wednesday, while trying to cross the river in a skiff.

On Wednesday afternoon a large number of men were overcome by gas in the mines of the Brookfield Coal Company, near Wheatland, Pa., on the Erie and Pittsburg Railroad, between Sharon and Newcastle. The number reported dead is seven. The coal from the Brookfield mine is hauled out by a locomotive engine. Wednesday morning the managers of the mine ordered that anthracite coal be burned in the engine furnace instead of soft coal heretofore used. About eleven o'clock the engineer passed into the slope. After being in a short time, the men in charge of the engine became suddenly affected by the gas from the hard coal, causing them to fall to the ground in a senseless condition. The engineer managed to make his way back to the mouth of the bank and gave the alarm, at which a large number of men rushed into the bank to rescue their comrades. One after another they passed in, but were almost immediately overcome by gas, and they too fell insensible. After several had thus fallen a gang was organized to rescue those who went in last, and squads of four or five passed in until they came to a fallen comrade, when they would take him in their arms and carry him out to the open air. In this way thirty-six men were brought out, six of whom were either dead before reaching the mouth of the bank or died immediately after.

The revenue steamer Grant, with Secretary Sherman on board, struck a rock at Sprucehead Wednesday afternoon and was detained several hours. Little damage was done.

The *Times* of Philadelphia reports the third acquittal of Frank Kelly for murdering colored republicans at the Philadelphia election in 1871. It says Kelly was implicated in the Ohio election frauds last Fall, and threatens serious disclosures concerning the democrats.

On Friday, July 6th, Mrs. John Green, living near Roanoke, Randolph county, Mo., was shot by her husband. Green claimed that it was accidental, but Mrs. Green declared that it was not, and shortly afterwards died. Mrs. Green's father caused the arrest of Green, and he was taken to Huntsville. On Monday night fifty men took Green from the Sheriff and hanged him. He left seven children.

On Wednesday, an extra engine and caboose running toward Greenfield, Mass., on the Fitchburg Railroad, at Wendell station ran into a team which was crossing the railroad at that point, killing Ira Davis, Mrs. Jonah Davis, his mother, Mrs. Ira Wakefield, Mrs. Eugenie Brown and Miss Nellie Lacey. Mrs. Brown lived half an hour. The others were killed instantly, and were badly cut up. The crossing is near the depot, and is a very blind one. Neither the engineer nor the persons in the team saw each other until one or the other was on the crossing. The locomotive was not running at a very great speed, as it stopped near the crossing. The party were returning home from berrying. The carriage was completely demolished. The horse was uninjured.

The University of London had to give this year the prize in applied mathematics and mechanics to Miss Ellen M. Watson, who also won the Meyer de Rothschild scholarship of $250 per annum, and the Professor who called out her name said she had the finest mathematical mind he had ever yet met with among his pupils of either sex. When we remember the prizes that have been borne off here this year by ladies in fair competition with the other sex, we must conclude that their claims to mental equality with men are not very ridiculous after all.

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Harral, the slayer of Lieutenant Catesby Jones, has been admitted to bail in the insignificant sum of $15,000, and the friends of the murdered man are very indignant. He has engaged two of the best lawyers in Selma, Ala., and sets up the customary plea of self-defense. Their children had a pitched battle in the streets, and young Jones, who was in the wrong, had been sent to his playmate's house with a basket of fruit and an apology, but his overtures were received with such bad grace that another boys' fight was precipitated. Then Lieutenant Jones went over to his neighbor's house to remonstrate against such vindictive behavior, and was shot down at the door. Harral says that the lieutenant carried with him a huge stick, and attempted to use it. Lieutenant Jones asserted in his ante-mortem statement that he had not the least thought of stirring up strife. It was certainly a strange fate that the gallant sailor who commanded the Merrimac in her second day's fight should be shot down like a dog for playing the part of peacemaker in a child's quarrel.

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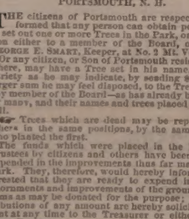

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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.20 "
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POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, July 11.

Oliver P. Philbrook, of Rye, was charged with cruelly beating his horse. Case continued to Saturday, July 21st.

Thursday, July 12th.

Eldad L. Hankins was arraigned for the willful murder of William Daley, the sailor who was stabbed to death during a drunken row on board schooner "Sallie Mair," on Sunday morning, 8th inst. County Solicitor Small conducted the case for the State; Walter C. Harriman, Esq., appeared for the accused. The principal witness was Thomas Sullivan, one of the participants in the fatal row, who gave evidence similar to that which he gave before the coroner's jury, to the effect that Hankins, Daley and witness were on shore the night of the row, and drank large quantities of beer, but did not get drunk; that Hankins and Daley quarrelled on account of the latter's bantering the former about a dollar spent in a Water street den of infamy; and the next thing Sullivan knew of the matter was hearing Daley call out that he was stabbed. Witness did not hear Hankins say anything, nor see any blow struck by either party. The manner in which this witness answered the cross-questions of the prisoner's counsel gave the impression to the spectators that he was not anxious to clear Hankins or to criminate himself. Jacob W. Powell, captain of the "Sallie Mair," Joseph C. Powell, the mate, John C. Powell, (the two latter being the captain's sons,) and Frederick Sherman, the steward, testified as to what took place after Hankins called the captain, and to some trouble in Washington between Hankins and Daley on a former occasion when both were drunk. Dr. N. L. Folson, who made the post mortem examination, testified as to the cause of death. Sheriff Kent testified to some unimportant facts. No witnesses were examined for the defence, and the Court committed Hankins to Portsmouth jail until discharged by due course of law. Sullivan was ordered to find sureties in $1000 for his appearance as a witness at the October term of the Supreme Court; Capt. Powell and his two sons, and the steward, Sherman, were required to recognize personally in $500 each, and seventeen other witnesses in $100 each, for their appearance at the same time and place.

Thomas Sullivan was arraigned for an aggravated assault on Eldad L. Hankins. Hankins, who was the principal witness, was sworn; but it having been explained to him that he was not obliged to give evidence which might injuriously affect himself, he declined to testify, and the County Solicitor thereupon "nolled" the case. There was quite a large attendance of spectators at the Court House, where the Police Court was held.

HIGH SCHOOL EXHIBITION.

The annual exhibition of the High School was held at Franklin Hall on Thursday afternoon, commencing at half-past two o'clock. In order to avoid the uncomfortable crowding which has attended the exhibitions in years past, in the more confined quarters of the High School building, admission was this year regulated by tickets of which sufficient numbers to quite fill the Hall were not issued. A number of the front seats were reserved for the recent graduates of the Dover High School, and some other persons who had received special invitations to attend; but at the time set for the exercises to commence the doors were opened to admit enough of those who had not received tickets to fill the few seats remaining empty.

The stage and auditorium were decorated with beautiful flowers and evergreen arranged with creditable taste and skill. Besides the several class Nos. beneath the galleries, placed there with special reference to the re-union in the evening, and which are more fully described elsewhere, were exquisite clusters of flowers of brilliant and sombre hues temptingly set in baskets, urns and other receptacles, giving a pleasant fragrance to the air of the room. *Nil Desperandum* was lettered in evergreen and suspended upon the act drop of the stage, with the American Flag forming a back ground. The class of '77 was happily symbolized by an anchor of evergreen with the figures '77 ingeniously formed of prythian and cardinal flowers. The female portion of the class was dressed in muslin as usual, while the young gentlemen were neatly attired in dark coats and pants, white vests and white neckties. They all looked well and acted well their parts. It would be unfair to indulge in harsh criticism, and invidious to praise much, so we forbear. The following was the

PROGRAMME.

MUSIC, "Joy! Joy! Freedom to-day." School.
1. Salutatory, Chaucer. Arthur E. Gage.
2. Essay, The Fairy Lore of English Literature. Lizzie M. Flagg.
3. Essay, In the Cars. Lizzie M. Moran.
MUSIC, Violin Trio,—Messrs. Harlow, Bartlett and Leveen.
4. Oration, Chivalry. Ira A. Stevens.
5. Essay, The Sketches of Sir Edwin Landseer. Etta B. Flanders.
6. Recitation, The Legend of Bregentz. Susie H. Shackley.
MUSIC, The Gypsy Boy, George W. Braxton.
7. Oration, Festina Lente. E. Scott Owen.
8. Essay, Flowers. Mary E. Canty.
MUSIC, Ode to the Flag, (words by Samuel W. Foss,) School.
9. Essay, Alice Cary. Annie G. Garrett.
10. Oration, Growlers. Samuel W. Foss.
MUSIC, Piano Duet, Mardi Gras Quadrilles,—Misses Dow and Flagg.
11. Recitation, Mary Maloney's Philosophy. Ida M. Varrell.
12. Oration, The Two Paths in Life. William D. Grace.
13. Essay, Giotto. Nellie L. Whitcomb.
MUSIC, The Cuckoo and the Donkey,—School.
14. Oration, The Characteristics of the Times. E. Fred Owen.
15. Prose Rendering, Elaine. Carrie A. Craig.
MUSIC, Trio, "So merrily over the ocean spray," Misses Varrell, Flagg, and Taylor.
16. Oration, The Study of the Classics. J. Herman Emery.
17. Recitation, How he saved St. Michael's. Lizzie M. Varrell.
18. Essay, Memories of the Last Year at School. Flora B. Dow.
19. Valedictory, "The dews of blessing heaviest fall where care falls too." Ida F. Blaisdell.

MUSIC, Days of Youth,—School.
Award of Medals.
Presentation of Diplomas.
MUSIC, America. Audience.

The Salutatory was well written and pronounced by Arthur E. Gage.

Essay number two was a good composition and very well rendered by Miss Lizzie M. Flagg.

Essay number three was a pleasant narration of the experiences of a ride in the cars by Miss Lizzie M. Moran.

Oration on Chivalry was very gracefully delivered by Master Ira A. Stevens.

Miss Etta B. Flanders read interesting tributes to the Sketches of Sir Edwin Landseer.

The recitation of the Legend of Bregentz was finely rendered by Miss Susie H. Shackley.

George Washington Braxton, a colored youth, sang the Gypsy Boy very finely, having a pleasant, girlish voice, though lacking power.

The oration by Master E. Scott Owen, entitled Festina Lente, was a good production, and very well rendered.

Mary E. Canty read a delightful essay on the varieties of Flowers.

Miss Annie G. Garrett reflected credit upon herself in the producing of an agreeable bit of Alice Cary's life.

Samuel W. Foss delivered an amusing oration upon Growlers. Mr. Foss is the author of the Class Ode published in another column.

The Piano Duet, Mardi Gras Quadrilles, by Misses Flagg and Dow was pronounced by professionals to be very charmingly performed.

Miss Ida M. Varrell brought down the house by the naturalness of her imitation of the Irish brogue in her recitation of Mary Maloney's Philosophy.

The Two Paths in Life were clearly marked out by Master William D. Grace.

Miss Nellie L. Whitcomb's essay, Giotto, was carefully studied and well read.

E. Fred Owen's oration, entitled The Characteristics of the Times, was an ably written and instructive reminder of the peculiarities of the American people.

The prose rendering of Elaine by Miss Carrie E. Craig was creditably performed.

The song by Misses Varrell, Flagg and Taylor was finely executed.

J. Herman Emery displayed good oratorical qualities in his oration of The Study of the Classics.

Miss Lizzie Varrell recited the thrilling poem of How he saved St. Michael's in a manner that reflected much credit upon this young lady's dramatic powers; and her rendering of the piece brought forth the most vigorous applause from the audience.

The essay by Miss Flora B. Dow reflected the pleasant memories of the "last year at school" of class '77, and was racily written and prettily uttered.

The valedictory by Miss Ida F. Blaisdell was a fine production, and the young lady may feel greatly flattered by the encomiums bestowed upon her at the close of her happy effort.

This closed the exercises of the school exhibition, all of which passed off in an agreeable manner.

The Haven Medals were then awarded, as follows:

SECOND CLASS.

For diligent application, good deportment and general improvement in all the studies pursued: *Girls*—1st medal, Alice J. Newton; 2d medal, Ellen Gage. *Boys*—1st medal, Burnham Stickney. The boy entitled to the 2d medal, in point of scholarship, forfeited his right to it by *demerits;* it was therefore awarded to Edward H. Hilton, whose scholarship has been good and his deportment *perfect* during the year.

THIRD CLASS.

Best scholars in book-keeping and mathematics, including all the branches of the latter pursued during this and previous years: Flora Lydston, [this young lady also maintained the first rank in general scholarship,] Ira Leveen.

Best scholar in English composition, (only boys contend:) Daniel S. Broderick. [Master Broderick also maintained the first rank in general scholarship.]

For diligent application, etc.: *Girls*—1st medal, Lizzie W. Freeman; 2d medal, Mary F. Rand; *Boys*, Charles P. Brown.

FOURTH CLASS.

Young Ladies. Best scholar in English composition, Ida F. Blaisdell. [Miss Blaisdell also maintained the highest rank in scholarship.]

For diligent application, etc.: 1st medal, Flora B. Dow; 2d medal, Lizzie M. Flagg; 3d medal, Nellie L. Whitcomb.

Young Gentlemen. Best scholar in Latin and writing Latin, also in mathematics, Arthur E. Gage.

For diligent application, etc.: 1st medal, Ira A. Stevens; 2d medal, J. Herman Emery; 3d medal, Samuel W. Foss.

The compositions of Miss Nellie L. Whitcomb of the graduating class, and Master Charles Davis of the second class, were judged to be second in merit. Deportment is taken into account in awarding *all* of the medals. Following the award of medals came the presentation of diplomas to the graduates; and the exercises then closed with the singing of "America," in which the audience joined,—the assemblage broke up, and the High School year of 1876—77 was at an end.

The list of graduates contains seventeen names, as follows:

Young Ladies—Flora B. Dow, Lizzie M. Flagg, Etta B. Flanders, Annie G. Garrett, Mary L. Moran, Susie H. Shackley, Ida M. Varrell, M. Lizzie Varrell, Nellie L. Whitcomb, Ira F. Blaisdell, Mary E. G. Canty, Carrie A. Craig,—twelve.

Young Gentlemen—J. Herman Emery, Samuel W. Foss, Arthur E. Gage, William D. Grace, E. Fred Owen, E. Scott Owen, Ira A. Stevens,—seven.

We desire to express our thanks to Mr. Clarke, the Principal of the school, and all connected with him in the management, for the facilities afforded us for obtaining the foregoing report.

THE ALUMNI REUNION.

The reunion of the Alumni of the High School took place in Franklin Hall in the evening. The meeting was called to order at half-past seven o'clock, and James P. Bartlett, Esq., was voted to the chair in the absence of the President, Hon. W. H. Y. Hackett. The following officers were then chosen for the ensuing year:

President, W. H. Y. Hackett.

Vice Presidents, James T. Fields, Boston; Stephen W. Clarke, Portsmouth; Rev. E. A. Rand, Franklin, Mass.; Mrs. C. C. Akerman, Miss Lizzie S. Pray, Portsmouth.

Recording Secretary, W. R. Foster.

Corresponding Secretaries, Miss Mary W. Harratt, Miss Carrie E. Whitcomb.

Treasurer, George E. Hodgdon.

Directors, C. A. Hazlett, P. D. Norton, W. P. Benedict, Miss Georgie Hill, Miss Edith Gerrish.

Voted, That an amendment to the Constitution be adopted, to the following effect:

ARTICLE IX. The fee for admission to membership in this Association shall be the sum of one dollar.

The chairman then stated that any person who had graduated from the High School either as scholar or teacher, and no others, will be admitted to membership; also, that no persons except members in good standing can be admitted to the reunions.

The meeting dissolved at 7:45, and was followed by the

LITERARY EXERCISES.

Cuckoo Polka, Harlow's Orchestra.
Recitation, Summer Storm, Miss Johnson.
Remarks by Rev. Jas. DeNormandie.
Duet, piano and violin, Willis E. and Georg Nowell.
Recitation, How he saved St. Michaels, Miss Lizzie M. Varrell.
Remarks by H. C. Barnabee, followed by a representation of a boy's first declamation; encore, a song.
Remarks by Rev. E. A. Rand and Stephen W. Clarke, Esq.

The literary exercises were closed by the singing of the following class ode (words and music by members of the graduating class) by the graduates, under direction of Mr. S. W. Cole:

Portsmouth High School, 1877.

Words by Samuel W. Foss. Music by E. Scott Owen.

Classmates, four years' recollections,
With their sad yet pleasant power,
Wake anew our soul's affections,
As we near our parting hour.
And the years that have departed
Leave their shadows still behind,
With their images imparted,
Strong and clear, and well defined.

But henceforth our paths must sever,
And our days divided be,
And like separate streams forever
Journey on toward the sea—
Journey on with ceaseless motion,
Toward that wide and boundless sea,
Toward the vast and shoreless ocean
Of the great eternity.

But where'er our feet may wander,
Or our fates may bid us go,
May we sometimes stop, and ponder
Of our school-days long ago.
And may neither time, nor distance,
Nor all life's corroding arts,
Blot our school-days' bright existence
From the tablets of our hearts.

As, to-day, our school course finished
Makes us stronger for the strife,
And with vigor undiminished
Fits us for the scenes of life.—
So, when closed our education
In the world's great school of strife,
May our second graduation
Fit us for a higher life.

Dancing followed, and in spite of the oppressive warmth of the evening was kept up with spirit till a reasonably late hour.

Several of the classes of past years sent in floral decorations to represent the year of their graduation, among them being—

Class of '57, evergreen spear-head, with border of pansies, and white figures (numerals) in centre.

Class of '59, a shield, border of blue flowers, centre white, with red figures.

Class of '62, crescent of evergreen, with red stripes and figures.

Class of '64, wreath of pansies, with gilt figures.

Class of '65, Maltese cross of evergreen, red border, white figures.

Class of '68, the two figures composed wholly of red and white flowers.

Class of '71, evergreen shield, white figures.

Class of '72, figures of variegated flowers, bordered with green leaves.

Class of '73, four floral stars enclosing figures 73, motto "ad astra" over the top.

Class of '75, variegated wreath enclosing red star, figures of white.

Class of '76, figures of evergreen and white candy-tuft.

Class of '77, evergreen anchor with red and white figures.

Nearly all the class decorations were arranged on the front of the balconies, and added much to the cheeriness of the hall and the brilliancy of the ball-room scene.

A few visitors came down from Dover to attend the afternoon exhibition, and about forty more came down in the evening, in big teams.

Altogether, the reunion of the High School Association was a decided success; and with the experience gained each year there is no reason we can see why these annual meetings should not steadily improve—as they have in the past—until they become perfect.

AN EXPLOSION.

At ten minutes past one o'clock this morning the residents in the vicinity of Market square were startled by a tremendous report and concussion, as of a heavy piece of artillery. The explosion was soon located; all the glass in the windows of Mr. George Rice's bakery on High street, and many panes in the house of Mr. Stoddard, on the opposite corner, were found to be shattered and strewn about the street, the gas lamp on the corner also being riddled; and the remnants of the contrivance which did the mischief were soon picked up. These remnants consist of the fragments of a large paper box, such as spool cotton is packed in, and some pieces of burned fuse; and on the bottom of the box, which is nearly whole, can be traced by a scorched line the position in which the fuse laid while it was burning. What the object of the perpetrator of this act could be is hard to see; but it is possible some idiot thought himself doing something funny in thus destroying property and imperiling life,—for any person passing at the time of the explosion must have been seriously injured, if not killed. The box was placed on the ground in front of Mr. Rice's store, and probably contained a dynamite cartridge.

Col. William H. Hackett, Hon. Frank W. Miller and Samuel Dodge, Esq., with ladies, start this morning to join the assembled Press Association of New Hampshire for the annual excursion. They will be joined during the week by other members of the Association from this city.

—Out of season—An empty pepper-box.

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STEBBINS—WALKER. In Hinsdale, July 11, by Rev. Wm. H. Alden, D. D. of this city, Mr. Edward Stebbins of Hinsdale, and Mrs. Martha D. Walker, recently of Portsmouth.

ELLISON—HAM. In Newmarket, June 26, Mr. Charles H. Ellison and Miss Ida M. Ham, both of Newmarket.

PRESCOTT—HAM. In Manchester, June 23, Mr. George Prescott of Concord, and Miss Nellie E. Ham, daughter of Francis Ham, Esq., formerly of Exeter.

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You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. ACKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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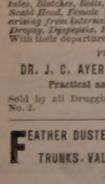

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 19, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ere or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect, a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or earlier them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any dead fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—through notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and remove said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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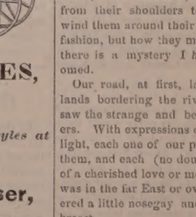

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

[Chronicle Correspondence.]

THE BLACK HILLS.—LETTER NO. 2.

ACROSS THE PRAIRIE.

Fort Pierre is within the boundaries of the Sioux Reservation. The name comes from a Frenchman who once occupied this point on the Missouri river as a trading post; it has never been occupied by troops, and there are no fortifications now, if indeed there ever were any. Two large frame buildings and a few old log cabins comprise the settlement. We *waded* through the mud to the "hotel" (a small cabin which nothing but extreme necessity would compel one to patronize) and learned that the wagon trail was reported to be in a very bad condition—a report we believed, from the appearance of teams, stock and men about the place. A glance at the "stage" and a comparison of the rates of fare by the different modes of conveyance decided us that we would "have no stage in ours," and after a short council we concluded that the "Bull Wagon Line" was the surest under the circumstances. Next in order came the selection of the most promising "bull-whacker,"—most promising, in this connection, means (other things being equal) one who arranges his idiomatic expressions in the most sparkling and picturesque groups. We entered the bar room, and after a careful scrutiny of a group of strange looking creatures, who with serious regularity were repeatedly drinking something out of tumblers, Edward, the printer, exclaimed, "I tumble to that daisy, there"—pointing as he spoke. He had selected the tallest, lankest specimen in the lot. Its face, in color, resembled dried beef; its hair was long, flaxen hued, and of such wild, unkempt luxuriance that it fairly divided the honors with one of the most phenomenal slouched hats that mortal eyes ever beheld. Its costume was made up principally of a dilapidated buckskin shirt, and boots. [There *was* an intermediate garment which no sane person would attempt to describe, such was its nondescript character, both as to material and fashion.] In its hand it carried, coiled, a lively black snake (a terrible whip lash, fifteen feet long and more than two inches through at its largest part.) To the query as to how soon it could get us into Deadwood, it replied: "D—— my —— heart, I wouldn't give a whooping —— for the whole —— outfit if I don't pike you through in twelve days. —— —— ——!" That settled it, and we concluded our bargain on the spot.

While our baggage was being weighed two of the noble red men approached and watched the operation. They were tall, slim fellows with villanous looking faces. Each wore a high felt hat, decorated with a black feather tipped with red. A frock coat apiece (perhaps taken from the bodies of murdered whites,) moccasins, and blankets—made of cheap cotton carpeting—completed their costumes (unless I include a thick coating of dirt in which their occasionally-exposed legs were encased.) Soon after starting one of these "braves," mounted on his pony, passed us and was lost to sight on the distant prairie. Some of our party made an effort to interview the flying warrior, but he scarcely condescended to look at us, and passed on in sombre haste. The printers gave him scorn for scorn, and had their language been invested with suitable dignity, I should give a verbatim report of this one sided conversation,—but as it was, n'importe. The Indians, when mounted, slip their blankets from their shoulders to their waists and wind them around their limbs in a peculiar fashion, but how they manage to keep them there is a mystery I have not yet fathomed.

Our road, at first, lay over the bottom lands bordering the river. Here we first saw the strange and beautiful prairie flowers. With expressions of welcome and delight, each one of our party ran in among them, and each (no doubt in remembrance of a cherished love or memory whose home was in the far East or over the seas) gathered a little nosegay and fastened it to his breast.

Here too we saw for the first—but not the last—time the emigrant's *bete noir*, the "alkali," which, in places, formed a thick white crust upon the surface of the earth. The nutritious "bunch-grass," upon which large herds of cattle were feeding, was quite abundant; and the first time we sat down to rest we were introduced to the cactus. Why such insignificant and worthless things are armed with such long and exceedingly sharp spikes is one of those mysterious things of Providential wisdom that human intelligence cannot account for. The only thing one can do is to put them into the same class with mosquitoes and people who "get up and go out" before the finale of a "performance," and then pray that the lightning may strike the lot.

Last, but not least, upon the bottom lands we first encountered the "gumbo" of the prairies. A slight *penchant* for out-of-doors exercise,—indulged in at my leisure in the East,—had made me a little conceited; I thought I had run through the entire gamut of pedestrianism, but I must confess the "gumbo" humiliated me, and gave me a new experience. We attempted to hunt. In thirty seconds after one starts to "chase the antelope over the plains" one has the light and airy sensation of stumbling about

with his feet encased in iron-clads of the monitor model. After five minutes of this sort of thing, one finds himself nearly jerking the top of his head off by his frantic efforts to disengage his feet from the quarter-sections of prarie land that have fastened themselves to the bottom of his boots. One does not covet antelope steaks at such a price, and as the antelope has generally skipped several miles away by the time the boots are cleared, it is just as well that one does not. In the meantime the wheels of the teams have become solid discs of mud and matted grass, and the bulls are slowly and wearily floundering along, stimulated to exertion by the "black snakes," which in the hands of the drivers are constantly whirling through the air and sending out reports like a quick succession of rifle shots. The "bull-whacker" and mule driver deserves a page in my letter, but want of time and space forbids a description of this unique creature. I will only say that, at work, he is thoroughly dirty from necessity; and at leisure he is the same, apparently from choice, (at least I have never seen one wash, even when there was ample opportunity). He is extremely cruel, generally, to his animals, as hundreds of skeletons and carcasses of oxen, horses, and mules, strewn along the prarie trails will testify. He has only one redeeming quality that I know of—that of being a good Indian fighter. Were it not for this I should not dare to again show myself to the president of the S. P. C. A. without the scalp or finger joint of one of this species, to show that I had rid the dumb animals of one of their most unrelenting persecutors. I would suggest, however, to the society which employes the colporteur whom I once saw distributing tracts upon an E. R. R. train, to send that individual out here. The field is immense. In the warmth of his zeal this good man gave one of Portsmouth's fair daughters a tract on "The Sinfulness of Swearing." Let him distribute those same tracts to the "bull-whackers;" no doubt but that it would result in some good. Either a reform in the use of words suitable to engineer ox and mule trains would be instituted, or—but I draw a veil over what might be the fate of the colporteur. The image of a number six selve appears "in my mind's eye, Horatio," as a possible photograph of the remains of that saintly person.

All our troubles, as well as other things, end somewhere, and in this case our worst fight with the gumbo ceased, in a measure, upon the top of the bluffs which marked the boundary line between the bottom land and the prairies. I wish I had the power to paint, in words, the strange loveliness of a prairie, and the emotions awakened in the bosom as one stands upon it for the first time. Like all great things, a prairie is but a combination of the simplest elements; the common things constantly about us. The prairies along the entire route are rolling, and are generally from eight to ten miles wide, terminating in a ridge or range of low hills, sometimes called buttes. Topographically, these prairies would represent a series of gigantic steps, as the altitude is constantly increasing from the river to the hills.

We reached Willow Creek on our first day's march. On account of a rain and thunder storm during the night, which brought on a fresh attack of mud, we named it "Camp Gumbo." Here we organized our party into three divisions, as follows: First, scouts and hunters; second, teat gang; third, wood and water gang. Our method of procedure was as follows: Immediately after breakfast the scouts (generally four in number) would move out of camp, and advancing in the manner of skirmishers, would keep from one to three miles ahead of the teams until about noon, when selecting a spot with an eye to defense, grazing, and wood and water for cooking, they would wait for the rest of the party and the teams to come up. After dinner the scouts would proceed as before, and upon going into camp for the night the teams were corralled. The tent gang would then unload the teams, pitch the tent inside the circle of wagons and "make the beds." In the meantime the wood and water gang had got supper ready, which would be despatched by the keen appetites of hungry men. After supper an hour would be spent in smoking and conversation; then the cattle would be driven up and fastened to the outside wheels of the teams; then all hands would turn in.

It is customary for parties like ours to stand guard at night, as a precaution against the Indians. I think our party would have done the same, had it not been for the following circumstance. At our first camping place, after supper, and when the boys had just settled down to have a comfortable smoke, our teamsters joined us, and began a series of the most harrowing tales of Indian massacres. Beginning with reasonable incidents and finding willing ears, they unwisely gave play to their extremely lively imaginations until they had worked up the grotesquely horrible in a manner as fascinating as the old-fashioned ghost stories to an urchin. Pretending to take in everything—as all good pilgrims ought—the boys brought in the applause and exclamations of horror in the right place every time, and at the end of the most sanguinary story of all, all hands arose, and quietly went to bed. This elicited the enquiry from the teamsters if "we were not going to stand guard?" and at the response, "No, I guess not; we aint afraid,—are you?" our unaccustomed ears were compelled to listen to some of the most shocking language. Late at night we were all awakened by the ex-confederate yelling loudly for "Bill," (this was the bull-whacker's name) and when Bill was sufficiently awakened to use a few words of his native tongue, the ex-confederate cried out, "I say, Bill! you just go out on the perrarie and catch me a Sioux buck, fetch him right yer in this tent, and I'll put him in bed with my 'pard,' an' if he don't get the stuffin' kicked clean outer him fore mornin' I'm a prevaricator—'deed I am." Thus was the precedent established of *not* standing guard, and we found it too comfortable to depart from it during the entire trip.

Again, in an Indian country, the main body of emigrants should accompany the teams on the march. This, not only for the safety of the teams and all they contain, but because the wagons can be used as a breastwork and are easily defended against a superior force. On the march our boys constantly straggled to the front, and at any time while *en route*, a sudden swoop of Indians would have destroyed us. Only once did the party assume the appearance of discipline. One afternoon the scouts met several horsemen returning to Fort Pierre, who said that several bands of Indians had been seen during the day. Shortly afterwards Indian signs were discovered, and the facts were reported to the main body of the party. The boys then "formed a company," and with a goodly display of revolvers, marched directly in front of the teams. Presently one of the boys began to whistle, "Pull for the shore, sailor;" all joined; and with measured tread, several miles were covered to the tunes of Hold the Fort, Garryowen, Marching through Georgia, The girl I left behind me, etc. The teamsters were delighted, but after an hour of marching it became monotonous; as one of them remarked, "there is no more variety to this sort of thing than there is to an eel crawling through a lead pipe." In an untoward moment a herd of antelope appeared, and this demoralized the army. The boys broke for antelope steak, and did not stop until they came up with the scouts, who had selected the camp. Undoubtedly in the matter of standing guard and straggling, ours was a reckless party. Murders which have been committed by the Indians, since we arrived, demonstrate this fact. Yet, only discipline, or unmistakable and close danger, will keep men in the irksome vicinity of slowly moving teams. The second day out, the scouts got so far ahead that the teams and the rest of the party failed to join them. [We suspect the bull-whackers had some spite to vent in this.] As we were without food or blankets, and the night was very cold, we were not particularly happy. The coyotes—which we here heard for the first time—entertained us delightfully; yet, notwithstanding their melodious howls, we welcomed daylight and hot coffee with considerable enthusiasm.

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Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JULY 14, 1877.

Orange and Green.

Thursday, July 12th, is the anniversary of the battle of the Boyne, and the Orangemen of Montreal proposed to celebrate it by a procession, with bands, orange flags and streamers, and other things which seem to act on the Irish Catholics as a red shawl does on a bull. The Catholics announced their intention of breaking up the procession at all hazards, and a bloody conflict was feared, both parties having armed themselved to the extent of their means. But at the last moment the Orangemen, by a bare majority, voted not to walk in procession, though many of them attended church on the 12th. On the way home from church, two ladies wearing orange colors were assailed by a mob of roughs and badly beaten, and a young man who interfered to protect them was shot dead; several other Protestants were wounded, one of whom has since died; and one woman was shot in the leg. Nothing can be more absurd than for these Irish factions to keep alive in this country their rage over a battle fought two centuries ago in Ireland, and the Canadian authorities would do well to prohibit all street demonstrations of both parties; but if the Catholics are to be protected in flaunting "the Green" on St. Patrick's Day the Protestants should have the same protection in carrying "the Orange" on the 12th of July.

The authorities of Montreal seem to have given the city over entirely to the Catholic mobs, the police making no effort whatever to prevent their ruffianism or protect the objects of their wrath from murder. The conduct of the Montreal authorities, if the accounts given are true, was simply infamous.

New Hampshire Legislature.

In the House, Thursday afternoon, the act repealing sections three and four of the act passed the present session to incorporate the Strafford County Manufacturing Company, was passed. This stops the new company from taking the waters of Merrymeeting pond.

The bill reorganizing the Senatorial districts came up, and after a long debate the House adjourned to eight o'clock in the evening. From eight to twelve o'clock the democrats fillibustered, and the Speaker then declared the House adjourned, as there was no quorum present.

On Friday afternoon the Governor sent to the House a message vetoing the charter of the Magdelena River Railroad, and the House sustained the veto.

News and Notes.

Albert F. Joy was on Thursday convicted of murder in the first degree, in killing Charles H. Gilman in Rockport, Mass., in April last. He was sentenced to be hung October 19th, at Lawrence, Mass. Joy's bearing in the court was one of reckless levity. He is not twenty-two years old, but is said to be an old hand at crime. He is now charged, besides the murder of Gilman, with an assault on an old man at Lewiston, Me., and also with a rape case. His character has always been bad, and his numerous employers all speak ill of him. He is believed to have confessed the murder of Gilman to at least one person since the time of its commision, but evidence of this could not be introduced into court. Joy remarked to an officer that he is glad his time is so short.

Schooner M. P. Hudson, Lake, from Lingan, C. B., with 400 tons coal for Providence, sprung a leak on Tuesday, and sunk fifteen miles off Thatcher's Island. The crew pumped eighteen hours without avail. All hands were saved and arrived at Rockport Wednesday morning.

Since the first of the year a sort of a cheap pirate, named Charles G. Gray, has infested the Maine coast from Portland to Eastport, stealing sails, rigging, chains, anchors and fish. He has also successfully burglarized a store and the Post-office at Winterport, the Post-office and store at Bucksport. Sunday he put into Bucksport, and was captured after a hard struggle.

Senator Blaine, Chairman of the Republican State Committee of Maine, has issued the call for the Convention, to be held in Granite Hall, Augusta, Thursday, August 9th, to nominate a candidate for Governor. Why does not President Hayes issue an order prohibiting such conduct on the part of a United States Senator?

James Maguire and John Brennan, two New York roughs, got five cents as the proceeds of a highway robbery. Then the courts took the matter up, and the thieves got five years each in State prison—a total of ten years in prison for five cents. That's down to hard pan prices.

The accident to the revenue cutter Grant, near Rockport, Me., is more serious than was at first reported. She struck on Lower Gangway Ledge, knocked a hole in her bottom, and was beached to keep her from filling. She failed to get off next day, (Friday,) and tug C. B. Sanford, with steam pumps and wrecking apparatus, went from Rockport to her assistance Friday night. Secretary Sherman and party were taken off the Grant by the light-house tender Iris, and continued their trip to the eastward. The Grant is the finest vessel in the revenue fleet.

Scott and Dunlap, the two noted thieves who have been on trial at Northampton, Mass., for complicity in the robbery of the bank in that town, were on Tuesday convicted by the jury. They are also to be tried on a charge of breaking into Cashier Whittlesey's house—a much heavier crime, under the laws of Massachusetts, than burglarizing a bank.

New Hampshire Items.

Lightning struck the store occupied by Benjamin Morrill in Orfordville on Tuesday forenoon, passing down the chimney through an upper room, store room and into the cellar. No one was injured but Mr. Morrill, who was thrown prostrate, and spoke with difficulty. He was also rendered nearly deaf.

During a thunder shower on the 10th the barn of Hartwill Lawrence of Merrimac was struck by lightning and entirely consumed by fire, together with about thirty tons of hay, some farming tools and other property. The loss is about $2000, and there is no insurance.

During a severe shower on Monday the stable of James H. Waldron of Farmington was damaged, and a $200 horse killed by lightning, and Horace Drew's barn at Middleton was struck and burned.

Gov. Prescott is to be the guest of Trenor W. Park during the Bennington celebration. New Hampshire will send a regiment of militia to the celebration, consisting of eight companies of infantry, one of heavy artillery, and a light battery, under command of Brig.-Gen. Clough.

A daughter of the Earl of Gainesborough, who demeaned herself in the eyes of her family by marrying her music teacher, is now living with her husband at that boarding-house summer resort, North Conway, where he plays the organ in the little Episcopal chapel every Sunday.

The War.

An Erzeroum despatch says the garrison at Bayazid is expected to surrender. The troops are suffering for provisions and water. Another despatch from St. Petersburg says that a telegram received there, dated Bayazid, announces that the garrison of Bayazid citadel has been relieved by Gen. Tergukassof, who completely defeated the Turkish investing force, numbering 30,000, capturing four guns and eighty prisoners. The town of Bayazid is destroyed.

* —Some of the clergymen of Cincinnati made an attack on the Sunday opening of the Zoological Garden. The directors passed a resolution instantly to issue annual passes to clergymen. The result is awaited.

—That $300,000 diamond necklace that the Khedive of Egypt gave Minnie Sherman, now Mrs. Fitch, is in the vaults of the National Treasury Department, because Gen. Sherman says "he hasn't money to pay State and city taxes on it, and Fitch is only a lieutenant in the navy." Congress remitted the duty, but Mrs. Fitch has never been able to enjoy the wearing of the valuable jewels.

—The mistress of a most disorderly school in Skowhegan, Me., lost control of her scholars one day, and allowed the bad boys to throw wads of paper and balls of clay at the pretty girls. One of the girls finally "reported" a certain boy who was annoying her with pot shots from a popgun. The timid school-mistress sternly reproved her for tattling in school. The girl returned to her seat, and her persecutor, resuming military operations and firing at long range across the schoolroom, hit her in the face. "If the teacher can't lick you I can," said the pretty girl, and darting across the room she struck him with a big book, dragged him out of his seat, and beat him until he lay on the floor blubbering and begging for mercy.

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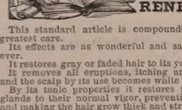

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Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	4.35 "
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40,	10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M., 3.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 " 3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "
Concord and North,		10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 " 5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At the South Parish Rev. James DeNormandie will preach upon "The Revival of the Confessional."

Preaching in the Court street Christian church at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor. Subject in the afternoon, "Is there a personal Devil? If so, who made him?" Rev. A. H. Morrill, of Andover, will preach in the evening at 7:30.

At the North church, Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D., will preach in the morning by exchange with the pastor. Floral concert of the Sabbath School in the evening at 7:30, in the chapel.

There will be a meeting of the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall at 7:30 P. M.; one of the brethren will address the meeting, previous to which there will be a praise service. Collection to defray expenses.

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, the petition of J. Howard Dodge and others in relation to the proposed highway from North street to Jackson Hill street, was presented and was being read by the mayor, when Alderman Hoyt objected to its reading. Alderman Norton moved that the petition be read, but the Board refused to pass his motion and it was tabled.

Petition of J. K. Nute, (who proposes to start the shoe manufactory recently operated by T. S. Nowell,) for exemption from taxes, was acted upon, and it was voted to exempt him for five years. Sent to Common Council, which body concurred.

Petition of A. B. Vennard, for relay of sidewalk on Richards avenue, was referred to committee on streets with power.

The Board heard several persons on the matter of the petition of Frank Jones and others for a highway from North street to Jackson Hill street. Alderman Hoyt moved that the petition be amended by striking out the word "forty" and inserting the word "thirty," and the motion was adopted. Voted to visit the premises at the call of the Mayor.

A message was received from the Common Council that the Council had concurred in the passage of the joint resolution empowering a joint committee to sell that part of the city farm lying west of the Creek road at a price not less than $175 per acre.

Petition of Beacham & Stoddard and others, relative to the widening of Vaughan and Hanover streets, was referred to the committee on streets.

The ordinance for the licensing and governing of hacks and job wagons was made the special order for 9:30 at the next Thursday evening meeting.

Report of committee on accounts was accepted and the bills ordered to be paid.

Communication from J. K. A. Hanson in relation to wells, was laid on the table.

Propositions of banks for city business for one year was referred to finance committee with power.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, July 13th.

John Reagler, drunk, fine $3, costs $6.90.

Charles Bennett, same offence and same sentence.

JOTTINGS.

The Franklin *Journal* says, "Miss Emma S. Barnard recently graduated at Miss A. A. C. Morgan's select school at Portsmouth. She will return next term as one of the teachers of the school."

We have received Nos. 41, 42, 43 and 44, of the new and revised edition of *Zell's Encyclopædia*, which is to be completed in sixty-four numbers. The work has been revised to-date, many new articles written and eighteen colored maps added, making it a complete library on all subjects; each number is furnished at the low price of fifty cents. Published by Zell, Davis & Co., 17 & 19 South Sixth street, Philadelphia.

A dog belonging to a Mr. Sullivan, living on Deer street, on Friday bit his owners' daughter, for which impropriety he was taken to the police station and shot, by request of Mr. Sullivan.

Mr. Dow, the proprietor of Gorham Hall, Exeter, vacates that hotel on Saturday, the 14th. This large building, which came into possession of Phillips Academy two years ago, has since that time been run strictly as a first-class hotel, in which students are permitted to board under certain regulations. Mr. S. H. Dunnas, proprietor of Boar's Head Hotel, Hampton, and late proprietor of the Arlington, Boston, is to take the premises during the coming year under certain restrictions. What these are we are not informed, but for the interests of the public in general, especially of Exeter, it is hoped that it will still be continued as a hotel, for its superior cannot be found in New Hampshire, excepting the Rockingham at Portsmouth.—*Boston Globe*, 13th.

A Seabrook correspondent of the Exeter *News-Letter* says: "On the morning of the 4th, a very smart and capable man, but one cursed with a rum-and-cider thirst, was seen to have his six quart pail filled with cider from the cellar of a prominent citizen of an adjoining town. Later in the day this man was found lying flat, face down, in a dry brook. It was the opinion of those who found him, that he would have been drowned if the brook had contained the water it does in the wet season. While he was being extricated from this situation by good samaritans, those who filled the pail stood by and laughed. Angels might weep at such a scene."

Somebody attempted to burglarize the house of Mr. Meshach H. Bell, in Raitt's court, at about one o'clock Friday morning. Mr. Bell was awakened by the fellow, who had forced the fastenings of a window and raised it far enough to admit a man's body when he was discovered by Mr. Bell, who fired two shots from a revolver at him, but didn't drop him. There's nothing like a shot-gun that scatters well, for night shooting.

A correspondent of the CHRONICLE wants to know where the "silly phrase" "all the world and the rest of mankind" originated, and says he cannot find it in President Taylor's inaugural or annual message. It came from there, nevertheless, and caused a very great cry over no wool at all. It was a double sentence, written in a sort of apposition, thus, according to our memory: "We are at peace with all the world, and maintain our relations of amity with the rest of mankind"—and as written, though perhaps somewhat tautological, is neither silly nor ungrammatical. It was transposed or changed to "the silly phrase" given above, as well known, and will go down thus through the ages, as long as the language lasts. The democrats made and used it for a joke against Taylor, and the whig papers were stupid and foolish enough to apologize for and explain it away, instead of supporting and defending it as it was or was meant to be. But General Taylor never said it as quoted against him, any more than our good citizen Capt. Marcy ever said "he was always born in Portsmouth,"—for neither of them ever lacked plain' words to say what they meant.—*Weekly.*

The dusty and weary traveller will find most excellent rooms with baths at the American House, Boston. The Hotel has no superior in New England, is situated in the heart of the city, and within five minutes' walk of everywhere.

Certificates of membership to the High School Association can be obtained of Messrs. Geo. E. Hodgdon or Chas. A. Hazlett, by any person who has attended the High School, on payment of the admission fee of one dollar.

Celia Thaxter, who has written so many sweet things, it is said has never penned anything sweeter than the "Robin's Rain Song," which is soon to appear in *St. Nicholas.* The critics who have seen it speak of it as exquisite of its kind, and full of true poetry; yet, just the thing for the little children who are to enjoy the Midsummer Holiday number of *St. Nicholas.*

In the case of Charles S. Symonds, assignee in bankruptcy of the estate of Davis, Moulton & Co., of Rochester, N. Y., (of which firm J. C. Carr of Portsmouth is a partner,) vs. A. F. Howard of this city, assignee of said Carr, the U. S. Court has at last decided that said Symonds must control and settle all the said business. Mr. Howard will act as his attorney here, and advertises all the valuable real estate interest of Mr. Carr for sale by auction August 3d. Of course a perfect title will in this way be given, and the sale is worthy the attention of capitalists and others desiring good premises. It is thought that this decision placing the settlement of affairs in the hands of New York parties, will considerably reduce the realization of creditors here on the assets, including the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank. But there is no help for it, and the sooner the business is closed up the better for all concerned.

The President's Appointments in Ohio.

This is the way "Private Dalzell" talks about the Ohio gentlemen appointed to office by President Hayes:

"They all had done great political service for the President and were rewarded promptly therefor. For example, Mr. Sherman and his brother, the General, gave Hayes his first national send-off in those famous letters. The Treasury is the reward for that. General Comly, the comical old invalid of the Ohio *State Journal*, ran a spicy little paper for years in Hayes' interest, and, being in bad health, he is sent to Hawaii, at once to recruit his health, and to get his reward for partisan service and have his fun! It was due to him. He, like Sherman, earned it richly. Noyes worked like a beaver and manipulated the Cincinnati Convention for Hayes at a time when Stanley Matthews stood off and ridiculed the Hayes candidacy and said, "You are making d——d fools of yourselves." Noyes is poor and needs it, and gets his reward in Paris. It was a debt of honor that President Hayes could not ignore in the direst extremity of Mr. Noyes. No man in Ohio did more to nominate and elect Hayes and no man deserved more for that labor of him. Captain Lee was his private secretary, in wretched health, and had nearly worked himself to death in the Presidential campaign, and justly claimed and received Frankfort-on-the-Main for his pay without any civil service nonsense. Mr. Rogers did nothing indeed, but he was an old law partner and had those superior claims of personal friendship which are almost equal to the obligations of all. So he became private secretary. General Lee made or helped mightily to make the State Convention solid for Hayes last year, and is made a District Attorney for that. General Smith did nothing, but had the claims of friendship, and gets to be appointed clerk to Sherman. Tom McLain, briefly, ditto, and goes to Nassau. General Wikoff, Chairman of the Ohio Republican State Central Committee, had performed such eminent partisan and personal service that the pension agency at Columbus naturally fell to his lot. Stern earned the Assistant Treasurership in the same way, but in a more limited sphere of political activity."

—A Cincinnati woman asked a clergyman to christen her little dog, and seemed surprised when he refused.

—Two convicts in the prison at San Quentin, Cal., retired to a quiet part of the establishment to fight with knives. They bore an aggregate of seventeen cuts when their duel was stopped by officers. One had more than an even share of the wounds, and was nearly dead. The other was given twenty-five lashes on the bare back, by way of balancing the account.

—The first submarine cable was that laid across the Straits of Dover, twenty-seven years ago. It parted next day, and the first working cable was laid, in 1851, on the same route. The network of cable has now extended so far that when Asia is united to America by cabling the Pacific, the electric girdle around the world will be complete from east to west, as it now is between north and south.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—Northern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts. To all whom it may concern: Take notice that I shall sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder

On FRIDAY, August 3, 1877,

At twelve o'clock, M.,

On the premises, the HOMESTEAD of J. C. CARR, situate Number 35 State Street, Portsmouth. This estate is well known as a desirable situation in one of the best neighborhoods in Portsmouth.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

On the same day will be sold, on the premises, the double tenement HOUSE and LAND Number 25 Gates Street.

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Will be sold on the premises, four LOTS OF LAND on Lincoln Avenue, containing about five thousand feet each; these lots are in a desirable locality, and well worth the attention of buyers.

At half-past one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then desired.

At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

Dated July 7th, 1877.

CHARLES S. SYMONDS, Assignee.

To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term,* June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1872, testate, living in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and without any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.

A true copy.

Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.

MARRIED.

SPINNEY—ROBINSON. In this city, July 12th, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. Frank A. Spinney and Miss Etta Robinson, all of this city.

BOYD—BECKMAN. In Seabrook, July 4, by Rev. W. C. Tansom, Mr. Warren Boyd and Miss Melvina Beckman, all of Seabrook.

DIED.

MCCLEAN. In Boston, July 12, of consumption, Miss Selina W. McClean, youngest daughter of the late Capt. George McClean of this city. [*San Francisco papers please copy.*]

☞ Funeral services at Union cemetery, this day, (Saturday,) on arrival of 12:30 P. M. train from Boston.

LORD. In this city, July 12, Capt. Ebenezer Lord, aged 83 years and 6 months.

☞ Funeral from residence of his son-in-law, Hon. Daniel Marcy, at two o'clock this (Saturday) afternoon. Friends and relatives invited to attend without further notice.

SMART. In this city, July 12, Mrs. Margaret Smart, widow of the late Richard D. Smart, aged 93 years.

BRIGHT. In this city, July 9th, Mr. Henry Bright, aged 66 years. [*Maine papers please copy.*]

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED July 12.

Sch Mary S Bradshaw, Vangilder, Georgetown.
Sch J & L Bryan, Lee, Philadelphia.

SAILED July 12.

Sch G W Raitt, Coleman, Boston.
Sch Satellite, Adderton, Boston.
Sch Loella, Amee, Bangor.
John S Moulton, Crowley, Addison.

SAILED July 13.

Sch Lettie Wells, Ashford, Calais.

Sch Joseph F. Baker, Davis, for this port old from Baltimore July 11.

Sch Mars Hill, Lowden, for this port from Hoboken, passed through Hell Gate July 11.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

BY THE JUDGE OF PROBATE FOR SAID COUNTY.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of LEONARD ACKERMAN, late of Portsmouth in said County, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting.

You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. ACKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

By order of the Judge,

WOODBURY M. DURGIN, Register of Probate.

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Butter, per lb 22 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 90c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 17c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per b by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.60.
Molasses per gal., it. Cuba 48 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 30 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per b, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per b, Hr. 10½ @11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
Tea per b, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine state 6s, 1889	
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	53½
Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	90
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	114½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
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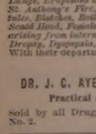

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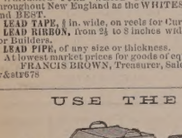

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead-animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within city, or so placed that the nuisance therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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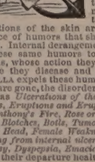

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ACROSS THE PRAIRIE.

[Concluded from last Issue.]

On the fourth day's march the scouts killed many rattle-snakes, and one large "bull snake" over eight feet long. On the fifth day the roads were very heavy, and our teams could average only one mile per hour. We took dinner at Frozen Man's Creek, and camped for the night at Cottonwood. The fifth day is noteworthy for our first real encounter with a rattle-snake. For several days we had been killing them by knocking them in the head, as they were in the act of crawling away from us. They had been small and medium-sized reptiles, with from three to six or seven rattles; and as in no instance had they shown fight I had begun to look upon them with contempt. On this occasion McEnerey and I, who were with the scouts, had been to the southward of the trail since noon, and for several hours had been trying, in vain, to get a shot at a small herd of antelope. We had got about two miles from the trail, and as the hot sun had begun to get into the latter hours of the afternoon, we thought it prudent to strike back to it. We were going along with a swinging stride, and as we were passing over a large patch of stunted sage brush, our steps were suddenly arrested by the sharp shi-r-r of a rattler. A glance discovered a very large snake, close to our feet, coiled, and with its head drawn back, ready for a spring. He was so close to us that we could not bring our rifles to the shoulder, but throwing the muzzles toward him we fired. Our bullets nearly cut him in two, and ruined him for business. After despatching him, we detached his rattles and counted thirteen, showing that he was between thirteen and fourteen years old. I have considerable respect for the rattle-snake now. The instant I had for observing the snake as he was coiled, and in the act of striking, gave me the impression of a beautiful, dangerous, devilish creature. He was about six feet long.

On the sixth day, (Sunday, May 20th,) a terrible wind blew directly in our faces. Although this made the marching laborious, yet it dried the mud, and we made Buzzard's Creek—thirteen and one half miles—before dinner. After a hasty meal, and feed for the stock, the march was resumed, and camp made at Two Buttes Creek, twenty-five miles from our camp the night before. The night was very cold and windy, and shortly after supper the boys were under their blankets. Crude attempts at singing hymns were in order for an hour, after which Joe Snow, the printer, startled the camp by saying: "Just keep still, boys, and I'll sing something." A mock silence ensued, which would have been ominous had not Joe—to the surprise of everybody—in a beautiful, pure, tenor voice, began that simple, tender song, "Rock me to sleep, mother." With such true feeling and pathos did Joe sing, that even the teamsters drew near to listen, and the rollicking good nature which thus far had been the chief character of the party, gave way to deeper emotions. At the conclusion of his song, and after the low-toned commendations had been passed, Joe, with true sincerity, was requested to lead off with the "Doxology," in which all joined. Then each one snuggled up to his "pard," drew the blankets closer around him, and though the wind blew, and the tent shook threateningly in the gusts, such sleep as comes only to healthy, weary frames, fell upon the camp.

The next forenoon we passed Dead Men's Creek. Near the bank of the creek is a wide grave, at the head of which is a board rudely inscribed as follows:

SACRED TO THE MEMORY
OF

Wm. H. Gardiner, a c.		32.
John Harrison,	"	32.
Edwin Sadler,	"	35.
"Texas Jack,"	"	24.

Who "Texas Jack" was, or where he belonged, is not known. Those who have ever seen him testify that he bore the stamp of gentle breeding, was educated, and except in reckless moods was a gentleman. The grave was covered deeply with prairie flowers, placed there by pilgrims en route to the hills. They were killed, scalped and mutilated by the Indians, who concealed themselves in the timber on the bank of the creek. At night we camped at Pinas Springs. Here an extensive ranche was being built for the accommodation of stagemen, and horses. Much care was being used to make the place defensible. [To-day, June 24th, the report comes to Deadwood, that this place has been attacked and burned, and an incoming train of eleven men killed by the Indians. These men had no guard out at night, when the attack took place.]

On Tuesday, May 22d, at 5 P. M., we reached the Cheyenne river. Here we saw the first real grove of trees (cottonwood) since we left the Missouri river. It was also like the sight of a dear face after long absence, to see—and smell—flowers exactly like those at home. And the sand! That was glorious. We actually revelled in that sand! We sat down and scooped holes in it; we took off our boots and stockings and

ran races over it; we stood still and wiggled our toes in it; we kicked it into the air, and then we found a level place right on the bank of the river and played "hop Scotch." It was almost too much.

In the morning we stripped and forded the river, and pushed on again over the prairies. On the second day's march from the river, "Mac" gave us a specimen of his shooting abilities. Lying on his back, and using his feet as a rest, he shot an antelope at eight hundred yards distance.

On Friday we nooned at Box Elder Creek, and saw the Black Hills in the distance. Resuming our march we passed through Rapid City at four P. M., and camped in one of the most delightful valleys.

Saturday is noteworthy as being the hottest, hardest day's march of the trip. We also saw for the first time the mighty grasshopper. In some of the most charming valleys the ground was covered with them. They were just hatched out, however, and seemed to be taking exercises in flying, previous to their descent upon the farmers of Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, etc.

On Sunday, by starting at five A. M., we reached Crook City at noon. We passed through and camped beyond the town.

On Monday, May 28th, we broke camp at 5 A. M. and marched thirteen miles without a halt. After a hasty meal, a few of us started on, and after a few miles we took a trail leading over the mountains. We then began to see the Black Hills "face to face." It is a test of one's powers of endurance to climb them. After several hours of excessively hard work we came to the verge of a high ridge, and looking down the almost perpendicular face of the same we saw a gulch or canyon winding up through the steepest hills until a sudden turn closed the view in that direction. The first thing that struck our attention was the appearance of the creek, and earth at the bottom of the gulch. The creek was subdivided in a hundred directions, and a pretty stream was spoiled by what I afterwards learned were "sluices," "flumes," and "ditches." The earth was thrown up in ridges and mounds; boulders of all sizes were heaped about in what seemed to me the greatest confusion, and the whole presented to pilgrim eyes a most unsightly and "ripped up" appearance. Little huts were perched up on the hill sides, some of which, I afterwards learned, were the abodes of wealthy men. Men were scattered all over the bed of the gulch, hard at work with pick and shovel, and if the scene was lacking in beauty it was not devoid of interest to us who had walked two hundred miles to look at it. A moment to look at the scene was enough, however, to men eager to mingle in the new life before them. A lively and somewhat perilous scramble down the hill ensued, and when we made the last jump and landed on a huge pile of "tailings," we stood in the bottom of the now famous Deadwood Gulch. With eyes and ears wide open, we then slowly walked up the gulch toward Deadwood City. In my next I will give an inadequate description of the sights, sounds and social customs of a mining town.

In this hastily written sketch of a tramp across the plains I have necessarily omitted many things really worthy of mention, but before closing there are a few things I would like to say. The country over which our route took us is uninhabitable, owing to the scarcity of wood and water. The latter want frequently amounts to distress. There are but few running streams, and were it not for the frequent rains, the country would be a desert. For days the only water we had was the collection of rain in the beds of dry creeks, and this is frequently impregnated with alkali. Only once (at Waschita Springs) did we get spring water on the prairies. In the hills the water is superb. Two springs, we passed between Rapid and Deadwood deserve a more detailed description than my present time will allow. I would also like to mention the tameness of the birds and animals on the prairies. They do not appear to be afraid of man, until they are bewildered by being banged at with shot guns. Little birds would hop along in front of us, and just make room for us when they did not want to hop any farther; while snipe, doves, curlew and other larger birds would fly but a little way and then alight again. The antelopes were wild, however, and we were obliged to hunt them. We lived on their flesh entirely during the last seven days of our journey. AL.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JULY 16, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.

Latest advices from General Howard's command rather confirm the gloomy view entertained relative to the prospects of the army engaged in an effort to suppress chief Joseph and his braves. The report in a morning paper to the effect that Colonel Perry refused to succor a little band of volunteers, in plain sight from his camp, until a portion had been wiped out by an overwhelming number of savages surrounding them, has increased the suspicion of a lack of unity of purpose among the officers entrusted with the duty of suppressing the revolt; and should the report be confirmed, the demand for the condign punishment of the offender would be general and imperative. Under any circumstances Joseph appears to have conducted hostilities with a degree of moderation not always observed by warriors professing a monopoly of chivalry and all the other Christian graces; and if true, as intimated by General Howard, that the present troubles had their origin in the aggressions of the whites, the restraints imposed on himself and his warriors seem all the more remarkable and will be remembered to his credit.

All the members of the Louisiana Commission heard from, appear to regard the prosecution of Wells & Co. as a real or virtual repudiation of the adjustment effected at New Orleans last April on the part of Louisiana democrats who personally gave in their adhesion to it or those who were "pledged" to its observance. It may be considered a legitimate inquiry to ask who had the authority to "pledge" them, and one very naturally suggested. The President according to the obsequious supplicant for favors, is calmly indifferent to the whole matter, holding himself aloof with great dignity from anything more than a mere reference to the matter; but outside of the White House the next step is awaited with undiminished interest as possibly involving momentous interests.

The passage of the Rio Grande by a portion of our forces in pursuit of some marauding Indians may bring Mexican affairs to a focus. It is said that Mr. Evarts has advised the recognition of Diaz, and that worthy would hardly fail to notice this, in his estimation, *casus belli* lest he turn against himself the tide of Mexican wrath now so impetuously directed against our Government because of its instructions to General Ord. But that officer's course is Presidentially, Cabinently and publicly approved, so that he is not likely to be reprimanded or his instructions modified.

Though not definitely fixing any corrupt bargain on Grover, the revelations of Stiles before Morton's Committee and through the *Oregonian*, have still further prejudiced his case here, even with many of his own party; and as Mr. Morton has a lively sense of the narrow republican margin in the Senate, he is not likely to leave any means untried to get at the truth, if he believes Grover guilty, which he probably does. KNOX.

News and Notes.

An Havana letter of the 8th says: It is reported in town that Gens. Maximo Gomez and Vincents Garcia, leading a very large and well appointed force, have forced Trocha and invaded Cinco, Villas Territory. A battle was fought at the crossing, in which over 600 Spaniards are said to have been killed. Among them was Brigadier Mendoina. Since then another encounter has taken place, of which there are no particulars, but considerable trepidation prevailed at headquarters here, and three men-of-war were ordered to sea in great haste, doubtless to relieve and pick up isolated detachments near the coast endangered by this reinvasion of the territory unexpectedly by a large force. Re-enforcements from Spain are being got ready. Yellow fever is raging among the 25,000 brought out last winter. Gen. Martinez Campos is reduced to masterly inactivity from the decimated condition of the troops. Discontent is very rampant here among all classes. The financial stringency is serious. Hardly a day passes that the failure of some grocer or jerked beef dealer is not recorded.

In the testimony of Edson, the Northampton (Mass.) rascal who informed on his associates in the bank robbery, was related this incident, as told to him by Dunlap: While Dunlap and Scott were in ambush behind some vines, back of Cashier Whittlesey's house, one night, several months before the burglary, Mr. Whittlesey's hired girl was visited by her beau, and the lovers, resorting to the spot, talked long and sweetly, as lovers do, unconsciously holding the burglars prisoners, while the moon breaking through the clouds, they were in momentary dread of being discovered. To make the situation particularly exasperating mosquitoes were feeding upon them; yet they could not stir hand or foot. Finally the lovers withdrew, and the burglars were glad enough to escape, but Dunlap's face carried the marks of this adventure for weeks.

Four seamen of the brig C. C. Sweeney of Harrington, Me., are imprisoned in Havre, France, awaiting transport to this country, for trial on the charge of murdering the mate of the vessel shortly after she started early last month from Havre for New York.

A letter from New Orleans says that Governor Nicholls, when on a steamer about departing from Baton Rouge, on the 3d of July, for Donaldsonville, was attended to the boat by all the dignataries of the city, but several bull-dozers, who oppose him, had got drunk and pelted the boat and passengers with stones, one of which smashed a lamp over Nicholl's head and struck him on the shoulder.

The Baltimore *American* asserts that a Custom House office-holder in that city, having in mind the President's order, actually refused to attend the funeral of one of his intimate friends, for the sole reason that the friend was an officer in the Ward organization.

Miss Chisolm's Bruised Face.

It was left for the New Orleans correspondent of the Pall Mall London *Gazette* to make known the fact that when Miss Cornelia Chisolm died, there was upon her face the livid bruise from a blow by a man's fist. In the melee in defence of her father, she was struck as well as three times shot. This correspondent of the *Gazette*, evidently an Englishman, has heretofore been noted for his denunciation of republicans and defence of the native democrats, even to the extent of misrepresentation, but the Chisolm outrage is too much for his sympathies and he denounces it as the act of barbarism, which it is, and charges it fully home upon the political hatred to which it belongs. This bloody deed will make known the name of Mississippi to the scorn of the civilized world, and no efforts of the Southern press can wash it out. The very fact that they attempt to excuse it, or to ignore it, spreads the responsibility for the crime over the whole South, and it taints the whole region to a certain extent, rather than is confined to its particular locality or State.

The revelation of the blow upon the fair face of the young girl gives almost a greater shock to indignation than her wounds or painful death. History has been more indignant at the blow by the hand of the executioner upon the cheek of Charlotte Corday, as he held up the bleeding head, than at her actual martyrdom, for that was the natural ending of her self-sacrifice, and the seal upon her glory; but the blow was a vile and needless insult, an indignity from which death, if nothing else, should have protected her. The man who slays a woman outright is often a less despicable wretch than he who strikes her, and it was to the man who inflicted this corporal insult upon woman, rather than he who killed her, that Shakespeare described as disgracing the name of coward. Iago, that spurns his wife, is worse than Othello, that slays her. A blow is the last mark of cowardice and barbarism.

The cowardice of the Kemper county ruffians in attacking a man in prison, whom they supposed to be without ammunition, their barbarism in overriding the law, their cruelty in shooting him through the shield of his young son and daughter, and killing them as well as himself, their utter savagery in blockading the house and refusing the admission of surgical aid by which the daugnter's life might have been saved, all go to make a picture of horror that will become one of our historic shames; but this mark of the blow upon Miss Chisolm's face adds a contemptible brutality to the story, which it had heretofore escaped. The social code of the Southern people taught them a sort of chivalry amid their violence and recklessness of life, and the fact that a blow was struck upon the face of a young girl defending her father is a worse sign of degeneration and the violence of party hatred than the killing itself. It is a sign that even their self-imposed rules of "chivalry" have ceased to prevail so long as that blow was inflicted, and has not been avenged. It gives the final touch to the barbarity of the Kemper county massacre, which places its perpetrators on the level with the Sioux. If there is a spirit of eternal justice, this deed will not always cry to heaven for vengeance, however exultant its perpetrators may now be in their impunity. —*Providence Journal.*

A Laundry Secret.

The following receipt for doing up shirts will be found of use to many housewives: Take two ounces of fine white gum-arabic powder; put it into a pitcher and pour on it a pint or so of water; and then having covered it up, let it stand all night. In the morning pour it carefully from the dregs into a clean bottle, and cork it and keep it for use. A tablespoonful of gum water stirred into a pint of starch made in the usual manner will give to the lawns, either white or printed, a look of newness, when nothing else can restore them after they have been washed.—*Herald of Health.*

—An improvement on dynamite is said to have been effected by M. Fahnehjelm, of Stockholm. For the infusorial earth used in making dynamite he employs a kind of wood charcoal, which not only absorbs the nitro-glycerine, but serves as an important factor in the explosion of the composition. In order to give a speedier action to the new explosive, which is called "sebastin," nitrate of potassa is added. The nitro-glycerine, charcoal and nitrate of potassa are combined in various proportions to suit the purposes for which the sebastin may be intended.

—When the editor of a daily paper receives a visit from a couple of editorial brethren, when he is right in the middle of an able article on the "Demonetization of Silver," he tries to make them feel "at home," but he observes with a deep sigh of relief, as they disappear out of the door, "I thought those darned bores were never going to leave!" and then a few hours later his paper comes out, containing a notice like this: "We had the pleasure this morning of a very agreeable visit from Messrs: Brown, of the Jeffersonville *Banner*, and Jones, of the Center Point *Bugle*. Come again, gentlemen."

—It is estimated by those who ought to know, that at present, in round numbers, there are about 1,250,000 Free and Accepted Masons scattered upon the face of the globe. Of this number some 150,000 are in England, 100,000 in Scotland, and 50,000 in Ireland. There are about 600,000 on the continent of Europe; 300,000 in the United States, and 50,000 in other parts of the world. In England there are two or three thousand persons initiated every year; and Papal allocutions and feminine denunciations notwithstanding, the Masonic body is said to be everywhere increasing.

—A young American who had been in Paris for a year studying medicine was visited by his father. Like a dutiful son, he parades the author of his being through the city, and points out to him its social and architectual lions. Finally they halt before a huge and many-pilared building, surrounded by a massive grating. "What palace or thingummy is that lordly pile?" asked the old man. "Dumfino," replies the youth, "but there is a sergent-de-ville; I'll ask him," and, accompanied by his sire, he crosses over to the officer and puts the question. "That, gentlemen," said the municipal guardian, calmly and in a clear, official tone, "is the medical school!"

—An exchange says, "Mothers should care to be admirable in the eyes of their sons. Not merely to possess characters which are worthy of respect, but to be beautiful and charming, so far as they can, in person and appearance." Verily, the times seem to be wrong end foremost. This reminds one of the countryman, who, securing a place in a city store for his son, assured the merchant, "He will be a first-rate boy, if you only keep the right side of him."

—A Boston editor says: "It ruins any kind of fruit to cook it." But he makes his wife bake his beans all the same.

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Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
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Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
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Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
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Boston, South & West,	4.00, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	8.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	5.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The James H. Head house, on State street, has been sold to Mr. Augustus W. Odiorne, for $2500.

Some rascal has stove a window in, and bored a hole through the bottom, of the sail boat "Lady Waldo," at Kittery, and a reward of one hundred dollars is offered for information that will lead to his conviction.

At two o'clock Saturday morning the house of Mr. Joshua Emery of York, Me., was discovered on fire, and before any assistance could be rendered it was entirely consumed. Most of the furniture in the lower story saved. Insured for $600. Caused by a defective flue.

At the examination on Friday of candidates for admission to the High School, there were fifty-eight applicants—thirty-six girls and twenty-two boys. Forty-six of this number passed and were admitted, the others being conditioned. This will make the High School larger than it has been for several years past.

The North End coal-heavers had a marine picnic, chowder, etc., on Saturday, a large number of these hard-working men going down river in steamer Clara Bateman, in company with large baskets of provisions, a barrel of ale, etc., etc., etc. If any class of men by hard labor earn a right to take advantage of a lull in their business to enjoy themselves for a day, the "black-diamond lapidaries" do.

Harper's Magazine for August is out, and ready for delivery by Moses Brothers. It is as interesting as previous numbers, which is all that need be said, and contains one hundred and twelve illustrations. The first article is a beautifully illustrated paper on the White Mountains.

A case of mayhem occurred in Market street on Saturday, but as the parties are respectably connected, we prefer to withhold a statement of the matter in order to do justice to both sides. Without doubt the trial this morning before the Police Court will bring to light facts that we cannot now obtain and thus each participant will have a fair showing.

A correspondent of the Boston *Post*, writing from the Shoals, says: "For such Bostonians as cannot come to stay, and desire a trip out of town for a day or two, nothing can be better than the run down on the Eastern Railroad to Portsmouth, and the sail out from the Piscataqua to the Isles of Shoals. If you arrive at Portsmouth in the morning, by all means wait until the evening boat before coming out here into the ocean. There is plenty to be seen and enjoyed in that quaint and historical old city during the day, and for a number of days, for that matter; and mine host, Col. Hilton of the Rockingham, will tell you how to improve the hours or days you may have to spare. But those who have enjoyed the hour's ride from the wharves of Portsmouth down the broad Piscataqua into the Atlantic, as the sun goes down in the West, will tell you that it is one of the most charming of all their summer experiences. Italian skies cannot show anything more glorious than is seen from the deck of a Shoals steamer as a summer afternoon declines. It were folly to attempt to describe it here, but it is an act of kindness to tourists to tell them to ride to the Isles of Shoals at sunset."

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, July 14th.

Nathaniel Danielson, drunk, fine $3, costs $6.90.

Matthew Taffe, a young man from out of town who came here to find work, and John Sullivan, another young man from out of town, who came here to attend a funeral,—according to their own stories,—were up for drunkenness. Their united treasury contained just fifteen cents, so they were not required to pay costs, but were allowed to leave town, which they were glad enough to do.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, July 14.

This closes another week of the session and one of great importance both in a political and legal point of view. One of the distinguishing features of the week has been the number of roll calls. There have been two night sessions both of them on political matters. In accordance with a previous agreement Thursday afternoon the act to reorganize and equalize the Senatorial districts, agreeably to the amended constitution came up under the head of unfinished business. Mr. Sinclair of Bethlehem withdrew all the amendments previously offered by him and offered a new bill in substitution for the present one. The amendment was rejected, on a roll call, by 199 nays to 136 yeas. It was then ordered to a third reading. Yesterday afternoon the bill was passed, the only opposition being the calling for the yeas and nays. Immediately after the ordering of the Senatorial bill to a third reading Mr. Stevens of Nashua moved that the bill for the classification of certain towns of less than 600 population, for representatives be taken up and it was so ordered. Some minor amendments were offered and accepted. Then commenced the filibustering of the session, which consisted of dilatory motions and roll calls. In the evening after the previous question was moved Batchellor of Littleton, Norris of Epping, Pierce of Hillsborough, Colony of Keene talked against time on the previous question until 11:30 when a division of the House was called for and the democrats and some of the republicans having left the hall no quorum was present and the House was adjourned by the Speaker.

Yesterday afternoon and evening the time was passed in voting down by the roll call the various portions of the amendment offered by Mr. Sinclair until the bill was ordered to a third reading. His amendment was all those towns having a population of, or in excess of 450, as shown by the census made in 1870, shall elect a representative to the General Court in the year 1878, and also in the year 1880; all those towns having less than 450 and in excess of 400, as shown by said census, shall elect a representative to the General Court in the year 1878, and the towns of Albany, Bennington, Orange, Roxbury, Shelburne, Hebron, Sharon, Litchfield, and Suny, shall elect to the said Court, in the year 1880.

By far the most exciting time of the session was last night. The House took a recess from half past six to eight o'clock. When the House assembled, after the recess, all was noise and confusion. Very soon it was rumored about that a compromise had been effected on the classification bill, to the effect that after two roll calls they were to pass it and then go on to the other business and adjourn early this morning. The object of this compromise was for the purpose of killing the bill, introduced by Mr. Ordway of Warner after a hard fight early in the afternoon, which had for its object the taxation of railroads according to the valuation of their stock. It was rumored that the railroad magnates told the leaders that the General Court *must* make its final adjournment this morning. The rank and file soon had indignation meetings and republicans and democrats alike without distinction of party said they would remain a month longer if necessary to pass Ordway's bill. Of course such determined opposition as this broke all compromise measures. Soon it was rumored that the compromise had been broken and then cheers and applause followed. All, then, good naturedly determined to stay in the evening as long as necessary to dispose of the classification bill and they did remain.

When Col. Ordway came into the hall in the evening rounds upon rounds of cheers greeted him. He is certainly the most popular man at this time in the Legislature. When his bill is reported back from the committee on finance there will be a hard fight and a determination to kill it. Mr. Ordway will have to fight the leaders on both sides and the railroad lobby, which is very powerful and it will leave nothing undone to kill the bill, but he has three-fourths of the House with him.

Early in the session Mr. Durant of Lebanon introduced a bill repealing the law of 1875 regulating the practice of medicine and surgery.

A number of petitions were received and referred to the committee on judiciary. That committee hold a number of meetings on that subject. Thursday the committee reported that the act in amendment of chapter 8 of the pamphlet laws of 1875, being an act to prevent incompetent persons from conducting the business of apothecaries and druggists in this State and the several petitions relating thereto be referred to the next session of the Legislature and that the commission to codify the laws report on it at the next Legislature. Mr. Durant labored hard to save the bill but the House by 152 yeas and 80 nays voted to adopt the report.

Any one would think that the whole city of Portsmouth is in favor of woman's suffrage to judge from the number of petitions presented upon that subject. The following were presented by Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth. Petition of Mrs. A. W. Hayden and 11 others of Portsmouth; of Mrs. Amanda S. Holbrook and 17 others of Portsmouth, and of Amos S. Foster and 17 others of Portsmouth, all praying for the equal political rights of all American citizens, irrespective of sex. Yours A. B.

New Hampshire Items.

The New Hampshire press excursion, which started from Concord Friday morning, arrived at White River Junction at 1.15, the party numbering about seventy. After partaking of dinner at the Junction House the company left for Stowe, where they remained over night, making the ascension of Mt. Mansfield on Saturday and dining at the Summit House, returning to Stowe in the afternoon.

If the Czar just wishes to perfectly annihilate the Turks, he should arm his soldiers with fire-arms "supposed to be empty." They do more damage now-a-days than any other weapon.

A Duluth editor got even with a contemporary by calling him a "gourd-headed baboon."

The schooner New Bedford, 20 feet long, which sailed from New Bedford, May 28, for London with Captain Crapo and wife on board, was spoken on the 6th instant, in latitude 46 north, longitude 28 west. All were well. The little vessel had encountered six gales.

—A year ago a college graduate read an essay entitled "The True Aims of Journalism." He is now editing a patent-outside newspaper, and last week called a brother editor an "abnormal idiot, whose deficiency of brains is more than compensated by a wealthy endowment of ears."

—A book-keeper has been detected robbing a music store at Columbus, Ohio, and will probably get five years accordeonly.

—Gen. John B. Hood, of New Orleans, the ex-confederate, has just been presented with his third pair of twins. So much for New Orleans father-Hood.

—Editing a paper is like carrying an umbrella on a windy dry; everybody thinks he could manage it better than the one who has hold of the handle.

—"Why didn't you insert my article?" asked a contributor. "Was it too long?" "No," replied the editor, "it was too narrow."

—"See them stylish cascades!" exclaimed Mrs. Veneering at Watkin's Glen, and straightway she fell over a 20-foot precipice and shook herself up terribly. She arose, arranged her furbelows, and said: "I ain't got no more enthusiasm for nature in me, you kin bet!"

—According to a Virginia paper's report of a college commencement: "At the conclusion of Mr. Hughes' remarks, Major Daniel arose, like a lion from his lair, threw back the rich locks from his large marble brow, and stood erect and majestic before the assembly."

Men swear by the objects which are most precious to them. The natives of New Guinea swear by the sun, or by a certain mountain, or by a weapon. The savages of the Brazilian forests raise the hand over the head or thrust it into the hair, or they will touch the points of their weapons. The New Guinea savage, holding up an arrow, calls on heaven to punish him if he lies. An Abyssinian Chief, who had sworn an oath he disliked, has been seen to scrape it off his tongue and spit it out. There are still places in Germany where the false witness reckons to escape the spiritual consequences of perjury by crooking one finger, to make it, perhaps, not a straight but a crooked oath; or he puts his left hand on his side to neutralize what the right hand is doing.

—A negro preacher had elaborated a new theory of the Exodus, to wit: that the Red Sea got frozen over, and so afforded the Israelites a safe passage; but when Pharaoh, with his heavy iron chariots, attempted it they broke through and were drowned. A brother rose and asked for an explanation of that point. "I'se been studyin' gography, and de gography say dat a very warm country—where dey have de tropics. And de tropics too hot for freezin'. De pint to be splained is 'bout breaking through de ice." The preacher straightened up and said: "Brudder, glad you asked dat question. It give me 'casion to 'splain it. You see that was a great white 'go—in de ole times, 'fo' dey had any gography—'fo' dare was any tropics."

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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CHARLES S. SYMONDS, Assignee.

To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, ss. *Law Term,* June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1875, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Emma R. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was requested from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

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ROCKINGHAM, SS.

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TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of LEONARD AKERMAN, late of Portsmouth in said County, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, greeting.

You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. AKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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Daily Chronicle.

—Brick Pomeroy is lecturing in Texas. At Sherman he remarked of the local paper, *Register*, that he cared nothing for its criticism, since he "could walk outside of its circulation in half an hour." The *Register* playfully retorted: "We have no doubt that Brick is swift on foot. He had that reputation during the war, especially while on the back track. We doubt, however, whether he should walk at 2.40 speed from now through all the ages of eternity, he could ever reach the plane of decency and respectability."

—A would-be suicide in Newport, R. I., lately left a note saying that the family would "find his body in a sistern." When found, a rope was tied around his body, but as it was tied to a wheel-barrow outside of the cistern, it did not lower him far enough to cover his head. He probably wanted to die because, though sixty-eight years old, he could not spell "cistern." Nevertheless, the local paper says he was "one of the oldest and most respectable citizens" of Newport.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 20 @ 25c.
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Coca per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smithe', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 17c.
Flour, Fancy, 10¼ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., ft. Cuba 48 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushel, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Dr. 10¼ @ 11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ 87c
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112
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Maine State 6s, 1889	110
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Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	33½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	66½
Boston & Maine	50
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	114½
Nashua & Lowell	59
Concord	74
Eastern	31
Eastern Railroad 1s N. H.	31
Fitchburg	103
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	43½
Northern N. H.	63½
Old Colony & Newport	20½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
Washington, D. C., July 9, 1877.

The Bureau of Construction and Repair will receive proposals until 12 o'clock M. of Tuesday, the 14th day of August, 1877, for building the shells of the turrets of the double-turreted monitor "Atlanta" now at Chester, Pennsylvania; scrap iron for the work to be furnished by the Bureau.

These turrets are to be 21 feet and 9 inches external diameter, and will be constructed of plates 9 feet long, about 3 feet broad, and 10½ inches in thickness, according to plans which will be for exhibition at the Navy Yard, League Island, on and after the 20th of July instant.

Separate proposals will be received under this advertisement as follows:

1st. For the entire work of completing these turrets, including the rerolling of the iron.

2d. For all the labor of building these turrets, the materials, ready for use, to be provided by the Bureau.

3d. For rolling the iron required in their construction. (The scrap to be furnished by the Bureau.)

Plates to be bent and planed according to plan.

Proposals will also be received under this advertisement for furnishing all the materials which may be required in the construction of these turrets; the plates to be of the size mentioned above, bent and planed according to plan, to be equal to the best quality of English turret iron, and all iron furnished will be subject to such tests as the Bureau may direct.

It is desirable that these turrets should be constructed on some wharf on the Delaware river, in such position as to be readily placed on board the ship.

No proposal will be received except from parties known to possess the requisite facilities to perform the work in a satisfactory manner, and the Bureau reserves the right to reject any and all offers, if considered to be the interest of the Government to do so.

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FOR GREAT FALLS AND NORTH CONWAY 10:27 A. M.; 2:55, 5:41 P. M.

FOR WOLFEBORO' 10:27 A. M.; 5:41 P. M.

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FROM PORTLAND, 2:15 A. M. [except Mondays,] 8:45, A. M.; 1:30, 5:30 P. M.

FROM NORTH CONWAY 7:50, A. M; 12:30, 2:30, P. M.

FROM WOLFEBORO' 8:40, A. M.; 3:30 P. M.

FROM GREAT FALLS 7:24, 10:27, A. M., 2:32, 4:52 P. M.

FROM DOVER 6:45, 10:15, A. M., 2:35, 5, 6:55 P. M.

FROM NEWINGTON 7:01, 10:31, A. M., 2:31, 5:16, 7:11 P. M.

TRAINS FROM BOSTON arrive at Portsmouth at 10:20, 10:52, 10:53 A. M.; 2:40, 5:36, 6:25, 9:03 P. M.

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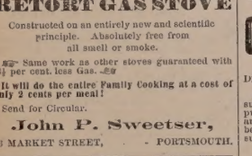

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ers or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEE. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer the same to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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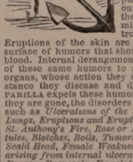

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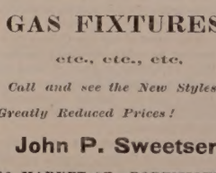

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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornment and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Daily Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Flying Proa.

If a boat-builder is asked to construct a boat which shall be not only fast, but absolutely safe in all contingencies, which can neither capsize, swamp, nor sink, no matter if she strikes on the sharpest rocks in Hell Gate, he will frankly confess that he can not do it. Nevertheless, such a boat can be built, and with it two cool-headed girls can outsail the "Sappho" or the "Columbia" without risking any danger more serious than that of an occasional sprinkling of spray.

The hollow log and the solid log are the germs from which two widely distinct types of vessels have been developed—those in which, and those on which, the crew is carried. We have developed the hollow log through all the various stages that separate the canoe and the Cunarder, but have abandoned the solid log after having converted it into the cumbrous lumber raft. The South-sea Islanders, on the other hand, have developed the solid-log idea until the result is seen in their double war canoes—vessels that, although wonderfully swift and safe, are virtually nothing more than two parallel logs joined together with a platform, on which a mast is planted. The Feejee double canoe is not, however, the consummate flower of barbarian boat-building genius. It has been surpassed by the flying proa of the Ladrone Islands—a craft that combines to some extent both the hollow and the solid log ideas, and which merits a brief description here.

The hull of the flying proa exhibits on one side the graceful lines of a well-modeled boat, but on the other side it is perfectly flat. Were an ordinary sail-boat to be cut in two along the keel, and each half boarded up perpendicularly, either would present a rude idea of the model of the proa. Each end of the proa is precisely alike, and as the mast is placed exactly in the middle, the craft will sail equally well with either end first. Across the deck-run stout bamboo poles, which project beyond the rounded side of the proa, and are fastened at their extremities to a log of wood placed parallel with the boat, and fashioned so as to offer the slightest practicable resistance to the water. The weight of this log or outrigger acts as a counterpoise to the force of the wind, since by the peculiar manner in which the proa is sailed, the log is always on the windward side. Thus, although the proa is excessively long and narrow, it can never capsize, the outrigger answering the same purpose in this respect which the Feejeean accomplishes by using a double canoe.

The mast, although placed exactly halfway between the ends of the boat, stands in the bilge close to the gunwale, where it is fastened to the middle beam of the outrigger. The sail is a lateen, triangular in shape, but much wider at the foot and less lofty in proportion than are most lateen-sails. It does not seem large in comparison with the length of the proa, but in view of the extreme narrowness of the hull, and its want of stability apart from the outrigger, it is really an enormous sail. The fore end of the yard fits into a socket at the end of the boat, and the foot of the sail is laced to a boom. It is thus capable of being trimmed as flat as a board, and as it is reefed by simply rolling the boom until the desired amount of sail is wrapped around it, the shape of the sail always remains the same.

As has been said, the proa is sailed with either end first, but the outrigger is always kept on the windward side. The flat side of the hull being thus always the lee side, acts as a keel or centre-board, but with more effect than either. In fact, the proa is said to make scarcely any perceptible leeway. When beating against a head-wind the proa never tacks. She is merely kept away until her stern approaches the wind, when the yard is swung around, and what was the stern suddenly becomes the bow. It is credibly asserted that this product of barbarian genius often attains a speed of twenty miles, and it is certain that not only is the proa the fastest sailing boat in existence, but it will sail nearer the wind than any vessel known to European or American sailors.—*Harper's Magazine for August.*

—Artificial flowers are now made so skillfully that it is difficult to tell them from genuine blossoms, and as each is perfumed so that it exhales its characteristic odor, the deception is rendered all the more complete.

—Jennie June says of the voice of a singer, "Its quality is not to be appreciated by simply *hearing her stand up* before an audience and sing, but by *seeing her use it* in every day life." Jennie wrote that letter in a hurry.

—The Parsees are descendants of the ancient Persians who were expelled from Persia by Mohammedan conquerors, and who first settled at Surat about eleven hundred years ago. According to the first Indian census, they do not number more than 70,000 souls, of whom about 50,000 are found in the city of Bombay, the remaining 20,000 being in different parts of India, but chiefly in Guicrat and the Bombay Presidency. Though a mere drop in the ocean of 240,000,000 inhabitants they form a most important and influential body of men, emulating Europeans in energy and enterprise, rivaling them in opulence, and imitating them in many of their habits.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JULY 17, 1877.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, July 16.

The act defining the compensation of the justices of the Supreme Court provoked considerable discussion and lawyers and leaders were beaten upon this bill. It proposed to give the judges the sum of two dollars per day when away from home to pay their board in addition to the salary. This act, upon the motion of Mr. Sanborn of Campton, the House voted to indefinitely postpone. It was favored by Messrs. Stevens of Nashua, Barton, John S. Hayes, Hackett, and Sargent and opposed by Messrs. Sanborn of Campton, Sawtelle, Ide, Kaley, Warden, and Gould. There have been so many petitions and bills concerning the protection of fish before the session thus far that any report from the committee on fisheries is now received with shouts of derision. Most of them receive the label "indefinitely postponed." The committee itself entering into the spirit of the occasion reported a bill full of hits at different members who had bills referred to their committee. The new fox and hawk bill has passed the House and it now awaits the action of the Senate. The House is very much opposed to the appointing of commissions and only two I believe have been allowed to enter the Senate door and one of these has received the signature of the governor, concerning the other it is doubtful whether it ever finds its way out of the Senate.

The Speaker does not covet his honors all of the time thus far and seems disposed to share them with those, whom the House, as well as himself, considers to be any wise competent to fill the chair, Messrs. Stevens of Nashua, Sinclair of Bethlehem, Sargent of Concord, Cross, Topliff, and House of Manchester, Batchellor of Littleton, Hackett of Portsmouth, Norris of Epping, Warden of Monroe, Pierce of Hillsborough, John S. Hayes of Dover, Mann of Haverhill, Cummings of Exeter, Wood of Acworth, and Sturtevant of Keene. Mr. Edward P. Wallace of Newton, who had caused considerable merriment by his two able and witty speeches against the telegraph companies monopolizing and destroying the shade trees, has quite a patriotic history. He is lame and goes about with the use of a crutch and cane. At the commencement of the late war he sent $100 to the Treasury department to loan the government the use of it. He was informed that they could not so receive it and when the first lot of U. S. bonds were issued he received the first one printed and signed. He sent a substitute to the war. The post of the G. A. of R. in his town was named after him as was also a company of cadets. Last Thursday the members of the legislature were photographed by W. G. C. Kimball of Concord upon the State House steps. There are 190 members in this group.

Yours, A. B.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.

The failure to convict several men, alleged proprietors of a notorious gambling hell, who were on trial here a few days ago, has been productive of a good deal of harsh criticism upon the administration of justice in this District. Not one in a hundred conversant with city affairs, doubted the guilt of the indicted parties, I presume. It would not appear possible however for a jury to have brought in any other verdict than that of acquittal upon the evidence offered. But the suspicion of complicity between gamblers and other lawless characters of our city, and a portion of our police force, has been materially strengthened by the results of this trial. It has been known for years that gambling has been carried on almost openly and directly under the nose of our police without molestation. An occasional raid was ordered; but because of the indifference of the Courts or of timely warning to the offenders, convictions were rare. Nearly a year ago the churches united in a demand that the evil be suppressed, and an organized effort was made in that direction. But from a diversity of causes the knights of the green baize have been almost uniformily successful in every contest so far had, and their last victory has rendered them exultant and the law abiding citizen correspondingly depressed; and it is felt that there is small hope of success until a reorganization of our police force shall have been effected. A report, seriously implicating Senator Ingalls is occasionally heard here. It is stated that the Senator, as Chairman of Pension Committee, made a report in July 1876, favorable to placing on the pension rolls one Murdoch, a lieutenant in the volunteer service during the war, and at present a State Senator. Alleged ailment, total blindness of one eye and seriously impaired sight of the other, contracted in the service. A special act is said to have been hurried through by Mr. Ingalls during the tumultuous proceedings in Congress March 3, 1877, in favor of Murdoch on the ground above stated. It is claimed that the pretence is fraudulent; that Murdoch suffers from no such affliction, and it is sought to establish a connection between Ingalls' efforts in the matter, and his re-election by the Legislature of which Murdoch is a member. It is understood that Secretary Schurz has ordered an instigation and that we shall soon know all about it.

A late Cabinet meeting favorably considered the Howgate Polar expedition and the one proposed for the circumnavigation of the globe in the interests of science; but no definite action was taken with regard to either, and their further consideration was postponed to a future session.

Indian, Mexican and Louisiana matters are still the absorbing topics of gossip and have undergone no material change here since my last.

KNOX.

WASHINGTON, D. C. July 14.

The commanders of Spanish armed vessels may carry their, to them, very safe joke of bull-dozing, arresting and confining the officers of unarmed American vessels and breaking up their voyages, a step too far. Indeed, the American eagle unmistakably manifests incipient symptoms of irritation over the latest case of this kind reported. From the evidence filed it appears that about May 20th, while off the South Keys of Cuba, and while the boats were actively pursuing whales, the schooner Rising Sun, Capt. Taylor, was "brought to" by several shots from a Spanish cruiser. As in the case of the "Rizpah" her papers were demanded and declared unsatisfactory. Through the vigor of his protests her commander escaped arrest, but his mate, Mr. Atkins, was seized and held as hostage for the legitimate character and occupation of the vessel, until the arrival of an expert some days subsequently on a Spanish gunboat, who re-examined the vessel's papers and pronounced them regular and above suspicion. It is not stated whether the vessel was actually placed under restraint during the time, but it is intimated that a heavy claim for damages will be urged, as the prospective profits of the voyage were dissipated by the bully's illegal interference. These repeated outrages and wanton insults have aroused a good deal of indignation here and Mr. Evarts would be sustained in a peremptory demand for full reparation and satisfactory assurances that the recent offences will not be repeated.

It is thought sufficient time has elapsed and that we are sufficiently disabused of the conclusions of the sensational news-gatherers and makers, to enable us to correctly estimate the significance of the late move in Louisiana, the arrest of Madisen Wells and his Returning Board associates. The generally accepted theory is that the Ku Klux element of the Louisiana democracy set these prosecutions on foot, instigated by the leaders of the "wah" democracy North and South, including Tilden, probably; that they will be pushed to final conviction, and that if Gov. Nichols dares to interpose, by executive clemency, he will be promptly impeached. It is alleged that Secretary Sherman, Stanley Matthews, and others prominent in the Electoral and Louisiana Commission business are also to be disciplined; and such a programme is not deemed improbable by many here. There is much diversity of opinion as to just what it is expected to accomplish by this flagrant disregard of the terms of the agreement by which Louisiana was turned over to democratic control. Members of the Louisiana Commission who have been heard from agree that the movement is a virtual repudiation of the plighted faith of the democratic party of the State; and the public regard its perfidy as entirely in character with the action of the leaders in the "Wheeler compromise" adjustment of 1874. I think there can be no doubt that the President shares the indignation everywhere existing in Admiistration circles over the matter.

It appears to be the general impression that Diaz will feel called upon to formally protest against the recent invasions of Mexican soil by our forces in pursuit of Indian thieves, out of déference to popular home sentiment which is understood to be quite ferocious towards our government because of the late instructions to General Ord. But it is settled that marauders across the Rio Grande are to be punished, and Mexican bluster will prove ineffectual in bringing about any modification of these instructions. It is believed that if Diaz was left to indicate his own pleasure in the premises he would willingly co-operate in suppressing the robbers as a matter of policy, hoping thereby to more speedily secure his own recognition. Nothing decisive appears to have been yet effected by Gen. Howard in his pursuit of Chief Joseph. It would appear that the latter has made several strategic moves that have so confused our Generals as to enable the Indians to elude them. It is now a "stern chase," proverbially a long one. Our losses have been heavy compared with the advantages gained; and latest dispatches seem to indicate that among other obstacles to success, is the incompetency or something worse of some of Howard's subaltern officers.

It is reported that the Cabinet at a late meeting favorably considered the Howgate Polar Expedition, and the proposed circumnavigation of the globe by a scientific expedition; but no definite agreement was reached, and both matters will again come up for decision.

The testimony elicited by Mr. Morton's committee in Oregon appears very contradictory; but the tone of that which has reached us certainly has had little effect in dissipating the prejudice existing against Grover, but has increased it rather.

KNOX.

Suicide.

James A. Favor, whose connection with the sad fate of Mary Ella Harrington seemed to have been established beyond any reasonable doubt, drowned himself in the canal in Lowell, Sunday. When last seen, he had a bundle under one arm, done up in a brown paper, which some thought was a Bible, but which proved to be a heavy weight, to which a rope was attached. After going through the passageway leading to the canal landing, in rear of the block, he seemed quite nervous and uneasy. Persons employed in the workshops looking out upon the bank watched him at intervals during the twenty or thirty minutes after his arrival on the landing until he plunged into the canal. He walked up and down the bank of the canal several times, occasionally sitting down on a box filled with some refuse matter on the canal walk. At one time, when sitting on the box, he drew papers from his inner vest pocket and looked at them. He then put them in his hat, walked a rod or two to the basement steps at the rear of Southwick Block and sat down, adjusting the rope fastened to the weight, as is supposed, about his neck. Mr. Francis of the Locks and Canals Company, and some employes of the company, were measuring the water near by. Suddenly, when he saw that they were not looking at him, he walked rapidly and directly to the canal, a distance of about thirty feet, when he laid his hat down on the bank and jumped in. The hat was an old black dress hat. The papers were at the bottom of it, a handkerchief was over it, and a stone weighing about a pound was laid on the handkerchief. On one paper was written, "You will find my body in the canal. J. A. Favor." On another was written, "O lord of rest for thee I seek." The body was recovered after the water in the canal was partially drawn off, about three hours afterward. The weight attached to his neck by the rope was a square-shaped paving stone weighing about fifteen or twenty pounds. He had also a stone weighing about a pound in each pocket. The only other contents of his pockets were a knife and about $1.50 in money. Deceased was seventy-five years of age and leaves two sons, Joseph C., residing in Boston, and Horace, living in Manchester, N. H. He has lived in Lowell about twenty years, and was for a long time employed in the yard of Middlesex Mills Corporation.

The War.

A despatch from Bucharest says the Cossack advance has crossed the Balkans, and now occupy the valley of Trandja. They have penetrated the country as far as Jeni Sadergh, a railway station half way between Gamboly and Adrianople. A later despatch says 10,000 Russians are reported as having attacked Jeni Sadergh, which was defended by two battalions of Turks. The Turkish reinforcements are on their way to that place. The Russians have no field guns and their communications are insecure. The Turks were taken completely by surprise and great consternation ensued. They supposed that the Balkans had been crossed via Kozan, the strong Russian attack on Osman Bazar and Kozan masking the latter's movements.

News and Notes.

A short time ago John McMullen, and his son, John W. McMullen of New York were accidentally drowned, and Marilla McMullen, the widow of the one and the mother of the other, applied for letters of administration on the son's estate. On Friday Mrs. McMullen was at the Surrogate's office when Mary Agnes McMullen, the widow of the son, appeared to put in her claim upon the estate. The mother was not aware that her son had been married, but the production of a marriage certificate settled that matter. The two women were disposed to treat each other fairly, and the result was that the matter is to be left in the hands of the mother, who is apparently well satisfied with her new-found daughter-in-law.

Schooner Mary, of Dennysville, Me., was run down and sunk by steamer Eleanor in Long Island Sound on Friday night, and two men of her crew of three drowned.

The India nchief Joseph caught thirty-one Chinamen descending the Clear Water river in Idaho, and killed all but one of them. Gen. Howard reports a fight with the Indians on the 11th, in which the troops dislodged and drove the Indians, the killed on each side numbering thirteen, including Captain Bancroft and Lieutenant Williams.

Tennyson has recently had a windfall in the shape of a large estate in Lincolnshire.

The body of the late Queen of Holland was not embalmed, but was put into a leaden coffin wadded with white satin and filled with aromatic substance. This coffin was then deposited in one of oak, and this again in a mahogany one trimmed with silver.

New Hampshire Items.

A son of John Paro, four years old, fell into the Webster mill canal at Suncook, Saturday afternoon and was drowned. The water was drained off and the body found, and in taking it out the planking gave way, precieitating two men and three women into the canal. Joseph Morin was pulled out with a leg broken.

Mrs Emery E. Cobb, a young married woman of Manchester, fell backward down three steps Saturday morniug, and died from the effects of her injuries.

—Leading out of the village of Hope, N. J., is a covered bridge upon which some wag has written: "The tramp who enters here leaves Hope behind."

—"That parrot of mine's a wonderful bird," said Smithers. "He cries 'Stop thief!' so naturally that every time I hear it I always stop. What are you all laughing at, anyway?"

—"Are you going to make a flower bed here, Judkins?" asked a young lady of the gardener. "Yes, mum; them's the orders," answered the gardener. "Why, it will spoil our croquet ground!" "Can't help it, mum; them's your pa's orders; he says he'll have it laid out for horticulture, not for husbandry."

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Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
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In years gone by, four orphan sisters, the daughters of a ship-master, who had been bereft of their parents in early childhood, but were kindly cared for by a maternal aunt, left their birth-place with her for a residence in Boston. In her early womanhood, the eldest,* who had been remembered here for her personal loveliness and amiability of character, was brought home for a resting place in the North street Union Cemetery, where a tasteful memorial, placed there by the hand of affection, has long marked her grave. Another of her sisters was laid at her side in after years, and on Saturday last, a third was added to the number.

"And gathered thus they rest who played
Beneath the same green tree,
Whose voices mingled into one
Beside the parent knee."

*Miss Anna McLean.

NEWCASTLE AS A SUMMER RESORT.

As people often travel abroad to look upon scenes that are surpassed by those in their own land, or, not seldom, within a Sabbath day's journey of their own doors, so there are hundreds of the residents of Portsmouth who have as little idea of the attractions of the distant portions of Newcastle island, as the world at large had until recent years of the wonders of the Yosemite Valley. A more delightful region of the kind does not exist along the whole line of our New England seacoast, and each season it is becoming more and more apparent alike to visitors from other places and residents here. While it can be reached over two routes by land and bridge travel, an equally agreeable way is by rowing, in which many of the younger members of the fairer portion of creation have become so accomplished. The time is sure to come, soon or late, when the island will be dotted over, on its ocean side, with summer homes, as numerously as any of our popular seaside resorts at the present day, and in the more inland portion of the old village, will be seen plenty of such pretty retreats as that of Capt. Towle, with its blooming flower garden in summer days.

A large party of friends, with their visitors from New York, Boston and elsewhere, passed a day last week in a most attractive spot between the beach at Fort Constitution and the lofty bluff near the Hotel Wentworth, and the good time they had will not soon be forgotten, their enjoyments being as diversified as they were agreeable. Just such scenes were visible as may be found in the London magazines of summer enjoyments at the popular watering places of the English coast, including an artist as he rested upon a craggy rock, while sketching the scenery around him. While a group rested beneath the shade of willows that overhung the beach, upon which the surf was breaking in a tone that was music to the ear, others were straying along the pebbly shore; the more contemplative casting looks at huge boulders, varied in form and color, around them, and marvelling at the force it must have required to roll them thus far inland from their ocean bed. In a rocky retreat, over which huge waves rush in wintry storms, a group of half a dozen young ladies were most industriously employed upon species of the fancy work with which their sex are wont to occupy moments of leisure; others were viewing from seats of nature's construction among the rocks, the boundless view of old ocean before them, and chatting of scenes they had looked upon elsewhere on like happy occasions; following with the eye meanwhile the course of a party out upon the water in a boat, for which latter they were indebted to a generous-hearted young gentleman from the Empire City, whose presence is ever welcome, and whom every one likes for the simple reason that they cannot help it if they would; like another magnetic young gent., who came late, but by way of compensation, bringing with him a very fair addition to the company. Still another party went in search of a cave by the shore, which tradition asserts as having once been occupied by a descendant of the dragon so valiantly slain by St. George several years before the erection of the Hotel Wentworth, but the tide had arisen so high they were unable to pass the point around which the cave is located, and had to be content to wait until their next visit for a sight of it; and yet another detachment ascended to the summit of a lofty elevation near by, and in the magnificent views they obtained, thought themselves amply rewarded for their labor in doing so. A sumptuous repast was partaken of beneath the shade of the willows, for which the sea-air had furnished the keenest of appetites, and then the company broke up into sections who went as before their several ways to re-enjoy the recreations that suited best their varied fancies. During the day the excursionists were visited by friends from the hotel and the cottages in its vicinity, and in taking their departure for home, all acknowledged that it had been to them one of the happiest of summer days. J. H. B.

HACK REGULATIONS.

Mr. Editor: I see by the report of the meeting of the Board of Aldermen on Thursday last that the hack ordinance, (relative to which so much discussion has ensued among the parties introduced and some others of the public) is to come up for final action by special assignment at 9:30 (?) on Thursday evening next. I know not how the matter will be disposed of. I know not how the honorable Board views the subject in question. But I hope some restrictive measure will be imposed upon our hackmen and teamsters at the depots and steamer landing in our city. The hacking business, like every other trade or calling here, is overdone; making competition sharp, and so sharp in the business of getting patronage at the depots that it takes more than ordinary courage for a lady or ladies, unattended by an escort, to run the gauntlet of the importunate crowd of hack and wagon drivers that are in faithful attendance on the daily arrival of the several trains from East and West. I shall hope that our City Fathers will endeavor to right this wrong without doing any injustice to the hackmen and yet protect the public from an already too long-standing nuisance. TRAVELLER.

JOTTINGS.

Mr. Gibson, of Boston, owner of the sunken schooner Ceres, is in town with a wrecking gang resumes operations for raising the vessel to-day.

Fishing schooner American Eagle, at the Shoals on Sunday, reports having picked up on the 10th, off Cape Ann, the mainmast of a small vessel with sail attached. The sail was double-reefed and the boom broken. The wreck was supposed from its appearance to be from some yacht.

The annual picnic of the Universalist Sunday School will be held Wednesday at Pinkham's Grove. Music by Harlow's band. Trains will leave Eastern depot at 9 and 11 A. M. and 3 P. M. Fare for the round trip 30cts.; children under six years, free,

The North Parish will have a picnic at Dow's Woods and Wallis' Sands, Wednesday. Carriages will leave the chapel on Middle street at 8:30 A. M.

The Episcopal Sunday School will have a picnic at Wallis' Sands on Thursday. Carriages will leave the chapel on State street at 8:30 A. M.

The Methodist Sabbath School will have a picnic and chowder at Sagamore Grove on Wednesday. Those wishing to ride will be at the vestry on Daniel street at a quarter to nine o'clock. Fare down and back, for children, 10 cts; adults, 20 cts.

The members of Sagamore S. F. Engine Co., No. 2, are having new uniforms made.

Mr. Henry R. Stoddard has bought the interest of Mr. R. H. Beacham (of the firm of Beacham & Stoddard) in the Rockingham livery and boarding stables on Fleet street.

Mr. Joseph H. Foster, Treasurer of the Portsmouth Savings Bank, has disposed of his bookstore at No. 1 Congress Block to Mr. Myers, for $9000.

The Newcastle bridges are receiving at the hands of the lessee a thorough overhauling and repairing. The planking is being laid lengthwise the bridges, which makes the smoothest and most agreeable riding imaginable. Work will be continued on them about one week longer, when they will be in better condition than for many years. Public travel has not been (nor will it be) stopped for a single day. The drive around by Hotel Wentworth, along the shore of the ocean and Newcastle, and Fort Constitution, and up the river over these bridges, is by far the pleasantest, coolest and most picturesque in our vicinity. The distance around is six miles and three-quarters.

B. B. Tobie, Esq., of Franklin, N. H., has made the New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals a liberal donation. At the last meeting of the Directors he was elected an honorary member of said society.

Funny Legislators.

The following report, made by the committee on fisheries last Thursday, in the Legislature caused an immense amount of fun at the time, and has since been engrossed with the classic literature of the session.

The committee to whom was referred the bill protecting pouts, eels, kivers and other equally delectable fish, having considered the same report as follows; The pout and eel have been much in need of protection from immemorial. There has existed a prjudice against them on account of their color, and though their cases are covered by the 14th and 15th amendments to the constitution, your committee is unable to learn that their condition has been improved thereby. The best evidence obtainable by the committee tends to show that they are still hooked, skinned and in many instances thrown alive into the frying pan and drowned in scalding fat, and it does not appear that any of them have ever been permitted to vote or represent their towns in the general court or exercise in any way the rights of an American citizen. With kivers your committee have no personal acquaintance, but in our opinion a man who spells kiver as does the author of this bill, is entitled to no protection from this House. The term, "other delectable fish," used in the bill, is somewhat indefinite, but on inquiry we learn that it refers to red herring, sharks and whales. The herring is famous in history as the only fish which is always sold for (and with) a cent. It was invented to show how mean a fish could be made and to make us grateful for suckers, alewives and other wives, and since it was discovered there has been no attempt to go further in that direction.

The shark is entitled to great respect, but being a delicate fish it has not been possible to so acclimate him as to render him able to withstand the rigors of our climate, and the few whales which have been planted in our waters have either perished from fever and ague or fallen a prey to suckers.

It has been reported, however, that a gentleman from Washington has lately secured, by the aid of the Manchester delegation, a legal title to the Merry-meeting Lake in the eastern part of the State for the sole purpose of raising whales for stocking the Atlantic by means of a canal upon which he is now engaged with 500 men connecting said lake and ocean. It was reported that a brewery was to be established near the lake, but it has leaked out that the gentleman from Washington is going into the oil business and will divide his profits with the expectant delegation at present representing the manufacturing interest of the State, located on the Merrimack. It is claimed by the said representatives that whales are injurious to water wheels, and like anchor-ice are liable to decrease the productive capacity of machinery. It is the opinion of your committee, however, that the whale belongs to a past age and a bygone generation; in the days of Jonah he was very useful to crawl into when there was a storm coming, but since the invention of rubber-boots and overcoats, he has not been used for this purpose. His fat, which was once in great demand as hair oil, has also gone out of fashion since the invention of baldheaded men and switches, and his bones are now a drug in the market, none of them being long enough to form the ribs of a fashionable bustle of today. In view of these facts, the committee report the following resolution, and recommend its passage:

Resolved, that the subject matter of this bill be recommitted to the member from Keene, with instructions to report thereon in the year of our Lord 1900.

W. H. SHEPARD, for the committee.

—An old gentleman took up a patent medicine almanac from a pile lying on a druggist's counter, at the same time asking the clerk, "Are these gratuitous!" To which that matter-of-fact young man replied, "Why, no, them's almanacs. Can't you read?"

—At a Sunday school a teacher asked a little boy if he knew what the expression "sowing tares" meant. "Courth I do," said he, pulling a part of his trousers around in front. "There's a tear my ma sewed; I teared it when I was sliding down hill."

—"It is not loud praying," says an Arkansas circuit rider, "which counts with the Lord so much as giving four full quarts to the gallon."

—A Baltimore belle, just from Vassar College, when told by the waiter that they had no goose-berries, exclaimed, "What has happened to the goose?"

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CHARLES S. SYMONDS, Assignee.

To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term*, June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1873, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

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BY THE JUDGE OF PROBATE FOR SAID COUNTY.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of LEONARD AKERMAN, late of Portsmouth in said County, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting.

You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. AKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any stable (similar from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Speakin' Out in Meetin'.

It was a sister who spoke right out in meeting in Plymouth Church yesterday. As soon as the last word of the short prayer after Mr. Beecher's morning sermon was uttered she stood up—an elderly and somewhat despetic-looking woman—in a front pew of the rear gallery, and, brandishing her fan, said, acidly, with evident determination to secure a hearing: "I want to ask a question." She continued speaking in an excited manner, although Mr. Beecher said in a louder tone than usual: "We will sing the fourth hymn."

Inquiring female—But I want to ask a question.

Mr. Beecher—But we want to sing the fourth hymn.

Inquiring Female--But I *must* ask a question.

Mr. Beecher—But we *must* sing the fourth hymn.

Inquiring Female (brandishing her fan and gesticulating vigorously with both hands) I *will* ask a question.

Mr. Beecher (motioning to Chorister Camp to push things)—Sing the fourth hymn.

By this time nearly all the congregation were stretching their necks towards the gallery, and most of them were laughing. Mr. Beecher grew very red in the face with the excitement of the moment, but seemed to enjoy the fun. Old John Zundel, at the organ, struck up a lively prelude, which was too much for the inquiring female and drowned her voice. She remained standing during the singing of "Thine Earthly Sabbaths, Lord, We Love," with a determined look on her angular face, but during the singing she got no chance. When the last words of the hymn died out Mr. Beecher adroitly put in the benediction. Then a torrent of discourse began to flow from the gallery, accompanied with continued brandishment of the fan. As soon, however, as the woman resumed, which was at the moment Mr. Beecher finished saying "Amen," the full power of the $20,000 organ was brought into requisition for the ungallant purpose of quenching the sound of her voice. This made her indignant and increased the efforts she was making to secure a hearing. She seemed resolved to keep on until the organ voluntary should stop; and the organ sounded as if it meant to keep on all the afternoon. The congregation appeared to be forgetful of dinner in the desire to stay and see the thing through. A crowd of men and boys surrounded the woman, and presently Usher Beach, taking her by the elbow, told her she must go out of church This brought forth a fresh torrent of eloquence, and gave rise to renewed brandishings of the fan. The congregation regretfully gazed on the woman as under the management of Usher Beach she ascended the gallery steps and vanished through the door. Leaving the church by the Orange street exit, she went around the block till, in a state of violent indignation, she reached the rear door on Cranberry street, where she waited for Mr. Beecher, in order to give him in personal argument the views which the organ had deprived her of uttering in church. A waggish brother told her that Mr. Beecher had gone out the other way, and she departed, brandishing her fan. She is a stranger to the congregation.

Mr. Beecher in his sermon had contended that the danger to the Church and to religion was quite as great from undue rigor and severity in the presentation of gospel truth as it was from overlaxity of preaching, and perhaps it was this that troubled the sister. —*N. Y. World.*

A Castine Home.

There is the garret, not full of moth-eaten refuse and festooned with cobwebs, as are the garrets of romancers, but clean, light, and airy, the favorite play-room of the little folks, and the frequent resort of their elders when the bay is to be swept with a glass in search of an expected pleasure-boat, or a look-out kept for the first glimpse of a gaff-topsail as the "Spy" comes creeping around Light-house Head, hugging the shore too closely for unaccustomed eyes to distinguish the slowly gliding masts from the stationary objects on the bank above. There are heavy chests filled with the discarded finery of former generations, the flowered brocade of the great-grandmother who danced with the British officers being the chief treasure of the board. The now obsolete spinning-wheel occupies a distant corner, and ranged along the wall are decrepit chairs with wide carved backs, and claw-footed tables too cumbrous for the taste of the present day. Nor is there wanting even here that suggestion of the sea which gives a quaint touch and flavor to all the belongings of Castine. There are rows of huge conch-shells, for which fashion no longer demands a place upon the parlor mantel-piece, and boxes of curiosities collected by childish hands; there are masses of coral rock brought home by the boys from the ballast wharf, and delicate coral fans, the gift of some sailor friend from tropical seas; while the floor is ornamented with rows of star-fish and sea-urchins which the children of to-day have laid in the sun to dry. In the chambers below, the curtained beds and cushioned armchairs of old times are set off by quaint engravings or richly toned paintings, reminders of Mediterranean voyages and of hurried visits to art capitals along the coast.

The bay of Naples, or the villa-crowned height of Genoa, smiles from the wall upon the scarcely less beautiful panorama of sea and shore outside the windows; and the sewing-table is adorned with a basket of finest workmanship, the gift of the sailor son, who remembers in Eastern bazars his mother's patient stitching and mending in the days of his boisterous youth. Her daughter's bureau drawers in the opposite room are stored with foreign treasures. All her garments smell of myrrh, aloes, and cassia. When she goes to pay visits, she attires herself in a shawl so wondrously embroidered as to be above the caprices of fashion; and her ivory card-case is a miracle of Chinese art. The grave father of the family cuts his Boston *Transcript* with a sandal-wood paper-knife, and writes his business letters at a solid desk of camphor-wood, whose massive brass frame fairly lights up the corner of the sitting-room, where it has an abiding-place and a table of its own.

In the parlor the mantel-piece is gay with the artistically grouped feathers of tropical birds; upon the shelves of the what-not are glass jars of the spices of Ceylon, arranged in the various developments of their fruitage; the drawers of the book-case are full of Chinese pictures, innocent of perspective and brilliant in coloring; the table is strewn with ingenious puzzles; and a never-failing source of amusement for stranger guests is the Japanese fan, which, opened aright, offers a brave show of costumed figures, and reversed, tumbles into rags and empty sticks. Even the dining-room and kitchen partake of the foreign element which the great and wide sea brings to this remote shore. Every one in the house recognizes the subtle fragrance when a certain tiny saucepan is brought into requisition, and the children rejoice to see upon the tea-table the pale blue jar ornamented with a watery landscape, which hints of preserved ginger within.

Nor is it alone the great square houses that contain these cosmopolitan treasures. The neat white cottages by the shore are made picturesque by their imported belongings. Queer beads and heathenish necklaces dangle from the frames of the looking-glasses; exquisite shells adorn the bureau in the best room; and the tame gray parrot sits on the fence and scolds the passers-by in a foreign jargon, but with an emphasis unmistakably suggestive of his meaning.—*Harper's Magazine for August.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 18, 1877.

Young Hackett's Funeral.

The funeral of Thomas L. Hackett, the young man who was butchered in so cowardly and brutal a manner by the Irish roughs of Montreal for trying to protect several ladies from their insults on the 12th of July, was buried by the Orangemen on Monday, with great pomp, all the Orange Lodges and kindred societies of Montreal turning out with full regalia, and many lodges from other cities participating. After the Orangemen, at the request of various Catholic and Protestant organizations, had given up their proposed parade on the 12th, the conduct of the Mayor of the city, P. J. L. Beaudry, in allowing mobs of the lowest and most vicious classes of the Irish Catholics to hold undisputed possession of the streets throughout the day and to insult and murder Protestants at pleasure, naturally excited the most intense indignation, and he is hotly denounced as a scoundrel—which he is, or an imbecile. The brutal murder of young Hackett instantly decided the Orangemen not to give up another parade, and the authorities were notified that he would be buried with full Orange ceremonies. Beaudry, the Mayor, still refusing to do his duty, a magistrate called out all the militia and took charge of them, and regiments lined the streets at short intervals from the starting point of the procession to the cemetery. But notwithstanding the excitement, and the irritating language of the Orangemen, the drunken roughs and bullies that held the streets and insulted every decent person on the 12th were not visible on this occasion; the cowardly ruffians knew that the Orangemen were "well heeled" for a fight, so they kept out of sight in their dens in the back slums, thus proving the justice of the strictures on the conduct of the Mayor, who could easily have prevented all trouble on the 12th by simply using the police force at his disposal. How the Orange societies regard the gross violation of a solemn compact by the Catholics is indicated by the following extract from the address delivered at the grave by Rev. C. A. Doudiet, Chaplain of the Orange Society:

"The resolutions of the Orange lodges subsequent to this murder have declared that henceforth they will exercise their rights, come what may. This was to be expected. It may bring forth stormy times; but even storms are necessary to clear the atmosphere, much as we love peace and good will. Many of those who pleaded for them this year will be silent in future. We would have healed the sore dissensions of the past; but how have we been met? Let the spirit of Thomas Lett Hackett speak from the grave where we have laid him. Let the occurrences of the last few days be written on sagranite obelisk that will mark his last resting place, that our successors in the days to come can clearly understand the origin of the coming struggle for equal rights. If your legislators are wise in time that struggle may be a bloodless one; but if there is still to be a suicidal policy of protection to one party and no protection to the other, let the consequences rest upon the heads of those who choose to ignore the value set by true Britons on religious and civil liberty."

The immense procession returned home in quick marching order, arriving at Orange Hall at 7:20 P. M., without a single incident. The military brought up the rear. Crowds of people lustily cheered the processionists in St. James street on their return. A drunken stevedore named Paddy Dwyer fired six shots from a revolver at two men, after the procession dismissed, but only succeeded in getting himself locked up. In the evening, as the Point St. Charles contingent Orangemen were on the way to their homes in the western suburbs, they were met at Wellington bridge by an immense crowd of the opposite party. The latter acted in a menacing manner, but did not attack them, however, as too many revolvers were in sight. The youths who lagged somewhat behind the Orangemen then came along, and the crowds of roughs made an onslaught on them with revolvers. The boys ran, but one was shot down, one ball striking him in the neck and another in the back. He was taken to the hospital. The dastardly ruffians had a jubilee over the affair. The police soon arrived, but made no arrests.

Concerning the "Orange and Green" troubles, Archbishop Lynch of Toronto, after celebrating high mass in St. Michael's cathedral on Sunday made some very sensible and temperate remarks. Alluding to the disturbance in Montreal, he said he was glad to be able to state that "the Bishop and clergy of that city, as well as the leading members of the National and other Societies, endeavored by every means in their power to prevent unpleasantness. The feuds and bitter animosities of the Old World should have no place in our prosperous new country. Seeing that no good can arise from senseless displays, he would wish that the Government should put an end to any party procession, inasmuch as they engender bad feeling and lead to strife and contention." That is probably the only way in which the silly controversy between the "Orange and Green" will ever be put out of the way of sensible people; for so long as the authorities act on the theory that one party is to be protected with the whole power of the government, and the other party is to receive no protection whatever, just so long these disgraceful scenes will be repeated.

A New Clock.

Elijah Clark, of Paris, Ky., has perfected an electrical clock which is said to be the most perfect and yet the most simple of recent mechanical inventions in this line. Weights and main-springs are dispensed with; it requires no winding, will run two or three years without attention, is a perfect time-keeper, and can be afforded at a price so low as to bring it within the reach of all. Mr. Clark has spent some of the best years of his life in perfecting this clock, having been some fifteen years in overcoming the difficulties that surrounded the application to it of electricity as the motive power, and according to the statements of competent judges he has been successful. Several of his clocks have been in successful operation, keeping good time without attention, the last twelve months. The movement is small and compact, and occupying a space about three by four inches and one inch in depth. The balance is locked and unlocked at every beat. The escapement is similar to that of the chronometer in appearance. The detent and detent springs unlock the escapement wheel, thus giving impulse to the balance-wheel. The detent and detent-springs are used for the purpose of closing and opening the circuit, at the same time giving the impulse to the balance and to the escapement wheel which moves the train, through the action of an electro-magnet that locks and unlocks an armature to which is attached the lever and pallets. The circuit is closed and opened, while the balance is moving in the same direction, and is only closed one-tenth of the time. A company is being formed in Waltham, Mass., for the manufacture of these clocks on an extensive scale, under the direction of I. B. Scott, formerly agent of the Boston Manufacturing Company, a gentleman of excellent business ability. Some of those interested in the project are so confident of success that they prophesy that in a few years this new industry will be conducted on as extensive a scale as the American Watch Company.

New York Letter.

NEW YORK, July 16.

Fashionable people have gone in quest of that "strange delightfulness in grass" which Ruskin writes about. Unfortunates left behind feel their insignificance, and aspire to little beyond a percale costume, contenting themselves with anticipations of so much the more finery next Fall. But there is a law of compensation, and in that percale suit, they really find about all the comfort there is in the way of clothing. For the most part, they are made with half-fitting jacket, which as everybody knows is cooler than if setting close to the person, while the light overskirt is of scarce appreciable weight. All would be lovely, but for the trailing under-skirt, but then one does not expect just now to have any good of one's right hand, so we travel along contentedly enough, knowing that we have opportunity for the exhibition of a pretty petticoat, and shoe to correspond. Dark solid shades of blue, brown, or green are preferred; ladies in mourning wear black, while in the way of trimming, we find knife plaitings, embroidered bands, and Smyrna lace. Little girls wear the cuningest dark percale costumes, gotten up in imitation of their elders, but for them Smyrna lace only is used in ornamentation. Irrepressible people who conclude still to hold up their heads, if they are in New York in July, buy also a bunting suit, for this summer there is quite a run made on bunting, which after all is a clumsy sort of material, and not likely to remain long in fashion.

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I would be recreant to the trust committed to me, did I neglect to mention a new invention in hair, called the "multiform," which has attracted much attention by reason of its superior advantages. It is graceful, easily arranged, the lightest coiffure ever devised, and can be disposed in an infinite variety of styles. Made in first quality hair only, prices are from ten to fifteen dollars, according to color. Full directions are given, and orders received at Helmer's Human Hair House, 16 East 15th street, or Mme. Demorest's, 17 East 14th street. In jewelry, scarce anything is so fashionable as a scarf pin, and in view of such demand, we find them in wonderful variety of design—in silver, gold, mosaic, enamel, onyx, jet, and precious stones. Ladies remain partial to bangles; slender rims are worn, but then again, the number of trinkets attached is not unworthy of note. Pendant from one, may be counted a trunk, tortoise, idol, basket, bell, serpent, book, five cent piece, horse shoe, and fish; on another, a cabbage, drum, satchel, harp, chair, hour glass, chest of drawers, lizard, boat and eagle.

NEW DESIGNS.

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LUCY CARTER.

New Hampshire Legislature.

The House held a short session Monday evening. The public printing bill was discussed, and a resolution in relation to the National Prohibitory law was placed in the orders of the day. Nothing of interest was done.

The War.

Two Turkish monitors are reported to have destroyed the Russian bridge across the Danube at Sistova. One of the monitors was afterward destroyed by a Russian torpedo. The despatches from the Danube and Asia Minor are contradictory to the last degree, and it is evident that both Russians and Turks are doing some magnificent lying right along, whatever their fighting may amount to.

Russian official despatches say two Pachas and 6000 troops were captured at Nikopolis.

The Turks on the 16th claimed to have defeated the Grand Duke Nicholas in Bulgaria. On the 17th the retreat of the Turks is announced.

New Hampshire Items.

Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Webb of Epping celebrated their golden wedding on Wednesday, the 4th inst.

A man named Gilpatrick, living in Great Falls, was relieved of $130 when the circus was in Dover last Thursday.

A Manchester man sent a guitar to Sacramento, Cal., through the mail recently, and it has arrived there uninjured.

William H. Newell and wife of Gilmanton, aged ninety-one and eighty-four, have twelve children, all married, twenty-five grand and ten great-grandchildren, and none of the family use tobacco, liquors or profanity.

A fire raged all day Sunday in a lot owned by James Thompson of Hooksett. There are about 100 acres in the lot, much of which was burned over. There were from fifty to one hundred cords of wood, considerable of which was burned. The exact damage is not yet known.

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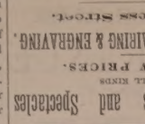

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "		6.30 "
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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.55	"
Concord Way,		4.55	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.55	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.10 "	4.55	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	8.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

RARE FLORAL DISPLAY.

Some weeks since a night blooming cereus in Pearson's greenhouse on Broad street opened a flower, and for about six hours was a grand centre of attraction to two score or more of admirers. On Thursday night last the same plant bloomed again, two flowers appearing this time; and over two hundred admirers called to pay their respects to the rare and beautiful exotic. The flowers were nine inches in diameter, somewhat resembling immense water lilies, but far more beautiful; and the delicious fragrance exhaled by them during their brief existence filled the house, to the complete overerpowing of the odors of all the other plants. Shortly after midnight the regal blossoms commenced to wear a tired look, and before daylight they had closed, never to open again. The plant, which has thus borne three flowers in a season, now seems very much exhausted, and will probably take a rest of seven or eight years more before blooming again.

[Communicated.]

IS IT DANGEROUS.

Mr. Editor: In the short distance of a mile on the Dover road, near Gravelley Ridge schoolhouse, there were during the heavy thunder storm of two or three weeks ago from twenty-five to fifty telegraph poles either knocked down or split by the lightning. Now no one can believe that these poles were all struck at separate times and by different flashes of lightning; it is evident that the mischief was all done by one discharge of electricity striking the wire and running along it, and that the glass insulators around which the wire is fastened were insufficient to keep the electric fluid attracted to the wire from leaving it and passing down the poles to the ground. Now, as the telegraph wires pass over this city in various directions and are fastened to the ridgepoles of many buildings by these same glass insulators, is not there great danger of the lightning passing down through the buildings and causing loss of life and serious injury to property? I am aware that telegraph wires on the top of a house are claimed to be a great protection, and that it is said no house thus protected has ever been struck by lightning; but suppose the bolt which struck the wire at Gravelley Ridge had struck it in this city instead, what would have been the result? Would it have waited until it got outside the city before ignoring the insulators and seeking a passage to the ground? I, for one, do not believe it would have done anything of the kind; and since I have seen how the lightning served a long row of telegraph poles that were "protected" by wires, I am resolved that my house shall never be protected in that way if I can prevent it. REDNUHT.

[Communicated.]

DIDN'T WANT HIS COMPANY.

As a large party were about returning after a delightful day spent at Newcastle last week, an overpowering sense was given them of their near proximity to one of those animals whose absence is always preferred to their presence. Supposing the "critter," without doubt, very near by, they made all haste to take Dogberry's advice in Shakspeare and get out of bad company, but to their surprise, on reaching there, found him some hundreds of yards away in the barnyard of the gentlemen upon whose grounds they had been having such a good time, where he had been slain by a stone as unceringly thrown as that which killed Goliah. He was by no means a bad-looking animal, the black upon his coat being the darkest shade of that color, and the white as spotless as new-fallen snow, and had he "behaved as well as he looked," as is sometimes remarked to naughty boys, he would not have come to so ruthless an end.

At the time, some months ago, when the species of animals above referred to, were so numerous about town, a gentleman had a sight of half a dozen of them together one day in his yard, and asking a man who was at work in a drain upon his premises where he supposed they came from, was told that they probably belonged to a neighbor, who was the reluctant possessor of about that number of the species. Meeting the neighbor next day, the gentleman said to him, "We had a visit from your family of skunks yesterday, ——, but they did no harm." "*We brought them up well*," was the good-natured response of the other; and a relation of the incident at the Athenæum the same afternoon, drew out various reminiscences of the odoriferous animal; one having to tell of half a dozen growing up from infancy, in his boyhood, in his father's cellar, and of another being favored with the presence of about an equal number upon his own premises, until they were shot, one by one, as opportunity offered.

JOTTINGS.

The two men (Corbett and Taylor) who were arrested in this city by the police some weeks ago and sent back to Gardiner, Maine, for the theft of a yacht, it seems did a good deal of river and harbor pirating along the coast of Maine before coming here with their stolen sloop. Among other things, they stole a yawl-boat at Bath; and the Boston *Traveller* says that the captain of the tug "Aid," of Saco, which was raided on, has recovered $150 worth of silver and clothing stolen from his boat by these thieves.

We have received from Pierce Burton & Co., publishers, of Aurora, Ill., "The Origin and Destiny of Man," a series of fourteen Sunday evening lectures delivered in the First Methodist Episcopal church in Aurora during the winter of 1875-76, by Rev. H. W. Thomas, D. D. The book is excellently printed on heavy paper, and very handsomely bound. The lectures are an able presentation of the author's views, and can be read with interest and pleasure even by those who dissent from his premises and his conclusions. The book is sold only by subscription; price $1.75. Agents wanted.

It is rumored that Mr. Eben F. Brackett, of this city, in charge of painters in bureau of yards and docks at the navy yard, has been removed and a man from Maine appointed in his place. Mr. Brackett is a competent painter and respectable man, and it is not stated under which civil service rule he is removed.

The committee of arrangements for the Light Artillery's visit to Europe next year, are preparing a complete history of that organization from 1775 to the present time, detailing the part borne by the company in the revolutionary struggle, its reception of Washington and Lafayette in the last century, its participation in the erection of the pole at Liberty bridge, July 4, 1824, the reception of Lafayette in September of the same year, its memorable visit to Boston in 1843, and of every incident worthy of note down to the present time, including the trip to the Centennial last year. It will be handsomely bound in cloth and gold. Many copies will be given away by the company while abroad next year, as souvenirs of the visit. Any one having any information concerning the history of this company is requested to communicate with the committee.

ODE TO THE FLAG.

The following is the "Ode to the Flag" composed by Samuel W. Foss, a graduate of 1877, and sung at the Exhibition of the High School, July 12th, to the tune of "The Red, White and Blue:"

O Flag, that our fathers have cherished,
And guarded o'er land and o'er sea,
'Neath whose folds countless heroes have perished
To keep the flag of the free:
A hundred long years have departed—
Our fathers have gone to their rest—
Since the down-trod of earth, lighter-hearted,
First hailed the young Flag of the West.

CHORUS.--Three cheers for the "Red, White and Blue" etc.

Our fathers, with just indignation,
With the Queen of the sea dared to cope,
And established themselves as a nation,
Arrayed 'neath the banner of hope.
That banner has since been the token
Of freedom to all earth's oppressed,
With its first vows and pledges unbroken,
'Tis still the free Flag of the West.

And may we, like worthy descendents
Of the noblest and bravest of earth,
Maintain the old flag's independence
And be true to the land of our birth;
And may our loved banner forever
Wave over the land God has blest,
And traitors and enemies never
Disgrace the proud Flag of the West.

News and Notes.

A disabled steamer, with smoke-stack gone and under sail, was seen at sea, July 5th, making for Charleston, S. C.

A Washington despatch says George Hayes, a cousin of the President, is to succeed Internal Revenue Collector Freeland of Brooklyn, but the removal of the latter will be deferred a short time at the request of Henry Ward Beecher.

The revenue cutter "Grant" arrived at Eastport, Me., on Monday, with Secretary Sherman and party on board. She was but little injured by striking Lower Gangway Ledge.

A full statement of facts concerning the seizure of the whaling schooner Rising Sun has been forwarded to Washington by F. B. Goss, Collector of the Cape District. They are substantially the same as have been heretofore published. It is rumored that an agent of the Spanish Government has been in Provincetown, Mass., trying to adjust the matter of the seizure of the whaling schooner Ellen Rizpah. The agent for the owners, however, refused to accept any compromise, observing that it was a matter to be settled by our Government and not by him personally.

There is no hotel in Boston that offers finer accommodations at such reasonable rates as the old "American." It occupies a fine location and on account of its eligible situation and most perfect ventilation it is one of the most desirable and decidedly the coolest hotel in the city.

The hay crop in York and Cumberland counties, in Maine, is fully up to the average.

A drummer named Osborn, who travels for a Portland house, gave the blueberry pickers on "the Plains" at Wells, Me., quite a scare on Monday by his strange actions. He was found to be deranged.

About two weeks ago a terrible tragedy occurred on the Calcasieu River, a little above the northern line of this parish. A young lady named Gunter had eloped with a young man named Bass. Her father and brother pursued them to the residence of a neighboring magistrate, where a few minutes before they had been married. The father entered the house at one door and the son at another, and immediately the former discharged a double-barrelled gun loaded with buckshot in Bass' breast. The latter, though mortally wounded, returned the fire by two shots from a revolver, both taking effect in the elder Gunter's head. Both parties fell to the floor, and young Gunter plunged a bowie knife repeatedly into Bass' body. The latter died instantly. Young Gunter then took up his father, who is likely to recover from the pistol shots in his head, as they were glancing shots, and fled. Being pursued by the sheriff and a posse, he turned on his pursuers with a revolver, and was shot by the posse, dying from his wounds a day or two after. The elder Gunter is in the custody of the sheriff.—*Lake Charles (Ohio) Echo.*

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The firemen on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad struck on Monday, and took possession of the railroad at Martinsburg, West Virginia, refusing to allow any of the "new men" procured by the company to run the engines. The Governor, Matthew, was called on by the railroad company for troops, and two companies were sent. A train was started, but the strikers then fired on the troops, one soldier being wounded. The soldiers returned the fire, killing one striker. After this the strikers cut the couplings of the cars, and up to noon on Tuesday prevented the moving of trains, holding their own against the military.

A Berlin dispatch says that some more vessels have imported Colorado beetles in German harbors. Ships arriving from America will henceforth be carefully inspected. Placards containing life-size portraits of the insect will be distributed throughout the country.

—A good rule on the subject of pardons has been adopted by the Governor of Illinois, which requires three weeks' publication of a notice of application in a newspaper as near the place where the trial occurred as possible, and, when obtainable, a statement regarding the case by the judge and prosecuting attorney therein.

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Sch Rachel L Hersey, Coggins, New York.
Sch Cicero, Nichols, Port Johnson.

Barque Armenian, Salter, from Narrakal arr at Colombo June 2.

Barque Jennie Sweeney, Hudson, for this port cld from Philadelphia July 14.

Sch Clara E Simpson, Tulpey, from Boston, arr at Baltimore, July 15.

Sch Lulu Lynn, Insley, for this port, cld from Philadelphia July 14.

Sch Jesse Williamson, Jr. Frisbee, from Pigeon Cove, arr at New York July 14.

Sch Mary Willey, Williams, from this port, arr at Bangor July 15.

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At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and Somough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 3 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

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For further particulars inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

Dated July 7th, 1877.

CHARLES S. SYMONDS, Assignee.

To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term*, June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1872, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Atty.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord, in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.

A true copy.

Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.

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You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. AKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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Boston & Providence	120½
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Nashua & Lowell	50
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Eastern	31
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	103
Manchester & Lawrence	120
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Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
Washington, D. C., July 9, 1877.

The Bureau of Construction and Repair will receive proposals until 12 o'clock M. of Tuesday, the 14th day of August, 1877, for building the shells of the turrets of the double-turreted monitor "Miantonomoh," now at Chester, Pennsylvania; scrap-iron for the work to be furnished by the Bureau.

The turrets are to be 22 feet and 9 inches external diameter, and will be constructed of plates 9 feet long, about 5 feet broad, and 10½ inches in thickness, according to plans which will be for exhibition at the Navy Yard, League Island, on and after the 20th of July instant.

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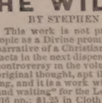

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For BANGOR, 10:58, A. M., 9:06, P. M.

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For WOLFEBORO' 10:27 A. M.; 5:41 P. M.

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FROM NORTH CONWAY 7:50, A. M; 12:30, 2:30, P. M.

FROM WOLFEBORO' 8:40, A. M., 3:30 P. M.

FROM GREAT FALLS 7:34, 10:27, A. M., 2:32, 4:52 P. M.

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH, have adopted the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall carry them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than twenty nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Battles in the Pacific.

The fight of the rebel ram Huascar with the Peruvian iron-clad frigate Independencia and the wooden corvettes Union and Pilcomayo, May 27th, near Pisaqua, and that of the Huascar with the British frigates Shah and Amethyst the following day, were very lively affairs, and the rebel commander, Pierola, showed much skill and pluck. The Huascar, in the first action, simply moved around in a circle, firing but few shots, while those of the enemy glanced from her iron plating. At one time, however, the Union, having twelve seventy pounders, got up so near the Huascar that the men of the latter began discharging rifles and revolvers at those of the former, apprehending an attempt at boarding. The Union, as soon as she got near enough, let drive a broadside which so damaged the Huascar's turret that no further use could be made of the two three-hundred pound guns mounted in it. The Independencia fired ten shots with her pivot guns of one-hundred and fifty pounds, and thirty with her seventy pounders in battery. The Pilcomayo, well ensconced behind the Independencia, fired shells at the ram. The Huascar got away, having damaged the other vessels but little.

Immediately on the refusal of Pierola next day to haul down the Peruvian colors, the Shah opened her broadsides, which are discharged by electricity, the Amethyst lying off and attempting to rake the ram. The Huascar replied with its heavy three-hundred pound Blakeleys. Soon everything on the Huascar's decks, except the mast, turret and smoke-stack, had disappeared, but she kept firing. A shell from the Amethyst entered one of her forward ports, killing one man and wounding several, but the Amethyst was shortly seen with a thick smoke issuing from amidships steaming out of action, and did not return for twenty minutes. The Huascar now attempted to ram her adversary, but the splendid handling of the Shah prevented. On being approached, as the Huascar's officers state, the Shah appeared to move as if by instinct, and her heavy batteries were brought to bear on the assailant. A small Gatling gun stationed in her tops very seriously incommoded the combatants on the ram, and her smoke-stack is riddled with musket bullets. One three-hundred pound shot struck the turret of the Huascar, penetrated the iron two inches and then rebounded. On the side, she was hit twice by the same class of shot with precisely the same result. The Peruvian also made some unsuccessful dives at the Amethyst. The Huascar finally retired toward the shore, after a contest of three hours, all the primers of the turret guns having been destroyed, and the enemy did not pursue.

—A distinguished Japanese traveller in this country writes home: "The chief branch of education of young men here is rowing. The people have large boat-houses called 'colleges,' and the principal of these are Yale and Harvard."

—Two young ladies were once singing a duet in a concert room. A stranger, who had heard better performances, turned to his neighbor, saying: "Does not the lady in white sing wretchedly?" "Excuse me, sir, I scarcely feel myself at liberty to express my sentiments; she is my sister." "I beg your pardon, sir," answered he in much confusion, "I mean the lady in blue." "You are perfectly right there," replied the neighbor. "I have often told her so myself; she is my wife."

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Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, JULY 19, 1877.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, July 16.

The Governor and Council have appointed Moses Humphrey of Concord a trustee of the Reform School in place of Hon. Daniel Marcy of Portsmouth, who declined a reappointment. They have also appointed Charles S. Eastman of Concord, Commissioner of the Board of Pharmacy for the term of three years.

I am informed that the State Prison committee have agreed unanimously to report back the bill for the erection of a new State Prison with the amendments offered by the Senate, and to recommend its passage. The principal amendments are: the commissioners shall not be confined to any particular building spot in Concord, but that it shall be somewhere in Concord; the number of cells shall be 200; the work shops shall be large enough to accommodate 200 workmen; a plan specific in detail, shall be drawn of not only the external, but the internal design of the prison and buildings, and left open to inspection for the public for a certain time; the old prison shall be sold at public auction, due notice of such sale having been given, and not at private sale; the contract shall be let to the lowest responsible bidder who complies with the provisions of this act.

The House met at eight o'clock. A communication was received from the Senate. They deemed it inexpedient to legislate upon the act to relieve the Ten Cent Savings Bank of Portsmouth. They sent down a bill entitled "an act for the protection of oyster beds." This bill prohibits the taking of oysters from Great Bay in Rockingham county in the months of May, June, July and August, unless bedded by private persons, under a penalty of not less than $20 and not more than $100 for each offence.

House bill No. 37 caused considerable discussion upon a motion to refer it to the judiciary committee, the evident design being to smother it. It was finally ordered to a third reading. This bill relates to public printing. It will receive a thorough airing and possibly suffer a defeat.

The committee on Insurance reported a bill "to protect policy holders in life insurance companies" with a recommendation that the bill be read once and then printed and referred to the next legislature at its opening.

The railroad lobby has come in large numbers to-day to defeat the bill introduced by Mr. Ordway of Warner in regard to the taxation of railroads. The committee on finance have had three meetings upon the subject to-day.

The following is the message relating to the veto of the Magdalena River Railroad Charter:

"I return herewith to the House of Representatives in which it originated, the bill entitled, 'an act to incorporate the Magdalena River Railroad,' without my signature or approval. The primary and most proper objects of our State legislation are those which relate to interests within its own limits; and peculiar circumstances alone can justify a departure from that course of legislation. But this bill relates to an enterprise without the limits and jurisdiction of this State, the construction and operation of a railroad in South America, and the corporators named in it are mainly non-residents of this State. It is not apparent therefore that many persons or interests in this State can properly ask for this legislation. It is very clear that the provisions of the bill so far as they purport to grant any authority to construct and operate a railroad in a foreign State, and to acquire real estate and other property, and to exercise powers in that State for these purposes, would be entirely nugatory so far as any actual operation in that State, in those respects would be concerned. But the bill also authorizes the issue of bonds with mortgages of the road and other property of the corporation for security; a power which might be exercised in this State, through the provisions of the bill with regard to the proposed security for the payment of those bonds would be inoperative. And the only effect of this bill in that respect, therefore, would be to sanction the implication of a security, which, in fact, might not have any existence whatever. We cannot be too jealous in guarding the legislation of our State from being used for purposes foreign to its proper objects, and from enactments which however honestly intended, yet can be used for improper purposes. If this corporation desires or expects the protection of the United States government, I am clearly of the opinion that the Congress of the United States should grant the charter, for it is to the general government they must look for protection, and not to the State of New Hampshire. It seems to me that in the press of business, the peculiar character and provisions of this bill, and the considerations I have suggested, may not have received all the attention they deserve, and therefore I return it with these my objections to it, so that it may received farther consideration by the legislature."

CONCORD, July 17.

Early this morning Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth moved that the report of the committee on Banks (which had reported that the act to incorporate the Piscataqua Savings bank ought not to pass and which was laid upon the table on Mr. Hackett's motion) be taken from the table and considered. Mr. Hackett moved to amend the report by striking out the word "not," so that the report should read "and recommend that the bill ought to pass." The amendment was adopted and the bill was then ordered to a third reading. In the afternoon under a third reading it came up again, and Mr. Langdon moved that it be laid on the table; a viva voce vote resulted in the negative. Mr. Langdon then called for the yeas and nays, and the negative of the question prevailed. The bill was then passed.

House bill No. 27, which is "An act defining the representation of towns of less than six hundred population as shown by the Census of 1870," came up for a third reading. Immediately upon the reading of the bill the democrats moved to adjourn, to lay on the table, and to adjourn, all of which were voted down by viva voce, division, and yea and nay votes. The yeas and nays were then called as to whether the main question should be put, resulting in the affirmative. The bill passed by a vote of 190 yeas to 90 nays. As a last resort Norris of Epping moved to amend the title of the bill, but the Speaker refused to entertain the motion.

On motion of Mr. Patterson of Hanover the "act to provide for a topographical and hydrographical survey of the State" was taken from the table and referred to the next legislature.

The following bills were passed: An act to prevent towns and cities from aiding railroads and other corporations; an act for the better protection of children; a bill on the State printing. When the bill for State printing came up there was a determination to suppress it if possible. A motion was made to refer the bill to the commission on taxation. It was discussed by Messrs. Norris, Vilas, Wood, Batchellor, Stevens of Concord, Fellows, and Ide. In the course of the debate one speaker said "New Hampshire can afford to have its printing done as cheap as any other *man*."

A resolution was passed that no member shall speak more than five minutes on any question at any one time, nor a second time unless by unanimous consent of the House.

House bill No. 30 (Normal School bill) occupied most of the time of the House during the forenoon. The bill calls for an appropriation of $6000 annually for ten years. It provoked a good deal of discussion, Messrs. Mosher, Batchellor, Patterson, Barton, and Sargent speaking in favor, while Messrs. Gould, Clarke, Warden, and Whitcher spoke against. Mr. Clarke of Atkinson moved to put it back to a second reading so as to strike out the word annually. A division being called for it resulted in 152 affirmative and 86 negative, not two-thirds voting in the affirmative; the yeas and nays were then called for, which resulted in 109 nays and 152 yeas, again not two thirds voting in the affirmative. Mr. Stevens of Nashua came to the rescue and moved to lay it on the table so that the friends of the bill might make some changes which would be agreeable to the House, and it was so ordered.

There are to be two reports from the committee on finance, one with four signers that the bill as introduced by Mr. Ordway be recommended that it pass; the other that the matter be referred to a commission on taxation.

One of the amendments to be offered tomorrow to the cider bill is that grocers shall be allowed to sell enough sweet cider just before Thanksgiving to make mince pies. Mr. Ide of Claremont moved to amend the bill by striking out the words "ten gallons" and inserting the words "two gills."

Yours, A. B.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 16.

The reported decision of the President that his recent order, divorcing the civil service from politics, does not apply to members of the National Republican Committee has provoked much adverse criticism here. By it a Postmaster is allowed to retain his position as Chairman of that Committee, and Assistant Secretary McCormick remains its Secretary. The ground upon which this exemption is based—the fact that we are more than three years away from a Presidential election—is regarded as glaringly inconsistent by the logicians; and its untenable nature is pointed out by the republican departmental clerk who has just been ordered to sever his connection with his State Association, a politico-social organization, or vacate his office.

The collapse among the Life Insurance companies from the swindling and thieving management of their affairs, has operated to bring that form of investment into almost universal disrepute here. Agents have probably found the Departments among the most fruitful fields in the country, and they have been industriously worked. Provident employees have pretty generally availed themselves of this method of providing their families against the poverty that would otherwise result from their death, every cent that could be saved from current expenses having been, in many cases, applied to this purpose for years; and they are suddenly brought face to face with the fact that the money saved by years of the most rigid economy and complete abstinence from every form of extravagance, has all been swallowed up by the unconscionable thieves and robbers who acted as the swell officers of the "busted" companies. Could Mr. Furber and other insurance sharpers be brought to trial for their many crimes before a jury selected from the departmental victims, there would be small chance for them to ply their infamous vocation in the future.

Advices from the republicans of Ohio render it probable that Stanley Matthews will have to rest content with what Senatorial honors he can gather up during the brief time for which he was elected last Winter. Whether well founded or not, he seems to have awakened a general feeling of distrust at home and abroad; and notwithstanding the fact that Garfield is classed as an opponent of remonetization, while Ohio republicans are generally favorable to the extent at least of replacing the one and two dollar greenbacks with silver, he appears to have gained what Matthews has lost; and in case of their success this Fall, he will, it is admitted, succeed that gentleman in the Upper House. KNOX.

Democratic Management.

Let any one who wishes to study democratic management examine the records of New York city. That city has for many years been ruled by Tammany, and Tammany is not merely the representative democratic organization of the country, but the ruling power in the democratic party as well. The city of New York is nearly as badly governed and as badly plundered today as it was in the time of the great Sachem, Tweed. Tammany has changed its leaders, but not its principles. The city debt, deducting the sinking fund, is over $130,000,000, and has been increased $17,000,000 within the last six months; and of this increase the sum of $14,000,000 is in anticipation of the taxes for the current year! The rate of taxation is $2.65 on the $100, and the whole amount to be raised exceeds $28,000,000. This enormous expenditure has begun to toll upon the trade and business of the city, and threatens to seriously interfere with its permanent prosperity. The whole city government is in the hands of Tammany, which is the most corrupt political organization in the country, and which is mainly sustained by the votes of men who have little stake in the country. The contrast between the financial management of the federal government and that of New York, illustrates the difference between republican and democratic rule. While the debt of the federal government, incurred in the defence of the country, has been gradually diminishing, the debt of New York, incurred largely by reason of the plundering of Tammany, has been steadily increasing, until the annual charge reaches nearly to one-tenth of that of the national debt.

The War.

A despatch from Vienna says Nicopolis has been reduced to ashes, but the two hills completely sheltered the Turks from the Russian fire. The threatened breaking of the Sistova Bridge rendered the taking of Nicopolis essential in order that the Russians might establish another crossing. The assault was finally made, the Russians meeting a terrible fire from the Turkish artillery, but the whole Russian line steadily advanced on Sunday afternoon, and the Turks were driven from the heights, thus commanding Nicopolis, which place the Turks shortly abandoned. The Russians entered the town on Monday morning, finding many wounded Turks in the streets and houses. Another bridge will be thrown across the Danube at this point, and an immense quantity of stores and war material will be shipped over. The Russians can now go forward to Tirnova, sure of their base of supplies. The capture of Nicopolis is the most important event in the Bulgarian campaign.

It is officially announced that the reported attack by Turkish monitors on the Sistova bridge is untrue.

The Turks have evacuated and the Russians occupied Medjidie and Mangalia in the Dobrudscha.

A despatch from Constantinople says the Turkish Minister of War does not confirm previous official reports of the Grand Duke Nicholas' defeat, and despatches allege that the Turks retreated from Yeni Zaghra on Adrianople. The Russians are firmly established on a commanding position in the Kusarik Pass, and an early Russian attack on Adrianople is anticipated.

A Ministerial crisis is said to be impending in Constantinople. The Sultan is reported as strongly inclined to make peace, having already given Namyk Pasha at Shumla personal instructions on this subject. The Young Turks oppose this policy.

The War in West Virginia.

The striking firemen at Martinsburg held full control of the railroad throughout Tuesday night. The strikers and their friends, to the number of 1000, marched about defying the military and civil authorities. The strike is confined to the fireman and brakemen, none of the engineers or conductors having joined. Eighty engines are detained at Martinsburg, and none are allowed to depart; the engineers have been notified that any of them attempting to take a train out of the town will be immediately shot. Passenger trains are not interfered with, the strike being among freight train men. More troops were expected Wednesday morning.

—The School Director of Portland, Oregon, has dismissed the Principal of the High School and several other male teachers in the schools because they did not vote for him. Several female teachers have been dismissed for using their influence against him.

—The Richmond *Whig* tells of a sad case of a reverse of fortune to a young lady of that city, who was worth $100,000 a year, but married a man who squandered her property and has left her and gone to Europe. She is now penniless, peddling small articles in the streets for a livelihood, and not yet eighteen years of age.

—Two persons testify through the newspapers to having been cured of consumption—one by drinking all the lemon juice, with a little sugar in it, that he could digest, and the other by eating all the salt he could without nausea four times a day. Probably their diseases were more of the stomach and the blood than of the lungs.

—The Springfield quarters of the Harvard students this summer displayed the courteous placard, "Reporters and loafers not wanted here." The reporters took the hint and stayed away, but the loafers remained at the quarters, kept on training, and won the race, beating the gentlemen from Yale and other colleges.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

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Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
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Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
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Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
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Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M. 5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
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AID FOR ST. JOHN.

Messrs. Charles H. Mendum and Elbridge G. Peirce, Jr., the sub-committee appointed by the citizens' general committee to solicit subscriptions in aid of the sufferers by the great fire at St. John, N. B., report the following sums as subscribed and paid in:

Frank Jones	$50.00
E. H. Winchester	50.00
G. W. Haven	20.00
T. Salter Tredick	20.00
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Total	$697.00

This sum will be at once forwarded to the Mayor of St. John, to be applied to the purpose for which it was contributed,—and considering the great depression of business in this city, which has suffered even more than most other places, owing to the long-continued suspension of work on the navy yard, on which the city so much depends, we regard the response to the call for aid as most liberal and creditable. We should have considered the efforts of the sub-committee successful and gratifying had they collected but five hundred dollars, which sum we hardly expected they would secure when they first started out.

JOTTINGS.

A bill passed by the State Senate was sent down to the House on the 16th, prohibiting the taking of oysters in Great Bay during the months of May, June, July and August, unless where previously bedded by private parties, under a penalty of not less than $20 nor more than $100 for each offence.

Our harbor has been visited by an unusual number of yachts this season. There were five of them lying in port Wednesday evening—two from New York and three from Boston.

Schooner Mary S. Hontvet, Hontvet master, arrived from the Grand Banks on Wednesday with 150,000 pounds of split fish.

The U. S. S. Enterprise was floated out of the dry dock at the navy yard on Tuesday evening, the 17th.

The bill incorporating the Piscataqua Savings Bank of this city, which together with an adverse report from the committee on banks was laid on the table on motion of Mr. Frank W. Hackett some days ago, on motion of Mr. Hackett was taken from the table and passed by the House on the 17th. Mr. Hackett has been one of the working members of the House from the day of its opening, seeming to fall into the harness as readily and to pull as effectively as any of the old stagers.

Sheriff J. Horace Kent is arranging for a fish chowder, picnic and general good time at Dow's Woods, and has invited the County Commissioners, Deputy Sheriffs and other gentlemen to participate. We are informed that the same "doctor" who has administered to the needs of the Piscataquaico Chowderheads in years past will concoct the chowder for Mr. Kent's guests, in which case we guaranty the entire success of the chowder.

U. S. S. Speedwell was lying at the navy yard Wednesday evening, steamed up and only waiting orders to sail for New London, Conn., there to take on board the Fish Commissioners and their gear, after which she proceeds to Salem, Mass., her headquarters for the season. She is under command of Lt. Comdr. A. G. Kellogg; masters, James E. Smith (executive officer) and Hugh Kuhl. Mr. Joseph H. Edmonds of this city is paymaster's yeoman, and Robert C. Sides, Jr., machinist. She carries a crew of twenty-four men.

News and Notes.

The Indians are becoming more aggressive in the Deadwood district of the Black Hills. On the afternoon of the 17th, as the Bismarck stage reached a point two miles north of Bear Buttes and ten miles from Crook City, they came upon the bodies of two men and one woman lying in the road. The men were shot and scalped. The woman was shot, scalped and horribly mutilated. The murdered party were travelling by ox team. The contents of the wagon were scattered promiscuously about. The Indians, about twelve in number, after killing these travellers attacked a party of teamsters corralled a few miles back, but ran away at the first fire. Freighters coming in picked up the bodies and took them to Crook City.

There is great excitement in Oldtown, Me., over the discovery of gold on Treat and Webster's Island. Robert Gustin, who was excavating for a reservoir for the town, struck his pick into what seemed to be a crevice in the ledge, and broke off quite a large piece of rock, which on examination proved to be quartz filled with pure gold. The rock was thoroughly examined and pronounced by the old miners to be the same as the gold-bearing quartz rock of California, and very rich.

The San Francisco *Alta* publishes a statement of Capt. Resser of the brig Potomac, recently from Marquesas and Tahiti, who says that the tidal wave of May 10th was not felt at Tahiti; but at Nukiha, in the Marquesas group, and the Bay of Taiohoe, the water rose and fell all day, the greatest rise being fourteen feet. The tide swept away houses and other property. The warehouses were all washed away, and the inhabitants compelled to flee for their lives. The most remarkable phenomenon is that it had not rained for years on the island, when it commenced just prior to the tidal wave, and at the time of the Potomac sailing it had been raining heavily for twelve days, washing bridges, etc., away and doing considerable damage.

The Orangemen and Young Britons of Montreal, after returning from young Hackett's funeral on the evening of the 16th, paraded the streets with bands playing "Boyne Water," "Croppies Lie Down" and other party tunes, evidently aiming to exasperate the Catholic Irish into attacking them; but the respectable Irish kept their tempers, and the roughs—who attacked unarmed men and helpless women so bravely—were thoroughly cowed by the Orangemen's evident readiness for a desperate fight, and could not be coaxed out of their holes.

The lightning did serious mischief in various places, on the 17th inst. Mrs. Sandow and her child, and a boy fourteen years old, were killed at North Bergen, N. J., in a shed in which they had taken refuge from the rain. At Clarenceville, L. I., a Mrs. Light was killed and her husband injured. At Bridgeport, Conn., Mrs. William Ryan was killed. Two markers in the pits at Greedmoor, where a match was being shot, were struck by lightning, but not killed.

One of the Prince of Wales' "friends" is a Mrs. Hungerford, and Mr. Hungerford has now sought consolation by eloping with Lady Ernest Tempest. This has raised Tempest, Lord Ernest McDonnell Vane-Tempest, and he swears he will shoot. Lady Tempest was the daughter of a gentleman of Durham, and married in 1869 to her husband, who was somewhat her elder. The whole affair is likely to increase the murmurs at the tone imparted to noble society by "the first gentleman of England."

Affairs in Carter county, Ky., are still in an unsettled state. A young man named Hamm was shot there Saturday by some of the Underwood party. All the prisoners arrested by the militia were tried—*and acquitted!* The civil authorities are unable to enforce the laws since the withdrawal of the militia.

The last new nonsense connected with schools is reported to us from a Massachusetts city in which the graduating class of the High School sent cards of invitation to the exercises of examination day, which were in the elegant and costly style of wedding invitations. Each expensive envelope contained the general card of invitation and also that of the young lady or ladies sending it. With what pleasure must a poor man or woman, supporting a family by ill-paid labor, and keeping a daughter in school only by means of constant and pinching economy, have paid his or her proportion of this "high-toned" affair. And if any girl, we beg pardon, any young lady was positively unable to join in this folly, how agreeable must have been her position. We are not informed whether or not cake and wine were provided for the guests, but we are sure that with the addition of these delicacies and a reporter of the Jenkins school to describe the dresses and the manner of the graduates, there would have been nothing lacking to make the occasion, as Jenkins would say, *recherche*. How grateful we ought to be that we live in a land of simple habits where common sense dictates expenditures of all sorts.—*Providence Journal.*

—In a discussion in the board of aldermen of a neighboring city while they were debating a proposition to supply the place with a new style of lamp-posts, one member got up and innocently remarked that he, for one, had always found the old ones "good enough to stand by."

—A Western paper has improved on the original plan, and now says, "No communication will be published in this paper unless accompanied by the full name of the writer and a five dollar bill; these are not requested for publication, but as a guaranty of good faith."

—The New York *Herald* tells of a clerk in one of Gotham's greatest dry goods stores who had his hair cropped a little too short the other day, and so he was discharged.

The farm buildings of Robert M. Shirley in New Boston were destroyed by fire on Saturday, the 14th, the hired man having foolishly set fire to a wasp's nest in the barn. Loss $2500 and no insurance.

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At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 95 State street.

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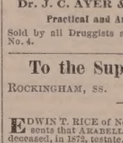

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ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term,* June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1873, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1875, was removed from his position as Executor of said will,

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

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BY THE JUDGE OF PROBATE FOR SAID COUNTY.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of LEONARD AKERMAN, late of Portsmouth in said County, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting:

You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. AKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said county, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

By order of the Judge,

WOODBURY M. DURGIN, Register of Probate.

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Daily Chronicle.

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—The wife of a Royal Academician of vast popularity, wrote to a butler, about whose character she had inquired, that she cold not engage him, finding he had left his last two places on account of his temper. This note, in an unfastened envelope, was the same day returned to the R. A.'s house, with this written on the fly-leaf; "Cotterell thinks it is not on account of temper, but which you cannot pay proper wages *out of a paint-pot.*"

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106¼
Maine State 6s, 1889	119
N. H. State 6s, 1825	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	2¾
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	80
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	114½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	81
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	43½
Northern N. H.	53½
Old Colony & Newport	21
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	8
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

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Butter, per lb 20 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
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Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.50, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
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Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 13½
Fish per ¾ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
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Oats per bushels, 40 to 53 cents.
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Pork per bbl., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
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NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
Washington, D. C., July 9, 1877.

The Bureau of Construction and Repair will receive proposals until 12 o'clock M. of Tuesday, the 14th day of August, 1877, for building the sheds of the turrets of the double-turreted monitor "Miantonomoh," now at Chester, Pennsylvania; scrap-iron for the work to be furnished by the Bureau.

These turrets are to be 22 feet and 9 inches external diameter, and will be constructed of plates 9 feet long, about 5 feet broad, and 10½ inches in thickness, according to plans which will be for exhibition at the Navy Yard, League Island, on and after the 20th of July instant.

Separate proposals will be received under this advertisement as follows:

1st. For the entire work of completing these turrets, including the rerolling of the iron.

2d. For all the labor of building these turrets, the materials, ready for use, to be provided by the Bureau.

3d. For rolling the iron required in their construction. (The scrap to be furnished by the Bureau.)

Plans to be seen and planed according to plans.

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It is desirable that these turrets should be constructed on some wharf on the Delaware river, in such position as to be readily placed on board the ship.

No proposal will be received except from parties known to possess the requisite facilities to perform the work in a satisfactory manner, and the Bureau reserves the right to reject any and all offers, if considered to the interest of the Government to do so.

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies so may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind, about their stalls or premises over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal or fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his house is sick with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum at twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and remove said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

DANIEL W. JONES, M. D.,
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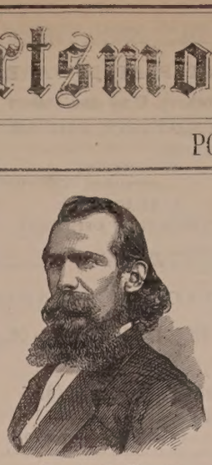
Health Officers.



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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Making Hay.

The old saw which tells the farmer to "make hay while the sun shines" does not go far enough in the way of advice, for much poor hay is made in the best of haying weather. A man cannot make good hay of poor material; consequently, he must not only have some good plant to begin with, but must cut it at the proper stage of its growth. The best of timothy and red-top, or any of the clovers, if allowed to stand until ripe and the leaves drop, are worth little more for hay than so much rye straw; and it is to the importance of cutting hay early that we wish to call special attention. There is never too much fodder saved anywhere for the use of stock in winter; but there is a vast quantity gathered which is almost worthless, because the operation is delayed until the plants are past their best.

Haymaking consists essentially in expelling moisture from green herbage cut in a succulent stage, and it ought to be so conducted as to expel only water, while retaining as much of this as will secure the perfect conservation of the hay. If too large a quantity of moisture is retained, fermentation, followed by deterioration of value, results. The best time to cut a crop for hay is at the completion of growth in the stature of the plant, when the formation of seed has commenced. If the operation is delayed, the stem begins to lignify, or becomes woody, and the most important nutrient principles are absorbed by the seed, which is generally lost by falling out, becoming scattered during harvesting, or while the hay is being fed out to the stock. —*Exchange.*

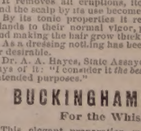
An Interesting Will Case.

John D. Lewis, head of the dry goods firm of Lewis, Haviland & Co., New York, about a year ago was thrown from a carriage and killed. He left a will bequeathing $15,000 to different parties, and directed that the income of his estate be paid to Miss Lizzie Barton Taylor until she was lawfully married. If she had any children, the estate was to go to them; and if not married or without children when she died she was to be buried in the same grave with the testator, and the estate expended in decorating their grave. It was suspected that Mr. Lewis had negro blood in his veins, and the will was contested by Henry Lewis and Mary Smith, brother and sister, and both with full negro blood in their veins and claiming to be half-brother and half-sister of the deceased. On trial it was proved that Lewis was the son of a Virginian slave woman and a Canadian, the mother having fled to Canada during the existence of slavery in the United States. Judge Barrett in a special term of the Supreme Court gave his decision in the case. He sweeps away all objections of the will except that giving Miss Taylor the income of the estate until she is lawfully married, and whether she has children or not the estate then goes to Lewis and his sister.

—George Alfred Townsend's father, an old gentleman of 71, has just graduated at the University of Pennsylvania with the degree of Ph. D., after passing a good examination, and the boys gave him a hearty cheer as he went up to take his sheep-skin.

—The Texas papers report the rigid enforcement of the laws against drunkenness and the use of improper language in public places in all parts of the State, as also of the law against carrying improper weapons.

—An old tin pan doesn't "point a moral" as often as it "adorns a tail."



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Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, JULY 20, 1877.

FEDERAL INTERFERENCE IN STATE AFFAIRS!

"FEDERAL BAYONETS" IN THE SOUTH!!

The Tyrant's Heel on the Prostrate Freeman's Neck!!!

At a meeting of the President and Cabinet, on Tuesday, the 17th, a telegram was received from Governor Matthews of West Virginia in regard to the riots on the line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, and intimating that it might be necessary to call on the President for United States troops to aid the State officials in preserving the peace. Notwithstanding the forewarning considerable surprise was manifested in official circles on Wednesday afternoon, when Secretary McCrary received from Governor Matthews a telegram dated Wheeling, W. Va., stating that the strikers on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad had become so riotous and incendiary that he was unable to quell the disturbance with the force at his command, and requesting that United States troops be placed at his disposal to put down the mob. Secretary McCrary immediately repaired to the White House and laid the telegram before the President. The two then entered upon a short discussion of its contents and concluded that it did not contain sufficient information to justify the calling out of the United States troops. The President desired Secretary McCrary to telegraph to Governor Matthews for more explicit information on the subject, which he did as follows:

"Your despatch to the President, asking for troops, is received. The President is averse to intervention, unless it is clearly shown that the State is unable to suppress the insurrection. Please furnish a full statement of facts; what force can the State raise and how strong are the insurgents?

GEORGE W. MCCRARY, Sec. of War."

The following despatch was promptly received by Secretary McCrary in return:

"The only organized force in the State consists of four companies; two of them are at Martinsburg and in sympathy with the rioters, who are believed to be 800 strong. Another company is thirty-eight miles from the railroad, and only one company of forty men efficient. There is no organized militia in the State. Will send Colonel Delaplane to see the President if desired. He is at Martinsburg. I have been reluctant to call on the President, but deemed it necessary to prevent bloodshed.

HENRY W. MATTHEWS, Governor."

After the exchange of the foregoing correspondence, it was intimated to Governor Matthews that a call for United States troops, made as provided for by the Constitution and laws, would receive proper attention, and shortly thereafter the following telegram was received.

"Owing to an unlawful combination at Martinsburg and other points along the line of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, it is impossible with any force at my command to execute the laws of the State. I therefore call upon your Excellency for the assistance of the United States military to protect the law-abiding people of the State against domestic violence and to maintain the supremacy of the law. The Legislature is not now in session and could not be assembled in time to take any action in the emergency. A force of from two to three hundred should be sent without delay to Martinsburg, where my aid, Colonel Delaplane, will meet and confer with the officer in command. HENRY M. MATTHEWS,

Governor of West Virginia."

The President immediately referred the above despatch to the Secretary of War, with directions to send all the available troops stationed in Washington and at Fort McHenry, Baltimore, to Martinsburg as speedily as possible. Secretary McCrary promptly issued the necessary order to the Adjutant-General of the Army, and telegraphic instructions were sent to General Barry at Fort McHenry to send all his available force as directed by the President. The force amounts to eight officers and about 120 men. Orders were also issued to General French, commanding at the Washington Arsenal to prepare all his available force for shipment to Martinsburg with the greatest despatch. The force sent from Washington amounts to twelve officers and 200 men. The combined forces were under the immediate command of General French. Secretary McCrary, in reply to the call of Governor Matthews for troops, notified him of the favorable action of the President. He also notified the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad authorities of the probable movement of troops to Martinsburg, and suggested that the railroad company make arrangements for prompt transportation to that point. The Adjutant-General of the Army has furnished to General French for his guidance copies of the correspondence in relation to the employment of the military force of the United States to suppress insurrections, which passed between General Grant, General Buchanan and General Meade in 1868, upon the occasion of Governor Warmoth's call for United States troops to aid in the suppression of domestic violence in Louisiana. This correspondence embraces the full text of Article 4, Section 4, of the Constitution of the United States, and the acts of Congress approved February 28, 1795, and March 3, 1807: also an elaborate opinion of Mr. Evarts on the subject-matters of the correspondence. Mr. Evarts at that time was Attorney-General of the United States.

President Hayes on Wednesday evening issued a proclamation commanding "all persons engaged in said unlawful and insurrectionary proceedings to disperse and retire peaceably to their respective abodes, on or before 12 o'clock noon of the 19th day of July instant, and hereafter abandon said combination and submit themselves to the laws and constituted authorities of the State."

The Senatorial Districts.

The Senatorial bill will stand for ten years, by the terms of the amended Constitution. By the vote of last March, seven of the districts are democratic and seventeen republican, with majorities as follows:

Coos	493 Dem.
Grafton	1317 Dem.
Lebanon	702 Rep.
Plymouth	310 Rep.
Laconia	662 Dem.
Winnipesaukee	309 Dem.
Sullivan	572 Rep.
Hillsborough	357 Dem.
Merrimac	278 Rep.
Concord	554 Rep.
Pittsfield	395 Dem.
Somersworth	499 Rep.
Keene	451 Rep.
Cheshire	823 Rep.
Peterborough	328 Rep.
Amherst	593 Rep.
Nashua	138 Rep.
Manchester	309 Rep.
Amoskeag	409 Rep.
Londonderry	436 Rep
Rockingham	572 Rep.
Newmarket	196 Dem.
Dover	384 Rep.
Portsmouth	108 Rep.

Righteous Retribution.

For years the landlords, hackmen and residents generally at Niagara Falls have been noted for their extortions upon travellers; every point of interest was fenced in and roofed over, and could only be seen after handing over untold shekels; it cost the unhappy visitor twenty-five cents every time he breathed; he could not carry his valise from the depot to a hotel for less than ten dollars; and if he employed a hack, what little money he had left after paying his fare was appropriated by the hotel landlord for a night's lodging. In short, the shark and vulture were crowded into obscurity as emblems of voracious rapacity, the Niagara landlord and hackman taking their places.

It is with pleasure that people who have been so mercilessly fleeced by these extortioners in the past now hear a wail go up that "the slanders of the newspapers have ruined the Falls as a summer resort," and learn that the worthy people of that region are despondent to the last degree. Niagara should be the leading summer resort of the country,—was such, formerly, and would still have been but for the very men who now so sadly lament the falling off of summer travel in that direction; it was they who killed the goose that laid the golden egg,—and the once plundered pleasure seeker now laughs at their calamity. The harpies plundered the public for years, and thought they could do it forever; and now that they find they cannot they are very sorry—sorry that their plundering days are over. They have recently employed a correspondent of the New York *Times* to "write up" the Falls and the cheapness of hotels and hacks thereat, but it is of no use; so many people have been plundered by the extortionate charges there that one man's writings to the contrary will go but a little way toward moulding public opinion. A few years of hard times at the Falls may make things so that a man with $100,000 in his pocket will be able to stop there an entire week without getting dead broke; then, and not till then, will Niagara again become a place of popular resort.

Howl, Brothers, Howl!

We know that the Hayes administration would blunder at last, and call forth the savage denunciations of the democratic State Sovereignty press, and now it has been and gone and done it—at least, we suppose so. Hayes has sent troops into a Southern State! *Federal Bayonets* again flash in the rays of the setting sun of Southern Liberty, and the hob-nailed boots of a Military Despotism press heavy on the necks of the prostrate citizens of that unhappy section. Howl, brethren of the democratic press, howl. Do, just for this time, give us one good, old-fashioned democratic howl about "federal bayonets" and "military despotism"—such a howl as you sent up when Grant sent troops into Louisiana and South Carolina, to aid the State authorities in preserving the peace.

There is a little difference in the circumstances, it must be allowed. Neither Kellogg nor Packard asked for troops until many scores of murders had been committed, whereas Matthews called in federal bayonets before a single man had been assassinated. Except in this one point the cases are similar; Matthews, like the republican governors, called for aid because the State was powerless to enforce the State laws; also, he called for troops without waiting the action of the State legislature—just as Chamberlain did, and for the same reason, viz: that the legislature was not in session. Thus you see, brethren of the democratic press, what a magnificent chance you have got to howl. Blaze away, boys; call Matthews a pusillanimous imbecile, and demonstrate that a governor who cannot enforce the laws has no business in the gubernatorial chair; give us a few lectures on local self-government; blather a little about "Hayes' satraps" and "military despotism;" but above all, don't forget the "federal bayonets." A good democratic yell about federal bayonets would seem like an old acquaintance just now. So never mind the fact that it is a democratic governor who has called in the troops, but yell at Hayes for doing his duty in the premises under the Constitution, just as you did at Grant under the same circumstances. Howl, brothers, howl!

The War.

A despatch from Pesth, Hungary, says that the passage of the Balkans by the Russians has produced a most profound consternation there. The Hungarian journals energetically demand the immediate action of Austro-Hungary against Russia. The semi-official organs are less emphatic, and urge delay until after a decisive battle. Other despatches say that Italy will make alliance with Russia if Austria interferes.

A Bucharest despatch says 20,000 Russians are now south of the Balkans, and hold both Shipka and Demir Kapu passes. A flying corps occupy all the stations on the Jamboli (Adrianople) line. Raouf Pasha, who at first believed he had repulsed the main body of the Russians on the south side of the Balkans, merely drove back a small body sent against him as a feint, while the bulk of the army passed on behind.

The President's Policy Endorsed.

At Concord, Wednesday evening, the House committee on National affairs made two reports, as follows:

MAJORITY REPORT.

Whereas, by the voice of the people, as well as the decision of Congress, Rutherford B. Hayes became the lawful and rightful President of the United States, and since his accession to the Presidency has in good faith aimed to secure the permanent pacification of the country and the protection of all its citizens in the full enjoyment of all rights; therefore,

Resolved, by the House of Representatives in General Court convened, That we condemn as factious and mischievious all attempts to reopen the Presidential dispute or to question the right or title of the President to his high office.

Resolved, That we approve the general conduct of the National Administration, which is designed to restore peace and prosperity to the country, by extending an equal regard and protection of law to the rights of all citizens, by the extinction of sectional lines and race animosities, by the encouragement of education, the revival of industry, the restoration of commerce, the resumption of specie payments, the reduction of expenditures and taxation, the reformation of the civil service, and by maintaining the rights and honor of the nation at home and abroad.

Resolved, That in the character, patriotism and services of President Hayes, both as a soldier and a statesman, and in the clear and noble utterances of his State papers, we have a pledge that he will give to the country a just, wise and beneficient administration of public affairs.

Resolved, That while the people of New Hampshire earnestly desire the speedy restoration of peace and good-will in every section of the country, they view with apprehension and alarm the atrocities, political persecutions and murders in the lately reconstructed States; and if the efforts of the Administration to restore confidence and good-will between the States are abused by the madness of sectional animosities, it will leave those so rejecting them, without excuse and without pity, to such stern measures as may be demanded for the protection of personal rights, and the maintenance of public order.

MINORITY REPORT.

The undersigned, a minority of the committee on national affairs, respectfully submit the following resolution, as a substitute for the resolutions reported by the majority of said committee, and recommend its passage:

Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, that the acts of the National Administration, in the removal of United States troops from the States of Florida, Louisiana and South Carolina, and in the restoration of self-government to those States, and the order forbidding the connection of Federal office-holders with what is styled "the machinery of politics," for the purpose of controlling partisan organizations, caucuses, or conventions, and prohibiting the assessment of office-holders for partisan purposes, deserve our emphatic approval.

A motion was made to substitute the minority for the majority report. This was lost and the majority report was then adopted without discussion.

—A dispenser of stimulants at a popular seaside resort very appropriately signs himself "Yours, cordially."

—The other day Mr. L. B. Milliken of Saco was walking upon the beach at Old Orchard when he observed a small animal leave the grass, run across the sand to the surf, and in a few moments plunge in and commence to swim. It came ashore again, ran a short distance and then took to the water again. Mr. Milliken's small dog gave chase and then the animal commenced to run around in a circle, each time drawing nearer to Mr. Milliken. Finally Mr. Milliken decided to await the approach of the animal and when it came around it lay down between his feet. It proved to be a small striped squirrel. Its conduct throughout was singular, and it evidently lay down at Mr. Milliken's feet for protection.—*Biddeford Times.*

EXCURSION TO THE SHOALS,
— ON —
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Under the auspices of the WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE LEAGUE,
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Local Matters.

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Boston, South & West,	5.00, 10.55	A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.55	"	3.00 "
Portland	9.45	"	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	"	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40	"	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10	A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10	A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00	"	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30	"	
Concord and North,	10.30	"	6.30 "
Dover,	10.30	"	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

WRECK OFF BOON ISLAND.

The schooner Dom Pedro, 140 tons burthen, Captain David Speight, from Boston, bound for St. John, her hailing port, was run down and sunk Wednesday night about 11 o'clock off Boon Island by the U. S. revenue cutter Grant. At the time of the collision the cutter was under steam, running for New York, and at 10 o'clock was going at half speed, as she was approaching a fog bank coming from the southeast. At intervals the fog lifted, shutting down thick in the next few minutes. At 10.50, the steamer still moving cautiously and blowing its whistle every twenty seconds, the lookouts discovered a schooner about three-quarters of a mile ahead, one point on the starboard bow. In the next moment saw her starboard light distinctly, and then the fog covered the schooner. The cutter's engine was slowed, and it was expected that the schooner, running before a moderate breeze with a following sea, would pass the steamer. Almost immediately thereafter the schooner appeared heading to the eastward across the steamer's course. The engines were at once stopped and backed, and the helm put hard-a-starboard, but the schooner came on at the rate of about six miles an hour and struck the starboard bow of the Grant. In an instant the steamer was clear of the schooner, having gathered stern way. The schooner was cut in her port fore-chains so badly that she was sinking. The captain, crew and passengers, with a portion of their effects, were taken off by the Grant, which arrived at Boston Thursday morning. The cutter lost her starboard cat-head and jib-boom, but is apparently not injured otherwise. The schooner's company consisted of nine persons, three of whom were women and two boys. The Dom Pedro was about ten years old, English built, valued at about $6000, and had a general cargo valued at about $5000.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, July 19th.

Thomas Anderson, for being drunk, was ordered to pay a fine of $3, costs taxed at $6.90.

Artie Barney, Olive Austin and Sarah Bartlett were charged with being common street walkers. The first named was dismissed, the evidence not sustaining the charge; the other two promised to leave the city immediately and keep out of it for not less than four months if they were let off, on the strength of which promise they were allowed to go.

Artie Barney was then arraigned for being drunk, but escaped conviction on this charge also.

JOTTINGS.

The Universalist Sunday School had a picnic, dance, etc., at Pinkham's Grove, Dover, on Wednesday; the picnic was largely attended and all had a good time, though the weather was rather oppressive; Harlow's Orchestra furnished the music. On the same day the North Parish had a picnic at Dow's Woods and Wallis' Sands; and the Methodist Sunday School a picnic and chowder at Sagamore Grove. The Episcopal Sunday School picniced at Wallis' Sands on Thursday.

Samuel H. Fillsbury of Biddeford has been appointed quarterman pattern-maker at the navy yard.

The Legislature adjourned *sine die* at about four o'clock Thursday afternoon. The Piscataqua Savings Bank bill, and the bill for the protection of oysters in Great Bay, were passed by the Senate Thursday forenoon. The bill altering the time of electing Inspectors of Elections in this city was killed in the Senate. The bill providing for the election of School Committee in this city by the Board of Aldermen has become a law. The cider bill passed, with a "local option" amendment.

United States Deputy Marshal Joseph P. Morse of this city has this week, by virtue of a writ in favor of the Eastern Railroad Company against the Portsmouth, Great Falls and Conway railroad, attached all the franchise and real estate belonging to said road, to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars. The cause of the action is not yet explained.

A man named William Cutter, employed on the U. S. S. Enterprise, ran away from that vessel on Tuesday afternoon with a considerable amount of funds belonging to one of the messes, and though vigorous search has been made, no trace of him has yet been found.

A gentleman passing along Middle street one morning recently, noticed an Irishman looking at a beautiful elm in front of Capt. Pray's residence with such evident admiration that he addressed him with "That's a very handsome tree, sir." "Indeed it is," was the reply; "I planted that tree myself, twenty-three years ago, when it was so small that I brought it up from Little Harbor in my hand. Mrs. Cushing told me to bring it up and set it out in front of Dr. Peabody's house, and I did—and this is it." The tree is now nearly eighteen inches in diameter, and is perhaps the finest of the many fine elms on that street. If the man who makes two blades of grass grow where one grew before is a benefactor, Mr. Daniel Murphy has a right to be proud of the beautiful tree he set out so long ago.

News and Notes.

Gen Howard on the 13th captured chief Joseph's camp, with provisions, ammunition, etc. Joseph then made overtures for peace, and was told he could surrender.

Ellen Campbell was murdered in a most cruel manner at Auburn, Mass., Wednesday, by James Mulcahy, alias Williams, who is under arrest and is supposed to be insane.

Even now, it is not known exactly how many lives were lost by the St. John fire. Eighteen persons at least met sudden deaths at the time.

The exiled Modocs are living peacefully on their reservation in Kansas, and occasionally turn a penny by selling bows, arrows and Indian notions to the whites.

In New York one Thomas Kelly, a boy of fifteen, has just confessed his share in a plot to throw a long train off the track of one of the Long Island railroads, in order to kill a certain number of passengers, whose dead bodies might then be robbed! And this young villain's father is serving out a life sentence for murder! The young man comes honestly by his devilish disposition.

Capt. Thomas Connell, in charge of the lightship at Manicongan Station, Gulf of St. Lawrence, reports that on July 3d he picked up a bottle floating past the lightship, and on opening it found a slip of paper with the following words: "Whoever finds this bottle let them tell our families we are now burning to pieces—steamship Pictou. I must run. I cannot say more." Capt. Connell says the paper was scorched and much decayed, with no signature or date. The steamship Pictou left Quebec on the 14th of November, 1873, and was last seen off Pictou, Nova Scotia. All that was ever found of her was some spars and other pieces of the wreck.

The London *World* well says that "there are too many enterprising men on both sides the Atlantic to allow of a long-continued monopoly in telegraphic business. The great business houses could not afford to let it go on. The rate when competition existed was a shilling a word; it is now three shillings, and there is talk of still further raising the price. It cannot last, and we already hear rumors of a new cable company." Cheap telegraphing is imperatively needed on each side of the Atlantic.

The Pennsylvania railroad now places on the rear car of freight trains a signal light so arranged that, when the train is at rest, the light is steadily in view; but when in motion the light "flashes," or alternately appears and disappears, and thus the movement and speed of the train can be estimated.

On the 18th, at Indianapolis, the local "Blues" beat the Manchester Base ball club, two to nothing.

Barque Amphitrite, at Quebec from Bristol, Eng., reports on June 26th spoke schooner New Bedford, (twenty feet long,) Capt. Crapo, bound to England, in longitude forty- three west.

Apropos of the authenticity of General Stark's laconic speech at Bennington, and in further confirmation of the statement that he called his wife by the pet name "Molly," notwithstanding it was Elizabeth, it is stated on authority of Miss Abby Stark, his granddaughter, now living at Manchester, that the General did not limit himself to one pet name, but frequently addressed her as "Deborah." He also had fancy names for others of his family.

United States Minister Pierrepont has received a gold watch for Capt. Gifford of the American whaler Young Phœnix, presented by nine survivors of the British emigrant ship Strathmore, and their friends, which was wrecked in the South Pacific. Capt. Gifford rescued the survivors.

Samuel J. Tilden and Cyrus W. Field sailed for Europe on Wednesday.

New Hampshire Items.

Ella Brown and two other girls stole a gold watch and chain and a quantity of clothing from Mrs. Charles Annis' boarding-house in Great Falls, and were arrested at Biddeford and most of the property recovered. The girls were then given a short time to leave the city.

At Stratham, on the 14th, the large two-story house, barn and all the outbuildings on the farm formerly belonging to the late Captain Levi Hoag were burned. They were occupied by George P. Hoag and Daniel J. Wiggin, who lost all their wearing apparel except what they and their families had on, and saved but few of their household goods. The men were away from home at the time. A defect in the chimney is supposed to be the cause. The buildings were owned by Dr. George W. Kittredge of Newmarket. Insured for $1150. Hoag and Wiggin had no insurance.

Mrs. M. H. Bowles' summer boarding-house on Jefferson Hill, Lancaster, was burned Wednesday morning. The furniture was nearly all saved. Loss $2500; fully insured in the Faneuil Hall Company.

Rev. Mr. Ketchum, of Contoocook, has accepted a call to supply the Congregational Church at Poquonnock, Conn., for the ensuing year.

Albert P. Little's house and barn at Dunbarton were struck by lightning Tuesday afternoon, the 17th, and consumed. The barn was full of hay; insurance, $800. James P. Eaton's barn, near Massabesic Lake, was also struck; damage slight.

MARRIED,

TREDICK—STODDARD. In this city, July 19th, by Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D., Mr. Appleton Tredick and Miss S. Estelle Stoddard, youngest daughter of Mr. Henry R. Stoddard, all of this city. No cards.

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Sch Clara E Simpson, Talpey, for this port cld from Baltimore July 17.

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To Rent.

PART OF HOUSE corner of Lincoln and Miller Avenue. Apply at the house.

Assignee's Sale at Auction.

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At one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold on the premises, four LOTS OF LAND on Lincoln Avenue, containing about five thousand feet each; these lots are in a desirable locality, and well worth the attention of buyers.

At half-past one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then designated.

At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 95 State street.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

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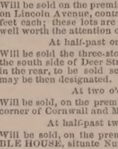

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To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term,* June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1873, executed a will in her will named your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Mr. Jacob A. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the fifteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

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TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of LEONARD ACKERMAN, late of Portsmouth in said County, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting.

You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. ACKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing a true citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

By order of the Judge,

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Daily Chronicle.

B. T. Beauregard, formerly Collector of Internal Revenue for the Second District of Baton Rouge, has arrived at New Orleans in custody of a Deputy Marshal, charged with the embezzlement of over $5000. Mortimer Carr, ex-Speaker of the House of Representatives, has also been arrested, charged with crookedness in some cotton transactions.

On Monday afternoon, the 16th, the three-masted schooner Alice C. Noyes, Capt. Baker, from New York for Haverhill, entered Newburyport Bay and set her flag for a pilot. After waiting until the tide was ebbing he spoke a fisherman and desired him to bring him in. Mr. Chas. Lunt went on board, and the signal was hauled down. After getting inside the bar he was hailed by a pilot, but declined his services and stated that he should not pay him. The pilot brought her to an anchorage below the piers, and she went up Tuesday morning and passed to Haverhill. The captain claims under the recent decision of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts that he is exempt from compulsory pilotage.

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N. H. State 6s, 1879	104½
Massachusetts Six State 6s	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103½
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Eastern	3½
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NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
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The Bureau of Construction and Repair will receive proposals until 12 o'clock at. of Tuesday, the 14th day of August, 1877, for building the shells of the turrets of the double-turreted monitor "Miantonomoh," now at Chester, Pennsylvania; scrap-iron for the work to be furnished by the Bureau.

These turrets are to be 22 feet and 9 inches external diameter, and will be constructed of plates 9 feet long, about 5 feet broad, and 10½ inches in thickness, according to plans which will be for exhibition at the Navy Yard, League Island, on and after the 20th of July instant.

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1st. For the entire work of completing these turrets, including the rerolling of the iron.

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Plates to be bent and planed according to plan.

Proposals will also be received under the advertisement for furnishing all the materials which may be required in the construction of these turrets; the plates to be of the size mentioned above, bent and planed according to plan, to be equal to the best quality of English turret iron, and all iron furnished will be subject to such tests as the Bureau may direct.

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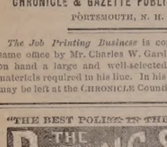

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 19, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about his stall or store over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, he said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so erected that offensive substances thrown or shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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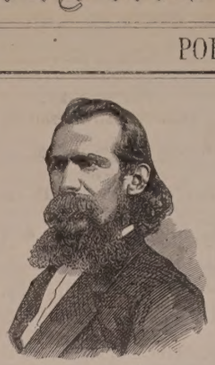

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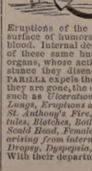

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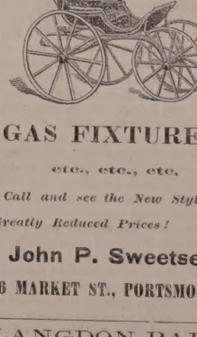

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Triple Crown of the Pope.

The papal tiara is, like the crowns of sovereigns, sumptuously adorned with precious stones, the most prominent of which is a splendid diamond. Rich as it is, however, it is far from equalling those, about ten in number, which were possessed by the Vatican. The number of these tiaras had been going on increasing since Pope Boniface VIII., and each surpassed its predecessor in value. Financial difficulties more than once forced the Popes to sell the jewels set in these crowns, in order to pay their debts; at the accession of Pope Pius VII. there was only one left. The original tiara at the Vatican was a pasteboard one, with imitation jewels. After the Concordat, about 1801, Napoleon I. made Pius VII., a present of a new tiara. It is the same that is now used, and was valued at £220,000. Its cupola consists of eight rubies, twenty-four pearls and one emerald. The cross is composed of twelve brilliants. The tails are studded with rubies and pearls. Two gold cords serve to fix the tiara on the head of the Pope, who, by the way, scarcely ever wears it. This tiara was carefully concealed in 1848, and only taken out of its hiding place after the French troops had entered Rome. The principal diamond of the papal tiara has a history attached to it which begins from Charles the Bold, Duke of Burgundy. This prince had a passion for jewelry, and there was not a wealthier man than he in the fifteenth century. Whenever he was engaged in a campaign, his gold and silver vessels, his diamonds and jewels, invariably accompanied him. Now, having been beaten by the Swiss at Granson, he fled, leaving his treasures on the field of battle, and among them three beautiful diamonds. The first was discovered, by a soldier, under a cart. It was the largest and most valuable, having been sold to the Duke of Burgundy by the Great Mogul. The lucky finder, not having the slightest idea of the value of the stone, flung it into a field, but repenting of his act, picked it up again, and sold it for a crown (ecu) to a priest, who resold it for three to a Bernese citizen. The latter, who was better informed, disposed of it for 5000 ducats; it passed through other hands for 7000, and was purchased for 14,000 by the Duke of Milan, Ludovico il Moro, who sold it to Pope Julius II. for 20,000 ducats. The second diamond is the well known Sancy, and a third adorns the crown of Austria, and is valued at 3,000,000 francs.

—The King of Bavaria, meeting a soldier with a wooden leg, asked him when he was wounded. "In the war of 1866," replied the warrior bluffly, whereat the King, in a tone of pique, inquired, "Don't you know me?" The reply was, "No. How should I? You don't go to the wars and I don't go to the opera."

—Dr. Darling, homœopathic physician of Thomsonville, Conn., recently visited a patient on Enfield street accompanied by his wife and infant child, whom he left in the carriage while he went in to visit his patient, but just before he got to the door a frightened horse came rushing from the hay field with a horse rake attached, making straight for the Doctor's carriage. The Doctor rushed out and threw his box of medicines at the horse, which struck him in the side of the head, causing him to turn just enough to escape hitting the carriage. After this, who shall say there is no virtue in homœopathic medicines? Had he been one of the old school doctors and had simply thrown a prescription, there would have been a different and perhaps fatal result.

—Of "Jack Russell," well known in the West of England as the "sporting parson," the following characteristic anecdote is told: "When the late Bishop of Exeter, Dr. Phillpotts, was holding a visitation in North Devon, he asked 'Jack Russell' if he could have a talk with him, and the answer was 'Certainly, my lord.' Thereupon the Bishop referred to his friend's celebrity as a sportsman, and went on, 'Of course hunting is in itself very innocent. But you are a master of hounds, and no doubt when you are put out you may be tempted to use strong language. That would not be becoming a man in your position, and your ministrations would not carry the same weight as they ought to do.' 'If that is all, my lord, you need not trouble yourself,' replied 'Jack,' 'for my parishioners ride such bad cattle that I am always a couple of fields ahead of them, and they never hear what I say.'"

—The Emperor Nicholas, father of the present Emperor of Russia, was a man of very quick temper, and on one occasion was stung by an absurd contretemps into a tremendous outburst of passion on Easter morning. On that day it is the custom for the Czar to go forth from his palace, and, embracing the first man whom he meets, who is almost invariably the sentinel at the palace gate, he exclaims: "Christ is risen!" to which the reply is: "He is risen indeed!" uttered with great manifestations of joy. So on this particular morning forth sallied the Czar, kissed the sentinel on both cheeks, according to custom, and uttered the invariable exclamation, "Christ is risen!" "So it is said," answered the soldier, in a thoroughly stolid way. The man was a Mohammedan from one of the Tartar provinces of the Empire. The wrath of the Czar was unbounded, and since that day the orthodoxy of the sentinel who is to guard the palace on Easter Sunday is always very carefully ascertained beforehand.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JULY 21, 1877.

The Press Excursion.

Two years without an annual excursion found the Press Association prepared, on the morning of Friday, the 13th, to enjoy a brief season among the mountains. The objective point was the Mt. Mansfield House in Stowe, Vt., which was reached from Concord by way of Northern and Central Vermont Roads. The Mount Mansfield House is owned by a company, prominent in which is our friend Bailey of the *Patriot*, and Hon. W. H. H. Bingham of Stowe. The latter is a lawyer by profession, a business man and a gentleman of the old school. He was recently the democratic candidate for Governor of Vermont, and polled the largest vote ever given by his party to any candidate for Governor. He is called Governor by every one in Lamoille county and readily passes for one of the Ex's. His attentions to the excursion party were constant. The hotel is admirably kept, entertains company of the most refined and agreeable character, and guests year by year return to enjoy the attractions of the region. The principal feature of the place may be said to be the "nose" on Mount Mansfield, whither the party on Saturday morning were conveyed in stages furnished by Messrs. Bruce and Ladd, who do the staging and teaming between the Central and P. & O. railways, and keep a large number of horses for all purposes. A substantial carriage road to the summit enabled us to ascend the mountain comfortably and our driver handled his six-in-hand in the short turns and narrow ways with consummate skill, transporting a large coach-load of excursionists in perfect safety. The view from the summit of the mountain is alike grand and pleasing. The immensity of the mountain's height is forgotten in looking over the broad expanse of green hills, fertile valleys and lake scenery, which so delights the visitor. A hotel at the summit furnishes a good dinner, while the nine miles ride and the fresh mountain air served to stimulate

"The hungry edge of appetite."

The ascent of Mount Mansfield was voted one of the proper things to do in this life, and on this occasion was enjoyed by every one of the party to the fullest extent. Returned to the hotel the Blaisdell Orchestral Club furnished music in the dancing hall, for the hotel has not only an immense parlor (where vesper services were held by Rev. H. F. Hill of the Episcopal Church on Sunday,) but a large hall, and in addition, a theatre, with all the appointments. The dance was enjoyed as the first of the season. Here the graceful avoirdupois of the newly elected State Printer vied with the genial Bailey in the rapid changes of the "Virginia Reel" to the tune of Zip Coon, while the waltzes and the more sedate lancers divided the time and attention of the guests ranged all around the hall.

Sunday was a day of rest, with the exception of the fact that a few Boston editors insisted upon accepting Col. Bailey's invitation to visit Smuggler's Notch, a wonderful spot eight miles distant, when a due courtesy to our Massachusetts friends compelled the representative of the dailies in Portsmouth, Manchester, Concord and Nashua to accompany them. Nature seems to have formed Smuggler's Notch that the Vermont people might have something with which to rival our far famed White Mountain and Dixville Notchs. It is a wonderful exhibition of the awful in nature, calculated for the time being to make even an editor think what an insignificant part of creation he is, compared with the world at large. The Sabbath evening services were well attended, and as the party carried its own chaplain and choir the services were interesting throughout.

On Monday morning the departure of so many guests caused an unusual stir upon the piazzas of the hotel. The house, generally a model one in point of quiet and decorum, was a scene of lively activity. The long line of coaches gathered before the door shew that the pilgrims were about to start. On the Saturday previous the stages loaded with excursionists were photographed by a resident artist, and some of the party bought the stereoscopic view as a reminder of the scene.

The journey to Morrisville was made over a pleasant road which gave the visitors a good idea of the farming lands of Vermont. At Morrisville the cars of the Portland & Ogdensburg R. R. were ready to convey the party to St. Johnsbury, over a circuitous and in some places difficultly constructed railroad. At St. Johnsbury the places of local interest were visited, and the day and evening were pleasantly passed by most of the party.

Business requirements compelled some of the members to leave in the three o'clock train, some for Concord, others for the Fabyan House. The next morning the party, with the exception of those who went to witness the opening of the Portland & Ogdensburg railroad to Swanton, came from St. Johnsbury and passed through the White Mountain Notch in the cars of the P. & O. R. R.; some returned to pass a night on Mt. Washington, while others came to Portsmouth and thence to Manchester, Concord, Keene, etc.

The excursion was brief, but enjoyable in every respect. The comfortable sojourn at Mount Mansfield Hotel was far more pleasing than a long journey or a hurried trip of greater length. The party was composed of those who appreciate good air and a proper enjoyment of life's blessings in Vermont at this season of the year. Among the guests were A. Ross of the Boston *Advertiser*, Messrs. Stockwell and Holden of the *Journal*, Proctor of the *Cape Ann Advertiser*, Marden of the Lowell *Courier*, and Albert H. Tuttle of the Rutland *Daily Herald*, who made his first visit to the Mountain in our company.

E. M. Smith, the wide awake and ubiquitous Vermont correspondent of the Boston *Journal*, met the party at the State line and was unremitting in his attentions during the party's presence in the Green Mountain State. Among the guests at the Mount Mansfield House were Admiral Wm. Rogers Taylor of the Navy, William U. Moulton of the *True Flag*, (formerly of this city,) and the family of Judge Bradley of the Supreme Court of the United States.

The situation of the Mt. Mansfield House is fortunately far enough from railroads to be comfortable. The approach is by the easy going pace of the stage coach of our childhood. It has a repose free from the scream of the locomotive and the click of the telegraph in the house,—In fine, it is comfortable and enjoyable, and one saunters on the broad piazzas with an air of easy abandon, and not as if he were having "five minutes for refreshments" and was to leave when the engine bell gave warning. The whole excursion was well projected and thoroughly enjoyed, and the season was one which will be pleasantly recalled by every participator in its privileges.

Concord Correspondence.

CONCORD, July 19.

At last the curtain drops, the last scene is enacted, and the Great and General Court of New Hampshire for the year 1877 has adjourned *sine die*. The House did but little during the day except to wait upon the Honorable Senate. The Senate passed the bill to reorganize and equalize the Senatorial Districts according to the amended Constitution; the act defining the representation of towns of less than six hundred population as shown by the Census of 1870; the act regulating the sale of cider; an act to change the time of holding the election for the choice of town officers. During the forenoon Mr. Pierce of Hillsborough offered the following:

Resolved, That the thanks of this house be and hereby are tendered to the Hon. Augustus A. Woolson for the ability, impartiality, and courtesy, with which he has discharged the duties of Speaker during the present session.

On motion of Mr. Colony of Keene this was unanimously adopted. The same gentleman offered the following, which was also adopted:

Resolved, that the thanks of the House be and are hereby tendered to the chaplain, clerk, assistant clerk, sergeant-at-arms, doorkeepers, and pages for the faithful and courteous discharge of the duties devolving upon them during the present session, and that the House express its obligations to the several reporters for their accurate and satisfactory reports of the legislative proceedings.

Speaker Woolson, upon resuming the chair, appeared to be very much affected by the merited bestowal of praise upon him, and he replied with much feeling.

The compromise on the State Normal School was that the word "annual" should be stricken out and that $5000 should be substituted for $6000. When the cider bill came up in the House various methods were attempted to kill it, and it would have received that fate had not Mr. Lamprey of Manchester offered an amendment which was adopted and which saved the bill. The amendment was that the bill should take effect only in such towns as should by a majority vote so decide.

Judge Cross of Manchester tried hard to get the House to reconsider the vote whereby the House voted to indefinitely postpone the general railroad law. The House refused to stultify itself, by a vote of 96 yeas and 185 nays. The Senate knocked the bottom out of the act in relation to public printing by putting a tag upon it with the words "inexpedient to legislate" written upon it. The House voted to indefinitely postpone—by a vote of 184 yeas to 91 nays—the act providing for the representation of New Hampshire in the National Gallery at the Capitol in Washington. The House ratified the amendment offered to the State prison bill by the Senate.

Mr. Ordway labored long and hard to have the minority report upon the taxation of railroads adopted. He made a powerful speech, claiming that great influence had been brought to bear upon the members since last Friday, and the vote upon the adoption of the minority report seemed to warrant his assertions. The two principal speeches in opposition were made by Messrs. Kaley of Milford and Sawtelle of Lynne. The House refused the substitution by a vote of 97 yeas to 185 nays. The majority report was then adopted by a vote of 172 to 58. The majority report has the whole subject referred to the commission to be appointed by the Governor and Council to inquire into the subject of taxation. A happier set of men were not to be found anywhere than were the railroad men when Mr. Ordway's report was rejected. Report is that during the evening those members, who were so inclined, received whatever they wished in shape of "treat," and were told whatever damage was done would be paid for. The members at the Eagle did not sleep much during the night.

The cost for the pay of the members during the session is $50,075.50, and their mileage is $4,741.20, making a total of $54,816.70. This does not include the cost of printing and incidentals. The whole number of days from the commencement of the session to the close were forty-four. There have been forty-three roll calls of the House; to Mr. Langdon of Portsmouth are the members indebted for having the yeas and nays called more times than to any other member. The session has been characterized by very little unpleasantness. There have been only three political debates, and these of so short duration that the members ceased to talk about them as a general thing in a few days. Democrats and republicans met cordially, and pleasantly greeted one another, which is a marked contrast to the session of last year, when party strife and feeling ran so high that a member of one political party hardly deigned to speak to a member of the other. Friendships have been formed, some of which will be lasting between members of the different parties.

Last evening a mock session was held after the regular business was disposed of. It was destitute of those vulgarities which have characterised it in former years. A number of capital hits were made and were loudly applauded. The committee having the matter in charge are entitled to great credit for the manner in which it was arranged and carried out. Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth was appointed Speaker, Sturtevant of Keene, Clerk, and Sise of Portsmouth, Sergeant-at-arms. Hope the next session will follow the example.

Yours, A. B.

The War.

A despatch from Vienna, via London, dated the 20th, states that the Russian attack on Jamboli is supposed to be only a feint while the main army corps is advancing by the Maritza Valley on Adrianople, and at the same time Phillipopolis is menaced. A reign of terror exists in Constantinople. The country lying between that city and Adrianople is really defenceless, and the Christian population are unarmed and fear a massacre by Turkish irregulars.

The Striker's War.

A despatch from Martinsburg, W. Virginia, Thursday evening, says: "The military have full control here now and a train is leaving every few minutes, but in every case under a guard. During the afternoon efforts were made by the strikers to stop some trains which were being sent out, but they were quickly thwarted by the prompt and determined action of the troops. In one instance a fireman was induced to desert his post, but his place was soon filled, and the train proceeded on its way. At four o'clock a freight train was made up and started for the West. As in the case of the eastern-bound trains she had on board a United States officer and ten soldiers to protect her. The departure of this train occasioned intense excitement and rage among the strikers, who made a dash toward the track, but they were at once confronted by the bayonets of the soldiers and they fell suddenly back. The sheriff arrested one ringleader this afternoon about five o'clock. There was no resistance."

The strike has spread into Pennsylvania and Ohio. Gov. Hartranft was called on for troops by the sheriff of Allegheney county, Thursday, and ordered the 18th regiment to Pittsburg at once. At Keyser, W. Va., a handful of United States troops find themselves unable to disperse the strikers, who are in great number there. The governor of Ohio has been asked to call out the troops. Strikes on the Pan Handle, Cumberland, and Erie railroads are threatened.

News and Notes.

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The New York *Tribune* says: "Mr. David Dudley Field is anxious about the conscience of the people. He wants to stir it up. Suppose he should succeed, what would become of him? His fate would be like that of the man who stirred up a keg of dynamite with a hammer." Another *Tribune* item: "The Civil Service Reform machine has been pointed straight ahead once more. It is a dreadful dodger, though."

The democratic papers have not yet begun to demand the impeachment of President Hayes "by the democratic House," for sending "federal bayonets" into the Southern States.

Tammany's organ in New York city has opened war on Speaker Randall. It charges him with being a republican to all intents and purposes, and pronounces him responsible for the failure to impeach Robeson and for the defeat of Tilden. This may not help Randall to the next Speakership, but it will raise him in the estimation of the public.

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Portland	8.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	8.45 "	6.30 "	
Biddeford, Saco and Way	3.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls	3.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	3.45 "	"	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "	
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.50 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Preaching in Court street Christian church by the pastor at 10:30 A. M. Elder Moses Blow of New Bedford, Mass., will preach at 2:30 P. M. Col. J. Horace Kent will speak upon the subject of Temperance in the evening at 7:30. The usual meeting of the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall will be omitted in order that all may hear Col. Kent.

At St, Mary's church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At the North church the pastor, Rev. James W. Hubbell, will preach in the morning upon "Temperance." This is the last in a series of eight sermons upon "The Fruits of the Spirit."

At the Methodist church the pastor will preach morning and afternoon. Subject in the morning, "The advantage of having and keeping God's commandments;" in the afternoon, "Light."

Elder J. Couch of Boston, editor of the *World's Crisis*, will preach morning and afternoon in the Advent chapel on Hanover street, on the "Eastern Question." The public cordially invited.

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, the petition of J. V. Hanscom and others, relative to the soap factory of A. T. Walker & Son, was referred to the health committee with the Mayor added.

Petition of Amos Pearson for removal of ledge in Broad street, was referred to committee on streets.

Leave was granted to C. E. Walker to encumber Union and Islington streets for building purposes, and to T. J. Parsons to encumber Vaughan and Deer streets while repairing building.

Voted, that the execution in favor of H. J. Freeman be paid.

Voted, that the city clerk be authorized to bid off, in the name of the city, any real estate that may be sold for taxes by the collector of taxes.

Subject of repairs in Haven and School street school-houses was referred to committee on schoolhouses with power.

City Marshal's quarterly reports were accepted.

The committee on streets, to whom was referred the petition for widening Vaughan and Hanover streets, reported in favor of the petition; accepted and laid on the table.

Subject of repairs of Islington street above Jarvis Company's hoisery mill was referred to the committee on streets with power.

The committee on widening streets, to whom was referred the petition of C. E. Walker and others for common sewer in Union and State streets, reported that the present sewer is low enough. The subject was recommitted.

Voted, that the vote passed at the last meeting amending the petition asking for the laying out of a new road by striking out "forty" and inserting "thirty" be reconsidered.

Voted, that the protest of J. Howard Dodge and others, with the whole subject, be referred to the committee on streets.

Resolution was presented by the committee on streets, fixing line of new highway, etc.; adopted.

At 9:30 the bill relating to the licensing of hacks and job wagons was taken up, and a motion to indefinitely postpone was defeated. Voted, to recommit the bill to the committee on bills on second reading.

Alderman Yeaton presented an amendment in the matter of paving Vaughan street.

JOTTINGS.

It is a little odd that the Legislature should have numbered the new Portsmouth Senatorial District "twenty-four"—seeing it is the oldest part of the State, and has been District No. 1 from time out of mind.

The train which left this city for Boston on Friday morning at 8:23 arrived in Boston promptly at 12 o'clock. The reason for this tearing speed was that the engine broke an eccentric-rod near Beverly.

Ex-Secretary of the navy Robeson was in town on Friday evening, driving a splendid pair of black horses.

The U. S. S. Speedwell sailed from the navy yard at an early hour Friday morning, bound for New London, Conn.

Don't cut holes in your boots any more. Dr. Welch, the celebrated chiropodist who removes corns without pain and treats all difficulties of the feet, opens rooms at the National House on Monday, July 23d.

A Portsmouth (N. H.) shipbuilder has constructed a vessel after the fashion of Robinson Crusoe's long boat. Just as he was about completing her an unhappy thought struck him. He went and measured the draw of the railroad bridge and found that one ship into one draw would go no times and three feet over. Whereupon he wept, and cursed his own stupidity? No; he didn't. He served a notice on the company that he was going to float his ship, and they must take their bridge out of the road. There would appear to be little need to despair of that man's making a way in the world, unless he should allow something to prey upon his hitherto undamaged check.—*N. Y. World.*

The New York *World's* special from Washington says that a member of the Cabinet intends to bring before it, at the earliest practical moment, the question of the violation of the franchise of the Direct Cable Company, so far as it exists by the legislation of Congress.

In the mock session of the House at Concord, the night before adjournment, among the other caricature bills introduced was "An act to gerrymander the State into Senatorial districts, and fix things generally." Section one of this bill provided that "The State shall be divided into twenty-four districts for the purpose of electing Senators, all of which districts shall be republican, except twenty-three, and in the other district such Senator shall be chosen as Ruel may see fit to appoint." Among the names given the new districts we find the following: "District No. 1 shall consist of the city of Portsmouth, and be known as the Frank Jones district." "District No. 23 shall consist of Newcastle, the navy yard, custom house and Tuckerman's Ravine, and be known as the Aaron Young district."

Quite an ovation was given Col. E. A. Peterson upon his arrival at the Greenland station Friday morning, after his arduous labors during the legislative session. Colonel Sise, standing on the platform, proposed "three cheers for Colonel Peterson, the protecter of oysters in Great Bay!" and they were given with a will. The delegation from Portsmouth look upon Col. Peterson as a sort of adopted son, and some of them are talking of putting him into training for governor. Seriously, the gallant representative from our neighboring town has made a host of friends among the members of both parties.

On Friday slips of paper were distributed around town, having printed on them "Citizens Ticket. For Mayor, John K. A. Hanson." As there is no apostrophe in "citizens" to show whether it is singular or plural, it is judged that the "citizens ticket" is the ticket of one citizen, viz: Mr. Hanson himself.

The Globe Printing Co., of East Hampstead, have published Carter's Diagraphical Chart of the Senatorial Districts of New Hampshire as they now exist, the boundaries of each district and of every town in the State being distinctly laid down, with the number and name of each district. It is a very neat and convenient map, and can be procured at Goodrich's bookstore, mounted on stout binders' board, for office use, at thirty-five cents a copy; pocket edition (sheet form) twenty-five cents.

The legislaure having at last adjourned, we shall now distribute the headline "Concord Correspondence," which the legislators forced us to keep standing three weeks longer than there was any reason in their doing, for they might as well as not have finished their work by the 4th of July. The well written and interesting letters we published during the session were from the pen of Mr. William H. Gardiner of this city, one of the doorkeepers of the House, who has the gift of writing good letters, as our readers are aware.

A POPULAR HOTEL.

The Nashua *Telegraph* of the 19th says: "The number of guests at the mountain houses last night is given as follows: At Fabyan's, 200; Crawford, 157; Profile, 135; Mountain, 85: Lincluir, Bethlehem, 97; Maplewood, 40; Tip Top House, 75; and about 200 at other small houses. About 150 persons visited the Tip Top House yesterday. The weather was fine and the scenery magnificent. Summer travel is large and on the increase from last year." On the same day (the 19th) the Appledore House at the Shoals was so crowded that intending guests were obliged to seek accommodations at the Oceanic; and on the Sunday previous every room at the Appledore was occupied, over 450 guests being entertained on that day. The "Laighton boys" have enlarged their hotel nearly every year for many years past, but they have never yet had quite room enough to accommodate all their would-be patrons; and their "season" commences a little earlier and holds on a little later than at any other watering-place in New England, besides. This long-continued success is not wholly due to the natural attractions of the Shoals, the personal popularity of the landlords having much to do with it,—the Laightons having ever paid far more attention to making their guests feel contented and "at home" than to what the boys call "slinging on style."

New Hampshire Items.

The Laconia *Democrat* has reduced its size and the Great Falls *Journal* has adopted a patent outside.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council, in Concord on Thursday, Isaac W. Smith of Manchester and John S. H. Frink of Greenland were nominated for Associate Justices of the Supreme Court. Luther S. Morrill of Concord was nominated for Special Justice of the Police Court at Concord.

An Observing Rat.

Kennedy, the Cambridge (Mass.) "fire bug," who was pardoned Wednesday, left the Massachusetts State Prison Thursday morning. After attiring himself in citizen's dress he asked to be allowed to take with him a pet rat, which has been his companion during many years of his confinement, and his request was granted. When he went to get the rat, however, the companion of his imprisonment did not recognize him in his new dress and ran from him. An officer, who was with Kennedy, suggested to him to put on his prison jacket and see what the effect would be. Kennedy did so and the rat quickly ran into his arms. Kennedy then received the "pet" and left.

—Dr. Bowditch thinks that the Anglo-Saxon race in America is not dwindling away, after all, and gives the statement of a lady of his acquaintance, that "London dealers in children's ready-made clothing recommend to American customers sizes adapted to English children one year older than those for whom the garments are purchased."

—The Wheeling (West Virginia) *Intelligencer* of the 13th inst., has this curious statement: "A meteoric stone, about the size of a large wine-glass, was found imbedded about two inches in the trunk of a tree standing near Captain Shockey's coal bank, in the Eighth ward, which was struck by lightning on Thursday evening."

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, July 19.

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SAILED July 20.

Sch Cicero, Nichols, Bangor.
Sch Fairfield, Taylor, New York.

Sch Quoddy, Young, for this port, old from Philadelphia July 18.

Schr's Pavilion, Snow, for this port from Hoboken, Sea Breeze, Grele, for this port from Amboy, and Jesse Williamson Jr., Sawyer, for this port from Port Johnson, passed through Hell Gate, July 18.

Ship Triumphant, Libby, from Liverpool April 3 for San Francisco, spoken May 17, lat 24 49 S, lon 28 W.

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Assignee's Sale at Auction.

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On FRIDAY, August 3, 1877,

At twelve o'clock, M.,

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At half-past twelve o'clock, M,

On the same day will be sold, on the premises, the double tenement HOUSE and LAND Number 25 Gates Street.

At one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold on the premises, four LOTS OF LAND on Lincoln Avenue, containing about five thousand feet each; these lots are in a desirable locality, and well worth the attention of buyers.

At half-past one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then designated.

At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 30 State street.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

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To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term,*

June, 1877.

No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1872, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

Attest, C. G. CONNER, Clerk.

A true copy.

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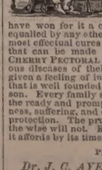

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BY THE JUDGE OF PROBATE FOR SAID COUNTY.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of LEONARD ACKERMAN, late of Portsmouth in said County, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting.

You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. ACKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

By order of the Judge,

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Daily Chronicle.

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—Jim-Jams was arrested for playing three-card monte at Nantasket Beach. When arraigned, he put on airs and gave his name as James James. Ten dollars and costs!

—A dramatic novelty in New Haven is a play in which negroes chalk up to take white parts. It is to be hoped that they look more natural than white men do when they "black up" for negroes.

—Tom Thumb's house at Bridgeport, Conn., is found to have been occupied during the General's absence for some months past by tramps, who have pretty much cleaned it of lead pipe and other fixtures.

—Little Robbie went to a show, and saw an elephant for the first time in his life. When he came home his mother asked him, what he had seen. Robbie replied; "An elephant, mamma, that gobbled hay with his front tail."

—A London paper prints the following notice: "The attendance at the wedding of Mr. Smart and Miss Jones, yesterday, being so large, for the benefit of the many friend unable to gain admission, the ceremony will be repeated."

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103½
Eastern R. R. scrip	53½
Portsm. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	160
Boston & Maine	59½
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	114½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	45
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	103
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	45½
Northern N. H.	55½
Old Colony & Newport	87
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	63
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

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Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 6c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., ft. Cuba 48 @ 53c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugars per ℔, Gr. Ind. 9 11c; Gr. 12½; Crushed 12c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
Washington, D. C., July 9, 1877.

The Bureau of Construction and Repair will receive proposals until 12 o'clock M. of Tuesday, the 14th day of August, 1877, for building the shells of the turrets of the double-turreted monitor "Miantonomoh," now at Chester, Pennsylvania; scrap-iron for the same to be furnished by the Bureau.

These turrets are to be 22 feet and 9 inches external diameter, and will be constructed of plates 9 feet long, about 5 feet broad, and 10½ inches in thickness, according to plans which will be for exhibition at the Navy Yard, League Island, on and after the 20th of July instant.

Separate proposals will be received under this advertisement as follows:

1st. For the entire work of completing these turrets, including the revetting of the iron.

2d. For all the labor of building these turrets, the materials, ready for use, to be provided by the Bureau.

3d. For rolling the iron required in their construction. (The scrap to be furnished by the Bureau.)

Plates to be bent and planed according to plan.

Proposals will also be received under this advertisement for furnishing all the materials which may be required in the construction of these turrets; the plates to be of the size mentioned above, bent and planed according to plan, to be equal to the best quality of English turret iron, and all iron furnished will be subject to such tests as the Bureau may direct.

It is desirable that these turrets should be constructed on some wharf on the Delaware, in such position as to be readily placed on board the ship.

No proposal will be received except from parties known to possess the requisite facilities to perform the work in a satisfactory manner, and the Bureau reserves the right to reject any and all offers, if considered to be the interest of the Government to do so.

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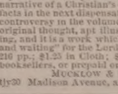

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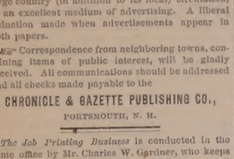

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, &c., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies so much require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or places over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal or fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

DANIEL W. JONES, M. D.,
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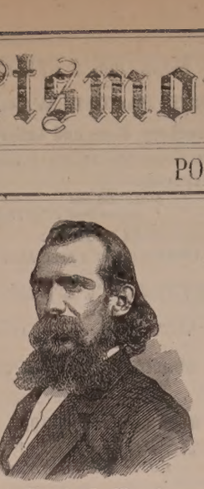
Health Officers.



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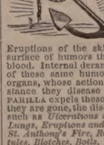

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Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name or family variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the dead.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTE , or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Lay Torpedo.

The experiments, in Cleveland, with the Lay torpedo, appear to have been entirely successful. The first day a boat was anchored a distance of a mile and a half from the shore, and the torpedo whizzed through the water, directly toward it, with a velocity about equal to that of an ordinary express. As it neared the torpedo the pressure on two of the three keys by which the motions of the torpedo are regulated sent it round the boat in a graceful curve. Just then the man who was giving the orders left his place to get a marine glass. The orders were then given by a lieutenant in the navy, and the operator failed to understand him. The result was that the torpedo broke away and drifted down the lake. Yesterday the experiments were renewed, and with entire success. The torpedo was sent out to the boat, described a curve around it, and came back directly to the shore. Then it was taken out of the water, and will be sent off, to-day, to the Government that has ordered it. The next time it is heard from the scene of its operations may be the Black Sea. It is stated that it can be sent toward a boat ten miles from shore, with all the precision that it went for that anchored a mile and a half distant. Of course it can be operated as efficiently from a vessel as from the shore. What chance an iron-clad has against one of these little monsters can be inferred by those who followed with any attention the exploits of the torpedo in the Danube. It is consoling to know that these devastating contrivances cost only $15,000 apiece, and that none have been made more efficient than those manufactured by Mr. Joseph Lay, of Buffalo. When this country wants them, it will not have to go far to get a supply.—*Cincin. Times.*

Four Widows.

At Prosperity, a station on the Greenville & Columbia Railroad, there dwell in reach of the sound of the whistle four widows whose names and deeds should be printed in letters of gold. We shall tell of them—to spare blushes—first as

No. 1. This lady—as in fact all the others—lost her husband during the war, and was left in straitened circumstances. Did she sit down and grieve at her fate? By no means. She has raised four children, besides fine crops, and to-day she has much of last year's cotton and flour on hand, is free from debt, and is able to pay cash down for what she wants.

No. 2 looks complacently on all of her last crop of cotton, and with a sense of perfect rest and absolute fulness on 3,000 pounds of flour, neither of which she sold because she had no use for the money—here's a widow for you. The only thing which disturbs her rest now is what to do with her new fodder, every place being occupied with the old. She might dispose of some of it to the editor of the *Herald*, who has been standing to the rack for three years, fodder or no fodder. She, too, like a true woman, has raised children and set them up under their own vines and fig trees.

No. 3 struggled through the years which have rolled on since the late unpleasantness, raised six children, given each at majority $500 in cash. Last year she bought a tract of land for which $1,400 in good money was paid. Has corn, fodder, and other things in abundance.

No. 4, like unto the others, has made a splendid fight and brought up a large family in the way they should go, has of last year's crops abundance, pays cash in trade and loans her earnings out on interest.

We have always had a high and tender regard for widows, and now more than ever; we feel drawn to them, the above mentioned particularly. Long may they live to enjoy the fruits of their energy, and may the memory of their virtues and noble deeds follow them down through the years to come.—*Newberry* (S. C.) *Herald.*

The Fly's Toilet.

The toilet of the fly is as carefully attended to as that of the most frivolous of human insects. With contempt for the looking-glass he brushes himself up and wabbles his little head, chuck full of vanity, wherever he happens to be. Sometimes, after a long day of dissipation and flirting, with his six small legs and little round body all soiled with syrup and butter and cream, he passes out of the dining room and wings his way to the clean white cord along which the morning glories climb, and in this retired spot, heedless of the crafty spider that is practicing gymnastics a few feet above him, he proceeds to purify and freshen himself for the refreshing repose and soft dreams of the balmy Summer night, so necessary to one who is expected to be early to breakfast. It is a wonderful toilet. Resting himself on his front and middle legs, he throws his hind legs rapidly over his body, binding down his frail wings for an instant with the pressure, then raking them over with a backward motion, which he repeats until they are bright and clear. Then he pushes the two legs along his body under the wings, giving that queer structure a thorough currying, every now and then throwing the legs out and rubbing them together to remove what he has collected from his corporeal surface. Next he goes to work upon his van. Resting on his hind legs, he raises his two forelegs and begins a vigorous scraping of his head and shoulders, using his proboscis every little while to push the accumulation from his limbs. At times he is so energetic that it

seems as if he were trying to pull his head off, but no fly ever committed suicide. Some of his motions very much resemble those of pussy at her toilet. It is plain to the naked eye, that he does his work very thoroughly for when he has finished he looks like a new fly, so clean and neat has he made himself within a few minutes. The white cord is defiled, but Floppy is himself again, and he bids the morning glories a very good evening.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JULY 23, 1877.

Law vs. Mob-Rule.

Whatever may or may not have been the wrongs inflicted on the striking railroad men whose folly and violence have obstructed the business of the country for several days and at last culminated in bloodshed, there is but one course for the legally constituted authorities—State and National—now to pursue, and that is to put down with the strong hand, and without any whisper of compromise, the trade-union movement which has assumed the proportions of a serious insurrection. There must be no treaties made with mobs, no surrender to mob-rule; the riotous "trammen" must be suppressed—not bought off—even though it take the whole force of the Nation to do it.

This is not a question as to whether any railroad pays its employes proper wages, or not; it is a question whether a certain body or class of men shall set themselves up as superior to and above all law—save such law as they themselves may choose to make for others to obey! Capital may be tyrannical—may oppress those whose only stock in trade is labor; but it is not half so tyrannical and oppressive as the creed that a trade-union may properly dictate to a man for whom, when, where and for how much he shall work. A man or body of men may properly say they will not work under a given rate of wages; but when they assume to say that other men, who are willing to work at the wages offered, shall not do so, and resort to force to prevent the willing ones going to work, then the trade-union becomes the tyrant and law-breaker, and its insolent assumptions should be met with the argument of force.

Judge Black's Tirade.

Judge Jerry Black, who is as capable and persistent a scold as Dean Swift was, is almost as keen a satirist as he, and just as regardless as he of facts, has published in the last number of the North American Review a long tirade against the Electoral Commission, in which he proves very much to his own satisfaction that the democratic members of the Commission were quite right in voting solid for their party through thick and thin, and that the republican members were all wrong all the way through. If this long and bitter tirade of his—for it is nothing else—is a fair sample of Judge Black's "judicial mind," we had rather have his prejudices on our side than the facts and the law, if we had a case to be tried before him. If the premises do not suit him, he invents some; the fact that the premises are not such as to please Judge Black is *prima facie* proof that they are wrong. But one feature of his paper pleases us greatly; he does not pretend to deny, as most other democratic authorities have done, the violence and lawlessness which have for years existed in the Southern States; on the contrary, he admits them to the full extent of *four thousand murders* in Louisiana within three years and similar proportions in other States,—but he charges all the trouble upon the inefficiency and villainy of the carpet-bag governments. For the carpet-bagger Judge Black cannot find words to adequately express his hatred. He finds a great many words—and very hard words—it is true, but it is evident that all his vituperation goes but a little way toward relieving his over-charged feelings. No doubt many of the carpet-baggers were bad men; they all voted the republican ticket, (the moment they became democrats they ceased to be carpet-baggers,) which was of itself enough to make Judge Black desire to break a hole through the bottom of the bottomless pit in search of a lower deep in which to put them; but the carpet-baggers have long been out of power in Mississippi, where young girls are beaten and shot for the crime of having republican fathers, and then chivalrously allowed to die for want of medical aid,—and where the known assassins are allowed to go unpunished because a democratic governor thinks "it won't do to stir this thing up." And it is a long time since the carpet-baggers ruled Missouri, the State in which the Youngers and Jameses and kindred ruffians held sway for years until they raided into a republican State where they were hunted down like wolves. And the carpet-baggers *never* ruled Kentucky, the democratic Paradise where family feuds keep whole counties in a chronic state of war, and where the courts do not dare (or do not wish) to convict any one except a negro of murder, no matter what the evidence. Judge Black might have profitably studied the history of the troubles in Carter county, Ky., before he finished his article denouncing the carpet-baggers as being directly responsible for all the crime and lawlessness at the South. Neither the "Underwood" or the "Holbrook" gangs, that have kept up a reign of terror in that and the adjoining counties for years, are carpet-baggers; they are native Kentuckians; yet they have committed murder by wholesale, and the democratic State authorities are powerless to punish them. Troops were recently sent from Covington to arrest the Holbrook gang for the butchery of seven of the Underwoods; but the courts did not dare to convict the assassins, and they were acquitted in face of positive evidence; and the Sheriff himself gave a horse to the leader of the Underwoods to enable him to rejoin his gang, though he too was known to have committed more than one murder. Rather than talk any more such rubbish as that the carpet-baggers are solely responsible for all the disorders at the South, Judge Black had better borrow one of the carpet-sacks and bag his head.

The Idaho War.

The rout of Joseph's and White Bird's bands of Indians seems to be complete. They were certainly badly whipped, and despatches state that they are demoralized and quarelling among themselves. Small parties are constantly breaking away from the main band, coming in and surrendering to General Howard. It is certain the Indians lost heavily. A despatch from General Howard's camp, 17th inst., says: On the 16th, Red Heart, the Nez Perces chief, with sixteen warriors from Joseph's and Looking Glass' bands, with twenty-three women and children, surrendered themselves to General Howard. They were made prisoners and were told they would be tried; that the murderers of white men and outragers of women must be punished. Joseph did not surrender as he proposed to do, but instead started for the buffalo country with other hostile chiefs. The prisoners had but two guns and no ammunition or supplies. It is thought that this party who surrendered got separated from Joseph and were left without horses, arms and supplies, and were therefore compelled to surrender. Monday, the 16th, all the men that General Howard could mount were sent in pursuit of the fleeing hostiles. They are about twenty-four hours ahead of the troops. The prisoners say Joseph's men are getting short of ammunition.

The Eastern War.

Hassan Pasha, who was taken prisoner at Nikopolis, which he commanded, says that when he capitulated his ammunition was all gone, and he had been obliged to kill three or four soldiers with his own hand for leaving their duty.

A London *Times* despatch from Vienna reports Kazanlik taken by the Russians, who are rapidly advancing toward Philippopolis. The *Standard's* Constantinople special says the Russians are within three hours' march of Philippopolis. The Turkish governor of Philippopolis reports four towns burned by the Cossacks. The *Times'* Vienna correspondent telegraphs: It is reported from Constantinople that the Turks are now displaying great activity. Troops and munitions are being despatched in all haste. Unhappily the fortifications at Adrianople are very imperfect and not even armed. One hundred guns that had been announced for this destination have not been delivered. Some have been despatched in all haste, but are still on the railway. Complaints are heard of the want of about everything, soldiers, munitions and especially money.

The correspondent in Greece of the London *News* telegraphs that paper that it will be difficult to restrain the Cretans and Thessalians longer. The prestige of Turkey is completely destroyed by her failure to guard the Danube and Balkans. The misfortune is that Greece is not ready. In two months more Greece would have been well-prepared to assert her claims, but now some great risks must be run to avoid danger of trouble at home.

Hobart Pasha has sailed with two ironclads for the Black Sea, to supercede Hassan Pasha in command of the fleet. The utmost consternation prevails at Constantinople, and a levy en masse at Adrianople is ordered.

The Striker's War.

The great strike is assuming formidable proportions, and has already cost a number of lives. On Friday evening Gen. Brinton, commanding the first division of Pennsylvania National Guards, received orders from the Adjutant-General to move with his entire division of cavalry and artillery, dismounted, to Pittsburg, and report to Major-General Pearson. The division includes the First, Second, Third and Sixth Regiments, Keystone Battery, City Troop, Black Hussars, Washington Greys, Weccacoe Legion, State Fencibles and Grey Invincibles. These commands number about 2000 men.

The lawless proceedings of the strikers at Cumberland, Md., and other places along the line of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad, having been reported to Governor Carroll of Maryland, he on Friday afternoon ordered the Fifth Regiment of Maryland National Guards, Col. Clarence Peters, of Baltimore, to proceed to Cumberland to aid the officers of the law; and a little later the Sixth Regiment also received orders to the same effect. At about seven o'clock in the evening three companies of the Sixth Regiment left their armory, marching down the stairway and into the street in column of twos, the three companies numbering about 140 men. On reaching the street they were received with a shower of heavy stones from a mob of 4000 or 5000 rioters, four of the soldiers being struck down senseless by the missiles, so that they had to be carried back into the armory, and many others injured. The mob continuing their attack the soldiers fired without orders, killing and wounding several persons, but immediately ceased firing in obedience to orders, and the two companies first out of the armory marched along the streets to the Camden depot, the mob following, throwing stones and firing pistols. When too hard pressed the troops would fire on their assailants without orders, and finally the three companies arrived at the depot, the third company having fought their way through other streets. At the Middle Police Station, at midnight, were eight dead men and two badly wounded ones, of the mob; several of the troops were in the hospital, badly wounded, and nearly every man in the ranks was more or less hurt. One hundred and fifty men of the Fifth Regiment marched to the depot with unloaded muskets and fixed bayonets, charging the mob several times on the way; but owing to the intense excitement in the city, Gov. Carroll, at the request of the Mayor of Baltimore, ordered the Fifth Regiment not to leave the city, and they returned to their armory. The depot was set on fire by the rioters, and the telegraph office "cleaned out;" and the fireman were prevented from putting out the fire until police were stationed at each engine with orders to shoot down any meddler.

Gov. Young, of Ohio, ordered out four companies of State troops, Friday afternoon.

The strike, Friday evening, embraced the Baltimore & Ohio, Pennsylvania Central, Pittsburg, Fort Wayne & Chicago, Atlantic & Great Western, Pan Handle and Erie railroads, and it was considered probable that many other roads would also join.

While the Camden depot in Baltimore was on fire, Gov. Carroll telegraphed the President for assistance, and in return received an order placing all the troops in Fort McHenry, with their guns at his disposal. Five hundred troops from Fortress Monroe are ordered to Washington and Baltimore. Ten deaths have occurred from the fire of the Baltimore militia, and several other men shot, or cut by the sabres of the dismounted cavalry, will die.

News and Notes.

From the accounts received up to the time of writing this paragraph, it appears that in the collision between the mob of Baltimore roughs and the handful of citizen soldiers, the latter fired without orders, and only when hit by brick-bats or pistol-shots; and yet they managed to kill quite a fair number of their assailants,—though their first volley was mainly fired over the heads of the mob, too. We do not know how the sympathies of the general public may stand, but ours go with the soldiers; for we consider that in a fight with a Baltimore mob the only wrong soldiers can do is to leave any of the roughs alive. Holding this opinion, we are vexed that the soldiers killed so few; had they put in more bullets and aimed lower, they might just as likely as not have killed four times as many as they did.

The New York *Staats Zeitung*, of which Oswald Ottendorffer is editor, is really owned and managed by his wife. She was the wife of Uhl, the founder of the paper, when Ottendorffer was the foreman of the composing room. After Uhl's death Ottendorffer became editor and finally married the widow, who has a very keen eye to business.

A despatch from Montreal says the coroner's jury in the Hackett case rendered a verdict of murder by a person or persons to the jury unknown.

Gen. Bob Toombs on Friday introduced a resolution in the Georgia Constitutional Convention to repeal the prohibition against duelling. It was voted down by a vote of 119 to 38.

A curious response to the President's order has been received by the Postmaster-General. Mr. Wentworth, who is Postmaster at Islington, Mass., expressed his approval of the order and notified the Postmaster-General that he has resigned his membership of the Islington Democratic Town Committee.

Gov. Connor of Maine has appointed Geo. B. Goodwin of Biddeford a Justice of the Peace and Quorum for York county.

The Washington *Republican* gives a circumstantial account of the elopement of a young wife and mother of that city with "a very dashing army officer, of fine address and a handsome face." No names are given, but the woman's husband and father are said to be prominent citizens, the husband being very wealthy.

Public sympathy begins to go out toward Grover. The most scrupulous moralist cannot read the daily installments of picturesque and variegated lying which are sent out from Oregon without admitting that a man would be justified in resorting to bribery, or even to murder, to get sent out of such a community.

—A Kennebec (Me.) paper tells of a certain city official who pointed out to a clergyman friend, a house wherein a man laid three weeks, and his friends refused to bury him. "Why? What was that for?" inquired the interested clergyman. "The man was not dead," was the quiet response.

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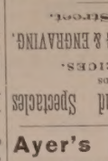

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An excursion to the Shoals under the auspices of the Woman's Temperance League takes place to-morrow, in steamer Appledore, Capt. Robinson; tickets, at 75 cents for the round trip, can be procured of David Kimball & Co.

The attachments of the Eastern Railroad Company of the franchise and real estate of the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad, which were served last week, are to recover interest which the Eastern road had been paying on the bonds of that road during the term of a lease issued in 1871. The amount is thought to be about $420,000, less a balance of earning to $170,000.

Mr. J. C. Butler's regular bi-weekly excursion to the Shoals in steamer Appledore, Capt. Robinson, at 75 cents for the round trip, comes off on Thursday of this week. Tickets at Butler & Laighton's *only*.

One day recently a man undertook to land in a small wherry, through the surf of Seabrook beach. His boat was capsized, and he saved himself by swimming ashore. He was hospitably cared for by Sewell B. and Richard Fowler, who have fish houses on the beach. Charles Fowler took him to the depot next morning, and paid his fare to Gloucester, Mass., whence he hailed. After he had gone his benefactors found that he had worn off a pair of new rubber boots, belonging to Sewell Fowler's son. The boat he landed in has since been found to have been stolen from Ring's Island. The man arrived at Newburyport from Gloucester, and wishing to visit Black Rocks stole the boat for the purpose, but the tide was too strong for him to make the landing and he was carried out to sea.

The "American Journal of the Medical Sciences" for July is out, and contains the usual amount of matter of value to the profession, and more than the usual amount to interest the non-professional reader. The first paper, on the yellow fever epidemic at Savannah in 1876, by Surgeon Alfred A. Woodhull, U. S. A., and one by Dr. James of Frankfort, Ky., on the antipyretic treatment of pneumonia, are of especial interest. Published quarterly, by Henry C. Lea, Nos. 706 & 708 Sansom street, Philadelphia; $5 per year.

New Hampshire Items.

The New Hampshire politician is made of the genuine stuff. He stands by his party every time, and his idea of "standing by" is to hit the other fellow over the head every time he gets a chance. So when a democratic member of the Legislature, on mischief intent, introduced a resolution indorsing the President, the republican member shot it upon the table, and passed one of his own, giving the democratic party a first-class drubbing for attempting to reopen the Presidential question in New Orleans.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

David C. Smith, of Kensington, whose dwelling house was robbed about the 4th of July, expresses an earnest desire that the robbers or any one in possession of such property may return a coffin plate (engraved for his wife's coffin) and all accounts and commercial papers. He is very generous about the matter; don't ask to have even the above property returned to himself, but would thank parties to leave it beside the stone wall or hedge, so he can get it; or, they can notify him without signing a name. The household goods they are welcome to, although worth an hundred or two dollars. Smith cannot be called small or niggardly.

A Brentwood man writes: "For the past fifteen years one man in our community has kept, at times, several cows which were allowed to roam at their own will unmolested, and averaged more damage to the people living in the vicinity yearly, than they were in reality worth. Once they were started to the pound by an energetic woman, whose garden they had broken into and demolished; another time they arrived there, and their owner went for them and removed the lock and took them home, greatly enraged at the fancied injury he had encountered. Now the number is reduced to one, and she, having destroyed all traces of vegetation, except her owner's, within a mile of home, carefully avoiding potatoes where Paris green is used, was taken to walk and once more lodged in the pound, and her owner again removed the fastenings and took her home."

The State Antiquarian Society held its fifth annual meeting at Contoocook on the 17th. The Society now has 9490 books and specimens, among them 1764 manuscripts, mounted or bound and indexed, and about 200 others lately received, many of them concerning Daniel Webster and Timothy Dix. There is pressing need for larger accommodations, and a committee was chosen to secure a better Society building. Among several gifts, Mayor Jillson of Worcester, Mass., presented a perfect copy of Jabobus de Rossi's "Historia Florentini," printed at "Aulnegia" March 8, 1476; and Brigham Young sent a full set of the authoritative works and sacred books of the Church of Latter-day Saints. Rev. Silas Ketchum was re-elected President.

Albert E. Lawton of Boston has been appointed by Gov. Prescott, Agent for New Hampshire for the sale of spirituous liquors. He was first appointed in 1868, and held the position since that time, with the exception of two years.

The first number of the daily newspaper, "Among the Clouds," projected by Henry M. Burt, editor of the New England Homestead, to be printed on the summit of Mount Washington, has been issued. This is an eight-page paper, and will be printed during the season. Mr. Burt has a full equipped newspaper office, including a cylinder press. This is the first time that a daily newspaper has been printed on any mountain in this country, if not in the world.

The gold excitement in the White Mountain region about Milan seems to be at a high pitch, and so many prospectors have rushed in that the Grand Trunk Railway has established a station at the point of discovery, about a dozen miles from Gorham. The vein is said to be eighteen feet wide, running for over a mile, and a ten-ton blast recently assayed $250 a ton, fifty per cent. being copper, twenty per cent. each of gold and lead, and ten per cent. silver. H. K. Flagler of Boston has bought the farm of Mr. Fogg, its owner, for twenty years, and is undecided whether to work the mine himself or dispose of parts of it.

Lieut. E. A. Haskins, an old citizen of Nashua, who was a veteran of the Eighth New Hampshire, Company A, was buried with military honors by Post J. G. Forber, Thursday afternoon.

The Fish Commissioners appointed by the Governor to locate the State hatching-house will probably locate it at Livermore Falls, a mile and a half from Plymouth, as full grown salmon have been seen there.

Serious injuries were occasioned by the accidental discharge of a blast in a well at Orford a few days ago. In the case of Enoch Gilman amputation of the whole hand was necessary, a stone is now lodged in the lower jaw and his eyesight scarcely hoped for. Daniel Simpson and his son are out of danger.

"Sunstroke."

Probably the affection so designated is not the malady to which the term *coup de soleil* can be properly applied. The condition brought about is an exaggerated form of the disturbance occasioned by entering too suddenly the "hot" room of a Turkish bath. The skin does not immediately perform its function as an evaporating and, therefore, cooling surface, and an acute febrile state of the organism is established, with a disturbed balance of circulation, and more or less cerebral irritation as a prominent feature of the complaint. Death may suddenly occur at the outset of the complaint, as it has happened in a Turkish bath, where the subject labors under some predisposition to apoplexy, or has a weak or diseased heart. It should suffice to point out the danger, and to explain, by way of warning, that although the degrees of heat registered by the thermometer, or the power of the sun's rays, do not seem to suggest especial caution, all sudden changes from a low to a high temperature are attended with danger to weak organisms. The avoidance of undue exercise—for example, persistent trotting or cantering up and down the Row—is an obvious precaution on days marked by a relatively, if not absolutely, high temperature. We direct attention to this matter because it is obvious the peculiar peril of overheating the body by exertion on the first burst of fine weather is not generally realized. It is forgotten that the increased temperature must be measured by the elevation which has recently taken place, not the number of degrees of heat at present recorded. The registered temperature may be more or less than that which occurred a year ago, but its immediate effects on the organism may be determined by the conditions which have preceded it, and the violence of the change.—*London Lancet.*

Artistic Flower Pots.

A writer in *Appleton's Journal* complains of the ugly pots at present used for flowers and plants, and says: Attempts have been made, and are made, to introduce fancy flower pots; but these schemes have all started out with two defects—lack of taste and want of gumption. The few feeble experiments in this direction have given us showy vessels that are either detestable with many glaring colors, or which violate an imperative canon of taste by imitating something to which they do not and should not bear likeness. A flower pot that weakly pretends to resemble a log of wood, or that puts on the form of a willow-ware basket, or tries to pass off for something which it is not, is in art an abomination, and should not disfigure either window or garden stand. The rude red pots of the florist are preferable. The vases we have in mind are something wholly different—truth, simplicity and pure taste being their essential characteristics. There are forms of the Greek vase well adapted for the purpose, and Greek decoration is peculiarly appropriate. Examples of those vases can be seen in almost any art museum, or in any book upon poetry. The material should not be costly—the ordinary clay used in our unglazed pottery is good enough; and the decoration should be severe rather than ornate, or else there is danger that the passion for vulgar display rather than true art taste will be encouraged. There is now everywhere a great mania for decorating pottery. We have not seen many products of the new-born zeal that called for special commendation; but decoration that looks rather rude for the mantel-piece would do very well for the out-of-door flower-vase. So, ladies who are in full tide of this new fashion may turn their skill and zeal to good, practical account by introducing examples of flower-pots and vases calculated not only to gratify and cultivate the art sense, but to make flower culture a new delight.

—A colored man, born and educated in Boston, and now holding an important position in an educational institution at the South, says many of the colored people of South Carolina are joining the Catholic Church, in the belief that this will enable them to secure their civil and political rights.—*Boston Traveller.*

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Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 55 State street.

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To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term,* June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARCEMELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1872, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that none of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Worcester, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, held at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers for review of said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry; but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the newly appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Atty.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer therein should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

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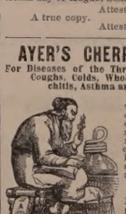

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TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of LEONARD AKERMAN, late of Portsmouth in said County, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting.

You are hereby notified that CHARLES C. AKERMAN, executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Gazette, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

By order of the Judge,

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Daily Chronicle.

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—An eminent French physician says that the decrease of dyspepsia and billious complaints in Paris is owing to the incresed consumption of apples in that city, which he affirms is an admirable prophylactic and tonic, as well as a very nourishing and easily digested article of food. The Parisians devour one hundred millions of apples every year.

—It has been decided in Texas that a negro can marry a white woman whenever he finds one willing. Which calls to mind the ante-bellum inquiry, "Would you have your daughter marry a nigger?"

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	1051
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
United States Ten-Forties coupon	5112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	1064
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1576	1041
Massachusetts State 5s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	1031
Eastern R. R. scrip	55
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64
Boston & Lowell R. R.	66
Boston & Maine	69
Boston & Providence	1201
Boston & Albany	1141
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	21
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	80
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	49
Northern N. H.	65
Old Colony & Newport	57
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

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Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 17c.
Flour, Fancy, 10 @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½;
Fish per b by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 5c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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Pork per bll., $18.50 @ $20.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 1.00
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, No. 10 @ 11½; Gr. 12½; Crushed 13c.
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Washington, D. C., July 9, 1877.

The Bureau of Construction and Repair will receive proposals until 12 o'clock M. of Tuesday, the 14th day of August, 1877, for building the shells of the turrets of the double-turreted monitor "Miantonomoh," now at Chester, Pennsylvania; scrap-iron for the work to be furnished by the Bureau.

These turrets are to be 22 feet and 9 inches external diameter, and will be constructed of plates 9 feet long, about 5 feet broad, and 10½ inches in thickness, according to plans which will be for exhibition at the Navy Yard, League Island, on and after the 20th of July instant.

Separate proposals will be received under this advertisement as follows:

1st. For the entire work of completing these turrets, including the revolving of the iron.

2d. For all the labor of building these turrets, the materials, ready for use, to be provided by the Bureau.

3d. For rolling the iron required in their construction. (The scrap to be furnished by the Bureau.)

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It is desirable that these turrets should be constructed on some wharf on the Delaware river, in such position as to be readily placed on board the ship.

No proposal will be received except from parties known to possess the requisite facilities to perform the work in a satisfactory manner, and the Bureau reserves the right to reject any and all offers, if considered to the interest of the Government to do so.

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the ground. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any state meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind above their stalls or stoves over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the City.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over any street of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Man Who Says He Doesn't Sleep.

The man who does not sleep, Saunders, now resides near Parkersburg, Va. Some time in 1861 or 1862 Saunders enlisted in the Fourth West Virginia Volunteers. For several years he had not slept at all, so he says. But it becoming known directly in camp that he made such pretensions, it aroused the curiosity of many of the men and officers, and they set a watch upon him. I am told by a Colonel that he and many others lost a great many nights' sleep in endeavoring to entrap Saunders, but during the whole time that he remained a member of the Fourth he was never caught asleep. He stood guard night after night, and week after week, paid by sleepy-headed soldiers to take their turns, but never was caught napping. He hauled coal several weeks in succession, only stopping long enough to eat and change horses, and ploughed in the fields with five or six stalwart men until he wore them out completely, but never seemed to tire. During the year 1863, I think it was, he went to Philadelphia and was examined by the leading physicians of the country. They sat up with him in relays of five, night and day, and kept up an almost constant stream of conversation with him, and at the termination of twenty-nine days discharged him with a certificate, but could give no explanation of this freak of nature. Many stories of the untiring energy and activity of this man are told, and all agree who know him that this antipode of Rip Van Winkle is the most sleepless man they ever met.

Mr. Saunders is now about fifty-six years of age, and says that he has not known what sleep is for eighteen years. He himself cannot account for it, as he says the change in his physical organization occurred within three days, and that he never was sick in his life, and took medicine but once, and that was when he had a catarrh, about three years ago. He is a hale, hearty man, and bids fair to live many years yet. He is conscientiously opposed to making a display of himself or no doubt would long ago have been before the public as one of the human curiosities of the world.

A Disastrous Young Woman.

As an instance of what hot temper and rash action can accomplish to ruin a life, an affair that occurred at Sharon, Pa., is one of the best illustrations. A young lady, Miss Kate McGilvery, was out driving alone, and when on State street she desired to get a head of a wagon. She called out to the driver to turn aside so that she could pass. He was adeaf, infirm old man named Bell, and at first did not hear what she said, but after a second or third call did as requested. Misunderstanding Mr. Bell's delay, the young lady on her arrival at home told her father that the old man had tried to frighten her horse. Mr. McGilvery is very impetuous and this made him so angry that he started down town to find Mr. Bell. He met him in front of a store, and, without warning, knocked him through the window, cutting his head badly though not seriously. Mr. Bell was removed to his residence, and his son Richard was so maddened by his father's condition that he determined to punish his assailant. He found him in front of the very store where the first assault had been made, and picking up a two-pound brass weight he hurled it at Mr. McGilvery's head, fracturing the skull. The wounded man died in a few hours. Miss Kate, the innocent cause of all the trouble, has lost her reason, and is now a raving maniac, though her physician has slight hopes that she may recover from the shock. Young Bell is now under custody.

—Young ladies at the hotels are grumbling because they have to dance with each other, as there are no other eligible young men.

—A rich manufacturer placed over the entrance to his factory the motto, "Ora et Labora." A journeyman weaver in search of work approached the head book-keeper as he was crossing the yard and asked: "Are you Mr. Ora, sir?" "No," replied the latter, pointing to a window where his employer sat smoking an Havana, "there is Ora, I am Labora."

—An impossibility—Two barristers of the names of Doyle and Yelverton were constantly quarrelling before the bench. One day the dispute arose so high that the incensed Doyle knocked down his adversary, exclaiming vehemently: "You scoundrel, I'll make you behave like a gentleman!" The other smarting under the blow as he lay on the ground, energetically replied: "No, never! I defy you! You cannot do it, sir!"

—James Moore, an ex-Confederate soldier, living in Burke County, N. C., was in a battle in Virginia where a Federal officer fell wounded before him and began begging piteously for water. Moore, heedless of the hot shot pouring upon the breastwork behind which he was concealed, filled a canteen and gave it to his enemy. The grateful soldier offered his gold watch to Moore, which he refused, but gave his name, the wounded man insisting upon it. A few weeks ago Moore received a letter from the officer to whom he had given a cup of cold water, saying he had settled $10,000 upon him, to be paid in four annual installments of $2,500. The Raleigh (N. C.) *News* says this story is strictly true.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JULY 24, 1877.

The Striker's War.

The great railroad strike continues, and has spread and increased until the whole central belt of States from the Atlantic to the Mississippi is in a state very like civil war.

PITTSBURG, PA.

At Pittsburg, Pa., there was a terrible outbreak, resulting in the destruction of millions of dollars' worth of property, the loss of many lives, and a season of frightful disorder and terror. The Philadelphia militia ordered to Pittsburg by the Governor to assist in preserving the peace arrived at about two o'clock P. M., Saturday, and on their arrival attempted to assist Sheriff Fife in arresting some of the rioters. A large mob, composed of striking railroad men, coal miners, and citizens in sympathy with the rioters, opposed the arrests, and several persons were killed and wounded. This conflict exasperated the mob to the last degree, and in less than an hour thousands of workingmen from the rolling mills, coal mines and various manufacturing establishments, hurried to the scene of the conflict, determined to have revenge on the troops and railway officials. By eight in the evening mobs were moving about the city in various directions, sacking stores to secure arms, breaking into armories of the military companies and preparing themselves to execute the threats freely expressed of massacreing the entire Philadelphia command. By this time the military had withdrawn from the railroad crossing where the first conflict took place, and were ordered to one of the round houses, where they could find better protection. About ten in the evening a mob, numbering several thousands, had congregated about the round house. They had previously captured the guns belonging to Hutchinson's Battery, a local organization, and planted them so as to command the round house. Several solid shots were fired at the building and a breach was made in the walls; but when the infuriated mob attempted to rush into the building, the military were ordered to fire. The volley of musketry that followed and the rumor that the Gatling guns of the command were being brought into requisition, caused a panic, and the mob fled precipitately for several squares, the military meanwhile keeping up a fusilade. The rioters were soon reassured, and, as thousands were flocking to their assistance, they returned to the attack. Finding it difficult to dislodge the military from the building, the mob resolved to burn them out; and vast numbers of cars loaded with coal, kerosene, and other merchandise, were set on fire and run close up to the round-house. The fire department rallied, but the rioters, who were well supplied with arms from plundered stores, refused to allow the fire to be extinguished. The militia, amounting to but a few hundred men, were now in imminent danger of being roasted to death, and were preparing to make one desperate attempt to cut their way through the infuriated mob when, from some unexplained reason, the mob suddenly left. The soldiers hastily left the building and formed on Liberty street, and then marched to the U. S. Arsenal, pursued and assailed all the way by the rioters, who had come back to the attack as suddenly as they had before given it up. On the way to the Arsenal a number of the soldiers and several of the assailants were killed. The commandant of the Arsenal refused to admit the harassed militia, as he had only ten soldiers to defend the property under his charge, and could not hope to resist an attack of the mob; he however did allow several wounded militiamen to be taken to the hospital. From this point the militiamen retreated to the Sharpsburg Hills, across the river, where according to the account received Monday morning they scattered to escape their pursuers, leaving their field pieces in the hands of the rioters. Another account says the troops opened on the crowd with a Gatling gun; but it is conceded that the mob was too strong for the force opposed to them, and held full possession of the railroad depots and works until over $2,000,000 worth of property was burned or stolen.

At the first start of the trouble the sympathy of many of the citizens of Pittsburg was evidently with the rioters. The secret of the sympathy of the Pittsburgers for the strikers is on account of alleged unjust discriminations of the railroad for years past, but the wholesale destruction of property by fire, and the wholesale thieving of the rioters, caused a rapid change in public sentiment and taught the better class of citizens the folly of giving over their city to the control of the reckless and criminal classes, even for the sake of having revenge on an obnoxious corporation. After the city had been ruled by the mob for twenty-four hours, at six o'clock Sunday evening large bodies of respectable citizens suddenly appeared on the street armed with base ball bats and pistols and wearing white handkerchiefs on their left arms, and commenced making arrests; these men called themselves a vigilance committee,—but their efforts do not seem to have amounted to much, for the report at half-past nine P. M. was that the incendiary fires were spreading and the whiskey maddened roughs threatening to raid on the banks.

The destruction of property, Saturday night and Sunday, was enormous. The Union depot and freight and passenger sheds, two round-houses and 135 locomotives, 2000 loaded freight cars, car building and repair shops, Union Depot Hotel, Pan Handle engine house, offices and freight depot of the Adams Express Company, and scores of private houses and other buildings, were burned. During the riots immense crowds of men, women and children were engaged in plundering the cars, and the whole scene must have been very like those of the last days of the Paris Commune.

BALTIMORE, MD.

In Baltimore there was but little trouble from the time of the bloody riot of Friday evening, in which ten of the mob lost their lives, up to Sunday night. Gov. Carroll issued another proclamation on Saturday. Sunday morning 400 U. S. troops, from Fort Columbus, in New York harbor, and Fortress Monroe, arrived in Baltimore, and Gen. Hancock assumed immediate command. Many arrests were made on Sunday by the police, but the Mayor, terrified by the rioters, released them as fast as they were locked up. Several oil-trains were burned during the day by the strikers. The Baltimore *American* in an extra issued Saturday, urged a compromise between the authorities and the mob, and a call was circulated for a mass meeting of citizens to induce the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad to adopt some conciliatory measures with their employes. But Gen. Hancock, Gov. Carroll, Gen. Bond and others had a consultation and unanimously decided that order must be preserved at all hazards, and force met with superior force; and that no compromise was possible between the authorities and armed gangs of murderers and incendiaries.

OTHER PLACES.

At Vergennes, Ind., all trains were stopped by the strikers on Sunday, and serious trouble is feared there.

Government troops have been ordered from Providence, Boston, New York and Columbus, to assist in enforcing the laws of the States that have called for aid, and to protect the U. S. Arsenals.

Gov. Hartranft, of Pennsylvania, was absent in the far West when the outbreak occurred, and immediately started for home. On Sunday night it was reported that the Governor had telegraphed orders to call out every militia company in the State; also, that he had also telegraphed the President of the United States, calling for troops and suggesting the propriety of a call for volunteers.

At Altoona, Pa., a train of cars containing two companies of militia was stopped by the strikers; one company stacked arms and refused to do anything, and the other company was attacked and driven off by the mob.

The entire Fourth Division of Pennsylvania National Guards was placed under marching orders on Sunday, to concentrate at Harrisburg Sunday night. The Second division and Eighth Regiment were also ordered to Harrisburg.

At Cumberland, Md., two companies of U. S. troops are stationed, and there is no trouble, though rioting is feared when the freight is put in motion.

At Hornellsville, N. Y., the Erie Railroad strikers stopped the trains; they were joined by some Lake Shore workmen and a crowd of Attica roughs, and held the place Saturday night and Sunday. Troops from Buffalo arrived at Hornellsville Saturday night, and the Twenty-Third Regiment N. Y. N. G. left Brooklyn for the same place Sunday evening.

At Reading, Pa., Sunday night, shortly after 10 o'clock, upon the arrival of the passenger train from Philadelphia, about 1000 men followed after the train to the new passenger depot. The night trains were prevented from leaving the depot and several hundred persons commenced obstructing the tracks of the Lebanon Valley Railroad leading to Harrisburg. The Lebanon Valley Railroad bridge, a splendid structure across the Schuykill, costing over $150,000, was fired at the western end shortly before midnight and totally destroyed. The object in destroying the bridge was to prevent the passage of troops through the city to Harrisburg and points on the Pennsylvania Railroad.

At Allentown, Pa., the strikers tore up the tracks and fired freight cars, Sunday evening.

Gen. Hancock has been ordered to assume personal command of the troops in Pennsylvania, and Gen. Schofield, commandant of the Military Academy, is ordered to Pennsylvania to report to Gen. Hancock.

The first riotous outbreak at Philadelphia occurred early Monday morning, when 400 strikers assembled near Fairmount bridge, and when ordered to disperse assailed the police with showers of stones. The police, 80 in number, charged the mob and dispersed it, capturing several prisoners.

It was reported, Monday afternoon, that the Pan Handle managers had given in to the demands—or, rather, the threats—of the strikers, and agreed to pay the wages demanded and employ all the strikers.

Monday nights' report from Buffalo, N. Y., was that the Lake Shore and Erie strikers, aided by a mob of roughs, took possession of the New York Central at that place on Monday and drove off all the employes, stopping 500 freight cars in transit.

FEDERAL ACTION.

An extra session of the Cabinet was held at ten o'clock Monday morning to consider the question of Federal action relative to the railroad strikes, all the members being present. It is understood that Mr. Evarts was very anxious to have the Government abstain from any extreme measures unless the Federal authority should be openly defied. He holds that the Federal Government has no right to engage in railroading, and that so long as the State authority is not wholly swept away the Federal Government can do nothing but to aid in the preservation of the peace and the suppression of disorder when such aid is properly requested by the State authorities.

The Cabinet, after a two hour's session, determined that the President should issue a proclamation commanding the disturbers to desist in Pennsylvania on the same terms as the previous proclamations issued on account of the violations of order in other States. The proclamation was issued soon after noon.

The Eastern War.

Osman Pasha officially announces that he has defeated the Russians at Plevna in two battles, killing "innumerable" Russians, and taking three trains of ammunition, one train of artillery and enormous quantities of small arms and equipments.

A Bucharest despatch says the Russians have taken Yeni Saghra, and that the Grand Duke Nicholas' position at Tirnova is rendered secure by reinforcements. A Vienna paper says that the bombardment of Rustchuk by the Russians under the Czarowitch, will be commenced without delay. The Ninth Russian Army Corps is marching against Widdin, and a heavy siege train has been sent to the corps in the Dobrudscha.

New Hampshire Items.

A three-year-old daughter of Levi Davis of Durham was run over by horses attached to a hay wagon on the 13th inst., and so injured that she died in an hour.

The loss on the Varney tannery at Wolfboro has been adjusted at $3481.29, on a total insurance of $4000, the Worcester Insurance Company paying $931.29 and the Meriden and Roger Williams $1250 each.

The heaviest thunder-shower of the season occurred at Hanover Friday night. Great damage was done to roads and crops. Several bridges and culverts were entirely washed away and travelling rendered impossible on several roads.

A terrific thunder-shower passed over Enfield, July 17, during which the lightning struck the house of Simeon Garland, shattering windows and doors, upsetting stoves and passing through the kitchen where six persons were sitting, but doing them no injury, though the concussion was like the discharge of a heavy cannon in the house.

An Infernal Machine.

A man holding a large cylindrical machine between his knees excited considerable attention in a Boston car recently. An old gentleman who had been talking about the war, cast his eyes on it and said: "Let 'em go ahead with their ironclads; some Yankee'll invent a torpedo that'll fix 'em. You see." Instantly the man with the cylinder became the centre of attraction. "Ain't loaded, is she?" said a lank countryman, giving it a rap with his horny knuckles that would have exploded a twenty-four pounder, and causing a nervous man to hastily seek the rear platform. "An invention of yours, my friend?" said a bald-headed man with spectacles, on the opposite seat, bending over curiously, in which he was joined by his neighbors. "Waal, not edzackly," said the man with the cylinder, tugging at the top of it until the whole car was aroused. "I'm an agent for it," he continued, as he pulled off the cover. "It's Jenkins' patent back-action family biler. Kin put yer week's wash in the bottom, and bile yer dinner in the top; will fit enny cook stove; price only dollar narf; take a cirkelar, it's the only relia—" Putting the man off the car was certainly justifiable, but jamming the tin kitchen over his ears on to his shoulders and booting him from the front platform seemed unnecessarily severe.

—A man made a bet that he would pass twenty-five men over Waterloo Bridge, London, without toll being taken from them, and won. He marshalled his men and asked the tollman in a nonchalant way to count them. As soon as the last man had passed the turnstile and all were walking briskly away, he entered into a dispute with the tollman as to the number that he had passed. "Twenty-five," said the tollman. "I vow it was twenty-seven," asserted the other. The dispute continued until the last man was out of sight, when the speculator paid his half-penny and said: "Well, after all, it is no matter of mine. Good morning."

—Mr. R. H. Dana, Jr., told the following "little story" at a dinner party in Boston not long ago: "He was passing a negro church at the North End one night, and took it into his head to look in. After a few moments' observation and listening, he was quietly retiring, when one of the "official members" stepped up and expressed regret that they could not offer him more attractive preaching. Mr. Dana remarked politely that it was very good, but the colored brother insisted on apologizing, "Not much in de way ob preachin', sir, only a New York man."

—A California paper says of one of the artists there that "she is a nice dumpy little soul, with eyes that have a slight tendency toward toeing in."

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	3.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05,	10.10 A. M., 5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 " 3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 " "
Concord and North,		10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 " 5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

The U. S. S. Speedwell, Lt. Comdr. Kellogg, which left this port early Friday morning, arrived at New London, Conn., Saturday evening.

The excursion to the Shoals in steamer Appledore, under the conduct of the Woman's Temperance League, comes off to-day, the steamer leaving the wharf near foot of Deer street at 11 o'clock A. M., and the Shoals at three o'clock P. M. Fare for the trip, 75cts; tickets to be had at David Kimball & Co's.

The Court street Christian Church was filled on Sunday evening to listen to Col. Kent's temperance address. It occupied about an hour in its delivery, and although the atmosphere of the room was unpleasantly warm on account of the crowd in attendance, the speaker held his audience to the end. We learn that Col. Kent has been applied to by the managers of different reform clubs in this State and Massachusetts to lecture for them in the fall. Any club will do well to secure him.

Sunday evening was a very good season for drunken rows in this city, we are informed. There was one good sized row on Bridge street, where a crowd of Irishmen had a fight with two or three young fellows from Dover; and the same parties kept up a series of supplementary boxing matches all the way down to Market square. Then there was a noisy row near the beer shop and rummery called "The Old House at Home," on Daniel street,—a very common Sunday evening performance, by the way, for that neighborhood. A little judicious severity would be a good thing to try on in this case, to see if it would abate what is fast becoming a notorious public nuisance.

A company of United States regular troops, of late stationed at Portland, Me., passed through this city Monday forenoon on the 11:18 train, bound to Pittsburg to assist in looking after the rioters.

It is rumored on the streets that the authors of the noisy and dangerous "joke" by which the windows of Rice's bakery, Ham's periodical store and other buildings were broken on the night of the High School reunion, have settled the matter by paying $50 to cover the actual damages done. As we hear the story the affair was intended simply as a bit of harmless fun, nothing being further from the jokers' thoughts than the commission of any malicious mischief; and if the names of the parties given us are correct we have no doubt this statement of the case is true. They simply desired to astonish the public; and they succeeded admirably, for the public—including the jokers—were very much astonished by the noise of the explosion and the damage done by it. We do not think any of that party will play any more jokes with substances of the effects of which they are not well acquainted.

Hon. John S. H. Frink, of Greenland, on Monday notified Gov. Prescott that he declined to accept the position of Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of New Hampshire, recently tendered him. It is to be regretted that Mr. Frink could not see his way clear to accepting the judgeship, as he would have conferred honor on the position; but his private practice is undoubtedly to important to permit it.

The August number of the *Sanitarian* is received, and is interesting in its discussion of those matters that relate to health. Published by A. N. Bell, 82 Nassau street, New York.

We have received the August number of *Wide Awake*, which contains the usual amount of good things for the children. This Summer Holiday number is well calculated to enchant the children and will be good company at the seaside and in the country. Terms only $2.00 per annum. Ella Farnam, Editor. D. Lothrop & Co., Publishers, Boston.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, July 23d.

John Lever and Dennis Welch, drunk, each sentenced to pay $9.90, fine and costs.

Charles Fernald, common drunkard, three months in Brentwood, costs $8.04.

News and Notes.

According to the Hartford papers, Henry J. Furber was paid in the aggregate a salary of $44,967 in 1876, by three life insurance companies, for his services as manager, viz: by the North American $12,000, by the Universal $20,967, and by the Charter Oak, $12,000. An opinion appears to prevail that he did not earn his wages.

A nine-year-old daughter of John Morgan of Biddeford fell down stairs Saturday, breaking her right thigh and one jaw. The chances of her recovery are doubtful.

The Baltimore and Ohio is a riotous railroad. There have been five outbreaks since 1830. The worst was in 1857, when there was fighting and train wrecking, quite a number of persons being injured. The company carried its point at the end of six days. It is desirable that the strikers should now be made to feel that they have no right to use violence.—*Worcester Gazette.*

The Secretary of the Navy decides that Commander Whitehead of the United States steamer Yantic had reasonable grounds for leaving the battery of the vessel at Cape Town, Africa, the vessel being too badly out of repair to safely carry guns.

The Postmaster at Sanborn, N. Y., considers his privileges as a citizen and member of the Republican State Central Committee of more consequence than his federal appointment, and resigns the post office.

John Quinn of Vernon, Conn., complained of Margaret Dowling for being naughty. The case was tried before Justice Talcott, who fined her $2 and costs, amounting to $18. Margaret then made two similar complaints against John, and he was fined on both. Total damage, $19. Now it was John's turn. He entered a complaint against Margaret for selling liquor without a license, and she was bound over in the sum of $200 to the County Court. Margaret now went for John's son, Edward, who was mean enough to attempt to poison her well by throwing into it snakes and other disagreeables. The Justice found Edward guilty, and he was put under $100 bonds to answer for the grave charge at the Superior Court.

The High School graduation at Newport, R. I., Thursday, was notable in the fact that a colored girl, Josephine A. Silone, took the gold medal for highest scholarship and gave the valedictory, her average in every study being within a fraction of the maximum mark. The case is the more remarkable as the girl has supported herself, her mother being a cook, and has taken the last two years' study in one year. She is going to college.

A ten-year-old French lad, name unknown, while playing about the staging of the Maine street bridge at Saco, Saturday afternoon, fell into the river and was drowned. His body was not recovered.

A despatch from London, Sunday, says: "The whale boat New Bedford, which made the daring voyage across the Atlantic, arrived at Mounts Bay, Cornwall, at 11 o'clock, Saturday night. Capt. Crapo and his wife landed at Penzance this morning. They encountered three gales, lost some of their clothing and were obliged to lie to fifteen days. They intend proceeding to London in the New Bedford, Monday, the weather permitting."

The Bankrupt Law.

There is a growing sentiment in business circles in favor of a repeal of the bankrupt law, and Congress at its next session will undoubtedly be petitioned to that effect. The first bankrupt act was passed by Congress in the year 1800. This law continued in force three years, and served to wipe out the old scores of the first quarter of our national century. The next act was passed in 1841, and was repealed in 1843, thus affording opportunity for settlements necessitated by the panic of 1837, and starting the country on a fresh record after that eventful period. We weathered the storm of 1857 without a bankrupt law, but two years after the close of the war, when the consequences of the high commercial pressure of that period began to manifest themselves, another bankrupt law was enacted, with a view to settling the country down to safer methods of a condition of peace.

The purpose of all these laws was to afford a temporary period of relief, to clear up the record and start on a fresh page of our commercial history. In the first two acts this purpose was adhered to in their repeal after a sufficient time had elapsed to enable them to accomplish their object. This last act has continued in force more than ten years, and it has for some time been a question whether it should not be repealed. The condition of our commercial and industrial interests during these ten years has been at all times precarious. There have been reasons for the extension of the indulgences of bankruptcy during part of that time that had never existed before. It was pretty generally thought that the time had come for the repeal of the law when the panic of 1873 threw the country into a new state of disturbance, and postponed effort in that direction. But since the panic of 1873 as much time has elapsed as was given to the continuance of bankrupt laws on two former occasions when Congress created them. The depression following that panic has brought all business down to a more moderate and safer basis and the question of repeal now presents itself with peculiar force.

It is the judgment of the most intelligent commercial opinion of the country that the bankrupt law should be repealed as soon as possible. In the language of Dun's Mercantile Agency, "the facilities which wholesale merchants themselves afford for effecting settlements at fifty cents on the dollar and less, and which the national bankrupt law encourages, are not unfrequently an effective premium to the greatest rascality and poorest capacity!" There are doubtless still many honest men who are forced by the vicissitudes of business to seek relief in the bankrupt courts, but there is a widely extended popular suspicion that the bankrupt law is working most favorably in the interest of speculative, not to say dishonest tradesmen. It is believed that there are persons in this country who stretch their credit to its utmost capacity, go into business, live extravagantly as long as it lasts on presumed profits, then go into bankruptcy on depleted assets, and after surrendering everything, are no worse off than they were at the start, and have to their credit several years of comfortable living at the expense of others. Says a writer on this subject: "It is a bad thing for the country, it is a bad thing for any community, it is a bad thing for the individual, that a man should see his way too clearly, to the loss of others, out of liabilities which he may incur. It is better for all hands that every debt should be incurred under the prospect of having to pay the whole of it and straining every nerve to meet in, in order to avoid ill repute. It is not healthy to have these side doors out of which one can step, leaving behind only a trunk half full of soiled linen to meet his landlord's board bill."

The principal sufferers from the present bankrupt law are the manufacturers and wholesale merchants. These unite in saying that there is no difficulty in selling goods on credit, but they also unite in the declaration that their losses through the bankruptcy of their creditors are simply enormous; the fact is, honest merchants, engaged in retail trade, find it almost impossible to continue in business, because of the competition of reckless and unprincipled dealers who, under the bankrupt law, have no fears of failure, but who, on the contrary, enter into business with the deliberate intention of receiving, sooner or later, a visit from the sheriff. This being the case, the law ought to be repealed, or greatly modified, and we have no doubt that Congress will take the same view of the matter when it re-assembles.—*New Haven Register.*

—A rich, and parsimonious, and very old gentleman, on being taken to task for his uncharitableness, said: "True, I don't give much; but if you only knew how it hurts when I give anything, you wouldn't wonder. I am in hopes to feel different when I inherit brother Bill's property."

—Hobart Pacha, the commander of the Turkish fleet in the Black sea, is an Englishman, and when he gives the directions for an attack on a Russian town, with a name containing four or five "H's," three times out of five his men go off and bombard the wrong town.

DIED.

WHITE. In Mayport, Florida, July 5, Mr. Charles M. White, aged 23 years, formerly of this city.

(*Gloucester (Mass.) papers please copy.*)

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At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 95 State street.

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To the Supreme Court.

ROCKINGHAM, SS. *Law Term,* June, 1877. No. 12.

EDWIN T. RICE of New York respectfully represents that ARABELLA RICE, late of Portsmouth, deceased, in 1873, testate, having in her will nominated your petitioner together with two other cousins to be Executors of her will: that both of the other persons nominated declined to accept the trust, and have since deceased.

And your petitioner having nearly completed the distribution of the residuum of said estate, upon the petition of Samuel E. Sewall, administrator of one of the residuary legatees who lived and died in Russia, at the Probate Court, holden at Portsmouth, September, 1876, was removed from his position as Executor of said will.

He further represents that his counsel was in Court when said removal was announced, and then and there in open Court claimed an appeal to this Court which was then and there allowed, and further requested the Register of Probate to prepare the proper papers to render said appeal effectual to this Court, and to hand the papers to the Clerk for entry: but, owing to some misunderstanding between the counsel of your petitioner and the said well-appointed Register of Probate, and not through any neglect, the proper papers were not seasonably filed to effect said appeal.

Wherefore, he prays that this Court will give him leave to appeal, according to the provisions of the statute in such case made and provided.

EDWIN T. RICE, by
W. H. Y. HACKETT, his Att'y.

Upon the foregoing petition, it is ordered that the petitioner notify all persons interested in the subject matter thereof, to appear at an adjourned law term of our Supreme Court to be holden at Concord in our County of Merrimack, on the thirteenth day of August, 1877, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why the prayer thereof should not be granted, by causing a true and attested copy of said petition and this order to be published once a week for three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth, in our County of Rockingham, the last publication whereof to be at least thirty days before said thirteenth day of August next.

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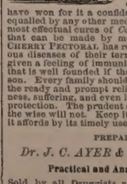

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Daily Chronicle.

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—They have rough and ready doctors in the Turkish service. A soldier went to the hospital tent and complained of toothache. Up jumped one of the Turkish doctors, seized a pair of blacksmith's pincers, and going behind the fellow, threw his arm round his neck as if about to strangle him. In an instant a capital double tooth, as sound as a young elephant's sucking tusk, was lying on the earth on the other side of the tent. The patient, who had never winced, mildly suggested that the wrong one might have been drawn, as he felt the offender at work still. "Haide, haide!" "Be off, be off!" said the operator, pushing him out of the tent with his pincers. Then, calmly resuming his seat on the floor, he lit a fresh cigar.

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Fitchburg	103
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Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
Washington, D. C., July 9, 1877.

The Bureau of Construction and Repair will receive proposals until 12 o'clock M. of Tuesday, the 14th day of August, 1877, for building the shells of the turrets of the double-turreted monitor "Miantonomoh," now at Chester, Pennsylvania; scrap-iron for the work to be furnished by the Bureau.

These turrets are to be 22 feet and 9 inches external diameter, and will be constructed of plates 9 feet long, about 5 feet broad, and 10½ inches in thickness, according to plans which will be for exhibition at the Navy Yard, League Island, on and after the 20th of July instant.

Separate proposals will be received under this advertisement as follows:

1st. For the entire work of completing these turrets, including the revolting of the iron.

2d. For the labor of building the outer turrets, the materials, ready for use, to be provided by the Bureau.

3d. For rolling the iron required in their construction. (The scrap to be furnished by the Bureau.)

Plates to be bent and planed according to plan.

Proposals will also be received under this advertisement for furnishing all the materials which may be required in the construction of these turrets; the plates to be of the size mentioned above, bent and planed according to plan, to be equal to the best quality of English turret iron, and all iron furnished will be subject to such tests as the Bureau may direct.

It is desirable that these turrets should be constructed on some wharf on the Delaware river, in such position as to be readily placed on board the ship.

No proposal will be received except from parties known to possess the requisite facilities to perform the work in a satisfactory manner, and the Bureau reserves the right to reject any and all offers, if considered to the interest of the Government to do so.

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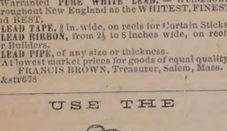

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by the owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by order of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and aldermen, and by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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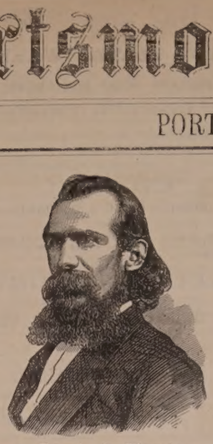

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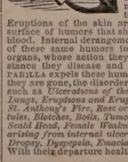

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Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Journal Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

ROBIN'S RAIN-SONG.

O Robin, pipe no more of rain!
'Tis four days since we saw the sun,
And still the misty window pane
Is loud with drops that leap and run.

Four days ago the sky was clear,
But when my mother heard you call,
She said, "That's Robin's rain-song, dear;
Oh, well he knows when rain will fall!"

Fair was the morning, and I wept
Because she would not let me stray
Into the woods for flowers, but kept
My feet from wandering away.

And I was vexed to hear you cry
So sweetly of the coming storm,
And watched with brimming eyes the sky
Grow cold and dim from clear and warm.

It seemed to me you brought it all
With that incessant, plaintive note;
And still you call the drops to fall
Upon your brown and scarlet coat.

How nice to be a bird like you,
And let the rain come pattering down,
Nor mind a bit to be wet through,
Nor fear to spoil one's only gown!

But since I cannot be a bird,
Sweet Robin, pipe no more of rain!
Your merrier music is preferred;
Forget at last that sad refrain!

And tell us of the sunshine, dear—
I'm wild to be abroad again,
Seeking for blossoms far and near;
O Robin, pipe no more of rain!

—*Celia Thaxter, St. Nicholas for August.*

Old Time Chronicles, No. 153.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

The last was an account of the Warren Hastings trial. Another character over the waters in England, frequently alluded to in this country, will now be described. This was John Hamden. Some in writing articles of a certain class for newspapers have used the signature "John Hamden."

Notwithstanding bad defects in the characters of several of the sovereigns of England for a long time previous to 1603, it must be acknowledged that every one that filled the throne had good powers of mind and respectable executive abilities. But in the year named the House of Stuart came in power, and there was a change. The nation felt it. A man was wanted in the machine, as President Lincoln in later times said. James I. reigned twenty-two years, ending in 1625. Charles I. succeeded, and after a reign of twenty-four years, the throne was overturned and the monarch beheaded. His reign was a troublous one. The people felt that they had not their just rights. It was in this time that John Hamden was on the stage and an actor. After the overthrow of the king, Oliver Cromwell was at the head of affairs, as Protector. In the previous commotions Hamden was associated with Cromwell, and in 1635 these two with two others, took ship, proposing to leave the country for good and come to America, but were forbidden by the king. Charles had reason to repent of this act afterward. Had he gotten rid of Cromwell he would have been free from an able, wily foe.

The king had obtained the consent of the judges to levy a tax, not customary nor lawful, in case he should deem it necessary. Hamden's tax of twenty shillings, he refused to pay. In thus refusing, like a true patriot, his object was to take a noble stand in defence of the laws and liberties of his country. He was brought to trial as he knew he would be. He was condemned, as he had every reason to expect. How long the trial lasted, we are not informed. Probably not much time was necessary for the evidence, but the arguments occupied twelve day. Four of the judges decided in his favor, but others, a majority, were against him. But Hamden obtained the object for which he had aimed. The nation was aroused. It was seen that the rights, laws and liberties of the realm were being subverted. In a few years more the nation was alive to the situation. The sentence against Hamden was cancelled. Later Hamden and a few of his associates were accused of treason and an effort was made to impeach them. But the king's power was waning, and but little came of this. Civil war came on. The party for the king were called royalists. Opposers were for the constitution, laws and privileges of the realm. In 1643 in a skirmish with the royalists Hamden was mortally wounded. The king was not far away at the time and either from some affection for this great man or from policy he intended to send to him his own surgeon to cure him, if possible. But Hamden was dead. And thus ended the life of a man of great enterprise, of great eloquence in debate, penetration and discernment in council, and in private life of virtues that ennoble the human character.

A Novel in One Chapter.

The following is from a Paris paper. It may be true, but it is more likely to be a product of the imagination. As a story it is rather good:

"Here's the story of an unfortunate young lawyer. This unlucky wight was head over heels in love with a beautiful girl, and was about to be married to her. On the eve of the wedding day he was called in to defend an awful miscreant—a man of thirty, who had poisoned his mother and father. The case seemed a lost one, and when the prosecution had closed, the young lawyer was about giving up the struggle without an effort. Suddenly he perceived in the far extremity of the court room his beloved and her parents, who had come to see what stuff he was made of. The presence of the one he worship changes his train of

thought. He feels that he must make a show of talent, and commencing his argument, rises to the highest flights of eloquence. In a word, he succeeds in showing that the criminal is an upright, virtuous and much abused man, and obtains his acquittal. In the evening, the lawyer, with triumphant air, calls at the house of his future father-in-law, expecting that his success will ensure him a warm reception. To his surprise, he finds the young girl cold and her parents much embarrassed. He asks what this sort of reception means. 'My friend,' says he whom the young man had already begun to call father-in-law, 'I must tell you—my daughter loves another.' 'Another! Who is the man?' 'The good and virtuous man whom you to-day, by your eloquence, restored to society,' replies the father."

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, JULY 25, 1877.

No Time For Compromise.

Monday evening it was reported that the Pan Handle railroad managers had surrendered to the rioters, agreeing to pay the wages demanded and to employ all the strikers. This rumor had not been confirmed up to Tuesday evening, and is probably untrue, for it is certain that the corporation that could so weakly yield would not only receive the hearty contempt of every supporter of law and order, but would assure the ruin of the property under their charge, for no railroad or manufactory could exist under full control of an irresponsible mob.

The question at issue is not at all one of wages; it is not whether or no any railroad or combination of railroads has refused to pay the wages honestly earned by the employes, or ordered to be paid by some demagogue who never did a day's honest labor in his life though he now heads a "working-man's club" or "trade-union;" it is whether the recognized rules of society and the statutes of the land shall be overthrown by organized ruffianism,—whether the torch of the incendiary and the bullet of the assassin, or the law, shall be paramount. The spirit of the great railroad strike is evidently the spirit of the Paris Commune or the trade-unions of the "black country" of England and Wales—the spirit of rapine and murder; and any surrender, —any compromise with that spirit would be the ruin of the State or Nation that yielded.

The striking railroad men had an unquestioned right to say they would not work for any rate of wages they deemed unsatisfactory; but the moment they interfered to prevent other men from working at any rate of wages they pleased, that moment they became criminals, to be dealt with only by force. That the roughs and thieves from the slums of the great cities, the Molly Maguires of the Pennsylvania coal districts, and the criminal classes generally, flock to the aid of the strikers in their work of lawless violence, adds nothing to the guilt of the latter; their great crime lies in their assumption of the right to dictate to other men as to the rate at which they may be permitted to sell their labor, and their wholesale scoundrelism at Pittsburg and Baltimore and Reading and a hundred other places are but incidentals.

There can be no safe compromise with the managers of and participators in this great strike. The railroads have lost heavily, and their losses will no doubt be greater yet; but unless they would submit to utter ruin they must fight it out now and to the bitter end, and emancipate themselves from the tyranny of the trade-unions,—and the power of the States individually, and the whole power of the United States, if need be, must be employed in sustaining the right of the individual to dispose of his labor as he pleases, the dictum of a trade-union to the contrary notwithstanding.

Death of a Prominent Citizen of Exeter.

Abner Merrill, Esq., a well known business man of Exeter, died in that town on Monday morning, in the 87th year of his age.

Mr. Merrill was well known in this county and in Boston as extensively engaged in a successful wool business at Exeter. He was a man of good judgment, clear foresight and sound business views, and believed in accumulating a fortune by the old fashioned method, of late gone out of practice; and the result of his thrift and close business habits was a handsome competence. In Feb., 1858, Mr. Merrill was elected a Director in the Granite State Bank, of which bank he was chosen President in April, 1862. This position he retained in this Bank, and its successor, the National Granite State Bank, until the annual meeting in January, 1876, when he declined a re-election and was succeeded by his eldest son, Mr. Jeremiah L. Merrill. The senior Merrill, however, remained in the board of direction until his death, making a continuous service as Director for nearly twenty years.

To Mr. Merrill, Exeter has been greatly indebted in a business point of view. He furnished employment to many workmen at his manufactory. He built one of the most ornamental and substantial buildings devoted to business purposes in the State, and his habits and example were always on the side of good morals and probity. He raised a large family, and his sons in business in Exeter and Boston are each of them noted for their sound views in business matters, and their industry and sagacity. Mr. Merrill lived to a ripe old age, his mental faculties remaining clear and firm to the last. In his departure our neighboring town loses one of her most prominent and widely appreciated residents, whose long and successful career as a business man and citizen is a striking example of the results of a development of the strong New England traits of which he was possessed in great abundance.

The Strikers' War.

There were no such extensive tragedies anywhere on Monday as the Pittsburg and Baltimore affairs, but the mob-spirit developed itself in many new spots throughout New York, Pennsylvania, Ohio, West Virginia, Maryland and Baltimore.

The number of persons killed at Pittsburg in the communist riots is not yet even approximately given. One train of cars to the eastward is said to have taken 300 wounded soldiers. Eight hundred soldiers went into the round-house at Pittsburg on Sunday, and it is stated that only 600 escaped from the mob. It is feared that many were burned in the building. Soldiers were killed in the retreat from the round-house. The mob allowed none to touch the bodies but Roman Catholic priests. The strongest rallying cry of the rioters during the fire was "Let her burn, boys! it will give us work to do." The militia were not re-enforced nor well supplied with ammunition. The police sympathized with the strikers. Five hundred well officered, resolute men would have saved five millions of property.

The cannon captured by the rioters at Pittsburg on Sunday were given up on Monday. The citizens continue to arm and organize in defence of their property and in support of the law, having heartily tired of the rule of crime and mob-law.

The strikers in many places not only drive away men who are willing to work on the railroads, but compel the employes in workshops and factories that have nothing to do with railroads to strike also.

At Reading, Pa., Monday evening, a mob that had been tearing up the railroad track all day managed to get up a fight with a militia company. The soldiers fired on the rioters, and fortunately killed four, besides wounding quite a number.

At Buffalo, N. Y., Tuesday, a company of militia were driven and the rioters stopped all traffic on the railroads. The militia fought well; two of them are reported killed, but they killed two of the rioters and dangerously wounded seven or eight others.

Gov. Van Zandt of Rhode Island has notified President Hayes that that State is ready to do her part in preserving the country from the horrors of mob-rule. All the militia of New York and Pennsylvania are under arms.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 21.

The interest of the average Washingtonian, which has been divided between Gen. Howard's Nez Perces campaign, Gen. Ord's Rio Grande movements, the Turco-Russian campaign in Europe and Asia, and the "battle of the Boyne" as lately refought in Montreal, is now concentrated upon the hostile demonstrations of the railroad strikers. * * * The West Virginia militia appear to have been wholly inefficient, surendering their arms and being badly scared. Their present record is not dissimilar in the brilliancy and gallantry of their achievements to that made by the State troops when perambulating the country about Harper's Ferry in 1859 in search of, or to avoid, old John Brown, who was shut up with his score of followers in the Arsenal buildings; and the prompt appeal of West Virginia's democratic Governor to the National authorities for protection, reminds the public of Virginia's constitutional abhorrence of Federal troops, especially marked in the case of a half dozen stationed in Petersburg at the last election, and regarded as an insult of so flagrant a character as to have convulsed the democratic House of Representatives with indignation, Mr. Wood even suggesting that their presence was an impeachable offense on the part of the Chief Executive. But the organized cry for relief was duly heeded by sending several companies and batteries from the Arsenal here and from Fort McHenry; and it is not believed the strikers will fly directly in the face of Providence by an attempt to resist these regulars. Should their infatuation lead them to do so they will probably be taught a wholesome lesson that will prove useful to all disturbers of the peace and to mobocracy for all coming time.

This organized revolt has attracted attention to another, inaugurated more than two weeks ago, and much more disastrous in its effects to this district, but which has failed to become generally known because of the pacific attitude of the strikers. The Baltimore & Ohio railroad and the Chesapeake & Ohio canal are rivals for the carrying trade of the Cumberland (Md.) mines, the coal reaching tide water by canal at Georgetown, or by the road at Baltimore. After many remonstrances at the low freights allowed, the majority of the boatmen struck for $1 per ton as the lowest possible living figure, the shippers declining on the ground that such rates would be ruinous in the present depressed condition of the coal market. No violence has been offered, but an effectual blockade has been established at Sir John's Run, through which no boat could pass without the aid of the strikers, which has been accorded to all save coal laden boats. Pastures have been hired and the mules and men are all enjoying a vacation, living like fighting cocks, it is said, upon the best of fare, mysteriously supplied by outside parties. Georgetown and Alexandria are both languishing from this interruption to their trade, several vessels chartered to load coal having already gone away in ballast, there being no immediate prospect of a resumption of work. Of course, Baltimore and Garrett's road are benefitted by this arrangement, and the latter is accused of having instigated the strike, and now "his chickens have come home to roost."

Political matters are rather quiet. Since it was made public that Gov. Matthews of West Virginia is pecuniarily interested in the receipts of the White Sulphur Spring hotel, it is understood that the President has definitely declined to give eclat to the proposed meeting of the democratic savans by his presence, and the movement has fallen into disrepute.

The successful effort to reinforce Howard has inspired a much more hopeful feeling relative to that officer's ability to cope with the Idaho and Oregon hostiles; and while his late victory, it is believed, has operated to deter other tribes from casting their lot with Chief Joseph, it has also brought to an untimely end the intrigues of his enemies here, who were laboring to effect his disgrace by the substitution of some other officer in his place.

The President has revised his first decision relative to the members of the National Republican Committee, and according to the latest executive fiat, approved by a majority of his Cabinet advisers, Messrs. McCormick, Filley, Connell, Cumback, Keogh and Noyes must elect whether they will serve upon the Committee and resign their Federal positions, or vice versa. KNOX.

News and Notes.

The American Powder Mills, in Acton and Maynard, Mass., blew up on Tuesday and killed two men.

There was an anti-Chinese riot in San Francisco, Monday night, but the police quelled it.

At Newburyport, Monday, J. E. Wolfe, editor and publisher of the *Word of Truth*, for libel on Celia Sliney of the unlicensed Harbor House at Salisbury, was held by the Police Court to answer at the October term of the Superior Court at Lawrence in $2500. Senator Swett of Haverhill furnished bail.

Addie Rivers, aged 22 years, while walking on the track of the Boston and Maine Railroad, at Saco, Me., was run over by the Monday afternoon mail train. One shoulder was broken, three toes cut off, and she received bad bruises.

A valuable cow, belonging to Henry Whiting of West Sutton, Mass., was taken with the hydrophobia on Wednesday afternoon. She bellowed and struggled in great agony during the spasms, became loose from the stanchions and broke off one of her horns. She was shot by Dr. Rawson on Thursday afternoon. The cow was bitten in the jaw by a dog, while being driven from the pasture with others, about two weeks ago.

New Hampshire Items.

George Dean of Gilsum accidentally shot himself Sunday afternoon. He cannot recover.

Mrs. Mary T. Conner, wife of Charles Conner, Esq., of Exeter, died suddenly on Friday at the age of seventy-one years. She was a niece of the late Gov. John Taylor Gilman, and her long life was one of rare usefulness. The deceased leaves two children, Mr. Charles G. Conner, Clerk of the Supreme Court of New Hampshire, and Daniel G. Conner of New York city.

How a Young Man Made a Fortune.

If a full history of the world-famous New York Ring could be given in all its phases, it would not be less interesting to lovers of like reading than the Newgate Calender or the lives of such heroes as Dick Turpin; as a single specimen will show. About the time the *Hon.* William Tweed & Co. commenced their career of thieving on a large scale, two young men, who had been reporters in the office of an evening journal, procuring a few hundred dollars' worth of printing materials, started a small sheet to which they gave the name of *"The Transcript,"* filling it for the most part with the names of travellers arriving at the New York hotels, the type of which was hired from an evening paper after it was done with in that sheet, and a class of legal advertisements, that, so long as they can be produced in court when wanted, printed in something in the form of a newspaper, those who insert them care little whether they are ever seen or not. A brief sketch of the Common Council proceedings was soon added, and then the diminutive sheet, of which not a hundred copies were printed, was a "corporation paper," with the emoluments arising from the city advertisements as well as the Common Council proceedings, all paid for at the same rate of price. The youthful proprietors, having from their vocation been on familiar terms with the "city fathers," as they are poetically termed, a joint stock concern was entered into between them, under the title of the New York Printing Company, thus laying the foundation for one of the most gigantic frauds. The little attic printing office, from whence the enterprise first emanated, became ere long an immense concern, occupying two or three of the largest and loftiest kind of buildings, to which book-binding, the manufacturing of stationery, etc. were added, the business of all of which consisted in the turning out of sheets, pamphlets, maps and bound volumes of corporation matter, the whole of no more use than a reprint of last year's almanacs, or of auctioneers' catalogues after the sales for which they are prepared are over. Before the concern had reached a third of its final magnitude, more than $600,000 was drawn by it from the city treasury in a single half year, while at the same time, one of the enterprising young gentlemen who originated the idea in their little sheet, was holding half a dozen sinecures under the Corporation, the chief duties of which consisted in receiving his semi-monthly pay; one of his positions being that of acting as head of the Election Bureau, a plan for robbery as rank as was ever entered into by a gang of burglars; the result being, so far as the one of the pairs referred to was concerned, that, starting with but a single week's wages when leaving his employment as a reporter, he was able to *retire*, when the Ring explosion took place, to some halcyon retreat, the Lake of Como perchance, on the other side of the ocean, with a million of dollars at least of the *savings of his industry*, where he is likely to stay for the remainder of his days;—and thus, while a poor wretch was recently sent to Blackwell's Island for stealing a pair of shoddy pants from the door of a Chatham street Jew, to cover his nakedness, the laws of New York are not strong enough to punish the stealer of a million of dollars from the city treasury. J. H. B.

A Bully Well Killed.

Tom. Stivers, a big bully of Kentucky, was well killed recently by a boy named George Moody. The story is almost as good as that old one of little David and the giant Goliah. Whit. Moody, a large property owner of Kingston, Ky., sent his son George to a house of ill-fame to collect rent over due. Stivers was in the house, and commenced abusing the boy by pulling his ears and slapping his face. The boy stood it a little while, and then quietly said: "Tom, I don't want to hurt you, but I've had enough of this." Stivers then ordered him out of the house, but the boy said that he was not going until he had transacted his business. Stivers then knocked the boy across the room against the wall, and kicked him as he fell. That was more than enough. The boy jumped up, drew a small revolver and fired and kept firing. The first shot struck Stivers over the left ear and came out on the other side of his head; the second entered the chest and struck the lower part of the heart. As Stivers was falling a third shot entered the back and lodged in the very centre of the heart. The doctor said that any one of these shots would have produced death, and Stivers was well killed. A judge thought so, too, for young Moody was acquitted at the examining trial.

—A northern gentleman while at Jacksonville, Fla., asked one of the natives in the neighborhood if he ever ate an alligator. "Wa-a-al," replied the Floridian, "I kin truly say I hev; but that war a time when alligators war plenty and table scrapins war skurse."

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POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	3.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P.M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45	"	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	"	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40,	10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

JOTTINGS.

William Spinney of this city was struck by a train on the Portsmouth & Dover railroad, between Portsmouth and Newington, Monday evening, and received a severe cut on the head. It is feared he is injured internally.

The Temperance folks hold a picnic today at Pinkham's Grove. Fare forty cents. Harlow furnishes music for dancing throughout the whole day, which length of time ought to satisfy the most devoted disciple of Terpsichore. There are also plenty of other amusements, so that those who attend cannot fail to be suited and have a good time.

The alarm of fire at about one o'clock Tuesday afternoon was occasioned by the partial burning of an old fish-house on Noble's Island, belonging to the Noble estate. The fire caught on the roof, probably from a spark from a locomotive. But little harm was done, as it is not possible to do much damage to such a building.

The house of Mr. Jedediah Hoyt, of Kittery Point, was burned Monday night, the fire probably catching from a defective chimney. A large barn between Mr. Hoyt's house and the house of his next neighbor, Mr. Fernald, took fire and was torn down to save Mr. Fernald's house. Most of Mr. Hoyt's furniture was destroyed. Total loss about $3500; insured $2800. The barn destroyed belonged to Mr. Fernald. By the united efforts of Messrs. Kean, Safford and others, the fire was prevented from spreading to the neighboring houses.

The Direct Cable Company obtained an act of incorporation from Congress, with permission to land their cable at Rye Beach, by stipulating that there should never be any amalgamation with any other company. It having been shown to the President and Cabinet that the company is violating the spirit of this stipulation by going into liquidation so as to transfer its interests to another company, the Cabinet has directed Secretary Evarts to notify the officers that they can no longer use the United States coast unless present proceedings are suspended and the company resume business on the old basis. Good enough.

Political.

The approach of the Fall campaign in New York finds the democratic party more unmistakably by the ears than ever. In the multiplicity and obstinacy of its factions, the democracy in Ohio cannot compare with it. There are Tilden and anti-Tilden men, Kelly and anti-Kelly men, Short-hair and Swallow-tail, Tammany, Hayloft and Cheesepress, all engaged in the pleasing occupation of cutting each other's throats. Unless these little matters can be reconciled and some capable person found, in Mr. Tilden's absence, to take charge of the customary frauds, we greatly fear that the democracy of the Empire State are doomed to defeat.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

We will never, never consent to voting an appropriation for the army, unless coupled with the provision that it shall not invade the State of West Virginia. Are we not to have local self-government in the Southern States? Must the democratic Government of West Virginia be propped up by Federal bayonets?—*Cinn. Times.*

A Lucky Gold Miner.

The richest strike made in this country for many years, and as rich perhaps as was ever made, we here have the pleasure of recording. A. O. Bell, commonly called "Pike" Bell, who, with his family, has lived for many years on Bald Hill, a few miles north of Auburn, as many know, is a dauntless prospecter. Though occasionally making a strike of some considerable importance in the past, he has managed, like most modern prospectors, to keep poor. Last winter, in particular, he was in very straitened circumstances, and having no money, and the merchants refusing to credit him, he offered his only horse, worth about $50, for $10, that he might buy bread for his children, and, failing in his efforts to sacrifice his horse, he pawned a ring from his wife's finger to obtain the necessaries of life. Day by day he continued his searches for the glittering treasure, and whether the passing day had revealed a color or not, his spirits were always jubilant, apparently kept up by the hope that seemed never to desert him of doing better on the morrow. At last the lucky day came.

It was about three weeks ago when, hunting around over the hills, he struck his pick into a little mound which resembled somewhat in appearance an ant-hill, and to his delight he unearthed some pieces of decomposed quartz, attached to which were some colors of gold. Encouraged at this prospect, he began to sink his new lead, and was rewarded by finding more or less gold at every stage of descent. Last Saturday he had reached a depth of about thirty feet, and had taken out in sinking that far, rock estimated to be worth about $1500. The rock being extremely rotten, or what is called by quartz miners decomposed, he had with little effort pounded out in a mortar enough to pay expenses as he progressed. He had hired men to assist him in working the mine, and on last Monday morning they went to work as usual. The gouge, as we should call it, as it is too rotten to be properly called a ledge, was discovered by noon to have become suddenly richer. In the afternoon chunks of almost pure gold were taken out, and the decomposed stuff that filled the interstices between the rocks was so rich in gold that Pike began to wash it out with a pan. From three pansful washed Monday afternoon he obtained gold estimated to be worth between $4000 and $5000.

That evening he came into town, and, giving us a hint of what he had got, invited us to go and see it. On Tuesday afternoon, in company with Sheriff McCormic, we visited the mine. We found Bell with a pan of gold in his hands worth from $1000 to $1500, which he assured us all came from one pan of dirt. "But," said he, "if you don't believe it, I will wash another and show you." We told him to wash. The pan was sent down into the shaft and soon returned filled with a mass of muddy, rocky stuff that sparkled all over with pieces of gold. This was washed out and found to contain fully as much of the precious metal, if not more than the one he had just finished panning when we arrived. On Wednesday evening Mr. Bell (it is "Mr." now—it was Pike before) informed us that he had taken out, all told, up to that time, between $30,000 and $35,000, and that he had an offer and was about to sell for $20,000. When asked his notion for selling, he said he would get away with about $50,000 and that was money enough for him.—*Placer (Cal.) Herald.*

Actors in a Pekin Theater.

A warlike drama followed. Processions of "supers" with banners of different colors, according to the party they belonged to, passed up and down the stage. Princes, magnificently arrayed in gilt cuirasses and velvet boots, and accoutered with huge quivers and broad, stiff belts, and with their faces painted red and black, kept blowing into their beards to indicate the violence of their anger, insulted each other in song, and met in single combat with mace and lance. They bounded in turn like tigers or acrobats over their adversary's head, and broke off in the midst of their encounters to drink a cup of tea brought to them by a servant in ordinary modern attire. One of them suddenly gave vent to a shrill cry like the crow of a cock, and then the audience, usually so apathetic, warmed as it were by these various feats, the glitter of lances and battle axes, and the waving of multitudinous banners, began to exclaim, "Hao, hao!" in sign of approbation. The actors, despite their strange and conventional style, are not devoid of talent, but the absence of scenery and properties necessitates having recourse to some singular maneuvers. If a warrior wishes to mount a steed he takes several strides in a majestic manner, lifts his right foot from the ground, and swings his leg over the back of an imaginary animal. The audience understand from this that he is in the saddle, and when he switches the air with a stick they know that he has started off full gallop. A severe-looking old man, broken down by age, advances, holding in either hand a square of canvass, on which is painted a wheel. This signifies that the Emperor has arrived in his chariot. An upright mandarin, unappreciated by his sovereign, flees in desperation to a wood. His mother follows him, carrying in front of her a canvas representation of a rock, which, after having expressed her sorrows in song, she deposits in a corner. The son, on his part, resolves to set fire to the forest, and to avenge himself in Chinese fashion by committing suicide. A resinous torch is brought to him, and he lights it, thereby giving the audience to understand that the forest is on fire. He next brandishes the torch and blackens his face with the smoke. The mother utters shrieks; but disregarding them he opens his mouth, bites as it were at the flame, and falls, supposed to be reduced to something like a cinder.—*London Society.*

—A Confederate Colonel was introduced to Gen. Grant at a reception in London. This gentleman, having taken Gen. Grant's hand, remarked: "General, it is a long time since we met." "Have I met you before?" asked Grant, scrutinizing the Virginian's face. "Yes," was the reply, "and under very different circumstances from these. It will be fifteen years on the 3d of July next." Grant's eyes ranged round the room, then over the ceiling, then came back illuminated by memory, and he exclaimed: "Vicksburg!" "That was the place, sir," said the Colonel; "on the heights I met you, and stood by Pemberton when he surrendered."

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Sch Loella, Amee, for this port, cld from Bangor July 21.

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In the decline of life, as the vigor of the system wanes, and infirmities attack it to which in early life it was a stranger, the use of a safe medicinal stimulant is highly advisable. Nothing, as experience shows, is so admirably adapted to the wants of old people as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It is a real solace to the aged, and the best safeguard they can possibly use against the complaints to which they are peculiarly liable. It invigorates the body and cheers the mind, is pure, agreeable and effective. Rheumatism, lumbago and gout are more frequently developed in age than in youth or middle life. Hostetter's Bitters are an excellent remedy for those painful disorders, and also fortify the system against them. They never create undue excitement, are gentle in their action, and are infinitely purer than the unmedicated stimulants of commerce.

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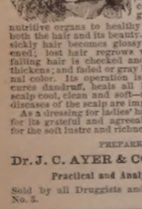

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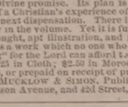

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or into any stream, which shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind above said stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that sties or substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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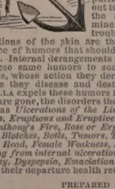

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

ABOUT PIKE'S PEAK.

A Chicago clergyman's son, of about fifteen years, perpetrated this unique poem upon his father, who had visited "Pike's Peak" at an unusual time of year when climbing to its summit was deemed especially difficult and dangerous.

Where snows had fallen thick and deep,
There, up the mountain side did creep
An editor, with a hickory pole,
His face turned upward to the goal,
"Pike's Peak or bust!"

His limbs were stous, his eye was clear,
His step was firm, he knew no fear,
But gazing wildly to the front,
He now and then was heard to grunt,
"Pike's Peak or bust!"

"No minister can stand the sleet,
The snow will be your winding sheet,
So go you not;" the old man said,
The tough old traveller shook his head,
"Pike's Peak or bust!"

His kind friend said, "be not so bold,
Stay, Doctor, stay, you'll find it cold."
His pitying friend did urge in vain,
Again was heard the lonel refrain,—
"Pike's Peak or bust!"

In time he gained the topmost height,
His muscles weak, his gills all white,
But *grit* as yet not quite played out,
And once again he *tried* to shout,
"Pike's Peak or bust!"

An editor in a gulch was found,
His deer horns by him on the ground,
The snow in heaps about him rose,
And in his mouth the words were froze,
"Pike's Peak *and* bust!"

Adventure Under an Umbrella.

Of all the men of my acquaintance, for a really kind-hearted, well-meaning fellow, I think Bobkins is the most unfortunate. The other evening Bobkins came into the club-room in a high state of self-satisfaction and jubilation, and exclaimed:

"O, I've had *such* an adventure! You see I'm not wet,—and yet I came away from home without an umbrella, and was caught in this tearing shower."

It was at that moment raining furiously, and the shower had come on very suddenly only a short time previously. We asked Bobkins to explain, and he told his story.

"Ha, ha, ha—ho, ho, he-e!" he laughed, holding his sides as he sat down his glass, "O, it was *so* good! You see, this shower caught me just as I was coming down Beacon street, opposite the Athenæum, and I had time to dodge up into a portico before it struck hard. I had not more than fairly got ensconced when I saw a man coming down the street under a very large umbrella—just my style and my need for the occasion. Thinks I to myself, like a flash, I must get under that umbrella. So, as he came along, I slipped down, and caught his arm.

'My dear fellow,' said I, as though I hak known him for years, 'you're here in just the nick of time. And, do you know, I was thinking of you this very afternoon, and wondering where you were. I wanted to tell you about that horse of Tom Hapgood's.'

And then I rattled on. When we struck into Tremont street, I found him going just my way,—and so down Bromfield into Washington; and then right by our club-house door; and I kept my tongue running the whole distance without giving him a chance to put in a word edgeways. O! what a sell! And I kept as dry as a cracker. Upon my soul! I think he gave me more of the 'brella than he took to himself. I know he did. And of course he thinks that I was the victim of a great mistake,—and he will always think so. I declare, I almost wanted to invite him in when I found myself at our door, but I wouldn't. I only bid him good-night, and shake hands, and then dodged in, dry and snug. Aha! I call it a pretty good dodge all through. It takes brass to do such a thing, but I flatter myself I did that pretty well. And now who's for a game of billiards?"

With this Bobkins put his hand to his watchpocket; it being a cherished habit of his to consult that magnificent gold repeater whenever he was about to commence a new move. A gasp broke from his lips, and he turned suddenly pale. His watch was gone! He put his hand upon his hip-pocket, where he carried his purse, and that was also empty!

With a groan that came from the very depths of his heart, Bobkins sank down into a great stuffed chair, and stared vacantly at a picture on the wall—stared as though he were looking through and beyond the picture on the wall upon a young, well dressed accommodating man upon the sidewalk, carrying a big umbrella!

Alas, poor Bobkins! He had, by the merest chance in the world, picked up an accomplished pickpocket under the umbrella; and he did not now wonder that the man had patiently listened, and willingly given up more than half of his protecting canopy.

However, Bobkins was able to bear the loss, and if people won't ask him any more to tell the story of his "woolling" the man with a big umbrella, he will soon get over it.—*New York Ledger.*

A Grouse Flirtation.

In the breeding season the cocks select some hollow fallen tree and strutting up and down, beat it with their wings, making a muffled, drumming sound that can be heard for half a mile. The beat is at irregular intervals, beginning slowly and measuredly, and gradually increasing in quickness, until it ends in a roll. If the bird succeeds in finding a log perfectly hollow and well placed, his tattoo of welcome can be heard a mile, and is one of the pleasent-

est of woodland sounds. It has the same accelerated pace, and is about the same duration as the call of the raccoon, and is only heard in the day time, as the raccoon's is only heard at night. When its mate hears the drumming, she slowly approaches, and coquettishly picking at seeds she does not want, comes within sight of the drumming-log. No maiden is seemingly more unconscious of the man she desires to attract than is this russet dame of her gallant musician. A small is on the May-apple plant right before her; she pecks at it three times before hitting it, and then scratches negligently at imaginary seeds. The cock raises his ruff till it looks like Queen Elizabeth's; the yellow skin beneath flushes with pride; he spreads his tail like a fan, he thrums his guitar, clucks an introductory welcome or two, and launches himself out and flies to his bride. If, however, another cock hears the drumming, he feels insulted at the sound on what he considers his own domain. He flies at the drumming-log and dashes at the brave drummer, and the one who is inferior in courage and strength yields his place to the bolder and retires discomfited.—"*Midsummer Holiday Number*" *of Scribner.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, JULY 26, 1877.

Who Is Pulling the Wires?

That the great communist movement commenced on the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad was planned and is being directed by some one of far greater organizing ability than any of the laboring men engaged in it, and that the great uprising of railroad men, notwithstanding its apparent spontaneity, has been conducted on some prearranged and carefully considered plan, is certain. One single feature of the great strike is sufficient to substantiate these assertions, and that is—the fact that amid all the lawlessness and ruffianism developed the strikers have not in a single instance interfered with the United States mails! It is certain that this wonderful discretion is not due to the good sense or prudence of the tens of thousands of men—largely illiterate and made recklessly bold by their initial successes—who appear as the prominent actors in the strike, and it is equally certain that some powerful influence, as yet hidden from the public view, is directing matters and using the striking laborers as tools,—for only a thoroughly organized influence extending thoughout the States in which the strike has prevailed, could so long and successfully direct and control the rage and lawlessness of the mobs as to prevent them in every case from coming in conflict with the United States, while defying the individual States to the utmost.

At present the only question is how most quickly and effectively to put down the insurrection; after it is quelled it will be interesting to know what man or men arranged for and started and directed it. It is, we repeat, the work of some powerful and highly organized society, with ramifications in all the States: and we shall be very much surprised if it does not turn out so on the investigation which must come sooner or later, unless society is overthrown and anarchy reigns.

It is not yet out of the public mind that Mr. Arthur, who engineered the unsuccessful strike on the Boston & Maine Railroad some months ago, made certain boasts as to his power over the railroads of the country. Mr. Arthur is the chief of a powerful, highly organized and widely spread society, intimately associated with railroads; but he has not been heard of to any extent lately. It would be satisfactory to know if it is Mr. Arthur who is sitting behind the screen out of sight of the audience, and pulling the wires to make the puppets on the stage dance.

The Strikers' War.

No further riots of magnitude were reported Wednesday, though the excitement is spreading all around the compass, the employes of railroad after railroad joining in the strike.

At Albany and West Albany, Syracuse, and other places in New York, the strikers stopped all freight traffic and forced the men who were willing to work to give it up, but did not interfere with passenger or mail trains.

In Ohio the trouble had assumed the most serious proportions Tuesday. At Cincinnati, Columbus and Zanesville the citizens were forming vigilance committees to protect property and life.

At Chicago the mob compelled all workmen to cease work, but they resumed as soon as the mobs left. The Grand Army of the Republic in Chicago is armed as a vigilance committee.

In St. Louis the strikers were very threatening, and one mob wanted to burn the *Republican* (a democratic newspaper) office. The citizens of St. Louis propose to raise a volunteer force of 5000 men to act under Gen. Marmaduke.

The strike is general in Indiana. All traffic is stopped out of Indianapolis, only postal cars being allowed to leave. The Mayor of the city and the Governor of the State refuse to interfere.

All freight business is stopped on the Canada Southern Railroad.

At Pittsburg, Pa., mob law is at an end, the reputable citizens having come to the assistance of the authorities en masse.

Vanderbilt has ordered the discharge of every man on the pay roll of the New York Central Railroad, and the absolute stoppage of all trains.

The news from all over the country is that the strike is extending and the strikers as determined apparently as ever, but the people are everywhere arming and organizing, so that a Communistic reign of terror is now not likely to take place. The Pittsburg ruffianism and the lawless proceedings in other places have weaned the great body of law-abiding citizens from any sympathy with the strikers, and it is hourly becoming more patent that the fight is between law and lawlessness.

Queer Law-Upholders.

The striking firemen and brakemen of the Pittsburg, Cincinnati & St. Louis Railroad had a meeting at Columbus, Ohio, on Tuesday, July 24th, and were very emphatic in denouncing the action of the mob that forced the closing of business establishments with which the railroads have nothing to do, the day previous. The strikers announced, through a committee, that while they "are firm in the purpose of maintaining a strike and preventing the running of freight trains," they at the same time "utterly repudiate all riotous, incendiary or lawless proceedings."

A queer conception these men must have as to what constitutes lawlessness. They announce their determination to prevent the running of freight trains, which they can only do in utter defiance of the law, by violently preventing unemployed men who wish to go to work from doing so, or forcing men already employed to quit work against their will, and in the same breath announce that they "utterly repudiate all *lawless* proceedings!" They evidently regard illegal violence, if directed solely against a railroad, as entirely lawful,—an error which many well meaning but very short-sighted sympathizers with the vast mob movement seem to share, and of which they as well as the strikers must be disabused at whatever cost, if society is to hold together and the republic continue to exist.

It is strange that unemployed laborers cannot see that this great railroad strike is as much of an attack on their rights as it is on the rights of the railroads. It is a declaration by men who have been in employment that those who have been out of employment shall not accept work when offered them, however much they may desire to do so. If there had not been plenty of unemployed men eager to go to work no force would have been required on the part of the strikers to prevent the moving of trains, and the employment of force shows that the railroads were paying a *market* (even if not a just) price for labor, and that the very men who claimed that the railroads were infringing on their right to be fairly paid for their labor, were abundantly ready to infringe on the right of other and even less fortunate workingmen than themselves to sell their labor at a price at which they were willing and anxious to sell it. The right of workingmen to attempt to better their condition by quitting work cannot be disputed; and it is legitimate for them to strike at such a time as will most embarrass their employers, and to use persuasion and argument to prevent other workmen from taking their places. But when a body of men, influenced by their wrongs, or their fancied wrongs, or the loud mouthings of demagogues who are so devoted to the interests of the workingmen that they never do any work themselves, not only leave their work but use violence to prevent those working who wish to, their action then becomes a crime—and a crime more against labor than capital.

And such movements, almost invariably, are promptly taken out of the hands of the prime movers by the demagogues and the "dangerous classes," and carried to lengths not dreamed of by the first law breakers. This is shown by the incidents of the present trouble, where all the great outrages have been committed mainly by men having no connection at all with railroading. At Columbus the mob visited various manufactories and asked the employes to strike, and on the latter answering that they had no reason for striking, as their work and pay were satisfactory, they were ordered to leave work at once or the manufactories would be burned down! In another city eleven hundred carpenters, bricklayers and laborers, engaged at work on a huge hotel, were driven from their work by the mob; and similar instances have occurred in nearly every place where the commune has appeared in force. That such proceedings can in any way benefit the honest laborer no one will pretend; but they are the legitimate outcome of the first lawlessness of the strikers. The only safe course to pursue, for labor as well as capital, lies within the bounds of the law.

News and Notes.

A railroad bridge over the Little Miami river, near Cincinnati, fell with fifteen laborers on the 24th, and seven of the men were killed.

Just after Gov. Van Zandt, of Rhode Island, telegraphed President Hayes that the militia of that State were ready to support the government, the pleasant discovery was made at Newport that the State militia has no cartridges, and a dead comrade's grave went unsaluted, last week, because the Colonel made three requisitions for ammunition and failed.

Gotfreid Zeigler, the German who murdered Samuel Kuhl in a dye house at Boston Highlands last April, has pleaded guilty of murder in the second degree and been sentenced to the State prison for life at hard labor.

Wm. H. Porter, of Danvers, Mass., has boe arrested for a series of burglaries extending over two years. Over $3000 worth of stolen property was found in his house, and also counterfeiter's tools.

Mackerel made their appearance in the mouth of the Merrimac at Newburyport, Saturday, for the first time in twenty years.

Allen Wyman, of New Portland, Me., was recently killed by a stone thrown by a boy in sport.

Schooner Urania, Capt. Lee, sailed from Khodiah, Alaska Territory, on the 29th of December, 1875, for San Francisco, and not having been heard of for a long time after was supposed to have been lost with all on board, her crew and passengers numbering sixteen persons. Some months ago a report was brought to San Francisco that the crew of an American vessel, numbering fifteen men and one woman, were ashore on an island in Dampier's Straits,—at least this was the report as published in the newspapers, though it is hard to see how a vessel bound from Alaska to San Francisco could get down to Dampier's Straits, which is a passage between two of the islands called Papua-land or New Guinea, situated near the northeasterly coast of Australia. A government vessel was at once sent out to rescue the castaways, and the papers now announce that the sixteen persons on board the lost Urania, including Mr. Sheeran, the former United States Collector of Alaska, and Mrs. Lee, the captain's wife, have all been saved from the island of "Lokia." Where Lokin may turn out to be we do not know, but presume it is on the northwest coast of America somewhere and not in the South Pacific.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* says the people of the West are heavily burdened and that the have been paying interest to their Eastern masters for many years. The fact that outside of New York, Cincinnati was the highest and Chicago the next in the subscriptions to the new loan looks as if the West will be able to bear the burdens imposed by Eastern masters a while longer. —*Boston Post.*

Barque Ambassador, Parker, from New York for Melbourne, Australia, has put into Cape Town, Cape of Good Hope, leaky, having encountered a heavy gale. The captain, second officer and three men were washed overboard.

The widow of the late Gen. Custer has come East and is in New York on her way to be present at the final interment of her husband's remains in the West Point Cemetery. The gallant Indian-fighter is to lie in the historic little burying-ground next to Major-General Hartsuff. Two generations of Indian-fighters are thus brought together. Hartsuff fell in the Florida Everglades, pierced by three Seminole bullets, about the time Custer was born. He lived to be washed ashore in the Lady Elgin disaster, and to receive another bullet at the head of his division at Antietam; but he carried the Seminole bullet, as well as that from Antietam, with him to his grave. The time for the ceremonies connected with the final burial of Custer has not yet been fixed.

Recent developments of the great disorder go to show more plainly that the mob element has little or no interest in the question of wages on railroads, and that it is the vagabond classes rather than the train men that have given this demonstration its violent character. The San Francisco riots illustrate this very clearly, in which the long-suffering Chinaman was made the object of attack. The unfortunate Reading affair developed the fact that it was not strikers, but grocers, newspaper men, children, policemen and washer-women against whom the troops were marshalled. In Philadelphia, of the ringleaders of the mob who were arrested not one has ever been employed on a railroad. The uprising might better be termed the rebellion of the discontented and vicious.—*Post.*

New Hampshire Items.

Joseph Young was arrested in Middleton, July 20th, on the charge of stealing two yoke of cattle from G. W. and O. K. Otis of Farmington, the 20th of June. The cattle were driven to Lyman, Me., and sold to Jonas Taylor. He was brought before the Police Court at Farmington on the 23d, and bound over in the sum of six thousand dollars for his appearance at the September term of Court at Dover.

The runaway of a village livery team Tuesday morning, July 24th, near Maplewood Hotel in Bethlehem, occasioned a serious and possibly fatal accident. The occupants thrown out were two Misses Cart and brother of New York and Miss Burt of Springfield. One of the former ladies had her wrist broken and received serious flesh wounds about the head. The other ladies were slightly injured. The young man, about nineteen, has received internal injuries which may possibly prove fatal.

The town meeting at Amherst has voted a gratuity to the Manchester and Fitchburg road by a two-thirds vote.

County Solicitor Greene of Merrimac county was horsewhipped recently by a citizen of his town, and now the avenger of private wrongs is under bonds to appear and answer at the Supreme Court.

The hotels at Hampton Beach are filled to overflowing.

Mr. J. R. Pierce of Newport has adopted a form of telephone whose simplicity and cheapness brings it within the reach of all who desire such a contrivance. He has made two tin drums, one for each end of the route, which are connected by a linen string reaching from his shop to his dwelling-house, a distance of forty rods. Ordinary conversation at the house can be distinctly heard at the shop, and vice versa. Music from a violin and other instruments can also be transmitted without the loss of a single note.

Moses King, a student at Exeter Academy, who began Latin in January, 1876, and caught up with the class the following summer, has continued as he began and by close application has completed the four years' course in one year and five months. This is said to be the most rapid progress ever made through the Academy course. Occasionally, though very rarely, a very bright scholar may skip a class, but three years' work performed in one year is a feat which stands entirely alone in the history of the school. Mr. King resides in St. Louis.

Major Frederic M. Edgell, of Georgetown, Mass., died a few weeks ago, and his remains were recently carried to Orford, N. H., and deposited in the tomb of the Edgell family. The deceased was born in Lyme, in 1828, and at the age of eighteen years he removed to St. Louis, Mo. At the breaking out of the difficulty with Mexico he enlisted in the First Missouri Battery and served through the entire war. In 1850 he returned to Orford, and at the opening of the Rebellion War he was instrumental in recruiting the First New Hampshire Battery and entered the service at First Lieutenant. Subsequently he was promoted to a Captain and also rose to the rank of Major, and while holding the latter position was inspector of artillery and at one time chief of the same in Hancock's corps. He went through twenty-two of the severest battles of the Potomac unharmed. He was brave and reliable and while in the army was greatly esteemed by officers and men. The deceased left a widow and one daughter.

Rev. Frank W. Tolman, pastor of the Baptist Church at South Hampton, died a few days since at the age of 35 years. He was a native of Harrison, Me., and graduated at a theological school at the West in 1869. Previous to his going to South Hampton he had been settled at Farmington and Dexter, Me., and at Campton Village, in this State. He possessed a high order of ability, but impaired health induced him a few months ago to take charge of the small parish at South Hampton, but even the duties there were too much for his failing strength, and death took him away. The deceased left a widow and a little girl five years old.

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"		6.30 "
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" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50	P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	5.15	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "		"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30	"
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50	"

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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JOTTINGS.

Dr. Brainard Dearborn, having spent the past winter and spring in study in the hospitals and dispensaries of New York city, has resumed practice in this city, at No. 6 Islington street.

There was an alarm of fire shortly before nine o'clock, Tuesday evening, and the bells and steam whistles made a glorious clatter; the firemen turned out in a hurry, rushed their machines around the square and back to the engine houses, and the alarm was supposed to have been a groundless one. But it seems there were two incipient conflagrations, one on Church Hill and one near the railroad depots. The Church Hill fire burned up a bed, and the fire near the depots ruined five or six shingles.

Not unfrequently persons who find small articles leave the same at the police station to be returned to the owners if called for; there is no provision made for advertising such articles, (and comparattvely few of them are worth advertising, though often of value to the owner,) and they are in consequence never called for. There are now in possession of the City Marshal a bunch of keys, "of no use to anybody but the owner," a lady's pocket containing a number of articles, and other things picked up and handed in at different times, which the Marshal will be pleased to hand over to any one calling and proving ownership.

The yachts of the Dorchester Club visited Appledore, July 25th. There were six vessels in the squadron, viz: schooners Mist, Bettie and Hermes, and sloops Violet, Effie May and Eva.

The City Marshal's report for the last quarter gives the number of lodgers at the station house during the quarter as 265; number of arrests for being drunk, 159; for assault, 13; brawl and tumult, 9; larceney, 6; breaking glass, 6; insult, 4; vagrants, 4; disorderly house, 3; Sabbath breaking, 3; deserters from house of correction, 3; throwing stones, 3; disturbing the peace, 2; stealing team, 3; playing ball in street, 2; suspicion, 2; stealing boat, 2; rude and indecent behavior, 2; adultery, 1; letting building for sale of liquor, 1; keeping liquor for sale, 1; cruelty to animals, 1; attempt to break into freight cars, 1; disorderly conduct, 1. Total number of arrests, 221. Amount of fines collected $63; amount of costs, $131.41, making a total of $194.41. Amount paid for warrants and witness fees, $9.93.

The schooner Dom Pedro, run down and sunk off Boon Island by the revenue cutter Grant on the night of Wednesday, July 18th, was seen on the 24th by schooner Mary, twenty miles south of Cape Elizabeth, Me.

Ship Anna Decatur, of this port, 1209.45 tons register, has been sold to William Bohne for $23,000.

NOT MISINFORMED AT ALL.

The CHRONICLE this morning goes off on a tangent about "drunken rows" in this city on Sunday night. Evidently Dick is misinformed, as neither residents or the police are aware of any such "times." That paper also speaks of "a noisy row near the beer shop and rummery called 'The Old House at Home,' on Daniel street," and adds that it is "a very common Sunday evening performance, by the way, for that neighborhood." The proprietor of what the CHRONICLE is pleased to term "a notorious public nuisance" was down river on Sunday, and his shop was closed, as it always is on that day, and on his return he found two men, who were somewhat intoxicated, trying to get into his shop. The city marshal was immediately notified and officers White and Stringer proceeded to the spot and arrested John Deven and Dennis Welch, who were brought before the police court and fined,—and that's all there was about it.—*Times*, July 24th.

We assure our neighbor that we were not "misinformed" at all as to the Sunday night rows. There was one opposite Mr. Whalley's store on Bridge street; a short time after, the same parties, or some of them, had another one in front of Fay's store on Congress street; and a few minutes later there was a third disgraceful affair in front of Mr. Walker's clothing store on Market square. These disturbances, joined to the noisy squabble on Daniel street, we think fully support our assertion that Sunday night was a good night for drunken rows.

And the *Times'* account of the Daniel street row is not "all there was about it," either. There was some fighting, more cursing and yelling of drunken men, and not a little shrieking of women, making a noise that was distinctly heard on Market street, as we happen to *know*. As to the "Old House at Home," we did not call it a notorious public nuisance at all, as we plainly referred to the Sunday evening rows which occur in that neighborhood, and with altogether too much frequency,—and they are a notorious public nuisance, and should be stopped. The proprietor of the "Old House at Home" asserts that he prides himself on keeping a quiet and orderly house, and sells nothing on Sundays, which may be all true for aught we know to the contrary; but that does not alter the fact that there was a disgraceful drunken row at the foot of Daniel street on Sunday evening, and that such rows are not nearly so rare in that locality as they should be.

Morrissey's Club House.

Last evening I strolled into the intellectual department of the Hon. Mr. Morrissey's club house—where, by the way, you can get a better dinner than at any other place in Saratoga, not even excepting those charming little dinners at Moon's Lake House, which consist chiefly of fried potatoes, fish, and young turkeys cut down at an extremely tender age and made to do service as chicken partridges. I found at Morrissey's a goodly number of sports in full evening dress—white hats, cocked on one side; yellow and other colored vests; blue, green and rose-colored scarfs—in a word, an array of gorgeous and impossible colors. The whole delegation, from the aristocratic centre of American culture, were standing around, waiting for something to "turn up;" and when it did turn up it was not always satisfactory. Among those thus standing, intently engaged in watching the tables, were statesmen, merchants, bankers, brokers and men of fortune, well known in New York, Boston and Philadelphia, representing an aggregate of millions of dollars. I saw punting away gravely at roulette a gentleman who, last summer, is said to have lost in one sitting, at Newport, $30,000. Jimmy Watson's Newport successors make it very pleasant and lively for those young bloods who are fond of fighting the tiger in good company. There was no heavy play at Morrissey's on Saturday night. Some Western men are expected next week who bet very heavy here last season, and likewise during the past winter in New York. Possibly things at the club house may move more briskly when they arrive.—*Saratoga Letter.*

Democratic Assertion as seen in Practice.

In spite of all the sneers that have been cast upon the employment of United States troops in the Southern States, and the great boast that all the South wants is to be "let alone," we have, within a few days, been treated to the spectacle of two southern governors applying to the President of the United States for military assistance to quell a riot which they thought the organized law abiding resources of the States were not able to take care of. The democratic party, before it went out of office, in 1860, used its power to make the pathway of the rebellion smooth and easy, and so distributed the munitions of war that they could be made effective in resisting the authority of the government, in case that extreme measure should subsequently be thought necessary. But, by the aid of the army, through a succession of dismal and bloody years, the authority of the government *was* maintained. A dozen years pass by, and the same old democratic party once more so far recovers its lost power that it obtains control of one branch of the legislative department of the government. Next to the effort to ferret out and expose corruption which it did not and could not prove, its most conspicuous act was to deny an appropriation for the maintenance of the army which preserved to us a country to live and find protection in. The reason it refused this, was because it preferred no army to the employment of the army to maintain order and protect the life and property of citizens in the Southern States. The democratic House adjourns and goes home, happy in the consciousness that no great amount of mischief can be done by the army in attempting to enforce laws which the regular State governments are so abundantly able to take care of. Nineteen weeks elapse, and the next sight is that of a couple of Southern democratic State Governors applying to President Hayes for United States troops to protect a great line of public travel in localities where there is not enough organized loyalty to popular rights and "the forms of law" to frown down a riot having no show of justification. The same condition of things also follow in one Northern State. Upon the whole, this succession of facts is quite suggestive. —*Salem Mercury.*

—The following story was told to show the folly of tectotalers, but it really sets forth exactly the opposite thing: Mr. O'Connor Powers, in a recent speech in the British Parliament on the bill closing public-houses in Ireland on Sunday, told a story of an Irish farmer. He was a respectable and sober fellow, and was just setting off to the fair to sell a pig, when he bethought himself of asking his wife, who kept the purse, to give him a shilling to buy some beer. "No," said she, "I'll do no such thing. Be off and sell my pig." "Well," said he, "if you won't give me a shilling to get a glass or two of beer, I'll drink the pig." He kept his word, and when he sold the pig he went to work and drank the price of it, and although he had never been drunk in his life before, he came home tipsy and without a penny in his pocket.

—The Australian Blondin, Mr. H. L'Estrange, has several times crossed the Middle harbor at Sydney on a rope extended from cliff to cliff on either side. The length of the rope is 1400 feet, and the height above the water is considerably more than 300 feet. He proposes coming to America in the course of this year, in order to cross the Niagara falls. He is a native of Fitzroy, in the vicinity of Melbourne, and is about thirty years of age.

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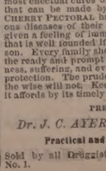

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FOR WOLFEBORO' 10:27 A. M.; 5:41 P. M.

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances; and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to have on state meat, heads, offal or of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum at twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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BLOODY WORK AT CHICAGO.

Thursday evening's despatches from Chicago report bloody work there between the communists and the authorities. A mob of 10,000 or more of the roughs, bullies and thieves of the back slums threw a passenger train from the track at West 12th street, and robbed the passengers. A small squad of police attempted to disperse the mob, but were driven back. The Second Regiment of militia was called out, and a squad of mounted veterans also, to assist the police; the latter charged the mob with drawn sabres, and 150 of the ruffians were wounded and ten killed outright. A little later two others were killed. Six policemen were wounded. The mob reassembled at Sixteenth street and were driving the militia and police, when a regiment of light artillery (said in the despatches to be U. S. regulars) arrived and opened on the communists with grape and canister, with what result was not reported up to Thursday night—but it is to be hoped they left at least 10,000 of the rioters dead on the field.

The Communist Insurrection.

The Communist insurrection is evidently weakening, though it has not yet, apparently, reached the full extent of its spread. At Pittsburg and Reading, Pa., the roughs are growing scarce through the number of arrests and many of the ringleaders in the riots have fled to the woods. The terrible distress which has already come upon the working men of the blockaded districts and their families, has taught them that the mobs' action has not been ruinous to the railroads alone, and they are getting tired of it. At Reading, coal trains are running.

The punishment of the citizens of Pittsburg and the surrounding districts, for their criminal encouragement of lawlessness or their cowardly submission to it, has already commenced; starvation threatens the poorer classes in Pittsburg, women and children in vast numbers being begging on the streets for the means of sustaining life, and in many smaller places it is said not a week's supply of provisions is held, and prices have gone up tremendously.

Baltimore, too, is suffering heavily, trade having decreased 75 per cent.; the town of Frederick, Md., is cut off from supplies and has 4000 people in it, idle and almost famishing. In all these places it is of course the working classes who suffer most.

Freight is again moving on the New York Central, Gen. Carr having effectually cowed the rioters at Albany. He announced that he should move the cars on Wednesday, "blood or no blood;" that he should warn all rioters as a mob, but should commence firing promptly, with ball cartridge, and his men would aim low. The rioters wanted nothing to do with any such man. At Hornellsville, N. Y., the strikers and roughs have disappeared; and at Binghampton the Erie trainsmen are waiting orders, ready to move freight or anything else. At Buffalo the communists have had several rows with the police, in which the latter have had the best of it. The great "Internationals' Mass Meeting" in Tompkins square, New York city, Wednesday night, was a rank fizzle; the police and military arrangements were so complete that the participants did not dare to start any disturbance.

The Piedmont, West Virginia, strikers have issued a circular, in which they declare that the miners of the anthracite coal region and the Mollie Maguires are in league with them. This alliance with the Mollie Maguires may explain the murderous character of some of the outbreaks.

The New Jersey Central men struck Wednesday night. The governor has not yet called out the militia, but will if they are needed.

In St. Louis the citizens are organizing under old Federal and Confederate officers, thousands of veterans and reputable citizens enrolling themselves. Gen. Marmaduke is one of the leaders.

The Grand Army of Illinois has armed in defence of law and order. In Chicago the turbulent element had several collisions on Wednesday, in one of which six rioters and one officer were killed.

In Louisville, Ky., there was a general strike on Wednesday. The mob paraded the streets, compelling all laborers to quit work. The Mayor called for volunteers, and many thousands of the best citizens—many of them veterans of the war—responded. Gen. Basil Duke is one of the citizens' leaders, other Confederate and many Federal officers being assistants.

There is a strike on the Texas Pacific road, but no violence is reported.

The roughs and "hoodlums" of San Francisco, to the number of 10,000, attempted to burn the Pacific Mail Co's property and steal all they wanted "in the interests of the working men" on Wednesday, but some thousands of vigilantes and the police quelled the mob without the aid of troops. Three citizens and a dozen or more roughs were killed. The vigilantes have received 4000 rifles, 1000 revolvers and plenty of ammunition, from the U. S. Arsenal.

Despatches Thursday evening say the Erie Railroad is clear, and running freight. Buffalo, Hornellsville and Albany were quiet all day; many leaders of the riots are under arrest, and some of the soldiers have been sent home.

More Good Shooting in Manchester.

Not long ago a big rough undertook to "kick the stuffing out of" a Manchester policeman, and was so handsomely shot by the officer that he died. On Wednesday afternoon the same city had another somewhat similar sensation, when a rough named Charles McAlpine, alias Brown, attempted to murder Horatio W. Longa, Assistant City Marshal, at the police station. It seems that McAlpine was arrested in February last for drunkenness and fined $5.18. He called at the police station several times before finding Longa. About 3:30 P. M. he called again, and some words ensued, McAlpine claiming that he had been bull-dozed for five dollars by the police, and, suddenly drawing a revolver, fired at Longa, the ball taking effect in the leg of Police Officer Colburh. The ruffian then ran, pursued by the police. Within a short distance of the police station he turned and fired again at the officers in pursuit, when Officer Dunn fired, striking McAlpine in the small of the back directly over the spine, bringing him to the ground. The ball was embedded in the spine, and the wound is believed to be fatal. He is 29 years old, unmarried, and was born in Halifax, but has resided in the States for several years, and was recently employed at sail-making in Boston.

Serious Charge Against a Former Member of President Grant's Cabinet.

A writer of letters from Rye to the *Times* seems to have made a discovery which escaped the vigilant scrutiny of the Democratic Investigators, who discovered just what it cost to run the kitchen operations of Ex-Secretary Robeson, and gave us kindred information in relation to his domestic affairs. The writer tells us that he whom the world regarded as a gay and festive bachelor when he led to the altar the accomplished widow of the late Commodore Aulick of the Navy, had already married Mrs. Secor, whose husband had been a contractor, and we think, years ago, had something to do with the dry dock at Portsmouth navy yard. We infer that this was before the sea monster wed Mrs. Aulick, though it may have been since. But what we wonder at is, why this did not come out before. In former investigations, the committee would go just far enough to find a large democratic cat, of the Randall or Hanscom school, under the marine meal, but here is something of which no democrat need have stood in fear; and yet it is left to a democrat of Rye to discover what the entire Tilden-Tweed crowd failed to find, *bigamy*, added to the calendar of horrors laid at the door of the jolly Ex-Cabinet Minister. "Angels and ministers of grace defend us!" Can this be true, or is it possible that the writer who seeks to assail the patrons of our seaside resorts by questionable personal gossip, is mistaken? A lady so well known in diplomatic, naval and social circles at Washington as is Mrs. Robeson, ought to be spared, when recruiting at the seaside, such unbecoming flings as the correspondent indulges in; but if the naughty George has been and gone and married a Mrs. Secor it may not be too late to investigate the question whether or not the trosseau was provided from the contingent fund of the Navy or from the capacious pockets of the contractors.

Strikes on New England Railroads.

The Boston *Post* of Thursday says:

"Those who expected or hoped for a repetition of the horrors of the strike in Boston are doomed to disappointment. There was never better order about the railroad stations in this city than existed yesterday. No employe could be found who was in favor of a strike, and there were never better preparations made to instantly squelch a mob or riot. Indeed, concerning this last point few are acquainted with the facts and none will realize them unless there is imported an element to test them. There is now no special reason for a strike on any of the roads running out of Boston. The Boston & Providence system of promotion and general good treatment of their men gives the company a perfect protection from any outbreak on the part of their employes. There has been no cut on the Boston & Albany for two years, and the same is substantially true of the Old Colony. The Eastern Railroad does not pay large prices, but it is well understood that they cannot, and so those who remain there are inclined to be satisfied with what they get. The Boston & Lowell treats its men well and pays them liberally. It is also earning money, is in better condition than for a long time before, and will be able to pay a dividend this year. The men on the Fitchburg are loyal, and to a certain extent consider themselves part and parcel of the road. If a strike should occur anywhere in this vicinity it would more likely come at the Boston & Maine, whose new men complain that they do not get the pay of their predecessors. It is said that if this is a fact it can probably be accounted for by a large falling off in business, which allows little margin after paying running expenses and interest."

The Commune at Pittsburg.

An able correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, who has been carefully investigating the matter he writes of, says that close inquiry into the Pittsburg riot shows that the great trouble there was the lack of support from the local police and the Pittsburg militia, whose conduct is declared to have been shameful. Everywhere the troops from outside were hooted and treated as invaders, instead of protectors of public and private property. As for the Pittsburg militiamen, they not only gave no aid in suppressing the disturbance, but evidently sympathized with the rioters. When they moved forward to disperse the mob they were first fired upon, and received besides a volley of stones from the hillside. They only fired in reply by orders, and soldiers have to obey orders without questioning their wisdom. The fact that innocent persons, mingling with the mob as spectators, were killed, does not affect the case, for such is the result of all collisions between mobs and soldiers executing the law; and yet on this account there arose a frantic cry for vengeance. It seemed as if the crowd were crazy for blood. The Philadelphia troops were even denounced in the Sunday papers, pandering to the passions of the mob, as Philadelphia roughs, when, in fact, the Philadelphia troops sent to Pittsburg are among the finest citizen soldiery in the country, and have repeatedly proven their discipline and courage. The rioters closed in upon them with cannon and small arms, intent upon massacring every man of them. Not a finger was raised in their behalf by the local military or police; no wonder they determined to leave the city to its fate. They moved out of the city in good order, covering carefully their Gatling guns, marching with a slow step, and, by command of their officers, refraining from firing on the mob, which was keeping up a desultory fusilade upon them, until they got out of the settled districts, where there were women and children. Then they turned and gave their pursuers a volley which put them to flight. In this march they lost seven men killed. There is no difficulty in finding where the blame really belongs. The conduct of the two Pittsburg regiments was disgraceful. If they had done one-half their duty, the cars would not have been fired nor the depots destroyed. A resolute bearing on their part would have arrested the whole shameful catastrophe. But, instead, they actually disbanded, slunk off to their homes, took off their uniforms and left their brother national guardsmen from Philadelphia to be butchered. The behavior of the police was beneath contempt. It does not appear that they tried to suppress the mob. As to the citizens, even the better class appear to have looked on the fearful havoc as a spectacle, until the fire menaced their own property. The most charitable view possible to take of their conduct is that they were stunned by amazement into supineness and cowardice. Five hundred organized as special police Sunday morning would have saved five millions of property, and, better still, saved Pittsburg from a great and lasting disgrace.

News and Notes.

The Boston *Pilot* is the only New England paper we have seen that justifies the rioters at Pittsburg; but it is not strange it should do so when it defends the infamous Mollie Maguires. It says: "The corporations of Pennsylvania first drove the miners into Molly Maguireism and murder, and then virtuously hounded them to the scaffold. The same corporations have caused the present strikes, and have dragged down on themselves the fire of their burning wealth and the blood of many victims. The riots in Pittsburg last Saturday and Sunday were no common riots for pillage and outrage. 'We will protect private property,' said the mob; 'but we will burn the property of the railroad company.' No mob in the history of the world ever made such a discrimination." A defender of assassination, and arson, and resistance to law, an admirer of the forbearance of the Pittsburg rioters, like the author of such words, would be a fit leader of a mob of murderers or a fit "body-master" of a lodge of Mollie Maguires.

The Franconia Iron and Steel Company at Wareham, Mass., has at work, in the laborers' department of the rolling mill, the son of the Postmaster-General of Sweden.

Edward McDonald of Springfield and Michael Grogan of New York, workmen on the new capitol building at Hartford, Conn., were killed Thursday afternoon by the fall of an over-laden derrick.

Scott and Dunlap, the Northampton, Mass., bank robbers, were on Wednesday convicted of the burglary of Cashier Whittlesey's house.

Two or three years ago, a noted burglar, whose real name is John Abrahams, distinguished himself at Hartford, Conn., by getting from the freedom of the street to the confinement of the State Prison in Weathersfield in a single day. He robbed a jewelry store, was caught, indicted, tried, sentenced and committed before he slept. Recently he got out by an even more summary process. He sawed a window bar in the front story, and let himself down by his bed rope.

The tax-payers in all those cities where the strike has made such terrible havoc will be assessed to pay every dollar of the damages caused by the mobs. Pittsburg will be obliged to pay millions of dollars to the Pennsylvania Railroad Company and others for the mischief done so far by the rioters. Baltimore and other cities which have not protected property within their limits cannot shirk the obligation of making good the losses. The draft riots of 1863 cost the city of New York in money paid for private buildings burned or gutted, and valuables destroyed, $1,748,456.89. A far larger sum of losses came out of business men in the injury to trade during those days of chaos; but this one loss rested upon the taxpayers alone.

The reported deficiency of ammunition among the Rhode Island militia, which occasioned some mirth in view of Gov. Van Zandt's patriotic despatch to the President that Little Rhody is ready to do her duty, turns out to extend only to blank ammunition for firing salutes, the Rhode Island troops having plenty of ball cartridges—just what will be needed should the commune break out in that State, or the troops be called to fight communism elsewhere.

The events of the past few days are suggestive of the fact of the extremely limited resources of the General Government in the way of troops to quell disturbances that are liable to occur in any section of the Union. As a nation and with the experience of European history before us, it is not unnatural that we should be jealous of a standing army and that this should be a theme for many a Fourth of July oration. It is not unnatural that when democrats use the army to force slavery into Kansas, that republicans should not only oppose the act, but be led into patriotic disquisitions against an army as detrimental to the safety of a republic. When republicans use an army to enforce a practical recognition of a Southern governor, who the democrats think has not been legally chosen, we find the former quite as ready to oppose an army in the abstract as the act which they think uses the army unjustifiably. But there is nevertheless legitimate use for an army, and there should always be an army large and effective enough to meet any emergency within the range of reasonable possibility. This need is not now met.—*Salem Gazette.*

Ex-Gov. Moses has been arrested in South Carolina, on the charge of having issued fraudulent pay certificates when Speaker of the House in 1872. The charge is probably true, and the arrest is unquestionably in the interests of good government and decent morals. It was for the refusal to commission this scoundrel as a Judge that Gov. Chamberlain lost the good will of the Supreme Court of South Carolina—the Chief Justice being the scoundrel's father.

The U. S. S. Plymouth has been ordered to cruise off Vera Cruz, Mexico.

R. M. Bishop was on Wednesday nominated for Governor of Ohio by the democrats, on a "silver-dollar" platform.

The socialists of Germany are arranging for a general subscription in aid of the railroad strikers in this country.

New Hampshire Items.

The Manchester police carry pistols throwing bullets as big round as a wagon-wheel. The Boston *Post*, in an account of the shooting of a murderous rough by a policeman, says: "Officer Dunn then fired a 32-inch ball, striking McAlpine in the small of the back directly over the spine, bringing him to the ground."

The Second Adventists will hold a camp-meeting at Policy Pond, Salem, from August 26th to September 9th.

Mary Loverin has just died at Croydon, at the age of 87 years, and after a happy married life of 65 years' duration.

The Eastern War.

The bombardment of Rustchuk has been recommenced from the other side of the Danube, and the Russians are approaching it with a seige train from another direction.

The defeat of the Russians at Plevna is confirmed.

Official dispatches from Biela announce that a Russian steamer and two sloops, armed with cannon and mitrailleuses, engaged a Turkish monitor near Silistria. She was set on fire and considerably damaged and several of the crew killed and wounded. The Russian vessels sustained insignificant damage and no loss.

Five Turkish steamers and two monitors going from Rustchuk to Silistria were attacked by the Slobosea batteries. Three of the steamers were burned and one sunk.

A Strange Battle.

One day last week an alligator was seen swimming in Sampit river, near the wharf. Captain David's bull-dog was soon brought forward, and, upon viewing the enemy, plunged off the wharf to meet it. The alligator saw what was up, and made for the dog. While they approached each other not a sound could be heard from the spectators, who were expecting, the moment they met, to see the dog submerged, never to rise again, but the dog got the first hold, plunged his ugly teeth into the head of the ferocious monster, and caused it to sink. It soon reappeared looking as fierce as ever. The dog and the alligator were mouth and mouth, nip and tuck, until it was thought that the dog had conquered, the alligator disappearing. The alligator, however, soon appeared, and made for the opposite shore. Several persons got in boats and pursued him until he passed under the wharf. It was nip and tuck again for a while, but the dog soon gaining advantage, brought out his foe dead. The reptile measured five feet and several inches.—*Georgetown (Fla.) Comet.*

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Apply at 9 CHAPEL STREET.

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Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 4 Rockingham Street.
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To Let.
THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street.
For particulars apply to
WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square,
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To Rent.
PART OF HOUSE corner of Lincoln and Miller Avenue. Apply at the house.

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HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Drisco.
Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,
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Portsmouth, July 24, 1877.

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Boned Turkey,
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London Stout,
Lager Beer,
Champagnes, English Ale,
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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.35 A. M.,	3.00, 5.30† P. M
" Way,		10.35 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	5.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

AID FOR ST. JOHN.

The following letters between Charles H. Mendum, Esq., of this city, and the Mayor of St. John, N. B., explain themselves:

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., United States, July 19, 1877.

To HON. S. Z. EARLE,
Mayor of St. John, N. B.:

Sir, Enclosed please find cheque on National Exchange Bank of Boston for six hundred and ninety-seven dollars, contributed by some of our citizens for the purpose of doing something to alleviate the sufferings of your people caused by the late fire. With sympathy and kind regards I remain

Yours, etc.,
CHARLES H. MENDUM, Treasurer,
for the Committee.

Mayor's Office, ST. JOHN, N. B., July 24, 1877.

CHAS. H. MENDUM, ESQ.,
Portsmouth, N. H.:

Dear Sir, Your favor of the 19th inst. came duly to hand, with enclosed cheque, for which we beg to tender you our most sincere thanks.

To the citizens, who so kindly contributed for the relief of our suffering people, please convey to them our heartfelt gratitude.

With thanks for your kind expressions of sympathy,

We remain, dear sir,
Yours, very truly,
S. Z. EARLE, Mayor.

NO COMMUNE HERE.

The Portland *Advertiser* says that a messenger from the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad has been sent over the Eastern and Boston & Maine roads, trying in vain to incite a strike among the employes of those roads. The Boston *Post*, in a short article which we reproduce in another column, expresses the opinion that there will be no strikes on any of the roads leading out of Boston, and gives its reasons for the belief. We never have anticipated that any such scenes of riot and ruffianism as have disgraced many other sections would occur in New England, unless possibly in the extreme western part, in the vicinity of New York; and we feel certain no such violent acts could be successful for more than a few hours, in New Hampshire, if they were attempted. The intelligent public opinion of this State we do not believe could be bull-dozed into permitting the lawless interference with traffic which has marked the communist insurrection everywhere, and the railroad men as a class are too intelligent and law-abiding to desire it; and should the torch-bearing, thieving, murdering gangs of cut-throats that have appeared in many places as the "workingmen's champions" show themselves in New Hampshire, they would not find the militia so ready to fraternize with them as they were at Pittsburg and in the Molly Maguire districts of Pennsylvania.

THE DIRECT CABLE.

When the Direct United States Cable Company applied to Congress for a charter and permission to land their cable at Rye Beach, the incorporators pledged their faith through a clause in the articles of incorporation that the new company should never amalgamate with the Anglo-American or any other trans-Atlantic line, or in any way combine to restore the oppressive monopoly which the Direct Company was formed to break up. On the strength of this assurance the required action was taken by the United States government; the government of the Dominion of Canada, also, on the same terms granted permission to the company to land cables on the coast of the Dominion. The new company, as soon as the cable was laid, put tolls down to a reasonable figure and immediately took possession of one-third the entire amount of telegraphing between England and this country, the Anglo-American of course having to reduce its previously exorbitant rates to the rate demanded by the Direct Cable—one shilling a word. Thus, while the new company did a heavy business at a fair rate, and made a good profit on it, the amount of work done by the old monopoly was greatly increased (owing to the great increase in the total amount of telegraphing consequent on the reduction of rates) while the profits were reduced. The old line therefore sought to get control of the Direct Cable, so as to again impose the high rates, and through the skillfull engineering of Mr. Pender of the Globe Telegraph Company, (which controls the Anglo-American,) and the connivance of some of the heavy stockholders in the Direct Co., the matter has been arranged very much to the satisfaction of the monopoly and the dissatisfaction of the general public, which does not like to pay three shillings a word (the rate to which tolls were at once raisod) for telegraphing across the Atlantic, after the Direct Cable Co. had demonstrated that one shilling a word is a fair rate. Indignant at the shameful display of bad faith on the part of the British capitalists, the Dominion government notified them, when the amalgamation project was first broached, that its fulfillment would result in their cable's further connection with the shores of the Dominion being prohibited; and the United States government on Wednesday gave similar notice, when Secretary of State Evarts, in pusuance of a decision of the Cabinet, telegraphed Minister Pierrepont as follows:

Give notice to Direct United States Cable Company that the meditated arrangement, as understood by this Government, whereby that company proposes to release its cable from the obligation of the fundamental clause of its organization, prohibiting an amalgamation with or participation in the profits of other trans-Atlantic telegraph companies, will be regarded by this Government as just cause for terminating its assent to the laying and working of the company's cable, and for severing its connection with this country.

How great an effect the proposed cutting of the cable's connection at Rye Beach and on the Dominion coast will have on the value of the company's property, we cannot say; that it will result to the company's disadvantage is certain, as the concession to land would not have been asked had it not been of some advantage. In England, too, it is intimated, a powerful influence is being brought to bear to prevent the consummation of Mr. Pender's scheme; but in the meantime his project seems to go on in a way to suit him and the other monopolists, and three shillings a word is the regular rate for sending messages—that is, unless the tolls have been once more raised since we commenced to write this article.

PICNICS.

This is emphatically a season of picnics. Hardly a pleasant day passes that does not find a Society of some name enjoying itself in one of the many delightful groves in the environs of our city. This fact indicates that our people are growing sensible. It also shows that more thoughtfulness is being bestowed upon the real welfare of children,—to the giving them healthful recreation and innocent enjoyment during the summer vacation. On Wednesday, the Temperance Reform Club had a picnic at Pinkham's Grove, Dover, and on Thursday Rev. Mr. Goss' society held a similar gathering at Wendell's Woods, near Sagamore Creek. That of the Temperance people on Wednesday was largely attended. The nine o'clock train took up quite a goodly number, and Harlow's band having been engaged for the day, dancing commenced about as soon as the crowd reached the grounds. Notwihstanding the heat there were those who danced (judging by the manner in which they danced) who never danced before, and those who always danced wanted to dance some more. Thus the hours sped away until eleven o'clock or past, when a reinforcement arrived and then there was more dancing, with a game they called Copenhagen thrown in, for those whose scrúples would not allow them to trip to the sound of music. Sanborn's lemonade, Mrs. Pickering's ice cream (Robeck's best) and Lewis' coffee and chowder were well patronized and sufficed to keep up the equilibrium lost in the sports of the occasion, so that all had a happy time. A merrier party never was seen there, and all went home apparently well satisfied.

JOTTINGS.

At a meeting of the General School Committee held on Wednesday evening, Mr. A. R. Dickinson, of Bath, Maine, was elected to succeed Mr. Durgin as Principal of the grammar school at the Academy. Mr. Dickinson, although comparatively a young man, being but forty-three years old, has had great experience as a teacher, having taught for twenty successive years, the last twelve as Principal of a school in New Jersey, from which place he brings the highest testimonials. There were twelve applicants at the competitive examination, Mr. Dickinson standing the highest.

Schooner J. C. Craig arrived at Portland, July 25th, from a fishing cruise, and reports having on board the foremast with rigging attached of the schooner Dom Pedro, before reported sunk after collision with the cutter Grant, off Boon Island. The Craig picked up this wreck stuff off Cape Elizabeth, near where the hull of the Dom Pedro was seen by the schooner Mary, on the 23d.

The *Times* insists that our report of the drunken rows on Sunday evening was "badly overdrawn." It wasn't; we drew it mild. There were four rows within less than an hour, that we know of; and one of them disturbed a wide neighborhood and called forth the use of wooden arguments by the police before it was quelled and several of its getters-up safely lodged in the station house.

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

By a law passed at the late session of the Legislature, the Mayor and Aldermen are required to appoint a Board of Instruction, who with the Mayor as chairman shall have charge of the schools in this city. The Aldermen on Thursday evening made the appointment and fixed the term of service of each member, as required by law, and the Board for the ensuing year is as follows:

The Mayor, ex officio, chairman;

James DeNormandie, Charles W. Gardner, Joseph H. Thacher, Andrew B. Sherburne, three years each;

James R. May, Edward S. Ryder, Andrew P. Wendell, William H. Hackett, two years each;

John H. Hutchinson, Charles A. Shannon, John Pender, Mercer Goodrich, one year each.

Uses of Dogs.

There is a firm doing business in San Francisco who purchase the thousands of dogs slaughtered by the poundmaster of that city, or that may have been otherwise killed, for which they pay forty cents each. The carcasses are conveyed to their manufactory at South San Francisco, where the skins are removed and sold to the tanneries, the hair taken off and resold to plasterers, the hide tanned, made into gloves and sold in the market. The denuded carcass is then thrown into a huge cauldron and boiled until the bones are easily separated from the flesh, when they are removed and sold to the sugar refineries, where they are ground to a fine powder and used to clarify sugar. The oil that rises to the surface of the boiling mass is skimmed off, and the remainder is used for the purpose of fattening hogs.

—Her husband had been playing base ball, and when the doctor came she exclaimed, "Poor Adolphus! He got a pitcher in his centre-field and he can't walk." The doctor thought it more likely that he had been playing short stop to a jug.

—Miss Corisando was born only two years earlier than her brother Tom. When Tom was ten years old she gloried because she was twelve. When Tom was known to be fourteen she confessed to sweet sixteen. When Tom proudly boasted of eighteen, she timidly acknowledged herself past nineteen. When he came home from college, with a mustache and a vote, and had a party in honor of his twenty-first birthday, she said to her friends, "What a boyish fellow he is; who would think he is only a year younger than I?" And when Tom declared he was twenty-five, and old enough to get married, she said, "Do you know, I feel savagely jealous to think of Tom getting married. But then I suppose twins are always more attached to each other than other brothers and sisters." And two years later, at Tom's wedding, she said with girlish vivacity to the wedding guests, "Dear old Tom; to see him married to-night and then think how when he was only five years old they brought him in to see me, his baby sister; I wonder if he thinks of it to-night."

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Check-List Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECK-LISTS give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, July 26th, Tuesday, July 31st, and Saturday, August 4th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the lists of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 o'clock A. M. and from 1 to 2 P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Check-Lists.

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—Northern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of Frank W. Daniel, David Monilton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts. To all whom it may concern: Take notice that I shall sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder

On FRIDAY, August 3, 1877,

At twelve o'clock, M.,

On the premises, the HOMESTEAD of J. C. CARR, situate Number 16 Star Street, Portsmouth. This estate is well known as a desirable situation in one of the best neighborhoods in Portsmouth.

At half-past twelve o'clock, M.,

On the same day will be sold, on the premises, the double tenement HOUSE and LAND Number 25 Gates Street.

At one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold on the premises, four LOTS OF LAND on Lincoln Avenue, containing about five thousand feet each; these lots are a desirable locality, and well worth the attention of buyers.

At half-past one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately, or in one lot, as may be then designated.

At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 3 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 95 State street.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

Dated July 7th, 1877.

CHARLES S. SYMONDS,
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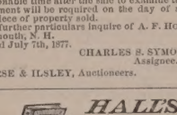

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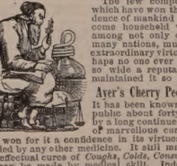

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Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	54½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	88
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	113
Nashua & Lowell	60
Concord	74
Eastern	31
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	126
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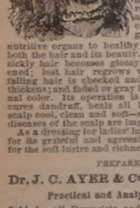

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These turrets are to be 22 feet and 9 inches extra diameter, and will be constructed of plates 9 feet long, about 5 feet broad, and 10 inches in thickness, according to plans which will be for exhibition at the Navy Yard, League Island, on and after the 26th of July instant.

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2d. For all the labor of building these turrets, the materials, ready for use, to be provided by the Bureau.

3d. For rolling the iron required in their construction. (The scrap to be furnished by the Bureau.)

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It is desirable that these turrets should be constructed on some wharf on the Delaware river, in such position as to be readily placed on board the ship.

No proposal will be received except from parties known to possess the requisite facilities to perform the work in a satisfactory manner, and the Bureau reserves the right to reject any and all offers, if considered to the interest of the Government to do so.

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 16, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers, to the common sewer, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within 60 days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley, or into any dock or any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises which nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox or any other dangerous disease to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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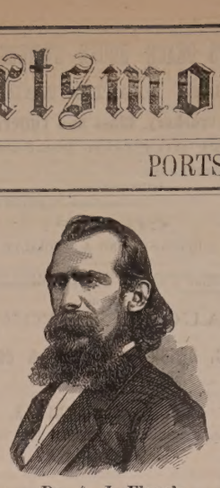
Health Officers.



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Portsmouth Chronicle.

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THE LITTLE ACTRESS.

The power of fascination, so familiar to all playgoers, over her auditors by a young and popular actress, even while possessed of but a moderate share of personal attractions, was never more fully illustrated than in the case of Lucy Somers, though known on the boards under a different name, who figured upon the British stage at the time when Fanny Kemble was running her brief but brilliant career in the same profession. Wherever she went her triumphs were the same, literally "bringing down the house," in theatrical parlance, whenever she appeared before the footlights. A youthful member of one of the wealthiest and most aristocratic families of London sent her anonymously, after witnessing her performance of Julia in the Hunchback, a ring containing a brilliant of rare lustre and high value; and when, in acknowledging, the evening following, her enthusiastic reception by the Drury Lane audience, she held up its sparkle to the light, and gracefully touched her lips to the gem, as a token, known only to the giver, of her appreciation of the much-prized compliment so delicately and tastefully bestowed, he would at once have set about seeking her for a wife, but for the fear of disinheritance by his aristocratic parents.

While on a summer tour in the rural districts of England, when the London season was over, a young gentleman, the son of a wealthy landholder, and himself the possessor, by inheritance from a bachelor uncle whose name he bore, of a large property, became so enamored of the popular favorite, without ever having seen her off the stage, as to solicit his father's consent, being yet a minor, to his making her a proposal of marriage. Knowing from his peculiar temperament that it would be useless to attempt to dissuade him from the fancy he had taken, he replied that he would think of the matter, and let him know his decision on the following day. In the meantime he called on the fascinating little histrionic, opened the subject very freely to her, and after the remark that he did not imagine her at all disposed to give up her triumphs upon the stage at so early an age, as she was scarcely twenty, for the dull life of a country village, offered her a £50 note if she would receive his son, when he had given his consent to his request, in such a way as entirely to dispel the enchantment she had unconsciously thrown around him. With too strong an attachment for a profession in which she had attained such distinction, to wish soon to leave it, she very gracefully declined the pecuniary portion of the proposal, setting as little value upon it as the conquest she had made of the young gentleman's affections, but at the same time assuring the father that he need be under no apprehension with regard to his son so far as she was concerned, and that he might with perfect safety give him permission to call on her that afternoon if he chose to do so. When, after some considerable labor at his toilet, and arrayed in his latest London suit, the enamored young gentleman arrived at the inn where the dramatic company were quartered, he was met at the door by the landlady, who had been forewarned of his visit, and who replied to his question if the young lady he sought was within, by asking what *he* wanted of an *actress*—adding that he would find her in a room upon the third floor, at the head of the stairs. While on his way thither, his ears were saluted by strains of an Irish song in a brogue whose nationality there was no mistaking, and on rapping at the door to which he had been directed, was told in a voice anything but musical to "come in." On entering, a sight so unanticipated was presented to his vision as nearly to deprive him of the power of speech. In an uncarpeted and uncurtained room, with a few articles of dilapidated furniture scattered around, a female of most untidy appearance in dress, while her face and hands looked as if soap and water would much improve them, was engaged in sewing up the holes in a pair of stockings that might have been white at some earlier period in their history, but had lost all claim to that color in their existing condition. Her hair was partially knotted in papers, while the remainder hung in loose locks about her neck and shoulders, reaching to her waist, and in her mouth was a short-stemmed pipe, black from long use, that did not much improve her enunciation when she spoke. On recovering from his surprise, and fancying that he had got into the wrong room, he inquired where he could find the object of his search. "I am the young woman you are searching for, I suppose, though that is not my name; but what do you want of *me?* I don't know *you.*" The spell was broken as instantaneously as some of the transformation scenes occur on the stage.—for if the youth had one pot weakness above another, it was that for personal neatness—the cure as effectual as those produced by the ninety and nine patent nostrums of our day, if we may believe the certificates that accompany them. One of the most amusing features of the case was the acknowledgement of the father of the young gentleman, that he had been himself so fascinated by the fair representative of Shakspeare's Juliet of the previous evening, in his interview with her, so pretty and so good withal as she seemed in private life, away from the ideality of the stage, he would have been much inclined to make a proposal on his own account had he been a single gentleman instead of a married one, and the father of rather a numerous family.

Another passage in the theatrical life of our heroine has not less of interest. Among the young men of fashion and fortune she was accustomed often to meet, from their being able to obtain admittance behind the scenes at Drury Lane, was the son of a citizen of London, of large wealth, and a member of Parliament. Familiar as she was with seeing such persons in the exercise of her profession, she paid little heed to him or his attentions until noticing him on an evening when she appeared as Shakspeare's Juliet, in company among the audience with a very beautiful young lady who seemed as much absorbed in him as he was with her performance. She noticed them as much as opportunity offered without diverting her attention from the part she was sustaining while the scene was in progress, and then through a loop-hole prepared for such purposes when the curtain was down, coming to the conclusion that with whatever feeling the young gentleman might regard his fair companion, she was deeply attached to him. On the night succeeding, when she had not been cast in the concluding performance, as he stood at her side while she stopped at a side-wing for a moment to observe the opening scene, on her way to the carriage in waiting to convey her home, he poured into her ear a passionate tale that would have done honor to the most ardent lover in the mimic scene of the drama; even the love-sick Romeo who had shared with her the honors of the previous evening. When he had concluded, she replied in a tone that gave him little to hope in the way of a return of his passion:

"We are all given to desire that most which is the least attainable; and if our wishes are gratified, the coveted object proves as often as otherwise

'Like Dead Sea fruits, that tempt the eye,
But fade to ashes on the lip.'

It is best to marry in one's own sphere of life,—not much above, in no degree below it; and while I feel myself the equal of your family in all else but that which the world regards as our relative social positions, they would not esteem me as such. I feel honored by your affection, still more by the offer of your hand in marriage, and thank you from my inmost heart for favors I shall ever remember with pleasure; yet, under the circumstances that exist, it would add, I fear, little to your happiness or mine if I could return your affection to a degree that alone would induce me to become your wife. There is one with far more of personal beauty than I can boast of, and if I read her face aright, amiable and intelligent, who loves you deeply. If you will forget me as aught else than a friend whose best wishes you have for your happiness, you may find, I doubt not, in her affections, all you have sought in mine."

Though fully conscious that his little friend was not *acting* then, and scarcely less so that all she had uttered was both wise and good, still the listener could not be convinced against his will, or give up the purpose in which he fancied his happiness for life was involved. She had supplanted all others in his affections to a degree that after time, he deemed, could bring with it no bitterness surpassing that conveyed in her refusal to become a sharer of his lot.

"To him there was
But one beloved face on earth,"

and if he loved her ere this scene had passed between them, it was idolatry now with which he regarded her. They had removed at the commencement of the interview to a position that excluded them from observation, and when, after again urging him, with tearful eyes, to accept, for his own sake, the counsel she had given him, he took the little ungloved hands she presented in token of parting with a kind "good-night," and pressed them passionately to his lips, imploring her to reconsider her refusal, and give him some hope that his wishes might yet be gratified. Life should be to her, if he could make it so, but one bright summer day; and what she had urged in relation to the estimation in which she would be held by his family, he doubted not would prove but the idlest fancy when then came to know and love her as he was sure they would do. Impetuous of disposition, childlike in manner, and inexperienced as he was in the world though some three years her senior, she was touched by his earnest pleadings, and at length consented to an interview with him next day at her lodgings, ere he handed her to her carriage in parting for the night. When this meeting took place, after learning from him that there was none who could claim his affections from any word that had ever fallen from his lips, she gave him encouragement to hope, after thinking of the matter as she had done in the interval since they parted the previous night, that if he could obtain the free consent of his parents to his wishes, and if there was nothing in his habits or otherwise that would bring sorrow to her in after days, she would venture to promise that she might give him her hand in marriage. The only one that survived of the children of their earlier married life, he was to his parents above all the gifts of fortune that had been so liberally bestowed upon them, and being ever most obedient to their wishes, as well as free from the foibles and vices of most young men of similar age and position in life, waiving all family pride, they ere long consented to accede to his wishes if satisfied there was nothing in the previous life of the object of his affections to cast dishonor upon her name, and equally so that

she would detract in no degree from the happiness of all by their receiving her as an equal among them. So far as the reputation and past history of the object of their scrutiny subsequently proved on investigation, none could present a more unblemished record. Left an orphan at an early age by the death, at about the same period, of her parents, most worthy people of the same profession as her own, by her amiability and blameless life she had won the love of all with whom she had associated in later years. It was near the close of the London dramatic season, and when the father and mother of the young gentleman had become satisfied that the popular favorite, whose loss in the profession would be sadly deplored, would do them no discredit, after being charmed by her beautiful delineation of Juliet, and not less so by her bearing in private life during interviews they had with her in their own home, they invited her to accompany them to their country-seat, on the banks of the Thames, where they were accustomed to pass the summer. This was all that was needed to afford her an opportunity, in being thus domesticated with them, by her gentle and winning ways, to complete the conquest over their affections already begun; and long ere their return to town they gave a glad consent to her union with their family in so near a relation,—an event that transpired when they were again established in their London home. JOHN H. BOWLES.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, JULY 28, 1877.

The Communist Insurrection.

The general tenor of all the reports, Friday, was to the effect that the insurrection against law and order was dying out in the places where it first started and has raged most fiercely, and that the police, military and citizens' organizations are able to cope with and beat back the rioters in cities where the commune has been late in getting started on the work of murder, incendiarism and pillage. The San Francisco crowd of bummers, tramps, thieves and "hoodlums" could not resist the police and vigilantes, and were driven to their dens without the aid of the troops. In Chicago, the mobs were defeated by the police and military, as reported Thursday evening, from fifteen to twenty-five of the rioters being killed and many wounded; but the report that the U. S. regulars opened on the mob with grape and canister was unfortunately not confirmed. The officers commanding United States troops at Chicago, St. Louis and other western cities have been ordered to place their forces under the command of the governors of the States in which they are stationed, to aid in enforcing the law. In St. Louis the citizens flocked to enroll themselves under the lead of old military men, and all the pawnbrokers and dealers gave up all the arms in their possession, to prevent the mob getting them; several manufactories where the employes refused to strike were burned by the ruffianly rabble, and a terrible riot was feared after dark. The rioters are weakening in Pennsylvania; coal trains run on the Lehigh & Susquehannah road. In New York the insurrection seems to have been flattened out very quickly by the vigorous measures of Governor Robinson, who ordered out the entire militia of the State, 28,000 in number, as soon as the trouble commenced, and announced that the law should triumph if he had to call for 100,000 volunteers. The Erie railroad commenced taking freight for all points, Thursday; and trains were running from Buffalo, Syracuse and Albany, and other places where the strike had been temporarily successful. The hands of the Chicago & Canada Southern road gave up the strike on Thursday, and went to work. The communists along the Baltimore & Ohio road were alarmed by a report that Gen. Hancock, at the request of Gov. Hartranft and by direction of the War Department, was to take full charge of the Pennsylvania troops, declare martial law along the line of the railroad, and run it as a military line.

Despatches Friday evening reported Chicago, St. Louis, Louisville and San Francisco all quiet, the criminal classes having been effectually cowed by the respectable citizens.

The Eastern War.

Advices by way of London say it is certain that as the Russians advance in Bulgaria the Mohammedans massacre the Christian population. Turkish statesmen are concerned at this, but foresee that the massacres will ultimately assume such dimensions that they cannot be prevented. The Austrian Consul at Smyrna announces that the Christians are in constant terror that the Turks will indulge in massacres. In such circumstances the attention of Austria is naturally excited, her interest being so closely affected by Servia and Herzegovinia. A detailed account of the fighting by which the Russians obtained Schipka Pass and went through the Balkan mountains shows the most desperate hand-to-hand fighting, resulting, in one place, in 400 Turks being killed and about the same number of Russians. The Turks sent a man to parley and during the parley the Russians consolidated, when the Turks treacherously fired into them, killing several hundred. They were charged and driven, and then, being summoned to surrender, promised to do so at noon the next day, but during the night they stole away, leaving their camp-fires and line after line of entrenchments. The Russians captured all the Turkish camps and baggage, twelve cannons and 400 prisoners. The ferocity of the defeated Turks was horribly exemplified in their treatment of the Russian wounded who were left on the field the previous night. These unfortunates were all murdered as they lay, and when the pitiless slaughter was completed the dead were all decapitated and fearfully mutilated. The ghastly spectacle filled all beholders with horror and intensified the fury of the Russians against the Turkish irregulars.

More Indian Atrocities.

Reports from the Black Hills announce many murders by the Indians. Lieut. Lemley, with a company of soldiers and a dozen or more civilians, left Spearfish City a week ago with two days' rations and have not since been heard of. A ranche on Crow Creek, containing seven men, was attacked on Wednesday and five men killed. On Thursday men were arriving at Deadwood all day, bringing reports of fresh outrages by the Indians; over twenty murders were reported that day.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 25.

Evidences of a reaction in the minds of laboring men who for a moment allowed themselves to be misled by the specious but illogical and altogether wicked appeals of cunning demagogues, against the excesses and bloody instincts of the triumphant *canaille*, multiply and are having a very reassuring effect here, and the organization of the respectable elements of all our large towns for the preservation of order and to rescue from the thieves the remnants of their plunder has begotten confidence in the speedy restoration of order and the salvation of popular government, so seriously menaced during the tumultuous and bloody occurrences of the past week. The announcement was made yesterday that trains were again running over the Washington branch of the Baltimore and Ohio road on schedule time; and the somewhat demonstrative crowds that for a few days congregated about the depot of that road have disappeared, the tramps having again pulled out into the open country, whence they hurried into town to take advantage of the first opportunity offered for pillage and robbery. There are hardly any arrivals of money by mail or express to the Treasury, and the bulk of the mails now received at the city postoffice are much reduced in size. Our meat supply is getting rapidly scarce and an advance upon present exorbitant prices is among the immediate probabilities. But the capabilities of the adjacent farms have been so largely developed since the war, that our market for farm produce was never better supplied, and that too, at the most reasonable rates. It is thought that unless some adjustment shall have been reached within one week so as to permit the peach crop to be moved cheaply and expeditiously to a market, a very serious disaster awaits owners of the magnificent orchards in Maryland, Delaware and New Jersey. If anything unconnected with the strikes is transpiring of general interest it does not reach the public. But as the fires go out from exhaustion of the fuel there is a gradual return of public attention to matters of absorbing interest when the insurrection first broke out, diverting us from everything else. The action of the Government threatening to annul the privileges granted the Direct Atlantic Cable Company, should it persist in its purpose to combine with another company, in palpable disregard of the one condition upon which they were granted, is almost universally commended.

KNOX.

News and Notes.

Stetson's Howard Athenæum Company, who finished an engagement at the Adelphi Theatre, Chicago, last week, are at Cleveland, unable to proceed eastward on account of the passenger embargo. The troupe includes Miss Adah Richmond, Miss Nellie Larkelle, James S. Maffit, Yankee Locke, N. D. Jones and others.

President Arthur, of the Locomotive Brotherhood, said on the 24th in Cleveland that the brotherhood is not connected with this strike, and his advice has been not to jeopardize their lives nor compromise their manhood. They sympathize with the strike, but not with communism. "The best way to settle the difficulty is to restore wages as prior to July 1st. The men will never resume work till that is done. They have been treated tyrannically by railroad officers. If Tom Scott had gone to Pittsburg instead of sending soldiers all bloodshed would have been averted. Whenever the officers of the road have met the brotherhood there has been no strike. This strike will continue until the companies yield, and, if continued long, the locomotive brotherhood will be forced to take a hand on roads where there have been reductions." President Arthur is no doubt a great man, but the nation does not hang on his lips, and the communist insurrection will be put down without the law-breakers being bought off, even though President Arthur should disapprove of the means employed to restore order.

Mr. R. W. Bishop, whom the Ohio democrats have just nominated for Governor, is a wholesale grocer of Cincinnati, and has accumulated a fortune. He was a Know-Nothing candidate for Mayor in 1854. He is sixty years of age.

In answer to the assertion of President Arthur of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, that all the trouble of the strike arose from Tom Scott's refusal to listen to the brotherhood, Scott says in so many words that Arthur lies, as he (Scott) never refused to listen to any delegation whatever, and had no anticipation of any strike until after it commenced. Arthur also says the brotherhood has had nothing to do with the strike—probably he lies when he says so—but threatens that if the demands of the communists are not acceded to they will "take a hand." President Arthur is an imprudent talker.

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To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said county, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Rim Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the ollowing purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT R. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT R. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Court House on Court Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this 21st day of July, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
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Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Office of Jacob Haddock on Islington street, near the Creek in said Ward, on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot one Alderman, two Members of the Common Council one Assessor of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants or Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot two Aldermen, four Members of the Common Council, two Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT R. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
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House No. 1 Rockingham Street.
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THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street.
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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	5.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service a three o'clock, P. M.

At the North church the pastor, Rev. James W. Hubbell, will preach at the morning service. Sabbath school at 2:45 P. M. Evening service in the chapel at 7:30.

Rev. Mr. Hubbell will address the Reform Club at 8 o'clock P. M., at Mechanics' Hall; fifteen minutes' Praise Meeting to precede the address; collection to defray expenses.

MORE WAR.

Some time not far from midnight on Thursday, Mayor Broughton was aroused by a call from "Professor" Jerry Edwards, who a few minutes later also aroused Judge Batchelder of the Police Court from the sleep of the just. Jerry proclaimed to the Judge his grievances which were: that having come down from Boston to pay a visit to his home—or at least to the place where his wife resides—he was refused admission, William Quinn and a Frenchman from the U. S. S. Enterprise being in the house as a garrison. Judge Batchelder sent the misused and enraged Professor to the police for redress, and not long after was favored with a visit from an officer, who wanted to know just how far the law would allow him to go in forcing an entrance into Jerry's wife's domicile, inside of which Quinn was reported as brandishing a hatchet and vowing he would split the head of any ruthless invader. Learning on enquiry that the officer had no warrant, the magistrate advised him not to enter unless to quell an open breach of the peace occurring within his own knowledge, and the officer left, going once more to the besieged dwelling. Arrived at the scene of hostilities the officer found that the besieging force, to wit, the Professor, had stormed the fortress and effected an entrance, and was engaged in massacring the French contingent, which had taken refuge under a bed when the storming party burst in. So the whole crowd, including the regular garrison, the special recruits and the besieging force, were taken to the lockup, and peace reigned in Warsaw—we mean in Madison street. On Friday morning the demoralized Professor was brought before Judge Batchelder, charged with malicious mischief as exemplified by the breaking up of crockery ware and housekeeping generally. Mrs. Professor testified that she knew Jerry was coming down from Boston, and being in great bodily, moral and mental fear of him she hired the two men mentioned to defend her. After due deliberation, as the complainant was perfectly willing that Jerry should leave if only he would, the defendant was released on his own recognizance, he promising not to renew hostilities in this city for at least two months.

NEW LAWS.

Col. Kent, Sheriff of the County, has had his attention called to the violation of the recent law for the protection of oyster beds. For the benefit of those interested we publish the law, the Sheriff having received a certified copy from Secretary of State Thompson:

SEC. 1. No person shall take oysters from Great Bay in the County of Rockingham, or any of its tributaries, during the months of May, June, July and August, unless said oysters have been bedded in said bay or its tributaries by the person so taking them.

SEC. 2. Any person violating the provisions of this bill shall be fined not less than twenty dollars nor more than one hundred dollars for each offence.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved July 19, 1877.

This following bill also passed both houses of the Legislature and received the Governor's signature, and went into effect at once:

"If any sheriff, city marshal, constable, or other officer authorized to serve civil or criminal process, receives from any person any money or other valuable thing as a consideration, reward, or inducement for omitting or delaying to arrest any defendant or respondent, or for omitting to carry any person held in custody before a magistrate, or for delaying to take a person to prison, or for postponing the sale of property under an execution, or for omitting or delaying any duty pertaining to his office, he shall be punished by fine not exceeding three hundred dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding three months."

CITY AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, the matters of cross-walk at No. 1 North street, common sewer on Summer and Middle streets, sewer petitioned for by C. E. Walker and others, and erection of hitching posts near St. Mary's church, were referred to committee on streets, with power.

Petition of proprietors of Commercial wharf was referred to the Mayor.

Committee on claims reported in favor of paying Mr. Coleman $200 for damage to sleigh, etc.; report accepted. Claim of George A. Perkins was committed.

Matter of Vaughan street repairs was taken up and recommitted.

Committee of conference with Gas Company made the following report, it and the proposition being accepted and adopted:

"At a meeting of the directors of the Portsmouth Gas-Light Company, held on Saturday, July 14, it was voted that a discount of twenty instead of eight per cent. be made upon the bills for gas furnished the city, commencing January 1st, 1877, provided our superintendent furnish, inspect or repair all gas burners used for street lights without cost to the city, and that said burners are not to consume more nor less than five cubic feet of gas per hour, and that each watchman shall go in all cases to each light post on his route, whether the gas be out or lighted, and turn off the gas."

JOTTINGS.

To-day at noon Morse & Ilsley will sell by auction at their office certain bank stock, advertised in another column.

See advertisement of administrator's sale of real estate at auction to-day, in another column.

Orders were received at the navy yard on Thursday for the new sloop-of-war Enterprise to sail for New York Saturday morning. Orders were received some time ago to fit out the Kansas, but the orders have since been revoked.

The *Times*, in a report of York county (Me.) cases recently argued at the law term of the court at Portland, speaks of one case instituted "to get possession of York Nubble, an island of about six acres in York river harbor, which the owners value at a high price, now that Uncle Samuel wants it whereon to build a light-house." When was York Nubble moved to York river harbor?

The Maine Press Association start on their week's excursion to Moosehead Lake this morning. The Massachusetts and New Hampshire Associations will be well represented, among the guests from the latter being Hon. Frank W. Miller and ladies of this city.

Ship Grandee, Capt. Joseph R. Shillaber, has added another quick passage to her famous list. She left Melbourne May 4, and arrived at Calcutta after a passage of 38 days.

The *Times* of Friday evening says: "Capt. Thomas Hoyt of Kittery Point was seriously injured a few days since by being thrown from his wagon. It is feared that he was seriously injured internally." Capt. Hoyt "has the luck of it" at being thrown out of wagons; somewhere about a year ago he was thrown out on the corner of Market street and Market square, (through the running away of his horse, which took fright at a hand-organ,) and struck his head on the curbstone with such force as to cut off a piece of one ear.

The *Journal* says "it is currently reported that Captain William Robinson and Engineer Gertin of the steamer Appledore have bought the steamer Major, of Gosport, of Mr. John R. Poor, to be delivered to them after the season closes at the Isles of Shoals. They will employ it in winter towing in New York harbor."

A correspondent says, "I have travelled a great deal and stopped at many hotels, but I have never yet found one better kept or more comfortable than that well established and popular house, the 'American,' of Boston. Here everything is of the best, the rooms are scrupulously neat and clean, and the charges most reasonable."

New Hampshire Items.

Hon. Lewis W. Clark of Manchester is being urged by prominent members of the bar for the vacant Judgeship on the Supreme Bench.

A young son of Nathaniel Sawyer of Salisbury was badly mangled by falling upon the knives of a mowing machine, recently, but it is thought may recover.

There is a superfluity of rabid dogs at Hampton Beach. Five have been killed and two more reported mad, all within a week; a young boy about twelve years of age was bitten, besides several cattle.

On the 14th of July Jonathan Cilley of Andover found three cows, a pair of young oxen and two sheep piled one upon another under an elm tree in his pasture, and all dead. They had evidently been killed by lightning, though no trace of the bolt can be found upon the tree.

As Mrs. Samuel Eastman, of East Concord, was hanging out clothes, she was stung by hornets, to which she at first paid but little attention. As the pain increased, she laid down, in the forenoon, and was found by her husband in an unconscious condition. She remained in that state for several hours before she was restored.

—Bristol, R. I., dates back nearly two centuries, and long before the Revolutionary war her streets were laid out by a royal engineer, who did his work so well that no modern Macadamizer has been able to improve on it. It is asserted that this is the only ancient town in America, with the solitary exception of Philadelphia, where the streets are all made "on the square," and where, for the whole distance of each one, they run as straight as an arrow.

—It takes, according to a scientific journal, four thousand bumblebees to weigh a pound; but you stop a bumblebee some time when he is right busy, and pick him up and heft him, and you will raise your hand and swear he weighs a ton.

—It takes Father MacNulty, of Paterson, N. J., to stop a run on a savings bank. When there was a panic among the depositors, recently, Father MacNulty walked calmly through the crowd at the door, with his red silk handkerchief full of greenbacks, and dropping them on the counter, turned around and went home again. The crowd saw the point, and one by one concluded their money might as well stay in the bank.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch War Eagle, Frisbee, from Bath, arr at Boston, July 26.

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Check-List Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECK-LISTS give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, July 26th, Tuesday, July 31st, and Saturday, August 4th, 1877, from 9, o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 o'clock A. M., and from 1 to 2 P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,

Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Check-Lists.

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Or any citizen, or Son of Portsmouth resident elsewhere, may have a Tree set in his name, of such variety as he may indicate, by sending $5, or any larger sum he may feel disposed, to the Treasurer or any member of the Board—as has already been done by many, and their names and trees placed upon the roll.

☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted them.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

Board of Trustees.

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ALFRED M. HOYT,
JOS. HILLER FOSTER,
MOSES H. GOODRICH,
JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor, *Ex. Of.*

The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had, and at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

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On FRIDAY, August 3, 1877,

At twelve o'clock, M.,

On the premises, the HOMESTEAD of J. C. CARR, situate Number 95 State Street, Portsmouth. This estate is well known as a desirable situation in one of the best neighborhoods in Portsmouth.

At half-past twelve o'clock, M.,

On the same day will be sold, on the premises, the double tenement HOUSE and LAND Number 23 Gates Street.

At one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold on the premises, four LOTS OF LAND on Lincoln Avenue, containing about five thousand feet each; these lots are in a desirable locality, and well worth the attention of buyers.

At half-past one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then designated.

At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 95 State street.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

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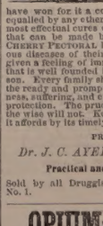

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Nashua & Lowell	89
Concord	74
Eastern	3½
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Fitchburg	105
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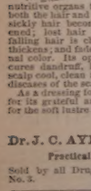

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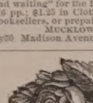

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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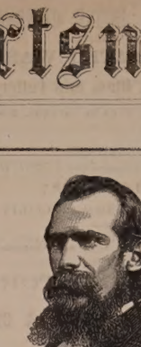

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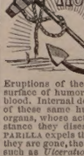

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The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Promising Customer.

He is a small man, rather dapper in appearance, with a propitiary air in his clothes, in his face, and even in the fringe of hair which encircles his head without covering it. His wife is a large woman, of course, with a red face, and an aggressive air. He went out to the vegetable peddler this morning, with a large tin pan, to make purchases. It was the first time the pedlar had seen him come to trade. There were several women, neighbors, at the wagon. He came up to the cart, and looked critically over the array of fruits and vegetables.

"How much are those cucumbers?" he asked.

"Five cents."

He lifted one of them, said they wore fine-looking, and then asked:

"How much is that lettuce a head?"

"Ten cents."

"That is cheap enough. And now let me see," he said, slowly. "Ah, there's watermelons, eh? Why, they are early enough, I'm sure. How much are they?"

"Seventy-five cents apiece," said the dealer, who, seeing that his customer was no ordinary party, began to stir himself about. "They are fresh melons, just got last night, and every one of them is fully ripe. I'll guarantee that."

"Fully ripe, eh?" said the customer, fondling the article.

"Yes, sir," said the dealer, getting up on his feet in the flush of expectation.

"They look ripe," coincided the customer. Then he looked around and spied another attractive article.

"Peaches, eh? Well, I declare! How natural and good they look. How much for the peaches?"

"Thirty cents a quart," said the dealer, mentally figuring up the total of half dozen cucumbers, a couple heads of lettuce, a watermelon and a quart of peaches, while the women at the cart opened their eyes in wonder and stood silently by, awed by the magnitude of the transaction.

"Only thirty cents," mused he. "Why that's reasonable enough, I take it, in these times. Let me see—five cents a piece for the cucumbers, ten cents for the lettuce, seventy-five cents for a watermelon, thirty cents for——"

"Joseph Malachia!" came a sharp, loud voice, through a spitefully opened door, "are you going to get what I sent you after, or are you going to stand out there all the whole day?"

"Gimme ten cents worth new potatoes," gasped the man, nervously opening the hand he had kept shut, and disclosing a new dime. "Quick, please!"

Mexican Revolutions.

1821. The independence of Mexico is declared.

1825. First Congress assembled.

1829. Guerero being President, Bustamente, commanding the army, induces his soldiers to declare him President and compels Guerero to abdicate. Santa Anna plays the same game on Bustamente and is himself declared President by the army. Three Presidents govern with little fighting, until

1836. State Governments were abolished by revolution and Santa Anna made President. Same year Bustamente was recalled, Santa Anna's defeat at San Jacinto having deprived him of power.

1838. Mexico revolutionized; had an unpleasantness with the French, who blockaded Vera Cruz; Santa Anna drives off the French.

1840. Federalists, led by Urren, revolution.

1841. Revolution of Santa Anna, who is made Dictator, and banishes Bustamente.

1842. Junta of Nobles revolution against Santa Anna and form the republic.

1843. New Constitution adopted. Catholic religion and apostolic creed to the exclusion of all other religions.

1844. Revolution by Peredes. Santa Anna deposed and Herrera made President by Congress.

1845. Santa Anna banished and Herrera elected President. Same year Peredes revolts, and, ordering an election, is elected President.

1846. Santa Anna is recalled, Peredes deposed and Salos elected President. Salos sells out, and Santa Anna is made Provisional President. War with United States is in progress.

1847. Americans victorious; Santa Anna flies, and Penas is made President pro tem.

1848. Peace made with the United States.

1851. Arista elected President.

1851-2. General revolution.

1853. Arista resigns and Santa Anna made Dictator.

1854. Revolution led by Alvarez; Santa Anna abdicates.

1855. Carrera made President, resigns, and Alvarez is made Dictator.

1856. Comonfort heads a movement against the Church, is elected President, and sequesters property of the clergy.

1857. Comonfort is deposed.

1858. Zuloaga is made President, but is obliged to abdicate.

1859. Miramon makes himself President, but is speedily deposed.

1860. Zuloaga again made President.

1860. Revolution headed by Miramon.

1861. Juarez elected President and declares himself Dictator. The French invasion and Juarez, Lerdo and Diaz have kept things lively since 1861.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, JULY 30, 1877.

The Communist Insurrection.

The back-bone of the great strike is broken, and the riotous crowds of roughs and criminals that have attempted to set up the commune have mostly slunk back to their dens in the back-slums; it will be a long time before the ill effects of the insurrection on the welfare of the laboring classes will pass away, but the danger is past. The strike has flattened out completely, and the foolish men who have been engaged in it have now become cool enough to begin to realize the results of their folly.

Throughout the State of New York the railroads are generally running freight, the mobs of thieves and tramps having disappeared and the trainmen returned to the work from which in many instances they were driven. So confident are the authorities that no further trouble will be experienced, that many regiments of troops on duty at Hornellsville, Albany and other places where the mob appeared in force at first, were sent home on Friday and Saturday.

No trouble was experienced in San Francisco, St. Louis, Louisville, Cincinnati, Chicago or the other cities where the commune last broke loose, on Friday night, the rioters not daring to face the citizens. At Toledo, Friday, the work shops which closed on Thursday under the threats of the mob were reopened, in many of them the workmen appearing armed to the teeth and determined to fight if again assailed. The Mayor of Toledo flatly denies that he gave encouragement or sympathy to the mob.

Gen. Sheridan arrived at Chicago on Saturday and took command of the U. S. troops there; it is needless to say that good order prevails in that city.

Gen. Hancock and Gov. Hartranft in person took command of affairs at Pittsburg, Saturday morning, and freight was started out from Cumberland over the Baltimore and Ohio road without resistance from the strikers.

The Lake Shore, Michigan Southern and Michigan Central roads, that have been embargoed, were running freight on Saturday.

Donohue, the ringleader of the rioters at Hornellsville, N. Y., is in jail in New York city; and the man who set fire to the $150,000 bridge at Reading, Pa., is in custody and likely to spend the rest of his life in prison. The leaders in the riots have been arrested in many cities, and not a few of them will be tried for murder.

The only fresh outbreaks of importance reported Saturday were in the coal regions of Pennsylvania, where the miners committed some outrages and several persons were killed.

Capt. E. Y. Breck, who commanded the Hutchinson Battery during the riot at Pittsburg, takes pains to contradict what he terms "infamous lies about the Philadelphia troops." He says that after the retreat into the round-house the guards were mounted and a most vigilant watch was kept on all avenues of approach. Several times during the night, attacks were made and were quickly repulsed by the sentries alone. No general firing was permitted at any time, and not a shot was fired from the much-dreaded Gatling guns on Sunday. The only demonstration worth mentioning was when the mob placed one of the guns stolen from the armory in position on Liberty street, and endeavored to fire it. They speedily retired when opened on with sixty-five muskets. They were allowed to remove all the dead and wounded, except two dead men who lay in such a position, that under cover of removing them, they might have fired the gun. Every man who approached that gun was warned by the sentries to keep away, and no one was shot at who heeded the warning. At every point where attacks were made warning to keep away was given before firing. The stories about the round-house being bombarded Capt. Breck pronounces false. Not a shot was fired at them from a field-piece, nor would the guns of the mob, had they commenced firing, created the least confusion. The Philadelphia men, he says, were soldiers and gentlemen, and simply obeyed the orders given them, regretting very much that obedience to those orders on Saturday caused bloodshed. They were as steady and precise as regulars. The round-house was not evacuated till the men were suffocating from the smoke, and they retired in most excellent order.

New Hampshire Items.

Manchester again—"The name of Lewis W. Clarke is urged by prominent members of the bar for the vacant Judgeship on the Supreme Bench." Will not one judge of each political party satisfy Manchester?

The people of Sutton are much excited over the tragic death of Ephraim Marston, a noted citizen of that town whose stubbornness had kept him in lawsuits most of the time through the last half-century, reduced him to ragged and hungry poverty, and driven him half crazy. A few days ago he was gored by an ox, and though not dangerously hurt, a woman was hired to watch with him. A crony called on her at night, and the two women got boozy drunk and gave the groaning man a whole bottle of laudanum at a dose, and when they awoke in the morning Marston was cold and stiff.

Hubbard's steam mill, situated in West Windham, was burned Thursday night, together with a part of its contents. Loss about $1200; partially insured.

The house and barn of George H. Farrar, in West Henniker, were burned Wednesday. Loss $1500.

A Danville correspondent of the Exeter *News-Letter* says: "Mr. Chase Fuller, one of our oldest inhabitants and a much respected citizen, is quite ill, and fears are entertained of his recovery."

Gov. Prescott of New Hampshire arrived in Bennington, Vt., Thursday evening, and was presented to Gov. Fairbanks. The militia had a dress parade and review before them.

News and Notes.

It is the *Anglo-American Times* of London which publishes this startling story regarding Zach Chandler: "Not long ago he is said to have had there (in Michigan) 10,000 slaves, with 200 newspapers to help him. Some 400 office-seekers were continually on his books. He gave the lot their cues and war-cries, and no man dared to give tongue except after the music caught up from him."

While there can be only contempt for General Pearson's "bravery" in Pittsburg, there must be universal sympathy for his wife. The ruffians of the mob, it is now related, actually carried a coffin to his house, and told Mrs. Pearson that they intended to kill her husband and put him into it. She was there with her children, her mother and her sister, and with no protection. No wonder that her hair grew white in a single night.

Nineteen thousand packages of goods have been saved from the wreck of the steamship Rusland at Long Branch, and but 500 were lost. The wreck has now been turned over to the Boston Wrecking Company, who purchased it for $9300, and will break it up.

At a meeting of strikers at Wilkesbarre, Pa., Congressman Wright said he would make a demand on Congress for $10,000,000 for the laboring men of the country. Congressman Wright, besides being a demagogue and a blatherskite, is a fellow of petty ideas; why didn't he announce that he should demand of Congress $10,000,000 apiece for the laboring men of the country? Then folks would have thought something of him.

The contemptuous indifference with which the Tompkins-square demonstration was treated by the people of New York is the best possible evidence that we have in this city a very solid substratum of good sense and of respect for law and order. The punctilious courtesy with which the organizers of the meeting were treated by the Mayor and the Commissioners of Parks and Police is but another proof that our rulers are a parcel of white-livered demagogues. —*N. Y. Times.*

The Eastern War.

The Russians report that one of their men-of-war, formerly an old merchant ship, the Vesta, had an engagement off Kustendjie, lasting over five hours, with a Turkish monitor, which fled much damaged by Russian shells, one of which burst in her turret. The Vesta had her rudder injured and went to Sebastopol for repairs. Two officers and nine sailors were killed. Six officers, among them the commander, and seventeen sailors were wounded; one officer died.

A Bucharest despatch says the Turks have left Philipopolis. A special from Adrianople says Suleiman Pasha has been defeated at Karabunor. He lost ten guns. His army is retreating on Adrianople. The Second Russian Army Corps has invested Silistria, and at Rustchuk the Russians have got their seige batteries so close as to throw shells inside the inner lines of fortifications.

A despatch from Erzeroum, in Asia Minor, says that the Russians are again moving in force on Kars. It is rumored that the Turks met with a decisive defeat in an attack on Bayazid.

Gen. Pearson, Penn. N. G.

Says the Philadelphia *Times*: "General Pearson of the National Guard, who has been missing for several days, has finally turned up and written a card to the Pittsburg papers. This card is an apology to the strikers, and he wants them to know that while he was in command no orders were given the troops to fire. He also wants an investigation of his conduct in what he calls 'the recent unfortunate conflict between the citizens of my native city and the Philadelphia troops,' so that the strikers may satisfy themselves on this point before they execute their threat to 'hang General Pearson on a sour-apple tree.' If General Pearson had spent half as much time writing his resignation as a militia officer as he gave to the composition of this apology he might have done the State some service."

Pearson—"General" Pearson—"General" Pearson of Pittsburg—has crawled out of his hole to say that he never, never, never ordered the troops to fire. No one who knew Pearson ever thought he did. He took to his heels at the first shot. Fire? *He* ordered troops to fire? Oh no! He wouldn't hurt anybody, not much. Crawl under the bed again, Pearson, that'll do for you.—*Exchange.*

The Bussey Woods Murderer.

The murderer of the Joyce children in the Bussey woods, West Roxbury, June 12, 1865, in all human probability sleeps in death in the small graveyard at the easterly end of Golloupe's Island, Boston harbor, where he died of small-pox in 1873. His name is there given, and his age at the time of the commission of the murders was twenty-two. He was a resident in that city, and worked as a journeyman in different parts of the city prior to the crime, and was a visitor at the house of the grandmother, at the South End, where the little children stopped while in Boston. Taking to drink he drifted away from Boston, and was found in Chicago a few years after the crime, where, in one of his maudlin periods, he confessed to a companion he was the perpetrator of the deed. Upon coming to his consciousness he denied all that he had said, and no further evidence could then be obtained. His revelations were communicated to our authorities, and two of our detective force were sent to that city to "shadow" him. This was done thoroughly, and for six weeks these experienced officers plied every art to find out the truth. They became acquainted with him, gained his confidence, were with him frequently, and heard from his own lips the confession of his perpetration of the double crime. Yet he offered no corroborating evidence—no clue by which the trail could be followed—and when he was in his sober moments would invariably deny all that he had previously said. The revelations thus made were communicated to one of our ablest and best-known justices, who was to pronounce upon the expediency of an arrest. Every effort was made to gain some corroborating testimony from him, but without avail—not a single circumstantial incident being vouchsafed which would serve to strengthen his unsupported statement. Nevertheless, the time, the prompting, the manner, of the atrocity were in turn narrated, not only once, but over and over again, and in turn, in his sober moments, denied. The officers reluctantly gave up the case and returned to Boston, after becoming satisfied that it was useless to proceed further unless some corroboration was obtained. They were both impressed with the conviction that he told the literal truth in his drunken moments, and falsified when he was sober. Suffice it to say, in conclusion, that he drifted back to Boston, and that during the small-pox epidemic of 1873 he took the disease, superinduced by his habits, and died and was buried upon Gallonpe's Island, where his grave and head-board may now be seen—as they were by us on Tuesday last, and where we learned this remarkable story. —*Boston Commonwealth.*

The Moral for "Innocent Persons."

1. In this country, where all persons have fire-arms and the soldiers are volunteers, there will be firing done soon after stone throwing commences.

2. There is no good place for innocent spectators where there is a mob, for they only furnish miscreants an ambuscade from which to hurl missiles certain to provoke a deadly return.

Moral—Keep out of the crowds.

A Solace for the Aged.

In the decline of life, as the vigor of the system wanes, and infirmities attack it to which in early life it was a stranger, the use of a safe medicinal stimulant is highly advisable. Nothing, as experience shows, is so admirably adapted to the wants of old people as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It is a real solace to the aged, and the best safeguard they can possibly use against the complaints to which they are peculiarly liable. It invigorates the body and cheers the mind, is pure, agreeable and effective. Rheumatism, lumbago and gout are more frequently developed in age than in youth or middle life. Hostetter's Bitters are an excellent remedy for those painful disorders, and also fortify the system against them. They never create undue excitement, are gentle in their action, and are infinitely purer than the unmedicated stimulants of commerce.

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It seems very strange that there should be such general complaint heard everywhere as to the hardness of the times and the scarcity of money—gold, silver, or paper—when one remembers that about the first of every month, Generals P. T. Beauregard and Jubal Early, as the commissioners of the Louisiana State Lottery Company, give away hundreds of thousands of dollars. Write to M. A. Dauphin, Box 692, New Orleans, La.

Since the opening of the new and excellent Hotel Devonshire, opposite the main entrance of Grand Central Depot, first-class accommodations at reasonable rates can be had in this most convenient locality. By all means stop at the Hotel Devonshire on your next visit to the city.

If one could only be fortunate in these days of misfortune, it would be worth one's while to write M. A. Dauphin, Box 692, P. O., New Orleans, La., for the particulars of the August drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery Company, under the supervision, as commissioners, of Generals P. T. Beauregard and Jubal Early.—Tickets are only two dollars.

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Check-List Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECK-LISTS give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, July 26th, Tuesday, July 31st, and Saturday, August 4th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 o'clock A. M., and from 1 to 3 P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Check-Lists.

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH.

WARD ONE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said county, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Ward Room on Elm Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Court House on Court Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this 21st day of July, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAM'L H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest.
NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAM'L H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Office of Jacob Haddock on Islington street, near the Creek in said Ward, on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot one Alderman, two Members of the Common Council, one Assessor of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants or Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot two Aldermen, four Members of the Common Council, two Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT B. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKEREMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
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JOHN S. TUCKEREMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

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To Let.

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To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

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A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to
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HALF-HOUSE ON MELCHER STREET, near Pleasant. Seven rooms, water in house; rent low to a good tenant. Apply at
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BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tobbetts.
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Brick House No. 56 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 5 Rockingham Street.
Apply to
A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street.
For particulars apply to.
WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square,
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Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,
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For Sale or To Let.

THE very desirable BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 10 ISLINGTON ST. belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. Andrew Hussey. House contains twelve rooms and has a Brick Stable and large Garden attached. Possession given September 1st.
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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55	A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	"	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	"	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	"	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	"	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"	4.35 "
Concord and North,	7.40 "	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,		"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	"	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	"	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10	A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10	A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.50 "	"	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	"	6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 "	"	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

EASTERN RAILROAD.

The Summer Arrangement of the Eastern Railroad goes into effect to-day. The changes made are not many, the most important ones being the addition of a train from Boston, leaving there at ten o'clock A. M.; the alteration of the time of leaving of the last train from North Conway; and the putting on of a Sunday train, to leave Boston at 8:15 A. M., and arrive here at 10:24, and leave this city at 5:35 P. M., and arrive in Boston at 7:45. The corrected table will be found in the usual place in our advertising columns.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, July 28th.

Oliver P. Philbrook, of Rye, was brought up on a complaint of cruelty to a horse. This was a continued case, Philbrook having been first arraigned on the 11th of July, at which time the case was continued to the 21st, but Philbrook not appearing at the time set measures were taken to compel his attendance, and the case was passed on by the Judge on the 28th, Philbrook being fined one cent, and ordered to pay costs amounting to $43.86. The defendant appealed, and gave bonds in the sum of $100 to appear at the proper time and place.

LITTLE FIRES.

On Friday night, shortly before twelve o'clock, fire was discovered in a stall in the stable on Warren street owned by Mr. Samuel W. Moses, but was extinguished without any damage to speak of being done and without an alarm being given. Incendiarism is hinted at.

On Saturday morning a pane of glass in a window of the carriage repair shop of W. A. Brooks on Fleet street was found broken, and on top of a tool chest beneath the broken pane laid a lot of half burned matches, presumed to have been thrust through the window when lighted for the purpose of setting fire to the shop.

We hear rumors of attempts to burn two or more buildings in the outskirts of the city on the same night, but as we are unable to learn anything definite we presume the rumors are unfounded.

On Saturday evening there was a little excitement in the store of John S. Rand on Market street, and among the people in front of the store, occasioned by the sudden blazing up of some of the light show goods in the window, which took fire from a gas burner; but this fire, like the others, did little damage and caused no alarm to be given.

NEW ENGLAND IDEAS.

The Boston *Globe* of Saturday says: "It is reported that the firemen on the Eastern and other roads are appointing committees to confer with the managers on an increase of pay." That is proper, if their pay is not satisfactory, and the general public is apt to sympathize with the working men as against the railroads in any dispute, until their sympathy is dissipated by the acts of the men themselves. An impressive illustration of this was given at the time of the engineers' strike on the Boston & Maine railroad some months ago. That road has never been a popular one, the management having always been regarded as "hoggish" to the last degree in dealing with the towns along the line, and the public generally; and when the strike was first foreshadowed a large proportion of the people were ready to side with the strikers, regardless of the fact that the strike was not owing to the road paying insufficient wages, (for only the most trifling advance—not sufficient to pay for an extra cigar and cocktail a day—was demanded by the strikers,) but was really a struggle between a trade-union and the management of the road, as to which should make rules for the road's government. But this sympathy, which it would have been pleasant to the strikers to have retained even if it had not helped them to a victory, was thrown away by the strikers at the start, through an exhibition of reckless folly—the abandonment of trains at points between stations, and the temporary disabling of engines by the blowing off of the water from the boilers, whereby the unoffending passengers were put to great and entirely useless inconvenience. This foolish conduct caused all rational supporters of law and order to at once range themselves on the side of the railroad, the public promptly recognizing the danger of giving moral support to a movement marked at its first step by an act which, if not criminal, at least evinced a contemptuous disregard of the public rights and common decency; and Massachusetts hastened to pass a law making a combination for the unlawful obstruction of traffic on railroads a penal offence, so that if Mr. Arthur had attempted to carry out his threat to stop business on every railroad running out of Boston unless the Boston & Maine managers yielded, he would have found himself in the penitentiary in a hurry. The dominant sentiment of New England is with the laboring man in every legitimate attempt he may make to better his condition; but when he tells the employer "I will not work for you unless you pay me more wages than you are willing to do, and no other man shall work for you even if he desires to," and says to the unemployed laborer "I do not want my old place at the wages offered, and you shall not take it if you do want it," then public opinion turns irresistibly against him.

JOTTINGS.

A Sunday train for the beaches, running to this city from Boston, will be put on the Eastern Railroad the first Sunday in August.

A five-hundred-pound sword-fish was caught off the Shoals a day or two ago by some of our fishermen, and sold to Messrs. Sullivan & Co., retail fish dealers of this city. It is the first that has been brought into our market this season. There is no better kind of fish sold than the sword-fish. It surpasses salmon in flavor, and has hardly any of its rankness.

"The Ladies' Purchase Agency," of Boston, will be found a most convenient arrangement for those desiring to purchase goods in that city without the expense and trouble of a personal visit. Its references are ladies of the highest social standing. See card elsewhere in this paper.

A workman's union, with Aaron Young as President, has been organized in Portsmouth. The union holds meetings every pleasant evening in the custom house.—*Exeter News-Letter.*

A large side-walk committee under the chairmanship of Geo. W. Guppy, Esq., inspected the successful introduction of a good sized safe at Nute's shoe factory on State street, Friday evening; a delegation from the Workingmen's Union arrived on the ground too late for duty. We hope the new occupant of the manufactory will always have abundant use for this important part of his office furniture.

Henry Chickering, Esq., of the Berkshire County *Eagle*, rounded out his week with the New Hampshire editors by a brief sojourn at the Isles of Shoals, which seem to have charmed the editors from the Berkshire Hills, as this locality does every one.

Luther Holden, Esq., of the Boston *Journal*, has in a reportorial capacity made twenty balloon ascensions, and this accounts for the ease with which he mounts the high horse when he describes the mountain scenery he witnessed with the N. H. Press excursionists.

The imperative orders for the U. S. S. Enterprise to sail for New York on Saturday morning were so far modified on Friday afternoon by a despatch from the Navy Department as to permit the vessel to leave when she gets ready, so she did not go out in the rain of Saturday to meet the thick fog which prevailed outside the harbor. The only motive for the first order, probably, was the desire of the Department to have her where her battery and crew could be utilized in supporting the law in case the New York communists undertook to improve the condition of the workingman by burning buildings, robbing banks, pillaging stores and houses and stealing everything they could lay their hands on; and the order was modified as soon as it became apparent that the communist movement in New York was a fizzle.

On Saturday Messrs. Morse & Ilsley sold five shares in the Portsmouth Trust & Guaranty Company at $90 each; four shares New Hampshire National Bank brought 108 1-2, ten shares Nat. Mech. & Trad. Bank 107 1-2, five shares M. & T. Bank 107. The same auctioneers sold the small house and lot on Richards avenue belonging to the estate of the late William Varrell, for $690, Mr. Howard Walker being the purchaser.

On Thursday afternoon, from two o'clock to eight, there will be an exhibition at N. F. Mathes & Co's store, No. 48 Market street, of the cooking qualities of George V. Hecker & Co's self-raising flower, which will be mixed with water and baked into various articles in presence of the ladies in attendance. See advertisement in another column. We shall call the ladies' attention to the subject again on Thursday morning, if we think of it.

As reported to us, the scene presented at the laying of the corner-stone of a new house at the West End of this city, recently, was one of the saddest and most disgraceful that has occurred in this region for a long while. We are told that a tub of whiskey punch was furnished, and that all the considerable company present gave lamentable evidence in their conduct, or misconduct, of its strength. In fact that it was a general drunken debauch, unworthy of this enlightened age, and startling in consideration of its locality—adjacent to and in full view of at least three homesteads which have recently been forfeited to their once happy and prosperous owners by this very demon of drink, and are now the abodes of strangers. What a foundation for a home! what a memory for a young family! what an example for the young and the public generally!—*Portsmouth Weekly.*

The Board of Directors of the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway railroad, elected July 10th, had a meeting at the Eastern railroad depot in Boston on Friday, and elected Alfred P. Rockwell of Boston, President, Nathaniel G. Chapin of Boston, Treasurer, and Wallace Hackett of this city, Clerk.

The new Board of Instruction are to meet for organization on Wednesday evening at the Common Council Room.

Capt. George Wallace Tucker of this city has sailed from New York as master of ship Midnight, for Japan.

Gov. Prescott has been asked to appoint Major Daniel J. Vaughan of this city Inspector of the Militia, an office created by an act of the recently adjourned legislature. His Excellency could not make a more judicious selection.

The project started by Hon. Frank W. Miller, for the Grangers to have a day at the State Fair, meets with hearty approval in the rural districts.

Rev. Francis Hedge, D. D., has preached at the Unitarian church the last two Sabbaths.

Lt. Geo. B. Haycock, of the U. S. Marine Corps, has gone to Norfolk to take command of the Marine guard on board the U. S. S. Swatara.

One of the finest-looking women seen on the piazza at Appledore is Mrs. Samuel Dinsmore, formerly of Keene, whose now deceased husband twenty-five years ago was Governor of New Hampshire.

The CHRONICLE is referred to United States District Attorney Webb and Hon. Mr. Copeland, for "light" in relation to York Nubble.—*Times.*

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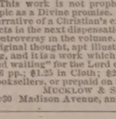
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Yours truly, J. S. PATTON

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FROM WOLFEBORO' 8:40, A. M., 1:18, 5:10 P. M.
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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of the ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind upon their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive exhalations therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his hand into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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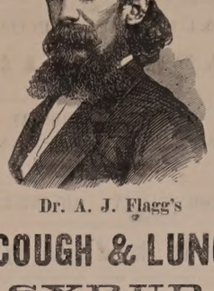

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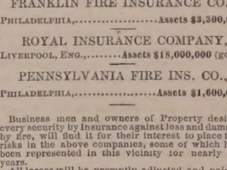

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☞ Trees which are dead may be replaced by others in the same positions, by the same parties who planted the first.

The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 500 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Daniel Webster and the Quakers.

"While I was in the Senate," said General Shields, in a recent lecture before the citizens of Lockport, N. Y., "I saw much of Webster both in and out of the capitol. He met me one day and said: 'Shields, I find I have got into difficulty with some of my constituents, some Quakers, who are dissatisfied with my advocacy of a certain measure, and they have sent a large delegation down here from Massachusetts to make a protest. I have promised to meet them this evening, and I would like to have you there.'

'Why, what can I do?'

'Your native blarney, Shields—it may help me out of the trouble.'

I laughed at the idea of blarney effecting anything where Daniel Webster's eloquence could not convince; and I made that objection; but he insisted, and I promised to be on hand. Evening came, and I joined Mr. Webster at his rooms. Presently the delegation arrived and were seated: a dozen or twenty of the most solemn men I have ever seen all rigidly costumed in Quaker dress. Without wasting any time the chairman arose and addressed Mr. Webster in a set speech. He commented severely on the course of the Senator as to the measure in question, setting forth the bad effect which it might have on the sect, expressing great sorrow and surprise that Mr. Webster had been found supporting such a bill, and concluded with a vigorous protest in writing, which bore many signatures. Webster listened attentively with unchanged countenance, and when the spokesman had resumed his seat he rose and replied. He spoke half an hour, and before he concluded he grew as eloquent as he was often heard. His defense was simply that he deemed the measure one demanded by the interests of the whole country, although it might not be specially adapted to the wants and interests of any sect, and after clearly setting this forth, he made such an appeal to the delegation to remember that they were Americans, as well as Quakers, that I was fairly electrified. The effect produced by his words on the delegation was astonishing. When he began they were all seated; after he spoke ten minutes one after another rose to his feet, until they were all standing; then they commenced to move toward him, and they had soon surrounded him in a body. Before he finished I saw the chairman take out his petition and tear it to pieces; and when he had finished, some of them were shedding tears, and were all grasping Webster's hands as fast as they could get them. 'Friend Webster,' cried the spokesman, 'thee is right and we are wrong; we owe thee an apology; we will say no more about it; thee knows thy duty better than we.'

The next day I met Mr. Webster, and with a countenance of perfect gravity he said: 'Well, Shields—now didn't we blarney them nicely?"

A Prairie Minuet.

One Autumn day, watching for ducks while ensconced in a musk-rat house in the great Mendocio marsh, which extends back many miles from the Mississippi river opposite Clinton, I noticed some objects moving on the summit of a knoll. By very careful watching I discovered they were prairie-fowl, and, moved by curiosity, carefully approached them. As I drew near I discovered fifteen prairie-fowl apparently dancing a minuet. They were scattered about on the short turf, twenty yards apart, nodding their heads at one another, and presently two would run out and perform the figure which in a country dance is known as "cross over and back to places," all the while uttering a soft note of "coo—cooe,"—the last syllable being much elongated. Then would follow "salute your partners" and "*dos a dos.*" This scene of merriment was sustained for half an hour and until a shot from a neighboring gun caused the birds to run into the tall cover of the reeds. The bright sunshine of Autumn and the conspicuous group of native birds impressed the scene vividly on the spectator's mind. A neighboring farmer to whom the circumstance was mentioned, said: "Yes, them same birds skye around there mostly every day." The other varieties of prairie grouse indulge in the same kind of amusements.

Such is Life.

He was a singularly grave man, even for a sexton. For nearly a half century he had been a public functionary—had performed the conspicuous duties of a sexton; yet no one had ever seen him smile. Occasionally he joked, but he did it in such a funereal manner that no one could accuse him of levity. One day he was standing on the church steps wiping his melancholy features with a red bandanna. A hearse stood near and three or four carriages were drawn up behind it. The notes of the organ floated out of the windows with solemn effect. A stranger came along and said:

"Funeral?"

And the old sexton gravely bowed his head—it was.

"Who's dead?"

The old man again wiped his brow and gave the name of the deceased.

"What complaint?" asked the inquisitive stranger.

Solemnly placing his bandanna in his hat and covering his bald head, the old sexton made answer:

"There is no complaint; everbody is entirely satisfied."

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, JULY 31, 1877.

Railroads and Demagogues.

Certain demagogues of the democratic persuasion having hastened to "improve" the great railroad strike as political capital, the Dayton (Ohio) *Journal* is moved to mention the following facts:

"The Baltimore & Ohio road is under John W. Garret's administration. He is a democrat.

The Pennsylvania road is managed by Colonel Tom Scott. He is a democrat, who was nominated for President by the Cincinnati *Enquirer*.

The Erie road is under the management of Hon. Hugh J. Jewitt, an Ohio democrat.

The New York Central is controlled by W. H. Vanderbilt, who is a democrat.

The Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton, the Short-line, and the Dayton & Michigan roads are under the control of Mr. Shoemaker, a prominent democrat."

The *Journal* says it "is not responsible for raising this issue, but if the question is to be dragged into politics, let the truth be told." The fact is that politics had nothing to do with the strike,—that is, neither the republican nor democratic parties, as organizations, were responsible for it. The organs of both parties have been almost unanimous in denouncing lawlessness and demanding the suppression of the insurrection, and the few disreputable exceptions have been mightily disciplined by their party press as well as by their opponents. That the four great trunk lines between the East and West,—including the Baltimore & Ohio, on which the strike commenced,—all happen to be managed by democrats, may not show that the democratic party is responsible for the strike, but it does show that the republican party is not; and only the most unscrupulous and dangerous of demagogues would attempt to use the strike as political capital at a time when the commercial and industrial interests of half the Union are prostrate under the feet of lawless mobs.

The question of what causes, near or remote, led to the disastrous strike; of how the injury done to business and labor can best be remedied; and of what measures of precaution shall be taken against similar troubles in the future, must be discussed calmly and honestly, and from a much higher moral plane than that on which the mere partisan politician stands, if any good is to come from the great convulsion through which half a score of States have passed or are passing.

The Communist Insurrection.

Monday morning's reports show that the strike is steadily waning. On Saturday four trains arrived at Pittsburg, with troops under Gov. Hartranft in person. The troops comprised Gen. Brinton's Philadelphia Division, Gen. Gallagher's Division, Gen. Harry White's Division, and three batteries of regulars. The most serious trouble en route was at Johnstown, where the strikers had laid a trap to wreck the second train, and did wreck it, but did not succeed in killing the soldiers, who disembarked and caught one hundred of the ruffians. The first train presented a formidable appearance. In front of the two engines was a gondola car, on which was mounted a Gatling gun, defended by a detachment of State Fencibles. The engineers and firemen on the locomotives were under a strong guard, the soldiers having orders to shoot them if there as the slightest hesitation in discharging their duties. The strikers who were compelled to run the trains were sullen and disposed to offer resistance, but with death staring them in the face they reluctantly yielded. Various minor outrages are reported from various places, but nothing serious. Gov. Cullom of Missouri announced that he had 10,000 men to enforce the law, and would call for 10,000 more if necessary to put down violence; but the indications are that the troubles in that State are mainly over. No further trouble has arisen in Chicago; nineteen deaths have occurred among the rioters of Thursday, and many more are badly wounded. The only serious trouble reported on Sunday was in the coal districts of Pennsylvania, where the miners are striking and destroying property. The reserve police in New York city were dismissed on Sunday.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 27.

"All quiet on the Potomac" and Southward, and likely to remain so. The cheerful feeling noticeable here twenty-four hours ago is somewhat less on account of the unfavorable intelligence reaching us from Chicago, St. Louis and San Francisco this morning. It appears to still be the belief about the Executive Mansion and the Departments, that we have passed the crisis of immediate danger. The epidemic has now swept entirely across the continent and many cities will bear for months the scars of the incendiary's torch; much property has been otherwise sacrificed while the loss of life in a few instances has been terrible; but all points first infected are tranquil, and excepting the three mentioned, there is comparative quiet. Work has been resumed at some of the great manufacturing establishments and trains are again running on some of the roads, although the movement of freight is far from general and that of passenger trains only partial. Still, considering the almost universal tumult and panic of last Sunday, the situation is regarded as very hopeful. A well known member of the St. George's society was yesterday at the State Department, urging arbitration; and Mr. Evarts is represented as saying that the plan had his hearty concurrence, and so far as I am able to learn, that method of settlement has the approval of many more here than a majority, to supplement the work of the military after the mobs shall have been dispersed and men shall have been impressed to the point of conviction that a peaceable adjustment of all difficulties is far preferable to any attempt to redress wrongs through violence and revolution. Many of the problems with which Congress will have to deal, growing out of the present disturbance, will be of a novel character, and will call for an exercise of wisdom not usually included as among the possessions of the average Congressman. It ought to be able to decide as to the validity of the charge now so generally made against capital; and as the supreme authority in law—making it—should be able to find an early and an effectual remedy for all abuses found existing.

I think it is entirely safe to predict that the friends of the abolition or reduction of the army will find themselves in a decided minority, judging from what is heard here and from the change of sentiment indicated through the press. The collapse of State and municipal authority in the presence of a great danger; the lesson taught of the inefficiency and unreliability of State militia and constabulary in an emergency like the present, and liable to occur at any time; the present depressing effect had on the rioters by Federal troops as soon as their presence was known, are a few of the many influences that have operated to popularize the idea of a central Government sufficiently strong to protect its citizens, at the expense of State rights heresies; and the logic of the riotous events are more fatal to the fine spun theories of democratic statesmen, than all the Congressional and other speakers uttered since the foundation of the Government, in opposition. The frantic appeals of democratic Governors for Federal protection against the very masses they had taught to oppose such interference as revolutionary and subversive of the very foundations of good government, must prove the most potential weapon against them in the future; and they are reminded that the loss of life at Elleuton and Hamburg was greater than all those sacrificed at Baltimore and in West Virginia. The call for troops to prevent a recurrence of the two former was denounced as an outrage, almost justifying the inauguration of another rebellion; while in the case of the rioters hardly sufficient time was allowed to test the ability of the State forces before the National authorities were implored to save the communities concerned from the wrath of the mobs.

But there is a general agreement that new problems of a politico-social character have been precipitated by the strikers which it will not be safe to ignore. Arbitration is the plan most generally favored to supplement the work of the military. With such a wide spread insurrection against capital, it cannot be longer denied that a real hostility to it exists which has been aggravated and rendered less amenable to reason by canning demagogues for selfish purposes, and if it has no foundation in fact, Congress ought to be able to show it conclusively. If, on the contrary, it is well founded, relief and redress should be prompt and effectual. Such is about the line of argument heard here.

To those who have taken time to consider the action of the British Government in its late movement of troops, the conclusion is almost irresistible that it portends armed intervention in the Turk's behalf at no distant day. The Ministry is charged with prevarication and duplicity in its pretended explanation of the active military preparations now making. Even the friends of the Government are obliged to admit that its reply was evasive and susceptible of many different constructions.

Mexican matters have become somewhat confused, but it does not appear that the Diaz Government is anxious to provoke hostilities; and it hastens to express its gratification at the action of our authorities in arresting Escabedo and other Lerdo leaders, preparing to cross the Rio Grande with hostile intent.

Some impatience is expressed at the alleged indecision of the State Department in forcing Spain to declare its purposes in the late outrages against the *Ellen Rispah* and the *Rising Sun*, but we shall probably know all in good time. KNOX.

News and Notes.

The men who talk about the hardship of reduced wages and the title of the strikers to public sympathy, take only a half-view of the case. If there is to be any demonstration of public or private sympathy in this matter, let it go out toward the poor fellows who are out of work and looking for employment at any wages, rather than toward those who stand with clubs and brick-bats and pistols between them and a fair chance. Let it be kept constantly in mind that the meaning of all these violent outbreaks is simply that the few hundreds of men who have good places and have good pay may retain their old places and their old pay, while the thousands out of work shall continue to have neither place nor pay, and be left to starve. That is the sufficient answer to all attempts to justify this movement. If public sympathy is to regulate this matter, let that sympathy be exercised in the direction of the thousands of unemployed who are willing to work and violently hindered from it.—*Tribune.*

They have some very funny jokers in New Haven. A weak-minded woman who had been allowed to leave the almshouse applied to the Town Agent's office for a pass to go to New York. At first she was given a recommendation for a liquor license, but she would not take it, and finally she was given a piece of paper on which was written "pass her along—Mrs. Tom Collins."

"Citizen" Swinton was one of the principal orators at the Tompkin's square mass meeting of communists in New York, and improved the occasion to puff the New York *Sun* and commend that paper to the workingmen. Citizen Swinton is one of the *Sun's* editorial staff.

The Boston base ball club, after being all the season at the head of the list for the championship, has dropped to the third position, the Louisville and St. Louis clubs being now ahead of the Bostons.

The American flag has been hoisted at Samoa and allegiance formally tendered to the United States.

The Chicago *Inter-Ocean* remarks: "If a man driving on the highway in his buggy was stopped, and the buggy was taken from him, it would be a violation of the law. If the buggy was a freight train, what then? The public seems to have been a little confused on this point within the last few days."

The Boston & Albany Railroad is experimenting with a noiseless air brake, the invention of E. W. Pratt, formerly a brakeman on that road.

"Pearson Pasha" is what they call the blood-thirsty Pittsburger now.

Flour has gone up a dollar a barrel, beef and pork and other provisions have also increased in price. Thus, observes the Chicago *Times*, does a mob improve the condition of the poor.

The Richmond *Despatch*, the most influential democratic paper in Virginia, advocates in strong terms an increase in the regular army, which, it says, is too small for even guard duty.

There were several employers in New York who discharged men in their employ for turning out as members of the National Guard to quell the riots; and these employers are promptly receiving their reward. Their names and addresses are being published, with the suggestion that they be remembered in case of any riot in New York city, and carefully avoided by good citizens who may be called out to protect property.

Several county clerks in Indiana announce that they will grant no marriage licences to minors, without the written consent of parents or guardians. This action is due to a great number of elopements in that region lately.

Commodore Swift, on the retired list of the navy, died at Geneva, N. Y. Monday.

At Savoy, Mass., on Sunday, a young man named Herbert Blanchard, who has been courting a young girl named Trask, his attentions being opposed by the girl's father, shot the father and his brother dead in the midst of the people assembled at church, and then attempted to shoot a young lady who told him he had done shooting enough. The people were so paralyzed with horror that they allowed the assassin to escape.

Gen. Baxter, of Rutland, Vt., was robbed of property to the amount of $1500 at Old Orchard Beach, Me., Monday morning.

The barn of John Parsons, at Cape Neddick, Me., was burned late Saturday night, with its contents. Loss $400.

Twenty-five tramps, who have been lodging in empty ice-cars at Cambridge, Mass., for months, and stealing from stores and gardens, were captured by the police Sunday morning.

Jedediah Merrill, of Waterville, Me., committed suicide by hanging on Saturday. His brother, Winthrop Merrill, committed suicide last spring. Cause, financial troubles.

A son of Hon. Israel Washburne, Ex-Governor of Maine, was drowned at Scarborough on Saturday.

A Solace for the Aged.

In the decline of life, as the vigor of the system wanes, and infirmities attack it to which in early life it was a stranger, the use of a safe medicinal stimulant is highly advisable. Nothing, as experience shows, is so admirably adapted to the wants of old people as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It is a real solace to the aged, and the best safeguard they can possibly use against the complaints to which they are peculiarly liable. It invigorates the body and cheers the mind, is pure, agreeable and effective. Rheumatism, lumbago and gout are more frequently developed in age than in youth or middle life. Hostetter's Bitters are an excellent remedy for those painful disorders, and also fortify the system against them. They never create undue excitement, are gentle in their action, and are infinitely purer than the unmedicated stimulants of commerce.

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It seems very strange that there should be such general complaint heard everywhere as to the hardness of the times and the scarcity of money—gold, silver, or paper—when one remembers that about the first of every month, Generals P. T. Beauregard and Jubal Early, as the commissioners of the Louisiana State Lottery Company, give away hundreds of thousands of dollars. Write to M. A. Dauphin, Box 692, New Orleans, La.

To save time is to lengthen life. Why will you waste time when you have a severe cold or hacking cough, or even suffering from the destroyer, Consumption, hunting for a remedy, when you can obtain instant relief by using Dr. A. J. Flagg's Cough and Lung Syrup. Even the worst cases have been cured. Ask your druggist for it.

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New Hampshire Items.

The house of Peter Carley of Peterboro was entered on Friday evening and a writing desk, belonging to his daughter, was stolen. The desk contained a bank book, valuable shawl-pin and chain, a gold pin and pencil and $20 in cash.

At a special meeting of the School Board of Nashua, E. B. Powers of Wareham, Mass., was elected Principal of the High School in place of Mr. Kingsley, who resigned on account of his health.

One hundred thousand shad were put into the Winnipiseogee river, one and one-half miles above the village of Tilton, July 24th by Fish Commissioners Webber and Powers. They were obtained from the United States hatching station at South Hadley Falls.

The State Temperance camp meeting will be holden at Weir's camp ground, September 4, 5 and 6. Active preparations are being made, and a great degree of interest felt in the meeting. Among others who will positively be present are John B. Gough, Hon. Henry W. Blair, Gen. L. W. Clark, Hon. Natt Head, Gen. A. F. Stevens, J. N. Sears of New York, Mrs. Youmans of Prince Edward Island, and John W. Drew of Concord.

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Check-List Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECK-LISTS give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Tuesday, July 24th, Tuesday, July 31st, and Saturday, August 4th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 6 to 10 o'clock A. M., and from 1 to 2 P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Check-Lists.

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH.

WARD ONE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said county, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

GREETING: You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Ward Room on Austin Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the ollowing purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

GREETING: You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Court House on Court Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this 21st day of July, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest.
NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

GREETING: You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Office of Jacob Haddock on Islington street, near the Creek in said Ward, on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot one Alderman, two Members of the Common Council one Assessor of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest.
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants or Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

GREETING: You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot two Aldermen, four Members of the Common Council, two Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT B. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest.
ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
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TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 24 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

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BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tebbetts.
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street.
For particulars apply to
WM. P. WALKER, No. 3 Market Square,
or HENRY A. TEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market Street.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.50 P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.02,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	5.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

REPUBLICAN MAYORALTY CAUCUS.

A caucus of the Republican voters of this city to nominate a CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR to be supported at the polls at the coming election, will be held at the *Court House* on Thursday, August 2d. The polls will be open from four to eight o'clock P. M. The check-list will be used. PER ORDER.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, July 30th.

Charles J. McDonald entered a complaint against Charles Foster for assault and battery, but when Foster was brought up McDonald said he was not the assailant, so of course he was discharged. William Foster, Charles Foster's brother, was then brought into court for the same offence, but McDonald did not recognize him as the assailant either, so he too was liberated. We believe the assault complained of was the same as the drunken row on Market street reported to us and referred to in another place.

THE FARRAGUT BALL.

In a very pleasant article published some weeks ago in the Portsmouth *Weekly*, and written for that paper by Mrs. Frances M. Bartlett, that lady speaks of a conversation she had with Admiral Farragut "in the summer of 1865, at the Farragut ball, given in his honor. The ball took place at the well-known Atlantic House, at Rye Beach, where he and his family were passing the summer. The house is now much enlarged and improved, under the name of The Farragut." A Rye correspondent of the *Times*, in a recent letter says: "Farragut was never here but one season, and that was before the Farragut House was built. He staid at the old Atlantic House, then leased by Mr. Lougee, the present landlord of the Sea View. I think the Admiral died before the Farragut House was built." The editor of the *Weekly* makes a note of this, and adds: "but we are very sure we saw and conversed with him [Farragut] in the new house, at the ball given in his honor." Our Rye correspondent, "Nat," in his letter published in to-day's paper, says the Admiral did stop at the Atlantic House, and that the ball was given at the *Ocean House* by the guests of the latter, the Ocean House being then new and the Farragut not built.

BELLA, HORRIDA BELLA!

Those Pittsburgh and Baltimore people need not think they are the only ones that can get up local wars, for Portsmouth had two on Monday. In the forenoon there was a conflict between an elderly lady and the hireling minions of a bloated monopoly; a gas-company gang of workmen commenced to dig a trench for laying a pipe across premises of which control is claimed by the lady, when she sallied out with a shovel and threw the earth back into the trench as fast as the men threw it out, and the daring invaders were at length obliged to retreat, leaving the trench unfinished. It is rumored that reinforcements have been called for by the gas company, and that hostilities will be renewed.

In the evening there was a skirmish between the genial President of the Workingmen's Union and a street gamin, in which the latter was ignominiously routed. The young scamp throw a big stone at the President's inoffensive dog, and hit him on the leg. This was too much—too much; and the way about 180 lbs. avoirdupois went up Warren street after the aggressor was a warning to bad boys not to assail harmless animals without provocation when their owners are around. Visions of a choice item, with glorious headlines—"Brutal conduct of a street Arab," "The aggressor utterly rubbed out," etc.,—floated before our eyes, but only for a moment; the President is too full-chested in the region of the waistband to run well, and the boy went like a locomotive in the delirium tremens, and was out of sight in less than a minute. But the boy's name was procured, and if he isn't brought before the Police Court for throwing stones in the streets and cruelty to animals,—then he's lucky, that's all.

JOTTINGS.

There was a knock-down between two partially drunken men in front of the Union store on Market street at about one o'clock Sunday afternoon. One of the combatants received a sanguinary nose and had several teeth knocked out.

The police report another attempt to burn the old Ham house at the Creek, Sunday night. Two officers discovered the fire before it got fairly under way, and extinguished it without giving an alarm.

Gospel Temperence Meeting in the Court street Christian Church this (Tuesday) evening at 7:45 o'clock. An account of the arrest and imprisonment of Mr. Wolfe in the Newburyport jail will be read, as published by himself in the *Word of Truth*. It is one of the most thrilling experiences with the demon rum on record. All are invited.

Number five of the *Monthly Reader*, published by John S. Shorey of Boston at fifty cents per year, is out, and is as beautifully illustrated and as well calculated to interest juvenile learners as the previous numbers.

Sheriff Kent on Monday dug up an early rose potato weighing one pound four ounces, grown in his garden at the jail. He has corn nine feet high growing in the same garden.

[Communicated.]

"ALL THE WORLD, AND THE REST OF MANKIND."

Mr. Editor: I cannot find in either of General Taylor's Presidential messages, such language as the Portsmouth *Weekly* attributes to him, while denying, as well as the writer, that he ever used the above "silly phrase." In the message as given in the Portsmouth *Journal* of that time, which was printed from first copies of the message furnished at once to the press, it reads simply, with nothing following it in the sentence, "We are at peace with all the world." B.

[Communicated.]

MUDDY CROSS-WALKS.

In the large cities the water is stopped while the sprinkling carts are passing over the cross-walks, thus preventing a conversion into mud of the dust gathered upon them. Why may not the same practice prevail here, and thus save the public, the feminine portion especially, from a great annoyance that is daily complained of? Will whoever has the power to regulate this matter, by doing so, greatly oblige MANY?

RYE LETTER.

Rye, July 30th.

As there appears to be considerable misunderstanding in regard to the celebrated "Farragut Ball" at Rye Beach, perhaps the recollections of one who was there may convince those in doubt as to the real facts in the case. The ball took place at the *Ocean House*, some time in August, 1865. The "Farragut House" was not then in existence. The Admiral was at the time boarding at the Atlantic House, then under the management of Mr. Lougee, now of the Sea View House. The new Ocean House (since destroyed by fire, as was the old one) was opened that year, and the ball was gotten up by the guests at that popular resort in honor of the gallant sailor. The writer of this was there at the time, and is reasonably sure that his memory is not at fault in regard to the "Farragut Ball at Rye Beach." As to the dispute about the Admiral's being lashed to the mast, the writer knows nothing, except what he has read in the papers, he not having had the honor of a personal interview.

The bell for "St. Andrew's by the Sea" (perhaps it may be news to some folks that there is such a church) is rung every Sunday, although for some reason or other it is not yet placed in position in the tower, but is rigged so as to send forth its notes, on the ground in front of the chapel.

A plank walk has been laid the whole length of the Sea road. The new road to the beach has been christened "Beach street" and a sign put up accordingly.

There is talk of a new hotel at or near Foss' Beach.

The accommodations for 3000 boarders (vide correspondent Boston *Post*) are not yet fully filled; and when there is that number of guests on the New Hampshire sea coast, times will probably be better than they are just at present, and there will have to be more houses put up. What is the use of so much exaggeration?

As a general thing, business so far has not been up to the standard heretofore, but a hot August may make amends. NAT.

The first Paris order for American silks has been received at Paterson, N. J., and if it is satisfactorily filled a considerable trade in this special line of goods is anticipated by the Paterson manufacturers. At any rate, the order is significant, as it indicates an appreciation of the more delicate fabrics made here, in those circles where they are the most critical; and with reasonable progress in this line the American manufacturers may find steady markets in Europe as well as in America.

Major-Gen. Pearson, who figured in Pittsburg as commander of the militia, is a brother to the negro minstrel known as W. P. Collins. It is rumored that Gen. Pearson will also go on the stage, taking Capt. Bobadil and Major de Boots as his favorite characters.

—The Paris papers tell of an exquisite in that city who bought a hat from each of the two leading hatters of Paris and changed the linings. He called casually at the shop of one and asked to have his hat ironed. "Good heavens, sir!" exclaimed the artist, "how can you possibly wear such an abomination! Only look at it closely! It is an old hat vamped up, I assure you!" He went home, changed his hat and called on the second. "I should be sorry to injure a colleague," said the second hatter sarcastically, "but really, if a salesman at my shop were to offer a customer such a wretched object as this I should dismiss him instantly!"

—The proprietor of the Occidental Hotel in San Francisco said publicly that no bills would be presented to army officers by him until Congress made an appropriation for their pay. The consequence is said to be that an astonishing number of guests registered there with prefixes of "Col.," "Maj.," "Capt.," or "Lieut."

—There was not much difference in the character of the riots east and west. In San Francisco they were anti-Celestial, and in Pittsburg simply infernal.

—Lawyer: "How do you identify this handkerchief?" Witness: "By its general appearance, and the fact that I have others like it." Lawyer: "That's no proof, for I have one just like it in my pocket." Witness: "I don't doubt that. I had more than one of the same sort stolen."

—They had a strike up at Mr. Middleribb's last night, says the *Hawkeye*. The baby struck for six hours' walking every night, instead of four, which it has been getting. The family at first refused to accede to this preposterous and unreasonable demand, but the baby being a monopoly, there being no others to supply the place of the striker, it was able to enforce its demands, as all sleep was shut off until a settlement was effected. The only show of violence was the threat, on the part of the baby, to make it warm for the household when it was about four years older and the green apple time came around.

MARRIED.

SMITH—DARLING. In Boston, July 28, Mr. D. D. Smith of this city, and Miss Abbie Darling of Newton Highlands, Mass.

STRICKLAND—JENKINS. In this city, July 29th, by Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D., Mr. Peter Strickland, of Newburyport, Mass., and Miss Emma Jenkins of Portsmouth.

DIED.

SUGHRUE. In this city, July 28, Mr. Thomas Sughrue, aged 20 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Barque Antioch, Hemingway, for Cebu, to load for United States, at Hong Kong June 19. [Advices from Manila, May 28, say the Antioch began to leak on the 17th of May, after having taken in about 250 tons of sugar for New York. All efforts to find the position of the leak after discharging the cargo proved unavailing, and as there are no docking facilities there it was decided to send the vessel to Hong Kong for repairs.

Sch H B Gibson, Dow, Hoboken for Narragansett Pier, ar at New port July 17.

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TO THE BANK COMMISSIONERS OF THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

CONDITION OF THE

Portsmouth Savings Bank,

of Portsmouth, in the County of Rockingham, on the third day of July, 1877.

STATEMENT.

Liabilities.

Due depositors,	$2,579,760 09	
Surplus earnings undivided,	2,220 00	
Guaranty Fund,	35,560 38	
Premium on Stocks & Bonds,	66,226 75	
		$2,673,765 32

Resources.	Market Value.	Value on Book.
Loans on Real Estate,	$542,550 18	$542,550 18
Loans on Personal Security,	59,826 94	59,826 94
Loans on Collateral Security,	95,668 66	95,668 66
U. S. Bonds,	188,805 50	178,948 10
Bank Stock,	25,200 00	25,481 74
Railroad Stock,		
Railroad Bonds,	29,950 00	29,970 00
Loans to State, Counties, and Towns,	1,641,715 00	1,587,388 [illegible]
Other Investments,		
Real Estate,	21,750 00	20,500 00
Bank Fixtures,		
Cash,	68,299 94	68,299 94
	$2,673,765 32	$2,607,328 56

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., July 30, 1877.

We, the undersigned Trustees of the Portsmouth Savings Bank, do solemnly and severally swear that we have made a thorough examination of its affairs, and that the foregoing statement by us made is true, according to the best of our knowledge and belief. So help me God.

CHARLES ROBINSON,
JOHN KNOWLTON.

Personally appearing, the above named CHARLES ROBINSON and JOHN KNOWLTON made oath to the foregoing statement. Before me,

WM. H. ROLLINS, Justice of the Peace.

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On FRIDAY, August 3, 1877,

At twelve o'clock, M.,

On the premises, the HOMESTEAD of J. C. CARR, situate Number 95 State Street, Portsmouth. This estate is well known as a desirable situation in one of the best neighborhoods in Portsmouth.

At half-past twelve o'clock, M.,

On the same day will be sold, on the premises, the double tenement HOUSE and LAND Number 25 Gates Street.

At one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold on the premises, four LOTS OF LAND on Lincoln Avenue, containing about five thousand feet each; these lots are in a desirable locality, and well worth the attention of buyers.

At half-past one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then designated.

At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 3 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 95 State street.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

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Daily Chronicle.

—Lady Z. intended shortly to give a series of strawberry-and-cream garden parties in the country. Here is a copy of her letter to her factotum: "Tell the gardener to begin growing strawberries immediately, and mind and don't have the cows milked until we come down."

—A lady in the suite of the Princess of Wales, when that lady and her husband visited Constantinople, speaks of a dinner with the Sultan as being very good, and in European style, but as a very dull affair. It was the first time that the Sultan had ever sat at dinner with ladies, or that any of his Ministers, except the Grand Vizier, had sat in his presence. There were twenty-four at the table, twelve of whom were Turks, who looked frightened and astonished, and dared not speak.

—The editor of a rural newspaper wandered to a city the other day, and dropped into a church while the Sunday school services were in progress. He fell asleep, and woke to find a child's paper on his lap. With the true journalistic instinct he picked it up, and had read through a column and a half of assorted Bible texts when the officiating minister lighted on him, and, laying a patronizing hand on his shoulder, inquired how he liked it. "First-rate," was the reply, "and I'm glad to see you credit. But where did you strike your exchange list?"

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	106½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
United States Ten-Forties, coupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine State 6s, 1889	110
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	105½
Eastern R. R. scrip	5½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64
Boston & Lowell R. R.	40½
Boston & Maine	58
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	113
Northern R. R.	65½
Concord	74
Eastern	21
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	43½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	87
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	2½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	70

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 20 @ 25c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 80c.
Meal, Ambrosia per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 17c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., H. Cuba 45 @ 65c; New Orleans 80
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80 @ 100
Pork per bbl., $15.50 @ $25.50
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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind; nor any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 10. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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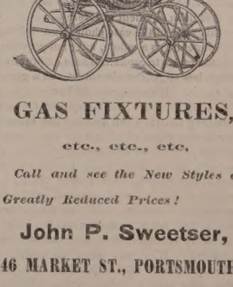

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The funds which were placed in the hands of Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. They, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that they are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

"The Odorous Piney Woods."

These words caught our eyes as we were lazily glancing through *The North and West Illustrated*, and they caused us to long for a trip to the home of the "piney woods." Without much thought as to where we should stop, we took our start from the good city of Louisville, Ky., and soon found ourselves at Chicago. There we found but one route that could give us what we were looking for, and found that to be the new Chicago, St. Paul & Minneapolis Line, that led through prairie and meadow, through hill and valley, along great lakes and streams, and finally through the depths of the pine forests of Wisconsin, and so on to St. Paul and Minneapolis. Buying our tickets we started and left the Canal and Kinzie streets depot of the Chicago and North-Western Railway, and passed through many pleasant villages, such as Irving Park, Desplaines, Barrington, Crystal Lake and Woodstock, and reached Harvard, thence to Beloit, Hanover, and Madison, where we are 140 miles from Chicago, and at the capital of Wisconsin, a city of over fifteen thousand people.

The city is pleasantly situated on an isthmus about three-fourths of a mile wide, between lakes Mendota and Monona, in the centre of a broad valley, surrounded by heights from which it can be seen at a distance of several miles. Lake Mendota lies northwest of the town, is six miles long and four miles wide, with clean gravelly shores, and a depth sufficient for the navigation of steamboats. Lake Monona is somewhat smaller.

At 176 miles from Chicago, and 36 miles from Madison, we reached the celebrated Devil's Lake. This is a beautiful body of water, surrounded by precipitous mountains on every side, except at two points, one being at the southern end, where the railroad enters the lake basin, and the other at the northern end, where the railroad finds exit from the basin of the lake. On every side of the lake you see "rock piled on rock" in every conceivable form, and in immense columns, pillars, piles and masses of very great magnitude and height. The railroad runs along the shore of the lake on a bed that was literally blasted out of the sides of the mountain. From the car window all the beauties of this wonderful and weirdly mysterious region can readily be seen. This was the home of Minnawaukene, a beautiful but unfortunate Indian maiden, and many legends are related of her by the simple hearted and kindly people of the vicinity. This lake is a favorite summer resort, and to it the people for many miles around come for picnicing, sailing, boating, fishing, and other sports.

At Baraboo you reach the Baraboo river, and from thence pass along its valley for many miles.

At Elroy you are 212 miles from Chicago, and at the southern terminus of the Wisconsin Railway. From Elroy you hasten northward on the new and admirable track of the West Wisconsin road, and soon reach the great pine woods, which have rendered Wisconsin celebrated the world over. Into the heart of the pine lumber region you speed, passing through Black River Falls, Humbird, Augusta, Eau Claire, Menomonee, and other "lumber" towns, and finally cross the River St. Croix at Hudson. This river is the dividing line between Wisconsin and Minnesota. A few miles beyond, you reach a branch to Stillwater, a flourishing town on the St. Croix river. A fifteen mile ride brings you to St. Paul, and here you rest, or push on eleven miles further to the active, bustling cities of Minneapolis and St. Anthony.

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On the line we have hastily sketched, you have a variety of scenery—the quiet, beautiful prairie country of North-eastern Illinois; the rolling farming country of Southern Wisconsin; the wildly romantic mountain scenery of the Devil's Lake country; the breezy, odorous "piney woods," with their busy mills, active towns, and numerous logging camps; and the charming river country of the St. Croix valley. A greater diversity of country cannot be found anywhere in a journey of the same length. You will find comfortable, cleanly and commodious dining stations and hotels along the line, at which ample time is given for all meals.

One management controls the route, and Pullman Palace Sleepers run through to Minneapolis via St. Paul. It will be seen that this line runs nearly due north-west from Chicago to St. Paul, and is but a few miles longer than an air line, and it is the shortest practical route over which a railroad line can be built between these points. This assures the passenger the quickest time that can be made. No other route is now or can be made as direct.

We are now settled down by a quiet brook where we daily pull from the "vasty deep" the speckled beauties we have heard so much about.—*The Courier.*

—The scions of the richest and most fashionable sojourners at Saratoga no longer smoke cigarettes. Every gentleman who smokes there uses a good cigar, and those who cannot afford that luxury, if any there be, give up smoking altogether.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1, 1877.

The Communist Insurrection.

The reports from all quarters, on Tuesday, indicated the steady decrease of disorders, most of the railroads all over the Union being now moving freight. At Columbus, Ohio, a mob held possession and refused to allow trains to run, but no property was destroyed by them; few if any railroad men were in the mob. Gov. Young ordered the militia to Columbus. Gen. Hancock notified the War Department that the strike in Pennsylvania is virtually ended. Minor outrages, such as the burning of buildings and flooding of mines by striking miners in Pennsylvania, and the compelling of workmen to leave their work by mobs, are reported; but the commune has not broken out seriously in any fresh place, and the striking railroad men almost everywhere have returned to work. Arrests of leading rioters continue; David McConnell was on Monday committed without bail in Philadelphia, to answer to a charge of arson in setting fire to a train of oil-cars on the 23d ult.

News and Notes.

Herbert Blanchard, who murdered the father and uncle of a young girl he had been courting, at Savoy, Mass., on Sunday, was arrested and lodged in jail at South Readfield, Vt., Monday morning.

One P. J. McGuire addressed a meeting of 2500 persons at New Haven on Monday evening, on behalf of the workingmen. The blathering lunatic publicly challenged the editor of the *Palladium*—who was not present—to personal combat, and loudly bewailed the execution of the "poor Molly Maguires." The idiot failed to get up any trouble, the meeting being quite orderly. The authorities had made ample preparations to put down any ruffianism that might be attempted.

A cow wrecked a passenger train near Wilmington, Del., and sixteen persons were injured.

The Neshobe river overflowed on Monday at Brandon, Vt., owing to heavy rains, and did much damage to streets, buildings and crops; but no lives were lost.

Some motion of the vastness of the railroad strike may be obtained from a statement of the number of men employed by the great trunk lines. The figures are from trustworthy sources. The New York Central and Hudson River employs 45,000 men; the Lake Shore and Michigan Central, 10,000; the Erie, 15,500; the Baltimore and Ohio, main and leased lines, 16,000, and the Pennsylvania, with its leaseholds, 27,500.

A short time ago it was announced that there were 12,000 people in prison in England awaiting trial. Of these 7000 had been detained more than a month, 3000 over two months and nearly a thousand over three months. Justice may be tolerably sure over there, but it isn't in much of a hurry, and some of the less conservative think Magna Charta needs overhauling.

Hon. Thomas H. Reed, Representative from the First Congressional District of Maine, is visiting at Old York, and has taken rooms at the Moody House, Long Beach.

The reduction of wages on the great Pennsylvania railroad may have been a prudential step in view of a prospective shrinkage in business and earnings, but the past condition of the road certainly warranted no reduction. On the first of January last this corporation had a surplus of ten millions of dollars. After paying all its expenses last year, including taxes, interest and an eight per cent. dividend, it had a surplus from the year's earnings of three and a half millions of dollar. The manager of this overgrown and despotic corporation wants Congress to subsidize the Southern Pacific, in order that he may have a new railroad empire to control. It will take a bold Congressman to stand up and support such a scheme next winter.

There should be taken steps to disgrace all militia-men who, like those of Norristown, Pa., fraternized with the mob they were called out to quell. Such organizations as this, or as the two Pittsburgh regiments, should be drummed out of the National Guard to the music of the "Rogue's March." A soldier should have no sympathies that interfere with his duty. "You wouldn't fire on your brother, would you?" asked anxiously a Dublin Fenian of an Irish regular. "Begorra, I would if the colonel told me to," was the reply. There was no necessity to call out the military.—*N. Y. World.*

The rifle team of the United Kingdom will sail for this country about the middle of August, and the excitement will grow from this time on. The Americans, at this writing, are the more confident, or rather in the best spirits; but the contest is too far ahead, and trifles light as air have such an influence in deciding the result that neither side can afford to boast much till it has examined the final score.

A New Mexico journal tells this anecdote of Major Tom Ochiltree: "On one occasion he was in England, a guest of a nobleman who had come in contact with him during a visit to this country, and who had fallen an easy victim to Tom's unsurpassed impudence and powers of fascination. The Englishman had taken Tom to London and was exhibiting him to his friends as a genuine American lion. Tom was plentifully supplied with funds by his noble friend, and was cutting a grand figure. One day Tom and his friend met the Prince of Wales at a club. The nobleman asked permission of the Prince to introduce his American friend. Leave having been obtained, Tom was formally introduced to the heir apparent. He grasped the royal hand and shook it heartily, and then burst out, 'Wales, old fellow, I'm devilish glad to know you; let's take a drink!' The horror of the nobleman was changed to amazement when the Prince gave Tom's hand a hearty shake, and replied, 'Don't care if I do.' Cheek carried the day."

The Eastern War.

The Russians have been several times repulsed at Plevna; the Turks claim to have captured an entire train of artillery and many prisoners on Saturday, but a later report says the Russians again attacked and gained considerable ground. Despatches say an important engagement was fought on Sunday, near Rustchuk, between the Czarowitch and Ahmed Eyroub Pasha. The Turkish force is said to have been defeated with a loss of 30 guns, ten standards and 5000 prisoners. Later official despatches confirm the foregoing, the number of Turkish prisoners being given at 8000. Ahmed Eyroub's army is stated to have been completely routed. A despatch from Constantinople states that a panic prevails. It is generally believed that the Sultan will shortly leave for Broussa unless the Turkish success makes his position more secure, in which case a massacre of all foreigners in the city by the Mohammedan fanatics is considered probable. Great numbers of European residents are leaving. The steamer for Trieste, Friday, took 250 passengers. All the berths are already taken aboard the French and Italian steamers sailing this week.

There is no news of note from Asia Minor. Hobart Pasha's fleet has arrived at Batoum.

Railway Profits.

It is an error to suppose that the profits of capital invested in railways, as a whole, are disproportionate to the wages of operatives. A few facts from Poor's Manual of Railroads will show this. Below we have tabulated from its last edition a statement exhibiting the number of companies in each State, and how many of them earned dividends the last year. It is as follows:

	Number of Companies.	Earning Dividends.
Maine	13	5
New Hampshire	13	8
Vermont	12	6
Massachusetts	47	29
Rhode Island	10	3
Connecticut	21	8
New York	71	20
New Jersey	32	20
Pennsylvania	78	33
Delaware	7	3
Maryland	20	3
West Virginia	1	1
Ohio	53	17
Michigan	34	5
Indiana	35	3
Illinois	32	7
Wisconsin	18	1
Minnesota	15	1
Iowa	31	6
Kansas	16	8
Nebraska	8	0
Missouri	23	8
Utah	3	0
Dakota	2	0
Colorado	5	0
Virginia	20	4
North Carolina	12	2
South Carolina	12	0
Georgia	21	6
Florida	5	0
Alabama	17	0
Mississippi	8	0
Louisiana	6	0
Texas	7	0
Kentucky	16	2
Tennessee	19	3
Arkansas	6	0
California	8	0
Oregon	2	0
Nevada	4	0
Washington	3	0
Union Pacific	1	8
Central Pacific	1	8
	811	196

Leaving out of view the fact that many of these companies built their roads on bonds rather than in stock paid in, it appears that less than one-fourth of the railway corporations throughout the United States earned any dividend at all. Several of those which did were on preferred stock, the original having vanished. Of the small number yielding any return the rate of dividend averaged less than seven per cent. According to the same authority there has been a decrease of dividends, as compared with 1875, of $6,254,540. It should be further considered that the amount of capital invested in defaulting railroads and completely sunk out of sight is simply enormous. In the list from which the foregoing table was made up are two hundred and seventeen companies whose bonds are in default in payment of interest.

This view of the case shows that railway investments, as a whole, have not proved so remunerative to capitalists as to excite envy, much less engender discontent and a general strike. It should also be borne in mind that during all the years required for constructing railways and keeping the same in repair the wages of labor have been remunerative, for which investors never have received, and in many cases never will receive, any return. The money of such has gone for public improvements, while the operatives have been receiving the full benefit of their labor. Meanwhile the clamor for cheap transportation has become very general. Who are most interested in this question? Not capitalists, for they can take care of themselves. In this, as in most other forms of taxation, the burden falls most heavily on the consumer. The laborer wants his barrel of flour, his corn and his meats as cheap as he can get them. But how can the rates of transportation be reduced, or kept at living prices, without rigid economy in railway management? The rails will wear out and must be replaced. The rolling stock must be kept in good condition and be multiplied in proportion to an increase of business resulting from cheap transportation. The returns show, as already stated, a large reduction of profits on railroad capital. Is it unreasonable, then, to look to an equitable reduction of wages of operatives to meet a common want in which they are concerned, more especially since there is such a redundancy of laborers who would gladly serve if not improperly prevented?—*Boston Post.*

The New York *World*, in an article on "the inexcusable strike," says: "In 1873, before the panic, when the whole North and West was up in a balloon, the average monthly wages of railway engineers and firemen in Maine, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky and Missouri, as tabulated by the Chief of the United States Bureau of Statistics were as follows:

Engineers	$87.12
Firemen	$43.32

The wages of these classes in Pennsylvania in 1873 were lower considerably than in any of the other States mentioned, and yet these are the classes which now in 1877 arrogate to themselves a right to set aside the laws of the land and interfere with the comfort and the daily bread of great masses of their industrious fellow-citizens because they find it impossible to live on the following wages, which are now offered them:

Engineers, from	$83.66 to $92.78
Firemen, from	$48.03 to $51.23

How Rats Set a Steamship on Fire.

The Pacific Mail steamship Granada has arrived from Panama. A rumor was circulated that the Granada was a few days ago set on fire by the Chinese crew, but the report was ungrounded. There was a fire, however. While the ship was beating against a heavy wind and running sea about forty miles, some Chinese sailors, who were asleep in their hammocks over the forward hatch, were awakened by smoke. At the same time the watch on deck discovered dense smoke issuing from the hatch. An agile Mongol ran abaft and informed first officer Hart that the ship was on fire. Simultaneously the boatswain, also a Mongol, violently rung the fire bell. First officer Hart is afraid of fire. He has been burned out several times, and was on the Japan when that steamer was burned off the Chinese coast about two years ago. He has for years made it his habit to have the hose placed on the deck every night at eight o'clock. Rushing forward he found that the ship was indeed on fire. The captain was notified, and Hart, seizing an axe, chopped a hole in the hatch and called for a small-sized volunteer. A Chinaman, stark naked, sprang forward, and Hart ordered him to take the hose and go below and extinguish the fire. The almond-eyed tar bound a wet towel over his face and obeyed with alacrity, and Hart, who is a large man, enlarged the aperture and followed. Seven Chinamen went down after him like monkeys, and the pumps were manned. The engine was stopped, and ceasing its task of driving wheels commenced forcing water. By this time the passengers, alarmed by the unwonted tumult and the clanging fire bell, were huddled, half-naked, on the deck in panic. The women shrieked and the sterner sex felt decidedly shaky. The exploring squad below decks groped their way through the suffocating smoke to the storeroom in the forehold, where they found the fire. The pumps were already working, and in three and a half minutes more the blaze was extinguished. The origin of the fire was certainly very curious. In the storeroom was a barrel of matches in paper boxes. Rats are remarkably fond of phosphorus. This *outre* taste was the cause of the fire. It was found that rats had gnawed their way through the walls of the storeroom and into the matches, and in their nibblings at the lucifers the attrition of their teeth had ignited them and created the blaze. Insurance men state that the majority of the instances of fire by "spontaneous combustion" are really caused by rats nibbling at matches.—*San Fran. Chronicle.*

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It is a fact which became patent years ago to the people of the United States, that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a remedial agent of uncommon power. As a consequence of this recognition, its sales have increased immensely at home and abroad, and it has risen to a foremost rank among the proprietary medicines of the day. Chemical analysts, after submitting it to the closest scrutiny, pronounce it absolutely pure, and skilful and conscientious medical practitioners recommend its use. A wide range of disorders falls within the scope of its curative operation. Among them may be enumerated dyspepsia, liver complaint, constipation, nervous ailments, urinary and uterine affections, rheumatism and gout. It is a supremely efficacious tonic, hastens convalescence, cheers the mind, imparts appetite, and promotes sound sleep.

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Passengers arriving in New York by way of the Grand Central Depot will find the new and comfortable Hotel Devonshire, which is opposite the main entrance on 42d Street, the most convenient and inexpensive place to stop. It is a modern hotel, and first-class in all appointments.

The City of New Orleans has an institution called the Louisiana State Lottery Company, honestly conducted under Generals P. T. Beauregard and Jubal Early, which recalls the memory of fifty years ago, when our colleges and churches were built by lotteries. It has its next drawing August 7th, and tickets, at Two Dollars each, or any information, can be had by addressing M. A. Dauphin, President, Box 692, P. O., New Orleans, La.

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A Sagacious Mouse.

Yesterday afternoon the writer witnessed a strange sight in the *Record* office. Our attention was attracted by several lusty squeaks from the inside of a pail, almost filled with water, into which a half-grown mouse had fallen. The alarm had scarcely died away before four or five mice appeared on the scene, and began clambering to the edge of the pail. For several moments after gaining the top of the pail and catching sight of the mouse in the water, a squeaking confab was held. First one mouse and then another would cling to the rim of the bucket with his hind legs, and while almost touching the water with his nose, squeak out either consolation or advice to the immersed, but while all this was going on the swimming powers of the unfortunate mouse in the pail were rapidly giving out. At last a happy thought seemed to strike the biggest mouse in the crowd, and almost without a squeak he firmly fastened his fore feet to the edge of the pail and let his body and tail hang down. The drowning mouse saw it, and, making a desperate effort for life, swam to the spot, seized the tail of his brother mouse, and amid squeaks of delight from all the mice present was hauled high and dry out of the water and over the edge of the bucket.—*Corinne (Nev.) Record.*

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JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Check-Lists.

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH.

WARD ONE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS. To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said county, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Ward Room on Elm Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS. To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Court House on Court Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this 21st day of July, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAM'L H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAM'L H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS. To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Office of Jacob Haddock on Islington street, Corner Creek in said Ward, on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot one Alderman, two Members of the Common Council one Assessor of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS. To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L.S.) Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot two Aldermen, four Members of the Common Council, two Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT B. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.30
Portland	9.45	"	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	"	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40	"	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	5.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

REPUBLICAN MAYORALTY CAUCUS.

A caucus of the Republican voters of this city to nominate a CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR to be supported at the polls at the coming election, will be held at the *Court House* on Thursday, August 2d. The polls will be open from four to eight o'clock P. M. The check-list will be used. PER ORDER.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, July 31st.

George Jackson was proved to have been drunk, and was ordered to pay $9.90, fine and costs, failing in which he was sent to Brentwood.

Henry Hussey, a young fellow of eighteen or nineteen years of age, pleaded guilty to a charge of tapping the till of Thomas Lester's place of business, and stealing a small sum of money—some four or five dollars. He was sent to Brentwood for thirty days, and ordered to pay $6.90 costs.

JOTTINGS.

Mr. Albert Leach came near losing his life at the mill on Monday, through getting his shirt sleeve caught in a belt. A fellow workman standing near caught hold of him and managed to drag him clear, with the loss of most of his clothing. Mr. Leach was badly bruised, but had no bones broken.

Portsmouth is represented in the famous New York Seventh Regiment by 1st Lieut. George W. Rand, of the sixth company, and Messrs. Frank Ball and Fred. Hones. The *Express* says of the latter: "A quieter, lovelier disposition cannot be found; his favorite place in the armory, this week, has been in one corner of the company room, lamenting 'the girl I left behind me!'"

Mr. George E. Hanson has sold his drug stock and business to a Dover gentleman, who will take charge of the store in a few days.

The elderly lady who vanquished the gas company's laborers' gang on Monday was herself defeated on Tuesday, the gas company having hurried up reinforcements and then charged all along the line.

Stolen Kisses.

There is a class of men in this community who never let anybody else have any fun. Instead of making everybody happy around them, they make everybody miserable. One of these characters was on board the train on Saturday, coming up from the pioneer's picnic, with his young and pretty wife. They were on one of the long benches of the platform car. Alongside the wife sat a young man of festive tendencies, a peculiarity in men, young and old, not unfrequent upon the Comstock. Well, the train reached a tunnel, and in a moment everybody was in the dark. When daylight was reached again the husband saw a fragment of his wife's veil upon that young man's hat. Instead of reasoning, as a philosopher would have done, that it might be all a mistake, the suspicious husband got up and wanted to punch the other man's head and make a scene generally. The trouble finally cooled down, and everybody began to laugh at the old fellow. When presently another tunnel was reached, a mischievous young lady who sat next to the husband, quietly detached a piece of her veil and put it on his hat. As soon as the car got into daylight the other passengers began to laugh at him, and to hint that he had been browsing on forbidden pastures. Worse than all, his wife pretended to get angry, and when such audible remarks as "Who'd a thought it?" "Pity a man of his age can't behave himself," "Bald headed men are all that way," etc., went around the car, his face looked like a boiled lobster all over. When the depot was reached he was the first man off the train.—*Virginia (Nevada) Chronicle.*

Ice Water.

The Cincinnati *Commercial* has recently published a series of articles pointing out the evil effects of ice water, and condemning its use in the strongest term. In one of its articles it says:

"A man, who in a state of perspiration, with the sweat oozing from every pore in his skin, should suddenly strip off his clothing and shut himself up in a refrigerator would be set down in public estimation as a natural fool, who defied Providence itself to save him from death. Such a thing actually happened in this city a few years ago, and the man was taken out of his ice-box dead as a herring and stiff as a pike-staff. Ice water arrests digestion, if it does not absolutely drive out all animal heat, and it is not resumed till the water is raised to the temperature required to carry it on. Habitual ice water drinkers are usually very flabby about the region of the stomach. They complain that their food lies heavy on that patient organ. They taste their dinner for hours after it is bolted. They cultivate the use of stimulants to aid digestion. If they are intelligent they read up on food and what the physiologists have to say about it—how long it takes cabbage and pork and beef and potatoes and other meats and esculents to go through the process of assimilation. They roar at new bread and hot cakes and fried meat, imagining these to have been the cause of their maladies. But the ice water goes down all the same, and finally friends are called in to take a farewell look at one whom a mysterious Providence has called to a clime where, so far as is known, ice water is not used. The number of immortal beings who go hence to return no more on account of an injudicious use of ice water can hardly be estimated."

The article proceeds to show that in numberless cases fine teeth are totally destroyed by its use. It chills the teeth and cracks the enamel, then follows rapid decay and frequent visits to the office of the dentist. In conclusion the article says:

"These remarks seem to be necessary, because ice is abundant and cheap this year, and the water drinkers are increasing in numbers, through the missionary efforts of the disciples of Francis Murphy. There is no objection, certainly, to the exclusive use of water, if taken as the Creator intended it should be. It is the excessive use of water, reduced below its average temperature with ice, that is to be condemned. It is an abuse of the stomach to use it, as it is an abuse of the stomach to put into it fluids that inflame its coatings and finally eat them away. We must put ice water and whiskey into the same *index expurgatorius.* They should be banished from all private tables and banqueting halls, or used only to preserve articles of food in pickle or in the refrigerators."

A Vindication of the Electoral Commission.

If there were to-day a real conflict of authority at Washington there would be absolutely no power in the country to deal with an insurrection which had got beyond the control of the States. The troops detached if any troops could be detached, to put down a mob themselves be regarded by half the people they were sent to protect as no better than a mob. The country would be in a state of anarchy, and no authority within its limits would be in a condition to put down even the most trivial and contemptible riot. It was to avoid precisely this state of things that many eminent democrats, such statesmen as Senator Bayard and Senator Thurman among them, consented to the plan of the Electoral Commission. They were probably as well aware as other people that the commission, if not unconstitutional, was extra constitutional. They may even have looked upon it in some sense as a revolutionary measure and still have supported it, seeing in it a prevention, and the only sure prevention, of other measures certainly not less revolutionary and directly menacing to the peace of the country which the Electoral Commission promised to preserve, and which in fact was preserved, under it.

As the *World* not only disagreed with them at that time, but expressed its disagreement plainly and earnestly, we conceive ourselves to have a right to speak on the subject more emphatically now than others who held their peace while the matter was debating, only to whine over the result afterward. It is due to these distinguished democrats to say now that, in the light of what is now happening in the North and West, their attitude at the close of the Presidential contest commends them to the respect of all good men of all parties. Let us suppose that neither the Electoral Commission nor any equivalent plan had been adopted. In what sort of position should we find ourselves now? The rioting which has gone so far now with no political conflict to disturb the unity of West Virginia and Maryland under democratic governors, or of Pennsylvania under a republican governor, would have become incalculably more formidable, and when the States failed there would have been no effective and undisputed authority left to confront it.

This demonstration of what we have escaped by reason of the Electoral Commission will silence such of the *ex post facto* critics of the men who framed it as have any common sense. The notion of making the Electoral Commission a leading political issue for the next three years, already dismissed with contempt by the liberated South, will now be seen by the whole country to be the maggot of a diseased brain. —*N. Y. World.*

—"Doctor," said an old lady to her family physician, "kin ye tell me how it is that some folks is born dumb?" "Why, hem! certainly madam," replied the doctor; "it is owing to the fact that they come into the world without the power of speech!" "La, me!" remarked the old lady; "now jess see what it is to have a physical eddication. I've axed my old man more nor a hundred times that same thing, and all that I could ever get out of him was jest this, 'Kase they is.'"

—Principal Dice of the schools of Cincinnati says: "When a young woman commences to teach a school she loses nine chances in ten for marriage. If she teaches five years her chances for marriage and the dear delights of mother-hood are but one in one hundred, and if she teaches ten years her chances for marriage and good social position are but one in ten thousand." After this the Cincinnati girls will take in washing before they will teach school.

—Says the *Courier-Journal*: The apostrophe is getting to be a greater nuisance than even the comma. It is making idiotic nonsense and halting rhyme, and it is determined to get into all words ending with "s," whether they are possessive or not. It is happiest, however, when it can get on the wrong side of a letter and mangle somebody's name. Apostrophes think, and have malice, just as much as bayonets.

—Gen. Disap-Pearson they ought to call him.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE

AT AUCTION.

United States District Court.

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton, and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts. To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a License from said Court granted at Syracuse in said District July 24, 1877, I shall sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, on

Friday, August 24th,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., on the premises,

all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described encumbered Real Estate situate in Portsmouth, N. H.

Frame Store and Land situate No. 72 State Street, occupied as a Grocery Store and Printing Office.

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Brick Store and Dwelling House situate at the corner of State and Washington streets.

Also, immediately after the sale of said Real Estate, will be sold at the office of MORSE & ILSLEY, on Pleasant Street, all the Book Accounts belonging to the Estate of said Carr, several promissory notes and one mortgage on real estate in said Portsmouth.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars in regard to title, etc., inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

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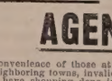
Steamboat  Excursion!

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At half-past twelve o'clock, M.,

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At half-past one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then designated.

At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 55 State street.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

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—A New York chemist says he wants nothing more than three pails, a cask o cold water and twenty cents' worth of drugs to make six gallons of just such champagne as fools pay a dollar a pint for.

—Andrew Jackson Davis declares, in the *Banner of Light*, that he recently, in a trance, saw five weddings in the Summer Land. All these were unions of couples who had been husband and wife on earth. He says: "How long those two men (angel youths now) waited for the coming of their mates! How lovely patient those three angel maidens (once wives and mothers on earth) waited for their darling husbands to come to them through death's triumphal arch! These ten persons were truly mated and happily married, four in St. Louis and six in London."

—A minister had a negro in his family. One Sunday, when he was preaching, he happened to look in the pew where the negro was, and could hardly contain himself as he saw the negro, who could not read or write a word, scribbling away most industriously. After meeting he said to the negro, "Tom, what were you doing in the church?" "Taking notes, massa; all de gemmen takes notes." "Bring your notes here and let me see them!" Tom brought his notes, which looked more like Chinese than English. "Why, Tom, this is all nonsense." "I thought so, massa, all the time that you was preaching it."

—A correspondent of the Bangor *Whig* lets the cat out of the bag in regard to the discovery of gold at Oldtown, Me. It seems the town authorities having contracted with one of the citizens to build a town cistern for fire department purposes on the island occupied by a large number of French families, it occurred to one of the wags in town to have a little fun and to see how much of a stirring up he could give the inhabitants on the Island. Accordingly he got a few pieces of real gold-bearing quartz from a returned Californian, and taking the bullet of the cistern into his confidence, proceeded to deposit them during the night into one of the seams made by blasting in the ledge where the cistern was to be located, several feet below the surface of the soil. The next day he was carelessly upon the spot in good season in the morning, and the two made a wonderful discovery, no less than the finding of real gold. A few bits were taken into the shop of one of the jewelers, and the workman on melting it pronounced it the real article and no mistake. The news spread like wildfire, and the contractor got the cistern dug for nothing.

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Boston & Providence	120½
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Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	34
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Fitchburg	105
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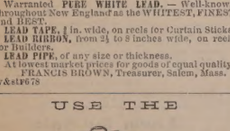

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer the same to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, nor upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. No physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

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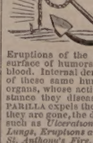

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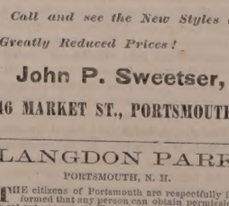

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Torpedo Boat.

One of the torpedo launches used in destroying the Turkish monitor near Matchin, on the Danube, was recently carefully looked over by a correspondent of the *London Daily News*, who minutely describes it. The launch is only twenty-five feet long, with about four feet beam. The torpedo spars, of which each boat carried two, were about thirty feet long. They were placed on each side of the boat in large iron rings, fore and aft, which maintained them in a horizontal position when not being used. The torpedo is attached, of course, to the forward end of the spar. The torpedoes themselves were about twenty inches in length by eighteen inches in diameter, and were covered apparently with wood. When used, the torpedo-bar is thrust forward through the rings until it is only supported by one, and the torpedo on the end of the spar may then be hoisted up and down as on the end of a lever. It is known that the force of a torpedo only acts within a radius of ten feet, and as the spar is thirty feet long, the boat is thus at a safe distance from the explosion, except the danger of its being swamped by the column of water which the torpedo inevitably throws up. The launch is an ordinary wooden one, covered over with a wooden deck, supported by very slight wooden or iron uprights. The sides from a little above the water are protected by plates of iron a quarter of an inch thick, loosely fastened on to the uprights, and sufficient to stop a bullet, leaving exposed about four inches just below the deck for a crew to fire through in case of need. Neither the bow nor the stern, however, were protected in this way, and the launch coming on would be exposed to be traversed from stem to stern by the enemy's bullets. As is well known, not a single bullet had ever penetrated the boat or wounded a man, although the launch must have been for several seconds within twenty feet of the monitor, and the Turks had fired probably more than 100 shots at her at that distance. The reason was, that it had not occurred to them to fire down through the deck, which was only of wood, and all their bullets had been expended on the iron plates, which were of course impenetrable. The torpedo is made to explode by contact, and may also be exploded by an electric battery in case the shock should not have been sufficient to explode it.

By All Means Be an Editor.

An editor is the happiest being on earth; he has little or nothing to do, and his pay is all that heart could wish. His sanctum, with its Persian rugs and Turkish carpets, its costly rosewood furniture, its magnificent mirrors, its beautiful pictures, its complete library of splendidly-bound books, its buffet stocked with the finest of wines, liquors and cigars, which cost him but a puff or two, its silver bell to summon an attendant whenever a julep or cocktail is wanted, and, in short, with its everything that human ingenuity can devise for his comfort and pleasure, is a perfect little paradise, where he sits or lounges and reigns a young lord, with the world of fashion and pleasure at his feet. And then anybody can be an editor—no study, no preparation, no brains, nothing but a little money to start with, and once started the money pours in upon you in a steady stream, and the chief labor of your life is to spend it. As for the labor of editing a newspaper, that is mere moon-shine. A mere glance at the columns of a newspaper is enough to convince you that it requires no labor to edit it, and less brains. It is certainly a glorious life, that of an editor; a life for the gods, filled, like that of the young lover in his first sweet dream of requited love, with flutes and rose leaves and moonbeams,

"While not a wave of trouble rolls
Across his peaceful breast;"

and that all men are not editors is one of the strangest things beneath the stars. True, there must be doctors and lawyers and merchants and shoemakers and peanut dealers and the like, and all these callings must be filled by somebody, but there are enough to fill them, and why they don't become editors and lead the life of opulent princes is a thing that staggers us. But after all, it may be that it is mere matter of taste. It may be repugnant to some natures to be clothed in purple and fine linen and fare sumptuously every day, and of course it would never do for such a nature to become an editor; the life of ease and elegance and luxury, and exemption from all care and toil and debts and duns, would soon become a bore to him, and he would spend his nights in dreaming of plows and pitchforks and reaping machines, and squander his days in devising some plan for swapping places with a blacksmith's apprentice or a street-car driver.—*Louisville Courier-Journal.*

—A telegraphic operator, not far from Boston, received a telegram for an Irishman from a girl whom he had previously been trotting round, inviting him to come and spend a holiday with her. He sent the message, and received the following answer: "I am married, and to me grief."

—Ross' goose laid eggs in Hott's dooryard, in Cincinnati, and Hott's goose hatched from them one gosling. Who owned the gosling? The question was angrily disputed by Ross and Hott, and they have gone to law about it. The gosling has grown to a goose and is worth a dollar at most. The litigation has already cost two hundred dollars.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C. July 21.

We are gradually returning to the consideration of such matters as still retain sufficient interest to entitle them to that treatment, and which were temporarily dismissed at the outbreak of the strikes. Business men have gone to work again, trains are running as usual, and the old routine has been generally re-established. The fears of a scarcity in our markets have subsided, and we are cheered by assurances of a full supply of peaches. There is still considerable activity in the movement of troops, showing the Government's purpose to relax no effort until there shall be perfect submission to, and an absolute compliance with, law.

The influence of the strike appears to have extended to the Sitka Indians who are reported to have assumed a very threatening attitude toward the few whites engaged in business in that dismal region; and it has been proposed to send a gunboat there to restore order, although San Francisco opposes the proposition to send the one now in her waters to hold the "hoodlums" of that city in subjection.

While it is believed that the report of Indian outrages about Deadwood has been greatly exaggerated, it is known that many of the treacherous savages have gone off their reservations and are presumably engaged in unlawful pursuits. Nothing specially interesting has been heard directly from General Howard since my last. He appears to be maneuvering to take the wary Joseph at a disadvantage; but up to the latest accounts that chief had well sustained his reputation for courage and sagacity and refused to be "gobbled." Captain Rawn had attempted peace negotiation without definite results; meanwhile Governor Potts is appealing for volunteers, proposing to take the field himself.

It is charged that the Syndicate is acting in bad faith toward the public and trying to obtain money under false pretences, by its advertisement in the English papers, calling attention to the four per cent. bonds as a very desirable investment, and virtually stating that their interest is payable in gold. As silver was a legal tender when the act authorizing the bonds was passed, it is thought probable that the Government would decide it optional whether it would pay in gold or silver, should the latter be remonetized, as now seems likely.

Miss Anna Boyle, a dramatic prodigy, native of this city, less than fifteen years old, and who has already become famous in her rendition of "Juliet," appears in New York this week upon the invitation of many of the eminent citizens of that city, including Mayor Ely, and Generals McClellen and Barlow. Miss Boyle is understood to be under the tutelage of "Grace Greenwood," and Washingtonians feel proud of her triumphs, which, considering her youth, are remarkable.

Not for many years has Washington been flooded as during the present season, with storms accompanied by frightful winds, thunder and lightning. KNOX.

Humors of the Great Strike.

It would seem that there could hardly be a humorous side to, or a gleam of humor in, the great strike which has cost the railroads and business men and laboring men of the country sixty or seventy millions of dollars already, and will cost them many millions more before its evil effects cease to be felt; which cost many lives, spread anxiety over the whole nation, kept the peaceable inhabitants of great cities in terror for days, and put mobs of violent and bloodthirsty ruffians momentarily above the law. Yet even amid all the confusion and disaster comical incidents occurred.

The brilliant retreat of Gen. Pearson from the mob at Pittsburg was perhaps not very funny, but his card of apology to the ruffianly rioters, in which he assured them that he did not order the Philadelphia troops to fire, was amusing, and the storm of sarcastic and contemptuous paragraphs which his cowardice called out from the newspapers was more so. We give a sample of the newspaper comments on Gen. Pearson's card: "Pearson—'General' Pearson—'General' Pearson of Pittsburg—has crawled out of his hole to say that he never, never, never ordered the troops to fire. No one who knows Pearson ever thought he did. He took to his heels at the first fire. Fire? *He* ordered troops to fire? Oh no! He wouldn't hurt anybody, not much. Crawl under the bed again, Pearson, that'll do for you." It seems that Gen. Pearson's courage is of the sort attributed by the telegraph to the Chicago reporters during the riots in that city, where the howling mobs displayed special hostility to anybody they thought connected with newspapers. Said the telegraph, "whenever it *seemed safe*, most of the reporters showed personal bravery!" That's the kind of bravery to have around—never gets its possessor into any trouble; men who are brave when it is not safe often get hurt.

In St. Louis, at a time when the veterans of the war and hundreds of the best citizens were hastening to enroll themselves under ex-federal and ex-confederate officers to protect the city from the crowds of roughs that had been parading with the red flag of the commune and "bread or blood" banners, a lot of street urchins got up a parade of their own and marched about the streets to the music of a tin pan by way of drum, and displaying a huge paper banner bearing the inscription, "We don't want bread. We want cake and pie or blood!" And the manner in which the strike spread on railroads where the employes had no grievances to complain of, and among workmen not connected with railroads and who had no end whatever in view when they struck, was laughable as well as humiliating—for it is both to see a lot of men needlessly make fools of themselves. A lot of negro workmen in New Orleans knocked off work and got up a procession—which seems the orthodox thing to do when a strike occurs—and forced all the other negroes they could catch to join them; but they were utterly unable to tell what they had struck for, and did not demand more pay, shorter hours of labor or better treatment, as they had nothing to complain of on these points. But the queerest strike of all took place in Hoboken, N. J., where forty-five boys in the employ of the American Lead Pencil Company struck, because, as they said, the men were striking all over the country, and so they thought they ought to. They could not tell what their object was in striking; but their parents took the matter in hand and proceeded to "strike" with a definite object in view, and after a dozen or so of the brats had been soundly spanked they all went to work again, satisfied with their experience in strikes.

The Communist Insurrection.

The strike is played out; on Wednesday the metropolitan papers gave the European war news the place of honor in their news columns, the strike being crowded into second or third place. Freight was being rapidly cleared away from the stations where it accumulated during the embargo, and any trouble in running trains was due more to the refusal of some companies to take back striking employes than to any acts of the mobs, though the latter still held out in a few places. The striking miners in Pennsylvania have gone to work in some of the mines, and no new outbreaks were reported.

The Eastern War.

Osman Pasha claims to have won a great victory before Plevna. The battle lasted two days and 60,000 Russians took part in it. A despatch from Constantinople says that Adifs Pasha has resigned the Foreign Ministry, and that Served Pasha has been appointed to succeed him. A despatch from Adrianople says that the Russians on the South of the Balkans are retreating before Suleiman Pasha. England has ordered two gunboats to the Danube, and the ironclads Shannon and Agincourt will support them. Austria is to mobilize 90,000 troops.

[Written for the Chronicle.]

New York City Forty Years Ago.

A gentleman who has recently visited the Empire City, brought with him on his return copies he procured there of the New York *Express* of 1837 and '8. Curiously interesting it is to note the changes time creates. The city proper did not then extend so far up as the lower reservoir at 40th street, and what is now Central Park was well out-of-town. Of the business men, whose trade on land and sea gave life to the mercantile and commercial districts, but very few survive. Prominent among them was E. K. Collins, who, from being ahead of his time, subsequently sunk his once abundant means in the line of steamships that bore his name. Nearly all the names of his business contemporaries have disappeared from the journals of the present day, or if the firms still survive, their trade is conducted by younger men; often of other names though that of the firm remains the same. Among the natives of Portsmouth whose advertisements appear in the *Express* of 1837, are Capt. Shadrach Sise and William Turell. The Astor House and Holt's huge pile of marble (now the United States) were the great hotels of New York. A. T. Stewart was a dry goods dealer in Broadway, but of no great prominence in the trade; others, of far more note, arose and fell, and passed into obscurity, while he was creating his colossal fortune. Marquand & Co., the well-known jewellers of their time, were as far down as 181 Broadway; the same firm that has been known in later years as Ball, Black & Co., of which Mr. Henry Ball, brother of our esteemed fellow-citizens, Mr. T. M. Ball, and himself a native of Portsmouth, was the leading member. The once famous fancy goods depot of Bonfante, whose poetical shopbills are kept by the older residents of New York as memorials of their youth, was still in existence, as appears by advertisements, in 1837, conducted by two sons of the poet Woodworth, author of "the Old Oaken Bucket." Of the theatres, the Bowery, that Hamblin, with his magnificent scenic spectacles, once made so attractive, is all that survives. Niblo's Garden, that was so delightful a resort on summer nights, is covered by the Metropolitan Hotel, excepting the theatre, enclosed within the huge structure, known as "Niblo's." Castle Garden, an equally popular resort at midsummer, is now the depot for newly-arrived immigrants; to the utter disgust of not a few who associate it with happy hours in their youth. The residents of New York, instead of living around the Battery, and the streets east and west of Broadway, have scattered over the whole island, even as far up as Fort Washington where, at his beautiful home, the late John Appleton Haven, Esq., a native of this city, passed many of his latter years.

One of the topics referred to in these old papers, is the attempted Canadian rebellion of 1837, when the American steamer Caroline, that had been employed by the rebels in conveying volunteers to their depot at an island in Lake Erie was seized by a party from the Canada shore, set on fire, and sent in full blaze over Niagara Falls, the darkness of the hour increasing the splendor of the spectacle. The details of the duel between Graves and Cilley, members of Congress, in which the latter lost his life; and mingled with those of others in the affair, are the names of Col. J. W. Webb, of New York, and Henry A. Wise, of Virginia. An investigation was going on by a committee of the Legislature in relation to a charge against the Phenix Bank of New York, that instead of accommodating the business people of that city with discounts, its funds were kept for carrying on shaving operations upon distant paper. Among the opponents of "Old Mother Bank" (as the U. S. Bank was styled by them, and Nick Biddle, its President, an enthusiastic individual fired a huge horse-pistol through the key-hole of the institution, telling the lookers-on that they would hear no more of "the old monster." While the times were very hard, a gentleman had paid $40 for four tickets at the benefit of Miss Ellen Tree (afterward Mrs. Charles Kean) at the Tremont theatre of Boston. Rough times, financially, were those of 1837, when "Nick Biddle," of "Old Mother Bank," at the solicitation of the merchants of New York, issued post-notes, payable at a future time, "for the relief of the commercial community all over the country." It showed their faith at that time in the old bank, that after becoming a *State* instead of a United States institution, went utterly to the dogs. A fugitive slave from Virginia was arrested in New York, on the plea that he had committed a two-and-six-penny larceny in the South, and while on his way to prison, the officer who had him in charge was cuffed and called a "man-stealer," a "negro-catcher," etc., by an enthusiastic young "broad-brim," who did not believe in "the divine institution." Such happy events are ever since slavery was wiped out in the effort to strengthen it. A complimentary ball was given at the Shakspeare hotel to Mr. F. C. Schaffer, (well known here for many years as a teacher of dancing) by the highly respectable class of young people who composed his scholars. In a letter of Henry Clay, he denies the report set afloat by his enemies, that he was not in favor of extending citizenship to Catholics unless they would abjure allegiance to the Pope.

Among the changes of time none is more curious than that the *Express* itself, once enthusiastic in the cause of the old Whig party, is not less so now in that of its opponents, the democrats. With the kindliest feelings toward the old journal, (that has survived so many of its early contemporaries,) even though it *has* gone over the other side of the fence, it is amusing to see in these sheets among its issues of the past, how it once discoursed of "Loco-Focos" and "Slam, Bang & Co.," the latter a name given to the democratic party by its first editor, the late James Brooks, and that stuck to it like cobblers' wax, for the reason that among the Tammany leaders was one named Slamm and another Bang,—affording him the opportunity for stating, when the Whigs carried the State of New York, that "Slam had blown down like a loose window-shutter," and "Bang had gone off at half-cock." "J. B." did good service in the Tippecanoe and Tyler too" times, and "E. B.," still a proprietor and writer for the *Express*, as its then Washington correspondent was wont to make amusing hits in his letters at the democrats, styling Van Buren "the Prince of Humbug," and Thos. H. Benton, with not less of aptness, "the great Tumble-Bug of Missouri," for his boast that, in setting forth his specie currency ideas, "Solitary and alone, amid the jeers and taunt of my enemies, I sat this bail in motion." At another time he wrote of him, "Like a calf in want of his mother's milk, he bellowed for hours to-day to 'a beggably account of empty boxes' with here and there a 'bank-ruffian,' as he styles all who are not opposed to *all banks*. Benton certainly is a great man; that is, great in the way of hunting up musty old books that nobody but himself would read, and books written before the flood." Truly, times do "change, and men change with them."

J. H. B.

A Remedial Agent of Uncommon Power.

It is a fact which became patent years ago to the people of the United States, that Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a remedial agent of uncommon power. As a consequence of this recognition, its sales have increased immensely at home and abroad, and it has risen to a foremost rank among the proprietary medicines of the day. Chemical analysts, after submitting it to the closest scrutiny, pronounce it absolutely pure, and skilful and conscientious medical practitioners recommend its use. A wide range of disorders falls within the scope of its curative operation. Among them may be enumerated dyspepsia, liver complaint, constipation, nervous ailments, urinary and uterine affections, rheumatism and gout. It is a supremely efficacious tonic, hastens convalescence, cheers the mind, imparts appetite, and promotes sound sleep.

A Toilet Essential.

Pomades and cosmetics may be dispensed with, but not so the Fragrant Sozodont; the most wholesome and efficient article for the teeth that the world has ever known.

Its popularity is immense. In the brown stone palace and the cottage, it is alike considered indispensable.

Shattered toys are regenerated with Spalding's Glue.

THE COLOSSAL BRONZE STATUE OF VICTORY which stands in the Park, at Lowell, before the tomb of the first soldiers that fell in the revolution, is a lasting and beautiful tribute of art. It is one of the first objects sought by strangers visiting our sister city, which indeed many visit purposely to see this elegant object of high art. It was obtained from the King of Bavaria by Dr. J. C. Ayer, to whom his Majesty was especially gracious in acknowledgment of what his remedies are reputed to have done for the suffering sick. It was donated by the Doctor to the City of Lowell as a permanent and speaking emblem of the victories both of Science and Arms.—*Hagerstown (Md.) Press.*

Passengers arriving in New York by way of the Grand Central Depot will find the new and comfortable Hotel Devonshire, which is opposite the main entrance on 43d Street, the most convenient and inexpensive place to stop. It is a modern hotel, and first-class in all appointments.

The City of New Orleans has an institution called the Louisiana State Lottery Company, honestly conducted under Generals P. T. Beauregard and Jubal Early, which recalls the memory of fifty years ago, when our colleges and churches were built by lotteries. It has its next drawing August 7th, and tickets, at Two Dollars each, or any information, can be had by addressing M. A. Dauphin, President, Box 692, P. O., New Orleans, La.

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Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD ONE are hereby notified to meet at the WARD ROOM on Elm Street, on FRIDAY EVENING, Aug. 3d, at half-past seven o'clock, to nominate candidates to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may come before them.

PER ORDER COMMITTEE.

WARD TWO.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD TWO are requested to meet at the Court House at half-past seven o'clock, on FRIDAY EVENING, Aug. 3d, for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported at the next municipal election, and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting. NEWTON JOHNSTON, Secretary.

WARD THREE.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD THREE are hereby notified to meet at the "GRANITE STATE PLANING MILL" on FRIDAY EVENING, Aug. 3d, at 7½ o'clock, for the purpose of choosing candidates to be supported at the coming city election, and transacting any other business coming before the meeting. PER ORDER WARD COMMITTEE.

Check-List Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECK-LISTS give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, July 26th, Tuesday, July 31st, and Saturday, August 4th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 o'clock A. M., and from 1 to 2 P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH R. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Check-Lists.

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH.

WARD ONE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said county, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

GREETING: You are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Elm Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

GREETING: You are hereby notified to meet at the Court House on Court Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this 21st day of July, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

GREETING: You are hereby notified to meet at the Office of Jacob Haddock on Islington street, near the Creek in said Ward, on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot one Alderman, two Members of the Common Council one Assessor of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

GREETING: You are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot two Aldermen, four Members of the Common Council, two Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT B. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT B. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

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TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

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HALF-HOUSE ON MELCHER STREET, near Pleasant. Seven rooms, water in house; rent low to a good tenant. Apply at
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BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tobbetts.
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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THE very desirable BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 16 ISLINGTON ST. belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. Andrew Hussey. House contains twelve rooms and has a Brick Stable and large Garden attached. Possession given September 1st.
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THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 28X33 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 22X60 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.
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THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq.
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Steamboat Excursion!
APPLEDORE. Capt. Robinson
Under the auspices of the
WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE LEAGUE,
— ON —
TUESDAY, AUGUST 7th.
Boat will leave Portsmouth at 11 A. M. Returning, will leave Shoals at 3:30 P. M.
Fares for the round trip, 75 cents. Children under 12 years, half-price.
Tickets may be obtained at David Kimball & Co's, and of the Secretary of the Society. All friends of the cause of Temperance are earnestly requested to give us their patronage.

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ON STEAMER APPLEDORE,
CAPT. WM. ROBINSON,
Every Other Thursday.
Commencing on July 12th, and continuing on July 26th, Aug. 9th, Aug. 23d, and Sept. 6th.
TICKETS 75 CENTS for round trip. For sale only by J. C. BUTLER.
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Soda, Milk and Water Biscuit, Pilot Biscuit
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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	6.00,	10.35 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30 P. M
" Way,		9.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.50 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.50 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	3.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.50 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

REPUBLICAN MAYORALTY CAUCUS.

A caucus of the Republican voters of this city to nominate a CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR to be supported at the polls at the coming election, will be held at the *Court House* on Thursday, August 2d. The polls will be open from four to eight o'clock P. M. The check-list will be used. PER ORDER.

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

The Board of Instruction elected by the Board of Aldermen at the last meeting in July assembled in the Common Council Room on Wednesday evening, the following members being present:

James DeNormandie, James R. May, Andrew B. Sherburne, Charles A. Shannon, Mercer Goodrich, Andrew P. Wendell, John H. Hutchinson, Charles W. Gardner, John Pender, William H. Hackett.

The Mayor administered the oath of office to the members, and the Board then organized by the choice of Rev. James DeNormandie as President, and Mr. John Pender as Secretary. There being two vacancies, Messrs. Joseph H. Thacher and Edward S. Ryder declining to serve, the Board adjourned without transacting any other business.

BOAT RACE.

A race for a yacht flag, presented by Capt. William Keen of Kittery as a prize for the winning craft, will take place on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock, provided a three-knot breeze or better be then blowing, the contesting boats starting from Clark's island, going around Kitts' rock and Branscom's rocks and back to the starting point, keeping to port of the rocks when passing them. In addition to several whaleboats (names not given) from Newcastle which have entered for the race, the following pleasure boats will compete, Portsmouth boats not being allowed to enter:

Kittery Foreside boats: Mingle, W. Otis, owner, W. Dixon, pilot; Sankey, — Dixon, owner and pilot; Moody, Wm. Jellison; Hattie, Geo. Paul. Lower Foreside boats: Petrel, Geo. Witham; ————, Joseph Keen; Myth, Samuel Pillsbury; Cock Robin, Wm. Keen.

The boats entered vary in length from fifteen to nineteen feet on the keel; some of them are fast sailers, and each owner rather expects to win the flag, and knows he will give the others a good tug for it, at any rate; and if the day is favorable there is no doubt the race will be interesting.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, August 1st.

Robert Foster, drunk, and Charles Batchelder, ditto, were invited to pass over $9.-90 cents each, fine and costs. Gone to board in the country. [N. B. The Charles Batchelder referred to above is not Judge Charles E. Batchelder of the Police Court.]

JOTTINGS.

Twenty-five years ago to-day the first number of the CHRONICLE was issued—its success being then regarded as very doubtful by many people, while the rest had no doubt at all of the utter failure of the attempt to establish a daily paper in Portsmouth, an experiment which had more than once been unsuccessfully tried before.

An Eliot fisherman engaged at his business near the mouth of the harbor on Wednesday, caught twenty-five large skates in a few hours, loading his boat down like a sand-barge. The only eatable parts of the skate are the fins, which are esteemed a great delicacy by some people, and bring about twenty-five cents a pair.

The wreck of the schooner "Ceres" had on Wednesday evening been moved several hundred feet toward the flats on which it is proposed to place her, near the Kittery end of Portsmouth bridge, from the place where she was left when work on her was abandoned early in the season. The wreckers are confident of raising her this time.

At a meeting of the Heavy Artillery held on the evening of July 31st it was voted to accept the invitation to attend the Centennial celebration at Bennington, Vt.

Mr. T. C. Crowley, who has for some months been in the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Co's office in this city, learning to "run the machine," has been promoted to the position of operator and placed in charge of the company's office at Dover, the late operator there having resigned the place. Mr. Crowley has been diligent and capable in the discharge of his duties as a subordinate, and will no doubt give a good account of himself in his new and more responsible position. It was recently rumored that the efficient, attentive and obliging operator who has had charge of the company's office in this city from the time it was opened—Mr. Neff—was to be transferred to Concord; but it has been definitely decided that he is to remain here, which is entirely satisfactory to those who have had business to do through his office.

On Thursday, the 26th ult., the sloop yacht Phantom, recently built by Mr. Dixon at Kittery, for Mr. Decatur, made a run from the Shoals to Rockport, Mass., a distance of about twenty-eight miles, with the yacht Julia, of Squam, beating her one hour and twenty minutes.

The ladies should not omit to read, this morning, the advertisement in another column of the exhibition at N. F. Mathes & Co's store, from two o'clock this afternoon to eight, of the cooking qualities of self-raising flours. It is of special interest to housekeepers and cooks.

A disastrous peanut war raged in this city on Wednesday, between the grinding monopoly who some time ago established himself on the post-office corner, and an unblushing interloper who put up a stand under the windows of the First National Bank and attempted to seduce the public from its allegiance to the other dealer by setting up some kind of a clock-work machine for roasting the nuts. The price of peanuts went down to five cents a quart.

News and Notes.

The Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company have extended their wires from Nashville, Tenn., to New Orleans, through Mississippi and Alabama, and now take despatches to that point.

Mr. Honore of Chicago, the father-in-law of Colonel Fred. Grant, has just filed a voluntary petition to be adjudicated a bankrupt. His secured debts amount to $1,-554,089, and the unsecured debts to $973,-146.

A reporter approached Governor Hartranft as he was getting aboard a train in Philadelphia, with this pointed question: "Governor, where are you going?" The governor replied quite as pointedly: "I will let you know when I get there."

A Reading company of militia which fraternized with the mob has been ignobly dismissed from the service.

"Pittsburg is dead as to all trade" is the confession of one of the newspapers of that city.

The Portland Locomotive Works have just received orders from the European & North American Railway and other railroads which will enable the company to increase their force to 250 men—a larger number than it has been able to employ for two years.

Gen. Blinton, who commanded the Philadelphia regiment which fired upon the Pittsburg mob, now says that when his men were driven from the round-house, numbers of the city police hooted at them, and even went so far as to fire upon them. It is scarcely worth while to appeal to the Mayor. When they reached the arsenal gates he asked Major Buffington to supply the regiment with ammunition. The Major replied in the rudest manner, telling him to clear out, as the regiment would not be allowed to remain there a minute.

Gov. Williams seems to be doing his best to bring the State into disrepute. Not content with exciting foreign censure by his dalliance with law-breakers, he has made himself a subject of ridicule at Washington by the sneaking and back-handed manner of his application for Government troops. Probably one result of this crisis will be to convince the people of Indiana of the propriety of having a man of character and nerve for Governor.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

Patsey Gallagher and Jack Hogan, two notorious roughs and prize-fighters of New York, had a brutal contest Tuesday night in a room at Brooklyn, for $100 a side Gallagher won; both brutes were shockingly pounded, but neither is likely to die—worse luck.

The Mayor of St. John has made public through the local press that all messages sent over the wires by his office on behalf of the sufferers by the fire were sent by the Western Union Telegraph Company free of charge.

The Chicago *Times* says that "at least one-fifth of every riotous gathering in the streets in that city was composed of women. The majority of them seemed to be present for the sole purpose of gratifying an insatiable curiosity. That they openly defied the police until deserted by the men is a fact."

A tramp arrested at Clinton, Me., July 31st, fired a revolver at the officer and hit Cushman Brown in the groin. He then fatally shot himself.

New Hampshire Items.

Ferdinand Clough had his left arm broken in two places at Enfield on Tuesday, while at work in Leviston's tannery.

The Stark Mills Company at Manchester is to build a new mill 150 feet long and four stories high, and will also add a story to No. 1 mill.

Ally Lock of Littleton, eight years old, ate some poisonous fruit while picking berries Friday, July 20th, and died the next day from the effects.

Henry J. Furber, the insurance financier who has succeeded so well in attracting the wrath of the policy-holders in the Charter Oak by his management, is a Great Falls man.

Joseph Ham of Thornton has sued for $10,000 for injuries received by his carriage wheel dropping through a hole in a culvert last Fall. He has been disabled since last November.

The Peterboro Postmaster having held the office sixteen years the Department at Washington has suggested that the republicans of the town select a new one.

Persons who have never seen the Old Man of the Mountain in the Franconia region had better lose little time in obtaining a view of it. The profile is said to be wearing away with considerable rapidity, as the frost cracks off large pieces of rocks every spring.

State Superintendent of Schools Cathell will hold two or more conventions of teachers in each of the counties during September and October,—a practice that has been obsolete since the legal provision for them was abolished two years ago.

The little steamer Lady Woodsum, running on Sunapee lake, exploded her boiler and sank on Wednesday. There were eighteen passengers on board at the time, but all were saved. The engineer's hands were blown off.

The authorities at Concord on Wednesday decided upon the following military organizations to attend the Bennington centennial: Amoskeag Veterans of Manchester, Portsmouth Heavy Artillery, Manchester War Veterans, Strafford Guards of Dover, Hinsdale Guards of Hinsdale, State Capital Guards of Concord, Gov. Cheney Guards of Peterboro, all under command of Col. White of Peterboro', colonel of the 2d Regiment. All commissioned officers of the State militia will be invited; transportation and shelter will be furnished by the State; subsistence by the troops themselves.

MARRIED.

SPINNEY—BATSON. In this city, July 31st, by Rev. John A. Gess, Mr. Paschal M. Spinney of this city, and Miss Addie L. Batson, daughter of Capt. Benjamin Batson of Newcastle.

DIED.

HANSCOM. In Newton Highlands, Mass., July 18, Mrs. Clara J. Hanscom, wife of Edwin C. Hanscom, and daughter of Edmund Dixon, Esq., formerly of Eliot, Maine, aged 28 years and 5 months.

WARREN. In Kittery, July 28th, Emile L. Warren, aged about 14 years, youngest son of Augustus A. and Delia Warren.

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SAILED, August 1.

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Sch Mary Farrow, Lymburner, Belfast.
Sch J F Carver, Allen, Mount Desert.
Sch Osprey, Crowley, Addison.

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From 2 to 8 o'clock, P. M., at

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☞ These Self-Raising Flours will be mixed and baked into Cake, Bread, Biscuits, Griddle Cakes, Fritters, etc. Farina Jelly will also be made.

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Portsmouth, N. H., August 1, 1877.

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Assignee's Sale at Auction.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT.—Northern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Monlton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts. To all whom it may concern: Take notice that I shall sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder

On FRIDAY, August 3, 1877,

At twelve o'clock, M.,

On the premises, the HOMESTEAD of J. C. CARR, situate Number 45 State Street, Portsmouth. This estate is well known as a desirable situation in one of the best neighborhoods in Portsmouth.

At half-past twelve o'clock, M.,

On the same day will be sold, on the premises, the double tenement HOUSE and LAND Number 25 Gates Street.

At one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold on the premises, four LOTS OF LAND on Lincoln Avenue, containing about five thousand feet each; these lots are in a desirable locality, and well worth the attention of buyers.

At half-past one o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then designated.

At two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.

At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,

Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 2 Rockingham Street.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 93 State street.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

Dated July 7th, 1877.

CHARLES S. SYMONDS, Assignee.

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE AT AUCTION.

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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton, and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts. To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a License from said Court granted at Syracuse in said District July 24, 1877, I shall sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, on

Friday, August 24th,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., on the premises,

all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described encumbered Real Estate situate in Portsmouth, N. H.

Frame Store and Land situate No. 72 State Street, occupied as a Grocery Store and Printing Office.

Brick Store and Land situate Nos. 22 and 24 Market Street, occupied as a Boot and Shoe Store.

Brick Store and Dwelling House situate at the corner of State and Washington streets.

Also, immediately after the sale of said Real Estate, will be sold at the office of MORSE & ILSLEY, on Pleasant Street, all the Book Accounts belonging to the Estate of said Carr, several promissory notes and one mortgage on real estate in said Portsmouth.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

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For further particulars in regard to title, etc., inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

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FOR HAMPTON, 10:38, A. M., 9:06, P. M.
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FROM WOLFEBORO' 8:40, A. M., 1:18, 5:10 P. M.
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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any butchers of the so permitted to throw any offal or fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them, or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person with his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall erect, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any or said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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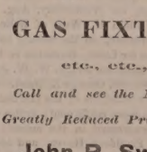

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Florida Rattlesnakes.

A Florida hunter tells the following snake-stories:

You may spend the whole winter fishing and hunting in Florida, and not see a snake. This is easily explained. For years the peninsula has been a vast cattle range. During spring and autumn, cow boys burn the dry prairies and savannas to keep the grass fresh and green. These fires spread to the scrub and hammocks, and thousands of reptiles perish. On walking over the blackened ground, it is not uncommon to see the tail of a dead snake protruding from a mole hole. Caught by the fire in an effort to escape, he is burned to death.

Of the different species of snakes, only two are thought to be poisonous. They are the moccasin and the rattlesnake. Their venom readily yields to the whiskey treatment if taken in time, although this in a measure depends upon the location of the bite. It is said that a man in Alachua county died within five minutes after being bitten. The reptile's fangs struck him in the neck while he was sleeping, and ejected poison into the jugular vein. Moccasins are divided into four classes, the cottonmouth, the stump-tail, a water moccasin, similar to our water pilot, and an upland moccasin, resembling a copperhead in shape, and fully as deadly.

The rattlesnake is divided into two families. The most virulent is the ground rattler. It is between twelve and twenty inches long, and not much larger than a common lead pencil. It coils, springs its tiny rattle, and jumps the same as its larger brother. Its skin is a bright black in color; but the diamond marks are not so clearly defined as in the big rattler. During the hot summer days it lies under sand-sweeping palmetto fans, or creeps into gardens and sleeps in the shade of the cabbages and bananas. In clearing up litter, a man might easily pick up one unawares.

The genuine rattlesnakes grow to a monstrous size, and their colors are more brilliant than those of the Northern species. They have been killed twelve feet long, and as large around as a stove-pipe. Capt. Devall of Palatka avers that he saw one, twenty odd years ago, with forty-seven rattles. Incredible as this may seem, Colonel Pratt, of the Palatka *Herald*, declares that he has seen one with fifty-two. These serpents frequent high sandy ridges, and occasionally lurk in gardens and in ploughed fields. They have even been known to make their way into barns and houses. The beach scrub, where seldom burned, is alive with them. Some monsters have been killed on Anastasia Island, opposite St. Augustine. In the spring I have counted in one day, on the beach between Canaveral and Indian river inlet, ten freshly shed skins.

After one rattlesnake is killed, another is found near it. If the body of the dead reptile is dragged through the house or across a cattle pen, its mate is pretty sure to take up the trail and follow it. Through the winter these snakes are dormant. They live in holes made by the gopher and the land turtle, and are concealed in many of the old coquina ruins dotting the eastern coast. As the summer approaches, they pair off and hunt in couples. The numberless trails in the scrub and savannas made by deer, coons, wildcats, and otters, are their favorite lurking places. Here they lie in ambush, and many an unfortunate rabbit and opossum falls under their fangs.

Nor are the low savannas and salt-water marshes free from these great snakes. Last summer as Judge Connor, of Live Oak Hill, was crossing the wide open prairie at the head of Indian river, he saw a plump gray squirrel cutting queer antics on a spot of bare sand. As the sand was fully a mile from any tree, and covered with salt water six months in the year, the Judge's curiosity was excited. To use his own words, "the squirrel was jumping around right smart, and appeared as if he didn't know what to do with himself." Its attention was not distracted by the Judge's approach, for it continued prancing over the sand in a concentric course, as though crazed. The Judge walked up with the intention of capturing it. Suddenly he was confronted by an enormous rattlesnake. It was stretched out in the wire grass surrounding the sand, with its head toward the squirrel. On seeing the Judge, it threw itself into a coil and made a noise like that of a buzz saw. Its tail rattled with terrible earnestness. The squirrel ceased his antics, and sat up on the sand as motionless as a statue. Finding neither stick nor stone on the prairie, the Judge tried to scare the snake by threatening gestures. These incensed the reptile. It reared both crest and tail, darted out its forked tongue, and jumped fully eight feet toward the Judge. He then got angry, and threw clods of earth and grass. At this the serpent flew into an ungovernable rage. Its eyes fairly flashed fire. Apparently aware that there was no dangerous weapon within reach, it ran straight for the Judge, as though it meant to close with him. It finally became so active that Connor was glad to leave it. As he walked away it resumed its position, and the squirrel began his dance of death, charmed by its buzzing music. The Judge says that the snake was certainly nine feet long. The mystery is, how came the squir-

rel and its charmer on a salt-water prairie a mile from any tree.

More singular still, these rattlers have been seen swimming in the salt water. Dr. Wallace of Daytona informs me that he has seen them apparently crossing from the beach to the main land at Castle Windy. Three years ago, Capt. Neil of New Bedford, one of Swift's live-oak superintendents, met a monster near Mosquito Inlet, going out with the tide. The snake espied Neil's boat, and made a desperate effort to board her. The Captain beat it off with the oars, but the fight lasted two or three minutes. The serpent, at last disabled, drifted away with the current, and was finally swallowed by a shark.

The larger rattlers are said to follow herds of cattle. Cow boys say that they smell the milk dropping from the udders of the cows, and take up the trail, with a view to milking them. This is done while the cows are lying on the ground chewing their cuds. When the serpent takes the teat in its mouth, the cow stops chewing, and becomes as still as death. Thus she remains until the scaly thief is satisfied. She seems to know that the least motion would be fatal. One snake has been known to milk two cows successively.

In the fall, when palmetto berries are ripe, the rattler crawls to the top of the tree, and hides beneath its dark green fans. The berries attract the cardinal grosbeaks, bullfinches, mocking birds, and paroquets, and they fall under the infernal magnetism of the snake.

The rattlesnake when trodden on does not invariably bite a person. Bethune, an old Indian river mail carrier, while deer hunting last summer, stepped square on a rattler. He felt it yield and move under his feet, and then heard its ominous humming. He jumped nearly ten feet, and turned as white as a sheet, but he says that the snake made no effort to bite him.

The enemies of the rattlesnake include the hog, the deer, and the eagle. The hog thrusts his fat chops into the snake's face, meekly receives its bite, seizes the reptile by the neck, places its hoofs on its body, and tears it asunder. No blood is drawn, the poison is harmless in the fat, and the porker gets a fair meal. A drove of hogs will clear the wildest country of rattlesnakes. When a buck sees a rattler, he springs upon it like lightning, bringing his feet together upon its head and body, thus cutting it to pieces; for the hoofs of a Floridian deer are as hard and sharp as a razor. An eagle kills the snake while it is sunning itself. The bird descends with the velocity of an arrow, striking the reptile with such force as to sever the vertebræ.

But the deadliest foe of the rattler is the common black snake. He is a public benefactor, and ought to be protected by the State Legislature, even if he does pick up a chicken or two occasionally. He grows very long, and unlike his Northern compeer, never assails a human being. The rattler fears and shuns him; and well he may, for the black snake is as agile and quick as the mainspring of a watch, and as full of fight as a bull dog. Meeting his antagonist, he attacks without delay. After coiling and sounding an alarm, the rattler keenly watches its assailant. At first the black snake slowly glides around its spiral enemy, as though studying its weak points. He frequently hisses and increases his speed with each cycle, ever keeping an eye on the rattler. The latter twists its head with every revolution of its assailant. Swifter sweeps the black snake around the circle. At the full bent of his speed the rattler grows dizzy. In a twinkling it is caught by the throat, and the coils of the two snakes are intermingled. The contest is decided by main strength. As they writhe in the grass the superior prowess of the black snake is manifest. The rattler is slowly strangled. Sometimes its body is swallowed, but this does not always follow. The coach whip, a long, clean-cut snake, frequently assists the black snake, and instances are given in which a dozen coach whips and black snakes joined forces and killed a small regiment of rattlers.

Vultures and buzzards, with all their appetite for carrion, will never touch anything bitten by a rattlesnake; but when his snakeship himself is killed, they devour him with the greatest relish.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 3, 1877.

The Miner's Strike.

The railroad strike, and the rule of the mobs of thieves and loafers in the cities, are virtually ended, but the coal-miners of Pennsylvania are still riotous. Scranton was in possession of the strikers all day Wednesday, the shops where the men wanted to work being forced to shut down by the mob. There were two fights between the rioters and a vigilance committee, in the first of which the mob were victorious, but they were beaten in the second one, and four of their number killed and many wounded. The Mayor was assaulted and badly injured, while trying to restore order.

The Eastern War.

Osman Pasha claims to have killed 8000 Russians, and wounded 24,000, besides capturing a vast quantity of arms and ammunition, in the battles before Plevna. Reports from other sources indicate that the Russians have met with a severe check at Plevna, at the least.

A despatch from Constantinople, dated July 31, says the Russians are bombarding Yeni Saghra; this indicates that the previous reports of a Russian repulse there were false.

Bucharest telegrams say that 100,000 troops were engaged on each side in the great battle at Plevna. The Russians were routed and disorganized, and poured across the Sistova bridge retreating into Roumania.

From Asia Minor, it is reported that the Russians are again advancing on Kars.

A Smart Piece of Work.

In London they have been celebrating the 400th anniversary of the introduction of printing into England by Caxton, the most noteworthy feature of which was an exhibition of Caxton's works at South Kensington, and a grand *dejeuner*. *The Printing Times and Lithographer* states that the Bible held by Mr. Gladstone at the *dejeuner* as the "climax and consummation" of the art of printing was printed at Oxford, at the University Press, bound in London, and delivered at the South Kensington Exhibition Buildings literally within twelve consecutive hours. The book was printed, not from stereotypes, as some of the papers stated, but from moveable type, set up a long time ago, and not used for years. The printers commenced to make their preparations soon after midnight, and the printing actually commenced at 2 A. M.; the sheets were artificially dried, forwarded to London, folded, rolled, collated, sewn, subjected to hydraulic pressure, gilded, bound, and taken to South Kensington before 2 P. M. The book consists of 1,052 pages 16 mo., minion type, and is bound in Turkey morocco, beveled boards, flexible back, gilt lettered on back and inside cover, with the arms of the Oxford University on its obverse side; and is free from the "set off" or blemish which its hasty production might have excused. It contains an explanatory inscription and title: "In Memorium Gul Caxton," with the occasion and date of the edition printed at the bottom of each of its thirty-three sheets. The books are numbered 1 to 100 and copies are already allotted to the Queen, the Duke of Devonshire, the Marquis of Salisbury, the Earl of Beaconsfield, the Emperor of Brazil, Mrs. Gladstone, Earl Spencer, General and Mrs. Grant, Mr. Jas. Lennox, of New York, Mrs. Pierrepont, wife of the American Minister, Earl Jersey, Prince Louis Lucien Bonaparte, the Library of the Academie Francaise, and several large public libraries in England and abroad, each book being inscribed with the name of the original presentee. The idea of producing the Bible under the circumstances originated with Mr. Henry Stevens, an eminent bibliographic authority on the subject of Bibles, who catalogued and arranged the splendid collection in the Caxton Exhibition. Mr. Stevens applied to the University Press, Oxford, to enable him to give it effect. How efficiently they co-operated is quite evident from the result. The event was quite a sensation of the day; whilst copies of the "Caxton Bible" are already scarce, if not unattainable.

New Hampshire Items.

Sixty-five deaths were reported in Manchester for the month of July.

Mrs. Phillip Badger of Warner was thrown from a carriage on Friday and severely injured.

Hon. Moody Currier has presented an elegant and substantial drinking fountain to the city of Manchester, to be erected in front of the Amoskeag Bank.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council, Aug. 1st, Hon. Lewis W. Clark of Manchester was nominated for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court. The following were appointed Commissioners for the erection of the new State Prison: John Kimball of Concord, A. M. Shaw of Lebanon and Alpha J. Pillsbury of Northwood.

Hedding Camp Meeting at East Epping, will commence Monday, August 27th, at 2 o'clock, P. M., and close the Saturday morning following. The usual ample provisions for board and refreshments have been made. The boarding house will be opened on Tuesday, August 14th. The committee have a fine new building in which they have furnished rooms to rent at reasonable rates.

Ohio State Convention.

The Ohio republicans, in State convention assembled, on Wednesday, Aug. 1st, nominated William H. West of Bellefontaine for Governor, on the second ballot. The candidate for Lieut. Governor is Fred Voegler; for Supreme Judge, W. W. Johnson; Att'y General, George K. Nash. The platform and resolutions of the last National Convention were reaffirmed; entire confidance was expressed in the honesty and patriotism of President Hayes, and his efforts for the pacification of the South and the purifying of the civil service approved. The remonetization of the silver dollar was demanded; opposition expressed to the granting of further aid to railroads by the General Government, and to the extension of patents which oppress the people; and the establishment of National authority over all "National highways" was urged, with the creation by law of some kind of board of arbitration to settle disputes between railroads and their employes.

News and Notes.

Mayor Jackman of Newburyport on the 1st inst. sent an official document under the city seal to A. J. Haynes, agent of the temperance paper, the "*Word of Truth*," forbidding him to sell any more copies of that paper under penalty of prosecution to the extent of the law.

Indignation is freely expressed in New York and elsewhere by the public and press at the discharge of young men by employers because they served with their regiments during the recent troubles. Six men of the Ninth New Jersey Regiment were discharged by employers in Hoboken. Six of the Seventy-first Regiment, two of the Eleventh, four of the Ninth, two of the Twenty-third and two or three from nearly every other regiment in New York and Brooklyn were discharged by their employers. Assistant Postmaster Brown of Brooklyn threatened to discharge several men of the old Fourteenth Regiment for obeying the military orders to serve with their regiments. This case is to be brought to the attention of President Hayes,—and if Brown isn't "bounced" promptly it will not be because he doesn't deserve to be. Several employers who have discharged members of the militia are to be prosecuted by the Judge Advocate of the State for obstructing the laws for the defense of the life and property of citizens.

A Scandinavian calling himself Hans Peterson has been arrested at Brownfield, Me., a station on the Portland & Ogdensburg Railroad, by the station master, while breaking into the office at that place. He is the fellow who has recently broken into the stations at Westbrook and South Windham, Glen Station, Upper Bartlett, Bemis' and Centre Conway, as is proved by the finding in his possession of property stolen from those places.

The disbursing officers of the House of Representatives have got into trouble. It seems that they contracted for a large amount of coal, advanced money to the company, and now the coal company is bankrupt and can make no delivery. The law against advancing money on government contracts is very plain and severe, and the officers of the House, under whose authority the money was paid, will doubtless have to sustain the loss, if any occurs.

The Augusta (Maine) *Journal* thinks that "when Bro. Morrill of the Gardiner *Home Journal* states that the expenses of his establishment from Nov. 1st to June 1st, were $755.62 more than his receipts, he records the experience of more than two-thirds of the newspaper offices of that State. The outside world know little of the cost of a newspaper." And the Littleton *Argus* thinks the above will apply to New Hampshire newspapers as well as to those of Maine.

It appears that English shippers and underwriters are becoming nervous over the frequent loss of vessels by spontaneous combustion of coal. Every year large numbers of coal-laden vessels are posted at Lloyds as missing, with all hands, and it is difficult to avoid the conclusion that they have been burned in mid-ocean, and not a human being preserved to relate the causes. The figures show that 1,155 lives have been lost, and a tonnage of 30,000, representing 37,000 tons of coal, has been destroyed, through the spontaneous combustion of coal at sea.

Spain is getting ready for another year's expenditure of blood and treasure in Cuba, and her investment is one that would hardly be taken off her hands at five cents on the dollar. She has negotiated a loan of $25,000,000 for the coming year's campaign, which shows that, in spite of her boasts, this stupid old country comprehends that the rebellion is hardly less formidable than it was nine years ago.

Nathan Lawrence, hailing from Newport, Me., the tramp who shot Mr. Cushman Brown while he was trying to arrest him, and then shot himself, at Clinton, Me., on Tuesday, July 31, died Tuesday night. On his person were found two pistols, a knife, a pair of steel knuckles and quite a lot of silver. Mr. Brown will recover.

Gov. Stone of Mississippi, the man who said it would "not do to stir this thing [the Kemper County massacre] up," was nominated for re-election by the democrats on the 1st inst.

The Commune.

The arrest of Albert Curlin, in St. Louis, may lead to some interesting discoveries. It is evident that the wide-spread disorder of the last ten days must have been the result of organization and of an impulse from some central influence. The existence of the International Society in this country might reasonably be inferred from these demonstrations, if it were not already known. Meanwhile, a Paris letter to the Philadelphia *Press*, contains some intimations worth noting:

"The Internationals are recruited from the worst elements, such as have no sympathy with the existing order of things, and desire a social as well as political revolution. They are as hostile to the Republic of the United States as to the most absolute despotism. They, in fact, hate it more than any other government, as its demonstration of the possibility of self-government prevents the success of Communism. The International is a secret organization, with salaried officers and agents actively at work in Europe and America, the declared enemy of the political institutions of every country and every religion, atheistical, anarchical, and subversive of established notions of right and justice. When the *mot d'ordre* is given to stir up strife, to raise mobs, to kindle insurrections against governments, it must be obeyed. Its orators are specially instructed to denounce corporations, the accumulations of capitalists, the right of anybody to rule but the Communists, and to advocate the redistribution of property, the abolition of all distinctions created by individual effort, and the entire reorganization of society. One of the leading Internationalists recently boasted that the American Republic would ere long be supplanted by Communism, and that as there would then be no capital there could be no further strife between capital and labor."

Matrimony Made Easy.

A "matrimonial lottery" is the latest idea of the Kansas city *Times*. It has instituted a "matrimonial drawing," for which maidens and widows send their names (and photographs if they choose), and bachelors and widowers also furnish to the newspaper their names and addresses. The former are the premiums and the latter the subscribers,—the latter, for the drawing already held, being by far the more numerous, each one of whom had stated over his signature that he was an unmarried man. Drawing takes place as in a lottery, the man whose name is drawn with a woman's number being expected to make her acquaintance, and, if agreeable, to marry her. At the July drawing two hundred and forty-two women thus put themselves up for chance acquaintance with men, and the result of the drawing is announced in the next issue of the paper. Besides the matrimonial there is a pecuniary lottery, entirely distinct, where the amount of money to be distributed is small, but the privilege of buying a ticket is limited to patrons of the paper. Besides the notoriety which the journal achieves, money is made by the lottery business.

—It has been decided in Texas that a negro can marry a white woman whenever he finds one willing, but whether he is expected to shoot her if she refuses, as white men do, is not stated.

Prohibition and Low Taxes.

The Ballot Box the Citadel of the Rum Power.

ALL PERSONS who are in favor of suppressing those nurseries of crime, the rum shops, and of the election of men to office whose sympathies are not with the rum traffic, are invited to meet at **Sons of Temperance Hall**, (corner of Market and Linden Streets,) THIS (FRIDAY) EVENING, August 3d, at 7:45 o'clock, for the purpose of nominating officers to be supported at the coming Municipal Election.

Per Order
PROHIBITION CITY COMMITTEE.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD ONE are hereby notified to meet at the WARD ROOM on Elm Street, on FRIDAY EVENING, Aug. 3d, at half-past seven o'clock, to nominate candidates to be supported at the coming election, and to transact any other business that may come before them.

PER ORDER COMMITTEE.

WARD TWO.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD TWO are requested to meet at the COURT HOUSE at half-past seven o'clock, on FRIDAY EVENING, Aug. 3d, for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported at the ensuing municipal election, and to transact any other business that may come before the meeting. NEWTON JOHNSTON, Secretary.

WARD THREE.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD THREE are hereby notified to meet at the "GRANITE STATE PLANING MILL" on FRIDAY EVENING, Aug. 3d, at 7½ o'clock, for the purpose of choosing candidates to be supported at the coming city election, and transacting any other business coming before the meeting. PER ORDER WARD COMMITTEE.

WARD FOUR.

THE REPUBLICANS OF WARD FOUR are hereby notified to meet at the WARD ROOM on Water Street, on FRIDAY EVENING, August 3d, at 7½ o'clock, for the purpose of nominating candidates to be supported at the coming city election, and for transacting any other business that may come before the meeting. PER ORDER.

Check-List Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECK-LISTS give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, July 26th, Tuesday, July 31st, and Saturday, August 4th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 o'clock A. M., and from 1 to 2 P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

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A CHOICE TENEMENT of five rooms at No. 39 Hanover Street, very cheap.
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House to Let.

NO. 6 MELCHER STREET. Three rooms. Apply on the premises.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET.
Apply at 3 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 24 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

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A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to
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Store corner State and Washington streets.
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To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street.
For particulars apply to
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PART OF HOUSE corner of Lincoln and Miller Avenue. Apply at the house.

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HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Driscoe.
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THE very desirable BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 16 ISLINGTON ST. belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. Andrew Hussey. House contains twelve rooms and has a Brick Stable and large Garden attached. Possession given September 1st.
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Portsmouth, July 24, 1877.

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For further particulars enquire of
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THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq.
Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.
Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.
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Steamboat Excursion!
APPLEDORE, Capt. Robinson
Under the auspices of the
WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE LEAGUE,
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TUESDAY, AUGUST 7th.
Boat will leave Portsmouth at 11 A. M. Returning will leave Shoals at 3 30 P. M.
Tickets for the round trip, 75 cents. Children under 12 years, half-price.
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Every Other Thursday.
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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00,	6.59† P.M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00	
Portland	9.45 "	4.35,	6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	4.35	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.10 "	4.35	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.,	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

EASTERN RAILROAD MATTERS.

At half-past nine o'clock on the evening of the 1st inst., Sheriff Kent, armed with a writ drawn by Samuel C. Eastman, Esq., of Concord, proceeded to the round-house of the Eastern Railroad, and on behalf of the National Bank of Commerce of Boston, in a suit against the Eastern Road for $100,000, attached the locomotives numbered 16, 65, 67 and 89, and placed a keeper upon each engine. Aware of the great inconvenience to which the public would be subjected if the four locomotives were prevented from running next day, Col. Kent then informed station master Barrett of the condition of affairs, and that gentleman at once consulted with Mr. "Doc" Ferguson as to what could be done, the railroad officials being considerably "consternated" by the movement made. Col. Eastman, the bank's attorney, was at the Rockingham House, and after some hours an arrangement was effected by which the attached locomotives were allowed to run as usual, carrying the Sheriff's keepers with them at the expense of the road, thus avoiding any interruption of travel. Two of the engines referred to run on the Conway road and one on the Dover road, the other being used as a shifting engine at this station.

Two other writs were served simultaneously, one at North Conway and one at Wolfeboro', in another suit by the same bank against the Eastern Railroad, for $30,000, the engines numbered 20, 66, and 68 being attached at those places. The morning train from North Conway was brought down by engine No. 23, which has been stationed up country as a relief engine, or something of the kind, not being a first-class machine, as we are informed. Arrangements were made with Col. Eastman on Thursday, we hear, by which the engines attached up country can be run on the same terms as those seized in this city.

THE "GRANITE STATE."

The new ship "Granite State," built at Neal's shipyard at Kittery, is the largest, and is claimed by her owners to be the best built merchantman ever put together on the Piscataqua; and after a visit to this splendid specimen of naval architecture, and carefully inspecting her under the guidance of Capts. Marcy and Ross, and Messrs. John Neal and Charles H. Downs, we are strongly inclined to consider the claim fully substantiated, and that everything which experience could suggest or the most liberal outlay secure has been done to make the noble ship as firm as she should be to do honor to her name.

There has been used in the construction of the "Granite State" over 500,000 feet of yellow pine, 650 tons of ship timber, 35,000 feet of white pine, 100 tons of iron and a large amount of copper; she is very heavy fastened, and trenailed all through with the best of locust. Great care has been taken to utilize all her room to the best advantage, and throughout her accommodations are of the first order.

Her length over all is 252 feet; breadth of beam, 41 feet 6 inches; depth of hold, 24 feet. She has a long floor, is sharp fore and aft, will have a very large carrying capacity, and unless her model belies her will be a fast sailer. She has a five-foot poop running six feet forward of the mainmast, timbered up the same as a three-decked ship as far as the poop deck. There are four main keelsons sixteen inches square, fastened to the main keel with 1 1-2 inch iron; two sister keelsons each side of the main keelson, 30 by 13 inches, fastened with 1 1-4 inch iron. Her ceiling is of the best yellow pine, commencing at the floor timber heads with planks 14 by 15 inches, running up above the bilge; the remainder are 12 and 14 inches. The clamps are 10 inches, all square bolted with 1 1-4 inch iron. There are three lower deck water ways, similarly fastened. She has double beams in all her working hatchways; also double water ways on her upper deck. She is square bolted throughout, one bolt being driven out and the other in. The outside planking is of the best material and unusual thickness, and fastened in the most thorough manner.

The cabin and joiner work, by Mr. C. H. Downs of this city, reflect credit on the designer and master workman; better work has seldom been seen than in this ship. The after house is 48 feet long and 24 wide, having a pilot house in the forward end, and the main entrance to the forward and after cabins. The companionway ladder, of hard wood, on either hand leads into the forward cabin, which contains rooms for the officers, pilot room, steward's room and pantry, with bins and tanks for holding ship's stores. The forward cabin will be used as a dining saloon. The mizzen mast will be handsomely cased, and ornamented on the forward side with the New Hampshire coat of arms in a rich frame; an armory will be built on the after side.

The after cabin will be splendidly fitted, with all the modern improvements. The finish is white, enameled doors and panels, with Webster's latest patterns of moulding and caps. The gangway entrance leading to the after cabin is fitted with a hard wood ladder mounted with brass. The after cabin saloon is 15 feet long and 11 feet wide, lighted by sky and side-lights. There are spare staterooms, bath-room, closets, etc. The furniture is to be of the latest pattern and very handsome; and not the least important article is a very large and convenient medicine chest, which will be stocked by Mr. Wm. R. Preston.

While the "after-guard" have been so carefully provided for, the seamen have not been forgotten. The forward house, 43 feet long and 19 feet wide, has in its forward part two forecastles for the crew, with separate entrances to each, and with fittings for stoves in cold weather. There are berths for twenty men, and the arrangements for their comfort are the best we have ever seen. Aft of the forecastle are the boys' room, and carpenter's room, carpenter's shop, (extending the whole width of the house,) and the ship's galley, which is fitted with sinks, lockers and shelves arranged with an eye to cleanliness and comfort. The boys' sleeping rooms occupy the after end of the house. The important end of good ventilation has been sought to be attained in every room in the ship which is to be occupied by human beings.

The spar work, by Mr. William R. Martin, is being done in a manner which will maintain his deservedly high reputation as a mechanic. The lower masts are built of the best southern yellow pine, and heavily banded. The lengths are: fore, 79 feet; main, 82 feet; mizzen, 76 feet. The fore and main topmasts are each 51 feet long; the length of the maintopgallant, royal and skysailmast and pole is 67 feet. Length of main yard, 84 feet; topsail yard, 76; topgallant yard, 66; royal yard, 44; skysail yard, 34 feet. The bowsprit is 23 feet outboard and 30 inches in diameter. Her jibboon is 58 feet long. She will be fitted with double topsail yards.

The iron work is done by Mr. B. Frank Rice, the well known shipsmith of this city, and like all the rest of the work, is being done in the very best manner.

The rigging work, we regret to say, is to be done by Boston parties: not that it will not be well done, but we think our own riggers would have done it as well and as cheaply. Mr. Frank Low is the master rigger; the rigging is to be of wire, and the ship will have an extra topmast backstay to each side on all her masts, and double topgallant backstays.

She is fitted with Emerson's patent windlass, said to be the best in use, and Russell & Son's patent pumps.

Mr. John Neal is the master builder, and Mr. David Badger foreman. Capts. Marcy and Ross have given her their personal superintendence, and left nothing undone to make her as good as any ship ever built in the State of Maine, if not the best one ever built there. The "Granite State" is rated A 1 for eleven years in French Lloyds.

The owners are Messrs. Peter and Daniel Marcy and John Neal, and Capt. Ross, each owning one-fourth. She will be commanded by Capt. Ross, who has had marked success as a shipmaster for over twenty years.

It was intended to have launched the "Granite State" on Saturday, the 4th inst.; but the tide not serving right the launch has been postponed until next week, probably Wednesday or Thursday.

When launched she will be taken to the navy yard to be masted, rigged and ballasted, and will remain there until ready for sea.

The building of this vessel has given employment for many months to a large number of mechanics and laborers, many of whom would otherwise most probably have been idle much of the time; and if nothing else influenced us, the fact that she was built on the Piscataqua, and the money paid for labor distributed among our own workmen at a time of marked depression, would make us heartily wish success to the good ship "Granite State." Long may she float, and success attend all her ventures!

A SERVICEABLE RAILWAY CAR.

The Conway train from Boston that is due in this city at twenty-seven minutes past 10 A. M. was detained at this station a short time on Thursday morning by a "hot box" of a new car technically styled an "observation car." While the heated journal was being cooled, we stepped on board and examined this new addition to the rolling stock of one of the best equipped railroads in the country. The car is free from any superfluous adornment both outside and inside, but for comfort, cleanliness and convenience it is unsurpassed. It differs from the cars of this character that are being run on the Portland & Ogdensburg and some other roads, in the fact that its sides can be thrown entirely open to give the traveler a full view of the surrounding country, or they may be shut as closely from the weather as the ordinary passenger car. When closed it presents the appearance of a common car, but in three minutes or less it can be changed into such a shape that the occupant will conclude that he has been left out-of-doors. The interior is furnished with comfortable, high-backed, cane-seat chairs that revolve in space enough for the longest legs, and by their peculiar construction, give rest to the whole body, at the same time affording the best facilities for observation outside, or for conversing with traveling companions within. The car will seat seventy-five persons, leaving room for easy moving about among the sitters. It is arranged somewhat after the plan of the Pullman, only in many respects it is greatly to be preferred to the latter. There being no extra charge for seats in the new observation car, there is of course a great rush for them at the several stations, so that they are generally well filled. There is one such car a day each way on every through train from Boston to the White Mountains, and for such a luxury Gen. Rockwell (the President of the Eastern Road) deserves the thanks of the traveling public for thus catering still further to the comfort of the patrons of the road. While this road has had and is still having an unfortunate financial experience, still it is unsurpassed by any railroad in New England for the elegance, comfort and cleanliness of its passenger coaches, and Gen. Rockwell seems as fully determined to keep ahead of all competing lines in the matter of providing conveniences as any of his predecessors.

THE FLOUR SHOW.

The exhibition of the cooking qualities of Hecker's self-raising flours at N. F. Mathes & Co's store, Thursday afternoon, was attended by over a thousand persons, most of whom were ladies, the "best families" of the city being largely represented. A range and gas stove were used for cooking, and bread was made by Mr. John Stevens of the Sailor's Home, and cake by Mr. George Rice, in large quantities, and distributed among the ladies present, who were quite enthusiastic over the merits of the newly-introduced (in this market) flours. Very nice jellies were made of the farina, at five minutes' notice, by Mr. Rice. Generous sample packages of the flours were given away to the ladies in attendance.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

The Republican Mayoralty caucus was held Thursday evening, the result being as follows:

Whole number of votes	444
Necessary for a choice	223
James A. Waterhouse had	1
Frank W. Miller	6
John H. Broughton	437

And Mr. Broughton was declared the republican candidate for Mayor.

JOTTINGS.

Republican caucuses in wards one, two, three and four this evening.

The Prohibition Caucus takes place this evening at Sons of Temperance Hall. See advertisement.

Morse & Ilsley will sell to-day (commencing at noon) to the highest bidder, house No. 95 State street, house No. 25 Gates street, four lots of land on Lincoln avenue, house No. 36 Deer street, and other desirable real estate, belonging to the bankrupt estate of J. C. Carr. Sale positive. See advertisement.

In our report of the first meeting of the Board of Instruction it was stated that Rev. Mr. DeNormandie was chosen chairman. This was an error; the Mayor, by the act of the Legislature creating the Board, is chairman *ex officio*. We overhauled the compositor severely for setting the report up as he did, and the only excuse he had to offer for his conduct was that he set up the item exactly as we wrote it.

The flood-gates of the North Mill-pond were lashed open on Thursday, allowing the water to flow out with the ebb of the tide, so as to allow of repairs being made to the tide-mill. The pond of course ran out much quicker and to a much lower level than usual; and as the water became shallow, and foul from the accumulation of sewage in the channel near the bridge, great numbers of fish, principally plaice and frost-fish, (both bottom-rangers,) appeared on the surface, evidently in distress and seeking to escape into deeper and purer water. Boys armed with spears caught many of the fish from the bridge, and hundreds died and floated back downward on the surface.

Fishing Schooner Lady Lincoln, Joseph Martin master, from Rockport, Mass., bound east, was lying in the lower harbor on the afternoon of the 2d inst., when two of the crew got into a row, and one of them, a Swede named Andrew Peterson, went for the other one, a Spaniard named Joseph Costa, with a fork, and Costa stabbed Peterson in the left side with a knife about four inches long, but the knife struck a rib, so the wound was not fatal. Both men were brought up to this city.

Lieut. Edward Woodman, U. S. N., formerly for a time stationed at this navy yard, died at Elizabeth, N. J. Aug. 2d, of malarial fever. He was a son of Hon. Charles W. Woodman of Dover, and was an officer of much promise.

Haymaking in the Hampton marshes has now set in as a steady job.

The Sunday School scholar that stands the highest in the State of New Hampshire is the youth at the Sabbath School organized by Mrs. John W. Dodge at the Summit House on top of Mount Washington as, he rises and begins "If I from sinful ways depart.

The medical man (!) of the CHRONICLE, in speaking of the autopsy on the body of Daley, says it disclosed "the fact that the knife entered the heart without touching the vital portion, thus prolonging what would otherwise have been an instantaneous death." Will he inform an anxious public what he means?—*Times, July* 9th.

A tramp who was arrested yesterday by the sheriff in Clinton, Maine, escaped and ran, and drawing a pistol, shot at one of his pursuers, the ball striking Mr. Cushman Brown in the groin. He then shot himself through the heart, and will probably die.—*Times, Aug* 1st.

—One of the striking costumes worn by bathers in the surf at Cape May is a lady's outfit glistening all over with silver anchors. These emblems of steadfastness did not, however, prevent their wearer from being knocked down by a big wave the other day and having to be ignominiously dragged up on shore by a fellow bather.

—The Murphy movement has begun in Illinois—They are shipping large quantities of Irish potatoes east.

—The latest sentimental poem is entitled "At the Bar." It was penned at a summer resort hotel, a half-an-hour before breakfast by the man who told his wife he was going out to look at the surf.

DIED.

AYERS. In this city, August 2, Mrs. Martha H. Ayers, aged 71 years and 6 months, wife of Mr. Oliver Ayers.

☞ Funeral on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from her late residence, No. 5 Melcher street.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, August 2.

Steam yacht Three Brothers, Emmons, Gloucester.
Sch Free Wind, Frisbie, Hoboken.
Sch Florence Hall, Keen, New York.
Sch Elizabeth M Smith, Raymond, Boston.

Sch D K Ham, Freeman, from this port arr at Boston, Aug 1.
Sch John D Williams, Pierce, from Philadelphia for this port arr at Vineyard Haven July 31.
Sch Mary J Adams, Coombs, from New Bedford arr at New York July 31.

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Caskets, Coffins and Robes
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Corner Daniel & Penhallow Streets.

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The subscriber having disposed of his
BOOKSTORE
—TO—
MR. WILLIS G. MYERS,
Desires hereby to return his thanks to his friends and the public for the liberal patronage he has received for so many years, and to solicit a full continuance of the same to his successor, assuring them that they will find him eminently deserving of their confidence, and earnestly desirous of retaining their custom by strict attention to the business and honorable and liberal dealing.
JOSEPH H. FOSTER.
Portsmouth, N. H., August 1, 1877.

WILLIS G. MYERS.
Respectfully announces to the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity that he has purchased of Mr. J. H. FOSTER, his well know and long established
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and solicits the continuance of the patronage which has been given to his predecessor, and which he will endeavor to merit by keeping a full and well selected variety of Books, Stationery, Fancy Goods, Room Papers, Spectacles and all other goods in his line, and by prompt attention to business and low prices.
Portsmouth, N. H., August 1, 1877.

A FINE ASSORTMENT
—OF—
SUMMER LAP--ROBES
—AT—
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Girl Wanted.
TO do general housework in a small family. Apply in the forenoon at
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Boneless Sugar-Cured Breakfast Bacon
—AND—
SMALL PIG HAMS,
GOSHEN PINE APPLE
—AND—
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At Lowest Rates.
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PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

Lost.
ON THURSDAY, July 26, on board steamer Appledore, a BUNCH OF KEYS with the name of W. ROBINSON, SALISBURY, MASS., on the Tag. These keys are of great value to the owner, and a handsome reward will be paid to the finder on leaving them with CAPT. WM. ROBINSON, Steamer Appledore.

WINE - CHAMPAGNE - WINE
20 BASKETS H. PIPER & CO'S.
(Quarts and Pints.) For Sale by
Henry F. Gerrish.

BERGNER & ENGEL'S
PHILADELPHIA LAGER!
FOR SALE BY
Henry F. Gerrish.

20 CASES CLARET WINE.
(Pints and Quarts.) For Sale by
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10,000 Plantation Cigars
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250 Bushels Herds Grass, Clover and Red Top Seed,
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GOODS.
—AT—
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NO. 8 MARKET SQUARE.
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Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed
HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR
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ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
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Constantly on hand, consisting of
Bosoms, Gloves, Suspenders, Collars, Linen Goods, Drawers, Handkerchiefs, Shirts,
Of Every Description.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
AT AUCTION.
United States District Court.
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton, and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts. To all whom it may concern: Take notice that I shall sell at Public Auction, to the highest bidder
On FRIDAY, August 3, 1877,
At twelve o'clock, M.,
On the premises, the HOMESTEAD of J. C. CARR, situate Number 95 State Street, Portsmouth. This estate is well known as a desirable situation in one of the best neighborhoods in Portsmouth.
At half-past twelve o'clock, M.,
On the same day will be sold, on the premises, the double tenement HOUSE and LAND Number 25 Gates Street.
At one o'clock, P. M.,
Will be sold on the premises, four LOTS OF LAND on Lincoln Avenue, containing about five thousand feet each; these lots are in a desirable locality, and well worth the attention of buyers.
At half-past one o'clock, P. M.,
Will be sold the three-story HOUSE Number 36 on the south side of Deer Street, with the TENEMENT in the rear, to be sold separately or in one lot, as may be then designated.
At two o'clock, P. M.,
Will be sold, on the premises, HOUSE and LOT at corner of Cornwall and McDonough Streets.
At half-past two o'clock, P. M.,
Will be sold, on the premises, the two-story DOUBLE HOUSE, situate Numbers 1 and 3 Rockingham Street.
All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.
Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named real estate to the purchaser or purchasers, except her right to Homestead in House No. 95 State street.
Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.
For further particulars inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.
Dated July 7th, 1877.
CHARLES S. SYMONDS, Assignee.
MORSE & ILSLEY, Auctioneers.

Auction Sales.

Assignee's Sale at Auction.
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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by drains of the owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may rise above the time above specified, shall immediately cause the same to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person in his family is sick with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vault or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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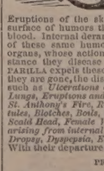

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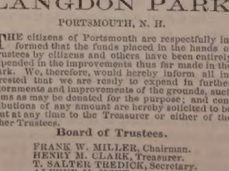

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury, and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FURSTE, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

TO A PINK POND LILY.

What strange, new joy has reached thy heart of gold,
Tinging thy petals with a rosy light,
Causing thy waxen leaves, as they unfold,
With ecstasy to blush away their white?

Art flushed with thine own loveliness, or shy
With wondering o'er thy new-born bloom—
Hast thou found happiness, or dost thou sigh
At thy increase of beauty and perfume?

Dost grieve to find thyself less white
Though fairer than the blossoms of thy name?
Must thou regret because we find delight
In coveting thy beauty for thy fame?

Was it the rapturous dawning of a love
That warmed thy cold that to a radiant glow—
Bringing a message from the world above
To add new beauty to the world below?

Ah, strange, sweet flower; the answer in thy face
Our hearts interpret with a tender pain.
We feel the passion and the pathos of thy grace,
Sigh to behold, and looking, sigh again.

SARA JEWETT.

Psychological Influence.

Dr. George M. Beard read a paper on "The influence of Mind in the Causation and Cure of Disease." Dr. Beard cited two cases of organic disease of the spine which has received decided temporary relief while sitting under blue glass. The opinion was expressed that in time all works on therapeutics must include a chapter on mental therapeutics. From experiments and study, Dr. Beard was able to make the following psychological suggestions:—

First.—The ill success of patients treating themselves, and of physicians treating their own families, was partly due to the want of awe and the emotion of wonder to co-operate with them.

Second.—The old custom of keeping patients ignorant of the contents of prescriptions by writing them in Latin had psychology on its side. Possibly we may be going too far the other way.

Third.—It is entirely possible that hydrophobia and tetanus may be brought on, with all their distinctive symptoms, and that death may result, through the emotions of fear and expectation alone.

Fourth.—Patients whose will and intellect are feeble have a bad prognosis, for with them the subjective symptoms are trifling, and vice versa.

Fifth.—Physicians of great scientific attainments and real worth may fail when an ignorant and obscure charlatan succeeds, because in the latter wonder and awe are excited, and these are more powerful therapeutically than simple respect.

Sixth.—In experimenting in hospital with new medicines, patients must be deceived, or else the results are complicated by mental influence.—*Medical Record.*

Riots of the Past

Under a popular system of government, there ought to be no such thing as a riot to enforce a popular claim of any kind; but the people of a free country are not unlike those who live under a despotism, and there is always an element ready to break out into furious demonstrations to right what is regarded as a grievance. A list of some of the most notable riots since the Revolution, will be found to include the following:

In July, 1812, at Baltimore, a newspaper opposed to the war with England was demolished.

Sept. 24, 1831, four persons were killed by the militia in a riot at Providence.

August 18, 1835, several men killed and wounded in a riot at Baltimore, about the Bank of Maryland.

July 10-12, 1834, a riot occurred in New York City, about the supposed aims and objects of the Abolitionists, who were accused of promoting amalgamation.

August 11, 1834, a Catholic seminary or nunnery was burned at Charlestown, Mass.

August 12, 1834, forty houses were destroyed in an "abolition" riot in Philadelphia.

February 18, 1837, a riot was caused by the "hard times" and high prices of flour, and flour warehouses were sacked and the flour destroyed in New York.

May 17, 1838, Pennsylvania Hall and other buildings were destroyed by an "abolition" riot.

December 8, 1838, the Pennsylvania Legislature was broken up by a mob, and after several days of riot the militia were called out to suppress the rioters.

May 6, 1844, in a riot between native Americans and Irishmen, thirty houses were burned, fourteen persons killed and forty wounded. The military were called out to suppress the mob. The riot was renewed, July 4, 1844, when five thousand troops were called out and from forty to fifty killed before the mob was quelled in Philadelphia.

The Anti-Rent riots in Albany, Rensselaer, Delaware and Columbia counties from 1844 to 1847, were put down by the State militia of New York after much disturbance and destruction of property.

The Astor place riot, between the friends of Forest and Macready, took place May 10, 1849, when several persons, among them very many innocent spectators, were killed.

The great Anti-draft riot in New York, July 13-16, 1863, was the latest outbreak of the mob spirit upon any great scale previous to the present deplorable railroad riots, which have shocked and saddened the country, and caused great loss of life and property.—*Rochester Express.*

—"Bogus ten-cent pieces are floating around." When you see a ten-cent piece float, be sure it's bogus.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 4, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Aug. 2.

A great many, including Government officials who from their ample data are prepared to render intelligent judgment, are not deceived into a false security because the embargoes upon the roads have been relieved, and the trains are again running on schedule time. It is known that nearly or quite half a million of men who were leisurely perambulating the country when the outbreak occurred, who hastened to the centres of disturbances, gorged themselves with the spoils and were guilty of almost every excess known to the criminal code during the reign of terror, and who hastily scattered when order was so far restored as to make their punishment a foregone conclusion if they remained longer, are at their old tricks and ready to repeat their crimes at the first opportunity. A majority of them are loafers from choice. They will not work so long as they can gain a precarious subsistence by begging or intimidation. The cities are alike, with a class equally or more dangerous because their proximity to their fellow ruffians afford better opportunities for organization and concerted action. The fruits of their united reign for a few hours during the collapse of State and municipal authority are seen in the scores of new made graves, and in the ruins of millions of dollars' worth of property, still smoking at Baltimore, Reading, Pittsburg, Buffalo, Chicago, St. Louis, San Francisco and other points. They are only temporarily daunted and would return to the work of rapine and desolation with an added ferocity from their recent successes. Their capture and exemplary punishment, if it should fill every penitentiary to overflowing, is deemed the first duty; and as it was the skeleton of a Federal army that finally rescued us and that now stands between us and anarchy, almost the first thought was to increase its efficiency, by adding to its numbers. But evidence is not lacking to show that Congressional demagogues are preparing to oppose any increase of either army or navy, hoping thereby to increase their home popularity with the *canaille*. They will counterfeit a sympathy for the rabble, on the pretence that they are with labor in its fight with captial—endanger every interest—to advance their petty schemes for personal aggrandizement or to enhance the chances of partisan triumph. Were the sneering manners of these contemptible trimmers and time servers when alluding here to their constituencies, generally known among their supporters at home, it is likly that every man of them would be retired at the next election. We have the authority of the Baltimore *Sun's* correspondent for the statement that a Pennsylvania member has already indicated his purpose to secure the approbation of the Simon Tappertits of his District by urging the distribution of $10,000,000, from the Treasury, among the working people.

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Attempted Train Wrecking.

A fiendish attempt was made Thursday morning to destroy or wreck a train of cars on the Concord Railroad, about three miles from Nashua. The particulars are as follows: When the section man, as is the custom in the morning, went over the line with his hand-car, he discovered that the rails near the entrance to the Pennichuck Bridge, which spans a brook of that name, had been tampered with. Further examination also disclosed the fact that both the rails on the down track had been loosed by some miscreants. The rails were thirty feet in length, and were the second length above the bridge in the town of Merrimack. The "fish bars" and the bolts had been removed, making the connection at the upper end of the rail, and the spikes which held the iron to the ties had been drawn and carried away, leaving the rails only attached to the road-bed by their weight, and the "fish-bars" at one end, and near by was found a small pinch bar and an old shovel. The bar was marked "Concord and Manchester R. R." The morning down passenger train was due at this point in a few moments and the iron had hardly been secured in its place before the train with its passengers went rushing past. It was a fortunate discovery for the passengers. If it had not been made in season to have been repaired, undoubtedly the engine, cars and their living freight of passengers would have been hurled from the abutments of the bridge, a distance of thirty feet to the rocky bed of the Pennichuck Brook below, and many have met a horrible death. It is supposed that the rails were tampered with after the morning freight train which arrives in Nashua at 5.15 had passed this point; it reached the depot all right. What the object of the wreckers was, is hard to conjecture, whether robbery or an old grudge against the company.

A London Scandal.

A London letter-writer says "London is now sorely scandalized over the elopement of Mr. Hungerford, a young man of good family whose wife is a leading personage in the "Prince of Wales' set," with Lady Tempest, the wife of Sir Charles Henry Tempest, bart., of Lancashire and Upper Grosvenor street, London. Sir Charles Tempest and his wife both belong to the old Catholic gentry of England. Sir Charles' mother was a daughter of Sir Thomas de Trafford, the head of one of the staunchest Catholic English houses. He was born in 1834, and fourteen years ago married Miss Hibbert, a daughter of Washington Hibbert, perhaps the most popular and highly esteemed Catholic gentleman of his time in England. That lady died after a short married life of two years, and Sir Charles Tempest was married for the second time in 1874, to Miss Harriette Gordon, a daughter of Captain Gordon of the forty-second Highlanders. The marriage was supposed to be a very happy one, and the sudden elopement of Lady Tempest has created therefore an uncommon excitement, especially in the best Catholic circles in England, in which Sir Chas. Tempest is universally esteemed."

Referring to this matter a correspondent of the Milwaukee *Sentinel*, writing from Racine, says:

"Tempest came to Racine in 1857. He was then an officer in the British army, but had been forced to leave the country for throwing his superior officer from the balcony into the parquet of a theatre. When he arrived here, under his assumed name of Charles Stuart, he went into business with a man named Loker, as forwarding and commission merchants. He ran things with a high hand. A first-class loafer and dead beat, he got into debt to everybody who would trust him. He was over-bearing, quarrelsome, and at all times under the surveillance of a man employed by his older brother to watch him. In 1860 or 1861 his brother died, and by this he gained the estate and title he now holds. He went back to England, and he married the lady who has now deserted him. The general opinion here is that she showed her good sense in leaving him, and the only wonder is that she remained with him as long as she did. Many of our citizens have cause to remember him, and would be glad to even get the amount of interest on their little accounts against him."

News and Notes.

Fully 1500 people witnessed the match between the Excelsior hand engine of Auburn, Me., and the Triumph of Berwick, which took place in Saco Thursday afternoon. The Triumph played a horizontal stream of 218 feet 8 inches, and the Excelsior 210 feet 4 inches. The victors were loudly cheered.

Detective C. S. Bell has been arrested at Washington upon a requisition from the Governor of Texas, charged with the murder of William Morris, in Texas, in 1869. Bell will be taken back to Texas at once. He was the official detective of General J. J. Reynolds commanding the military of the district of Texas during the reconstruction measures, and rendered much valuable service in the pursuit of lawless characters. He broke up several gangs of notorious outlaws, among them the Taylor gang, long a terror in that section of the country. In many instances he, alone and unaided, arrested desperate characters, who were known to have killed from one to ten persons each. He also acted as spy for General Grant during the Vicksburg campaign, holding at the same time a commission in General Shelby's Confederate cavalry, as a cover to his operations for the Federal commander. Bell is known throughout the Southwest as a desperate and fearless man.

Minister Pierrepont desires it to be understood that he has not had armorial bearings on his carriage, nor "anything but the initials E. P." Of the absence of General Grant and himself from the funeral of Mr. Motley he writes, in a personal letter to his father-in-law, Col. Willoughby of Saratoga: "Mr. Motley had been Minister to England, knew the etiquette well, and no one was a greater stickler for it. He never called upon me, although I had met him and conversed with him. Notwithstanding that, the day I heard of his death I called at the house, left my card and condolence, and although it was well known General Grant was my guest, neither of us received the slightest notice of where or at what hour the funeral was to take place."

The Pittsburg papers which abetted the strikers and belittled the militia have been making a hero of a young railroad employe named Robert Ammond, who undertook to run the road in the interests of the strikers. He did so for three days, and it is proudly recorded of him that in that time no accident occurred and no passes were issued without the young man's counter-signature. He is in his 25th year—tall, slender, intelligent, quick and forcible. With all his mistakes, he avers that he has never tasted a drop of strong drink. A year ago he came with a letter of introduction to Mr. Laying, admitting he had been wild, but expressing a desire to reform. He was placed on the road as brakeman, and soon attained a wonderful influence among his fellows.

The world moves. Hon. Alexander H. Stephens of Georgia appeared in Court recently as the attorney of a blind colored man.

Mr. Watterson not only lays aside his armor but he rises in the *Courier-Journal* to say that he put it on at the suggestion of Mr. Tilden. Speaking of his famous idea of massing 100,000 petitioners at Washington, during the counting of the Electoral vote, he says: "The hint was dropped by one who stood sufficiently near Mr. Tilden to justify the suspicion that it had not fallen without authority. It was dropped at a moment when the democrats were clamoring for a word and complaining that there was not so much as a shadow of a cue either to organization or action. Admit, for the sake of argument, that it was impracticable—a mere folly; yet it proposed something in the absence of every thing like movement." Confession is good for the soul, but nearly all of the current democratic confession consists of a mere unloading of responsibility upon Mr. Tilden's shoulders. There never was a man so treated by his friends before.—*Tribune.*

It has been clearly shown at the inquest at Pittsburg that the Philadelphia soldiers did not fire until two of their comrades had fallen. The first shots were fired by one of the mob, "a tall, thin man, wearing an old straw hat drawn down over his face," who went to work in a most business-like fashion. "He loaded his gun on the sidewalk," said one of the witnesses, "walked out into the middle of the street, kneeled down and shot at the soldiers. Then he walked over to the left and prepared his piece again."

The New York *World*, the organ of the free trade democracy, talks as follows on the labor question: "The American laborer must make up his mind henceforth not to be so much better off than the European laborer. Men must be content to work for less wages. * * * In this way the workingman will be nearer to that station of life to which it has pleased God to call him."

The whaler E. J. McKinnon, from the Arctic Ocean, reports having received information from the natives at Point Hope, through Capt. Ravens of the brig Miranda, that the men who were left on the abandoned whaling fleet last season are at Point Belcher. Nothing is known of the abandoned vessels.

Mr. Hans Breitmann Leland has presented to the British Museum a copy of President Lincoln's Emancipation Proclamation bearing the autograph signature of the President himself, countersigned by Mr. Seward, Secretary of State, and with his autograph. Only a very few copies were issued with these autograph signatures, and they have now become excessively difficult to procure.

Jay Gould was knocked down a cellar way in New York on Thursday, by a friend of James R. Keene.

A cigar box factory in Cincinnati was burned Friday, and four girls perished in the flames.

Schooner Florence, Capt. Tyson, sailed from New London for the Arctic regions on the 2d inst.

Seven men who were repairing a furnance lining at Pittsburg, Pa., Friday, were dropped into the furnace through the staging ropes being burned off. Two were taken out dead, and the others will die.

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If one could only be fortunate in these days of misfortune, it would be worth one's while to write to M. A. Dauphin, Box 692, P. O., New Orleans, La., for the particulars of the September drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery Company, under the supervision, as commissioners, of Generals P. T. Beauregard and Jubal Early.—Tickets are only two dollars.

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—Backgammon is once more very fashionable.

Check-List Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECK-LISTS give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, July 26th, Tuesday, July 31st, and Saturday, August 4th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 o'clock A. M., and from 1 to 2 P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing information to any person whose name may have been omitted and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said county, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

L.S. } You are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Elm Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the ollowing purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

L.S. } You are hereby notified to meet at the Court House on Court Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this 21st day of July, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest.
NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAMUEL H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

L.S. } You are hereby notified to meet at the Office of Joseph Walton on Islington street, near the Creek in said Ward, on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot one Alderman, two Members of the Common Council one Assessor of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

L.S. } You are hereby notified to meet at the Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot two Aldermen, four Members of the Common Council, one Assessor of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT B. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT B. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

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To Let.

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Apply at 3 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant streets. Apply to
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House to Let.

A DESIRABLE and convenient BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, 10 rooms, in good repair, with a fine garden. Apply to
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To Let.

HALF-HOUSE ON MELCHER STREET, near Pleasant. Seven rooms, water in house; rent low to a good tenant. Apply at
No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 9 Ladd Street, recently occupied by J. M. Tobbetts.
House No. 36 Deer Street.
Brick House No. 56 State Street.
Store corner State and Washington streets.
House No. 5 Rockingham Street.
Apply to
A. F. HOWARD, Custom House.

To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street.
For particulars apply to
WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square,
or HENRY A. YEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market Street.

To Rent.

PART OF HOUSE corner of Lincoln and Miller Avenue. Apply at the house.

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Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,
at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

For Sale or To Let.

THE very desirable BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 16 ISLINGTON ST. belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. Andrew Jackson. House contains twelve rooms and has a Brick Stable and large Garden attached. Possession given September 1st.
For terms apply to
J. W. STAVERS, 64 Islington St.
Portsmouth, July 24, 1877.

Farm for Sale.

THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Brown) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 28x33 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 22x60 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.
For further particulars enquire of
JAMES JANVRIN,
No. 38 South Street.

Lots of Land for Sale.

THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq.

Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

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WOMAN'S TEMPERANCE LEAGUE,

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Boat will leave Portsmouth at 11 A. M. Returning, will leave Shoals at 3:30 P. M.

☞ Tickets for the round trip, 75 cents. Children under 12 years, half-price.

Tickets may be obtained at David Kimball & Co's, and of the Secretary of the Society. All friends of the cause of Temperance are earnestly requested to give us their patronage.

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CAPT. WM. ROBINSON,

Every Other Thursday.

Commencing on July 12th, and continuing on July 26th, Aug. 9th, Aug. 23d, and Sept. 6th.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	5.45 "		4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "		6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	8.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.30 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.29 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

REAL ESTATE SALE.

On Friday a portion of the real estate belonging to the bankrupt estate of J. C. Carr was sold at auction by Morse & Ilsley, the prices obtained being generally very fair. House No. 95 State street, (sold subject to Mrs. Carr's right of dower and homestead,) was purchased for $2000 by Mrs. J. C. Carr. House No. 25 Gates street was sold to John Quinn for $850; house No. 36 Deer street to Edmund Whalley for $1290, and the small house in rear of same to Charles H. Mendum for $435; house corner of Cornwall and McDonough streets to B. F. Webster for $810; house Nos. 1 and 2 Rockingham street to Samuel Maddox for $1180; lot of land on Lincoln avenue to John H. Hutchinson for $272.50; lot of land on Lincoln avenue to Stephen A. Preble for $282.50.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at 4 o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service. Rev. Rufus W. Clark, Jr., of Detroit, formerly Rector of St. John's in this city, will address the children to-morrow.

At the Methodist church, services as usual. The pulpit will be supplied by Rev. C. E. Hall of Nashua. Sacrament of the Lord's Supper after the afternoon service.

Rev. E. L. Conger, of Concord, will preach in the Universalist church in the forenoon.

The Reform Club will be addressed at Mechanics' Hall at 8 o'clock in the evening, by Rev. E. L. Conger of Concord. Collection to defray expenses.

JOTTINGS.

Members of the Band of Hope, are especially requested to be present this (Saturday) afternoon at Mechanics' Hall at three o'clock. Arrangements are to be made for a Picnic at an early day; also to complete the preparation for the Exhibition to be given in September in the interest of the Band of Hope.

At the annual meeting of the corporation of the Portsmouth Savings Bank, held on July 1st, Messrs. Charles H. Rollins and Thomas E. Call were elected Trustees, succeeding True M. Ball, resigned, and Jos. Hiller Foster, elected Treasurer. The remaining trustees of last year were re-elected, as was the President, Hon. William Simes, and Joseph H. Foster, Treasurer. Messrs. John Laighton and Justin V. Hanscom were added to the members of the corporation, in place of William M. Shackford and James F. Shores, deceased members.

The two men, Costa and Peterson, who engaged in a drunken row on board schooner Lady Lincoln in the lower harbor on Thursday afternoon, in which one got prodded in the back with a fork and the other was stabbed in the side with a knife, were delivered up to the authorities at Kittery by Sheriff Kent on Friday, he having discovered that the vessel was at anchor on the Maine side of the river when the row occurred. This saves to this county quite a bill for court expenses.

The draw of Noble's Island bridge, some weeks ago found to be too narrow to allow of the passage of the new ship built by Mr. Fernald at the Raynes shipyard, has been widened sufficiently to let her through. No piles nor heavy timbers had to be disturbed, as the passage was wide enough except at a few points where the men engaged in repairing the bridge from time to time had broken the straight line of the draw. The bridge authorities showed every disposition to accommodate, and obviated the trouble as soon as it was brought to their notice.

The Eastern Railroad engines that were attached on Wednesday on behalf of the National Bank of Commerce, of Boston, were run next day over the Conway and Dover branches with a keeper in possession of each, but a new and most convenient arrangement was effected Thursday afternoon. The engineers and firemen belonging to the engines were discharged by the company, duly appointed keepers by the Sheriff, and on Friday filled the double positions of railroad men and Sheriff's officers, running their engines with just as much care and bearing themselves with just as modest mein as before they were promoted to official honors.

Ship Daniel Marcy, Bicknell, from Manila for New York, before reported lost, went ashore in Gasper straits, May 18th, during a fog, with very light winds. She was set on the reef by a heavy swell at eight o'clock in the evening; stove a hole in her bottom, fell over on her side and filled with water. At twelve o'clock the crew took to the boats and landed at the lighthouse, where they were hospitably received and provided with the necessaries of life. Afterwards they proceeded to Singapore. Captain Bicknell remained by the wreck to save everything possible. The hemp of her cargo, her sails, rigging and ground tackle may be saved. She was owned by J. Henry Sears & Co., of Boston, and is insured there.

On Friday afternoon Mr. Oliver Clark, while at work on the upper floor of the house of Mr. J. Albert Walker on Islington street, which is now being repaired, was precipitated to the cellar by the giving way of the floor. His head was badly cut, but no bones were broken.

It may not be generally known how extensive is the laundrying establishment of Mr. J. Haydn Smith, on Market street. It occupies seven rooms, including two drying rooms for use in rainy weather; seven skilled persons are employed; and Mr. Smith, who is aware that at the start there were some unavoidable mistakes, now guarantees entire satisfaction to all patrons. Any articles not properly laundried will be relaundried without charge. Nearly all the hotels in this vicinity, and many persons in neighboring towns, are his patrons; but he has facilities for a much larger business, and asks those who have anything to do in his line to give him one trial. Front entrance at 37 Market street; rear entrance 31 Penhallow street.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

WARD TWO.

Aldermen, Charles H. Sides, Henry A. Yeaton, Plumer D. Norton.

Councilmen, Elbridge Prior, John Wood, John S. Whidden, William A. Hodgdon, Arthur W. Walker, Oliver Jellison.

Selectmen, Newton Johnston, Samuel H. Kingsbury, Benjamin F. Winn.

Inspectors, Casper M. Tredick, William H. Deverson.

Assessors, Alfred Stavers, Charles H. Mendum, B. F. Webster.

Moderator, Washington Freeman.

Overseer of the Poor, Charles H. Joy.

Ward Clerk, Edwin H. Leslie.

WARD THREE.

Alderman, William Sladen.

Councilmen, Joseph O. Ham, George H. Abbott.

Selectmen, John Walsh, Jr., Jacob Haddock, Charles A. C. Gray.

Ward Clerk, Daniel J. Spinney.

Moderator, Elijah Clough.

Assessor of Taxes, Thomas Wiggin.

Overseer of the Poor, Thomas Lester.

Supervisor of Checklists, Samuel S. Whidden.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

WARD ONE.

Aldermen, Marcellus Eldredge, John S. Treat, Henry R. Stoddard.

Councilmen, John W. Caswell, Samuel J. Gerrish, Charles E. Boynton, Charles H. Garrett, Nathan Whalley, John H. Dodge.

Assessors, Daniel Littlefield, Uriah Blaisdell, Joseph Parry.

Inspectors, Winthrop Hoyt, Daniel J. Ayers.

Overseer of Poor, James M. Sheldon.

Moderator, Sames F. Jenness.

WARD THREE.

Alderman, Edward D. Coffin.

Councilmen, Joseph A. Buzzell, John A. Hammond.

Assessor, Jeremiah Sanborn.

Overseer of the Poor, Samuel S. Frye.

Inspector, Frank G. Sherburne.

Moderator, Charles S. Frye.

Selectmen, James G. Locke, Atwood J. Adams, Harry J. Freeman.

Ward Clerk, William H. Canty.

LITTLE BOAR'S HEAD.

The new Union chapel, to be used for the first time to-morrow morning, at Little Boar's Head, is pleasantly located fronting the avenue leading by the cottage of Mr. Albert Salter. Its exterior is attractive in appearance and the interior beautifully finished. The building was erected by contract, by Hutchins & Maddox of Lawrence. The fresco painting was done by Main, of Haverhill, Mass.; the outside painting by Kerr & Murray, of Lawrence. A generous lady stopping at Little Boar's Head gave an order for the carpets for the chancel on Friday, to be sent at her expense, ready to be put down, next day. Another visitor has supplied the hymn books, as a donation.

The services on Sunday will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Hickey, Congregationalist, from Philadelphia.

The recent donations have been, in addition to the receipts at the fair, about five hundred dollars. The edifice cost about three thousand dollars, and is creditable alike to the good taste and liberality of the habitues of this charming locality.

New Hampshire Items.

The lusty twins, Isaac B. and Jacob A. Chesley, aged 89, who have been credited with living at Rochester, N. Y., were born at Rochester N. H., and have lived at Wakefield for over sixty years. Isaac is married, but Jacob is a bachelor, and the two are said to be as active as ordinary people of 60.

Miss A. L. Smiley, a former teacher in the Normal School at Plymouth, has been elected preceptress of the New London Institution.

The New Hampshire Sabbath School Association have decided to hold their annual session in Nashua, commencing November 3d, and continuing four days. Dr. J. H. Vincent will be present, and participate in the deliberations, together with other prominent divines.

Clarence Woodsum, the engineer of the little steamer that blew up on Sunapee lake, and who was badly scalded, died on the night of Wednesday, 1st inst.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 154.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

The immigrant of the Shurtleff family in New England was William. The name was sometime written Shetle and Shirtley. It is not known when William Shirtleff came over, but he was in Plymouth, Mass. in 1634. His wife was Elizabeth Lettice of that town, and by trade he was a carpenter. He moved to Marshfield about 1660. June 23, 1666, he was killed by lightning. He was holding one of his children and another was hanging on him, but neither was injured.

William, son of the above, lived in Plymouth, and had eighteen children. The third was William, who graduated at Harvard College in 1707 and was settled as pastor of the church in Newcastle in 1712. He was the second minister of that church. He married Mary Atkinson, daughter of Theodore Atkinson of Newcastle. He was pastor there twenty years, and on being dismissed in 1732, was settled as pastor of the old South church in Portsmouth, Feb. 21, 1733. He died May 9, 1747, aged 58. He was buried under the old South church. The church not being of much use, some years ago was demolished, we think. Sept. 13, 1863, the remains of Mr. Shurtleff and his successors in the pastoral office, were exhumed, and what few bones, etc. were found were removed to Auburn Cemetery, where a monument marks their resting place. Mr. Shurtleff had been buried 112 and Mr. Strong 116 years.

The Newsboys' Dog.

The newsboys of Galveston have long been the owners of a large Newfoundland dog, which answered to friendly salutations when addressed as "Tige." He was an intelligent animal, and enjoyed the benefits of a good education in his peculiar line of business. He knew all the police officers of the city, and whenever the boys felt like regaling themselves in a social game of "chuck-a-luck" or "high die" Tige took up his position on the ramparts of safety, and never failed to give the alarm when a "peeler" hove in sight. During the Christmas holidays and on all state occasions he was decorated with all the gorgeous paraphernalia that the inventive talents of his keepers could suggest, and invariably, at the extremity of his caudal appendage, a "bunch of blue ribbon" and of which he was very proud, if the wag of his tail high in air could be taken as an indication of his internal emotions. Yesterday about 12 o'clock, while rambling around the city in quest of his usual amount of recreation, Tige had the misfortune to encounter a stray piece of medicated dog meat. He looked at it, smelled at it, and concluding that it was right, he opened his mouth and took it in. It was not long, however, before, "Tige" began to show signs of being sick. The news of his malady spread among the boys rapidly. He was taken in charge and brought to the place of rendezvous in rear of the *News* office, and the medicine man of the newsboy brigade was summoned to his relief. He came and prescribed copious draughts of sweet milk, which he ordered to be followed by heroic doses of castor oil, but the treatment was in vain. The boys rubbed him, and bathed him, but it was no use. Soon Tige's intelligent eyes began to lose their lustre, and he was no longer able to swallow. Mr. M. Kenefic was sent for, and suggested that a dose of ipecac administered in hot water would "do the business" for the sufferer, but hot water could not be had, and as a dernier resort one of the boys tried to catch a bottle of steam with which to wash down the emetic. Before he succeeded, "Tige" had breathed his last, surrounded by his friends, the recipient of all the attention they could bestow upon him. Late in the evening his funeral took place from the residence of the boys, near the corner of Twenty-ninth and Mechanic streets. They utilized the mail cart of the *News* as a hearse, and draping the wheels with crape and all the appropriate emblems of sorrow, they placed the remains of the dog in it and covered them over with a white cloth. On the rear of the cart was this inscription: "Poor Tige is dead, our pet." Jimmy Herron was the chief marshal of the procession, and mounted upon a mustang, he led the *cortege* through the streets. The hearse was drawn by the boys, who kept time to the measured tap of the drum at the head of their column. All the principal streets of the city were paraded, and just as the sun went down the boys dumped "Old Tige" into the bay from the planking on Williams' Wharf. They offer a reward of $10 for the policeman who gave him the poison. Thus ends the existence of a well-known character of this city.— *Galveston (Texas) News, July* 19.

—New York restaurateurs are now serving "peach short cake."

DIED.

RAND. In this city, August 3d, Miss Carrie P. Rand, daughter of the late Mr. Edward Rand.

HOLMAN. In Lowieston, Me., July 27th, George Marston Holman, child of D. Horace and Minnie Holman, aged one year. He was of an amiable and loving disposition and was the pet of a household.

FURBER. In Newmarket, July 31, Mrs. Lucy Furber, aged 87 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, August 3.

Brig Catharine, Bonlin, Lingan C B.
Sch John D Williams, Pearce, Philadelphia.

Sch J C Albright, from Delaware City for this port at Stonington Aug 1.

Sch Grace Cushing, Mosier, from New York for this port arr at Edgartown, July 31.

—He was kneeling at her feet and saying, "My precious sweet, life lingers to me as a petunia streaked with the glorious golden frettings of a soul which knoweth no love so——." "O, Henry!" said she, "that's the cheese."

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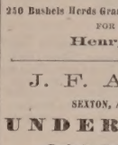

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Boston & Providence	120½
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Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	74
Eastern	105
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	136
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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ers or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEE. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or fail at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 16. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or any, over either of the salt ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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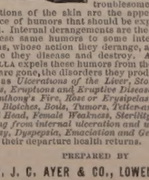

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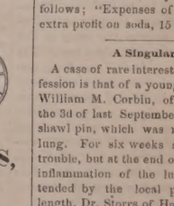

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Brave Chicago Boy.

The Chicago *Times* narrates the following interesting incident of the riots in that city. At one point it says: "The mob broke and ran, pursued by the officers, away south on Halsted, scattering as they ran, until only the boldest of them were left, pushing straight down for Bridgeport. This was evidently a deliberate move, for they kept at a safe distance ahead, and ran with a sort of community of purpose. Their object became clear when they got to the bridge near Archer Avenue, for after the officers had beaten them across it, another gang appeared and turned it, cutting off retreat. The situation had a very desperate look. There was no way of getting over. The roughs who turned the bridge jumped it and joined the crowd. The man is usually found when the occasion comes. In this case the man was a boy—a brave little fellow, only nine years of age, named James O'Neil. The rioters left him unnoticed on the bridge. He sprang to the bar, pushed it, and unmindful of the storm of missiles, threats and pistol balls that broke upon him, slowly swung the bridge into position. The policemen who were rescued by the little one's pluck cheered and patted him, and threw in a collection of a nickel each for his benefit.

Simple Cure for Drunkenness.

A Brooklyn man writes to the *Sun*: "I drank more intoxicating liquor from the year 1857 to the last day of 1873 than any other person I ever know or heard of; and in the mean time, knowing this sure cure, did not practice it on myself, but, for fun, did practice it on many others, and effected permanent cures. The remedy of the cure is this: When a person finds he must have a drink, let him take a drink of water, say two or three swallows, as often as the thirst or craving may desire. Let him continue this practice. His old chums will laugh; but let him persevere, and it will not be a week before the appetite for any kind of stimulant will disappear altogether, and water be taken to quench the natural thirst. If at any time the victim should feel a craving, let him take the first opportunity and obtain a swallow of water, and he can pass and repass all saloons. When he goes home at night he will feel satisfied and be sober and have money in his pocket. I commenced this practice the first day of 1874, and never think of taking a drink of stimulants."

Getting the Best of Him.

The New Bedford *Mercury* relates that not long since a gentleman, travelling by railroad from a neighboring city to Boston, purchased a glass of soda at a refreshment stand in a way-station, and gave the attendant a quarter. The latter apparently purposely delayed making change, and his customer was obliged to hurry on board the train with a feeling of having been cheated, and consequently out fifteen cents. At the next stopping-place he rushed to the window of the telegraph office and dictated a message to be sent to the soda-water man, to be paid for by the recipient. It was as follows; "Do you still sell foam at twenty-five cents a glass?" At every station where there was a chance he repeated this message. As for the soda-water man, that night, after shutting up, he drew up a little balance sheet on the fly-leaf of his diary, as follows; "Expenses of telegraphy, $1.25; extra profit on soda, 15 cents; out $1.10."

A Singular Case.

A case of rare interest to the medical profession is that of a young daughter of Hon. William M. Corbin, of Union, Conn. On the 3d of last September she swallowed a shawl pin, which was received in the left lung. For six weeks she experienced no trouble, but at the end of that time she had inflammation of the lungs. She was attended by the local physicians, and at length, Dr. Storrs of Hartford was sent for, this being in mid-winter. He advised the parents, who of course were very much alarmed, to trust to the chance of the pin being coughed up, rather than have an incision made for the removal of it. This course was pursued. The child recovered her usual condition of health nearly, and in May coughed up a part of the pin, it having rusted in two. On the 26th of July the rest of the pin, the head piece, was likewise gotten rid of, and the child is as well as ever, apparently. She had lived over eleven months with a shawlpin over two inches long in one of her lungs.

—Ladies now wear flowers stuck in the belt instead of at the throat.

—Mr. Scott, of Los Angeles, California, has a tomato vine twenty-five feet high, and the bard who sang: "Beneath the tall tomato tree I'd swing the glittering hoe," was no slouch; he had fits of inspiration.

—A writer in the Providence *Journal* has been looking into the use made of circulating libraries in that city. One woman takes out books "because," she says, "it looks well to see new books lying around." She never opens the books. Another woman frankly explained her motive as follows: "O no, I don't read the books, that would be tiresome. I just look over the beginning till I find who the characters are, and then I turn to the end to see how they come out. Then if anybody asks me about the book, I say: 'O yes, I've seen it;' and I tell how it ended, and so get the credit of being quite literary."

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, AUGUST 6, 1877.

The Eastern War.

The details of the Russian defeat at Plevna show that their army there was almost destroyed, at least 8000 being killed and wounded. The Bashi-Bazouks murdered all the wounded left on the field. The Bulgarians are in great terror, knowing they can expect no mercy from the Turks. The Russians are hurrying forward reinforcements.

The Russian forces are advancing in Asia Minor, and heavy fighting is going on before Kars.

The last of the Tukish troops sent to the Caucasus to stir up insurrection have been withdrawn.

News and Notes.

The troubles in the mining districts of Pennsylvania continue, but most of the railroads everywhere are running trains regularly, with all the men they want.

Five girls and four men lost their lives at the burning of the cigar-box manufactory in Cincinnati on Friday.

Adelina Patti's case has been decided, the French court refusing to grant her application for a separation from her husband, the Marquis de Caux. The latter's application for separation from his wife was granted, evidence having shown the gravest misconduct on her part.

James T. Huff, alias James T. Parker, a noted confidence man and bogus secret service detective, has been arrested. Huff obtained $29 from A. M. Kreps at Williamsport on a promise to get him a position in the Treasury Department. Under the name of L. C. Zwegle he figured in the conspiracy to rob the tomb of Lincoln, and from a slip cut from a Western paper found in his pocket, he was denounced as the prime mover in the conspiracy. Two men concerned with him were sentenced to the penitentiary, but he escaped. The most remarkable document found on him was a statement prepared by him with regard to the mysterious Nathan murder in New York. He claims that he has the meerschaum pipe, tobacco box and watch of Nathan, the murdered man. He repeats the old story that Cale Guunion, Johnny Irving and Billy Forrester (the latter from Baltimore), went to the house and were admitted by Kelly, the housekeeper's son. While Gunnion was breaking open the safe Nathan awoke. He was then killed by a blow from the dog in the hands of Gunnion. It is stated that Gunnion is in the Albany Penitentiary, Irving and Forrester in Sing Sing, and Kelly in Auburn Prison.

Frank Walworth, the young man who shot his father in New York several years ago and was sentenced to State prison for life, has been pardoned by Gov. Robinson.

New Hampshire Items.

Joseph Perry and Timothy Conners fell from the roof of a mill in Newport on Saturday, striking a large rock in the river about 40 feet below. They were badly mutilated, and are not expected to live.

A very successful test was made this forenoon with the telephone of Hon. E. H. Rollins, connecting his residence at Rollinsford with the store of W. H. Vickery. The instrument is attached to the wires of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company, and is a remarkable invention in many ways. Conversation was held with Mr. Rollins and his household by the writer of this, Mr. Libbey, Mr. Wash. Laighton, and others, and all were greatly pleased with the result. Ordinary conversational tone is all that is necessary to be distinctly heard. Miss Nellie B. Nichols, stopping at the Senator's residence, favored the party at this end of the line with some vocal music. The song "Old Folks at Home," was finely rendered by her, and every word and sound was as distinctly heard as if she was within a few feet of her auditors. The instrument is destined to come into general use ere long, and we doubt not will eventually succeed telegraphing as a means of quick communication between different points. It is said that no matter how great the distance, the result is the same.—*Dover Democrat.*

J. Benson, a farmer from Candia, came to Manchester Friday morning to purchase goods, bringing a little daughter, three years old. He slipped into a store on Elm street for a few minutes, leaving the child in the carriage, since which she has not been seen. Fears are expressed that she has been kidnapped.

A daughter of Leroy B. Frost, of Franklin, seventeen months old, drank sugared fly poison from a saucer Thursday night, dying in six hours.

Friday morning, as the section hands on the Wilton Railroad came down in advance of a freight train, they found a serious obstruction, consisting of ties and stones, across the track at a corner of what is known as Ramsdell's curve.

The Manchester *Mirror* complains that while that city ought to be the sweetest, the cleanest and the healthiest city in New England owing to its natural advantages for drainage, it is at this season full of noxious odors repulsive to sensitive nostrils and pregnant of pestilence, and a loud call is made for sanitary reform.

Pitkin's Joke on the Louisiana Democrats.

It will be remembered that recently one of the Nicholls investigating committee found three or four boxes in the New Orleans custom house marked "J. R. G. Pitkin." The conclusion was jumped at that the contents were certain stolen papers bearing on the State. The committee, through Governor Nicholls, asked the Attorney-General of the United States if they should be opened. Judge Devins said that the committee would have to take that responsibility on its own shoulders. Meantime, while cogitating as to what should be done, each member of the smelling committee affixed their private seals on the boxes to preclude the possibility of the opening of the lids without detection. Meanwhile, Pitkin, who knew what was going on, allowed New Orleans for three weeks to work itself into a high state of excitement. Thinking the suspense had been long enough borne, and with the chances to have the committee make asses of themselves, he telegraphed to the Nicholls authorities his permission to open the boxes. It is understood they contain fishing tackle, some imitation grub worms, old gum shoes, bathing suits, and a hammock or two. Pitkin thinks also that one of the boxes contains in manuscript an epic poem, which he trusts the committee will read and criticise.

That's Business.

You should never judge by appearances. Not long ago a weazen-faced little man, wearing a $3.50 suit of clothes, went to one of the big hotels, and registering his name as from Texas, asked for a room, and if breakfast was on the table. The Olympian clerk gazed at him scornfully for a moment, and languidly remarked:

"Any baggage?"

"No," replied the guest.

"In that case," replied the clerk, "the rules of the house compel me to insist on payment in advance."

"Very well, said the guest, without hesitation or appearing offended, "take two days' board out of this," and from a wad of greenbacks as big as his arm produced a $100 note.

"I beg your pardon," stammered the abashed clerk, "but we are so often taken in, and your face not being familiar to me, I—"

"No offense," cheerfully answered the guest; "business is business and rules are rules. It does look a little odd to be without baggage, but as cattle dealers ain't much on style, and—"

"That's all right," said the clerk. "Put up your money; we know a gentleman when we see him. Jim, show the gentleman to 146. Call for the best in the house, general."

The old man stowed away an ample breakfast, got the clerk to give him small bills for a fifty, and asked where Billy Coolbaugh, the banker had his office, inquired when they had dinner, desired the clerk to tell Mr. Farwell, if he called, that he would be back at two o'clock, then went, and he hasn't been seen since. The clerk subsequently discovered that the $100 was bad. The sad event cast a gloom over the hotel office.—*San Francisco Gazette.*

He Couldn't Drink Wine.

There was a noble youth who, on being urged to take wine at the table of a famous statesman in Washington, had the moral courage to refuse. He was a poor young man, just beginning the struggle of life. He brought letters to the great statesman, who kindly invited him home to dinner.

"Not take a glass of wine?" said the great statesman, in wonderment and surprise.

"Not one single glass of wine?" echoed the statesman's beautiful and fascinating wife, as she arose, glass in hand, and, with a grace that would have charmed an anchorite, endeavored to press it upon him.

"No," replied the heroic youth, resolutely, gently repelling the proffered glass.

What a picture of moral grandeur was that! A poor, friendless youth refusing wine at the table of a wealthy and famous statesman, even though proffered by the fair hands of a beautiful lady.

"No," said the noble young man, his voice trembling a little and his cheek flushed, "I never drink wine, but (here he straightened himself up, and his words grew firmer) if you have got a little good old rye whiskey, I don't mind trying a snifter!"

A Mortifying Mistake.

A well known young lady recently made herself the victim of a ridiculous mistake. A handsome and wealthy gentleman, whose acquaintance she had just formed, invited her to attend a dress party in his company. She accepted, and arrayed herself for the event with unusual care. To her surprise and mortification he appeared, to escort her to the party, attired in a white linen coat. She invited him to be seated and then begged to be excused for a few moments. To her mother she stated the fact that she would be ashamed to go with him if he wore "that coat." It was finally decided that she should ask the gentleman to pass the evening at the house. Ashamed, but determined, she told him that she did not believe that any of the gentlemen would wear linen coats at the party; that he had better not go; a delightful evening could be passed at home, etc. The gentleman took the matter good-naturedly and remarked, "Why, this is only my duster." He revealed beneath it a garment of shining broadcloth. The lady recovered from her mortification sufficiently to attend the party, but she feels ashamed of her stupidity to this day. Her companion was the best dressed man there.—*Milwaukee Wisconsin.*

The Mayor of Toledo.

The Mayor of Toledo, whose speech to the strikers has been so severely censured, complains that his remarks were "atrociously perverted" by the reporter of the Associated Press, and he sends us accordingly an accurate account of what he did say; but we cannot see that Mr. Jones has made his case much better by his correction. A mob of rioters were destroying railway property, stopping trains, closing factories, driving laborers away from their work, establishing a reign of violence and terror over a large section of the United States, and this Mayor, instead of using all the means in his power to disperse them, made a mild and cowardly speech, which meant encouragement if it meant anything at all. "It is this condition of things," said he (meaning an over-stocked labor market,) "that the railroads have taken advantage of to put down the laborer, until you have taken the matter of redress into your own hands. No doubt that the railroads will have to yield to your cause. They will have to come down." He assured the men that there was "a wide sympathy with the strikers and with labor inadequately paid," and that it was "a God-given right to every man to have employment;" and although he said that he was "opposed" to their going about in a body to make other men quit work, he closed with the queer expression that whatever they did he hoped they would "go gently about it." Of course there was but one interpretation which an excited mob could put upon such a speech, and the rioters lost no time in taking control of the city of Toledo, and stopping all business. It does not appear to us that the reporter of the Associated Press "perverted" Mayor Jones' address; on the contrary, he gave a very fair indication of its spirit, if not a reproduction of the exact language. —*Tribune.*

—Tartar women have pretty eyes, at least the cream of Tartar women have.

—A Scotch witness somewhat given to prevarication, has recently given an exact and careful answer which ought to be appreciated by lawyers of every land. "How far is it between the two farms?" said the counsel. "By the road; it's two miles." "Yes, but on your oath, how far is it as the crow flies?" "I dinna ken; I never was a crow."

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If one could only be fortunate in these days of misfortune, it would be worth one's while to write to M. A. Dauphin, Box 692, P. O., New Orleans, La., for the particulars of the September drawing of the Louisiana State Lottery Company, under the supervision, as commissioners, of Generals P. T. Beauregard and Jubal Early.—Tickets are only two dollars.

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PISCATAQUA LODGE, NO. 6, I. O. O. F.

A FULL ATTENDANCE of Members is requested to attend this (Monday) evening, Aug. 6. Business of importance.—Amendment of By-Laws.

Per Order.
W. W. COTTON, Secretary.

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Per order of the Treasurer.
R. B. ADAMS, Agent.

Portsmouth, N. H., August 5d, 1876.

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Check-List Inspectors' Notice.

THE BOARD OF INSPECTORS OF CHECK-LISTS give notice that they will be in session at the City Building, Thursday, July 26th, Tuesday, July 31st, and Saturday, August 4th, 1877, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 12 M., and from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M. on each of said days, for the purpose of revising and correcting the list of voters. They will also be in session at the same place from 8 to 10 o'clock A. M., and from 1 to 2 P. M. on the day of election, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any person whose name may have been omitted and whom the Board are satisfied has resided in the Ward one year next preceding said election.

JOSEPH H. GARDINER,
Clerk of Board of Inspectors of Check-Lists.

CITY OF PORTSMOUTH.

WARD ONE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth, in said county, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L. S.) Ward Room on Elm Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the ollowing purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, andany other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
ENOCH J. CONNER,
ROBERT E. RICH,
CHARLES H. BESSELIEVRE,
Selectmen of Ward No. One in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD TWO.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State.

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L. S.) Court House on Court Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot three Aldermen, six Members of the Common Council, three Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot two Inspectors of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this 21st day of July, A. D. 1877.

NEWTON JOHNSTON.
SAM'L H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
NEWTON JOHNSTON,
SAM'L H. KINGSBURY,
PLUMER D. NORTON,
Selectmen of Ward No. Two in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD THREE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L. S.) Office of Jacob Haddock on Islington street, near the Creek in said Ward, on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot one Alderman, two Members of the Common Council one Assessor of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check-Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
WILLIAM J. MOAT,
ALEXANDER ROBINSON,
JAMES G. LOCKE,
Selectmen of Ward No. Three in the City of Portsmouth.

WARD FOUR.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE. ROCKINGHAM, SS.

To the Inhabitants or Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth, in said County, qualified to vote for Senators in said State:

You are hereby notified to meet at the (L. S.) Ward Room on Water Street in said Ward on the first TUESDAY of August next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, for the following purposes:

To bring in your votes for Mayor.

To choose by ballot two Aldermen, four Members of the Common Council, two Assessors of Taxes, and one Overseer of the Poor.

To choose by ballot one Inspector of Check Lists.

To choose by ballot a Moderator, three Selectmen, and a Clerk of said Ward, for the ensuing year, and any other officers required to be chosen.

Given under our hands and seal this twenty-first day of July, A. D. 1877.

ALONZO K. W. GREEN,
ALBERT R. TREFETHEN,
JOHN S. TUCKERMAN,
Selectmen of Ward No. Four in the City of Portsmouth.

A true copy. Attest,
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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.35 A. M., 3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.35 " " 3.00
Portland	9.45 " " 4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 " " 6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 " " 4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 " " 4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "
Concord and North,	7.40 " " 4.35 "
Concord Way,	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 " " 4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 " " 4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M. 5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M.
Portland and East,	11.00 " " 3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " " 5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

WARD ONE.

Aldermen, Alfred C. Hoyt, Wm. E. Hadley, Albert L. Payne.

Councilmen, Michael E. Long, Charles E. Young, Walter S. Gray, Joseph B. Marston.

Inspectors of Checklists, James A. Waterhouse, Richard H. Waldron.

Assessors of Taxes, Robert King, Isaiah Wilson, James A. Rugg.

Overseer of Poor, Samuel W. Hoyt.

Moderator, Charles A. Shannon.

Ward Clerk, Robert E. Rich.

WARD FOUR.

Aldermen, John E. Ham, Charles W. Gardner.

Councilmen, Charles W. Drown, Charles E. Leach, John Nütter, Job Woodsum.

Inspector of Checklist, George M. Ayers.

Assessors, Wm. A. Vaughan, Jr., Oliver Ayers.

Overseer of Poor, Joshua Stackpole.

Moderator, William H. Rollins.

Selectmen, William B. Randall, Lafayette V. Newell, John O. Ayers.

Ward Clerk, Gardner M. Goodrich.

DEMOCRATIC NOMINATIONS.

WARD TWO.

Aldermen, Benjamin M. Parker, David H. Montgomery, Hartley W. Mason.

Councilmen, John S. Wendell, Howard Walker, Samuel R. Gardner, William B. Grogan, William J. Fraser, Daniel P. Pendexter.

Assessors, Amos T. Goodrich, Nehemiah Moses, William W. Cotton.

Overseer of the Poor, Michael R. Perkins.

Inspectors of Checklists, Albert Hayes, William T. Frye.

Moderator, Howe Call.

Selectmen, Frank W. Rand, Herman Manson, Joseph N. Odion.

Ward Clerk, Frank P. Rundlett.

WARD FOUR.

Aldermen, Charles W. Norton, George A. Perkins.

Councilmen, William H. Smart, George Cox, William H. Pettigrew, Stephen B. Pearson, Jr.

Assessors, Henry F. Wendell, Benjamin Russell.

Overseer of Poor, Albert B. Trefethen.

Inspector of Checklists, William F. Russell.

Moderator, Henry F. Wendell.

Selectmen, James W. Lefavour, George S. Leach, John S. Tuckerman.

Ward Clerk, William S. Hazel.

PROHIBITION NOMINATIONS.

FOR MAYOR, Albert A. Fernald.

FOR ALDERMEN—*Ward One*, Alfred C. Hoyt, Joseph Pettigrew, Daniel McIntire.

Ward Two—Henry A. Yeaton, Alonzo F. Craig, Matthew T. Betton.

Ward Three—Charles T. Wiggin.

Ward Four—James Janvrin, Charles H. Hutchings.

SAD ACCIDENT AT STRAW'S POINT.

About two o'clock, Saturday afternoon, fire broke out in the stable belonging to Dr. E. M. Tubbs, of Manchester, and before it could be checked destroyed the stable and Dr. Tubbs' cottage, and the cottage of Mr. Benjamin A. Kimball of Concord. The Tubbs cottage was occupied by Mr. W. G. Ladd and family, of Portland, Oregon. The fire is supposed to have originated from a lighted pipe left in the stable; the total loss is estimated at $6000; the property was partially insured. Several other cottages were in great danger, and were only saved by great exertions; one cottage, within sixty feet of the burned buildings, was badly scorched. But the loss of property was not the worst; Mr. Kimball was badly burned about the face and arms while endeavoring to save articles from the fire, and barely escaped with his life; and Mr. Henry Grove, a young man about twenty-two years of age, was burned to death. Mr. Grove belonged in Concord, and was an engraver; he had been stopping at Foss' Beach, but had visited Straw's Point that day to dine with Gov. Straw and family. His remains, shockingly charred and with the arms, legs and a portion of the head burned off, were found just outside where the piazza of Mr. Kimball's cottage had been. When last seen alive he was in an upper room of Mr. Kimball's house, assisting to save furniture, and it is supposed that while thus engaged he was overtaken by the flame and smoke and forced to jump from the window, and was burned to death where he fell. More probably the unfortunate young man was suffocated in the house; and his body thrown to the spot where it was found by the fall of the ruins.

Assistance was telegraphed for to this city shortly before three o'clock, and Kearsarge S. F. E. No. Three, and Hose One with 1500 feet of hose, went down, but could do no good other than to extinguish the embers. The machines returned at about nine o'clock P. M.

MORE LIGHT.

At about half-past nine o'clock this forenoon a person walking in the vicinity of the Mayor's place of business called the attention of that official to the fact that one of the street lights near by was burning and probably had not been extinguished during the whole night. This same party reports that he has seen the same thing at different times and in different parts of the city during the present municipal control, and hints that somebody needs looking after.—*Times*, Aug. 3d.

The man that "needs looking after" in this connection is Mr. Aaron Akerman, the gas company's official, who himself fired up the gas-light referred to a half-hour before the Mayor's attention was called to it, and had done the same thing for several days preceding, to draw from the pipes the foul air that had got into them while new pipes were being laid in the vicinity. "The present municipal control" has nothing to do with it; the city pays a specified price per hour for each burned, and for a specified number of hours; and if one burner or a dozen were left lighted all day the gas company's remedy would be to complain of the negligence of the man whose duty it was to extinguish them, as it would make no difference in the bill against the city.

DEMOCRATIC MAYORALTY CAUCUS.

The democrats held their Mayoralty caucus at the Court House on Saturday evening. Contrary to the custom of the democratic party for many years, the nomination was made by ballot, instead of the candidate being selected by the city committee and the nomination "ratified" by the party in caucus. A nomination was effected on the first ballot, which was as follows:

Whole number of votes	376
Necessary for a choice	189
Daniel Littlefield had	1
George E. Hodgdon	23
Samuel P. Treadwell	352

BOAT RACE.

The race for Kittery boats, to decide the ownership of a flag presented by Mr. William B. Keen, a native of Kittery but now a resident of Malden, Mass., came off on Saturday afernoon as previously announced. Of the boats entered five sailed over the course, which was from the spar buoy off Clark's island around the spar buoy on Phillips' ledge and back to the starting point, keeping outside of Kitts' rock buoy both going and coming. The wind was blowing fresh from the northwest, with frequent and heavy flaws, and the water was very choppy, but the various skippers carried on in good style, sending the little boats ahead at a great rate, though they did do some tall wallowing in the heavy chop off Fort Point, and gave their crews a liberal soaking down while beating back. The breeze being so fresh, the judges, Messrs. Calvin L. Hayes, Daniel H. Martin and John D. Lawrence, decided to make a flying start; the gun was fired at half-past two o'clock, and the boats crossed the line in the following order:

Boats.	*Captains.*	*Start.* h. m. s.
Lilian,	John G. Lowry, Jr.,	2 20 58
Myth,	Samuel H. Pillsbury,	2 21
Laura,	Joseph Keen,	2 21 10
Mingie,	William M. Otis,	2 21 22½
Cock Robin,	Daniel H. Fernald,	2 22 55

In less than an hour from the time the racing boats disappeared behind Fort Point from the view of the spectators on Clark's island, the leading boat shot into sight again, making the spray fly handsomely and followed at short intervals by the other contesting boats. The time of their arrival at the winning line, and of their sailing over the course, are given below:

Boats.	*Return.* h. m. s.	*Time.* h. m. s.
Myth	3 57 10	1 26 10
Lilian	4 3 40	1 22 42
Laura	4 6	1 24 50
Cock Robin	4 10 20	1 37 25
Mingie	4 12 5	1 49 42½

The boats having all returned and the judges and racing skippers landed on Clark's island, the prize, a handsome boat's ensign, was presented to the winner, Capt. Samuel H. Pillsbury of the Myth, by Mr. I. P. Miller, in presence of several hundred spectators, including a goodly number of ladies. In presenting the flag Mr. Miller expressed a hope that this race was but the first of a series of such yacht races—yacht races in which the workingmen can feel that they are not present merely by sufferance; which are not decided by trickery or the amount of money bet for or against any contestant, but in which the speed and seagoing qualities of the boats, and the coolnets, courage, judgment and skillful seamanship of those sailing them, decide who shall bear off the honors.

Capt. Pillsbury with a few off hand and appropriate remarks accepted the flag, (which was immediately hoisted at the Myth's mast-head,) hearty cheers were given for the winner, the judges and the gentleman who presented the flag, and then the scores of boats that had laid along the island during the afternoon made sail, some of them with a white ash breeze, for Kittery or Portsmouth.

Many sail boats besides those entered for the race (which was confined to Kittery boats) were "sloshing about" in the river during the afternoon, and several of them sailed over the course; many spectators were grouped under tch shelter of Fort Constitution and at the Jerry's Point fort to see the sport; everything passed off pleasantly; and the race not only enabled the boat skippers to show off the sailing qualities of their craft and their own skill, but gave a half-day's harmless and healthful recreation to several hundred persons. As it was a "scrub race" there was no allowance for size; but it is proposed to get up another one, to be sailed under yacht club rules and time allowance, the success of the first fully warranting it.

JOTTINGS.

At a meeting of the creditors of Mr. Leopald Blumauer before Hon. Thos. E. Sawyer, Register in Bankruptcy, at Dover, on Saturday, a majority of the creditors voted to accept the offer of composition made by the Bankrupt to accept twenty-five per cent. of their debts to be paid in three installments.

Lieutenant Theodore T. Wood is detached from the command of the torpedo-boat Intrepid, and ordered to the Enterprise, in place of Lieutenant Charles Seymour, who is ordered to the temporary command of the Intrepid. The *Army and Navy Journal* says the Enterprise is expected to be ready for sea on the 10th inst., when she will proceed to Hampton Roads.

At the examination of Joseph Costa, (on the charge of stabbing Andrew Peterson on board the fishing schooner Lady Lincoln of Rockport, Mass., in the lower harbor on Thursday afternoon,) which took place at Kittery, before Justice Dennett, Friday afternoon, he was bound over in $1000 for his appearance at the September term of the Court at Alfred, Me. He will be taken to Alfred jail. Peterson, for an assault with a fork on Costa, will go to the same jail to await trial as soon as his injuries permit.

We are indebted to Capt. J. Albert Sanborn, formerly of this city but now of the Black Hills, for copies of the Deadwood *Weekly Champion* and the *Daily Pioneer*, containing accounts of the recent Indian outrages in that vicinity, demanding a vigorous hunting down of the highwaymen that infest the Territory, and announcing the going out of a party of armed citizens to rescue Lieut. Lemley and his men and a surveying party from an overwhelming attack by Indians. Of course Capt. Sanborn was one of the volunteers, and we are glad to say captured a very fine Indian pony and and equipments instead of an Indian bullet.

The long continued easterly winds have driven upon the beaches at Rye large quantities of seaweed, which is being industriously gathered by the farmers of that town.

The Hotel at Foss' Beach is doing a thriving business this season, arrivals from almost every train being the rule. This is not the case with hotels generally, however, as the season is not up to the average in point of receipts.

Mr. Jefferson Janvrin, a wealthy farmer of Hampton Falls, has a very large barn, which has on one of its sides fifty birds' nests. Soon after the birds came and built, their nests from some cause fell to the ground. But Mr. Janvrin was so delighted with their inhabitants, that he nailed a strip of board to the barn for their nests to rest upon, hoping they might build again, which they did in a very short time, for in less than eight days he counted fifty new nests in place of the fallen ones, and they will continue to increase.

—Joe Goss, after considerable experience in Kentucky jails, breathes the air of freedom. He paid $100 fine and gave bonds for the remainder of the $250. The money was raised by his friends.

—A teacher, after long and very patient watching, catches a boy eating an apple in school, a misdeed he had frequently committed and as repeatedly lied out of. "Ah, ha," exclaimed the teacher, "I've caught you at it this time." "Caught me at what?" asked the boy, in conscious innocence. "Eating that apple." "Ain't eating no apple." The astonished teacher compelled the boy to open his mouth, and a great slab of apple was extracted therefrom. "Didn't know it was there," sturdily asserted the boy.

—Senator Blaine conversed with three old Georgia rebels on a Hudson River steamboat recently. He is reported as saying: "Gentlemen, yours is a great State. Georgia raises some very fine-looking men," and straightening himself up about six feet one, he added, "and so does Maine." He continued, "I suppose that I am not very popular in your country?" The Georgians, acknowledging that the Southern press never handled him very gingerly, invited him to visit the South and become better acquainted with the people and their opinions. The Senator then held some discourse upon Mr. Benjamin Hill. The ingenious report of the three Georgians, says: "Of course we lauded Mr. Hill, as everybody does in Southwestern Georgia, remarking incidentally, that he at one time had a large planting interest in our country. 'And what sort of a farmer did Ben. make?' he asked. 'Lost money,' we replied. With a meaning look, he said, 'That was mighty bad for Ben, although I would have thought as much.' His manners are so agreeable that it is very easy to lose sight of the bully in the man."

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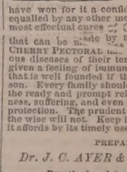

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own care or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon the wharfs, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forthwith enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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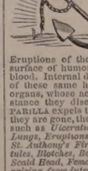

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Story of the Engineer.

"Let me put my name down first—I can't stay long!"

It was a red ribbon meeting, and the man was a locomotive engineer, bronzed and strong and having eyes full of deep determination. He signed his name in a bold, plain hand, tied a red ribbon in his button hole, and as he left the hall he said:

"As the Lord looks down upon me, I'll never touch liquor again!"

"Have you been a hard drinker?" queried a man who walked beside the engineer.

"No. Fact is, I never was drunk in my life. I've swallowed considerable whiskey, but I never went far enough to get drunk. I shouldn't miss it or be the worse off for an hour if all the intoxicating drink in the world was drained into the ocean."

But you seemed eager to sign the pledge."

"So I was, and I'll keep it through thick and thin, and talk temperance to every man on the road."

"You must have strong reasons."

"Well, if you'll walk down to the depot I'll you a story on the way. It hasn't been in the papers, and only a few of us know the facts. You know I run the night express on the B— Road. We always have at least two sleepers and a coach, and sometimes we have as many as two hundred passengers. It's a good road, level as a floor, and pretty straight, though there is a bad spot or two. The night express has the right of way, and we make fast time. It's no rare thing for us to skim along at the rate of fifty miles an hour for thirty or forty miles, and we rarely go below thirty. One night I pulled out of Detroit with two sleepers, two coaches, and the baggage and mail cars. Nearly all of the berths in both sleepers were full, and most of the seats in the coaches were occupied. It was a dark night, threatening all the time rain, and a lonesome wind whistled around the cab as we left the city behind. We were seventeen minutes late, and that meant fast time all the way through."

"Well," he continued after a moment, everything ran along all right up to midnight. The main track was kept clear for us; the engine was in good spirits, and we ran into D—as smooth as you please. The express coming east should meet us fifteen miles west of D—, but the operator at the station had failed to receive his usual report from below. That was strange, and yet it was not, and after a little consultation the conductor sent me ahead. We were to keep the main track, while the other train would run in on the side track. Night after night our time had been so close that we did not keep them waiting over two minutes, and were generally in sight when they switched in."

When we left D—— we went ahead at a rattling speed, fully believing that the other train would be on time. Nine miles from D—— is the little village of Porto. There is a telegraph station there, but the operator has no night work. He closed his office and went home about nine o'clock, and any messages on the wire for him were held above or below until next morning. When I sighted this station I saw a red-lantern swinging between the rails.

Greatly astonished I pulled up the heavy train and got a bit of news that almost lifted me out of my boots. It was God's mercy, as plain as this big depot. It was the operator who was swinging the lantern. He had been roused from sleep by the whistle of a locomotive, when there wasn't one within ten miles of him. He heard the toot! toot! toot! while he was dressing and all the way as he ran to the station, thinking he had been signalled. Lo! there was no train there. Everything was as quiet as the grave. The man heard his instrument clicking away, and leaning his ear against the window he caught these words as they went through to D.

"For God's sake, switch the Eastern express off quick! Engineer on the Western express crazy drunk, and running a mile a minute!"

The operator signalled us at once. We had left D. nine miles away, and the message could have caught us anywhere except at Porto. Six miles further down was the long switch. It was time we were there, lacking one minute. We lost two or three minutes in understanding the situation and in consulting, and had just got ready to switch in where we were when the headlight of the other train came into view. Great Heavens! but how that train was flying. The bell was ringing, sparks flying and the whistle screaming, and not a man of us could raise a hand. We stood there on the main track, spell-bound as it were. There wouldn't have been time, anyhow, either to have switched in or get the passengers out. It wasn't over sixty seconds before that train was upon us. I prayed to God for a breath or two and then shut my eyes and waited for death, for I hadn't the strength to get out of the cab.

Well, sir, God's mercy was revealed again. Forty rods above us that locomotive jumped the track and was piled into the ditch in an awful mass. Some of the coaches were considerably smashed, and many of the people badly bruised, but no one killed, and of course our train escaped entirely. Satan must have cared for big Tom, the other engineer. He didn't get a bruise, but was up and across the field like a deer, screaming and shrieking like a wild tiger. It took five men to bind him after he was run down, and to-day he is the

worst lunatic in the State.

"Tom was a good fellow," continued the engineer, after a pause, "and he used to take his glass pretty regularly. I never saw him drunk, but liquor kept working away on his nerves till at last the tremens caught him when he had a hundred and fifty lives behind his engine. He broke out of a sudden. The fireman was thrown off the engine, all steam turned on, and then Tom danced and screamed and carried on like a fiend.—He'd have made awful work, sir, but for God's mercy. I'm trembling yet over the way he came down for us, and I'll never think of it without my heart jumping for my throat. Nobody asked me to sign the pledge, but I wanted my name there. One such night on the road has turned me against intoxicating drinks, and now that I've got this red ribbon on I can talk to the boys with better face.—Tom is raving, as I told you, and the doctors say he'll never get his reason again. Good night, sir—my train goes in about ten minutes."

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 7, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 4.

The need of statesmen in lieu of mere partizans and demagogues to deal with problems wholly unprecedented in our history, and which are pressing for solution, was never more imperative. The comparatively large amount in bonds disposed of by popular subscription during the limited time allowed for that purpose, bearing only four per cent. interest, and the fact that there are, of private property, $60,000,000 in greenbacks, lying idle and placed in Government custody because its investment in business enterprises is not justified by the business outlook, must be regarded as the most convincing evidence of the general lack of confidence everywhere prevailing in this country. These facts, too, would appear to have a negative bearing upon the inflationists' proposition that the business depression is due to a lack of money. The sullen outbreaks that are still occurring in the very presence of the military, and the startling report heard this morning that a general strike had been determined upon all over the United States before the end of next week by the Brotherhood of Engineers, though lacking authenticity, confirms the view that the resumption of freight and passenger traffic on the railroads did not surely indicate the end of all trouble with the mob spirit—a view I mentioned as being entertained by many of those best qualified to judge. The matter of the revision of the tariff will also furnish abundant employment for all the wisdom that can be diverted in that direction from schemes of personal aggrandizement or partisan advantage, at the coming session of Congress. Its proper adjustment is one of the inheritances from the old Whig party, whose relations to the democracy, upon this as well as some other questions, which have continued more or less successfully to hold their old places in National politics, were assumed by the republican party. Its resources for party capital were thought exhausted years ago. But until political economy shall have become an exact science and the true metes and bounds of international reciprocity shall have been definitely fixed, it promises to remain a bone of contention, presenting novel features on the opening of every new industry and on the extension or shrinkage of old ones; and since the late strikes it has assumed colossal proportions in the opinions of hundreds of heavy, medium, and light weight disputants about our hotels, bar-rooms, and other resorts for politicians and loafers.

While the opponents of the "Southern Policy" find it difficult to convince the public that Judge Taft's large vote in the Ohio convention was an implied censure of the President, its friends are hard pushed to make the resolutions adopted appear as an unqualified approval of all the President has done or omitted to do in the Southern premises. The *esprit* of that convention is interpreted here in this wise. It met with the idea that the common enemy's defeat at the next election was the first duty, and the delegates so demeaned themselves, as in their opinion to reduce the labor of that task to its minimum. Recognizing the fact that differences of opinion existed, and the right of republicans to entertain doubts of the wisdom of a particular line of policy relative to which the President himself was not wholly satisfied, there was no silly attempt made to force its approval, but instead, the President's personal character, the honesty of his motives, and his efforts looking to the good of the country we heartily endorsed, as they well could be, without a dissenting voice. Of course the resolutions upon national finances could not well be satisfactory to every section, but the work of the convention appears to be generally approved by republicans.

Nothing decisive from General Howard has been received for some days. The substance of the latest despatches amounts to about this: Joseph, by the exercise of good generalship slipped out of the trap prepared for his capture, and with his braves, was making a lively run for the buffalo country. Howard, with a force of nearly 5000 men, was close on his flank and rear, while Gov. Potts, with his Montana volunteers, was striving to strike the route of flight in advance of Joseph, in which case Howard expressed confidence in his ability to bag the whole kit, leaving his force free to operate against a lot of the savage malcontents about Deadwood, who have got themselves into trouble by leaving their reservations. I may mention that another Sioux delegation is soon expected here, when it is hoped we can so impress them with our boundless resources as to deter them from further hostilities against the Government. But those having and most experience in this particular method of Indian tactics appear most faithless of good results.

Conkling's reported premature return from his European visit has occasioned quite a flutter in political circles. I think the New York Senator will disappoint almost every one if he fails to vigorously attack the Administration when Congress convenes. Conkling's adherents declare that a wanton warfare has been waged against the Senator's friends in the Empire State, and that he is not the man to stand quietly by and be snubbed or see his friends abused.

It appears to be the opinion entertained by military authorities that the late Russian repulse was only an incident of a great campaign, and that it will not materially change the plan of Russia to dictate terms of peace from Constantinople, unless bought off at a heavy price before reaching there.

No one appears to doubt England's purpose to find a pretext for armed intervention in the Turks' behalf, and failing to find, make one; and the sending of four armed vessels to the Danube at this particular juncture of Turco-Russian affairs on the pretence of "protecting British interests," which has been made to cover all sorts of intermeddling in the business of other nations heretofore, does not tend to reassure the public of her pacific intentions.

KNOX.

[Communicated.]

A Visit to Western Massachusetts.

There is a town in the western part of Massachusetts, the last in the county of Hampshire, by the name of Plainfield. It was thither that your correspondent, a couple of weeks since, made his way for a few days of recreation. It is reached by stage three days in the week from Shelburne Falls. The sixteen miles intervening between Shelburne and Plainfield is over hills which, in our section of the country, would be termed mountains. The scenery is grand and picturesque. Everything has a greenness and freshness which is very inviting and reviving to a weary traveller. The inhabitants of Plainfield are a thrifty class of New England farmers. The Sunday which your correspondent passed there was of peculiar interest, not only to the inhabitants but also to the summer boarders (of which there are usually a large number) and visitors. The occasion was that Mr. Leavitt Halleck, a grandson of Rev. Moses Halleck, the first pastor of that town, was present and occupied the pulpit which Rev. Solomon Clark has so ably and acceptably filled for the past twenty years. Mr. Halleck is now stationed in Connecticut, but was spending a few days in his native town. The services were very impressive and affecting. Here was seen something to remind one of the days of yore. There was a large choir, and the instrumental music consisted of an organ, bass viol, violin, and flute! A queer combination certainly, if seen in one of our city churches, but church members in that town did not consider those as instruments of sin in that place.

There is in the next town, Hawley, a spring, known as Moody Springs, which with some appropriateness could be called the "perennial spring." It is visited a great deal both by the people in town and from abroad. It has remarkable healing qualities; it has the power of removing tan and freckles from the face, and giving to the skin clearness and softness; and it has the power of curing salt rheum. There is a man now boarding near by who is being very rapidly cured of the latter plague, by simply applying the water, as it comes from the spring, to his face and hands. A large quantity of this water is carried away daily.

Another visit of peculiar interest was to the summer home of William Cullen Bryant, the illustrious American poet. His home is in Cummington, the next town to Plainfield. The house is situated upon the brow of a high hill, from which one can obtain an excellent view of the surrounding country, while here and there can be seen various hamlets, mountains, valleys, and streams. Everything about the residence has been so arranged as to make it cheerful, pleasant, and homelike. As we drove up to the house the aged poet and his brother John were returning from an afternoon's walk. My companion had the good fortune to be acquainted with one of the inmates of the home, and by that person we were carried to the poet's library and given an introduction to that distinguished individual. For a half hour we were kindly, courteously and pleasantly entertained. He told us of the time when he was taught Greek and mathematics by Rev. Moses Halleck in a story-and-a-half house which still stands in Plainfield, on the main street. This house is now the property of the only Irishman in town, who feels no interest in the preservation of a house with which so many historical associations are connected. Your correspondent returned to fair Strawberry Bank feeling amply repaid for this visit.

YOURS, A. B.

The "Word of Truth" in Newburyport.

Rev. Mr. Wolfe, of Newburyport, Mass., some weeks ago issued a temperance paper called "*The Word of Truth*," in which he published the names of all the firms and individuals that deal in intoxicating liquors wholesale or retail, classing them all together as "rumsellers," and declaring "there is no difference." This naturally occasioned much consternation and disgust among the respectable liquor dealers; in particular, the Christian liquor sellers who are active members of the church disliked to be called rumsellers, and as two of these are deacons of the church which had for some time employed Mr. Wolfe as a city missionary, Mr. Wolfe's missionary career was suddenly stopped by his summary discharge. But he has kept on publishing his paper at such intervals as suited him, and in a recent issue "slandered" a woman named Sliney, who it is said keeps an unlicensed drinking house and vile den, for which he was arrested, giving bonds for his appearance when wanted. Last week the Mayor of Newburyport, Mr. Jackman, notified Mr. Wolfe's general agent that if he sold any more copies of that paper he would be prosecuted. But Mr. Haynes, (the agent,) not having the fear of Mayor Jackman before his eyes, and disregarding the official injunction served on him in regard to its further publication, sold on Thursday and Friday the last edition of 5000 copies. A large crowd of Wolfe's friends assembled on Thursday evening in front of Haynes' store to express their approbation of his pluck in holding out when every other periodical dealer in the city had been frightened into discarding the paper. G. J. L. Colby, editor of the *The Visitor*, who has twice been the temperance candidate for Mayor, furnished the funds for and superintended a display of fireworks, which was clearly in violation of the city ordinance. On Friday the authorities had a private session, and it is understood that Mr. Colby is to be prosecuted, and that gentleman, it is stated, is expecting it and announces himself ready for it.

The Newburyport correspondent of the Boston *Globe* says: "The affair is causing considerable stir. The majority consider *The Word of Truth* a big nuisance, as bad as Boston had in the old *Life in Boston*. Others think that in ordering an injunction Mayor Jackman was meddling, and went too far in putting down a free press." This comparison is certainly unjust. The *Life in Boston* was a notorious vehicle of falsehood and slander, in which any venomous coward could assail the reputation of any person, man or woman, anonymously, the publishers of the vile sheet sheltering themselves from justice by syncopating the names of the persons slandered; whereas the *Word of Truth* deals openly and aboveboard, giving all names in full, and making all charges squarely and not by insuendo. Whether Mr. Wolfe's method of forwarding the temperance cause is judicious or not we shall not undertake to say. But we will say that we think the papers have made a mistake in the name of the Mayor of Newburyport, for we feel sure that while the first syllable of his name must be "Jack," the last syllable is not "man" by any means.

Interference in Politics.

Hayes' wish was law to the Cleveland Convention.—*Boston Transcript.*

So say all the policy organs. They enter into details by adding that the President has been writing letters to Ohio, urging the nomination of Judge West and begging for conciliatory action; in other words, using his official influence in a political convention. And the worst feature of this affair is that they boastfully refer to this "interference in politics" by a President who has pretended that non-interference in politics is the proper condition of a person's holding federal office. Now, will anybody tell us why, under the President's own rule, he should not be called upon to resign his office? Had a "mere politician" taken the course thus boastfully attributed to President Hayes, he would have been hounded desperately by the professional reform pack. Are we to understand that the rule is permanently suspended in behalf of those who "interfere in politics" on the President's side? Why cannot the "reformers" be truthful enough to keep up at least an appearance of consistency? It is about time for this huge hypocrisy to stop.—*Boston Traveller.*

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TO PROHIBITIONISTS.

PORTSMOUTH, Aug. 4th.

Mr. Editor: My advice to the temperance men is to fight our battle with the republican party, and then we can accomplish our end, for by that party we obtained the law and kept it. This very year they have made it better, and the great majority of them are for temperance. Every vote thrown for A. A. Fernald, prohibition candidate, is a vote for the rum party out and out. I cannot vote for any such candidate, for I am a temperance man all through, and I will not support the rum party at the ballot-box under any pretense, however specious. I have known Mayor Broughton all of my life, and he has always been a thorough-going temperance man. I must vote for him, and advise all temperance men and everyone else to do the same.

PROHIBITION.

Of course, if any republican who is a prohibitionist also, wishes to vote the prohibition or democratic or any other ticket, it is his right to do so; but no one should vote the prohibition ticket under the impression that he is helping the temperance cause, for the only possible effect will be to help the democratic ticket—just what it was put in nomination to do. Temperance democrats may talk prohibition, but they vote the straight democratic ticket; and the object of the prohibition nominations at this election is to draw votes from the republican party. The prohibition ticket, of course has no possible chance of election; and if it could draw off enough republican votes to secure to the democrats the choice of Mr. Treadwell for Mayor, we cannot see that it would be any gain for temperance, for Mayor Broughton is and always has been a temperance man. Do not throw your votes away on the prohibition ticket, under the mistaken impression that by so doing you are voting in the interests of prohibition.

PLEASURE BOATING.

On Saturday, shortly after the arrival of the steamers from the Shoals, a lady—and notwithstanding her somewhat comical dress, which was evidently not intended for the ball room, and a huge straw hat of no particular fashion which she had on, she was a lady in appearance—entered an oyster saloon and ordered a stew, adding, "And as quick as you can, please, for I am a-l-m-o-s-t starved!" The attendant hastened to comply with the wish of the famishing lady, who explained that she was stopping at Rye Beach, and being very fond of fishing had gone out that morning in a small boat containing a party of four, two ladies and two gentlemen, to enjoy her favorite sport. The wind soon became so strong that they started to return to the shore, but the freshening breeze compelled the gentlemen to shorten sail to such an extent that they could make no progress in beating, and after sticking to it for hours and getting blown half way to the Shoals the gentlemen decided to bear up and run for a harbor at the islands, which they did, arriving there just in time for the ladies to catch one of the steamboats for this city. As they had been afloat all day, took no lunch in the boat with them and had no time to dine at the Shoals, they were pretty hungry; but one of the ladies couldn't stand it to appear in public in her fishing rig any more than she was compelled to, and hastened to procure a conveyance to Rye Beach, while the other went for something to sustain life, right away, regardless of appearances. The latter declared that she had had enough sea fishing to last her as long as she lives, and that nobody will ever get her on board a craft smaller than a line of battle ship again.

As Messrs. John S. Hart and James Rand were beating in from the Shoals on Sunday, when off Rye Beach their boat was struck by a squall and knocked over, but they cut the halliards and managed to get the sail down, after which the boat was easily righted, and they bailed her out, got sail on her again and beat up to the city, arriving all right, though rather moist.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

To-day is election day, and every legal voter should exercise his right and perform his duty as a citizen, and vote for—somebody. The Inspectors of Checklists will be in session from eight to ten o'clock this morning and from one to two o'clock this afternoon, for the purpose of furnishing certificates to any persons whose names have been improperly omitted from the check-lists.

If the Ward Clerks will furnish us with full returns of the voting in their respective wards as soon as convenient after the closing of the polls, they will confer a favor.

The work on the sunken schooner Ceres had progressed so well up to Monday that on that day a small amount of coal was taken out of her fore hatch. Mr. Benjamin Chellis, the foreman of the wreckers' gang, adopted a method of working entirely different from that employed by his predecessor, and with the best results, he having taken the wreck further in shore every day the men have worked. The vessel was moved as far in as she could be with the anchor-hoy overhead, Monday, and all subsequent lifts will be made with two scows, one on each side. Two more lifts are expected to take the wreck into position to discharge cargo from the fore hatch. The hull is entirely covered with barnacles.

The new ship Granite State will be launched from Neal's shipyard at Kittery on Thursday, Aug. 9th, at noon.

The second excursion to the Shoals in steamer Appledore, under the auspices of the Woman's Temperance League, comes off to-day. Tickets for the round trip, at 75 cts. each, can be obtained at Divid Kimball & Co's. See advertisement.

Gen. Natt Head was in town on Monday.

A vote for the Democratic candidates tomorrow, is equivalent to a vote for Joseph R. Holmes for street commissioner. This alone should be sufficient to bring every voter to the polls.—*Times, Monday evening.*

Is that so? It is no secret that Mr. Holmes, whose ability and faithfulness as street commissioner no one can dispute, was to have been thrown over by the democrats had they carried the city at the time it was last retaken from them by the republicans, the democratic wire-pullers calling him a d—d fool for refusing to run his department "in the interests of the party." What has changed them so?

The Appledore House, Isles of Shoals, is full this season, as usual, and the guests are enjoying themselves thoroughly. Laighton Brothers know exactly how to promote the health, comfort and pleasure of guests, and they were never more successful than they have been this year.—*Boston Globe.*

The *Times* of Monday evening censures the city government for allowing Kearsarge S. F. Engine to go to the Straw's Point fire when urgently telegraphed for, leaving "only one engine [No. Four] that could be relied upon," as No. Two is away being repaired. If we remember aright the *Times* insisted that No. One was a trustworthy engine at the time it was repaired at large expense some years ago by a democratic Mayor, and it is quite as good now. But the *Times* must find some fault with the republican city government, just on the eve of election—and would have shouted much louder about "heartless indifference and selfishness" had the engine not been sent to Rye.

A couple at Hampton Beach sat on the rocks to see the tide come in. The tide soon rose, not only in front of them, but behind them, and their pleasure was turned into grief. The water had risen up to their waists when two gallant young men went from the shore and rescued them. When the woman reached the shore she looked back and saw what danger they had braved; she quickly fainted and followed that by a fit of hysterics.—*Post.*

As a son of A. F. Perkins, station agent of the Portsmouth & Dover railroad at Dover, was handling a revolver Monday morning, it was accidently discharged, the ball entering the leg below the knee. The wound is not dangerous.

"Sweet Forget Me Not," is the title of a new song with a remarkably pretty waltz chorus, composed by "Bobby Newcomb," of minstrel fame. It is sung by Primrose and West, of Haverly's Minstrels; Delehanty and Hengler, of the "Tony Pastor Troupe;" Adah Richmond, and other artists, all over the country. Price, forty cents per copy; can be had from any music dealer or from the publisher, F. W. Helmick, 50 West 4th St., Cincinnati, O.

On Saturday afternoon an unknown person endeavored to throw the steam boat train from Alton Bay off the track near Poor Farm crossing, about three miles from Dover, by placing a long, flat stone on each rail. The stones were a little too thick, and struck the cow-guard and were thrown from the track. Had they been thinner they must have caused a serious accident, accompanied with loss of life, as the trains run very fast at this point.

News and Notes.

A bill in equity to compel the appointment of three receivers of the Ogdensburg Railroad was filed Saturday morning, at Portland, Me., by the trustees of the first mortgage bondholders and one of the joint consolidated mortgage trustees.

There will be a great temperance meeting held at Newburyport, Thursday, at which Wendell Phillips and Mrs. Livermore are invited to speak.

A report from Keokuk, Iowa, says that the Spencer family, father and four children, were all horribly murdered on Friday with an axe, the object being $1200, which the assassins secured. Willis James, brother-in-law of Spencer, and who worked for the latter, gave testimony at the inquest, and blood was found upon his clothing, and the Vigilantes had him taken, with a suspected man named Brady, into the woods to try them, and if found guilty they would be hanged immediately.

The poor house on the Industrial Farm of the county of Norfolk, Ontario, was burned Sunday night. The building was of wood, and was quickly reduced to ashes. Seventeen human beings were burned to death, and four men were badly burned. The dead comprise seven women and ten men.

Silver mining is increasing at Newburyport. Prof. Richards reports that the China (new) will yield a good profit from the very surface of the earth. Other mines are extending their operations. The Merrimac pays one per cent. monthly without fail.

The verdict of the jury in the riot inquest at Baltimore was that the victims were shot by unknown members of the Sixth Regiment, while on duty under the State authorities, and when attacked by a mob and in jeopardy. The verdict says the soldiers should have acted as a body and only under orders, and are blamable as soldiers for disobeying orders not to fire, though, nevertheless, as no orders to fire were given, they were compelled individually to protect themselves. The jury is of the opinion that the soldiers being demoralized, much unnecessary firing was done, but the responsibility for the killing of persons rests entirely with the rioters who attacked the soldiers. The authorities after sounding the military call should have had sufficient police to protect the assembling soldiers.

There was a fatal case of genuine cholera at Lowell on Monday.

Frank Campbell, of Auburn, Mass., whose invalid wife was murdered in a horrible manner a few weeks ago by James Mulcahey, a rum-crazed ruffian, was married again nine days after the murder to a woman forty years old, who had been married twice before.

A correspondent of the New York *Times* has been studying the miners' strikes at Scranton, Pa., and interviewing the miners, and from his accounts it is evident that the working people of that region are in a wretched condition. But on the other hand the mining companies have lost money even at the very low rate of wages paid, until they are almost bankrupt—some of them quite so—and there is no immediate prospect of better times for mine owners or miners. It is a deplorable state of affairs, but the remedy is not easy to point out.

The democratic Chicago *Times*, in view of the recent troubles and the palpable inefficiency and imbecility of the average American Mayor which they have brought to light, is led to remark: "The remedy is simple, and ought to be practicable. In municipalities suffrage should be restricted to tax-payers, whether men or women. They settle the bills and should control their contraction through their own representatives. They are the real stockholders in the municipality, and they alone should elect its directors. These in turn should elect the Mayor."

New Hampshire Items.

Mr. J. Benson, the Candia farmer who lost his little daughter in Manchester on Friday and feared she was kidnapped, found her all right on Saturday.

Michael J. Sullivan, of Nashua, was kicked by a horse Saturday evening, receiving severe injuries about the face, and having his lower jaw broken, besides being injured otherwise.

The eighth annual reunion of Company H, Seventh Regiment, New Hampshire Volunteers, will be held at Willoby Grove in Hollis, August 22.

The regular services of the Hedding camp-meeting at Epping, will begin August 27 and continue one week. Dr. Chapman of Brooklyn, N. Y., and General John L. Swift of Boston are to be present.

Deputy Sheriff Hoyt of Exeter captured a horse thief Friday, together with a nice team which he had stolen from George H. Berry, at Richmond Corner, Me., on the 13th of July. The man claimed that he bought the team of a band of gypsies. The prisoner and stolen property were delivered to Maine authorities.

—The Pittsburg Committee of Public Safety requested the local papers not to post sensational bulletins on their boards, and one of them posting up a very sensational one, which attracted a large crowd, some of the Committee entered the office and requested the proprietors to remove it immediately, or they would have it removed and take possession of the office. The bulletin was removed.

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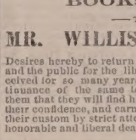

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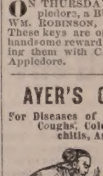

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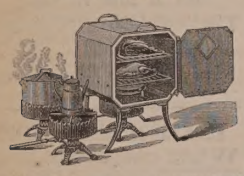

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting to do so, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing detected by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and aldermen, accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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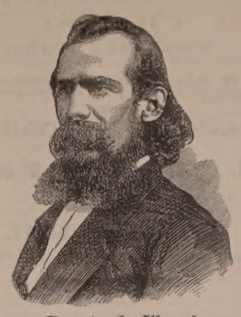

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Amateurs and the Army.

Let us look at some further differences between professional and amateur soldiery. The former are the trained instruments of executive power. With them obedience to orders is the first of duties, while long service gives habitual coolness and stolidity, which are invaluable in moments of excitement. Accustomed to the roughness of campaign life, they are not used up by a night or two of little harder beds than ordinary, or by a day or two of a little worse food. Their discipline does not allow them to carouse on beer while awaiting orders to march. Always ready to move, whether they ought to go to one point rather than another is not with them a matter of discussion and protest. The soldier is content with his pay and his calling; his home is with the company; he has no shop to quit with reluctance when ordered to march, and no social ties to draw him away from the scene of peril.

But the volunteer militiaman goes into service under great disadvantages of temperament or training. Taken, it may be, from a luxurious home, even awaiting orders in a city armory may be to him the most monotonous and demoralizing of duties. He may be haggard from the loss of sleep, overcome by the heat and by padded clothes, made ill by unaccustomed food, and worn out by anxiety as to how his business is getting along on the one hand, and by the public excitement on the other. A regular soldier in the same position would be in clover; but the militia are mainly recruited from youth quite unaccustomed to the hardness of a soldier's life. Not a few would be rejected on physical grounds if they applied for admission to the Army. Then, they elect their officers, and are apt to watch them narrowly to see that they "don't put on airs." The militia defray most of their own expenses, and feel quite independent of the State. Their pay for actual service is the subject of joke, and they often "turn it into the company fund." They discuss the decisions of their officers, and occasionally hold a meeting to express by vote their views of whether the company or regiment should go home or go to war. The feeling with which a militia regiment goes to quell a riot is also totally different from that of professional soldiery. * * * So far as the evidence taken up to this writing shows, both in Pittsburg and in Baltimore the militia fired on the mob without orders—fired one or two at a time, and then the rest joining, from their places in column, actually as they were on the march. Of course the disadvantages of that method of firing are apparent; we can hardly fancy professional soldiery worried into firing without orders.

But, were there nothing else to consider, the obvious respect paid by the rioters to the Army, as the outward symbol of the national will, was too marked to pass without its lesson. Correctly handled as were these few companies, steady as they were under the occasional missiles of the mob, neither the skill of the officers nor the discipline of the men can fully account for the effect they produced. The Army carried a vast moral power with it, which aided them not only in guarding Government property but in protecting railroad trains and dispersing mobs, without firing a shot. Unless some instances have escaped us, in all this bloody business the Army has not killed a man. They have captured hundreds of rioters, and dispersed thousands—they have killed none. In a few instances, stones were thrown after them, but generally there was an instinctive shrinking from conflict with national forces.—*Army and Navy Journal.*

Two Foolish Young Kentuckians.

Daniel Brown, who was a local for the Shelby *Sentinel*, two weeks ago burlesqued a younger brother of Byron Yount, who had a fight with a young Perry—both boys being under fifteen years of age. Saturday evening last John Yount, the boy, met Mr. Brown at Cooper's, and, taking him aside, asked him something in regard to the article in the *Sentinel*. Brown not making the matter satisfactory, John Yount expressed his boyish indignation. Brown slapped Johnny over and walked off. John reported the affair to his older brother, Byron, who espoused his quarrel, and during the evening he and Brown passed some high words. Each knowing the other's disposition well, they parted and prepared themselves for the next meeting. Brown borrowed a little four-shot pistol from his friend, James Edwards, and Yount, after seeking in vain for a weapon, took a pistol from his private drawer.

Thus prepared, the two walked toward each other and met at the railroad, one on one rail and the other on the opposite rail. In this position Brown asked Yount when he was ready; Yount replied, "Now," and both fired simultaneously into each other, only five feet apart. Yount's ball entered Brown's right breast. Brown's ball entered the lower part of Yount's abdomen, and ranged downward into the leg. Brown continued to fire, and emptied his four barrels, one ball entering Yount's wrist, another entering his right side. Yount's pistol refused to revolve, and while under fire he spat on his thumb and endeavored to wrench the cylinder around; but failing, he closed with Brown, and they pounded and pummelled each other with their pistols until they were parted; they again ran together, and fought until both fell from ex-

haustion. When taken apart Brown's grip was still upon Yount's arm, which had to loosened by friends forcing open the hands.

Both parties were laid upon the platform, a short distance from each other, and five doctors summoned; but no relief could be afforded Brown. While lying thus, Yount, it is said, swore at Brown, and said to him, if he could only reach him he would soon put him out of the way. Brown died at two o'clock on Sunday morning, and was buried at Pleasureville cemetery on Sunday. Yount lingered until Sunday evening, when he, too, died after suffering great pain. Brown was a graduate of Eminence College, was a member of the Christianburg Baptist church, and was beloved and respected in his section. Yount was the son of George Yount, a well-to-do and highly respected farmer of Shelby county.—*Frankfort (Ky.) Yeoman.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 8, 1877.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Bucharest, Monday, says that a great battle has been fought near Tirnova between the united forces of Mehemet Ali and Osman Pasha against the forces under the command of the Grand Duke Nicholas, in which the Russians were defeated with the loss of 15,000 men. Also, that the siege of Rustchuk has been raised. A despatch from Vienna states that the Bosnian leader Despotovitch has been defeated and driven into Dalmatia, where his forces were disarmed. Advices from Russian sources assert that General Ghourka's positions in the Balkan passes are secure, and that communication with him is uninterrupted.

A despatch of Tuesday says Suleiman Pasha has recaptured Kasanlik, at the southern mouth of Shipka Pass, with all its guns and materials, driving Gen. Gourkha pell mell across the mountains.

The Turks report a naval engagement in the Salina mouth of the Danube, in which two Russian gunboats were destroyed by Turkish ironclads.

News and Notes.

Kentucky had a State election on Monday. The democrats carried the Legislature.

The adjusters have completed the settlements of the losses on the St. John (N. B.) fire, and the total amount to be paid by the insurance companies is in round numbers $6,861,000. Of this the English companies will pay $4,822,000; Canadian companies $1,469,000; American companies $445,000, divided between the Ætna of Hartford, $240,000, Hartford of Hartford, $140,000, and Phenix of New York, $65,000. Add to this, $125,000 reinsurance by the Queen and the London, Liverpool & Globe companies.

The store of John Gorman at Newburyport was robbed of jewelry, cutlery and pistols worth $600, Saturday night.

Rumors are current at Havana that Jovellar will resign the captain-generalship of Cuba and be succeeded by General Blanco. General Martinez Campos has sent dispatches to the King of Spain explaining the situation, and stating that the insurgents are so well supplied with information by spies, and their facilities for disbanding when pursued are such, that it takes five hundred soldiers to look after ten insurgents. Campos requires 50,000 more troops to crush the insurrection. He says the insurgents will only surrender on receiving their independence, and recommends that the Spanish Government adopt one proposition or another. There are a great many sick soldiers at Havana.

The Howgate Arctic expedition has lately received a contribution of $500 from Capt. Americus Symmes. Captain Symmes is the advocate of the theory that a navigable cavity extends through the earth from pole to pole.

A despatch from Mississippi says that a negro at Pickensville, Ala., killed a young white man named Bush; and two other white men, named Storey and Kilpatrick, attempting to arrest the murderer, were resisted by his friends and both killed. As there is no election to come off in Alabama right away it is possible that this will not turn out to be one of the "negro outrages" to which we have been accustomed in the past, in which scores of black rioters were always killed and several white citizens wounded.

Men who play practical jokes are getting into trouble. Two Brooklyn fellows forged the name of a captain of a military company to an order to one of the members to appear at the armory for duty at three o'clock in the morning. He went, and the fools laughed at him! The jokers are in jail on a charge of forgery, and now he has his laugh.

Neal True was struck by a train on the Portland and Ogdensburg railroad at Cumberland Mills, Me., Saturday, and thrown eighty-one feet. He is not expected to recover.

A Miss Carr, of Guelph, Ontario, was forcibly abducted last month by a man named Sturdy and his daughter, and taken to Hamilton, where she was forced to marry Sturdy. The villain and his daughter are in jail, their victim being delirious from terror; it is feared the latter will become insane.

The towns of Eaton, Wisconsin, and a settlement of seventeen houses called "Benjamin's," were burned on Sunday. Only three houses were left in the two places. Two families were destroyed, and three are missing and supposed to be lost.

Lick Floyd, aged 81 years, his brother David and the latter's two sons, had a fight with Joseph A. Martin and his two sons, at Hopewell, Ohio, on Monday, and all the Floyds were killed.

Howard Reynolds, a wealthy contractor and builder of Monmouth, Ill., having discovered proof of his wife's guilt with Charles Kirk, a grain dealer, shot the woman dead, Kirk escaping. Reynolds then fatally shot a man who rushed into the room on hearing the firing, and finished by blowing his own brains out.

The centennial of the battle of Oriskany, near Utica, N. Y., was celebrated on the battle ground on Monday, 50,000 persons being present.

The Pennsylvania Railroad Company advertises for proposals for the purchase of eight thousand tons of scrap iron—the debris of the Pittsburg destruction.

Rev. James Murray, a Catholic priest, was buried in Bangor. Three of his brothers, who are priests, performed mass, and the occasion also called into the sanctuary three cousins, all priests.

Vanderbilt's $100,000 donation to his employees will give engineers about fourteen dollars apiece; conductors, eight dollars; firemen, seven dollars; brakemen, switchmen and yardmen, three dollars.

Snake stories are now in order. The Grand Rapids (Mich.) *Eagle* says a blue-racer twenty feet, eight and three-fourths inches in length, and ten inches in circumference, was killed in the township of Cannon by a citizen who was attacked by the reptile. Two girls, each about thirteen years old, died last week from the effect of rattlesnake bites,—one in Osborn county, Kansas, and one in Raleigh, N. C.

George Jackson, a negro who outraged and murdered a young girl named Corinna Hayes at Hamburg, Ark., was taken from jail on the 28th ult. by a mob of armed men, chained to a sapling and burned to death. His screams were heard a great distance. All that was left of him was about fifteen pounds of calcined bones.

At Boggs township, Pa., on the 3d inst., a girl of twelve years of age, named Stone, fired a gun loaded with buckshot at a ten-year-old boy named Johnny Woolsencraft, the charge striking him in the stomach and causing instant death. The girl had threatened to kill the boy unless he gave her a drink of water, which he refused to do, when she deliberately shot him.

The District Court of Northern Berkshire at North Adams never had a more genuine sensation than that of yesterday, when the Court room was packed with a sweltering crowd to hear the examination of Herbert Blanchard, who shot Albert and Francis Starks at the Advent chapel in North Savoy last Sunday. George M. Bourne and Francis Borden, charged with being accessories to the crime, were also brought before the Court, and all three were tried together, as the same witnesses and the same testimony were needed to understand all three cases. Next to the prisoners themselves, the crowd were most anxious to have Clara Starks, the girl who was the cause of the whole trouble, pointed out to them from among the thirty or forty witnesses. It was hard to believe that the innocent-looking little girl in short dress and straw hat was the centre of such a serious tragedy, and, whatever her fault in permitting the attentions of Blanchard after her father's wise prohibition, the experience of this week and those yet to come will be a punishment to be remembered during her life.—*Republican, Aug. 4.*

New Hampshire Items.

Rev. F. H. Lyford of Haverhill, Mass., goes to the Meredith Center Freewill Baptist church.

The people of Candia are somewhat excited over the robberies that are being made in that quiet village. Not being content with the successful raid made on J. G. Barker, grocer, on Thursday morning, the dwelling house of O. P. Batchelder was entered through a cellar window and a box containing papers valued at $400 taken.

Our Flag Hoisted at Samoa.

The American flag has been hoisted at Samoa, and unless the action of the Consul is repudiated by the authorities at Washington, the islands of the Navigator's group will henceforward have to be accounted as in the possession of the American Government. A short time ago we gave the particulars connected with the visit of several Samoan chiefs to Fiji, whither they had gone to endeavor to persuade Gov. Sir Arthur Gordon to take possession of Samoa for Great Britain. Apparently, the Samoan chiefs had not got any encouragement, for on their return home the American Consul, Mr. Griffin, commenced negotiations to have the American flag hoisted. All the preliminaries were completed on the night of the 23d of May, a number of documents having been signed, and on the morning of the 24th the American flag was hoisted at the King's house, at Point Molinu, on the west side of Apia Harbor. A salute of twenty-one guns was fired from the other side of the harbor. The American clipper bark Menshokoff was lying at Apia at the time, and an American man-of-war is expected shortly. A great feast was given at the King's house, and all the white inhabitants were invited to go. Thakomba's son, from Fiji, and the English Consul, Mr. Liardet, went to where the feast was being held, and said they would join them if they would haul down the American flag while they were there. The natives, however, declined to haul down the flag, even temporarily, and Prince Timothy and the English Consul left. Mr. Griffin, the American Consul, recently visited Washington, but it was not stated that he was commissioned to accept the cession of the islands.—*New Zealand Herald.*

The American flag has been hoisted at Samoa and allegiance formerly tendered to the United States. Some strange rumors are current with respect to this movement, but we forbear, for the present at least, of giving them publicity.—*Fiji Times.*

Speak Gently to the Poet.

"Encourage the young poet."—Ex. Yes, encourage him. We wrote poetry once ourselves, but we were not encouraged. When we submitted a fourteen-page poem to a publisher, he said the measure was defective. We offered to write ten more pages and give him full measure without extra charge, but he didn't encourage us. He said many of the lines lacked the requisite number of feet, and we proposed to scratch off seventeen more feet of the stuff on the spot, so that he might add a foot here and there where it would do the most good, but he didn't encourage us. He made a motion to put a foot where it wouldn't do us any good, and we went away from there without making any further propositions. Something told us it would be unhealthy to linger around there any longer. But we subsequently sold our poem. We got two cents a pound for it, and the purchaser did not grumble about lack of "measure" or "feet" either. He seemed to appreciate the production; but the careless manner in which he jammed it into an old bag was not calculated to encourage a young poet. —*Norristown Herald.*

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Portland	3.45 "	4.35, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls	3.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT.

Judge Clark held a session of the District Court on Tuesday, when a question was heard and argued relating to a note of $2500, made by J. C. Carr, endorsed by Hill & Carr and discounted by the New Hampshire National Bank, the assignee of Davis, Moulton & Co. in New York District objecting that it should be not allowed as a claim against the bankrupt firm in New York, but should be allowed against the estate of Hill & Carr in this District. The question is as to the security by a mortgage, and is submitted to Judge Clark for decision as a special referee. Beardslee of Utica, N. Y., for Symonds, assignee of Davis, Moulton & Co.; Frink for New Hampshire National Bank; H. S. Clark for A. F. Howard, assignee of Hill & Carr.

A hearing was also had in the matter of E. P. Kimball, assignee of Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank, in the matter of a note of Geo. T. Macy, made to A. H. Hill or order and by him endorsed. Mr. Hill testified that the note was discounted for an indebtedness of Macy to the bank, and that Mr. Hill's endorsement was official and not personal. The bank had purchased bonds of Macy and this indebtedness was for some over payments to him and for which he sent the note. The note, which was for $800, was disallowed as against the estate of A. H. Hill, in bankruptcy.

A hearing was had in regard to certain notes made by Jas. M. Carr, endorsed by J. C. Carr, amounting to $10,000. These proofs were allowed by the Register in Bankruptcy, and now it is contended that the notes were made by Carr because Hill was President of the Rockingham Ten Cents Savings Bank and was prohibited by law from being indebted to the bank, but that the notes were not the individual notes of Carr and should be expunged from the list of claims against his separate estate. Mr. Hill testified that the notes were discounted for the benefit of Hill & Carr, as his name was not allowed to be used in the bank. Mr. Hill furnished the collateral security to the bank pledged for the payment of the notes. The counsel for the Savings Bank maintained that Hill was acting in a fiduciary capacity, and that if there was anything done in violation of law it cannot now be taken advantage of by the representatives of Carr or Hill or any one claiming under them. The Court suggested that as the assignee had proved his debt absolutely while he held security, he was not now in position to object. The counsel for assignee admitted that the proofs were imperfectly made, and asked time to amend and correct them, as they now appeared to be defective inasmuch as Mr. Hill testified that certain bonds and stocks and a bank book were deposited as collateral for these notes. Mr. Carr testified that the entire proceeds of the notes were for the benefit of Hill & Carr; Mr. Hill being President of the bank could not be a maker of the notes, and he (Carr) presumed that the investing committee knew that it was a loan to Hill & Carr, and not to Jas. M. Carr. The claim was disallowed, with leave to prove the same against the estate of Hill & Carr. Frink and Howard for assignee of J. M. Carr; Frank W. Hackett for E. P. Kimball, assignee of R. T. C. S. Bank.

Before the U. S. Court, Thomas Howorth, Wm. Howarth, Thos. Woods and Stephen Daly of Portsmouth, aliens, were admitted to citizenship.

WRECKED AGAIN.

The schooner George L. Treadwell, formerly one of the fishing fleet belonging to Mr. Valentine Doané, Jr., of this city, which was wrecked on Chincoteague Shoal last winter while on the passage from Norfolk to New York with a load of corn, and was subsequently sold, raised by wreckers and taken into port, has again come to grief. After being repaired she was put into the West India trade, and on the 18th of July left Nassau, New Providence, for Baltimore, and the next morning was capsized by a squall off Ship Channel Cays, the crew taking refuge on the side above water. No lives were lost, all hands being taken off by a schooner which was near by at the time of the accident. Wrecking vessels sailed from Nassau July 20th to endeavor to right the capsized schooner.

PORTSMOUTH DIRECTORY, 1877-8.

"*Greenough's Directory* of the inhabitants, institutions, manufacturing establishments, business, societies, business firms, etc., etc., of the City Portsmouth, for 1877-8," is now ready for delivery to subscribers, and for sale by Willis G. Myers at No. 17 Congress street, (late Jos. H. Foster's,) at $1.50 per copy. To those who have used the Directories of Greenough & Co. in the past, it will be enough to say that the present issue is nearer perfection than any of its predecessors. It contains a neat map of the city, with the wards as at present existing marked by separate colors. The numbers of houses and stores are given according to the late renumbering; and there is a directory for the outskirts of the city, taking in all the houses without numbers on outlying streets and roads. There is a complete list of officers of the city government, fire department, schools, churches, military organizations, honorary and benefit societies, charitable associations, etc., of itself worth more than the price of the book; and many other features of value. The book should find a place in every office, counting-room, store and house.

VETERAN ARTILLERY ASSOCIATION.

At the annual meeting of the Portsmouth Veteran Artillery Association, held Monday evening, officers for the ensuing year were elected, as follows:

George W. Towle, Captain;
William O. Sides, 1st Lieutenant;
George E. Hodgdon, 2d Lieutenant;
Oliver M. Knight, 3d Lieutenant;
Charles A. C. Gray, 4th Lieutenant;
Andrew J. Sides, Adjutant;
Samuel C. Whittier, Surgeon;
Charles A. Holbrook, Assistant Surgeon;
Eugene M. Grant, Chaplain;
William H. Sise, Treasurer and Paymaster;
John H. Wells, Quartermaster;
Thomas E. O. Marvin, Judge Advocate;
Edward B. Prime, Clerk.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The U. S. S. Enterprise is now announced to drop down to the lower harbor on Friday and sail for Hampton Roads on Saturday, which place there is little doubt she will reach in safety if the weather holds good, as her pumps are of the very best make.

The Straw's Point fire is now believed to have been kindled by the spontaneous combustion of oily rags, and not by a tobacco pipe carelessly laid down while lighted.

The mountebank who reaped a rich harvest of nickels and dimes on Market square, Monday evening, from the crowds he delighted by his exhibition of eating cotton and blowing smoke and flame from his mouth, and the Punch and Judy show which pleased the youngsters in the same place Tuesday evening, each made more excitement than the municipal election seemed to do.

The Manchester *Mirror* of Monday says "four governors occupied seats in the Portsmouth train this morning, viz: Prescott, Cheney, Straw and Harriman," and the engine "Gov. Stearns" drew the train.

Mr. Simeon S. Jenkins, whose card as civil engineer appears in another column, is a native of Berwick, and after being engaged in the construction of railroads, water works and other public works for about thirty years, has settled down at Dover.

The election of Tuesday was the most quietly conducted of any city election for years. There was a noticeable lack of interest in the working politicians of both parties, and very few carriages were engaged in taking voters to the polls. The total vote of the city for Mayor was 266 less than that of last year, when 2006 votes were cast; but it was heavier than many anticipated it would be throughout the day, 1600 votes being the extreme limit of the estimate we heard made up to four o'clock. There was much more scratching of tickets than appears in the returns, as both sides were at it and pretty nearly balanced each other; particularly was this the case in Ward One. There was nothing anywhere worth mentioning in the shape of disturbance, that we have heard of. The prohibition candidate for Mayor, Mr. Albert A. Fernald, received thirty-three votes in the city.

Gentlemen who use tobacco, for smoking or chewing, will find an interesting notice in our paper of this date from the Merchants' Tobacco Company, 30 Broad Street, Boston, Mass.

—A curious anecdote is current of Pauline Lucca and the tenor Sonntheiler, who in 1860, when she was neither known nor rich, lent her a diamond of great value, which she wore when she performed in "Semiramide," but forgot to return to him. Sonntheiler was then rich, and thought little of the jewel. He however afterwards asked La Lucca to restore the gem, and in reply was informed by the diva that she had been robbed of it. At length Sonntheiler fell into such difficulties that he was obliged to take legal proceedings against the fair borrower, who, as she could not prove the robbery alleged in her letters, was condemned two or three weeks ago to pay heavy damages to Sonntheiler.

—The origin of "windfall" is said to be the following: Some of the nobility of England, by the tenure of their estates, were forbidden to sell any of the trees upon them, the timber being reserved for the use of the royal navy. Such trees as fell without cutting were the property of the occupants. A tornado, therefore, was a perfect God-send in every sense of the term, to those who had occupancy of the extensive forests, and the "windfall" was sometimes of a very great value.

—In a Nevada trial a new theory for defence was evolved. It consists in proving the previous bad character of the accused in mitigation of his crime, and as an explanation why nothing better could have been expected of him.

—"Mamma, I know why papa calls you 'honey,'" triumphantly cried a youngster. "Because he thinks I am sweet, dear?" "No; it's because you have so much comb in your hair."

—Pretty girls are like confectionery in more ways than one—they are sweet, they are expensive, and they are conducive to heart-burn.

THE ELECTION.

CITY VOTE, AUGUST 7, 1877.

WARD ONE.

Republican. Democratic.

Mayor.

John H Broughton	373	Samuel P Treadwell	281
Scattering		10	

Aldermen.

Alfred C Hoyt	380	Marcellus Eldredge	279
Wm E Hadley	384	John S Tyrat	286
Albert L Payne	379	Henry R Stoddard	280
Scattering		9	

Common Councilmen.

Michael E Long	378	John W Caswell	289
Charles E Young	393	Samuel J Gerrish	289
Walter S Gray	377	Charles E Boynton	280
Joshua B Marston	379	Charles H Garrett	285
Charles E Hodgdon	381	Nathan Walker	286
Arthur F Pfeiffer	373	John H Dodge	283
Scattering		0	

Inspectors of Checklists.

James A Waterhouse	375	Winthrop Hoyt	265
Richard H Waldron	380	Daniel J Ayers	265
Scattering		8	

Assessors of Taxes.

Robert King	380	Daniel Littlefield	278
Isaiah Wilson	378	Uriah Blaisdell	277
James A Rogg	392	Joseph Parry	278
Scattering		0	

Overseer of Poor:

Samuel W Hoyt	389	James M Sheldon	283
Scattering		0	

Moderator.

Charles A Shannon	378	James F Jeaness	282
Scattering		9	

Selectmen.

Enoch J Connor	380	Ira C Seymour	279
Chas H Bessellevre	380	Isaac Furber	279
William H Lovell	380	Charles A Canney	279
Scattering		7	

Ward Clerk.

Robert E Rich	381	George W Twombly	278
Scattering		9	

WARD TWO.

Mayor.

John H Broughton	376	Samuel P Treadwell	224
Scattering		13	

Aldermen.

Charles H Sides	376	Benjamin M Parker	221
Henry A Yeaton	386	David H Montgomery	220
Plumer D Norton	398	Hartley W Mason	224
Scattering		14	

Common Councilmen.

Elbridge Prior	371	John S Wendell	221
John Wood	373	Howard Walker	221
John S Whidden	372	Samuel R Gardner	218
William A Hodgdon	373	William B Grogan	221
Arthur W Walker	373	William J Fraser,	222
Oliver M. Jellison	369	Daniel P Pendexter	221
Scattering		12	

Inspectors of Checklists.

Casper M Tredick	376	Albert Hayes	221
William H Deverson	376	William T Frye	222
Scattering		12	

Assessors of Taxes.

Alfred Stavers	373	Amos T Goodrich	221
Charles H Mendum	368	Nehemiah Moses	222
B F Webster	368	William W Cotton	222
Scattering		14	

Overseer of Poor.

Charles H Joy	373	Michael R Perkins	221
Scattering		13	

Moderator.

Washington Freeman	373	Howe Call	221
Scattering		14	

Selectmen.

Newton Johnston	375	Frank W Rand	220
Samuel H Kingsbury	375	Herman Manson	221
Benjamin F Winn	376	Robert H Hall	222
Scattering		12	

Ward Clerk.

Edwin H Leslie	376	Frank P Randlett	222
Scattering		12	

WARD THREE.

Mayor.

John H Broughton	58	Samuel P Treadwell	126
Scattering		5	

Aldermen.

William Sladen	50	Edward D Coffin	127
Scattering		6	

Common Councilmen.

Joseph O Ham	57	Jonathan Buzzell, Jr,	129
George H Abbott	61	John A Hammond	129
Scattering		5	

Inspectors of Checklists.

Samuel S Whidden	57	Frank G Sherburne	128
Scattering		2	

Assessors of Taxes.

Thomas Wiggin	61	Jeremiah Sanborn	128

Overseer of Poor.

Thomas Lester	56	Samuel S Frye	127
Scattering		5	

Moderator.

Elijah Clough	60	Charles S Frye	129

Selectmen.

John Walsh Jr	61	James G Locke	128
Jacob Haddock	62	Atwood J Adams	128
Charles A C Gray	62	Harry J Freeman	128

Ward Clerk.

Daniel J Spinney	61	William H Canty	129

WARD FOUR.

Mayor.

John H Broughton	106	Samuel P Treadwell	156
Scattering		7	

Aldermen.

John E Ham	102	Charles W Norton	159
Charles W Gardner	103	George A Perkins	141
Scattering		24	

Common Councilmen.

Charles W Drown	103	William H Smart	160
Charles E Leach	108	George Cox	167
John Nutter	109	William H Pettigrew	167
Job Woodsum	103	Stephen B Pearson Jr	161

Inspectors of Checklists.

George M Ayers	102	William F Russell	157

Assessors of Taxes.

Wm A Vaughan Jr	98	Henry F Wendell	161
Oliver Ayers	102	Benjamin Russell	166
Scattering		5	

Overseer of Poor.

Joshua Stackpole	103	Albert B Trefethen	152
Scattering		13	

Moderator.

William H Rollins	102	Henry F Wendell	159

Selectmen.

William B Randall	102	James W Lefavour	160
Lafayette V Newell	103	George S Leach	158
John O Ayers	102	John S Tuckerman	157

Ward Clerk.

Gardner M Goodrich	101	William S Hazel	161

Mayor Vote by Wards--1876.

Ward	I.	II.	III.	IV.	Total
Broughton	446	487	80	156	1169
Goodrich	267	253	125	185	830
Scattering	1	6			7
Total	714	746	205	341	2006

Broughton's plurality, 339; majority, 332.

Mayor Vote by Wards--1877.

Ward	I.	II.	III.	IV.	Total
Broughton	378	370	58	166	918
Treadwell	281	234	136	136	787
Fernald	10	13	6	5	33
Scattering				2	2
Total	669	618	199	309	1740

Broughton's plurality, 131; majority, 96.

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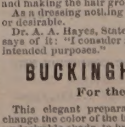

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the premulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall continue or permit to be continued any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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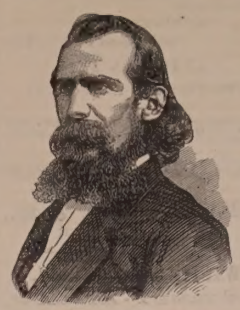

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Why Riots Thrive in Baltimore.

Riots have been of easy growth here in almost every period. Bank riots, anti-federal riots, know-nothing riots, police riots, election riots, abolition riots, Southern-sympathy riots. The father of General Robert E. Lee received the injuries here which finally laid him in his grave at the hands of cold-blooded ruffians. The cause of this riotous temperament is to be found in many things, among others the social propensity of the Baltimore people. In no city are there more social clubs of both high and low order, and military clubs, firemen clubs, lodges, etc., where the people assemble and agitate. Here began Methodism, Odd Fellowism and several social fraternities. Rowdy political clubs were always indigenous. There is, besides, a very large element of the original people, of the fervent blood of the Irish and Scotch Celt. The Protestant Presbyterian element and the Catholic element, both English and Irish, make up the leading Baltimore families. Baltimore stripped all the Chesapeake Bay towns of their enterprising traders, and grew to opulence on the ruin of many an old port of entry. The bay-traders were generally Irish and Scotch. It drew blood and brain from Virginia as well as from the eastern shore, and the border Presbyterian counties of Pennsylvania. Many Spanish and French from the West Indies settled here and contributed their spasmodic and infuriated passions to a native populace already touchy enough under the influence of the broiling summers of the clay hills and gullies on the Chesapeake. The atmosphere of Baltimore is sultry; it mixes badly with whisky. There are more taverns to the square acre in central Baltimore than in the Seven Dials of London. More concealed deadly weapons are carried here than in the great city of New York. The "code" is in vogue, and to defend your "honor, sah," particularly in a bar-room, is a Christian duty. Baltimore has all the southern traits intensified by the density of population. It is the largest city of the South, and is as southern as Memphis or New Orleans. —"*Gath.*"

The Devil's Chain.

A few days since, a gentleman resident in the nighborhood of Everton, England, went on a visit to Newcastle, and, being anxious to possess some memento of his trip, he purchased a copy of Mr. Jenkin's celebrated work, "The Devil's Chain." On the evening before his return home he sent the following telegram to his wife: "Shall be home to-morrow evening about nine o'clock. Am bringing 'The Devil's Chain' for you." Not knowing of the existence of the book in question, the good lady began to be somewhat terrified at the threatened bondage implied in the mysterious telegram which she had received, and the bare possibility of being manacled by some dreadful instrument forged in the regions below, drove her almost to the brink of desperation. She became convinced that her husband was insane. To prepare for any emergency which might happen on the return of her "better half," she enlisted the services of two grown-up brothers. The well-known knock of the husband raised all in the house to the tip-toe of expectation. Screwing her courage to the sticking point, she hastened to the door, but the remembrance that he was the bearer of "The Devil's Chain" for her was too much, and she fainted in his arms. On recovering consciousness, she inquired why he had sent her such a telegram, to which he replied, "The telegram contained nothing but the truth, and here I am at the stated time." "But where is 'The Devil's Chain?'" she asked. "How impatient you are; I have it in my pocket," was his reply. At the utterance of these words she screamed out, "Oh, he has gone mad; what shall I do, what shall I do!" and at the same moment the brothers rushed from their hiding place, and, seizing the supposed maniac by the collar, threw him down. At first he was quite bewildered, but the light dawned upon his mind, and he began to see that "The Devil's Chain" had occasioned all the mischief. As soon as he could release one of his hands he drew from his pocket a small parcel which he threw upon the table, exclaiming, "There is the Devil's Chain." When the true nature of its contents became known, the men heartily laughed at their folly, and the affrighted wife was quieted.

—There is a servant girls' trades-union at Dubuque, Iowa. A lady recently endeavored to re-engage a servant girl who worked for her two years ago and gave excellent satisfaction, but the girl resolutely refused to go, though she acknowledged that she liked her former mistress as much as the latter liked her. The lady urged her to give her reasons for refusing a permanent place with one whom she acknowledged she liked so well. Then the girl said she was a member of a ring or secret society of servant girls, each of whom was pledged to bring from her employer's a given amount of provisions—meat, or flour, or butter, or soap, or something—every week, and in return for this, when out of employment the person to whom these articles were given supported them until they found, or she could find for them, another place. And the girl refused to re-enter the employment of her former mistress, because the lady had been so kind to her that she could not make up her mind to steal anything from her.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 9, 1877.

Wages in the Coal Regions.

A correspondent of the New York *Times*, writing from Scranton, Pa., concerning the mining troubles, says he has examined the pay-roll sheets of the Lackawanna Coal and Iron Company, and learned from them the following facts:

"The company in March employed 2248 men and boys, to whom they paid $74,000, an average of $33 per head. In April they paid 2218 men $61,000, or an average of $28 per man and boy. In May there were 2140 persons who earned $68,200, or an average of $30, and in June 2130 men earned $63,000, or an average of about $30 each. It must be remembered that the mine gangs, numbering about 600 each, include about 200 boys, working at wages varying from $4 to $10 a month."

There is undoubtedly great force in the following suggestion as to the primary cause of the trouble at the mines; too many men to do the work required:

"The great trouble here in Scranton," said an officer of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Company, who has been acquainted with the coal business of the corporation for twenty years, "is our population, an excess of miners for the work to be done." The Company, a few years ago, purchased large tracts of land along the valley, embracing an area about four miles in length. It sunk shafts at great expense, at a time when the prospect seemed to warrant the belief that there would be a steady demand for all the coal that could be brought out of them. The miners flocked to the region, and during the war, when nearly all the men employed were foreigners, they constantly brought out friends and relatives, until the scarcity of labor that had for a time existed ceased, and when the panic came in 1873, it was suddenly found that the supply of coal would have to be limited, and there soon came complaints of lack of employment."

A Story of a Cock and a Ball.

A New York paper recently published a long yarn about Justice Bradley of the United States Supreme Court, asserting that he told Justices Field and Clifford that he was in favor of the democratic electors from Florida, and read them an elaborate opinion he had prepared sustaining that view, but that he was visited by a throng of republican leaders all through the night preceding the day on which the Electoral Commission voted on the Florida case, and when it came to a vote he voted in favor of the republican electors. Also, that Justice Bradley subsequently filed the identical opinion he had before read to Clifford and Field in support of the Tilden electors, as his reason for supporting the Hayes electors, merely altering "democratic" to "republican" all through it, and making a few other trifling changes. The story is ridiculous on its face, for Judge Bradley's argument in favor of the Hayes electors could not be twisted into supporting the Tilden electors without being entirely re-written and much of its most important part left out altogether; but further proof of the utter falsehood of the charge against Judge Bradley will not be asked for by any one, after learning that the charge is made by the New York *Sun*.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 6.

A vast amount of ingenuity has been thrown away on the Washington Monument during the last quarter of a century without any apparent progress towards its completion. A few weeks after the unfavorable report of the Commission, its members were reported to have hit upon a plan to overcome any further lateral pressure of the earth foundations. It contemplated a circular trench around the shaft, thirty or forty feet in depth, to be filled up with a wall of solid masonry, which in turn was to be strengthened by iron-hoops. About the same time Mr. Larkin Meade was said to have proposed a plan for completing the superstructure. It was, in short, to surmount the present unfinished marble shaft by a colossal statue, eighty-five feet high, of the "Father of his Country," and to be formed of hammered bronze. The upper layers of stone were to be beveled at the expense of the external surface so that the feet, even, of the big bronze George might be visible to his admiring countrymen and others. Now the President is said to have pronounced in favor of a union of the two plans, and thus complete the national reproach. I forbear to indicate the views of your correspondent as he is not an art critic; but from all that is heard from those professing ability in that direction, it is safe to predict that should the compromise be agreed to, it will be most mercilessly lampooned and abused as an outrage upon every requirement of aesthetics. In this connection I may say that the naval monument recently erected at the foot of the Capitol grounds is generally regarded as one of the very finest specimens of monumental building in the country.

The revelations relative to the starving condition of thousands of Pennsylvania miners and their families made by Saturday's New York papers, has served to confirm the opinion of many as to the necessity of Government supervision over railroads and other great corporations, holding, as they do, such vital relations to all our great interests, including the laboring masses. While it has not abated the demand for the swift punishment of the ruffian and incendiary leaders of the late riots, it has softened the censure visited upon the mass of the strikers who had real grievances, and the agitation over this and other problems precipitated by the outbreaks, appears destined to go on until the meeting of Congress, when it will be taken up by the House and Senate.

From the *Star* of Saturday evening it would appear that the charges filed here recently against Collector Russell of Richmond, are not very unlike those brought against him months ago and which were investigated and dismissed as not warranted by the evidence filed in their support. Commissioner Raum is reported to have again dismissed them with a pretty broad intimation that they were inspired by malice and envy, and perhaps by the hope indulged by his accusers of officially succeeding him. It may prove that those against Brooklyn's Collector, which are under investigation, have no better foundation in fact.

The Administration is rapidly dispersing, many important functionaries having already gone on their summer vacation while others are preparing to follow, although the heat of no summer for ten years has been less oppressive than this season. The President has indefinitely postponed his Southern visit and will go to Vermont in a few days, where he will spend a portion of the time with Mr. Evarts at the latter's farm.

KNOX.

News and Notes.

The extensive stables and carriage houses connected with the Morton House, formerly the Americus Club House, at Indian Harbor, Greenwich, Conn., were burned early Monday morning, and thirty-six horses, twenty-four of them very valuable animals, perished, and many elegant carriages were consumed. The fire is supposed to have been the work of an incendiary. The night watchman did not give an alarm, and it is thought that he was asleep. The flames spread with such rapidity that within forty-five minutes all the buildings, with their contents, were a mass of ruins. The stablemen barely escaped. The entire loss amounted to $50,000.

Dr. De Hasse, American Consul at Jerusalem, writes to an Omaha paper giving the details of his tour around the world in the remarkably quick time of sixty-eight days. The journey from Alexandria, Egypt, via Brindisi and Paris to London, and thence to New York and San Francisco was accomplished in twenty days, just the same number of days going from San Francisco to Japan. The crossing to Canton, in China, took six days. A sail of ten days over the China Sea and through the strait of Malacca brought him to Ceylon, and twelve more days to Suez, in Egypt, and thence, a few hours by rail to Alexandria, his starting point, making the entire distance of 25,000 miles—16,000 by water and 9000 on land—in sixty-eight days, without any accident or detention of any kind.

The Philadelphia *Ledger* could not find a single American among the Philadelphia rioters.

Five men and twenty-five horses, of a party lost on the Staked Plains in Texas recently, perished from thirst.

When somebody recommended Governor Young of Ohio to call upon the National Government for help during the railroad troubles, he answered: "I will never call for United States troops until every man in Ohio has been whipped."

Jay Gould was once a country editor. He writes now occasionally, it is said, and is regarded as an astute and sagacious writer.

The London correspondent of the Liverpool *Daily Post* states that the homœopathists have discovered a certain remedy for seasickness. It is apomorphia, and a very small dose of it taken once an hour in water will remove the qualms. They are so certain of its success that they are going to procure a gratuitous circulation of it among vessels that carry passengers.

The opening of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Line to New Orleans marks the rapid progress of a compact and admirably managed organization, which already reaches all the principal points for telegraphic business at the North, and promises soon to cover the South with an equally efficient service. Every forward step taken by this healthy and aggressive young Company is a cause for special congratulation to the business public. It has for the first time in this country made telegraphing really and continuously cheap. The service it has rendered, especially to the press, deserves a less grudging recognition than it has hitherto received. The Western Union has uniformly refused to reduce rates except when driven to it. Every reduction is due solely to the enterprise of the Atlantic & Pacific. If people want low rates, they ought to maintain the Company that secures them. Its managers yesterday denied authoratively the malicious stories about its intending to raise rates. Its steady policy for years has been to reduce, and it seems to have prospered on it.—*Tribune.*

Mr. James T. Fields is engaged on two important volumes. The first volume, of about 800 pages, will be entitled "Family Library of English Poetry, from Chaucer to Tennyson," and will contain all the standard poems in the language that are not too long to be embraced in such a collection. The other volume, of the same size, will bear the title of "Family Library of English Prose, from Sir Philip Sidney to John Ruskin," and will contain specimens of the best prose authors in the language. These volumes will be published by James R. Osgood & Company of Boston.

When the Secretary gets at the work of banishing politics from the navy yards the trouble will begin. Politics have been intrenched in the navy yards through successive Administrations—whig, democratic and republican. When Buchanan was trying to crush out the heresy which subsequently split the democratic party, proscription ran so high that the humblest laborer in the yards was obliged to pronounce the shibboleth of the dominant faction of the dominant party. Senators have wrestled with each other—as Gwin and Broderick did—for the control of navy yards and their incidental patronage. Ships have been built or unbuilt, repaired or laid up in ordinary, with reference to the immediate needs of the controlling politicians. These abuses are almost as old as the Government itself. Possibly they are less prevalent now than in former years. But they will be found most formidable in any attempt at reorganization.—*N. Y. Times.*

The joke of the Iowa campaign is the nomination upon a prohibitory platform of a man who has been indicted for the illegal sale of liquor. The joke of the Ohio campaign is the nomination upon a democratic platform of a man who was a Know-Nothing a few years ago and is a Prohibitionist now.—*Chicago Times.*

A family of six persons in Taunton, Mass., have been for six months seriously affected with symptoms of poisoning, the mother having been a patient at the Massachusetts General Hospital, getting much relief. It now proves that the family has been using for cooking and drinking purposes, water that has stood all night in a lead pipe. Will people never understand the peril of this mode of proceeding?

The St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* says: "What seems to be wanted in the game of base ball is an improvement in the umpire arrangement. Every club can win every game on its home grounds, but they all seem to let down as soon as they get into the clutches of a strange umpire. An automatic combination umpire, with a stem-winder and a time lock, would be an improvement."

One of the most original ideas of the day is advanced by the Chicago *Times*, which declares the constitution of Canada to be a responsible republic while that of this country is an irresponsible elective monarchy, and argues that instead of annexing Canada to the United States, as proposed by Mr. Blaine, the United States ought to be annexed to Canada.

A southern college professor says that Gov. Stone, of Mississippi, is "as just as Aristides and as brave as Cæsar." His inaction in the Kemper county massacre would indicate that he is also as dead as both.—*N. Y. Times.*

James Bourden, seventy years old, a Swede, made an unsuccessful attempt to commit suicide at Manchester on the 7th inst., jumping in the canal, near the print works, he being rescued by parties in the vicinity. Cause, tired of life.

The Eastern War.

There was nothing definite or of importance from the seat of war, Tuesday. Turks and Russians mutually accuse each other of frightful barbarities, and both deny that they commit any. The Turks claim to be giving the Russians a terrible shaking up, and driving them at all points in Bulgaria. A despatch from Shumla says that the Russians are concentrating in great force at Aklona, it is supposed with the intention of an attack on Rasgrad, where 40,000 Turks, under the command of Ahmed Eyoub, defend the fortified camp. A despatch from Bucharest says the Russians have declared their intention of holding the Shipka pass at all hazards.

It is reported that Russia has succeeded in inducing Servia and Greece to simultaneously declare war against Turkey.

—A Michigan father writes to the faculty of Yale: "What are your terms for a year? And does it cost anything extra if my son wants to learn to read and write as well as row a boat?"

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THE ELECTION.

The *Times* says the democrats fairly throw away the chance to carry the city, "and there is no excuse for it. We might have won, but as it is we have got what we have got and must make the best of it. But 1740 votes were thrown in the whole city, showing that nearly 600 voters staid away from the polls. It is more than probable that all the republicans who could be persuaded to vote for Mr. Broughton, did vote; and had democrats rallied and thrown a full vote, instead of Broughton having a majority of 96, the majority would have been more than 200 for Mr. Treadwell." There is no doubt that the democrats failed to carry the city through not throwing enough votes; but then the vote of both parties was very fairly proportioned to the tearing old canvass that preceded the election. With two daily papers in the city, one strongly democratic and one with a very perceptible leaning toward republicanism, there was no apparent attempt to fire the voter's heart, on either side; indeed, a stranger in the city might well have been excused for not discovering from the papers that an election was coming off at all, and all that puzzles us is how so many as 1740 voters came to find it out in time to deposit their ballots.

[Communicated.]

CONUNDRUMS.

Mr. Editor: The result of our city election is that the city is to remain under the control of the republicans another year, a result which *all* republicans will rejoice at if only some needed reforms be made. Why not place Ex-City Marshal Johnson in his old position? And why not also give us a Street Commissioner who can fulfill all the requirements of his office without having to call in the aid of a surveyor, which entails extra expense on the city? The people are ready for such a reformation in their affairs; then let us all, as true republicans, throw aside all self interests and personal ambitions, and do all we can to lessen taxes and improve our condition financially. The republicans have a grand chance to show by their works that they are willing to do all that can be done for the benefit of the whole people. SUMNER.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, August 8th.

John Barrett, a boy, was arraigned on complaint of Thomas F. Hoyt, for an assault. The complainant did not appear, and the two witnesses who were in court testified that the first they knew of the matter was when they received notice to attend the trial; so young Barrett was discharged.

Daniel Hurley was brought up for assaulting James Sweeney. The complainant in this case also was absent from the court, and Judge Batchelder, begining to get tired of that way of doing business, sent an officer after him and he was brought in. Hurley was fined $5, costs taxed at $7.64. He announced his readiness not to pay the same, and will "go up" if he sticks to that resolution.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

We are under obligations to the Ward Clerks of the various wards for prompt returns of the voting on the 7th inst., and hereby tender our thanks for their obliging courtesy.

The splendid ship "Granite State" will be launched at noon to-day. The launch can be seen from the wharves in this city.

Col. J. C. Butler's third popular excursion to the Shoals in steamer Appledore comes off to-day. Tickets for the round trip 75 cents each; for sale *only* by Mr. Butler,—all tickets sold on the boat will be charged for at full rates.

Schooners Jed F. Duren and Snow Bird, of St. John, N. B., and schooner Mist, of Calais, Me., were loading brick at the yards up river, on Wednesday, for St. John. The captain of the Snow Bird informs us that the parties chartering his vessel, at the same time chartered six others, two to load at Portland, two at Danversport and two at this port, all to take bricks to St. John.

Mr. Charles H. Tompson, formerly of this city and for many years leader of the old Portsmouth Cornet Band, is now leader of the American Band of Boston, which numbers twenty-five instruments. This band was one of the sixteen which participated in the tournament at Rocky Point, Rhode Island, on the 3d inst.

The Boston *Journal* says: "Mr. Alfred Ordway, the well known artist, has recently brought home as the result of a month's sojourn at Newcastle, near Portsmouth, N. H., a collection of open-air sketches of several historical points of interest in that locality. Among them are views of the Governor Wentworth Mansion, near the Hotel Wentworth; the Jeffries Mansion, 200 years old, situated on Battery Point: 'Pall-and-be-d——d' Point on the Piscataquis River; the Martello Tower, just west of Fort Constitution, and the Murderer's Cave, in which Wagner, the Smutty Nose murderer, secreted himself after his return from the scene of bloody tragedy. These works of art are painted in oil, and will be framed by Mr. Charles W. Kennard, and placed on exhibition at his store on Tremont street, where the residents of Portsmouth and vicinity and visitors to the ancient town of Newcastle will be welcome to inspect the views." By "Murderer's Cave" we presume is meant the shallow cave in the face of the cliff below the Hotel Wentworth, near which Wagner landed on the morning after his murderous expedition, but in which he did not hide at all. The cave has always been called the "Devil's Den," and if a new name is to be given it now we respectfully submit that it should be called after some personage at least as respectable as the one whose name it has so long borne.

RYE LETTER.

Rye, August 6th.

"Zed" has a long letter in the last Boston *Saturday Evening Gazette*, all about Rye Beach, in which it is pretty plainly indicated that business is not so good as usual this season, and some reasons are given why it is not up to the former standard, all of which may be correct, and may not be. But he may make up his mind to one thing,—business or no business at the beach, the farmers who live back from the sea and who reap no benefit from summer boarders, are not going to vote for any more roads to accommodate them or boarding house keepers, and the idea of their helping to pay for street or road lights, or plank sidewalks, would make them vote against any such proposition "early and often" if they could have the chance. It is all very well to talk about the benefit to the whole town which is derived from summer boarding, but just ask any farmer in town who don't have facilities and location for the business how much richer he is at the end of the season, than he would have been if there was not a boarder in town! At one hotel where from twenty-five to forty chickens are used every day, there has been only one small lot bought of a resident of the town; and it is no wonder that the tax payers living back from the sea should grumble at having to pay for these things, which do not benefit them in the least.

But aside from all this it is intimated by "Zed" that not enough chickens, eggs and pure ice cream (without the corn starch) are provided. Perhaps some boarders are unreasonable in their demands—undoubtedly owing to ignorance on their part, which considering their opportunities of acquiring knowldge is excusable; still to common country folks it does seem strange that they entertain some singular ideas, in regard to things they eat, which they think anybody with any sense at all ought to know was an impossibility. Chickens have not yet been produced which consist of all white meat; still, all or nearly all who go out to board, really seem to think that such is the case; at least they all send for it. Then again, cows don't give cream exclusive of milk, but these nice folks who come to spend the summer with us seem to think they ought to, if they don't. Then the tripe must be all "honeycombed," and they don't know why it can't be made that way just as well as any other; and the beefsteaks ought to be all tenderloins, and if oxen don't know how to grow that way, they ought to be taught.

And worst of all, "Zed" says they don't know how to make a fish chowder! After such a charge as that it is not so much of a conundrum as to the cause of a decline in business; but now that there is an "Episcopal Chapel" here, and the bell all right in the tower, perhaps if everybody becomes an Episcopalian, (nobody can preach in, or go to St. Andrew's by the Sea unless they are of that denomination) and attends services regularly every Sunday, things may improve. NAT.

Rye, Aug. 8.

The house, barn and outbuildings, belonging to Mr. J. Newel Philbrick, about a mile from the Center, on the road leading from Jenness' Beach to Breakfast Hill, were entirely consumed by fire between one and two o'clock this morning. But very little furniture was saved, the flames spread so rapidly, and the family saved barely clothing enough to cover themselves with. The fire broke out in the house, and before it reached the barn the stock was fortunately got out in safety. Among the articles destroyed was a fine old-fashioned brass clock, for which Mr. Philbrick had been offered $100. It is not known how the fire caught. In that part of the house where it originated there had been no fire during the day. There was insurance on the buildings for $1500 in the "Farmer's Mutual." None of Mr. Philbrick's private papers were saved. NAT.

A New Form of Lunacy Illustrated.

The man who wants a retraction is the thorn in an editor's flesh. If a local item states that red-headed John Simpkins who lives on Orange street was arrested for drunkenness, an irate man rushes up to the office to demand an explanation to the effect that no reflection is cast upon Thomas Plimpkins of Lemons street, who has black hair and drinks nothing stronger than cider. If a reporter, in describing a street fight, mentions the fact that it took place near "The House of Lords," the indignant proprietor of that establishment appears before the editor, protesting that a slur upon the character of his saloon is intended, and threatening dire vengeance if an apology be not offered as publicly as the insult to the effect that the rioters got their liquor at another and altogether more disreputable groggery. If the hapless journalist throws some humorous incident into an impersonal form, he finds that he has hit home in a score of places, and he is accused of satirizing people of whose existence he knew no more than the world knew a month ago of the village at the bottom of Lake Leman. If he invents fictitious names to fill out a narrative he learns that there are hundreds of people willing to assume the roles which he has created, after the manner of the disreputable schoolmasters who accused Dickens of caricaturing them in the character of Wackford Squeers. In fact, it seems to be a common thing with certain half-educated, thin-skinned and self-important persons to imagine that the press is always discussing them; and generally they have no better grounds for the supposition than Scrub, who declared, "I think they talked of me, for they laughed consumedly." When a fellow of this kind has no other excuse for nagging at an editor he is sure to appear as the champion of his minister, his mother-in-law or his daughter, and until the inventor of the Bogardus kicker contrives some small, cheap and easily concealed but powerful petard by which the man who seeks a retraction may be blown to the moon, the life of the American journalist will not be completely happy.—*N. Y. World.*

—The liquor sellers of Bennington, Vt., are indignant. They expected to get rich out of the approaching celebration; but a Vermont law forbids the sale of liquor near a military encampment, and the Vermont militia will encamp at Bennington on centennial week. The commanding officer has the power to stop such sales, to seize liquors, and to place guards at any place where he believes liquors are sold, and notice has been given that the power will be exercised.

—A young fellow, who was a bit of a Bohemian, fell in love with his laundress, a charming young creature; and in order that he might see her frequently, he contrived to make her call every day to take something to the wash. As chance would have it, they were separated from each other for a time, but by and by they met again. "Have you been true to me all this time?" inquired the comely damsel. "See," said he, "I have worn nothing but paper collars since we parted."

—A story is told of the late Queen of Holland, who encountered one day on the high road a soldier making frantic efforts to light his pipe. "There," said she, giving him some money, "buy good tobacco." "It is the Queen," whispered an equerry in the soldier's ear. The latter mumbled out some thanks, when the Queen remarked, "I fear the regulation tobacco is not good." The soldier opened his pouch, and placed some weed in Her Majesty's hand, adding, "Just taste that stuff, ma'am."

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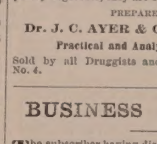

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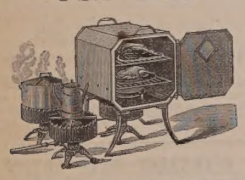

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either carry them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any, other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—after said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor or aldermen, command by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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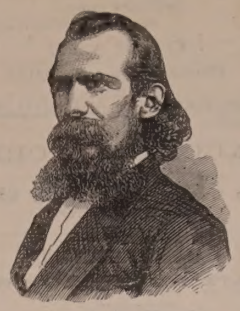

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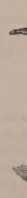

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Counterfeiter Trapped.

Joanna Sterling, a pretty little girl twelve years old, keeps a newspaper stand in New York. To Joanna came Thomas Buff, of Oswego, who wanted to buy a morning paper, and asked her if she could change a half a dollar. Joanna said "You bet!" and gave Mr. Buff forty-seven cents and the newspaper he desired. Mr. Buff then tendered to Joanna a half dollar coin, and when he was about half a block away, the little girl called to him that the money was bad. This information made Mr. Buff change his walk to a quickstep, but Joanna's brother pursued him and captured his coat-tails. Then Mr. Buff said, "I will sit down on this stone and wait until you go back and get that half dollar."

"That's too thin," said the boy; "here comes a cop, and he's too fly for you." When the "cop" came up the boy explained the situation, and Mr. Buff said; "Well, I don't suppose this'll be more than three years for me, will it?"

"I don't know," answered the policeman; "we'd better go to the United States court." When the party arrived before the United States grand jury, Joanna and her brother promptly told their stories, and Mr. Buff was immediately indicted. As Joanna left the jury-room, the foreman of the jury said to General Foster: "Call that little girl back, will you?"

The little girl came back, and the foreman directed her to pass in front of each juryman. She did so, and when she had finished her round she was possessed of a pile of silver change. Then she went out, and General Foster said: "Well, that restores my faith in human nature. It was a pretty act."

—An Ohio critic deluged with sarcasm a barrister who assumed the part of the mummy in an amateur dramatic performance. He said: "He was obliged to put a little animation into himself to come up with the character, and to wear more recent linen, but that was about all. Nature had admirably qualified him to act the part."

—A Chicago young man had listened all the evening to his wife's selections from Wagner, and he slept very soundly. Toward midnight, cats assembled in the backyard and yowled fearfully. The sleeper did not get up and throw bootjacks at them, but turned on one elbow and whispered in his dreams, "Sing it once more, Elvira; sing it once more."

—English butchers have been experimenting with dynamite, exploded by a current of electricity, as a more humane means of killing cattle than the present method, and find that it works admirably. A small primer of dynamite is fastened to the forehead of each animal, with an electric fuse attached; when the electric current is set in motion the charges are exploded simultaneously and the animals are instantly killed.

—During the strike in Albany, while Coroner Fitzhenry, of that city, who is a member of the Burgesses Corps, was guarding the western end of the upper railroad bridge, a man attempted to pass the guard. The coroner commanded the intruder to halt. "Who will stop me from going over this bridge?" asked the man. "I will," said the coroner. "Would you stop the likes of me, who voted for you for coroner?" The coroner replied: "I am put here to shoot, and I get thirty dollars for a corpse. If you don't leave I'll put a bullet through you."

—During the recent unpleasantness in Chicago a party of roughs called on Robert Law, a rich coal dealer. "You must pay your men two dollars a day, or we'll shut you up," said the spokesman. "And who the devil are you, sir?" demanded Robert. "We represent the labor strike, and must be obeyed," imperiously demanded the spokesman. "Well, you wan't me to pay my men two dollars a day, do you?" "Yes, and you must do it, too." "I'm much obliged to the labor strikers. I'm now paying my men from $3 to $4.50 a day, and a reduction to two dollars will be a good thing for me; but go and see the workmen about it."

—An English farmer has recently been compelled to pay the costs of a practical joke. He was sitting in the bar-room of the inn one night and taking his usual tankard of ale, when his eye chanced to fall on the sleeping form of a man with a long beard. He went to the fire, and, lighting a piece of paper, deliberately applied it to the sleeping man's beard. There was a bright, rushing flame for a second or two, the man sprang to his feet in agony; the joke was complete, and the farmer roared in ecstacy. The unfortunate sufferer, who happened to be the village tailor, knew that the farmer was a man of substantial means, and acted accordingly. He brought an action for $250 damages in the Malmesbury County Court in due course. According to the plaintiff's evidence, his beard was eighteen inches long when he lay down, after having some ale. The next thing he remembered was his face being on fire, while a man helped to put out the flame. The defendant sat in his seat roaring with laughter, and did not offer any assistance, nor did he tender any apology for what he had done. His lips were burned severely, his face was blistered, his beard, eyebrows, and eyelashes were burned to the skin, and one eye and one ear were scorched. The magistrate awarded him $250 and costs.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 10, 1877.

A Desperado's Career.

The Greenfield (Mass.) *Gazette* gives the following history of the careeer of Herbert Blanchard, the ruffian who shot two men at a church door in Savoy, Mass., a few Sundays ago:

"The young desperado, Herbert Blanchard, if half that is told of him is true, is as desperate and lawless a rascal as ever went unhung. He was a hard boy at school, and has the reputation of once putting the master out-of-doors when the latter attempted to punish him for some misdemeanor. He was always in trouble at home and abroad—a reckless, harum-scarum fellow. At the age of seventeen he married Jane Blanchard, but led her such a miserable life that she soon left him, obtained a divorce, and is now remarried and living in Stamford, Vt. Blanchard, after his early matrimonial experience, became a rover. He has been all through the wilds of the West, to California, where he boasts of being hunted down as a blackleg and thief; to Mexico, where he enlisted in the Mexican army, deserted, was arrested, and got out of prison by cutting his way through the roof and lowering himself to the ground by stripping up a flag and tying the ends together. He was shot at by the guards, but succeeded in making his escape. He married another wife in Mexico and left her with one child. This country was not large enough, so he took a trip to foreign lands, and this last winter came back to the little hamlet of Savoy, having finished his criminal education in France. His father, Daniel Blanchard, lives in Savoy, and his grandfather, Chandler Blanchard, in the adjoining town of Hawley."

Mean Business.

Some scoundrel, or possibly some funny fellow who plays practical jokes, recently poured a solution of lead into one of the salt-water tanks of the New York Aquarium. As the system of tanks is continuous, this poison—most deadly to all forms of fish life—permeated the whole series and the fish began to be affected immediately. The first intimation of wrong received by the keepers was in seeing the fish all swimming near the surface of the water and frequently trying to jump out, as if to obtain fresh air. Shortly afterward they were floating dead upon the surface and were removed. Not only the line of small tanks at the southern side of the building, with their rare and beautiful specimens from the tropical seas, was affected, but also the great sixty-foot tank, with its immense sharks and sturgeons, its populous school of herring, and its clumsy-looking skates. The loss counted several hundreds of fish, representing many thousands of dollars. It is the most severe one which Messrs. Coupe & Reiche have sustained. The managers are utterly at a loss to account for the malice which has caused this wholesale slaughter, and are of opinion that the lead must have been put in one of the small tanks by some one who did not realize that the tanks were connected, and that death in one meant death in all. The most valuable of the destroyed specimens are thought to be the beautiful and delicate "angel fish," which are very difficult to obtain, and almost impossible to keep alive. But there were other specimens which never before, it is said, were successfully kept in an aquarium, and the managers fear it will be long before the collection will again be as complete as it was. However, steps have been taken for replacing the loss as soon as possible. Telegrams have been sent to Bermuda and the other fishing stations of the company ordering the agents to forward all specimens on hand. Meanwhile the tanks are being filled with less rare fish from the nearer stations.

News and Notes.

The New York *Tribune* is puzzled with the letter of the Rev. Mr. Munson, the greenback candidate for Governor in Maine. The candidate is a Universalist, yet consigns or rather "hurls to the deepest hell the authors of our financial policy," which leads the *Tribune* to anxiously inquire "how many hells are there in the Universalist hereafter?"

John Morrissey offers a purse of $500 for a race with single sculls open to the world, to come off at Saratoga Lake, August 28th, three miles and one turn; $100 entrance to go with the purse to the winner. Courtney and Riley have agreed to enter.

There was a heavy thunder storm, with severe squalls, at Portland and along the Maine coast, on the 7th. Several small crafts in Portland harbor were thrown on their beam ends, but none were sunk. A barn in Biddeford was struck by lightning, and burned. In some places much damage was done to growing crops and glass windows, by hail.

Mr. John Swinton, the New York Socialist, who offered himself as bail for Donohue, the leader of the strike on the Erie road, said he had no real estate but produced certificates of deposit showing him to be the owner of $7,000 in United States bonds. So he is one of the "enemies of the people." Mr. Swinton is one of the editors of the *Sun*. He said he would rather not be called an "employe" of the paper, that word being a little offensive to him, but would prefer to be called a "servant" of the company. This is a nice distinction, which he did not explain.

A sample of the mischief done by the popular terrorism about hydrophobia lately occurred at Pittsburg. A man was bitten by a dog, and one of his acquaintances told him he would go mad. The matter preyed so much on his mind that he determined on suicide, to escape the terrible fate his friends predicted for him. A few days after that, he swallowed the contents of a vial of sulphate of morphia, enough to kill fifty men, and died instantly. His friend is probably satisfied that the dog's bite killed the victim.

Nellie Goodrich, the young, beautiful and accomplished daughter of Mr. H. P. Goodrich, a wealthy citizen of North Adams, Mass., fell in love with a railroad laborer named Moury. Moury fell in love with the girl. The girl's father prohibited the acquaintance, so the pair eloped and got married. After various tribulations on the part of the married couple the stern parient relented and gave them his blessing and lots of money. Moury is said to be a young man of good character and habits.

The Republican State Convention of Maine met at Augusta on Tuesday. Gov. Connor was renominated by acclamation.

Messrs. J. E. Butler & Co. have sold the *Union and Journal* of Biddeford, Me., together with the job printing establishment, to George A. Hobbs of Geneseo, Ill. Mr. Hobbs is a Maine man and a journalist by profession. He was formerly Clerk of Courts of Somerset county, and years ago was connected with several papers in the State, but went West in 1857. Under his management the paper will continue to support republican principles.

The Eastern War.

The Turks report another victory, the Russians having been repulsed in another attack on Plevna on the 7th with a loss of 900, killed and wounded. Somebody lies, somewhere; either the Russians were not driven back so far nor so badly beaten as the Turks said, at their first repulse, or they have not renewed the attack so soon. A special despatch from Bucharest says the Russian troops around Plevna have been re-enforced. They now number 70,000. The Roumanian army, now numbering 25,000, which is now passing continually to Nikopolis, will form the extreme right of this force. Accounts from various places say that on the 6th 5000 Turkish cavalry attacked the Russians between Lascar, a village near Plevna, and the river Pusica. The Russians, who occupied a fortified line, and who now outnumber the Turks, repulsed them without difficulty, but made no attempt to follow, as Grand Duke Nicholas does not wish to waste the energy of his troops in partial engagements. The Porte has officially informed the English Embassy that after two day's hard fighting at Lovatz, the Russians suffered a severe defeat. The two monitors captured by the Russians are now ready for action.

New Hampshire Items.

Rev. Henry W. Tate of Illinois was on Wednesday ordained pastor of the Baptist church at Suncook.

Capt. Warner Reed, of Hollis, died on the 7th, aged 63 years.

Mrs. Avis Witham of Nottingham, died recently at the age of 92 years. She was the mother of fourteen children, six of whom are still living, the eldest being 72 years old. Up to her last illness she could thread a needle without the aid of spectacles.

U. S. S. Dalsy is making a cruise along the coast, examining the Light-houses between Plum Island and Boston. Senator Rollins with Collector Howard went out to see if the Boon Island light was in order, on Wednesday.

The Museum building at Manchester was considerably damaged on the 8th by fire, supposed to have originated in a spittoon.

Waltham Watches.

"United States Centennial Commission—International Exhibition, 1877." Messrs. Robbins & Appleton, Agents for American Watch Company of Waltham, have published, by permission, a pamphlet of forty pages, containing extracts from the Official Report on Horology, prepared for the Commission by Prof. James C. Watson of Astronomy at the University of Michigan, Member of the Board of Judges for Instruments of Research and Precision, and Chairman of the Committee of the Board of Judges on Chronometric Apparatus, at the Centennial Exhibition.

These extracts include full tables of the performance of all watches entered for competition, giving a detailed and careful account of the thorough tests that were applied, and by which the superiority of the Waltham to the best Swiss Watches was definitely determined. This report presents, in clear and indisputable terms, conclusions which are of the utmost importance to all who would possess themselves of a trustworthy time-piece.

The following quotation is made from page 26 of the Report:

"It is not the purpose of this report to make direct comparisons of the productions of the different manufacturers. The reader who is curious in such matters will find, in most cases, the requisite data under the heads of the report relating to the exhibits in question. But in order to convey to the general reader an idea of what the system of manufacture under consideration has made possible in a newly-developed industry in this country, it is proper to state here that the reporter has compared the results of the trials as heretofore given with those furnished for all the first-class fully-adjusted watches in the International Exhibition, and that it is clear beyond question that the chronometers numbered 670,044, 670,082 and 670,095 (Waltham Watches) are altogether superior to any others exhibited."

An Appendix contains extracts from the address of M. Edouard Favre-Perret, Commissioner from Switzerland at the Exhibition and a Member of the International Jury on Watches, to the Watchmakers of Neuchatel, confessing the triumph of American Machine Watches over the Swiss hand-made Watches.

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—A professional man, returning to his office, one day, after a substantial lunch, said complacently to his assistant, "Mr. Peetkin, the world looks different to a man when he has three inches of rum in him." "Yes," replied the junior, without a moment's hesitation, "and he looks different to the world."

—A young lady in Newton county, Ga., is possessed by a strange monomania. She fancies herself a baby, and has not spoken a word in three years, although her powers of conversation used to be of an order higher than the average. Notwithstanding this absurd hallucination, she is inconsistent enough to read and write letters.

—We read in a scientific journal: "There is a method which I have adopted in my own house to cool the temperature of any room during hot weather, and that is, to hang a sheet or a blanket down outside the windows upon which the sun may be shining. This sheet is wet, and the evaporation of the water produces a deliciously cool apartment. The sheet is kept damp by having a vessel filled with water above the top of it outside, and a piece of flannel arranged to form a siphon, and touching several portions of the sheet. The water gradually empties out of the vessel, and may be replenished if necessary. The windows, of course, open. It is strange that so simple and inexpensive a method has not found favor here, more especially in sick rooms; a cylindrical-shaped tin vessel, with some very fine holes, fixed over the window, would easily supply the water."

—A building in Paris know as the "Suicides' Hotel" has recently been torn down. Ten years ago a young student, despairing and in love, blew out his brains in the room which he was occupying, and just one year afterward another student committed suicide in the same room after losing his money in a gambling house. A few months afterward a waiter, who had been accused of theft, crept into this room and hanged himself. The superstitious hotel-keeper surrendered the lease and abandoned the chamber of death. An apothecary then took possession of the premises and carried on his business there, but finding his wife had deceived him, retired to the fatal chamber and there poisoned himself with his own drugs. The next occupant was given notice that the place was about to be pulled down to make room for the Boulevard Saint Germain. An indemnity of $50,000 was demanded but refused, and the jury having decided that $17,500 was ample compensation the owner grew despondent and declared he was a ruined man. A month ago he asked permission to visit the old premises before they were pulled down. His request was granted and nothing more was heard of him until the workmen found him hanging by the neck in the fatal room.

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—A young mother, explaining christening to her five-year-old boy, told him that when he was christened he "looked like one of God's little lambs." "And will I have hind legs and ban?" eagerly asked the boy.

—One day last week a tired-looking man, with the smell of the swamp upon his garments, came sneaking into Tallahassee with the returns of the backest county in Florida. They gave the State to Buchanan and Breckenridge by an overwhelming majority.

—A grocer being solicited to contribute to the building of a church, promptly subscribed his name to the paper in the following eccentric manner: "John Jones (the only place in town where you can get eleven pounds of sugar for a dollar), twenty-five cents."

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PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The veteran Mail Agent on the Concord Railroad, Col. William Conn, has been bounced and placed on the retired list, and Charles Stevens of Manchester succeeds to the position.

The "Granite State" was successfully launched at slack water on Thursday, a very large number of people being on the wharves, in boats on the river and on the island and shore near the shipyard, to see the noble vessel go off. She moved off steadily and with moderate speed, causing less ripple on the water than we ever saw at a ship launch before, though she is the largest merchantman ever built here. She was brought up by her anchors after running about two-thirds of the way over to the dry dock, and was taken under the theers at the navy yard (where she will be masted and rigged) and moored.

Mr. George W. Jenness of Rye fell from a load of hay on the 8th inst., and received a fracture of the shoulder.

At the Marshall House, York Beach, are Judge Lowell of Boston, Judge Howe of Portland, Rev. Dr. Burgess of Springfield, Col. Frank S. Fiske of Longwood, (formerly of 2d N. H. Vols.,) S. B. Tatterall, the well known banker of Philadelphia, and Dr. Falkner of Jamaica Plain. President Eliot, of Harvard College, has been for some time sojourning at the Marshall. The season at the "Short Sands" has been quite successful.

The *Times* says "Hon. Frank Jones has selected Master William P. Benedict of this city as the candidate from this Congressional district for entry to West Point Academy. The examination will take place on the 28th."

Schooner George L. Treadwell, before reported capsized off Ship Island Cays July 19th, had $1500 in silver coin on board. She was raised and righted by wrecking schooners and taken to Nassau, N. P., after she had been stripped of sails and rigging. She is now owned by Henry & Co., of Baltimore.

The Becker brothers, of Newcastle, on Tuesday, 7th inst., rescued from drowning two men whose boat capsized in a squall off Fort Point, and sank.

The loss by the Philbrick fire at Rye was about $2000. The family were first alarmed by the stifled howlings of their watch dog, and on inspection found the room in which the animal was confined filled with smoke. The flames had gained such headway that the family had only time enough to catch up a little clothing and get out of the house.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, August 9th.

John Murphy, John Randall and Ida Gordon were charged with malicious mischief in breaking in a door and tearing down a fence at the premises of Charles S. Walker, on Hunking street. The complaint against Ida Gordon was "nolled;" Randall was adjudged not guilty; Murphy was fined $3, costs taxed at $10.69. Murphy appealed, and gave bonds in $50 to appear.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

Thursday evening, August 9th.

In Board of Aldermen, the usual monthly batch of bills was ordered to be paid.

In Convention of both Boards, the vote for Mayor was canvassed, and John H. Broughton declared elected.

In Board of Aldermen, Mrs. Anna B. Wilson was elected to serve three years, and Mrs. Helen C. Knight to serve two years, on the Board of Instruction, to fill vacancies.

Committee on F. W. Miller's proposal to furnish stone reported in favor of accepting south end of Union street and paying Mr. Miller $100 for the stone if used on the street. Referred to next Board.

Committee on back ordinance not being ready to report, were granted more time.

Adjourned.

[Chronicle Correspondence.]

THE BLACK HILLS.--LETTER NO. 3.

THE "CITY OF DEADWOOD."

On our way up the gulch we passed a large saw mill in full operation; a huge pile of sawdust and great piles of boards were evidence of the immense business of this mill. A turn in the gulch brought us into Elizabethtown, a suburb of Deadwood. Here the houses began to increase in number, a *street* became defined, and more pretentious architecture was visible. The frame buildings (though small in size) were more numerous than the log cabins, and rude signs (some of them particularly conspicuous on account of their doubtful orthography) announced the calling of their respective proprietors. "Beans, 20 cts. Drinks 25 cts.;" "black hills Brewrey & all other kind Likers;" "Second Hand goods bought and sold. Drinks 25 cts;" were some I noticed. One sign, whose projector was evidently a man of affairs, announced:

"washing ironin, Flooting
also
boots & shoes neatly
Repared soups 10cts
2 drinks 25 cts."

One cabin was labelled "Mining and Mechanical Engineer, Drinks 25 cts." We also passed a building somewhat larger than its fellows. Over the door we read, "Black Hills Daily Champion"—the usual affix as to drinks being omitted; I saw quite an array of bottles in the window, however, but from a slight acquaintance with the "guild" should form the opinion that here no—I mean to say that I am *quite* sure that "drinks" are not *sold* at this place.

In addition to the above mentioned evidences of business activity, one is struck, in passing along, with the great number of places—"simon pure" saloons—where *intoxicating liquors* are sold. One would suppose that drinking of the same was the principal occupation of the country—but of this, further on.

As we progressed, the narrow street became more and more crowded with teams and men. In front of some of the houses were plank walks. Then the only sidewalk would be the bank of a mining ditch through which the muddy, yellowish water was swiftly running. Presently one would have the choice of the wagon road and its perils, or of shinning up and around a treacherous, muddy embankment. Still pressing on through the throng, with much the same feeling one has when hunting for a good place "to see the procession pass," the increasing grandeur of the buildings, size of the stores, and a thousand other evidences informed us that we were approaching the heart of Deadwood. As I was passing along here I happened to glance into an open door-way, and my attention was fastened at once. A medium sized square room, neatly furnished, contained six or eight plump little human figures, that did not appear to advantage, clad as they were in the garb of their native land. From their dress, one could not distinguish them from "Hi Low" or "Sing Lee," who were industriously ironing linen across the way, but their occupation, (they were sewing,) their rouged faces, and their significant glances all pronounced them to be *women*. In a few words the "old miner" explained to us the sight before us, and we passed on with feelings of indignation and impatince because a false sentiment as to "human rights," etc. permits these beings to be imported by the ship-load, and the profits of the nefarious business to accrue to a "company." I am told that Chinese labor is imported in the same way.

After a while our feet were welcomed by respectable plank side-walks, and we passed on to where the throng was thickest. On one side of the street, and winding up over the hill, was a long train of "prairie schooners" or immense freight wagons, drawn by twelve and fifteen yokes of oxen each. Mule, horse and ox teams were slowly threading their way in both directions. Horsemen, (some in buck-skin hunting suits,) armed to the teeth, were riding up and down. Pack animals of all degrees, from the stately mule down to the plucky little "Jack," were being led about, all bound for—somewhere. Large stores filled with great stocks of goods were doing a rushing business. Two hotels were feeding a great crowd of people, who rushed for a seat the moment one was vacated. And at least a dozen large gambling houses were thronged, and every table was surrounded by the players and lookers-on. Each of these gambling places is fitted up in a neat, and in some cases almost an elegant manner. The walls of the rooms are painted and frescoed; the bars are fitted up in a style excelled only by a few in our largest cities; tables are ranged along on each side of the rooms, where "Faro," "Poker Dice," "Mustang," "Banque," "Roulette," "Lansquinette" and other games are carried on. At the end of each saloon is a platform, from which an orchestra discourses night and day; and, by the way, at the Hurdy-Gurdy (or dance) House the music is really superior. In the streets men were buying and selling horses; several auctioneers perched on boxes, were selling goods of all descriptions and extolling the wares in such an original and eloquent flow of language, that it was almost a duty to purchase on the ground of encouraging genius. A brass band, in front of each of the two theatres (the "Bella Union" and "Gem") was playing a noisy prelude to the matinee performances. Miners were in the stores purchasing supplies and paying for the same in gold-dust; nuggets, bars, dust, rotorted gold, and coin were lavishly displayed in the windows of each of the four banks. The noise of the hammer, saw, and anvil were all about us, extending and improving this wonderful town. For a moment a feeling of amazement possessed us when we thought that only one short year ago, a few log cabins were all that represented civilization here, and that the war-whoop of the savage was frequently heard on the top of the hills that were looking down upon us.

Further on we were brought to a standstill by a huge bank of earth, extending across the sidewalk far into the street. Clambering to the top of the pile we observed planks laid down, and running up between the buildings. Following these planks with our eye, we saw a windlass, worked by two men, a shaft, house, flume, and all the evidences of active mining going on. Presently a wheel-barrow appeared, propelled by a tall, bronzed and bearded fellow, dressed in sombrero, undershirt, and California made overalls tucked into his long boots. With respectful alacrity we got out of the way, while he dumped his load in the middle of the street. Several men with teams were busy carting the dirt away, but that is not the miner's lookout. Others may come and build, and buy and sell; he digs for gold, and has a right to place the earth and rocks, ditch and flume, where his royal will pleases. The town is built entirely on mining claims, and it is not impossible that the miners may not be "ground sluicing" the foundations of the banks away, or "drifting" under the hotels, stores and dwellings in a short time. We turned and half walked, half slid down the embankment.

When we—and about a cart load of loose gravel—struck the sidewalk, we found ourselves in the midst of half a score of French demoiselles, who, in exquisitly fresh and neat costumes were lounging in their doorway, singing, laughing, smoking cigarettes, and exchanging jokes with bull-whackers, mountaineers, miners, merchants and pilgrims, in a truly impartial manner. This institution is on the principal street and in the business centre of the town. Enquiring for the location of the Post Office, in a perfectly courteous manner we were directed through the only cross street in town to South Deadwood. [South Deadwood is built on *Whitewood* Creek.] On arriving at the Post Office we took our place in line with at least two hundred men who were waiting their turn. As one of the contrasts in a mining town I will mention that while waiting here we observed a lady—a *real* lady—whose dress, style and manners would have been *au fait* had it been a Fifth Avenue mansion she was entering, instead of the Deadwood Post Office. Immediately after her came a wild, fierce looking mountaineer, tall, slim, and straight as an arrow. His bronzed face and long hair were partly concealed by his broad-brimmed sombrero; his person was clad in elaborately fringed buckskin; he carried a Winchester rifle (sixteen shooter) over his shoulder, while around his waist was a belt of grim looking cartridges, ready for instant use. One was the embodiment of all that is refined, gentle and lovely in civilization, while the other was—well, that which makes the former possible.

In due time we obtained our mail, which had been waiting for us nearly a fortnight, after which we continued up Whitewood, passing through a long street on which many houses were being built. Not far in the "suburbs" we found an eligible camping place with plenty of wood, and water of the most delicious quality. Here we all remained for a week; at least this camp was our headquarters. At the end of that time the "Star Line Company"—as we called ourselves—began to break up, on account of its members going in different directions throughout the hills. Four of the seventeen have returned home; one has started for the "Big Horn Mountains," and the remainder are here variously engaged. This ends the story of "our trip across the plains." Every member of the party can but think of this episode in their lives with pleasure, and not the least satisfaction is the thought that under circumstances of trial, fatigue, and some hardships, no word was spoken one to another that now occasions regret. It is a remarkable thing to say, but we did not have a *growler* in the party.

Yours, AL.

—Pet lap-dogs in Paris have parasols attached to their collars.

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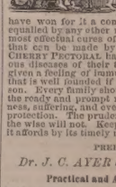

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And the owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 8. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the last said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

[Chronicle Correspondence.]

THE BLACK HILLS.—LETTER NO. 3.

THE "CITY OF DEADWOOD."

[PART 2.]

Immediate explorations in and about the "wicked places" of Deadwood, enable me to present the following facts:

There are seven houses where "banking" games are played,—in other words, the losses are paid out of and winnings paid into, a "bank." Faro is the principal game, though many other games are in vogue. Each one of these houses is as large as, and about the dimensions of the Portsmouth City building, supposing the lower floor of that building to be a clear room. Music—and as a rule very good music—is heard day and night, in all of these places. When a player rises from the table, if he has been winning, he passes his checks to the dealer, who counts them. This done, the dealer, in a monotonous tone of voice, sings out: "Number One (meaning the number of his table) weigh out two hundred dollars" (or as the case may be.) The lucky player passes to the cashier's window, (at one end of the bar,) and that official after carefully weighing the required amount in gold-dust, pours it into the little buck-skin sack which has been handed to him, ties it up, and passes it back to the owner. In nine cases out of ten, that same man will be back at the same table on the following night, and when he again rises from the play that same monotonous voice will sing out: "Weigh *in Three Hundred Dollars!*" In this case the plumptitude of the buck-skin is "minus" instead of "plus." In addition to the "banking houses," there are about twenty places (all connected with a bar business) where smaller games are carried on, such as "seven-up," "poker," "bluff," etc.,—and by the way, should any of the readers of the CHRONICLE be at all curious as to the nature of the above games, a brief interview with the apprentice boys on any of our particularly moral weeklies will enlighten them. With the exception of one house, the "Melodeon," all the games are on the "dead square;" i. e., there is no cheating or deception employed. At the "Melodeon," the most rascally set of thieves held high carnival during the great rush to the hills, which is now over; "thimble rig," "three-card monte," and every device of the devil which has been exposed time and time again by every newspaper in the land, found their ready victims among the crowd who until a few days ago filled the town to overflowing. Not long ago I saw a young man lose over seven hundred dollars—every dollar he had—at the game of "banque." The *modus operandi* is as follows: A large show case has its bottom filled with bank bills from the denomination of one dollar, upwards to the largest; on each of these bills are placed numerals, corresponding to all the combinations which may be thrown with the dice, which are used. It is a peculiarity of *this* game that the player *always wins*; for (first paying fifty cents for the privilege) having thrown, and won a prize, it is now a rule of the game for him to pay *one dollar* and throw again. He wins again. He must now pay two dollars, and throw again; as before, he wins, and now he has to pay *four* dollars, and *throw again*,—and so on, the person in charge ingeniously managing the game in order to lure the victim on, and yet not give the appearance of fraud. In this case the player, when he had given his last dollar to the gambler, had won about eight thousand dollars, but as he had no more money to "chip in" and *throw again*, according to the rules of the game he forfeited not only the fortune he had won but all the money he had paid for the privilege of winning it. One of the dealers in this house has been shot by an enraged victim. I do not think shooting is justifiable in such cases. I have never heard of a case where a fool has given winnings back to a gambler, neither have I ever heard of a gambler shooting a fool, because that fool had won his (the gambler's) money. In my opinion the folly of gambling lies in the absurdity of supposing keen, sharp men are going to invest capital in a "bank" and appliances to carry on a "business" where the probabilities are not largely in their favor. Even in the so called "square games" the percentage in favor of the bank is enormous. The heaviest gambler in the hills won fourteen thousand dollars last spring; he is still here—dead broke!

The number of places here where liquors are sold is—but stop! I think I had better put it in this way: For a small, an exceedingly slight compensation, I would undertake to compile a directory of the places where liquors are *not* sold; but life is too short for any one man to count the places where these beverages *are* dispensed. It is a singular fact, however, that Deadwood has only six breweries. From the top of a neighboring pinnacle (which seems very near, until one begins to climb it) I have taken a bird's eye view of the country in search of the geographical reason, if any, why we should not have more breweries. I can find none, unless it be that we have no North Mill-pond to compel the people to drink beer, on the principle that "the hair of the dog is good for the bite."

The Dance House is one-hundred feet deep by forty feet wide. This place is almost elegant in its appointments. The

walls are frescoed, and at night numerous chandeliers shed a brilliant glow over a scene not lacking in animation. At each end of the hall is a bar, and down the sides for some fifty feet are tables at which gambling is carried on. At the further end of the hall is a platform for the orchestra, which orchestra discourses the most delicious dance music. A crowd may always be found there every evening. At about eight o'clock in the evening the lower end of the hall is cleared, and the "girls," dressed in bright, fresh and tasty costumes, enter from an ante-room. Then whoever wishes to dance steps forward, sets are formed, and the "light fantastic" is indulged in with varying degrees of grace on the part of the male performers. At the end of the dance the change "promenade to the bar" is called, when each gent. has the privilege accorded him of paying for two drinks (50 cents.) The gents generally dispose of their drink in the usual manner; the "girls" seldom drink—at least they do not here. Even here—as well as everywhere else in Deadwood,—decorum, good manners and politeness are marked features. More pretentious assemblies might profitably pattern these virtues from the Deadwood Dance House. A good brass band plays for an hour each evening, in front of this place of amusement—or whatever it may be called.

Two theatres, the "Gem" and "Bella Union," gratify the thespian taste of the dwellers in the Hills. The "Gem," besides being the oldest, is the best conducted and is undoubtedly the favorite. Matinee performances are given at each theatre on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons, at which it is customary for the women and children to attend. Ladies are never seen at the evening performances. It is the custom at each theatre to employ a number of female waiters, or "beer slingers," as they are commonly called, who bring "drinks" to the bibulously inclined. These females are paid a salary, and I believe their wages are regulated by their success in drumming up trade.

On Sundays the miners, mechanics and laborers abstain from work; but all the stores, saloons, and places of amusement are open, and this day is the busiest of the week to the proprietors and employees connected therewith. As everybody in quest of business or pleasure takes this day for the above purposes, the town presents an unusual bustle to the sight seer.

On the other hand, Deadwood has, like older communities, an eye to more serious and important things. We have three churches, two Protestant and one Catholic, three newspapers, a school, courts, two deputy sheriffs and a jail. We have not yet arrived at the magnificence of a City Marshal, and there is not a policeman in the town. A fire company has been organized, and a movement is now under way looking to the organization of two companies of militia, as a protection against a possible Indian raid; but if the rumor announced as a fact by one of the daily papers, that the County is to offer a bounty of two hundred and fifty dollars for every Indian brought in dead or alive, is true, probably there will be no invasion.

Perhaps some of the readers of this letter will have concluded that Deadwood is the wickedest place in the country, and—will wish they were here; and others for the same reason will be glad they are *not* here; but rather than lead anyone into error in this particular, I will, in conclusion, give a few more facts and advance a few opinions of my own, even at the hazard of promulgating original ideas.

Deadwood is the most orderly city I have ever been in. Rowdyism is unknown. I have seen but one personal altercation since I have been here (two months.) [I have seen two men, at different times, knocked down for *attempts* at rowdyism.] The politeness, good temper and courtesy one meets everywhere is remarkable. Men of all occupations, unless busy for the moment, will go far to give information, or direct one on his way. Every Sunday I see several hundred men in line at the post office, nearly all of whom have come many miles, and have several names to enquire for. They can ask for only one name at a time, then have to take their place at the further end of the line and go through the weary process of waiting their turn again. I think the President, unless he requested it on the score of great necessity, would not be allowed to interpolate his presence there, yet the other sex walk past the line and on stepping to the window the leading man invariably draws back and allows the feminine the precedence. A murmur is never heard from the anxious line. Women, unattended, frequently, day and night, walk the streets as safe, yea, far safer, than the women of our older cities.

The men, when walking or riding from place to place, consider it prudent to go armed; women can go unattended in any vicinity not dangerous on account of the Indians. The 4th of July was celebrated here by speaking and singing. The town was crowded from early morning until late at night. During the day I did not see a drunken man, and at night but very few the worse for liquor. A helplessly drunken man is sometimes seen lying in some safe place on the sidewalk, or between two buildings. Such are never disturbed, unless friends discover them and take them away. On the whole I think the men of the mountains are, as a rule, about as honest as, and more moral, temperate and agreeable as companions than, the men of the cities.

Yours, At.

—Some of the American preachers in attendance at the Pan-Presbyterian Council seem to have astonished the canny Scots not a little. After Dr. Hoge's sermon in St. Andrew's, a venerable elder was asked what he thought of it. "I thought I had him twice," replied the good old man; "but he gaed over my head wi' a fluff like a bat."

—The bow of a ship must be very polite. Is the stern always severe?

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 11, 1877.

State Conventions.

The Republica n State Convention of Maine, which renominated Gov. Seldon Conner on Thursday, had quite a lively time over the platform, the "policy" men insisting on the Convention endorsing the President's action with regard to the South, and the larger portion of the delegates being determined to ignore the question. The "anti-policy" men were as eager to have "the policy" censured. The leaders on each side seem to have been Collector Morrill of Portland for "the policy," and Mr. Boutelle, of the Bangor *Whig*, for the antis. Senator Blaine at last poured oil on the troubled waters by urging the extremists on both sides to let "the policy" pass unnoticed, and moving to lay both resolutions on the table, which was done. The platform as adopted declares the United States a nation and not a mere confederacy; proclaims the duty of the nation to protect its citizens; declares for local self-government; demands political freedom for the colored men of the South; denounces the action of the democratic House in refusing appropriations for the army; demands specie resumption; opposes further government aid to railroads; praises the system of non-sectarian education, and the prohibitory liquor law; but does not mention "the policy."

The State Conservative (Democratic) Convention of Virginia met on Wednesday. There were numerous candidates for Governor, and the Convention on Wednesday is described as a "pandemonium, and a "howling mob." The strife of rival factions was carried beyond all bounds of decency, and the temporary Chairman was hooted down because he ventured to speak of the necessity of maintaining the honor and credit of the State. This was taken as an indication that he was opposed to Gen. Mahone, whose followers favor a "readjustment" of the State debt, and they forced him by their clamor to cut short his remarks. The disorder was so great that no business was transacted. On Thursday the "Conservatives" met again, and the fight was renewed. The whole second day's session was spent in a fight to see whether a platform should be adopted before a candidate was nominated, or vice versa, it being finally decided to nominate first and discuss the proper way of repudiating the State indebtedness afterward. No vote on a nomination was reached up to eight o'clock in the evening.

South Carolina Politics.

Gov. Moses, the "robber governor" of South Carolina, is creating quite a sensation in that State by producing his "private" papers relating to political matters occurring when he was governor. The despatches say that nearly every official of the State for years is implicated, and a good many who never were officials. Many of the former members of the republican Legislature have come forward with statements that they were bribed by prominent democrats to pass certain bills in their interest. The bills were certainly in the names of democrats, who received the charters and acted upon the privileges. The despaches close by stating that so many leading democrats are implicated in the revelations made that an organized effort, having the sanction of the highest authority, is being made to suppress the whole matter, and let the prosecutions already begun against the republicans hang over them as an inducement to leave the State and hush their mouths concerning their democratic accomplices. Owing to the fact that the local newspapers do not publish these revelations, this may easily be effected; but the hill counties of the State will protest against the compromise.

Serve 'Em Right.

The arrest of a large number of pursers, storekeepers and other officials of the National Line of steamships between this country and England, for wholesale smuggling of silks and laces, was reported some time ago. The goods thus smuggled within two years (the smuggling has been carried on by wholesale for about eight years) are said to have been subject to a duty of at least a million dollars, and the injury done to honest American dealers by the fraud has been immense. Every steamship of the National Line has been engaged in the business; and it seems that the company is now to be taught a lesson, for the Surveyor of the Port of New York has been instructed to seize the steamship "Denmark" on her arrival from Liverpool. The vessel, which is worth $750,000, is to be libelled in the United States District Court for bringing smuggled English silks here. The charge is that James Nagle, purser, and James Wells, the storekeeper of the "Denmark," have within the last four years landed $200,000 worth of silks and laces from her without payment of the duties. The line is owned by capitalists in England, and one of the officers recently said to a Customs officer that he did not think smuggling an offence against the laws.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 8.

Some interest has been excited here by the late move made in Baltimore, looking to the organization of a new party by laboring men who were called upon to come out of the two old parties, as inimical to the interests of the laboring classes, and to identify themselves with the new one, having as its distinctive feature the protection of the working man from the exactions and tyranny of capital. The incendiary appeals of the principal speaker and "Boss" organizer were most loudly applauded, and according to the dispatches, great enthusiasm was manifested. It derives importance mainly from the understanding that it was preliminary to similar efforts soon to be inaugurated all over the country under direction of agitators more or less sincere, and the most blatant kind of demagogues who were brought to the surface by the late strikes. As further indicating the present drift of public sentiment, I mention the current report that the President and Cabinet are casting about them in earnest to find a solution of some of the problems brought out by the late disorders; and it is alleged that the sessions of several Cabinet meetings have been almost exclusively devoted to the matter, the practicability of meeting the novel demands by the formation of a "Labor Bureau" under Government auspices, receiving special attention.

Mr. Moore, a recently discharged Special Treasury Agent, has succeeded in making quite a sensation by the charges of malfeasance, corruption, theft and blackmail specially made against several Treasury officials here and elsewhere, and against General Boynton, a well known Washington correspondent, in an open letter lately published. He is undoubtedly figuring for reinstatement. But the charges are so circumstantial in character that the officials named cannot afford to ignore, nor can the Department well refuse to investigate them. Boynton, who is absent from the city, has telegraphed a general denial; but it is not known that more than one of the others implicated have attempted any reply.

The President, acting upon the opinion of the Senate and House Military Committees, the Judge Advocate General, and upon his own, derived from a careful and exhaustive examination of the evidence upon which General B. P. Runkle was convicted of embezzlement by court martial, has disapproved its sentence and directed that General Order No. 7, 1873, directing that said Gen. Runkle be cashiered from the military service of the United States, be revoked. To those most familiar with the merits of the case, and with Belknap's unjust rulings, oftentimes, there is but one voice—that of approval—at the President's decision. Gen. Runkle resumes his old place in the army with his reputation in no wise damaged by the taint unjustly cast upon it through the hasty action of a court martial, approved by a Secretary of War who now rests under a weight of odium that no action of the Chief Executive can ever remove or in any degree lighten.

KNOX.

Blue J. Williams.

The old blue jeans breeches and cowhide boots elected Governor of Indiana by the democrats last autumn do not seem to be in high favor with the papers even of their own party, since the great strike. Many of the leading democratic organs openly growl at Gov. Williams; among them the Cincinnati *Enquirer*, which occupies the same position in the West that the *Post* does in New England, says:

"Uncle Jimmy Williams is a most astounding person. His conduct during the strike was as bad as it could be. Each development makes it worse. The latest phase of it is a note which he addressed to the strikers saying: 'The bearer of this letter is my son-in-law. I hope strikers will allow him to transport his cattle to St. Louis in safety.' The hope was realized, and the son-in-law was passed through. This request and its compliance completely muzzled the Governor, so that he let the State take care of itself, after his son-in-law had been protected. He made a feeble pretence of calling upon the Government for aid, but he made no effort toward suppressing violence by his own power. The story seems grotesquely incredible, but it is circumstantially told in the Washington despatch of a paper of the Governor's own party."

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	8.30 "
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Great Falls	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	3.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
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Dover,	7.40, 10.40	"	4.35 "

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MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.00, 10.10	A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10	A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00	"	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20	"	
Concord and North,	10.20	"	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20	"	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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BOARD OF EDUCATION.

The Board of Education met Friday evening, and Mrs. Helen C. Knight appeared and qualified. The Mayor reported the following committees:

On Purchasing—Messrs. Shannon, Fender and Goodrich;

Examination of Teachers—Messrs. Hackett and Shannon, and Mrs. Knight;

Salaries — Messrs. DeNormandie and Hutchinson, and Mrs. Wilson;

Truancy — Messrs. May, Wendell and Sherburne;

Text Books—Messrs. Pender, Hutchinson and Gardner.

The High School Committee was elected, as follows: Rev. James DeNormandie for three years, Dr. James R. May for two years, Mrs. Helen C. Knight for one year.

The following sub-committees were appointed by the Mayor:

Messrs. Shannon, Pender and Sherburne, for District One;

Messrs. Hackett and Hutchinson, and Mrs. Wilson, for District Two;

Messrs. Gardner, Goodrich and Wendell for District Three.

CARELESS DRIVING.

Three little girls, apparently from six to nine years of age, on Friday morning were chasing each other near the front of the Post Office, when one of them started to run across Warren street to the corner by the Custom House Exchange, just as a heavy butcher's wagon turned into Warren street. The child was looking in an opposite direction from the approaching team, and did not see it, while the driver of the latter, doubtless supposing that she would notice his coming in season to save herself from harm, did not check his horse, but drove on to the crossing at a rapid rate. The horse knocked the little girl down, but fortunately did not tread upon her, while the heavy wheels of the cart passed by her, just grazing her head. A fortunate and narrow escape indeed. This, however, is but one instance of a dozen or more that have come under our personal observation this season of careless driving through our streets, and it is high time that it was stopped. It is but a week or two ago that a heavily loaded team was driving down Pleasant street at a ten-mile rate when a little child was crossing toward Mr. Tucker's store and just barely escaped being crushed beneath the wheels. There is a law against such driving and it should be enforced.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at 4 o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

Mr. John W. Wilson, one of the brethren, will address the Reform Club in the evening, at eight o'clock, at Mechanics' Hall. Praise service will precede the address. Collection to defray expenses.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Col. J. C. Butler's excursion to the Shoals per steamer Appledore was postponed on Thursday on account of the weather, and will take place to-day. Tickets 75cts.; for sale only by Col. Butler.

Fishing schooner Ranger, belonging to Mr. Horatio W. Trefethen of Kittery, got caught under her wharf Thursday, filled and sank. She was raised on Friday.

The Portsmouth Veteran Artillery Association will have their second annual reunion and clam-bake at Hotel Wentworth, Newcastle, on Tuesday afternoon, September 11th.

The U. S. S. Enterprise dropped down to the lower harbor Friday afternoon. Her destination has been reported to be Hampton Roads, but she had a Boston pilot on board when she dropped down the harbor.

Mr. C. N. Emery of Manchester, proprietor of the Ocean House at "Concordville," York, Maine, was drowned while bathing at York Beach at about eleven o'clock, Friday forenoon. Mr. Emery was a very estimable young man, about thirty-eight years of age, and had been married about one year. His body was recovered.

A party of gipseys that have been encamped somewhere down Sagamore Creek way for a week or more, broke camp on Friday and went over the bridge into Maine. There were six or seven teams, the horses not being "crow bait" by any means; and two of the wagons were big, well-built and neatly painted affairs, entirely covered in, with large windows for the admission of light, and comfortably fitted up inside,—in fact, they were regular houses on wheels, and not very small houses, either. The procession attracted much attention.

News and Notes.

A passenger train on the Jersey Central Railroad ran off the track at Oceanport Bridge on Thursday and over thirty persons were injured. That many lives were not lost is wonderful, as three crowded cars were thrown from the bridge into the water, which is three feet deep. At Troy, Kansas, Thursday afternoon, a passenger car went down a fifteen-foot embankment, wounding twenty-five persons, several of them fatally.

The London *Pall Mall Gazette* says the latest "new thing in collisions" is the running down of a lightship by one of the Boulogne steamers of the English General Navigation Company. "The collision seems to have been a perfect one in its way, for the unfortunate lightship sank beneath the water nine minutes after being struck." Luckily, however, the persons in charge of the lightship were rescued by the crew of the steamer, which at once proceeded to her destination, "This is all very well, but it seems at first hardly necessary for a steamer to run into a lightship, which is a stationary, inoffensive object, and one, moreover, it would be thought, whose position was so well known as to render it secure from all danger of collision unless under very exceptional circumstances." When the case is investigated the cause of the accident will, perhaps, become clear; but it is impossible to guess what freaks the passion for collisions may yet exhibit. "We shall probably hear some of these days that Eddystone Lighthouse has been upset by an ironclad."

The Newburyport *Herald* says, "The old women have got a pet bugbear—one Dyer, a crazy man, who broke out of the poor-house, and subsequently escaped from the county-house at Ipswich. He is supposed to be prowling about the woods and berry pastures." If hard experience can teach any wisdom, "old women," and young women too, have reason to dread an insane man, lurking about in the fields. The number of women and girls who, within three years, have been killed, and worse, by ruffians who have afterward been declared by their peers to be insane, is a frightful record, and justifies the whole sex in a feeling of dread and horror toward any man supposed to be in the least irresponsible.

The latest in postal matters is a postal card ink, for messages which are sent on such cards, or otherwise unsealed. A solution of nitrate or chloride of cobalt, or chloride of copper, mixed with a little gum or sugar, produces a "magic ink," which is made visible by warming, either by holding against the stove or over a burning match.

There was a notable gathering of the Free Soilers of 1848 at Downer's Landing, Mass., on Thursday. Charles Francis Adams, George F. Hoar, Frank Bird and other prominent men spoke, and a kind of love-feast and glorification was held over the triumphant success of the movement set on foot in '48.

An American named Biggar has been arrested by a police spy in South France for having called President MacMahon an ass at a table d' hote. He is now in prison awaiting trial. The United States charge d' affaires has sent counsel to see fair play, and to send a report to him if the charge is untrue.

The report of the Massachusetts judge who conducted the inquest regarding the cause of the steamboat explosion on Silver Lake, which resulted in the death of Mrs. Cynthia S. Phillips, clearly specifies the defects in the boiler and charges gross negligence upon the makers, upon the owners of the steamer and upon the inspectors, who should have ascertained by an application of the proper tests that the boiler was in an unsafe condition.

If President Hayes wishes to be consistent in his civil service reform career, he must immediately remove Collector Morrill of Portland from office, for in spite of the famous order abridging office holders' rights of citizenship the Collector was a prominent actor in, and assumed to be the leader of, the Maine State Convention. But as the Collector was working to secure an endorsement of "the policy" we presume it is all right.

The commendations of those who have been its guests is the best advertisement for the American House, Boston. This great Hotel is centrally and conveniently located, is supplied with all modern improvements and is a most desirable house for visitors to Boston.

Englishmen have in general learned to be a little more cautious in predicting the future of the United States, and the news of our recent riots did not call forth many of the usual diatribes upon the weakness of our political system. But one of America's best friends, Mr. Bright, made the fantastic mistake of supposing that the strike riots had something to do with questions of protection and free trade. The London correspondent of the *Tribune* in a recent letter points out that a similar mistake was made by English free traders as to the causes of the war of the rebellion.

Sixty-one men of Bridgeport, Conn., presented a strong petition to the Common Council Monday evening, asking for work. It was referred to the Road and Bridge Commissioners. This is the way it closes: "Earth, decked with beauteous gardling's crowns, smiles on our aching eyes. The purse proud, swathed in luxury, disdainful pass us by. We have eager hands and earnest hearts, but may not work for bread. God of the wretched, hear our prayers! We wish that we were dead."

Ex-Congressman Kellogg, of Connecticut, went with his family to his native town, Shelburne, Mass., to get a three days' rest and be with his mother on her birthday. He found an old playmate of his boyhood and a friend for forty years, D. O. Fisk, charged with the crime of burning his own barn to get the insurance. He defended him on the trial and had the satisfaction of having his friend triumphantly acquitted of any ground of probable cause for the charge of crime, and the Court room rang with cheers at the close of his argument and the announcement of the decision.

Possibly a Good Speculation.

A California millionaire, whose daughter will shortly marry a French count, is to pay the groom $100,000 cash down before the ceremony takes place, that being the price demanded by the condescending foreigner for consenting to share his title with an American born young woman. The figure seems high, but the investment may not prove to be such a bad speculation after all. A good many of these European counts turn out to be very clever cooks or stylish hair-dressers, and should the ambitious papa's mine incontinently peter out, or he get swamped at the stock board, a first-class foreign artist in victuals or hair will be found handy to have about the house. Such fellows command fabulous salaries in San Francisco when times are flush, and they are always able to make a pretty good living when they are willing to set about it.

—A Kentuckian went to Pittsburg to the races, met a dark-eyed girl in the driving park, secured an introduction, in two hours proposed, in three hours more he married her, and it takes a half column in the Pittsburg papers to tell the story.

—Some one has said that a good woman is better than a good man, and a bad woman is far worse than a bad man; a statement which finds proof in every outbreak of the criminal classes. The furies of civilization are females. In Paris mobs the women are often leaders and always a prominent feature, and earth cannot show a worse specimen of humanity than the French hags, who with torch and knife lead the outbreaks there. In the New York draft riots the females were the most furious and most ferocious, and now the papers published at the scenes of the strike riots say that the women were the worst of all the bad crowds which rioted in pillage and murder through Chicago, Pittsburg and Baltimore.

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Concord	74
Eastern	80
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Fitchburg	105
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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewer, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the ground. All owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy or other place of the kind within the city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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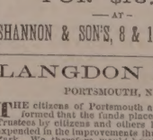

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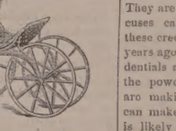

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

THE UNFINISHED LETTER.

NEAR DEADWOOD.

"*Dear Jenny*—
We reached here this morning,
Tom Baker, Ned Leonard, and I;
So you see that, in spite of your warning,
The end of our journey is nigh.

The redskins—'tis scarce worth a mention,
Don't worry about me, I pray—
Have shown us no little attention—
Confound them!—along on our way.

Poor Ned's got a ball in the shoulder—
Another one just grazed my side—
But pshaw! ere we're half a day older
We'll be at the end of our ride.

We've camped here for breakfast. Tom's splitting
Some kindling wood, off in the pines,
And astride a dead cedar I'm sitting
To hastily pen you these lines.

A courier from Deadwood—we met him
Just now with a mail for the States,
(Ah, Jenny! I'll never forget him)—
For this most obligingly waits.

He says, too, the miners are earning
Ten dollars a day, every man.
Hallos! here comes Tom—he's returning,
And running as fast as he can.

It's nothing, I guess; he is only
At one of his practical——" Bang!
And sharp through that solitude lonely
The crack of Sioux rifle shots rang.

And as the dire volley came blended
With echo from canon and pass,
The letter to Jenny was ended—
Its writer lay dead on the grass.

The Free Soil Party.

It takes a good while to find out things regarding the State of New Hampshire. It was a century after the battle of Bunker Hill before it was shown that New Hampshire furnished more than half the men that fought there on the Colonial side; and even yet most people consider the battle of Lexington the first overt act of war on the part of the colonists, though Fort William and Mary was captured and the guns and ammunition removed by New Hampshire men long before, and in presence of royal armed vessels, too. Now the honor of having led in the revolt against the once omnipotent slave power is claimed for New Hampshire, and though the men of our State have always known that such was the fact, yet a knowledge of it seems to have just dawned on the good people of Massachusetts.

At the notable gathering of original Free Soilers at Downer's Landing, Mass., last week, to celebrate the birth of the Free Soil party in 1848, Hon. Amos Tuck of Exeter, N. H., was present; and after Charles Francis Adams, Samuel and George F. Hoar, and others, had glorified Massachusetts as the mother of the Free Soil movement, Mr. Tuck was called on for a speech, and he gave the company both a speech and a surprise. Mr. Tuck's remarks were as follows:

I feel it to be a fearful thing to speak to these learned men of Massachusetts; but born upon soil which was Massachusetts soil, as was the State of Maine before its admission to the Union, and now hailing from a State which is acknowledged to have done something toward Massachusetts, both in mind and material, I shall claim exemption which would be accorded to one of your own sons who was feeble in speech and unlearned in the arts of oratory. This convention is not one that assembles with the ordinary credentials, but we have to have credentials dating back thirty years. They are not made up by officers of caucuses called within the week past; but these credentials consist of acts done many years ago, and no man can buy these credentials any more than Simon could buy the power to cast out devils. Now, you are making up history here, and nobody can make up history better, or history that is likely to last longer, than the people of Massachusetts; but will you please to take account of things that happened prior to 1848? Will you bear in mind, Mr. Downer, and gentlemen, that two years before, and more than two years previous to that date, the State of New Hampshire—people in the State of New Hampshire—set the example of a conflict with party leaders that had never been set in this country before (applause), in opposition to the democratic party in 1844-5, which we have never given up to this day. (Renewed applause.) In 1845 we made a declaration of principles that constituted the essence of the republican party, which was formed at Philadelphia eleven years later. I have in my pocket a "call," which will prove the truth of what I say.

Here is the original "call" for the Convention on the 22d of February, 1845, signed by 263 democrats, and drawn up by my friend John L. Hayes, now of Cambridge, and myself, in one of the jury-rooms in the Exeter Court House. It invites democrats to assemble on the 22d of February to take into consideration the condition of the party, and to make a declaration of sentiments in regard to the action which Mr. Hale had previously taken in opposition to the annexation of Texas for the reasons given by Mr. Calhoun, or for any reason whatever; and we organized it as a movement of democrats. Previous to that time, men had remonstrated at different times against the action of the democratic party in New Hampshire, which was the strongest democratic State in the Union. We insisted on being organized as democrats. We refused to leave the party on account of our sentiments. We claimed that this was true democracy; that anti-slavery was true democracy; and we have

refused to leave until this day (great applause); until we have got the majority of democrats in New Hampshire on the republican side. (Laughter and applause).

I wish you to correct the history of this movement. You have no right to establish the fact or to write on the page of history that the republican enterprise began in 1848. Previous to 1848, I have told you how we began this movement in 1845. We began in 1844. In 1846 the independent democrats held the balance of power between the whig party and the democratic party—no election having taken place for Governor. At the next trial we said, "If you will elect our man, John P. Hale, to the Senate, we will elect your man, Colby, as Governor." This was in 1846. There was a vacancy in the House of Representatives, and they concluded, if Mr. Hale had been put in the Senate, to nominate myself for the House of Representatives, and after several ineffectual efforts for an election I was elected to Congress in 1847. One year before this Buffalo Convention you had elected John G. Palfrey as a regular whig to the House of Representatives, and the whigs of New Hampshire came into the support of myself simply on the ground of my stating to Ichabod Bartlett, who was sent to me to consult me if I should be expected to be found voting with such men as John G. Palfrey and John P. Hale, that I should, and I voted with them. And at the next election you Whigs of Massachusetts would not elect Palfrey again. (Laughter and applause.) Put that down on the record. (Renewed laughter.)

And in the revolution in the organizations that took place in the United States, bear in mind that the humble State of New Hampshire placed the first anti-slavery Senator in the Senate of the United States. (Applause.) Bear in mind that in introducing anti-slavery declarations, next to Joshua R. Giddings, a New Hampshire man sent an anti-slavery resolution to the House of Representatives (applause), and that for two years there were only two anti-slavery men in the Congress of the United States—John P. Hale and myself. I acknowledge how unfortunate it was for New Hampshire that she did not have a better representative than myself. At that time Charles Francis Adams—when we prevailed in New Hampshire—Mr. Adams, Judge Allen, Henry Wilson, Charles Sumner (I might repeat the list), stood well with the whig party. (Uproarious laughter and applause.) It was not until the next year afterwards that you pronounced the whig party dissolved. We claim that we helped to comfort you. (Great laughter.) Please to put it down on the record of the history that you are making, gentlemen (renewed laughter), because while we cannot claim much in our little State we are very jealous in what we can claim. (Laughter.)

I say, sir, that our declarations, humbly made at that Exeter meeting, when we published our resolutions, and in all our labors and in all our votes in Congress or out of Congress, the time, the year, the date of what we wrote in 1845 is our patent. There's the original document; yours was not taken out until 1848. That is the original document. Let me tell you how I obtained it. In 1844 or 1845 the democrats told Mr. Hale and myself and my friend Fogg, long the editor of the *Independent Democrat* that was established in 1845 (applause) indicating republican principles—so confident were they that our action would be the end of us as men of any influence, that one man in my town, Exeter, put away the call and wrote upon the back of it—I won't detain you to read it, only enough to show that he kept this in memoriam to condemn the men who signed this document and who approved the action that was then taken. I appealed to the son—for the father hath gone to his account—to allow me to read this note on the back, but he would not let me see it and I was obliged to buy it of him—(laughter)—for a considerable amount of money. I value it very highly. (Renewed laughter.) I will take all the pains that I can to see that it is preserved in perpetuam of my regard for the men and what took place in those days.

The Boston *Traveller*, referring to this matter, says: "It is rather embarassing when a company of gossips meet to talk over the events in the life of a precocious child on its supposed natal day, to have a midwife present at its birth declare that the event occurred two years earlier, and in a different State from what they had supposed. This is much like what happened at the Free Soil gathering of yesterday, and it really looks as if Mr. Tuck has the truth as well as the laugh on his side."

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, AUGUST 13, 1877.

Steamship Disaster in the Pacific.

The Pacific Steam Navigation Co's steamer Eten was wrecked on some rocks seventy miles north of Valparaiso, July 15th, and over one hundred persons lost their lives. Many of those lost got safely on the rocks, but afterward threw themselves into the sea to end their sufferings, as the weather was so bad that relief steamers laying off the rocks were unable to reac h them with boats for several days. The Eten was an iron screw steamer, built in 1871, and cost about $240,000.

Another Indian Fight.

Gen. Gibbons' command of regulars and volunteers had a desperate and bloody fight with the Nez Perces at Big Hole, Montana, August 9th. The fighting continued all day. Capt. Bradley and Lieut. Logan, of the army, were killed; General Gibbons, and Lieutenants Coolidge, English and Woodruff, were wounded. Many enlisted men and volunteers were killed and wounded, and Gibbons' horses, supplies, a howitzer and reserve ammunition were captured. Over a hundred Indians were killed, but they beat back the troops in repeated attacks on their village; the troops finally entrenched in a strong position, and sent to Deer Hole for supplies, and transportation for the wounded, which were at once started out under a strong escort.

News and Notes.

The MacMahon Government of France is daily becoming more aggressive against the republicans, as a campaign plan. The newsdealers are forbidden to sell republican papers; one paper has been fined a hundred francs for refusing to print a speech of MacMahon's. The Paris police have forbidden the sale of portraits of Thiers on the street. On the other hand, 80,000 copies of an equestrian portrait of MacMahon are to be distributed in the provinces. Such ludicrous attempts to bolster up an unpopular cause would be fatal to it in most countries, but they may work well in France.

Steamtug L. R. Lyon was burned on Black river, N. Y., Friday, and the engineer and pilot were burned to death.

Advices from Pickens county, Ala., represent the excitement caused by the murder of Story, Kilpatrick and Bush, subsiding. The evidence of negroes proves that several white men participated in the killing. One white man and several negroes have been arrested. Warrants are issued for others.

A North Carolina boy up a tree tied a rope around his neck, told his sister he was going to hang himself, and jumped to the ground, supposing the rope was long enough to reach, but it was seven feet too short, and he broke his neck.

Learning that the crops of a member, whose entire family was prostrated by sickness, were likely to be lost for want of gathering, the Good Templars, male and female, of Starrsville, S. C., to the number of eighty, turned out, and by working hard an entire day saved the product.

"Brick" Pomeroy, the noted blackguard who won much dollars and infamy as the editor of the La Crosse *Democrat* during the war, and then lost all he had—except his reputation, which would have been a good thing to have got rid of—in an attempt to make his scurrilous sheet the organ of the New York democracy, has just been married for the third time; his last wife was formerly his proof-reader. He was divorced from his wives numbered one and two.

Yacht Flora went ashore on the north breaker, at the mouth of Newburyport harbor, Friday evening, and it was thought would be a total loss. Three young men on board got ashore all right.

The attitude of the Indians at Sitka, Alaska, has become so threatening that the Treasury officials have hastened to dispatch a revenue cutter to that point, to protect the white settlers.

The railroad accident at Oceansport, N. J., turns out to be more serious than at first reported. One hundred and fifty persons were injured by the accident, thirty of them seriously; one died on Friday, and others cannot live long. Several persons are missing, and it is feared they are buried in the mud under the wrecked train. The officers of the railroad are very reticent, and will give no information whatever to the reporters.

This is the way P. T. Barnum puts it: "I hadn't the remotest idea of lecturing when I came over, but I have a wife who can spend a hundred pounds as fast as I can make it, so I thought I might as well."

New Hampshire Items.

The city government of Concord on Saturday appropriated $1000 for the expenses of receiving President Hayes, who is expected in that city on Thursday, August 23d.

Henry Carpenter, (supposed to be Henry Stickney,) who recently robbed a farmer named Rogers in Derry, of a large sum of money, was arrested in Manchester Thursday night. He is about thirty years of age, and claims to belong in Stockport, Mass. He will be held for identification.

Dr. Alpheus Benning Crosby, Professor of Dartmouth Medical College, died Thursday. He lectured to a class Monday morning, although he experienced difficulty in reading his notes and making the usual demonstrations. The cause of his death has not been determined.

On Saturday, George McConnell of Haverhill was standing in an open door playing a mouth harmonican, when lightning struck the harmonican, severely burning McConnell's mouth and the whole front of his body. He was unconscious for several hours, and his recovery is very uncertain. The house was set on fire and badly injured.

Mrs. A. J. Nichols, of Moultonville, was prostrated for two hours by a flash of lightning on the evening of the 7th. A dog at her feet was killed.

The managers of the State fair have nearly completed the arrangements for the fair to be held in Manchester September 18, 19 and 20. A prominent new feature of the display this year will be the grange exhibitions, for which very generous prizes have been offered.

Political.

The anti-policy republicans of Ohio are organizing for open war on the administration.

The fifth plank in the platform of the Maine Republican State Convention is as follows: "The action of the democratic House of Representatives in refusing appropriations for the army, except upon the conditions that deprive the Commander-in-Chief of the discretion vested in him by the Constitution, was wholly unjustifiable, dangerous and revolutionary. It is a striking commentary on their evil and perilous course that two of the States whose entire representation in Congress aided in defeating the army bill, have been obliged under the pressure and violence of mob law to call on the National Government for such aid as only the army can render."

The Democratic State Convention of Virginia succeeded in nominating a candidate on the third day of its session. The candidates were six in number, and F. M. W. Holliday was nominated on the seventh ballot.

"A longer-eared, wilder-heeled set than a portion of the 'Lowell, Lawrence, Fall River, etc.,' democracy never was raised in even a mule-bearing country. They make the old democratic wagon tedious to the live and progressive men of the party." This is not from a republican paper. It is from the Pittsfield (Mass.) *Sun*, which is angry because the democrats will not nominate Mr. Adams again.

The democrats of Madison county, Mississippi, have nominated a negro as one of their candidates for the Legislature.

MARRIED.

BELL—LOLLEY. In this city, Aug 8, by Rev. J. Noyes, Robert E. Bell and Carrie C. Lolley, all of Portsmouth.

SMITH—BRADFORD. In Great Falls, Aug. 4, Mr. John Smith and Miss Mary J. Bradford, both of Rochester.

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BATCHELDER. In North Hampton, Aug. 9, Mr. Nathaniel Batchelder, aged 84 years and 9 months.

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" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40,	10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	8.15 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

At the last meeting of the Board of Instruction the subject of confirming the present corps of teachers came up, by a suggestion of Mr. Shannon that some action should be taken upon the re-appointment of the present force of school instructors, so that the latter might know whether they were confirmed or rejected, and govern themselves accordingly. Quite a spirited debate ensued, in which some of the members of the Board claimed that such action was unnecessary, without precedent, and in the absence of any law or regulation concerning it, the teachers' relations to the school board remain unchanged from last year. Other gentlemen of the committee maintained that the present organization of school supervisors had nothing to do with the contracts of their predecessors, and therefore were not obliged to accept one or any number of teachers, but rather had the prerogative of examining every teacher and of rejecting or accepting according to the fitness of the candidate. It was urged on the other hand that while it might be a plan worthy of adoption to have an examination of every teacher at the close of the year for the purpose of testing his or her merits, in point of fact it was an innovation, and never had been done. And further, as the teachers had all gone forth from their schools in unquestioned expectation of resuming their old positions at the beginning of the new year, and that as the vacation was more than half past, it would seem somewhat unjust to adopt the rule in question to apply to them at so late a day. A committee having been appointed at an earlier stage of the meeting (consisting of Messrs. DeNormandie, May and Gardner,) to revise the system of Rules and Regulations that govern the schools at the present time, it was finally voted to instruct this committee to incorporate into the new Rules some clause that shall cover the matter under discussion, so that an examination of teachers may take place annually prior to a re-engagement. It was also voted that each sub-committee of the three districts prepare a list of those teachers that they may deem qualified to be continued, and bring them before the Board of Instruction for confirmation. This new departure will, without doubt, stir up the thirty-five or forty teachers now in the employ of the city to new diligence to "make their calling and election sure;" and we are informed that the custom of trying the teachers at the close of each school year prevails in many places, and always with good results.

LIBERAL OFFERS.

We have just been looking over a lot of letters and circulars received by us within the past six months, from people making us the most liberal offers in the way of trade; and we are lost in wondering how many million dollars we should now be worth if we had profited by all the generous proposals made us. It is possible that had we accepted all the goods offered us we might not have been able to realize hard cash for them just yet, in which case we should certainly have had on hand a stock of articles numerous and varied enough to set up an old curiosity shop and a dollar store, at least. We should have had a windmill and a steam-pump, a base ball suit and a horse rake, a mowing machine and about sixty sewing machines, two cabinet organs and eight gross of blacking, half a ton of starch and a piano, several breech loading shot guns that will kill birds a mile away just as well as at fifty feet, a velocipede and a bible and a croquet set, thirty dozen bottles of an infallible catarrh cure of which no patient ever required a second bottle, a plough and two hundred kegs of paint (assorted colors), a piece of the old elm, a sword cane, chromos, a fishing pole that cannot be told from a walking stick, fifty patent churns and a gun that unscrews so that it can be carried out of town under the coat on Sundays, lottery tickets, wheelbarrows and counterfeit money, revolvers, numerous choice corner lots in bran new cities in Montana and Idaho, and several whole sections of land of inconceivable fertility and great value in New Mexico, thermometers and barometers combined, and other articles too numerous to mention. On footing up the regular retail prices of all the goods offered us we find the amount a little over seventy thousand dollars; yet such is the liberality with which the editor of "your valuable and influential paper" (that's what they all call it) has been treated that we should have got all the goods mentioned merely by paying seventy-eight thousand dollars cash and throwing in seventy-five thousand dollars' worth of advertising at regular rates—agents' discount off. That we have accepted none of the liberal offers might be taken as proof that we are not mercenary; but the fact is that we have no use whatever for a steam pump or mowing machine, and do not want a piano or eight gross of blacking or the infallible catarrh cure. But we have been tempted at last by an offer more liberal than all the rest put together; a man out west offers to furnish us with a wife, to be paid for entirely in advertising—no cash at all asked. That is, the western man does not say "the goods will be forwarded by express on receipt of a marked copy of your paper containing the first issue of the advertisement," but he promises us a fair chance to get a wife, and as this is probably about our last chance to secure one of these desirable articles we have concluded to go for that western gal to the extent of the advertisement, which we accordingly print, as follows:

A Pleasant Social Sensation.

Young ladies, young widows, bachelors and widowers throughout the country are invited to participate in the Kansas City TIMES second Great Matrimonial Drawing at Coates' Opera House, in Kansas City, Mo., on Oct. 1, 1877. At the first drawing, in July, 240 ladies were won by as many unmarried gentlemen, the affair making a wonderful sensation throughout the West. Copies of the TIMES MATRIMONIAL-EDITION, containing a detailed report of the drawing and full particulars of October's Drawing, sent free by mail to any address on application. Published weekly; subscription price, 50 cents for three months, entitling every unmarried subscriber to participate in the Second Great Matrimonial Drawing, in which there are also fifty-two cash premiums. Address, THE TIMES, Kansas City, Missouri.

With the above advertisment we received a "gentleman's coppon," and the following explanation:

If the editor, or any one whom he may designate, wishes to participate in the Matrimonial Distribution, he will fill up the gentleman's coupon and forward it at the time of sending a marked copy of his paper containing the above notice, and the name so designated on the coupon will be registered for the special distribution.

At first we thought of offering the chance to the proprietors of the CHRONICLE; but they are married already, and we do not think it would be right for either of them to secure more than one man's share of family while so many poor fellows have none at all. But we are a little shy of filling up the "coupon" ourself until we have taken legal advice on the matter; we want to know, in case we should happen to draw a colored lady, or some homely old widow with fifteen or sixteen children, and should refuse to accept the prize, if a suit for breach of promise would lie. If the legal question is answered to our satisfaction we shall fill out the coupon and send it to Kansas City; and then if all goes to suit us, we will show the *Times* man, who so often derides the "old bachelor editor of the CHRONICLE," that we *can* get a wife, and without buying her, either—pay for her in advertising.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

The Bangor Express over the Eastern Railroad, which left Boston at seven o'clock Friday evening, was thrown off the track at Seabrook by a misplaced switch. Our correspondent at Seabrook writes us that the up freight train switched on to the siding, then backed across the main track to a "spur" track, took on a car that was there and again went on the siding to allow the express to pass; and that somebody—whoever he was who should have looked after it—neglected to set the switch at the spur track right for the passage of the express on the main track. The express train was running at thirty miles or more an hour when it approached the switch, but the engineer, Mr. Judkins, saw that it was wrong and put on the air brake, but the momentum was too great for the train to be stopped in time, and the engine, mail and baggage cars, parlor car, two sleeping and two common passenger cars, ran off the end of the spur, which is only about three hundred feet long, and all except the two latter were badly smashed; a smoking car and two passenger cars stopped on the rails. The engine was capsized, rails torn up and sleepers broken into bits, the top of the mail car bursted out, the baggage car thrown across the track and its sides caved in, and other damage done; but though the train was well filled with passengers, (most of those in the wrecked cars being bound for Mount Desert and other eastern watering places,) yet none of them were hurt; and the engineer and fireman, who heroically stuck to their posts, also fortunately escaped unharmed. Our correspondent says the fireman was almost buried in coal and had to be dug out, and the engineer crawled out through the cab window. The assistant mail agent had his head slightly bruised. The passengers and mails were transferred to a train sent from this city, and passed through here on the way east at about one o'clock Saturday morning. The trains over the road were late all day Saturday, and the mails still more so—for the mail agents neglected to transship the forenoon mails for this city, and they did not arrive till the middle of the afternoon, which occasioned a good deal of growling. The first estimate of the damage was $40,000; but the Boston *Journal* of Saturday evening puts it at only $10,000, which we hope is nearest correct. All the siding-switches of the Eastern road are fitted with patent signal lanterns which work with the switch, showing a red light when the switch is set for the siding and a green light when it is set for the main line; but the short spur track where the accident occurred is not thus provided,—as such short spurs for purely local use are not on any railroad, we are informed. It would seem that after all the hard luck the Eastern road has had, and with the great care which is undoubtedly exercised in its management now, this unlucky accident might have kept out of the way.

PORTSMOUTH REPRESENTATIVES.

We clip the following from the *Independent Statesman* in regard to some of our Portsmouth representatives in the last session of the legislature: Among the younger republican members, Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth, took honorable rank. Self-possessed and ready of speech, with a penetrating, though not musical voice, he held his own with the older members. He was frequently called to the chair by the Speaker, and the unction with which he put through the business on the Speaker's table, told plainer than words how much he enjoyed the distinction. He managed the mock session very well indeed, and made a new departure which we trust will be followed on all future occasions. His witticisms were all good and harmless. Jokes with a sting in them, or a nasty flavor were rigidly excluded.

There were many good-looking men in the House, but considering his years no man was more attractive to the eyes of lady lookers-on, judging by their glances, than Col. Eastman of Hampstead. In this particular he fairly divided the honors with our debonair friend from Old Strawberry Bank, Col. Sise, whose immaculate white vest was the theme of so many reportorial squibs. Cal. Sise was rather fond of making motions, and was misunderstood sometimes in consequence, being thought factious by some and consequential by others. He was neither, in fact, but a downright good fellow.

Another good fellow was our nearest neighbor, Richard H. Waldron, of Portsmouth. Quiet and unobtrusive, no truer man held a seat on that floor. He was unswervingly right on all political and moral questions, and he had a hearty contempt for the penny wise and pound foolish economists who sought to display their wisdom by appeals to class prejudice and that spirit of avarice which is supposed by some sordid souls to have an abiding-place with all farming communities.

In the same division was our democratic friend from Greenland, E. A. Peterson, the *fidus Achates* of Col. Sise; and a very companionable gentleman. He was constant at his post and followed his party leaders with a fidelity worty of a better cause. On other than party questions he was quite progressive, and the Normal School had no firmer friend in the House.

A member whose zeal sometimes outran his knowledge was Samuel Langdon of Portsmouth. He *would* make motions, and he clung tenaciously to the yeas and nays when to call them was worse than folly. This penchant subjected him to a castigation now and then from the leaders of his party who could not be made to see the point he was driving at. It is doubtful whether he knew himself. Inveigled into the Speaker's chair at the close of the session, one gentleman, thinking to have some sport at his expense, bawled out "Mr. Speaker," repeating the call several times before Langdon deigned to recognize him, and when he did so he called out, "Sit down! you are out of order!" Another member then arose and gravely said, "Upon that question, Mr. Speaker, I shall call the yeas and nays." This was too much, and amid a roar of laughter and a shower of paper wads the Portsmouth member retreated from the Speaker's desk.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Last week, in Boston, Arthur F. Lincoln was arrested on a charge of forgery. Mrs. Annie Atherton, Lincoln's mother-in-law, gave him a letter to mail in which was enclosed a check for $125 on the Mercantile Savings Institution, made payable to the order of George A. Mudge of this city. Instead of sending the letter, Lincoln opened the same, and forging an indorsement obtained the money. He admits the forgery.

Commodore Cooper visited the navy yard on Saturday, and received the customary salute.

Why Suffer Dyspeptic Tortures,

When the famous regulator of enfeebled, acid or bilious stomachs, Hostetter's Bitters, will cure you? Could you read the testimony of the myriads of dyspeptics whom it has cured, though you might be of a skeptical turn, you would be convinced. Evidence of its efficacy is constantly multiplying, and this relates not only to cases of dyspepsia, but also liver complaint, constipation, urinary and uterine troubles and malarial disorders. The world-wide fame it has attended the great stomachic has incited unscrupulous parties to manufacture cheap imitations of it, which they attempt to palm off as the genuine article. But, so familiar is the public with the real elixir, that these nefarious attempts are rarely successful. Solicit their imitation or competition affect the popularity of the standard article.

The Standard Tooth Wash

of the age is SOZODONT. It has distanced competition. Discolored teeth are rendered white by its use. The breath derives fragrance from its aroma. It prevents and arrests dental decay. The gums become rosier and harder under its operation. All its ingredients are vegetable and antiseptic.

Every day to its popularity.

Spalding's Glue is like wit: a good thing well applied.

THE COLOSSAL BRONZE STATUE OF VICTORY which stands in the Park, at Lowell, before the tomb of the first soldiers that fell in the revolution, is a lasting and beautiful tribute of art. It is one of the first objects sought by strangers visiting our sister city, which indeed many visit purposely to see this elegant object of high art. It was obtained from the King of Bavaria by Dr. J. C. Ayer, to whom his Majesty was especially gracious in acknowledgment of what his remedies are reputed to have done for the suffering sick. It was donated by the Doctor to the City of Lowell as a permanent and speaking emblem of the victories both of Science and Arms.—*Hagerstown (Md.) Press.*

Generals P. T. Beauregard and Jubal Early have beaten their swords into ploughshares and turn the wheel of fortune monthly for the Louisiana State Lottery Company with as much vigor as fifteen years ago they led armies to battle. The full particulars can be had of the plan by addressing M. A. Dauphin, President, Box 692, New Orleans.

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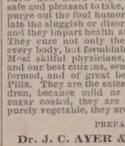

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50	do.	500	25,000
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Ackerman Jos D 107 64
Adams Eben G 54 84
Adams Joseph W 99 44
Adams Samuel 166 79
Adams S & Co 192 71
Akerman Aaron 240 43
Akerman Chas C 60 61
Annable George 111 61
Annable hrs Robt 104 50
Ayers & Locke 376 20
Ayers Albert 99 64
Ayers Samuel H 83 08
Akerman hrs L 54 84
Alden Simon 62 70
Allen William H 75 24
Amazeen Joseph 56 43

B

Badger Albert J 192 28
Bailey Charles W 58 32
Bailey John H 512 05
Ball True M 316 94
Ball hrs Sarah 52 32
Barnes hrs Lewis 292 63
Bickford Jones C 223 63
Beach'n & Stod'd 211 69
Bean Edmund C 163 62
Benedict Amos M 125 76
Berry Joseph H 108 68
Billstock George 456 42
Billings Nancy 122 25
Billings hrs S 177 65
Blaisdell Uriah 176 84
Blunsuer i. 117 64
Boardman hrs J 221 34
Bodge Andrew P 124 35
Bradford Eobt F 127 49
Bickford Jos 192 07
Brewster hrs J 144 21
Brooks Joshua 159 85
Brooks J & Co 148 39
Broughton J H 323 54
Brown Chas S 65 39
Brown F M 341 71
Burford hrs H 58 32
Burnham J S 68 97
Burroughs hrs
Bunker H P 721 29
Bash John C 109 18
Butler George W 169 23
Butler J Carl 39 52
" & Laighton 127 49
Buzzell H B & Son 114 95

C

Call Thomas E 126 27
Call T E & Sons 138 86
Caney Ben F 124 56
Carpenter Chas C 73 24
Carr James M agt 73 15
Carter John H 79 92
Carter Harriet M 66 23
Cate Henry F 83 68
Chase Sarah 32 25
Chesley 60 61
Clark Henry M 241 40
Clark Joseph 63 08
Clark Margaret J 65 29
Clark hrs Jos H 62 70
Cleaves hrs S 146 08
Cochrane Edwin 174 18
Coffin Ann E 79 42
Coffin Thomas S 234 79
Colcord Chas O 52 32
Concord R R 445 17
Conlon John 101 86
Conlon Wm W 52 32
Craig Alonzo F 64 79
Critchley &
Whelley 60 61
Cunningham M 108 55
Cunningham Geo 63 08
Curtis Benj W 402 32
Cutter hrs Jacob 83 68

D

Davis Charles 85 69
Dearborn F E 71 06
Dearborn & Co 57 68
Dearborn Hiba 54 84
DeNormandie J 421 13
Denny Nancy 62 07
Dhonau Chas E 68 43
Dixon C E & J E 52 25
Dixon John 136 10
Doane V F 69 70
Dodge Anna B 105 54
Dodge J Howard 89 87
Dodge hrs Jas 132 78
Dodge hrs L 63 75
Dodge hrs J 62 70
Donnell Samuel 62 97
Douglas James 157 15
Dow Isaac 163 02
Dow hrs Henry 50 16
Dow W & Son 129
Dupey Jos R 64 79
Dwight Wm L 225 72

E

E R R in N H 526 06
Edmonds L M 62 70
Eldridge Brewing Company 159 61
Eldredge H F 148 73
Eldredge hrs H 211 68
Eldredge M 359 48
Elwyn Alfred 104 17
Emery James W 148 65
Emery J W admin 62 70
Emery Peter 122 13
Emery hrs T 117 04

F

Faye Edward S 154 66
Fendall Anna C T 73 15
Fernald E M 208 87
Fernald Wm D 329 18
Fernald Wm F 89 68
First Nat Bank 123 40
Folsom hrs N 62 70
Foster N L 68 97
Fonda Anna C 54 84
Foster Joseph H 268 15
Foster Mary A 73 24
Fraser William J 64 79
Freeman Alfred 104 17
Freeman Wash 276 92
French George B 127 49
French John T 276 92
French J T and others trustees 99 27
Frye Samuel S 420 91

G

Gammon Thos S 91 96
Gardiner Andrew 156 91
Garrity Martin 471 28
Gay Thos S 146 94
George John A 73 24
Gerrish Henry F 250 00
Gerrish Samuel J 100 32
Goodall Edw R 153 00
Goodall Saml H 87 78
Goodrich Amos T 86 97
Goodrich Chas H 108 55
Greenough Alice 114 11
Goodrich M H 468 58
Goodwin J 119 86
Goodwin Trustees
hrs J Hallburton 104 50
Goodrich hrs J D 104 50
Greenleaf Chas A 167 62
Grant John 52 25
Grant John H 153 00
Grant J S agent 167 29
Gray hrs Robert 236 17
Gardiner Thomas 119 14
Greenough Alice 114 11
Greenleaf G J 71 06

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Hackett Wm H 213 74
Hackett W H trust 62 70
Harper W
agt for Jaffrey 32 25
Hackett W H exr 114 95
Hackett W H Y 104 50
Hadley Wm E 149 02
Halsall Wm S 111 48
Hall Jeremiah F 222 58
Hall hrs Samuel 66 89
Hall hrs S 104 50
Handy John N 203 65
Hanscom J V 113 37
Harrett Abby F 62 70
Harris Mary E L 153 85
Harris Thos A 179 74
Hayes Charles 312 66
Hayes Chas H 52 25
Henderson Geo 83 68
Hildreth Jos W 50 16
Hill George 101 36
Hill Lucinda 73 15
Hill hrs John 109 32
Hill Rebecca C 56 32
Hills Helen M and others 79 42
Hills Lois 62 70
Hilton Frank W 72 10
Hodgdon Chas A 152 79
Hodgdon Chas E 85 87
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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ers or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within two feet of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause the same to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future once or oftener when the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be taken into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, yard, set or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing adressaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

[Communicated.]

The Sick Man of America.

There has long been an assertion that there is "a sick man in Europe," but whether that man will come to a speedy dissolution, or obtain a spasmodic convalescence, future events will have to determine. It is certain that he recuperates most vigorously. Nations, if ever born in a day, do not die so suddenly. The Turks came into Europe with a most energetic force, and they are not apt to be driven out of it, without an equal amount of resistance. Besides, although it has often been declared that they have depreciated, there does not appear to a casual observer any evidence of depreciation; on the contrary, mixed with the best blood of the world, it may be that they are superior, physically if not morally, to their ancestors. Yet the civilization of Mohammedism is so dissimilar from that of Christianity, and the material force of Russia is so overpowering, that it would seem to be merely a question of time, whether or not Turkey will be crushed by the very preponderance of power and aggressiveness of religious ideas.

However this may be, there is also a sick man in America. Mexico shows far more symptoms of senility, premature as it is, than does Turkey. Incited by the example of the United States, Mexico took up arms against what is probably considered her mother country, Spain, and with success. Whatever may have been the grievances of the colonies in North America against England, it is likely that Spanish cruelties far exceeded, in Spanish colonies, English imprudencies in English colonies. England has been the best colonizationist of all modern times. She has succeeded in spreading her civilization and her language over a large part of the globe, in the due course of Providence. But Spain, powerful as she may have been in former times, shows but little progress. With but a few honorable exceptions, her course shows but little liberality; so much so, that her "ever faithful isle" of Cuba, in all probability, in the ordinary course of events will become an independent nation or one of the brightest stars in the flag of the American Republic. When liberated from English rule the United States commenced to progress, but when freed from the Spanish yoke, Mexico ceased to progress, or at least progressed [illegible] of the country has been nothing but a series of futile revolutions. It is the boast of the great mass of the Mexican population today, that they are the descendants of Montezuma's people. But if that people were no better than their descendants, history loses certainly a great part of its romance, and the cruelties said to have been committed by the first Spanish invaders can scarcely—or but partially at least—be blamed. It is quite certain that the present Mexican race has been the result of the intermixture of Spaniards and Indians. A great deal has been said about the benefits to be derived from miscegenation, but much depends upon what kinds of races may be mixed. The intermixture of the Anglo-Saxon, Teutonic or Celtic and similar stocks with the African, produces, to say the least, a smart people; while the intermixture of some other races with the latter produces a most wretched population. Indeed, the mere social communication of the blacks with the whites, joined with climatic influences, developes an advance among the former in our Southern States. One may now occasionally see in the South persons of purely African descent, of fine features, fine heads, fine figures, and fine sense—but while the blacks have there advanced, it is a question whether or no the whites have retrograded. Blood, although thicker than water, always seeks its level. The present population of England was the result of an intermixture of people—but the people who intermingled were in the first place of good stock. The Castilians of Mexico may be good enough, but the mongrels are bad enough; yet a good government under the protection of a somewhat different people might change matters very essentially. The Territory of New Mexico is an example of this. Having been annexed to the United States during the Mexican war by force of arms, she soon began to feel the effects of a stable government, and she has been always improving ever since, and no part of the United States has ever been more loyal than has the Territory of New Mexico. She resisted both persuasions and threats, when during the rebellion it was attempted to bring her under Confederate authority. She contended successfully for the American flag against the Texan "rebel" invaders; and at the battle of Valverde, under the late lamented Gen. Canby, assisted by that famous scout, Kit. Carson, the invaders were repulsed, and made the best of their way home, bare-footed and half-starved; as one of the invaders said to me, "they would neither give nor sell us anything to eat." No more invasions were made into New Mexico afterwards; and her native population, satisfied with a stable government, are content with being a mere Territory, in spite of the attempts of politicians to make it appear that she is invidious to the approach of American ideas and American civilization.

Extending along the northern frontier of the United States some thousands of miles lies the Dominion of Canada. She is a

semi-independent country, and connected with this nation by religious, social and business ties. Her territory reaches far northward into uninhabitableness, but is sparsely settled except in a few localities, for it is natural for all populations to gravitate toward the South. Being homogeneous and homologous with our own people, and with somewhat similar institutions, it would not be surprising if at some day Canada should become an integral portion of the United States, were it to suit the convenience of both countries. But Mexico, extending also thousands of miles along the south-western frontier of the United States, and with pretensions to similar institutions, has not a homogeneous or homologous population. Travelers unite in saying that the climate of the most of Mexico is delightful. It is a land "where nought but man is vile." There vegetation reproduces itself in the greatest profusion; but its government is a sore spot upon the civilization of the world. Encouraged by our own internal dissensions, that perfidious usurper of France, Louis Napoleon, undertook to build up there a "Latin" dynasty; and, enticed from his beautiful home in the Fatherland, Maximilian (not a Latin) only met with an untimely end, and "poor Carlotta" became a raving maniac; for after the rebellion, through the persuasions and almost threats of the American government, the French deemed it prudent to withdraw their forces. So much a failure was this attempt that the London *Times* asserted that no further violation of the Monroe doctrine in the United States would be undertaken by any European Government, and if a reform in Mexico were made, it would necessarily be effected by the United States.

A large portion of the great State of Texas, bordering on the Rio Grande, has always been liable to the invasions of lawless raiding bands from Mexico; so much so that settlers have only maintained themselves in their homes by personal prowess. These invasions sometimes reach even a distance of two hundred miles into Texas. It may seem strange to an observer in a more Northern region that such may be possible, but it is to be considered that in that country there is support for both man and beast at all seasons of the year. These raids provoke reprisals; were it otherwise no settlements could be maintained at all. The first raid of any consequence was made soon after the war between the United States and Mexico, by Capt. Callahan, a noted Texan ranger, when the Mexican town of Santa Rosa was captured and sacked; and the last one some four years ago by Col. McKinney of the U. S. forces, when a camp of hostile Indians, harbored by the Mexicans, was surprised and brought into San Antonio. In the camp were found numerous scalps, one scalp being that of a child apparently six months old, and another holding the long yellow Saxon hair of a young woman. Whatever may be said at this late day of the annexation of Texas to the United States, it was a matter of manifest destiny. She is a part and parcel of that country, and her citizens American citizens, entitled to be protected as such. It was said that it had been the policy of the Mexican government to keep Texas a wilderness between her more populous regions and her more powerful neighbor. Be that as it may, Europeans and Americans were invited into that country by the Mexican government, only to be oppressed, and when remonstrances were made to the Central Government at the City of Mexico, the remonstrants were thrown into the vilest prisons; and in the revolution which followed, when the most of the Mexicans left Texas with the exception of a few of the higher class, who are now held in high repute, the revolutionists were, whenever possible, most mercilessly massacred, until after the battle of San Jacinto. In the due course of time, it became evident that Texas must throw herself either into the arms of the United States or England, and her predilections led her to the former.

Now the question arises, how can these ever recurring inroads of Mexicans upon American soil be prevented? There is not apparent any regular government in Mexico; there are at this time several claimants of the Mexican Presidency, and any arrangement even made between the United States authorities and the *de facto* government of Mexico is not likely to be long effective. After the defeat of Mexico by the United States, Gen. Scott was invited to take charge of the administration of the government of Mexico, but patriotic motives prevented him. In consideration of after events in the United States it may be that his refusal was providential. It was the opinion of that well-known statesman, Sam. Houston, that a protectorate over Mexico should be established by the United States. Perhaps by and by, when the wearisome discussion of the internal affairs of the country is exhausted, many other statesmen may arrive at the same conclusion.

VIATOR.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 14, 1877.

News and Notes.

There was a heavy squall at Coney Island Friday evening, which wrecked 462 bathing houses, and several women and men therein had narrow escapes from broken limbs. Considerable clothing was lost. The United States coast survey schooner Scoresby was blown high and dry on the beach at Rockaway, nearly into a hotel.

The Bonapartist and clerical press of Paris are clamoring to have MacMahon declare a state of seige in France until after the election comes off, which would enable the ultramontanes to defeat the republicans without regard to the real wishes of the nation. The Germans expect another coup d' etat in France, but it is thought Germany will refuse to recognize a government established by such means.

Later reports from Big Hole, Montana, say that Gen. Gibbon did not lose even a horse in his fight with the Indians, nor any supplies. He surprised the Indian camp, but his force was too small for the work and he was forced into the defensive. Many more Indians than whites were killed. Gen. Howard has joined Gibbon.

The verdict of a Philadelphia coroner's jury in the case of a man who was killed while attending a meeting of the malcontents in that city on the 20th ult., in contravention of the Mayor's order, was to the effect that it served him right.

Not only is the population of Scranton, Pa., liable to explosion, but the city itself seems likely at any time to perform similar conduct. It appears that in mining for coal, shafts and tunnels have been run all about under the town. The mines are now flooding, owing to the perverse conduct of the strikers, and as the water rises the gas is forced back. The mayor of the city says that if this continues long the pressure of the water will become so great that the gas will break up the thin surface, and blow all Scranton to pieces. This would be a mere hasty, if not a more complete, finish than the one predicted now for some years—that the miners will work up so near the top that the weight of the houses will break in the shell, and the city be distributed through the mines. Neither prospect is first-class for any but the Adventist land-buyers.

A colored soprano, who was requested by the deacons of the Locust Hill Church, near Columbus, Ga., not to sing with the choir, quietly set fire to the building the next morning.

Blue Jeans Williams makes a feeble and unsuccessful attempt to soften down the story about his efforts to have the strikers pass his son-in-law over the blockaded railroads. The exact facts, as he gave them to a reporter of the Indianapolis *News*, are: "Why, my son-in-law was on his way to Pittsburg with some cattle, and was stopped at Columbus by reason of the strike, and had got this far back on his way home. He was very anxious to reach home, and I wrote a note to aid him if possible." He plaintively urges that the note was not addressed to the strikers but to "whom it may concern." But as the strikers blocked the way and let the son-in-law pass, it is reasonable to conclude that it was meant for them. Son-in-law didn't get through, however, for a postal clerk put him off the car!

The Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company has presented a claim to the Government for the transportation of troops along its line to protect the road from rioters!

The Harvard boat crew, that didn't want "loafers or reporters around," has dissolved. One of them has been appointed banco-steerer, a position of great trust in this city, and another is making an extensive study of chiropody, from life.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Gen. Henry Darnell, on trial at Tiptonville, Lake county, Tennessee, bulldozed the Court at that place on Wednesday and Thursday of last week with twenty-five armed men, the sheriff and deputies being entirely inefficient. Darnell recently gave himself up, but refused to go to jail, and instead was placed in custody of one of his friends. It having been shown that the bond was insufficient it was so announced in Court and Darnell was ordered to jail. The sheriff refused to act, and Darnell and his armed mob walked out of the court room, denouncing the Court, and defying its authority. The sheriff refusing to obey an order to summon a posse, Gov. Porter telegraphed to send the Chickasaw Guards of Memphis to the Court's relief, but the order was countermanded, Darnell and squad having left for Kentucky.

The Navy Department has succeeded in contracting for its coal at $3.47 per ton, and the War Department at $3.44.

A combination of the Western Union and Attantic & Pacific telegraph lines, the total receipts to be pooled and then divided according to a special agreement, is announced as almost a certainty. "Tolls" will go up as soon as the combination is effected.

Washburn, the well-known "Last Sensation" showman, was stricken with paralysis at Petrolia, Pa., recently, and it is thought cannot recover. His travelling troupe has been disbanded.

A despatch from London says: "Profound apprehension and anxiety exist in all commercial and financial circles here respecting the repudiation movement in Georgia and Virginia. This, with the effect of the railway strikes, threatens to be destructive of American credit in Europe."

Greeks are greatly excited over the massacre of their countrymen along the shores of the Black Sea, and in Thessaly and Epirus, by the Turks, and it is not believed Greece will remain neutral much longer.

The Turks report having gained victories over the Russians at Ani and near Shumla, but it is not believed that any battles have been fought at those places.

The Turks are hastening the completion of the fortifications of Gallipoli, on the Dardenelles, and mounting large numbers of Krupp guns there.

The London *Times'* Constantinople correspondent telegraphs: "Civil war of extermination is being carried on at present at Eski Saghra. All the male Christian population have been sentenced to death by a Turkish General. This news has been brought by two American missionaries who were protected by Turkish friends. This news is also confirmed by consular despatches. Every male Bulgarian is accused of being either a spy or an open enemy."

New Hampshire Items.

George W. Hodgdon and Edward Breeze, of Brookline, obtained goods from Messrs. Woodward & Corey and Henry Stearns of Keene on a forged order on J. A. Hall of Brookline, were tried in the Nashua Police Court Saturday, and bound over in $1000 each until the September term, and were also fined $20 each and costs for obtaining goods under false pretences.

The will of the late Mrs Betsey Whitehouse of Pembroke, which left the greater portion of a large estate to the Home Missionary Society, is to be contested in the Supreme Court on the ground that she was too sick to make a will.

The State Agricultural College is $6000 behind hand, needs $500 for new instruments and repairs, and also more students, as independent of the new class there are but eleven.

On Saturday last, while Dr. Nathaniel Batchelder of Epping was on a professional visit to a lady in Raymond, he mistook the entrance to her apartment, the hall being quite dark, and fell the entire length of the cellar stairs, breaking his left hip. At last accounts he was in a critical condition.

Will Damon shot Woodbury Chase through the neck in Gilmanton on Sunday morning, as he claims in self defence.

N. E. Wyatt, a freight conductor on the Boston & Maine Railroad, was cut to pieces by his train at Woodville on Monday. His head and one arm were cut off. He was twenty-six years old, and unmarried.

The heaviest thunder-storm of the season passed over the town of Hill on Friday about five o'clock P. M. Rain continued to pour in torrents for more than an hour, with much thunder and vivid lightning. Hailstones fell an inch in diameter, cutting down grain, vines, and breaking glass. The stones laid in heaps unmelted for several hours after the storm.

President Hayes will visit Manchester as the guest of Ex-Gov. Fred Smyth, after Concord has got through lionizing him.

A barn in Keene, occupied by David Sweeny, and owned by Faulkner & Colony, was burned Saturday afternoon. Loss $1200; insured $600.

Political.

The repudiationists won a complete victory in the "conservative" convention of Virginia. The debts which the conservatives propose to repudiate are to the last cent "chivalry" debts, no carpet-bagger or republican having had anything to do with them—except to furnish money. The candidates for governor and lieutenant governor both served in the rebel army.

The democracy of four States have recently had an opportunity to express themselves on certain vital questions which touch the credit of the country. In Georgia they vote for naked repudiation. In virginia they barely escape making the same record. In Mississippi they ask the Government to give away more land and money to railroads. In Ohio they demand more paper promises and want the Government to make gold, silver and paper "of equal tender and incovertible." It might be judicious to give this crowd unlimited control of the Treasury, and then again it might not.—*Tribune.*

A letter from the widow of Judge Chisolm, the victim of the Kemper county (Miss.) massacre, says the Probate Court of that county refused to settle up her husband's estate. She is thus prevented from leaving the scene of the butchery of the family.

Dallas county, Ala., which has been good for four thousand republican majority, gave the democrats three hundred majority at the last election. The republican party has been entirely crushed out in the Southern States, and men who prefer republican candidates dare not vote the republican ticket.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 11.

A goodly number of cynical people and habitual fault finders shake their heads ominously over the report that Mr. John Sherman has gone to Ohio to take a hand in the campaign just opened. Perhaps these critics are running before they are sent—going off "half cocked," as it were. Besides, one finds it difficult to believe the President so indifferent to his reputation for consistency as is implied by the rumor in question. It is certain, however, that Mr. Sherman has really gone to Ohio. Should he dare open his mouth on the stump there or elsewhere the civil service reformers will hear something drop; and the storm will beat so vehemently that every house founded upon the sand, no matter how pretentious or carefully constructed, will be swept to irretrievable ruin. Public confidence in the sincerity of the reform leaders among high officials, has never been very pronounced; and it has been subjected to a good many rude shocks since it was first announced that politics and the civil service were to be divorced. The "malicious" efforts of Gail Hamilton and Kemble have rather deepened the feeling of distrust among the very credulous and those always prepared to harbor suspicions of their purer neighbors; and it only requires one more overt act, such as Secretary Sherman is said to contemplate, to bring the whole movement into disrepute.

The founders of the Mrs. R. B. Hayes Temperance Society, who were spitely accused of interested motives in rallying under that particular banner, recently investigated the scandalous act of their godmother in presenting a basket of flowers to the Schutzenfest Association. After hours of protracted labor it was resolved that if she had sinned it was through ignorance, and that they were therefore only called upon to wink at her instead of voting her an outcast beyond the pale of charity.

The order prohibiting the sale of arms and ammunition to Indians has been supplemented by another calling the attention of army officers to the prohibition and enjoining upon them the duty of preventing such sales by every legitimate means. It is felt that this is a step in the right direction; but to insure a complete observance of the order will require the co-operation of not only the army but of every trader on our frontier. Even then, and in spite of the utmost vigilence, large quantities of the contraband articles will be smuggled through so long as money can be made out of their sale.

KNOX.

—Why do short men have no right to marry? Because marriage is a rite of Hymen.

Collector's Four Per Cent. Notice.

TAX payers in the city of Portsmouth are hereby notified that four per cent. will be deducted from their tax bills if paid on or before August 30, 1877.

JAMES MOSES, Collector.

Portsmouth, August 11, 1877.

EXCURSION!!

THIRD EXCURSION ON

Steamer Appledore,

(CAPT. ROBINSON,)

Under the auspices of the Womans' Temperance League,

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21.

Boat leaving and returning as usual. Price for round trip 75cts. Children under 12 years, half price. Tickets for sale by David Kimball & Co.

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FOR the convenience of those at the seashore or in neighboring towns, invalids and others who wish to have shopping done in Boston. By collecting purchases and sending under one express or by mail, and by saving the expence of visits to the city, it is intended to make the Agency an Economy as well as a convenience. For particulars as to charges, etc., address

Miss C. J. Kelly,

11 HAMILTON PLACE, BOSTON,

who will attend promptly to orders and who refers by permission to Mrs. A. Drexel Gray, Mrs. Robert H. Stone, Mrs. R. W. Emerson, Mrs. W. H. Forbes and others.

NOTE.—Many stores are now closing desirable goods at low prices to make room for autumn stocks.

Woodlot for Sale.

A LOT OF FORTY ACRES, more or less, of Pasturage and Woodland, situated in Newington, being a portion of the homestead farm of the late John Fabyan. This lot is mostly covered with a heavy growth of MINT and OAK, the latter valuable for ship timber. It is also well watered, and affords an abundance of feed in the driest seasons; some portions are suitable for tillage. For further information apply to

S. D. FABYAN, on the premises.

Newington, N. H. August 8th.

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TRY IT!

If any person who appreciates a really fine grade of TOBACCO, for Smoking or Chewing, will send us their address by Postal Card, we will send in return (*free of expense*) a sample of the *very best Tobacco* in the market, manufactured by the

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Owing to various counterfeiting of my original receipt and preparations, I have changed my labels and wrappers, which in future will be printed in CARMINE INK. The genuine is prepared by the

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$777 is not easily earned in these times, yet it can be made in three months by any one of either sex, in any part of the country who is willing to work steadily at the employment that we furnish. $66 per week in your own town. You need not be away from home over night. You can give your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. We have agents who are making over $20 per day. All who engage at once can make money fast. At the present time money cannot be made so easily and rapidly at any other business. It costs nothing to try the business. Terms and $5 Outfit free. Address at once,

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Ayer's Hair Vigor,

FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR

TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY AND COLOR.

Advancing years, sickness, care, disappointment, and hereditary predisposition, all turn the hair gray, and either of them incline it to shed prematurely.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, by long and extensive use, has proved that it stops the falling of the hair immediately; often renews the growth; and always surely restores its color, when faded or gray. It stimulates the nutritive organs to healthy activity, and preserves both the hair and its beauty. Thus lonely, weak or sickly hair becomes glossy, pliable and strengthened; lost hair regrows with lively expression; falling hair is checked and stabilized; thin hair thickens; and faded or gray hairs resume their original color. Its operation is safe and harmless. It cures dandruff, heals all humors, and keeps the scalp cool, clean and soft—under which conditions, diseases of the scalp cannot exist.

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To Let.

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Apply at 3 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 84 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to

March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

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Portsmouth, July 24, 1877.

Farm for Sale.

THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 28X32 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 22X66 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.

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JAMES JARVIS,

No. 32 South Street.

Lots of Land for Sale.

THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq.

Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

KEARSARGE MILLS--NOTICE.

WE now propose starting the KEARSARGE MILLS SEPTEMBER 3D, 1877, and we do not think we can do so any earlier to our advantage, should we find it advisable to start sooner due notice will be given.

Per order of the Treasurer.

R. B. ADAMS, Agent.

Portsmouth, N. H., August 54, 1876.

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Potted Ham, Tongue and Chicken,

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Lager Beer,

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Boneless Ham, boiled ready for table.

Chowder Crackers,

Soda, Milk and Water Biscuit, Pilot Biscuit

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M	
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00	
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Concord Way,		4.35 "	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "	

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.30 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

JUVENILE LEGISLATION.

In "an act for the better protection of children," passed by the Legislature at its late session, appears the following:

"SECTION 1. No minor under the age of fourteen years shall be admitted at any time to, or permitted to remain in, any saloon or place of entertainment where any spirituous liquors or wines, or intoxicating or malt liquors are sold, exchanged or given away, or at places of amusement known as dance houses and concert saloons, unless accompanied by parent or guardian. Any proprietor, keeper or manager of any such place who shall admit such minor to, or permit him or her to remain in any such place unless accompanied by parent or guardian, shall be fined ten dollars."

This prohibiting the sale of intoxicants to children under fourteen years of age, or the allowing them to remain in drinking saloons, is all right in itself; and that some such act—and the enforcement of it, too—is needed in this city we have more than once had proof, in the appearance on our streets of drunken boys; but really, while there is a State law in force absolutely prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors to *anybody*, old or young, this putting children under fourteen years of age into a class by themselves and specially prohibiting such sale to them seems a work of supererogation. Similarly, it is odd that the State should prohibit the presence of young children in places which the State has declared shall not exist at all.

THAT MARINE MYSTERY.

Under the heading of "The Mystery at Portsmouth, N. H., the *Army and Navy Journal* of August 11th publishes the following letter (the third it has published on the subject) concerning the case of the marine McCarthy.

Sir: My attention has been called to an article in your issue of July 2, over the signature "Citizen," containing an explanation of some of the circumstances attending the finding and burial of the body of what was supposed to be one McCarthy—an enlisted man attached to the Battalion at Marine Barracks, naval station, near this city. With your permission I will correct that statement. This body, having been taken from the river, was brought to the police station—some half mile distant—where I was permitted to make a cursory examination in presence of several gentlemen. The condition of the body, as I then viewed it, in connection with the peculiar circumstances of McCarthy's disappearance (notorious at the time), created a general impression that the missing marine had been foully dealt with. That the man whose body then lay before me was murdered, I entertain not the slightest doubt; but I am not aware that any clue to his identity has yet been obtained. I strenuously urged the necessity for an inquest, but failed utterly to impress the authorities. The law of New Hampshire places the power to order an inquest in the hands of the Mayor and Aldermen; and the Coroner can have recourse only to an appeal to the County Solicitor. The Mayor having peremptorily refused an inquest, I proposed to make such appeal, but, early the subsequent morning, the man was conveyed to the cemetery by a marine guard and buried. The Mayor has never seen the body, and gave, as apology for the course pursued, his desire to prevent expense to the county.

SAMUEL C. WHITTIER, M. D.,
Coroner, Rockingham County.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The new City Government will organize at 10:30 o'clock this forenoon, at the Court House.

On account of the decease of Miss Ellen Brown, a member of the Grange, the Picnic arranged by Portsmouth Grange for Wednesday, 15th inst., is postponed till Tuesday next, August 21st, or first fair day, at Gravelly Ridge.

The huge excursion steamer Plymouth Rock is announced to make an excursion to the Shoals on the 29th inst., under the management of Jarrett & Palmer, (her owners,) and it is expected she will visit this harbor and remain several hours.

The wrecked schooner Ceres is now high and dry at low water, on the flats off Renick's point, just below the Kittery end of Portsmouth bridge. She's a hard looking old craft now.

The Hutchinson Family, "Tribe of Asa," will give a concert at the Appledore House, Isle of Shoals, on Friday evening, August 24th, and will sing at Franklin Hall in this city on the following evening.

Bunker Hill Encampment, I. O. O. F., of Charlestown, Mass., accompanied by Brown's Brigade Band of Boston, twenty-five pieces, have decided to visit this city on September 1st, and remain three days. The visitors will receive every attention from the local Encampments, and will be quartered at the Rockingham. Among other items in the programme are a trip to the Shoals and a drive to Hotel Wentworth, a parade, levee, visit to the navy yard, etc.

The Portsmouth Heavy Artillery, Major D. J. Vaughan commanding, leave for Bennington, Vt., this morning.

A New York yacht, bound to Mt. Desert, came near going on a ledge of rock east of Foss' beach, Rye, during a thick fog recently. A small boat was sent ashore and the strangers learned where they were, and by the aid of a fisherman were brought to a safe anchorage, where they remained until the fog lifted. On the return passage, the yacht ran out of her course, sailing up towards the place where she had anchored and saluting the seaside visitors at the point.

Mr. Knox, of Concord, is to begin at once to erect a boarding house having a front of one hundred feet, at Foss' beach, Rye, just north of Millard Ward's cottage. The house will command a splendid sea view.

Hon. James G. Blaine arrived at York, Me., on Saturday, where he will remain a few days as the guest of Mrs. L. Bigelow Lawrence.

There was a heavy robbery of jewels, money, etc., at Boar's Head Monday night. Sheriff Kent was telegraphed for. We have been unable to learn the particulars.

Poor Girls.

The poorest girls in the world are those who have not been taught to work. There are thousands of them. Rich parents have petted them; they have been taught to despise labor, and depend upon others for a living, and are perfectly helpless. If misfortune comes upon their friends, as it often does, their case is hopeless. The most forlorn and miserable women on earth belong to this class. It belongs to parents to protect their daughters from this deplorable condition. They do them great wrong if they neglect it. Every daughter should be taught to earn her own living. The rich as well as the poor require this training. The wheel of fortune rolls swiftly round—the rich are very likely to become poor, and the poor rich. Skill to labor is no disadvantage to the rich, it is indispensible to the poor. Well-to-do parents must educate their daughters to work. No reform is more imperative than this.

A New Kind of Casabianca.

It is a boy that can stay at his post as long as there is any use of his holding it, that is not afraid of threats nor the presence of violence, and keeps his work resolutely in hand so long as there is work to do. This is what is reported of August Doudel, the brave little telegraph operator who was shut up in the Pittsburg railroad office on Saturday night. He kept on telegraphing, doing his duty, without the slightest regard to the mob surrounding him. They could not drive him away so long as the connecting wires responded to his hand. When at last they fired the building, he quietly, and with a touch of humor, sent his last message, "Fire's too hot. Good night," and got away in time, showing himself to be as sensible as brave. Obedience to order and discipline were never more needed than now, and it is a noble thing to die at one's post, if thereby a trust is kept that saves other lives or keeps destruction and rapine at bay. But to hit it as accurately as this boy has done, to care nothing for the risk of life so long as his magnets worked and he could send intelligent replies over the wires, and then to know when to quit, makes us confess that the modern Casabianca is a great improvement over the old. —*Philadelphia Ledger.*

—Mr. Charles F. Browne—otherwise Artemus Ward—once wrote a bright letter to a little eight-year-old friend of his in Elmira, and the *Gazette* of that town now prints this letter for the first time. He tells his "dear Amelia" how much he misses her: "Why didn't I put you in a bottle and bring you down with me?" he says; "But I am always forgetting something. The other day I went off and forgot my Aunt Sarah, and she's a good deal bigger than you are. Mr. Ramsey is also a very forgetful man. He frequently goes off and forgets his washerwoman. * * I like you very much. I should like you just as well if you were twelve years older. I am very singular about some things. You spoke to me about a boy who is my rival. I should feel very sorry to kill that boy, but he may drive me to it. I am in hopes that he will take himself into a premature tomb—that he may choke himself with a large slice of pudding—but if he does neither, I shall feel forced to load him with chains and *read all my lectures to him.* That will finish him. His boots may remain, but the rest of him will have perished miserably long ere I have got through!"

—A curious and remarkable experiment has been tried in India. Mr. Adams, of Bombay, has invented a solar battery consisting of two hundred small mirrors so arranged that they focused the sun's rays upon a small copper boiler, and generated steam in it in twenty minutes. Mr. Adams contends that he could by the same means generate heat enough to drive the largest spinning mill in Bombay.

—When Spotted Tail, Red Cloud and the other copper-colored Envoys Extraordinary reach the National Capital, it would be prudent to take them under its sheltering care. Few spectacles are more unlovely than that of a Sioux ambassador on an aboriginal drunk.

—While a well-known author in the East has married his step-daughter, and an unknown farmer in Nelson County, Ky., his step-mother, it has been reserved for a clergyman's son in Walton's Lick, Ky., to outstrip them both by the remarkable matrimonial feat of carrying off his step-grandmother.

Why Suffer Dyspeptic Tortures,

When the famous regulator of enfeebled, acid or bilious stomachs, Hostetter's Bitters, will cure you? Could you read the testimony of the myriads of dyspeptics whom it has cured, though you might be of a skeptical turn, you would be convinced. Evidence of its efficacy is constantly multiplying, and this relates not only to cases of dyspepsia, but also liver complaint, constipation, urinary and uterine troubles and malarial disorders. The success which has attended the great stomachic has incited unscrupulous parties to manufacture cheap imitations of it, which they attempt to palm off as the genuine article. But, so familiar is the public with the real elixir, that these nefarious attempts are rarely successful. Neither imitation or competition affect the popularity of the standard article.

The Standard Tooth Wash

of the age is Sozodont. It has distanced competition. Discolored teeth are rendered white by its use. The breath derives fragrance from its aroma. It prevents and arrests dental decay. The gums become rosier and harder under its operation. All its ingredients are vegetable and antiseptic.

Every day to its popularity.

Spalding's Glue is like wit: a'good thing well applied.

THE COLOSSAL BRONZE STATUE OF VICTORY which stands in the Park, at Lowell, before the tomb of the first soldiers that fell in the revolution, is a lasting and beautiful tribute of art. It is one of the first objects sought by strangers visiting our sister city, which indeed many visit purposely to see this elegant object of high art. It was obtained from the King of Bavaria by Dr. J. C. Ayer, to whom his Majesty was especially gracious in acknowledgment of what his remedies are reputed to have done for the suffering sick. It was donated by the Doctor to the City of Lowell as a permanent and speaking emblem of the victories both of Science and Arms.—*Hagerstown (Md.) Press.*

Generals P. T. Beauregard and Jubal Early have beaten their swords into ploughshares and turn the wheel of fortune monthly for the Louisiana state Lottery Company with as much vigor as fifteen years ago they led armies to battle. The full particulars can be had of the plan by addressing M. A. Dauphin, President, Box 692, New Orleans.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

DIED.

BROWN. In this city, Aug. 13, Miss Mary Ellen Brown, daughter of E. M. Brown, Esq.

BATCHELDER. In this city, Aug. 12, Abagail M. Batchelder, widow of the late Samuel Batchelder, aged 82 yrs, 9 mos.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

SAILED, August 11.

Sch Charles Carroll, Burling, Rockland.
Sch A H Hickman, Shaw, Philadelphia.
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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind upon their stalls or stands over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the sill ponds in this city, or placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any sewer, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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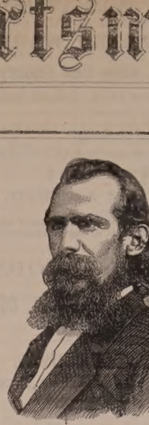

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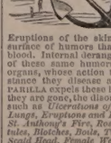

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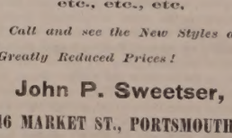

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

—"Twins to let" is a sign on a hall door of an East-side tenement in New York. These babies are hired by the women who grind organs attached to perambulators.

—Felix McCarty of the Kerry militia was generally late on parade. "Ah, Felix," said the sergeant, "you are always last." "Be aisy, Sergeant Sullivan," was the reply, "sure some one must be last."

—The non-occurrence of an event which had been announced to take place is amply explained by a Digby (N. S.) paper thus: "Owing to no more of an audience than the doorkeeper and empty benches, Mr.— did not give his poetic readings in the Temperance Hall on Tuesday evening last."

—A maiden who keeps house for herself in a quiet way called at a country store not many miles from Boston last week and bought a quarter of a gross of bunches of friction matches, informing the store-keeper that the last lot she had bought of him was just gone. He had sold it to her twenty years before.

—A Holyoke clergyman recently received a letter from a man who said he had been invited to address a reform club, and would like said clergyman to write an address about an hour and a half long for him, specially exhorting him to "write it in full hand, and bring it out quite impressive."

—It was very muddy weather when President Hayes visited Rhode Island, and when he went away, he carled away about three-fourths of the State on his boots and had to sit down in Connecticut and let his feet hang over the line while the despoiled inhabitants scraped off their estates.

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Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 15, 1877.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Bucharest, Tuesday, says that the number of Russians between Plevna and Rustchuk and the Balkans is now estimated at 140,000 men. A despatch from Adrianople says that Suleiman Pasha had pushed his reconnoisance to Karalom without meeting with any Russian troops. A despatch from Alexandropol says that General Tergukassoff's army has been reinforced and is advancing to attack Ismail Pasha, who is retreating towards the Armenian frontier, near Targavla. A despatch from Gablova says large numbers of Bulgarian fugitives continue to reach that town, and report that the Turks have devastated the Eski Saghra and Achirpan districts, and that they have massacred from 12,000 to 15,000 men, women and children, and have burned sixty villages; at Eski Saghra they burned a hospital containing 800 wounded Russians.

News and Notes.

Edward Bellamy will have a timely story in *Scrivner* for September, entitled "Hooking Watermelons," in which he speaks of the distinction usually recognized by boys between "hooking" and "stealing," the former only applying to the appropriation of growing crops—the theory in the juvenile mind being, according to Mr. Bellamy, that nature can not be regarded as making contracts with some individuals to the exclusion of others.

Mrs. Sarah Hibbard of Etna, Me., left her home on Thursday last and was missing till Sunday, when she was found in a pasture, dead. Her arm and collarbone were broken. It is supposed that she was killed by an ugly ram.

Schooner R. L. Hersey, from Winsor, N. S., for Baltimore with a load of plaster, sprung a leak on Saturday ten miles off Cape Cod, and sank at midnight, the crew escaping in a boat, taking nothing with them.

Ship N. T. Hill, Capt. Jabez H. Snow, of Bucksport, Me., 1500 tons register, is two hundred days out from Rangoon, with a cargo of rice for Falmouth, Eng., and is supposed to be lost with all hands. She was a new ship, on her first voyage.

Thomas Fitzgerald, of Fall River, Mass., fatally stabbed his wife on Sunday, because she told him, when he came home drunk and ordered her to give him some supper, to get food where he got his rum. The man has for a long time spent nearly all the money he could get for liquor, his wife working hard in a factory to support herself and child, and feed her worse than worthless husband.

Senator Morton is almost helpless from an attack of paralysis which he had at San Francisco a week ago. He was sent to Richmond, Ind., in the car of the Superintendent of the Central Pacific Railroad.

Advices from Rio Grande City, Texas, on the 13th, say: "This morning fifteen men from Mexico entered the town, broke open the jail, shot Judge Cox and the jailor and released two notorious outlaws. The civil authorities called upon the military for assistance, and Col. Price, with 100 regulars and two Gatling guns, started in pursuit, but failed to overtake them. They recrossed the river and entered Mexico, seven miles below Rio Grande. The troops have not yet crossed."

John Overn, of the Bunker Hill District, Boston, a young man about twenty-three years of age, while drunk Monday evening went to the grocery and liquor store of Henry Ryan, and assaulted him. Ryan in defending himself inflicted some injuries on Overn, who soon afterward died. Ryan (who was also under the influence of liquor at the time of the quarrel) is under arrest, though the doctors do not think Overn's death was due wholly or mainly to him.

Thomas T. Prentis, the U. S. consul at the Seychelles islands in the Indian ocean, is on a visit to his home in Waitsfield, Vt., with a rich wife, two children, a colored woman from the Seychelles as a servant, and lots of costly baggage. To give piquancy to his visit, Mrs. Sarah A. Thayer of Waitsfield has sued him for breach of promise of marriage, laying damages at $5000.

"Jenny Lind writes that she is about to settle in England for the purpose of educating her son, now four years old. A girl was born to her on the 31st of March last. Jenny is now about fifty-six years old." This absurd statement has arisen from a letter written by Jenny Lind some twenty years ago, going the round of the papers without a date. Jenny Lind has been living at Roehampton, Surrey, for many years. As most people are aware, not one woman in perhaps twenty millions has a child at the age of fifty-six! In fact, the famous Douglas case mainly turned on the impossibility of Lady Jane Heard having a child at fifty-two.—*Sun.*

New Hampshire News.

Saturday forenoon Mr. Charles Carter, aged 40, employed in Dow's grist-mill at Bow, had occasion to thrust his hand down the aperture through which the grain reaches the stones. While his hand was thus placed and resting on the upper stone the mill was started, and before the man could be extricated, his arm was literally twisted from his body some six inches below the shoulder joint, being held to the shoulder by a few shreds of skin. It is thought he will recover.

A despatch from Epping announces the sudden death on the camp ground at that place, Monday, of Lyman Daniels, formerly overseer of the Duck mills in Lawrence, and a highly respected citizen.

The old Baptist Church, lately purchased by the Methodist Society, at Milford, was dedicated Sunday with appropriate ceremonies. Rev. J. W. Hamilton of Boston preached the dedicatory sermon. A collection was taken and $1100 raised toward paying the remaining debt of $1300.

[Communicated.]

Stirring Scenes at Niagara Falls in Bypast Time.

If but half the memories that exist of the popular resorts of midsummer could be collected together, they would form a volume of rare interest. With the idea of drawing a crowd to Niagara Falls during the travelling season of 1827, as appears by the newspapers of that time, the hotel proprietors of that locality conceived the project for a scene that in this age of ocean steamships would draw visitors from the other side of the Atlantic to witness it. Procuring a weather-beaten brig, named the Michigan, that was said to have been at one time a pirate craft, she was gayly decked with flags and streamers for the purpose of sending her over the falls, with various live animals on board as passengers. Everything being ready, at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of Sept. 9th, 1827, the task of towing her from Yale's Landing, on Lake Erie, to the rapids, was commenced by Capt. Rough, with a yawl and five strong-armed oarsmen. When within half a mile of the great cataract, being as near as they dared to approach, she was cut adrift, the oarsmen having to pull for their lives, so near were they to the rapids, to reach the shore in safety. To the spectators on the high lands of both the American and British shores, in full view of the doomed vessel and the rapids, it was a grand sight as the Michigan approached, head on, the first rapid, and keeping the same course the most skillful pilot would have chosen, the American flag displayed at her bowsprit, and the British jack at her stern. She passed the first rapid unhurt, still head on, making a plunge, shipping a sea and rising from it in gallant style, but in her descent of the second rapid, her masts went over the board at the same moment,—thus giving those who had never witnessed such a scene a specimen of the sudden destruction of the spars of a ship at sea in a case of wreck. Expectation of her fate was now at its height as she swung around and presented her broadside to the dashing, foaming waters, and then, after remaining stationary for a minute or two, was by its force again swung round, stern foremost, and having passed to the third rapid, she bilged, but still kept on upright to the Horseshoe, over which she was carried, stern foremost, to the abyss below, where, as will be conceived, she was dashed to fragments, scarcely two boards remaining attached together, and many of her timbers being broken in pieces; yet such was the desire of those who had witnessed the scene to obtain a relic of the floating fragments so numerous at first below the falls, at sunset nearly all had disappeared.

The animals on board consisted of a Rocky Mountain buffalo, two bears, two foxes, a racoon, four geese, and a cat, all of whom were let loose on deck when the vessel was left to her fate, the buffalo excepted, who was enclosed in a pen upon deck. The two bears, after one had climbed a mast as if to take an outlook of the situation, left the vessel shortly after she commenced a descent of the rapids, and notwithstanding the rapidity of the current, reached the British shore in safety, where they were at once captured. The buffalo and the two foxes were seen to pass over the falls, but nothing was visible of them afterwards. The last that was seen of the cat she had crawled to the end of the bowsprit, where she appeared rather than otherwise to enjoy the scene around her. The only live animals who passed over the falls unhurt, were the two geese, who were sold, for that reason, by the man who rescued them, for a larger sum than any of their species probably ever brought before. At least twenty thousand people witnessed the spectacle, which it was supposed would be ere long repeated by the same parties, on a much grander scale; but though no such event followed, one far excelling it in splendor, if unpremeditated, and witnessed by few, was visible not many years afterwards in the same world-famed locality. During the attempted Canadian rebellion, in which American fillibusters largely shared, about ten years after the period referred to, as the people at the Clifton House, on the British side of Niagara Falls, were about sitting down to tea, a bright light was seen from the windows far up the lake, which continued to grow brighter and brighter, until, by the time the evening meal was over, a burning steamer was visible approaching, the scene increasing every moment in splendor to the time when, after being whirled about like an egg-shell in the rapids, completely enveloped in flames she went over the falls near the Goat Island shore; her hull, as a matter of course, being dashed to fragments, while the engine still rests beneath the boiling flood of waters at the foot of the falls, where it will be looked upon never again, at least in time, by human eye. The steamer, it may be added by way of explanation, had been employed in conveying recruits from Old Fort Schlosser, on Lake Erie, to the rendezvous of the rebels at Navy Island, and that she was seized at a moment when only one man was left on board, by an expedition from the Canada shore, who after towing her out into the lake and setting her on fire, left her to her fate.

A Portsmouth artist, Mr. John S. Blunt, was present on the first of the occasions above narrated, and took five views of the falls, with the scene that drew him there, which he afterwards exhibited, accompanied by the best of the Copley pictures about town, that were loaned to him by the owners for that purpose, on the second floor of the building now occupied as the 99 Cent Store.

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When that important secretive gland requires arousing, it is only requisite to resort to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the national remedy for inactivity of the bilious organ, for constipation, and for besides those malarious disorders to which torpidity of the liver predisposes a person. Far more surely does this celebrated anti-bilious cordial accomplish a curative result than mercury or any other mineral drug used to cure liver disorders. In fact, such medicaments cannot fairly be called remedies, since, although they may have a temporary effect, they eventually fail to influence the system remedially, but instead often do it serious injury. The Bitters, on the contrary, are a specific of the most salutary nature, and are likewise a reliable and agreeable tonic, appetizer and nervine.

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The State of Louisiana, at the close of the war, found itself in a very crippled condition, financially; so the authorities imitated the example of Congress at the close of the Revolutionary war, and that of the States of Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania and New York, as well as many other commonwealths in times gone by, and in 1868 incorporated some of its leading citizens in the Louisiana State Lottery Company, with a capital of one million dollars, since augmented by three hundred and fifty thousand dollars accumulation as a reserve, all of which is paid up in cash. This company quarterly pays the State a large fund for the maintenance of its hospitals and schools and other charitable and educational purposes. The lottery is drawn monthly, without fail, in the City of New Orleans, under the personal supervision of the two ex-Confederate Chieftains, Generals P. T. Beauregard, of Louisiana, and Jubal Early, of Virginia, and the full schemes can be had by writing to M. A. Dauphin, Esq., President, Lock Box, 692, P. O., New Orleans. The next drawing is on Sept. 4, when tickets are only two dollars each.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per Bottle.

DIED.

JENNESS. In Rye, Aug 13, Mrs. Mary L. Jenness, aged 77 years, 8 months.

☞ The funeral services of Miss M. Ellen Brown will be held this (Wednesday) afternoon at 2½ o'clock, from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund M. Brown, No. 67 State street. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Mr. and Mrs. Brown desire to express their thanks to the many friends who have shown such kindly sympathy during these days of sorrow and bereavement.

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Portsmouth, August 11, 1877.

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THIRD EXCURSION ON

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1	do.	10,000	10,000
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5	do.	2,000	10,000
25	do.	1,000	25,000
50	do.	500	25,000
100	do.	200	20,000
200	do.	100	20,000
500	do.	50	25,000
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JOSEPH H. FOSTER.

Portsmouth, N. H., August 1, 1877.

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January 16, 1877.

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WE now propose starting the KEARSARGE MILLS SEPTEMBER 30, 1877, and we do not think we can do so any earlier to our advantage. Should we find it advisable to start sooner due notice will be given.

Per order of the Treasurer.

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Portsmouth, N. H., August 3d, 1876.

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30†	P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.68, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.40 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

The new City Government organized at the Court House, Tuesday forenoon, in presence of a moderate audience of citizens. The oath of office was administered by the City Clerk to Mayor-elect Broughton, the members-elect of the Board of Aldermen and Common Council being then sworn by the Mayor.

Mr. Wm. A. Hodgdon was appointed temporary President of the Common Council, but declined, as did also Mr. George Cox; Mr. Arthur T. Pfeiffer then took the chair. The permanent organization was effected by the choice of Mr. Wm. A. Hodgdon as President, he receiving eight votes to one for Walter S. Gray; Mr. Hodgdon made a brief speech of acceptance on taking the chair. Mr. Robert E. Rich was unanimously chosen Clerk.

In Convention, Hon. Marcellus Bufford was elected City Clerk, receiving all the votes cast, sixteen in number. Prayer was offered by Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, after which the Mayor delivered the following

ADDRESS.

Gentlemen:—The citizens of Portsmouth have entrusted to us the management of their municipal affairs for the coming year. In assuming these duties, we take upon ourselves very great responsibilities. These are to be entered upon not lightly, but seriously, with a view, not to our personal interests but to the public good, remembering that while the necessary expenses of the city are large, yet in these hard times especially, taxes are a burden hard to be borne, and which therefore should be reduced by all proper means to the lowest possible point. The people, who have put us in these offices, ask and expect us to manage the public business prudently, and to put into office men who can be relied upon for diligence, discretion and economy.

I wish, gentlemen, that I could congratulate you on a revival of business. The great depression which has existed for four years, over all this country, and many other countries, shows no signs of lightening. Employment is still difficult to obtain, and wages are low. There is but little trade, and most branches of manufactures find but little encouragement.

In the midst of it all, however, I can heartily congratulate you, that the great tumults and commotions which have disturbed large portions of our land, have not been felt among us, but that quiet and peace have prevailed in this city and throughout New England.

The printed City Accounts for the year 1876 exhibit the financial condition of the city on the thirty-first day of December last. The ordinary bonded debt remains the same—being $161,700; the only payment required the present year being $5000, on the first day of October next, for which an appropriation has been made.

Of this debt $55,500 draws five per cent. interest, and $106,200 draws six per cent.

In addition to this debt is the loan contracted to pay for shares in the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad, being at present, as I shall show in this address, $343,000.

The appropriations for the year 1876 were largely drawn upon before I came into office; additional appropriations were required for the streets, the Fire Department, School-houses and some other accounts, and the expenditures were necessarily carried beyond the appropriations, though no expense was authorized which was not considered imperative. In addition, it was thought prudent to settle a suit, which had been decided adversely to the city by a referee, and the sum of $1167 was paid for this purpose for which no appropriation was made. This was somewhat less than the sum awarded by the referee.

The appropriations for the present year have been fixed at the smallest possible sum consistent with the requirements of the several departments. I hope that we shall be able to confine the expenses within the appropriations. I know no good reason why it cannot be done.

The Fire Department is in a high state of efficiency. All the apparatus is in order. The Steamer Sagamore, which had been in use twelve years, has been thoroughly repaired by her builders, and is warranted in every respect as good as new. Two thousand feet of first quality leather hose and a new hose carriage have been bought. The new hose-tower with its conveniences adds much to the efficiency of this important department. I am not aware that any thing else is called for the present year. The officers and members are energetic, and experienced, and deserve and I believe receive the confidence of the public. I am satisfied that the whole force and machinery of this very important branch of the public service is all one can ask for; I hope no pains will be spared to keep it up to its present effective condition.

The streets are in good order. Some of them have received extensive repairs during the year, and the work has been well done. I am of the opinion that our streets will compare favorably with those of any city of our size. No further considerable outlay will be required the present year.

The cost of supporting the poor the past winter was quite large. In addition to the persons supported at the Alms house, more than a hundred families were assisted at their houses, in some cases to a very considerable amount; these families were looked after by the overseers, their wants inquired into and relieved with as little expense as was consistent with humanity, and the aggregate amounted to a large sum.

In regard to the City Farm, I believe that the city was fortunate in procuring the services of Mr. Shannon, who is a thorough farmer, and I have heard nothing but commendation from any source about him and his estimable wife. The poor under their charge are carefully attended, and every thing about the House and Farm is kept in the best order.

The city Councils in the years 1875 and 1876 caused that part of the city farm which borders on Woodbury street to be laid out into lots, and expended a large sum of money—more than $2000—in fencing the lots and opening and making a part of the streets required. They also by Joint Resolution authorized the streets indicated upon the plan to be opened from time to time as the Mayor and Aldermen may deem expedient. The Mayor and Aldermen were also authorized to sell these lots at prices to be fixed by themselves. A schedule of prices was adopted, and the lots have been extensively advertised for sale, but no purchaser has yet been found. It is very questionable whether any of these lots can be sold at the prices fixed upon them.

During the past year several applications have been before the City Councils for the purchase of other parts of the Farm, and the Councils by a Joint Resolution passed on the 12th day of July last, authorized a Committee to sell all that part thereof lying west of the Creek Road for $175 per acre. The sale has not been effected. I suppose the powers of that committee cease with their term of office, and that further action will be needed if the Councils are disposed to sell.

I commend the whole subject to your consideration.

The Police force consists of the City Marshal and two Assistant Marshals, and six police officers who act as night watchmen. In the day time the Marshal and one assistant are on duty, the other assistant acting as captain of the night watch; so that two men perform all the ordinary duty by day, and seven look after the city by night. One of the assistant marshals has been added during the year, but this has not added to the expense, because he takes the place of the seventh night watchman heretofore employed. I do not think the number is too large, and I doubt whether the citizens would be willing to run the risk of a smaller number, especially by night: and the pay is certainly low for able and efficient men. There are also several supernumerary watchmen who perform duty only as substitutes, and receive pay only when on duty. The force the past year has been prompt and reliable, carefully and quietly pursuing their routine of duty, and deserve commendation.

I think that the officers of the Police, as well as some other city officers, should be selected in part at least by the Chief Executive of the city. At present the Mayor has no voice in the selection of officers, except the Aldermen or the City Councils, who are the appointing power, should be equally divided, when he has a casting vote. It seems to me that the law formerly in force giving the Mayor an equal voice with the Aldermen in the appointment of officers, was a salutary one, and that its revival might be the means of procuring or retaining more experienced men. It cannot generally be for the interest of the city to supersede tried and experienced officers by men who are entirely without experience in the positions to which they are appointed.

I am not able to speak of the city schools, the mayor not heretofore being a member of the school committee, but must refer you to the printed reports for 1876.

Citizens interested have procured the passage at the late session of the Legislature of a law, under which important changes are made in the school committee. The first and least important is in the name—the old and time-honored "school committee" giving place to a "Board of Instruction." This Board is to be appointed by the Mayor and Aldermen; it consists of twelve members; four to be appointed each year hereafter for the term of three years. The Mayor is to be chairman. The appointments for the following year have already been made, and include two ladies. Let us hope for the best results from this new departure.

During the past year extensive improvements have been made in the buildings in the Court House grounds. These changes were made on account of the absolute necessity for enlarged facilities for washing, drying and storing the fire hose. The arrangements for that purpose were found to be very inefficient, entailing constant cost, delay and injury to the hose. The hose room was so small that the soiled and frozen hose had to be left out-of-doors sometimes for many hours, being taken in a few pieces at a time to be washed. During all this time, no matter how severe the weather, the doors had to be kept open until the hose was all washed; and the hose tower was so small that only a limited quantity could be dried at one time. Of course high prices were paid for labor under such circumstances, and particularly as the washing of the hose must begin immediately after its use, whether by night or day.

By the plans adopted, the old hose room and the room used for a stable form one spacious room, fitted for a hose room, and a tower fifteen feet square and sixty-five feet high has been built. In this tower, which is well ventilated and easily warmed, more than a mile of hose can be hung and dried at one time. Even this great quantity is no more than was laid in the yard frozen stiff after the Temple fire. Had the present arrangements been perfected at that time the frozen hose could all have been taken under cover at once and thawed that night without cost, except for fuel, and washed comfortably the next day, at a saving of more than one-half the cost. This saving is now and may hereafter be made in the washing of every lot of hose used. And further, the new tower furnishes a convenient and effective place for preserving the hose not required on the reels. And any one who will take the trouble to examine the building, with its conveniences, and the hose in it, cannot fail to see that the cost of the tower and improvements, which was $2374.22, was money well and economically laid out.

The new stable, necessitated by the alterations above named, cost $2370.29. It has sufficient accommodations for all the horses the city will be likely to need, a carriage house, harness closets, work shop and an office for the street commissioner. It is a very substantial and convenient building, and will answer the purpose for many years. The appropriation for the hose tower and stable was raised by taxation the present year.

In my address to the City Council one year ago, I said that I was informed that a proposition would be brought before them, to provide for further aid to the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad. The company had procured the passage of a law authorizing the issue of $100,000 new stock or bonds "for the purpose of completing the road and paying existing debts," and also authorizing the cities of Portsmouth and Dover to "take their proportionate shares of said stocks or bonds." The share of this city was $44,000, and an earnest call was made on the City Councils for the passage of an ordinance providing for a subscription for shares to that amount. The subject was before the Councils for several months, and was fully discussed. Agents were appointed to examine the accounts of the Railroad, and several meetings of citizens were held. The Agents made a thorough investigation, and presented elaborate reports. The citizens, at their meeting, after a discussion lasting through two evenings, and with the Agents' reports before them, voted to recommend the taking of the stock. The result was, that after several months of discussion and agitation, the City Councils reluctantly passed the ordinance, and the stock was subscribed for and taken in February last. $43,000 of City Bonds were issued, from the sale of which a sufficient sum was realized to pay for the shares. The city of Dover subscribed for their proportionate share at the same time.

It is a matter of congratulation, that the amended Constitution of the State, when it goes into effect, will prohibit towns and cities from aiding in the construction of railroads, or pledging their credit or paying money to aid any dividend-paying corporation.

The entire amount of stock in the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad held by the City is 3440 shares, the par value of which is $344,000, for which the City has issued bonds to the amount of $343,000 at six per cent. interest. The interest on these bonds has so far been paid from dividends received on the stock.

Gentlemen, I have called your attention to a few of the more important matters which may come before you, or which will interest the citizens. I trust our intercourse may be pleasant and harmonious, and that all our measures may be undertaken and completed with the best interests of the City in view.

SOON CAUGHT.

Some time Monday evening, during the amateur performance of the operetta of "Girofle-Girofla" at the Boar's Head Hotel, Hampton, the apartment of Mrs. E. J. Tinkham of Chicago, on the second floor, was entered by means of false keys, the drawer of the dressing case unlocked, and an elegant watch, costly bracelet, rich brooch and an ear ring to match, all very valuable, were stolen therefrom. The thief evidently got frightened during the operations, as an ear ring was dropped and other valuables near by were left untouched. In another room some money and several rare coins were taken from a pocket-book in a bureau drawer, and another lady lost a portmonnaie while witnessing the performance. Dispatches were immediately sent to Sheriff Kent of this city and also to the chief of the detective force of Boston requesting them to work up the case, it being believed that an organized gang of thieves are engaged in making these depredations, other similar operations having been attempted within a few days at seaside houses in this vicinity. But the thief in this case is not a "professional," for he walked straight into the lion's mouth in the most blundering manner.

Tuesday noon Ex-Marshal Frank B. Johnson noticed a man trying to sell some jewelry to a countryman on Market square, and at once surmised that he was the Boar's Head thief. Mr. Johnson lost track of his man for a short time, but taking Mr. Samuel Taylor into his confidence and giving him the suspected person's description, sent him on the trail, with instructions to bring the jewelry peddler to Mr. Johnson's store to sell his goods. Mr. Taylor notified the jewellers of the city, requesting them to send the fellow to Mr. Johnson's store if he called upon any of them; and shortly after, Mr. Wilbur I. Trafton was visited by the thief, who, not suspecting he was being taken before one of the best criminal officers the city ever had, readily accompanied his guide to Mr. Johnson's store. After "pumping" him for some time and getting him to display the stolen jewelry, Mr. Johnson quietly sent for an officer to arrest him. The thief, at length evidently suspecting something was wrong, attempted to leave the store, but was prevented by Mr. Johnson, although he made a good fight and threatened to use a knife. He was taken to the station house and searched, and most of the missing jewelry found on him and identified. The thief, who gives the name of Frank Wells, and says he formerly worked as a painter in Smith's carriage manufactory in Boston, was taken in charge by Sheriff Kent, and with his plunder taken to Hampton, for trial before the Police Court of that town. He is probably a green hand at the thieving trade, or he would never have attempted to dispose of the stolen property so near the place where the crime was committed,—and to Frank Johnson, too!

THE U. S. S. ENTERPRISE.

The "contract sloop-of-war" Enterprise sailed from the lower harbor for Hampton Roads at five o'clock Saturday afternoon. She has been talked about a good deal—we think she has been mentioned in this paper several times—but she is a beautiful vessel, if she *does* leak like a sieve; and the day she dropped down from the navy yard to the lower harbor she went down very handsomely against a strong flood, steaming along at a good rate of speed and working like a yacht. We are informed that she leaked fourteen inches of water in twenty-four hours while lying in the harbor, after coming out of the dry dock the last time; what she will do in rough water we cannot tell, but she will probably not leak much more than when in port. The contractor who furnished the labor for building this vessel has been roughly handled for the way he put her together, but her leaking is not entirely his fault, if our information is correct. His contract of course specified the size of fastenings to be used; but after he had got the holes (some four or five thousand in number) all bored, it was found that the department had no copper of the required size on hand, and the holes had to be all re-bored. Of course he got extra pay for this, but it wasn't good for the vessel; for it is impossible to bore out a hole and keep it as "true" as when it was first bored in the solid wood, and when the bolts were finally driven many of them went in much too easily, a single blow being sufficient to send them in six or eight inches. Each one of these easy-going bolts is the site of a leak, and the aggregate of the whole is seen in the water daily discharged from the ship's pumps. We have heard it hinted that the whole business was a put-up-job to throw discredit on the plan of building men-of-war by contract; if so it was well managed, for the end aimed at was certainly attained.

BIG BLAST AT DOVER POINT.

The sub-marine party who have for the last two seasons been successfully engaged in removing the obstructions of ledges and boulders in the Cocheco river, so that large seagoing vessels can now navigate the river, have finished their work in the Cocheco and with their schooner hauled down to Dover Point, to remove an enormous rock there which has always been dreaded by the up-river mariner. This rock is situated in the channel in nearly twenty-six feet of water at high tide, and stands up fourteen feet higher than the surrounding bottom; at low tide there is but four feet of water over this dangerous rock, which weighs over two hundred tons. The divers have placed a steam drill on the top of the rock, and holes are being sunk in it and filled with explosives. The blast will be fired Thursday afternoon at high water, and will be a rare spectacle, well worth witnessing.

The popular landlord of the Dover Point Hotel, Mr. Dan. Wiggin, will be prepared to accommodate spectators in his usual satisfactory manner that day—or any other day they may see fit to visit the beautiful location of his hotel.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, August 14th.

George Tighe, drunk, fined $3, costs taxed at $6.53.

Thomas Philbrook, common drunkard, was sent to Brentwood for sixty days, and assessed $8.04, costs.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Mr. Henry S. Hartshorn on Monday evening signalized the close of his term of service as one of the Board of Overseers of the Poor, by entertaining the old and new Boards and other invited guests, at a bird supper. The feast, which was worthy of Taft's famous house at Point Shirley, was prepared by Mr. John S. Sides at his Central Oyster House.

The Hutchinson Family, "Tribe of Asa," will sing at Franklin Hall on Thursday evening, the 23d. It is possible they may also sing there on Saturday evening, the 25th, as previously announced. The hall is engaged for Friday evening, the 24th, by Heyward's Combination. The Hutchinson's will give a concert at the Appledore House on the evening of the 24th.

Rev. L. L. Harmon, for the past ten years or so pastor of the Pearl street church in this city, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the Freewill Baptist church at North Hampton.

The following has been handed to us for publication as a sure cure for cold in the head; Trisnitrate of bismuth six drachms; pulverized gum arabic two drachms; hydrochlorate of morphin two grains. To be taken as snuff.

—A colony of sparrows the other day discovered a squirrel in Albany that was daily accustomed to feed from the garbage buckets on either side of a certain street. The squirrel was attacked by ten or fifteen sparrows and driven up a tree, where, after jumping from limb to limb, he was compelled to leave and take another position. Here he was again attacked by re-enforcements and completely routed. He has not made an appearance since.

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Massachusetts State 5s, Gold	11[illegible]
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	10[illegible]
Eastern R. R. scrip	5[illegible]
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	7[illegible]
Boston & Lowell R. R.	1[illegible]
Boston & Maine	9[illegible]
Boston & Providence	15[illegible]
Boston & Albany	11[illegible]
Nashua & Lowell	9[illegible]
Concord	7[illegible]
Eastern	3[illegible]
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	51
Fitchburg	10[illegible]
Manchester & Lawrence	12[illegible]
Michigan Central	4[illegible]
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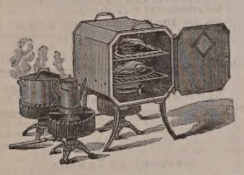

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier shall fail to comply with such notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

—First Black Hussar—"Dost see yon foeman advancing, comrade?" Second Black Hussar—"I dost." And they both dusted. *-N. O. Times.*

—"We are informed," says an Annisquam letter, "that when the proprietor of the solitary grocery store here feels moved to attend a base ball match or join the rest of the town in going for the mackerel when they come *in shore*, he hangs the key on a nail in the door-post so that people wishing to buy anything can go in and help themselves, paying at some future time."

—Insuring baggage is the latest novelty, and the travelling public will be likely to regard it with decided favor. The company insures baggage from the time it leaves the house or hotel until it arrives at its destination, and the policy covers against fires in any hotel, on any railroad, in any railroad depot and on any steamship or steamboat, and covers against accident on any steamboat or steamship and on any stage coach.

—Girls are comparatively few in Deadwood, but those that are there make up in vivacity what they lack in variety. The *Champion* describes two of them as galloping a race through the streets, and finally urging their horses into a saloon. Whereupon, adds the reporter, "the proprietor shipped this sort of fun up as a little too fresh, and the girls were routed out."

—During the hoodlum attack upon the Chinese quarter in San Francisco fifty horses were taken from horse-car stables for the use of the citizens' cavalry. Much difficulty was experienced in preventing the animals from charging up Sutter street whenever that thoroughfare was crossed. Finally Captain Crittenden conceived the idea of strapping a car bell to the pommel of his saddle, by the aid of which his entire command was started, halted and otherwise manœuvred with the greatest precision.

—The doctors of Detroit don't take a joke as kindly as they might. The other evening a citizen of Woodward avenue went a block out of the way to put his head into a doctor's office and call out—"Man at the corner of Woodward avenue and Elizabeth street got a bad fit!" The doctor put on his hat and hastened to the corner indicated, hoping that he might not be too late to save human life. There was no crowd and no excitement, and as the M. D. leaned against the lamp post to catch his breath he saw a man sitting on the curb-stone bathing his foot with cold water. The boot which he had drawn off stood beside him, and the man was saying: "Blast that shoemaker; blast that boot—ah—yes, blast them!" It was a bad fit. After two or three minutes the doctor saw that it was. What his thoughts were no one will ever know, but as a boy came near running a velocipede against him, he growled out: "About ten thousand men in this town ought to be taken out and shot!"

—When "Ten Thousand a Year" first appeared, it was published anonymously, and Mr. Warren, the author, used to go about among his brethren at the bar, asking them if they had seen it and what they thought of it. The book soon became very famous. One day Warren attacked a well-known judge with the usual question, "Have you seen Ten Thousand a Year?" Suspecting the secret of the authorship, the judge said, "Oh, yes, of course I have." Something peculiar in the judge's manner prompted Warren to ask further questions. "I'll tell you a secret," said the judge, "if you give me your word of honor not to betray my confidence." Warren gave his word with great solemnity. "I am the author of Ten Thousand a Year," said the judge. The next day there appeared a paragraph in the papers announcing that Mr. Warren, an eminent member of the bar, was the author of the new novel which had attracted so much attention, and in the next edition of the work, the name of the author appeared for the first time on the title page.

—"Well, Jim," said one schoolboy to another as they met at the noon recess, "how do you like the new house?" "Like nothing," contemptuously replied the other; "there's seven boys in the block all bigger 'n me, and not one I can boss; the telegraph pole before the door is all full of splinters, and it's worth a fellow's life, let alone the legs of his trousers, to try and climb up it; the grocer's store round the corner has got a big dog, and wire nettings over the apples and things, and altogether it's a regular old cave of gloom, like what Beecher talks about. I tell you it ain't a circumstance to the house we left. if it has got the modern improvements, and the rent is cheaper, and there's more room. That house, Jimmy, was like what I think heaven will be like. Springtime you could sail for blocks and blocks in the gutters on sections of the sidewalk, and every winter there was skating-rinks upon skating-rinks on all the vacant lots round. Not a boy on the street more 'n seven years old, and every one of them would pay me a marble, or the first bite of his apple, or some other evidences of wealth, every day in the week, for me not to knock off his hat, or shoot him with a pea-shooter where his clothes were tight. And as for groceries, the Dutchman round the corner was too blind to see you book anything, and if he did, he was too fat to run far. I tell you it was a little heaven on earth. People might have some regard for their children when they move."

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 16, 1877.

Democratic State Convention of Maine.

The Maine democracy held their State Convention in Portland on the 14th inst. William L. Putnam of Portland was made temporary chairman, and John B. Redman of Ellsworth and Edward C. Moody of York temporary secretaries. The temporary organization was made permanent. Efforts were made to induce Hon. John C. Talbot, the candidate of last year, and to whom by party usage and courtesy the nomination this year belonged, to withdraw; but he positively refused to take himself out of the way, and had to be thrown overboard the same as Jonah was, by force.

The platform adopted by the Convention is the best specimen of political carpentry seen for a long while; it consists of but three planks, the first re-affirming the St. Louis platform, the second asserting that Tilden was elected, and the third announcing that the democracy offers no factious opposition to the national administration. Every one of these planks might have been used in building the ark, so far as their connection with the questions now before the country are concerned; and the platform as a whole could only have been strengthened by the insertion of planks asserting that the waters of the ocean are salt and that the sun formerly rose in the east. An attempt was made to put an anti-prohibitory-law plank in, but the proposition was voted down by a large majority. Not a word is said about specie resumption, inflation, the labor troubles, the longed-for subsidy to the Texas Pacific Railroad, or any other topic of interest to the modern world.

Three ballots were taken for a candidate for governor; on the third ballot Joseph H. Williams, of Augusta, was nominated, receiving 282 out of 480 votes.

Mr. Williams, is a retired lawyer, and is aged about sixty-three years. In 1846 he was President of the Maine Senate, and under the constitution of the State became Governor when Hannibal Hamlin was elected United States Senator. Mr. Williams remained a republican all throgh the war and up to 1872, when he went over to Greeley. He voted for Tilden, however, which makes him a good democrat now.

Death of Professor Sanborn.

Professor Hiram Sanborn, of Jersey City, New Jersey, died at the residence of his father, Mr. Solomon Sanborn, in Tamworth, N. H., Aug. 8th, and was buried August 10th. Prof. Sanborn was by profession a lawyer, but devoted the most of his active life to teaching, and to the real estate business in New York, in which he was very successful. He was an active politician, and in 1872 took an active part in the Greeley campaign, speaking frequently in this and other States, for Mr. Greeley, of whose friendship he was prouder than of his own successful life. Since the death of Mr. Greeley he has taken but little interest in political affairs. He was an earnest anti-slavery man, a devoted Free Soiler, and gave his support to the old Hale and Julian ticket, the ticket headed by Martin Van Buren and Charles Francis Adams, to the Fremont campaign, and to the first and second nominations of Mr. Lincoln. He was extremely active and earnest during the war, and made many speeches in behalf of Gen. Grant in 1868; and only followed the call of his old leaders, Greeley, Chase, Adams, Curtis, Julian, David Davis, Trumbull and others, in leaving the republican party in 1872.

Prof. Sanbora was formerly in business in Springvale, Maine, and in Rochester, N. H., as well as in New York. He was a frequent writer for the press, and a constant speaker and lecturer. He took great interest in religious matters, and was a frequent speaker at religious meetings; he was, and at the time of his death had been for many years, a member of the Congregational church, "the church of his fathers;" and in all the relations of life proved himself a good, pure, honest man. Mr. Sanborn was an active temperance man, and much interested in the Reform Movement, in aid of which he often lectured.

News and Notes.

A raft of spars, consisting of 180 heavy sticks of timber, arrived in Boston harbor on the 14th inst., in tow of tug Knickerbocker; the raft, towline and steamer made a string a quarter of a mile long. This raft came all the way from Hamilton, Ontario, by water, via Lake Ontario, the Oswego and Troy Canals, Hudson river and Long Island Sound. The saving in the cost of shipment, (all spars from Canada for Boston have heretofore been shipped by rail from Troy, N. Y.,) is some $2000, and the venture having proved a complete success the saving hereafter on the shipment of heavy timber to Boston from the Canadian lumber region will be an important item to the firms engaged in the business. The only fear in the case was that the heav swell off Point Judith would break the raft apart, in which case the loss would havey been very great. The raft was a week on the passage from Hoboken, N. J., to Boston.

Philander M. Haines, foreman of the belt department in the Laconia Mills at Biddeford, Me., was caught by a shaft and killed on Tuesday.

As yet the Providence Tool Company is at a standstill in regard to its rifle contract with Turkey. All the processes of gunmaking having been stopped, the nearly two thousand employes are roaming around the streets, having been compelled to take a vacation, very much against their will. Never before since the Tool Company commenced to make rifles for the Ottoman Government, in 1874, has it been obliged to entirely suspend work. The works will not be opened until it has been ascertained whether Turkey will furnish the funds to pay for the last lot of rifles already made, as the company does not propose to continue making the rifles if there is to be any risk attending the payments for them. At the present time the way out of the difficulty has not been found.

Improvident fishermen all over the world have done what they could to ruin their business. The use of trawls and other wholesale modes of destruction has worked great mischief to the fishermen on the New England coast, but in Great Britain the worst of all possible practices has been introduced. This is the use of dynamite, which kills every fish within reach of the force of the explosion. A report recently presented to the British House of Lords states that this method has become so common on the coasts of Cornwall and Devonshire that it is feared the pilchards, mackerel and herring will be driven from the coast forever. A bill is suggested making the killing of fish by dynamite a criminal offence, punishable with imprisonment and hard labor, but one obstacle is the fact that these fishermen pursue their deadly work beyond the three mile boundary and are thus outside the water over which the government has jurisdiction.

A floating steam pile driver blew up in Cambridgeport, Mass., on the 14th, and Mark Clougherty was thrown from a ladder and had his neck broken. Several other persons were injured, but none seriously. The pile driver was totally wrecked.

A passenger train bound from Troy for Bennington was run into at Hoosac Junction by a freight train, August 14th, and several persons were badly injured.

Over 500,000 persons have perished by famine in India within the past four months.

At Smith's Ferry, Pa., an oil well was set on fire on the 14th, and four men were burned to death.

New Hampshire Items.

Hon. Lewis W. Clark has been confirmed as Associate Justice of the Supreme Court.

A little daughter of D. A. Warner of Nashua was severely scalded by falling into a tub of boiling hot water, on the 14th inst.

An attempt was made to wreck the White Mountain passenger train due in Nashua over the Concord Railroad at four o'clock on the afternoon of the 14th inst., at Pennichuck bridge, a heavy sleeper having been laid on the track close by the place where the rails were loosened some weeks ago. The pilot of the engine threw off the obstruction.

Dr. Nathaniel Batchelder of Epping fell and broke his leg at Raymond on Saturday.

Daniel Tilton's house is in Tamworth, but his farm is located in that town, Albany, Waterville and Sandwich, which all come nearly together at that place.

The Nashua *Telegraph* tells of a young man in that place who, after trying in vain to get a girl to smile upon him, as a last resort gave her a $10 gold ring on condition that she would "go with him one week," he being confident that she would learn to love him. The woman accepted and kept her pledge. At the end of the week she "did not like him." He then gave her a silk dress of the value of $35, she to try him a month. During the month he gave her another ring. She tried very hard to love him, but did not succeed, and told him so. Then the giver was angry. He hunted to a lawyer's office, explained his grief, and caused the young woman to be notified to call immediately. The lawyer explained her crime, made some remarks about the jail, and demanded the gold ring and silk dress. The young woman was frightened. She said she would see her sister. The sister inquired about the matter of an officer. The statutes were then searched, and the young woman was told to hold on to the property, which she will do.

Jonathan Stone of Keene, while at work in Hinsdale setting a curbing stone about ex-Gov. Hale's grave, was seriously crushed in the hips by a falling stone.

The residence of Alfred P. Kendall, situated on the Lowell road near Nashua, was entered by burglars Monday night, the 13th inst. A watch, diary and some clothing were stolen.

The Eastern War.

During the Russian retreat from Kalover the heavy fire of the Turks exploded the powder magazine. The Russians lost five hundred killed and one thousand wounded, principally by the explosion.

The German Government has seriously remonstrated against the Turkish atrocities, and has intimated to the Porte the absolute necessity for stricter discipline.

The Russians defeated the Turks and took five cannon at Topkeny on the 14th inst. Next day the Russians retreated.

Political.

The "old freesoilers of '48" held a reunion at Downer's Landing on Thursday. That free soil movement was the outgrowth of minds and hearts honestly devoted to the cause of freedom. But, branching off upon the idea that General Taylor was too much of a pro-slavery man as compared with Daniel Webster, it undertook to give moral effect to its convictions by holding up and voting for Martin Van Buren, as the embodiment of the idea that it is never right to sacrifice expediency to principle! From the beginning of the movement, it had many good men in its leadership; but their ways, and their studyings of the art and duty of success, did not differ from those of politicians in general. Among the leading were Charles Francis Adams and Francis W. Bird, who have at last found refuge and consolation in the arms of that unadulterated democracy which is represented by Samuel J. Tilden, another stickler for integrity in public life, as shown in cipher despatches from Oregon, and in other ways not less conspicuous.—*Salem Mercury.*

The music has begun again in the Ohio democratic camp. A meeting of the party leaders was held at Put-in-Bay on Friday, and the plan of campaign discussed. There was a good deal of energetic talk about the surface principles of the canvass, but the real question of interest is let out in this astounding dispatch to the party's principal organ, the Cincinnati *Enquirer*: "It is understood that there is a hitch or misunderstanding between Hon. R. M. Bishop and the most prominent members of the State Central Committee, on the subject of Mr. Bishop's assessment for campaign purposes. Mr. Bishop's idea is that any money contributed should be applied solely to and for the purpose of carrying Hamilton County, which he considers the central point in the contest. The Committee-men indicated claim that Mr. Bishop's nomination was made upon the *assurance* that he would contribute an ample sum for campaign purposes, and look after Hamilton county besides. If Mr. Bishop fails to meet the views of the Committee to-morrow, there is a possibility of serious trouble ensuing." This is a tolerably cool confession that Mr. Bishop was nominated solely because of the size of his pocket book, a motive which had of course been already suspected; but this open confession of it by the party's chief organ is hardly an act of friendship.

Ex-Gov. Jenkins, who is presiding over the Georgia Constitutional Convention, talks pretty freely about that august but not especially impressive assemblage. He said to a reporter of the Augusta *Chronicle* the other day: "It bids fair to be the most absurd and ridiculous Constitution that ever was drawn up. The Convention is entirely too large a body. Every man seems to think that he must offer something, and that his measure is the most important of all. They are really making a code of laws instead of a Constitution." Mr. Jenkins made himself unpopular early in the session by stating to the committee on the bond question that in 1872 he had advised a man to buy some bonds because the State would not repudiate its own word. The repudiators have abused him for speaking of such a thing now, especially for putting the incident in such an offensive way, and they will not be likely to treat him any more gently now, after this discriminating opinion of a Convention which has eclipsed all its other foilllies by the unpardonable one of repudiation.

—A tall, elderly, refined-looking gentleman recently went into a small Post-office in a rural region of England. He asked some question relative to the registering of a letter, and was very sharply, rudely, and unnecessarily snubbed by a young woman in attendance. He asked her if she thought that was a proper way to answer an inquiry in a public office. She said she thought that she had been quite civil enough for him. He asked her, with an ominously increasing mildness of manner, if she would favor him with her name. She emphatically declined to do so. He then said he thought he would tell her his name, which, however, she declined to hear, saying that his name was no concern of hers. He calmly replied that he thought it was, for his name was John Manners, and he was the Postmaster-General.

—A grandfather was amicably chaffing with his granddaughter, who was seated on his knee. "What makes your hair so white, grandpapa?" [the little girl asked "I am very old, my dear; I was in the ark," said he, with a reckless disregard for truth which does not prepossess one in his favor. "Oh!" said her little ladyship, regarding her distinguished relative with fresh interest, "are you Noah?" "No, not Noah." "Are you Shem, then?" "No, I am not Shem?" "Are you Ham?" "No, I am not even Ham." "Then you must be Japhet," insisted the little maiden, at the end of her historical tether, and growing somewhat impatient with the difficulty which surrounded her aged relative's identification. "No, I am not Japhet," said he, wagging his head, intensely enjoying the joke. "Then, grandpapa," said the little maiden, firmly and decisively, "you are a beast!"

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[Communicated.]

THAT "MARINE MYSTERY."

Mr. Editor: I desire to call public attention to the powers and duties of coroners in connection with Dr. Whittier's letter in the *Army and Navy Journal* of August 11th. The Coroner says: "The law of New Hampshire places the power to order an inquest in the hands of the Mayor and Aldermen; and the Coroner can have recourse only to an appeal to the County Solicitor. The Mayor having peremptorily refused an inquest, I proposed to make such an appeal," etc.

The Coroner misapprehends the law. The Coroner may always and at any time hold an inquest whenever he thinks proper. He may if he thinks proper hold an inquest when not authorized by the Mayor and Aldermen; or he may refuse to hold an inquest even if requested so to do by them. The Mayor had no power peremptorily to refuse an inquest, if that means to grant the right to hold one; the only power he or the Aldermen have is to refuse to authorize and request an inquest at the public expense. The following are the laws:

"The coroner shall take an inquest upon the view of the dead body of any person whose death is supposed to have been occasioned by violence or casualty within the county for which he is commissioned, and in which such dead body shall be found, whenever in his judgment the circumstances are not clear of the cause thereof." [Laws of 1873, Ch. 48, Sec. 1.]

"No coroner's inquest shall be holden at the expense of any town, city or county, nor shall any fees or costs of such inquest be paid by any town, city or county, unless the coroner shall have been specially requested in writing to hold the inquest by the selectmen of the town or mayor and aldermen of the city to be charged with such expense, or by the solicitor for the county or the attorney-general of the State." [Laws 1876, Ch. 19.]

A GOOD LAW.

The Legislature at its last session passed the following law, being spurred up to it by the energetic persistency of the New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. We have already published the first section of the act in our local columns, and the whole of it in a GAZETTE supplement; but by special request we again give the law entire:

An act for the better protection of children.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

SECTION 1. No minor under the age of fourteen years shall be admitted at any time to, or permitted to remain in, any saloon or place of entertainment where any spirituous liquors or wines, or intoxicating or malt liquors are sold, exchanged or given away, or at places of amusement known as dance houses and concert saloons, unless accompanied by parent or guardian. Any proprietor, keeper or manager of any such place who shall admit such minor to, or permit him or her to remain in, any such place, unless accompanied by parent or guardian, shall be fined ten dollars.

SEC. 2. Any person who shall employ or exhibit, or who shall sell, apprentice or give away for the purpose of employing or exhibiting, any child under the age of fourteen years in or for the vocation, occupation, service or purpose of dancing, playing on musical instruments, singing, walking on a wire or rope, or riding or performing as a gymnast, contortionist or acrobat in any circus or theatrical exhibition, or in any public place whatsoever, or who shall cause, procure or encourage any such child to engage therein, shall be punished by a fine not exceeding one hundred dollars; provided, however, that nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent the education of children in vocal and instrumental music, or their employment as musicians in any church, chapel or school, or school exhibition, or prevent their taking part in any concert or musical exhibition.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect on its passage.

Approved July 19, 1877.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, August 15th.

Charles S. Walker, drunk, fine $3, costs $8.04. Goes to the country.

Edward Lolley and William Randall were up for mutual assault. The former was ordered to pay $9.90 for his share of the fun, but Randall got clear.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Bunker Hill Encampment, I. O. O. F., will visit this city Sept. 13th, 14th and 15th, and Strawberry Bank and Mt. Sinai Encampments of this city have laid out the following programme: On Thursday, the 13th, receive visiting Encampment at noon; drive to Newcastle at four o'clock, with committee; evening, out-door concert by band. Friday—visit navy yard in the forenoon; street parade of the three Encampments in the afternoon; promenade concert and dance at Franklin Hall in the evening.

The New England Association of Gas Engineers, Mr. Samuel G. Stiners president, met at the Rockingham House on Wednesday. About sixty members were present. A business session took up part of the day; the rest of it was to have been spent in driving in the outskirts of the city, but the rain prevented. To-day the members go to the Shoals, have a banquet at the Rockingham on their return, and leave for their homes on the early evening trains.

Frank Wells, the jewelry thief of the Boar's Head Hotel, was arraigned in the parlor of the hotel on Tuesday evening, the 14th, less than twenty-four hours after the theft was committed, before the Police Justice of Hampton, and pleaded guilty. He was bound over in the sum of $800 for his appearance at the October term of the Supreme Court; failing to procure bonds, he was brought back to this city by Sheriff Kent, and lodged in jail.

The U. S. S. Speedwell is to be fitted with a new boiler at this navy yard, and work on it has been commenced.

Several members of the Heavy Artillery, who were unable to start for Bennington, Vt., with their company on Tuesday morning, left for that point on Wednesday.

Sagamore Steam Fire Engine, No. Two, arrived back from Portland, Me., where she was built and where she had been for some weeks undergoing extensive repairs, on the evening of Tuesday, the 14th inst. She has been fitted with a new boiler and a much larger water tank than she formerly carried; the pump has been bored out; the driver's seat has been placed forward of the air chamber, giving the driver far better control over his horses than before; and the engine now is not merely "as good as new," but is probably a better machine than when first procured by the city. A trial of the engine was had on Market square, Wednesday afternoon, the results being in every way satisfactory.

Hon. N. G. Marshall of York is said to be collecting and arranging the material for a full and complete history of that town from its earliest settlement to the present time. There is probably no one now living who is in possession of so large an amount of material and has so great knowledge of the traditions and incidents relating to its early history as he. Mr. Marshall's well-known research and extensive knowledge relating to the early as well as subsequent history of that ancient town will, with the aid of his well-known pen, produce a work of inestimable value to this and succeeding generations.

REWARDED AT LAST.

In the list of officers of the late Democratic State Convention of Maine, we find the name of Mr. E. C. Moody of York, who was one of the two secretaries. We congratulate our old friend "Ed" on his rapid promotion in the democratic ranks. He's a good fellow, and willing to work hard at wire pulling, solely for the good of the party—and some small office. Some people suspected the purity of the motives which made Ed flop over to the democratic side of the fence the moment he lost (through the abolition of the office, which was that of chief accountant at the navy yard—salary $1500 per year, duties *nil*) the fat sinecure which closed his many years of office holding under republican administrations; but such persons do him injustice. He knows exactly what he went over to the democrats for, and so do a good many other people—including not a few of his democratic neighbors at York, who defeated him for representative in the Legislature at the last election there by vigorously "scratching" him. We are glad Ed has managed at last to get one office—though we don't know what pay the democrats of Maine give a secretary of their State convention.

Against Orders.

Too many cooks might have spoiled the Bennington broth if one of them hadn't taken possession of the kitchen at the critical moment, in a very obstinate way. That (saving the homely proverb) was our stout hero of the 16th, John Stark. When the Burgoyne scare ran over New England, Stark held no military position, having thrown up his commission in disgust because Congress had promoted some junior officers over his head. But his patriotism was proof against disloyalty to the public welfare, and when the New Hampshire troops were ready to march to the Hudson to check the British advance, the veteran promptly accepted their command from the government of that State. Proceeding westward to Manchester, Vt., with his men, he found Gen. Lincoln there, with orders from Gen. Schuyler, at the head of the Northern department, to take the New Hampshire troops and their commander, under his authority for the rest of the campaign. To this order Stark squarely refused to submit, claiming his commission from the government of New Hampshire as justifying his act. This breach of discipline was communicated to Congress, which forthwith sent notice to New Hampshire that it was gravely damaging the public safety by appointing Stark to this independent command; that it this kind of outside thing was allowed to go on, the national circumlocution office might as well shut up, and requiring the governor who had given Stark his papers, to fall in behind Lincoln and Schuyler, according to rule. But before all this regulation-tape could be tied up, Bennington came and the red-coats went. Stark fought that battle in a state of insubordination, as some other brilliant things have been done. Perhaps this very condition of official "contempt," in which he had put himself, edged his natural courage and force with its irresistible dash, that afternoon. It was a short cut to victory, in more senses than one. In the joy which it sent through the colonies, the irregularity of the successful leader was readily passed over. And Stark, from being a private citizen extemporized for the nonce into a provincial general, was promoted at once by Congress into a brigadier of the army of the United States, Maryland alone casting a negative vote.—*Springfield Union.*

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The State of Louisiana, at the close of the war, found itself in a very crippled condition, financially; so the authorities imitated the example of Congress at the close of the Revolutionary war, and that of the States of Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania and New York, as well as many other commonwealths in times gone by, and in 1868 incorporated some of its leading citizens in the Louisiana State Lottery Company, with a capital of one million dollars, since augmented by three hundred and fifty thousand dollars accumulation as a reserve, all of which is paid up in cash. This company quarterly pays the State a large fund for the maintenance of its hospitals and schools and other charitable and educational purposes. The lottery is drawn monthly, without fail, in the City of New Orleans, under the personal supervision of the two ex-Confederate Chieftains, Generals P. T. Beauregard, of Louisiana, and Jubal Early, of Virginia, and the full schemes can be had by writing to M. A. Dauphin, Esq., President, Lock Box, 692, P. O., New Orleans. The next drawing is on Sept. 4, when tickets are only two dollars each.

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Portsmouth, August 11, 1877.

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50	do.	500	25,000
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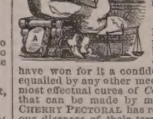

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Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	102
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Nashua & Lowell	130
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Eastern	3½
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Fitchburg	104½
Manchester & Lawrence	120
Michigan Central	43½
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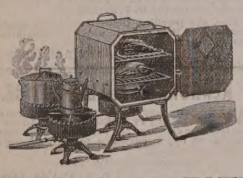

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, offal or refuse of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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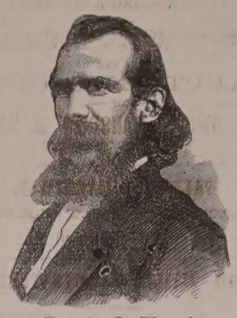

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Dipper.

A writer in the "Contributors' Club" of the August *Atlantic*, tells of his dismay when, in speaking to some English friends about the star-group of the "Dipper," and of its being the only one of the constellations whose appearance really conforms with the name, he was met with the blank query:

"What is a dipper?"

"Here," he says, "were people, with whom I could talk for an hour about Locke, Berkeley and Hume, who didn't know, after all, what a dipper was!"

When he tried to explain, the result was:

"A ladle! we understand. Oh, yes. A ladle!"

"In this case," the writer adds, "not only the words but the things varied; that is, they don't have 'dippers,' strictly so-called, in England."

When Professor Proctor was asked by the editor of *St. Nicholas* to write a paper on the constellation of the "Dipper," he appeared embarrassed for a moment, and then said:

"Oh! You mean the 'Cleaver.' We call that constellation the 'Cleaver,' in England."

However, the professor had at least found out its American name, and could so far Americanize himself as to give a capital paper on the "Dipper" to *St. Nicholas*, which appeared several months ago. In the September number of that magazine he is to take up the subject of the "Dipper" again, we are told, with diagrams of his own and some very startling and interesting facts in regard to that constellation.

Worse than the "Bummers."

A few days ago, Mr. Holbrook, a sagacious and successful grocery merchant on Peachtree street, packed his stock of goods, moved them from his store into a vacant store a door or two off, then ripped up every plank in the floor, laid down a floor of solid sheet iron, replaced the upper planks and moved his goods back.

"What does it all mean?" we asked him.

"It means rats," he replied solemnly. "Yes, sir, rats. I tell you the rats here cost me more by hundreds of dollars a year than my taxes and insurance. I have tried to get rid of them in every possible way. I have found that they continued to increase. I was consequently forced to move out and put down a sheet iron barrier between the thieves and my goods."

"Why didn't you try cats or terriers?"

"Cats?" in a tone of scorn. "Cats and terriers! Did you ever see this new breed of rats that we have here? We can't handle them with cats or terriers either."

Atlanta has become so thoroughly infested with rats that their destruction has become a matter of very serious importance. The ruthless invader of our store-rooms, granaries and coops is the regular wharf rat—or Norway rat, as it is called. It is an importation, and not a native productian. It is said that it came with Sherman's army to Atlanta, being brought hither in the forage for the horses that was shipped out from New York. The Sherman rat, as we propose to call him during the crusade against him that is hereby inaugurated, is a perfect mouster. He is as large as a small kitten, has huge thighs and foreshoulders, possesses enormous strength, is combative and plucky, and his cruel, rapacious face is ornamented with a pair of flowing moustaches. He has bred with incredible rapidity since his introduction here, and has literally devoured or driven out the modest, inoffensive, old-fashioned, little gray rat, that innocent, easily-satisfied vegetarian that may be termed "the rat of our fathers."

A more harmless little rodent than our little rat of ante-bellum times can hardly be imagined. He was accepted without a murmur, and really taken as a sort of pleasant joke. He figures in history as a decent gentlemanly rat that cracked an occasional grain of corn, or licked syrup, once in a while, from his tail that he had dropped into some sweet jug. He figures in history in such pleasant episodes as the famous visit of the country rat to the city, and in poetry as the rat that eat the malt that lay in the house that Jack built. He did no harm, and was liked and tolerated on all hands. But this new rat, born in the throes of revolution, and growing amid the fierce turbulance of this latter day, is a bloodthirsty and abnormal scoundrel. He despises the mild and musty corn, or the tranquil jam upon which the rat of our fathers fed, and whenever he wants a lunch he rushes out into your yard, seizes a half-grown chicken, and clipping its throat-latch with his sharp teeth, throws the palpitating corpse over his shoulders and gallops back to his den to wallow in warm gore. These huge rats can be seen in great numbers galloping about stores, along the street, at night. It is almost impossible to raise poultry anywhere in the city. The rats kill young chickens and ducks with the greatest ease, and during last winter entered, on one occasion, a chicken coop, and pulled from its roost and destroyed a full-grown hen. They kill grown pigeons frequently. They do not confine themselves to the city, but are spreading into the country. We have seen them six miles from town.

Dr. Taylor has one which is about as large as his dog, that burrows back of the store. The doctor says the burrow opens up at the other end somewhere beyond Decatur. These rodents can swim a creek, and nothing

seems to stop them. They make more night raids into the country, moving in troops of a score or so, carrying destruction to the barn-yards and granaries and consternation to the sleek and non-combatant rats of the rural districts. They will attack a man when they are pressed in a corner. On such occasions when flight is impossible they will fly at their pursuer in blind rage, and generally succeed in closing their teeth through his flesh somehow.

The bite of this little animal is actually poisonous. Captain E. M. Roberts was bitten by one, and his hand is now shrivelled all around the bite. Mr. Harwell was bitten, and it was feared that his arm would have to be amputated. Mr. Dickson was bitten, and was sick for weeks. The poison instilled is virulent and obstinate. There is a notice in the St. Louis papers of late date that a professional rat-killer of New York has gone to that city carrying a gang of ferrets that have been trained to hunt and kill rats. He guarantees to kill several hundred a day, and to virtually rid St. Louis of the presence of this ubiquitous and deadly marauder. When he has finished we advise that he be sent for.—*Atlanta Constitution.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 17, 1877.

What Does This Mean?

The Boston *Post* of Thursday, under the heading "New Hampshire," prints the following:

"In the late Legislature an act was introduced and passed by the House 'To prevent towns and cities from aiding railroads and other corporations,' but was defeated in the Senate the day before final adjournment by a vote of eight to three. The friends of an appropriation by the Manchester City Council of $100,000 to aid the Manchester & Fitchburg Railroad are surprised to learn, at this late day, that this act was enrolled by the Clerk, approved by the Governor and published in the list of acts passed. These facts will not invalidate the appropriation."

In the "Laws of the State of New Hampshire, passed June session, 1877," as furnished to the papers of the State and printed by them, the act referred to is endorsed "Approved July 19, 1877;" and we hardly think it was "defeated by the Senate" nearly a month after it had become a law of the State.

News and Notes.

Statistics show that the French mercantile marine, which in 1866 ranked as third among other nations, had on the 31st of December, 1876, descended to the sixth place. Yet France has "free trade in ships" and unlimited paper money, has had nothing to do with carpet-bag government, and is the native land of the Commune.

The Boston *Post* of Thursday comes to us with a most interesting supplement—fifteen columns of "solid nonpareil" notices of property to be sold for non-payment of taxes; and even this includes only eleven wards of the city, leaving ten wards yet to be heard from. The *Globe* of the same date has twenty-three columns of the same kind of literature.

Bill Longley, a Texan desperado, while awaiting trial in jail, is writing his life and adventures for the Giddings *Tribune*. He owns to thirty-two murders. There ought to be no difficulty in hanging him on this evidence.

The coroner's jury investigating the cause of the railroad disaster at Oceanport, N. J., have returned a verdict that the accident was caused by the neglect of John S. Conrow, he having given the safety signal to the approaching train, without having first seen that the draw was securely fastened, and that the safety of the travelling public demands a slower rate of speed in the future in crossing these bridges.

The New York *Tribune* has an odd story about the management of the Brooklyn navy yard. Commodore Nicholson, the commandant, some weeks ago received orders from the Navy Department to pay first-class workmen the same wages as are paid in neighboring ship-yards; enquiry showed that such workmen are receiving $3.50 a day, but the commodore refuses to pay more than $3 per day of ten hours, asserting that he can fill the yard with men at $2 a day. If this story is true the gallant commodore must fancy himself the owner of the Brooklyn navy yard, instead of being simply its commandant.

The English steamer John Bramall sailed from New Haven, Conn., on the night of the 11th inst., with a valuable cargo of ammunition, consigned to the Turkish War Department. The Bridgeport metallic cartridge works shipped thirty-two car loads of cartridges, and the Whitney Arms Company of New Haven supplied the balance of the cargo. No report of her sailing was made, for the obvious reason of keeping the Russian authorities in ignorance as to her movements.

Canada is having her share of labor trouble, the latest being a ship-laborers' strike at Quebec, because a firm employed "non-society men." The principal Canadian railroad was disturbed by a strike some months before there was any such commotion on the American lines. Those theorists who attribute our labor contentions to Protection may be puzzled when they find that Free Trade has not exempted Canada from the same ills.

There was a good deal of lively talk at that Put-in-Bay conference of the Ohio democrats last week. One pugnacious delegate was anxious to put the republicans on the defensive at once. "What we want," said he, "is to be ahead of them, and to give them something to answer when they commence. If we have nothing more, let's rehearse the Ten Commandments to them, and charge them with having violated all of them—so as to put them on the defensive." This was too much for one of the old war-horses, who retorted: "There is only one objection to that, which is this—it would give us only a week to prepare in. The gentleman himself may be a Sunday school teacher, and have all the commandments at his tongue's end, but he must remember that some of us may be in an entirely different situation." This pious project seems to have been abandoned subsequently, when it was discovered that the Christian statesman who was to stand on the platform had put a padlock on his pocket-boot and thrown away the key.—*Tribune.*

The Vermont Centennial.

The centennial of the battle of Bennington was celebrated in that town on Thursday, August 16th, that being the anniversary of the battle won by the New Hampshire, Vermont and Massachusetts colonists under Gen. John Stark, over the British and Hessian regulars and tories under Col. Baum.

The 15th was "Vermont Day," in celebration of the completion by that State of a century of independence. The procession on that day was three miles long, numbered 4000 persons, and was witnessed by 25,000 spectators. Speeches were made by Hon. Daniel Roberts, Ex-Gov. Harriman of New Hampshire, Gen. Banks, Gov. Connor of Maine, and other distinguished men; original poems were read; and in the evening President Hayes gave a reception at his hotel in Bennington Centre, the Old Bennington of former days.

The Best Pump for all Shipping.

Every improvement in pumps for shipping is sure to attract the attention of seamen; because on good pumps their lives often depend. But a pump may be good in itself, and yet so complicated that when out of order it cannot be readily put to rights at sea, when a ship is leaky; hence we frequently hear of vessels putting into port to have their pumps repaired; or cleared, if choked. Hundreds of ships, we might say thousands, and be within the truth, have been lost owing to their pumps choking. A few days since our attention was called to an iron pump which was in process of application on Battery Wharf. It is called a "diaphragm pump," but seamen will understand it better when we say it is a suction pump, without a plunger, with two valves, one above the other, which can be put in or taken out by hand, and are so arranged that they cannot be choked even by dock mud. We saw a basket of coal pumped up with water, and the boxes were unaffected by it. But this was not its only merit. With much less power than that applied to a common pump it drew up a continuous stream of water of the same diameter as the main cylinder. We saw all the parts taken out, and can say that any person of ordinary capacity can adjust them without difficulty. But they cannot be injured or choked by pumping, and are more durable than the gear of any pump now in use. The exhibition which we noticed on Battery Wharf was not an experiment. The pump is now on board of a hundred sail of vessels, and wherever it has been used, has proved superior to all others. It can be worked with common braces, fly wheels, steam or any other purchase now in general use. We believe it is the invention of Mr. Loud, of the firm of Kilham, Loud & Co., of this city, and is patented. A force pump on the same principle is applied to shipping for washing decks, or to be used in case of fire. Captains Davis and Candage, the Marine Inspectors for the Boston Underwriters, consider both these pumps among the most valuable inventions for the safety of shipping that they have ever seen in the pump line. It only requires to be known to be universally adopted. We call attention to it for the information of shipowners, on account of its value, and not as an advertisement, though we think the inventor would do well to advertise it in every seaport. In this age it is not enough that a machine may be good in itself, it is just as necessary that it should be known, and advertising is the best means adapted for that purpose.—*Traveller.*

A Cat's Curiosity About Bees.

Charles Kaiser, who has the only hive of bees in town, says that when he first got his swarm his old cat's curiosity was much excited in regard to the doings of the little insects, the like of which she had never before seen. At first she watched their comings and goings at a distance. She then flattened herself upon the ground and crept along toward the hive, with tail horizontal and quivering. It was clearly evident that she thought the bees some new kind of game. Finally she took up a position at the entrance to the hive, and when a bee came in or started out, made a dab at it with her paws. This went on for a time without attracting the special attention of the inhabitants of the hive. Presently, however, "Old Tabby" struck and crushed a bee on the edge of the opening leading to the hive. The smell of the crushed bee alarmed and enraged the whole swarm. Bees by the score poured forth and darted into the fur of the astonished cat. Tabby rolled herself in the grass, spitting, sputtering, biting, clawing and squalling as never cat squalled before. She appeared a mere ball of fur and bees as she rolled and tumbled about. She was at length hauled away from the hive with a garden rake, at the cost of several severe stings to her rescuer. Even after she had been taken to a distant part of the grounds the bees stuck in Tabby's fur, and about once in two minutes she would utter an unearthly "yowl" and bounce a full yard in the air. On coming down she would try to scratch an ear, when a sting on the back would cause her to turn a succession of back somersaults and give vent to a running fire of squalls. Like the parrot that was left alone with the monkey, Tabby had a dreadful time. Two or three days after this adventure Tabby was caught by her owner, who took her by the neck and threw her down near the beehive. No sooner did she strike the ground than she gave a fearful squall, and at a single bound reached the top of a fence full six feet in height. There she clung for a moment, with tail as big as a rolling pin, when with another bound and squall she was out of sight and did not again put in an appearance for over a week.—*Virginia City (Nev.) Enterprise.*

The Virtue of Waiting.

They met on the outgoing train a few evenings ago. One a distinguished republican Senator, the other an ex-official of high character, who has long stood prominently before the country. Said the latter:

"Tell me, now, *inter nos*, what do you think of the republican prospects, and the policy of the Administration."

Said the former: "Well, here it is. We can't go over to the democrats. We've got to stand and take what we get inside the family. Publicly, I indorse the past and the present, and, I reckon, the future policy of the Administration. Privately, I think Hayes, with the best intentions in the world, has knocked the 'stuffing' clean out of the party."

"And what do you mean to do about it?"

"Wait."

"Can the old craft be righted by waiting?"

"I believe so; time and events must help us. Now, what do you think?"

"I indorse the policy also."

"In the same way?"

"Exactly."

"Shake."—*Inter-Ocean.*

An Eagle's History.

On the portico of Mr. Frederick C. Rowland's residence in Olive street is a fine model of an American eagle, which has an interesting history. It was the figure-head of the steamer United States, which plied between this city and New York early in the twenties. She was the first boat to cross into certain New York waters after the Fulton monopoly came to an end. Before that time she used to run between this city and a point just short of the monopolized waters. At one time she ran aground on Fairfield Beach, and Mr. Geoge Rowland, father of Mr. Frederick C. Rowland, put a gang of men at work and had her dug out. When the steamer was refitted he was given the eagle, and it has been kept in the family ever since. It has been painted and gilded for a large number of public occasions, the family loaning it to nearly everybody who applied for it. A few of these occasions were Governor Seymour's reception by P. T. Barnum, early in the decade ending at the beginning of 1860; at a grand reception in this city tendered to the Hon. John Woodruff; and during the Presidential campaign which ended in placing "Honest Abe" in the White House for his first term. During that important campaign it perched on the wigwam in Olive street. This aged eagle has also done duty upon locomotives attached to trains on which distinguished statesmen have been. It has also honored Fourth of July railroad excursions. Many citizens remember with ease the many public occasions it has adorned. The fact that the eagle was the figure-head of the United States, one of the early steamers between this city and New York, leads naturally to the question recently revived by articles in the New York *Graphic*, "What year did a steamboat first run in the Sound?" It is believed to be the year 1819. A few years later a regular line of boats was running between this city and New York. When some of the old steamboat men who were not in the city Saturday arrive, the exact date can probably be ascertained.—*New Haven Palladium.*

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Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND, at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

For Sale or To Let.

THE very desirable BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 16 ISLINGTON ST. belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. Andrew Hussey. House contains twelve rooms and has a Brick Stable and large Garden attached. Possession given September 1st.

For terms apply to

J. W. STAVERS, 64 Islington St.

Portsmouth, July 24, 1877.

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THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 28x33 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 22x66 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.

For further particulars enquire of

JAMES JANVRIN,

No. 38 South Street.

Lots of Land for Sale.

THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq.

Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, a two Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

KEARSARGE MILLS--NOTICE.

WE now propose starting the KEARSARGE MILLS SEPTEMBER 3D, 1877, and we do not think we can do so any earlier to our advantage. Should we find it advisable to start sooner due notice will be given.

Per order of the Treasurer.

R. B. ADAMS, Agent.

Portsmouth, N. H., August 3d, 1878.

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—AT—

Shannon & Son's,

8 & 10 VAUGHAN STREET.

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ON STEAMER APPLEDORE,

CAPT. WM. ROBINSON,

Every Other Thursday.

Commencing on July 12th, and continuing on July 26th, Aug. 9th, Aug. 23d, and Sept. 6th.

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All tickets sold on board the boat will be charged at full rates.

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At Lowest Rates.

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Potted Ham, Tongue and Chicken,
Potted Yarmouth Bloaters,
Anchovy Paste,
Lunch Ham, Lunch Tongue,
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Boned Turkey,
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London Stout,
Lager Beer,
Champagnes, English Ale.
Boneless Ham, boiled ready for table.
Chowder Crackers,
Soda, Milk and Water Biscuit, Pilot Biscuit

BUTLER & LAIGHTON.

No. 1 MARKET SQUARE.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P.M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M., 5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 " 3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY GOVERNMENT.

In Board of Aldermen, Thursday evening, the Mayor announced the Committees, as follows:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Bills on 2d Reading—Ald. Yeaton, and Norton of Ward Four.

Enrollment—Ald. Coffin and Sides.

Police—Ald. Hadley and Sides.

Laying out and widening Streets and repairing Drains—Ald. Hoyt, Norton of Ward Four, and Perkins.

Gas Lights—Ald. Norton of Ward Two, and Paine.

House of Correction—Ald. Sides and Hadley.

Supervising Committee on Records, Journals and Accounts—the Mayor, and Ald. Hoyt and Coffin.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES,

Finance—the Mayor, Ald. Hoyt, and Norton of Ward Four.

Engrossing Bills—Ald. Hadley and Coffin.

City Lands and Buildings—Ald. Yeaton and Paine.

Fire Department—Ald. Hoyt, and Norton of Ward Four.

Streets, Roads and Bridges—Ald. Sides, Perkins and Hadley.

School Houses—Ald. Paine and Perkins.

Claims—Ald. Hadley, and Norton of Ward Four.

Burying Grounds—Ald. Norton of Ward Four, and Yeaton.

Printing—Ald. Norton of Ward Two, and Coffin.

Accounts—Ald. Yeaton, Norton of Ward Four, and Councilman Long.

In Common Council, the President announced the Committees, as follows:

STANDING COMMITTEES.

Elections—Whidden, Wood and Pearson.

Bills on 2d Reading—Long, Walker and Hammond.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

Finance—Messrs. Walker, Pfeiffer and Cox.

Engrossing Bills—Prior, Smart and Long.

City Lands and Buildings—Jellison, Hodgdon of Ward One, and Buzzell.

Fire Department—Whidden, Gray and Pearson.

Streets, Roads and Bridges—Wood, Marston and Pettigrew.

School Houses—Hodgdon of Ward Two, Whidden and Cox.

Claims—Marston, Whidden and Cox.

Burrying Grounds—Long, Jellison and Pearson.

Printing—Gray, Whidden and Buzzell.

In Convention, city officers to serve the ensuing year were elected, as follows:

For City Solicitor, William H. Hackett.

For City Messenger, William C. Ham.

City Physician—Daniel W. Jones.

Superintendant of City Farm—William Shannon.

For Street Commissioner, first ballot:

Whole number of votes	22
Necessary for a choice	12
Joseph R. Holmes had	5
Robert C. Sides	8
Enoch G. Conner	9

And there was no choice.

Second ballot:

Whole number of votes	22
Necessary for a choice	12
Robert C. Sides had	5
Joseph R. Holmes	8
Enoch G. Conner	9

And there was no choice.

Third ballot:

Whole number of votes	22
Necessary for a choice	12
Robert C. Sides had	1
Enoch G. Connor	9
Joseph R. Holmes	12

And Mr. Holmes was declared elected, his election being then made unanimous.

In Board of Aldermen, (resumed) proceeded to elect City Marshal, the first ballot resulting as follows;

Whole number of votes	8
Necessary for a choice	5
John Dame had	4
Thomas Entwistle	4

And the Mayor gave the casting vote for Mr. Entwistle.

For Assistant Marshals, Police Officers and Constables:

Whole number of votes	8
Necessary for a choice	5
Charles H. Besselievre had	3
Frank Cole	5
Charles A. C. Gray	8

And Messrs. Cole and Gray were elected.

For Police Officers, Constables and Night Watchmen:

Whole number of votes	8
Necessary for a choice	5
Daniel Webster had	1
Henry Wallace	2
Samuel Taylor	3
George W. Fernald	3
Richard Davidson	3
Peter Pray	4
William Nowell	5
John W. Johnston	5
Thomas Moore	5
Charles P. Abbott	5
Joseph B. White	7

And Messrs. White, Abbott, Moore, Johnston and Nowell were declared elected. On a call of the yeas and nays Peter Pray was added to the number.

SUPREME COURT DECISIONS.

The Supreme Court (full bench) of New Hampshire on Monday, 13th inst., sustained the verdict of the jury for $6000, and ordered judgment thereon, in the case of Theodore H. Deverson of this city against the Eastern Railroad. Plaintiff was formerly an engineer on the Eastern Railroad, and in the autumn of 1873 was severely injured by a collision near Kennebunkport, Me., where two heavy freight trains, (one of twenty-two cars and one engine, and the other of forty-four cars and two engines,) came together in a thick fog at night, killing several persons and shattering nearly every car of the trains, Mr. Deverson having a leg broken and receiving other severe injuries. This case was entered on the docket in 1875.

The full bench also confirmed the verdict of the jury in the case of Mrs. Hannah McIntire, who was badly injured at Conway Junction (formerly Brock's Crossing) on the Eastern Railroad by being thrown from her carriage; the jury gave the lady $3000 damages.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, August 16th.

Eugene Smith was adjudged to be a common drunkard, and was sentenced to Brentwood for ninety days and ordered to pay $8.04 costs.

THE SEABROOK ACCIDENT.

The reporter who telegraphed from Newburyport the account of the recent accident at Seabrook, by which the train "plunged down an embankment" must have been a trifle excited when he sent his dispatch to the associated press. The embankment is about twelve inches in height. He estimated the damage at $40,000. Later a special correspondent put it down to $10,000. We have taken some pains to ascertain just how much damage was done to the train and find that the heavy Pullman cars were but slightly injured. Thirty dollars will put them in order. The express car of the Maine Central Road could be put all right again for $200. The Eastern Railroad express car was injured $100 worth. The baggage car badly used up could be put in order for $500. The postal car would cost $700 to be as good as new; while the locomotive "New Hampshire" would require $300 for repairs of all kinds. It will be seen that the highest estimate of the cost of the affair is fixed, by a practical examiner, as we understand it, at a little over sixteen hundred dollars. We are glad the road gets off so cheaply. A misplaced switch at this point once cost the road a large sum, but here providentially there was no one killed and none injured. It is curious to notice the great disparity between the hasty guess of the enthusiastic correspondent, who was, it would seem, anxious that the accident in point of figures should be of large account, and the subsequent careful investigation of a competent expert, which shows what was the amount of damage actually incurred.

DECLINED.

The caucus of republican members of the City Councils having nominated Walter C. Harriman, Esq., for an office under the present municipal administration, that gentleman on Wednesday sent to the members referred to the following declination:

To His Honor the Mayor, and to the members of the City Government:

Gentlemen: At the caucus held last Monday evening, you were pleased to give me the nomination for City Solicitor for the ensuing year. The nomination was entirely unsolicited by me. I did not suppose that I had been among you long enough, or was so favorably known, as to have my name considered at all with reference to the position; and believing that there are others more deserving and better able to fill the same than myself, I hereby decline the nomination. With grateful acknowledgements to you and my friends, I have the honor to remain

Yours Respectfully,
WALTER C. HARRIMAN.

Portsmouth, August 15th, 1877.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The U. S. S. Enterprise, from this port 11th inst., arrived at Port Royal, S. C., on the evening of the 14th,—a very good passage.

The public are cautioned against a man who calls himself George Henry Allen, and who has been collecting money from Good Templars in Somerville, Cambridge and other places in Massachusetts, by representing (it is claimed falsely) that he has been sent to them by Mrs. Leonard, Grand Worthy Secretary.

Steamer "May Queen," with an excursion party from Newburyport, visited this harbor on Thursday and remained several hours. A steam yacht from Boston was also in the harbor on the same day.

While the yacht "Cock Robin" was sailing about in the lower harbor on a recent afternoon she undertook to run over Seaward's ledge, and would have managed it first rate if there had been water enough to float her, but there wasn't, and she struck the ledge hard enough to stave her garboard strakes, causing her to fill. The venturesome skipper is said to have presented a most picturesque appearance as he waded through the water between the ledge and the shore, carrying his sailing companion "pig-back."

Moses R. Perkins of Epping has been appointed mail route messenger between this city and Manchester, on the Concord & Portsmouth Railroad.

The Lane Rifles of Candia have accepted an invitation extended them by the Portsmouth City Guards, and both companies will go into camp at Newcastle for one week on the 27th inst. The Portsmouth Cavalry, Capt. E. G. Peirce, Jr., are to go into camp for three days at Boar's Head, Hampton Beach, next month.

Judge Charles E. Batchelder, of the Portsmouth Police Court, has been retained as counsel by Frank Wells, the Boar's Head jewelry thief. Wells first attempted to sell the stolen jewelry at Messrs. C. E. & J. E. Dixon's store, and his manner appearing suspicious to Mr. J. E. Dixon that gentleman called at Sheriff Kent's office to lay the matter before him, but the Sheriff was out; the thief got caught all the same, however.

The Light Artillery are requested to meet at their armory this afternoon at half-past five o'clock, on important business.

To Render the Liver Active

When that important secretive gland requires arousing, it is only requisite to resort to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, the national remedy for inactivity of the bilious organ, for constipation, and for besides those malarious disorders to which torpidity of the liver predisposes a person. Far more surely does this celebrated anti-bilious cordial accomplish a curative result than mercury or any other mineral drug used to cure liver disorders. In fact, such medicaments cannot fairly be called remedies, since, although they may have a temporary effect, they eventually fail to influence the system remedially, but instead often do it serious injury. The Bitters, on the contrary, are a specific of the most salutary nature, and are likewise a reliable and agreable tonic, appetizer and nervine.

We Can't Talk

without showing the condition of our teeth. Every laugh exposes them. In order not to be ashamed of them, let us use SOZODONT, which is sure to keep them white and spotless, and to give fragrance to every word we utter.

"United we stand," as the joined fragments said to SPALDING'S GLUE.

We publish the announcements in our advertising colums *for pay*, and seldom trouble ourselves to enquire as to the qualities or merits of the wares advertised further than to assure ourselves that they are legitimate and respectable. But when an article performs miracles in our midst, transforming the old to young, in appearance at least, we cannot pass it by unnoticed. We know of people who, years ago were gray-headed and who now wear dark and glossy hair. How is this? It evidently is not colored, for it has a perfectly natural appearance instead of the harsh, dry, staring look of hair *stained* with nitrate of silver or other common hair dyes. No! it has been *restored* to its youthful color, lustre and vitality by the use of that wonder of wonders, Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer. It has many imitators, but there is nothing like it. The test of years only increases its fame, while its imitators die and are forgotten.—*Boston Daily Globe.*

The State of Louisiana, at the close of the war, found itself in a very crippled condition, financially; so the authorities imitated the example of Congress at the close of the Revolutionary war, and that of the States of Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania and New York, as well as many other commonwealths in times gone by, and in 1868 incorporated some of its leading citizens in the Louisiana State Lottery Company, with a capital of one million dollars, since augmented by three hundred and fifty thousand dollars accumulation as a reserve, all of which is paid up in cash. This company quarterly pays the State a large fund for the maintenance of its hospitals and schools and other charitable and educational purposes. The lottery is drawn monthly, without fail, in the City of New Orleans, under the personal supervision of the two ex-Confederate Chieftains, Generals P. T. Beauregard, of Louisiana, and Jubal Early, of Virginia, and the full schemes can be had by writing to M. A. Dauphin, Esq., President, Lock Box, 692, P. O., New Orleans. The next drawing is on Sept. 4, when tickets are only two dollars each.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PIMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

ARRIVED, August 16.

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Sch Charles W Rose, Marr, Philadelphia.
Sch F Nelson, Colebrook, Perth Amboy.

SAILED, August 16.

Sch Trader, Bartaux, Port George, N S.
Sch Charlie H Dow, Child, Philadelphia.

Steamer Perkiomen, Albertson, for this port cld from Philadelphia Aug 13.

Barque Jennie, Sweeney, for this port cld from Philadelphia Aug 14.

PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfebl6 78

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Collector's Four Per Cent. Notice.

TAX payers in the city of Portsmouth are hereby notified that four per cent. will be deducted from their tax bills if paid on or before August 30, 1877.

JAMES MOSES, Collector.

Portsmouth, August 11, 1877.

EXCURSION!!
THIRD EXCURSION ON
Steamer Appledore,
(CAPT. ROBINSON,)
Under the auspices of the Womans' Temperance League,
TUESDAY, AUGUST 21.

Boat leaving and returning as usual. Price for round trip 75cts. Children under 12 years, half price. Tickets for sale by David Kimball & Co.

Woodlot for Sale.

A LOT OF FORTY ACRES, more or less, of Pasturage and Woodland, situated in Newington, being a portion of the homestead farm of the late John Fabyan. This lot is mostly covered with a heavy growth of PINE and OAK, the latter suitable for ship timber. It is also well watered, and affords an abundance of feed in the dryest seasons; some portions are suitable for tillage. For further information apply to

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Newington, N. H. August 8th.

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1	do.	do.	25,000
1	do.	do.	10,000
2 PRIZES of $5,000			10,000
5	do.	2,500	12,500
25	do.	1,000	25,000
50	do.	500	25,000
100	do.	200	20,000
200	do.	100	20,000
500	do.	50	25,000
1,000	do.	20	20,000

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

9 Approximation Prizes of $500			4,500
9	do.	do.	300	2,700
9	do.	do.	200	1,800

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AT AUCTION.

United States District Court.

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton, and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts. To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a License from said Court granted at Syracuse in said District July 24, 1877, I shall sell at Public Auction to the highest bidder, on

riday, August 24th,

at 11 o'clock, A. M., on the premises,

all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described encumbered Real Estate situate in Portsmouth, N. H.

Frame Store and Land situate No. 72 State Street, occupied as a Grocery Store and Printing Office.

Brick Store and Land situate Nos. 22 and 24 Market Street, occupied as a Boot and Shoe Store.

Brick Store and Dwelling House situate at the corner of State and Washington streets.

Also, immediately after the sale of said Real Estate, will be sold at the office of MORSE & ILSLEY, on Pleasant Street, all the Book Accounts belonging to the Estate of said Carr, several promissory notes and one mortgage on real estate in said Portsmouth.

All matters of difference in regard to this property having now been settled there will be no delay or postponement of this sale.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars in regard to title, etc., inquire of A. F. HOWARD, Portsmouth, N. H.

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Assignee.

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall carry them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendee of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing declared by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier, after such notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

THE AMERICAN FLAG.

Fling out the starry flag,
Men of the kingless land,
The hour of duty is telling,
Be ready, heart and hand.

Face all who dare deride it,
Clasp all who seek its shade;
If need be die beside it
For the country it has made.

They come to you in millions
As once they came in Rome;
Give every man a welcome,
Give each and all a home.

But read them all this lesson—
They in return must stand
Ready to stay for the starry flag,
Or to die for the kingless land.

—*Spectator.*

High Etiquette.

If fine manners are naturally associated with rank, the supposition would be that the higher the rank, the finer the manners. It would then follow that the guest of honor, who was also the stranger, would take precedence of all others. It is therefore bewildering to learn that when the Prince of Wales recently gave a dinner to General Grant, the distinguished guest brought up the rear of the procession to the dining-room. We are but boors in etiquette; yet if the Prince of Wales had been the guest of honor of the President of the United States, he would not have been permitted to close the march to dinner; and he would have preceded not as prince, but as guest; for it would be equally true of untitled Mr. Bright or Mr. Gladstone as of a prince. Courtesy is a poor thing if it can not dispense, upon due occasion, with the rigidity of ceremonial forms. It is rumored that the American minister in England was long absorbed in the task of arranging General Grant's invitations, so that he should not be apparently insulted by being treated at entertainments given in his honor with less consideration than any other guest. This is hardly credible to an unsophisticated American, because he can not comprehend either that an English gentleman should offer or an American gentleman accept such a situation. The rules of really good society, whether titled or untitled, are every where the same in regard to certain essential points, and it is a pity if they are violated in the house of a prince. To invite an untitled man into a titled company, upon an occasion of pure ceremony where titles determine precedence, is to invite him to go behind. If a prince gives a dinner in honor of an untitled guest, he is bound to honor him chiefly, and he invites the company merely to help him render the honor. If, therefore, it be true that the Prince of Wales gave a dinner especially to General Grant, and permitted the greater part of the company to precede him to the table, General Grant should quietly have left the house, and all the more if, as is constantly, said etiquette and forms are real things to European society. For if that be so, the significance of the situation was that an American without a title, however illustrious, however honored at home, and the especial guests of the occasion, is not to be recognized as the equal of titled people. Probably, if the story be true, General Grant was not troubled; but if English gentlemen are required by etiquette to acquiesce in so flagrant a discourtesy, they are greatly to be pitied.—*Harper's for September.*

Trajan's Wall.

The events now transpiring in the neighborhood of the Danube bring into curious prominence the name of the Emperor Trajan, the buttresses of whose bridge, we believe, still stand on opposite banks of the Danube, and whose famous wall seems to be the line along which the tide of war is rapidly rolling. The bridge thrown over the Danube by this great monarch was, in some respects at least the most remarkable of all the structures that successive belligerents have erected for the passage of their troops. It was not a mere floating bridge, but a permanent structure, carried on piers 150 feet high and 60 feet wide, and it comprised twenty arches, extending altogether over a span of 4470 Roman feet. This giant structure, than which ancient history records nothing of the kind more remarkable, seems to have been intended as a fortress as well as a bridge. Standing eighty feet above the water, it is supposed to have afforded the command of the Danube navigation, a garrison posted on it being, of course, able to damage or destroy vessels passing under, while they would be above the reach of retaliation. It was destroyed by Hadrian, and its precise locality has been the subject of some dispute. Ruins which evidently might have formed the buttresses of a bridge, occurring on the line of an old Roman road, however, seem to leave little room for doubt. Trajan's Wall is another relic of this terribly energetic old Roman. It is, strictly speaking, a rampart of earth, thirty-five or forty miles long, and extends from Rassova, just at the bend in the Danube, to the shores of the Black Sea. Though only an earthwork, it is a formidable line of defence. It is eight or ten feet high, with a fosse in front of it, while the western portion is still further fortified by deep lakes and the swampy valley of Kara-Su. In addition to all this, another rampart of a similar character lies just in in the rear of it. This is known as the South wall, the space between the two ramparts being from 1000 to 2000 feet.—*London Globe.*

—The social circle—The round dance.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 18, 1877.

The Vermont Centennial.

The centennial celebration of the battle of Bennington was an immense affair. At sunrise a salute was fired by a New Hampshire battery from the brass six-pounder guns taken from the British a century before; bells were rung, and then and there was hurrying to and fro of much military men. The grand procession was four miles long and numbered 8000 people, fully 40,000 spectators viewing the pageant. There were 3000 Vermont and New Hampshire veterans in the line. The oration of the day was delivered by President Bartlett of Dartmouth College; a poem by William Cullen Bryant was read, and a hymn by Mrs. Mason sung. President Hayes, Secretaries Evarts, Devens, McCrary and Key, and other prominent personages, made brief remarks. In the evening there was a torch-light parade of veterans, an illumination and fireworks, etc. President Hayes left for Rutland early in the evening. Altogether, in the numbers present and the enthusiasm displayed, the brilliancy of the military show, and the more than common interest and value of the orations delivered, the Vermont celebration has been a success.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 155.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

Strong partisan feelings entered into the matter of executive appointments, somewhat early in the history of political parties. In May 1810, Hon. Jeremiah Smith of Exeter was Governor. It was the last month of the first and only year of his holding the office; Mr. Langdon of Portsmouth had already been chosen as his successor. Mr. Smith was a federalist, the other party was republican. On the 21st day of May Gov. Smith nominated a federalist for high sheriff in one of the counties, and the councillors, a majority of whom were republicans, refused to agree to the nomination. The councillors that year were Elijah Hall, Portsmouth, Richard Dame, Rochester, Samuel Bell, Amherst, (afterwards of Chester, and Governor of the State,) Caleb Ellis, Claremont, and B. J. Gilbert, Hanover. Mr. Hall and Mr. Bell were republicans, and one if no more of the others. The vacancy in the office of Sheriff remained till June, when the Governor and a majority of the council were republicans and a republican was appointed.

Again, in June 1815, John T. Gilman of Exeter was Governor,—he was a federalist, and a majority of the Council republicans; the office of Attorney General became vacant, Hon Daniel French of Chester having resigned. On four successive days the Governor nominated four different gentlemen for that office. They were federalists and the Council negatived them. At the same time, the three republicans of the Council nominated three republicans, and the Governor negatived them. The councillors that year were Elijah Hall, Portsmouth, Samuel Quarles, Ossipee, Benjamin Pierce, Hillsborough, (afterwards Governor,) Thomas Chase, Cornish, and Enoch Colby, Thornton. Mr. Hall and Mr. Pierce were republicans, and one other. Hon. George Sullivan of Exeter was finally appointed Attorney General. We think he was a federalist, and the appointment was brought about in December by a compromise. A Judge of Probate was to be appointed in one county, and it was understood that the Governor was to nominate the Attorney General, a federalist of course, and the Council a Judge of Probate, a republican.

It is of no disadvantage to the country to have one or more political parties, but too strong political partisanship savors of littleness and bigotry.

News and Notes.

Mr. Keely says that he has just about completed his new machine, which is made of wrought iron and cast steel, cost $60,000 and weighs twenty tons. He says that he has obtained a pressure of 11,000 pounds to the inch, and then stopped because the guage would not stand more, and that if the metal would hold he could work his present engine up to 10,000 horse power. "It is," he told a reporter, "a quart machine—that is to say, it uses only a quart of water. With the condenser that I have now nearly complete I will make that quart of water produce 1,000 horse power motion of sufficient duration to run a steamship across the ocean."

The band of fanatics in Arkansas known as "Cobbites," who in their devotions last summer cut off the heads of two men, have been acquitted of the charge of murder on the ground of insanity.

The United States Minister at Athens reports the discovery of interesting ornaments of glass and ivory in ancient tombs near Athens, resembling those discovered by Schliemann.

Somebody accounts for the singular but expressive word "hoodlum" in this way. A newspaper man in San Francisco, in attempting to coin a word to designate a gang of street Arabs under the leadership of one Muldoon, hit on the idea of dubbing them the noodlum; that is, simply reversing the leader's name. In writing the word, the strokes of the n did not correspond in height, and the compositor took it for hoodlum. Hoodlum it is, and probably ever will be.

Which is correct—learning by *heart*, or by *art*? The former is the usual expression; but it is by no means clear that it conveys the intended meaning. He who impresses words or sentences or aught else upon his brain by rote, as it is called, uses some acquired or instinctive trick of mnemonics for the purpose. Schoolboys, actors, singers, and their likes, have various artifices for committing matters to memory, and their learning is by *art*, the heart has nothing to do with it. If learning by heart means anything at all, it certainly signifies a principle the very opposite of that it is used to designate—the profound acquirement of knowledge, the understanding of facts and experiences without regard to the symbols by which they are presented to the mind.—*Living Age of '68.*

Two of the crew of schooner Flying Scud arrived home on Monday stating that the vessel had been run down on Georges, by the bark Edith, of Portland, Friday night, and they had succeeded in getting on board the bark and were landed in Boston, and knew nothing of the fate of their vessel. Capt. John Howson was immediately despatched to the city, where he ascertained that the bark came in collision with the schooner, as before mentioned. There was a heavy sea and strong tide at the time; also a thick fog. Saw the schooner's light and heard horn, but too late to avoid collision. The vessels came together broadside to, and the schooner's topping-lift hooked in the boom iron on the bark's foreyard. This was cut. The hawser on board the schooner was cut, and the vessels separated. The bark hailed and asked if the schooner leaked or wanted any assistance, and was answered in the negative. The schooner made sail, and the supposition is that she is all right and will finish out her trip, as she was on good fishing grounds.—*Cape Ann Advertiser.*

Steamship Denmark, of the National Line, was seized in New York on Thursday, on account of the wholesale silk smuggling carried on by some of her officers. Dist. Atty. Woodford sent the following to Acting Sec. of the Treasury McCormick: "I still adhere to my opinion that the silk smuggling can be most effectively broken up by enforcing the law against the vessels. The steamship lines can, if they will, stop this smuggling by their employes. They surely will when they find they must. I have accordingly filed the libel against the Denmark." The steamship was bonded and allowed to sail.

It is said that 4000 of the inhabitants of the coal country about Scranton, Pa., are going to Texas as a colony. In this way they will do more to raise the wages of the coal miners than they would by destroying every coal mine and railroad in the country.

The Government has advices through a firm at Newburyport, Mass., of an important communication received from Captain Atkins of the whaling schooner Edward Lee of Provincetown. Capt. Atkins says that, after cruising in the Caribean Sea he went to Cayron, the south side of Cuba, where, on the first day after his arrival, he was fired into by a gunboat. Captain Atkins represents that he was the first fired into with ball, and afterward with grapeshot and bombshell, none of which, however, were effective. The report has been referred from the State Department to the Secretary of the Treasury, and Secretary Sherman has taken steps to ascertain the correctness of the report and the particulars of the affair. Though no intimation was given as to the nationality of the vessel perpetrating the alleged outrage, the presumption is that it was Spanish. Should decisive information be received, it will undoubtedly be a subject of importance at the Cabinet meeting next after official reports of the character desired shall reach the Treasury Department.

The Burlington Glass Works at Hamilton, Canada, have been closed on account of the competition from the United States.

In an advertisement of a trip of steamer Katahdin from Boston to the Isles of Shoals and return, on Sunday, the 19th, the following beautiful language is used: "The scenery presented to us as we range along by the northern shore possesses marked characteristics, and at many points is of exceeding beauty. In this season of pleasant summer weather, the great ocean, too, with its reflection of the glorious blue of heaven, its rippling waves flashing in the sunlight, its breast of waters dotted here and there with snowy sails, some of which become changed in the distance to fantastic cloudlets that gradually lessen to mere specks on the rim of the horizon, and one by one sink from our view; the great ocean, in its playful moods, is so clothed with beauty that even its very grandeur seems for the moment subordinate—for the emotion which affects the beholder is one of tranquil delight rather than awe." My gracious.

Five thousand coal miners in Pennsylvania struck on Friday.

New Hampshire Items.

Nashua on the 14th appropriated $500 to defray the expenses of giving the President a suitable reception on the occasion of his visit to that city.

A long and bitter church quarrel at Francistown to ascertain the true proprietors of the communion service of the Congregational Church, and which was carried up to the Supreme Court, has terminated in a decision from Chief Justice Doe to the effect that there is no subordination of the church to the parish. The church has the right to choose the minister of the parish, and the church may sever its connection with the parish without forfeiting legal existence, or any rights or property. The plaintiffs in the case were the minority who clung to the society.

H. B. Marden, who for sixteen years has carried the mail from Plymouth to Littleton, having refused to carry it for $746.50, the amount heretofore received, Contractor E. S. Frederick has decided to run a full line of stages. The mail, meantime, will be carried in buggies. No delay has occurred. The plan gives two stage lines to Littleton via Profile, which will be a decided benefit to the public.

—Emerson says, "I lie and listen and rejoice." Some people do all but the listening and rejoicing.

—Scene at a seaside hotel.—Lean, lank stranger—"Why, look here! you charge me in my bill for a counterpane, $6.50. Why, the mosquitoes ate up that counterpane, and why should I be charged with it?" Hotel keeper—"Of course you should. If you had been nice and fat the mosquitoes would have tackled you, and left my counterpane alone."

—In the early part of 1810 Napoleon's attention was drawn to the magnificent diamonds worn by a certain lady; he inquired who she was, and learned that her husband was a tobacco manufacturer. In the following November a decree appeared which announced that this trade would in future be a State monopoly. It is so to-day. There are sixteen factories.

—Now build a kite for your little boy. It is made with old exchanges and string and sticks and things. It is supposed to soar like an eagle, but in nine cases out of ten it flops round aimlessly, like a bat in the daylight, and then hitches into a telegraph wire, and the neighbors' young ones gather round and snicker. Then you cut off the cord as high as you can reach and leave it there.

—A sturdy vagabond with full, black beard of unusual length was recently brought before a London police magistrate, who questioned him about his past life. "It one can believe all that is laid to your charge," said the Judge, solemnly, "your conscience must be as black as your beard." "Ah," replied the wily rogue, "if a man's conscience is to be measured by his beard, then your lordship has no conscience at all!"

—Knitting is an art of comparatively modern invention. It was not known in England until the early part of the sixteenth century. The honor of the invention is disputed but it is generally attributed to the Spaniards or Italians, since they attained great proficiency in the art before the English people adopted it. The Scotch also lay claim to the invention, but although they are most expert knitters of the age, they have established their claim.

—A Boston gentleman of some literary pretensions recently told an acquaintance the following story, illustrative of the alleged discrimination of magazine editors in favor of contributors of note, and vice versa: He was discoursing some months since, he said, to the poet Lowell on this topic, and insisted that contributions to magazines were not published for their merit, but when they were from friends of the editor or were the productions of famous pens. Lowell, on the contrary, maintained that magazine, like newspaper editors, were no respectors of persons, and that they were entirely impartial in their choice of contributions. To prove his case he wrote a short poem, on which it is to be presumed, under the circumstances, he bestowed more than usual pains, which his friend sent to a prominent Boston magazine as his own. It was returned as unworthy of publication.

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" Way,		10.55 "	7.00 "
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Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40,	10.10 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.65,	10.10 A. M.	5.55, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at 4 o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Pearl street church, preaching by Rev. Mr. Wells.

At the Methodist church, preaching in the forenoon by Rev. Mr. Reese; Sunday School after morning service. Prayer meeting in the evening.

At the Unitarian church, preaching by Rev. Mr. Heyward, of Louisville, Ky., at 10:30 A. M.

Rev. James DeNormandie will preach at the Union chapel, Rye, on Sunday morning at the usual hour of morning service.

There will be a meeting of the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall at 7:30 P. M., to be addressed by members of the club. A praise service will precede the addresses. The usual collection to defray expenses will be taken.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, August 17th.

Philip Kirby, charged with having been drunk in his own house and with disturbing his family, was not sworn against very strongly, and in consequence was discharged. Mr. Kirby made two appearances before the court, one in the forenoon and one at three o'clock P. M. He persisted in "putting in his oar" when the witnesses were testifying, and after being several times cautioned to hold his tongue finally told a witness that he lied. "Look that man up till three o'clock this afternoon," said the Judge; and greatly to Philip's indignation and disgust, into a cell he went. He was much tamer when he came out.

THE CITY ELECTION.

If there was a noticable lack of interest at the recent election of a City Government by the people, there was plenty of interest exhibited Thursday evening over the election of paid officials by the City Councils. While the Councils were in convention the Common Council chamber and vestibule contained a larger number of interested politicians of all grades and parties than could have been found in any ward room in the city—or all of them put together, possibly—at any one time during election day. The main interest on this occasion centered in the choice of Street Commissioner; it was an open secret that the republican caucus had been nearly equally divided between Mr. Robert C. Sides, Street Commissioner under the late municipal administration, and Mr Enoch J. Connor, the latter having had but a bare majority on the second ballot; and a "bolt" of the caucus nomination was predicted by some of the knowing ones, who said Mr. Sides' supporters would go for a democratic candidate if they could not elect their own man. There was also considerable interest manifested as to who should be City Marshal. So far as we were concerned, we could not have guessed within three rows of apple trees as to who would secure either of the positions named; but a democratic friend, some hours before the convention met, told us "Most likely the next Street Commissioner will be Jo. Holmes; and the City Marshalship lies between John Dame and Tom Entwistle." If this was a guess on his part it was a mighty shrewd one.

After the election of City Solicitor and City Messenger, which was soon done, a vote was taken on Street Commissioner; the republicans divided, eight for Sides and nine for Connor; the five democrats voted for a gentleman who could not have secured one of their votes had the City Government been democratic, Mr. Joseph R. Holmes. On the next ballot the Connor men stood firm, but three of the Sides men flopped over to Mr. Holmes; and on the third and final ballot Mr. Sides had but a single vote, Mr. Connor still holding his nine, and Mr. Holmes securing twelve votes and the election,—Mr. Holmes' election being then made unanimous.

Whatever the motives of the wire-pulling and trading which elected Mr. Holmes, the result will be cheerfully acquiesced in by a large proportion of the tax-payers, for he is as capable a Street Commissioner as the city ever had, and is certain to run his department in the interest of the city and not of any party or clique. He obstinately refused, when holding office under a democratic administration, to take orders from the politicians, or keep worthless men on the pay-roll simply because they "voted with the party;" and he is not likely to be any less independent under a republican administration. His course made him shockingly unpopular with the democratic wire-pullers, but the property holders liked the way he managed things, first-rate, as they are apt to when an official can show a dollar's worth of work done for every dollar expended.

After the convention dissolved, the Board of Mayor and Aldermen elected Mr. Thomas Entwistle City Marshal, he having four votes to four for Mr. John Dame, and the Mayor giving the casting vote in favor of Mr. Entwistle; the democrats had no candidate (of their party) in the field. Mr. Entwistle is well known as a former police officer and assistant marshal, and is a jovial, good-natured soul; he has plenty of pluck, was an efficient subordinate officer, and should make a good Marshal. Assistant Marshals Cole and Gray were re-elected, as were also officers Pray, Nowell, White and Johnston. Officer Besselievre, as good an officer as there was on the old force, and good enough for any force, was dropped; as was also officer Webster. The places of these two were filled by the choice of Messrs. Charles P. Abbott and Thomas Moore. At the time the vote was taken it was observed by the lookers on that but *one* democrat was voted for, for any position whatever in the police department,—Mr. Moore, of Ward Four, who was a member of the old democratic police force, and received five votes for the same position under the present administration. "That's where the trading comes in," said the bystanders; but next morning it was announced that Mr. Moore had not been elected, as his name is Thomas R. Moore, and that a republican from Ward One, of the name of Thomas Moore, was to be sworn in. It's an odd mixture, all through; but it doesn't seem just the square thing for the republicans to take the pay and then refuse to deliver the goods. That mis-spelling of a name is rather a small hole to crawl out of, particularly as the name of one of the republican policemen was spelled wrong on the ballots.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Steamer Appledore will make a trip to the Shoals this (Saturday) evening, leaving the wharf at six o'clock and the Shoals at half-past eight.

The Hutchinsons will sing in Franklin Hall next Thursday evening. See advertisement.

The grand feature of the great military procession at Bennington on the 16th was two of the brass six-pounder guns captured by Stark from the British. The Portsmouth Heavy Artillery Company was the guard of these historic cannon. The Portsmouth company won prominent mention in the accounts of the celebration sent to the press from Bennington,—no slight commendation when it is considered that some scores of the "crack" organizations of three or four States were present.

On Thursday evening a number of men at the West End formed themselves into an association to be called the Workingman's Institute, and elected Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, President, and Mr. Robert Archibald, Secretary; a board of directors was also chosen. The society at present numbers about forty members; the object of the association is mutual improvement, and it is proposed to at once fit up a suitable building at the West End for a club room, coffee room, etc. It is probable a building on MacDonough street will be selected, Hon. Marcellus Eldredge, the owner, having offered it to the association on the most liberal terms.

Portsmouth now has no band of music at all, the Portsmouth Cornet Band having dissolved.

Mrs. H. E. Harkins, of Boston, has given a series of readings at York, Wells and Old Orchard beaches, recently.

A correspondent of the Boston *Globe*, writing from Alton Bay under date of July 16th, says "there are three hundred buildings here, and, although the regular opening of the camp-meeting is not until the 18th, there are two hundred families here, and the meetings which are held are very interesting, especially the children's meetings, conducted by Mrs. T. E. Wood of Portsmouth. The cars run right to the ground, and there are ten steamers on the lake, besides lots of boats."

The Heavy Artillery arrived home on a special train over the Concord Railroad, at about 9:30 P. M., Friday. The Light Artillery, Capt. Wm. O. Sides, had made arrangements to receive the Heavies at the depot, and had secured the services of the marine drum corps from the navy yard; but owing to the reception at a late hour in the afternoon of a telegram from Manchester, announcing that the Heavy Artillery would remain in Manchester all night as guests of the Manchester War Veterans and Light Battery, the Light Artillery were dismissed after mustering at their armory. The Heavy Artillery were treated to a collation by Mr. Appleton Tredick, on their arrival.

We have received Littell's Living Age for the weeks ending August 11th and 18th respectively, containing the usual amount of interesting and useful reading, gleaned from the best of the English periodicals. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3000 pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4 monthlies or weeklies with *The Living Age* for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Gay, Boston, are the publishers.

Lippincott's Magazine for September is one of the first of the monthlies to reach us. The illustrated articles in the September number are "Among the Kabyles," by Edward C. Bruce, and "A Paduan Holiday," by Charlotte Adams. It also contains an anonymous article on Madame Patterson-Bonaparte, the conclusion of George MacDonald's novel, "The Marquis of Lossie," several chapters of Mrs. Davis' new serial, "A Law unto Herself;" and the usual variety of poems and miscellaneous matter, all combining to make a very attractive number.

Harper's Magazine for September is now ready for delivery, at Moses Brothers' and Myers' stores. This number contains ten illustrated articles, with ninety-three pictures; "The Lading of a Ship" and "General Stark and the Battle of Bennington" are especially noticeable. The number is distinguished not only by the interest attaching to each of its articles, but to the great variety of topics treated upon.

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The State of Louisiana, at the close of the war, found itself in a very crippled condition, financially; so the authorities imitated the example of Congress at the close of the Revolutionary war, and that of the States of Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania and New York, as well as many other commonwealths in times gone by, and in 1868 incorporated some of its leading citizens in the Louisiana State Lottery Company, with a capital of one million dollars, since augmented by three hundred and fifty thousand dollars accumulation as a reserve, all of which is paid up in cash. This company quarterly pays the State a large fund for the maintenance of its hospitals and schools and other charitable and educational purposes. The lottery is drawn monthly, without fail, in the City of New Orleans, under the personal supervision of the two ex-Confederate Chieftains, Generals P. T. Beauregard, of Louisiana, and Jubal Early, of Virginia, and the full schemes can be had by writing to M. A. Dauphin, Esq., President, Lock Box, 692, P. O., New Orleans. The next drawing is on Sept. 4.

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Portsmouth, August 11, 1877.

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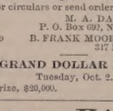

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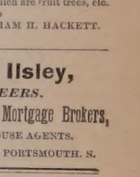

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than five nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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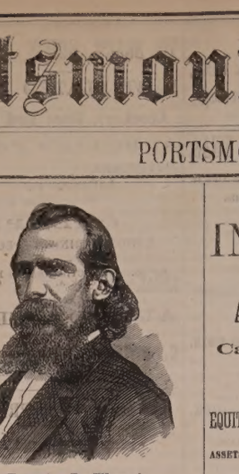

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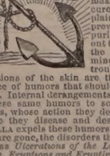

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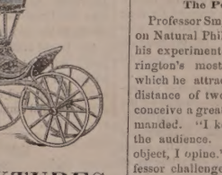

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Cats vs. Carrier-Pigeons.

A society has been formed in Belgium for the mental improvement of cats. Why cats? the reader will want to know. When explained, the thing is not near so absurd as it appears at the first flush. They are to take the place of carrier-pigeons. And here is another wonder. It is a common saying that dogs are attached to persons, and cats to places. A full-grown cat tied up in a bag and carried twenty miles from home, will be sure to find its way back, and rush into the house some morning when the kitchen door is opened. This is what the Belgians say after putting their theory to the test. They tell us that thirty cats of the city of Liege were taken in bags a long distance into the country. The animals were liberated at two o'clock in the afternoon. At 6:48 the same afternoon one of them reached his home. His feline companions arrived at Liege somewhat later, but it is understood that, within twenty hours, every one had returned. Now, in order to utilize this instinct, when a Belgian goes abroad in a region where there are no telegraphs and wishes to hold a regular communication with his family, he takes with him a given number of cats that have been reared upon his premises, writes a letter, fastens it to the collar of one of the number, which, when released, makes straightway for home, and thus performs carrier-pigeon duty.

The Rifle Matches at Creedmoor.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the National Rifle Association at New York, rules for governing the international match at Creedmoor were adopted as follows: Rifles, any not exceeding ten pounds weight, minimum pull of the trigger three pounds, distance 800, 900 and 1,000 yards; number of shots, thirty at each range by each competitor, no sighting shots. Match to last two days, competitors to fire fifteen shots at each distance upon each day, commencing at 800 yards; position, any without artificial rest. Competing teams shall be allowed the use of the range for one week previous to these matches, but on the days of this match no person will be allowed to shoot on the range at any of the distances prescribed, except as competitors. The captains of the competing teams shall elect two referees, and the referees so chosen shall appoint an umpire whose decision in all cases shall be final. For a prize, an American centennial trophy, such trophy to be shot for in each subsequent year upon the same terms in the country of the team holding it, at such time and place as said team, or a majority thereof, shall prescribe, each member of the winning team to receive a medal representing the trophy. The conditions of the Wimbledon cup match and inter-state military match are the same as last year. The inter-state long-range match is open to teams of four from all rifle associations or clubs in the country that may have affiliated with the national rifle association previously; distance 800, 900 and 1,000 yards; rifles, any within the rules; number of shots fifteen, at each range by each competitor, without sighting shots; prize, a trophy, to be held for one year, and each member of the winning team to receive a gold badge.

The Power of Attraction.

Professor Smythe was lecturing in Ossipee on Natural Philosophy, and in the course of his experiments he introduced one of Carrington's most powerful magnets, with which he attracted a block of iron from a distance of two feet. "Can any of you conceive a greater power?" the lecturer demanded. "I ken," answered a voice from the audience. "Not a natural terrestrial object, I opine." "Yaas, sir!" The professor challenged the man who had spoken to name the identical thing. Then up rose old Seth Wilmot. He was a genius in his way, and original. Said he: "I ken give ye the facts, squire, an' ye ken judge for yourself. When I were a young man, thar were a little piece of nateral magnet, done up in a kaliker an' dimity, as was called Betsey Jane. She could draw me fourteen miles every Sunday. Sakes alive, it were jest as nateral as slidin' down hill! Thar wasn't no resistin' her. That ere magnet o youra is pooty good, but 'taint a circumstance to the one that drawed me. No, sir!"

Novel suit in a Chicago Court.

Mr. Perlee H. Webster is a democratic politician of Chicago. He joined a company of rangers and went around with a big drum and a torch during the time of the election, and hallooed himself hoarse shouting for Tilden. Presently he came across a man named John E. Burton, who was a bad republican. John was shouting as loud for Hayes and Wheeler as Webster was for Tilden and Hendricks. At length these two ardent politicians came together. They argued with one another, and finally offered to back up their respective opinions by betting. Mr. Webster said he had a parcel of land in Humphrey County, Tennessee, worth $10,000, which he would put up against any similar amount of property. Burton also had a tract of Illinois land which he valued at $10,000. It was agreed that deeds should be made out to each other, which documents were to be placed in the hands of Henry Whipple, a mutual acquaintance. If Tilden was elected, Mr. Whipple was to hand over the deed of Burton's land to Webster. If Hayes was elected, Whipple was to hand over the deed of

Webster's land to Burton. The deeds were executed and placed in Whipple's hands. When election returns began to get rather mixed, and when after a while the Louisiana Returning Board got the matter of election in their own hands, Webster walked around to Mr. Whipple and informed him that his opinion was that Tilden was fairly elected, and that he should not, on any account, turn over the deed to Burton. Whipple disregarded the wishes of Webster, and soon after Hayes' inauguration he handed Burton the deed for Webster's land. Webster grieved over this treatment a good deal, and recently filed a voluminous bill in chancery against Burton and Whipple, narrating this whole transaction and calling upon the Court to set the transfer aside, and also asking for an injunction restraining Burton from selling or encumbering the property. The suit is a novel one, and one the like of which has never been seen in Chicago courts before. —*Chicago Times.*

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, AUGUST 20, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 17.

Every one save the croakers operating for Gen. Howard's disgrace is glad to learn of Gen. Sheridan's assurances to the Department that Gen. Gibbon achieved a decisive victory in his fight with the Idaho hostiles, though at a loss of 35 or 40 per cent. of his little army. Sheridan estimates the enemy's loss as proportionally much larger than our own, and believes the action will result in the early submission of the Nez Perces to Government's authority. The reported loss of Gibbon's supply train is declared unfounded, and the attack is shown to have been a complete surprise to the Indians, many of them being shot down as they issued from their places of shelter, only half awakened from their night's sleep by the shouts and cheers of the troops. It should be remembered by those impatient at Howard's seeming tardiness in overhauling Joseph, that while the Indians always move in light marching order, trusting to luck for food, our forces are necessarily encumbered with subsistence and ammunition trains, and when we are more familiar with all the facts, the alleged rashness of Gen. Gibbon may appear to have been a necessity of the situation, and that the Government is indebted to his able generalship for its exemption from a serious disaster.

Gen. Crook is said to have declined to serve on the Commission to be sent to induce the return of Sitting Bull and his braves to their reservations; and Terry, having Canby's fate in view, is not overpowered by the kindly motives of Crook in recommending him instead. It is now said that there will be no civilians included in the Commission, as there is no money available to pay for such services; but that diplomatic army officers who can best be spared, will be detailed to act in conjunction with a representative of the Canadian Government. Should the dusky warrior decline our polite invitation, as it is hoped he will, it is intimated that our Government will hold the Canadian authorities to a strict accountability for raids that he may organize on their territory against us.

Intelligence from Mexico leads to a belief that a conflict between Diaz's troops and our own is imminent and may occur at any moment. It is believed that unless the Mexican raiders who recently came across the Rio Grande, released two desperadoes from the jail at Rio Grande City, shot several Texas officials and then escaped with their prisoners to the Mexican town Carmago, are promptly arrested with the released prisoners, our military authorities will be instructed to take them wherever found. Gov. Hubbard has made a demand for their extradition and the whole matter is now under the consideration of Washington officials to whom it was referred by General Ord.

The Boynton-Moore controversy has apparently enlisted upon the one side or the other our entire adult male population. Besides the subordinate officials implicated it has directed attention anew to the secret service and special agent departments of the Treasury, and many removals are rumored. Mr. Galpin's decapitation as Chief Clerk of the Indian Bureau and that of many other of its employes, is regarded as pretty certain to follow the report of the Commission, which for three months has been secretly investigating its affairs. To his complaints, which appear well founded, that he has been allowed no opportunity to defend himself from charges of unknown accusers, Mr. Schurz responds that he shall be allowed every opportunity for defence.

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News and Notes.

The national monument to the forefathers at Plymouth, Mass., was placed in position upon its pedestal on Thursday last. It is a colossal figure of "Faith," cut from a block of white granite. The height of the figure is thirty-six feet. The erection of the monument was begun in 1855, after plans designed by the late Hammatt Billings. Since his death the work has been carried forward under the direction of his brother. The figure, which cost nearly $40,000, has been paid for by some one whose name has been kept secret at his own desire.

A worthy citizen of North Stonington, Conn., named Le Roy Park, one afternoon last week, while in hot pursuit of his cow, fell from the summit of a precipice some thirty feet high. Fortunately he came out feeling sufficiently able to pick a quart of huckleberries for a customer that very evening.

Providence seems to be in a fix over the break-down of its big pumping engine through its being placed over a bed of quicksand. The building still continues to settle, and it is understood that the makers of the engine decline to repair and guarantee it, and one paper calls the $250,000 building and engine "practical wrecks."

Gov. Hartranft of Pennsylvania has called for volunteers, to serve three months.

Col. Nicholas Smith, Ida Greeley's husband, is under bonds to answer for assaulting and horse-whipping Warren Bliss, a gentleman of Chappaqua, N. Y., the trouble having arisen over a question of "precedence" at the post-office. Col. Smith, who is a Kentuckian, is said to be very unpopular among the people of Chappaqua, where he resides, on account of his aristocratic bearing. The villagers call him insolent and overbearing; and whether he is or not, it is certain he is no favorite of theirs. They do not seem to properly appreciate the honor of having a genuine "chivalry" reside in their midst.

A matrimonial epidemic has broken out among the venerable widowers of East Greenwich, R. I., and no less than three septuagenarians have recently been joined in wedlock to blooming widows ranging in age from forty-six to fifty-eight.

A correspondent says, "No Hotel in Boston is kept so bright and clean as the 'old reliable' favorite, the 'American.' The prices have been reduced to $3.00 and $3.50 per day to suit the times, but the table is kept up to its standard of supreme excellence, and is said by travellers to be the best in the city."

Senor Mantilla, the Spanish minister at Washington, officially states that Spain is disposed to satisfy complaints which the United States may desire to make in regard to the cases of the vessels Rising Sun and Elen Rizpah, even before formulated, and to prevent hereafter any cause for similar ones arising. It appears that the acts complained of were committed by the same officer, a subaltern of rank equivalent to that of a coxswain in our navy, through a misunderstanding or excess of zeal. Mantilla states that the Spanish Government directs him to give the Government assurance that hereafter all stipulations of the treaty shall be strictly observed, even by the smallest vessels of the Spanish navy, toward any American vessel found along the Cuban coast and in the Spanish maritime jurisdiction, and that orders have been given by the Captain-General to that effect.

The Springfield *Republican* says: "Judge West seems to be fully as capable of demagogueism as Stanley Matthews. We wonder what would happen to Ohio if a campaign should be conducted there once with cold truth!" Charles Francis Adams is the cold truth.—*N. O. Pic.*

New Hampshire Items.

A passenger train on the Manchester & Lawrence Railroad was thrown from the track at Derry on Friday by a misplaced switch, but no person was injured.

A barn belonging to John Farnham of North Haverhill, containing about 50 tons of hay and a large quantity of grain, was struck by lightning and burned Friday afternoon. Loss $1000. No insurance.

In the Nashua Police Court, Friday, Miss Lizzie Wheeler was sentenced to sixty days for embezzlement.

The Coroner's jury in a case of infanticide alleged against William Waugh and Ann Gorman of Nashua has rendered a verdict that the child was born alive, and came to its death by the hands of its parents, in some way to jury unknown. Waugh is in Manchester jail to answer to this charge, and also one of adultery with the woman Gorman.

The President and family, with members of his Cabinet, have accepted an invitation to tarry at the Weirs for a few hours on Thursday, August 23. An extra train will take the President and friends from Plymouth to the camp-ground at 8 A. M.

Mr. David Miller, an old resident of Pepperell, while at work in the hay-field with his son on the 7th inst., was stricken with heart disease, and fell back into his son's arms and died immediately. His age was seventy-five.

Right About Face.

The Washington correspondent of the Boston *Post* writes:

"There is a movement on foot here which will be vigorously pressed at the coming session of Congress to induce that body to increase the infantry regiments of the army to twelve companies each, instead of ten, as now constituted, and allow each regiment an additional lieutenant-colonel and major. If successful it would give to the army twenty-five additional lieutenants colonels, the same number of majors, fifty captains and one hundred lieutenants, in all two hundred commissioned officers. The pressure for such increase comes from the South, the object being, if successful, to induce the President to select officers thus to be appointed from that section. It is thought by those who will agitate the subject that if the President will assure the Southern representatives that he will select officers from the South that it will receive the almost solid support of its representatives, and certainly sufficient to carry the measure through Congress. It will be urged upon the Southern representatives that such legislation will tend to produce an era of good feeling toward the army in the South, and will remove the prejudice which has existed against it since the close of the war. Inasmuch as such a movement would tend to further popularize the President among Southern people it is now probable that he will recommend legislation looking to an increase of the army, and will cite the experience of the recent railroad strikes as evidence that a larger military establishment is desirable."

The *Post* heads this paragraph "An effort to popularize the President in the South by increasing the army." It should be labelled "The southern democrats going for the loaves and fishes." After all the spouting of democratic demagogues against the need of supporting even our present handful of an army, it is suddenly discovered that the army needs to be largely increased in men and officers—that is, provided these officers are taken from the South, which is equivalent to saying if ex-rebel officers are appointed.

The Apollinaris.

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—Irish boatman (to timid Tenton)—"Och, niver mind what they've been telling ye about the boat. She do capsize aisy, it's true, but that's nothing; she rights herself again in a jiffy."

—What a picnic would do without hornets is a matter of conjecture, as there never has been a way to find out. A hornet is not denominational. It goes to all picnics. And it is a desirable adjunct. It tends to modify greediness, besides adding largely to the general enthusiasm. Five hornets at a small table will do more to level social distinctions and to promote social intercourse than an awful disaster in a village.—*Danbury News.*

—The Louis Quinze boot-heel is a thing of beauty, but by no means a joy forever to its wearer. A lady wears a pair of sweet little bottines with heels four inches high. She suffers agonies, and, which is worse, the dear heels twist and warp till they look like a pair of leather corkscrews. The shoemaker is summoned in haste. He examines the heels, feels their pulses, tries auscultation, analyzes them, when suddenly he has an idea. "I know what's wrong with these boots!" he cries; "you've been walking in them!"—*French Paper.*

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You are hereby notified that said MARCELLUS BUFFORD will exhibit his account of Guardianship unto his said wards, at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

By order of the Judge,
WOODBURY M. DURGIN, Register of Probate.

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TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of Melinda Hilliard, late of Newcastle, in said County, widow, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, greeting:

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	8.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The fishing schooner Belle, of Gloucester, Mass., Luke Bassett master, ran ashore on Duck island, Isles of Shoals, at about nine o'clock Friday night, and was totally wrecked, the crew saving nothing but what they stood in. There was a thick haze on the water at the time the schooner went ashore. She was a forty-ton vessel, old but in good condition, and well fitted; was insured in the Provincetown mutual company to the amount of $600. The crew were taken off by schooner Luella Curtis, Capt. Merchant, of Gloucester, landed at Appledore island, and brought in to this city Saturday morning by the Appledore steamer.

Col. J. C. Butler's regular excursion (advertised in another column,) to the Shoals in steamer Appledore comes off next Thursday; tickets for the round trip, (to be procured *only* of Col. Butler,) 75 cents each. In addition to the regular day trip, he will also have a moonlight excursion on the evening of the same day, the Appledore leaving the wharf at six o'clock and the Shoals at half-past eight; Harlow's band will furnish music.

The Exeter *News-Letter* says an Italian greyhound belonging to Dr. Junkins, of Greenland, which was bitten some weeks ago by a dog supposed to be mad, exhibited all the symptoms of hydrophobia a few days ago, and was shot.

The Exeter *Gazette* says a young fellow belonging in this city ran the toll at South Newmarket bridge a few days ago, and was charged only fifteen dollars for his fun, a night's lodging in the lockup at Newmarket being thrown in.

Rev. Samuel Moody was a graduate of the class of 1697, and was settled in York, Me., where he preached forty-nine years. There was in his parish a family which had a child born unto them, very fair and beautiful, insomuch that they decided to call him Absalom. When presented for baptism, Father Moody asked his name. When told it was Absalom, he said with earnestness, "Absalom? Absalom was a proud and rebellious son and sought his father's life, and his name ought not to be kept in remembrance. The child's name is David. David, I baptize thee in the name," etc. That any objection to this was made by the parents tradition saith not.—*Cor. Biddeford Journal.*

The members of the Portsmouth Cornet Band say they knew nothing about their having disbanded until they say it in the local papers. Well, in the local papers is the proper place to look for the local news. Now is the time to subscribe.

The two fellows, Charles M. Cobbitt and James F. Taylor, of Pittston, Me., who came to this port some time ago in a sloop yacht they had stolen from Gardiner and re-named "Osto," and who were arrested here by Assistant Marshal Gray and sent back to Maine to be tried, were on Friday convicted at Augusta, Mr. Gray being one of the witnesses against them.

The old Ham house at the Creek, which has caused at least three alarms of fire at different times, has been torn down. Good Job.

Messrs. Thomas Entwistle and Joseph R. Holmes were qualified, the first named as City Marshal and the latter as Street Commissioner, on Friday evening, and commenced their respective duties on Saturday.

ANOTHER APOLOGY.

In Friday morning's CHRONICLE we had an item about the yacht "Cock Robin" running on Seaward's ledge and staving in her garboard strakes, the skipper carrying the man with him ashore "pig-back," etc. When we got to the office, some hours after the paper was issued, we found on our desk a card bearing the name of the Cock Robin's commander, and with it a sheet of paper on which somebody—we think we detect the hand of the "devil" in this business—had made pen-and-ink sketches of an irate sailor throwing the editor out of the window, scalping the editor, kicking the editor down stairs, cramming the editor into the coal-box, and in other ways maltreating that worthy member of society. After a brief interview with the official demon we fixed things so that we could retire to the roof, haul up the ladder, and close the scuttle and sit on it, on the slightest provocation; laid a revolver under a pile of exchanges on our desk; arranged the paste pot, big scissors and paper weights where they would be handy to grab and throw; slipped a sword cane up our sleeve and the sheep's-foot in the hip pocket of our pants, and proceeded to wait for developments. But no developments arrived, and having stood a state of siege all Friday and Saturday, we have concluded to make the *amende honorable*, as the easiest way of getting out of it. We are tired of emigrating to the roof every time we hear a footstep on the lower flight of stairs; that's what's the matter with us; we can't run up a ladder so easily as we used to, when we only weighed a hundred and forty-five. Now, therefore, we would inform the captain that it is of no use to call at the office hoping to catch us before ten o'clock in the forenoon, as we generally lie abed until that hour; after that we are usually absent the rest of the day, getting shaved, etc. Further, that it would pain us much more to have one of our friends scalped than to be scalped ourself; that Mr. Rashe Trefethen, of Kittery, is one of our valued friends; and that if wishes to punish us with the utmost severity he will scalp Rashe—we had just as lief he would scalp Rashe as not. Also, we acknowledge that we were misled, deluded and deceived by the man who told us about the Cock Robin running upon Seaward's ledge, and hereby retract everything we or others have said or may hereafter say on the subject; we do not believe there is any such boat as the Cock Robin, and we are sure that Seaward's ledge exists only in the imagination of our informant. If there is anything else our friend the skipper wants us to say before he will sign a treaty of peace, all he has got to do is to write it out and send it to us, and we'll print it; we are not going to war for lack of making an apology, and when we commence to apologize we go the whole figure, and no fooling.

[Communicated.]

VISITING GOOD TEMPLARS.

A delegation of some twenty-five Good Templars, members of Centennial Lodge, I. O. G. T., of Dover, came to this city on Thursday evening, on a social visit to Rockingham Lodge of Portsmouth. Of course it is not possible to report the "work" which followed; but it can scarcely do harm to say that a spirited and interesting debate was one feature, and that the Dover G. T's found the Portsmouth Lodge has its lights "trimmed and burning," and is ready (in "F., H. and C.,") to challenge any lodge to slow a better record for practical work accomplished. The visitors were much pleased with the reception given them, and it is presumed that the Portsmouth members of the order feel encouraged by such manifestations of interest in their success.

P. L.

A visitor to the Bennington celebration says the honors are pretty evenly divided,—New York furnished a battle-field, New Hampshire men fought the battle, and Vermont has the monument that commemorates it.—*Traveller.*

A San Antonio, Texas, despatch says that Gen. Benavides telegraphs to Gen. Ord that of eight of the outlaws who have attacked the Rio Grande jail, five reside in Camargo, Mexio, and the other two in Texas. Three have been captured, and the prospect of the capture of the others is good. He also stated that the neutrality laws should be enforced.

—An unpaid-for yacht is now politely termed a floating debt.

—Fancy feathers for fall are among the coming events that cast their shadow before.

—A Mississippi Granger is opposed to railroads. He says that when he goes to town they "bring him home so quick he hasn't time to get sober before he arrives."

—Miss Fanny Davenport, the actress, passed her summer vacation in London, and from her lodgings looked across the streets into the windows of the room where her parents carried on their courtship.

—M. Gustave Dore, who recently returned from London to Paris, is working on a colossal vase, ornamented with one hundred and fifty figures, and intended for the great Exhibition of next year.

—About fifty anchors and an immense quantity of chain-cable were recently gathered from the St. Lawrence river, near the breakwater—the accumulation of years. The cluster is at Quebec and attracts numerous visitors.

—Rev. Phillips Brooks says that a backwoodsman on hearing Bishop Mead, of the Protestant Episcopal Church, preach a sermon in a frontier church without a manuscript, said: "He is the first of them fine fellers that I have ever seen who could shoot without a rest."

—Mr. M. McNulty of San Francisco lost his beloved wife and two beloved children, and in his grief, as a witness testified, "took hold of a Chinaman to throw him into the bay, to keep up his courage, like." The grief-stricken husband and father was fined $150.

—A Chicago man was asked by a policeman why he was sitting on a doorstep at a late hour in the night. He replied that he lived there, had been put out because his wife thought that he was drunk, and that he proposed to wait there until she was asleep and then crawl into the house throught the cellar window.

—One of the school board inspectors asked a small pupil of what the surface of the earth consists, and was promptly answered, "Land and water." He varied the question slightly that the fact might be impressed on the boy's mind, and asked, "What then do land and water make?" to which came the immediate response, "Mud."

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The State of Louisiana, at the close of the war, found itself in a very crippled condition, financially; so the authorities imitated the example of Congress at the close of the Revolutionary war, and that of the States of Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania and New York, as well as many other commonwealths in times gone by, and in 1868 incorporated some of its leading citizens in the Louisiana State Lottery Company, with a capital of one million dollars, since augmented by three hundred and fifty thousand dollars accumulation as a reserve, all of which is paid up in cash. This company quarterly pays the State a large fund for the maintenance of its hospitals and schools and other charitable and educational purposes. The lottery is drawn monthly, without fail, in the City of New Orleans, under the personal supervision of the two ex-Confederate Chieftains, Generals P. T. Beauregard, of Louisiana, and Jubal Early, of Virginia, and the full schemes can be had by writing to M. A. Dauphin, Esq., President, Lock Box, 692, P. O., New Orleans. The next drawing is on Sept. 4.

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JENNESS. In Rye, Aug. 13, Mrs. Mary L. Jenness, widow of Mr. Joseph Jenness, aged 77 years and 8 months.

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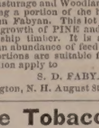

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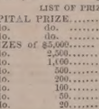

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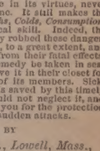

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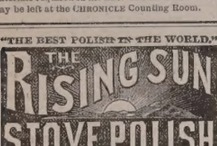

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 30, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEE. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the ground. All owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And any person maintaining such pen or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substance.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Romance of Fort George Island.

Fort George Island—a winter resort at the St. John's River, Florida, which is coming into fashion—is the subject of an enthusiastic writer in *Scribner*, who relates the following story:

"The young owner of the island, cultivating hundreds of acres and raising enormous crops of cotton and sugar, used to build schooners in a ship-yard of his own, and imported slaves directly from the African coast, selling to his neighbors such as he did not want. He was unmarried. Perhaps no one of the daughters of the neighboring planters could be persuaded to share the lonely life which could hardly have appeared attractive in any woman's eyes; perhaps he preferred a life of freedom and independence. However that may have been, he was in the habit of going occasionally to Africa himself and of buying his slaves from the native chiefs, who disposed in this way of their prisoners of war.

During one of these visits, while engaged in bargaining, he was struck with the grace and beauty of the chief's young daughter, a child of ten years old. He proposed to buy her, but she was a favorite child and her father could not part with her. Persuasions were for a time unavailing, but at length the savage father, unable to resist the glitter of the white man's gold, agreed to part with his child upon condition that she should be treated with consideration and brought up as becomes a king's daughter. The planter promised, and, strange to say, he kept his word. She was kindly cared for and well educated, and in course of time became the planter's lawful wife. She had, according to tradition, with the exception of a dark skin, none of the usual negro characteristics. Her handsome features were regular, her hair smooth, her presence dignified and commanding. Her husband seems never to have regretted his unusual course, and her influence over her captive countrymen was unbounded. In addition to her position and superior intelligence was the consideration of her native rank, which to them at least was a source of unquestioned right.

The establishment was kept up in almost princely style. The sons were sent to England to be educated; for the daughters French and English governesses were procured, and established in separate houses near the mansion; white artisans of various kinds were constantly employed, making quite a large community aside from the hundreds of slaves upon the island. And over all this, in her husband's long and frequent absences, reigned our dusky princess, as absolute in her insular domain as her savage father in his native wilds. She had a strong and powerful mind, and womanly kindness and sympathy as well. One old negro, who died some time since, so old that no one could remember him as other than old, used to tell how he was brought over when young to this island, where he had lived ever since, and how he and others, sick and exhausted, were ministered to by the "missis" own hands, and how they all loved her and always prayed, 'Lord bless Ma'am Hannah!' Every morning as she stood upon this very spot the field hands passed in review before her, each gang with its driver, going to their daily work. She inspected them all, picking out such as were unfit for labor and sending them to the hospital or to lighter tasks; and every night in the same spot she heard a report of the day, examined into all complaints, and with strict justice adjudged each offender's punishment; and without her order not a lash could be given."

Aldine's Sweet Home.

As I spoke, Aldine came down the stair and stood in blushing radiance on the lowest step; for I started back with a cry of surprise—though always beautiful, she had never appeared so bewilderingly lovely. Aldine stood in a pretty attitude, one dainty dimpled hand, with its rosy finger tips, drawing aside her dress, the other holding gloves scarcely less white than they. Her hair rippled in golden waves of graded ringlets down her back, and rose in a fluffy mass from her low white forehead; a Juno rose and a spray of green leaves being the only ornament. One white shoulder rose, like Venus, from a sea of fleecy drapery. Her eyes, of the darkest, deepest blue, flashed a sunny smile at me, and her tiny foot with its satin slipper peeped coquettishly from beneath a bewildering toilet of tulle, silk and rosebuds. She seemed to float in the air, and I involuntarily put out my hands to stay her flight. But no! there she stood—and all at once her rosy mouth opened, disclosing a set of pearly teeth, and, in a voice as clear and sweet as the tinkle of silver bells, she murmured "Oh, Jack, I do hope they'll have lobster salad!" —*Graphic.*

Governors' Week at Philadelphia.

An invitation has been extended by the Exhibitors at the Permanent International Exhibition to the Governors of all the States and Territories of the Union, to visit the Exhibition during the last week in August, for purposes of general conference. It promises to be a notable event, and arrangements are being perfected to make the visit highly enjoyable to the participants. The programme includes a preliminary meeting at Independence Hall, on Tuesday, August 28th; a formal reception at the Exhibition by the Exhibitors and Management, on Wednesday; a grand in-

dustrial parade from the manufactories of the city, reviewed by the Governors, on Thursday; visiting leading manufactories, on Friday; a visit to Cape May over Sunday. The trip will be further extended to New York, (with a stop at the Trenton potteries,) where three or four days will be devoted to an examination of New York industries, and then to Boston and the manufacturing cities of Lowell, Lawrence, and Waltham, closing with a trip to the White Mountains.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 21, 1877.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Erzeroum says that a great battle took place on Saturday at Makardez Tabia, a town ten miles from Erzeroum, in which 35,000 Russian infantry and ten regiments of cavalry, with 110 guns, attacked Mouhktar Pasha, who was intrenched at that place. An artillery battle lasted from seven o'clock in the morning until evening, when the Russians retreated, losing about 1000 men and leaving much material on the field.

A despatch from Bucharest says General Todleben has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Danubian Army. Todleben is the general who so gallantly defended Sebastopol from the allied armies during the Crimean war. A despatch from Vienna reports the junction of the armies under Sulieman and Mehemet Ali, and that a great battle is imminent near Bebrova. Russian despatches say Osman Pasha's strong position at Plevna is an uncomfortable one, the Russian cavalry having cut off his communications with Sophia and captured his convoys of ammunition and provisions.

The Regular Army.

The *Army and Navy Journal* found in the labor troubles an excellent text on which to preach a sermon in relation to the reckless partisanship displayed in dealing with the army by the last Congress, and has ably "improved the occasion" to urge the placing of the army on a proper footing by recruiting the existing regiments to their full strength, and the adoption of some kind of general law for the government of the militia. It closes an able article on this subject in its issue of Aug. 18th, as follows:

"America has thrown open her doors and offered an asylum and a home to the oppressed of all nations of the earth, and she is now reaping the bitter fruits of her generosity. The ignorant and the depraved have formed (of late years) a large percentage of our increase from foreign immigration. They have filled our prisons, workhouses, and poorhouses, and have increased the police expenses of the country immensely, and have been generally an undesirable addition to our population. They have overcrowded the labor market, reduced the price of a day's work, have pushed the native out of his home and forced him to seek a livelihood further west, and now are the first to raise the hand of agrarianism in our midst. These facts can no longer be denied or evaded, and the very power of organization exhibited by the rebellious spirit warns us of future dangers which must be met, while the general timidity of the daily press in dealing with the subject of the crime involved in rioting shows how strong is the party which upholds mob law. In common with the real people of America, the self-respecting majority of the inhabitants of our whole country, we hold the doctrines of these papers to be pernicious and opposed to the true theory of all government—the greatest good of the greatest number—as shown in the supremacy of law against every form of usurpation, whether by a mob or a 'safety commitee' so called. To render the law supreme at all times, it must have an efficient instrument, that can be relied on under any circumstances to sustain the will of the majority expressed by law. The only instrument that we have found by experience to answer this purpose perfectly as far as it goes, is the regular army; and after it comes the militia, in exact proportion to its discipline and organization. The first step, then, dictated by the plain necessity of the hour, is to remove from the army those unwise restrictions which have crippled its efficiency for the past year or two. It needs no substantial increase by regiments, but it does need to be recruited up to the full standard of numbers adequate to the service which it is actually forced to perform. The next step is to increase by a general law the strength, instruction, and discipline of the militia, in close connection with the army, with a bureau in the War Department devoted to establishing uniformity of instruction throughout the States, so that from the ranks of the army and militia a force formidable alike in peace and war may be raised. Should such a reform be hastened by the consequences of the late riots, the lesson will be cheaply learned. As it is, the events of a week have shown us that we stand on the brink of an abyss as formidable as that which yawned before us in 1861. Shall we heed the lesson in time? We trust so for the sake of our country."

News and Notes.

At Shawsheen Grove, Ballardvale, Mass., Sunday afternoon, three thousand people listened to the most outspoken declarations of free love doctrines by Mattie Sawyer, Stephen Pearl Andrews, Leo Miller, Julia Severance, Elvira L. Hull and Moses Hull. The lawful wife of Hull, who is now living as the "affinity" of a Vineland, N. J., man, read a declaration that she has no enmity to Mattie Sawyer, Hull's present affinity. Hull presented a declaration of principles, denouncing marriage as the cause of idiocy, insanity, rape, adultery, drunkenness and murder, and urged that previous to making a civil contract to consort together, people should live with each other as affinities.

Five young men went sailing on a pond at Gray, Me., Saturday. When some distance from shore one of them persisted in climbing the mast, and a puff of wind capsized the boat. Three of the party were drowned.

A young gentleman who has been teaching school in Tennessee, but who prefers ease and comfort and plenty of money to a life of toil, has opened his heart in the presence of a Western editor. "To be an editor," he sighs, "to sit in an elegant sanctum, with nothing to do but write, to go when and where I please free of cost, and lead the editor's quiet life of ease, without care or trouble of any sort, is the height of my ambition."

A petition, praying for the commutation of the sentence of Albert F. Joy, the Rockport (Mass.) murderer, from death by hanging to imprisonment for life, has been prepared by his counsel, and is receiving many signatures in Newburyport and elsewhere.

A Chicago dispatch says Gen. Sheridan believes that Joseph's band will attempt to strike the headwaters of Tongue River, through the Yellowstone Park. Gen. Sherman is in Yellowstone Park with only five men as escort. Much alarm is felt for his safety.

Steamer Alert arrived at Hong Kong July 24th from a cruise to Dampier Straits. This vessel was sent by Admiral Reynolds to search for ten or twelve persons reported shipwrecked on an island near Dampier Straits. Admiral Reynolds had not received particulars of the cruise at the time he wrote.

The Permanent International Exhibition, at Philadelphia, offers to merchants in every part of the country facilities such as were never before presented for the examination and comparison of all the various styles and qualities of manufactured goods that are placed on the market. A day or two spent there before making purchases will enable any intelligent buyer to enter the market at a great advantage. It has surprised all who have visited the Exhibition to find so grand and complete a display of American industries, while the grouping of exhibits in classes is admirably adapted to facilitate comparison.

The account given by the official telegrams of Gen. Gibbon's brave fight with the Indians needs little comment. Gen. Gibbon acted on the principle which has ruled our army from necessity ever since its organization—to strike Indians wherever found and in whatever force. This desperate policy is dictated by necessity. If our troops counted numbers in an Indian fight they would never engage, for the disparity is always enormous, and will be as long as the army is confined to its present limits. What is certain about this last battle is that it was desperately and heroically fought, and that the final prize of victory rested with the army, the Indians leaving their dead on the field. That the price of victory was paid in the loss of nearly half of the attacking party, makes the victory itself all the more precious, and we trust that Congress will reward every man that fought at the Big Hole battle for his heroism.—*Army and Navy Journal.*

James H. Lee, one of the seamen on board the Kearsarge when the rebel steamer Alabama was captured, and one of the three sailors thanked by the Navy Department for conspicuous coolness and bravery during that contest, has died in New York of brain fever.

It appears that Gambetta made an important political speech at Lille, some days ago, and the unfortunate French papers are just getting bold enough to mention the fact and give some extracts from it. He was out-spoken against the Bonapartists, whom he called the party of invasion, and he declared that MacMahon must submit to the will of the people. There must be either submission or resignation.

New Hampshire Items.

Captain Arthur S. Nesmith died suddenly in Franklin, Saturday evening, of hemorrhage of the lungs, at the residence of his father, Hon. George W. Nesmith. He contracted malaria while in the army, from which he never fully recovered. He was Quartermaster of the Third Regiment of this State and afterwards of the defences of Washington. His age was forty-four years. He leaves a wife and two children at his residence at Arlington Heights, near Washington.

A heavy shower visited Manchester Saturday night; the rain fell in torrents and flooded the streets. One could go from Manchester to Lowell streets along Elm street easily in a row-boat. Many cellars were flooded, from two to four feet deep. The steam fire engines were summoned out to pump. The lightning seriously interrupted the fire alarm telegraph.

The Methodist church in Goffstown was struck by lightning, Saturday, and burned to the ground. Loss, $4000; no insurance. The organ and carpets were saved.

Joseph Currier's house in Belmont was burned Saturday afternoon, together with the barn and the farm produce in it. Cause, defective chimney. The buildings were insured $600.

Frank Dakin, of Manchester, aged thirty-eight years, cut his throat on Sunday night with a razor. He was a young man of correct habits, and much esteemed. It is supposed he had suddenly become insane, as insanity was hereditary in his family.

The citizens of the Granite State present at the Bennington celebration write in praise of the appearance and deportment of the military companies sent to represent her in the procession and parades incident to the occasion. On the route, both going and returning, and while at Bennington, there was not the slightest breach of discipline nor of decorum, but every officer and soldier carried himself as a gentleman should and with a due appreciation of the fact that he was a representative of the grand old Commonwealth whose heroic sons of the hundred years ago did so much toward winning the battle of Bennington.—*Concord Monitor.*

Timothy Cronin, a boy twelve years old, was killed in Manchester on Monday by being run over by a freight train, from which he jumped when it was in motion. He was stealing a ride. His widowed mother became insane.

Mr. Benjamin P. Sanborn, of Candia, has in his possession quite a curiosity. It is a large cent, coined in the year 1787. On one side is a circle, made up of thirteen small circles, linked together, signifying thirteen States, which at that time constituted the United States. Inside of this circle is a small one, around which are the words "United States," and in the centre of it, "We are one." On the face of the cent is the figure of the rising sun, and directly below it is a sun dial with the hours marked around it. A ray of light is thrown directly across the dial and points to six o'clock. Below the dial are the words "Mind your business," and on the left side "Fugio;" on the right side are the figures 1787. Mr. Sanborn has another cent, bearing the date 1794. On the rim are stamped the words, "One hundred for a dollar."

— Mr. Labouchere, who owns three theatres and *London Truth*, says:—"In America young ladies are accustomed to sit all day in darkened rooms in order to bleach themselves." Mr. Labouchere knows about as much about American girls as the editor of an agricultural newspaper knows about farming.

—There was one Syracuse man who didn't dare to go home at all the other night, but slept out under the trees somewhere. He had been on a Sunday-school railroad excursion, and when the party started home, was so gallant in assisting a handsome young lady on board the cars that he let his wife miss the train, and she had to follow on by the way freight. Under the circumstances, we don't think home would have been exactly safe for him. —*New York Commercial.*

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

By the Judge of Probate for said County.

TO Georgiette Wood, Mary A. Wood and Ann T. Wood, all of Portsmouth in said County, minors, and the Guardianship of MARCELLUS BUFFORD, their heirs expectant, and all other persons interested.

You are hereby notified that said MARCELLUS BUFFORD will exhibit his account of Guardianship unto his said wards, at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

By order of the Judge,
WOODBURY M. DURGIN, Register of Probate.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

By the Judge of Probate for said County.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of Mehitable Hilliard, late of Newcastle, in said County, widow, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, greeting.

You are hereby notified that WILLIAM W. MARTIN, administrator of the estate of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden in Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for examination and allowance.

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WE now propose starting the KEARSARGE MILLS SEPTEMBER 3d, 1877, and we do not think we can do so any earlier to our advantage. Should we find it advisable to start sooner due notice will be given.
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" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45	"	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	"
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	"	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40,	10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	5.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, August 20th.

Bridget Sykes was charged with having been drunk. She denied this, but admitted that she was badly deceived and made to act queerly by two morphine powders which she took. Other evidence seemed to show that Bridget was mistaken, and she was ordered to pay $9.90, fine and costs.

Mary Jones, who has served several terms at Brentwood for drunkenness, was sent up once more on account of not having $9.90 to pay for her last drunk.

Richard Roberts, drunk, $9.90. Brentwood.

Another young man was also assessed $9.90 for drunkenness, from which he appealed. As it is the first time his name has been given to us in connection with Police Court reports we refrain from printing it, hoping it will also be the last time we shall hear of him in such a way.

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PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Attention is called to the sale by auction at noon to-day, at Stone's eating house on Ladd street, of valuable real estate. This property will probably bring a good price, as it has always commanded good rents, and is within a stone's throw of Market square. See advertisement of "Mortgagee's Sale" in another column.

The third excursion to the Shoals under the auspices of the Woman's Temperance League, per steamer Appledore, comes off to-day. Fare, 75 cents for the round trip; children under 12 years of age half price; tickets for sale by David Kimball & Co.

The Hutchinson Family, "Tribe of Asa," who are to sing at Franklin Hall on Thursday evening, gave a concert in Dover on the evening of the 15th inst., of which the Dover *Democrat* speaks as follows: "The excellence of the concert by the Hutchinsons in the Methodist church last night cannot be properly portrayed in words. Neither can anything we or anybody may say in favor of the 'tribe of Asa' add anything to their reputation as the sweetest vocalists in the country. They are without rivals in their splendid entertainments. The large church was full of people, and the universal expression is that no such nicely adapted and perfectly pleasing concert was ever before given in Dover."

Lieut. George W. Rand, of the famous New York Seventh Regiment, formerly of this city and now one of the landlords of the St. Cloud Hotel in New York city, is stopping at the Shoals.

On Saturday afternoon, little Matt. Cotter, a boy ten years old, fell from a pile of boards on Samuel Adams & Co.'s wharf into the river. The tide was at half-flood and running very rapidly, and the boy was being swept away to certain death when Mr. Robert Anderson, the efficient officer in charge at the navy yard landing, jumped into a boat and reached the drowning boy just as he disappeared beneath the surface for the third time. One moment's hesitation or delay and Mr. Anderson would have been too late to save the little fellow. Several persons owe their preservation from drowning to Mr. Anderson's promptness and energy.—*Times.*

The Boston *Journal* of Monday says: "The fine ship Chocorua, of Portsmouth, N. H., Captain Matthews, arrived at this port to-day after a passage of one hundred and six days from Singapore, bringing a valuable cargo of tin, sugar, gambier, nutmegs, pepper, etc."

The schooner Water Lily, Capt. Wyman, from St. Stephens, N. B., with a load of railroad sleepers, arrived at this port some time ago, discharged her cargo, and sailed on her return about the 10th inst. On Monday a telegram was received in this city from the schooner's owners, asking where the vessel had got to, but nobody could answer it; but as her captain, who is a very well informed man and most agreeable companion, has one very serious failing, it is supposed he has put in at some port between here and St. Stephens "to see a man."

The working model of the famous Strasburg clock, which has attracted great attention in Boston for many months past, will be on exhibition in Congress Hall next week, commencing on Monday. It is one of the mechanical wonders of the age.

Steamer Everett, of Salisbury, with a party of gentlemen from that place, visited our harbor on Saturday.

The grocery store of Mr. Rufus Barrell at York Harbor was broken into a few nights ago, and about $40 in money and $60 in goods stolen.

Steamer Sagamore was out on Atkinson street, Monday afternoon, for another trial, and worked to the entire satisfaction of the engineers, with one stream and then with two. This engine is now in fully as good condition for service as when she was new.

The first private business telephone put up in this city has just been put by the telegraph operator at the Eastern depot, who is the agent for the telephone in this city, connecting C. E. Walker & Co's office at the north end of Market street with their office on Water street. Now, when the men in the two offices wish to confer, all they have to do is talk to the tin pans at their respective ends of the wire, and the tin pans talk back.

Men Who Failed.

Perhaps we should not too greatly blame the public men who have failed in this strange and unlooked for test. Not to speak of those journalists, (mostly democratic, thank heaven,) who have basely pandered to the mob and have done its dirty work, those governors and mayors who proved unequal to the demand of the hour probably did so in most cases from innate poverty of spirit and resources. The Mayor of Toledo put himself at the head of the mob. The mayor of Cincinnati disgracefully bowed to its decrees. The mayor of Indianapolis wilted into imbecility in its presence, and the governor of Indiana could not have acted more completely as the mob desired if he had been one of its most trusted leaders. But he folded his limp hands, because he is a driveler and an incompetent, and sat down in the chair which Morton once filled, while a mob, holding possession of his capital, trampled law under unholy feet, and reveled and rioted in his very presence.—*Anderson (Ind.) Herald.*

Personal Courage.

Brave men are seldom inclined to throw the first stone of reprobation at a coward, for they know how peculiar a quality courage is, varying in the same person towards different objects, and sometimes even affected by changing moods and circumstances. A man who would not blench from fire in a pitched battle may dread a street fight in which he may get kicked, bruised and disfigured. A man whom nothing can terrify on land may be a very baby on the water. A stout man-at-arms has often been panic stricken at the idea of a ghost. The bravest man in the army of Pyrrhus was afflicted with a grievous disease, but he became very cautious and worthless when the King's physician cured him. Frederick the Great was frightened at his first battle. The young soldiers of Pompey fought well until Cæsar's veterans struck at their comely faces. A man not afraid to encounter a lion may shrink at the sight of a snake, and he who has a reckless disregard of mankind in general may have a mysterious dread of one particular person. This truth Homer understood thoroughly and made his heroes run away one day and charge the next, as the mood prompted them or as the men of whom they stood in terror were present in the battle or absent in the tents. Blessed is the possession of serene strong courage, for the man who has it walks through life unruffled by the vague but tormenting demons of the imagination. He suffers not from blows that are never struck, from ambuscades that are not laid, from burglars that pick no locks and break open no safes. But the poor coward is ever in dread of shadows that strike more terror to his soul than the substance of real evils.—*World.*

Scaring away the Eclipse.

Soon after my arrival at Bagdad, on the evening of the first day in May, as we were dining on the terrace, we were startled by a most terrific din. We then noticed that there was nearly a total eclipse of the moon, and upon consulting an English almanac we found that it would be "invisible at Greenwich, but a total eclipse in Australia and some parts of Asia." The tumult increased, and soon the whole population seemed to have assembled on the housetops, armed with pots, pans and kitchen utensils, which they beat with a tremendous clatter, at the same time screaming and howling at the top of their voices. Frequent reports of guns and pistols added to the turmoil, which was kept up for nearly an hour, until they had succeeded in frightening away the *Jin*, or evil spirit, who had caught hold of the moon. It was a most amusing scene, although it interfered seriously with the success of our dinner. Our own servants caught the excitement, and deserted the table without ceremony. Our host told us the next day that they well-nigh knocked the bottoms out from all his kitchen utensils. It was, however, a complete success, and when our servants returned to their duty, the moon was shining brightly as ever, and upon their faces was an air of complacent satisfaction.—*Scribner.*

The Fame of Boston's "Honesty."

The experience of the city sealers of Boston is enough to shake one's faith in human honesty. They have summarized their work between June 6 and July 1, and found that of 592 scales (each with, on an average, six weights) about ninety per cent. erred on the light side, and thirty per cent. of 1000 wet and dry measures were too small. The widest variations from honesty were found in the measures of fruit dealers and milkmen, to say nothing of the fact that most of the former sold by wine measure, cheating the customer out of about a gill at each measuring. In two cases of high-class butter-dealers' spring balances five ounces short on the pound were discovered. In another case a "pound weight" was found that weighed eleven and a half ounces. Ten of the sixteen weights submitted by a Charlestown deacon were short from one ounce to four ounces. And so on, down a long list, which, fortunately, Boston customers can see for themselves at headquarters.—*N. Y. World.*

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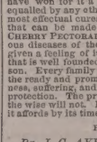

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Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
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Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	105½
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	105
Eastern R. R. scrip	53½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	38½
Boston & Providence	129½
Boston & Albany	113
Nashua & Lowell	89
Concord	74
Eastern	3½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	104½
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	48½
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Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed to the sewers or cesspools to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to remain within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in the city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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[Written for the Chronicle.]

THE BRONZE STATUE.

Among the youth of a pleasant rural village of Prussia, in the earlier years of the present century, was Ivan Allensky, the only child of a Polish emigrant, who, compelled to flee with his wife and infant child from his unhappy country after the disastrous result of the attempt at Revolution, under Kosciasko, had settled at the little village above referred to. His family had been among the wealthier class of the inhabitants of his native city, and he, while compelled to resign the large landed inheritance that had fallen to him, was still enabled to secure enough of value about his person in making his escape, to provide for him all life's comforts in his place of retreat. In the sixth year of his marriage, he was taken off by a malignant fever that made its appearance in the ordinarily healthy district of his adoption, and thus the widow and her little one, with their servant, were left the sole occupants of their once happy home. Ivan, with the intelligence of both his parents, inherited from his father an ambitition that in the case of the latter, had been ungratified through parental control, that of becoming a soldier. Nothing in the way of amusement pleased him so much, when he grew older, as to form his youthful companions into little companies, and lead them on to the storming of some imaginary fortress and the capture of the garrison. He loved, too, to read of battles, and everything relating to the profession of arms; a taste that found ample food for gratification in the works that with others formed the well-stored library that had been one of the chief sources of enjoyment to his father in his exile; nor did he ever tire of reading and talking of his father's intimate friend and companion, the brave but unfortunate patriot and hero, Kosciusko. In a country where the advantages of education are so well appreciated, he did not fail to receive the best within the means of his mother to bestow upon him, amply rewarding her by his diligence in study for the exertions she had made that he might reflect credit upon the memory of his father, and of whom his relatives in Poland, if he should ever meet with them, might be proud as a kinsman. To the noble and generous characteristics of his father, and the qualities that had made his mother beloved from her childhood, was added in him the personal elegance of both; so that at the age of sixteen, none of his sex was so popular as he among the youths and maidens of his native village. A year later, just as he had completed his studies and was about turning his attention to some pursuit that would afford him the means of future subsistence, the heaviest sorrow he had ever known fell to his lot in the death of his mother, as he was too young at the time of the death of his father ever to have known any other parent than she who had loved him as only a mother can love. She had been ailing for many months of a malady hereditary in her family, but unwilling to give pain to her son by such a disclosure, she had borne it in silence, well knowing that it would be enough for him to bear when her disease reached its crisis, which it was sure to do ere another year had passed away.

Utterly alone in the world as Ivan felt himself to be, when the hope he had cherished of being the comfort and support of his mother in her declining years was thus suddenly blasted, he wandered away by himself for days together in the woods that skirted the village and wished only that he, too, might peacefully pass away and be reunited with her. It was not that he lacked a host of friends who would gladly have done all within their power to render his lonely lot a happier one; but none could supply the loss of a mother who was dearer to him than life itself. He was at length aroused by the stirring news that reached his birth-place of deeds of valor on some great battle-field, for Napoleon was then keeping all Europe in arms while running his brilliant career that terminated so ingloriously on the field of Waterloo, and he resolved to gratify his long cherished wish of becoming a soldier. While parting with regret from those at whose hands he had never known aught but kindness, and who bestowed upon him many blessings for his own and his mother's sake, there was none among his youthful companions to whom it pained him so much to say farewell as Louise Meyer, the fairest as all acknowledged, and, as he deemed, the brightest and the best of all the village maidens. Like him the only child of a widowed mother, they had been close companions, being near neighbors, from their earliest childhood. Fully aware of the uncertain destiny of a soldier, though never doubting that his love for her was in a measure returned, he asked no promise of her to await his return ere she pledged her faith to another; yet he fondly hoped that some bright after day would see her his wife.

Soldiers were wanted in any number, for Napoleon kept all the nations busy while winning a name that in modern days had known no equal, and repairing to a recruiting station not many miles distant, Ivan enrolled himself as a soldier in the host that was gathering to check the progress of the great conqueror who had so brought the nations to his feet, though he would with more of heart have embarked in an enterprise that would free the beloved land of his father's birthplace from Russia's iron yoke. Fine-looking and well-grown as he was for a youth of his age, instant in obedience at the word of command, and in a single year as proficient in all the duties of a soldier in the ranks as the best of those whose skill had been acquired by long experience, in an action where he had distinguished himself by his bravery, he attracted the attention of the commanding general of the brigade in which his regiment was included, who subsequently kept him near his person, and aiding in his advancement, step by step as opportunity offered, at the end of the second year of his life as a soldier, he was second in command of a regimegment that stood in the foremost rank for its bravery. A few months later, in a terrific battle with the army of Napoleon, and when so near the person of "the little corporal" that his features could be plainly seen as he rode along the lines, the colonel was killed in a moment of victory at the capture of a battery that had done terrible execution upon the ranks of the Prussians, when Ivan, not less for the service he rendered in the action than as his right in being next in rank, succeeded to the command. In every position in which it was placed, the regiment lost none of its prestige under his leadership; so proverbial, indeed, did it become for its valor, whenever any rare service was required, it did not fail to receive the post of honor. After a variety of the most arduous service in the month that succeeded, it was Ivan's fortune to lead the van in the reserve under Bulow, at Waterloo, that settled the fortunes of the day in compelling a retreat of the French in disorder; nor did he know any rest until the final dispersion of the army of Napoleon, and the restoration to the throne of Louis XVIII. He had been singularly fortunate, seeming to bear a charmed life, in escaping unharmed, in the numerous battles in which he shared, but from a severe cold taken by lying upon the field, in the midst of a rain storm, after an arduous engagement, he was thrown upon a bed of sickness, and weeks elapsed ere he was able to leave his quarters.

On first leaving home, he had endeavored to keep up a correspondence with Louise Meyer and his ever kind friend, the village pastor; but from the constant change of position of the army it was impossible to do so with any regularity; more than half the letters that had been written to him failing to reach its destination, and for a year preceding the battle of Waterloo, he had not received a line from either Louise or the pastor. By the last that reached him from the former, he learned that she was still faithful in her attachment, though others had sought to win her from him; and he looked forward with anticipations of joy to a blissful period, when peace should be restored, and with her as his loved companion, he might enjoy a season of respite from the exciting life he had lived since adopting that of a soldier. When sufficiently recovered to be able to travel, obtaining leave of absence from his command, he left the camp, that had so long been his only resting place, for a return to his early home, taking with him his faithful servant, Hans Vandecker. Well knowing that none would recognize in the tall, sun-browned and bearded soldier, the fair-faced stripling who had left his home four years before, he took a pleasant fancy to enter the village as a stranger, and note the changes time had wrought ere making himself known; little dreaming how sad those changes would prove to him. Next to that of looking upon the sweet face again of her he loved so well, from nothing did he anticipate so much pleasure as a sight once more of the happy retreat where his childhood had been spent, and which he left in charge of the faithful woman who had been the family servant; but instead of the pretty vine-clad cottage, with its appropriate outbuildings and the neat white palings that surrounded the whole, he found nothing but a blackened ruin; the shattered chimney alone remaining as a monument of a once bright and cheerful home. With an aching heart he turned away from the scene, and on his way to the dwelling of Louise Meyer, strolled through the village churchyard, noting the names upon the graves of those who had passed away since he saw them last. After reading the inscription upon the headstone of a good man, who, full of years, had gone to his reward, he saw a mound upon which flowers were blooming in more than ordinary profusion, and approaching the spot to learn who had been the object of such tasteful affection, he beheld, to his speechless sorrow, upon the snow-white marble that marked the grave, the name of Louise Meyer, who had been laid away to her peaceful rest in an hour when he was leading on his men in one of the keenest conflicts of the war. Struck dumb with grief, life seemed to him henceforth a barren waste; the honors he had won, and which would hand down his name to after time, were nothing worth in such an hour of agony that found no relief in tears. The first alleviation that came to his almost bursting heart was the sight of his devoted servant, who, borne down with grief at that he had no power to soothe, stood silent by, with tearful eyes, and falling upon his shoulder, rested there until to his lips came again the power of utterance.

[Concluded in next issue.]

—Many a boy has lost his grip on his father's affections by being able to beat the old gentleman at a friendly game of cards.

— Whether there is more pleasure in pursuit or possession, depends a good deal upon whether you are the small boy or the owner of the melon patch.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 22, 1877.

Important Arrest.

The New York *Times* has a despatch from Chicago saying that Col. Austin, a banker of Dover, N. H., and Jayne, the New York detective, have succeeded in securing the arrest of a gang of wholesale forgers, who within a year have realized over $450,000 by means of forged and raised checks; $36,000 was taken from three men arrested. They have swindled various banks and firms out of sums varying from $4000 to $100,000. Nelson A. Gesner, E. B. Weston and E. B. Henderson are the names of the rascals taken in custody in Chicago; Henderson is the head of the business, and is a banker or bank clerk in New York. "Col." Cross was arrested in St. Louis on the same day, as an active accomplice. Gesner was formerly a paymaster in the army, and recently a member of the Minnesota legislature. The largest forged check passed by the gang was one for about $40,000, purporting to be drawn by the New York Life Insurance Company on the Loan and Trust Company of New York.

News and Notes.

Thomas Wood was shot and probably fatally wounded in Lewiston, Me., Sunday evening, while running away from a police officer named Metcalf, who was trying to arrest Wood for creating a disturbance.

In June, when the graduating class at West Point was assigned to the army, there were so few vacancies that thirty-six of them were appointed brevet Second Lieutenants. The casualties in the infantry corps have been so great since June that all of the cadets have already been promoted to the full rank of Second Lieutenant.

The Texas Pacific railroad directors have just held a meeting, and propose to ask Congress for $35,000 a mile for 1,400 miles of road, in the shape of government bonds bearing five per cent interest. Yet in some way they also propose to limit the responsibility of the government to $2,500,000 a year. How this can be done with such an issue of bonds is not a simple problem in mathematics. The shamelessness of the job is made apparent by the fact that on its present resources of lands received from the Government, this company built 110 miles of road during the past year, making 480 miles in all, which are now earning running expenses. At the same time, the Southern Pacific Company of California runs regular trains between San Francisco and Fort Yuma on the Arizona frontier, and has contracted for building 160 miles of track by the first of January. At the most, only 600 or 800 miles will remain between the eastern and western sections of the road. This gap can be built without any subsidy besides the lands already granted.—*Utica Herald.*

A man named Henderson has given himself up to the police in Philadelphia, accusing himself of the murder of a man in England some time ago. He says he was enlisted in the Hussars, went out one day in company with Surgeon Wheeler of the same troop, and finding that the surgeon had money with him, he hit him on the head with his carbine and killed him. He then rifled his pockets, obtaining £16. The body he threw into a cesspool. It has been ascertained that the body of a man was found in a cesspool at Colgate, England, the place where Henderson said the affair occurred; also that Henderson and Surgeon Wheeler were marked as deserters. Henderson says he has been in this country six weeks, and his conscience has so troubled him he could not rest day or night, and finally concluded to give himself up and let the law take its course. He is held to wait the action of the English Consulate.

A heavy hail storm passed over Berwick, Me., Sunday afternoon, doing much damage to crops. During the storm lightning struck the barn of a Mr. Home, but no serious harm was done by it.

William Crosby, of Rowley, Mass., a man eighty years old, was bitten by a dog a month ago, and died of hydrophobia on Saturday night.

A Capt. Gardner has invented a gun, which like so many new ideas, is to "revolutionize the art of war;" but in this case the claim seems to have something of a foundation. For its peculiarity is that, while one soldier can carry the gun on his shoulder like an ordinary musket and another can pack ammunition for a day's service, the two together can discharge the machine at the rate of 200 shots a minute. It is, in fact, an application of the mitrailleuse, or machine gun, to the musket; and imagination fails to picture the effect to be produced by a regiment armed with this weapon.

Political.

In justice to the democratic candidate for Governor in Maine, it is stated that, though bearing the same name, he is not a relative of the astonishing person whose blue jean pantaloons are duty Executive duty over the great State of Indiana. Uncle Jimmy is the only Williams of his kind who was ever a Governor, or is ever likely to have a chance to be. Let us give thanks for this. —*Tribune.*

The "laboring men" of Cincinnati have met and nominated a horny-handed United States Commissioner for Governor of Ohio, a brawny newspaper editor for State Treasurer, a bony and sinewy office-holder and ex-republican politician for School Commissioner, and another labor-begrimed ward manager for Clerk of the Supreme Court. Our "laboring" friends had better pick their flints and try again. They should not go forth to the battle mounted on a set of old war-horses who would shy at the sight of a sawbuck or an anvil.—*N. Y. World.*

Important Discovery.

Prof. Hall, in charge of the great telescope of the Naval Observatory at Washington, on the night of Thursday, August 16th, discovered a satellite to Mars, and the following night discovered another. The distance of the first satellite from the planet is between fourteen and fifteen thousand miles, which is less than that of any other known satellite from its primary, and only about one-sixteenth the distance of the moon from the earth. The inner one, as to the existence of which the astronomers are not yet absolutely certain, is still closer. The diameter of the new satellite is very small, probably not more than fifty or one hundred miles. Scientific authorities regard this as ranking among the greatest telescopic discoveries of the century; the only two which exceed it being that of the asteroid group in 1801, and of the planet Neptune in 1846.

New Hampshire Items.

The buildings of John Kimball in Union Village, Wakefield, were struck by lightning on Saturday and destroyed. Loss $3000, no insurance. Mr. Kimball, in attempting to put out the fire, was severely burned.

Emile Reber, for some time past clerk of the Nashua & Lowell Railroad at Nashua, has gone to France to take possession of an estate valued at $80,000, left him by a brother.

St. George Commandry of Knights Templar, of Nashua, with seventy-five invited guests from Boston and other cities, started on Tuesday for a two days' excursion to Lake Winnepisaukee.

Monday evening, while the express train going south over the Northern Railroad was rounding a curve near Lebanon station, Engineer Blaisdell discovered a small child playing on the track about five rods ahead of the train. He immediately applied air brakes, but not in season to save the child from serious injuries. It was struck on the head by the deadwood of the engine, and would have been instantly killed had it not been for the fireman, Will Colter, who ran forward and snatched it up in his arms while the train was in motion. The child proved to be a daughter of Charles Strong of Lebanon.

The grocery store of W. B. Chase at Nashua was entered Sunday night by thieves who stole some merchandise and about twenty-five dollars in money.

Oren M. Bullard of Pottersville on Saturday left a note to his wife, requesting her to sell and settle his estate as though he was dead—he should never return—and he has not been seen since.

President Hayes and party had a sort of triumphal progress through the upper part of the State, Monday. At Hanover, Bradford, Littleton, and other places where the train stopped, crowds of people were waiting at the stations to see the distinguished travellers. The party dined at Fabyan's, and after dinner ascended Mount Washington, returning to Fabyan's for the night. In the evening an address of confidence in the administration was presented to the President—a piece of decided bad taste. On Tuesday the party visited the Notch and North Conway, stopping at Plymouth for the night.

Seventh Day Adventists.

After the time set for the second advent of Christ, in 1844, had passed, the Adventists became divided into two parties. One party continued to set times; the other, taking the name of Seventh Day Adventists, declared that the definite time was not revealed in the Bible, and that the message of the angel spoken of in Revelations, xiv., 12, must be given to the world before Christ's second coming. The commandment of God, they claim, requires the observance of the ancient seventh day Sabbath. While the first party has been divided and subdivided over points of doctrine, the Seventh Day Adventists have pursued the even tenor of their way, and have been spreading what they consider to be the living truth. It is not generally known that members of their churches and believers in their views may be found all over the United States, in Canada and on every continent in the old world. They have missionaries in foreign lands and many talented ministers in our own country. They number nearly thirty thousand souls, and have about four hundred regularly organized churches. They have four large publishing houses in the United States and one in Europe. They have issued between one and two hundred million pages of tracts, books, etc., in six different languages, and have scattered them all over the civilized world. This immense publishing business began under the direction of James White, of Palmyra, Maine, who still superintends the work. They have also a fine college in Battle Creek, Michigan, and a large medical and surgical sanitarium. As a society they are increasing rapidly. Their camp-meetings are very largely attended, and preparations are in progress to make that to be held in Richmond, from August 29th to September 4th, the most interesting meeting of the kind ever held in this State.—*Portland Advertiser.*

—By request of his guardian, a Hartford boy was arrested for truancy last week, and the papers for his committal to the reform school were made out before the authorities realized that the public schools had been closed for two months.

—The New York *World* says a young lady at Vassar heedlessly set foot upon the cast-off ulster of a banana as she was tripping down the great staircase, and reached the bottom in such a heterogenous condition that for a while she didn't know if she was a Vassar or a peel.

—Scotch Presbyterian minister: "Don't you know its wicked to catch fish on the Sawbath?" Small boy, not having had a rise all the morning: "Wha's catchin' fish?"

—A New York family, who took their servant girl abroad with them recently, were delighted on reaching Paris to see her name figuring after theirs on the passenger list as "Mademoiselle Bridget McFinnigan."

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The steam ferry boat Emerald is high and dry on the ways at the navy yard, to be extensively overhauled. She was not very dry, however, on Saturday, when she was washed out by a steam fire engine to cleanse her hold. Pending the repairs to the Emerald, the navy yard passengers are transported in a steam launch of less proportions and inferior accommodations than the regular boat, but which is a decided improvement on the old boats which crossed the river before the steamer was placed in use.

The help at the Appledore House often have the Laighton Brothers' schooner yacht "Mollie" placed at their disposal for on evening's cruise about the islands, and on Monday evening they had the steamer Appledore for a moonlight run in to town. There was a lot of them, and a merry yet well-behaved lot, too; and the steamer laid at the wharf till nearly midnight, to afford them a good chance for a stroll and to do their shopping.

We have received the first number of *The Co-operator*, a weekly paper published in Boston at one dollar a year, or twenty-five cents for three months, in advance. The aim of the paper, as its name implies, "is the advocacy of co-operative labor and finance, as at least a partial remedy for present difficulties; but while doing this, it will not omit other points bearing on the industrial problem."

The Hutchinson Family, "Tribe of Asa," sing at Franklin Hall to-morrow evening.

Mr. Paschal M. Spinney was driving Earing & Martin's store team on Noble's Island bridge, Tuesday forenoon, when the horse took fright at a locomotive, and started to run. Mr. Spinney jumped from the wagon and caught the horse by the bridle, but was unable to hold him, and when near Raitt's blacksmith shop was thrown down, the wheels of the wagon passing over his body and injuring him severely, though no bones were broken. The horse kept on, and smashed the wagon against a post near J. Brooks & Co's store, but no other harm was done.

The lot and buildings on the north side of Ladd street, occupied by John Stone and others, were sold on Tuesday by Morse & Ilsley, under foreclosure of a mortgage given by J. C. Carr to the Portsmouth Savings Bank, to Mr. B. F. Webster, for $3050. The lot and buildings on the south side of the same street, occupied by J. M. Tebbetts and others, were sold at the same time, to Mr. Mark H. Wentworth for $1050.

Hark! From the Toombs.

Whatever else may be said of Robert Toombs, he is not a hypocrite. He avows the most atrocious sentiments with the most candid simplicity. Long ago, when the democrats first carried Georgia, after the reconstruction, he declared that intimidation and bribery were the methods employed by the successful party, and avowed his participation in them. In the constitutional convention in which he supported the repudiation of the public debt, he pronounced the federal government "the conqueror and public enemy of my country," and declared that it had injected into the social organization 500,000 savages; and on the question how they are to be governed, he says:

"Thea are to be governed as every race of paupers are governed—by those who own the property and give them bread; and just the same as the red man is governed. No inferior man, no man without civilization, has a chance in this race, and I want to save this people from their worst fortunes in the contest. As his friends tried to control him by force and by fraud, we will control him by fraud and by force to prevent him from bringing ruin to us."

This brutal avowal of a determination to employ force and fraud to counteract the beneficent policy on which the rebel States were readmitted to their forfeited privileges, was not needed to convince the country of its existence. The evidence of that is spread upon the records of the elections, and written in characters of blood all over the Southern country; but the open declaration of it in the gravest deliberative body in the State is an illustration of the recklessness of Southern politics.—*Providence Journal.*

The Sandwich Islands Decadence.

When Cook first looked upon the islands, according to his description they were beautiful as Eden, crowned with forests from the top of the mountains to the seashore, streams and rivulets gushing like silver threads from valleys and mountain gorges, and 400,000 inhabitants, with little labor, having plenty. The first centennial sees more than half the forests gone, mountains bare of vegetation, streams and rivers of the past changed into rock-strewn gulches, and where the hamlets and villages once sounded with life and children's gleesome voices, the night wind whispers in mourning cadences tales of the buried past. The sum of $15,000 has been asked for from the last Legislature for a celebration of the coming centennial, next January. I don't know if it has been granted. It is a small amount compared with the expenses of the Philadelphia centennial, but it may suffice for all that is worth celebrating here. A good-sized tent could contain the last king and his people, with samples of fine mats, feather cloaks and canoes, the manufactures of a century ago, and such things as at present cannot now be had. A small shanty, labelled "Civilization," might show a few sugar sugar stalks and kegs of sugar, a variety of coffins and a lot of labor contracts, and another shanty labeled "Poison," might show the Chinese element, boxes of opium, opium pipes and cockroaches in glass cases. Instead of a march composed by Wagner, a long, steady and prolonged mourning cry, such as only the Kanakas know how to produce, would be a solemn and appropriate opening of the festivities of the centennial celebration. The century has done very little beside Christian burial for the natives, and much less for the country itself; but since the royal commission for the development of the resources of the country have been around and looked at the country through their spectacles there is hope left for the prosperity of the country. All that is wanted to make this country prosperous and immensely rich (if not the whole people, at least a few planters, who can go home when the lemon is squeezed,) is a debt of a few millions of dollars, a large emigration of stalwart people to rejoice in laboring for the benefit of others, a regrowth of ancient forests, and consequent plentiful showers of rain to make barren places as fruitful as they were a hundred years ago. These small incidentals are of course no obstacles.—*San Francisco Chronicle.*

A Peculiar Device.

A recent traveler in Mexico, who visited the mines there during his journeys, says he was much astonished at seeing the men each with one eye shut. The foreman, seeing his surprise, explained the matter. He said the candles belonging to the *tarateros* (who drill and blast,) do not give sufficient light in the drifts, where it is onosequently quite dark, but where, nevertheless, the *tarateros* see well enough not to run their heads against the rocks. But on emerging into daylight they would be blinded did they not take precautionary measures. For this reason, as they approach the mouth of the shaft at the point where they catch the first glimpse of light, they drop the eyelid of one eye, and keep this down while discharging the ore, and until they have redescended the shaft. When they are again in the dark, they open the eye hitherto kept in reserve, and at once they see everything distinctly; while the other eye, previously open and blinded somewhat by the daylight, perceives nothing at all.

A Very Sharp Fox.

The Somerset *Reporter* tells this story of a pet fox. Mr. Fairgraves has a fox which occupies a yard back of the store, to which the dog has free access. The dog and the fox are great friends. They frolic together, play no end of jokes on each other, and live in the most perfect harmony save at mealtime. The discussion that a choice bit will bring forth is sometimes most interesting. Mr. Fairgraves gave the fox a bone the other day. The dog had been taught by experience that it was no use for him to try to capture it, so he retired to the store to watch the proceedings, doubtless hoping something would turn up in his favor. The fox ate what he wanted of the bone and prepared to lay it away for future use. The dog pricked up his ears, but yawned and betrayed no special interest. The fox dug a deep hole, placed the juicy bone at the bottom, and covering it over with earth, "patted" it down. He then went into his kennel, brought out an old dry bone that he had kept away from the dog for several days, "out of pure cussedness," placed it in the hole over the sweet one, covered it up with apparent care and retired to his kennel to watch operations. The dog saw the fox safely housed, and, as he had done before, stealthily approached the treasure, resurrected the dry bone and trotted off.

Stopping a "Run."

Didley is a Philadelphia newsboy, who has $800 in the Savings Fund, a bank mostly patronized by German depositors of small sums. After the failure of the Bank of Pennsylvania, a run began on the Savings Fund, which looked serious. The bank was sound enough, but could not meet the demand for cash without a ruinous sacrifice. At the height of the panic, Didley walked into the bank, followed by a yelling crowd of newsboys, and demanded to see the president. "What can I do for you?" said the President. "Well," said Didley, "I want to know the exact state of affairs. I have $800 deposited here, and I can't afford to lose it. But I don't want to trouble you by drawing it out if it is safe. I ask you, on your word of honor, is it safe?" "I assure you that it is, on my word of honor. Come in and examine the books." So with one of his little hands thrust under his short coat-tails, Didley walked into the directors' room. The rush for money was temporarily stopped while the crowd gazed on this little man. Soon Didley appeared, his face showing evident satisfaction. "Did you get your money?" was the salutation of the crowd of boys, as he reached the step. "Why should I get my money?" he answered. "This bank's all safe—I don't scare like these Dutchmen." "Three cheers for Didley!" went up from hundreds of youthful throats. The older folks stood awe-stricken. The confidence of the newsboys asserted itself among them, and by noon the panic had stopped and the crowd had disappeared. Didley had saved the bank.

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of manure at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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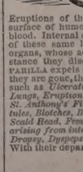

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

[Written for the Chronicle.]

THE BRONZE STATUE.

[Concluded from last issue.]

After leaving his servant, with their horses, and such baggage as they had brought with them, at the village inn, receiving from the landlord, when he learned his name, a warm welcome, he next visited the desolate dwelling of the mother of Louise Meyer, from whom he learned the sad particulars of her death, after but a brief illness, and a message of affection for him from her dying lips; both of which had been imparted in a letter that never reached him. His early friend the clergyman next claimed his attention, and then the woman he had left in charge of his little patrimony, but gathering nothing from the latter to explain the origin of the fire that had devastated a place so very dear to him; all she knew was that she was driven from her bed by the flames on a winter night, with barely time to escape with her life. There was a feeling of pride as a native among them in the name he had won as a soldier, mingled with sympathy for his sorrows, in the kindly greetings he received from all in the little community with whom his early years had been spent; and most gratefully was it received, powerless though it was to alleviate a sorrow that was past all human aid. None was able to impart such consolation as his kind friend the good clergyman, who baptised him in infancy, and had been his teacher, among the lambs of his flock, in things spiritual. These lessons were not lost upon him, with others he had received at home; they were remembered upon the battle-field, and gave him the impulse to seek for higher aid in the hour of danger than that which lay in the strength of his own right arm.

At the close of a week from the time of his arrival in the village, when his servant went to his room to awaken him in the morning, he found that he had risen, and as he often took early horseback rides alone, without his attendance, when in camp, he mounted his horse and went in search of him. He could nowhere be seen, and imagining that he had returned by some route with which he was not familiar, he turned again toward the village. When about a mile distant from its outskirts, he saw a horse he at once recognized as that of his master, lying in an exhausted state at the edge of a morass of many acres in extent, and covered with mud to the saddle-girths. Evidences of the struggles of the animal in the deep mire were visible a few rods distant, and there all traces of his having penetrated into it were lost. Hans at once procured assistance, and the morass was searched, so far as it was possible to do so, but his beloved master, for whom he would have laid down his life, was nowhere to be found. Hoping that after Ivan had dismounted, the horse had strayed away by himself, search was made for him in the woods in the vicinity, where he had been accustomed to ramble daily for the pleasant associations they had with his boyhood, but without success, and every effort then and for months succeeding, failed to elucidate the mystery connected with his sudden and unaccountable disappearance. The faithful Hans could not divest himself of the fancy that it was associated with the morass near which he had found his master's horse, and ere departing for his much-loved fatherland, he spent days together searching in its depths for many rods about the spot where marks of the horse had been seen. The poor animal himself seemed to possess the same idea, for he would stray away to its borders, and make a piteous neighing, as if calling to his master to come forth, that he might hear him once more as he had done in many a hard-fought field.

When a dozen years had passed away, a gentleman of wealth and taste, who had been a wanderer in many lands, in the course of his journeyings stopped at the village for a brief sojourn, but was so much attracted by its delightful situation, amid scenery not often found in a country little famed for the grand and beautiful in nature, as to purchase a pretty estate at its outskirts that chanced to be for sale, and make it for a time his place of residence. He was a man of many fancies, and among them, to some extent, one for agriculture. Much had been written and said at the time upon the subject of draining lands, and it occurred to him that the extensive morass, before alluded to, and which was included in his purchase, might be converted by such a process into the richest lands for cultivation, and procuring from a distance laborers experienced in such matters, set to work carrying out the experiment. When the labor had progressed several months, a report was current in the neighborhood that a wonderful petrefaction of a human body, resembling more than aught else a bronze statue, had been found at a point in the morass where it was supposed the foot of man had never trod. The new owner of the lands where the remarkable curiosity was discovered, had taken offence at something that had transpired on first taking possession of his purchase, and having kept himself aloof from those around him, would allow none to obtain a sight of an object all wished to see, and which had been placed in a hall in his villa devoted to pictures and statuary. The year succeeding, Hans Vandecker, in the capacity of servant to a travelling gentleman, again made his

appearance in the neighborhood, and the former ere long making the acquaintance of the eccentric stranger, was invited to visit him. On the day appointed, as the owner of the villa conducted his guest, accompanied by Hans, through its various departments, they reached that portion devoted to works of art, where, in a prominent position, upon a frame-work prepared for its reception, lay the remarkable object that had excited such curiosity, when the instant it met the gaze of the latter, after learning its history, recognizing at once its well-remembered features, he clasped it in his embrace, and pronounced it the form of his beloved master, whose loss he had never ceased to deplore, confirming his assertion by pointing to a signet ring upon one of the fingers, the form of which was plainly visible, though encrusted by the wonderful process of nature that had converted a human form into what seemed a statue of bronze. After the long illness of Ivan, he was subject to occasional fits of dizziness that for the moment deprived him both of sight and sense; and the supposition subsequently was that at such a time, having inadvertently, in the early light of the morning, ridden into the morass, (which from recent falls of rain, contained at the period an unwonted depth of water,) he had fallen from his horse, and while in a state of unconsciousness, had perished in one of its deepest recesses. Other evidences of the petrifying power of the water were found on the vegetable substances, changed to the hardness of marble, that lay around him in the place where his remains were found.

The owner of the mansion, when satisfied that Hans was correct in his conjectures, at his solicitation, aided by that of his guest, the gentleman visitor, laying aside his former animosity, allowed the people of the vicinity to enter his premises; all of whom who could remember him as last seen among them, pronounced the strangely preserved form before them none other than that of Ivan Allensky, and claimed it as a right, apart from the respect due to his remains for the service as a soldier he had rendered his adopted country, that they should be permitted to lay him with his kindred in the village church-yard, and where upon a marble tablet that marks the spot, may be seen this brief that record:

"COLONEL IVAN ALLENSKY,
Aged 20.
A distinguished soldier in the Prussian Army at Waterloo,
Died June 20th, 1816."

JOHN H. BOWLES.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 23, 1877.

Kentucky Officials and Kentucky "Fun."

During the political campaigns of '72 and '76, whenever the lawlessness in the Southern States was held up to view by the republicans press, the democratic papers instantly answered back that in those Southern States where the democrats had full control the laws were as well enforced and human life and property as well protected as in the North, and that the only trouble arose from the inefficiency and corruption of the "carpet-bag" republican governments. The Kemper county massacre did more than anything else toward making the democratic papers give up that line of "argument;" and now we have another fine illustration of the sanctity of the laws and of human life in a soundly democratic Southern State.

A man named Anderson, of Carroll county, Kentucky, and his sons, it seems had become unpopular, they being shiftless drunkards; so the High Sheriff of the county, Joseph Myrick, an Ex-Sheriff named Sullenger, Charles Gardner and Nathaniel Orr, all well known citizens, started out (as one of them has confessed) to "have some fun" and "give old Bill Anderson a scare and run him off." The idea of "fun" in the mind of this Kentucky official, whose sworn duty it is to enforce the law, seems to have been to throw a ball of cotton, saturated with turpentine and ignited, into Anderson's house, and then wait outside with shot-guns for the "sport" to turn up. The house took fire and as the door opened some one of the party, lying low in the dark, fired. It proved that Anderson's daughter Carrie was coming out for a bucket of water, and she received a fatal wound. The killing of an innocent girl filled the midnight ruffians with consternation and it is said aroused the indignation of the community. The guilty men tried to keep the secret, but a detective got a clue to their movements and caused their arrest.

Not an Amalgamation of Telegraph Lines.

The Western Union and Atlantic & Pacific telegraph companies have amicably adjusted all differences and entered into a contract by which they will work in harmony instead of opposition for the future. The terms of the contract provide that earnings are to be pooled and that the Western Union is to receive, as its share, eighty-seven and a half per cent. and the Atlantic & Pacific twelve and a half per cent. of the earnings. The two companies are to be conducted as separate corporations, each to carry out all previous contracts and to transact business as usual, subject to certain restrictions and rules of government hereafter to be agreed upon. The new rates have not been decided upon at present and the schedule of both companies will be continued until further arrangements are made. Each company is pledged to maintain its lines and offices and do all the business it can, having a common interest in swelling the receipts, and neither company having any interest in reducing the expenses of the other company. The Vice President of the Western Union "thinks a slight and conservative increase in the tariffs will follow between places far apart. The competition demonstrated the fact that the largest revenue is not derived from the highest rates. It is his opinion there will be no increase in the price for sending messages between the large Eastern cities, although some of the rates for distances beyond one circuit have been running too low to pay any profit on the cost of the service."

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Bucharest says 18,000 Egyptian troops are attempting to cut the railway between Kustendje and Tchernavada, and troops from Silistria are making an attack on Kustendje from the other side. A despatch from Shumla says the Turks assaulted and carried the village of Shipka, pursuing the Russians out and through the Shipka pass. The same despatch says Tirnova is considered now as being untenable.

The details of the fight at Kurn Koova in Asia Minor, on the 19th, show that it was a sharp affair. The fight began by a furious cannonade from the Russian batteries all along the line, the Turkish artillery replying with great vigor. The Russian fire was very well directed, and did great execution among the masses of Turkish infantry posted behind their works. Under cover of this artillery fire the Russian infantry moved out and advanced to the attack of the Turks. The advancing Russian columns were subjected to a terrible fire from the Turkish batteries, but the men moved briskly on, taking advantage of every accident of ground that afforded a cover, and their skirmishers keeping up a lively fusilade. When they came within a short distance of the Turkish line they dashed forward and swept in on the astonished Turks with an impetuosity that overcame all resistance. After a short, sharp struggle, the Turks were driven out of their entrenchments at the bayonet's point. They retired sullenly on their second line, under cover of a brisk cannonade, which kept the Russians at a respectful distance. The attack was really but a feint; and toward nightfall the Russians retired on their former position. The engagement lasted eight hours. The Russians had about 400 men killed and wounded; the Turks are reported to have had 1500 men killed.

News and Notes.

Charles Miner of Burlington, Vt., while bathing at Old Orchard, Me., on the 21st, had a watch worth $275 and $105 in money stolen from his bathing house.

The identity of the tramp who murdered Frank Brassor at Brandon, Vt., last May, and afterwards killed himself, has been fully established by letters and a picture of the deceased, received in Brandon from the suicide's father and others in Bristol, England. His name was Charles William Howell, instead of "Charles Williams," the name he assumed in this country.

Nearly all the charges alleged to have been made by one Silverman against Revenue Collector Freeland of Brooklyn have been withdrawn, and those remaining are of the most frivolous character.

The New York *Daily Witness*, the only religious daily in the world, has, after an existence of eight years, suspended for lack of support. The founder, Mr. John Dougall, has spent a fortune of some $200,000 in his efforts to establish a religious daily.

Mr. S. E. Hardman, of Providence, R. I., the manufacturer of Kenyon's fire escape, was exhibiting it at the Astor House, New York, on the 21st, when the wire rope parted and he fell from the third story to the pavement below and was instantly killed.

Donohue, the leader of the Hornellsville (N. Y.) strikers, and who has been in jail for the offences committed at the time of the strike, proposes to establish a weekly paper in New York city, to be called "The Striker."

Montreal had a $60,000 fire on the 21st. A grain elevator, storehouse and flour mill were burned.

New Hampshire Items.

At a competitive examination at Concord on the 21st, for an appointment as cadet at West Point from Congressman Briggs' district, John B. Abbott of Concord was successful over eleven competitors.

As Mr. and Mrs. Newell Brown, of Epsom, were on their way to Pittsfield Village on Thursday, 16th inst., and near the house of Mr. Noah Drake, Mr. Brown dropped back in his seat and instantly expired. He was taken into the house of Mr. Drake and restoratives applied, but he was evidently dead when taken out of the wagon. He was 68 years old.

Mrs. Ada Dudley of Newport, while on her way to join her husband, Mr. Charles E. Dudley, at Pueblo, Cal., was stopped at Chicago by the railroad strikers, which threw her into such a fright that she lost her reason, and has since died in the hospital at Chicago.

The committee upon the soldiers' monument at Manchester has recommended to the city government the design of Mr. Geo. Keller, of Hartford, Conn. It consists of a round granite monument about fifty feet high, ornamented at the top with the Goddess of Liberty, and at the base with military figues of bronze. The design is highly satisfactory, and $25,000 has been appropriated by the City Government for the purpose of erecting the memorial.

The Mayoralty of Manchester seems to be on a begging tour just now, with nobody anxious to take it in out of the cold. Mayor Cross resigned, was induced to recall his resignation, and finally resigned again, "for good" this time. On the evening of the 21st, in joint convention of the City Government, Colonel Bradbury P. Cilley was elected Mayor on the third ballot, vice Hon. Ira Cross, resigned. Colonel Cilley subsequently appeared before the convention and declined the office. Alderman Patrick A. Devine of Ward V., the only democrat in the Board, was elected Chairman in the absence of Mayor Cross, and is therefore acting Mayor, the convention having adjourned after the declination of Col. Cilley.

Dr. J. H. Pooley of Columbus, O., has been appointed Professor of Surgery at Dartmouth, vice Dr. A. B. Crosby, who died recently. Dr. Pooley has accepted and will immediately enter upon his duties. He is spoken of a man of great ability and as near the equal of the late Dr. Crosby as could be found.

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DIED.

WHIDDEN. In Gloucester, Aug. 3d, Mr. Charles F. Whidden, aged 20 years, only son of John H. Whidden, Esq., formerly of this city.

HATCH. In Greenland, Aug. 21, Harriet B. Hatch, wife of Mr. Samuel A. Hatch, aged 31 years.

WALKER. At Kittery Point, Aug. 20, Alice M. Walker, daughter of Mr. Henry J. Walker, aged 18 years, 6 months and 7 days.

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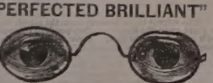

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.35 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P.M
" Way,	10.35 "	3.40 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	8.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.50 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

NEW SHIPS.

THE GOVERNOR GOODWIN.

The ship Governor Goodwin, recently built by Campbell & Brooks of East Boston, is one of the finest vessels ever built there. She is 218 feet long between perpendiculars, has 40 feet breadth of beam and 24 feet depth of hold, including 8 1-2 feet height between decks, and measures 1459 tons. Her frame, which is of seasoned white oak, was designed for a ship of 2000 tons, and was docked more than a year before it was used. She has two depths of keel, the lower 10 1-2 by 15 inches, and the upper 15 1-2 by 12, independent of the shoe, which is two inches thick; the floor timbers are 17 by 12 in the angles on the keel; she has four depths of midship keelsons, each 15 inches square, sister keelsons to correspond, and two pieces on the top of the midship keelsons, of 6 by 10 inches each, between which her hold stanchions are stepped and clasped with iron. The ceiling on the floor is five inches thick. Her beams, knees, breast-hooks, waterways, stanchions and decks are stout in proportion, and her fastening varies from seven-eighths of one inch to one inch and a quarter. She has two garboards, the first 9 by 16, the second 8 by 16; the bottom plank is 5, and the wales 5 1-2 inches thick, finished smooth as cabinetwork. She is through treenailed with locust, butt and bilge bolted with yellow metal, seasoned with salt and thoroughly ventilated. These brief details show that she is remarkably strong. She has built lower masts, 84, 86 and 78 feet long; her main yard is 86 feet long; she has wire standing rigging, Manila running rigging, double topsail yards on all three masts, a main skysail yard rigged aloft, chain topsail sheets and ties, and all the other chain and iron work now in general use.

Her lines are slightly concave below, but convex above; she has a long bow, which terminates in a figure of the gentleman whose name she bears; her stern is rounded, her run is clean and finely formed, her floor long and buoyant. She is sheathed with yellow metal; is painted black outside, and pearl color about the houses and decks, and her name and port of hail are in raised letters on her stern. Viewed either end or broadside on she is as true in outline as if she had been cast in a mould.

She has an open topgallant forecastle, under which is Emerson's patent windlass, worked by a capstan. Abaft the foremast she has a spacious house for the crew, the galley, and an engine-room; for she carries a neat but powerful engine, which can be used to handle cargo, purchase the anchor, and in the event of springing a leak, to pump. The Gov. Goodwin has a half poop 96 feet long, into which two spacious and elegant cabins are built. The outline of the poop is protected by a rail on turned stanchions. She has a patent steering apparatus, patent pumps and all the other equipments of a first class ship.

She has been built under the superintendence of Capt Edgar Paine, the Marine Inspector for American Lloyds' Register, and Capt. Eben Howes of the Bureau Veritas; both have given her the highest rate awarded any vessel. Capt. Lester, her commander, one of the most experienced and successful shipmasters, also superintended her construction and equipment, and to his watchfulness may be attributed the excellence of her workmanship. A large part of the ship is owned by various parties in this city, Messrs. M. F. Pickering & Co., of Boston, being registered as the managing owners.

The Gov. Goodwin will sail from Boston on Tuesday, for Philadelphia, there to load for San Francisco.

THE PAUL JONES.

We are always pleased to notice any local industry, and in particular like to enlarge on Portsmouth built ships, than which the world offers none better. Acting on this, we some days ago despatched a reliable and competent reporter (tre same who "wrote up" Capt. Marcy's noble ship, the Granite State,) to the Raynes shipyard, to write up in good style the ship on the stocks there; but he found no one desirous of giving him the information he required—the first time he ever failed on any such errand for us. But we are bound to have some kind of a report, so we take the following brief notice, which is probably correct as far as it goes, from the Boston *Traveller*, which publishes it under the heading "The new ship Paul Jones:"

"Mr. Fernald has on the stocks at Portsmouth, N. H., a magnificent ship of 1500 tons, which will be launched early in September. A full figure of the gallant hero whose name she bears will grace her bow, and she will be commanded by Captain Jacobs, one of the most experienced shipmasters belonging to Portsmouth. Her frame is of New Hampshire white oak, the best white oak in the world. Her ceiling, planking, deck frames and lower deck are hard pine. She is through trenailed with locust, butt and bilge-bolted with yellow metal, seasoned with salt, and will be equipped to rate A 1 for eleven years."

[Communicated.]

A MILD GROWL.

Mr. Editor: There is in this city a branch of the New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals—the parent society for the prevention of cruelty in the State, I believe. This society I have no doubt has done and is doing much good, and I do not wish to be considered as finding fault with what they are doing while I do nothing in that direction myself, for I am not a member of the society. But a couple of cases of cruelty have recently come under my observation, to which I wish to draw their attention.

On Monday, 20th inst., a yoke of oxen attached to a two-wheeled cart loaded with hay stood all day on the Parade, in the hot sun and without water. They had a generous bunch of hay before them, but whenever they put their heads down to take a mouthful the yoke would slip down on their necks and they would throw their heads up in evident annoyance, and finally they gave up trying to eat the hay, either from that cause or from thirst. I do not imagine that the person in charge of those oxen intended to be cruel; but it *was* cruel to leave them as they were all day, and they could as well as not have been taken off the tongue of the cart and hitched to the wheel on the shady side. Such cases as this, it seems to me, need attention quite as much as the blanketing of uncared-for horses in winter.

On the Saturday previous I saw at the same place (the Parade) an exhibition of positive cruelty,—for I consider the cruel neglect of the oxen due merely to thoughtlessness. A man was driving a horse around, apparently to show that it would stop when struck a sharp blow with a whip; he would start the animal at a sharp gait and then give it a violent stroke with the whip, when the poor brute would instantly stop; and this was often repeated, no doubt to the great glorification of the driver, but to the disgust of every humane person who saw it.

The benevolent society with the long name may not take cognizance of such minor cases of cruelty to animals as I have described, but it is a great satisfaction to me to growl about them in the newspaper, so I hope you will print this and oblige

Yours truly, GROWLER.

[Communicated.]

PERILS OF THE OCEAN.

The fine schooner Ranter, of Trefethen's Cove, Kittery, Me., secures a liberal share of the perils of the ocean when entering this harbor. First she is run on the clam beds in Pepperell's Cove with all sail set; the gallant captain lets go the anchor, and she rolls over on her side under a full pressure of canvas. On the return of the tide she floats again.

A few days later she is lost in the fog near the Isles of Shoals. Finding it difficult to stop there, she strikes boldly out for Kittery harbor, some six miles distant. After bouncing about for several hours in the fog, the captain thinks he hears a noise like waves dashing on the beach, sends out a boat to learn where he is, and finds on enquiring of a farmer that he is in the vicinity of Little Boar's Head.

At last, after many difficulties, the Ranter rides gracefully at anchor on the smooth waters of the Piscataqua, and the weary crew lie down to rest. But alas! the retreating tide leaves the vessel roosting on top of Becker's Ledge. She finally slips from her high position and plunges into the waves. All on board would have perished had not Capt. Becker and crew from the schooner Norma put in an appearance at this critical moment. The Ranter in a damaged condition was kept afloat long enough to reach the wharf, and then sank while the crew were on shore calmly talking over the sad misfortunes. MARLINESPIKE.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The North Mill-pond asserted its presence very loudly on the night of Tuesday, the 21st. People residing in its vicinity—and some who live a considerable distance away—were obliged to shut every window and air hole in their houses, notwithstanding the oppressive warmth of the night, before they could sleep. One of these days we shall have a fatal epidemic of typhoid disease in that quarter, and then there will be much speculation (perhaps) over the "mysterious dispensation of Providence." The South Mill-pond is bad enough, but the North one beats it all to pieces.

Col. J. C. Butler's popular excursion to the Shoals in steamer Appledore comes off to-day, and will be supplemented by another one this evening, when the steamer will leave the wharf at 6 o'clock and the Shoals at 8:30. Harlow's band will furnish music for the evening trip. Tickets for sale *only* by Col. Butler, at 75 cts. each for the round trip.

Attention is invited to the call for the first regular meeting of the Workingmen's Institute, printed in another column.

The *Times* of Wednesday announced an eclipse of the moon for that evening, as did the Boston *Traveller* also. The eclipse, a total one, commences at 4:28 this afternoon, the moon rising totally eclipsed at 6:46.

The horse attached to Vaughan's bread-cart ran away with the vehicle on Wednesday afternoon, starting from the corner of State and Atkinson streets and bringing up at the junction of Court and Washington streets, where he capsized and stove up the cart and distributed the contents about the street. The horse we understand was uninjured.

The Hutchinson Family give a concert at Franklin Hall this evening, one at the Appledore House, Isles of Shoals, to-morrow evening, and one at Dover on Saturday evening. They gave a concert at Dover last week, which the *Democrat* pronounced one of the best ever given in that city, and it was so favorably received by the public that the company were urgently pressed to give another, and arrangements were immediately made for it. We presume they will have a full house to-night; they should have it, at any rate. Tickets at popular prices. See advertisement.

Families or individuals with washing to be done will do well to read the advertisement of Smith's Laundry, in another column.

The Boston *Traveller* of the 22d says: "The eclipse of the moon to-day will be viewed with interest and smoked glass." The viewers would have to use smoked glass of the most powerful pattern to see, on the night of the 22d, an eclipse that occurs on the night of the 23d.

Mayor Stott, of Lowell, Mass., left his sea side cottage at Little Boar's Head on Wednesday morning, for Concord, to endeavor to induce President Hayes to visit Lowell after his brief tour through the centre of this State.

Conductor E. A. Towle, of the Portland trains of the Eastern Railroad, is off duty with a carbuncle on his hand, and George Kennard of Eliot is running his train as conductor.

The Band of Hope picnic has been postponed until Wednesday, August 29th, on account of the death of Miss Mary S. Gardner, one of the vice presidents and organist of the society. A memorial service will be held in Mechanics' Hall on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock. Members of the Band of Hope are requested to be present.

W. A. LOYNE, Supt.

The Boston *Advertiser's* Washington correspondent in a late letter to that paper says: "In the circular letter which the commissioner of internal revenue will issue limiting appointments by collectors to one member of their family, it will set forth that the administration of the government is for and by the people, and that it is not consistent with our institutions that so many relatives should be employed by one officer. The efficiency of the service demands that the ties of relationship should not exist where vigilance is required to make the administration of the laws exact." The provision is not aimed especially at the first internal revenue district of New Hampshire, as many people seem to think, but is of general application.

YORK LETTER.

YORK, ME., August 20th.

Mr. Editor: Without introduction you will say I am a stranger. Well, the hay-making is most over, and the grasshoppers are bossing the job for the balance.

Rufus Varrell's store at the harbor was entered a few nights ago by some party who removed a pane of glass and raised the window. About forty dollars in cash, a full caddy of tobacco, worth $15, three pairs of rubber boots and other articles were taken. No trace of the thief or thieves has been found, although a party is strongly suspected.

I see by some "Reporter" (please use a cap "R") that a man in Maine recently died from eating bread and milk. Well, the moral is, don't eat bread and milk; but candidly, a man who is filthy enough to crumble bread into milk with unwashed hands after having been killing potato bugs, and attempt to eat it, had either ought to die or occupy a sty.

Our hotels are filled to overflowing. The Marshall House has about 200 guests, mostly "hightoned" and wealthy people from Boston, New York and the West. General G. B. McClellan is daily expected there. Hon. J. G. Blaine has honored our town with his presence, for a few days, and has been the guest of Mrs. T. Bigelow Lawrence.

Eld. J. Cummings, of Boston, of the faith of the restoration of the Jews into Jerusalem, is holding a tent meeting at the village, to continue one week. Mr. Cummings is a very fluent speaker, and a gentleman of great argumentive powers; but from some unknown cause the attendance has been very limited.

The fly crop in York has not been harvested, but from present indications there will be an unprecedented supply for fall preserving; yet with the present high price of molasses, they are somewhat expensive.

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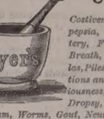

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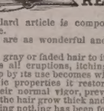

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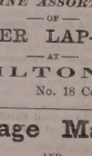

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SEC. 5. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by drains or pipes to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw the refuse of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or place, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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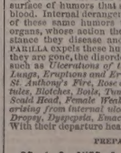

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Why Pastors Should Have No Vacations.

A good many church congregations are having peculiar experiences just now. The pastors are having their vactions, and "supplies" are not always well acquainted with the church, people or order of service where they are to preach.

In one church, it has happened two or three times lately that the members of the congregation have come in and looked over their neighbors' clothes, and still no minister. The time from 10:50 until 11:10 seems very long when passed in church, sitting in profound silence and wondering how the Quakers stand it for two hours at a time. In the church in question, it has happened thus far that at length a strange gentleman has dashed into the church and ambled up the broad aisle to the pulpit, whence he has explained that a mistaken car on a wrong road should be held responsible for the delay.

In one case the minister was even less fortunate. He got into the wrong church; but, supposing that it was the right one, he was astonished to see a minister already in the pulpit. As it was late, he thought it might be that the people had grown tired of waiting for him and had found some one to take his place; so with one sorrowful thought for the $10 which he should not earn that Sunday, he sat down and composed himself to listen. Presently a hymn was given out and the clergyman took up a hymn book and saw to his horror that he was in the wrong church. The sexton was astonished, a second later, to see a well-dressed man rush out of the church on a full trot, but the trot carried the minister to the right church, only quarter of an hour behind time, and he preached an excellent sermon.

A minister from the West was preaching, the other Sunday, in a church where a good many forms are used and where the choir strike up at all times. The good man came to the end of the first prayer in due time and was about to say "amen," when the choir said it for him, and said it as if it was a word of fourteen syllables. The clergyman waited until the choir dropped the word, when he astonished its members by looking at them with great intensity, and remarking, "amen." He then read the Scriptures of the Old Testament and began to look for his place to read from the New Testament, when the choir broke in again. After the last sweet soprano notes had died away, the voice of the minister fell with awful distinctness upon the waiting worshippers. Said he, "I hope the choir will permit me to conduct this service without further interruption." They did not sing again in that church that day without an invitation from the pulpit.

In another church, it had been announced that a collection would be taken every Sunday during the pastor's vacation. The brother who was running the church, while the pastor was away, always took pains to remind the preachers, the last thing before they went into the pulpit, that a contribution would be expected. His anxiety to have a collection taken was principally because he knew that otherwise he should have to pay the minister out of his own pocket, and that the chances of his ever getting his money back would be very slim. Upon the occasion in question, he had not failed to remind the minister of the contribution, but the usual time passed and there was no call for funds. The minister had clearly forgotten the contribution. The minister had clearly forgotten the contribution. The last hymn was being sung when the brother marched up to the pulpit and mentioned the contribution. The minister was for dropping the matter as the time had passed, but not so the brother. Raising his voice to be heard above the noise of the singing, he explained the situation, and the music stopped just in time for the whole congregation to hear the excited brother shout: "If we don't have this contribution, I shall have to pay you out of my own pocket, and I can't afford to do it."

The minister uttered no word and the brother realized that his last sentence had been spoken to the whole congregation. Without an invitation the ushers grasped the contribution boxes and there was taken enough and to spare.—*Prov. Jour.*

The Improbable in War.

Every man who has ever been in the thick of a fight knows that, to all appearances, the escape of any man so placed is utterly improbable, if not well-nigh impossible also. Bullets fly around him thick as hail; shells burst and solid shot scream around his head for hours. That some one of the thousand missiles shall hit him seems to be almost inevitable; and yet in very few battles does one man in ten sustain any sort of harm. The writer of this article has seen a thirteen-inch mortar shell fall and explode in a mortar pit fifteen feet square, in which eight men were standing, without doing harm to any one of them. Ninety-nine times in a hundred such an occurrence would kill every man so exposed, but in this case the utterly improbable thing happened. In another case within the writer's knowledge, a caisson chest, with seventy-five pounds of powder in it, exploded without injuring a man who was sitting on it at the time. Improbable things of a contrary sort happen not less frequently. To draw still from this writer's observation, a man lying in a mortar pit fourteen feet deep, lying close to the revetement, too, was killed by a musket ball which came from a dis-

tance of not less than a thousand yards, and passed through the man's lungs. It had probably struck a pebble or some other object in front, which caused it to fly upward, and afterward to fall behind the high parapet. At any rate, it killed the man.—*N. Y. Evening Post.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 24, 1877.

News and Notes.

Details of the loss of the British steamer Eten on the South American coast state that she left the port of Valparaiso on the 14th of July en route to Panama, with fifty-one passengers, and mails for Europe and the United States. Nine hours after sailing she ran upon a point of rocks known as Bull's Point (Punk de Fors) and became a total wreck. The captain, twenty of his crew and twenty-one passengers were lost. The great change of currents consequent on the then recent earthquake is given as the cause of the wreck.

Senator Morton was very ill on the 22d, and fears were entertained that he could not live the night through.

The governors of West Virginia and Maryland have notified the War Department that United States troops are no longer needed to preserve order in those States, and Gen. Hancock will at once withdraw them.

On Friday, the 17th. F. A. Soop and his young wife were sailing on Lake St. Clair when they were run down by a steam barge and Mrs. Soop was drowned. The young couple had been clandestinely united, and the first the father knew of his son's marriage was when he received a telegram saying: "Nellie is my wife; she is dead; please make arrangements to meet us to-night at the depot."

The managers of the Western Union Telegraph, before announcing the success of the negotiations for a "pooling arrangement" with the Atlantic & Pacific, succeeded in purchasing a majority of the capital stock of the latter, so that the Western Union now absolutely controls both lines.

The United States steamer Speedwell has arrived at Halifax and will be employed in dredging the harbor, Bedford basin and the adjacent coast, under the direction of Prof. Baird of the Smithsonian Institute. A wharf has been secured for their accommodation; also a room for microscopic and other examinations.

Charles A. Minnie, a colored youth, has passed the most successful examination as candidate for a cadetship at West Point, from Nick Muller's district. [Muller is a democrat, and represents one of the Congressional districts of New York city.] His percentage was 98, P. Ahern's 75, and M. McGrath's 74. A report current in the lower wards of the city that Congressman Muller would withhold his certificate on account of his color is strenuously denied by Mr. Muller, who says he will cheerfully give him his well-earned certificate. Minnie is twenty years old, was born in Troy, raised in the Half-Orphan Asylum, had no schooling until two years ago, when he entered a colored school in New York, and afterwards a grammar school, where he worked so industriously as to go out with high honors. When he heard of the cadetship examination he was a waiter in a Newport, R. I., hotel. His course at West Point will be watched with great interest.

Donohue, the Hornellsville (N. Y.) rioter, was released from jail in New York city on the 22d, and immediately rearrested by the Sheriff of Steuben county.

There being no American man-of-war in Hong Kong harbor on the 4th of July, the British commodore hoisted the stars and stripes at the main-mast head of his flagship, and saluted it.

Kate Andrews, aged seventeen, was shot through the left lung, at Meriden, Conn., Wednesday, while trifling over a revolver with her brother John. She is not expected to live.

The Democratic State Convention of Pennsylvania on Wednesday nominated John Trunkey as candidate for governor, on the fourth ballot.

The Eastern War.

A despatch of the 23d from Bucharest says the Russians still claim to have possession of the Shipka Pass, and also the occupation of Kustendje. A despatch from Berlin says that Germany has issued a circular to the powers asking them to join in a remonstrance against the Porte's non-fulfilment of the Geneva Conference. The remonstrance has not been accepted by the powers, it being considered one-sided. A despatch from Russian sources reports that the Russians had repulsed 40,000 Turks, but does not state at what point.

Book Notices.

Estes & Laurist have recently published "Jack," a novel by Alphonse Daudet, the author of "Sidonie." Sidonie has had a sale of a hundred thousand copies in Europe and over eight thousand in this country. Jack is translated from the French edition by Mary Neal Sherwood, the translator of Sidonie, and it possesses the same interest that the brilliant work of the author in his former work developed.

The "International Review" for September—October is a number of such merit as to call for the third "thousand copies" in the first edition. The topics are varied, timely, important, and of interest to all classes of citizens. The writers have the reputation of being pre-eminently qualified for the proper treatment of the topics. The articles, even of foreign writers, are original contributions to the International Review. The manner of treatment is popular, the intention of the writers being to present their thoughts, and the results of their investigation and study to the very largest class of intelligent men and women. The current number contains The Communist and the Railway, by W. M. Grosvenor; The Letters of Junius, by A. H. Stevens; Modern Armies and Modes of Warfare, by Simon Sterne; Judicial Partisanship, The Late World's Fair, The President's Southern Policy, and other articles of interest and value. Price $1. For sale by newsdealers and booksellers, or sent by mail, postpaid, on receipt of price by the publishers, A. S. Barnes & Co., 111 & 113 William street, N. Y.

The same publishers also give us "My Bonnie Lass," by Mrs. C. V. Hamilton, whose novel, "Woven of many threads," was so generally read on its appearance a few years ago. Mrs. Hamilton's celebrity as a writer ensures the new work a ready sale, and it will doubtless be a favorite, as the evenings lengthen at this season, when in-door enjoyments succeed the inertia of the heated term.

"Scribner's Magazine" for September has a timely article upon wells and cisterns as a water supply, which every one should read. Dr. S. M. Burnett gives us "hints on the use and care of the eyes," which contains many interesting suggestions.

"Tom Bailey's Adventures, or the Story of a Bad Boy," is one of the books of eight years' existence which is as keenly relished as on the day on which it first appeared. It is always fresh, natural and charming, and is re-read with marked pleasure by many. It is on sale at Goodrich's book-store under the City Hall.

New Hampshire Items.

President Hayes and party visited the camp-meeting at the Weirs Wednesday forenoon. About five thousand people were on the grounds. Short speeches were made by the President and members of the Cabinet. After about an hour's stay the party left for Concord, where they met a cordial greeting. A banquet and reception took place in the afternoon and another reception was held in the evening.

The Manchester *Union* says that a bill prohibiting towns and cities from appropriating money to aid railroads passed the New Hampshire House last session, but was defeated in the Senate by nearly a two-thirds vote. The clerk of the latter body, however, by mistake or design, endorsed the bill as passed, and it was duly engrossed and approved by the Governor, and now appears among the laws, and the *Union* wants to know what is to be done about it. We have seen a similar statement before, and there is evidently a chance for an explanation somewhere.

A runaway horse dashed into the machine shop of the iron and steel company, at Nashua, and mounted a pile of iron to such a height that a derrick was called into service to liberate him. He kicked and struggled frightfully, and was much cut and bruised.

During a shower on the 21st the lightning struck John Peabody's house in Gorham, tearing off plastering, casings and doors; the clock was thrown across the room and out of the upper part of the window. Mrs. Peabody was stunned for a moment, but suffered no further injury.

Rev. C. E. Harrington of Lancaster administered a severe rebuke on a recent Sunday to those church members who worked at haying on the previous Sunday.

Alonzo B. Caldwell, aged fifty-eight, pattern maker in the Manchester print works, hanged himself on the 21st. Cause, temporary insanity. He leaves a family.

Hon. John H. Goodale has been re-elected Superintendent of Public Schools in the city of Nashua.

A reunion of the old Twelfth New Hampshire volunteers will occur on the 7th of September at Bristol.

The Dover *Democrat* of the 21st says: "Yesterday a rather peculiar case in bankruptcy came before the Register in this city, from Newmarket. It appears that certain persons, some four or half-dozen in number, were authorized to build a new church edifice in Newmarket for one of the religious societies there, and to raise the money the said persons gave their joint and several private notes. They got the money, built the church, and turned it over to the society. And now, as the notes fall due, all these men take to the bankrupt law, and it is said they can only pay a small percentage of the debt, while it seems probable that the society will get the new house for nothing. At first sight, to those not initiated in the methods, it looks like a rather curious way to get a new church; but then this is a curious world. Perhaps this church matter will come out all right and in accordance with the golden rule, but it looks on its face like the ways of the heathen Chinee."

Georgie Adams, eight years old, son of George H. Adams of Concord, was drowned in the Merrimack river at that place on the 22d.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council, Wednesday evening, the following were appointed a Commission to revise the statutes of the State; J. E. Sargent of Concord, Levi W. Barton of Newport, John F. Wiggin of Exeter.

—Between 8000 and 10,000 glass eyes are sold annually in the United States. An eye-maker gives one in 125 as the proportion of one-eyed people.

—The force of habit is a fine thing in its way, but when in reply to a question at a church fair as to what he will have, a young man mechanically replies, "Beer," or "The same," it is a trifle awkward.

—Harper's *Bazar* says that you may eat corn off the cob, but you must hold it with only one hand. If the cob gets a little the better of you, we suppose you may hold one end of the cob down with your foot. —*Hawkeye.*

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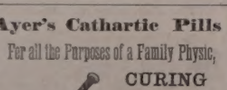

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.50† P.M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

† Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.60 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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"GET THE BEST."

We presume that every well informed person is perfectly familiar with a fact which has long been patent, viz.: that the adulteration of food of almost every kind is a common custom, and that the only safety lies in buying the best article in the market, and of dealers of experience and acknowledged integrity. All over the country there has sprung up a host of "cheap Johns" who pretend to sell sugars, groceries and like goods far cheaper than the regular old-fashioned dealers; and as a great many people enjoy being imposed upon, provided it is done at a cheap rate, there is a constant delusion that buyers save something by patronizing such shops. There never was a greater mistake than to suppose that a trader with little or no experience, and with everything to gain and nothing to lose, can treat a customer better than does the old-fashioned dealer, who has been for years in trade and has become posted in all the ramifications of the business. These men have a reputation, and have kept their customers for years by a habit of fair dealing, especially in giving them the best article for their money.

Take, for example, our next door neighbor, Mr. Charles E. Laighton. For over a half a century he has been a leading grocer in Portsmouth. He never sells an inferior article; and if the price paid at his store is above that charged in the cheap shops, it is because his goods are of a better quality than theirs and fully worth the sum asked.

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Our friends Butler & Laighton occupy a stand that has in years past been celebrated for its successful business, because it has been conducted, by nearly every occupant of the spot, upon the soundest business principles. They do not pretend to sell goods at "less than their cost," or below a fair market value; but they always give their customers an article well worth the price paid.

In these days of adulterations, the only safe way for the housekeeper to secure good groceries is to purchase of dealers of acknowledged standing. Consult the leading papers. See who advertises, and do not be caught by flashy appearances and glaring placard announcements of goods which, if of a good grade, can be purchased at less prices of old-established and well-known merchants, than one is made to pay at the so called cheap establishments, the patronage of which is always dearest in the end.

THE NEW HOUSE AT WHITE ISLAND.

The new house for the lightkeepers at White Island, Isles of Shoals, is finished, and makes a very imposing show. It is fifty-six feet long east and west, and twenty-three feet wide. It is built in the very best manner of wood, and is bricked up between the studding from the foundation to the roof, so as to leave an air space between the bricks and the outside boarding, and a similar air space between the brick and the lathing and plastering of the inside; this will not only give strength and stability to the house, but will greatly increase its warmth in winter and its coolness in summer. The house is divided into two tenements, entirely separate from each other. Each tenement has four rooms, viz.: kitchen (also intended to be used for a dining room) and a parlor on the lower floor, and two large bed-rooms overhead; there is also a large pantry or store room, a sink room, and two clothes rooms in each tenement. There is nothing that can be called a cellar beneath the new building, as it is only raised about two feet from the solid rock; but there is a circular cistern sunk to a goodly depth, which will hold forty barrels of water.

The picturesque old house, which has stood on the island for a longer time than the oldest inhabitant of the Shoals can remember, (in fact, there is no record whatever as to when it was built, so far as the writer of this has been able to discover,) is to be razed to the lower floor and then have a shed roof put on; the object of this is to preserve the excellent cellar which is beneath the old house, and the large cistern which is in the cellar—but it won't work worth a cent, for the cellar will freeze up solid in cold weather, cistern and all, without the protection hitherto afforded by the ancient building. It is too bad to tear the old structure down, too; for its thick walls of rough rock are solid as when first put up, and notwithstanding its small size on the ground compared with the new building, and its inferior height, there is very much more room in it than in either of the new tenements, and as to convenience of arrangement no comparison is possible. The wood-work of the old house was in very bad condition, to be sure, which made it cold as a barn in a winter nor'-wester; and about a quarter of its internal space was taken up by a fourteen-feet-square chimney of rocks,—built before bricks were invented, so some of the old Shoalsmen say; but one-half the money it has cost to build the new house, if laid out in repairing and enlarging the old one and modernizing its interior, would have made of it a better, more comfortable and more convenient dwelling than the new one.

And thousands of summer visitors at the Appledore who in years past have gazed with wondering curiosity at the two-feet-thick walls of the old house, the small, old-fashioned windows, with their seven-by-nine panes of glass and their heavy protecting shutters of plank, and the massive rock chimney with a brick top; and the many others who have had a chance introduction to it through the medium of magazine articles, or who have become thoroughly acquainted with it through the graceful writings of Mrs. Thaxter, will regard the new house with much the same feelings as the "old families of Portsmouth" are said to entertain toward an interloper who finds a way within the sacred circle. They will have to allow it to remain, because they cannot very well help it; but they will cordially dislike the agency which substituted a modern house with big windows and a half-way French roof for the quaint old building of rocks that was the home of Hon. Thomas B. Laighton during the earlier years of his voluntary exile from the main land, and was the play-ground of Celia Thaxter and the present Lords of Appledore during their childhood.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN, Thursday evening, Ald. Coffin appeared and qualified.

Petition of Butler & Laighton, and others, for passage of an ordinance compelling persons coming into the city to sell fruit, etc., to take out a license, was referred to the committee on police.

Bonds of Marshal Entwistle, Asst. Marshals Cole and Gray, and officers Nowell, Pray, Abbott and White, were accepted.

Balloted to fill two vacancies in police force, and Charles H. Besselievre and Thomas R. Moore were elected.

Robert N. Anderson was appointed special police without pay at navy yard landing, and C. W. Roberts at Eastern depot. Henry Wallace was also appointed.

IN CONVENTION, balloted for city officers.

Lamplighters — Dist. No. 1, George Woods; Dist. No. 2, Thomas A. Prior; Dist. No. 3, Joseph Stickney.

Lot Layer. After two ballots without a choice, Ald. Yeaton was empowered to cast one vote, his choice to be the choice of the Convention. William A. Ashe was thus elected.

Sealer of Weights and Measures. After one ballot, Ald. Coffin was empowered to elect, and voted for John P. Sweetser.

Harbor Master, Charles H. Rollins.

Pound Keeper, Robert Shillaber.

Port Wardens, Floron Barri, Edward E. Vaughan, James W. Raitt.

Keeper of Powder Magazine, James R. Yeaton.

Surveyors of Wood and Measurers of Lumber, Charles W. Bailey, Fred W. Rogers, James H. Thompson, Benj. M. Parker, Richard T. Call, Daniel McIntire, Oliver Ayers, Jos. Spinney, Moses Yeaton, Albert A. Fernald, Jos. E. Adams, Meshach T. Muchmore.

Weighers, Franklin Ayers, Edward T. Newman, G. J. Greenleaf, Benj. Russell, James M. Salter, Joseph A. Walker.

Fence Viewer, George E. Hodgdon.

Inspector of Flour, Thomas Neil. (Henry A. Yeaton was chosen, and declined.)

Surveyors of Highways, election postponed.

IN BOARD OF ALDERMEN, (resumed,) balloted for Chief Engineer of the Fire Department, the first ballot being as follows:

William B. Grogan	3
Richard H. Waldron	3
Stephen L. Marston	3

And there was no choice. On the second ballot

Stephen L. Marston had	3
Samuel S. Fletcher had	6

And Mr. Fletcher was declared elected.

Assistant Engineers, James A. Waterhouse, Samuel H. Kingsbury, Willard J. Sampson, Thornton Betton.

Supernumerary Police, Charles W. Abbott, George Stringer, Daniel Webster, John C. Lewis, John Turner, Edward W. Clough, Edwin Underhill, C. Wesley Rand, Joseph E. Fernald, Samuel M. Joy.

Health Officers, Daniel W. Jones, Daniel Danielson, Robert Shillaber.

Inspector of Petroleum and its Products, Thomas S. Gammon.

Clerk of Board of Engineers, William C. Ham.

[Communicated.]

OPEN LETTER TO "GROWLER."

Mr. Editor: Please allow me to address "Growler" through your pages. The society with the long name, as he calls it, considers no case of cruelty too small for their cognizance, but they are neither omniscient nor omnipresent. Every humane person, whether he pay a dollar annually and so become a member, or not, ought to consider himself called upon to help forward the object of the society, viz.: the Prevention of Cruelty. If Growler saw the unfortunate oxen to which he refers, could he not have remonstrated with the owner, as well as if he had been a member of the society? Or if too timid or too proud, or unwilling to do this, he could (and on future occasions can) find the Secretary of the society, A. F. Craig, at his office, No. 5 Congress street. If unfortunately he should be absent, the President, T. E. O. Marvin, can usually be found at his oil factory. Either of these gentlemen would attend at once to any case brought before them. Other officers of the society who are always ready to do their duty, are Mr. Augustus Odiorne, Dr. J. R. May, Mrs. J. J. Pickering, Miss Christie, etc. Our former City Marshals (and I have no doubt the same will prove true of the present one) have always shown themselves willing to aid the society by their authority. If Growler, or any one else, should ever see any case of cruelty to horse, oxen, dog, cat, bird, or any living thing, the society would be glad to have their attention called to it, *especially* at the time, when something can be done about it. I will merely state in conclusion that the annual payment of one dollar makes any one a member of the society and that such contributions will be gladly received, as their funds are running very low.

A MEMBER OF N. H. S. P. C. A.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Gen. A. P. Rockwell, President of the Eastern Railroad, is cooling off at Mount Desert, where he will find, doubtless, an excellent opportunity to ascertain the value of the investment made by a former board of Directors of the Eastern road, at Bar Harbor.

Among the first (and most commendable) acts of the new Street Commissioner was to remove the unsightly weeds from Richards avenue, and to clear the gutters in several streets at the west end where the waters from heavy showers could only be disposed of by keeping the water courses clear.

Hon. W. H. Y. Hackett is at Bethlehem, in the endeavor to escape the attack of an annual hay fever. T. Salter Tredick, Esq., and family, are at the Glen.

Hon. David Cross and wife, of Manchester, are at the Appledore.

The concert by the Hutchinson Family in Franklin Hall on Thursday evening drew a good audience, though the intense heat of the evening and the moonlight excursion of the Appledore steamer no doubt prevented the attendance of many who would otherwise have been present. The entertainment provided was worthy of the reputation so fairly won in the long ago by the "old original" Hutchinsons, of whom Asa B. Hutchinson, the patriarch of this tribe, was one. The music of the family is as sweet, and the sentiment of their songs as pure and elevating, as ever, though the times when they persisted in singing anti-slavery songs at the peril of their lives have gone never to return—good job, too. The Hutchinson Family have been favorites for about forty years, are still favorites, and deserve all their popularity. That their patrons were entirely satisfied with the concert was shown by the liberal applause rendered.

The Portsmouth Philharmonic Society are to resume their weekly rehearsals at Mercantile hall on Tuesday evening, Sept. 4th.

Heywood Brothers' Combination will give an entertainment at Franklin Hall to-morrow (Saturday) evening. The papers of the Middle and Western States and of the central cities of Massachusetts, speak very highly of the performances of this company. The Milford (Mass.) *Journal* says "their entertainments are all they advertise them to be;" the Worcester *Press* says that in that city "the audience of 2,500 persons was enthusiastic in its applause;" the Cleveland *Leader* says "a very rich minstrel and general programme was given;" and the other notices of their performances are equally complimentary. Their advertisement is in another column.

Miss Susie F. Ham, the well known powerful and talented contralto of this city, is to sing with the Hutchinson Family, at least during their concerts in this vicinity, and perhaps will travel with them—her first appearance in their concerts to be at Rye Beach Monday evening.

Morse & Ilsley will sell by auction today, commencing at 11 o'clock A. M., on the premises, all the interest of J. C. Carr in the land and frame building thereon numbered 72 on State street; brick store Nos. 22 and 24 Market street; brick store and dwelling corner Washington and State streets; and all book accounts belonging to estate of J. C. Carr, several notes, and one mortgage on real estate. See advertisement.

The new ship Granite State, having all her masts in place, has hauled to the wharf above the steamboat landing at the navy yard, where her yards can be crossed without their striking against the sheers. The beautiful model of the Granite State, contrasted with that of some of the old hulks that lay at the yard, is the source of frequent admiration by nautical men.

George E. Merrill has been appointed station agent of the Eastern Railroad at Seabrook, *vice* Abbott A. Locke, who has been in charge for the past twenty years. Mr. Merrill has been operator at the Seabrook station for the past three years. The misplaced switch which caused the recent accident was handled by the brakeman in charge of the freight train, that was at Seabrook to pass the Pullman train. In the night the freightmen do all the shifting at this station, and the station agent has no charge of this work except in the day time.

DIED.

MERRILL. In this city, August 23d, Mattie Marion Merrill, daughter of Charles N. and Lydia D. Merrill, aged 3 months, 15 days.

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200	do.	100	20,000
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1,000	do.	20	20,000

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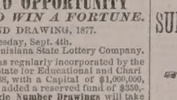

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any vendor of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them, or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, yard or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds within city, or so placed that the offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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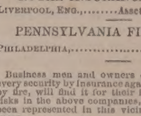

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Successor to the Centennial.

Speaking of the Main Exhibition Building of Philadelphia as adapted to the requirements of the Permanent International Exhibition, a contemporary says: "The architectural improvements within the transepts of the Permanent Exhibition Building, at Philadelphia, have made of it the largest, and unquestionably, the finest music hall in the United States, if not in the world. The great Roosevelt Organ remains in its place above the North centre entrance. The organ and tower galleries have been connected, and a large seating capacity gained in that way. Then by a gradual descent by broad terraced steps the main floor is reached about half way between the entrance and the centre of the building. On this Orchestral Gallery, seated with chairs, are accommodations for a chorus of nearly three thousand voices. In the auditorium, occupying the full width between the towers back as far as the central music stand, there is ample space for eight thousand sittings. Rising from the centre is a substantial pedestal, surmounted by a colossal bronze statue of America, or the Goddess of Liberty. While the hall is so large that only the most powerful voices can fill the room when speaking, a single voice if clear and distinct produces a wonderfully fine effect in song, the columns and ornaments forming the boundaries of the inclosures, being sufficient to confine the tone within. On the other hand the military band or grand chorus, and the great organ, produce immense volumes of tone, which force their way through these partial barriers to the remotest parts of the vast building, with echoes and reverberations which add greatly to the effect. The light at night from nearly two thousand gas burners is almost as brilliant as the sunlight, and the Saturday evening concerts are attended by thousands attracted not only by the fine music that is provided, but to witness the illumination."

—Dion Boucicault's advice—Never make love to a woman through an ink-bottle.

—Great contest after two months of married life—Which shall be speaker of the house.

—Germany possesses the oldest warrior in the world. Field Marshal Wrangel is ninety-four years old and is in good health and vigor.

—The owner of the steamer City of Madison, burned last week in the West, hired a drunken engineer because he could be got for five dollars a month less than a sober one. The man was found asleep at two o'clock in the morning, with the boiler over-heated and ready for a blow-up. Soon after the steamer was found to be on fire, and with her cargo entirely burned. There was no insurance, but the owner saved 16 2-3 cents for the day on which his cheap engineer worked.

—The Burlington (Vt.) *Free Press* says: "On the top of Prospect Mountain, near Addison, is a remarkable pond about three-quarters of an acre in extent. Except a small space in the centre, it is covered with a thick moss, strong enough for people to walk upon. Poles are pushed through the moss at any point, but none have ever touched bottom, yet there are large trees growing on it and people walk in safety. The moss forms a thick mat or carpet, and is described as being exquisitely beautiful.

—Mayne Reid, according to Colonel A. W. Taylor of Memphis, had plenty of genius but no balance. When he served in the Mexican war he was a great dandy, wore more braid on his coat than any other man in the army, loved the ladies and got on tremendous sprees once a month. He was wounded at Chapultepec, where he led the supporting company, but as he charged against orders Scott did not mention him for promotion. "All right" was Reid's reply; "I think the man who gets in his licks first is the best man. It is only a difference of opinion between two great men."

—Berthold Auerbach, as a Jew, has a word to say about the Seligman-Hilton squabble. In a letter addressed to Frederick Kapp he makes, among other comments, the following: "There can be no question about this. The Jews are much to blame on this and on the other side of the ocean. They often want that quiet culture, that contentment with one's own inner refining and elevating. An inordinate desire for pomp and display is prevalent, especially among Jewish women. Much is yet to be done, much to be admonished, before simplicity and a sense of modesty can be awakened and cherished among them."

—Mrs. Edwin French of Londonderry, Vermont, in attempting to draw water from a well near the house, a few days ago, was thrown into the well by the breaking of a board. The water was several feet deep, but she managed to keep her head above the surface by clinging to the pump pipe. There was no person within sound of her voice, but the family dog, an intelligent and faithful animal, went to the well and looked in. Mrs. French asked him, as she would have asked a human being, if he could not get help. The dog took in the situation instantly and bounded away towards the hayfield where Mr. French was at work. Arrived there he made a terrible uproar, and persisted in his wild actions until Mr. French, fearing that something had happened, followed him to the well and saved his wife from drowning.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 25, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 22d.

Secretary Sherman has spoken, and while he has been and will be assailed for an alleged violation of the President's order, his speech has attracted more attention than is usually devoted to campaign utterances, because it deals with matters of vital interest to the whole nation and is supposed to reflect the views of the administration. His statements of facts are of ready verification, and hence it is likely that he has bankrupted many spread eagle orators who cherished hopes of making themselves immortal during the fall campaigns. Patriotic men of all parties will find comfort in many of them, and also matters for very serious reflection in those that were brought into such prominence by the labor revolt. His figures showing the large reduction in the cost of administering the Government already effected, and other matters contemplated in the same direction, ought to prove gratifying to every tax-payer, whether republican, democrat or neither. He is very explicit relative to some items of general and great interest, stating that since March 1st there has been accumulated a reserve of currency, gold and silver coin, and bullion, amounting to $44,840,882; the reduction of our national debt within the same time is $29,441,024, while of that still unpaid a large portion has been refunded at 4 1-2 and 4 per cent. interest, without any serious disturbance to business and without the aid of legislation which he believes would have greatly facilitated the reduction of our debt, and assisted in reaching specie payment. Personally, Mr. Sherman appears to have largely enhanced public confidence in his Administration of our finances.

It now seems taken for granted that Mr. Hayes' first message will be largely devoted to a consideration of the relations of capital and labor, as found existing between great corporations and their employes. It is known that several members of the Cabinet are in favor of legislation creating a commission of arbitration. It appears that Secretary McCrary at the last session urged through the House the passage of a bill investing Congress with a partial control of our great trunk railway lines. It failed in the Senate; but it is believed something of the kind will be recommended. Mr. Sherman's statement that four men practically control the movement by railroad of above 27,000,000 tons of freight is certainly suggestive.

Messrs. Peugh and Grow, respectable members of the Washington bar, are under heavy bail for the Grand Jury's action, for alleged forgery. In 1873, Peugh, as Attorney of one Tompkins of Georgia, secured an award of $1,343.86 by the Court of Claims, for property taken by the Government during the war. Two drafts were issued, one for $1,008.15 the other for $335.-71, the amount of fee claimed by Peugh, and both payable to Tompkins. It appears that Tompkins was slow in paying his Attorney, and he, to get the money, disposed of the drafts to Grow. One was paid last December, the other in January, both endorsed by Tompkins and Grow. The Treasury officials afterwards decided that Tompkins' signature was a forgery and Grow refunded the money. Grow states that he entrusted the drafts to a party who engaged to get them signed by Tompkins; that they were returned to him duly signed, and that he never doubted the genuineness of Tompkins' signature. It is now claimed that evidence has been discovered that the claims are either greatly exaggerated or wholly fraudulent; and as a statute is said to be in existence giving the Treasury accounting officers the right to review awards and to refuse payment under such circumstances, it may after all turn out that it had been better for the trio had Tompkins promptly paid his lawyer. The case is of great local interest on account of the social and professional standing of the lawyers and of some general interest because of the novel points involved.

KNOX.

Political.

The democrats of Kemper county, Mississippi, have nominated the leader of the assassins of the Chisolm family for sheriff. This is consistent with the State Democratic Convention which nominated Gov. Stone for re-election. Surely if the chief magistrate who declined to take any measures for bringing these murderers to justice is fit to preside over the State, the leader of the band is fit to preside over the county.

The New York *Express*, the official organ of Tammany Hall, says: "Mr. Randall is intimate with the republican managers of Pennsylvania. He seems to be the favorite of both the Philadelphia and the Harrisburg rings. He is allowed to go to Congress when other democrats are counted remorselessly out. Robeson gave him all the patronage he wanted in the Philadelphia Navy Yard. These facts are suspicious, and weaken Mr. Randall's chances of success. His ability is generally conceded. He is an able parliamentarian, a ready debater, and a very serviceable member on the floor. But no man with his known views on subsidies and of his suspicious relations ought to be elected to the Speakership by democratic votes."

The State Treasurer of Georgia, under a decision of the Attorney-General, would not advance to the Constitutional Convention any more money than was appropriated by the Legislature. The Convention passed an ordinance authorizing the President to borrow money to defray expenses of the Convention to be repaid by the next General Assembly, upon which Gen. Toombs loaned the Convention $25,000. A high old "Constitutional" convention that, which while repudiating the bonds issued in payment for the capitol building of the State, in which the convention is sitting, illegally contracts a debt of $25,000! But then it is a "reform" convention, of the democratic patent.

On the whole we must pronounce the platform of the Pennsylvania democracy the most unmitigated twaddle yet produced in a year of empty platforms.—*Boston Globe.*

New Hampshire Items.

The Waumbek Lumber Company of Bethlehem, one of the largest lumber companies of New England, has gone into voluntary bankruptcy, and the petition is on file in the United States District Court at Manchester. William G. R. Mowry of Providence is President and manager of the concern. The Sprague's of Rhode Island are large stockholders, as also is ex-Governor Howard of Rhode Island, all of whom are in favor of going through bankruptcy. Opposed to it are Hon. John G. Sinclair of Bethlehem, the National Bank of Newbury, Vt., and others. The creditors are many, but it is thought that the assets will more than cover the liabilities.

The farm buildings of Thomas C. Ryder were burned Thursday morning at Dunbarton. Loss $8000. Insured $4000.

While driving at Wilton, on Friday, D. S. Burnham of Milford was thrown from his carriage and received severe injuries.

The mysterious death of several cattle at Wolfeboro is attributed to poison, either from eating noxious shrubs or the administration of poison by some revengeful person.

During the reception of Mr. Hayes at Nashua, the pockets of well-known men were picked to the amount of $500 or $600, with papers, notes, etc. F. E. Tupper, a stove and tin dealer, lost $93.

President Hayes and party were received in Manchester on Thursday by a democratic mayor. Hon. Ira Cross having resigned, Alderman P. A. Devine, the only democrat on the board, was elected chairman pro tem.; then Col. Cilley was elected mayor, but declined to accept, which left Mr. Devine the acting mayor at the time of the President's visit.

All but two of a large party of gold-seekers from Franklin to the Black Hills have returned, fully satisfied with their adventure, believing New Hampshire a much better country than they were wont to believe before.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Bucharest, via London, the 23d, says the Turks attacked Tirnova the day before in force, and the fighting continued until nightfall. Another despatch says Prince Mirsky had repulsed the attack of Osman Pasha upon Selvi. A despatch from Vienna says the junction of the forces of Mehemet Ali with Suleiman Pasha is denied. A despatch from the Russsian headquarters, dated August 22, says the attack on the Shipka Pass by Suleiman Pasha was repulsed by the Russians. The Turks made no less than ten attacks, and each time were driven back with heavy loss.

A Turkish despatch on the 24th says that a battle had taken place at Eski Yuma. The Turks, who were under command of Mehemet Ali, defeated the Russians, capturing many prisoners and taking several guns. The Russians retired in great disorder.

News and Notes.

The New South Wales steam collier Yarra Yarra, entering the harbor of Newcastle, Australia, July 15th, was boarded by a huge sea, a gale was blowing at the time, and went down, stern foremost, with all hands, about twenty-five persons. The steamship City of Hobart, employed between Sydney and Tasmania, foundered July 24. All hands were saved. The steamer belonged to William Summerbell, the owner of the unfortunate Yarra Yarra.

The French man-of-war Correze recently passed Aden, on the Red Sea, with cholera on board. Fifty of the crew had died and 150 were sick with the disease at the time the vessel was spoken.

Gen. Howard had another brush with the Indians on the 20th, the latter attacking his camp before daylight and running off 100 horses. The troops pursued them and retook about one-third of the horses, one soldier being killed and seven wounded, and many of the Indians killed.

The Knights of Honor, started June, 1873, had paid $240,871.85, in death benefits, up to July 21, this year. The average death assessment per month is one dollar for an assurance of two thousand dollars payable at death.

A girl fourteen years of age, daughter of Patrick Keating, of Barton, Vt., was fatally burned Thursday afternoon by the explosion of a kerosene oil can, from which she was pouring oil on a fire which she had just started in the stove.

In spaciousness, convenience of arrangement and liberality of appointments, and above all in the efficiency of management and careful consideration far the comfort of guests, the American House, Boston, has few superiors among the Hotels of the land. —*Burlington Hawkeye.*

American girls at home are beginning to learn that there is something in the world besides dress. One, a school teacher, wrote a letter recently, asking for a design by which to make up dresses which would not look eccentric, but which would be useful, convenient and available for two or three years, or until the clothes were worn out. She said she was determined to dress hereafter without reference to fashion, make her garments when it was convenient—that is during the month of vacation—and her dresses so they would be good for two years at least, using no fanciful styles, or trimmings, but better materials than she had been accustomed to use, so that color and texture would remain firm. She said she was quite determined to do this, and see if she could not rid her mind of clothes. And a young married friend had, with the consent of her husband, agreed to keep her in countenance by doing exactly the same. —*Jennie June.*

At Niagara, New York, John and Elizabeth Havey, an old couple in destitute circumstances, residing on the outskirts, were burned to death in their house on Wednesday night.

—A striker who is retained, and occupies a high position—That in the bell-tower.

—An Englishman says that American girls breath through their mouths, and talk through their noses.

—It pains us deeply to record the fact that a "Ladies' Sewing Society" of Suffield, Conn., got into a wrangle, the other day, over the right of one lady to have her dog in the room. The result was that the lady and dog were finally left alone in the house, the rest of the party leaving after words and even blows.

—Rev. Joseph Cook says: "We have churches that, when they erect a new house of worship, dedicate to God only a mortgage." And the Burlington *Hawkeye* responds: "Yes, but don't you suppose, Brother Cook, that God would rather accept a good first mortgage, running on long time and easy terms, than a miserable old wreck that looks like a caboose of the ark, and has to be propped up when the bell rings, to keep it from tumbling down?"

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	2.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.,	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	8.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.50 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

CANINE SUICIDES.

As Mr. Samuel Sides, with a sailing party, was making a landing on the evening of the 19th inst., at Long wharf, a small black-and-tan dog came down to the edge of Pier wharf, jumped into the water, swam out into the middle of the dock between Pier and Long wharves, and held his head under the water until he was drowned. This is Mr. Sides' story, which is corroborated by the others of the boating party; but the addition by one of the latter that the black-and-tan left a note at home stating that he was tired of hard times and of life, and that his body would be found in the dock, Mr. Sides pronounces a gross exaggeration. Besides the boating party of five persons, who all saw the little dog commit *felo-de-se*, Mr. Joseph E. Adams, of the firm of Samuel Adams & Co., witnessed it from the wharf.

Since writing the above we have been informed of another case of dog suicide, the culprit in this case also being a black-and-tan. This case occurred some three weeks ago, at the Raynes shipyard, in the evening, shortly before the time for the men engaged on the new ship Paul Jones to knock off work. The dog was seen to cross the yard and go down to the water by a number of persons, among them Messrs. Richard Philbrook and Elbridge Prior; walking out into the water at a place where it is shoal, until he was about half-covered, he suddenly put his head beneath the surface, and kept it there until he fell over on his side and floated away, dead.

Whatever may have been the cause of these two suicides, if such they were, we do not pretend to say; but that the facts are as we have related we are fully assured.

NO SUCH COUNTRY FOR HIM.

Some of the goodly citizens of Portsmouth, and not a few residents of the neighboring towns, seem to regard this generally quiet and decorous old city as a very sink-hole of iniquity and frivolous dissipation; but occasionally comes along some one who thinks it errs as widely in the other direction. On Saturday evening one of our respected townsmen, a well-known merchant who left his native Germany many years ago to become an American citizen, received a visit from a country-man who had landed in Boston a day or two previous from a Cunard liner. The visitor was a young man of about twenty-seven years of age, a civil engineer by profession, well provided with money, and intending to make America his future home. The evening passed pleasantly in conversation about the Vaterland and the New World, etc., and the young man finally retired, well pleased with what he had seen and heard of the country and with himself for coming here. Next morning, after breakfast, noticing that the stores were all closed and the streets almost bare of people, he propounded a series of enquiries to his entertainer; his eyes opened wider and wider at the answers he received, and finally he broke out with "Mein Gott in Himmel! What kind of a priest-ridden country is this? No music Sunday—no dance—no lager beer—no stores open! What good is it for anybody to be alive here? Go to church three times every Sunday, and not one beer saloon open all day!" And then with many mighty German oaths he vowed he would take the next Cunarder for home. In vain his friend endeavored to explain that it was only in the most pious of New England cities, such as Portsmouth, that the Sabbath was so observed, and that in wicked cities, such as Baltimore, New Orleans and Chicago, the social dance and the festive lager prevailed mightily on Sunday; the young man was mad clear through and refused to be pacified, and on Monday morning he actually took the first train for Boston, purchased his ticket for crossing the ocean, and sailed on the next steamer, his parting salutation (prefixed with a tremendous German expletive) to his old friend being "No such country for me; no music, no dance, no lager every Sunday!"

[Communicated.]

ANOTHER FOR "GROWLER."

Mr. Editor:—Please allow me space to answer the "mild growl" of your correspondent whose communication in Thursday's morning CHRONICLE needs some explanation. If the cases of cruelty of which he complains were actually witnessed by him why did he not complain to the City Solicitor, and have a warrant served for the prosecution of the offenders? He was the right man to do it if he saw the abuse of the dumb creatures. It seems absurd for a man who witnessed two cases of cruelty, to growl at the offenders a week or two after the acts of cruelty were perpetrated. It seems to me that a prosecution would have been more efficatious than a dozen growls. It is the privilege of any citizen to prosecute the offender against the law for the prevention of cruelty to either children or animals. Growler attacks the S. P. C. A. for not punishing the offenders in cases which he saw and—growled at. It seems to me he neglected his duty in not attending to the cases himself. The horsewhipping which he witnessed escaped the observation of the members of the society to which he alludes. The neglect of the exon did not escape the vigilant eyes of a lady member of the society, who interrogated the owner or driver of the team and asked him how long his oxen had been standing exposed to the heat. She was informed by him that he came to town at nine o'clock and had watered and fed his cattle since his arrival. The lady was not satisfied with his statements, and went in quest of the President and Secretary of the Society, but they were both out of town. I am glad to know that the case was observed by an intelligent and interested person, and earnestly solicit him to give me information which will lead to the identification of the offenders in each case, and if they are citizens of New Hampshire they shall be prosecuted in less time than it would take to growl once and a half. If "Growler" and others like him will join the Society, or give information when they see cruelty perpetrated, they will do their duty and help the society in the work which it is earnestly trying to do. THOMAS E. O. MARVIN,

President N. H. S. P. C. A.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Mr. Henry F. Wendell will sell by auction to-day, at the auction store on State street, a top buggy, chairs, lounges, etc., 4000 cigars, and 200 bottles native wine. See advertisement.

Heywood Bro's Combination at Franklin Hall evening. Judging from what is said of this company by the press of other cities, the entertainment afforded is really good, with nothing to offend any one. The Erie *Despatch* says "the entertainment was first-class throughout;" the Fort Wayne *Gazette* says the combination "gave a first-class performance, and everybody was pleased;" the Cleveland *Record* says they gave "a varied and highly amusing entertainment;" the Milford *Journal* says "their entertainments are all they advertise them to be, and are deserving of a liberal patronage from the public;" the Leavenworth *Telegram* speaks of their performance as "a first-class entertainment, such as a man can take his wife and children to enjoy, as nothing is said or done to hurt the feelings of the most fastidious;" and other papers are equally complimentary in their notices. Their advertisement can be found in another column.

This (Saturday) evening there is to be a special entertainment—the last of the season—at the Sea View House, Rye Beach, consisting of a concert, followed by a theatrical performance and closing with a hop. The house has been well patronized this season.

The assignee's sale of real estate, etc., belonging to the bankrupt estate of J. C. Carr, advertised for Friday, the 24th inst., was postponed to Monday, Sept. 3d.

Quite a number of visitors availed themselves of the kind invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Pearson to witness that beautiful plant, the night-blooming cereus, for the second time this season in Mr. Pearson's parlors on Friday evening of last week. Callers came from eight o'clock until a late hour in the night. Every one admired the rare spectacle and departed with expressions of delight. Mr. and Mrs. Pearson seemed quite glad to explain to their numerous callers the characteristics of the plant and inform them as to its history. The sight well repaid the visitors, and when the next bloom occurs, doubtless there will again be many there to see.—*Journal.*

Mr. John Garvin, of the firm of Jones & Garvin of New York city, died at his birthplace in North Wakefield on the 14th inst., after a short but severe illness, aged forty-five years. Mr. Garvin was well known in this vicinity, having married a Portsmouth lady, who with two children survives him.

The "Windsor" Coffee-pot, manufactured by Hubbard & McClary, of Windsor, Vt., and for sale in this city by J. P. Sweetser, 46 Market St., is an invention much after the style of the French coffee-pots. It is simple in construction, and so arranged that the coffee is suspended between the top and bottom. A current of water is compelled to flow continuously downward through the ground coffee, all the nutritive matter is thoroughly extracted, and in a few minutes' time, without aid of egg or other settling material, you have a decoction "clear as a bell," and in the surest and easiest manner you can have a really good cup of coffee, with good material. Nine sizes are made, holding from one to sixteen quarts, and costing from $1 to $6.

Capt. William Robinson of the steamer Appledore was on Wednesday the surprised recipient of an elegant diamond stud of heavy weight from George B. Stetson, Esq., of New York. The captain also received from warm personal friends in this city a choice case containing a silver knife, fork and spoon, suitably engraved, a gift to his little daughter Carrie.—*Times.*

Pensioners will notice the advertisement of John P. Cooper, Esq., who proposes to execute and forward pension vouchers. Mr. Cooper has been chief clerk in the pension agent's office, in this city, for the past eight years, and the pensioners need no assurance of his ability and faithfulness.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, August 24th.

Nathaniel Danielson, not long returned to this city from a sojourn at Pollard's Hotel, was arraigned for drunkenness. Fined $3, costs $6.04. Nathaniel goes to the country again.

Eliza M. Walker was charged with being the keeper of a disorderly house. She scorned the insinuation, and introduced a cloud of witnesses—among them four young lady "boarders" of the loudest kind—to prove the respectability of her house and the good order therein maintained. The testimony was very vigorous, but Judge Batchelder was in a sceptical frame of mind and adjudged Mrs. Walker probably guilty, and she was bound over in $300 to appear at the Supreme Court to answer to the charge. This woman and her husband, who was recently sent out of town by judicial process, have been among the regular customers of the Police Court for some time past, and it will be a good thing if they can be gotten rid of altogether. The new City Marshal is starting in first-rate.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at 4 o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M., and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor.

At the Pearl street, preaching by Rev. Mr. Wells at 2:45 P. M.

At the North church, preaching by the pastor at 10:30 A. M. Mr. Hubbell will also preside at the meeting in the Chapel in the evening at 7:30.

There will be a meeting of the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall at 7:30 P. M., to be addressed by Rev. James DeNormandie. A praise service will precede the address. The usual collection to defray expenses will be taken.

—The communist wants to earn his bread by the sweat of some other fellow's brow.

—A St. Louis man saw the sea serpent the other day. It had scales, a dog's head, a pelican's bill a foot in length, with two holes in it, through which he spouts water in jets a foot high, long ears, pendant locks of hair, several fins, six legs and a long mane. They have fearful whiskey in St. Louis.

The Channels of Exit

from the human system bear the same relation to it as sewers do to a city. They carry off the waste, the refuse which it is essential to remove in order to cure disease. One of the most salutary effects of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is to renew activity of the bowels when these organs are derelict in their duty. The bilious and dyspeptic symptoms which accompany constipation are also remedied by this sterling alterative. Its gently cathartic action has the effect of removing impurities which would otherwise poison the system and its tonic influence is exhibited in an increase in vital power. It renews appetite, soothes and invigorates the nerves, prevents and remedies malarial fever, and is a first-rate remedy for despondency.

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The State of Louisiana, at the close of the war, found itself in a very crippled condition, financially; so the authorities imitated the example of Congress at the close of the Revolutionary war, and that of the States of Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Pennsylvania and New York, as well as many other commonwealths in times gone by, and in 1869 incorporated some of its leading citizens in the Louisiana State Lottery Company, with a capital of one million dollars, since augmented by three hundred and fifty thousand dollars accumulation as a reserve, all of which is paid up in cash. This company quarterly pays the State a large fund for the maintenance of its hospitals and schools and other charitable and educational purposes. The lottery is drawn monthly, without fail, in the City of New Orleans, under the personal supervision of the two ex-Confederate Chieftains, Generals P. T. Beauregard, of Louisiana, and Jubal Early, of Virginia, and the full schemes can be had by writing to M. A. Dauphin, Esq., President, Lock Box, 692, P. O., New Orleans. The next drawing is on Sept. 4.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. 1feb16 78

DIED.

BELL. In Newmarket, Aug. 8, Sarah J. Bell, aged 20 years and 10 months.

DIMAN. In South Newmarket, Aug. 9, Mr. David R. Diman, formerly of Stratham, aged 80 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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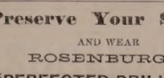

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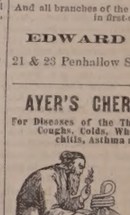

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. All owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers, or, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds, or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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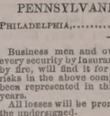

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Taming a Canary Bird.

When I first put him into his new cage he was as wild a bird as I ever saw. Of beautiful plumage, graceful form, and sly yet winsome ways, his natural song, blended with the notes of a nightingale, his instructor, charmed all who chanced to hear it. I must confess, however, to some misgivings in my first endeavors to gain the affections of this bird. For several days he confronted my approaches by the most wilful conduct, and every attempt to gain his good will was rebuited. I have seen birds that one could tame by voice. But Tim was not one of this sort, and something more potent than "silvery tongue" was needed to impress him with a sense of the situation. Matters had thus continued for about a week or ten days, when I found myself obliged to resort to more severe measures. In the early morning his cage was cleaned and fresh water put in, but no food was allowed. You would have smiled to see him peeping coyly down into his seed-cup, and yet disdainfully on discovering nothing there. His apparent comprehension of "hard times" gave him the half haughty and half saddened look that most men wear under like circumstances.

A two hours' survey gave him a pretty clear notion of the situation; he seemed now to take in all at a glance, and whether or not that this was his first lesson, he appeared to be at least a fit subject for further experiment. So, without saying a word, I opened the cage door, and, with a few seeds in my hand, I thrust the latter gently in the cage. But not yet had he reached the verge of starvation; the seeds looked tempting, to be sure, but not sufficiently so to lower his dignity. Hence a patient waiting of two hours or more. Again the hand was thrust into the cage, a few seeds were snatched up with lightning speed, and after this I was given to understand that Tim is hungry, but never stoops! I counted it a most encouraging sign, however, that the bird should deign to pick up the seeds at the end of a four hours' training. At the close of the sixth hour Tim was as calm as an April sunset; he was, indeed, most tractable, and no sooner had I again put my hand containing the seeds into the cage than he perched upon my thumb as cheerily as though it had been his perch, and began to devour the proffered food.

I allowed him to satisfy his hunger for about one minute; then I drew my hand with the bird out of the cage, and retreated to a chair. Before I had seated myself, however, he had deserted me, and had perched above the window. "You may stay there all day if you like, my fine fellow, but you'll find it a poor pasture for hungry birds." I held the seed cup in my hand, and on the floor beside me lay a small vial of oil of anise. "When you get ready, you may come in and get your seed, Tim," said I; and then I went on with my whistling. For a half hour or more the bird had the freedom of the room, and in despair and half eager to improve the time, I sat down at my writing desk, placed the seed cup and oil bottle in front of me, and went on with my work. I had well nigh, while absorbed in other thoughts, forgotten Tim, when, on a sudden, I felt a slight rustling on my shoulder, and a moment later he was on the table in front of me. He was allowed to gather up a few more seeds; then I seized him gently, opened the vial, rubbed a very small quantity of the anise upon his nostrils, and then replaced him on the table. It must have been an hour before the intoxication or stupor (which, for the benefit of gentle readers let me say is perfectly harmless) passed off; then the bird began to eat again, and, finally, on a little persuasion, hopped upon my finer, then on another, and so on back and forth until I put him back into his cage. Hardly was he returned when he poured forth his strains of sweetest melody.

On the next day, after cleaning the cage, I placed it on my table, leaving the door open and the seed-cup outside. It required no persuasion whatever to induce the bird to come out, and now, every sign of terror had left him. While he ate I gently stroked his feathers, talked to him, whistled to him, fondled him—it was all I cared to do. Tim was conquered at last. He had learned his first lesson, namely, that to know the master be must become friendly to him, and, before receiving food, he must respect the giver. From that day to this the bird has been one of the family. Whereas formerly I had to contend in order to get him out of his cage, now I have to contend to get him into it. A part of the day he spends with me, singing while I write and work, now pulling the beads off my pen-wiper and dropping them into the ink-stand; now removing the pins from the coil and carrying them to the top of the book-case; now getting into an open drawer and playing mischief among my papers. Even while I write these words of his little story he and a bullinch are contending in front of me for the possession of my blotter, and I will not say them "nay" to their little antics.

—*Appleton's Journal.*

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Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, AUGUST 27, 1877.

Free Trade in Ships.

A plank in the platform of the Maine republicans declares that "any radical changes in the navigation laws, especially in regard to registry and enrollment of shipping, would be detrimental to the highest interests of American commerce, and a damaging blow to the national independence of the country." The full significance of this declaration is pointed out by the New York *Evening Post*—good republican authority—which thus epitomizes the navigations laws referred to:

Under our registration laws no vessel can be deemed to be a vessel of the United States and entitled to national protection unless owned entirely by citizens and commanded by a United States citizen. If a naturalized owner or a part owner of a vessel goes to a foreign country for two years the register of the vessel is forfeited.

Only vessels built in the United States or captured by the United States in war can be registered.

No American built vessel licensed to sail under a foreign flag during the rebellion can be registered anew.

No vessel can be registered the owner or part owner of which usually lives in a foreign country.

Vessels sold to a foreigner shall be considered foreign vessels, and not entitled to another registration if bought back by American citizens.

"These legal curiosities," says the *Post*, "are not mementoes of a barbarous period of commerce and navigation, but are existing laws incorporated into the revised statutes of the United States, vigilantly enforced and just now approved by the convention of the dominant party representing the best intelligence of a New England State. Can citizens who lament the decay of our once splendid foreign commerce find more forcible reasons for its melancholy plight than such laws and such political sentiments suggest?" And the *Post* is right.

The above we find going the rounds of the democratic papers, they seeming to regard it as a powerful plea for free trade in ships. As to the New York *Post* being "good republican authority" we are not half so clear as we are that it (like the New York *Nation*) is an extreme free trade paper, and that its arguments in favor of free trade are extensively copied and earnestly approved by the British press.

As to "the decay of our once splendid commerce" being a result of the registry laws,—with all due respect to the *Post* and its democratic applauders we must pronounce that theory bosh of the boshiest kind. France has free trade in ships, yet the French merchant navy, which in 1873 ranked third in importance among the nations of the world, in 1876 had fallen to the sixth position. The British Provinces have free trade in ships, yet the tonnage owned there is now nothing near what it was before the British Government, the British iron-masters and iron-shipbuilders, and the British Lloyds, working in concert, well nigh destroyed the business of building wooden ships by the substitution of iron as the material of construction.

What benefit it would be to American commerce to be able to buy foreign ships, when there is not remunerative employment for those already owned here, it is not easy to see. It costs more to sail an American ship than any other; the master, officers and seamen are paid higher wages, and the provisioning is more liberal, than in the merchant service of any other nation; and until our ships can be sailed as cheaply as others, any trifling difference in the first cost of the vessels will amount to but a trifle. And ships, of either wood or iron, can be built as cheaply in the United States as the same class of ships can be built anywhere,—wooden ships certainly, and iron ships according to the statements of the builders of such vessels.

It would be a good thing for British shipowners, no doubt, if they could get American registry for their vessels; for they could then control the entire ocean carrying trade of the country, coasting trade and all, with their cheaply-sailed craft; but that would be of little benefit to the people of this country.

Neither would it benefit the American ship-wrights to have all the ship-building of the country carried on in British shipyards, which is what would result from allowing British ships American registry. The ship carpenters and laborers employed for months past on the "Granite State" and "Paul Jones" have profited more from the building of these two ships on the banks of the Piscataqua than they would from the building of a score of vessels on the Thames, the Mersey or the Clyde.

The Eastern War.

Despatches received in London on the 24th, from various sources, says that Suleiman Pasha, having been reinforced by troops from Phillipopolis, renewed his attack upon the Russian positions at Shipka and was again repulsed. The Turks have made an attempt to occupy Canapa, an island in the Danube, near Widdin, but the heavy artillery fire of the Roumanians at Kalafat prevented a landing. The Turks are preparing to cross the Danube below Widdin. A correspondent at the Russian headquarters explains the mystification which prevails concerning the reported capture of Bainkoi Pass. He says: On the 16th the column of Suleiman Pasha's forces attempted strenously to force the pass, but though the column did indeed force its way into the defile, it was there so roughly handled by the Russian artillery and by the regiment holding the pass, that it was compelled to retire. A Vienna correspondent remarks, relative to the attack on Shipka Pass, that all along the main range of the Balkans face of the mountains is a precipitous rock. However much the bulk of Suleiman Pasha's forces may have been inured to mountain warfare, it will be little short of a miracle if they ultimately succeed in carrying the pass.

The Army and Navy Journal says that the victor of Plevna, Osman Pasha, it is confidently asserted in England from private sources, is none other than that celebrated fugitive from French prisons, Marshal Francois Achille Bazaine. The *Journal* also states that Mehemet Ali is of French descent; he was born at Magdeburg and originally named Julius Detrait; that Blum Pasha was a Prussian Lieutenant of Engineers thirty years ago; that Reschid Pasha was a Lieutenant Steckey of the Prussian Artillery and that Faize Pasha, who beat the Russians in Armenia, is a Swiss.

There is a report of a severe engagement between the Turks and Russians, Friday night at Papaskein, in which the Russians suffered a terrible loss, their left wing was turned and they were repulsed along the whole line.

N. E. R. C. Association.

The Reform Clubs of New England met at Rocky Point, R. I., on Friday, for a jubilation and clam-bake. Gov. Van Zandt of Rhode Island presided and made a speech, and was followed by noted temperance workers, male and female. A New England Reform Club Association was formed, only men reformed from the use of intoxicating drink to be eligible. The following officers were elected: President, John W. Drew of Concord; Vice Presidents (two to each State), J. K. Osgood, H. A. Reynolds of Maine; Natt Head, William E. Stevens, New Hampshire; L. S. Durant, L. M. Reed, Vermont; William Young, Edward Davis, Massachusetts; Col. F. G. Allen, Judge Elias M. Jenckes, Rhode Island; N. D. Parsons, G. N. Kellogg, Connecticut; Secretary, Ad. D. Welch, Providence. A Committee of one from each New England State was raised to report by-laws. The Club adjourned to meet at Montpelier, Vt., Oct. 4th.

News and Notes.

The late strike riots are likely to prove no joke to the State of Pennsylvania, which will be called on to disburse more than half a million dollars for expenses incurred in restoring order. This simply means that working-men must pay the bills. Capital will not do it. If taxes are high, rents are high, and so are provisions and clothing. Those who buy and sell lose nothing, while those who buy and consume, lose everything. Thus violence, in whatever form, proves ultimately a direct attack, not on a class, but on the prosperity of the community, and it comes with the greatest force on those who are least able to endure it.

Notwithstanding some recent modifications of the first shocking statement; concerning the famine in India, matters there are sufficiently deplorable. Already in the Madras presidency there have been about 500,000 deaths from starvations while 1,750,000 human beings are dependent on daily relief, with the prospect that the number may be increased to 20,000,000. This is the second year of want, and for six months to come there will, in all these districts, be nothing to eat, whatever, excepting what is contributed from outside. Food must be sent to it by carts drawn by oxen, and the beasts themselves consume almost as much as they can draw. It appears that after the best has been done to rescue the unhappy people at least 4,000,000 of them must inevitably perish.

In the game between the Bostons and Louisvilles on Saturday, the Bostons were victorious. Bostons 3, Louisvilles 2.

On Friday, as a train was leaving Pensacola, Fla., the Sheriff, with a posse, boarded the cars to assist a couple of Texas officials in arresting the notorious John Wesley Harden, who is credited with committing no less than twenty-seven murders, and for whose body $4000 reward was authorized by the Legislature of Texas. The last murder by Harden in Texas was that of the Sheriff of Comanche county. Harden has lived in Florida several years under the name of John Swain. In making the arrest about twenty shots were fired, and a companion of Harden's, named Mann, who had a pistol in his hand, was killed.

"The Survivors of the Chancellor." This new volume by Jules Verne has just been issued as No. 98 of "The Lakeside Library" series. It details the adventures of the passengers and crew of the good ship Chancellor, lost in mid ocean on the Atlantic. When the ship was destroyed its people found refuge on a raft, and encountered great privations, and were subject to imminent dangers. But few survived the hardships of the long contest with the fierce elements. The interest of the story is enhanced by thirty-six fine engravings. Sold by all newsdealers at ten cents, or sent, free of postage, by Donnelley, Loyd & Co., Publishers, Chicago, Ill.

C. L. Knapp and R. F. Brazier, of Lowell, Mass., while making a landing on Hampton Beach on Tuesday evening, the 21st, with their new boat "Wicassie," in which they have been cruising along the coast, were capsized in the surf. Outside of a salt-water bath and the loss of a couple pair of shoes no damage was sustained, and they on Friday morning started for Newburyport.

Mr. Moody the Revivalist is Mr. Moody the Revivalist No. 2. There was a Rev. Samuel Moody of York, Me., who conducted revivals 130 years ago, and wrote a cheerful treatise entitled "The Doleful State of the Damned, especially such as go to Hell from under the Gospel, aggravated by their Apprehension of the Saints' Happiness in Heaven."—*Globe.*

The Boston *Globe* says: "Its about time for 'the biggest watermelon of the season' to be laid upon the table of the country editor." The editor of the *Globe* evidently knows what's right, sometimes.

"Rev." John R. Smith, a notorious forger and swindler, who has for years prosecuted his nefarious business under the guise of a revivalist and preacher, is in jail in Boston. When he leaves the jail he will probably emigrate to the State prison. From first to last this sanctimonious scoundrel has stolen $25,000 or more.

The profits to Jay Gould, Russell Sage, James Keene and Garrison, the engineers of the recent consolidation of the Western Union and Atlantic and Pacific telegraph lines, amount to over a million and a half dollars.

Valentine Kane of Meriden, Conn., and his two children, aged respectively six and nine years, were poisoned by eating toadstools for mushrooms, Wednesday, from the effects of which the children died Thursday night. Kane will probably recover.

New Hampshire Items.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council in Concord on Friday, Joseph Kidder of Manchester was reappointed a Trustee of the Agricultural College, and William M. Chase of Concord was appointed a Trustee of the State Library. The Governor and Council, accompanied by Prison Commissioners Shaw and Pillsbury, visited West Concord with reference to the selection of a site for the new prison. No conclusion, however, was reached.

Alma Emerson, of Candia, fourteen years old, was drowned in a pond in that town on Thursday afternoon, by getting stuck in the mud at the bottom of the pond.

The Congregational Society of North Groton received $500 by the will of George C. Lang, who died in Meredith Village recently.

Vice President William A. Wheeler arrived at the Twin Mountain House, Friday afternoon, and will remain for the present.

There are 125 temperance reform clubs in this State, with an aggregate membership of 65,000 men, of whom 27,000 are over eighteen years of age.

At a meeting of the New Hampshire Governor and Council, Wednesday evening, the following were appointed a commission to revise the Statutes of the State: J. E. Sargent of Concord, Levi W. Barton of Newport, Joseph F. Wiggin of Exeter.

Joseph B. Walker of Concord was appointed trustee of the Agricultural College in place of A. S. Scott of Peterborough, deceased.

—"Musing on the infinite, eh?" said a facetious chap to a melancholy looking individual who was walking along the roadside with bowed head and serious countenance. "Well, yes; same thing—thinking of my debts."

—The Arabian archæologists claim that they have discovered the grave of Eve, and state that she must have been about three hundred feet tall. And yet Adam, poor man, has been blamed for eating the apple when she requested him to.—*Pittsburg Telegraph.*

NOTICE TO PENSIONERS.

JOHN P. COOPER, Clerk in the late Pension Agency in this city, would inform Pensioners that he may be found at the office of W. H. Rollins, Esq., corner corner of Market street and Market Square, where he will attend to executing and forwarding Vouchers to their respective agencies. 1st

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

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By the Judge of Probate for said County.

TO Georgiette Wood, Mary A. Wood and Ann T. Wood, all of Portsmouth in said County, minors, under the Guardianship of MARCELLUS BUFFORD, their heirs expectant, and all other persons interested.

You are hereby notified that said MARCELLUS BUFFORD will exhibit his account of Guardianship unto his said wards, at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

By order of the Judge,

WOODBURY M. DURGIN, Register of Probate.

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ROCKINGHAM, SS.

By the Judge of Probate for said County.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of Mehitable Hilliard, late of Newcastle, in said County, widow, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, greeting.

You are hereby notified that WILLIAM W. MARTIN, administrator of the estate of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden in Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for examination and allowance.

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" " Way,		10.55 "	3.40 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, P. M
" " Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

DULY APPROVED.

The *Times* pats the Board of Aldermen on the back, as follows:

The row between the republican members of the Board of Aldermen has led to another good thing,—the placing of a competent man at the head of the fire department. Keep on, gentlemen, you are doing first rate. Property-owners and tax-payers thank you for placing Joseph R. Holmes at the head of the street department and Samuel S. Fletcher at the head of the fire department. Now let's see if you won't keep right on and merit their thanks in all things.

The Board of Aldermen ought to feel good now, having secured the commendation of the *Times*, in addition to the approval of their own consciences—that is, if aldermen have consciences. We have no doubt that both Mr. Holmes and Mr. Fletcher are competent men, as the *Times* asserts; but the implication that ex-engineer Marston was not a "competent man at the head of the fire department" is simply unjust, for he has always done his duty well, and shown as much earnestness and judiciousness in perfecting his department as any other engineer ever did, or will be likely to do in the future. He leaves the material of the department,—hose, engines, etc.,—in better condition than any other retiring chief engineer ever did, and the present excellent discipline of the department is largely to be credited to his efforts.

GOOD FOR THE BOYS.

The *Journal* thus refers to the Portsmouth Heavy Artillery, in an article descriptive of their visit to Bennington: "The procession itself was four miles long, and numbered nearly 8000 people. The Heavys were early in the day designated as the color company, and were honored by being permitted to carry the flags of this State. Along the line of march the company was greeted with frequent applause, and on one or two occasions cheers were proposed and heartily rendered by the admiring crowds, who were struck with the soldierly appearance of the company. In marching in review before the President the boys all did their level best. The company was marching in platoons, and so perfect was the movement executed at that point, that the company was recognized by the President who applauded them heartily, which compliment, coming as it did from a military man, we believe was bestowed upon no other company in this State. A hearty reception was accorded this company by other visiting organizations, and it was noticeable that the Portsmouth boys selected for their companions portions of the better class of the militia present. * * Every one in Portsmouth should feel a pride that we have such an organization as this company in our city. It is composed of young men who have proper ideas of soldierly behavior, and whose demeanor abroad as gentlemen in addition to their military achievements, does credit to Portsmouth."

[Communicated.]

A HEMP SPUN-YARN.

Mr. Editor:—When people of prominence, respectability and moral worth visit the seaside they naturally like to have some notice taken of it by the press. Now I, in company with others, visited the Shoals several weeks ago; and having waited as long as is proper without seeing our names in the list of "distinguished arrivals," I have concluded to remedy the oversight—for of course it is an oversight—and myself give an account of our visit. Our party consisted of myself, (Mr. Hemp,) Mr. Richards, Mr. Jeems, Mr. Trafalgar, Mr. Garden and Mr. Forests; and we went out in our own yacht. [Our yacht was only a sailboat, and a borrowed one at that, but it sounds better to call her our yacht,] We laid in much store of the good things of this world; potatoes, hard-tack, onions, cucumbers, baked beans and other luxuries; and for liquids, to last us on the passage out, we had on board when we put to sea on a Saturday afternoon, two quarts of water in a jug, four dozen of lager beer, for sickness, a bottle of pop, four bottles of Boynton's tonic, et cetera. Our commissariat was particularly strong in et cetera; we had some in a gallon jug, some in a two-quart demijohn, and some in quart and pint bottles. The only noticeable incidents of the passage out were a violent calm which struck us full-and-by about a mile from the Shoals, and an agonizing attack of rheumatism which seized each man in the shoulder when our skipper suggested that somebody should get out an oar; fortunately a breeze sprang up, and the rheumatism disappeared as soon as we let go the kellick in the boat harbor at Smuttynose. We got our tent pitched on Malaga before dark, and then went for the baked beans, et cetera, with clear consciences and glorious appetites. Then we went to sleep.

Next morning we were up bright and early, breakfasted cheerfully on lobsters that we purchased from a lobster-car while the owners were off drawing their pots, and then sallied forth to capture large quantities of fish. We did only fairly at this, catching about two quarts of cunners with a bucket of bait; but finally Mr. Richards, who was fishing with a big hook, had a mighty bite, and amid great excitement commenced to haul in his line. "I've got him," said Mr. Richards; "he's a sixty-pound cod, at least. I know by the way he yanks. I'll show you how a *real* fisherman does it." And then, as his big fish was up to the surface of the water, he gave one glorious lift, and a pollock about three feet long flew twenty feet into the air and about the same distance away from the boat, while Mr. Richards sat down with violence on the gunwale of the boat, flourished his feet above his head and waved his arms frantically for a moment, apparently in a vain attempt to fly, and then gracefully turned a back-somersault overboard. The hook had lost its hold of the fish at just the wrong time. Mr. Jeems fished Mr. Richards in over the stern with the boat-hook, and Mr. Forests immediately offered him lager beer, which he declined with thanks.

After Mr. Richards had emptied the water out of his boots and pockets and laid his tobacco on a thwart to dry in the sun, Mr. Jeems queried if real fishermen *always* hauled in a fish that way. Mr. Richards deigned no reply, but diving to the bottom of his pocket produced a mysterious bundle, remarking as he commenced to unroll it, "I'll show you fellows something now that will make your eyes stick out." Then he produced a wonderful looking machine—a little brass cylinder, with a ring on one end and six stout brass wires on the other, the wires being about six inches long, pointed, and their ends all hooked in toward a common centre, where was a very short hook. "This, gentlemen," said Mr. Richards, "is a wonderful invention for catching fish and things; it is 'the eagle's claw!' You see that I put a bit of bait on this little hook in the middle; then I pull this ring, and throw all the long hooks wide apart. Now the trap is set, and when a fish comes this way and pulls the bait the trap springs, and there you have—the Old Harry!" In explaining the machine Mr. Richards had pulled the bait a little too hard, and the eagle's claw had clawed him good, sticking five of the hooks into his hand and the other into his wrist. The party were loud in their admiration of the claw. We released Mr. Richards, who wrapped a handkerchief around his hand, reset the eagle's claw, and lowered it overboard. The result was indeed marvellous; we fished there two hours longer and nobody got a bite. We then up kellick and shifted into the boat harbor. Here the water was shallow, and Mr. Jeems tried the eagle's claw on a sculpin. When he lowered it into the water the sculpin turned, took one look at it, and then struck out for deep water as fast as he could go; then a placid flounder took a look and instantly made for the nearest bunch of eelgrass. When we went into the boat harbor the bottom was fairly speckled with flounders and sculpins; but in five minutes after the eagle's claw was let down there was not a fish in sight anywhere. By this time we were tired of fishing, and went ashore to dinner.

After dinner we visited the lighthouse at White Island, duly admired the absolute cleanliness and neatness of everything about it, and then called on Oscar and Cedric at the Appledore. Here we tried to do a little business—wanted Oscar to buy us off, threatening if he didn't we would take in summer boarders at our establishment on Malaga, and ruin the trade of the Appledore. Like the fish with the eagle's claw, he wouldn't bite; told us he didn't care what we did, for the Appledore was then so full of guests that all the window sills and wardrobe hooks were taken up. Failing to make a trade, we returned to Malaga, had supper, and turned in.

Next morning we took account of stock, and found the larder sadly out of order. We intended to stop out a week; but on this (the second) morning we found that all the baked beans and hard tack, the sugar, the butter and tea, onions and cucumbers, lager beer and tonic and et cetera,—all were gone; and all we had left for the rest of the week was a half-peck of raw potatoes and the two-quart jug of water. A scouting party of one was sent out, and came back with a report that one of the owners of the lobster-car was sitting behind a big rock on the shore about thirty yards from the car, with a double-barrelled shot-gun laid across his knees. Upon receiving this report Mr. Trafalgar, who is used to such work in caucuses, put the question to the meeting in due form, and declared it "the unanimous sense of the meeting that we do now adjourn to town." Half an hour after this we were on our way in, and as we rounded the last point of Malaga we saw the lobster-car man sauntering up to his house with the double-barrelled shot-gun under his arm—but it was too late for us to profit by the circumstance.

We were six hours on the passage in, and the broiling sun committed terrible ravages on our complexions; our noses in particular were frightful to behold, for color. As we gallantly ran our yacht into the mud at the head of the dock, Mr. Jeems drew the cork from the water jug and emptied its contents overboard, remarking that we had used up everything else in the eatable line, and might as well use up the water, too. As we filed up Water street there was an elderly naval man standing on the sidewalk in front of a saloon; he had evidently been into the saloon, for as we passed him he looked from one of our faces to another, and remarked to an Irish wash-lady who was leaning out of a second-story window, "Them fellers belongs to the Reform Club;" adding an instant later, "but they've only jest j'ined it." Then the elderly naval man laid his finger on his nose, and winked most injuriously. We scornfully passed on, but when we reached the corner Mr. Richards suddenly exclaimed, "Hold on, boys; I'll fix him;" and going back, with a few eloquent and appropriate remarks he presented the elderly naval man with the eagle's claw. The last we saw of the old fellow he was still standing there, with the frightful machine in his hand and a dazed expression on his face, gazing vacantly after our party; and he may be there yet, for aught I know. As to what occurred after we got home and attempted to give our wives satisfactory explanations of what had happened during our absence, I draw the veil of charity.

Yours truly, HEMP.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The exhibition of the working model of the Strasburg clock opens at Congress Hall to-day. The original has long been one of the mechanical wonders of the world, and this model is a fac simile of it.

The wife of Rev. George W. Bicknell, formerly pastor of the Universalist church in this city, died at Bath, Me., on Thursday.

Mr. Wendell's auction sale of top buggy, furniture, native wine, cigars, etc., advertised for Saturday, was postponed until Wednesday next, Aug. 29th, on account of the rain.

A valuable horse belonging to the Stoddard Brothers, died on Saturday night, from the cramp colic.

Some time Friday night a horse and wagon belonging to Mrs. Charles R. Leavitt of Stratham was stolen from her stable. A bundle of clothing lying in the bottom of the wagon belonging to a man in the house was taken out and left behind. The thieves, of whom there were two, a man and boy, then went to a neighboring barn and stole therefrom a harness, which they put on the horse, and then drove away. The animal was a dark brown mare, the wagon a light Concord, painted dark with black stripes. The thieves were evidently well acquainted in the neighborhood.

Frank Wells, the jewelry thief, who operated recently at Boar's Head, Hampton beach, and was arrested and is now in jail here, is no doubt "old in thievery," having committed depredations at the Sackett House on the night of the 10th; robbed Prof. Pierce, the pop corn man of East Kingston; and attempted to rob a trunk. Other depredations are coming to light.

Schooner Dashaway, belonging at New Castle, landed at Messrs. Randall & Caswell's wharf Saturday forenoon four swordfish, which weighed in the aggregate, when dressed, upwards of fifteen hundred pounds. They were caught off Cape Elizabeth.

—We know the cold Greenlander eats candles with a relish, the Chinaman indulges in rats, the Frenchman in horsemeat and frogs, but there is an enterprising dry-goods man in this city who evidently desires to get a new diet for Americans. He advertises, "Ladies' shawls for dinner and breakfast."—*New York Mail.*

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PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfeb16 78

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GARDNER. In this city, August 26th, Josie C. Gardner, aged 6 years and two months, youngest child of Charles W. and Clara M. Gardner.

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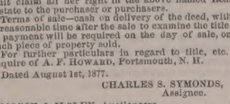

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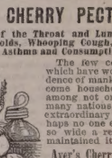

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stals or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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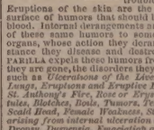

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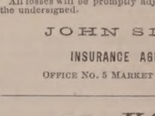

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Communist and the Railway.

This has been the work of the Communistic associations with respect to railway transportation. Like all conspiracies to defeat natural laws, these associations prove mutually destructive, and self-destructive. The miner wanted a large demand for coal and iron, and helped to destroy that demand, and to make transportation more costly for the farmer and wages lower for the fireman. The Granger wanted more roads and cheaper transportation, and helped to arrest the building of roads, bringing harm to himself, the miner, and the fireman. The fireman wanted more railroads, and larger shipments by rail at rates permitting full wages for himself. He has helped to push many railroads into the gulf of bankruptcy, and compelled others to economize the more to make good property destroyed, and thus has prevented the vigorous competition for the grain traffic which was about to be renewed. The results will be fewer trains and lower wages for firemen, smaller consumption of coal and iron for miners, and more costly transportation for farmers. Nature does not wait for tardy human laws to punish those who try to cut each other's throats. * * * *

What shall be done? That local governments, as now constituted, are utterly incompetent to deal with the spirit of Communism has been proved by shameful events. Our free institutions will be destroyed by that spirit, if unchecked, but not less surely by a centralization of power to prevent Communistic laws, and suppress Communistic societies. It is a significant and startling event that a prominent statesman, and the dominant party in one of the largest States, formally propose as a remedy the virtual control of railways by the Federal Government. Does any man seriously believe that four thousand millions of property, with revenues of five hundred millions yearly, in the hands of men who already make and unmake Senators and Representatives in many States, can be controlled by a free government? It would be simpler to elect Colonel Scott perpetual President of the United States with powers of dictator. If ever the United States makes it necessary for railway property and railway managers either to control the Government or be controlled by it, the end is sure. The necessity of self-protection against the Communistic spirit in Congress will band together instantly all railway owners and managers, not to resist, but to "run" the Government. Four thousand millions will never be owned by two hundred men who think back-pay and mileage "an object," and vote themselves tooth-picks and the franking privilege. We shall surely escape Communism, in that case, because we shall surely take Despotism as better. That another alternative than this may be found, and one not pregnant with destruction of free institutions in either event, must be the hope of patriotic citizens.—*W. M. Grosvenor, in International Review, September—October*, 1877.

—A Kentucky paper thus chronicles an elopement: "Mr. J. C. Jerboe and Miss Artella Sterett left rather hastily on the up packet, last night, destined for matrimony and misery."

—Item from a Nevada paper: A female Justice of the Peace in Wyoming Territory was obliged to hear a case of a scandalous character, in which her husband filled the unenviable position of defendant. She sentenced him to be hanged by the neck until dead, and was anxious to have the sentence carried into effect at once, until the attorneys explained to her that she was sitting simply as an examining court. She then held him in bonds of $18,000,000, to await the action of the Grand Jury, and said she would shoot the first man full of holes that attempted to raise the sureties.

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Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 25.

A publication in the Washington *Republican* has varied the course of gossip and enlarges the area of legitimate inquiry for the professional and amateur investigators so abundantly supplied this community. Avoiding details for lack of space, the gist of the matter is about as follows: T. P. Kane, ex-special agent of the Pension Bureau, in a letter to Secretary Schurz about the 1st of June, charged that J. H. Baker, while Commissioner of Pensions, ordered the name of a Mrs. Slaughter placed on the Pension rolls, and the payment to her of back pension to the amount of $7,725. This claim was filed many years ago, and had been rejected by almost every new incumbent of the Commissioner's chair for twenty years, including Baker himself, in 1871 or the year following, notwithstanding which he subsequently ordered the case to be re-opened and the claim allowed, knowing it to be fraudulent, and for which he received one-fourth of the amount paid as a bribe, from the Attorney, who received a like amount for his services. It is further charged that Mr. Bentley, present Commissioner, having full knowledge of Baker's crime, has manipulated the affairs of his office so as to prevent any publicity with intent to shield the criminal; that Col Le Barnes, who succeeded Talbert Lanston as chief of the special service division on Baker's retirement, and who was associated with him (Kane) in investigating the matter, was, with himself, dismissed at the instance of Bentley because of their damaging knowledge of Baker's guilt, and that Lanston, his intimate friend and adviser in the premises, was restored to his old place vacated by Le Barnes. It is intimated that Mr. Schurz requested the matter should not be made public, and has been very dilatory in his inquiries; and that his Private Secretary Mitchell (the accuser of Mrs. Mitchell and Gen. Banks in a late scandal) who was designated to act with Kane in completing the evidence, had taken advantage of every frivolous pretext to delay investigation. This morning's *Republican* credits Mr. Schurz with saying yesterday that he was anxious to have the truth or falsity of the matter established. Mr. Bentley's present unpopularity will not suffer any diminution by the publication and it has directed attention anew to the Interior Department as an excellent place to inaugurate "reform." The Indian Bureau has long been under a cloud, and has been for the past three months the subject of a secret investigation.

About every move of Southern democratic leaders, and the utterances of their press since securing control of the lower House of Congress in 1874, has served to confirm the belief that they are acting by a concerted plan to recover the power of domination in national affairs which they lost through secession after an almost unquestioned possession of thirty years. This tactic league, is believed to contemplate the banishment of every republican of offensive prominence from the late insurrectionary States, and all who by their intelligence promise to become troublesome in the future. It is alleged that all the political crimes that have darkened the history of that section for the past eight years, culminating in the horrible atrocities of last year's Presidential campaign, are due to this unwritten compact. While brazenly demanding unconditional amnesty for the authors of the most shocking atrocities and rewarding them with petty offices, they are urging on the spoilation of political opponents in order to drive them out and cement the "Solid South." It is claimed that a perfect reign of terror exists in South Carolina to-day; and that men of national repitation are now in this city, awaiting Hayes' return to invoke National protection in behalf of the martyrs of bitter, relentless persecutions, systematically urged against every person of any note ever identified with the republican party.

After the handsome manner in which France responded to our invitation to the Centennial Exposition, and the cordial efforts of her Government and people to make it a success, our own indifference toward the French Exposition to be opened next season certainly smacks of ingratitude and appears altogether shabby. Unless soon accepted, the space reserved for this Government will be forfeited, and it is hoped Congress will take up the matter at once after organization.

While Pugh and Grow are under heavy bail for the action of the Grand Jury in the matter of the forged drafts, Tompkins has learned late in life that honesty is really the best policy, or would have been for him; because, had he promptly paid Pugh his fee as Attorney, there would have been no forgeries to investigate, leading to a knowledge of *his* fraud, that will likely prove fatal to any payment of the award.

KNOX.

A Temperance Lecture.

The Fall River *News* of Saturday says: This morning one of the saddest sights ever seen in our Court-room was witnessed at the District Court. Peter Bogle, a well-known citizen, 64 years of age and possessed of a comfortable estate, his wife and son, a strongly healthy young man, were arraigned on complaints for being common drunkards. The evidence disclosed a terrible state of things in the family; everything is going to ruin from the use of rum; the property is being squandered and the home destroyed. The evil has existed for a long time and their friends finally interfered to save them from absolute ruin. The father, it is stated, has squandered about $6000 worth of his property during drunken debauches within the past few weeks. He acquired most of his money in the rum business and it now seems to be going in the same way. The young man was sentenced to three months in jail and the father and mother to sixty days each.

News and Notes.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers have not paid the strikers on the Boston & Maine Railroad their due for June and July. The strikers, however, have confidence that they will in time get all the money that is due them. They were voted by the organization $60 a month until the annual meeting of the Grand Division, which takes place in Boston next October. A dozen of the Boston strikers have obtained work as firemen, or as engineers of stationary engines, or at the trades of their earlier years. The men who went on to the Boston & Maine line after the strike, and were bought off by the Brotherhood, an agreement being entered into that they should receive regular wages until they found employment, were settled with for from $80 to $100 in cash.

John Riley shot James Clancy through the head in Boston, Sunday evening. The murderer was arrested.

While the schooner Clara C. Bergen was on the passage from Bermuda to Savannah, she experienced a heavy gale on the 19th inst. The second mate, while reefing the spanker, fell from the foot-rope into the sea. The Captain threw an oar to him, which he caught, and supported himself for two hours and a half, until the gale subsided, when he was rescued by a boat sent from the vessel. He had drifted during the time four miles away, and was picked up in an exhausted condition.

Martha A. Cæsar died on Babcock street, Providence, Friday, from the bite of a spider on the lip.

Two spans of the Missouri river bridge at Council Bluffs, Iowa, were blown down by a tornado on Saturday. The loss is estimated at $350,000. The spans destroyed were each 250 feet long, and it is expected it will take three months to fit the bridge for travel again.

Ezekiel B. Worthen attempted to kill his wife at Lowell on Saturday night, by shooting her, but she will probably recover. Worthen was arrested.

Walter Booker, a young man of nineteen, is in jail at Montrose, Penn., awaiting trial for the murder of his brother Addison. The trouble arose from a game of base ball. A prisoner in the jail asked him when he was put in what he was there for. "Only for killing a fellow," he replied.

The bodies of three men were found hanging to a tree recently in Red River County, Tex., with a placard pinned to one of them bearing all the information taat is known of them. It read: "Here is where we found them, and here is where we left them. They stole horses in Arkansas, and we are from there and strangers here!"

Capt. Eads, the well-known American engineer, has completed plans for bridging the Bosphorus. The Turks are evidently not so entirely absorbed in the exigencies of war but that they can give some attention to the things that make for peace, and they meditate a bridge that will beat all creation. The plan contemplates a structure six thousand feet (over a mile) long, and a hundred feet wide, while the central span will be seven hundred and fifty feet, the longest in the world. The cost will be $25,000,000.

The Chicago *Tribune* hired a colored janitor some time ago named Thomas Jefferson; not long afterward a vacancy was made and another colored man took his place named John Adams. John was bounced and his place was filled by James Madison. James talked some of leaving the other day, and there were two applicants for the expected vacancy, one named George Washington and the other Benjamin Franklin. Fact.

A man named Colby was shot dead by a man named Jackman, on Wednesday last, at Brompton Falls, P. Q., a short distance from Sherbrook. The men had been drinking a good deal, and Colby made insulting proposals to Jackman's wife. An inquest was held, and a verdict of wilful murder was rendered. Colby was a New Hampshire man, and his wife is now living in this State.

The Eastern War.

A despatch dated Erzeroum on Saturday says: "The Russians advanced upon Kurs Kara and Wezinkay on Friday, but were compelled to retreat after a five hours' engagement, during which some of their ammunition cases were exploded by a Turkish shell." A despatch from Mukhtar Pasha says that the Russians lost 4000 killed and wounded in this affair.

A Russian bulletin relative to the battle at Schipka Pass, says: "Fighting continued all Friday. Our troops retain all their positions. Our losses during the four days' fighting have been considerable, over twenty-seven wounded officers, and 900 med being brought to Gabrova; the number of killed is unknown. The cannonade in the Pass was renewed Saturday." Suleiman Pasha announced on Saturday that he had taken the two principal Russian works in the Pass. A telegram from Adrianople, Sunday, says news was received that Suleiman had taken the third work and was attacking Gabrova. A Russian bulletin dated Gorny Studeni, Sunday, says: "Fighting continued Saturday in the Pass with terrible violence. Our troops maintained their position, and have repulsed several powerful attacks. To-day (Sunday) General Doraschinsky, who commanded the force holding the Pass for the first three days met, a hero's death."

A Constantinople despatch of Monday says that no official confirmation of the reported capture of the Shipka Pass has been received.

— The communists' platform, epigrammatically expressed, is about as follows: A loaf for the loafer, with full privilege of losfing.

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Proposals for Carpets.

PAYMASTER'S OFFICE, NAVY YARD, KITTERY, ME., August 25th, 1877.

Proposals in *duplicate*, sealed and endorsed "Bid for supplies advertised," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock Thursday, September 20th, for the following supplies to be delivered free of expense at the Navy Yard, Kittery, Maine, subject to the usual inspection, viz.:

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63 yards Parlor Carpet;
155 yards Chamber Carpet (3 rooms);
32 yards Hall Carpet (3 halls).

The carpets to be of the best quality 3 frame English body Brussels, and to be made up ready for putting down.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids that may not be deemed advantageous to the Government and to have a selection of patterns.

EDWIN PUTNAM,
aug28 septl 11 18 Paymaster U. S. Navy.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS TO BE SUPPLIED TO THE NAVY YARDS UNDER THE COGNIZANCE OF THE BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
Washington, D. C., August 21, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS to furnish Timber and other materials for the Navy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878, will be received at this Bureau until ..ooday, 12 o'clock M., the 25th of September next, at which time the bids will be opened.

The proposals must be addressed to the "*Chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair, Navy Department, Washington*," and must be indorsed "*Proposals for Timber, &c., for the Navy*," that they may be distinguished from ordinary business letters.

To prevent confusion, and facilitate the opening of the bids, parties bidding for supplies at several yards will enclose their bids in separate envelopes for each yard, and record with the name of the yard for which the bid is made.

Printed schedules for such classes as parties deal in and intend to bid for, together with instructions to bidders, giving the forms of proposal, of guarantee, and of certificate of guarantors, with printed forms of offer, will be furnished to such persons as desire to bid, on application to the Commandants of the respective Navy Yards, and those of all the yards on application to the Bureau.

The Commandant of each Navy Yard, and the purchasing Paymaster for each Station, will have a copy of the schedules of the other yards, for examination only, in order that persons who intend to bid may judge whether it is desirable to make application for any of the classes of those yards.

The proposals must be for the whole of a class, but the Department reserves the right to reduce the whole class, should the interest of the Government require it, before the execution of the contract. All applications for information, or for the examination of samples, must be made to the Commandants of the respective yards.

Bids or offers will be received only from parties who are bona fide owners or manufacturers of the articles they offer to furnish. The guarantors must be certified by the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside.

The contract will be awarded to the person who makes the lowest bid and gives the guarantee required by law, but the Navy Department, however, reserves the right to reject the lowest bid, or any which it may deem exorbitant.

Under the provisions of section 3722 of the Revised Statutes, the offer of any person who, as principal or surety, has been a defaulter in any previous contract with the Navy Department will not be received.

Sureties in the full amount will be required to sign the contract, and their responsibility must be certified to the satisfaction of the Navy Department.

As additional security twenty per centum will be withheld from the amount of the bills until the contracts shall have been completed, and eighty per centum of the amount of each bill, approved in triplicate by the Commandants of the respective yards, will be paid by the Paymaster of the station designated in the contract, or, if none is specified, by the Paymaster of the station nearest to the place where the goods are delivered, within ten days after the warrant for the same shall have been passed by the Secretary of the Treasury.

The classes for this Bureau are numbered and designated as follows:

No. 1, White Oak Plank—Oregon Pine Deck Plank at Mare Island yard; No. 7, Yellow Pine Logs—Oregon Pine Logs at Mare Island yard; No. 8, Yellow Pine Beams—Oregon Pine Beams at Mare Island yard; No. 9, Yellow Pine Mast Timber; No. 13, White Pine Plank—Sugar Pine Plank and Boards at Mare Island yard; No. 15, White Ash, Elm, Beech—White Ash and Redwood at Mare Island yard; No. 16, White Ash Oars; No. 19, Black Walnut, Mahogany, Maple, Cherry; No. 22, Cypress, Cedar; No. 23, Black Spruce; No. 25, Lignum Vitæ; No. 32, Wrought Iron, round and square; No. 33, Wrought Iron, flat; No. 34, Iron, plate; No. 35, Steel; No. 37, Iron Spikes; No. 38, Iron Wrought Nails; No. 39, Iron Cut Nails; No. 42, Lead, pipe, sheet; No. 43, Zinc; No. 44, Tin; No. 48, Locks, Hinges, Bolts of brass and iron; No. 49, Screws, of brass and iron; No. 50, Files; No. 51, Augers; No. 52, Tools for ship stores; No. 53, Tools for ship yards and shops; No. 54, Hardware; No. 56, White Lead; No. 57, Zinc Paints; No. 58, Colored Paints, Dryers; No. 59, Linseed Oil; No. 60, Varnish, Spirits Turpentine; No. 63, Sperm and Lard Oil; No. 64, Tallow, Soap; No. 65, Fish Oil; No. 66, Glass; No. 68, Brushes; No. 70, Dry Goods for upholstering; No. 71, Stationery; No. 72, Crucibles; No. 73, Ship Chandlery; No. 74, Acids; No. 75, Rosin, Pitch, Crude Turpentine; No. 77, Belting, Packing; No. 78, Leather, pump, rigging, lacing; No. 80, Hemp; No. 83, Anthracite Coal; No. 87, Bituminous Coal; No. 88, Charcoal, Coke; No. 89, Wood.

The following are the classes, by the numbers, required at the respective navy yards:

PORTSMOUTH.

Nos. 4, 13, 15, 16, 18, 25, 32, 33, 35, 39, 42, 44, 48, 49, 50, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 73, 74, 75, 77, 78, 85, 87.

BOSTON.

Nos. 13, 15, 16, 18, 25, 35, 38, 39, 42, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 56, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 73, 74, 75, 77, 78, 85, 88.

NEW YORK.

Nos. 9, 16, 22, 23, 32, 37, 42, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 77, 78, 80, 85.

LEAGUE ISLAND.

Nos. 9, 18, 23, 25, 34, 38, 39, 42, 43, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 56, 58, 59, 63, 64, 69, 70, 71, 73, 75, 78, 85, 87, 88.

WASHINGTON.

Nos. 9, 22, 23, 32, 39, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 77, 78, 87, 88, 89.

NORFOLK.

Nos. 9, 13, 15, 16, 18, 22, 25, 32, 33, 34, 35, 37, 39, 44, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 73, 77, 78.

MARE ISLAND.

Nos. 7, 8, 9, 13, 16, 24, 32, 35, 42, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 65, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 85.

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NOTICE TO PENSIONERS.

JOHN F. COOPER, Clerk in the late Pension Agency in this city, would inform Pensioners that he may be found at the office of W. H. Rollins, Esq., entrance corner of Market street and Market Square, where he will attend to executing and forwarding Vouchers to their respective agencies. tu

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January 16, 1877.

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THE very desirable BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 16 ISLINGTON ST. belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. Andrew Hussey. House contains twelve rooms and has a Brick Stable and large Garden attached. Possession given September 1st.
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Portsmouth, July 24, 1877.

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THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 28x33 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 22x60 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.
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WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

KEARSARGE MILLS--NOTICE.

WE now propose starting the KEARSARGE MILLS SEPTEMBER 6th, 1877, and we do not think we can do so any earlier to our advantage. Should we find it advisable to start sooner due notice will be given.
Per order of the Treasurer.
R. B. ADAMS, Agent.
Portsmouth, N. H., August 30, 1876.

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Champagnes, English Ale,
Boneless Ham, boiled ready for table,
Chowder Crackers,
Soda, Milk and Water Biscuit, Pilot Biscuit

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No. 1 MARKET SQUARE.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30 P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	4.35 "
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.50 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

WHAT A RAMBLER NOTICES.

A correspondent of the Providence *Journal* has been drifting along shore, and giving descriptions of what he see and hears, over the signature "Rambler." One of his latest letters was written from this city, and we make a few extracts from what he says about us:

"The United States Navy Yard occupies an island half a mile from the city. About twenty officers of all grades are now stationed there, and two hundred or more men are employed in drawing their pay with great alacrity and tinkering an old government hulk. Another of Uncle Sam's enterprises here is the construction of a fort, or rather, the non-construction of it, for the appropriation is exhausted and the work has stopped. The United States public building, occupied by the post office and customs departments, and the courts, is a nearly new and very handsome structure of hammered granite. At the ends of the building are finely kept bits of lawn, enclosed by hammered granite borders. The work of collecting duties here is not, of course, very immense, and so only five officials draw pay for that service. I judge that in the post office they are quite too economical in respect to help, for twice a day, when the mails arrive from Boston, the delivery windows are closed and the curtains drawn, and so remain nearly three-quarters of an hour, while the mail matter is being distributed. The police work is done by six watchmen, constables, and police officers, and nine supernumerary watchmen. The fire department consists of eight companies, four of which operate steamers. There is no telegraphic fire alarm system. The city is without waterworks or sewers as yet, but there is a limited aqueduct supply of water for domestic purposes. * * * I think it is pretty safe to say that the champion numismatician of the United States lives in this city. This gentleman, Mr. Jenness, commenced his collection in his schoolboy days, twenty-one years ago. It now consists of two large cases of about 40,000 silver and copper coins, representing a value of about $10,000. Of foreign copper coins he has about 16,000 specimens, and of American copper cents fifteen or sixteen full sets. The oldest silver piece is a Roman scudi of date 1236; [I think, however, I have seen a piece in a collection in Providence about 200 years older than that;] and the oldest copper coin is a Jewish shekel. One remarkable fact about this large and rare collection is that nearly every piece shows the die almost as perfectly as though just issued. Mr. Jenness also has a very large collection of ancient and modern medals, including copper ones of all the Presidents; bank bills, currency and stamps; autographs, relics, etc. These treasures are kept, for safety, in one of the banks."

[Communicated.]

AN IMPROVEMENT UPON THE PAST, AND A CHANCE FOR MORE.

Very strong are early impressions. I seldom pass the corner of Exchange Buildings and State street, but a scene of my boyhood recurs to me, the chief features of which include a pool of water from a heavy rain, and half a dozen young ruffians pelting with stones a half-drowned kitten, whose piteous cries would have touched a heart not lost to every sense of humanity. Smaller than the smallest of her tormentors, and scarcely daring even to remonstrate against their cruelty, yet wishing, while doing so, the strength of a giant that I might serve them as they were doing the victim of their fiendish barbarity, I stood looking on until a young lady of Pleasant street, who afterwards married a naval gentleman, came in sight, and regardless of danger to her snowy garments, rushed to the rescue and drew the little creature dripping with water from the pool into which it had been thrown. Caring nothing for the shout of derision with which I was assailed, and emboldened by her presence, I took the little sufferer from the hand of the young lady, and accompanied her home, where I was rewarded with a pocketful of apples, yet valuing more the interchange with her of sympathetic chat on the way thither regarding bad boys generally who were given to throwing stones at dumb creatures, robbing birds' nests, and such like outrages, but especially those from whom we had just parted. We *do* live in a better age than then in many ways. Even the then least susceptible to the kinder emotions would not now pass unheeding by where such a scene was being enacted in a public street, and if they did, laws exist — thanks to those whose efforts caused their enactment—to punish such shameless cruelty to the weak and defenceless of the dumb creation, and plenty of kind people to see that they are enforced. Nor would a host be wanting in these later days to remonstrate against the wanton sport referred to recently in the CHRONICLE, when various animals were sent over Niagara Falls on board a vessel procured for such a purpose to attract visitors to the popular resort. She is no true mother who does not instil into the hearts of her little ones an abhorrence of cruelty even to the most minute of the insect race, and a sympathy for all creatures who are victims of abuse.

J. H. B.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, August 27th.

John Jones, John Gallagher, Albert Chamberlain and Robert Harrington, were all convicted of drunkenness, and each fined $3, costs $6.90 each. Jones paid his $9.90, but the others will probably board out their little bills.

IMPORTANT LAW CASE.

The trial of the case town of South Hampton against Fowler, will begin at the Common Council room this morning. The action was entered at the January term of the Court in this county, 1870. After various attempts at trials a verdict was obtained for the defendent in 1873. This verdict the Law Court set aside, and the case was afterward referred to Hon. C. W. Stanley of Manchester. Judge Stanley, with the counsel and a crowd of interested spectators, viewed the *locus in quo* at South Hampton, Monday, which shew a strip of beach-bound land west of Hampton river. The case tries the question of title to this land, and probably affects the title to other land on the coast. The trial is expected to last nearly a week. Messrs. Hatch and Page are counsel for the plaintiff, and Frink and Goodall for the defendant.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

There is more sickness in this city now than at any previous time for years, children being the principal sufferers and various bowel disorders the prevailing complaints.

Two splendid burgees, each 45 by 15 feet, are making at T. S. Gay's sail loft for the ships Granite State and Paul Jones. The lettering is the work of Mr. Willard J. Sampson.

Schooner Grace Choate came in on Saturday with 50,000 pounds of fish.

The Band of Hope picnic will be held tomorrow (Wednesday) at Sagamore creek. Teams will start from opposite Mechanics' Hall at 8:30 and 11 o'clock A. M., and will return about six o'clock in the evening. Fare for adults, twenty cents for the round trip.

The young ladies connected with St. John's Church propose holding a Fair of useful and fancy articles at the Chapel on State street, early in September, the proceeds to be for the benefit of the Children's Home.

The service of the Band of Hope in memoriam Mamie S. Gardner, one of the Vice Presidents of the Band, was held on Saturday afternoon, and in spite of the very bad weather was attended by over sixty of the children.

The *Times* office is to be removed to the second floor of the brick building next the one for some years occupied by it; in consequence of this removal it suspends its issue for this evening.

The horse and wagon stolen from Mrs. Charles R. Leavitt at Stratham on Friday night have been recovered. They were found at Haverhill, Mass.

The Portsmouth Gas Company has declared a dividend of 4 per cent., payable on Monday next, Sept. 3d.

The exhibition of the wonderful Strasburg clock commenced on Monday at Congress Hall, and will continue day and evening through the week. This model is a remarkable piece of work.

New Hampshire Items.

George Fletcher, a county pauper aged seventy-five years, committed suicide at Milford Saturday by taking poison.

Something almost as bad as the devastating potato bug has been discovered in Laconia. It consists of an entirely new species of the apple tree worm, large numbers of which come into existence and grow to maturity in a single day. These worms will strip an apple tree entirely of its foliage in a comparatively short time.

Philip Bergeron, while felling a tree near the Fabyan House, Thursday, met with a singular accident, which caused his death, the tree in falling striking the axe, throwing it back in such a way as to strike him on the neck, severing the jugular vein. He died in an hour.

A stray dog, appearing to be mad, rushed into the house of widow Huckins in Bridgewater Friday afternoon, biting her and her daughter. He then went to Gilman Fletcher's, biting him badly in both arms, and killed a small dog. Afterward Mr. Fletcher killed the animal.

Political.

Ex-Governor A. G. Brown of Mississippi is not a cheerful prophet for the democratic party. He writes to a friend to say that he is not and does not expect to be an independent candidate for Governor, but he says that he disapproves of much that has been done by the democratic party since its return to power in Mississippi, and its shortcomings do not give him assurance of the rich rewards that were promised in 1875 and 1876. As far back as 1867 he was confident that the white men of Mississippi were taking a course that would lead to disaster and now he feels "a moral conviction that the democratic party is hurrying on to its own overthrow, not this year perhaps, but certainly in not distant future."

Mr. Joseph H. Williams of Maine is plainly a great American humorist. The democrats nominated him for Governor on a platform which was merely a howl of "fraud," with variations. He remarks that he doesn't believe they meant much of anything by it, and with that understanding accepts the position. The party has a glimmering suspicion that it has been defrauded again.

—It's the use of tobacco in large quantities that is injurious. Take, for instance, Mr. James Tucker, of Greyson County, Ky., who had a whole hogshead of it fall on him and kill him the other day.

—An affidavit recently submitted in a Brooklyn court read thus: "And deponent further says that the defendant drew a pistol and threatened deponent that, if he did not at once leave the premises, he, the said defendant, would blow him to hell, which deponent verily believeth said defendant would have done had he, the said deponent, not done as was commanded."

—The honorable gentleman is seeking a re-election, and runs to meet his constituent from afar, hat in hand. "Good day, my honorable sir. I trust your health is good?" "It is." "And your honorable wife is well, too, I hope?" "She is." "I was just thinking of you. I knew I should meet you, for just round the corner I had the pleasure of meeting your honorable dog." This was in France, but same thing happens here.

—"Mother, I have saved the house, but I shall die," said a six year old girl to Mrs. Theodore Markham as she entered her home at High Market, Lewis county, Md., one day last week. The child while attempting to light a lamp to warm some milk for a baby, set fire to her clothing. Her first thought was to run out of doors, fearing that the house would be burned and the baby be hurt; but noticing that shreds of her clothing had fallen upon the floor, she carefully extinguished the flames. Then she ran to a horse trough in the yard and plunged into the water. Returning to the house she waited patiently for the mother to return. She died an hour after the accident.

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DIED.

GARDNER. In this city, August 26th, Josie C. Gardner, aged 6 years and two months, youngest child of Charles W. and Clara M. Gardner.

☞ By reason of sickness, the funeral services will be held at her grandfather's residence on Pleasant street, this (Tuesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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United States District Court.

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Monday, Sept. 3d,

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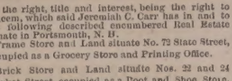

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3. The workingmen's movement will take from the democrats rather than from the republicans.

4. The democrats are not enthusiastic about either their candidate or platform—the candidate being one of the old Know-Nothing, Sabbatarian order, and the other falling to call for more greenbacks, while it actually babbles about interconvertibility.

5. Tilden is in Europe and Holland in jail. There will not be $7000 out of the Third National Bank of New York for repeaters, and Mr. Bishop, though, according to the Put-in Bay correspondent of the *Enquirer*, nominated on the assurance that he would pay an "ample sum," is not a squanderer of his hard earnings.

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, or vault of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set out for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Bad Discipline at Sea.

The Baltimore papers of last week give the following account of a lively time on board of a ship sailing from that port: "A mutiny broke out about noon on Tuesday on board the ship David Stewart, Capt. Forbes, which left this port on Monday last, bound for Rio Janeiro. At the time of the disturbance the ship was off Cape Henry setting sail preparatory to casting off from the tugboat Alexander Jones. It arose from an ill-feeling existing between the chief mate, Victor Crook, and a portion of the crew, the origin of which could not be learned. Blows were struck, blood flowed, and for a short while the deck presented a lively scene, as the mutinous members of the crew held their ground against the rest of the ship's company, refusing to allow the vessel to proceed on her course if the mate remained on board. Capt. Forbes endeavored to effect a compromise between the disaffected members and the mate, which resulted unsatisfactorily, after which the captain and his officers held a private consultation, and it was resolved that the mate should leave the ship and return to the city on board the tugboat. Shortly before the tug had cast off, one of the crew of the David Stewart jumped overboard and commenced swimming for the shore. A boat was lowered and sent in pursuit, but the man, who was an expert swimmer, evaded it, and refused to be taken on board. He was finally picked up by a three-masted schooner bound north."

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A Promising Marksman.

On the 24th day of July, James Ives, a member of the Ogdensburg Rifle Club, shot one string each at 800, 900 and 1000 yards, making a score of 216 out of a possible 225. On the 2d day of August he shot a string of 15 shots, 800 yards, making a score of 75, or 15 consecutive bulls'-eyes. On the 8th of August he made another 15 consecutive bulls'-eyes at 900 yards. Since that date he has shot two strings at 1000 yards, making 71 in each string. This is all the shooting he has done between and including the 24th of July and the 16th of August, and making a grand total of 508 points out of a possible 525. On the 16th, O. F. Partridge, Secretary of the Ogdensburg Rifle Club, received a letter from New York inquiring if the reported score of Ives was correct, and if so asking him to telegraph them. The answer was sent that the score was correctly reported. Mr. Ives is bookkeeper in the Judson Bank in this city, and this performance indicates that he is one of the most skillful marksmen in the world. It is believed no other person can show so large a score in the same number of shots.—*Ogdensburg (N. Y.) Journal.*

Lip Reading.

A good many years ago, when the accomplished daughter of a well known gentleman of this city was a little girl, she was taken ill with scarlet fever, and when she recovered she was stone deaf. Fortunately the child, who possessed a remarkably sweet voice, had learned to talk before the attack, and the physician who attended her, finding that her sense of hearing had entirely gone, enjoined upon the mother the necessity of carefully keeping up the habit of speech in order that it should not be totally lost. From that time out the mother devoted herself to the preservation of her daughter's voice, almost to the exclusion of everything else, and the successful issue of her undertaking has proved an ample reward for her labors. The young lady is now not only an accomplished member of society, but an excellent artist, well known among the painters of New York. Her education was so carefully attended to by her mother that she not only talks well, but understands everything that is said to her by simply watching the lips of her interlocutor. On one occasion an eminent clergyman of this city called to see her mother and was received by the young lady. After some fifteen minutes the mother presented herself and the young lady retired. Presently the conversation turned upon the daughter, and the mother said something about "her infirmity." The clergyman who had seen nothing to indicate any lack of perception in the young lady, and who had not noticed any physical defect was surprised and asked what was meant. The mother then explained that her child was stone-deaf. The clergyman was loth to believe it, and almost demanded further proof of the fact. The young lady was then called, and it was proven to his entire satisfaction that she

could not understand a single word that was spoken unless she saw the motion of the lips which uttered it. Like the deaf girl described in Wilkie Collins' novel of "Hide and Seek," she is singularly susceptible to any vibrations of the timbers of the room or house in which she may be, and her mother has established a system of telegraphy with her by means of the doors and balusters, by which she can communicate with her throughout the whole house. By simply striking the baluster or door with the open hand, her parents can apprise her that her presence is desired in a particular room or part of the premises, and by modifications of the raps can inform her of many of the minor affairs that are taking place. Although her father has a handsome competence, this young lady earns enough for her own support in the pursuit of her art. —*N. Y. World.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 29, 1877.

News and Notes.

Mr. H. Cohenno, senior partner of the firm H. Cohenno & Co., diamond cutters, of Boston, has been robbed by his partner, Samuel B. Hegt, and the latter's brother, B. J. Hegt. of $10,000 in diamonds and bonds. The Hegts and their families sailed for Europe on Saturday in the steamship Minnesota, carrying the stolen property with them. Mr. Cohenno has lost all his property by this robbery.

Courtney won the single-scull race at Saratoga on Tuesday, by three lengths, Riley second. Plaisted hauled out of the race at the end of two miles.

The topmost stone of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Monument at Boston, a circular block of granite weighing 38 tons, which required thirty-two horses to haul it up the hill, and upon which the statue of America will stand, was placed in position at 11 o'clock Saturday forenoon.

W. H. Clark, clerk in the St. John (N. B.) post office, has been arrested for stealing money letters. He was detected by marked money. His predecessor is now serving a term in the penitentiary for a similar offence.

Three highwaymen who have been plying their vocation on the Cheyenne stage route, were arrested and lodged in jail at Deadwood, D. T., Sunday evening. One of the robbers resisted. The fire was returned, and the desperado was shot through the body. The wound is probably fatal.

In a hard contested game of base ball, Monday afternoon, between the Bostons and Louisvilles, at Boston, the Bostons were victorious by a score of 6 to 0. The game was witnessed by over three thousand spectators. The same clubs played again Tuesday afternoon.

A newspaper at Ashland, Ky., says that an investigation of the records of the State shows that not a single man or woman in the whole Commonwealth is under the present laws legally married.

The band of music in Grand Haven, Mich., consists of Mr. Lukens and the six Misses Lukens. They play on all the public occasions requiring music, such as processions and balls, and also are the orchestra for theatrical entertainments. The girls are blondes, all of strikingly good figures, and two are very pretty. They wear black, short dresses, and hats with sweeping plumes. They make excellent music.

The new elevator at the Hotel Devonshire, New York, is an improvement over the usual style. It is safe, rapid, and most perfectly efficient. It is propelled without the use of a belt, and is stopped or started at will by a patented contrivance. The car is of satinwood and mahogany and the upholstering of an elegant pattern.

The menhaden oil business in Maine is about the same in August as it was in July. The fishermen report that in June a large school of menhaden made their appearance, and during that month there was a good prospect of a large catch for the whole season; but about the first of July a large school of "Albicores," or as some call them, "Barracouters," made their appearance on the usual feeding ground of the menhaden, driving the latter into the rivers of the bays, from Gloucester to Mj. Desert. The result was, plenty of fish, but of poor quality and small size. This affects the fishing interest in two ways; it affects the factories on account of poor quality, and the fishermen because their seines are made expressly to take fish off shore, and in trying to take them close to land they destroy their seines. One steamer destroyed five seines in as many days, and caught less than 100 barrels, although they estimated that they surrounded 5000 barrels during the five days.

The body of an unknown man was found in Bristol, R. I., harbor, Friday evening, secured by the neck to a forty-pound slab of granite in such a manner as to preclude the idea of suicide. A jury of loquest was summoned, and after taking some testimony, adjourned to next Saturday.

At an early hour on Sunday morning Thomas Oliver, hailing from New York, was captured while entering the summer house of John T. Cleaves at Old Orchard Beach. In the Police Court Monday morning he was committed to jail.

An interesting story, not contained in the lives of Lincoln, is just now going around, to the effect that he barely escaped fighting a duel with Captain Shields about 1840, at East St. Louis, then known as "Bloody Island." Lincoln had been challenged by Shields as the supposed author of a newspaper article reflecting on the latter, and they had gone to the ground; but certain friends of theirs, including Stephen A. Douglas on the side of Shields, got wind of the affair, followed them, and arrived just in time to interpose. Shields withdrew his challenge long enough for an explanation. Lincoln assured him that he had never seen or heard of the article until it appeared in print and had consented to be considered the author only to protect the good name of an estimable young lady, and as the affair was amicably settled. Shields distinguished himself afterwards in the Mexican war and Lincoln became the great war President. For years the authorship of the article that caused the trouble was a mystery, but it is now known to have been written by a Miss Jayne, a belle at Springfield, who numbered Lincoln, Shields and Lyman Trumbull among her special admirers at that time. She became the wife of Trumbull.

Those public-spirited people who bought stock in the Philadelphia Centennial show will get back only $1.75 on each share costing $10.

New Hampshire Items.

One day last week, as a son of Lorenzo Brown of Barrington was handling a pistol, it was accidentally discharged, and the ball struck his sister in the back near the spinal column. It struck a bone and glanced, so that it cannot be found by surgeons, but remains imbedded in the muscles of the back. She is, however, doing well.

Recently, a little daughter of George W. Kelley of Northwood, while reaching for a stick of wood which an older sister was cutting with an axe, had three fingers severed from her right hand and the fore finger so badly injured that it is feared amputation will be necessary.

The most terribly afflicted man we know of is the editor of the *Democrat and News* of Laconia. The visit of the President to this State appears to have stirred up a mass of bile which it would seem hardly possible for any man to carry and live. The editor of the Dover *Press*, if not so exhaustive of Webster and the other word makers as his contemporary in Belknap, is just as prolific upon this theme. In his last issue there appeared no less than sixteen articles on "Hayes." Stick to it, brothers. Remember the old adage about the lie well stuck to, and persevere. The world may find out that you are in it, by and by, if you rattle around good. At the next presidential election we shall expect to see both of these men shouting and voting for "Hayes."—*Granite State News.*

Ally McDonnall knocked Mary Lang down in the covered bridge in Franklin Saturday night, and said that he would put his knife into her and throw her into the river. Mr. Daniel R. Woodward hearing her screams, came to her rescue, and found that her head was gashed and bloody, and her money gone. John Sullivan, another drunken desperado, was with McDonnall, but had gone into Pat Kennedy's saloon near by to get a bottle filled when the violence was done. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of the offenders.

Laconia has the uneviable notoriety of being the only point in New Hampshire where a deliberate attempt was made to insult the President of the United States during his late trip. Tuesday night placards printed at the *Democrat and News* office, emblazed with "Fraud Triumphant! 8 to 7," etc., were posted upon the depot platform and walls. The whole affair was so characteristic of the downy gosling of that establishment that nobody was surprised, and the most indignant people are the democrats of the village, who feel even more keenly than the President's political friends the insult which was put, not upon President Hayes, but upon this community.—*Lake Village Times.*

Runaway Islands.

The extraordinary intelligence has been received in England of the disappearance of two islands,—the Barker Islands—and their inhabitants. Capt. Fisher, a Tasmanian capitalist, purchased from the West Australian Government the right to remove guano from two islands on the coast, described on the chart and known as the Barker Islands, and situated in latitude 14 degrees south, longitude 125 degrees east. Capt. Fisher despatched three vessels in April with laborers and appliances for shipping the guano, but when the vessels arrived at the place where the islands were known to be, these was nothing to be seen but water. The islands had disappeared entirely, how and when is at present a mystery. It was generally supposed that Australia lay out of the line of active volcanic agency, so that the phenomenon is all the more remarkable.

A Wonderful Advance.

It is not so much worthy of note that another cadet has been appointed to West Point as where and how it was done. Smith and Flipper were appointed for political reasons, or at least the members of Congress who appointed them, were indebted to their race for their elections. In this case young Minnie fairly won his position in a contest open to all, and with very few advantages in comparison with his competitors, so that he enters with the clearest possible title. The next interesting fact is that he represents the most desperately democratic district in New York, and that Hon. Nick Muller, who signs his appointment, is a congenial representative of it. But a few years ago, and such an occurrence would have bred a riot and implied a sentence of virtual banishment to any member of Congress from that district, who should dare to appoint a negro. Now there is no disturbance or remonstrance even, and Mr. Muller, very creditably to himself, not only fulfils his agreement cheerfully, but promises to attend and present his appointee for examination. It will be curious to see if the caste prejudice, which ostracised Flipper and condemned him to four years of social solitude, will prevail at West Point now that it has been overcome to such an extent in a democratic district. We trust not, but if it does, that aristocratic institution ought to be taught a lesson in good sense, if it has to be thoroughly remodelled. With proper influence from the teachers it could hardly happen, and we are convinced that there are regular army officers enough above the narrow prejudice against color to "run" West Point, if the present force is incorrigible. This silly prejudice has worked evil enough in our army. Already the officers of colored regiments are justly complaining that they are kept stationed in unhealthy localities, and that, in short, they are made the pariahs of the army. In our own and the British navy and marine service the races stand on an equal footing, and there is no reason except this remnant of class prejudice why they should not in the army. If the spirit of the Civil Rights bill means anything, it should be felt in the service of the national government, but on the contrary it seems to be the last stronghold of opposition to it.—*Prov. Journal.*

—A good word is an easy obligation, but not to speak ill requires only our silence, which costs nothing.

—When Jefferson was our Minister to France he once entertained at his house, with some other Frenchmen, a Dr. MacMahon. During the conversation some one denied the existence of atheists. MacMahon was a man six feet high; he rose and said: "I am an atheist." He was one of Voltaire's friends, he was Dr. Franklin's physician. He was an ancestor of the President of France, one of the pillars of the Church.

—A young man in Rochester went not long ago to call upon some ladies. He sent in his card, was kindly received and passed a pleasant evening. The next day one of the young ladies happened to pick up the card again, and on the back she found the following: "One game billiards, fifteen cents; drinks, twenty cents; drinks, twenty cents; three games French with Joe, forty-five cents; drinks, sixty cents." The card was returned with a note telling the young man that he had lost his memorandum book.

—The following incident is a striking commentary of the results of the national bankruptcy act: A certain trader in Skowhegan recently failed in business, and, agreeable to an appointment, met his creditors in the office of his attorney to adjust a settlement with them by paying a per centage on each claim. During the conversation that ensued the officer who was present ventured to ask the merchant if his assets would not warrant an offer of fifty per cent., whereupon the merchant naively replied, "That's too much; they are only paying about twenty-five per cent., and I can't pay more than others do."

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	4.35 "
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

A meeting of the Board of Instruction was held on Tuesday afternoon, the Mayor presiding.

The committee on revision of the rules and regulations for the government of the schools, were granted further time in which to make their report.

The chairmen of the various sub-committees reported the list of teachers for the ensuing year.

The resignation of Miss Mary J. Roberts of the Franklin School, was read and accepted.

Mr. Dickinson was appointed Grammar Master of the schools in District No. Two, temporarily, and the remaining list of teachers as reported was adopted for the various districts.

A petition from Mr. J. Durgin was received, read and ordered to be placed on file.

Adjourned to meet on the first Wednesday of September, at eight o'clock, P. M.

A MEAN THIEF JUGGED.

Miss Sally Leavitt, who with her brother Mr. John Leavitt lives on the Sheafe farm on the Middle road, was recently robbed of forty-six dollars which was in the house. At first the robbery was laid to some tramp, but Sheriff Kent and City Marshal Entwistle worked up the case and concluded that a man named Manning C. Rand, who is the husband of a niece of the Leavitts' and has lived with them since his marriage, was the thief. Acting on this belief the officers on Monday night arrested Rand, and by making judicious use of what they already knew induced him to tell them a lot more, the thief confessing that he took the money and that more than half of it was hidden in a closet at the railroad station at Newmarket Junction. He was at once taken to the place named, and hauled out from a hole in the ceiling a roll of bills amounting to $26. In the Police Court, Tuesday, Rand pleaded guilty of the crime, and went to jail in default of $400 bonds.

OBITUARY.

John A. Richardson died at his residence in Durham on Saturday evening, aged eighty years. Mr. Richardson received his academic education at Exeter, and graduated at Dartmouth College, being in the class, with Rufus Choate. He studied law at Haverhill, Mass, and returned to Durham, where he commenced and continued the practice of the legal profession, occupying the same house and office until his death. For some years past he has been helpless, from disease. His first wife was the daughter of the late Major Alexander Rice, of Kittery. He leaves a widow and one daughter, Mrs. Geo. L. Treadwell of this city. Mr. Richardson was noted for his kindness of heart, his amiable disposition and gentlemanly bearing. He was not a combative style of lawyer, but was a sound counsellor and a faithful citizen. Inclined to avoid publicity, modest and retiring, in later years especially, his worth was appreciated by his intimate friends and neighbors rather than known to the world at large.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, August 28th.

Stephen Nutter, a Newington man, was shown to have been drunk, and was assessed $9.90, fine and costs, which he paid.

Manning C. Rand pleaded guilty to a charge of larceny of a sum of money, (some thirty-five or forty dollars, which Rand claims he took from its owner—an old lady—because she owed him that amount and he could get his pay no other way,) and was bound over in $400 to answer at the October term of the Supreme Court.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

See advertisement of top buggy, furniture, domestic wines, cigars, fishing-rods, etc., for sale at auction to-day by H. F. Wendell.

The homestead of the late Samuel P. Wiggin, on the North road, will be sold at auction at noon to-day, on the premises. See advertisement,

In the list of distinguished Knights Templar, members of the General Grand Encampment of the United States, which held its triennial session at Cleveland, Ohio, on the 28th, we notice the name of New Hampshire's supreme knight, Right Eminent John R. Holbrook of this city, Grand Commander of the Grand Commandry of Knights Templar in New Hampshire.

Mr. Shea is now laying for Mr. F. W. Miller, near Broad street, the last 100 feet of a 21-inch cement pipe sewer, which extends from the land of Capt. Robert Shillaber, near Wibird street, to the point named. This has all been laid down at Mr. Miller's expense, about $800, although it carries the drainage from Wibird and Union streets and a large part of Lincoln Avenue.

Mr. S. W. Bowker, of Newfane, Vermont, went to the Bennington centennial celebration in his own carriage, but before starting took the precaution to procure an accident insurance policy. On his return he was thrown from his carriage and so badly injured that it will be months before he will be out again, but during his illness, thanks to his forethought he will draw a goodly sum weekly from the insurance company. Morse & Ilsley are agents in this city of the Travellers' Accident Insurance Company, in which Mr. Bowker was insured.

Delegations of Odd Fellows from New Hampshire Lodge and Mt. Sinai Encampment went to South Berwick on Tuesday to attend the funeral of their late Brother George W. Goodrich.

Boatswain Charles E. Hawkins, U. S. N., who has had charge of the Pawnee, storeship of the North Atlantic squadron, will be relieved on the 1st of September and placed on waiting orders.

The sails for the ship Granite State are being rapidly completed by the veteran sailmaker John R. Holbrook, at the loft on Market street where so many suits were made for vessels in the palmy days of wooden-ship building,—before England decided that ships dug out of the ground should be considered better than those grown in the woods, and bull-dozed all other maritime nations into bowing to her dictum. We believe there is more canvas in the Granite State's sails than in the suit of any other merchant vessel ever fitted out here; and we are certain few finer vessels were ever measured for new suits anywhere.

Ship Favorita, Capt. Edwin Garrish, arrived in Boston on Monday from Hoilo, (on one of the Phillipine Islands,) with a cargo of sugar and sapan wood.

Schooner W. H. Y. Hackett arrived at Beverly last week with 100 quintals of fish. Schooner Gov. Goodwin was spoken Aug. 22d off Sable Island, bound home from the Grand banks with a full fare of fish.

The sale of the Wiggin place on North Road at twelve o'clock, noon, to-day, will afford an opportunity to purchase a sightly and pleasant spot in one of the best situations in the suburbs, at a reasonable cost.

The hearing in the case of the town of South Hampton vs. Fowler was proceeded with before Hon. C. W. Stanley, Referee, at the Common Council room on Tuesday. Several witnesses were examined, the testimony being without public interest.

—An eye in a large picture of an actress in a window of a shop at Hartford, Conn., astonished the passers-by recently by winking at them. It was some time before the people discovered that the eyelid was a clever device worked by India-rubber springs and a string.

—Charles Dickens said that "the first external revelation of the dry rot in men is a tendency to lurk and lounge; to be at street corners without intelligible reason; to be going anywhere when met; to be about many places rather than any; to do nothing tangible, but to have an intention of performing a number of tangible duties tomorrow or the day after."

—Perhaps the most remarkable suicide on record has been committed in Sweden. A Government official in the district of Ripsa, wearied by pecuniary difficulties, took a row with his wife and two children upon a neighboring lake, ostensibly to pass a few hours in fishing, but after getting to a distance at which he could do no harm to others, he applied a match to a quantity of explosive material, supposed to be some form of dynamite, that he had, unobserved, taken with him, and blew the boat and its occupants literally into fragments.

—The circus is coming again, and once more we will have the pleasure of witnessing the cheerful spectacle of seven church members taking one little child two years old "to see the animals." "I didn't go into the circus department," said a good deacon, after the last moral circus was here, "but I dropped in to look around the menagerie a few moments with my little grandson, and I do think the man who tied his legs in a bow-knot around his neck and then crawled through the hoop was alone worth the price of admission."—*Hawkeye.*

—"The Great Naturalist of the North" is infesting the South and whitening negroes at $50 each, $10 down, the remainder on obtaining absolute pulchritude. The operator offers to whiten one volunteer free, and treats him with nitric acid, warning him that the instantaneous process is painful. The volunteer soon howls and gives in and no one will come forward but the Great Naturalist's corked confederates, who, after much howling and squirming, are washed white as snow. Then the negroes buy the anti-Ethiopic Remedy freely, and the Naturalist of the North silently steals away before they have had time to discover the fraud.

—The Washington *Star* declares that there was a dreadful time in the New York *Sun* office one day recently. When Mr. Dana came in from his island home that day, he found that the news editor had prepared and printed in the *Sun* for that morning a special despatch from the Bennington centennial celebration, which he had made up from the associated press report, thoughtlessly copying from it the words "president Hayes" without change, and without in any way casting a reflection or doubt upon Mr. Hayes' right to the Presidential office. The compositor had "followed copy," and the proof reader, when the offending matter came under his pencil, had suffered it to pass without change. The three culprits were at once sent for by Mr. Dana. Nobody cared much for the untimely doom of the news editor, for he was not of much account anyway, but the compositor had a young wife and two lovely children dependent upon him for support, and the proof-reader was the sole stay and solace of his widowed mother. They were all buried together by the Typographical Union.

—A very wicked man killed himself in the lowest level of a Nevada mine, and a western paper very coolly concludes an account of the suicide with: "Thus his alleged soul was saved over a half a mile of transportation."

—A crowd of summer visitors at Morris, Conn., who had gathered to see some rocks split with dynamite, were put to ignominious flight by the appearance of a frightened woodchuck, and in their frenzy people fell and rolled over each other on the ground.

—Ingenuity is rapidly creeping over the South. An artificial frogs'-leg factory has been started in Memphis. Mutton is the base. Thus is the once prostrate land of the magnolia arising like a giant to take her place among the industrial leaders of the earth.

—A woman was lately charged with trying to poison her husband. The unfortunate man was in the witness box. Suddenly his wife exclaimed, "Your honor, all that has been said till now is mere invention. You cannot sentence me without proof. I demand an autopsy."

—A typographical error makes the Toronto *Mail* say that Isaac L. Allen, a member of the American Rifle Team, "is thirty-five feet ten inches in height." Mistakes will occur in the best regulated offices. Everybody can see however, the writer meant to say ten feet and thirty-five inches.

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U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
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Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	163
Eastern R. R. scrip	53½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway	64
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	88½
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	3½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	31
Fitchburg	104½
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	52½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	87½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	3½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	69

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Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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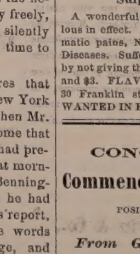

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CITY HEALTH REGULATIONS.

THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 8. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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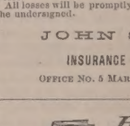

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Summer Life at Newport.

The Newport (R. I.) correspondent of the St. Louis *Globe Democrat* writes as follows of snobbery at that high-toned summer resort!

The villa folks are more and more disinclined to associate with the hotel folks. A few years since they were wont to commingle freely; now they resolutely remain apart. The other evening there was a hop at the Ocean, and near a hundred of the villa swells must have been invited. Only three attended, I understand, all the others sending politely-worded regrets that they were unhappily obliged to be absent, by reason of imperative engagements. This season the Avenue has unquestionably set its face against, or rather turned its back upon, the Oceanites and Aquidneckers, and these so resent the obvious coldness that an eternal gulf is likely to open between them. Recently a young New Yorker was asking the daughter of a wealthy manufacturer of Providence if she knew Miss —, niece of an ex-professor of Harvard.

"Oh, no; I do not know her. We do not move in the same set. I have heard of her; she usually goes to the Ocean, I think, and we never go to any of the hotels. Both mamma and papa have forbidden me going, although I dare say that some of the persons at the hotels may be nice."

This precious little girl is not too old to remember when her father was an industrious mechanic, but ill educated, and sprung from the soil. He went into manufacturing about 1860; got a Government contract, and grew rich by it. And now his daughter is interdicted from visiting cultured and high-bred young ladies because they stay at hotels. She must have misrepresented her father, a sensible man, without the smallest pretense. He married the daughter of a poor, ignorant fisherman on Cape Cod, her good health and fresh looks being her chief matrimonial recommendations. And she, since her change of fortune, says Mrs. J. J. Astor's grandfather was nothing but a vulgar Dutch adventurer, and she has already put a coat of arms (it ought to be a shirt-sleeve rolled up, the hand holding a huge hammer) on her carriage, her furniture and her plate. Such instances of snobbery are not uncommon here, where there is less than at other watering-places. A young woman from Worcester, possessed of a sharp tongue and a disposition to use it, called on a Mrs. Browne, wife of a notoriously dishonest speculator, who had turned his dishonesty to a good pecuniary account. She inquired innocently if she were related to the Browns, the noted bankers in Wall street?

"Indeed we are not. They spell their name without an e," was the reply, with an indignant toss of the head.

"O, that makes no difference, my dear; it is quite probable that Mr. Browne's grandfather could not spell his name at all; and yet, if all reports are true, he must have been more upright and honorable than his grandson."

The Whipping Post.

In New York city a strong effort is being made to revive the lash as a punishment for criminals. Henry Berh, President of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, in giving his experience in the matter strongly advises it. He says:

"When I was in Egypt, some years since, I had an opportunity for witnessing the way in which law-breakers were treated in Cairo. Nearly every day, after my breakfast, I used to light my cigar and saunter up to the hall where Egyptian justice is meted out. It was a large room in which the magistrate sat at one end, complacently smoking a chibouk. Before him was a bar across the apartment like a railing. A malefactor would be brought in, his offense detailed, his defence heard; then if he was found guilty, the magistrate would take his chibouk from his lips long enough to command that a certain number of blows should be given him. Straightway he would be flopped over face downward, and blows administered with a bundle of rods on the soles of his feet—well laid on, too. The 'bastinado' was the name of the punishment. The fellow would roar and howl, and call upon Allah to witness that he would never offend again, but he would get all the blows that were ordered. Then he would be allowed to rise and limp away with the aid of his friends. The chastisement was sufficiently severe to be remembered; in fact the fellow could not walk when fresh from it, but it would do no permanent injury. I was curious to know if it did any permanent good, and caused my interpreter to enquire if the same man ever came back several times to be punished for repetitions of offences. They were astonished at my question, and said: ['No, once is enough. Scarcely ever does anyone require a second—so seldom that we may almost say never.'

As another illustration of the good effects of whipping, I remember reading of some English colony, Ceylon I think it was, where the Governor was a mild, humanitarian chap who did not believe in whipping. Under his rule law became a mere sham, offences and crimes ran riot; there was no protection for person or property; social chaos reigned. He was recalled and another man appointed, in his stead, a stern practical man who did believe in licking criminals, and who carried his belief into vigorous practice, and the result was that, in a short time, that was one of the most orderly colonies under English rule."

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, 1877.

The Eastern War.

The Turks acknowledge that the Russians still hold the Shipka Pass, though they claim that Suleiman Pasha carried the earthworks at the entrance on the seventh day's fighting.

The reported great Turkish victory in Armenia is confirmed as a serious Turkish defeat. The Turks were successful in one attack on a Russian position, but were repulsed afterward and driven back with heavy loss.

Shooting.

Walter Sanders, late Sheriff of Lincoln county, Ky., and his brother-in-law, Jack Ballard, were killed at Richmond, Madison county, Ky., on the evening of the 27th, by Gus. Edwards, City Marshal of Richmond, and a party of his friends. Edwards was slightly wounded and his brother dangerously, during the fight. Many shots were fired, but only the four persons mentioned were hit.

In Chicago, Aug. 27th, William O'Sullivan, sexton of St. Jarleth's (Roman Catholic) church, while visiting two young ladies, shot Katie Brannock, aged twenty-three, killing her instantly. He immediately left the house, entered his room at St. Jarleth's church, shot himself fatally, and died in a few minutes. The only witness of the deed was a friend of both parties. She heard no quarelling and could give no reason for the deed. The victims were highly respectable. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that Miss Brannock came to her death either by accident or design of said Sullivan, but were unable to determine which. They found that Sullivan shot himself in remorse for his deed, or from fear of the consequences.

Stephen Barber was shot dead and his wife badly wounded, while in bed at their home in Belmont, N. Y., on Sunday night, Aug. 26th. A tramp has been arrested, and fully identified by Mrs. Barber as the murderer.

The American, British and Crescent City rifle teams are practicing for the international contest at Creedmoor, the first day's shooting having taken place on August 28th. The American team ran well ahead.

News and Notes.

The Biddeford *Star* has been sold to W. Lester Watson, and its daily publication ceased with the issue of Monday, August 27th.

A sad case of relapse from grace is reported at Rockland, Me. Rev. J. H. Palmer of the Universalist Church, always highly esteemed for his spotless life, has been obliged to leave town and the ministry on account of disgraceful conduct in company with some of the vicious characters of the place. He was brought up amid the vilest surroundings in Detroit, Mich., but finally reformed, married, and entered the ministry, but the power of his early habits has been too much for his resolution, and he has returned to his old haunts and associations.

Business is improving in Providence, R. I. The Tool Company is running on full time manufacturing arms for Turkey, and several large jewelry concerns have started up recently. It is estimated that three thousand more citizens are at work than there were three weeks ago.

The officers of the Pennsylvania Coal Company express their opinion that the strike of the miners will be of short duration, as the men will soon return to work or starve. The company will not increase their wages. An early resumption, it is said, is probable in the Scranton region.

It is rather strange that a city in as high latitude as Montreal should have the unenviable distinction of a higher death rate than any other city in Canada or the Northern United States. But the July mortality was 608, which is at the annual rate of about fifty-three in every thousand, or nearly twice as great as the prevailing average in the leading cities of the North. A large percentage of the diseases is of a preventable character, and it looks as though Montreal lacked enterprise in her sanitary arrangements.

Secretary Evarts is amused by the newspaper statement that he rules eleven lovely daughters. He said the other day to a correspondent. "Tell your people that I don't object to eleven daughters, but I do object to the summary manner in which they have killed my six sons." The Secretary has a family of five daughters and six sons.

Col. Scott says positively that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will rebuild as few of their buildings as possible at Pittsburg, but will remove all their shops and machine works to some other point, as remote as possible from that neighborhood, or, in fact, from large cities, where the property of the company will not be under the influence and at the mercy of mobs.

James Carey Williams, one of the men wounded in the riot at the Sixth Regiment armory in Baltimore on the evening of July 20, died August 28th. This makes the eleventh victim of the riot.

Charles Brown, a workman in the Bristol Manufacturing Company at Bristol, Vt., was fatally shot on the night of August 27th while robbing a store in that town. He lived three hours after being shot, and confessed numerous robberies. He leaves a wife and family.

The three-masted schooner John W. Welt, of Waldoboro', Me., a large vessel, has been picked up at sea, derelict, by the Spanish steamer Colon, and towed into the port of Ferrol, where her cargo is being discharged. There were no papers on board, nor anything to give a clue as to why the vessel was abandoned.

On Tuesday, at Boston, the Boston base ball club defeated the Louisvilles by a score of 4 to 3; this puts the Bostons at the head of the list for the championship. On the same day the Hartfords were badly beaten by the Cincinnatis at Brooklyn, the score being 13 to 7; and the Manchesters beat the Rhode Islands at Providence in "the handsomest played game ever seen in that city," by a score of 3 to 0.

Mrs. Chisolm writes to the Jackson (Miss.) *Times*, declaring that the story which has been telegraphed over the country to the effect that the Probate Court of Kemper county had refused to settle the estate of her husband is utterly without foundation. No such refusal has been made, nor does she expect anything of the kind, as the clerk is a "kindly, courteous gentleman."

Miss Kate Field will appear in London next season in a new play written expressly for her use. Two of her own dramatic compositions have been approved by the Dramatic Authors' Society of that city, of which she is a member. Her paper on Dr. Schliemann, published in the July number of *Belgravia*, was the means of sending that magazine through three editions. Miss Field is a leading contributor to the paper named *Truth*, edited and published in London by Mr. Labouchere.

The dead body taken from the water in Bristol, R. I., harbor on the 24th of August, with a large stone fastened to the neck by a rope, has been identified as that of Ezra Baxter, formerly a shipmaster of Providence. Capt. Baxter left his home on the 21st, and the whole affair is thus far shrouded in mystery.

A gang of pickpockets and thieves have been at Martha's Vineyard several days, committing extensive depredations. The Pawnee and Sea View Houses suffered severely; at the latter the thieves entered the room of a lady guest, picked the lock of her trunk and abstracted $3000 worth of diamonds. A quantity of clothing and jewelry was also stolen from the bath-houses. Nine persons had their pockets picked near the tabernacle on Sunday.

A Washington despatch of the 27th says: There is a paragraph in the naval orders of to-day which shows that the Secretary of the Navy is but a man and is forgiving. The order is this: "Midshipman Clarence A. Corbin is detached from the Omaha, South Pacific Station, and ordered to proceed home and report his arrival." Shortly after the ball given on board the Hartford at Norfolk to the Grand Duke Alexis, during his visit here last winter, a paragraph appeared in the society papers to the effect that on the occasion of the ball a scene was occasioned by a young naval officer reminding his partner in the dance, who has since been married with much pomp in Washington, that upon a similar occasion in one of the ports of the Mediterranean he had kissed her, the kiss being a forfeit in the game of "walking around the capstan." The prudes of society were shocked, and reported the young man to the Admiral, who in turn reported him to the Secretary of the Navy, with the recommendation that he be sent to the South Pacific as a punishment. The recommendation was adopted, and the Midshipman Corbin was immediately sent to the Ossipee on the South Pacific Station, where he has since remained in repentance for his past misdeeds.

New Hampshire Items.

The reunion of the Twelfth New Hampshire Regiment will be holden at Bristol on the 7th of September.

Over eighty students have thus far entered the medical department of Dartmouth College this term, the largest number of any term for many years.

The house of Mr. E. N. Shepard of Concord was entered by burglars Monday night and a gold watch and about $60 carried away, besides some clothing.

One day recently, when a Protestant minister was wanted to attend a funeral in Manchester, not one could be found and a clergyman being wanted a substitute was found, in a good old deacon. The preachers were all away enjoying a vacation.

It is stated that the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company, of Manchester, have purchased the Downing Mills property, situated at the outlet of Merrymeeting Pond, in New Durham, with all the rights of flowage around the pond. This purchase is effected for the purpose of controlling the water rights, and in the interest of the Winnipesogee Lake Manufacturing Company, which controls the waters of the lake in the interest of the Lowell and Lawrence manufacturing companies.

Wales Meareo, sixteen years old, while driving a horse in Alstead on Tuesday evening, reached forward and struck the animal with his hand. The horse kicked him in the stomach and killed him instantly.

A raid was made on the Great Falls liquor dealers on Wednesday, and six of them were put under bonds. No liquor was found at the hotels.

William H. Clark of Wayland, Mass., who with his wife has been visiting a son in Dover, attempted to commit suicide on the evening of Tuesday, August 28th, stabbing himself in the throat with a pair of scissors, making a very ugly wound. He is laboring under a temporary fit of insanity induced by fever, from which he had just recovered.

How Long to Sleep.

The fact is that as life becomes concentrated and its pursuits more eager, short sleep and early rising become impossible. We take more sleep than our ancestors; and we take more because we want more. Six hours sleep will do very well for a mason or brick layer, or any other man who has no exhaustion but that produced by manual labor; the sooner he takes it after his labor is over the better. But for a man whose labor is mental, the stress of whose work is on brain and nervous system, and for him who is tired in the evening with a day of mental application, neither "early to bed or early to rise" is wholesome. He keeps letting down to the level of repose. The longer the interval between the active use of the brain and his retirement to bed, the better his chance for sleep and refreshment. To him an hour after midnight is probably as good as two hours before it, and even his sleep will not so quickly and completely restore him as it will his neighbor who is physically tired. He must not only go to bed later, but lie longer. His best sleep probably lies in the early morning hours, when all the nervous excitement has passed away, and he is in absolute rest.—*Ex.*

A Political Skirmish.

After the declaration of the results of the election for member of Parliament at Grimsby, England, a few nights ago, Mr. Watkin, the successful candidate, proceeded to address his constituents from the balcony of the local inn. But he did not proceed far. The crowd below hooted him, quarrelled and threw stones at him, breaking the fine plate-glass windows on all sides of the building to the height of three stories. In a short time, not content with these triumphs, the mob, using some railway sleepers as battering rams, broke into the bar-room, destroyed the furniture and seized the wines and liquors. It was then one o'clock in the morning, and the Mayor bethought himself of reading the riot act. That done, the police and a posse of citizens armed with clubs, stair-rods and other improvised weapons, made a descent upon the rioters. Order was restored in an hour; at six o'clock, A. M., one hundred members of the eighty-fourth regiment of foot arrived by special train from Sheffield. Fifteen arrests were made, and others will follow. Such political skirmishes are not unusual in Albion.

—General Garfield has an exceedingly interesting family of children, one of the brightest of them being Irwin McDowell, now about four or five years old. This little fellow was recently offended at something his governess had done, and for a time refused to speak to her. A friend having suggested that the proper thing was to pray for Miss Mary, the youngster promptly replied, "It would be no use; a hundred Gods couldn't make Miss Mary good."

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30 P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

{Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	3.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.30 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.30 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE WRECKED SCHOONER "CERES."

The cargo of coal having been removed from the wrecked schooner Ceres, the hulk left for Boston on Wednesday afternoon in tow of a Boston tug-boat. Luck go with her; from the time she went smashing up against Portsmouth bridge almost a year ago, up to the present time, she has been a regular item-mine for the Portsmouth papers; whenever there was absolutely nothing else to make an item of, ye editor man would boldly seize his pen and write something about "the wrecked schooner Ceres." Unless our memory is at fault we have mentioned her several times in this paper. We are glad the plucky persistence of the wreckers has been crowned with success, but we are sorry our item-mine is worked out. However, we shall be able to make a paragraph about her safe arrival at Boston—that is, if she does arrive there in safety—and perhaps one or two others about her being fitted up or broken up. We wish her the best of luck, as we regard her with something of the same sort of affection an old sailor entertains toward a favorite vessel he has long sailed in.

A BIRD CAUGHT.

As the season of summer visiting wanes, the era of presentation sets in. On Tuesday evening Capt. Frank L. Bird, of the steamer Major, was accosted in the rotunda of the Oceanic and suddenly confronted by a large party of guests of the house, and compelled to stand up and listen to a very pretty presentation speech by Miss Lizzie Anderson of New York, a young girl of thirteen summers, who as the representative of the guests of the Oceanic requested the gallant Bird, who plies daily between Portsmouth and Star Island, to accept a splendid pair of marine glasses. Such gifts are always received with grateful emotion; a bucket was brought in to hold the briny tears of the Major's commander, and after suppressing his emotion sufficiently to get command of his language the captain responded with heartfelt thanks, to the generous doners and their well-selected mouthpiece. The guests at the Oceanic thus neatly recognized the many courtesies of Capt. Bird, who never omits an opportunity to increase the comfort and convenience of visitors to Star Island.

{Communicated.}

"THAT MARINE MYSTERY."

Mr. Editor:—In a matter purely personal I should not presume to obtrude an already much discussed question upon the public; but justice to myself, as well as a full and proper interpretation of the law, prompts me to notice the specious reasoning of your correspondent in the CHRONICLE of August 16th. That article states that the coroner can hold an inquest without a request from local governments or recourse to an appeal to the County Solicitor. The quibble is unworthy and unfair, as the writer evidently knew; for it is a statement of but one half the fact. It is true that the coroner can hold an inquest upon his own responsibility, but without the authority for so doing from the city, town or county, he cannot compel the attendance or service of a juror, witness or law officer, without first tendering to each his full fee—and obliging himself to assume the entire expense of an inquest. That such a course would be anything but profitable for the coroner, no one is more fully aware than your correspondent. I am willing to accept my share of the public expense, but I object to any undue addition to such a burden; and I trust I may be understood when I profess an extreme sensitiveness to any misinterpretation of my action as a public official.

S. C. WHITTIER, M. D.,
Coroner Rockingham County.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

It is reported that Essex S. F. E. Co., No. Four, of Lawrence, Mass., will visit this city early in September. This company has twice before visited Portsmouth, as guests of Sagamore S. F. E. Co., No. Two.

Steamer Katahdin is announced to make an excursion to this city from Boston on Sunday.

The Granite State base ball club of this city have re-organized, and procured a new and handsome uniform. It is said by the local ball players that the club can put a very strong nine in the field, and that they will make a good showing. Their first game comes off in Epping on Friday.

Sagamore S. F. E. Co., No. Two, have procured a new uniform for the members, —red jackets with nickel plated buttons, white neck-ties with blue ends and with the figure "2" worked in the ends, new belts with name of the steamer, and fire hats. The jackets were made by Rider & Cunningham, the hats and belts by Cairnes Bros. of New York.

A Norfolk, Virginia, dispatch of Aug. 28th says: "United States steamer Enterprise, one of eight sloops of war recently constructed by order of Congress, came up to the navy yard to-day, to go into the dry dock for repairs. She is leaking very badly. The Enterprise is one of the four contract built sloops, and was constructed at Portsmouth, N. H. She has never been to sea except to run from Portsmouth to Hampton Roads, and, as seems to be invariably the case with outside built war ships, the Government yards have to finish and put them into sea-going condition."

The engine and machinery for the long-expected and much-needed fog horn has arrived at Whale's-Back light house, and will soon be set up and put in operation.—*Times.*

Mr. Josiah F. Adams, the undertaker, has removed his place of business from Nos. 14 and 15 Daniel street to No. 42 Market street, formerly occupied by Mr. A. T. Joy.

John E. Appleby, a passenger conductor on the Conway division of the Eastern Railroad, died very suddenly at North Conway, August 28th, his death being caused by injuries received while shackling cars several months ago. He ran his train on the previous day, and seemed to be in better health than he had been for several weeks. He was about thirty-eight years of age.

The Wiggin place on North road was sold at auction on Wednesday by Col. Hackett for $1635. Mr. Wm. F. Ham was the purchaser.

Schooner Governor Goodwin, McGrain master, arrived at Beverly, Mass., August 27th, from the Grand Banks, with 1500 quintals of fish. Schooner Anna M. Nash, Kendrick master, arrived at this port from the Grand Banks on Wednesday.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, August 29th.

William Howard, drunk, fined $3, costs $6.90. Went out to ask a friend for money to pay his fine, and forgot to return.

John Hanscom, drunk, fine and costs $9.90.

Sebach Hawkins, a noble red man, was brought up, charged with having been overcome in a conflict with the white man's fire water. Mr. Hawkins, who gave his age as sixty-two years, explained that he was engaged as a guide by a Boston gentleman; that the latter offered him something to drink from a bottle, pronouncing it good; that he (the noble red man) tried it, and found it was good; and that upon the aforesaid good stuff he got drunk, for the first time in his life! Also, it would be the last. The Judge hoped it would prove so, and fined the erring brave $3, costs $5.76.

Political.

A recent revelation of political history is that after the death of Chief Justice Chase, President Grant offered the place to Senator Howe of Wisconsin. The Senator would have been delighted to have accepted the appointment, but the Wisconsin legislature was at that time democratic, and to use his own language, "rather than surrender my seat in the Senate to a democrat I trampled on the only real ambition I ever had."

Gov. Williams of Indiana has pardoned out of the Indiana penitentiary the repeaters who helped to elect him. "Blue Jeans" is true to his friends.

A republican is rarely of much use after he turns democrat, but Mr. Williams of Maine is an exception. He has done the country a great service in getting the democratic party by the ears on the fraud question, and has so demoralized the brethren in Maine that they will do nothing but bit each other over the head during the rest of the canvass. It is an awful warning to the party against nominating a man of sense for office. * * As a general thing, a man who has been a republican for years and has but recently been perverted, can hardly be trusted to write a letter accepting a democratic nomination, or even to offer an exegesis of a democratic platform which will not contain some scintillations of truth. If the moss-backed democracy of Maine were really anxious for a candidate who would do nothing else but jump up and down and shriek "fraud" until the close of the polls next month, they ought to have selected a born democrat who has never been born again, or an original republican whose affections had suddenly turned rancid when he missed the office he was reaching after.—*Tribune.*

Brain Labor.

The following passage is by the Rev. J. F. Corning. It will be appreciated by all brain workers:

"While I sit at my study table with my pen in hand, the fingers moving with tardy paces at the beckon of the brain, I hear below my window, in the adjacent field, the monotonous ring of a laborer's hoe upon the corn hills. While he hoes, he whistles hour by hour until the clock strikes twelve, and then with ravenous appetite, repairs to his bountiful yet simple meal, only to resume his task again, and pursue it to the setting of the sun. As I stood at the window watching his toil, and turned again to my pen and ink, I asked myself how it was that the man with a hoe will labor his eight or ten hours a day with less fatigue than the man with his pen will toil his three or four.

Hugh Miller was a great worker with the shovel and pick—would have made a good hand in the slate quarry, in grading a railroad or digging a canal. But one night, as you know, he died in a fit of nervous fever. What was the difference between the great geologist and the man with a hoe whistling under my window? Simply this: the former was a worker of brain and the latter a worker of muscle. Let this man with the hoe lay down his husbandry for a little while, and set himself to studying one of the stalks of corn, or the chemistry of one of these hills of soil, and very likely he would soon learn what it is to lose one's appetite, and hear the clock strike nearly all the night hours in feverish wakefulness.

And thus we get a great organic law of our being, to wit: that brain work subtracts vitality from the fountain, while muscle work only makes draughts upon one of the ramifying streams of life. It is estimated by scientific observers that a man will use up as much vital force in working his brains two hours as he will in working his muscles eight."

—We clip the following from a veracious exchange: In the Mount Auburn Cemetery, Boston, is a lot containing five stones, one at each corner, and one in the centre. The latter is inscribed "Our Husband," and the others respectively bear "My I Wife," "My II Wife," "My III Wife," "My IV Wife."

—Lightning struck a hive of bees in Kansas, the other day. The painful story is soon told. The misguided lightning came out of the hive quicker than it went in, and went off into space with its tail between its legs. Moral—Never pick a quarrel when you are not acquainted with the folks.

—So very young. Time—three weeks after marriage. Loving wife: "Those accounts of the war, love, are so untrustworthy, they contradict each other like I *don't know what.*" Sweet husband: "I do; they contradict like a wife does her husband." L. W. (tenderly): "Or a husband does his wife, dear."—*London Fun.*

—The value of trade marks: If a hungry, ragged, wild-eyed, long haired individual, with a sketch book under his arm, asks for bread, he is invited to dinner, and the family feel elated to think they are entertaining a strolling artist. If the same man loses his book, and applies for victuals at another house, he is shot at for a tramp.

—A young man from Connecticut writes home a glowing description of life in the Black Hills. He says that the sunsets are beautiful, the atmosphere delightful, and money so plentiful that he recently made $500 in a single day. He incidentally adds that he expects to be hung for robbing a stage coach.

—At Vauziers, France, not long ago, three wags took possession of a deserted mansion, and by using red lights, rattling chains and groaning and yelling dismally attracted the attention of the simple residents, when they proceeded to enact for their edification the spectacle of a formidable devil with hoofs, tail and pitchfork tormenting two sheeted spectres. The performance was a great success till a materialistic peasant got down his shot-gun and exorcised the spirits, who fled, but were captured and ignominiously fined fifteen francs and costs for riotous conduct.

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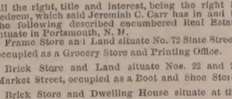

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Nashua & Lowell	99
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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be cleansed within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor or aldermen, accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, cesspool or cesspit, or the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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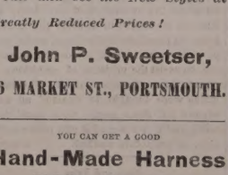

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

An Ingenious Invention.

Mr. Charles Kellogg, an ingenious mechanic and inventor of North Amherst, who not long ago invented and perfected the paper bag machine, which takes the paper from the roll and delivers the square-bottom bags at a very fast rate, has for the last year been engaged in building a machine for fastening buttons on the cards, a process heretofore done by hand with a needle and thread, a day's work being about forty gross for a smart workman. The machine is calculated to fasten one gross per minute on cards containing two dozen each, or sixty gross an hour. This machine is about two feet long and about fifteen inches wide and as many high, and fastens the buttons to cards with fine wire, which it takes from the skeins on reels, draws it in, cuts it the desired length and bends the piece similar to a card tooth. The wire staple, with each prong about a fourth of an inch long, is pushed up from beneath the card, entering two holes made through it by a pair of needles that are just as wide apart as from centre to centre of two holes in the vegetable-ivory coat buttons which have been brought into position on the upper side of the card exactly above the needles by an ingenious device on the top of the machine. As the two ends of the wire staple come up through the card and the two holes in the button, a small, hollow, upright shaft or plunger an eighth of an inch in diameter, with the lower end coned out, comes down into the depression in the centre of the button in which the small holes are, and the ends of the wire staple are inclined toward each other, the piston working in the upright plunger clinches them, and the button is sufficiently fastened. Four buttons are fastened or wired at a time, the card moves along and four more are wired, and so on until the required number is on the card, when another card is pushed along from the top of a pile of two hundred or more which are placed on a spring platform under the upper plate of the machine. One girl will attend to one machine, feeding the buttons into inclined slides and keeping the spring platform supplied with cards; this will comprise her duties. This machine which Mr. Kellogg has made, besides the model for the patent office, cost $1600, though duplicates can probably be made for $300.—*Springfield Republican.*

Slang.

Slang is little else than metaphor, and comparison of a homely sort drawn from the farm, the shop, the mine, the forecastle, the camp, the street, or from any matter of common observation. A few random instances will be enough to make this plain: "To blow a cloud," "to flare up," "to cotton to," "to play second fiddle," "a chip of the old block," are expressions that need no explanation. Others, while similes, clearly, are not exactly understood, like "go to pot," which refers, it is said, to the metal pot for refuse metal. Others gather vim, if we stop to think whence they come. No doubt a teamster cracking his whip over his four or six horses was the first to describe something weak or shabby as a "one-horse concern," just as, conversely, his enthusiasm for a fellow always ready to pay for the drinks, found vent in dubbing him a "whole team and a little dog under the wagon." New phrases are continually reinforcing or superseding the old, but both new and old are of one nature. The gambler's lingo is used when a dead man is said to have "passed in his checks," and the gold-seeker's when a speculation is said to "pan out" well. Persons whose pretensions to refinement forbid their use of slang and of expressions which they think belong to the vulgar, have their own set of metaphors. To them the clouds are "fleecy," and the sunset "golden," home is "sweet," to part with friends is "bitter," and so on through a list which the reader shall be spared. Their speech is garnished with scraps from all the poets and from Holy Writ, instead of with proverbs. A glance at Mr. Bartlett's *Familiar Quotations*, grown in the last edition to a stout volume, will give an idea of the great number of fragments of prose and verse that pass from mouth to mouth like the pipe around an Indian council fire. Children, too, as well as their elders, indulge a liking for figurative talk, particularly for slang, a taste they often keep until well on in years.—*The Galaxy.*

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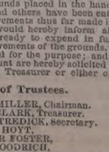

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 31, 1877.

Terrible Railroad Accidents.

A freight train on the Indianapolis, Cincinnati & Lafayette Railroad ran off the track on Tuesday, Aug. 28th, at Hansell's station, Ohio, and two tramps who were stealing a ride were killed and two badly wounded.

A train on the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railroad ran upon a short stone bridge over Four Mile Creek, seven miles from Des Moines, Iowa, Wednesday morning; the bridge, undermined by a heavy flood, fell with the train, and the loss of life was frightful. The engine and tender, Barnum's advertising car, three passenger coaches, and the baggage and express cars, were piled up in the mud and water; the fall was about twenty feet, and the water at the time of the disaster was about twenty feet deep. Of eleven persons in Barnum's car, ten were killed by the fall, crushed in the wreck, or drowned; and it was soon found that at least nine other persons had perished. Eleven dead bodies were soon recovered, and several others could be seen floating about inside the wrecked cars; and it was feared still others were buried beneath the train or had been carried off by the swollen river. Thirty or more persons were badly injured, some of them fatally.

At Salem, Mass., on Wednesday evening, a crowd of people were gathered on Pennsylvania Pier to watch the landing of a large excursion party that went from Lowell to the Shoals that day, going from and returning to Salem in a steamboat. While the excursionists were disembarking, a Lowell Railroad train of eight cars was backed down the pier to take the Lowell excursionists on board, and went through the crowd at a speed of five or six miles an hour. Three women and several men jumped overboard to escape being crushed, but were all rescued. Mr. Joseph Swazey and wife, of Salem, were knocked down, run over and instantly killed, and their son, Wilbur F. Swazey, was terribly injured in the abdomen and had an arm broken, his hurts being supposed to be fatal. Miss Rachel Gifford, Mrs Swazey's sister, was so badly injured that she died in a few hours. A Lowell man, said to be mortally wounded, was taken home. Judging from the first accounts, the accident was wholly due to the gross neglect and murderous recklessness of the railroad employes. The first intimation the crowd had of the train's approach was the shouting of those on the outskirts as the train was close upon them.

A passenger train on the Hudson River Railroad, while stopping to water the engine at Hudson, N. Y., Wednesday night, was run into by a freight train, and an engine and several cars demolished. A fireman was killed and an engineer badly wounded.

Brigham Young.

On the afternoon of Wednesday, August 29th, at four o'clock, the great Mormon prophet and President of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints, Brigham Young, died in Salt Lake City, Utah Territory, of congestion of the lungs. He was born in Whittingham, Vermont, on the 1st of June, 1801, and was consequently a little over seventy-six years old at the time of decease. He had been in poor health for some months, and his death was not unlooked for.

If not a great man, he was certainly a very remarkable one, and has been the most successful leader of a religious humbug for a century. The son of a country farmer, his early education was very limited. He was brought up to the business of a painter and glazier, was early converted, joined the Baptist church, and occasionally preached. In 1832, being in the West, he joined the then new sect of Mormons at Kirtland, Ohio, and manifesting great zeal in proselyting was soon ordained an elder and sent to the Eastern States on a missionary tour. When Joe Smith was murdered, in 1844, Young and four others were set apart as candidates for the Presidency of the church; the "Apostles" (as the electing committee were called) unanimously chose Young, and he immediately provided against any possible trouble by judiciously banishing Sidney Rigdon, his only formidable rival for the supreme honors.

From this time forward Young showed the qualities of a natural leader. When the Gentiles made Nauvoo untenable for the Saints, he successfully led the disheartened and wretched exiles, burdened with their own wives and children and not a few belonging to other people, across the plains to the Great Salt Lake valley; and the community he then founded upon that fertile spot in the midst of a desert has advanced with a degree of prosperity which is one of the wonders of the age.

Young was recognized as absolute dictator, and his rule was inflexible. In 1849 he organized a State which he called Deseret, and applied to Congress for its admission. This was denied, but the following year the Territory of Utah was organized and Brigham Young accredited Governor for four years. So long as none but Mormons entered the Territory matters went on peacably. But Gentile settlers were considered as intruders, and many of the more fanatical Mormons, calling themselves "Destroying Angels," wrought terrible outrages upon the settlers not of their faith. The Mountain Meadow massacre has been forcibly brought to mind by the recent confession of John D. Lee, who charged that the atrocities were committed by the express command of Brinham Young; certain it is that he had dictatorial power, and, if he did not command the massacre, did not attempt to restrain the fanaticism of his subjects.

In 1854 a Provisional Governor, a Gentile, was appointed, and Young defied the power of the government for several years, refusing to acknowledge its representatives. In 1857 Alfred Cumming was sent as Governor to Utah, with 2500 men, and the dictator abdicated his temporal dominion, retaining still absolute spiritual control. This was most conclusively shown in his promulgation of "the celestial law of marriage," sanctioning polygamy. This doctrine was denounced by the widow of Joseph Smith, and opposed to the practice and tradition of the sect; but Brigham Young's mandate was sufficient to establish it as a cardinal principle of Mormonism. As regards the temporal prosperity of the Salt Lake community, it is agreed on all hands that this is mainly due to Young's energy and sagacious planning. He was strict in enforcing the obligations of contracts; and after his power was made subordinate to that of the General Government, was generally just in his rules regarding intercourse with Gentiles. Young's last years were made unhappy by the separation of his fifteenth wife, Ann Eliza, and her suit for divorce and alimony, as well as the proceedings against him as accessory to the Mountain Meadow massacre. But he was strenuous to the last in declaring himself innocent of guilt, and in urging his people to hold fast to their principles and to their faith in him as Supreme Ruler.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 28th.

Mr. Lauston has seen fit to deny through the *Republican* the part he was charged with having played in aiding to cover up Baker's alleged payment of a fraudulent claim while Commissioner of Pensions, in consideration of a bribe to him paid to the amount of nearly $2,000. His denial is of little consequence, as it deals largely in personalities, without touching the only matter of concern to the public, namely, Baker's guilt as principal, and that of other officials as accessories. Mr. Kane is not on trial; and no counter-charges against him by officials included in his indictment, can break the force of direct ones so circumstantially detailed as are these by him against Baker and his alleged accomplices; and until an investigation has determined their truth or falsity, public opinion will be divided according to the prepossessions of those who render their verdict without a full hearing.

Gen. Boynton appears to have fallen into the same error by attempting to belittle Moore's character. The last discharge of his gun seems to have been most destructive at the breech. It is, so far as I have been able to ascertain, the general verdict that the charge of an attempt at blackmail has not been satisfactorily refuted. Very little ingenuity, indeed, has been shown in the effort to skirmish round and break its force by showing Moore's unreliability; and the parading of confidential letters written by officials to the President, and by him referred to the Secretary of the Treasury for his information, has odly increased the curiosity of the public as to how they came into Boynton's possession, particularly as Moore still insists they were stolen. And finally, their contents have rather confirmed the general belief of a wide-spread Bristow ring in the department of that gentleman, who was so solicitous for the Cincinnati nomination; and all the circumstances seem to point to a rigid system of espoinage by its members, over those not identified with the Bristow interest, or suspected of lukewarmness. Public business, according to those letters, was made subservient to the glorification of their chief's ambition.

Notwithstanding the adverse judgment of our civilian critics of military men and movements, Gen. Howard still appears in good repute at the War Department; and after hearing an enumeration there of all the obstacles he has had to overcome in his Joseph campaign, one leaves with the absurd impression that the General is not, necessarily, a coward, an idiot, or a horse-thief.

The movement by Texas officials to put into the field an army of 25,000 men in case the Mexican authorities refuse to surrender the Rio Grande City raiders, is hardly intelligible to those remembering with what patience they have borne provocations much more exasperating in the past. Diaz' friends profess to see in it a covert movement in favor of Lerdo and annexation, the raid furnishing a convenient pretext for arming a large force. Whatever the cause underlying it, there can be little doubt that these manifestations of hostility will dangerously complicate our Mexican relations if carried to the extent of invasion.

The President is not thought likely to so far forget the necessities of our Army and Navy in his desire to consult the convenience of members of Congress, as to postpone the extra session, or consent, by so doing, to assist the projects of ambitious aspirants for the Speaker's chair. The causes which were thought to demand an extra session last June apply with equal force now; and it is believed it will convene Oct. 15th, as heretofore notified. KNOX.

News and Notes.

The Chicago Exposition has just opened, and will continue seven weeks, or until the 13th of October. In a week or ten days the St. Louis Industrial Festival will open, and doubtless Cincinnati will also have an exposition. The cities of the West are bound to make a show of what they possess and can do, and doubtless enterprises of this sort give an impulse to trade and production that is worth all they cost.

Ben De Bar, the actor, is dead. He leaves a fortune of $200,000 to $300,000.

A sharp advance in the price of mourning goods is anticipated by the dealers, consequent on the going into mourning of Brigham Young's total widow.

On the night of August 25th Judson Lipe of Oneida, N. Y., broke into the residence of his next door neighbor, Miss Nancy Morey, and stabbed her forty or fifty times. Lipe returned to his own house and then stabbed himself a dozen times or so, one of the wounds penetrating the left lung and rendering his recovery extremely doubtful. The cause of the difficulty was a dispute over a line fence.

The wheat surplus of Minnesota from this year's crop is estimated at 30,000,000 bushels.

The New York *Mail* says that Tweed's daughter, who married Maginnis in 1870, and whose wedding presents costs $69,000, is now living in absolute poverty, the bridal presents and finery having all been sent to the pawnshops.

A prominent down town restaurant in New York, that feeds 1,500 people daily, has put down roast beef to twelve cents, tea and coffee to four cents each, and pie to five.

The health of the Pope is very precarious, and it is not believed he can live much longer. The Cardinals are commencing to make arrangements for electing his successor.

The report of the committee which has been engaged in an investigation of the Boston Custom House is very gratifying, inasmuch as so little was found to excite criticism, and the changes suggested are of minor importance. It was found that the Collector had made in his department such reductions as the exigencies of the service would permit, and had arranged his force so that the "work was properly and promptly done." The changes recommended are very slight. In the Naval office, Surveyor's office and Appraiser's store, it was found that the business was faithfully done and the force as a rule not too large. Some changes of salary and readjustment of force of no great consequence are suggested. The most important suggestion is that which contemplates requiring the Naval Officer to perform the duties of his position. The present incumbent is declared to be desirous of devoting his whole time to its duties. He should by all means have the opportunity.—*Globe.*

Rev. T. J. Mumford, editor of the *Christian Union*, died on Wednesday, aged about fifty years.

E. L. Davenport, the tragedian, died at Canton, Pennsylvania, on Wednesday night.

The dead body of John Reilly was found on a hill-side back of Nantasket Beach, Mass., on the evening of August 28th. At first it was supposed his death was due to exposure to the sun while drunk, but it is now thought he was murdered, as the body was found to have been terribly scalded about the feet and legs, and the head was badly bruised. Two men, Charles T. Patterson, a barber, and Louis Thompson, a travelling banjo player, had a fight with Reilly in the afternoon and again in the evening, at low public houses on the beach, and both have since disappeared.

The Indianapolis *News* publishes an interview with leading wholesale merchants in that and other cities of Indiana, showing that trade has much improved over last year and that the prospects are excellent for a largely increased and profitable business. The same favorable account comes from nearly all quarters.

One hundred and twenty-five cigar makers, in the employ of Newberger & Brother of Cincinnati, struck on Wednesday, August 29th, demanding the immediate discharge of the female employes. The firm declined to discharge the women, and express a determination to remove their factory to New York, if the men persist in their demands. Other cigar manufacturing firms in Cincinnati that employ women have been threatened with a strike by their male workmen, unless the women are discharged; but none of them have as yet yielded to the demands of the would-be monopolists of employment, and it is to be hoped none will yield.

Gen. Bedford Forest, the famous Confederate cavalry officer, is dangerously ill at Barley Springs, Ala., from chronic diarrhœa. His friends have little hope of his recovery.

R. W. Fowler, Jr., who was the manager of the narrow gauge railway around the Centennial grounds, has received a proposition to go to Paris and build and operate a similar road on the Exposition grounds there next year.

Raphael Semmes, who commanded the rebel cruiser Alabama during the late war, died at Point Clear, Alabama, on Thursday.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Bucharest, August 30th, says a new bridge has been placed across the Danube near Nicopolis, and that the Roumanians are crossing it with 25,000 men to join the Russian right, which is facing the Turkish flank at Plevna. Servia is also expected to send a full corps within a few days, which will operate on Osman Pasha's rear. A combined attack will then be made on Plevna. A despatch from Shumla says the struggle between opposing forces at Shipka Pass continues unabated. The losses on both sides have been fearful. The result is still uncertain. A Gorny Studeni despatch says: "After the severe fighting on Sunday the Turks refrained from renewing the attack on the Russian positions in Shipka Pass, and up to this morning only an occasional trivial rifle fire between the outposts has occurred. As a result of Sunday's fighting, the Turkish advanced batteries somewhat menace the Russian flanks. The Turks are constructing fresh batteries in Tunja Valley. The Russians have been adequately reinforced, and there is nothing in the present situation to alter the impression that General Radetsky holds his position safe." A late despatch from the same place says all was quiet that morning. The Russian troops maintain their positions. The Turks remain under cover behind the neighboring heights out of range of the Russian batteries. The total number of Russian wounded, from August 21 to 27, is 2480, including ninety-five officers. Killed unknown.

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Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
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Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
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Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.30 "	"
Concord and North,		10.50 "	6.30 "
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Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The Kearsarge Mills not being able to start up on Monday, Sept. 3d, as previously announced, will commence running on Monday, the 10th. Those interested will find the official announcement in another column.

The engine and baggage car of the half-past twelve o'clock train from Boston to North Conway, on the Eastern Railroad, Conway division, were thrown from the track by some unknown cause, near South Berwick, Me., Wednesday, badly demolishing the car and tender and tearing up the track. No one was seriously injured, though Mr. Charles Hatch, the express agent, was slightly hurt.

Mr. John W. Stavers has purchased the stock and business of a boot and shoe store in Taunton, Mass., and will remove to that city next week.

A small party of young ladies and gentlemen went down river in a row-boat, Wednesday afternoon, and making their boat fast near Fort Constitution, took a stroll through the fort and along the beach. On their return they found that some comical fellow or fellows had played them a practical joke by turning their boat bottom up, and stealing the carpeting from the stern sheets and also a sun umbrella one of the young ladies had indiscreetly left in the boat. The jokers did have grace enough to stick the oars beneath the thwarts so they could not float away, before they capsized the boat, so that after the young men of the party righted her and bailed her out they were able to return to the city without having to borrow oars.

We regret to note the importation of late into our city, of the trio of nuisances, street boot-blacks, street peanut-stand, and hawkers of fruit. The last two are comparatively new, and we hope will be abated before they get much hold. We have plenty of fruit-dealers who pay rent and taxes, and no doubt sell as cheap as can be afforded; and the cumbering of the street with any kind of a stand, and the yelling of the peach-merchants, are nuisances. We don't believe in any street peddling; and recommend to buy fruit, like everything else, where you will stand chance to get some of the money back again in other business. —*Weekly.*

Ship Governor Goodwin, Capt. Lester, sailed from Boston for Philadelphia on Wednesday. A number of Portsmouth gentlemen made the trip down the bay in her, and one of them informs us that from the time the order "up anchor" was given until the anchor was at the bow only seven minutes elapsed—and the ship registers almost 1500 tons, too, and carries heavy ground tackle for her size. Her anchors are lifted and much of her other heavy work done by steam.

Hon. John Lynch, when Congressman from the First District of Maine, secured the passage of a bill officially fixing the title of the navy yard on the Piscataqua river, by which it was ordered to be called the "Kittery, New Hampshire, Navy Yard." The Boston *Post* has now annexed Newington to this city, as we find by the following item: "The annual picnic and gathering of the Rollins-Pickering family occurred at Portsmouth, N. H., Wednesday, under the 'Big Elm,' old homestead, Newington. There was a large attendance. The old officers were re-elected."

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, August 30th.

Eben Littlefield and Angus Scott, for drunkenness, were each assessed $9.90, fine and costs.

New Hampshire Items.

About thirty neighbors of W. H. Child, of Cornish, cut twenty-five acres of hay and stored it for him recently. Mr. Child had been kept from his work by sickness in his family.

A Dover citizen who lived in a house with white doors, went home one night recently, with a lantern, but was astonished when he arrived at what he supposed was his own house, to come up against a black door. The door of the next house and the next were likewise black, and completely mystified, he went on some little distance to the corner and counted the houses, to determine the location of his own. When he got back a familiar voice called to him, and he learned that his wife had been having the doors painted and grained in his absence.

Center Tuftonborough, although a sparsely settled community, boasts of twelve babies in six weeks within a radius of three miles. Center Tuftonborough will not be a sparsely settled community a great while, if the inhabitants keep on at that rate.

A curious freak of lightning recently happened at the barn of Henry W. Woodrow, in the east part of Colebrook. The lightning struck the ridge pole at the end of the barn, and ran down between the boards and the hay, making a hole as large as a man's body and leaving the hay perfectly smooth, but did not set it on fire. The hole extends the whole depth of the hay mow, which extended from the scaffold girt to near the ridge-pole.

The name of the first settler in Stratham was Wiggin, who built a garrison house, which is now standing remodelled, at the Stratham end of the bridge, the cause of that location being the privilege of a tide mill, school and store.

At Landaff is the grave of a Mrs. Bronson, who lived in three centuries. She was born in 1699 and died in 1801. It is said that there are but three similar cases on record.

A. W. Doe, of Tuftonborough, gathered corn fully ripe from his field on the 25th of August. This corn is from seed procured in Vermont, planted the 12th day of May.

Captain Stephen Tiffany, a soldier of 1812, who died at Walpole recently, aged 85, never during his long life ate any meat, or drank any milk, and was never sick, except when at the age of 60 he had the measles.

J. M. & S. R. Burbank of Hooksett recently drove their horse, aged twenty-eight years, from Hampton Beach to Hooksett in half a day. The horse despite his age did not become very much fatigued by the jaunt.

Political.

The Iowa democrats in State convention, Wednesday, nominated a Mr. Irish for governor. The temporary chairman declared that Samuel J. Tilden must be vindicated by a nomination in 1880, a declaration which was received with cheers. The convention, besides passing the usual buncombe resolutions and giving the average amount of demagogues' small-talk, came out squarely against subsidies to corporations by the National Government.

If we correctly understand the platform of the greenback party of Iowa, it promises an era of high wages, lots of onployment, high prices for wheat for the farmer, cheap flour for the mechanic, high prices for cattle far the stock raiser, cheap meat for the workingman, lots of money, low interest and good times for everybody but contractors, manufacturers, railroads and bankers, who are to be very poor and have no money to pay their hands.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

Hard Times Indeed.

While the people of the United States are complaining, and not without a cause, that times are not so good as they used to be, and that men who once could make a good living very easily now have hard work to get along at all, the wretched inhabitants of a vast and thickly populated district of India are dying by wholesale of absolute starvation. The London *Spectator* says that there are at least one million of persons in the Madras Presidency whose whole property, including their clothes, would not, in a good year, sell for $2.50, who are absolutely dependent for subsistence upon minute payments in kind, or an almost imperceptible share in a small crop, and who, in a year of drouth, when the crop is dead, and the grain wages imperceivable, have literally nothing but their waist-clothes, that could not keep themselves alive for forty-eight hours without assistance from the State. "Upon this population, these 16,000,000 already so tried that they sell their poor jewels, their sole surplus, at the rate of £80,000 a month, by the Mint accounts alone; upon the 3,000,000 more who have passed this stage, have sold all, and are giving up the struggle; upon this 1,000,000, who have given it up already, and are waiting death by disease in the vast encampments fed by the State, there is about to descend the unspeakable horror of a second year of want; six more months at least during which nothing will be attainable, not even grass, except from the State alms." The *Spectator* says further:

"In the famine-stricken districts there are no cattle left. Their fodder perished first, and the few beasts still left alive are, as Mr. Williams described them months ago, far too weak for draught. The Government, no doubt, could send down thousands of the beautiful cattle of the North, beasts that would excite the pride of a Lombard landlord; but they can not live on air, they can barely carry their own food—recollect their pace and that they have to return—and they can not, even to save human life, be used as food. Even the dying would rise in insurrection at the thought of such unholy diet. There is nothing for it but 'relief centres,' and relief centres under such circumstances imply bursts of depopulating disease. Let any soldier acquainted with camps think of encampments with 50,000 souls in each—men, women and children—all arriving half-fed, and living on half rations, stationed by streams and tanks for the sake of water, scarcely housed, and living amid tropical odors and miasmas, and he, at least, will recognize all the elements of the new disease which first struck Lord Hastings' camps in the Pindarree war, and has ever since terrified the world as Asiatic cholera. The prospect is appalling, but if the second year of famine falls—and Lord Salisbury believes it to be falling—there is no remedy that man can apply. We are carefully avoiding exaggeration when we say it is not only possible, but it is imminently probable, that the population of Southern India will, this year, be reduced by 4,000,000 who have perished of hunger, and the diseases which hunger long continued leaves behind in its train."

The Cincinnati *Times*, commenting on this frightful condition of so many people, says: "Before more is heard of hard times in this country, let a glance be taken at the awful picture here drawn. With crops so bountiful that the only complaint is that they are so great prices can not be kept up, with means of transportation that allow the ready marketing of every bushel of grain, every pound of meat, what right has this country to talk of a want of prosperity? There is not a farmer in the land who has not raised this year enough to live on for two years, and still have a surplus left for those who are not producers. Business has been depressed, but men have not starved. And when men feel like grumbling that they are obliged to resort to little economies such as they did not once have to practice, let them reflect on the awful situation in which India finds itself to-day."

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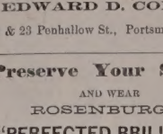

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U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
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United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
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N. H. State 6s. 1875	104½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. scrip	23½
Portland, Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	69½
Boston & Maine	90
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	130
Concord R. R.	74
Eastern	34
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	104½
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	56
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	29½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63

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Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
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FROM GREAT FALLS 7:34, 10:27, A. M., 2:32, 6:30 P. M.
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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by drains or pipes or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and remove such nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive nuisances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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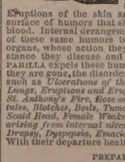

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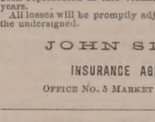

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Baggage Smashing.

The New York *Times* relates the case of an Illinois man who noticed that the only article which the baggage-smasher does not smash is a loaded coffin, and accordingly provided himself with a coffin made of light cedar wood, furnished with nickel-plated handles, and a lid made to fasten with a lock. In this commodious receptacle he packed his quinine, his whiskey, his other paper collar, and all the various travelling paraphernalia of an Illinoisan, and sent it under cover of night to a distant railway station. In the morning he dressed himself in black, placed a wide "weed" around his hat, and, presenting himself at the station, requested the baggage master, with an expression of extreme woe, to check his beloved wife for Chicago. The baggage master, though hardened by years of trunk-smashing, still retained some traces of humanity in his composition, and refrained from cursing the mourning husband, although he firmly explained to him that "dead wives couldn't be played off on him as personal baggage," and that the husband would either have "to express his goodly lady or to send her as special first-class freight." But the ingenious Illinoisan persisted in his demand. He told the baggage master that he must either check those remains or be responsible for their safe keeping until the decision of the lawsuit which he should certainly bring against the company. Alarmed by this threat, the baggage master yielded, and checked the coffin for Chicago, while its owner went behind the freight house and executed a wild dance of private triumph. Twice during the journey the baggage was shifted from one car to another, and while dozens of trunks were reduced to splinters the coffin was carried by six men with the most tender care. Its owner watched it from the window of the smoking car, and chuckled in a delighted way that would alone have proclaimed him a happy widower. In time he reached Chicago, when doubts as to the success of his invention first began to assail him. The coffin was brought to his hotel by a local expressman, who had been unwarily entrapped into taking the check, but who charged the owner four dollars, and compelled him to pay by threatening to carry his wife to the nearest medical college and to sell her to the students. No sooner had the expressman departed than the ingenious Illinoisan became involved in a dispute with the landlord, who refused to allow the coffin to be carried up stairs. "We can store your lady," remarked the landlord, "in the baggage room, where she will be perfectly comfortable, but it is against our rules to allow guests to have any remains carried to their rooms." Now the Illinoisan was anxious to get his paper collar and the quinine, but did not dare to open his coffin in public, so he tried his utmost to coax and to bully the landlord into a departure from the rules of the house. The discussion soon attracted attention and a coroner, who was waiting in the hotel in order to be on hand in case a few guests should be burned to death, promptly seized the coffin, and impanelling a jury, proceeded to hold an inquest with that rapidity and energy characteristic of the Western people when brought face to face with an opportunity to obtain official fees. Great was the astonishment of the coroner and his jury when they viewed the supposed body. This astonishment on the part of the coroner himself soon gave way to anger when he reflected that he could not claim fees for holding an inquest on wearing apparel. He relieved his mind by causing the arrest of the unhappy Illinoisan on the charge of having murdered a wife or wives unknown to the jury, and confiscated the coffin in part payment of the fees which he had expected to earn and of which he considered himself defrauded.

A Pleasing Outlook.

A exchange says that one of the best evidences of returning prosperity that a country long weighted by debt and discouraged by business depression can exhibit is in the decrease of her imports and the increase of her exports. The first indicates a capacity for home production that will satisfy wants that would otherwise be supplied from foreign markets and at a loss to the consumer. The second proves that for the abundant productions of the country there are markets in foreign countries which always insure a ready and profitable sale. Hence when what is termed the balance of trade is in favor of a country the gold flow tends toward her and renders her people rich and prosperous. Such is the pleasing outlook for the United States to-day, as we find by glancing over the trade statistics for the past three years. In 1875, ending June 30, the total specie value of the imports of the United States amounted to $553,906,153. In 1876 the figures were $476,677,871, and in 1877 $492,081,963. There is therefore a clear reduction between 1875 and 1877 of over $61,000,000 payable to the foreign producers. The increase during 1877 over 1876 of $15,000,000 is probably due to the extensive introduction of foreign goods during the Centennial. But the falling off of importation is so decided that even the exceptional transactions of 1876-7 can be overlooked. Now, with regard to our exports we find that the increase in value is almost exactly equal to the decrease of important values. The aggregate for 1875, 1876 and 1877, to June 30 in each year, are $505,174,853, $596,880,973 and $658,637,-

723, respectively. These aggregates include what are termed foreign exports, but these rarely exceed $25,000,000 in value, and have varied only slightly during the three years. The increase has taken place in domestic exports, merchandise, etc., not including gold. A reduction of nearly fifty per cent. has occurred since 1875 in our specie exports, so that we pay less money for foreign goods, we sell more of our own, and the flow of gold, which so long set against us, has now turned in our favor. In a few years, with our present prospects there ought to be a glut of gold in this country, for by no trade process can we get rid of it. Even to-day our specie imports equal our specie exports.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 1877.

The Keeley Motor.

Mr. Keeley, of motor fame, has not been heard of much for a year past, the last occasion having been when his condenser blew up and knocked the building it was in to smithereens. But his backers still stick to it that he has made a wonderful discovery or invention, or both, and that the industries of the world will in time be revolutionized by his motor. Now it is announced that a successful public test of the motor was given at Philadelphia on Tuesday, August 28th. The valves were all opened to show the machine was clear, air was introduced and the lever was lifted, the first move showing 1750 pounds pressure on the guage to the square inch, and though the chamber for condensing was open the current did not blow out a match held over it. With six and a half pounds air pressure the guage indicated 5200 pounds to the inch, and then 6700 on the third trial. On the fourth it lifted a large lever (weighted) registering 5000 pounds dead weight. Lastly, a five-horse-power engine, with three-quarter inch stroke and twenty-four inch fly-wheel, was driven at 680 revolutions to the minute.

Glad He Won.

Courtney, the winner of the great Saratoga regatta for the championship, an hour or two after he had won the regatta told the following story. "I believed I should win the race, for a day or two before the race a hungry, half-starved kitten came on the piazza where a lot of fellows were sitting, and they made fun of the little thing and drove it down the hill. I went and picked it up and fed it, and the little creature has slept on my bed ever since, sticks close to me and has made great friends. And yesterday another kitten followed a couple of young fellows out from Saratoga and stayed at my headquarters. The colored help all said that it meant good luck, and they hugged and caressed it, and said I would win, sure. Perhaps there was something in it, after all." Humane people, even if they don't care anything about rowing and boat racing, will not regret that the regatta was won by a man who could find time to be kind to a wretched little kitten on the eve of a tough contest that meant money and reputation for him, if he could win it. Glad he won.

State Temperance Camp Meeting.

The New Hampshire State Temperance Camp Meeting, at Wiers Landing, Winnipesaukee Camp Ground, commencing September 4th, will close on the 7th, Friday next. The programme says the first day will be given to the Sons of Temperance, Good Templars, and kindred organizations; the second will be "Woman's Temperance Union and Children's Day;" the third to the "Reform Clubs and Temple of Honor," and the fourth to the Church. Eminent and distinguished representative men and eloquent speakers have been engaged for each day, and the original Virginia Jubilee Singers for Wednesday, the 5th. All temperance organizations, Sabbath schools, churches and workers in the cause are invited to be present and to interest themselves in making the meeting a success. The attractive scenery around the Lake, the distinguished speakers to be present, the extensive accommodations which have been made by the committee and the interest people now have in the subject of temperance, cannot fail to make this one of the most interesting meetings of the season. Arrangements have been made with the several railroads and steamboats for extra trains and largely reduced rates. "Bring your Moody and Sankey Hymn Books, No. 1," says the circular of invitation.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 30.

Kane's rejoinder to Lauston's lofty and abusive denial of complicity in, or guilty knowledge of, Ex-Commissioner Baker's alleged bribe taking, made in yesterday's *Republican*, contains some highly interesting reading, transcribed from the Departmental records, Kane says, "for the people" who are laboring for a dollar a day to obtain the means, in the way of taxes, wherewith to pay the bills of scores of swell officials and Government clerks who go jaunketing about the country on the pretext of public business, visiting watering places with their families, dressed and decked out "in purple and fine linen," on a generous salary, besides a *per diem* and ten cents mileage both ways. The following purports to be a true copy of voucher No. 144, dated Sept. 5, 1873, one of several given by Kane, illustrating some of the costs of administering the government, and Lauston's case particularly:

Washington to Philadelphia, 139 miles. Philadelphia to Cape May 82 miles. Cape May to Philadelphia, 82 miles, Philadelphia to Washington 139 miles. Total 442 miles. At ten cents per mile $44.20. Per diem at $4 (two days) $8; total $52.

The actual railroad fare of the entire trip for himself could not have reached $15. This was one of the many similar charges against Lauston investigated by some of the gentlemen of the Interior Department a few months ago,—true reformers, you know,—and in their findings they took occasion to congratulate Mr. Lauston on his "triumphant vindication" from charges, substantially, of profligate extravagance with the tax payers' money. Should any one feel incredulous as to the extent of this abuse, a brief inspection of the inner workings of the Department—the "soft things" being constantly devised by the favorites of rings within rings—would likely be convincing.

Who among your readers, Mr. Editor, is so unsophisticated or "green" as to suppose the efficiency of the life saving service along our coast has been enhanced by the frequent tours of inspection undertaken by heroic officials in the heat of summer, on the inconvenient, shabbily-appointed government vessels, selected, specially fitted up and stocked for such hazardous service? To what extent was the Government benefitted or "reform" advanced by the trip of "Senator Conover and a party of friends" from Florida to Cuba on a Government vessel, at a cost of hundred of dollars, reported the other day as an item of news?

Governor Hubbard with his Texas volunteers had best avoid the Rio Grande border if they would save their skins whole. Hear this Quixotic cavalier colonel of the Mexican service: "To arms, citizens of Mexico! Let us show the citizens of the North that they cannot attack with impunity our liberty and independence."

It is asserted that stupendous jobs are on foot by both lines of China mail steamships, to secure fat subsidies from Congress next winter, and for that purpose lobbies are already in process of formation. It is stated that for the $500,000 paid the Pacific steamship for the ten years ending last year, the government received, all told, about $150,000 for the mail matter transported by it in that time. By all means let us renew the subsidies.

KNOX.

The Eastern War.

The London *Times'* military correspondent at Bucharest telegraphs as follows: "For the moment interest has concentrated itself again on Plevna, where Osman Pasha is strongly reinforced by men from Suleiman Pasha, and guns from Widden. He is now credited with 200 guns and ought to make a good defence, but it defeated the Turkish loss will be irreparable. In the face of the immensely superior Russian cavalry Osman Pasha's defeat would moreover immediately give the Russian forces enough, even without the coming of the guards, to push again over the Balkans."

Suleiman Pasha telegraphed from Shipka to Constantinople, Thursday: "We continue to blockade the enemy in the pass, and are threatening his retreat by the way of the Gabrova."

The London *Standard's* correspondent says the losses on both sides at Shipka will reach fully 12,000. The Turks are receiving reinforcements from Batoum and Albania at the rate of 5000 a day. The Russians are also receiving large accessions to their armies.

News and Notes.

The loss of life by the railroad disaster at Four Mile Creek, Iowa, is now put at more than twenty; and twice that number of persons were badly injured.

Wilber F. Swasey, son of the man and woman of that name killed at Salem by the cars, Wednesday evening, died at six o'clock Thursday morning from the injuries he received at the time his parents were killed. This makes four deaths resulting from that accident.

A young girl, beautiful and evidently well connected, died in a New York hospital recently, and an autopsy showed that she was the victim of malpractice. She gave the name of Cora Young, (probably an assumed name,) and said her father was a Boston merchant, and that she had been betrayed and abandoned by her betrothed lover, and did not dare to return home.

The Ladies' Restaurant at the Hotel Devonshire, New York, extends almost across the block, from 42d to 41st streets. Ladies visiting the city for shopping purposes, will find the Devonshire the best place to have their packages sent to, and the best place for lunch or meals.

A new daily newspaper will be born at Washington on September 10, and will be christened the *National Union*. Ex-Congressman Lynch of Maine is the bold man who is anxious to enrich the graveyard of journalism with another tombstone.

E. L. Stanton, son of the great War Secretary, died on Thursday.

The American House, Boston, in addition to its excellent table, has always had the reputation of being one of the cleanest hotels in the country; but the keen eye of a thorough housekeeper was never more apparent than at the present day.

Business soundings have been taken in St. Louis, Chicago and New York, and they all tell the same story of better times at hand. In each city the merchants and manufacturers say that trade is active and orders numerous, with a better prospect for a larger business than they have seen at any other time since the panic burst on them in 1873.

The Philadelphia *Ledger* states that of the young people committed to the penitentiary in that city, only one-quarter had ever learned any trade or occupation; the other three-quarters had never learned any. What a significant and most deplorable commentary is this upon the condition of affairs which permits boys and young men to grow up without any training for service, and leaves them in their young manhood without any regular trade or occupation! Three-fourths of these young convicts had learned no handicraft trades or skilled occupations of any kind, but had drifted along, without aim or object in life, until they found themselves among those who call themselves bartenders, boatmen, hucksters, peddlers, teamsters, servants, waiters, and those of "no particular occupation," and thence they drifted still further into voluntary idleness and vice, until they found themselves early in life in the penitentiary.

Boston expects about 30,000 persons to parade in its procession on the 17th of September, when the Army and Navy monument on the Common is to be unveiled.

A prying, gossiping woman in Hermon, Me., the wife of the postmaster of that town, has got herself into trouble. She read a letter written by a man in Bangor to a woman in Hermon, and circulated the contents among the neighbors; as a consequence of which she is now under bonds to appear and answer at the United States Court.

Gen. Dakin of the American team at Wednesday's practice made the highest score that has ever been recorded at Creedmoor, and the highest official score that has ever been made, the total at the three ranges being 215 in a possible 225. His targets showed thirty-six bull's-eyes, eight centres and one inner.

Westen, the pedestrian, has just turned up at Newcastle, England, were he walked 400 miles in five days.

A third satellite of Mars was discovered by Dr. Draper of New York and Professor Holden of Washington, jointly, Aug. 26, at Dr. Draper's private observatory at Hastings on the Hudson.

Ephraim Williams and Charles Johnson got into a quarrel at Southwick, Mass., on Thursday, about a fowl killed by Williams' dog. Williams,—who is only seventeen years old, drew a pistol and shot Johnson dead. The murderer was arrested.

Judge J. D. Miner, the leading lawyer of Cincinnati, dropped dead of heart disease on Thursday.

A gang of tramps on Thursday night gagged, beat, bound, and robbed a telegraph operator at Union Junction, N. J. After they left, the operator got loose and telegraphed for help, and six of the scoundrels were arrested.

Fears are entertained that a division of Prof. Hayden's surveying party has been captured by the Indians under Joseph.

A band of desperadoes at Sandy Hook, Ky., burned half the town, and the post office, on the night of August 22d, in an attempt, to rob the mails. Though the ruffians are well known the authorities are powerless to arrest them.

New Hampshire Items.

Prof. Young, late of Dartmouth College, left Hanover for his new position at Princeton Tuesday.

The college year at Hanover opened Thursday morning with the service in the chapel, which was draped in black and white, in memory of the late President Smith and Dr. Crosby of the faculty. Eighty students have entered the freshman class in the classical and scientific course, and others are expected.

—Empire City, Kansas, which has been in existence a few weeks, has an opera house, which was "dedicated" on a recent Sunday evening by a minstrel troupe. According to a local critic, all the performers did well; but it seems Miss Avery, who sang "Wipe off Your Chin," "has the most magnificent voice we ever heard on the stage."

HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION.

CANDIDATES for admission to the High School will present themselves for examination at the High School Building on Monday, September 3d, at eight o'clock, A. M.

Per order of the High School Committee.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS.

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS.
NAVY DEPARTMENT,
Washington, August 29, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS for each class separately, indorsed "Proposals for Class No. (name the class) for the Navy Yard at (name the yard)," will be received at this office until 10 o'clock, A. M., of the 27th of September, at which hour the opening of the bids will commence for furnishing and delivering at the several Navy Yards, and Naval Asylum, the materials and articles embraced in printed schedules, which, with form of offer and guarantee, and printed instructions, will be furnished on application at this office, or at the yards requested, to persons desiring to offer to contract for any or all the classes named therein, by the Commandants of the several Navy Yards, for the classes for the Yard under their command, or by the Purchasing Paymaster nearest thereto, or by the Bureau for any or all the Yards and Asylum.

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NOTICE TO PENSIONERS,
JOHN P. COOPER, Clerk in the late Pension Agency in this city, would inform Pensioners that he may be found at the office of W. H. Rollins, Esq., entrance corner of Market street and Market Square, where he will attend to executing and forwarding Vouchers to their respective agencies. 1st

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	5.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 5.30† P.M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

PRIVATE THEATRICALS AT RYE BEACH.

Cummings' Hall was well filled on Thursday evening by an interested audience, to witness the rendering of "Wookcock's little game," given by some of the guests at Sawyer's and other houses at Rye. The part of Mr. Woodcock was taken by a gentleman from Portsmouth, who is always successful in this line of acting; the other characters were represented by ladies and gentlemen from New York, Philadelphia, etc. The proceeds were to be used toward the payment of cost of building plank walks from the corner near Cummings' cottage to the sea, and the liberal attendance on the occasion would seem to ensure a generous sum for the purpose. The every hour was enjoyed by every one present. The liberal applause awarded to Mrs. Col. Carver for her natural acting, and the generous floral and other recognitions of the kindness of the ladies in so liberally contributing to the enjoyment of the evening, were pleasant alike to those upon the boards and among the spectators. The plank walk may be regarded as an improvement the success of which is assured.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, August 31st.

Frank Allen (not the Mayor of Cambridge, Mass., but quite another sort of man,) was adjudged guilty of surrounding more fluid than he could well manage in public, and was charged $9.90 for the privilege of listening to a brief temperance lecture, which caused him to almost wish he had kept sober.

"MADE UNANIMOUS."

We think the statement in all our city papers, that the election of several of the new City Officers "was made unanimous," is a mistake or inaccuracy. Ballots only elect, and it is not at all probable that another ballot was taken after an election was declared. We have no objection to any fit election being unanimous, but it is well to have even the newspaper record correct. —*Weekly.*

The statement that the election of a city officer was "made unanimous" we believe *is* incorrect, but it was not a mistake of ours, though we were the first to publish it. After Mr. Holmes was declared elected Street Commissioner, he having had a majority of the votes on a joint *ballot* of the City Councils in convention, an alderman moved that his election "be made unanimous," the motion was seconded and put to the meeting, voted on *viva voce*, and declared carried. The entry on the city records concerning this action is as follows:

Voted, That the appointment of Joseph R. Holmes be made unanimous.

The General Statutes of the State in relation to cities (Chap. 44, Sec. 3,) say: "The city councils shall annually * * by joint ballot elect a city treasurer and all other subordinate officers who are not * * otherwise appointed by law." That language is explicit enough; the voting must be by ballot; so the *viva voce* vote of the convention to make Mr. Holmes' election unanimous did not amount to a row of pins. The City Clerk, who is also clerk of the councils when in convention, in making up his record did not write—and probably was very careful not to write—"the election was then made unanimous, by vote of the convention," but simply copied the vote as passed.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The hand car which some months ago was stolen from the Concord depot in this city, was recently discovered in the river near the railroad at West Epping. The section hands, whose headquarters are at Raymond, got it out. It was injured only by rust.

It may not be generally known that the circulation of business advertisements printed in the form of bank or treasury notes, is a violation of law. But such is the fact; and any person putting into circulation advertisements printed in this form, is liable to a fine of not less than fifty dollars, or to imprisonment in jail not less than ninety days. This provision may be found in chapter 68 of the Acts of 1862.

Laighton Brothers, of the Appledore House, Isles of Shoals, now announce their ability to accommodate boarders, and will make specially favorable rates from now until Sept. 15th. It has not been possible for them to make such an announcement at any previous time this season, as the Appledore has been unusually crowded, notwithstanding its enlargement last winter; the house was filled to overflowing before the guests had fairly commenced arriving at other summer resorts, and as usual the rooms have all been kept filled up to a late date in "the season;" but even at the Appledore the season does not last all the year, and the proprietors now have sufficient room at their disposal to warrant them in saying that they can accommodate all who may call on them between now and the date of the hotel's closing. The finest portion of the year to be in the country or at the sea-side is September, and the fishing season at the Shoals is now at its best.

When you hear a man abusing a newspaper, ask him if he subscribes for it or in any way contributes to its support, and in nine cases out of ten you will find, if you get at the actual truth, that he doesn't.

The seventy-fifth anniversary of the Portsmouth Mechanics' Association occurs this year, this body having been incorporated Nov. 4th, 1802. The semi-centennial was finely celebrated in 1852, Oct. 11th, E. M. Brown being chairman of the committee of arrangements, and Charles W. Brewster orator of the day.

The North Mill-pond was "high" enough, Thursday night. It's offence was rank; it smelt to Market square, and further, for a gentleman of our acquaintance who lives beyond the square from the pond informs us that he was awakened by the horrible stench, and had to shut his chamber window before he could again go to sleep. The two mill-ponds are noble reservoirs of typhoid fever, cholera, etc., as the city will find out to its sorrow, some day.

According to the published schedule of George E. Hanson of this city, druggist, bankrupt, his debts foot up $5322.90. A meeting of the creditors is called for September 18th, at Dover.

The Portsmouth Heavy Artillery have received an invitation from Sawyer Post, G. A. R., of Dover, to participate in the dedication of the soldiers' monument in that city on Sept. 14th.

The testimony in the case of the town of South Hampton vs. Fowler, which was brought to try the question of the title to certain beach land, and has been heard by Hon. C. W. Stanley as referee, was concluded Thursday evening, and the court adjourned to allow counsel time to prepare arguments.

Newell Dow, Jr., of Seabrook, a man about fifty years of age, committed suicide on Friday morning by hanging himself in the woods about a mile from Seabrook depot. He left home at about four o'clock, saying that he was going to hire another house, and was found a few hours later by a young woman hanging to a tree, dead. Dow was poor and had a wife and four children to support, and being unable to obtain work was probably discouraged, which drove him to take his life.

The Band of Hope have a public service every Saturday afternoon at three o'clock, at Mechanics' Hall. All are welcomed to hear the children.

Steamer Plymouth Rock took a party of over 1200 persons from Boston to the Shoals on Thursday.

The Lane Rifles of Candia and the City Guard of this city go into camp at Newcastle to-day, to remain for a week.

Steamer Katahdin will leave Long wharf, foot of Court street, for Boston, at about three o'clock on the afternoon of Sunday, Sept. 2, should the weather be propitious. Fare, one dollar. Tickets may be obtained at Wm. R. Preston's drug store, Congress Block.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10,15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. Noyes.

At the Unitarian church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie, at 10:30 A. M. No Vesper service.

At the Universalist church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. A. Grant, at 10:15 A. M.

Elder A. W. Gibely will preach at the Advent church; services 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M.

At the Congregational church, preaching at 10:30.; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Sermon to-morrow by Rev. Mr. Hubbell, on the "Sufficiency of Revealed Truth."

The Court street (Christian) church will be re-opened to-morrow. Preaching at 10:30 A. M.; Sabbath school at 2:45 P. M.; Prayer Meeting in the evening at half-past seven o'clock.

The Bow Mission Service will be resumed to-morrow afternoon in Mechanics' Hall. This service is held at 4:15, an hour at which it can interfere with no other service in the city; it is unsectarian, and free to all, the poor being especially invited.

Rev. J. L. Harrison, of Milford, and others, will address the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall in the evening. A Praise Service will precede the addresses, commencing at 7:30. Collection to defray expenses.

—One of those excrescences on life—a female slanderer—went into a neighbor's house the other morning with her tongue loaded with new venom. There were several women present, and the slanderer's eyes glistened in anticipation. Throwing herself in a chair, she sighed and said: "One half the world don't know how the other half lives." "That aint your fault," quietly observed one of the company. The slanderer turned yellow.

—Two edible dogs have just arrived at Philadelphia from China. If the Quaker palate hankers after such delicacies, we shall find no fault. Beef and mutton will do for us a while longer, however.

—A photographer says that at eighteen a girl will sit twelve times for a photograph, and then be dissatisfied. At forty the same person will sit once and take the picture, even if the artist points out three or four defects.

—A woman is far more sensitive than a man. She has finer feelings and a more delicate mind. There are a very few men who realize this, and in consequence woman is made to endure much unnecessary suffering. One of our merchants was going to church with his wife on Sunday morning, when she suddenly stopped, and put her hand to her head. "What's the matter?" he asked, startled by the look on her face. "Oh! I have got on my brown hat." "Eh?" ejaculated the astonished man. She burst into tears. "Why, Martha, what is the matter with you?" he demanded. "Don't you *see* what is the matter?" she returned in a sobbing voice. "I've got on my brown hat with my striped silk. Oh, *what* will people say?"

—A woman in Maine went to church without her bonnet on, and several papers are making a great fuss over it. We dare say she wore the bonnet, but it got hidden behind one of her ears.—*Rochester Democrat.*

—A man took his clock to a Port Chester clock repairer, and asked him, "What time is it when this timepiece strikes thirteen times?" "Time it's repaired," replied the man of time.

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DIED.

ANDERSON. In this city, August 30, Iva J. Anderson, daughter of the late Mr. Andrew Anderson, aged 13 years and 7 months.

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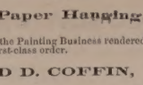

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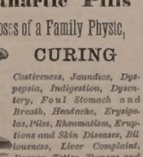

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SEC. 2. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind above their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury it, or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. Every any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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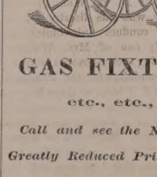

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Rockingham County Mail Routes.

For the information of our readers we publish a list of the mail routes in this county, with the names of the contractors, their residences and the amount of pay received by them per annum from the government.

The following contracts are from July 1, 1877, and are for four years:

From Windham Depot, by Golden Brook Mills to Lowell, Mass., fifteen miles and back, six times a week to Golden Brook Mills, and three times a week for the residue, at $342 per annum. Wells A. Stoddard, Camden, N. Y., contractor.

From North Salem by Salem to Salem Depot, five and one-half miles and back, six times a week to Salem, and twelve times a week for the rest, at $262 per annum. Wells A. Stoddard, Camden, N. Y., contractor.

From West Hampstead by Hampstead to Atkinson Depot, eight and one-half miles and back, six times a week, for $342 per annum. Wells A. Stoddard, Camden, N. Y., contractor.

From Chester by East Derry and Derry to Derry Depot, eight and one-half miles and back, six times a week to East Derry and twelve times a week for the rest, for $199 per annum. David L. Batchelder, Chester, N. H., contractor.

From Londonderry to Derry Depot, three miles and back, six times a week, for $147 per annum. John H. Warren, Albany, Wisconsin, contractor.

From Plaistow by East Hampstead and Danville to Sandown, ten miles and back, six times a week, for $382 per annum. Wells A. Stoddard, Camden, N. Y., contractor.

From Exeter by Brentwood to Fremont, twelve miles and back, three times a week for $217 per annum. John H. Warren, Albany, Wisconsin, contractor.

From Kingston to East Kingston, three miles and back, six times a week, for $98 per annum. Walter S. Clark, Kingston, N. H., contractor.

From Seabrook to South Seabrook, four miles and back, three times a week, for $97 per annum. John H. Warren, Albany, Wisconsin, contractor.

From Greenland Depot to Rye, two and one-half miles and back, six times a week, for $183 per annum. Wm. C. Walker, Rye, N. H., contractor.

From Epsom by Northwood and Nottingham post offices to South Lee, twenty miles and back, six times a week to East Northwood and three times a week for the rest, for $572 per annum. Wells A. Stoddard, Camden, N. Y., contractor.

From Candia by Candia Village, South Deerfield and Deerfield Centre to Deerfield, ten miles and back, six times a week, for $342 per annum. Wells A. Stoddard, Camden, N. Y., contractor.

From Exeter by Kensington to Amesbury, Mass., ten miles and back, six times a week, for $423.88 per annum. P. T. Keene, Washington, D. C., contractor.

The following are from September 1, 1877, and are for four years:

From Newcastle to Portsmouth, two and one-half miles and back, six times a week, for $140 per annum. W. F. McCay, Washington, D. C., contractor.

From Newington to Portsmouth, five miles and back, two times a week, for $92.88 per annum. A. E. Boone, Washington, D. C., contractor.

From Rye Beach to North Hampton, three and three-fourths miles and back, twelve times a week from June 1 to September 1, and six times a week for the residue, for $247 per annum. J. L. Drake, Effingham Centre, N. H., contractor.

The Boston and Maine railroad carries the mails between Atkinson, Plaistow, Newton, East Kingston, Exeter, South Newmarket and Newmarket, and is paid $193.25 per mile yearly for the distance carried, or about $4831 for the line within Rockingham county.

The Eastern railroad carries the mail between Seabrook, Hampton, Hampton Falls, North Hampton, Greenland and Portsmouth, and is paid $295 per mile yearly for the distance carried, or $4720 in the county.

The Concord and Portsmouth railroad carries the mail between Auburn, Candia, Raymond, Epping, South Newmarket Junction, Greenland and Portsmouth, and is paid $60 per mile yearly, or $2100 in the county.

The Manchester and Lawrence railroad carries the mails between Salem, Windham, Derry, Londonderry and Manchester and receives $163 per mile yearly, or about $3700 in the county.

The Nashua and Rochester railroad carries the mails between Windham, Hampstead, Sandown, Fremont and Epping, and is paid $81 per mile yearly, or about $2100 in the county.

The amount paid to railroads is fixed by schedule rates of so much per hundred pounds per mile carried, while other mail contracts are let to the lowest bidder. It will be seen that of the sixteen mail routes, other than railroads enumerated, that only three are let to residents of Rockingham county, while twelve belong to New York and Wisconsin contractors, who sublet them to local sub-contractors.—*Exeter News-Letter.*

—It has been inferred that Dryden wasn't opposed to a sherry cobbler from a remark he once made: "Straws may be made the instruments of much happiness."

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1877.

The Bonanza Kings.

Flood, O'Brien, Mackey and Fair, the owners of the Comstock (Nevada) mines, have made over fifty millions of dollars by selling stocks at high prices, and then depressing the market and re-purchasing at one-sixth the price they sold at. Their dividends from the Consolidated Virginia and California mines have amounted to forty millions, and they own thirty-three millions of dollars' worth of tailings at their mills, to be worked after their present bonanzas are exhausted. They have $8,000,000 invested in mills which pay them a net profit of $200,000 per month. Their profits from the sale of lumber to the Comstock mines are $400,000 per month. They own exclusively the Bank of Nevada, with a paid-up capital of $10,000,000, and are taking out $3,000,000 a month from their bonanza mines, of which they get two-thirds. They own also the controlling interest in eight other of the best mines on the Comstock Lode, in any one of which they are liable to strike a bonanza any day. Their legitimate income, aside from speculations, is $20,000,000 annually, their total income probably being double that amount. They are estimated to be worth $250,000,000, and in ten years should their good luck continue, will be the richest firm on earth. Two of them were saloon keepers five years ago.

The Eastern War.

The Russians report important successes near Sukum Kaleh, in Asia Minor.

The Turks under Mehemet Ali Pasha on Thursday attacked the Russians along the line of the river Lom, and after nine hours' fighting drove them from all their positions, captured one gun and 2900 rifles, and killed and wounded 4000 Russians, the Turks losing 3000. Prince Charles of Roumania has been appointed commander in chief of the Roumanian and Russian forces comprising the Western detachment, with the Russian general Stoleff as chief of staff.

Constantinople despatches on Friday announced the capture of the Shipka Pass by the Turks.

News and Notes.

Mrs. Tatro of Washinton, D. C., who is locally notable as the mother of twenty-five children, it appears is only one of an equally fecund family. Her father's first wife bore him twenty-one children and his second wife five. One of her sisters is the mother of ten children and a brother is father of sixteen. The other brothers and sisters are dead. One of her daughters has borne fourteen children, another ten and a third seven. They tell the story, also, of one of her aunts that, in the first three years after her marriage, which was at the age of fifty, she gave birth to three sets of triplets. Sixteen of Mrs. Tatro's twenty-five children are now living, the youngest six years old, the oldest thirty-seven.

The New York *Times* is moved to remark that had Raphael Semmes followed the trade of piracy against a less generous people he would have died twelve years ago. But there is this to be remembered in favor of Semmes: That he was a gallant sailor and a brave man; and, as the New York *Times* further observes, "that he never esteemed it to be the duty of a Southern 'patriot' to spurn the clemency and revile the motives of a long-suffering power, which permitted him to die in his bed."

Various reports have been started in newspapers concerning the course that the Government will take in regard to the suits pending against the Mormons in Utah Territory, now that Brigham Young is dead. It is officially stated that no instructions have been sent to District-Attorney Howard to discontinue these suits, nor will any such be given him. On the contrary, he will vigorously prosecute all cases growing out of the Mountain Meadow massacre, in which advices received from Salt Lake City say he is making rapid progress in procuring witnesses and testimony.

A Texas paper says that Captain R. King, of Santa Gertrudes, is making an addition of sixty-three miles to his pasture fence, and will have inclosed altogether 160,000 acres of land.

A Washington despatch says serious apprehension is felt by the Government that the reappearance of Sitting Bull and his band south of the Canadian border is part of a combined movement on the part of Sitting Bull and Chief Joseph to join their forces and conduct the war on a larger scale. It is the opinion of the War Department that, by means of Indian runners, the two hostile bands of Indians have been in constant communication, and that the insufficiency of the military forces operating against Joseph has been reported to Sitting Bull, and that in view of this fact they propose to seize their opportunity and make a general war upon the Indian frontiers.

Ex-President Grant was presented with the freedom of the city of Edinburgh, Scotland, on Friday, and made a speech. Gen. Grant was received with great enthusiasm along the Midland Railway, on his way to Edinburgh.

Russell Harger, an inoffensive old man of Birmingham, N. Y., seventy-five years old, was tarred and feathered on the night of Aug. 21st by two ruffians. He was found next day, insane from terror and suffering, and was kept in a filthy lockup for four days by the authorities, without any attempt being made to cleanse him of the tar, feathers, sand and sticks with which he was covered from head to foot; and at the end of that time a humane detective worked seven hours upon the poor old creature, without pay, to get off the tar.

The New York *Sun* sent a reporter to Birmingham to write up the case, and he (with the detective) soon traced the crime to two well known roughs, and they were arrested. Harger's reason is hopelessly gone; he is a carpenter by trade, and has always supported himself until now.

Capt. Erskine, of Her Majesty's ship Eclipse, who has been endeavoring to capture one Benoit and his brothers, the murderers of Capt. Rideout and a crew of six men, who were shipwrecked near Bonnebry, Newfoundland, last year, has succeeded in arresting three of the brothers. Two of them have been placed in jail at Halifax, and the vessel has sailed again for the locality of the murder in search of the principal criminal. Benoit's daughter, who was instrumental in the capture, was on board the war vessel, and is retained as a witness.

New Hampshire Items.

Hon. Ira Cross is at present driving business at Nashua and has all he can attend to. He manufactures five hundred quilts per day and employs sixty hands.

Theodore Tilton will make his appearance at Smyth's Opera House, Manchester, on the evening of Oct. 15, and will deliver a new lecture.

Joseph Libby, an old and respected citizen of Gilford, died at that place on the 29 ult., aged 86. He was a soldier of the war of 1812, having been a sergeant in Capt. Lemuel B. Mason's company. Mr. Libby was born in Rye and moved to Gilford when only eight years old, where he has resided ever since, greatly respected all who knew him.

John W. Chapman died at his home in Hill, Aug. 29th, at the age of 60. He represented his town in the Legislature of 1876, but was not anxious for public office. He leaves a widow and two sons.

The board of trustees of Dartmouth College have voted to have but three terms per year, the first lasting till Thanksgiving, followed by a vacation of three weeks; the second lasting ten weeks, followed by a vacation of two weeks, and the third lasting till the last Thursday in June. This new arrangement increases the number of weeks in the college year.

While workmen were unloading a large schooner at Trefethen's wharf, Dover, Friday morning, a barrel of cement fell from a stage back into the hold of the vessel, and struck one of the men, E. C. Mahar, on the forehead, and knocked him senseless. His nose was broken, his cheek torn away from underneath the eye, in a large mass, and the flesh was stripped from the forehead, exposing the skull bones to a considerable extent. It is not unlikely that he will lose the sight of the right eye.

The National Sunday-school Temperance Society will hold its sixth annual session in Dover on the 12th of September. The Society was organized Feb. 5, 1872, since which time it has interested 2011 Sunday-schools in the work. Rev. G. B. Spaulding of Dover takes the place of Rev. Elisha Adams, D. D., of Concord, as President of the Society.

A Queen Adventuress.

A Camden, N. J., police-court trial recently revealed some passages in the life of Mrs. Anna Wallingford that fairly entitle her to be styled a queen among adventuresses. The case was a trumped-up charge of theft against a formerly well-to-do shoe-dealer of that city, whom she had lured away from his family and ruined, and whose final offense was that he had tried to break away from her wiles. The woman originally came from Dalton, Ga., and her maiden name is believed to have been Anna Claudine Whittemore. She figured extensively in Kansas, especially at Atchison and Leavenworth, where she lived with a man named Collier. It is believed that she was married secretly to Lieutenant Tiffany, a son of Rev. Dr. Tiffany of the Metropolitan Methodist church of Washington, D. C., in St. Louis. She was also married to Lieutenant D. W. Wallingford of the regular army, who was dismissed from the service for conduct unbecoming an officer. Probably one of Mrs. Wallingford's most amusing escapades was with the late democratic candidate for the Presidency, Hon. Samuel J. Tilden, at Cape May in 1875. Mrs. Wallingford was there, and was spoken of as a dashing and handsome young widow. She wore an attractive bathing suit, with knee-breeches and striped stockings. Her form was well displayed, and excited considerable admiration among the gentlemen, among whom was the bachelor candidate for President. The woman lost no opportunity to ingratiate herself with Governor Tilden, and, it is believed, was the recipient of numerous favors at his hands, causing considerable talk. She also has a claim for $800,000 against the Government, now pending in the Court of Claims, for property said to have been destroyed at Dalton, Ga., during the war, which she says belonged to her. To back up this are letters from General Steadman and others, which are genuine, but as to how she obtained possession of them is another matter. Mrs. Wallingford-Collier-Tiffany is about thirty-five or forty years of age, a demi-blonde, with blue eyes, fine figure, and a glib tongue, with a truly southern accent. While agreeable in her manners, she apes refinement, and, being illiterate, exposes her true character.

—A loan some place—A pawnbroker's shop.

—A Philadelphia clairvoyant tells fortunes for five cents per fortune, and a man who can't have a new and different fortune told him every day in the week is poor indeed.

—The Salt Lake *Herald* prints a card of a man who publicly "swears off" drinking, and offers a handsome reward to the first man who sees him quaff an intoxicating beverage.

—Puffing and blowing are often considered as synonymous terms. You will discover a difference, however, if instead of puffing a man up, you should blow him up.

—Mrs. Haynes of Allen County, Ky., recently gave birth to four children, two boys and two girls, which weighed twenty-four pounds in the aggregate, and were all at last accounts as well as could be expected.

—Rev. J. C. Fletcher, of Indianapolis, says that he met Captain Costentenus, Barnum's tattooed man, in Italy, where the captain told him that he had himself tattooed expressly for the show business. Mr. Fletcher says that the man is not a Greek, but an Italian.

—The Quebec correspondent of the Philadelphia *Press* writes as follows: "The young ladies of Quebec are considered the best steppers in Canada. Their beauty is of the Diana, rather than of the Venus de Medicis type. They are said to have very fine calves, a statement that no one who saw them running up and down the long flights of steps of 'break-neck stairs,' leading from the lower to the upper town, could doubt, so they expose them in the most careless and provoking manner, as if conscious of their innocence. Any one who saw them from a favorite point of view passing up and down those steps and stairs by the hour, laughing and chatting with sparkling eyes and animated gestures, would hardly believe that the English could have attempted to mob the beautiful and accomplished Madame Recamier as she sauntered up Rotten Row, in London, with her skirt looped up on one side of the knee so as to expose the garter, a near approach to the garb of the Ephesian huntress."

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Blank forms of proposal and all information desired can be had by applying at either of the places named above.

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W. B. SLACK,
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4-11-18-25

HIGH SCHOOL EXAMINATION.

CANDIDATES for admission to the High School will present themselves for examination at the High School Building on Monday, September 3d, at eight o'clock, A. M.

Per order of the High School Committee.

NOTICE--KEARSARGE MILLS.

WE regret our inability to get machinery, etc., ready next Monday, as proposed August 1st, and the Mills will not be started until MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH, 1877, after which we hope to run regularly.

Per order of the Treasurer.

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

By the Judge of Probate for said County.

TO Georgiette Wood, Mary A. Wood and Ann T. Wood, all of Portsmouth in said County, minors, under the Guardianship of MARCELLUS BUFFORD their heirs expectant, and all other persons interested.

You are hereby notified that said MARCELLUS BUFFORD will exhibit his account of Guardianship unto his said wards, at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby notified to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Portsmouth Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

By order of the Judge,

WOODBURY M. DURGIN, Register of Probate.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

By the Judge of Probate for said County.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of Mehitable Hilliard, late of Newcastle, in said County, widow, deceased, testate, and all persons interested in said estate, greeting.

You are hereby notified that WILLIAM W. MARTIN, administrator of the estate of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden in Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of September next, at 10 o'clock A. M., for examination and allowance.

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NOTICE TO PENSIONERS.

JOHN P. COOPER, Clerk in the late Pension Agency in this city, would inform Pensioners that he may be found at the office of W. H. Rollins, Esq., entrance corner of Market street and Market Square, where he will attend to executing and forwarding Vouchers to their respective agencies. tf4

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	2.00, 6.30† P. M
" " Way,	10.55 "	2.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M., 5.50, P. M
" " Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 " 3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

[Communicated.]

THE MILL-POND NUISANCE.

Mr. Editor:—I notice that all the newspapers urge upon the proper authorities the necessity of abating the nuisances created in the mill-ponds. Now who is to take the initiative steps in the matter? The ordinance creating a Board of Health, provides that they (the Board of Health) shall cause all nuisances, sources of filth and causes of sickness to be removed, destroyed or prevented, as the case may require, conformably to the city ordinances and laws of the State. Now it seems that the Board of Health can and should, either by their own power or upon complaint to the city authorities, proceed in this business. If we are to be strangled in red tape let us know it, but if we have among our many officials any one whose business it is to move in the matter of vital importance, let him not only speak, but *act*.

A SUFFERER.

[*Note*. The *Journal* of last week urges the immediate dredging of the big cesspools called by courtesy the North and South millponds, as a temporary source of relief from the offensive smells that arise from them, and an indispensable sanitary measure,—such dredging to be followed by the adoption of some modern and efficient system of drainage for the city, whereby malaria will not be treasured up in reservoirs to overwhelm us with pestilence at some future day.

The *Times* of Friday evening prints a communication earnestly beseeching the city authorities to do something toward ridding the city of the pestilential air which we have to breath from winter to winter again. The writer plaintively asks: "How long, O City Fathers, how long will you suffer it? You pass ordinances and appoint health officers, and still the inhabitants of Portsmouth are compelled to inhale the sickening, unhealthy odors of filthy mill-ponds, soap factories and bogholes. If cleanliness is next to godliness, most surely our city is far from the kingdom. Whether the wind blows from the west, from the north or from the south, it is laden with stench from these places of corruption."

That something should be done, and at once, is certain. The hot, moist weather of the past two weeks has caused the ponds to send out odors that are sickeningly disgusting, and that must be unhealthy in the extreme; and the physicians of the city assert that the unusual prevalence of disease in some parts of the city for several weeks past is largely if not wholly owing to a neglect of sanitary precautions—to the miasm from the millponds, and from the filthy hog-pens and privies which in many sections poison what little breathable air the millponds have left for the wretched inhabitants to live on. This millpond nuisance was intolerable years ago, and has been getting worse ever since; and the only wonder is—not that a few innocent lives have occasionally been sacrificed to the god of filth, but that the city's population has not long ere this been decimated by a pestilence.—*Ed.*]

The foregoing was in type on Saturday afternoon; and on taking up the *Times* in the evening we found a communication signed "Health Com.," in answer to the one of the previous day. In this answer the writer says: "That the complaint of 'Citizen' is well-founded there is no doubt. Of the exceedingly filthy and unsanitary condition of the ponds and coves of the city, there can be no question; and I have no doubt that when the right combination of meteorological conditions occur,—such as a long term of continued high temperature with a low state of the barometer and the germs of contagious matter well disseminated,—there will be an epidemic such as this town has never seen. I am not sure that we are not on the eve of it even now." The writer further says that "there is law and ordinance governing the location of slaughter-houses, soap-factories, privies, sewers, etc., forbidding the location of any such establishment over either of the millponds or over any creek or cove leading thereto," but that the city permits this law to be violated by any one at will; and he closes as follows: "Much more, very much more might be said on this question; but a city which expects first-class sanitary regulations and conditions without a corresponding outlay will be disappointed, and ultimately chagrined, as 'Citizen' says, by seeing our beautiful city deserted and pleasure seekers pass us as they would a pest house."

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, September 1st.

Cyrus E. Smith and Thomas Collins were each charged $8, costs $6.90, for one drunk apiece. Mr. Smith paid his $9.90, but Thom Collins went to Brentwood. The regular market price of drunks in this city is now $9.90 each, an advance of $1.86 over the old price, which was $8.04.

In the afternoon Joseph Jackson was arraigned for drunkenness, and the Judge made the usual remark to him about $9.90.

Ellen Bartelle acknowledged having committed an assault on Ellen Harrington, but pleaded extenuating circumstances. Fined $1, costs $6.90,—cheaper than a drunk.

WHAT IS IT?

The *Journal* of last week says: "A correspondent desires to 'know the name of the bird whose notes in the deep woods have such a metallic ring, sounding much like throwing a steel ramrod into the barrel of a gun.' He is seen in this vicinity by observing people, along the sides of roadways through the woods, is of a reddish brown, rather slender make, and is uniformly on a dead branch or broken limb." That may be a very good description of the bird, whose song, always heard in the depths of the woods, and generally in the evening of hot days, is singularly musical and melancholy; but it does not give his name. When we were twenty years or more younger than we are now we often chased his notes for many a mile through the woods at nightfall, but never managed to get a sight of the songster. What is the name of the bird, anyway?

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The public schools begin the fall term to-day.

Candidates for admission to the High School are notified to present themselves for examination at the school building this morning at eight o'clock.

Morse & Ilsley will sell by auction today, on the premises, commencing at eleven o'clock, all the right of J. C. Carr in certain valuable lots of real estate; also several promissory notes, and one mortgage. See advertisement.

The hay-fever sufferers report that the type is far milder this season than usual.

The Eastern Railroad Company on Saturday paid one and three-fourths per cent. on $12,545,000 of their bonds, amounting to $164,436 as well as on $3,149,500 of their sterling bonds held abroad.

In an advertisement in the Boston papers of last week announcing a Sunday trip of a steamboat from Boston to this city, occurs the following beautiful language: "She will reach Portsmouth between two and three o'clock, and will remain there for the space of three-quarters of an hour, thus giving passengers an opportunity to take a short stroll about this fine old town, a goodly portion of which once bore the pretty, descriptive name of Strawberry Bank. On the opposite shore, occupying a broad area upon Baker's Island, may be seen the Kittery Navy Yard. Here, beneath spacious and imposing buildings, are constructed those huge 'leviathans' that, in proud defiance of opposing winds, trample over the waves of the ocean, and sweep around the globe to bear a nation's thunder; carrying that radiant ensign—so glorious in its stripes of royal red, so beautiful in its star-lit field of blue—which, with its freshly-brightened folds, is 'known and honored' in every clime under heaven, as, in living truth, the Banner of the Free."

Quite a number of Portsmouth's young people went to Dover (mostly by couples) in carriages on Friday evening, by invitation of the Dover High School Association, to attend the eighth annual reunion of the Association in the Dover City Hall. The programme was as follows: Invocation, Rev. C. W. Allen; Music; Oration by J. Herbert Hutchins, class of '69; Trio, "The Mariners," Miss Helen Everett, Mr. J. B. Whitehead, Mr. D. W. Taylor; Poem by Miss Lydia A. Drew, class of '74; La Concerte, Reinwald & Taylor's Orchestra; Class Meetings; Promenade and Dancing. Matthew H. Lothrop was chosen President of the Association for the ensuing year. The Portsmouth delegation report most courteous attention from the Dover folks, and a most enjoyable time. Dancing must have been kept up till a pretty late hour, judging from the time at which the first couple returning reached this city, which was about half-past three o'clock; but probably they didn't drive very fast on the way home.

"A new broom sweeps clean." So thought the sidewalk committee in front of the City Hall, on Saturday, when they witnessed City Marshal Entwistle utilizing his lodgers in cleaning the walks and grounds about the City Hall, and putting everything there in fine condition for Sunday morning.

Vick's Floral Guide for the last quarter of 1877 is received. On the first of January, 1878, the magazine will be changed from a quarterly to a monthly; the name also will be changed to *Vick's Illustrated Monthly*. Subscription price, $1.25 per year. James Vick, Pub., Rochester, N. Y.

The fourteenth annual meeting of the Hedding Camp-Meeting Association was held in the Portsmouth tent on the camp ground at Epping, on the evening of Aug. 30th, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. Pike; Secretary, A. C. Cault; Treasurer, Stephen W. Clarke of this city. The camp meeting closed on Friday.

The Lane Rifles, of Candia, and the Portsmouth City Guards, were to have gone into camp together at Newcastle on Saturday afternoon, to remain a week; but the Rifles not arriving the Guards concluded to go it alone, and in the early evening marched down to the spirit stirring strains of a drum corps of one. They turned out in good numbers, and made a soldierly appearance in their neat and serviceable regulation army uniforms. The captain and several members of the Candia company are with the Guards at their camp, though the former company as an organization did not put in an appearance.

It seems that this action [South Hampton vs. Fowler] is to recover a tract of land on the west side of Hampton river, bounded on the ocean. South Hampton ceded its territory to Seabrook, reserving this strip near the sea. It is said that all the land along the shore of Salisbury is held under the same title as this. The question involved affects the title to property daily growing more valuable, and this action is defended, in part, by others having similar interest in contiguous lands. The original title, under which the defendants hold, is claimed to have been vested in one Getchell about two centuries since, to have been in his hands and not in the town subsequently. —*Post.*

The Rockingham Association of Universalists are to hold their sessions in the church in this city on the 12th and 13th.

Lieut. Comdr. Mortimer L. Johnson, attached to the U. S. receiving ship Wabash, at Boston, has been granted leave of absence for three weeks from the 3d inst.

Steamer Katahdin of Sanford's Independent Line of Boston, arrived in this city Sunday afternoon with about 1200 excursionists, stopping about an hour.

WRECK.

Brig Clara B. Adams, of Lubec, Me., laden with between five and six hundred tons of coal and drawing sixteen feet of water, attempted to work up to her discharging berth from the lower harbor on Saturday afternoon, on the last of the flood, the wind being very light from the southwest at that time. The pilot, we are informed, was very desirous of having the captain take a tug, and the Clara Bateman twice tried to get a job at the brig, but the captain of the latter refused., All went well on the passage up until the brig got nearly up to the stone beacon, where she misstayed, and the tide swept her on the ledge just east of the beacon. The Clara Bateman was sent fort but her fires having been drawn could not go, and the Major, which had just returned from her trip to the Shoals, went to her assistance, but after several attempts to haul her off, the tide having fallen some, gave it up. The brig now lies in a bad position at low water, and has strained badly and filled. Workmen were at once set at work discharging her cargo, and from present appearances the larger part of it will have to be removed before she can be floated off.

—The King of Italy is hunting chamois on the Alps, where he leads a trapper's life. He rises early, and the frugality of his table often forces wry faces from the gentlemen of his suite. There is rarely anything seen on the royal table except roast meats, a homely haricot of mutton, Bordeaux and Macon wine. The King knows his life depends upon his taking exercise. He is very stout. His neck is unusually thick, and his physicians advise him to hunt, as the exercise best adapted to avert apoplexy from him. He outwalks the best walker, and is never tired. He wears baggy trousers of velvet, roundabout of the same material, and a Tyrol hat.

That Insidious Foe to Health,

An atmosphere impregnated with the seeds of malaria, is rendered harmless by the timely use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters; and if a resort to this benign protective agent has unwisely been deferred until the fever fits have developed, it will have the effect of checking them and preventing their return. This statement is corroborated by thousands who have tried this medicine for fever and ague and billious remittent fever, besides affections of the stomach, liver and bowels peculiarly rife in malarious localities. Throughout the West, indeed in every part of the American continent where malaria prevails, it is the accepted specific. Nor is the area of its usefulness circumscribed by the limits of the United States, since it is widely used in South American, Mexico, Australia, and elsewhere.

Bad Specks.

Bad specks on the teeth are almost as unpleasant as bad specs in the money market. To prevent them or to get rid of them, use Sozodont. It is literally a specific for every blemish that disfigures the teeth, and whitens them without endangering the enamel.

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THE NEW TOWN HALL AT AYER. This elegant structure is now complete. In beauty of design it surpasses anything of the kind in the State. Constructed of brick and dark marble, it is as permanent as it is charming. The English architects have adorned it in subdued colors, which please without tiring the eye. Dr. J. C. Ayer built and gave it to the town in acknowledgement of the distinction they conferred upon him in taking his name. Although it is a generous gift, still the hearty good wishes of a whole people are of greater value, and the generous donor has doubtless secured them.—*Groton (Mass.) Journal.*

The city of Paris, crippled with its load of debt, revived its custom of drawing a regular lottery as an easy way of obtaining money. The State of Louisiana Lottery Company has furnished the funds to maintain the celebrated Charity Hospital in New Orleans, and give free schools and colleges, open to white and black. The reader who has a speculative turn of mind can write to M. A. Dauphin, P. O. Box 692, New Orleans, La., for tickets in the next drawing, or any information.—See advertisement.

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the TILTON STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfebl6 78

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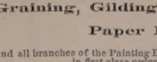

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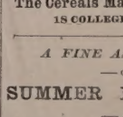

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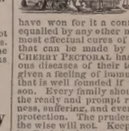

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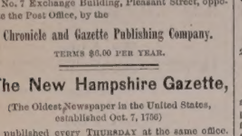

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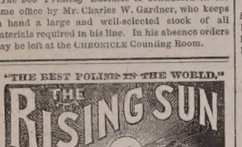

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the premulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal of the meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land owned by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading therefrom; and no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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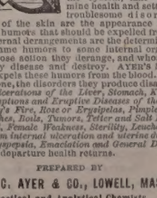

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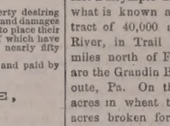

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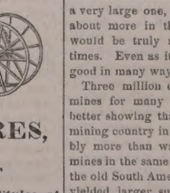

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Big Farm.

A friend in Geneva, Ill., writes us that he has heard a great deal about the "Dalrymple farm," near Fargo, and has also seen many contradictory statements about the size of the farm and the amount in wheat this year, and asks us to give him "a bill of particulars." For the benefit of our correspondent, and others who may be interested in large farming operations, we will state that what is called the "Dalrymple farm" is a tract of about 11,000 acres of land near Casselton, twenty miles west of Fargo, on the line of the Northern Pacific Railroad. It is owned by George W. Cass and P. B Cheney, of New York, and Oliver Dalrymple, the "wheat king of Minnesota," as he is termed. Twelve hundred acres were broken in 1865 and sowed to wheat last year. This year there are 4,000 acres in wheat—and a splendid crop it is, too—and 3,000 acres additional were broken this season for seeding next year. Mr. Dalrymple also owns a half interest in what is known as the "Grandin farm," a tract of 40,000 acres just north of Elm River, in Trail County, D. T., thirty-five miles north of Fargo. The other owners are the Grandin Brothers, bankers of Tidioute, Pa. On this farm there are 3,500 acres in wheat this year, and some 3,000 acres broken for next year. To harvest this crop of 7,500 acres on the two places, it required forty-two self-binding reapers, 225 horses and mules and 150 men. Nine steam threshers, each with a capacity of 1,000 bushels per day, are now at work threshing the grain.

In addition to his interest in these two immense farms, Mr. Dalrymple owns 2,000 acres of land in Cottage Grove, Minn., near St. Paul, 1,500 acres of which is in wheat—so that either as sole or half owner, Mr. Dalrymple is interested in 9,000 acres of wheat this year, which will be increased to 15,000 acres next year.

We may add that it is the intention of the owners of these two huge farms to break on an average about 5,000 acres each year, until the whole 51,000 acres are brought under cultivation. They have abundant means, and the experiment so far has proven that it is not possible to make a better investment of money. This is the second year of the enterprise, and so far the net profits have been over $10 per acre each year, for every acre under cultivation. Go thou and do likewise, and there is plenty of room here to do it in.—*Fargo (Dakota) Times.*

Big Clean-ups.

The clean-up of the Consolidated Virginia mine for the last fiscal month was $1,535,328.97. The fiscal month was shorter than the last, the California mill having been run but 29 days, and the Bacon and French but 28 days. The clean up of the California mine was $1,399,331.74. This makes a total for the Bonanza for the month of $2,934,660.73.

These figures show a production from these of nearly three million dollars for a single month. We have been so accustomed, for the past year or two, to see in print similar results from these two famous mines, that we do not appreciate them sufficiently. A few years ago we would have considered three million dollars a very large amount for a first-class mine to have produced in a year; even now it is more than most prosperous districts turn out from all the mines combined. The sum is a very large one, and if it were scattered about more in the community than it is, would be truly sufficient to cause better times. Even as it is, it does considerable good in many ways.

Three million dollars a month from two mines for many consecutive months is a better showing than can be made in any mining country in the world, and is probably more than was ever realized from any mines in the same period of time. Some of the old South American and Mexican mines yielded larger sums in the aggregate than the Comstock bonanza, but it took years and years to accomplish. Now, with improved appliances and machinery, skilled workmen and every convenience, the ore is rapidly extracted and quickly made to yield its precious contents. The precious metal is sent down for refining as fast as collected, and is then coined into gold and silver at the mint as expeditiously as possible. The whole operation is carried on with a rapidity and system unknown and impracticable until recently. The mills are the finest in the world, and all the machinery is unexcelled, so that every possible convenience for good and rapid work is at hand. Of course such results could not be attained, no matter how fine its machinery, unless the ore were first-class. In the last run the California mill worked exclusively its rich ore from the 1650-foot level, averaging 330 tons per day. This ore works as well as any on the lode. The other day, from a run of 24 hours, 9,000 pounds of amalgam were taken out, which shows the richness of the ore and the rapidity with which it is worked.

Of course bonanzas of this character are scarce, and it was only with great expense and continued prospecting that this ore was found. It was blind work, too, from the nature of the undertaking, for no man could say that, sinking the shaft, the proprietors were not also sinking their money, as has too frequently happened. As soon as the bonanza was struck, however, it amply repaid all trial and expense, and has sent

forth, since its discovery, a stream of gold and silver such as was never dreamed of before.—*Gold Hill News.*

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 1877.

A Sunday Excursion.

Steamer Plymouth Rock took 2000 excursionists from Boston to Portland on Sunday. She did not arrive at Portland until eight o'clock in the evening, the trip taking nearly twelve hours. There was much disturbance and fighting on board. One man had his nose bitten off; another one his ear. The passengers landed on a dark wharf, and three fell overboard but were rescued. Twenty-five fellows were so drunk that they had to be locked up. One woman had her watch and money stolen. All the food on board was eaten up, the company charging one dollar per meal. The crowd rushed up town on the arrival of the boat at Portland. In one saloon the money-drawer was broken into and seventy dollars stolen. The better portion of the passengers are loud in their denunciation of the whole affair, and some 300 or 400 remained in the city, having got enough of cheap excursions. The boat left on the return trip about nine o'clock, leaving many behind who intended to return in addition to those who did not want to go back. One man said he would not take $1000 and return on the steamer, as he was afraid it would be captured by the roughs and probably wrecked.

The Eastern War.

The Russian campaign in Armenia seems to be progressing very slowly, if at all, the Turks making a stubborn resistance.

There has been some fighting near Plevna, both parties being victorious. The defeat of the Russians by an overwhelming force near the river Lom is confirmed. The Russians still hold the Shipka Pass, but Suleiman Pasha claims to have the Russians blockaded.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., August 31.

The overt act of Mr. Cornell in presiding over the deliberations of a recent convention, leaves the President no alternative in the premises except to lop off his mutinous head. At least that is the conclusion arrived at by the commentators here, who have watched this quiet contest between the chief and his subordinate from its inception. Of course Mr. Conkling is credited with having braced up the contumacious naval officer to thus throwing down the gauntlet; and the republican opponents to the civil service reform programme are supposed to tacitly sympathize, at least, with Cornell. The Tenure of Office Act makes it the duty of Mr. Hayes to assign his reasons for suspending him when he nominates his successor to the Senate, and it is the talk that the occasion will be improved by quite a number of Senators to express their entire disapproval of the whole business.

If the reports of yesterday and to-day are reliable, it would seem that Sitting Bull had either become tired of waiting for the Commission or had got starved out and concluded to give us a happy surprise by returning home without waiting for a formal invitation from the "great father." Whatever the motive, the authorities at the War Department apprehend nothing but trouble from the presence of this implacable savage at this juncture. It is obvious that his junction with Chief Joseph would very gravely complicate the problem that Howard has been trying to solve. It is feared that in such an event no means we have at hand could prevent the rising of the disaffected tribes all along the frontier, and a general war would result. And those most familiar with our inadequate means of meeting such a contingency, view its possible occurrence with distrust and uneasiness.

It appears that some of our more provident Custom House officials have taken advantage of their position to turn a few honest pennies outside their regular salaries, thereby incurring the displeasure of Secretary Sherman. From investigations very quietly conducted, it appears that in the case of foreign arrivals willing to come down handsomely in the way of gratuities, their baggage and other personal effects were allowed to be landed and carted away without even the pretence of an inspection; while that of those ignorant of this means of evading the law, too poor or too close in their expenditures, was subjected to a most rigid system of overhauling. It is rumored that many of those who find themselves caught, have solicited the privilege of quietly resigning and that they have been refused with a view to making examples of them.

Without attempting to prejudge any of the parties included in Kane's indictment of Pension Bureau officials, past and present, it may be said that Lauston's two attempts through the *Republican* to disprove the charges of his complicity are regarded as ill-timed. After the evidence filed in their support, taken from the official records of the Department, it appears to be the feeling that an open investigation cannot well be avoided, and that Mr. Lauston's defence, in order to be satisfactory, should not depend on the evidence of interested parties—at least, not on that of those included with him in the indictment. The different watering places and summer resorts visited by him while under a salary of $150 per month, receiving also a *per diem* of $4 and ten cents mileage both ways, are given with great explicitness, and all from official vouchers on file. The pretext was public business; but the copy of his letter, also given, felicitating himself on the enjoyments and profits of sundry trips, has served to confirm the suspicion that many of the junketing tours undertaken by favorites of high officials, and the officials themselves, could be dispensed with without detriment to the public service.

Keeley's motor has again been heard from; and it appears satisfactorily settled by the recent exhibition given in Baltimore that Mr. Keeley has really made a very wonderful discovery and one that promises to entirely revolutionize our present means of propulsion, the very sanguine predicting the banishment of steam as too feeble and costly to hold its place by the side of the new motor. KNOX.

News and Notes.

So few naval officers are idle at present that the Department finds some difficulty in securing suitable officers for various important duties. The class undergoing torpedo instruction at Newport, R. I., numbers about twenty members, ranking from a commander down to an ensign. They will be through the course by the first of October, and will then be ordered to various vessels.

At North Vermont, Ind., John Simon was taken from the city jail by a masked band of men and hanged to a tree till nearly dead. Each man lashed him terribly and he was then liberated and asked to divulge concerning the robberies, on suspicion of committing which he was in prison. He declared his innocence to the last.

There was a queer accident at Bangor, Me., recently. A little boy walked between two buildings, which are at first about nine inches apart and gradually come together, until he was wedged in and couldn't move. His twelve-year-old sister tried to get him from an upstairs window, but slipped and was also caught between the buildings when she had reached him. A large crowd gathered, and the children were only released after a hole three feet square had been cut through one of the buildings.

This is the way that irreverent democratic organ, the Chicago *Times*, talks of the Iowa democratic State convention: "Calling upon heaven to witness the sincerity of their purposes, and appealing to the world to bear witness of the rectitude of their intentions, some persons in Iowa, styling themselves democrats, have solemnly resolved that they are in favor of "the separation of church and State!" Evidently those revolutionary and reckless persons suppose themselves to be still living in the fourteenth or fifteenth century. It would not be very surprising to hear, at no distant time, that they had resolved to favor the earth's rotation on its axis instead of the old plan which put the sun to the great inconvenience of travelling around the earth."

The strike in the Pennsylvania coal region continues, and is spreading. Rumors are rife of a great rising, engineered by the Molly Maguires.

Passengers wanting a lunch, or a good square meal, at a moderate cost, can be accommodated with the best in market, by stopping in the new and most excellent restaurant of the Hotel Devonshire, just opposite the Grand Central Depot, New York.

Hon. Allen Wardner, father-in-law of Secretary Evarts, died at Windsor, Vt., Wednesday morning. He was born in Alstead, N. H., and had passed his ninetieth birthday.

Four of the crew of the brig C. C. Sweeney, which anchored at Red Hook, N. J., Friday night, were arrested Saturday as witnesses in a case of mutiny which occurred soon after the brig left Havre last May, and in which Henry Harris, the mate, was shot dead by one of the sailors named Smith.

At the Government sales of gold, Saturday, the price obtained was a trifle under 104.

The Biddeford *Evening Star* having ceased publication, the *Eastern Star* this week appears in its place, as a weekly paper. Like the *Evening Star*, it will be squarely republican.

A flaw has been discovered in the great twelve-inch rifle that was cast in the South Boston Iron Foundry about two months ago, which may cause the gun to be condemned by the Government Ordnance Inspector. The flaw is what is commonly known as a blow-hole, caused by an air-bubble getting imprisoned in the molten iron while being poured into the mould and the iron cooling around it. It is located inside the barrel of the gun about a foot from its muzzle; it is several inches in length and width, and quite deep. The flaw was brought to light after the gun had been some time on the lathe. Such a flaw—even one much smaller—would be sufficient to cause an ordinary gun to be condemned, as the ordnance officer's instructions are to condemn any gun in which there is any kind of a flaw. If condemned the gun will be cast over.

Henry Hamlin and William Allen, two convicts in the Connecticut State Prison at Weatherafield, attempted to break jail on Saturday night. They overpowered and bound the guard, Welles Shipman, and gagged him; but he got the gag out of his mouth and called for help, when Hamlin deliberately shot him. The rascals were caught, but Shipman died in a few hours. The convicts were "pals," and had served about seven years of an eight years sentence for burglary.

Paris, Mo., was burned on Friday. Loss $1,500,000. Several lives were lost, but only one dead body has been found. A man started the fire on purpose in a liquor saloon, and is now in jail.

New Hampshire Items.

Eliza Brooks, an aged maiden lady, who lived at Hancock, committed suicide by hanging on Aug. 26. Ill health is supposed to be the cause.

S. S. Houghton of Boston, who has a large farm at Orford, is building a remarkably fine barn. Its size is 240 by 56 feet, with an L 200 by 60. There will be three stories and a basement, the whole surmounted with a dome 130 feet high, which is to have upon it a clock and bell; a Mansard roof, with Lutheran windows and a large number of ventilators. The estimated cost of the building is $30,000.

Joseph H. Johnson, who stole a team in West Townsend, Mass., on Monday, was arrested in Manchester on Wednesday with the team in his possession.

A boy named Cole, in Madbury, recently received a reward of $25 for restoring a lost pocket-book. His employer, a farmer, claimed half the reward because the pocket book was found on his land. Cole was discharged because he refused that modest demand.

—When you see an item headed "Ivy Poisoning," you know some one has been poisoned by ivy; but when you see "Wife Poisoning," the wife is not the poisoner, but the poisoned. A beautifully simple language.

—Rev. Dr. Howard, chaplain to the mother of George III, Rector of St. George's, Southwark, was always in arrears with his tradesmen, and was often perplexed to keep them in a good temper. He once took for his text, "Have patience and I will pay you all." After dilating at some length on the virtue of patience, he said, "And now I am come to the second part of my discourse, which is, 'and I will pay you all,' but that I shall defer to a future opportunity."

—A person was recently sent to a London bank for the purpose of drawing money. Two men stood near the place where he was counting over the amount he had received, some £600. One of the men remarked to him, "You've dropped a five pound note," pointing to a paper on the floor. "All right sir," was the reply; "I'll just put my foot on it for the present," which he did, and continued counting his money. It was not till the sharpers had learned that they were trying their game on a smart fellow that they informed him that the five pound note was dropped by one of them. Any thoughtless fellow would have stooped for the note and in all probability have lost the best part of £600.

—How many common figurative expressions in the language are borrowed from the art of carpentry may be seen in the following sentence: "The lawyer filed a bill, shaved a note, cut an acquaintance, split a hair, made an entry, got up a case, framed an indictment, impanelled a jury, put them in a box, nailed a witness, hammered a judge, and bored a whole court."

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S. D. FABYAN, on the premises.

Newington, N. H. August 8th.

Proposals for Carpets.

PAYMASTER'S OFFICE, NAVY YARD,
KITTERY, ME., August 25th, 1877.

Proposals in *duplicate*, sealed and endorsed "Bid for supplies advertised," will be received at this office until 12½ o'clock Thursday, September 20th, for the following supplies to be delivered free of expense at the Navy Yard, Kittery, Maine, subject to the usual inspection, viz.:

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS.

65 yards Parlor Carpet;
125 yards Chamber Carpet (2 rooms);
52 yards Hall Carpet (7 halls).

The carpets to be of the best quality 5 frame English body Brussels, and to be made up ready for putting down.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids that may not be deemed advantageous to the Government and to have a selection of patterns.

EDWIN PUTNAM,
aug28 sep4 11 18 Paymaster U. S. Navy.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS.

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
Washington, August 29, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS for each class separately, indorsed "Proposals for Class No. (name the class) for the Navy Yard at (name the yard)," will be received at this office until 10 o'clock, A. M., of the 27th of September, at which hour the opening of the bids will be commenced for immediate and delivery at the several Navy Yards, and Naval Asylum, the materials and articles embraced in printed schedules, which, with blank forms of offer and guarantee, and printed instructions, will be furnished on application, and sent by mail, if so requested, to persons desiring to offer to contract for any or all the classes named therein, by the Commandants of the several Navy Yards, for the classes for the Yard under their command, or by the Purchasing Paymaster nearest thereto, or by the Bureau for any or all the Yards and Asylum.

The classes of this Bureau are numbered and designated as follows: Class No. 1, Bricks; No. 2, stone; No. 3, Yellow Pine Timber; No. 4, Yellow Pine Lumber; No. 5, Oak and Hardwood; No. 6, White Pine, Spruce, Hemlock and Cypress; No. 7, Lime, Hair and Plaster; No. 8, Cement; No. 9, Gravel and Sand; No. 10, Molding and Fire Sand and Fire Clay; No. 11, Slate; No. 12, Iron, Iron Nails and Spikes; No. 13, Steel; No. 14, Files; No. 15, Paints, Oils and Glass; No. 16, Ship Chandlery; No. 17, Hardware; No. 18, Stationery; No. 19, Hay and Straw; No. 20, Provender; No. 21, Charcoal; No. 22, Bedting, Packing and Hose; No. 23, Spermaceti and Lubricating Oils; No. 24, Illuminating Oils; No. 25, Iron work, Piping, &c.; No. 26, Augers; No. 27, Anthracite Coal; No. 28, Bituminous Coal; No. 29, Copper and Composition Nails; No. 32, Machinery and Tools, &c.

NAVAL ASYLUM, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Class No. 1, Clothing; No. 2, Boots and Shoes; No. 3, Provisions; No. 4, Groceries; No. 5, Dry Goods; No. 6, Bread; No. 7, Tobacco; No. 8, Coal and Wood; No. 9, Paints, Oils and Glass; No. 11, Lumber; No. 13, Provender; No. 14, Miscellaneous; No. 15, Hardware.

The following are the classes, by their numbers, required at the respective Navy Yards and Naval Asylum:

BOSTON, MASS.

Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27.

BROOKLYN, N. Y.

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 9½, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 30.

LEAGUE ISLAND, PHILA., PA.

Nos. 6, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24½, 25, 27, 29, 32.

NORFOLK, VA.

Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 31, 32.

PENSACOLA, FLA.

Nos. 6, 7, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 24, 32.

MARE ISLAND, CAL.

Nos. 1, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 29.

NAVAL ASYLUM, PHILA. PA.

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15.

The Bureau reserves the right to reject any or all bids, as the interest of the service may require.

JOHN C. HOWELL, *Chief of Bureau.*

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS TO BE SUPPLIED TO THE NAVY YARDS UNDER THE COGNIZANCE OF THE BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
Washington, D. C., August 21, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS to furnish Timber and other materials for the Navy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878, will be received at this Bureau until Tuesday, 12 o'clock M., the 25th of September next, at which time the bids will be opened.

The proposals must be addressed to the "*Chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair, Navy Department, Washington,*" and must be indorsed "*Proposals for Supplies, &c., for the Navy,*" that they may be distinguished from ordinary business letters.

To prevent confusion, and facilitate the opening of the bids, parties bidding to supplies at several yards will enclose their bids in separate envelopes for each yard, indorsed with the name of the yard for which the bid is made.

Printed schedules for such classes as parties deal in and intend to bid for, together with instructions to bidders, giving the forms of proposal, of guarantee, and of certificate of guarantors, with printed forms of offer, will be furnished to such persons as desire to bid, on application to the Commandants of the respective Navy Yards, and those of all the yards on application to the Bureau.

The Commandant of each Navy Yard, and the purchasing Paymaster for each Station, will have a copy of the schedules of the other yards, for examination only, in order that persons who intend to bid may judge whether it is desirable to make application for any of the classes of those yards.

The proposals must be for the whole of a class, but the Department reserves the right to reduce the whole class, should the interest of the Government require it, before the execution of the contract. All applications for information, or for the examination of samples, must be made to the Commandants of the respective yards.

Bids or orders will be received only from parties who are bona fide dealers in, or manufacturers of the articles they offer to furnish. The guarantors must be certified by the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside.

The contract will be awarded to the person who makes the lowest bid and gives the guarantee required by law, the Navy Department, however, reserving the right to reject the lowest bid, or any which it may deem excessive.

Under the provisions of section 3709 of the Revised Statutes, the offer of any person who, as principal or surety, has been a defaulter in any previous contract with the Navy Department will not be received.

Sureties in the full amount will be required to sign the contract, and their responsibility must be certified to the satisfaction of the Navy Department.

An additional security twenty per centum will be withheld from the amount of the bills until the contracts shall have been completed, and eighty per centum of the amount of each bill, approved in triplicate by the Commandants of the respective yards, will be paid by the Paymaster of the station designated in the contract, or, if none is specified, by the Paymaster at the station against the yard where the goods are delivered, within ten days after the warrant for the same shall have been passed by the Secretary of the Navy.

The classes for this Bureau are numbered and designated as follows:

No. 1, White Oak Plank—Oregon Pine Dock Plank at Mare Island yard; No. 7, Yellow Pine Logs—Oregon Pine Logs at Mare Island yard; No. 8, Yellow Pine Boards—Yellow Pine Boards at Mare Island yard; No. 9, Yellow Pine Mast Timber; No. 18, White Pine Plank, Boards—Sugar Pine Plank and Boards at Mare Island yard; No. 15, White Ash, Elm, Beech—White Ash and Redwood at Mare Island yard; No. 16, White Ash, Elm, Beech; No. 8, Black Walnut, Mahogany, Maple, Cherry; No. 22, Cypress, Cedar; No. 23, Black Spruce; No. 25, Lignum-Vitæ; No. 32, Wrought Iron, round and square; No. 33, Wrought Iron, flat; No. 34, Iron, plate; No. 35, Steel; No. 37, Iron Spikes; No. 38, Iron Wrought Nails; No. 39, Iron Cut Nails; No. 42, Lead, pipe, sheet; No. 43, Zinc; No. 44, Tin; No. 48, Locks, Hinges, Bolts of brass and iron; No. 49, Screws, of brass and iron; No. 50, Files; No. 51, Augers; No. 52, Tools for ship stores; No. 53, Tools for use in yard and shops; No. 54, Hardware; No. 56, White Lead; No. 57, Zinc Paints; No. 58, Colored Paints, Dryers; No. 59, Linseed Oil; No. 60, Varnish, Spirits Turpentine; No. 62, Sperm and Lard Oil; No. 64, Tallow, Soap; No. 65, Fish Oil; No. 66, Glass; No. 68, Bedding; No. 70, Dry Goods for upholstering; No. 71, Stationery; No. 72, Crucibles; No. 73, Ship Chandlery; No. 74, Acids; No. 75, Rosin, Pitch, Crude Turpentine; No. 77, Belting, Packing; No. 78, Leather, pump, rigging, lacing; No. 80, Junk; No. 85, Anthracite Coal; No. 87, Bituminous Coal; No. 88, Charcoal, Coke; No. 89, Wood.

The following are the classes, by the numbers, required at the respective Navy Yards:

PORTSMOUTH.

Nos. 4, 13, 15, 16, 18, 25, 32, 33, 35, 37, 38, 39, 42, 44, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 60, 63, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 74, 77, 78, 80, 87.

BOSTON.

Nos. 13, 15, 16, 18, 25, 35, 38, 39, 42, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 56, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 74, 75, 77, 78, 80, 88.

NEW YORK.

Nos. 9, 16, 22, 32, 33, 37, 42, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 77, 78, 80, 85.

LEAGUE ISLAND.

Nos. 9, 18, 25, 32, 34, 35, 39, 42, 43, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 56, 58, 60, 63, 68, 69, 70, 71, 74, 75, 80, 87, 88.

WASHINGTON.

Nos. 9, 22, 32, 33, 39, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 77, 78, 87, 88, 89.

NORFOLK.

Nos. 9, 13, 15, 16, 18, 22, 25, 32, 33, 34, 35, 37, 39, 44, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 73, 77, 78.

MARE ISLAND.

Nos. 7, 8, 9, 13, 16, 24, 32, 35, 42, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 65, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 76, 85 aug 28-11-18

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THE YOUNG LADIES OF ST. JOHN'S CHOIR, and others interested in the Children's Home, will hold a Fair of Fancy Articles at the CHAPEL ON STATE STREET, on Wednesday, Sept. 5th.

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REASONABLE PRICES.

REAL PEBBLES at Low Prices.

☞ Call in and get a fit.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
U. S. MARINE CORPS,
Washington, August 28, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, M. of Tuesday, the 4th day of October next, for furnishing supplies to the United States Marine Corps, during the fiscal year ending 30th June 1878, to be delivered at the office of the Assistant Quartermaster, Philadelphia, Pa., free of expense to the United States.

Schedules of the supplies required can be obtained, and the standard samples seen, at the office of the Quartermaster, Washington, D. C., Assistant Quartermaster's Office, No. 226 South Fourth Street, Philadelphia, Marine Barracks, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Boston, Mass.

Blank forms of proposal and all information desired can be had by applying at either of the places named above.

Proposals to be endorsed on the Envelope "Proposals for Supplies" and addressed to

W. B. SLACK,
4-11-18-25 *Major and Quartermaster.*

NOTICE--KEARSARGE MILLS.

WE regret our inability to get machinery, etc., ready next Monday, as proposed August 1st, and the Mills will not be started until MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH, 1877, after which we hope to run regularly.

Per order of the Treasurer.

E. H. ADAMS, Agent Kearsarge Mills.

Portsmouth, August 30th, 1877.

DINING ROOMS.

Nos. 19 & 21 Fleet Street, Corner Congress,

Under Franklin Hall.

MEALS at all HOURS!

Open SUNDAYS from 8 A. M. to 9 P. M.

DANIEL WEBSTER, - - - - Proprietor

Real Estate.

House To Let.

A CHOICE TENEMENT of five rooms at No. 30 Hanover Street, very cheap.

Inquire of LEWIS E. SMITH.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET.

Apply at 5 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Cour. Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to

March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HALF-HOUSE ON MELCHER STREET, near Pleasant. Seven rooms, water in house; rent low to a good tenant. Apply at

No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street.

For particulars apply to

WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square

or HENRY A. YEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market Street.

To Rent.

PART OF HOUSE corner of Lincoln and Miller Avenue. Apply at the house.

For Sale.

HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET.

Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Driscoe.

Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,

at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

For Sale or To Let.

THE very desirable BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 16 ISLINGTON ST. belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. Andrew Hussey. House contains twelve rooms and has a Brick Stable and large Garden attached. Possession given September 1st.

For terms apply to

J. W. STAVERS, 64 Islington St.

Portsmouth, July 24, 1877.

Farm for Sale.

THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 28x33 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 22x60 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.

For further particulars enquire of

JAMES JANVRIN,

No. 38 South Street.

Lots of Land for Sale.

THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq.

Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.

WILLIAM B. HACKETT.

NOTICE TO PENSIONERS.

JOHN P. COOPER, Clerk in the late Pension Agency in this city, would inform Pensioners that he may be found at the office of W. H. Rolfine, Esq., entrance corner of Market street and Market Square, where he will attend to executing and forwarding Vouchers to their respective agencies. ts4

SUMMER LAP ROBES CHEAP

—AT—

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8 & 10 VAUGHAN STREET.

EXCURSIONS TO THE SHOALS

ON STEAMER APPLEDORE,

CAPT. WM. ROBINSON,

Every Other Thursday.

Commencing on July 12th, and continuing on July 26th, Aug. 9th, Aug. 23d, and Sept. 6th.

TICKETS 75 CENTS for round trip. For sale only by J. C. BUTLER.

All tickets sold on board the boat will be charged at full rates.

SMITH'S LAUNDRY,

31 Penhallow Street, - - - - - Portsmouth, N. H.

HAVING increased my facilities, I am prepared to work at very low prices. CLOTHES WASHED AND DRIED AT 50 CENTS PER DOZEN. Contracts made for family work. We will make it every one's advantage to call and see us.

☞ Take notice of this. We can keep every family's wash separate and not mix one with another.

No Chinaman employed at this establishment.

J. HAYDN SMITH, Proprietor.

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PURCHASE AGENCY.

FOR the convenience of those at the seashore or in neighboring towns, invalids and others who wish to have shopping done in Boston. By collecting purchases and sending under one express or by mail, and by saving the expense of visits to the city, it is intended to make the Agency an Economy as well as a convenience. For particulars as to charges, etc., address

Miss C. J. Kelly,

11 HAMILTON PLACE, BOSTON,

who will attend promptly to orders and who refers by permission to Mrs. A. Hemenway, Mrs. Robert S. Storer, Mrs. R. W. Emerson, Mrs. W. H. Forbes and others.

NOTE.—Many stores are now closing desirable goods at low prices to make room for autumn stocks.

THIN CLOTHING

Selling Off Cheap!

THIN COATS, from 50 cents upwards.
LONG DUSTERS, from $1.50 to $3.00.
THIN PANTS, from 75 cents to $2.00.
THIN VESTS, from $1.00 to $2.00.

—ALSO—

UNDERSHIRTS, SOCKS,
FANCY OVERSHIRTS,
in Cotton and Blue Flannel;
BOYS' BLUE FLANNEL SUITS,
ETC., ETC., ETC.

☞ All of which we are closing out at remarkably low figures.

No. 3 Bow Street,

C. E. MYERS & CO.

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PRIVATE SCHOOL.

MISS C. I. HAM will reopen her School on Summer Street, MONDAY, Sept. 3.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.35 A. M.,	3.00, 5.50† P. M
" Way,		10.35 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	5.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.30 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.30 "	5.30 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

[Communicated.]

THAT "MARINE MYSTERY."

Mr. Editor: Here is this meat in the nut cracked by your correspondents:

I quote again from Coroner Whittier's note in the *Army and Navy Journal* of Aug. 11, as follows: "The law of New Hampshire places the power to order an inquest in the hands of the Mayor and Aldermen; and the Coroner can have recourse only to an appeal to the County Solicitor."

Also from my note in the CHRONICLE, Aug. 16th: "The Coroner misunderstands the law. The Coroner may always and at any time hold an inquest whenever he thinks proper." "The Mayor had no power peremptorily to refuse an inquest, if that means to grant the right to hold one; the only power he or the Aldermen have is to refuse to authorize and request an inquest at the public expense."

Also from the Coroner's note in the CHRONICLE, Aug. 30: "Justice to myself, as well as a full and proper interpretation of the law, prompts me to notice the specious reasoning of your correspondent." "It is true that the coroner can hold an inquest upon his own responsibility, but without the authority for so doing from the city, town or country, he cannot compel the attendance or service of a juror, witness or law officer, without first tendering to each his full fee—and obliging himself to assume the entire expense of an inquest."

If the Coroner had said so at the first, I should not have felt impelled to call attention to the law. There is now no difference between us. I am willing that he should say "quibble" and "misinterpretation" and "specious reasoning" and "unworthy and unfair," when speaking of my correction of his first statement. He has learned the law now so as to state it correctly, and I am satisfied. Yours, P.

[Communicated.]

THE PESTILENCE RESERVOIRS.

A petition is in circulation asking the Board of Aldermen to take prompt and decided action in the matter of preventing the city cesspools (called millponds) from being longer used as storage reservoirs for sewage. The petition is as follows:

To the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

We, the subscribers, respectfully ask that you instruct the Board of Health to cause to be removed such piggeries, privies and other nuisances as are so situated as to endanger the public health and to promote disease. Also, to see that all drains entering into the two millponds be continued to low water mark.

Mr. Editor: Complaint is being justly made of the offensive and unhealthy emanations of the millponds, and none too soon, for I believe that the unusual amount of sickness in the city, especially at the south end, and several deaths within a few weeks, may justly be laid to malaria—a preventable cause, in this city. But the poisonous effluvium from Puddle Dock, and the *absolutely horrible* smells from the slaughter-house on its edge, are not mentioned. One of your correspondents complains of having to shut his (or her) chamber window one night on account of the stench from the North Millpond; I have not been able to keep a window open in my house after nightfall a half-dozen of the hot nights this summer, owing to the overpowering stench from Puddle Dock and the slaughter house. Is there another city of the size of ours anywhere that permits the existence of slaughter houses and piggeries in its densest centres of population? PUDDLE DOCKER.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, September 3d.

James W. Goodwin, for a breach of the Sunday law, was fined $10, costs $6.90. Paid.

THE WRECKED BRIG.

The brig Clara J. Adams, wrecked Saturday afternoon in the river, is seven years old, registers 470 tons, and is uninsured. She had on board when she struck 628 tons of coal, consigned to Concord parties. The captain (Laithwaite) lays all the blame of the accident on the pilot, (Mr. John Amazeen, of Newcastle,) asserting that he (the captain) offered to hire a tug, but the pilot declared one not needed; he had worked heavier vessels up the river and could bring the Adams up all right. The brig struck the point at the Narrows and remained there some little time; then got off, hung for a while at one of the large buoys, sheered off and let go an anchor, and went on the ledge. The brig kept in apparently good condition all Saturday night, but bilged on Sunday morning about eight o'clock, Mr. Joseph Muchmore being alongside her when she bilged and distinctly hearing the crash of the rocks through her bottom. She is now hogged, her butts opened badly, and the water at high tide covering the starboard rail from the cathead to the poop. She will not probably come off until all her cargo is discharged, and will not be worth much when she does come off.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Speaking of dog-days—

It will be seen by the advertisements that Smith's Laundry and clothes cleaning and repairing establishment has been removed from 37 Market street to 31 Penhallow street, just around the corner from Market street.

Hon. George P. Sanger, United States Attorney for the District of Massachusetts, is paying a brief visit to this city with his wife, who is a native of Portsmouth. Mr. Sanger taught a private school in this city from November, 1840, to some time in 1842. His school room was over Leonard Akerman's (now Charles C. Akerman's) store on State street, and he numbered among his pupils many who now occupy prominent positions in this and other cities.

At the time Sheriff Kent was investigating the Boar's Head Hotel robbery, he met at the beach three suspicious and well-known (to him) men from Massachusetts. He gave the parties warning that they had better vacate his jurisdiction, and also wrote to the chairman of Hampton's board of selectmen, giving him a full description of the men, and also their names and aliases. The parties soon left the beach for other quarters, and last Saturday one of them was arrested in Haverhill, Mass., for stealing a horse in Manchester, and another one for stealing a valuable shawl in Haverhill. They were undoubtedly at Hampton Beach for evil purposes.

A base-ball wind set in from the northwest on Monday.

The last excursion to the Shoals under the auspices of the Woman's Temperance League comes off to-day, per steamer Appledore. Tickets for sale by David Kimball & Co., at 75 cts. for the round trip; children under 12 years of age, half price.

An agent is now in this city to procure subscribers to a lithographed "bird's-eye view of Portsmouth," size 22x28 inches. The view is taken from a point over Noble's island, and shows most of Christian Shore, (falling to take in, however, the Almshouse and Hon. Frank Jones' residence,) both mill-ponds (minus the smell) and all that part of the city south of the North Millpond, with Little Harbor, a portion of Newcastle, the land down to the sea, and the sea out to and including the Isles of Shoals. It is one of the best things of the kind we have ever seen, and we believe it will "take" well. Every street (and every house in every street) is represented, so far as we could tell from a cursory examination, and the style of architecture of each building is followed in the picture. Mr. A. Ruger, of Boston, is the artist; he has been engaged for some time in such work, and among other cities thus pictured by him is Dover, where a very large number of lithographs have been subscribed for. The agent will call upon our citizens this week, and exhibit the original drawing of this city from which the lithograph is to be made.

Colonel Arthur McArthur Eastman, the projector of the Direct United States Cable Company, died at Manchester on Monday morning, aged 68 years.

The lower room in the School street schoolhouse, which has long been in a thoroughly wretched condition, has been improved by the laying of a new floor, general re-painting, and the adding of eighty new benches, and is now one of the best instruction rooms in the city. It has been a disgrace to the city for a long time, and we are glad to know that it has been made decent at last.

The interest of J. C. Carr (being the right to redrem) in certain encumbered real estate in this city was sold by Morse & Ilsley on Monday. Store and land No. 72 State street, was purchased by Samuel S. Frye for $2975; store and land Nos. 22 and 24 Market street by Thomas H. Odion, for $6710. The store and dwelling house at the corner of State and Washington streets was not sold. The book accounts belonging to the estate of Mr. Carr, several promissory notes and one mortgage on real estate in Portsmouth were sold to different individuals.

United States Deputy Marshal Morse attached the locomotives on the Portsmouth, Great Falls and Conway Railroad, Saturday, which were previously attached by Sheriff Kent. The last writ was in favor of the Eastern Railroad. Sheriff Morse retained the same keepers in charge. This action will cause another conflict of authority.

Col. J. C. Butler's last steamboat excursion to the Shoals takes place on Thursday next. As this will probably be the last excursion of the season, as well as of Col. Butler's series, it is expected to be as liberally patronized as the previous ones. Tickets for the round trip, at 75 cts. each, for sale *only* by Col. Butler. See advertisement.

Mr. Fred. G. Moses is on a visit home from Florida, where he has been engagnd in orange culture for three years or more. Mr. Wallace H. Moses, with his family, remains on his plantation on the Indian River, and will have 1000 trees down next year, when about 200 will commence bearing. Fred. returns to Florida shortly, having purchased some real estate on an island in the Indian River, which promises remunerative results. Success to them both.

We are requested to state that there will be no game of base ball at the Plains this afternoon, as has been previously announced.

Mr. Gardner M. Goodrich is keeping the Gerrish's Island Hotel for the season.

In autumn days—say days like these—if one can go where'er he please, and every chance of pleasure seize, why not the seashore seek with speed, ere old time sends him off to seed?

Mr. James W. Lord, formerly of this city, is now located at Westmoreland Depot, N. H.

There will be a rehearsal of the Portsmouth Music Society this (Tuesday) evening at Grange Hall, commencing at eight o'clock.

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PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfeb16 78

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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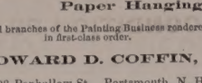

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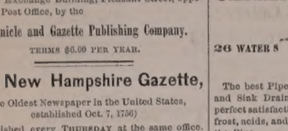

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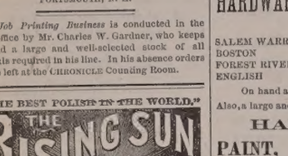

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied, or within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flats or marshes adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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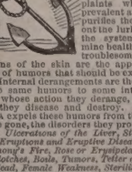

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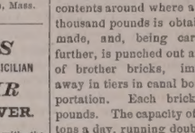

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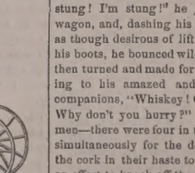

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 20 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Utilizing what has been Coal Waste.

"Out of every four tons of coal brought to the surface of the earth, one ton is ground to powder in breaking, and goes to waste," says the President of a prominent coal company in Pennsylvania. Prizes have been widely offered for the best means of utilizing culm, as the waste is technically called. No attempts to utilize culm economically have heretofore been successful. In Belgium and England, however, bituminous coal dust, called "slack," has been for a few years past made into bricks to be used for fuel. It is used instead of bituminous coal. It remained for an American firm to experiment with anthracite coal dust. The result was first publicly shown on the 30th of August to a party of prominent coal dealers and scientific men of New York city. The works are on the Hudson river at Port Ewen, a mile below Rondout, and are surrounded by water. The process of converting the culm into fuel is simple. An elevator, similar to that used for storing grain, transfers it from the canal boats coming from Honesdale into two lofty bins, holding 260 tons each. A third receiver is for bitumen, brought also in canal boats from a few miles down the river. This is used mainly to stick the culm together so that it may be made into blocks. Ten per cent. is used to ninety of culm. It is crushed nearly as fine as culm, and immediately mixed before it can solidify. A screw conveyor dumps the mixture into a large upright cylinder, where it is heated to 600 degrees Fahrenheit. The pitch is liquified, and is fused with and absorbed by the coal dust. Then the mixture drops into moulds in a revolving horizontal wheel at the bottom of the same cylinder. The wheel, revolving, carries the moulds and contents around where a presure of thirty thousand pounds is obtained, the brick is made, and, being carried around still further, is punched out and, with thousands of brother bricks, immediately packed away in tiers in canal boats ready for transportation. Each brick weighs fifteen pounds. The capacity of the works is 250 tons a day, running double time. The production for this year will be, it is estimated, 40,000 tons.—*New York Sun.*

Bitten by a Tarantula.

A party of Sacramentans returned home last evening from a trip to the mountains, bringing with them two deer skins, one wild cat skin, and a few other trophies, including two tarantulas—dead ones. They had a little incident attending the transportation of these specimens, which occasioned considerable alarm. It occurred in Mache Creek Canyon, on Wednesday, as they were returning home. The tarantulas, for lack of a better receptacle, were inclosed in a cigar box when caught, about ten days ago, and this box, carefully tied up, was deposited beneath the seat of the vehicle. While they were jolting through the canyon the seat slipped and the two men occupying it found themselves dropped suddenly into the bottom of the wagon. One of them struck the cigar box, crushed it, and immediately felt that something had hurt him. A glance showed him that he was resting on the tarantulas, and with a yell of "I'm stung! I'm stung!" he jumped from the wagon, and, dashing his hands behind him, as though desirous of lifting himself out of his boots, he bounced wildly along the road, then turned and made for the wagon, shouting to his amazed and greatly alarmed companions, "Whiskey! Quick! I'm dying! Why don't you hurry?" The other three men—there were four in the party—reached simultaneously for the demijohn, broke off the cork in their haste to pull it out, and in an effort to knock off the neck of the demijohn, to save time, broke the entire concern, and nearly all the contents were lost. About a pint of the liquid was saved, however, and without as much as saying, "Here's luck!" the party that was bitten swallowed it. Soon he began to feel better, and eventually felt so remarkably well that it was evident the poison had been forced to succumb. Then the work of straightening up the contents of the wagon was commenced, and the tarantula box was carefully lifted out and examined, when behold! the "bugs" were found perfectly lifeless, and so dry and stiff that it was evident that they had been dead more than twenty-four hours, while a couple of tacks in the broken cover of the box conveyed a very good hint as to the nature of the injury which the bold hunter had declared to be tarantula bite.—*Sacramento Union.*

A Rattlesnakes' Den.

A singular discovery was recently made in the mountains, six miles southwest of Great Bend, Penn. A party of berry pickers, numbering sixteen, while passing through the mountains near Susquehanna station, on the line of the Erie railway, had their attention directed to a small clump of bushes, near where they were picking berries, by the fierce barking of a dog which accompanied them. Two of the party, George Brink and Joseph Hilferty, went to see what the matter was. As they neared the dog it barked more furiously. Walking cautiously on, they were startled by a loud and continuous rattling which at once suggested rattlesnakes. They did not go any further, but, marking the spot, returned and informed the company. The rest of the gentlemen, four in number, each seizing a club, followed Brink and Hilferty into the thicket. The dog was still in the same

place, barking furiously. Club in hand, the six descended a small declivity, near the bottom of which they saw a terrible picture. Lying on stones and sticks were hundreds of huge rattlesnakes, coiled and rattling fiercely. The men, not caring to approach too near, began stoning the reptiles from a distance. They succeeded in killing thirty-nine, the rest, thought to have been several hundred, making their escape into the rocks and underbrush.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1877.

Disastrous Fire.

A fire caught in the third story of J. P. Hale's piano manufactory, in New York, Monday forenoon, from a pot of varnish which was being warmed on a stove. The man who was tending the varnish instantly gave the alarm, but the fire spread with great rapidity and cut off the retreat of most of the operatives on the upper floors, many of whom lost their lives. The building was eight stories high, and burned so fiercely that the firemen could do no effectual work toward extinguishing the fire or saving the people in the upper stories. Many of the workmen and some women were badly injured, and several killed, by jumping from the windows; others were seen to fall back from the windows into the fire and smoke. How many lives were lost could not be ascertained, the estimates varying from ten to fifty. One fire engine was destroyed, and over fifty buildings were burned, many of them being lofty tenement houses; the Gospel Tent, a barrel factory, silk factory, pork packing house, boiler shop, patent roofing factory, and several warehouses, were also burned. The pecuniary loss is estimated at from a half million to a million dollars.

The Eastern War.

The correspondent of the London *News* visited Shipka Pass on Friday, Aug. 31st, and says: "Suleiman Pasha has abandoned the attempt on the Russian position and marched away from the neigborhood of Shipka. Some say he is still at Xazantik, and others that he is searching for another pass. My belief is that he is engaged in trying to reorganize his shattered forces. There remain still confronting the Russians a few battalions of Egyptians, with some cannon on the heights, and a few more miscellaneous battalions in the village of Shipka. Several Russian re-enforcements have been marched back, and General Nepokoitschitzky, the Chief of Staff, was returning from his visit to the Pass, quite relieved and satisfied with the position." A Constantinople despatch on the 3d inst. says Suleiman Pasha reports the cannonading begun again on Saturday and continued through Sunday; the Turks acknowledge a loss of 7000 at Shipka.

The Turkish losses in the battle near Pelisata were very heavy; the Russians, who acted on the defensive, lost 1100 killed and wounded.

Row in Washington.

For some time past the columns of the Washington *Republican* have been unremitting in their assaults upon the Solicitor of the Treasurer, Judge Kenneth L. Raynor of North Carolina, his age and physical infirmities having been alluded to in a manner not at all gentlemanly or commendable. On Monday the paper had the following: "It has now transpired that the Right Hon. Kenneth Raynor, Solicitor of the Treasury, has been enabled to maintain perpetual bloom of youth by the constant and generous use of strong plug tobacco." The correspondent of the *Post* says that "for more than a week Raynor has declared that if he ever encountered A. W. Soteldo, managing editor of the paper, there would be blood. Only last week the old man went to the newspaper office armed with a North Carolina horse pistol to slay or to be slain. Just as the female clerks were departing from their day's work on Monday, Raynor met Soteldo on the steps of the Treasury, and with a violent expletive assaulted him with his fists. The first blow being unexpected, the editor received it full in the mouth and the old man got the first blood. The assailed party recovered quickly, and retorted in kind, but a friend threw himself into the breach, and by covering Raynor's face with his hand saved him from severe punishment." The parties were separated by friends, and a warrant was procured for Raynor's arrest. The *Globe* correspondent gives the following as the reason for the *Republican's* assaults upon Raynor: "Some time ago Soteldo came to his office and requested him to address a letter to District-Attorney Wells to revoke further proceedings against a Mr. Grow, alleged to have forged an endorsement on a check on Caleb Tompkins of Georgia for a claim awarded by the Southern Claims Commission, amounting to $1600. The evidence before the Solicitor was, he says, clear and conclusive, and he refused to comply. Since then he has been pursued by these newspaper attacks."

News and Notes.

Gold was down to 103 3-8 on Tuesday,—the lowest point reached since the war. If there had been less talk about specie payment we should have had it before now.

A three-story brick house which was being raised in Cincinnati, fell with a crash on Monday afternoon, killing one woman and two men, and seriously injuring several others.

Ex-President Thiers, of France, died very suddenly at St. Germain on Monday evening.

Assistant Secretary of the Treasury McCormick is to retire and have a foreign mission, and Hon. Edward McPherson, chief of the bureau of engraving and printing, will take Mr. McCormick's place in the Treasury.

An ice-machine in Dallas, Texas, just finished, produces ice-cakes thirty feet long and six feet wide, weighing from ten thousand to twelve thousand pounds each. They are formed by freezing fine rain or spray. When the freezing is done the bottom and sides of the cakes are thawed loose from the inclined plane, and the cakes slides out upon a platform, where it is cut into pieces six feet square. Four cakes a day are frozen.

At Philadelphia last week, a flagman shouted to a drunken man to get off the track and out of the way of the rapidly approaching cars. As the warning was not heeded the flagman sprang on the track and attempted to push the other off, when the latter turned and seized his would-be savior with vice-like grip and after a brief struggle they fell across the rails and were run over, receiving injuries from which both shortly after died.

The city council of Indianapolis, a short time ago, as a measure of economy, ordered the chief engineer of the fire department to abandon the use of one hundred fire plugs to be selected from different parts of the city. The water works company, which had been receiving $50 per year for each plug, protested against this measure, and as this seemed likely to be ineffectual, it has now ordered that unless the objectionable resolution be rescinded within thirty days, the water will be shut off from all the remaining plugs and from the public buildings of every character, thus leaving the city at the mercy of fire. The contest was undecided at latest advices.

Early Monday morning the new house of Banfield Judkins, Effingham Falls, Me., was entirely destroyed by fire, together with a portion of the furniture. A boy playing with matches was the cause. No insurance.

The Emperor of Austria, having learned of the existence of an Austrian military company in San Francisco, and wishing to make them an appropriate gift emblematic of their nationality, desired them through his consul in that city, to select a suitable uniform to be furnished at his expense. The company accordingly chose the beautiful uniform of the Imperial Jaegers of Vienna, and the complete outfit for one hundred and fifty men is expected to arrive from Austria in about two months.

Indianapolis, Ind., is agitated over a civil rights case involving the Hyers troupe of colored singers, familiar hereabouts. They are out under the auspices of Redpath's Boston bureau, whose agent engaged board for them at the Grand Hotel. After stopping for several days and eating in the best di ning room, the singers were told that they must eat in another room. This they refused to do, and the waiters were ordered not to serve them. Then Manager Hyers went out and got dinner at a restaurant, which he took in to his people, and they ate it on the dining room table. The next day he was not allowed to carry in the outside food, so smuggled in sandwiches and cold chicken in his pocket. Here the story provokingly stops. The hotel people announced that the "niggers" shouldn't enter the dining room again, and the singers, acting with legal advice, had given out that they should at least try to, while the local papers are denouncing the "outrage."

New Hampshire Items.

John Hartwell of Warren recently captured a hawk while in the act of killing a crow. The hawk was so occupied with his prey that Mr. Hartwell stepped up behind the bushes and seized them both alive.

A fair was held in Academy Hall, Gilmanton Corner, Wednesday evening, August 22, for the benefit of the Congregational society. Over a hundred and seventy-five were present and the sum of one hundred and thirty dollars was taken, the expenses to be deducted being little or nothing.

The wife of Ira Kelsea of Columbia committed suicide Monday by cutting her throat.

The report of the Railroad Commissioners for this State shows that the total length of railroads—main tracks and branches—now in operation within the limits of this State is 938.04 miles. During the past year the Concord railroad has laid 501 tons of steel rails; the Cheshire Railroad 600 tons and the Northern 195 tons. Eight persons have been killed on the railroads in this State during the past year, but without any fault on the part of the employes of the roads.

The old stone paper mill known as the Claremont Manufacturing Company's mill was burned Sunday night. Through the efficiency of the fire department the office, bindery and printing department were saved. Cause of fire unknown. Loss $10,000; fully insured.

Late Sunday night word was brought to Hon. J. W. Johnson, at Enfield Centre, that Scales, his wool thief, was at the house of Aaron Rowell, in Springfield, near George's Mills. Mr. Johnson and Sheriff Cox together with a posse, arrived at Rowell's at three o'clock Monday morning, some sixteen miles. Sheriff Cox entered to arrest Scales, the others surrounding the house. Seeing all chance for escape cut off from below, Scales made his way into the attic and desperately jumped from a window almost into the arms of one of the party, and instantly darted off at lightning speed for the woods, having on nothing but his pants and shirt. Pursuit was made and four pistol shots fired at him, but without effect. They were too sure of him, as it was only an hour or two before daylight, when he could easily have been captured. He is well armed and desperate, and will fight for his liberty if he has any chance.

Political.

Marcellus Emery, the able editor and unmitigated Bourbon who runs the Bangor *Commercial*, is mad. After the Maine democrats had made up a nice platform, composed entirely of "fraud" planks, out came the party candidate for Governor and proceeded to split the platform all to 'pieces. Marcellus accordingly "goes for" the democratic candidate even more savagely than Capt. Boutelle, of the Bangor *Whig*, goes for "the policy." But Emery keeps the names of the democratic nominees at the head of the *Commercial's* columns, and makes this grim response to a correspondent who enquires why he keeps in that position the name of a man he is so angry with: "Those who are familiar with the internal workings of newspaper offices understand that, in times when advertising is dull, it is no unusual thing for them to run *dead* matter."

Gen. Durbin Ward has introduced a fresh discord into the democratic chorus in Ohio, by making a speech in favor of an inconvertible currency. Instead of clamoring for inflation, he says: "Let greenbacks enough be retired to raise them to par." Instead of charging the hard times to the efforts toward resumption, he says they are due to the "irredeemable paper credit money," and argues that this species of money must be abandoned before financial health can be restored. He even goes further, and admits that the republican party only claimed the right to issue paper money as a war power, and wisely limited the issue to four hundred millions. Gen. Ward has the coolness to base all this truthfulness on the party platform, and to rejoice over the interconvertible phrase in that remarkable document as a great triumph for hard money. The inflation democrat is white with rage, and is barely able to articulate: "Even John Sherman dares not go so far wrong as this!"

We cannot prate about, or vaunt "the honor of Virginia," and at the same time demand the "readjustment" of a debt that represents only two-thirds of the amount we originally contracted to pay. The two positions are wholly incompatible; and we may expect to be the butt of ridicule so long as we attempt to occupy this false and dishonorable attitude before the world. —*Lynchburg Virginian* (dem.)

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103¾
U.S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
United States Five-Twenties	110
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106¼
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1878	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. scrip	53½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	90
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	115
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	3½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	104½
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	96
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	89½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	3½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	69

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS.

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,

Washington, August 29, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS for each class separately, indorsed "Proposals for Class No. (name the class,) for the Navy Yard at (name the yard,)" will be received at this office until 10 o'clock, A. M., of the 27th of September, at which hour the opening of the bids will be commenced for furnishing and delivering at the several Navy Yards, and Naval Asylum, the materials and articles embraced in printed schedules, which, with form of offer and guarantee, and printed instructions, will be furnished on application, and sent by mail, if so requested, to persons desiring to offer to contract for any or all the classes named therein, by the Commandants of the several Navy Yards, for the classes for the Yard under their command, or by the Purchasing Paymaster nearest thereto, or by the Bureau for any or all the Yards and Asylum.

The classes of this Bureau are numbered and designated as follows: Class No. 1, Brick; No. 2, Stone; No. 3, Yellow Pine Timber; No. 4, Yellow Pine Lumber; No. 5, Oak and Hardwood; No. 6, White Pine, Spruce, Juniper and Cypress; No. 7, Lime, Hair and Plaster; No. 8, Cement; No. 9, Gravel and Sand; No. 10, Molding and Fire Sand and Fire Clay; No. 10, Slate; No. 11, Iron, Iron Rails and Spikes; No. 12, Steel; No. 14, Files; No. 15, Paints, Oils and Glass; No. 16, Ship Chandlery; No. 17, Hardware; No. 18, Stationery; No. 20, Hay and Straw; No. 21, Provender; No. 22, Charcoal; No. 23, Belting, Packing and Hose; No. 24, Sperm and Lubricating Oils; No. 24½, Illuminating Oils; No. 25, Iron work, Piping, &c.; No. 26, August 27 Anthracite Coal; No. 28, Bituminous Coal; No. 31, Copper and Composition Nails; No. 32, Machinery and Tools, &c.

NAVAL ASYLUM, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Class No. 1, Clothing; No. 2, Boots and Shoes; No. 3, Provisions; No. 4, Groceries; No. 5, Dry Goods; No. 6, Bread; No. 7, Tobacco; No. 8, Coal and Wood; No. 9, Paints, Oils and Glass; No. 11, Lumber; No. 13, Provender; No. 14, Miscellaneous; No. 15, Hardware.

The following are the classes, by their numbers, required at the respective Navy Yards and Naval Asylum:

BOSTON, MASS.

Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27.

BROOKLYN, N. Y.

Nos. 1, 2½, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 9½, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 30.

LEAGUE ISLAND, PHILA., PA.

Nos. 5, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24½, 25, 27, 30, 32.

NORFOLK, VA.

Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 31, 32.

PENSACOLA, FLA.

Nos. 5, 7, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 24, 32.

MARE ISLAND, CAL.

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 29.

NAVAL ASYLUM, PHILA. PA.

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15.

The Bureau reserves the right to reject any or all bids, as the interest of the service may require.

JOHN C. HOWELL, *Chief of Bureau.*

Proposals for Carpets.

PAYMASTER'S OFFICE, NAVY YARD, KITTERY, ME., August 25th, 1877.

Proposals in duplicate, sealed and endorsed "Bid for supplies advertised," will be received at this office until 12 o'clock Thursday, September 20th, for the following supplies to be delivered free of expense at the Navy Yard, Kittery, Maine, subject to the usual inspection, viz.:

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS.

65 yards Parlor Carpet;
155 yards Chamber Carpet (3 rooms);
52 yards Hall Carpet (2 halls).

The carpets to be of the best quality 5 frame English body Brussels, and to be made up ready for putting down.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids that may not be deemed advantageous to the Government and to have a selection of patterns.

EDWIN PUTNAM,
aug28 sept4 11 18 Paymaster U. S. Navy.

—The Washington Monument is still sinking. If twenty centuries should ever look down from its summit, their chief wonder will be what has become of its base.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 30c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 80c; Northern 90c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 20c.
Flour, Fancy, 10¼ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 50 @ 60c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 35c.
Pork per bll., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 10⅛ @ 11c; Gr. 12; Crushed 12½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 30 @ 75c; Green, 35c. @ $75
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Wanted Immediately.

A GIRL to do general housework, in a family without children. Must be a good cook, washer and ironer. Apply at 100 Islington Street.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE
AT AUCTION.

United States District Court.

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.

In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts: To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 24, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, Mass., at 2 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,800 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,799 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,500 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plans of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 8, 3d division, sec. 6; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 79, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 19, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 34, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 89, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 38.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Gunnison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.

About 16,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Beacon and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

About 9,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, it being lot 105 on plan of Arlington Land Co. office of W. H. Rollins, section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.

All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars in regard to title, etc., inquire of J. M. Twichell.

CHARLES S. SYMONDS,
Assignee.

Cod and Pollock FISH
FOR SALE BY
BUTLER & LAIGHTON,
No. 1 MARKET SQUARE, - - PORTSMOUTH.

Extra Quality Vermont CHEESE
FOR SALE BY
BUTLER & LAIGHTON,
No. 1 MARKET SQUARE, - - PORTSMOUTH.

Choice Vermont Table BUTTER
FOR SALE BY
BUTLER & LAIGHTON,
No. 1 MARKET SQUARE, - - PORTSMOUTH.

Very Best Old Gov't Java COFFEE
FOR SALE BY
BUTLER & LAIGHTON,
No. 1 MARKET SQUARE, - - PORTSMOUTH.

Finest Quality Oolong and Japan TEAS
FOR SALE BY
BUTLER & LAIGHTON,
No. 1 MARKET SQUARE, - - PORTSMOUTH.

New Orleans MOLASSES
FOR SALE BY
BUTLER & LAIGHTON,
No. 1 MARKET SQUARE, - - PORTSMOUTH.

Queen SYRUP
FOR SALE BY
BUTLER & LAIGHTON,
No. 1 MARKET SQUARE, - - PORTSMOUTH.

Ayer's Hair Vigor,
FOR RESTORING GRAY HAIR

TO ITS NATURAL VITALITY AND COLOR.

Advancing years, sickness, care, disappointment, and hereditary predisposition, all turn the hair gray, and either of them incline it to shed prematurely.

AYER'S HAIR VIGOR, by long and extensive use, has proven that it stops the falling of the hair immediately; often renews the growth; and always surely restores its color, when faded or gray. It stimulates the nutritive organs to healthy activity, and preserves both the hair and its beauty. Thus lonely, weak or sickly hair becomes glossy, pliable and strengthened; lost hair regrows with lively expression; falling hair is checked and stabilized; thin hair thickens; and faded or gray hairs resume their original color. Its operation is sure and harmless. It cures dandruff, heals all humors, and keeps the scalp cool, clean and soft—under which conditions, diseases of the scalp are impossible.

As a dressing for ladies' hair, the VIGOR is praised for its grateful and agreeable perfume, and valued for the soft lustre and richness of tone it imparts.

PREPARED BY
Dr. J. C. AYER & CO., Lowell, Mass,
Practical and Analytical Chemists,

Sold by all Druggists and Dealers in Medicine. No. 3.

FAIR
FOR THE
Benefit of Children's Home
ON
Wednesday, Sept. 5th.

THE YOUNG LADIES OF ST. JOHN'S CHOIR, and others interested in the Children's Home, will hold a Fair of Fancy Articles at the CHAPEL ON STATE STREET, on Wednesday, Sept. 5th.

☞ ADMISSION 10 CENTS.

ICE CREAM and CAKE will be for sale at the usual prices.

TO BEACH HOUSE OWNERS!

BEST PLATED WARE,
Crockery, Glass and Cutlery
AT BOTTOM PRICES!

MATRESSES,
LOUNGES and
Second-Hand FURNITURE
CHEAP!
UPHOLSTERING A SPECIALTY.

☞ Regular AUCTION SALES EVERY SATURDAY at 10 o'clock A. M. ☞ Consignments solicited.

AT THE
AUCTION STORE
— OF —
C. DWIGHT HANSCOM & CO.,
No. 16 CONGRESS STREET.

ROOT AND "TONIC" BEER,
SODA WATER IN SIPHON BOTTLES,
Mineral Water and Ginger Ale,
All of my own manufacture.
NEW YORK, CINCINNATI and MILWAUKEE
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In Bottles for Hotel and Family use, in any quantity desired, at VERY LOW PRICES. Orders promptly filled.

SODA WATER in Fountains. Fountains charged at short notice.

C. E. BOYNTON,
18 BOW STREET,.....Portsmouth, N. H.

WINE - CHAMPAGNE - WINE
20 BASKETS H. PIPER & CO'S.
(Quarts and Pints.) For Sale by
Henry F. Gerrish.

BERGNER & ENGEL'S
PHILADELPHIA LAGER!
FOR SALE BY
Henry F. Gerrish.

20 CASES CLARET WINE.
(Pints and Quarts.) For Sale by
Henry F. Gerrish.

10,000 Plantation Cigars
FOR SALE BY
Henry F. Gerrish.

GRASS SEED.
250 Bushels Herds Grass, Clover and Red Top Seed,
FOR SALE BY
Henry F. Gerrish.

SPECTACLES
Of All Kinds
— AT —
HUTCHINSON and CONNELL'S.
REASONABLE PRICES.
REAL PEBBLES at Low Prices.
☞ Call in and get a fit.

NOTICE--KEARSARGE MILLS.

WE regret our inability to get machinery, etc., ready next Monday, as proposed August 1st, and the Mills will not be started until MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH, 1877, after which we hope to run regularly.

For order of the Treasurer.
R. B. ADAMS, Agent Kearsarge Mills.
Portsmouth, August 30th, 1877.

PORTSMOUTH
Trust and Guarantee Company!
Depositors Secured by a Special Deposit Fund of
$100,000 as GUARANTY
"Against all Possible Loss of Every Kind and Nature."

The Company continues to receive sums on deposit as a "SAVINGS BANK," allowing interest therefor. The plan of this institution cannot be better exemplified than by the following extract from a communication from a prominent Bank Examiner:

"I am satisfied that yours is the only true principle upon which a "Savings Bank" ought to be established and which affords *perfect security to every depositor.*"

The Board of Direction is composed of the following gentlemen, viz:

EZRA H. WINCHESTER, President.
JEREMIAH F. HALL, Vice President.

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FRANK JONES,	EZRA H. WINCHESTER,
CHARLES MAIN,	JEREMIAH F. HALL,
DANIEL MARCY,	WILLIAM H. HACKETT,
JOHN SISE,	THOMAS H. ODIOR,

EDWIN A. PETERSON.
GEORGE L. TREADWELL, Treasurer.

January, 16, 1877.

Woodlot for Sale.

A LOT OF FORTY ACRES, more or less, of Pasturage and Woodland, situated in Newington, being a portion of the homestead farm of the late John Fabyan. This lot is mostly covered with a heavy growth of PINE and OAK, the latter suitable for ship timber. It is also well watered, and affords an abundance of feed in the dryest seasons; some portions are suitable for tillage. For further information apply to

S. D. FABYAN, on the premises.
Newington, N. H. August 3th.

Real Estate.

House To Let.

A CHOICE TENEMENT of five rooms at No. 30 Hanover Street, very cheap.
Inquire of LEWIS E. SMITH.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET.
Apply at 3 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to
March 31, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

HALF-HOUSE ON MELCHER STREET, near Pleasant. Seven rooms, water in house; rent low to a good tenant. Apply at
No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street.
For particulars apply to
WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square
or HENRY A. YEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market Street.

To Rent.

PART OF HOUSE corner of Lincoln and Miller Avenue. Apply at the house.

For Sale.

HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET. Also HOUSE and LAND No. 43 WATER STREET, property of the late Joshua H. Driaco.
Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,
at Freeman's Oyster House, Congress St.

For Sale or To Let.

THE very desirable BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 16 ISLINGTON ST. belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. Andrew Hussey. House contains twelve rooms and has a Brick Stable and large Garden attached. Possession given September 1st.
For terms apply to
J. W. STAVERS, 64 Islington St.
Portsmouth, July 24, 1877.

Farm for Sale.

THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of two hundred acres, situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 22x32 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 22x66 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.
For further particulars enquire of
JAMES JANVRIN,
No. 38 South Street.

Lots of Land for Sale.

THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq.

Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

NOTICE TO PENSIONERS,

JOHN P. COOPER, Clerk in the late Pension Agency in this city, would inform Pensioners that he may be found at his office of W. H. Rollins, Esq., entrance corner of Market street and Market Square, where he will attend to executing and forwarding Vouchers to their respective agencies. 1st

SUMMER LAP ROBES CHEAP
— AT —
Shannon & Son's,
3½ 10 VAUGHAN STREET.

EXCURSIONS TO THE SHOALS
ON STEAMER APPLEDORE,
CAPT. WM. ROBINSON,
Every Other Thursday.

Commencing on July 12th, and continuing on July 26th, Aug. 9th, Aug. 23d, and Sept. 6th.
TICKETS 75 CENTS for round trip. For sale only by J. C. BUTLER.
All tickets sold on board the boat will be charged at full rates.

SMITH'S LAUNDRY,
31 Penhallow Street, - - - - Portsmouth, N. H.

HAVING increased my facilities, I am prepared to do work at very low prices. CLOTHES WASHED AND DRIED AT 50 CENTS PER DOZEN. Contracts made for family work. We will make it every one's advantage to call and see us.

☞ Take notice of this. We can keep every family's wash separate and not mix one with another.

No Chinaman employed at this establishment.

J. HAYDN SMITH, Proprietor.

LADIES' PURCHASE AGENCY.

FOR the convenience of those at the seashore or in neighboring towns, invalids and others who wish to have shopping done in Boston. By collecting purchases and sending under one express mail, and by saving the expense of visits to the city, it is intended to make the Agency an Economy as well as a convenience. For particulars as to charges, etc., address

Miss C. J. Kelly,
11 HAMILTON PLACE, BOSTON,

who will attend promptly to orders and who! refers by permission to Mrs. A. Hemenway, Mrs. Robert S. Storer, Mrs. R. W. Emerson, Mrs. W. H. Forbes and others.

NOTE.—Many stores are now closing desirable goods at low prices to make room for autumn stocks.

THIN CLOTHING
Selling Off Cheap!

THIN COATS, from 50 cents upwards.
LONG DUSTERS, from $1.50 *to* $3.00.
THIN PANTS, from 75 *cents to* $2.00.
THIN VESTS, from $1.00 *to* $2.00.

— ALSO —

UNDERSHIRTS, SOCKS,
FANCY OVERSHIRTS,
jin Cotton and Blue Flannel;
BOYS' BLUE FLANNEL SUITS,
ETC., ETC., ETC.

☞ All of which we are closing out at remarkably low figures.

No. 3 Bow Street.
C. E. MYERS & CO.
C. E. MYERS. C. E. SIMPSON.

PRIVATE SCHOOL.

MISS C. I. HAM will reopen her School on Summer Street, MONDAY, Sept. 3.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		3.45 "	4.35, 6.50 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
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E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

PORTSMOUTH BRIDGE.

A correspondent of the Salem *Gazette* is travelling along the coast in a carriage, and writing of what he sees on the way. He thus refers to Portsmouth bridge, which he passed over on his travels:

Portsmouth is ancient in its appearance, but is more interesting than newer cities. Here we crossed another bridge zigzagging across the Piscataqua. It must have been built at different times and according to different styles of architecture. Some parts of the bridge were of iron, others of wood, sometimes up and sometimes down—all for a toll of twenty cents.

Where the "iron" part of the bridge is kept Portsmouth people will be puzzled to know; but the correspondent is right in assuming that the bridge was "built at different times," for though it was commenced more than a half century ago it is not finished yet, and never will be so long as it stands in from sixty to ninety feet of water, where the tide rushes like a mill-race, and where there is but a shoal layer of mud on top of the solid rock, for piles to be driven into. The pile-driver is never removed from the bridge, and it has more steady work to do than any other pile-driver in the country.

The diver who placed the chains around the sunken schooner Ceres said he never saw such a sight before as he did when he stood on the bottom beside the bridge piles, and looked up at the roadway fully seventy-five feet above his head. He described the bridge as looking like a greatly exaggerated and badly demoralized "old daddy long-legs" spider, and expressed wonder that the lofty and comparatively narrow structure had not long before been toppled over by the vast pressure of the current. Many of the piles seemed to have a good hold in the mud, and others had entered crevices in the rock; one of the latter particularly attracted his attention, it having struck a crevice too narrow to admit the whole bigness of the pile, and as it was driven by the powerful blows of the "monkey" the wood had been slivered up on each side to the depth of several inches, and for a length apparently of several feet. Quite a number of the piles rested squarely on top of bare rocks, and one he noticed but just touched the edge of a rock with a small portion of its end, more than three-fourths of the pile projecting over the rock. Tumbled in among the piles in all directions in inextricable confusion were great numbers of logs—pieces of piles and old timbers from the bridge, probably, tumbled overboard as not being worth saving at some of the innumerable times the bridge has been repaired.

But notwithstanding the great height of the bridge from the bed of the river, and the unfavorable character of the bottom, the narrow highway bridge stood up against considerable rough usage for years before the railroad bridge was built beside it, and now the two mutually support and strengthen each other. In the spring, when the ice used to come down from Great Bay in good sized cakes and hammer away at the bridge on every ebb tide for days together, the upper end of a pile would sometimes be knocked adrift from its fastenings, but no serious damage was ever done by it. A large brig anchored some distance up the river broke adrift one night, many years ago, and came down against the structure, broadside on, but did no other harm than to put a graceful curve in it, sidewise. The navy yard anchor hoy, full of water and weighing hundreds of tons, ran into the bridge on a strong ebb tide not many years since, turned up edgewise against the piles, and stuck there all the rest of that tide; but the only damage done the bridge was the knocking it three or four inches out of plumb just where the anchor hoy hit it. The schooner Ceres, with a hundred and fifty tons or so of coal on board, went against the bridge broadside on a year ago, and struck hard enough to sink herself, but did not harm the bridge enough to prevent the immediate passage of a freight train. The Salem correspondent may make sport of the graceful sinuosities of the bridge, if he wants to, and fail to admire the charming variety of its elevations and depressions; but it has done excellent service in the past, is always kept in thorough repair,—and is believed to be real good paying property. He won't find many bridges like it, anywhere.

[Communicated.]

NUISANCES,

From which Portsmouth was once so free, have become the order of the day. Besides the foul odors from the mill-ponds, and muddy cross-walks from the water-carts, (that might easily be avoided, and in regard to which latter no heed was paid to the modest appeal in the CHRONICLE recently,) now we have street-venders bawling in our ears, with the ring in their voices so familiar in the streets of New York, where they became so intolerable a pest, the aid of the Legislature in late years was called in, and now laws passed for their suppression to a degree, but which failed wholly to get rid of the evil. While an annoyance everywhere, yelling as they do with their hideous voices by the hour together, and, like organ-grinders, as soon as one is gone, another takes his place, to the sick they are a source of positive suffering, which should be a sufficient cause for their total banishment. The remedy is always at hand—by having no dealings with them to drive them from the streets; and yet enough are found to trade with and encourage them, thus frustrating the efforts of others, more wise, to get rid of them. While it is an injustice to regular dealers in the commodities they have to dispose of, who pay rents and taxes and ought to be supported as good and useful citizens, all who deal with such itinerant intruders are as sure to get cheated as the sun is to rise in the morning after setting at night; their goods are always of an inferior quality, and they cheat both in weight and measure, as can be fully shown by testing both at the nearest place of honest trade. If the people of Portsmouth do not wish to share a like fate in such matters with those of New York, they should let street venders severely alone by not trading with them.

J. H. B.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The alarm of fire Tuesday evening was occasioned by the partial burning of a carload of cotton switched off on one of the Eastern Railroad tracks at the depot, it having taken fire from a hot journal.

The "Congress Record Ink" sold by Mercer Goodrich at his bookstore in the city building is the "official ink" of the Boston schools, and an excellent article.

The *Times* says: "The vernal equinox is the next in order, due the 20th." Would that in the world has Old Prob shifted things round that way for? He'll find the public won't stand a vernal equinox in September, anyway.

An ex-editor of the CHRONICLE was put to flight on Monday on presentation of a three-foot-ed sword cane by a Texan ranger.

Men were at work on the brig Clara J. Adams, ashore on the ledge near the beacon, on Tuesday, stripping her at high water, and discharging coal when the tide was low enough for them to get at it. The tide rises and falls in the vessel about as fast as it does outside, showing that she is well stove in somewhere.

The New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals has received from "Humanity" a gift of $50, and from a young lady of New Haven and two ladies of this city $5 each, to be applied to the permanent fund of the Society.

A lonely mariner is encamped at Gerrish's Island and enjoying all these beautiful days "all alone to himself."

Mr. John P. Hart of this city, and Mr. Whitcomb of the Boston *Transcript*, with their families and friends numbering fourteen souls, have been rusticating in a cottage by the sea at Kittery Point, and returned home well browned last week.

Wonder what Ed. Fernald, of the Great Falls *Journal*, finds to do, that he cannot come to the sea-side occasionally, all for to go a-sailing?

The "Piscataquatic Chowderheads" will have no reunion this year on account of the absence of the chief mourners. The cattle browse around the site of Pocahantas' monument, "regardless."

Hon. James Shaw, of the Aurora (Ills.) *Herald*, has been on a royal hunting trip among the wilds of Michigan, returning minus the hirsute adornment heretofore characterizing his upper lip.

The September number of Bentley's *Book-Buyer*, of which Mr. Frank W. Robinson is proprietor, contains interesting and condensed reviews of the new books issued from the American press. A valuable feature of the business conducted by Mr. Robinson is thus set forth in this number: "Any new publication, named in *Bentley's Book-Buyer* or not, will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of advertised price at this office. For persons who may at any time wish to order miscellaneous or special books, who are unacquainted with publishers' addresses, this will be a great saving of trouble and time, as all orders receive immediate attention." Published monthly at No. 1420 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, at $1 per year.

The New Hampshire State Temperance Camp Meeting at the Weirs commences today and will continue until Friday. It promises to be quite a success. Distinguished champions of the cause of temperance will be present to address the meeting, among whom is John B. Gough. Those wishing to attend from Portsmouth and vicinity can take a special train at the Eastern Railroad station at seven o'clock A. M. on Thursday, for the low fare of $1.75 the round trip. The tickets will be good Thursday and Friday.

Mr. A. R. Dickerson assumed the principal's chair at the Academy on Monday. Mr. John Durgin, the former principal, has accepted a similar position in the Grammar School at Newcastle.

Stanley T. Pullen, Esq., editor of the Portland *Press*, was in town last week, looking as good-natured and genial as if Hayes' policy just suited him. Let not the devil sow tares during your lullaby season, Stanley!

—A Vermont constable makes this return on his warrant for dog-killing: "I have killed no dogs and have found none that have not been registered and licensed according to law, nor have had any complaint made to me about dogs or cats; and would say I consider the dog law a great nuisance and any one that helped to make it or has anything to do with it, are nuisances."

—The wicked Chicago *Times* says: "What shall it profit a man if he gains the whole world and puts it in a savings bank?"

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BERRY. In Stratham, Sept. 4th, Annie C. Berry, aged 18 years, 7 mos., only daughter of Mr. Oliver Berry.

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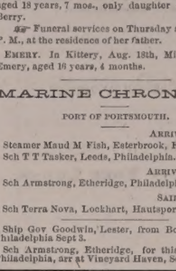

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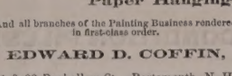

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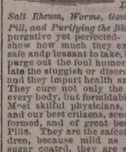

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their own ers or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the presignation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind above their stalls or stores every night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other diseases dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive matter from them shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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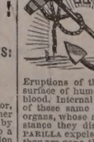

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Remarkable Petrifaction.

The Portland *Oregonian* of August 15th, contains this unbelievable story: "Judge E. C. Bronaugh has attached to his watch chain a little amulet or charm, which, aside from its peculiar history, is very pretty in itself. It is nothing more or less than a petrified rosebud. During the rebellion, a young nephew of Judge Bronaugh, while in one of the Southern States, wrote home to his mother and inclosed in the letter a rosebud. The letter arrived safely at its destination, and, after having been perused, was laid aside with the rosebud in a drawer, where it remained for eight or nine months. When the drawer was overhauled and the letter again brought to light, the rosebud it contained was discovered to be petrified. The Judge's aunt recently sent the stone to him at this place, and he placed it in the hands of a jeweler for the purpose of having it fitted to carry on his watch chain. The petrifaction is so very hard that while trying to drill a hole in it two or three tools were broken before the object was accomplished. It is a perfect rosebud, and so well preserved that the finest fibres are to be seen. What peculiarities of air, earth or water could have changed the tender rosebud into a hard, almost diamond-like substance in the short space of nine months, is to us a mystery."

A Wise Bootblack.

Upon arriving at Richmond to attend the Virginia constitutional convention, the doctor approached Ford's Hotel, weary and dusty. A bootblack accosted him at the hotel entrance, "Shine, boss; have a shine?" "Yes," said the doctor; and the boy was at his work in a moment. "But, stop, what are you going to charge?" "Only ten cents boss; jess ten cents." "Well," said the doctor, "I haven't anything less than a dollar bill, but go ahead and black them, and when you get through we will walk into the hotel and get this bill changed, and then I'll pay you." The boy stopped work; resting on his knees, his arms akimbo, he looked up into the florid countenance and said: "Ax yer parding, boss; but isn't you a member of de convention?" "Yes," said the doctor, "I am a delegate, certainly I'm a delegate; but what have you got to do with that?" "Sorry for you boss; sorry to let yer go off with jess one shoe blacked, but fact is I'm 'fraid yer might want ter compromise dat debt."

Sea Air and Mountain Air.

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A Persistent Photographer.

The San Francisco *News Letter* tells the following:

Rose Eytinge, the popular actress, has persistently refused to have her photograph taken. The result is that she has had her life made a burden to her by the persecutions of the photograph gallery agents. The other day she let it be known that she proposed taking a swim at North Beach. When she left the hotel an express wagon, with a camera in it, followed her carriage. The next day she received a polite note, enclosing a proof of a negative taken as she emerged from the briny dip. The note pleasantly intimated that unless Miss Eytinge reported for a legitimate sitting by noon next day, 10,000 copies like the one furnished would immediately be struck off. She capitulated.

—An Iowa magistrate refused to fine a man for kissing a girl against her will, because the complainant "was so temptingly pretty that nothing but an overwhelming sense of its dignity prevented the court from kissing her itself!"

—A reporter of the San Francisco *Mail* bored into the secrets of the Taxpayers' Association with a two-inch auger through the ceiling of the room in which a meeting was being held. His presence was betrayed, however, by the dropping of large pieces of plaster on the pate of an orator, and consternation ended the proceedings.

—A pompous Scotch advocate succeeded in bemuddling a country witness by asking him whether he thought the prisoner *compos mentis*. The witness could only grin and look foolish. At last the Judge interposed, "Noo, jist tell me do ye think is there onything in him?" "De'il a thing," burst out the man, with a smile from ear to ear, "but what's put intil him wi' the spune!"

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 6, 1877.

The Eastern War.

Despatches to London from Erzeroum, in Asia Minor, say a great battle has been fought between Bayazid and Erivan; that the Russians defeated the Turks, capturing their military chests. A despatch from Batoum says the Turks completely evacuated Sukum Kaleh. The latter place is a fortified town on the Russian shore of the Black Sea, in the province of Abasia, to which the Turks early in the war sent a fleet and army to stir up a Circassian insurrection; it was at first reported that the attempt to foment a revolt against Russia was a complete success, but the abandonment of Sukum Kaleh shows that it was a failure.

A Russian official despatch, dated Gorny Studeni, Sept. 4th, says Lovatz was taken on the 3d by assault by the Russian troops under Gens. Meretinsky and Skobeloff. A later despatch from the same place says that on the 4th the Russians opened an attack all along Osman Pasha's lines from Lovatz to Plevna, and that a great battle was then in progress. The Shipka Pass is still held by the Russians, Suleiman Pasha having apparently tired of butting his head against a stone wall; but his persistence cost the Turks 7000 men before he got tired.

News and Notes.

The rifle teams continue their practice at Creedmoor. On the 4th the American team scored 1641 points—the best ever made—the British team being fifty-seven points behind.

The New York *Post* reports from Washington that ex-Secretary Robeson and Hon. William E. Chandler of New Hampshire are negotiating for the purchase of the *National Republican*.

Robert James, Sam Goodrich, and James Simmons were taken from jail and hung on the 4th inst. by a mob at Newcastle, Ky., They were charged with the murder of several parties in Owen and Henry Counties.

W. H. H. Davenport, one of the well known "Davenport brothers," spiritual mediums, died in Sydney, New South Wales, July 2d.

The backbone of the miners' strike in the Lehigh region is broken. A speedy resumption is expected. Of thirty-seven collieries in Hazelton district, the heart of the Lehigh region, thirty-two are in full operation.

Five men escaped from Rutland county, Vt., jail, on the morning of the 4th inst., by sawing off the bars of a window.

The number of lives lost at the burning of Hale's piano factory in New York it is now believed by the police will not exceed seven, though some persons are of the opinion that a much larger number than that of bodies will be found in the ruins.

The St. Louis base ballists were defeated by the Bostons on the 4th, and the Chicagos by the Hartfords, the score in each case standing seven to one. The Bostons now lead for the championship.

The death of M. Thiers at the present time is regarded as a great national calamity by the French republicans; the Mac-Mahonites profess to consider it as assuring them the election, and there is no doubt it will help them greatly. Gambetta is now the most prominent republican, and the people have not the same confidence in his steadiness they had in that of M. Thiers.

Captain Benjamin Reed, who has been connected with the Winnisimmet Ferry for nearly thirty years as pilot, tollman and superintendent, died in Chelsea, Mass., on Monday, at the age of seventy years. He resigned the office of Superintendent some years since on account of ill-health. He was a native of Salem, and at an early age entered upon a seafaring life. About forty years ago he was mate of a vessel which was captured by a piratical schooner while on the return voyage from the west coast of Africa to Salem. The pirates, after removing all the valuables from the brig, placed the officers and crew in the hold, tightly secured them from all means of escape and then set the vessel on fire. Capt. Reed found a hatchet, and after hard work succeeded in cutting open the main hatch. The men rushed on deck and succeeded in extinguishing the fire. A few days after the pirate was captured and five of her crew were brought to Boston, tried in the United States District Court, were fully identified by Captain Reed, were convicted on his testimony of piracy upon the high seas, and were hung on a gallows erected on Boston Common.

The New York *Herald* can pay no better tribute to the memory of France's greatest statesman than to print a string of abominable, played-out slanders which originated with the foul-mouthed enemies of the most eminent and beloved representative of republicanism in France. Such journalism ought to make every American blush.

The *Army and Navy Journal* having republished from English papers a statement that Osman Pasha, the victorious commander of the Turks at Plevna, is the former French field marshal Bazaine, the Louisville *Courier Journal* publishes a letter from "a creditable gentlemen" wherein it is denied that Osman Pasha is Bazaine. The writer claims to have been well acquainted with Osman Pasha and has a number of letters from him. Osman Pasha is an American, a native of Hawkins county, Tenn. His name is R. Clay Crawford. He was colonel of a regiment of Confederate artillery during the late rebellion, and afterward entered the service of the Liberal Government of Mexico. He created considerable stir by the capture of Bagdad, Mexico, passing his forces over the Rio Grande from the Texas shore. He finally quarrelled with Juarez, the Mexican President, and returned to the United States with a large fortune. He resided for several years at a beautiful country seat on the Delaware, near Philadelphia. His restless disposition caused him to seek excitement and he entered the service of the Khedive of Egypt. He was soon after transferred to the service of the Sultan and commanded the Turkish army at Plevna. The letter is signed L. B. Wickliffe.

The Hotel Devonshire, of New York, like the Midland Grand of London, is located right at the depot, so that travellers can stop without hiring a "cabby," or paying a bill for baggage express. The Devonshire is conducted on the European plan, at moderate prices. It is a first class, bran new and elegant hotel, and has one of the best restaurants in the city.

New Hampshire Items.

Manchester has succeeded in getting a mayor at last. It will be remembered that Col. Cilley was elected to the office, but declined; on the evening of the 4th inst., Jacob F. James was elected, but he too declined; then Col. John L. Kelley was elected, and accepted the office.

Manchester's city councils have been making the money fly. The annual appropriations, made to last up to February, were $306,900, of which $245,000 were raised by taxation. Appropriations in certain branches of the public service are already overdrawn to the amount of $8836.26, and there is talk of negotiating a temporary loan to piece out the year.

Mrs. Frank J. Green, of Nashua, obtained a few kernels of corn on her visit to the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia, which she planted and has husbanded alone this season, and has now several hills, the stalks of which measure 14 1-2 feet from the ground to the tassels and the leaves and ears are 7 1-2 feet from the ground.

The oldest gentleman in Croyden is Kimball Loverin, Esq. Eighty-seven years ago August 30th, the day of Mr. Loverin's birth, the first apple-pie made in Springfield, was cooked. It was made from a mess of twenty apples, grown by John Loverin, Esq., Kimball's father, which were also the first apples raised in that town.

Mr. Wm. Flanders of South Weare has a Chester sow, three years of age, which has had fifty pigs. She has never killed nor hurt one of them. Mr. Flanders has received $126.26 for the pigs he has sold, and there are ten now unsold.

When the President's party in New Hampshire approached the Fabyan House, a fashionable dame was heard to say that they "didn't seem to have much style about them." Somebody repeated this to Mrs. Hayes, and that lady, with a merry look in her bright eyes, said that the fault should be remedied: "Mr. Evarts wears a shocking bad hat, and he must get a new one!"

The floor of Lafayette Hall, Manchester, was broken through on the 4th inst., the damage amounting to $700. The building has been recently repaired, and large quantities of brick were left on the floor, causing it to give way.

The commission to erect the new State Prison has selected a lot for buildings, containing twenty-four acres, on the west side of the road leading from Concord to West Concord, about a mile and a half above the city.

Two houses in Manchester, one owned by J. R. Weston and the other by a Mr. Poor, were burned on the night of the 3d inst. Weston's house was insured $1600.

Hon. John J. Morrill of Gilford has been appointed Trustee of the Agricultural College, in place of Joseph B. Walker of Concord, who declined the appointment.

William O'Brien, aged eight years, son of John O'Brien, fell through the Nashua and Rochester Railroad bridge, Tuesday afternoon, the 4th, and was drowned. His body was found about two hours afterwards.

On Saturday night, the 1st inst., the water at lower Wianipesaukee, on which A. W. Sulloway's hosiery factory and great paper mills stand, made a breach under the hosiery mill end. This was caused by letting down heavy quantities from the mill pond above for repairs. A large force of hands on Sunday and Monday stopped the breach without any serious damage.

Mrs. Edwin C. Fisher of West Lebanon was fatally burned on the afternoon of the 3d inst., while endeavoring to kindle a fire in her cooking stove by the use of kerosene oil. She poured oil directly from a can upon the flaming wood, igniting the oil and exploding the can, throwing the burning liquid over her and setting her clothing on fire from head to foot. In her fright she ran to an open outside door and called for aid, but before assistance was rendered her clothing was completely consumed and her body horribly burned. She died at nine o'clock in the evening. Mrs. Frank Wills, living in the house with Mrs. Fisher, in the second story of the house, when the accident occurred, hearing Mrs. Fisher's cry for help, ran down stairs, but on seeing Mrs. Fisher's condition ran back to the chamber and jumped through an open window to the ground, fifteen feet below, without injury.

It is rumored from Washington that Hon. Wm. E. Chandler is to be offered the position of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. It is not likely he would accept it if offered him.

(Communicated.)

What Constitutes a Gentleman?

Very curious decisions have been given on the above point in European courts of justice. When a suit was brought against a life insurance company in Dublin for a certain amount insured on the life of a man who was described in the policy as a gentleman, it was decided in favor of the company on the plea that the individual was not a gentleman, but "a mere tavern-keeper." The counsel for the plaintiff wished to be told by the defendants if the rank of "a gentleman" was to be measured by the length of his purse or of his pedigree. He he thought if "family", was necessary to constitute "a gentleman," then neither Cardinal Wolsey, who was a butcher's son; nor Franklin, a poor journeyman printer, nor Lord Eldon, the son of a coal-sifter in Newcastle, could lay claim to the title of "gentleman." There were on record at the same time in the English courts several decisions that neither doctors of medicine, merchants nor yeomen, could in legal terms be discribed as "gentlemen." Another opinion in the matter is to be found in Dickens if not in the law books, where Mr. Pickwick asks of the warden in the Fleet Prison if the room-mate he is to have is "a gentleman," and receives for reply, "Nothing but it; drinks twelve pints a day, and never leaves off smoking except at his meals;" and the London beggar settled the question when he said, "I considers any cove a gentleman who never axes *for cold wittles* on another cove's beat."

—The late Brigham Young is mentioned by the Auburn (N. Y.) *News* as "the distinguished husband," and that journal goes on to say: "At Port Byron, in this county, he painted boats. Afterward he worked in a saw-mill near Auburn, in the 'edge' of the now town of Throops, where he met his first wife, Angeline Works, whose two cousins, Canfield and Morris Worden, now reside in the seventh ward of this city. The wedding took place at the tavern of Mr. Pine, in Port Byron, to whom Brigham owed a board bill of $17, when he went West in 1830, and which he paid thirty-five years later, with two drafts on New York for $50 each. Brigham was a good-natured, rather ignorant and lazy genius, of whom the late William Hayden of Port Byron remarked that he did not know that he was good for anything except to make axe-helves—which he did well."

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106¼
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. scrip	53½
Portland, Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	54½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	89½
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	117½
Nashua & Lowell	90
Concord	72
Eastern	2
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	104½
Manchester & Lawrence	126
Michigan Central	56
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	38½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	54
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	69

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 30c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 80c; Northern 90c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 20c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., It. Cuba 50 @ 60c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bbl., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 10½ @ 11c; Gr. 12; Crushed 12½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75;
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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—A group of bucolics stood on the sward outside the Ocean House, Long Branch, admiring the dancing. One of them, a hypertrophic Jersey dame, with arms akimbo, said, "Wall, now, if ever I seed such style. Why, just look at that old hen with scallops on her forehead and chalk on her face. Come on, Sal, I can't stand that." She forthwith left in disgust.

—Immense flocks of swallows haunt a little copse in Westerly, R. I. Hundreds of thousands of these birds gather, filling the air and confusing the mind with their twittering. They come singly, in pairs, by the score, in hundreds, and even in flocks of thousands, until there seems no room in the air for more. All at once, as by magic, they shoot into the copse and disappear. It is really a wonderful sight. Westerly people visit the place every evening, and many come over even from Watch Hill and Stonington to witness the singular phenomenon. They have been known to gather here for a number of years, but in number they excel this year.

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United States District Court.

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.
In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts; To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 24, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, Mass., at 2 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,865 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Charendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,760 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,500 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plans of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 8, 3d division, sec. 6; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 79, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 18, div. 4, sec. 8; lot 64, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 89, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 35.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Gunnison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.

About 16,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Beacon and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

About 9,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington av. or street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, it being lot 153 on plan of division 5 of the 4th and 5th division of section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.

All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

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Newington, N. H. August 8th.

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THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq.

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WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

NOTICE TO PENSIONERS,

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.35 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.35 "	3.50 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, September 5th.

Thomas F. Hoyt and Charles Hammond, drunk, were sent to jail for thirty days; costs $6.90 each.

The same parties were complained of for malicious mischief. It seems that while they were drunk, Tuesday evening, they entered a saloon kept by Robert Parker in a little building owned by Thomas Wardwell, near the Concord depot, and made things lively by kicking out window glass, breaking the glass in picture frames, and threatening to clean out the saloon on general principles. Some folks say that it would harm the public but little if the aforesaid saloon was to be cleaned out; but the law does not recognize Hoyt and Hammond as the regular cleaners-out of saloons, and on the evidence presented the Court adjudged them probably guilty of malicious mischief, and ordered them to give bonds in $50 each for their appearance at the Supreme Court in this city on the third Tuesday of October to answer to the charge, in default of which they went to jail. Under a law passed at the late session of the Legislature a police magistrate can only send a case of alleged malicious mischief to the Supreme Court; formerly a police court could summarily dispose of such a case when the damage done did not exceed $15 in amount, and the change seems to us not judicious, for the result must be to frequently involve the counties in heavy expenses to secure the punishment of trifling misdemeanors. If a school-boy "maliciously" throws a stone through a window it makes a case for the Supreme Court; while two (or twenty) drunken men can fight in the streets for an hour, and disturb the peace of a whole neighborhood, and the police court settle the matter.

On Wednesday, Judge Batchelder announced his decision in the civil cases of J. Brooks & Co. *vs.* Wm. H. Grant and City of Portsmouth, trustee, and Richard H. Beacham *vs.* same. The facts are as follows: Grant, who drives the York stage, was injured by a defect in the highway at Portsmouth, December 24th, 1876; and on the 7th day of June, 1877, Grant assigned his claim for damages to S. S. Frye. The Mayor reported upon Grant's claim that he ought to receive $210, and his doctor's bill of $25. This report was adopted by the mayor and aldermen July 5th, 1877. These writs were served at the beginning of July, 1877, and it was held that the assignment of Grant's claim to Frye was "utterly void and of none effect" because of a secret trust between the assignor and assignee that the surplus, after paying Frye's bill, was to be paid back to Grant; and that no matter how honest the intention of the parties may have been, yet, because such trusts are calculated to deceive and embarrass creditors, and because honest debtors need not resort to such things in sales of their property, and dishonest debtors commonly and ordinarily use such means to cheat their creditors, the law does not permit a debtor to say that he used them for an honest purpose in any case.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Carswell is coming.

Ship Triumphant, Capt. Libby, sailed from Liverpool for San Francisco on the 5th of April last, and arrived at her port of destination on the 3d inst., after a tedious passage of one hundred and fifty-one days. A number of first-class clipper ships have arrived at San Francisco within a week or two from New York and Europe, all of them having made unusually long passages, occasioned by light winds and calms in the Pacific.

In Seabrook, on the 1st inst., Newell Eaton, a lad of twelve years of age, climbed a tall tree in the woods, and when near the top lost his hold and fell to the ground. His life was undoubtedly saved by his striking a limb on the way down, by which the force of the fall was broken. Young Eaton was stunned and had his right arm broken near the wrist, but is rapidly recovering.

We regret to hear that Hon. John S. H. Frink is ill from hemorrhage at the lungs, and hope the trouble is less serious than is reported.

Col. J. C. Butler's last popular steamboat excursion for this season comes off today; see advertisement.

U. S. Senator E. H. Rollins was in town on Wednesday.

An alarm of fire shortly before one o'clock of Wednesday, the 5th, was caused by the burning of a bag of rags in the cellar of the house on Daniel street, occupied by F. B. Fay. There was much smoke, but not much damage.

The following item is going the rounds of the State press: "On the farm of Silas Wheeler, in Hollis, is standing an apple tree from the trunk of which, some six or seven feet from the ground, is growing a current bush which has borne currants for over sixty years. How the bush came there is a mystery." That is nothing very remarkable, as there are in this city several similar instances of currant bushes growing in trees. A large elm in front of the residence of Mrs. Eliza W. Haven, on Pleasant street, divides its trunk into two main branches at some fifteen or more feet from the ground, and in the crotch is a thrifty currant bush that bore large crops of fruit thirty years ago, (how much longer we cannot say,) and now has a lot of currants on it. One of the large elms on the Raynes estate had a currant bush in the angle of a limb about twenty feet from the ground, for many years; and it may be there now, though we think not. Another elm, on Middle street, used to be similarly ornamented. The seeds for these bushes were probably carried into the trees by birds, and sprouted and took root in the dirt and decayed leaves collected in the crotches of the trees.

About the middle of January last, Thomas Quinn was driving Charles Robinson's store team through Hanover street, sitting on a board placed across the sleigh from side to side, his legs being outside the sleigh. A passing vehicle struck his legs and inflicted severe injuries, it being said at the time that the accident was occasioned by the sluicing of the teams at a "cradle-hole" which had no business there. On the 4th inst. Mr. Quinn entered suit against the city, alleging that the accident was caused by a defective highway. He places his damages at $3000.

Bunker Hill Encampment, I. O. O. F., are to have a clam-bake at the Prospect House, Foss' Beach, Rye, on the 14th inst.

On Monday afternoon, during the absence of the family of Mr. John K. Walker, who reside on Lafayette road, the house was entered and pretty thoroughly ransacked. The thief or thieves opened a trunk belonging to Mr. Levi W. Marden of this city, and stole sixty dollars therefrom. Another trunk under the bed, and covered with a spread, and which contained valuables, was not touched. The robbery was committed somewhere between the hours of two and six o'clock, and was probably the work of tramps.—*Times, 5th.*

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

The Board of Instruction met on Wednesday evening.

A petition from Charles W. Stimpson and others was received, praying that Mr. Chas. A. Shannon may be appointed teacher in the Franklin school, to fill the vacancy. It was voted that there be a competetive examination for this appointment, open to all applicants and to be held immediately.

The Committee on Rules, etc., made a report relative to the Board, which was read. It contemplates new duties for the members, and was read by sections and adopted.

Adjourned for two weeks.

MORE NUISANCE.

The following petition, largely signed by the ladies of the city, will be presented to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen this evening:

To His Honor, the Mayor, and Board of Aldermen:

We, the undersigned, ladies of Portsmouth, respectfully ask you to instruct the Board of Health to cause to be removed such public nuisances as endanger the health of our citizens, to wit: piggeries, stagnant pools of water, and other depositories of filth. Also that the said Board of Health ascertain the condition of the two millponds and the drains leading thereto.

The citizens' petition for the abolition of the millpond nuisance had received about 150 signatures up to Wednesday evening.

Indian Shopping.

In the late Autumn, as soon as the rivers are locked in ice, and the ground is covered with snow, the furs begin to come in. As they are brought in by the Indians they are traded by the persons in charge of the trading-store. If an Indian were to bring a hundred skins of different sorts, or all alike, he would trade off every skin separately, and insist on payment for each skin as he sold it; he likes the linked sweetness of shopping long drawn out; hence it often occupies several days to barter a batch of furs. It is a curious and interesting sight to watch an Indian selecting from the stores articles that he may require as he disposes of skin after skin. If he has only a small quantity of skins, he walks into the shop with his blanket about him, and not a skin visible. After some preliminary skirmishing he produces one skin from under his blanket, trades it, taking in exchange what he absolutely needs; then he stops. Just as one thinks the trading is over he produces another peltry from beneath his blanket, and buys something else. Thus he goes on until, having bought all the necessaries he requires, he branches off into the purchase of luxuries—candy, fancy neckties, etc. Under so slow a process an Indian trader needs to possess more than average patience. The skins, as fast as purchased, are thrown behind the counter, and then carried to the fur-room and piled in heaps that are constantly turned and aired.—*Hudson Bay Correspondence.*

—Mrs. William Stearns, widow of the eldest son of the late President Stearns of Amherst, is debarred by the Courts from receiving her husband's share of the Alabama Claims money, because he was a British subject. He became so to protect his business interests in India, and his family suffer the loss of about $400,000 in consequence. The injudicious management of property in New Jersey has further reduced his property. Mrs. Stearns has opened a school in the President's house, and because of the loss through shrinkage of values of much of the property left by President Stearns, his family will be broken up.

—The "bicycle" is now but rarely seen in this country. It has had its brief career here; but in England and Ireland it is still popular. As many as 60,000 are said to be in use in those countries.

—Miss Jennie Frost of Council Bluffs, Iowa, who had a marvellous escape from the train that was wrecked on the Rock Island railroad recently, relates that one woman heroically rescued her six children and then went to the aid of other sufferers, while another lady was terribly exercised over the loss of her satchel, and could think of nothing else. One lady, who was in agony from a broken wrist and a compound fracture of one of her legs, would not consent to have morphine injected into her arm because she feared it might hurt her. Another lady who was severely injured was offered a glass of brandy, but refused to swallow it, stating that she was a strict temperance woman and meant to stand by her principles, even if she died in the attempt. A little child clung to a window-sill and kept her head above the surging waters until she was saved. A little girl lay for four hours with only her face out of water, the corpse of a large man being stretched across her little body. It was supposed that she too was dead, but a man who was "chopping out" the wounded thought he saw the little one's lips tremble. She was taken out, covered with blood, her little stockings as red as if they had been dyed, and in a few hours she was lively as a cricket, asking if anybody had seen her doll.

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LEAR. In this city, September 5th, Nellie Garnett Lear, aged 8 months and 12 days, daughter of the late Samuel B. and Nellie Lear.

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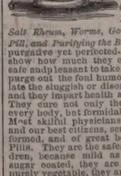

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that the contents thereof may shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said pools, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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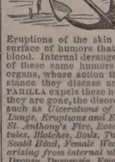

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

"Girled Up."

We hereby suggest a new "colloquial expression" for the next edition of Webster's dictionary. It was invented by an anxious father on the occasion of an interview with the principal one of our Hampden county academies, where the co-education of boys and girls still prevails. The boy in the case had formerly been studious and promising, but for several months had gradually fallen off from his previous standard, growing so careless and unscholarly that it became a serious question whether he would be able to pass his college entrance examination. It was a coincidence that he had meanwhile become conspicuous as a "ladies' man." The principal having alluded to this as a prominent cause of the boy's demoralization,—"Yes," broke in the father, "I know it; he's got all *girled up.*" Which is a remarkably happy and pregnant phrase. If there is anything that plays the mischief with boys and girls during that budding, downy and vealy period of their teens, when they ought to be laying solid and permanent educational foundations, it is this premature efflorescence which moves boys and girls, who ought to be kept down to study, to perk and prim and sidle, and play with each other's eyes, and write silly and badly spelled notes to each other, and eat slate pencils in private. But then, it rarely lasts long; it is less harmful than tobacco or whiskey; and there is no law "agin" youths of that age making fools of themselves.—*Springfield Republican.*

Her Sweetheart.

During the war there lived in the vicinity of Jackson, Tenn., a solitary maiden of sixty summers, who had none to protect her against the rude buffets of the world. If any flower of affection for the other sex had ever warmed and beautified her maiden heart, it bloomed in secret and "wasted its sweetness on the desert air." At that time, which "tried men's souls," she continued to live alone, unterrified by the evils of civil war. One day, while the city was occupied by Federal troops, a soldier went into her potato-patch and commenced helping himself to the potatoes. She soon discovered his presence, and, rushing out, she screamed: "Get out of my potato-patch, you vagabond!" Soldier—"I shan't do it. Your sons are in the army fighting against us now, and I am going to have all the potatoes I want." Maid—"You're a liar." Soldier—"Well, if your sons ain't your husband is, and I'm going to have these potatoes." Maid—"You're a liar, sir; I have got no husband." Soldier—"Well, if your husband ain't your sweetheart is." Maid—"Well, I declare (softening), who told you I had a sweetheart?" Soldier—"Never mind." Maid—"Well, I reckon you can have a few potatoes, but don't take more'n you want for your own use."

How Gov. Nicholls Broke up a Communist Meeting.

Detective Hennessy, who has returned from a New Orleans trip, in conversation with a *Republican* reporter gives a very interesting report of the manner in which the New Orleans uprising was suppressed. The communists, or mobites, to the number of about two hundred, met one evening in a hall on the second floor of a building for the purpose of taking steps to organize and enlist the rough element for ugly work. Governor Nicholls, who takes great pride in the peace and good order which has attended his administration thus far, learned of this meeting, and determined that the movement should reach no further development. Going to the police headquarters he gave orders for a raid. Chief Boylan instructed that two howitzers and a Gatling gun be taken out from the arsenal, which institution is in his charge, and with a large force of men started for the building. The building was surrounded, and the howitzers planted, the Gatling gun being fixed so as to rake the main exit. Governor Nicholls then gave orders that the Communists be informed that they would be allowed five minutes to get out of there, and if, at the end of that time, the meeting was not dispersed, the building should be blown down by the cannon. Chief Boylan entered the saloon on the lower floor and asked the proprietor, a creole, what sort of meeting was going on upstairs. The creole did not know anything except that he had rented the hall to the men, and that nobody else would be permitted to go up. "We'll see about that," said Boylan, as he walked up and tried the door opening on the stairs. It was locked, and he called in four of his men. "Knock that door down," was the order, and in a moment the butts of four muskets went crashing through the panels. The chief walked up stairs. Addressing the chairman of the meeting, he said, "This body has met for no good purpose, and I now order it to disperse. Let every man get outside of this building in five minutes." "Oh, I don't know now whether we will or not," was the rather defiant reply of the chairman, while the meeting looked stubborn. "Well, I know," said the chief; and then, addressing his officers:—"Boys, get outside the building." Some one happened to look out of a window and saw the cannon, and there was a yell, which created a commotion that soon grew into a panic. The crowd had two minutes yet to spare when the last man had reached the street. The chief then informed them that if they attempted to organize anywhere else they would not receive any warning, but the

cannon would be turned in upon them. There were no more meetings, and New Orleans did not suffer by a mob.—*St. Louis Republican.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1877.

The Eastern War.

A determined attack by the Russians upon the whole length of Osman Pasha's line is reported to have begun on Monday, 3d inst. The battle of Lovatz on Tuesday was part of this attack.

The London *Standard's* Bucharest correspondent says that the battle of Lovatz was commenced by the Turks, who, disquieted by the great increase of Russians before the town, attacked them fiercely. The Russians repulsed nine successive Turkish assaults, and finally drove the Turks back into the town, which they entered with them. The struggle continued in the streets until the Turks were driven out from the other side of the town in great disorder. They retreated and were followed by Gen. Skobeloff's cavalry brigade, which had by its gallantry largely contributed to the Russian success. The slaughter was great, especially among the Turks.

A despatch from Constantinople says Suleiman Pasha telegraphs that he has silenced the Russian battery at Shipka Pass, a shell from the Turkish batteries having exploded the powder magazine of the Russians. A British newspaper correspondent at Schipka Pass says the Russians have made a fine road up the pass, which would never have been done had they not intended to use it for the passage of a large army into Roumelia when the proper moment arrives. New bridges and other improvements in the road are still being made.

Ahmed Pasha claims to have won a great victory over the Russians at Kadikoi on the 4th inst., killing 1000 and wounding 100 of them.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 5th.

The Commission appointed by Secretary Sherman to investigate the affairs of the Norfolk Custom House have attended to that duty and returned home. It is understood that they have fully established all the charges made by Moore after his investigation of that very rotten institution. The duties from entire cargoes were stolen, according to the talk on the street here this morning, and the vessels were entered as though arriving in ballast. These robberies are said to have been traced through a series of years under Collector Lee, and there appears to have been a systematic falsification of the books. What is to be done to save the credit of the special agents stationed there to protect the Government from just such robberies, and who reported everything correct month after month, has not yet been made public. Their dismissal from the service would seem the minimum punishment demanded by the interests of the Government, and by their defective vision, to characterize it very mildly.

Rumors long afloat of the intended resignation of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury McCormick have assumed more definite shape, and his retirement appears now accepted without question. Cause assigned, the very onerous and exacting character of the labor required, if the duties of the position are conscientiously performed; and his most bitter personal or political enemy would hardly venture to suggest they had not been during his incumbency. The sharp contrast in this respect between him and some of his predecessors makes his contemplated resignation all the more regretted. He is one of our few public men who have been sought by the positions they have filled. He is a politician in the very best acceptation of the term. Mr. McPherson is regarded as having the inside track as his successor; and if one must be selected, a designation more generally acceptable to those having business with the office could hardly have been suggested.

The lobby intriguers who have been operating for a recall of the proclamation convening Congress in extra session on the 15th proximo, have retired, apparently discouraged; and every plan of the army of interested ones is evidently laid with the view that there is to be no postponement.

Some items of interest are made public by the Treasurer in his assessment of National Banks for the cost of assorting and redeeming their notes, just now engaging his attention. Total amount assorted during the last fiscal year was $214,361,300; unfit for circulation and hence destroyed, $62,518,600; fit for circulation and returned to the banks for that purpose, $151,842,700. Increase of amount redeemed over year preceding, $38,239,445. Number of notes assorted 22,745,548. Expenses for expressage, $189,362.05, and for all other charges, $167,704.05, aggregating $357,066.10. Other than express charges, decrease of expense $38,346.42, or a reduction of nearly 20 per cent. as compared with 1875. The assessment for express expenses is made in proportion to the *amount* of notes assorted for each bank; and all other expenses incurred in proportion to the *number* assorted. On this basis the ratio for express charges assessed is 88 34-100 cents for each $1000 as against 90 36-100 cents for 1875. Assessments for other expenses $7.37 for each $1000 notes assorted, as against $10.78 for 1875. Not one cent's loss has been sustained by the agency during the two past years, showing the accuracy of the system.

KNOX.

Woman's Crusade in Claremont.

A correspondent of the Boston *Globe*, writing from Claremont, N. H., gives the following account of what the women of that town are doing in the way of legal suasion with the liquor dealers:

"The 'woman's crusade' against the rum traffic in this town is being carried forward with great energy and with glorious results. In addition to the cases before reported in your columns, the Woman's Committee have made seizures at several other places, including the four hotels. The proprietor of the Junction House fled to escape the penalty of the law, this being his third offence. New Hampshire has a good strong law, yet in the face of it the liquor dealers here have, for some time past, been engaged in selling to our reformed men with terrible effect. The women of Claremont have determined that this should not be, and are proceeding to prosecute all violators of the prohibitory law. In the majority of cases the sellers have paid their fines. The women are resolute and determined, and are receiving letters from other towns inquiring into their method of procedure. The prohibitory law can be enforced, provided there is an honest attempt on the part of the officials to enforce it. Let the women of New England, who have suffered so much by the rum-sellers, declare war against these disturbers of the public peace and destroyers of the happiness of home. The 'lords of creation' are too much under the influence of partisan politics to be candid in dealing with the temperance question, but the women have no such notions to influence them, and are, therefore, more likely to engage with honest convictions in the temperance work. The day is not far distant when the intelligent women of this land will have a voice at the polls in settling these great moral questions that are now agitating us. May that day soon come."

Attention, New Hampshire Veterans.

The following call, signed by U. S. Marshal J. N. Patterson and others, has been issued to the Veterans of New Hampshire:

CONCORD, N. H., Sept. 4, 1877.

Comrades: A general invitation has been extended for all Veteran Soldiers to participate in the ceremonies at the dedication of the Army and Navy Monument, at Boston, on the 17th inst. Although this is a tribute by the City of Boston to Massachusetts soldiers, it is expected that each New England State will be represented. Vermont, Maine and Rhode Island have already signified their intended presence. Will New Hampshire Veterans "fall in" and fill the column? No two States have been more closely allied in all our wars, than Massachusetts and New Hampshire. In the last war there was not one Regiment from our State that cannot recall the familiar name of some Regiment from Old Bay State with whom they fought side by side. Now let us meet again our comrades of a sister State, and with our presence add our humble tribute to the memory of our fallen comrades. It is not probable that there can ever again be such a parade of Veterans. Will the Old Granite State respond? A meeting will be holden at the State House, in this city, Saturday, Sept. 8th, at 11 o'clock, A. M., for choice of officers, and perfecting arrangements. It is desired that the old soldiers in every city and town will send representatives to this meeting, to complete the organization.

News and Notes.

Hon. Kenneth Raynor, Solicitor of the Treasury, was fined $20 and costs for his assault on Soteldo, editor of the Washington *Republican*.

The Bangor *Whig* administers a just rebuke to the writers who, in the security of their homes, are criticising General Howard's Indian campaign, and abusing a gallant officer who is rendering valuable service to the country, under great difficulties. These scribblers say, by implication, how much better they could carry on the fight. The *Whig* says: "If the government could recruit a regiment of those pen-and-ink warriors, and let General Howard drop them down in the vicinity of the Nez Perces, and prevent them from running, they might furnish substitutes for better men's scalps, and the regions of civilization would be no loser in brains."

The Mr. Soteldo, who was assaulted by Solicitor Raynor, at Washington, has led an eventful life. Newspaper correspondents who chronicled the progress of the last Fenian raid remember him as a blustering, bullying fellow, who was prone to hide in the corner whenever any trouble was likely to occur, and they also recall his subsequent experience which resulted in the dissolution of his connection with the New York *Sun*. Neither of these experiences would read well if detailed in print.—*Traveller.*

Schooner Wave Crest, Capt. Ellis, sprung a leak off Race Point on the 2d inst., and sank in an hour. Crew saved.

Vermont farmers complain of the potato rot being very prevalent.

Sheriff Palmer of Palmer, Mass., has arrested two tramps, a man and a woman named Hatstatt. They are wanted for kidnapping a young girl named Josephine Davis of Camden, N. J., about a year ago. They confessed the crime and were remanded to Palmer jail to await the arrival of necessary papers from New Jersey.

The Chicago *Times* says that Semmes was a kind husband, a fond father, and an estimable pirate.

There is no doubt now that the attempt of the prisoners, Hamlin and Allen, to escape from Wethersfield (Conn.) prison, during which they brutally murdered the faithful watchman, Wells Shipman, was made with a knowledge of an under keeper, J. H. Davis, and that the latter conveyed them the revolvers with which they were armed. Davis, after testifying at the inquest, went home, under a plea of sickness, and vomited a great deal during the night. His young wife says he put on his best clothes and left the house. His connection with the case being suspected, for various reasons, officers were put on his track, but no trace of him has been found. Many believe that he has drowned himself, and this belief is strengthened by the assertion of his physician that his vomiting was produced by poison which he had taken when he saw he was, under the Connecticut law, liable to hang for the murder of Watchman Shipman. Davis has only been married a few weeks. A special grand jury was sworn in and found true bills against Hamlin and Allen. Davis' case awaits the result of a search for him.

The U. S. S. Marion is ordered to Constantinople.

Bostons 11, St. Louis 2, at Boston on Friday.

New Hampshire Items.

The funeral of the late John A. Harris, Secretary of the Grand Masonic bodies, took place in Concord, Wednesday, and was very largely attended. The funeral services occurred in Masonic Hall, under the auspices of Blazing Star Lodge. The Grand Lodge and Grand Commandery were present, and, with Mount Horeb Commandery of Concord, Trinity Commandery of Manchester and Blazing Star Lodge, acted as an escort to the remains, which were taken to Warner for interment.

Charles Barnard, of Lowell, who has been officiating as change pitcher for the Manchester base ball club, attempted to outrage a girl named Nellie Hayes at a hotel in Manchester on the night of Sunday, the 2d inst. The girl's screams attracted the police, and Barnard was arrested. The scoundrel had beaten the girl brutally, her face being badly discolored and one eye totally closed. Barnard was arraigned for attempt at rape, but that charge was withdrawn and he was fined $20 and costs for the assault.

Kingston Academy has reopened, under the charge of Prof. A. C. Campbell, A. B., with a good number of students.

Mrs. Russell Cox of Holderness and Mrs. Martha Fiske of Boston were thrown from their carriage between Plymouth and Ashland Wednesday afternoon, in consequence of their horse taking fright at a locomotive. Mrs. Fiske was quite seriously injured.

Charles W. Hoitt of Nashua and Thomas C. Luce of Manchester were admitted to the Hillsborough County Bar, at the session of the Supreme Judicial Court at Nashua, on the 4th inst.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	100¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
United States Ten-Forties coupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1878	104½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. scrip	53½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	89½
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	117½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	3
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	104½
Manchester & Lawrence	128
Michigan Central	56
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	89½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	5½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	69

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 25 @ 30c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 90c.
Corn per bushel, Western 80c; Northern 90c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 20c.
Flour, Fancy, Fr'ght 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ⅌ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., ft. Cuba 50 @ 60c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushels, 30 to 35 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ⅌, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ⅌, Br. 10½ @ 11c; Gr. 12; Crushed 12½c.
Tea per ⅌, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75;
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

SPECIAL MEETING.

Portsmouth Veteran Artillery Assoc'n.

ATTENTION!

YOU are hereby notified to meet at the Armory at Light Artillery Hall, FRIDAY EVENING, Sept. 7th, 1877, at 7½ o'clock.

Per Order of the Commander.

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AT AUCTION.

United States District Court.

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts. To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 24, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, Mass., at 2 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described unembowered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,805 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $3,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 33,720 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about ½ acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plan of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 2, 3d division, sec. 6; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 73, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 19, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 64, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 65, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 38.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Gunnison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.

About 16,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Gunnison and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

About 9,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington av. or street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, being lot 103 on plan of division 5 of the 4th and 5th divisions of section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.

All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.50	"	
Concord and North,	10.20	"	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20	"	5.50 "

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POLICE COURT.

Thursday, September 6th.

No other place of business in this city presented so lively an appearance on Thursday as the Police Court, and Judge Batchelder was all day long engaged in serving out justice. The first on the list was Charles W. Randall, who was bound over in the sum of $200 to appear at the October term of the Supreme Court to answer to a charge of selling liquor.

Ellen Harrington, charged with being a common drunkard, was dismissed.

Edna Moody was charged with having committed an assault on Ida Griswold, but got clear. Edna was then arraigned for being drunk on the public street, but was discharged, the evidence showing that she was drunk in a yard. She was then arraigned for being drunk in a private place—the yard aforesaid—was adjudged guilty and ordered to pay $9.90, fine and costs, from which sentence she appealed and was ordered to give bonds in $50 to prosecute the appeal.

A young married man was before the Court charged with assaulting his wife, but the evidence showed the parties about equally in fault and the case was dismissed.

John Stack, for being a common drunkard, got thirty days in Brentwood, costs $3. John Stack also answered to three different charges of assault on his wife, and was fined $8 on each charge, the costs aggregating $17.44. John Stack, on a charge of "simple drunk," was acquitted.

Ida Griswold and Edna Moody, for rude, indecent and disorderly conduct (fighting in a public street) were charged $9.59 each, fine and costs.

MORE NUISANCE.

The cool weather of the last few days has greatly abated the mill-pond nuisance, and correspondingly improved the health of the city. Some few sanguine people are under the impression that all the recent growling about the millponds and pigstyes and other filthy and death dealing things, in private and through the papers, must result in something effective being done to obviate the trouble complained of; but it won't. It will be (as it often has been before) but another version of the old story of the lazy man and his leaky roof. When he was asked by one who saw him standing in one corner of his hut, holding a piece of birch bark over his head to keep off the rain, why he did not mend the roof, he replied, "How can I mend the roof when it is raining like this?" "But," said the other, "why don't you mend it when the weather is fair?" "Because then it don't need mending, as the rain does not come through then," was the reply. Just so the people of Portsmouth have a season of complaining every year, during the hot weather when it would be death to half the population to stir up the city cesspools; but as soon as cool weather arrives and the stench becomes less aggressive, all thought of the matter is given up, and the indignation is stowed away in some safe place to be hauled out again the next year as soon as the ponds make themselves prominent to the olfactories once more. To abate the millpond nuisance would take more money than the tax-paying citizens will ever willingly lay out in that direction, and the others will have to "take it out in growling" for a good many years yet.

Two petitions—both aiming at the same end, the abatement of the millpond nuisance—were handed to the City Clerk on Thursday afternoon to be presented to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen that evening. One of these petitions bore the signatures of one hundred and fifty-two ladies; the other was signed by one hundred and sixty-four voters, the name of Lewis W. Brewster, Esq., heading the list, which contained a much larger proportion of "strong names" than petitions usually do. The amount of taxable property represented by the gentlemen's petition is very large.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

On Monday evening next the last steamboat excursion of the season from this city to the Shoals takes place per steamer Appledore, the occasion being the benefit of Capt. Robinson and Engineer Gertin. Apart from the deserved popularity of the beneficiaries, which should suffice to crowd the steamer, a pleasant evening's amusement is provided for; Harlow's band will make music for the occasion, and there will be a grand hop in the fine dance hall at the Appledore House. The boat will leave steamboat wharf at six o'clock, and remain at the Shoals three hours, leaving there at ten o'clock. See advertisement.

Ninety passengers went out in steamer Appledore on Thursday, it being Col. J. C. Butler's last excursion for the season. It was the roughest day since the steamer began to run, so far as the sea was concerned, and more than one excurtionist was seasick. There are still seventy-five guests at the Appledore House.

A special meeting of the Veteran Artillery Association is called for this (Friday) evening at Light Artillery Hall, at 7:30 o'clock. See advertisement. A full attendance of the members is requested, as important business is to be acted upon. The second annual field day and clambake of the Association, on Tuesday next, promise to call out a large assemblage; the glorious time of a year ago is not yet forgotten, and this year the managers mean to out-do it if possible.

Hon. John S. H. Frink, ill at his residence in Greenland, was much easier on Thursday.

Mr. John S. Treat entertains the Mechanics' Fire Society at the Rockingham House this evening.

City Marshal Entwistle is doing good work so far, and if he keeps on (and he shows no sign yet of becoming weary in well doing) will soon be as unpopular among law breakers as a City Marshal ought to be. Go ahead, Thomas; as long as you are on that track all the people whose good opinion is worth having will back you up with their moral support.

The wrecked brig Clara J. Adams will be sold at auction on Monday afternoon next. The brig is a well built vessel of 407 tons, seven years old, and has a full inventory.

On Thursday afternoon a horse attached to a job wagon owned by Mr. John Woods started to run away from a point on Hanover street near Bridge street, and ran through Hanover, Market and Bow streets to the blacksmith shop of Mr. George H. Wendell, successfully turning two corners. When he reached the blacksmith shop he ran the wagon against the building, stove it up some and cleared himself from the shafts, and then stopped; the horse was unhurt, and the wagon was at once taken inside and repaired. That horse knew what was the proper place in which to smash up the wagon.

The treasury of the Children's Home was benefitted over two hundred dollars by the receipts of the Fair held on Wednesday afternoon and evening for its benefit in the chapel on State street, under the management of the young ladies of St. John's church choir. We are glad to learn that the debt incurred to start this worthy Home, in which there are now twelve inmates, was paid off recently by voluntary contributions, hence the sum just added is so much "to the good."

Mrs. George D. Bartlett on Thursday lost her pocket-book, with more money than she cared to part with in that way, and also some minor articles such as ladies frequently carry in their pocket-books. Steps were taken to advertise the loss, but the property had been found by Mr. William B. Randall and by him of course promptly reported to the police; so Mrs. Bartlett soon rejoiced in the repossession of her pocket-book, and Mr. Bartlett takes this method of expressing his thanks to the finder thereof.

The Granite State base ball club will play a game at 2:30 this afternoon at the Plains, with a picked nine; and on Monday afternoon at 2:30, at the same place, with a Rye Beach club.

William P. Benedict, of this city, nominated for a cadetship at West Point by Hon. Frank Jones, has successfully passed his examination, and is ranked ninth in a class of one hundred and fifteen. Sixty-five candidates were examined at the same time with young Benedict, but only thirty-two passed.

Numerous petitions were received in the Board of Aldermen last night relative to the "nuisance question," and the Board voted to visit the premises of John Stokell & Co. this afternoon at four o'clock. William C. Ham was elected harbor master and inspector of petroleum. George E. Fernald was chosen supernumerary watchman, and Charles W. Shannon special police officer without pay.

Political.

The Richmond *Whig* predicts that not a single man will be elected to the Legislature of Virginia who is in favor of levying a tax sufficient to pay the interest on the public debt. This will manifest a demoralization fatal to the credit of the State, and indirectly injurious to American credit generally. If the great State of Virginia can repudiate her obligations deliberately incurred, and created for valuable purposes, of which she enjoys the benefit, the damage will not be confined to the dishonest State, but will be felt by other States, which will find the money markets of the world, if not closed against them, reluctant to receive their proposals. While no State has a valid excuse for repudiation, it is difficult to conceive of a more unpardonable delinquency than that of Virginia, which could meet her honest obligations by a tax not larger than is paid in many States, but which deliberately adopts the course of dishonesty, because it is easier in the beginning, and because there is no superior law to compel an honest recognition of her indebtedness.

The republican State convention of Pennsylvania on Wednesday nominated as candidate for Auditor-General J. A. Rossmore, whose candidacy it is said Simon Cameron favored. "The policy" was ignored in the platform, the President being neither endorsed nor censured.

In disregard of the pledges made when the troops were withdrawn, and it was agreed that "bygones should be bygones," the democrats of South Carolina are bringing indictments against the republican ex-officials, and in some cases against those that remain in office; but the latter are generally discontinued on the resignation of the officer. Of course, no republican can have a fair trial with the courts and the juries against him; and the proceedings are merely the forms of law in the interests of the worst tyranny. The dominant party of South Carolina—and in that it does not differ from the other Southern States—is determined not only to crush out republicanism, but to revenge itself for its long humiliation. This thing may be pushed too far, and a reaction may come, if not in the South, then from the course of the North.

—The venerable Elder Atwell of Pleasant Valley—a veteran Mason—upon the occasion of a Masonic dinner at the hotel in New Hartford, was called upon to "say grace," and thus he delivered himself: "Oh! God. Our father Adam fell by eating; our father Noah fell by drinking—may we now before Thee shun the sin of the one and the folly of the other. Amen."

—Eli Perkins says one of the young colored men from Hampton College, Va., at the Saratoga United States Hotel acting as waiters, remarked to Eli that he heard a rich old lady from Duluth says she was "going to cut Mrs. Dobson dead!" "Why cu Mrs. Dobson?" asked a lady friend. "Because her husband has lost all his money, and she wears a machine made dress. Do you think I want to associate with any such dresses as she wears—me?" And this indignant and aristocratic old lady from Duluth went on eating fried potatoes with her knife. "How do you know it is a machine made dress?" asked her friend. "Me know! me!" she exclaimed. Then this aristocratic old lady leaned forward and whispered so low that nobody but the Hampton student and her friend heard her: "I'll tell you how I know that Mrs. Dobson wears a machine made dress; I used to be a seamstress, and I saw the stitches clear across the room."

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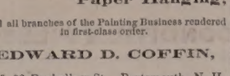

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FROM DOVER 6:45, 10:15, A. M., 2:35, 5, 6:55 P. M.

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the publication of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal, or any other portion of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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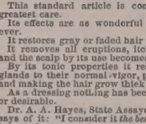

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Living "Bang Up" on $2.50 Per Week.

Those persons who are just now discussing the possibility of living on $1 a day will doubtless be interested in the story of a man who lives on $2. 50 a week. Such a man is Eugene Hall, a pleasant-looking fellow, although somewhat shabby, who, relaxing a little Saturday night from the strict rules of economy which are, according to his tale, habitual with him, and purchasing that which was not needful to his sustenance, as a consequence was brought before Justice Duffy in the Tombs Police Court Sunday morning charged with drunkenness. Hall said that he got drunk through pique. He worked for a plumber, and his wages were $2.50 a week. Last Saturday he received only $1.50, and overcome by anger he sought consolation in the cup. "But," asked the justice, "how do you live on $2.50 a week?" "Oh, bang up," answered Hall; "I can get nice pie for three cents, coffee and cakes for three cents, and pork and beans for eight cents." He said that he slept on a woodpile sometimes and was thankful that his wife had died before he had sunk so low. "Here," said Justice Duffy, "take this half-dollar and get something to eat." "Spend a whole half-dollar for something to eat," exclaimed Hall. "Why, I can get a first-rate meal for twenty-three cents. No man could eat fifty cents' worth at one sitting." Nevertheless, he took the money, and discharged by the Court, left the building a happy man.—*New York Times.*

The Servant Girl.

For as a matter of fact the real capitalist of to-day is the Irish servant girl. She has everything provided for her but her clothes. The cost of cottons, woolens, and all the clothing that she wears, has been reduced to a price below the average before the war; below the average even of twenty years ago, when wages paid to girls for household services were less than half what they are to-day. Yet, the "girl" cannot see and will not understand this. Incomes may have shrunk to one-half, but speak of reducing wages a couple of dollars per month, leaving them still at double their former standard, and she sets her arms akimbo, talks of her "rights," and leaves the family where she has found a good home for years, that has instructed her ignorance, borne her stupidity, and enabled her to save money enough to feel her independence, at a moment's notice, and without a thought of the inconvenience to which she subjects its members except to congratulate herself upon it.—*Baltimore American.*

"Is This Seat Occupied?"

An old, but vigorous-looking gentleman, seemingly from the rural districts, got into a car and walked its full length without receiving an invitation to sit down. Approaching one gentleman who had a whole bench to himself he asked, "Is this seat occupied?" "Yes, sir, it is," impertinently replied the other. "Well," replied the broad-shouldered agriculturist, "I will keep this seat until the gentleman comes." The original proprietor withdrew himself haughtily to one end and looked insulted. After a while the train got in motion, and still nobody came to claim the seat, whereupon the deep-chested agriculturist turned and said: "Sir, when you told me that this seat was occupied you told me a lie;"—such was his plain language—"I never sit near a liar if I can avoid it; I would rather stand up." Then appealing to another party he said: "Sir, may I sit next to you. You don't look like a liar." We need hardly say that he got his seat, and that the original proprietor though there was something wrong about our social system.—*Baltimore Gazette.*

Watery Phantoms.

We have all heard of the Palatine light which burns off the north point of Block Island, blazing up in three streams like a lofty ship with masts and sails in flames, and which was supposed to be a phantom of the plague-laden ship, that drifted with its dying passengers into those waters two centuries ago, and there perished. This is not the only phantom light on the American coast. In the waters of the island provinces, with their gigantic tides and strange currents, their overwhelming fogs, and the general element of mystery and danger that hangs about them, the phantom lights that appal the fisherman are many and mysterious. In the Bay of Chaleur there is one that has been observed at odd times for more than a century; and, a few days ago, it appeared to a party of tourists who undertook to run it down and investigate it. It appeared like the hull of a small craft on fire, but before they had reached the spot, it had vanished, to re-appear astern, after they had passed beyond it. The fishermen remonstrated with them for their hardihood and predicted the northeasterly storm, which speedily blew with great force. The tradition is current that people have been near enough to discover the forms of sailors on board, and hear ejaculations in the Irish language, of terror and despair; and they tell of an emigrant ship, laden with the exiles of famine in '49, which perished miserably by fire in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. An illumined boat has been seen off the island of Antigonish, and another in the Lac St. Jean. White rowers, who can make no progress against the young ice, are seen and heard in a small river in the parish of St. Louis Roberval. The poets and the artists

can find a richer and more virgin field in the waters and on the coasts of the island provinces, than in any other easily accessible field. The spirit of storm and wreck broods upon the people, as it does in the Hebrides, and phantoms which elsewhere would be ridiculous, there exist in an appropriate home. Already we have had "Evangeline" and "The New Priest in Conception Bay," but there is plenty of room for more, with phases of life yet untouched.—*Providence Journal.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1877.

The Eastern War.

The Turkish commander in Herzegovina reports that a band of 2000 Montenegrins surrounded a village near Pressika, intending to get cattle and corn. During the night a fresh band of Montenegrins arrived whom the first band supposed to be Turks. A fierce combat took place in which 700 were killed and a great number wounded. The mistake was not discovered until morning.

Mehemet Ali telegraphs on the 6th inst. from Kechlowa: "To-day, Eyoub Pasha's army corps, which was divided into two columns, attacked the Twelfth Russian corps, supported by a division on the bank of the Lom. The Russians were defeated and recrossed the Lom in disorder. They abandoned their fortified positions near Kechlowa. They lost 3000 killed and wounded. The commander of their cavalry was killed. We lost 200 killed and 700 wounded."

An important engagement was fought near Rustchuk Wednesday morning. Soon afterwards the Russians commenced to bombard that city from Slobosia. The Turks from Widdin attempted to reach Chupercheni, near Kalafat, in boats, but were driven back by the Roumanian battery. The garrison of Widdin has been raised to 8000 men in consequence of the threatening attitude of Servia.

The correspondents say the Russian success at Lovatz places Osman Pasha in the awkward position of having hostile forces on both flanks. Either defeat at Plevna or attempted withdrawal might result in the destruction of his army unless the Russians are compelled to weaken their forces on that side in order to meet Mehemet Ali's advance from Rasgrad. The latter seems to place the Czarowitch's army in a position very similar to Osman Pasha's. If Turkish accounts may be trusted the Turkish force has crossed the Lom and reached the neighborhood of Obertini, while another force has crossed the Kara Lom to Polomarka. These corps are understood to be operating against Biela, but jeopardize the whole Russian campaign east of Yantra as well as the communications with Tirnova.

A Long "Procession."

Immense flocks of swallows haunt a little copse in Westerly, R. I. Hundrdes of thousands of these birds gather, filling the air and confusing the mind with their twittering. They come singly, in pairs, by the score, in hundreds, and even in flocks of thousands, until there seems no room in the air for more. All at once, as by magic, they shoot into the copse and disappear. It is really a wonderful sight. Westerly people visit the place every evening, and many come over even from Watch Hill and Stonington to witness the singular phenomenon. They have been known to gather here for a number of years, but in number they excel this year.

Dear Chronicle: This item in your paper reminds me of an incident in New Orleans prior to the "late unpleasantness," when I was employed on the *Picayune*. At the corner of Poydras and Baronne streets was a large tobacco warehouse, and as is usual in such buildings the large windows in the gable ends were entirely free of sash or glass. Passing just at dusk one evening my attention was drawn to an innumerable flight of bats emerging from the windows on Poydras street. Wheeling and whirling in the air, chippering and chattering, the little flying mice presented a curious sight, and I (as in duty bound,) waited to see the finale in expectation of a first-class item. Ten minutes passed, but there was no cessation to the stream that flew from the window. Fifteen minutes, a full half hour, and still no diminution of numbers. Surely the old building must have been solid full of bats! When a full hour had passed I went up on the Baronne street side, and the mystery was explained. The miserable little bats flew in at the western window and came out of the eastern one, while yours truly was wasting his sweetness on the desert air, waiting for the procession to pass. M.

News and Notes.

During the past season many alterations and improvements have characterized the internal arrangements of the popular American House, Boston. Although the Hotel is one of the oldest and decidedly the largest first-class House in New England, there are few so well kept and none more clean and comfortable.

Two homeopathic physicians in Philadelphia recently certified that the inmate of a colored person's home was insane and should be removed to the almshouse. This certificate required the signature of the district physician, but he being allopathic declined to certify that the homeopaths were physicians of good standing. While the doctors were quarrelling the patient's insanity assumed a violent form and he then jumped from a window and was killed. An official investigation is being made.

A correspondent of the New York Farmers' Club gives his treatment of a case of bone spavin. He had two horses that were lame with this ailment, and he had used about half a pint of oil of spike for each horse, applying it once in two or three days with a swab; a large teaspoon will contain about the quantity for each application. The horse was lame for seven or eight months. For the past six weeks he has not taken a lame step, being in use all the time when needed.

The first reports from the California election indicate that the democrats have carried the Legislature, which will give them a United States Senator in place of Sargent.

A party consisting of John and James Maloney, Patrick Deane, Michael Higgins and William Cullen were sailing about the lower harbor at Biddeford Wednesday afternoon when the boat was upset, and in swimming to shore, half a mile distant, John Maloney, aged twenty-eight, was drowned. Higgins was picked up clinging to the wreck, and the others reached Wood Island in an exhausted condition. Maloney leaves a young wife.

Some fishermen at Naskeag Point, Harbor Island, Me., a short time since caught an immense turtle, whose dimensions, as given by the Bangor *Whig*, were as follows: From tip of nose to the tail, eight feet; between the tips of the flippers, eleven feet; length of shell, five feet seven inches; width of shell, four feet six inches; length of flipper, three feet six inches; weight of flipper, forty pounds; weight of head, twenty-five pounds. A party who saw it estimates the total weight at 800 pounds, which is probably less than it actually was. The turtle proved to be blind, his eyes having been put out by charges of buckshot, which he had received at some time. The fact of his being blind is supposed to be one of the causes of his straying so far from the usual haunts of turtles of his description.

Crazy Horse is dead. He was shot while attempting to escape from custody, and died in a few hours.

Commenting upon the fact that Irene A. V. House, who murdered her husband, has been released from the New Jersey State Lunatic Asylum, completely restored, a New York editor remarks that it is a remarkable fact in pathology that murderers are cured of insanity quicker than any other class.

The London *Court Journal* says: "Canon Walker, the Roman Catholic priest of Macclesfield, on Wednesday refused to inter the body of an excise officer named Delaney, on the ground that the rules of the Church forbade him reading the service over any member of secret societies. The deceased, who was a Roman Catholic, was also a Free Mason. Rev. Mr. Hurst, of Huddersfield, interred the body, which it was originally intended should be buried in Roman Catholic ground, but which was laid in the Church of England portion of the cemetery."

At Wapakonetta, Ohio, on Wednesday evening, Mr. Myers, county treasurer, on his way home from a Catholic festival, was captured almost in the centre of the town, gagged, carried down an alley and held a prisoner till midnight. He was then taken to the court-house, and after being subjected to a severe ordeal of fire, which was placed between his feet as he lay upon the floor, he was compelled to divulge the combination of the county safe. Some $50,000 was taken therefrom. Myers was discovered next morning in a helpless condition, his wrists, feet, mouth and face bearing witness of much suffering. Myers was the outgoing treasurer and should have delivered up the office on the first of September, but owing to some settlement of the accounts was still in possession.

The republicans of Kittery have nominated Dennis M. Shapleigh for the Legislature.

New Hampshire Items.

Charles Brown, the Manchester rough who attempted to kill officer H. W. Longa of that city by shooting him, has been sentenced to State prison for seven years.

The first annual reunion of the Graduates' Association of the Great Falls High School took place in the Town Hall Wednesday evening, the exercises consisting of an oration by C. C. Woodman, A. M., of Worcester, Mass., a graduate of '62; an historical poem by Mrs. W. D. Knapp of Great Falls. The exercises were interspersed with vocal and instrumental music, concluding with a very social entertainment.

Harry Parker of Lisbon, C. C. Frost of Auburn, Me., J. S. Davis of Littleton, and D. C. Moulton of Lisbon, were nearly drowned off Weir's Landing, Lake Winnipesaukee, Thursday forenoon. They were rescued by the steam tug Minocla.

W. H. Kimball of Stratford Hollow was attacked a few days since by a furious bull, and in a position where escape was impossible; but with one blow of his fist he deprived the bull of one eye, knocking it completely out, whereupon the bull gave up the fight.

The hotel at Policy Pond was destroyed by an incendiary fire Thursday night at eleven o'clock. Loss $5000. Mrs. Plummer, an aged lady, mother-in-law of the proprietor, was burned to death.

Wonder what Ed. Fernald, of the Great Falls *Journal*, finds to do, that he cannot come to the sea-side occasionally, all for to go a-fishing?—*Portsmouth Chronicle.*

Name the day, my Christian friend.—*Gt. Falls Journal.*

Tuesday, Sept. 11th.

—L. Bertaccini, the man-horse, is billed to appear at Brussels, on the Plaine des Manœuvres, where he challenges any pedestrian to run him twelve and a half miles, or any mounted man to a race of six times that distance. He claims to have run from Valence to Lyons and back, about one hundred and twenty-five miles, in eleven hours; and at Paris, December 28th, 1876, at the Skating Palace, to have made twenty-five kilometres, say sixteen miles, in an hour and twenty-five minutes. At Marseilles he beat a horse in a race forty times the circuit of the Hippodrome, and at Rome was successful in a similar match.

—A couple of flush Nevada miners recently attended a church fair, bought up the whole concern, and then fun began. Prizes were announced for the prettiest girl in the room, etc., etc. The strangers were the centre of attraction. After turning the heads of all the girls and making all the boys desperately jealous, they gave the remainder of the goods back to the church, and left as mysteriously as they came, simply saying in explanation that they were mining speculators.

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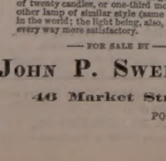

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SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, Mass., at 3 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,305 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $6,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 25,720 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Plumer for $1,800 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plans of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 8, 3d division, sec. 6; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 79, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 19, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 84, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 89, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 35.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

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Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

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Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
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Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	5.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, petition of William Conn and others, relative to North Millpond and A. T. Walker & Son's soap boiling establishment; of Fannie M. Jones and other ladies, relative to piggeries, millponds, etc.; of Lewis W. Brewster and others, relative to millponds, etc.; and of Charles W. Bailey, relative to John Stokell & Co's place on Hancock street, were accepted.

On motion of Ald. Hadley it was

Voted, that a committee of three from this Board be appointed to enquire into the feasibility and cost of continuing the public sewers now entering the north and south ponds, to such distances towards low water mark that the wash and sediment from them will be prevented from depositing on the shores of said ponds.

Also to enquire as to the practicability and least expensive means of dredging and purifying the ponds of filth, muck, etc., likely to exhale odors detrimental to the public health.

Also, that the said committee have power to incur such expense in the matter as may be deemed necessary to enable them to arrive at a satisfactory conclusion in the cases.

Aldermen Hadley, Sides and Perkins were appointed a committee under the above vote.

Petition of Charles W. Bailey, that John Stokell & Co's piggery on Hancock street be declared a nuisance, was accepted, and it was voted that a hearing on the subject be granted at the next meeting of the Board.

Petitions of Charles H. Joy for a crosswalk on Congress street at the entrance to Locke's stable, and of W. I. Trafton for repairs to drinking fountain on Congress street, were referred to the committee on streets, with power.

Notice was received of a suit against the city by Thomas Quinn, claiming $3000 damages for injuries received by reason of a defect in the highway.

The committee on accounts reported on a number of bills which were ordered to be paid.

Joseph P. Morse, Rufus K. Oxford and James Douglas were granted relay of sidewalks.

The health committee made a report on the condition of the premises of John Stokell & Co., on Hancock street, of Puddle Dock, and the millponds; report accepted.

Claims of William P. Israel, of $50 for gravel, of John Shaw, of $6.50 for taking care of ward room, and of C. Dwight Hanscom, were referred to committee on claims.

The Mayor and Ald. Norton (Charles W.) and Yeaton were appointed a committee to represent the city at the annual meeting of the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad.

Bonds of Wm. Shannon, as keeper of city farm, and of police officers Moore and Beslievre, were accepted.

The late City Marshal's report of amount received by him from dog licenses ($3!!!!) was received and approved.

Several minor matters relating to repairs of sewers, naptha lights in the outskirts of the city, etc., were referred to the proper committees.

Petition of F. W. Miller for acceptance of extension of Union street, was received, and it was voted to allow Mr. Miller $150 to finish the street, he to deed the street to the city.

Voted that the South Millbridge be repaired under the supervision of the Mayor.

George E. Fernald was appointed supernumerary watchman, and Charles W. Shannon special police officer without pay.

Thomas S. Gammon declining to accept the position of inspector of petroleum and its products, William C. Ham was elected.

The Board voted to visit the premises of John Stokell & Co. on Friday afternoon, at four o'clock,

Adjourned for two weeks.

In Convention, Horace W. Waldron was elected city weigher; Daniel Littlefield, surveyor of lumber; Jefferson C. Rowe and Abram S. Waldron, fence viewers; and William C. Ham, harbor master, in place of Charles H. Rollins, declined to serve. The election of city treasurer and surveyors of highways was postponed for two weeks.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. Noyes.

At the Universalist church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. A. Grant, at 10:15 A. M.

At the Congregational church, preaching at 10:30.; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Sermon to-morrow by Rev. Mr. Hubbell, on the "Advantages of a Savior absent bodily, present spiritually."

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; Sabbath school at 2:45 P. M.; Prayer meeting in the evening at half-past seven o'clock.

At the Middle street church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., Sunday school 2:45 P. M., prayer meeting at 7:30. Sermon by pastor, Rev. Dr. Alden, to-morrow.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder A. Ross will preach to-morrow.

Service of Praise at Bow Mission, Sabbath afternoon. Everybody invited, especially the poor.

Hon. Edward Carswell speaks on Temperance at Franklin Hall, at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening. Everywhere he speaks he receives very flattering notices. The Boston *Journal* says: "Mr. Carswell's style is entirely unreportable. He has a wonderful command of his audience. A very rapid speaker, one moment his audience was convulsed with laughter by some happy story or pleasant witticism, aptly illustrative of his subject, and a moment after they would be softened to tears by the tender word-picture of some home made desolate, some noble manhood wrecked by intemperance." Five cents admission will be charged, to defray the expenses.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, September 7th.

Daniel Kane, drunk, $9.90.

THE "NUISANCE" CRUSADE.

We have already published the petitions of Lewis W. Brewster and others, and Mrs. Fannie M. Jones and others, to the city fathers, praying for relief from the millpond (and other) nuisances which annually afflict residents of our city in the hot season. Following we give copies of documents submitted to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen on Thursday evening, the first being a report of the Health Committee, signed by Dr. D. W. Jones and Capt. Robert Shillaber:

To the Honorable the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

This is to certify that in response to the complaint of Chas. E. Bailey, we have examined the premises of John H. Stokell & Co. on Hancock street, and said premises are deemed by us to be a nuisance and injurious, in their present condition, to the public health. We would recommend an injunction against keeping swine or trying tallow or other offensive material during the warm weather, or from the 15th of June to the 15th of September. Your committee would also call the attention of your honorable body to the filthy and unsanitary condition of the so-called Pudddle Dock, and the North and South mill ponds; and would recommend the appointment from your Board of a special committee on health, to consult with the legally organized board as to what measures can be adopted to enhance the sanitary condition of our city.

The next is a petition of Wm. Conn, Ichabod Goodwin, E. G. Peirce, Jr., John Stokell, Wm. W. Cotton, J. V. Hanscom, William H. Sise and others. It reads:

To the Honorable the Board of Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Portsmouth, N. H.:

The undersigned citizens and tax-payers would most respectfully represent that the stench from the filth and stagnant water at the west end of the North Mill-pond, and from the soap manufactory of Messrs. Asa T. Walker & Son is intolerable, and we would *earnestly* and *urgently* request that you take such measures *immediately* as will purify these noxious places which are destroying the comfort of our homes and impairing our health.

Then come two petitions from Charles W. Bailey, in relation to John Stokell & Co's establishment on Hancock street:

To His Honor the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Portsmouth:

Gentlemen: Please take notice that the buildings owned and occupied by John Stokell and Cyras L. Brown, doing business under the firm name of John Stockell & Co., said buildings being situated on Hancock street so-called, in the city of Portsmouth, are deemed by the undersigned and the surrounding neighborhood a common nuisance, in the way that said Stockell & Co. conduct their piggery and also the manner of trying out of old bones and tallow, and at times there has been butchering of calves and other animals, greatly to the damage of the health and property in said neighborhood and against the ordinances of the city made and provided,—to all of which we call your special attention and ask to have the same discontinued.

To the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Portsmouth in the County of Rockingham and State of New Hampshire:

Charles W. Bailey of said Portsmouth respectfully represents that a certain pen or sties for swine kept by John Stokell and Cyrus L. Brown of said Portsmouth, doing business under the firm name of John Stokell & Co., on premises situated on Hancock street in said Portsmouth, adjoining land of John W. Berry and others, is a nuisance dangerous and injurious to the public health. Wherefore he prays that you will declare and decree that the said pen or sties for swine so kept by John Stokell & Co. is so near the dwelling house of said Charles W. Bailey as in your judgment is a nuisance.

PREMIUMS AWARDED.

At the New England Fair, at Portland, premiums were awarded to residents in this vicinity, as follows:

For grade or native heifer calves, E. F. Cate of Kittery, 2d prize.

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Shorthorns, herd, 2d premium to C. N. Healey, 3d to Hayes & Son;

Shorthorn cow, one year old, 1st premium to Charles Hayes & Son.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The County Commissioners will meet the Representatives from Rockingham county at the County Farm in Brentwood on Tuesday, the 11th inst. Carriages will be provided for the Representatives and those accompanying them at the railroad stations in Epping and Exeter.

Kittery has very many unoccupied houses on the farms of the town.

On Thursday evening, in the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, two petitions were received from Charles W. Bailey and one communication from the city Board of Health, setting forth that the piggery and slaughter house of John Stokell & Co., on Hancock street, is an intolerable nuisance. On the same evening an urgent petition was received by the Aldermen for the abatement of the millpond nuisance and an alleged soap factory nuisance at the west end of the city, and Mr. Stokell's name appeared in the list of signers of the latter petition.

Butler & Laighton have received a quantity of "green ginger root" for preserving. This is a new article in this market, but is extensively used in Washington and other cities. It makes an excellent preserve, equal in every respect to the imported, at a much less cost. Try it.

Mr. John Woods is indignant that the CHRONICLE of Friday morning should have made his horse run away and smash a wagon on Thursday afternoon, at which time he, the horse aforesaid, was peaceably enjoying himself at Rye Beach with a picnic party. Mr. Woods asserts that his horse never runs away, and that it was Mr. James Woods' horse that so misbehaved.

The Boston *Globe* announces the location of the Veterans' clambake at "Newcastle, Me." The *Post* placed Newington in Portsmouth, not long ago; and Congress once decided that the navy yard was in "Kittery, N. H."

About 500 cords of wood, the property of the Concord Railroad was burned Wednesday evening, at Raymond. Loss $1500 to $2000. Cause unknown.

It is gratifying to learn that there are but three dogs (all males) in this city—at least only that number have paid licenses The owners of these dogs are W. J. Holmes, George W. Clarke and Hall T. Varrell.

The rumor that Longfellow has started into business in Boston as an advertising agent, is untrue, though the beautiful and poetic imagery and flowery language of the chap who gets up the advertisements for the special trips of the steamer "Katahdin" furnished very reasonable foundation for the rumor. We last week gave one specimen of this gentleman's composition, and now give another, taken from the announcement of that steamer's trip to the Shoals on Sunday: "Although the southing sun has now forsaken the Virgin, and Libra will soon be weighing the year in equal scales; Eurocloydon has not yet blown one angry blast, the summer solstice still tempers the air on the ocean, and if the rippling billows away from the shore lift up their voice, its tone is as soft and low as the music of waving pines. A band will entertain the company with excellent music."

Schooner George L. Treadwell, (formerly of this port) which was wrecked on Chincoteague Shoals last winter, sold, raised by wreckers and repaired at Baltimore, and was again wrecked by being capsized off Nassau, N. P., on the passage from Nassau to Baltimore, was repairing at Nassau on the 28th of August, having been again raised and taken into that port. They'd better have left her on the bottom; she's an unlucky craft, and will be her crew's coffin some day.

Nathaniel D. Miller has been elected 1st Lieut., John Christie 2nd Lieut., George E. Hodgdon 3rd Lieut., and Oliver M. Knight 4th Lieut. of the Veteran Artillery Association, to fill vacancies.

Mr. William B. Bacon, one of the trustees of the Eastern Railroad, has just returned from Europe and reports that the present condition of the company's affairs is entirely satisfactory to those who hold its securities abroad. Without the sanction of Mr. Bacon for the statement we venture to say that the constant increase of freight traffic, under the most discouraging circumstances, has exceeded the hopes of the trustees. In expectation of better times this will be the strong point upon which the trustees expect to build up a future for the road. The interest is all provided for, as well as the rental, and there is no reason for doubting that in the end the road will redeem its credit and be a dividend-paying corporation.—*Traveller.*

Mr. Edmund Clark, of Christian Shore in this city, who lost one eye several years ago by a small bit of stone from a ledge upon which he was working, had the terrible misfortune to lose the other a few weeks since in a similar manner, while at work blasting rocks from the extension of Union street near South.—*Weekly.*

The U. S. S. Ticonderoga, at the navy yard, has had her masts taken out and her boilers are to follow her masts, preparatory to her being taken into the dry dock.

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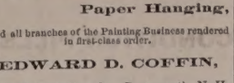

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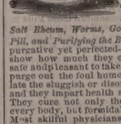

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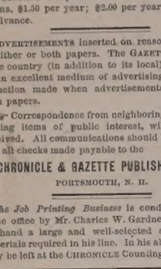

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forthwith enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the said ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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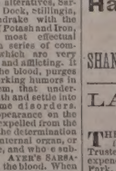

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Honor to the Marines.

The many friends of the Marine Corps of the United States service will be glad to know that their conduct during the recent special period of duty in maintaining public peace is duly appreciated. Colonel Charles G. McCawley, Commandant Marine Corps, Washington, D. C., has received the following from the Secretary of the Navy:

NAVY DEPARTMENT, August 17, 1877.

Sir: The Department has received from Major-General Hancock an official order, wherein he bestows the highest praise upon the marines, who have just returned from Maryland and Pennsylvania, under command of Major and Lieutenant-Colonel by brevet Heywood, and Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel by brevet Forney. The Major-General expresses his high appreciation of the excellent conduct and soldierly qualities of both officers and men, and adds that citizens and soldiers are united in admiration of the soldierly bearing, excellent discipline and devotion to duty displayed by them while at Baltimore, Philadelphia and Reading. The Secretary of War also forwarded to the Department a copy of a report from Colonel and Surgeon J. M. Cuyler, Medical Director of the Division of the Atlantic, who, in accordance with instructions, inspected the sanitary condition of the detachment of Marines at Reading, Penn., in which Medical Director Cuyler says: "The sanitary state of the command is excellent, and the officers evidently take great pride in looking after the health and comfort of the men. I do not recollect of ever having seen a more soldierly set of men, or a more orderly set, proving that they are under most excellent discipline. These men seem to be so well taken care of by their officers that I really cannot see what the Major-General commanding can do to add to their health and comfort. It is quite remarkable that men performing such service are able to keep themselves and their arms, etc. etc., so very clean and neat." This was to be expected from the well established character of the Marines, but is none the less gratifying to the department, and it desires to express through you to both officers and men its high appreciation of them and to assure them of its readiness to co-operate in the adoption of any measures necessary to their comfort and an increase to their efficiency. They are a most important arm of the national defence, and the readiness with which they have responded to the recent summons of the Department to aid in the suppression of unlawful combinations of men, no less than their proficiency in discipline, proves that they may be confidently relied upon whenever the public exigency shall call them into active service.

Very respectfully,
R. W. THOMPSON,
Sec'y of the Navy.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 7th.

The *Graphic* of the 4th inst says: "Better times are coming. There can be no mistake about it. Everything promises a better fall and winter trade than we have had for the last four years." Some of the evidences adduced in support of its predictions are the enormous crops of the present season, with a large foreign demand at good prices; coal has been advanced with little prospect of receding to the ruinous figures that have ruled for some time past; preparations are being made by merchants to meet demands of such magnitude as have been unknown for years; confidence has been re-established in commercial circles; bottom prices have been touched and the tendency is now upward. "Burleigh," the New York correspondent of the Boston *Journal*, whose sound judgment is conceded, arrives at like conclusions. He says the furloughed clerks of large houses have been recalled, in many cases re-enforced, and are all busy, whereas a few weeks ago those on duty were idle, sitting on boxes and leisurely eating fruit. Similar reports reach us from the centres of trade. The rebound, too, appears to have been much more abrupt than was expected in many branches of trade. A gradual reaction was all the most sanguine dared hoped for and the restoration of confidence indicated by the unexpectedly large orders received in the past two weeks, are all the more cheering. Rents, prices of food and boarding rates have all had to yield at last here in Washington, though landlords and boarding-housekeepers struggled long and with a determination worthy of a better cause.

Fears of the dangerous development of agrarianism under the pressure of a wide-spread destitution, such as was never before known here, at least not for many years, has spurred, philanthropy to an organized effort looking to relief. At a meeting on Monday evening composed in part of many of our most wealthy citizens and officials, preliminary steps were taken to form a "labor exchange." It contemplates furnishing employment to those willing to work; also tools to the artisan destitute of the implements of his craft; raw material for the manufacturing of such articles as can find here and in the vicinity a remunerative market; and, in short, to aid the industriously disposed in every legitimate effort to support themselves and those dependant on them. The aid of the police is to be invoked to suppress street begging, now one of the most constant features of

Washington life. It was proposed to raise $10,000 wherewith to begin operations and several subscriptions of $100 each were received at the meeting for that purpose. Several committees of our most prominent citizens were appointed to perfect the crude plan and to attend personally to details. Much is hoped from this plan, and unless the hobby riders, who were out in full force, get possession and ruin all, it can hardly fail to accomplish much good.

At a Cabinet meeting Wednesday Mr. Cornell's case was considered but no definite conclusion was reached. It is given out as a reason for the seeming vacillation and hesitancy of the Administration to enforce its authority in this case, that Cornell manifests signs of yielding. It is as strenuously denied and, even if true, the point is made that Mr. Hayes and his "reform" Cabinet have cut a very sorry figure in dealing with this "machine politician" who has defied them to their faces. Mr. Schurz was reported as very absent minded during the conference, being wholly engrossed with calculating the value of the stumpage of the stolen Government timber.

It will be remembered that in Kane's charges against Lauston was an intimation to the effect that Christian Exel was appointed a special service agent at the instance of Lauston, in part payment of a debt due Exel by Lauston. The *Republican* this morning charges that Exel is now in Minnesota on *private business*, with all his expenses paid by the Government on the pretext of public business. It is presumed that he also receives his per diem in addition to regular salary and mileage. The same paper charges that out of the $40,000 annually appropriated to investigate fraudulent pension claims, at least $15,000 is squandered by favorites of the Pension Office in the manner above indicated. After the stumpage business shall have been "reformed" one falcon-like glance from Mr. Schurz' organs of vision will light on these perambulating fellows, smiting them dead in their shoes.

It is not the opinion here that Mr. Soteldo, editor of the *Republican*, by knocking the aged Solicitor of the Treasury heels over head down a flight of fifteen or so steps has enhanced his reputation for courage or chivalry; and it is just as doubtful whether the profanity and obscenity indulged in by Mr. Raynor, on that occasion, if correctly reported, has added much to his credit, or to the reputation for sound judgment of those responsible for his appointment to the present position, however great his provocation for the assault. KNOX.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10, 1877.

The Civil Service Humbug.

The New York *Tribune*, after perusing a recent account in the Boston *Globe* of an interview between a reporter and the New Hampshire Senators, says: "Senator Rollins, of New Hampshire, refuses to talk politics with anybody, but a vigorous application of the interviewer's pump has extracted from him the remark that the Civil Service order against office-holders will, eventually, be a dead letter, because the office-holder has the same right as a private citizen before and during election. There are chances that this prophecy may not be entirely unfulfilled." Whether or no Senator Rollins is right in his opinion, time only can tell; but he ought to be, for Hayes' attempt to deprive office-holders of their rights as citizens certainly ought to fail. It is his right to demand that every office-holder shall do his whole duty as such; but when he goes beyond this, and arrogates to himself a right to dictate to office-holders how they shall live and act outside their official life, he is meddling with what is most decidedly none of his business. If the President is competent to overhaul and direct the private affairs of office-holders in one point, he is in another; and we shall probably soon be having a general order that all office holders shall join the Methodist or Universalist or Catholic church—whichever one the President for the time being may favor—on pain of being kicked out of office if they refuse. The office-holder who was active and earnest in attending to his duties as a citizen before he was appointed, gave up none of his rights when he accepted office, and has as much right as ever to be active and earnest in attending to his duties as a citizen, provided he does not neglect any of his official duties in so doing.

The Eastern War.

A dispatch from Shumla, dated the 7th, says that two days' hard fighting around Kazelevo resulted in a complete Turkish success, the Russians retreating and concentrating around their headquarters at Bella.

A Constantinople dispatch dated the 7th says "3000 wounded from Suleiman Pasha's army have reached Adrianople. English doctors report 400 more at Kazanlik and that at Shipka they lie all over the steep hillsides."

A Contrastinople dispatch dated 9:20 o'clock Saturday morning, says a battle commenced at Plevna on Friday morning. Result unknown.

News and Notes.

Frank Leslie, the well known publisher of periodicals, has failed, owing to unfortunate real estate investments. His numerous publications will be continued.

The Hartford *Times* publishes a full disclosure of the plot of the burglars, Brown, Allen and Hamlin, to escape from Wethersfield (Conn.) State Prison, which was frustrated by the alarm consequent on the shooting of Watchman Shipman. The confession is made by Allen, who, with Hamlin, is under an indictment for murder. Allen says the plot was concocted two weeks before, Brown furnishing $500 to buy Watchman Davis and procure pistols and ammunition from his "pals" in New York. Davis was won by the money and the goods were received from New York. The sequel is well known.

Adelina Patti asks the French courts to declare her marriage with the Marquis de Caux invalid and void, on account of alleged informality.

A race to test the relative speed of steam and sail craft came off in Narragansett Bay last Wednesday, which strangely enough was decided in favor of the latter. As the Richard Borden, of the Fall River Line, one of the swiftest boats in the bay, came out from Bristol harbor she found waiting for her the catamaran Tarantula, recently built by the Herreshoff Manufacturing Company. The captain of the steamer, seeing that a race was inevitable, ordered more steam, and by the time she reached the catamaran the Richard Borden was doing her level best, but to no avail, for Capt. Nathan Herreshoff filled away and the Tarantula sped on her course to Rocky Point, beating the steamer one mile in four.

A heavy storm prevailed along the coast on Thursday and Friday of last week. The sea was very heavy, and packet communication between Nantucket and Martha's Vineyard was cut off. The tide was higher along the Jersey shore than was ever before known, and much damage was done to bathing houses and shore line railroads.

Political.

Returns from throughout the State of California show that the democrats will have a majority of thirty-eight in the legislature on a joint ballot for Senator. Ryland and Farley are aspirants. The Constitutional Convention is probably defeated.

Naval Officer Cornell, Collector Arthur and Surveyor Sharpe, of the New York custom house, are to go out of office October 1st. They are as competent and faithful officials as ever filled the positions named, but they are not enthusiastic over "the policy," so they are to be dismissed in the interests of "civil service reform."

New Hampshire Items.

Sylvester Sweat, while driving a threshing machine into Joseph Blair's barn, in Plymouth, Friday, upset and crushed the entire left leg and broke the ankle of the right.

Newell Ranlett, a well-known farmer of Belmont, who has been partially insane for some time, attempted suicide Friday morning by cutting his throat with a butcher knife. His condition is critical.

At Newport, Thursday, Frank Ladd attempted to get on a freight train, but slipped under the cars, and his leg was crushed from the knee to the foot.

S. Corey of Oxford, 78 years old, dropped dead on the 5th inst., while walking across the room in his residence. He was to all appearance perfectly well previously. The cause is supposed to be heart disease.

The September term of the Supreme Court, Judge Foster presiding, commenced in Dover on Tuesday, the 4th inst. The Grand Jury finished their labors Friday, bringing 150 indictments, 132 of which were for selling liquor.

The Dartmouth Agricultural College has only eight students in place of twenty-four last year. None have entered this Fall, and the prospect is not very encouraging.

Slippery Pets.

There is a curious case at Rockport of the singular attachment sometimes instituted between man and the lower animals. A Mr. Hale has been for a long time accustomed to throw bits of food for some eels in a little brook that runs along the back of his lot. Latterly he observed that they seemed to be waiting for his visit, and with a little training they were induced to eat food directly from his hand. Then they learned to play and fondle about his fingers, held in the water, and enjoyed his caresses. More recently the largest one of the four, a huge old fellow over two feet long and very large around, allows Mr. Hale to take him entirely out of the water, slide him about freely from hand to hand, apparently enjoying the novel gymnastics. When Mr. Hale goes to the brook he calls them with a peculiar whistle, and they soon come rushing briskly from down stream. Not long ago he brought them his usual lunch of fish and mackerel, when only the large one came. The eel waited a few moments, then turned down stream and soon came back, bringing his tardy family to supper. This shows there is no touch of the human in them, for any ordinary biped boarder would have pitched in without waiting, and cleared the table!—*Globe.*

—Of Mrs. Grant this story of unostentatious benevolence is told: "George S. Joice of Unadilla served faithfully through the war of the Rebellion, and early in President Grant's first term was appointed a doorkeeper at the Capitol, or Executive Mansion. He remained there until some three and a half years ago, then sickened and returned to Unadilla, to linger through the balance of life with consumption. He lived some twelve or fourteen months, and died. While in Washington he attracted the favorable attention of Mrs. Grant. His father's family were in very limited financial circumstances, and George was worth nothing but an irreproachable character and good name. Mrs. Grant, in some way, knew of these conditions, and during the entire time that Mr. Joice was lying sick in Unadilla she sent him each month a check for $100 until he died. There was never any bluster over the matter, and few people in Unadilla know of it to-day."

—Opium-smoking will be prohibited in China by an edict of the Emperor, at the end of three years.

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PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfebl6 78

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At 11 o'clock, A.M.

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In bankruptcy.

In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Morrison and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts: To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 24, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, at 2 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,808 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $3,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,790 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Bunnymut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plans of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 4, 3d division, sec. 6; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 79, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 19, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 94, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 99, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 38.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Gunnison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.

About 16,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Beacon and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

About 9,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington av. or street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, it being lot 163 on plan of division 2 of the 4th and 5th divisions of section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.

All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

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January 16, 1877.

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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

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[Communicated.]

RURAL VISITORS.

The habitues of the Athenæum are often amused at visitors from the interior mistaking the reading-room of the institution for that of a hotel. A few mornings since a tall individual, bearing a travelling-bag in one hand and an umbrella in the other, walked up to a gentleman who sat reading the CHRONICLE, and wished to know, with a business air, where the clerk or the bartender was to be found. About the 4th of July, six rustic young ladies, with their escort, who had come to town evidently in pursuit of summer millinery, entered the room, and appropriating to themselves six of the chairs, while their Damon bestowed himself in a window-seat, and taking from the band-boxes their gaily trimmed "loves of bonnets," (with which they doubtless anticipated creating a sensation on the coming Sabbath at the village church,) held them up before their admiring eyes; ignoring altogether meanwhile the presence of two gentlemen, who, while secretly amused, were chatting together in a moderate tone. On a recent forenoon, a young couple, but whether a brother and sister or a case of "love's young dream" was not apparent, came to take a look at the "metropolis," and in the course of their travels, three times entered the door, and seated themselves with as much indifference to those who were reading around them, as if imagining themselves, like Falstaff, "taking their ease in their own inn;" and the same afternoon an elderly lady, who had evidently come to town "a-shopping" by the bundles she had, made her appearance, drew a chair to the half-opened door, and seemed as if feeling as much at home, while she stayed, as if upon her own hearth-stone. When the excursion season was at its height, a gentleman who, while reading in the library, heard numerous feminine voices blended together in what seemed a near proximity, descended to the reading-room, where he found a rural party of three and twenty, of both sexes, who were having a most happy time, which continued until one of the pleasure wagons came to take them on an out-of-town excursion.

When the New York *Express* was a morning as well as an evening journal, and was located in what had been, years before, the old National Hotel in Broadway, the counting-room people were often amused at applications for accommodations, but especially at night for lodging, and not seldom, at the same hour, for *spiritual* refreshment by half-seas-over individuals in their pilgrimages about town. At a late hour one evening, when two or three of the reporters and the dramatic critic had stopped for a moment in the counting room before going home, one of the latter class of customers above mentioned walked up to a counter used only in the daytime for the evening editions, and, with hands in his pockets and half-closed eyes, asked for "a glass of beer;" repeating the request at intervals, until at last, straightening himself up a little, he exclaimed with considerable emphasis, "*I said I'd take a glass of beer!*" Still receiving no response, he opened wider his eyes to see before him a bare white wall, but turning a little to the left, six smiling faces met his view, and eyes that had been watching his movements from the time of his entrance. With a jolly laugh, his next words were "Guess I got into the wrong shop," as he forthwith retreated to seek his desired beverage elsewhere. On a stormy winter night, just as the latest to remain of the clerks was about closing the door, at the hour of twelve, a traveller entered with his valise, and shaking off the snow with which he was covered from the crown of his hat downwards, asked for a glass of hot whiskey-punch while he warmed himself by the huge coal stove that stood in the centre of the room, and then to be conducted to bed. "This is not a *hotel*," the clerk replied. "*Not a hotel!*" exclaimed the stranger; "what, then, has become of the hotels that were so plenty in this part of New York a dozen years ago, and one of which I have been searching for in the storm since landing an hour ago from a Hudson river steamer?" "They have all gone farther up town," was the clerk's response "as have the people who once lived in this part of Broadway, and farther down town around the Battery." "What shall I do, then?" asked the other, in seeming utter despair. "I have been travelling for the last thirty hours without sleep, am ready to drop with fatigue, and at this late hour not a carriage have I seen to take me anywhere." "Well," replied the clerk, who had seen, when the snow was melted from him, that the stranger was a well-dressed gentleman, "I can furnish you with a lounge yonder, a couple of chair-cushions for a pillow, and any amount of newspapers to cover you, if you will consent to be locked up here until the counting-room is opened at seven in the morning,—and you will accept such accommodations, a proposal which the traveller *did* gratefully accept and profuse were his thanks to the early clerk, when taking his departure, after, as he said, a refreshing night's sleep.

J. H. B.

NAVAL MATTERS.

We take from last week's *Army and Navy Journal* the following items of intelligence, of interest to Portsmouth readers:

The Secretary of the Navy acknowledges in handsome and gratifying terms the prompt and judicious services of Rear Admiral Alexander Murray in the settlement of the difficulties between the Mexican authorities and the U. S. Consul at Acapulco some time ago, and on the occasion of the riots at San Francisco.

Rear-Admiral John C. Howell, chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, is Acting Secretary of the Navy during the absence of the Secretary.

Capt. Oscar C. Badger is to be detached from the Washington navy yard on November 5th, and placed on waiting orders. Capt. J. C. P. DeKrafft will relieve Capt. Badger.

Pay Inspector Charles H. Eldredge has been detached from the U. S. S. Richmond and ordered to settle his accounts.

Naval Constructor Edward Hartt has been appointed president, and Naval Constructors Thomas H. Webb and Samuel H. Pook members, of a board for the examination of Carpenter Joseph H. Thatcher as to his qualifications for the position of assistant naval constructor.

Medical Director S. F. Coues, attached to the Naval Hospital at New York, has been granted lease of absence for two weeks from September 3d.

The U. S. S. "Enterprise" has been ordered to be docked at the Norfolk navy yard.

PRIZE DOGS.

At the "Bench Show" of dogs in Boston Music Hall, last week, five dogs from this city were entered for premiums being taken by them.

In the open class "native English setters," Mr. John S. Sides' field-trial setter "Di," (female,) eighteen months old, entered as "unknown" and therefore adjudged solely on her merits, irrespective of her pedigree, (which, however, is first-class,) was awarded the first premium of $20, there being seventeen competitors in that class.

Mr. Charles Allen took the first prize of $10 for best female puppy of pointer breed, and Mr. James Carroll took the first prize of $10 in the same class for the best male puppy.

In the class "native red, or red and white setters," there were eighteen entries; and Mr. Adolph Nelson's dog "Dick" was awarded the second premium of $10.

Four premiums on five entries is a pretty good showing, and there are other dogs in this city that would most probably have taken prizes had they been entered. Mr. Sides has a setter dog that is not easy to beat; and a well known dog fancier who attended the show says Col. J. Horace Kent's dog "Pedro" would have taken first premium off-hand over anything in the shape of a Scotch collie (shepherd's dog) seen at the Music Hall last week.

P. M. L. A.

The Portsmouth *Weekly* says: "The Portsmouth Mercantile Library Association was organized March 19th, 1853, and so their twenty-fifth anniversary (silver wedding) will occur next March. We hope it will be fittingly noticed, and the Society waked up to its capacity of usefulness. We have from Major D. J. Vaughan, the original agreement of organization, of the date above, as follows. Of the twenty-one signers, the nine marked with a * are dead. The first meeting was held in the studio of P. A. Butler, in the old Congress Block, or perhaps at the house of Mr. Harvey on Deer street."

We the subscribers agree to form ourselves into a Society for Mutual Improvement:

March 19, 1853.

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Thomas H. Odlon,	March 24th,
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D. J. Vaughan,	Allen Freeman,
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G. B. Frost,*	W. S. Chase,*
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W. O. Head,*	James H. Salter,
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THE NEW OPERA HOUSE.

It is expected to have the new opera house completed about the first of December. The building is being put up in the very best manner, and when it is finished the city will have what it has never before had, a first-class amusement hall large enough to accommodate in comfort any average audience, and in the safety of which the public will have entire confidence. The old Temple was comfortable, and roomy enough for all common occasions, but many people considered that it would be a bad place for an audience to get out of in case of fire, and the public generally were very suspicious as to its strength, and anticipated a break-down at some time when it should be overcrowded. The latter fear was not well-founded, as was shown by the way the frame of the building held together at the time it was burned; but it was well-known that the structure was a piece of patchwork, having been raised and enlarged at various times, so its stability was —and always would have been—distrusted. The new building will be strong enough and have sufficient means of exit to reassure the most timid; and the substitution of a handsome, fire-proof brick building for the old wooden Temple will not only make the street look better but will enhance the value of all the property in the neighborhood.

AQUATIC.

The tide was unusually high on Sunday, the "Universalist field" being partially overflowed and the waters of the South Mill-pond reaching right up to Richards avenue, covering the usually-bare marsh between the avenue and the western end of the pond. Some of the wharves were under water at high tide. A very heavy sea was running outside the harbor, the surf at Odiorne's Point and Gerrish's Island being visible from the house-tops in this city. The steamer Major, Capt. Bird, started for a trip to Boston in the morning with about eighty persons on board, and if she made the trip we imagine many of her passengers even wished that they were dead before they got to their destination. The men on board the tug Clara Batemen reported seeing the Major put into the Shoals, and most like that was as far as she got that day. The tug J. H. Glover, on her way back to Boston from Kennebunkport, Me., where she had been to tow a dredging machine, put in here for a harbor Sunday morning, not caring to face the heavy sea off Cape Ann.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Election in Maine to-day.

We are glad to be able able to chronicle an improvement in the condition of John S. H. Frink, Esq., and trust he will soon be restored to perfect health.

Caswell speaks again this evening at Franklin Hall on the subject of Temperance. He is one of the most affecting and effective temperance orators of the day, and many of those who listened to him last evening will hear him again to-night. Five cents admission, to defray actual expenses.

The wrecked brig Clara J. Adams will be sold as she lies on the rocks near the beacon, this afternoon. Mr. Manning, who is in town and represents the coal company that shipped the cargo, has directed the coal remaining on board to be sold at the same time; the purchaser will have ten days to get out the coal. A chance for a bargain for some man. See advertisement.

The Granite State base ball club will go to Rye Beach this afternoon to play the Rye club, instead of playing them on the Plains, as previously announced.

This evening, if the weather is favorable, the last steamboat excursion from this city to the Shoals for this season will take place, the Appledore leaving her wharf at six o'clock and the Shoals at ten, giving her passengers about three hours at the Shoals. Harlow's band will go along, and there will be a dance in the hall of the Appledore House. This excursion is for the benefit of Capt. Robinson and Engineer Gertin, two popular and deserving officers, and with anything like decent weather we expect the steamer to be filled. See advertisement.

John Leahy, a fisherman, we are informed has been missing from his home in this city for nearly two weeks. The last time he was seen was in the evening, on one of the wharves, intoxicated and asleep. It is supposed he fell overboard on awakening, and was drowned.

Charles M. Laighton and Edward J. Moulton have been drawn as jurors from Ward Two, to serve at the United States District Court which meets in this city September 18.

The team of the N. E. P. Union store ran away on Saturday from near the railroad crossing on Vaughan street, and brought up near Mr. Jones' office on Market street. The forward axle of the wagon was snapped short off in the middle, but no other damage was done.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad will be held in this city on Monday, Sept. 24.

An express freight train on the Eastern Railroad, consisting of twenty-five cars, jumped the track just beyond West Biddeford Thursday night, and two cars went off. Passenger trains were delayed two hours. Damage slight.

Sheriff Kent will sell at auction in front of his office this forenoon at ten o'clock, a horse, attached on a writ in favor of E. S. Fay and against J. Frank Willey.

The docket of the Supreme Judicial Court commencing in this city October 16th, will contain 401 civil actions, fifty-six equity cases, twenty State actions and seven cases on the sessions docket. Judge Stanley will preside.

The arrangements for the clambake of the Veteran Artillery Association to-morrow have been completed. Members will report at Light Artillery Hall at 8 o'clock, armed and equipped; at 9 o'clock the Association will march, and go over the following route: Market, Deer, Vaughan, Congress, Islington, Cabot, Middle, State and Pleasant streets to South Mill-bridge, where they will take carriages for Hotel Wentworth. Carriages to convey ladies and gentlemen to the grounds will start from the head of Daniel street at 9 and 11 o'clock in the forenoon. The services of a military and a string band have been secured, and there will be a promenade concert and dance in the afternoon, and a social assembly in the evening. The clambake will be opened at 1:30 P. M.; supper served at 6:30; grand march at 8 o'clock. The ladies accompanying the members will carry baskets of whatever good things they choose to contribute for the supper; table ware will be furnished by the hotel. If bad weather to-morrow, the clam-bake will be served the next fair day.

John Faulkner, a man who for some time past has worked in the hosiery weaving establishment of Thomas Kennedy & Son at No. Three Wibird place, and boarded at Mrs. Alton's at Christian Shore, was found dead in his room at about one o'clock Sunday morning. The Mayor sent the City Physician, Dr. Jones, to the house to ascertain the particulars of his death, and on reporting to him that there was a possibility of foul play ordered an inquest. Coroner Whittier summoned the following named gentlemen as the jury: Dr. John W. Parsons, Edwin A. Tilton and Harry G. Tanton. After the post-mortem examination by Drs. Folsom and Parsons some of the witnesses were examined, but the inquest was adjourned until the room-mate of Faulkner becomes sober enough to testify, he being drunk at the time the inquest was held.

Rev. Wm. H. Alden, D. D., having returned from his summer vacation, resumed his pastoral duties at the Middle street church on Sunday.

Rev. W. J. Potter, of New Bedford, preached at the Unitarian church on Sunday. Next Sunday the Vesper Service at this church will be resumed, at 7:45 o'clock P. M.

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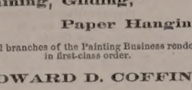

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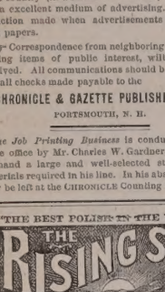

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SEC. 3. All waste water o houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal subsiance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any offal be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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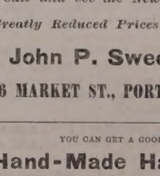

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

PADDLING ON THE PISCATAQUA.

It might have been in *Every Saturday* editorship days of brain-tire or possibly in more remote time, but it was surely in hours when Thomas Bailey Aldrich longed for rest and knew where it could be found that he wrote this song of

"PISCATAQUA RIVER."

Thou singest by the gleaming isles,
By woods and fields of corn;
Thou singest, and the heaven smiles
Upon my birthday morn.

But I, within a city, I,
So full of vague unrest,—
Would almost give my life to lie
An hour upon thy breast;

To let the wherry listless go,
And, wrapped in dreamy joy,
Dip, and surge idly to and fro,
Like the red harbor-buoy!

To sit in happy indolence,
To rest upon the oars,
And catch the heavy earthy scents
That blow from summer shores;

To see the rounded sun go down,
And with its parting fires
Light up the windows of the town,
And burn the tapering spires;

And then to hear the muffled tolls
From steeples slim and white;
And watch, among the Isles of Shoals,
The beacon's orange light.

O river, flowing to the main
Through woods and fields of corn!
Hear thou my longing and my pain,
This sunny birthday morn;

And take this song which sorrow shapes
To music like thine own,
And sing it to the cliffs and capes
And crags where I am known.

Within fifty years there have been perhaps fifty "Poets of Portsmouth" who have written good poetry, which has been printed and bound up into books, and scarcely one of the fifty but has in some way sung of the Piscataqua River; so, unless the greater body of water is viewed as containing the lesser, it seemed a little defective in fulness of construction to read the paragraph recently put afloat saying that a native of Portsmouth never forgets that he was born in a locality that has "a naval station, a harbor and a history;" defective is it, considering all that has been said and sung about the subject, to note that in the floating newspaper wait all allusion is omitted to there being also "a river" in the Portsmouth creed of nativity. But there is a river worthy to have been part of the creed, whether or not it has been mentioned, and a stream which Kennard, Aldrich, Laighton, Shillaber and all of the Strawberry Bank poets who have sung its praises have not magnified the glories, beauties nor restfulness of. The "goodly groves and woods upon Piscataquack's banks" were praised by its discoverer and earliest navigator, and now the varied, picturesque scenery above the bridge along its shores, and views upon the water, with the curious, foreign-looking inteen-sailed packets and gondolas—sometimes floating lazily with the tide, and sometimes impelled by strong breezes, crowding along their broad prows and hulls, heavily laden, with a rush and a roar, toward their destination—are scenes that might inspire a poet with many moods and measures. When Aldrich desired—

"To let the wherry listless go,
And, wrapped in dreamy joy,
Dip, and surge idly to and fro,"

he had probably in fancy shot Portsmouth Bridge and was on the upward tide toward Great Bay, the Cocheco or Salmon Falls rivers, or had put into some of the creeks. Those ways he would find it safe

"To sit in happy indolence,
To rest upon the oars,
And catch the heavy earthy scents
That blow from summer shores;"

and those ways he would find the loveliest of shores and the quiet still-life landscape

"By woods and fields of corn,"

he sings of in verse-pictures daintily and half mournfully. But below the bridge, toward the sea, the Piscataqua in its broad tide-way is a turbulent river with a seven-knot current, by the mariner's reckoning, and with swirls and eddies in it that may make an overset of the wherry against pier or bridge on the incoming tide, or a sweep of it away to sea on the outgoing flood, if any considerable amount of "happy indolence" is permitted to happen. This current, which keeps the river from freezing, is the winter-glory that warms the pride-cockles of the Portsmouthian's heart. He cannot be libelled worse than to say that his loved river was ever gelid. Albert Laighton says, in "My Native River," that it is—

"Hushed by the Ice-king never;
For he strives in vain to clasp a chain
O'er thy fetterless heart, brave river."

Only so little while ago as last winter some unlucky night telegraph editor inadvertently published in his newspaper an item about the freezing-in of certain vessels, which happened perhaps, at Portsmouth, Virginia, as occurring at Portsmouth, New Hampshire. If that night editor saw and read at the time the local daily paper's comments on his stupidity, or if any of the Portsmouth personal allusions to the opaqueness of his brain receptiveness reached him, he will doubtless be very careful not to allow the same mistake to occur twice. And yet—but in Kittery, to be sure, in Maine, the opposite shore of the river, the navy yard lying between the interchange of considerable more civility that might happen than does if it were not there,—in Kittery, let it be recollected, they say that the river did, perhaps twenty-

five or more years ago, close with ice, and that a man crossed it, as he declared, "upon a horse." Any Portsmouth man will explain this by saying that the closing of the river was simply by an ice jam held up by one flooding of the tide and going out to sea on the next ebb. Taking advantage of the time and safety, a wag put a saw horse upon a hand sled, seated himself upon it, hired some of the "Tom Bailey" style of boys to draw him across to Kittery, and ever afterward said that he had crossed the Piscataqua on the ice upon a horse. The man who did it is now dead, and many of the waggish pranks that he played are laughed at and forgiven, but it is rather uncertain whether this trifling with the reputation of the river is one of the forgiven things.

Say all that may be said in pleasantry and badinage of local pride, again it may be said that Portsmouth's poets or any other writers in song or prose who have written of the glories of the Piscataqua have not too rosily tinted the pictures, nor exhausted its due of being sung and said about. Reluctant parting from its shores, after days of paddling with oars and canoe upon its rapid main channels and its quieter creeks and estuaries, confirms the verse and story, and makes the warrant of the home pride of the dwellers by its banks and stream-sides manifest. Where the song has revealed but half that the poet has seen shows in the memory-retained pictures that can only be faintly limned in telling.

Other memories of history linger among the colors of the pictures borrowed from the stream and shore, taking the thoughts back to days when Martin Pring and Captain John Smith were navigators in the same waters, Mason and Gorges were promoters of settlements on the same shores, and Odiorne's Point, Kittery and Strawberry Bank had local habitants and a name before Boston was. Old houses that tell of early greatness and prosperity remain among the landmarks, and their interiors continue, with the objects and flavors of antiquity, to help people them; old churchyard tombstones record names and fames of more than a century and a half past; grand and stately trees, with ample shade, make the thoughtful tender with gratitude in remembrance of those who planted them, and all together hallow the pictures of streams and shores with more ineffaceable stamp than is brought by the impressions from newer-found lands and waters, settled upon and sailed upon.—*Boston Transcript.*

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11, 1877.

Conciliation.

A correspondent of the Boston *Traveller*, writing from South Carolina, gives a series of illustrations of how "conciliatory" the victorious Hampton-Butler democracy are towards the republicans. In a late letter he says:

"To illustrate the character of the charges upon which some of these indictments are based, I will give you a brief statement of those found against the late Comptroller, General Dunn, a former citizen of your State, and a gentleman whose character has always stood high in this State, until by his manly action last November as the principal member of the State Board of Canvassers, he aided in saving the electoral vote of the State to Hayes, and thereby earned for himself the bitter and undying hatred of the South Carolina democracy. He is first charged with neglect of official duty in January, 1877, while his accusers persistently deny to him any official character or authority after the 14th of December, 1876, the day of Hampton's inauguration, when according to the State Constitution the newly elected State officers enter upon the discharge of their official duties. Not a warrant, or other official paper bearing the signature of Mr. Dunn as Comptroller, dated subsequent to that day, is regarded as valid; not a dollar of salary has been allowed him after that day, and yet he is indicted for neglect of official duty in the following month. Comment is unnecessary.

He is next charged with official misconduct in the issuing of a warrant upon the State Treasury for a sum due from the State to the firm of Thos. W. Price & Co. of Philadelphia. It is not denied by his accusers that this debt was justly due Messrs. Price & Co., or that there had been a special act passed by the legislature auditing this account and ordering it to be paid by the State Treasurer; but in paying it, they affirm that the State Treasurer paid the warrant out of funds appropriated to other purposes, and thereby was guilty of misappropriation of public funds, which by a clause of the general appropriation bill of that year was declared a felony. If the Treasurer made any mistake as to the fund from which he paid this amount, it is difficult to see wherein Mr. Dunn is liable for issuing a warrant, which did not designate any particular fund out of which the Treasurer should pay it, particularly as it is made his duty by statute to issue his warrant for all payments ordered by the General Assembly, upon the presentation and filing of the proper vouchers in his office. In this case it would seem that Mr. Dunn has been indicted for strictly performing his official duty.

The remaining charge against Mr. Dunn is for conspiracy to defraud the State by funding past due coupons of State bonds under the funding act of 1873. It is not denied that the funding act authorized the funding of these coupons, that the coupons themselves were genuine, or that the funding act itself declares it a penal offence for any officer to refuse to fund the specified bonds or coupons, when presented by the holder for that purpose. But it is affirmed by his accusers that those coupons had matured before the bonds to which they belonged had been issued by the State. Whether this assertion be true or not I am not informed, but this I do know, that consolidation bonds were issued in 1876, having on them coupons maturing in July, 1875, and January, 1876, which it is proposed by the Hampton government to fund into new bonds instead of levying a tax to pay them. It seems that only the average democratic lawyers of South Carolina can detect guilt in an act when done by a republican, which if performed by a democratic official is not only harmless but praiseworthy."

The Eastern War.

The fighting around Plevna continued all Saturday and Sunday. The Russians carried the heights south of Plevna on Sunday, losing 500 men. The Manchester (England) *Examiner* had a special despatch from Sistova on Sunday, which says: This morning an attack on all sides commenced and was continued throughout the day. By six o'clock in the evening the town of Plevna was in the hands of the Russians. The Turks were in full retreat in great disorder. Their losses are enormous, but the details are not yet received."

Niesics has capitulated unconditionally to the Montenegrins.

News and Notes.

Police officer Garrigan, of Providence, was assaulted by a gang of roughs on Sunday morning, and severely beaten. He finally fired into the crowd, and fortunately killed Hugh F. McCahey, a ruffian who was engaged in throwing stones at the officer.

Under a recent decision of the Secretary of the Navy the caterer of the mess, in all the departments of a vessel, is the presiding officer thereof, and entitled to the head of the table. The executive officer can interfere only to prevent disorder or unrestrained breaches of decorum. The decision is based on the new regulations, and deprives the executive officer of the right heretofore claimed and exercised of taking the head of the table and considering himself the presiding officer thereat, so far as the room is concerned.

The Providence, R. I., woman who was reported some weeks since to have died from the bite of a spider, really died from malignant pustule on the lip.

The coroner's jury charged in Bristol, R. I., to inquire into the circumstances of the death of Capt. Ezra Baxter, found in the harbor of that place with a heavy granite block secured to his neck, returned a verdict that he came to his death by violence at the hands of unknown parties.

The railroad rioters convicted at Harrisburg, Pa., have been sentenced to jail for two to eight months and fines from $25 to $500.

The democrats of Iowa have nominated for Governor a man who, four years ago, in his capacity of chairman of the democratic State committee, and in open State convention, formally announced that the democratic party had "survived its usefulness," and that then was the time to "bury it out of sight."

New Hampshire Items.

Mrs. Levina Jackson Jenks, of Newport, who died last Friday at the age of eighty-six, was the widow of the late Captain Oliver Jenks, and was a sister of the late Hon. Eleazer Jackson of Cornish. She left eight children, among whom are George F. Jenks, Secretary of the Republican State Committee of New Hampshire, and Edward A. Jenks, Manager of the Republican Press Association. The deceased was a most excellent woman, and carried to her grave the love of her kindred and the warm esteem of all who knew her.

Mrs. D. G. Rollins of Great Falls is the possessor of a night blooming cereus which has taken upon itself to bloom in the forenoon. On Tuesday forenoon of last week it put forth seven handsome flowers.

An elopement has taken place at West Deerfield. The parties were a Frenchman and the wife of Mr. James M. Willey. Mrs. Willey is sixty-five years old. The Frenchman has been the hired man on the farm since last spring, and is twenty-nine years old. Mrs. Willey carried her husband with a team as far as the Parade on Aug. 28th, and he went from there to Epping camp-meeting. She went home and sold a yoke of oxen, traded three cows and a calf for a horse and wagon, sold a hog, some wheat, etc., and then, with the Frenchman, started for parts unknown. Mr. Willey, on his return home, went to a lawyer and is trying to get his stock back.

—"Gentlemen, I introduce to you my friend, who isn't as stupid as he appears to be." Introduced friend, with vivacity—"That's precisely the difference between my friend and myself."

—There is a magnificent Newfoundland dog at Long Branch, who, as regularly as the flag floats to denote the bathing hour, goes down to the beach, descending the steps in front of one of the hotels, and walks solemnly forward to the water's edge, as if it were a matter of business.

—Osman Pasha, says the *Graphic*, is a Tennesseean named Crawford, in disguise. The telegraphs reveals him. It is also announced, through private channels of communication, that Suleiman Pasha is Oakey Hall; that Baker Pasha, instead of being the Colonel Valentine, late of the English army, is, in fact, the Baker who killed Bill Poole; that Mehemet Pasha is Dr. Mary Walker—the Me-he-met being a malicious allusion to the janitor of the Treasury Department; that the Grand Duke Nicholas is Bishop A. Cleveland of Cozeski of Buffalo bazaar, and General Nepokoitchitski is old Bender, formerly of Kansas. Harrigenet Pasha controls the Sultan's Treasury, Slipridik Pasha is the head of the Commissary Department, and Charliros Bey is an infant drummer now before Plevna. This is curious.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS TO BE SUPPLIED TO THE NAVY YARDS UNDER THE COGNIZANCE OF THE BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,
Washington, D. C., August 21, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS to furnish Timber and other materials for the Navy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878, will be received at this Bureau until Tuesday, 12 o'clock M., the 25th of September next, at which time the bids will be opened.

The proposals must be addressed to the "*Chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair, Navy Department, Washington,*" and must be indorsed "*Proposals for Timber, &c., for the Navy,*" and may be distinguished from ordinary business letters.

To prevent confusion, and facilitate the opening of the bids, partial bidding for supplies at several yards will enclose their bids in separate envelopes for each yard, indorsed with the name of the yard for which the bid is made.

Printed schedules for such classes as parties deal in and intend to bid for, together with instructions to bidders, giving the forms of proposal, of guarantee, and of certificate of guarantors, with printed forms of offer, will be furnished to such persons as desire to bid, on application to the Commandants of the respective Navy Yards, and those of all the yards on application to the Bureau.

The Commandant of each Navy Yard, and the purchasing Paymaster for each Station, will have a copy of the schedule of the other yards, for examination only, in order that persons who intend to bid may judge whether it is desirable to make application for any of the classes of those yards.

The proposals must be for the whole of a class, but the Bureau reserves the right to reject any one whole class, should the interest of the Government require it, before the execution of the contract. All applications for information, or for the examination of samples, must be made to the Commandants of the respective yards.

Bids or orders will be received only from parties who are bona fide dealers in, or manufacturers of the articles they offer for sale. The guarantee bond must be certified by the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside.

The contract will be awarded to the person who makes the lowest bid and gives the guarantee required by law, the Navy Department, however, reserving the right to reject the lowest bid, or any which it may deem exorbitant.

Under the provisions of Section 3722 of the Revised Statutes, the offer of any person who, as principal or surety, has been a defaulter in any previous contract with the Navy Department will be rejected.

Sureties in the full amount will be required to sign the contract, and their responsibility must be certified to by the authorities of the Navy Department.

A additional security twenty per centum will be withheld from the amount of the bills until the contracts shall have been completed, and eighty per centum of the value of each bill, approved in triplicate by the Commandants of the respective yards, will be paid by the Paymaster of the station designated in the contract, or, if none is specified, by the Paymaster of the station nearest the yard where the goods are delivered, within ten days after the warrant for the same shall have been passed by the Secretary of the Treasury.

The classes for the Bureau are numbered and designated as follows:

No. 4, White Oak Plank—Oregon Pine Deck Plank at Mare Island yard; No. 7, Yellow Pine Logs—Oregon Pine Logs at Mare Island yard; No. 8, Yellow Pine Beams—Oregon Pine Beams at Mare Island yard; No. 9, Yellow Pine Mast Timber; No. 13, White Pine Plank, Boards—Sugar Pine Plank and Boards at Mare Island yard; No. 15, White Ash, Elm, Beech—White Ash and Redwood at Mare Island yard; No. 16, White Ash Oars; No. 18, Black Walnut, Mahogany, Maple, Cherry; No. 22, Cypress, Cedar; No. 24, Black Spruce; No. 25, Lignumvitæ; No. 32, Wrought Iron, round and square; No. 33, Wrought Iron, flat; No. 34, Iron, plate; No. 35, Steel; No. 37, Iron Spikes; No. 38, Iron Wrought Nails; No. 39, Iron Cut Nails; No. 42, Lead, pipe; No. 45, Lead, disc; No. 46, Tin; No. 48, Locks, Hinges, Bolts of brass and iron; No. 52, White Pail; No. 57, Zinc Paints; No. 58, Colored Paints, Dryers; No. 59, Linseed Oil; No. 60, Varnish, Spirits Turpentine; No. 63, Sperm and Lard Oil; No. 64, Tallow, Soap; No. 65, Fish Oil; No. 68, Glass; No. 69, Brushes; No. 70, Dry Goods for upholstering; No. 71, Stationery; No. 72, Crucibles; No. 73, Ship Chandlery; No. 74, Acids; No. 75, Rosin, Pitch, Crude Turpentine; No. 77, Belting, Packing; No. 78, Leather, pump, rigging, lacing; No. 80, Junk; No. 83, Anthracite Coal; No. 87, Bituminous Coal; No. 88, Charcoal, Coke; No. 89, Wood.

The following are the classes, by the numbers, required at the respective navy yards:

PORTSMOUTH.

Nos. 4, 13, 15, 16, 18, 25, 32, 33, 35, 39, 42, 44, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 73, 74, 77, 78, 80, 83.

BOSTON.

Nos. 15, 15, 16, 18, 25, 35, 38, 39, 42, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 56, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 73, 74, 75, 77, 78, 83, 88.

NEW YORK.

Nos. 9, 16, 22, 23, 32, 37, 42, 43, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 77, 78, 80, 83.

LEAGUE ISLAND.

Nos. 9, 18, 23, 25, 34, 38, 39, 42, 43, 47, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 60, 63, 64, 69, 70, 71, 73, 75, 78, 83, 87, 88.

WASHINGTON.

Nos. 9, 22, 23, 32, 39, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 65, 66, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 77, 78, 87, 88, 89.

NORFOLK.

Nos. 9, 13, 15, 16, 18, 22, 25, 32, 33, 34, 35, 37, 39, 44, 48, 49, 50, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 68, 69, 70, 71, 73, 74, 78.

MARE ISLAND.

Nos. 7, 8, 9, 13, 16, 24, 32, 35, 42, 42, 44, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 63, 64, 65, 68, 69, 70, 71, 73, 78, 83 z33 44-11-13

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS.

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS.
NAVY DEPARTMENT,
Washington, August 29, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS for each class separately, indorsed "Proposals for Class No. (name the class), for the Navy Yard at (name the yard)," will be received at this office until 10 o'clock, A. M., of the 7th of September, at which hour the opening of the bids will be commenced for furnishing and delivering at the several Navy Yards, and Naval Asylum, the materials and articles embraced in printed schedules, which, with form of offer and guarantee, and printed instructions, will be furnished on application, and sent by mail, if requested, to persons desiring to offer to contract for any or all the classes named therein, by the Commandants of the several Navy Yards, for the classes for the Yard under their command, or by the Purchasing Paymaster nearest thereto, or by the Bureau for any or all the Yards and Asylum.

The classes of this Bureau are numbered and designated as follows: No. 1, Bricks; No. 2, Cement; No. 3, Yellow Pine Timber; No. 4, Yellow Pine Lumber; No. 5, Oak and Hardwood; No. 6, White Pine, Spruce, and Juniper and Cypress; No. 7, Lime, Hair and Plaster; No. 8, Cement; No. 9, Gravel and Sand; No. 10, Building and Paving Sand and Fire Clay; No. 11, Slate; No. 12, Iron, Iron Nails and Spikes; No. 13, Steel; No. 14, Files; No. 15, Paints, Oils and Glass; No. 16, Ship Chandlery; No. 17, Hardware; No. 18, Stationery; No. 20, Hay and Straw; No. 21, Provender; No. 22, Charcoal; No. 23, Belting, Packing and Hose; No. 24, Spermaceti, Lubricating Oils; No. 25, Illuminating Oils; No. 26, Iron work, Piping, &c.; No. 27, Anthracite Coal; No. 28, Bituminous Coal; No. 29, Copper and Composition Nails; No. 32, Machinery and Tools, &c.

NAVAL ASYLUM, PHILADELPHIA, PA.

Class No. 1, Groceries; No. 2, Bread and Shoes; No. 3, Provisions; No. 4, Groceries; No. 5, Dry Goods; No. 6, Bread; No. 7, Tobacco; No. 8, Coal and Wood; No. 9, Paints, Oils and Glass; No. 11, Lumber; No. 13, Provender; No. 14, Miscellaneous; No. 15, Hardware.

The following are the classes, by their numbers required at the respective Navy Yards and Naval Asylum:

BOSTON, MASS.

Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8, 11, 12, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 27.

BROOKLYN, N. Y.

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27.

LEAGUE ISLAND, PHILA., PA.

Nos. 6, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 24, 25, 27, 29, 32.

NORFOLK, VA.

Nos. 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, 31, 32.

PENSACOLA, FLA.

Nos. 6, 7, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 24, 32.

MARE ISLAND, CAL.

Nos. 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23, 24, 25, 29.

NAVAL ASYLUM, PHILA. PA.

Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 13, 14, 15.

The Bureau reserves the right to reject any or all bids, as the interest of the service may require.

JOHN C. HOWELL, *Chief of Bureau.*

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE
AT AUCTION.

United States District Court.

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.
In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts: To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 28, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, at 3 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described unencumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,500 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,300 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Cleveland avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,700 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Dunmer for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plans of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 8, 3d division, sec. 6; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 79, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 19, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 49, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 69, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 35.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Gunnison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.

About 18,600 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Beacon and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

About 3,600 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington av. or street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, it being lot 163 on plan of division 5 of the 4th and 5th divisions of section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.

All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim her right of dower in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars in regard to title, etc., inquire of J. M. Twichell.

CHARLES S. SYMONDS,
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A LOT OF FORTY ACRES, more or less, of Pasturage and Woodland, situated in Newington, being a portion of the homestead farm of the late John Fabyan. This lot is mostly covered with a heavy growth of PINE and OAK, the latter suitable for ship timber. It is also well watered, and affords an abundance of feed in the dryest seasons; some portions are suitable for tillage. For further information apply to

S. D. FABYAN, on the premises.

Newington, N. H. August 8th.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
U. S. MARINE CORPS,
Washington, August 28, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, M., of Tuesday, the 9th day of October next, for furnishing supplies to the United States Marine Corps, during the fiscal year ending 30th June 1878, to be delivered at the office of the Assistant Quartermaster, Philadelphia, Pa., free of expense to the United States.

Schedules of the supplies required can be obtained, and the standard samples seen, at the office of the Quartermaster, Washington, D. C., Assistant Quartermaster's Office, No. 226 South Fourth Street, Philadelphia, Marine Barracks, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Boston, Mass.

Blank forms of proposal and all information desired can be had by applying at either of the places named above.

Proposals to be endorsed on the Envelope "Proposals for Supplies" and addressed to

W. B. SLACK,
4-11-12-25 *Major and Quartermaster.*

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WE regret our inability to get machinery, etc., ready next Monday, as proposed August 1st, and the Mills will not be started until MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 10TH, 1877, after which we hope to run regularly.

Per order of the Treasurer.
R. B. ADAMS, Agent Kearsarge Mills.
Portsmouth, August 30th, 1877.

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January 16, 1877.

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Miss C. J. Kelly,

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who will attend promptly to orders and who refers by permission to Mrs. A. Hemenway, Mrs. Robert N. Storer, Mrs. R. W. Emerson, Mrs. W. H. Forbes and others.

NOTE.—Many stores are now closing desirable goods at low prices to make room for autumn stocks.

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET.
Apply at 5 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

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THREE OFFICES over the 29 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to
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To Rent.

PART OF HOUSE corner of Lincoln and Miller Avenue. Apply at the house.

For Sale.

HOUSE and LAND No. 1 CHARLES STREET.
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Inquire of ALLEN A. RAND,
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THE very desirable BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 16 WASHINGTON STREET, belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. Andrew Hussey. House contains twelve rooms and has a Brick Stable and large Garden attached. Possession given September 1st.
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Portsmouth, July 24, 1877.

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THE well-known "STODDARD FARM," containing upwards of fifty acres of land situated on the Rye (or Elwyn) road, about three miles from Market Square. On the Farm is a new Dwelling House 32x33 feet, containing eight rooms; there is also a Barn 32x66 feet. The Farm is well divided into mowing, pasture and woodland; in the pasture, near the barn, is a pond of never-failing water. This would be a splendid place for poultry raising.
For further particulars enquire of
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THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq.
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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55	A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.55	"	3.40
Portland	8.45	"	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	"	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	"	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40	"	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, south & West,	4.03, 10.10	A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10	A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00	"	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20	"	
Concord and North,	10.20	"	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20	"	5.30 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE SCHOOLS.

Miss M. H. Garrett has been temporarily assigned the charge of the 3d and 4th classes of the Franklin Intermediate School on North street. Miss Garrett's place at the Plains School is filled by Miss Johnson.

It costs eight hundred and sixty-four dollars annually to take care of the school-rooms of the city. One would think that out of this sum enough could be scrimped to pay for the removal of the unsightly weeds on the sidewalk in front of the High School building, but perhaps there is nothing in the regulations requiring such care to be taken outside the building. If it is nobody's business to look after this matter, nobody does his business very well.

There are now in the High School one hundred and thirty-eight pupils,—sixty-four boys and seventy-four girls. When the present board of teachers took charge of the school, the number of pupils was one hundred and six,—thirty-eight boys and sixty-eight girls. A gain of twenty-six boys,—more than sixty-eight per cent.—is somewhat remarkable, but the school is in good hands and is becoming more and more popular.

William B. Benedict of this city, recently admitted as a cadet at West Point, reviewed his studies this summer with Charles E. Buzzel, Esq., master of the Walker School. Benedict was much more than an average scholar, but had been some time away from school, and we have no doubt his successful examination was due in no small degree to the clear and methodical drill for which Mr. Buzzell is noted.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Lieut. Fred L. Dodge, 23d U. S. Infantry, was on detached service at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, last week, as one of a board to examine applicants for superintendencies of national cemetery.

The figure-head of the new ship Paul Jones is in place. It is a full length figure of the great naval hero whose name the vessel bears, and is a very handsome piece of work, though we cannot say whether or no it is a good likeness of the old sailor.

Mr. John Caswell has recently put up, on Noble's Island, flakes for drying fish. Thirty years or so ago that island was a noted place for fish curing, and many a "pinky" discharged there her scaly load; but for many years past the only traces of the once large business done there have been the tumble-down wharves and fish houses.

Mrs. Thomas B. Laighton, who has lived so long at Appledore, is to spend the winter in Portsmouth. Mrs. Laighton, her sons, and Mrs. Thaxter, have rented the house on State street recently vacated by the family of the late Pay Director A. E. Watson, of the United States Navy, and Mrs. Laighton will have the benefit of constant medical attendance and other conveniences which in a rough winter are less likely to be available by a person at the Isles of Shoals.

Paymaster Ambrose J. Clark, U. S. N., now on duty at the Brooklyn navy yard, is paying a visit to his friend Paymaster Guild, in this city.

We notice that the sale of the ship Yo Semite, of this port, now at San Francisco, has been consummated at $39,500. Samuel Blair is the purchaser. The ship was built here in 1867, and registers 1154 tons. Her owners were Capt. John S. Pray, William Simes, William D. Fernald, Stephen Tobey, Daniel Littlefield, Thomas E. Call, John T. French, Wm. R. Preston, Jos. Hiller Foster and others of this city, and Capt. Andrew Mack and others of Kennebunk, Me. The Yo Semite is a fine ship, and the San Francisco papers say she is in perfect order and will be used as a coal carrier. She was built by Tobey & Littlefield, a former firm that did much to add to the celebrity of Portsmouth as a ship-building place, and never launched a poor vessel.

The Probate Court will be in session in this city to-day.

"Autumn leaves" have arrived, and got stuck all over some of the early-changing trees about the city. A light frost was reported one night last week, and some of the trees look as though it had touched them.

Pay Director George F. Cutter, U. S. N., is on a visit to his friends in this city.

Mr. Chas. A. Lee, of our namesake the *Gazette and Chronicle* of Pawtucket, R. I., who participated in the N. H. Press Excursion, has taken another cruise, this time out West. If a man who publishes a newspaper is able to indulge in such frequent excursions, he ought to be considerate enough of those of the craft who can't get away to abstain from sending them his three column recitals of a trip across the Alleghanies. But we suppose a man who lives in Rhode Island must gush occasionally when he crosses the line and sees other States of larger dominion.

On Monday morning the seven o'clock train from Dover ran into a freight car near the Green street crossing in this city, the engine's head light being smashed and the car thrown from the track by the collision. A misplaced switch caused the accident.

The steamer Major arrived home from her Sunday trip to Boston at about eight o'clock on Sabbath evening. She didn't reach Boston at all, the very heavy sea making all her passengers seasick and driving her for refuge into Gloucester harbor, where also the big steamer Katahdin went with her. Shoals-bound passengers from Boston, they too being seasick and not caring to complete their intended trip. The Katahdin's passengers on Monday were hunting all over Boston for the agent who the week before announced in his advertisement of the trip that "Eurocldon has not yet blown one angry blast," and that "if the rippling billows away from the shore lift up their voice, its tone is as soft and low as the music of waving pines." They wanted to give him Eurocldon and things, and let him know just how the "rippling billows away from the shore lifted up their voice" and made things lively for the floating public.

On Saturday two young men from Stratham started out of this port in the boat "Sea Lark," intending to go to Bangor, but on reaching the outer harbor the craft was upset, washed ashore and badly stove up. The men were picked up by members of the Portsmouth City Guards, who are in camp on Newcastle beach, and were well cared for.

John Leahy, who was reported as missing by the CHRONICLE of Monday, is said by the *Times* to be finishing off a "bust" in Newburyport.

The Kearsarge Mill was started up on Monday.

A large Newfoundland dog belonging to Mr. Thomas E. Call, Jr., bit Mr. Call's sister slightly on Saturday, and Mr. Call deemed it his duty to have him shot, as the dog had shown signs of being cross and he did not wish any one else to suffer from him, although he was a very valuable animal. He was killed on Monday.

Steamer Major made her last trip for the season Monday evening, as the Oceanic has closed. The Major goes to Boston from Star Island at 10 o'clock this morning.

The Granite State club went to Rye Beach Monday, and had things their own way in a game with the Rye club defeating them by a score of 32 to 6. The playing of the Portsmouth nine was good, the pitching of Buckley being very effective, also the playing of Whittem at third base, he making one of the best catches of the game. The Granite State nine is now a very strong team and with a little practice would make warm work for any amateur club.

Those of our readers who desire to hear the eloquent and witty Carswell must embrace the opportunity afforded by the Reform Club's meeting at Franklin Hall this evening. His engagements are such that he cannot possibly remain and speak Wednesday evening as advertised. The demand for his services are so great that he cannot fill all the calls made on him; he is already booked to speak in this State every night until the second week in October. His greatest lecture will be given this evening, on "Fashion, Avarice and Appetite." All who would enjoy an evening's entertainment should certainly hear Carswell.

The vote of Kittery for governor, on Monday, was as follows: Connor 328; Williams 136; republican majority, 192,—a considerable falling off from last year. The vote of York was: Connor 202; Williams 149; rest of ticket same vote.

We have received No. Two of Vol. One of *The National Guardsman*, a monthly journal issued in New York city in the interests of the National Guard of the United States. Its aim is to help make the National Guard all it should be and may be; it is an ably edited journal, and should be found at the armory of every company of State militia in the land. Subscription price, $1 per year.

SALE OF THE WRECK.

Steamer Clara Batemen took down quite a number of persons to the wreck of the brig Clara J. Adams on Monday, to attend the sale of the wreck and gear, and that portion of her cargo of coal remaining on board. There were about thirty boats alongside the brig, and a goodly attendance of people on board, including gentlemen from Boston, Portland, etc.

The first lot offered for sale was the coal, which after some competition was knocked down to John E. Locke for $115. The hull and lower masts were then sold for $325, the purchaser being Mr. Dewey, of the firm of J. S. Winslow & Co., of Portland. Other articles were sold as follows: wire rigging, $35; chains and anchors, $220; water casks, $27; topmasts, topgallantmasts and main boom, $35; the running rigging developed quite a lively competition, and brought $150; while the sails were sold at $305; two boats aggregated $47.50. The sale of vessel and tackle realized $1144.50, and the whole lot (excepting the two boats) was purchased by Mr. Dewey.

The brig when she went on the rocks was valued at $14,000, she having cost $32,000 to build about seven years ago. She had not a full cargo of coal on board, and took the freight simply to help out her homeward trip by carrying a cargo part of the way. She was on her way to Lubec to load deals for Europe, she having always until this unlucky trip been engaged on deep water voyages. She has not changed her position since the Monday after she went ashore, shows no material signs of weakening, and can probably be floated off without great difficulty after the coal is taken out of her.

RYE LETTER.

RYE, Sept. 10th.

The season at the beach is over; and the money made, if applied to building plank sidewalks and putting up street lamps, would not make much of a show. If any one doubts this assertion, there is no law to prevent the building of the sidewalks or the erecting of the lamp posts, by the parties who have made the money to do it with, if they choose so to invest their profits.

Rev. Mr. Angier, of Ipswich, supplied the pulpit of the Congregational church during the month of August; but for the past two Sundays there has been no service in that church, and there seems to be no prospect, at present, of any settled minister there. At the Christian church, a praise meeting on Sunday evening, 9th inst., was an occasion of some interest and was well attended. It is proposed to have a praise meeting some evening soon, at North Hampton, in which the prominent singers in this town are invited to take a part.

The Cornet Band have appeared in full uniform, in public, several times during the past few weeks, and it is evident to the most casual observer that they have made rapid improvement under the instruction of Mr. Harlow. He had them out on the "training field" last Friday, drilling them in marching, and doing the dress parade; and if daylight couldn't be discerned through their legs, on their first attempt at playing a slow march, it's no reason why they can't keep step after a little more practice. They play for the Portsmouth Veteran Artillery Association on Tuesday, and go to Stratham Hill with the Christian Sabbath School on Wednesday.

The farmers are busily engaged in securing a good second crop of hay, cutting their corn stalks, digging potatoes, and hauling sea weed. The crop of potatoes is fair, and no rot reported. The drought affected corn somewhat, but there is an average crop. There will also be quite a yield of apples, some orchards which never would produce an apple before, having done well this year. Does anybody propose to have a big, old-fashioned husking, this fall? NAT.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, September 10th.

William Keefe, for a breach of the Sunday law, was fined $10, costs $6.90, the evidence showing that he sold liquor on Sunday.

Harry Lombard was complained of for the same offence; but the defence showing that he did not sell anything, but merely invited in a couple of old army friends and treated them to cigars, and he agreeing to keep his saloon closed altogether on Sunday in the future, the case was placed on file.

Barney McKone, for a criminal assault on Martha Brooks, (colored,) was bound over in three hundred dollars to answer to the charge at the October term of the Supreme Court.

DIED.

REMICK. In this city, Sept. 10, Mr. Joseph Remick, aged 82 years, 9 months.

☞ Funeral on Wednesday from his late residence, No. 21 Court street.

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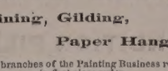

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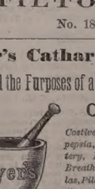

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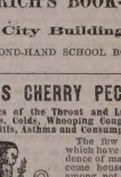

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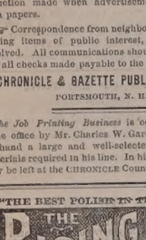

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of m at at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any state, animal heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any fishers of fish be permitted to throw any offal or fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and remove such nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the salt ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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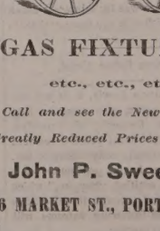

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Talk with an Undertaker.

"How do the dull times affect your business?" we inquired of a leading undertaker of this city; "do people economise in funeral expenses?"

"No," he said, "they are as lavish as ever in their orders, but save in not paying their bills." He had never known a time, he said, when it was so difficult to collect money for his services in burying people, yet there was no apparent effort to render funerals less expensive than formerly. He could, if he was a mind to, specify many cases where the family indulged in the most expensive trappings of woe, while the undertaker was destined to be the genuine mourner after all—mourning for the pay he couldn't get.

"Ever attend funerals?" asked our friend the undertaker.

We answered that we did attend occasionally.

"Ever hear the minister mention the undertaker in his sermon or prayer?"

We couldn't remember that we ever had.

"No, they don't do it. They talk about nearly everybody else, but they haven't a word for the man who does more than all the rest—unless we except the doctor—towards preparing the chief figure in the funeral for the solemn occasion. Reporters, too, ignore us altogether. They report the sermon, in full sometimes; they tell who furnished the flowers, and give the names of the bearers, sometimes describe how the mourners were dressed, but not a line does the undertaker get."

"I never thought of that before," we said, "but it does seem as though you were somewhat slighted."

"Slighted! I should say so. After a man has done a neat job, superintended every thing, and carried the whole thing through without a break or flaw, it does seem as though he was entitled to a few words of commendation. I remember one minister who appeared to have some consideration for the undertaker, and I have since thought he must have been in the business himself once. It was during the cholera season; we were overrun with business, and while some clergymen would keep a funeral running two hours, in a close room, like as not crowded with weeping relatives who were in danger of catching the epidemic—and I awaiting outside to finish the job, this minister of whom I am speaking would hurry the business up just as though I had winked at him to 'cut it short,' which I never did, though, upon my word. But that man had some sense. He seemed to realize that time was very precious with me, as business was so brisk, so he just spoke a few words about the merits of the deceased, kind of encouraged the mourners and closed with a brief prayer in which he mentioned the undertaker in a complimentary manner, and expressed a hope that he might have strength to meet the large demands upon him. Then the bearers were called in and we were off in a jiffy. It was a real pleasure to manage a funeral in connection with that man. But I have never met one like him since."

—*Cincinnati Saturday Night.*

A Bad Bargain.

Last Thursday morning a raffle was made up by some of the citizens of Paris for a box of five hundred cigars. There were twenty-five chances at one dollar a chance. The plan was that known as the shot-gun plan, in which each man taking a chance puts his mark on the blank paper surrounding a target. The target is placed on a pivot and whirled, and while thus whirling is fired at with a gun loaded with a small shot. The man whose mark comes nearest being hit takes the prize. In this case George Leflis took a chance, but would not put down his mark until all the other marks had been placed around the target. He then went to each of the raffleers and said:—"You and I have each got a chance in this cigar raffle; let us go in 'cahoot'—if you get them divide with me, and if I get them I'll divide with you." This arrangement he made with eighteen of the chance holders, telling each to keep their partnership a secret. To prevent any possibility, as he though, of winning the cigars himself, he made his mark as far from the target as the paper would allow. He then felt sure of half the cigars, and already, in imagination, was puffing the fragrant weed, and laughing in his sleeve over the sharp trick and excellent joke he had played the "other boys." But, alas! the' joke was soon turned, and visions of a cob pipe floated before his astonished eyes. The gun was fired, and a stray shot knocked the centre out of George's mark. Eighteen men stepped up and said, "I'll take my half now." Leflis thus found himself booked for $300 worth of cigars. He compromised, however, after some wrangling, by dividing the cigars equally among his partners.—*Paris ((Tenn.,) Intelligencer.*

—It is a great deal easier to be charitable to one who has done a wrong to your neighbor than toward one who has done you a personal injury.

—At a social gathering at Meriden a young man proposed the formation of a Shakspeare club. But his ardor was somewhat dampened by the discovery that there was only one person in the room who had ever heard of Shakspeare, and that was a young woman who thought it was something like parlor croquet.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1877.

The Eastern War.

The latest despatches from the battle ground at Plevna reports that the Russians are slowly and surely encircling Plevna. The Czar, Grand Duke and Prince Charles are on the battle-field, directing operations. The Turks are reported to be in a strong position at Gavitza.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 10th.

It is felt that we have made very little progress in the science of government if we are unable to enact and execute laws that will adequately punish the unconscionable swindlers and thieves who have manipulated Life Insurance matters in this county during the past quarter of a century, and deter others from crimes that have brought the whole business into disrepute, and which bid fair to wholly ruin the few honestly conducted companies, through loss of confidence. Among all the revelations of iniquity in business circles brought to light by the stringency of the past four years, life insurance, as conducted in the United States, presents the most stupendous system of robbery and thinly disguised fraud. The facts reflect little credit upon our State and National Legislators. Of the millions paid in by people of moderate or very limited means, with the comforting reflection that in case of sudden death they would leave dependent families measureably provided for, all but a small fraction appears to have been squandered upon fast women, fast horses and riotous living, and utterly swallowed up by the thousand and one forms of dissipation to which the scoundrelly officials who handled the funds were addicted, leaving to the defrauded only the memory of good intentions as an offset for their pinching economy and self denial. At a meeting here for the formation of a "Policy Holders' Protective Association," the most exasperating instances of the outrageous frauds and swindling practiced by these legalized thieves "whose eyes stand out with fatness" were given, speaking volumes for the forbearance of the insured when the provocation was so great to wreak vengeance upon the vampires who have sucked them bloodless; and now comes the rumor that several of our District companies are about to take advantage of bankruptcy.

From what is heard at the resort of democratic politicians it seems that the hope is cherished of their ability to capture the organization of the Senate at the opening of the extra session. Senator Morton's inability to be present is counted upon, and Dr. Bliss is cited as authority for the statement that he cannot participate without great danger of a relapse that would almost certainly prove fatal. The resentment of Patterson and Spencer toward the Administration is counted upon with a good deal of certainty, and they affect to believe they can offer Conover such terms as will incline him to fall in with their overtures, in view of the almost hopelessly prostrate condition of his party south of the Mason and Dixon line.

The harmony so noticeable in the Pennsylvania Republican Convention relative to State affairs; its outspoken declarations upon all matters of public interest; its refusal to coquette with the mob spirit, in such marked contrast to the work of their demagogue leaders, and above all, its wise attitude toward the Administration have led the democrats to discount very heavily on the hopes entertained of Pennsylvania only a few days ago.

Hon. Kenneth Rayner, Solicitor of the Treasury, voluntarily surrendered himself to the officers of the Police Court, plead guilty of a technical assault, and was fined $20 for the fun of getting his eyes draped in mourning and being pitched down a flight of stone steps into the street, by the editor of the *Republican*, in an encounter with him last Monday. Very few approve the attempt of Mr. Rayner to revive a method of adjusting private quarrels by a mode that became obsolete with the ending of Buchanan's Administration; and those justifying the personalities resorted to by the *Republican* in order to vent the editor's spite against an official are still fewer in number.

Justice Bradley has attached more importance to the malicious utterances of the *Sun* than almost any one else; and has thought it worth his while to review and emphatically deny the charges of that sheet to the effect that he, at one time, wrote out and read an opinion favorable to Tilden's Presidential aspirations, to Justice Field. That gentleman denied it, but Dana with his usual disregard of facts, reiterated the charges with more explicitness still, until Mr. Bradley felt he was called on to add his own denial. KNOX.

New Hampshire Items.

Bean and McNulty, two Boston sharpers, snatched $40 from a boy named Clement, from Tamworth, on Market street in Great Falls on Saturday, while learning him a trick. On Monday they were committed to Dover jail to await trial in default of $3000 bail. They had a valise full of swindling games and devices to use at the County fair at Great Falls this week. Clement got most of his money back.

The Twelfth Regiment, New Hampshire Volunteers, held a reunion at Bristol on Friday. The exercises included a procession, banquet and speeches by many distinguished men. In the evening a social entertainment was held in the Town Hall. During the firing of the salute one of the guns, a large 24-pounder, burst, but no one was injured.

The house and two barns containing this season's crops belonging to Adolphus Booth and situated one mile north of Walpole Village, were burned on Sunday evening. Part of the household furniture was saved. Loss $5000; insurance $1100. Supposed to have been set by a tramp.

The hotel stable at the Morton House at Salmon Falls, was burned Monday morning, with its contents. Loss, $2000; insured.

There was a small fire in Catharine Dolloff's French hotel in Nashua, Monday; damage $500; insured.

The contemptible college custom of "hazing" has been finally given up by the students of Dartmouth.

George Thompson, a drover, whose residence is in Manchester and doing business at Warren Summit, struck his head against the bridge over the highway at Lake Village, Monday evening, while standing on a cattle train. He was caught by the conductor, who held him on the train till it arrived at Laconia, in an insensible condition. He recovered consciousness, but the result is uncertain.

The house of Wm. H. Allison in Concord was entered and ransacked by burglars Sunday night, and a sum of money stolen.

News and Notes.

Rev. Patrick Leonard, pastor of St. Joseph's Roman Catholic Church in Newark, N. J., last Sunday denounced the public schools from his altar and threatened parents who send children to them, and boasted of the political influence of the priesthood.

Wilson Shannon was a name very prominent in the days of the anti-slavery agitation in Kansas. He was Pierce's Governor of that territory during the turbulent and disgraceful scenes that were enacted preliminary to the adoption of the State constitution. He was a man of great ability and promise, but he went down amid the wreck of blighted hopes in which subserviency to the slave power engulfed so many men. Shannon was twice Governor of Ohio, defeating Tom Corwin in 1842 by 4,000 majority. Tyler sent him Minister to Mexico, and in 1853 he represented the Seventeenth Ohio District in Congress—voting for the infamous Nebraska bill. After his attempt to fasten slavery upon Kansas, he retired from public life, and during the past twenty years he has lived in seclusion at Lawrence, in that State, where he recently died.

Thomas F. Curley, nineteen years old, was hanged in the jail at Norristown, Pa., on Monday, for the murder of Mary Ann Whateley. The murder was a most brutal one, and the world is well rid of a monster who was almost a tenth part as hideous as the Pomeroy devil that Massachusetts is saving up with such care.

Seven deaths from yellow fever have occurred at Fernandina, Florida.

The Mexican government has sent 1500 regular troops to the Texas frontier, to enforce the laws and prevent marauding. The local Mexican troops, being in sympathy with the raiders, cannot be relied on to prevent such outrages as they have for years committed.

Sitting Bull is still in Canada, and means to stay there. All right; nobody wants him this side of the line.

Senator Morton has had a relapse.

Three leading citizens of Freeport, Ill., two of them being the proprietors of the local gas works and the third President of Illinois College, have been indicted for burning a watch factory in which they were interested, to get the insurance.

Maine Election.

The election in Maine, Monday, called out but a very light vote. Gov. Connor is re-elected by 6000 to 8000 majority. The greenback ticket polled about 3000 votes, and Marcellus Emery's revolt against the democratic candidate made more difference than it was thought it would. Senator Blaine, following his custom of many years past, sent to Washington on Monday evening a comprehensive statement of the result of the election, directed to "Secretary McCormick of the National Republican Committee." The Senate will stand 29 republican, two democrats; House two-thirds republican. There was little interest taken in the election, either in the State or outside of it.

An American Poetess Abroad.

Mrs. Estelle Anna Lewis, it is not too much to say the ablest of our native lady writer, in verse, formerly of Brooklyn, N. Y., but in more recent years a resident in Europe, has recently added much to her fame as a poetess in the production of a five-act tragedy, entitled "Sappho," which has already passed through three editions in London. The following extracts will give an idea of its merits;

"Remember Sappho lived in other times,
When Jove rewarded virtue, punished crimes:
When woman had no friend to take her part,
And calm the troubled waters of her heart,
To lend a patient ear to all her woe.
If wrong assail you, now to Christ ye go;
Who turns you not away on say grounds,
But pours the balm of Gilyead on your wounds."

The above is from the prologue; the following from the tragedy:

"The sweetest wine that Hebe ever poured,
To please the palates of Olympian gods,
The balmy, breathing incense of thy smile—
The inebriating music of thy voice.
I only ask to sit and look at thee,
And dream of love, and love's divinity,
Till envy, wrong, dissension, strife depart,
And leave the sweet millenium of the heart."

It is not a little to win the note it has in the literary world in these later days and beneath foreign skies, when the work is a tragedy, and the scene is laid in the far-off past. Before her leaving for abroad, the Appletons of New York published an elegant edition, in blue and gold, of her earlier writings, and to these she has since added others, published in London, of even higher merit. J. H. B.

—In advance of the mail—The engine and tender.

A Just Judge.

Judge Smith of New Orleans has recently delivered an extra-judicial, but seemingly righteous decision. James Cazentre, who has a wife and several children, courted Maggie Kern's younger sister, assuming the name of Joe Wagner, and representing himself as a single man. When the older sister heard that he was a married man, and was going about among his friends boasting of his new conquest, she lay in wait for him, threw lime or flour in his face, and then knocked him down. The gay deceiver applied for an order of arrest, but the Judge discharged the assailant with these words: "You have done just what you should do. As for this man, I have seen much of human nature, but never in my life have I seen so much meanness in so little of God's make. There is a man who assumes a name and represents himself as a single man, to make love to an unprotected young lady, and when her sister discovers that he is a fraud, she punishes him herself because she has no one to do it for her. He has the impudence to call in a court of justice, and asks for redress. I am sorry that the law does not permit me to punish him as he ought to be. If you had beat him more severely, he would have got just what he deserved."

—The question of the hour—What time is it?

—We are not the only people who have in hand a troublesome Chinese immigration question. The Chinese are flocking to Australia in such vast hordes that the colonists are alarmed. In Queensland they are present in such numbers that the head of the Government has addressed the Governors of other States asking for united action to check the inflow of the Mongolians. They are invaluable as workers, and there is not precisely such jealousy of them as is felt in California; but in Queensland they threaten to form a majority of the population, and much complaint is made of the vices they introduce. It is proposed now to impose a heavy poll tax upon them and to refuse to allow future immigrants to land unless they are accompanied by their wives.

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Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 20c.
Flour, Fancy, 10½ @ 11; Ex. 12 @ 12½
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. $1.00.
Molasses per gal., Ft Cuba 50 @ 60c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bbl., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Dr. 10¼ @11c; Gr. 12; Crushed 12½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75;
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	111
United States Ten-Forties cupon	112
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	106¼
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1879	104½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. scrip	53½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	64½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	89½
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	117½
Nashua & Lowell	99
Concord	74
Eastern	2
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	104½
Manchester & Lawrence	130
Michigan Central	56
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	89½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	3½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	69

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE
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United States District Court.

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK. In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts: To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 24, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, at 3 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,886 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,300 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,190 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plans of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 8, 3d division, sec. 4; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 73, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 19, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 64, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 89, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 38.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Gunnison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.

About 15,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Beacon and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. F. Sparrell, southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

About 9,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington av. or street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, it being lot 105 on plan of division 5 of the 4th and 5th divisions of section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.

All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars in regard to title, etc., inquire of J. M. Twichell.

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30 P. M
" Way,		10.55 " "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 " "	4.55, 8.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 " "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 " "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 " "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 " "	
Concord and North,		7.40 " "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 " "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

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Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.00 "	
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.30 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

VISITING ODD FELLOWS.

The following is the programme that has been made by the committee of arrangements of the Strawberry Bank and Mt. Sinai Encampments of Odd Fellows on the occasion of the visit of the Bunker Hill Encampment of Charlestown, who are to visit this city accompanied by the Medford Band, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week:

On Thursday, they will receive visiting Encampment at Eastern Depot at 12:30 P. M. and escort them to Odd Fellows' Hall, where there will be formal reception exercises, after which the visitors will be escorted to the Rockingham House for dinner. At 4 P. M. will take carriages at Rockingham House for a drive to Newcastle, etc. At 8 P. M., the Medford Band will give an open-air concert on Market Square.

On Friday, at 7:30 A. M., the encampments will drive to Foss' beach and partake of a clam bake, returning at 12 M. At 3 P. M. the Odd Fellows' Parade will take place with the following order of procession:

Platoon of Police.
Chief Marshal Edward D. Coffin.
Aids.
Floron Barri, John S. Perry, Stephen P. Rhoades.
Portsmouth Cornet Band, 17 pieces.
Mt. Sinai Encampment, No. 19.
Capt. A. J. Sides, Lieut. D. Webster Barnabee.
Strawberry Bank Encampment, No. 5.
Capt. John H. Locke, Lieut. John E. Colcord.
Medford Band, 20 pieces.
Bunker Hill Encampment, No. 5, Charlestown, Mass.
Major John Turner, Adjutant B. W. Seaver,
Quartermaster E. B. Stetson, 1st Serg't D. M. Dunn,
Captains J. P. Long, D. F. Titus, C. T. Bean.

The encampments will form on Congress street, right resting on North Church at 3:30 P. M. March through Market, Deer, Vaughan, Congress, Islington, Cabot, Middle to Cass street. Countermarch down Middle, Court, Pleasant, South over Mill Bridge, countermarch, and return through Water and State streets to Rockingham House where they will be dismissed. Citizens on the line of march are requested to decorate or display bunting.

At 8 P. M., Promenade Concert and Levee at Franklin Hall. Dancing to commence at 9 P. M. The visiting Encampment will be escorted from the hotel to the Hall by the committee at 8 P. M.

On Saturday, Charlestown Encampment and Portsmouth Patriarchs with ladies will visit the Isles of Shoals.

The following is the committee of arrangements: *Strawberry Bank*—John H. Locke, James A. Rugg, A. W. Parsons, John E. Colcord, John H. Wells. *Mt. Sinai*—Joseph H. Gardiner, Eli Sherman, Hiram B. Lord, Alonzo F. Craig, J. Warren Prior.

THE YEAR'S BUSINESS.

The following table shows the amount of "business" transacted by the Police Court during the year from Sept. 7th, 1876, to Sept. 6th, 1877, both dates inclusive:

Number of persons arraigned	306
" " convicted	224
" " bound over	23
" " discharged	42
" " ordered to leave town	19
Number of cases *not pros'd*	19
" " appealed	12
Amount of imprisonment imposed, 26 yrs. 10 mos.	
" fines "	$2504.63.

The various offenses the commission of which brought the actors before the Court, were as follows:

Drunks	133
Vagrants	80
Assaults	19
Brawl and Tumult	23
Larceny	14
Malicious mischief	10
Breaking and entering	10
Disorderly house	8
Insult	7
Common Drunkards	7
Sabbath breaking	6
Bastardy	4
Obstructing officer	4
Cruelty to animals	4
Escapes from Brentwood	3
Truants	3
Night walking	3
Aggravated assault	3
Selling liquor	2
Rude, indecent and disorderly conduct	2
Murder, maiming, breach of Sunday laws, common brawler, idle and disorderly, keeping building for sale of liquor, keeping liquor for sale, each	1

In addition to the criminal business, there were fifty-six civil cases entered during the same time.

PROBATE COURT.

Judge Leavitt held a term of the Probate Court in this city on Tuesday.

In the matter of the will of Mrs. Mary A. Dow, of Hampton Falls, presented for probate, a caveat was filed against the probate of the will, and it was continued.

Will of Joseph W. Seavey, of Rye, proved; E. J. Seavey, executor.

Howard L. Aiken, guardian, account settled.

W. Berry and others, of Rye, partition of real estate; order of acceptance vacated and report recommitted.

The business of the day was light.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Arrangements have been made by the Eastern Railroad by which all uniformed and organized bodies can go to Boston and back on the 17th inst., for fare one way.

The Clambake of the Veteran Artillery Association at Newcastle on Tuesday was a complete success. The Association did not muster in great force for the parade, though there were enough of the lazy old fellows around to have made a big show; but they were on hand for the clams, and the dancing too, and offered an example that the young fellows will find hard to beat.

The special Aldermanic Committee on the sanitary improvement of the North and South millponds have a meeting at the Common Council Rooms this (Wednesday) evening, and invite the attendance of citizens. See advertisement.

The Rockingham county representatives to the Great and General Court of the State of New Hampshire having been invited by the County Commissioners to attend the annual junket at the County Farm, several of the Portsmouth representatives went to Brentwood on Tuesday. This annual dinner is one of the recognized perquisites of a representative; whether or not the county reaps any benefit from the good time enjoyed we cannot say.

The Portsmouth Heavy Artillery expect to go to Salem for a two days' trip, in October, having received an invitation from the Salem Cadets, who were so handsomely entertained by the Heavies last year during their visit to this city.

Quite a number of operatives in the spinning room at the Kearsarge Mills are indignant and refuse to work, because of a reduction of wages. A large part of those in the room continue to work at the reduced rates.

The long easterly blow made the waves which dashed against the rock at Appledore, as the gushing Boston girl described it, "just too splendid for anything."

"Well I declare," exclaimed a lady from Barrington in the cars on the Dover Railroad, as they passed the Raynes ship-yard: "If there ain't the 'Nathan Jones!' La sakes, just because Frank has had a ship named for him, Nathan must go and do just like him." Aaron Young, who happened to be in the same car with his townswoman, explained that the ship she was viewing was called the "*Paul* Jones," not "Nathan." "Do tell," exclaimed the rural visitor; "they've got it all over Barrington it is the 'Nathan Jones;' come to think of it, that image [the figure-head] does not look as much like Nathan as it ought to if it was taken for him."

The "unsightly weeds" on the sidewalk in front of the High School disappeared on Tuesday.

There is a meeting called this evening at eight o'clock in the common council room, of those favoring an abatement of the fearful odor arising from the North and South mill ponds. The physicians are of the opinion that the unusual and fatal amount of sickness is owing in a great measure to the strong malaria coming from those places. We hope there will be a full meeting and that something decisive will be done in this matter.

Mr. Thomas H. Odion was badly hurt on Tuesday evening by a blow from a stone, thrown by some worthless scoundrel from beside the road at an excursion wagon returning from the Veterans' clambake, loaded with men and women. Mr. Odion's eye was badly injured. There is a good probability that the stone-thrower will find his way into the court.

Game is reported to be plenty on the seashore between York Nubble and Hampton Beach.

Col. Joseph P. Junkins, of York, lies in a very critical condition and his recovery is considered extremely doubtful.

Salisbury gathering takes place to-day.

THE PENSIONS.

And now the unpaid pensioners, who heretofore promptly on the fourth of the month were in receipt of their quarterly payments in this city, begin to wonder if Carl Shurz had any idea how long it would take before a man can receive his pension under such a foolish consolidation as the pension department in Maine and New Hampshire to-day shows. We hope every member of Congress of whatever political organization will move in the matter of righting the wrong, which has no pretence of economy, and is only a source of vexatious annoyance to the pensioner and of no sort of saving to the government.

PERILOUS ADVENTURE.

On Sunday while a party of ladies and gentlemen were watching the breakers at Appledore Island, one of their number, Mr. W. I. Butler of Boston, who was on a rock some distance from the others saw a sea heavier than any before coming toward him. He turned and retreated as fast as possible, but was overtaken by the wave before he could get sure footing and washed out to sea by the undertow, and brought back again by the next sea and dashed into a crevice in the rocks, where he was jammed and bruised, and sustained a severe fracture of the wrist. His wife, who was some distance off, saw the accident and supposed he was lost. He was found insensible and remembered nothing after seeing the wave until he came to his senses. He was carried to the Hotel and received the best of care from the Laighton brothers and others.

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—Somebody says: "Every failure is a step to success." This will explain why the oftener some men fail the richer they become.

—When Ah Sin was asked what he thought of Schurz he answered, "Washee, washee."

—She saw the placard in front of the bookstore, "You can get that husband of mine for half a dollar," and, as she passed on, she muttered, "I have one I will sell for half that much."

—A Roman, who recently returned from Philadelphia, informs us that a Keeley motor consists of a pound of boarding-house butter shut up in an iron box. This statement will do much to restore confidence in the power of the motor.—*Rome Sentinel.*

—According to a curious story, the authority for which is not now accessible to us, M. Thiers was of New England ancestry. The story is that more than a century ago, when Newport had considerable commercial importance, a young man named Thayer went from that town to Marseilles as correspondent and agent of a mercantile house in the former place. Finding his residence there profitable and pleasant, he remained, married, and his descendants, of whom the deceased statesman is one, have retained his name in the Gallicised form which has become familiar to the world. Some of the New England Thayers firmly believe this story, and we understand, have some evidence to support it.—*Worcester Spy.*

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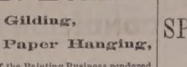

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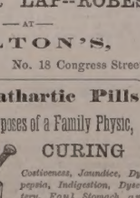

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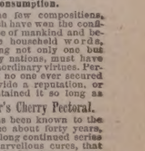

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—A philosophic Benedick says: "To be nagged at and blown up by a beautiful being of your own, who loves you all the while like apple-pie, and who you love like plum-pudding, is, to my idea, the happiest privilege of matrimony."

—A boy undertook to torture a wasp by touching a lighted match to its body. The wasp applied its warm side to the boy's hand, and as it flew away it gave the boy these words of wisdom: "Never try to beat a man at his own game."

—In Warren county, Tenn., last week, a sewing-machine agent named Frank Hewitt, was killed by a man named Moody, his brother-in-law. Moody heard a noise about his premises, and, arming with a shot-gun, discovered a man in an upstairs room with a light, and fired at him through a window, killing him instantly. It is not every man who has the luck to kill a worthless brother-in-law, a sewing-machine agent and a burglar at one shot.

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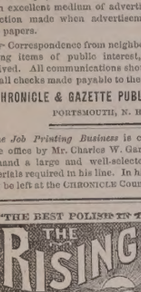

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal, meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the still ponds in this city, or so placed that any offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, cove or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Turkish Soldiers of Fortune.

The number of Turkish pashas who have achieved fame of late, but who are not Turks at all, is quite remarkable. There is Hobart Pasha, the daring and energetic commander of the Turkish fleet, who left the English service years ago for that of the Crescent; Baker Pasha, who has so valorously distinguished himself in the affray over the Balkan pass, is the disgraced English officer whose outrageous attack upon a defenseless lady in an English railway train is fresh in public memory; Mehemet Ali, the commander of the army in Bulgaria, is a blonde German; while Osman Pasha, the victor of Plevna, there is strong reason for believing is no other than a vagrant American, R. Clay Crawford, native of an East Tennessee county, a protege of Andy Johnson, and well remembered for his brilliant and erratic career in the Union army during the war. Most of these Turkish soldiers of fortune seem to have in common a brilliant, restless recklessness of character. The common paths of life, or even service in the armies of the more civilized powers, were too tame and irksome to suit their lawless dispositions, and they find congenial atmosphere in the semi-barbarous absolutism of the Sultan or the Egyptian Khedive. Mehemet Ali ran away from home at twenty, to escape the reins of parental authority, and began his career at Vienna as a cafe waiter. Here he attracted the favorable notice of the officers of the Ottoman embassy, and Ali Pasha, persuading him to turn Mohamedan, took him to Constantinople and had him educated at a military school there. After graduating he married a sister-in-law of the powerful Omar Pasha, and thenceforward his fortune was assured. But the career of Osman Pasha, or the American Crawford, as those who have penetrated the disguise of the Turkish title claim him to be, is more notable and varied than any of the others. Appointed to a cadetship at West Point by Andy Johnson, he quickly distinguished himself for great intelligence as likewise an audacious disregard of all law, and before graduation he was expelled for gross breaches of discipline. Going southward his penniless condition tempted him one night to rob a cattle-drover, stopping at a Virginia hotel, and his speedy arrest resulted in several years' confinement in State prison at Richmond. Then the war broke out and he escaped and soon turned up as a private in a Union Tennessee regiment, and it was not long ere his bravery and military knowledge elevated him to the rank of colonel. But the war did not march rapidly enough to suit this erratic and restless young adventurer, and before it was half through he distinguished himself by selling several hundred recruits to a northern substitute broker, pocketing a large sum of money and then slipping away to Mexico. Here he took a prominent part on the Mexican side in the last days of Maximilian's ill-starred reign, and during the excitement and confusion incident to the breaking up of the empire, Crawford was in his element. From Mexico he returned to this country and settled in Charlestown, Md., for a year or two, where he purchased an elegant house and stood high in the neighborhood society till it was discovered that he had a faro "lay-out" in his house and was initiating the young men of the town into its mysteries. Crawford was in Vineland for several weeks after leaving Maryland, and endeavoring to swindle the settlers in the formation of a stock company, but his designs were frustrated by the discovery of his former connection with counterfeiters, cotton thieves and gamblers, and he fled from the place. We next hear of the unstable fellow in Cuba fighting on the side of the patriots, later still in Egypt in the army of the Khedive, and now he turns up in the thick of the stirring scenes of the war with the Russians, irrepressible and brilliant as ever, and winning a fame that places him with the very foremost of the Turkish commanders. To be sure the Turkish legation at New York claim that Osman Pasha is of Mussulman parents, according to a late dispatch, but Crawford's story is worth telling, any way.

Easing a Wife's Death.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer's* telegram from Atlanta, Ga., has the following story from Florida: "Mrs. Julia L. Key, a daughter of Caroline Lee Hentz, lived in Florida. For some time she has been in bad health, and exhibited a morbid fear of pain. About the first of the month she despaired of recovery and begged her husband that, when he thought the end was approaching, he would administer chloroform, so that she might die speedily and painlessly. At length he believed the time had come, and showed her the chloroform bottle. She inhaled it, put a few drops on her handkerchief, and laying it over her face, died without a murmur. The husband frankly admits that she might have lived a few days longer, but says, as she seemed to have no dread of the hereafter, and begged him to give her chloroform, he thought he had best do so. It appears that no doctors were present, but that she began to 'strangle,' and she thought the time had come. The case will probably undergo investigation."

A Woman's Personal Luggage.

The Montreal *Witness* of Aug. 31 says: "Acting upon information received from this city, a lady believed to be of New York,

was on the 28th inst. followed from Prescott across the line to Ogdensburg, N. Y., by a female inspector, under the direction of the United States Customs Agent at Prescott, upon suspicions of smuggling. When the lady boarded the train in Montreal for the West she attracted the attention of the United States Agent here on account of the unnatural portliness of her appearance and the heavy clothing she wore. On arriving at Ogdensburg she was detained, clad in the following articles of clothing: One seal skin sagne, 12 yards of velvet, 15 yards of silk, and one muff. This expensive habit, valued at $247.50, was confiscated on behalf of the American government, and the lady, said to be a Jewess, allowed to go on her way. It is conjectured that the lady was acting in the capacity of one of the regular female smugglers, whom the authorities say they know to be employed by some of the dry goods houses in Montreal."

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 13, 1877.

Hayes' Title.

Says the New York *Tribune* in a recent issue: "It is a matter for no little congratulation that the good sense of the better portion of the democratic party may be relied upon to oppose any dishonorable political scheme of the worse portion of it. Just as the better class of democrats defeated the filibustering attempt of last winter to prevent the completion of the electoral count, so now they would certainly oppose, and almost as certainly defeat, any endeavor to unsettle President Hayes' title to his office." We should think there had been twaddle enough expended over "President Hayes' title to his office." Hayes has been declared President, has exercised all the powers (and more than all the rights) of President, and *is* President; and there are but two ways to get him out of the Presidential office. One way is that provided in the Constitution, which says that the President "shall be removed from office on impeachment for, and conviction of, treason, bribery, or other high crimes and misdemeanors," the Senate having "the sole power to try all impeachments," and it being provided that "when the President of the United States is tried, the Chief Justice shall preside; and no person shall be convicted without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present." The other way of getting rid of a President is to assassinate him; but this plan, though it was put in force in the case of at least one anti-democratic President, is not Constitutional; neither is it popular with law-abiding people of any party. If no better scare-crow than the "unsettlement of Hayes' title" to the Presidency can be rigged up, the country might as well not have any scare-crow.

Eruption of Cotopaxi.

A letter from Latacunga, Ecuador, says: On the 25th of August the volcano of Cotopaxi gave unmistakable symptoms of an eruption. A dense cloud of ashes completely concealed the peak, and in the evening the lightning-like flashes of the subterranean fires as they fitfully pierced or were reflected in the ashy cloud, added to the majesty and terror of the scene. The first rays of dawn of the morning of the 26th showed the mountain covered with a thick, black garment. At eight o'clock a hoarse noise was heard, distant at first, but gradually approaching until the entire population were in motion, one and all dominated by the feeling that something dreadful was about to take place. At ten o'clock there was no longer any doubt that the always increasing noise was a forerunner of an eruption. On being assured of this, several of us mounted our horses and rode out to observe the quantity of water and the direction it would take. We soon saw enough to make us fear that the enormous quantity of water vomited out by the volcano would totally destroy the city. On this I put spurs to my horse and rode back to town in hopes of being of use in assisting some of the unfortunate inhabitants to ascend the "Calvario," their nearest and perhaps only safety in case of inundation. Nor was I mistaken in my prognostications, for the torrent was sufficient to have destroyed the city had its course not been turned in the most unexpected, unhoped for manner. Streams of water poured from all the craters at once on the Callao side, sweeping away everything in their course down to the "potreros" of San Augustin. Another irresistible torrent followed the course of the Saquimala River destroying everything before it. The river carried off 500 head of cattle which were at pasture in the fields. The Alaques River overflowed and caused great damage. The Cutuchi overflowed and ran into the Pumacunchi, carrying everything before it. In a word, this entire district was like a sea, and the inundation would have destroyed the city had not one portion of the flood overflowed the Sicsicalle by way of the Cutuchi, and another portion turned off by Yana-yacu. It is too soon to determine with any certainty the destruction of property, but the loss of life will reach, if it does not exceed, 1000 persons. At least 2000 head of cattle have been destroyed, and of smaller animals the loss has been much greater. I had forgotten to state that in the midst of the roar of the waters and the crashing of houses, the volcano poured out enormous quantities of cinders, which gradually darkened the whole face of the heavens and left us in the profoundest obscurity from one o'clock in the afternoon until ten at night. To-day the whole face of the country is covered with ashes, and, in addition to the other miseries, we have hunger staring us in the face.

Capt. Allen of Exeter, 80 years of age, recently married Mrs. Sherburn, aged 78. There is nothing like early marriages.

News and Notes.

That unscrupulous old scoundrel, MacMahon of France, is villainously misusing his power as President of the Republic to effect the Republic's overthrow and make "the Church" supreme in affairs of State. Gambetta has been fined 2000 francs and sentenced to three months' imprisonment, on account of his very temperate speech delivered at Lille. The public and press were excluded from the proceedings in court. Well, Gambetta in prison will be honored, while the traitor in the President's chair is despised by every honorable man.

The British ship Avalanche, from London for New Zealand with 50 passengers and a crew of 32, collided with the British ship Forest, from London for New York, off the Bill of Portland, on the 11th. Both ships went down, and 93 persons lost their lives.

Augustin Daly, of the Fifth Avenue Theatre, New York city, has failed.

Edward J. Buddington killed Wm. Thompson in New London, Conn., on the 10th inst. Cause, rum and jealousy.

The trial of Hayden, the Derby Line, Vt., wife murderer, began at Irasburg, Vt., on the 10th inst. "Emotional insanity" is the defence.

The prohibitionists of Massachusetts on Wednesday nominated Judge R. C. Pitman for governor.

The Mormon "Twelve Apostles" have "had a revelation" directing them to rule over the church without electing a new President. There's a big row brewing in Mormondom.

The reduction of the public debt last month reached the large sum of $3,869,538. The net coin balance in the treasury is $40,000,000, of which amount probably all but $2,000,000 is gold. The receipts over expenditures last year were $30,000,000, although they were $18,000,000 less than the year previous by reason of the reduction in taxation. The splendid condition in which the world finds our national finances extorts from the London *Times* the admission that it sees no reason why our entire indebtedness may not be refunded in four per cents.

The cultured and high-toned Springfield *Republican* calls Gail Hamilton "the most brilliant blackguard among women." And in that one insulting sentence makes for her friends where she had only enemies. We believe the Springfield *Republican* is the only journal in the United States capable of so insulting a woman, whose only offence is that she has shown herself a more honorable disputant, better informed, better read, and better bred, than the editor of the *Republican*. Samuel Bowles had better go back to his first love, and nominate Charles Francis Adams for something. —*Burlington Hawkeye.*

Illinois may now successfully challenge the claim of New York to be the Empire State. Illinois pays $21,000,000 of internal revenue, while New York pays only $14,000,000. Even Ohio is a million ahead of New York. Illinois pays one-fifth of the entire internal revenue. Surely the "star of empire" is taking its way from the Atlantic to the valley of the Mississippi.

New Hampshire Items.

The Nashua Iron and Steel Company have reduced the wages of their help fifteen per cent.

Carrie L. Beebe, eight years old, an adopted daughter of A. G. Beebe of Fitzwilliam, was drowned in a mill-pond on the 3d inst.

Emmel Lyon, one of the three roughs who broke jail at Manchester some time ago, and assaulted the keeper, Stearns, in so doing, has been sent to State prison for twenty years, for that job. All three of the jail-breakers are now in the State prison on long terms, though the offenses for which they were first arrested were comparatively slight.

The potato crop is unprecedented this year, both in quantity and quality of the tubers. One man in this village, who last year got five bushels, informs us that he has over fifty this year from the same ground. All reports are of a similar character.—*Lake Village Times.*

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	105¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107¼
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1875	104½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R.	3½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	49½
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	92½
Boston & Providence	136½
Boston & Albany	124
Nashua & Lowell	59
Concord	74
Eastern	4½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	125½
Michigan Central	58½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	36½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	5½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	60½

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 25 @ 33c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c.; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.50, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 20c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @5; Ex. 10 @ 11½
Fish per ½ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $18 @ $20.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12½ cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 95c.
Molasses per gal., Ik. Cuba 50 @ 65c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 45c.
Pork per bll., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Dr. 10 @10½; Gr. 11¼; Crushed 12c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75;
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In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts: To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 24, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, at 2 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,895 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,790 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plans of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 8, 3d division, sec. 6; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 75, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 18, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 64, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 89, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 35.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Granison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.

About 16,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Beacon and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

About 9,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington av. or street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, it being lot 103 on plan of division 5 of the 4th and 5th divisions of section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.

All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

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" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Hillsboro', Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

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" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 " 3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
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THE VETERANS' REUNION.

To say that this event, which occurred on Tuesday, was as much enjoyed as that of last year, would be saying much; yet it may be asserted, without fear of contradiction, that it was even more enjoyed than then, while a larger number participated in it. There is something singularly interesting in this association of survivors of the military organizations of past years, with those of a later day, not only to the members themselves, but to others who can remember when they marched away, in the buoyancy of youth, with light footsteps, on the brightest of October mornings, for the grand annual musters at the Plains, that are so much enjoyed in the retrospect whenever they are looked back upon. Such a band as Harlow's, or such an artist as their leader, to enliven the way and make lighter their footsteps, had not then been dreamed of. A most pleasant fact connected with these later festive events that greatly enhances their pleasure, is, that they are shared in by the gentler sex, the wives and daughters of the members, who could not have followed them to the Plains in those pleasant days of the past; the boys young and old—and not a few were they of the latter—having all the enjoyment then, the former in squandering their well saved fourpences upon Plumer's gingerbread, Berry's buns, raw oysters, and new cider, at a cent a glass, from a barrel on tap in a farmer's wagon, and the latter, with not less of zest, in various ways.

As the Veterans had made arrangements to go in carriages by the new route to Newcastle, instead of marching by way of the old bridges and the village, they did not have occasion to halt, as they did last year, for a rest at the pretty cottage of their commander, Capt. Towle, with its bright flowers without, and rich store of elegant literature within; and after a march through the principal streets, to the music of Mr. Harlow's newly trained Rye band, they accordingly took conveyance for their destination from the South mill bridge; their families, invited guests and visitors going meanwhile by carriages from the head of Daniel street, and when the entire party were gathered upon the piazza of the Hotel Wentworth, all were delighted with the music of the band, which was repeated at intervals during the day, making it a most charming feature of the festival. Among the most attractive of the pieces of music given upon the piazza during the afternoon, was the Fireman's Polka, which was given under Mr. Harlow's direction with such brilliant effect at Mrs. Bartlett's summer entertainment at Miss Morgan's hall, and will be as well remembered. A lady also performed at various times during the day upon the piano in the parlor, while others sang.

An attraction for a while, on the first arrival of the party, was the huge bonfire of pine upon the rock that was to serve as a base of operations in the great clambake to form so prominent a feature of the occasion, and then, while the Veterans chatted with friends, in which many a happy reminiscence of the past was recalled, others of the party, including the young and fair among them, strayed away in groups wherever their fancy led them; some to the sandy beach facing Whale's Back and the Isles of Shoals, where, upon "a lone rock by the sea," a young lady was seen, which a gent of a poetic turn of mind was sure was Evangeline, until he discovered on approaching her, while affecting to be looking out to sea, that instead of reading her own history from Longfellow, in the volume before her, she was eating peanuts, cracking their shells and devouring the contents with a relish that would have done credit to the "old Bowery" in New York when "Mose" was the great attraction at that famed temple of the muses; another equally poetic young man fancied she might be Mrs. Enoch Arden, and was quite ready, if E. A. did not return, to be his successor, until the peanut discovery was made, and the book was found to be neither the works of Longfellow or Tennyson, but instead thereof, "a silly old novel" as one of the young ladies termed it upon learning its title. Another group went in search of the Devil's Den, as it has always been somewhat profanely called, but to which Mr. Ordway, the well known Boston artist, after taking a sketch of it not long since, has given the name of "the Murderer's Cave," for the reason that Wagner landed there after committing his fiendish deed at Smutty Nose island; but it will not do thus to rob his Satanic Majesty; he must "have his due" if the stars fall. When the cavern was found, in the face of the cliff below the Hotel Wentworth, if, like Mercutio's wound in Shakespeare, it was "not as deep as a well, nor as wide as a church door," it quite repaid the walk to find it. A lady suggested it might be the entrance to the robbers' cave of the "Forty Thieves," that all had read of in their early days, but if so, "Open Sesame," though twice repeated, failed to open it and reveal its treasures; the charm of those magical words was gone.

If the sea air around them wherever they were, had not given to all the keenest of appetites, the perfume arising from the vast oven into which so many bushels of clams, lobsters, crabs, eggs, sweet potatoes and Irish potatoes, had been cast, and where they were seething in companionship, would have done so, and when all were seated, an attack was made on the good things, as they were poured from bushel baskets before them in the greatest abundance, that showed, if they had ever lost them, all present were blessed with appetites worthy of bears on emerging from their winter quarters, and as they eat away, piling up the shells of the bivalves beneath the tables, fun and merriment abounded without stint, causing grave personages to laugh who are not given to such an indulgence; one, especially, who never before had been seen to smile even by that celebrated individual, "the oldest inhabitant." If any unfortunate hypochondriac was there, or victim to the nightmare, well might it be conjectured what a spectacle would be presented to him that night in his dreams, of the lobsters, the crabs, the clams, the eggs and the potatoes he had devoured, to say nothing of the pickles and bread, the tea and coffee, that had all gone the same way.

When the much-enjoyed repast was over, to aid in its digestion such as preferred to do so again started off in rambles into the various attractive regions Newcastle affords. Some visited the new carthworks at Jerry's Point, near Mr. Albee's tasteful "cottage by the sea;" others strolled onward to old Fort Constitution, from whence there is a legend that a young lady and her gentleman escort were not long since sent away, while very harmlessly engaged in taking a sketch of the gateway that survives of that ancient stronghold, on the ground that sketching its fortifications was against the laws of the United States. A hero so valiant and vigilant ought to have awarded him a medal by Congress, if of no more costly material than leather. One of the best points of the story is that the gentleman was an officer in the naval service of his country, and the young lady a sister of another. Most of the party remained about the hotel during the afternoon, (visitors continually arriving from town,) where dancing was enjoyed when Mr. Harlow's string-band came to afford the needful music. A dress parade and music by the brass band then followed, and at six o'clock a most sumptuous "basket" repast took place in the dining hall, for the enjoyment of which the dinner, bountiful though it was and heartily partaken of, did not seem in the least to have deprived the participants in it of appetites, and in the evening, dancing was indulged in until a reasonably late hour, Mr. Harlow's string-band again furnishing the music.

The Veteran Artillery may be congratulated on the perfect success of their second annual festival. The weather was delightful, and all who shared in it cannot but feel grateful to them for a day of such unalloyed enjoyment; with the hope that the year to come may be to them and their's a happy and prosperous one. What a delightful way too, it has been, for the last two years, to close up the season at the Hotel Wentworth; for the success of which in the summer of 1878, the best wishes no doubt are given by those who shared in the closing scene of that of 1877. J, H. B.

UNIVERSALIST CONVENTION.

The Rockingham Convention of Universalists met at the Universalist church in this city on Wednesday forenoon at eleven o'clock. A. F. Craig, Esq., was elected President for the ensuing year. In the afternoon religious services were conducted by Rev. Dr. George H. Emerson, of Boston, editor of the *Universalist*, and Rev. Dr. A. J. Patterson of Boston Highlands, Dr. Emerson preaching the sermon. A conference meeting followed. In the evening there was divine service again. The Convention closes its session to-day.

THE NUISANCE QUESTION.

Agreeably to the published call, there was a meeting of citizens with the Aldermen's committee on mill-ponds and other nuisances, at the Common Council Room on Wednesday evening, to discuss the matter, a large number of prominent citizens being present.

Dr. Jones, who had made examination as chairman of the Board of Health, thought the city violates its own laws by allowing private drains and sewers to run into the ponds, and running their own in them also; he also considered Puddle Dock an intolerable nuisance.

Frank W. Hilton, of the Rockingham House, said that guests who had engaged board at his house for a stated time had left on account of the stench arising from the South Mill-pond, and that the odor was more offensive in the upper stories of his house than to those living nearer the pond.

Remarks were made by Mark F. Wentworth, Joseph P. Morse, Joseph B. Upham, Jr., William H. Sise, William R. Preston, William H. Rollins, Charles W. Bailey, Rev. James DeNormandie, and others.

Mr. DeNormandie offered a resolution that the Secretary of the Boston Sanitary Committee be invited to visit this city and give us such suggestions and advice as he might think proper. Carried unanimously.

Alderman Chas. W. Norton made a statement that three months in the year the flats from Edward street to Webster's building are not covered, except at a high run of tides, the strip left bare being from ten to twenty feet wide, and from 1200 to 1400 feet long, the mud being two feet and a half in depth.

Mr. Wentworth offered a resolution that for the present the tide gates be kept closed and only opened at such time as the Board of Health should direct.

Alderman Hadley stated that the North pond gates could be controlled for $20, and the South pond gates for $12 to $15 per day.

John W. Stavers and Marcellus Bufford favored a marginal sewer to be run outside the bridges, and all the sewers and drains run into it. Mr. Stavers moved that the Mayor be requested to call a special meeting of the Board of Aldermen. Carried.

Adjourned to meet at the call of the Chairman of the Sanitary Committee.

RUFFIANISM.

The Rye Cornet Band, after playing during the day at the Veterans' reunion on the 11th inst., started from Hotel Wentworth in a beach wagon for their home shortly after six o'clock, and as they left the hotel struck up a tune. When they were about half way down the hill between the house and the bridge, one of a crowd of boot-blacks that had been hanging around all day and were then collected near the road, struck one of the band-men a violent blow across the back with a club, and then ran. The team was stopped, and the music too, quick; the assaulted man jumped out and raced after the assailant, many of his bandmates taking part in the chase, but the gamin escaped,—lucky for him, too. It was reported at the time (with what truth we cannot say) that another one of the street Arabs at the same time threw a stone at the loaded team and struck a little boy in it; and many of the Veterans expressed their reprobation of such performances in pretty plain language. Who the boy was we could not learn; one man told us he believed his name was Hennessey, and that he is a notorious leader of a Church Hill gang of young roughs; but one of the Rye band writes us that "Portsmouth has not the honor of containing the residence of the unfledged 'rooster' that made the cowardly assault on one of our band boys on the 11th. He is a young rowdy of Newcastle: so don't claim the *honor* for Portsmouth. We have taken measures to ascertain his name, and will let you know as soon as we find out." A Portsmouth man who was on the grounds told us that the boy had been previously the victim of an unjustifiable assault by the bandsman in the billiard room of the hotel; but another authority afterward assured us that the boy was put out of the billiard room by an employe of the house, for gross insolence.

Not proposing to allow his guests to be annoyed and his hotel run by a lot of boys and half-grown men, Mr. Campbell sent for the Newcastle constable, who soon appeared and cleared out the crowd. This action it probably was which caused the outrageous assault on Mr. Thomas H. Odion a few hours later, as already reported by us; and also still another similar assault at about midnight, when Mr. Ralph Reinwald, leader of the Dover Cornet Band, who played with Harlow's Orchestra for the occasion, was struck in the face by some missile, but not seriously harmed.

As to the trouble between the bandman and the boy we know only what we were told, and have given both sides of the story; but the worthless scoundrel or scoundrels who threw the missiles at the loaded wagons deserve State prison, be they boys or men. Neither Messrs. Odion nor Reinwald, nor any of the ladies in the teams, had anything to do with the evening's skirmish; and the contemptible sneaks who committed the assaults should be ferreted out if possible, and taught that street bummers, be they ever so vicious and cowardly, cannot safely spit out their spite upon quiet citizens and unoffending women. Mr. Odion is not a man to take the smashing of his head as a matter of course, and we have strong hopes that he will yet have the pleasure of "sending up" the fellow who threw the stone at him.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The Granite State base ball club on Wednesday posted about town an announcement of a game with "Our Boys" of Newmarket at the Plains to-day, "admission free." The "hourly" will run from Market square to accommodate those who wish to see the game, which is expected to be a good one, as "Our Boys" are called a good nine. Game called at half-past 2.

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Paymaster John H. Stevenson is ordered to the New York navy yard, relieving Paymaster A. J. Clark, who is ordered to settle accounts.

The Representatives who went to Brentwood on the 11th inst., met there Gov. Prescott and the County Commissioners. The new asylum for the insane was pronounced all right, and also the general establishment, except that more fire escapes are needed for the latter. The dinner was duly approved.

Mrs. Thomas Chase, senior, was thrown from a wagon at Seabrook depot on the 11th inst., and seriously hurt. On the 10th inst. Hattie Newell Locke, the seven-years-old daughter of Mr. George W. Locke, while running tripped and fell, breaking her collar bone. Dr. J. W. Colcord set the bone.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Sept. 12th.

John Woods, for an alleged assault on Geeorge W. Twombly, was "bonded" in the sum of $100.

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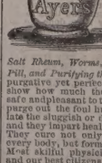

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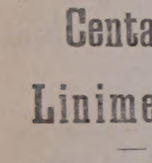
—If you keep any kind of a shop, do you display your money on a shelf behind the counter? If you do, it is a dangerous habit. Probably up to this time you have found it safe enough, but there is a little game which makes it so no more. It is a western invention, of course. Everything wicked starts either out there or in New York. A nice little widow in St. Louis, who sells the fosmiest of beer in the biggest of schooners, was continually missing money from the shelf behind the counter. This was out of the reach of her customers, and her rule was, "Nobody allowed back of the bar," She couldn't suspect the greasy-headed young man who was her assistant; for the money there, while she herself was on duty, would be gone in an instant, as if by magic. Once, just after a pretty young man had gone, she missed a two-dollar bill. He came in again after a while, and she quietly called in a policeman to watch him. He carried a cane; on the end of the cane was tar, and, as she stooped to draw the beer, with the cane he captured the money. In his pocket was found a bottle of sticky tar and seventeen one-dollar bills, all daubed with tar in a circular shape. Station house.



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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three or more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 17. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his hand into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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PADDLING ON THE PISCATAQUA.

II.

To the Boston-trained mind and eye, the sun in the Piscataqua region rises nearly due south and sets about due north. Yet, as the common belief is that the sun ought to rise, the globe over, nearest to the eastern horizon, even discounting its summer southing, the points of the compass, reckoned by the sun, would seem to place Kittery on the northeast bank of the river. To paddle for that shore, and go down and in among the creeks and runs on that side, take the tide at say half-flood. That will give water, current, and margin of time enough, to go into the arms of the river and explore to the very nails of the fingers—to do it without hurry—and then have tide enough on the ebb not to be hung by the keel, and be left in the department of aquarial study until the next flood tide. But to get across to Kittery abreast of the seven-knot Piscataqua current without fetching Portsmouth Bridge, going on this creek trip, is a feat giving to a stranger on the waters a lively, if not a perilous, zest at the outstart of the voyage. Take any water-able philosopher, hanging his heels over the capsill of the wharf, waiting for a job to ferry somebody over to the navy yard in his boat, and ask him how to do it, he might say that doing it safely resembles most of the success in life, which begins very low down. Construed, this could be taken as advice to begin at a much lower point down on the river at the start than is expected to be reached on the opposite bank at the arrival, say a leeway allowance for drift by an amateur paddler, without university-crew biceps and wind, of about an eighth of a mile. It may save a novice a laugh at his cost to get his boat far enough down to shoot the river sure, even if he has to tow along the ends of the piers by the boat's painter to do it. Not long ago a young fresh-water sailor from Lake Erie who "knew all about boats," went out on the Piscataqua for a gentle pull, as he supposed; but he made a miscalculation and soon found himself, in spite of all his inland knowledge and muscle, only able to go precisely where he did not want to go, and that in a decidedly unsafe direction. "He hollered like 'blue blazes,'" so the ancient watermen that infest the waterside say, and they hurried out from shore and towed him in his boat ingloriously back to the pier; taking him in charge only in the nick of time to save, at least, the dryness of his clothes. Any of the little human shrimps that shoal on the wharves in Portsmouth could have done with ease and safety, by proper calculation, what the young man from Erie tried by main strength and awkwardness to accomplish, and failed; so the little shrimps slyly laughed and jeered at him, among themselves, from behind the board piles and fish barrels on the piers, having no respect for the stranger within their gates who could not do what they could. But it is not always the inexperienced who get into trouble this way here, for only the other day a vessel coming up the stream to the coal pier, in charge of a competent pilot, mistayed in the tide, got picked up on a ledge, became a perfect wreck, and had to be stripped in mid-river, nearly at the intended mooring. The expense of hiring a tow boat was saved, but the vessel was lost. The experience of the young man from Erie is worth something, and instead of beginning just back of Church Hill to go across, suppose "Adams' Pier," a couple of hundred yards or more distant down the river, is tried. Yes, it will be a good idea. "Adams'" seems to be the popular city fishing place, and can scarce be passed on the river at any tide but what many lines are out, and expectation of bites sits tiptoe on the fishers' faces. It may be here that the story of the catch of "salt-water trout," told by the Portsmouth humorist, is located. This is the nub:

"Now," said I, as I put on a whole clam, "I'll show you fishing that will astonish you."

"I daresay," said Ben, from the post, blowing out a cloud of smoke.

Down went the morsel to the bottom, which it no sooner touched than I had a bite. And such a bite! The rod in my hand bent like a withe, and the line whistled through the water as the struggling fish essayed to escape, now this way, now that way—now up, and then plunging heavily down.

"Hold on!" cried Ben, from the post; "you've got him, sure. He must be a half-but!" He was very much excited, but stuck to the top of the post. "Give him play sir, and you'll tire him out."

I made a feint to pull him, and he again started, coming to rest again speedily in six fathom of water, from which I in vain endeavored to start him, my pole bending double as I tugged to draw him from the bottom; but he held on most tenaciously. At last, after a violent struggle, grown weary with the effort, the sweat streaming down my face, I laid down the rod and pulled the victim in, to Ben's great delight, hand over hand.

"You've cotched him, sir, as sure as eggs," said Ben from the post, who had not. I was sure, as I certainly had not, breathed for fifteen minutes, as I drew upon the wharf a splendid river trout, weighing, I should judge, three pounds, that, as I threw him down, flapped a half-handful of gravel in my eyes with his tail. He was a noble

speckled fellow, with horns on his head, and a mouth four inches wide, with which he had swallowed my hook. Such a pair of expressive eyes I never saw in a trout before; and as he turned them up to mine, there seemed almost a human reproach in them, that melted me.

"Ben," said I, "isn't that a monstrous trout?"

"That's the king of 'em," said Ben, "but they don't call 'em trout down here."

"What do they call 'em?" I asked, with much interest.

He gave a name.

Well, a fish is a fish, anyhow, whatever may be said to the contrary; and if any one wishes to know what I caught, let him ask Ben.

The *sculpin* as the fish captured is as truthfully described by Shillaber's apt pen as Griggs could paint a real trout on canvas or a panel. On the Piscataqua they generally call the sculpin variety of trout "*grope*." The spelling is various, sometimes it is "graupy." Boston dissents from either of those spellings and pronunciations, knowing the fish's common appellation to be "crapey."

Do not imagine, to resume, when "paddles" and canoe are mentioned in this sketch as propulsive and water-carrying, that they mean such implements and means of transportation as are associated with Indian voyaging. They have all gone out of style on the Piscataqua. Stout spruce or ashen handles and blades are better, and a light pilot's canoe like the "Swan" which has more bearings, keel and hold-on, is safer than the round-bottom canoe of the wandering tribes that voyaged on these waters more than two centuries ago, and who, among the many cowardly things they did on land, killed poor, inoffensive Ursula Cott. Neither, as a rule, is the method of "paddling" any such operation as they performed, sometimes standing bolt upright and sometimes kneeling, but instead the propelling is done seated on a firm thwart with oars in hand and a foot-stretcher at the properly adjusted distance to give all the muscles full play and strength. Here at "Adams'" the "Swan" starts, and the paddler must be careful to put science into his paddling lest he hear some critical remarks, perhaps made in this style of lingual construction: "Say, mister, why don't you put your oars down deep in the water and take 'em out with a jerk?" Or possibly coming in form like this: "Say, is that a sidewheeler, mister? Why don't you throw your oars up higher in the air?" Some nearly toddling infant, born almost in the water, maybap washed ashore—balancing himself on the mooring pile of the pier or seated contentedly on the main truck of some mast, to which elevation he has laboriously "shinned" by the tarry shrouds, is most likely the critic.

But the start is made; be careful and not get sideward of the beacon; go the other side. Ten feet apart eddies set in different directions. Any market woman coming across from Elliot or Kittery knows how they favor or disfavor, but they puzzle the stranger and sometimes confound the seaman, as has been seen. At the fish-pier near the bridge, Elliotwards, and far above "Adams'" on the opposite startingside, the "Swan" is turned head on from breasting the tide into the slack and comparatively still water, along Kittery Foreside shore, toward the Navy Yard Bridge, Pointwards.

"O'er the dear Piscataqua
Gayly is our light boat dancing;
Brightly on its crystal waves,
Lo! the morning sun is glancing.

From the rocky pass emerged,
Sinking cliffs and shelving beaches,
Far receding, usher us
To the loveliest of reaches.

Stretching wide, a beauteous lake
To the raptured eye is given;
Far beyond, the blue hills meet
In the clearer blue of heaven.

Rustic dwellings, clumps of trees,
Upland swells, and verdant meadows,
Lie around; and over all
Flit the summer lights and shadows."

Thus carols the river-worshipping muse of James Kennard, Jr., one of Portsmouth's poets of the past, in "A Sail on the Piscataqua," and the theme and the hour are in sympathy now.—*Transcript.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 14, 1877.

News and Notes.

St. Louis 3, Hartfords 2, Bostons happy.

The seamen of the German frigate Vineta had a fight with the authorities and citizens of Santos, Brazil, August 14th, in which one policeman was killed and three badly wounded, one seaman also being killed and many hurt.

Mr. Samuel Page, of Boston, has been working for nearly three years to induce the horse owners of that community to take the blinders off of the bridles. Mr. Page claims that a horse requires less to keep him, is healthier every way, can do more work, and is in much better condition when not forced to wear blinders. Some of the Boston horse railroad companies have accepted his view of the case, and find that nineteen horses without blinders will do the work of twenty horses with blinders. The reform will probably go on successfully.

E. C. Bassick, who has been twenty years a miner, beginning in Australia, has at last "struck it rich" out in Colorado. He calls his lode "the Maine," in honor of his native State. He has already got a handsome sum in hand, and talks about twenty-five to fifty millions already in sight in his mine.

A murder was committed in St. Louis seven years ago by Mike Ryan, who killed a man by the name of O'Brien. The wife of O'Brien has persistently watched for Ryan all of the time, and has at last been rewarded in finding the murderer of her husband. She discovered him among a gang of street sweepers, and had him arrested. The witnesses to the murder are all living, and there seems no doubt that Ryan will be hung.

The Board of Engineers began Wednesday examination of Elizabeth river, near Norfolk, with a view of erecting a fresh water basin there for the storage of iron-clads. It was thought last Spring that a good harbor and beach could be made for them at Port Royal or vicinity, but upon thorough investigation by Lieutenant-Commander Mintoyne by order of Secretary Thompson that place was found not feasible, and the action of salt water upon iron-clads being so detrimental to their usefulness, the Secretary has decided to take prompt action for their preservation. League Island is not available on account of freezing in winter.

Lowells 7, Manchesters. 0.

"Gath" calles Hayes a lady-like President.

Robert L. Espy, who murdered his wife on Rocky Hill, Conn., and had been sentenced to State prison for life, cut his throat with a small pocket knife. It is not known whether the wound is fatal.

Lame Deer's band of Indians have arrived at Camp Sheridan, which completes the surrender of all the hostile Sioux, clearing the Black Hills and Big Horn country, as Sitting Bull and party are in the British possessions. The number surrendering is between 300 and 400. About 175 of the band had previously arrived.

Hayes will probably "reune" as far down as the Gulf.

Senor Mata, the Diaz Minister here, says that there is no probability of any rupture between Mexico and the United States. He declares that his Government is using every means to suppress the border troubles and that a new treaty has been projected upon the subject, which Minister Foster at Mexico is now negotiating. The ultimate recognition of Diaz by our Government seems probable.

New Hampshire Items.

William Waugh and Ann Gorman, of Nashua, have been sent to State prison for two years, for concealing the birth of their illegitimate child.

A writer in the Boston *Globe* calls the Flume at Franconia "God's Own."

A bright little girl, two years of age, the daughter of Frank Bean, at Duncan Lake, two miles from Ossipee, fell into a pail of hot water a few days ago, and, after lingering in great agony until the following day, death relieved her of her sufferings.

A Boston *Globe* interviewer of Buzzell, the alleged instigator of the murder of Miss Hanson of Brookfield, who is confined in jail at Ossipee, says of the confession of Cook, who is lodged in the jail in Dover, that it is perhaps doubtful whether Buzzell could be convicted on the evidence of Cook's unsupported testimony, for at the previous trial it was this Cook who, as Buzzell's hired man, gave much important testimony tending to the acquittal of the accused. If now Cook's confession is truthful, he is a perjurer. There are, however, uncertain rumors that the confession implicates two or three others—Buzzell's wife and her brother, a man of standing in Brookfield—as aware of facts sufficient to establish the case, although these two last-named persons also testified extensively for the defendant at his former trial. Under these circumstances the case is one of unusual interest, and the more so because of the prominence for honor which most of the parties concerned formerly sustained in Brookfield. Buzzell owns a fine farm, not far from the village of Brookfield Corner, and has been engaged several times before the murder as collector of the town. At present his house and barn are models of neatness, and with blossoming plants at the windows and a generally tranquil air around, would never suggest a passer-by ignorant of the fact, that the master of them is awaiting trial for some of the gravest crimes known to his country's law.

Messrs. Little, Brown and Company, of Boston, have issued "part fifth of France and England in North America, a series of historical narratives by Francis Parkman." This work is entitled "Count Frontenac and New France under Louis XIV." Mr. Parkman, who has been studiously engaged during his literary life in collecting the materials for these volumes, has presented his preceding works in a very interesting manner, making them not only attractive to the reader of history but highly enjoyable by every lover of literature; and with each new work an increased interest developes. The next of the series promised is "Montcalm and the fall of New France." The book before us is well up in its many good qualities to the established standard of its predecessors by the same author.

In *Scribner* for October is a paper of anecdote and reminiscence of unusual interest entitled "A Yankee Tar and his Friends," which throws light on what Dickens and Landseer thought of the civil war in America. Early in the war Dickens writes as follows to Captain E. E. Morgan: "And you think the South will come back within the winter and spring? May I whisper at this distance from Fort Lafayette that *I* don't. I wish to God, in the interest of the whole human race, that the war were ended. But I don't see that end to it, no, nor anything like that end—with my best spectacles." And Landseer says: "As a good Welshman you will quite understand my hoping that the fighting may last in the new country as it did in the case of the Irish cats, and that when you come to tell the tails, I may be present. I trust that you will find a very honest group happy to shake hands with you."

Mr. Park Benjamin has contributed to *St. Nicholas* some humorous verses on the rise, progress and sad result of the passion of revenge, as is indulged by a young hippopotamus. The stanzas are to appear in the October number of the magazine, and are to be illustrated from designs furnished by the author. A comical episode of boy-life and a country watch-meeting on New Year's Eve is to be narrated by Sarah Winter Kellogg in the same number. The story is to be illustrated by Champney.

Labor Troubles.

In the mining regions, particularly at Wilkesbarre, the attitude of the miners is of a very threatening character. General Hancock is on the ground, and it is thought a permanent garrison of United States troops this winter will be necessary. There are reports of intimidation from the surrounding points and of outrages upon workingmen by so-called workingmen which cannot be too severely condemned. As long as the bad and turbulent element has control, which now appears to be the case, there can be no hope of peace and order in the mines. These lawless persons are the very worst enemies of the honest laborers.

On the Edge of Ruin.

About six o'clock one evening a young woman, carrying a babe about a year old, entered a car bound for West Philadelphia and dropped into a vacant seat beside a spruce-looking young man. As she was busy searching for a ticket the youngster, attracted by the glitter of the young man's watch chain, made a grab for it and fell over into his lap. The mother quickly reached for the child, and as she did so she noticed a heavy frown settle on the young man's brow, so with trembling voice she muttered an apology. Instead of receding the frown on his brow grew deeper, and rudely turning his back upon her he took a paper from his pocket and pretended to read. A few blocks further on, a tall, sharp-featured woman arose and left the car, the young man heaved a sigh of relief, folded up his paper, and turning to the discomfitted mother, he whispered: "Excuse me, madam, for behaving so cross, for that woman who just left the car lives next door to the young lady I call upon, and if I hadn't pretended to be very angry she would have kicked up a muss by telling my girl that she was sure I was married, for she saw me have my wife and baby with me in the cars. It was very rude, I know, but I hope you will excuse me when I tell you that the girl's father is worth $40,000, and I don't want anything to cause hard feelings between us."—*Philadelphia Chronicle.*

Lost.

ON the evening of the 11th inst., between South Mill Bridge and Hotel Wentworth, a BLACK SHAWL with mixed border. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving it at 60 Water Street, or at this Office.

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ON Thursday evening, a BUNCH OF KEYS. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving the same at the Concord Railroad Depot, for Conductor Wyatt.

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In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts: To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 24, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, at 2 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described Incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,805 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,790 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.

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Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

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About 16,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Beacon and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

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Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

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" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
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Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Concord Way,		4.35 "	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "	

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	8.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.30 "	
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

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VISITING ODD FELLOWS.

At half-past 12 o'clock, Thursday, Mt. Sinai and Strawberry Bank Encampments, I. O. O. F., with the Portsmouth Cornet Band, all under the command of Capt. A. J. Sides and John H. Locke, marched to the depot to receive the visiting Encampment, the Bunker Hills of Charlestown. The visitors were accompanied by the Medford Band and arrived on the noon train; they were received with the customary military salute, after which they took up their line of march up Deer street to Bridge and down Congress street to Odd Fellows' Hall, where the formal reception exercises took place; after which the visitors were escorted to the Rockingham House for dinner. The Encampments as they marched down Congress street made a splendid appearance, and the military evolutions of the Bunker Hills were highly complimented by competent judges. At four o'clock P. M. they took carriages at the Rockingham House for a drive to Newcastle. In the evening a concert was given on Market square by the Medford Band; the concert attracted many people to the place, and gave all the hearers who know what good music is much pleasure. The programme was as follows:

1. Soldiers and Sailors Dedication March, *Frederic.*
2. Overture, "Martha," *Flotow.*
3. Selection, "I. Masnadieu," *Verdi.*
4. Concert Polka, "Village Bells," *Strauss.*
5. Selection, "Ye Olden Time,' *Beyer.*
6. Waltzer Journalistes, *Strauss.*
7. Quartette for Horns, with Chorus.
   a. Sweet and Low, } *Barnby.*
   b. Soldier's Farewell, } *Kucken.*
8. Concert Galop "Victoria," *Ascher.*

To-day the Bunker Hills go to Foss' beach, on a clam-bake, returning to this city at noon. At three o'clock P. M. the three Encampments will have a street parade.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Our Drawing Room.

The last steamboat excursion of the season comes off to-day, in the Appledore. Fare only 60 cents for the round trip; children half-price. See advertisement.

The game of base ball between the Granite States of this city and the Our Boys of Newmarket, on Thursday, was closely contested, resulting in a victory for the visitors by a score of fourteen to thirteen. The batting on both sides was very heavy, and the fielding fair; Rowe, the centre fielder of the Granite States, making the most brilliant play of the game, capturing five flies, none of which were easy ones. Cushig's play at first base was fine. The game was one of the best ever played here, and it was witnessed by some two hundred spectators.

About sixty persons went on Col. Butler's last excursion to the Shoals per steamer Appledore, on Thursday. The sea was smooth as a millpond, and much sweeter-smelling than any Portsmouth millpond, and the day was perfect, sun and wind being proportioned just right for comfort. The only exciting incident of the day was the frantic race of the man who visited White Island, and who delayed his return until the last moment—and a little later—to catch the Appledore before she started on her home trip; those of his friends who know how much he hates hard work sympathized deeply with him as he mopped his streaming face and yawed his boat all around the compass in desperate attempts to make her go quick through the water, and all the other passengers were glad when he got into the wharf. But they were not half so glad of it as he was.

It is estimated that there are fifteen hundred boats of various kinds on the shores and moorings from Fort Constitution to Dover Point.

Mackerel catchers are doing well off the harbor now, making from ten to forty dollars each a day. There were at least three hundred sail of vessels in sight of Whale's-back on Thursday.

The last guest of the season at the Hotel Wentworth, a lady, a native of Portsmouth, reluctantly took leave on Monday, with her children, of the beautiful region, for her home in Boston, expressing her intention to return with the earliest summer days of the coming year.

Capt. Moses B. Tower, of Boston, with two divers, arrived in this city Thursday evening, and will examine the bottom of the brig Clara J. Adams at low tide this forenoon, to ascertain the nature and extent of the injuries received by the vessel on the beacon ledge.

The only surviving member of John Brown's company of "Wide Awakes," 63 in number, who fought at Ossawatamie, resides in this city.

Dow says there are twenty-six brickyards on the Piscataqua and its branches.

Now let the "Manchesters" call down this way and see if they can "get away" with the "Granite States."

Schooner Western Star (of Boston), from Georgetown, D. C., for this city, was disabled and abandoned in a sinking condition Sept. 9, lat. 36 30, lon. 75 15. The crew, consisting of Capt. Crocker and six men, were rescued by steamer City of Dallas, from New York, and landed at Port Royal, S. C.; 11th. The Western Star registered 317 tons, and was built at Fairhaven, Mass., in 1860.

Bro. F. W. Miller is happy. The supply of Havana tobacco in New York has run short.

There will be an editorial invasion of Portsmouth from Great Falls by the 8:20 train this morning.

All three republican Senators are elected in York County.

Hon. John H. Burleigh, whom the republicans of the first Maine district twice honored by elevating to a Congressional seat, showed his gratitude by voting for the democratic candidate for Governor at the recent election.

On Wednesday Captain James Tobey, of Eliot, seventy-three years old, dug sixty bushels of potatoes and ate a lunch, within five hours.

Our Drawing Room.

A MARINE DISASTER.

Ship Triumphant (of Boston), Libbey, at San Francisco Sept. 3d, after a passage of 151 days from Liverpool, reports that she did not reach the NE trades until April 24th, and had them very light; after crossing the equator, had good SE trades to lat 18 south and fair runs to the lat of Rio; from off Rio encountered continued SW gales, and were twenty-six days working down to Cape Corrientes of the River Plate—a portion of the route usually made in a week; from thence had moderate fair winds to entrance of Straits le Maire, but the wind then freshened from south, and we had to go out around Staten Island. On the 24th of June, Cape Horn bearing north, distant twenty-four miles, the wind rapidly increased to a strong gale and continued blowing with great violence between WNW and SW until noon of June 29th. Night of June 28th while laying to on the port tack, ship under two lower topsails with the sheets eased off, wind SW with a high sea from SW and another from W, a heavy sea struck the ship forward, which carried away the martingale, sprung the bowsprit and foretopmast and topgallantmast. In the lee lurch which followed, the farrel band of the upper foretopsail yard broke off, losing the tub overboard, and the broken ironwork on the yard gouged out the mast and crippled it before we could get aloft to secure the yard with lashings. In the morning, found the deck and topside seams opened forward and about the channels, and the ship making considerable water. Also found the fore yard started in the centre scarf, and the ends dropped down; the lower fore and main topsail yards twisted around in their bands and badly scored and weakened; also the cheeks on fore and mainmasts sprung off from the masts, and the trestle trees racked and strained. The sails which had been set were strained out, while those which were furled were considerably injured by being frequently blown adrift from the gaskets during the night. Drifted about as best we could under main and mizzen sails—with moderate and westerly winds until the evening of July 3d, when having completed temporary repairs, made moderate sail forward and proceeded on our voyage—at the same time taking the first of an easterly wind which continued five days and ran the ship across 50 S in the Pacific. From 50 S in the Pacific have had no very bad weather. Took the SE trades in the Pacific on July 27, in lat 21 S, lon 110 45 W had them rather light, and from a direction considerably to the N of E. Took the NE trades in the North Pacific on Aug. 8, lat 10 17 N, lon 120 30 W; lost them Aug. 17, lat 28 23 N, lon 136 13 W; since then have had calms.

The ship America, Capt. Emerson, arrived at San Francisco on the 12th inst., having made the passage from New York in 112 days, one of the best of the season. She is of the same model as the Triumphant, and about the same size; both are owned by Messrs. Thayer & Lincoln.

Political.

William E. Smith was nominated for Governor by the republicans of Wisconsin, and President Hayes' policy approved.

The New York Democratic State Convention will meet Oct. 3d at Albany. The indications are that a new ticket will be selected.

The democrats of Massachusetts have nominated Ex-Gov. Gaston for Governor.

President Hayes really seems to doubt the feasibility of removing Naval officer Cornell of New York.

Stanley Matthews and Tom Ewing are to stump Ohio jointly, and will speak in opposition to each other from the same platform in at least four large cities. Garfield has challenged Pendleton to a similar tour, and the challenge will probably be accepted.

The Massachusetts prohibitionist at their convention at Worcester on Wednesday nominated Judge Robert C. Pitnam of New Bedford as their Gubernatorial candidate. The convention refused to endorse Hayes. Altogether it was a lively and spirited gathering.

We believe Gen. Banks is a republican this month.—*Post.*

The attempted reunion of Federal and Confederate soldiers at Marietta was a failure. A number of Confederate Generals were announced to take part in the proceedings, but none of them appeared, and the highest in rank of their side was a Major. The recent successes of the democratic party have made the rebel leaders reluctant to fraternize with their old enemies. They look forward to the time when it shall be a reproach to have fought with the Union army, and an honor to have fought with the rebels. The union of a solid south with the frauds and corruption of New York city, and its overflow into New Jersey and Connecticut, has carried one branch of Congress and threatens the other, and the rebels feel their old arrogance and their old contempt for the north, the viler portions of which they use, while despising the instruments of their political success. — *Providence Journal.*

Stanley Matthews, "the fool of the (Presidential) family," will be polished off in debate by Tom Ewing of Ohio next week. Next month, Ohio will sit down on him hard.

Returns from 389 towns give Connor 50,383, Williams 38,609, Munson 4998, scattering 747. The towns and plantations still to be heard from last year gave 4438 republican votes and 4401 democratic votes. The estimates are that the final official majority of Connor over Williams will slightly exceed 11,500.

General Butler has taken the stump in Ohio.

As the late Stanley Matthews used to remark—

The Pennsylvania Prohibition State Convention met Wednesday, September 12th, and nominated a State ticket, A. A. Winton for Supreme Judge, Samuel Cornett State Treasurer, and A. A. Barker Auditor General.

The women in Wyoming Territory cannot endure the associations of the ordinary voting places, and separate polls are to be provided for them, at which the judges will be women.

Our Drawing Room.

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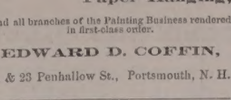

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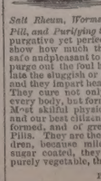

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to lie within one rod of the usual surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall continue, keep or maintain any such existing pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, near either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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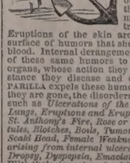

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Tricks of Smugglers.

Chambers' Journal gives the following account of some of the curiosities of the British custom house museums:

The first thing which is pointed out to us is a ship's "fender," which, we remind our readers, is a block of wood with a rope attached, slung over the bows, to prevent the abrasion which might be caused by contact with another vessel. This particular fender was found to be hollow, and to contain several pounds of compressed tobacco. The officer who thought of looking for the soothing weed in such a receptacle must have been an extremely "cute" individual. But here is a still more extraordinary hiding place, and one which must have involved a journey aloft for its detection—a ship's block, the sheave or wheel of which is actually made of solid tobacco. Here is an ornamental pedestal which once adorned the corner of a captain's cabin, and would perhaps adorn it still, had it not been found gorged with contraband cigars. Another commander appears to have been a more moderate smoker, for he was content with only two pounds of cheroots, which were found inside a sham loaf on his breakfast-table. Here we have a number of cigars knotted singly on a string, like a tail of a kite; these were dropped between the inner and outer timbers of a ship's side; whilst holes drilled in the ends of an egg-box furnish lodging for several more.

A broomstick does not seem at first sight to offer much room for concealment, but here is one, which, accidentally broken, revealed a core of that rope-like commodity known to those who chew the weed as "pig-tail." Cakes of tobacco formed to fit into the sole of a boot show another ingenious mode of disposal. But the prize for inventive talent must certainly be awarded to the clever rascal who compressed snuff into slabs, and stamped them to exactly imitate the oil cakes on which cattle are fattened.

The stewardess of a Jersey steamer is the next delinquent who comes before our notice. On various occasions the petticoat has been found to be a useful auxiliary to the smuggler, and the one which was taken from this lady sufficiently proves the truth of our remark, for twenty-seven pounds of tobacco were hidden in its folds. Two more garments of the same nature contained, respectively, eighteen and twenty pounds of cigars; whilst another, with the help of a number of fish-bladders hanging from the waistband, was charged with several gallons of brandy. Bladders of cognac have also been found attached to a ship's keel, several feet under water. It is to be presumed that the discovery of these last was not made in the Thames, the water of that river not being celebrated for its transparency. Artificial lobster-pots, thrown overboard with corks attached, also afford favorable receptacles for various articles.

Another stewardess, in this case belonging to a Rotterdam boat did a little ostensible trading in pigeons. Here is the box in which they were caged, constructed with a false bottom, below which were hidden a few pounds of cavendish. It is a question whether birds ever before so well deserved to be called carrier pigeons. The journey to Rotterdam is but a short one, so that although this lady did not indulge in such wholesale doings as her sister of Jersey, she worked on the principle that "many a little makes a mickle."

Here is an apparently well-bound volume which a studious individual carried under his arm during the transaction of his daily business at one of the docks. It was found to be made of glass, moulded into the form of a book, and covered with leather. That it was a work of much spirit was proved from the fact that it was full of eau de vie. Another book is exhibited, the leaves of which are punched through with holes, from cover to cover, for the reception of watches.

Anecdote of a Russian Prince.

It is the fashion now to tell Russian stories and particularly stories about the Russian Princes that live habitually here in France. Two have just been published that are worth repeating. The Russian Princes in Paris are all men of large incomes, but pretty generally spendthrifts. One of them borrowed the some of 10,000 francs from a money lender, giving his note for the same. On the day it fell due the holder presented it for payment, and was told by the Prince that he had no money to waste in paying debts. At that moment a gentleman entered, and the Prince handed him 20,000 francs to meet the losses of the night before at the club. The Jew tore up his note of hand, and said when going out: "Now, Prince, there is nothing between us but a debt of honor." The Prince bowed and handed over the money without a word. The second begins in the same way, but when the Jew presented his note, the Prince flew into a passion, called him hard names, and drawing a revolver made him eat the note of hand. A few days later the Jew received his money with a thousand franc bill thrown in for interest. Shortly after the Jew received a letter from the Prince notifying him he was again in want of money, and telling him to present himself with 10,000 francs, and stamped paper on which to write his infernal notes of hand. The Jew came with the money. "Where is your paper for the note?" he said taking the money. "Here it is,

Prince," said the Jew, drawing a large cake of gingerbread from his pocket. The Prince laughed at the joke, and shortly afterward paid the debt with interest. —*Paris Correspondence.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1877.

News and Notes.

Boston will enjoy a general holiday on Monday, and suspend business in order to join in the celebration of the dedication of the monument erected, to the memory of the soldiers, on the Common. The banks will close and the people will give a day to the celebration.

In the international rifle match at Creedmoor the American team won at 800 yards, scoring 575 to the British team's 559.

The annual Salisbury Beach gathering, which took place Thursday, drew together a crowd of some ten thousand persons, who passed the day in the usual enjoyable way. Ben. Perley Poore, George B. Loring and James M. Buffum were the speakers.

Ex-President Grant received the freedom of the city of Glasgow on the 13th inst. In replying to the address of the Lord Provost, he said he would ever remember this day, and when in America would refer with pride to his visit to Glasgow. He was so much a citizen of Scotland that it would be a serious question where he would vote. He thanked the Lord Provost for the kind words and the audience for its welcome. The ceremony was witnessed by a large crowd and Grant was enthusiastically cheered. A banquet in his honor was given in the evening, but was of a private character.

The *World* says Charles B. Vandyne, who has a wife and children in Princeton, N. J., is in jail at Junction City, Kansas, for marrying another woman there, whom it is believed he poisoned because she ascertained he was a bigamist, and the citizens there are anxious to hang him.

The Wisconsin Republican Convention adopted the following resolution: *Resolved*, That the republican party is in favor of an appropriation by Congress for assisting, under suitable regulations, the surplus laboring men of large cities and mining district to settle on public lands.

New Hampshire Items.

The Annual Conclave of the Grand Commandery of Knights Templar and Appendant Orders, will be held at Masonic Temple, in Concord, on Tuesday, the twenty-fifth day of September, A. D. 1877, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon.

The Boston & Maine Railroad has been convicted before the Supreme Court at Dover of gross carelessness in running over and killing a woman at Great Falls last year. The fine in such case is not more than $5000 or less than $500, one-half of which goes to the heirs of the deceased.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cocheco Manufacturing Company will be held at Dover on Wednesday, the 26th inst.

Shooting the Rapids.

A Boston *Post* letter writer thus describes the behavior of an ancient maiden while sailing down the St. Lawrence river a few days ago.

One of the damsels of a certain age gave a little exhibition, yesterday, as we were about to shoot the Long Sault Rapid, which was not down on the programme. She went out on the bow of the boat, took a long survey of the angry breakers just ahead, and then bolted aft with all her speed, to the astonishment of her friends, who were gathered outside to enjoy the shoot. Flinging herself upon one of the sofas at full length she buried her face in her handkerchief and cried, "I knew it, I knew it. What will become of us now? Ah, why did I come?" etc., etc. At this moment the boat made a terrible plunge over one of the ledges of rock which form the rapids, where the waves run between fifteen and twenty feet in height, dashing the boat about as if it had been an egg-shell. This brought matters to a crisis with the ancient maiden, and staggering to her feet she commenced to scream for her brother: "John, John, for heaven's sake come and help me." Another plunge of the boat and another scream from the affrighted spinster. She staggered to the window overlooking the after deck and looking out saw the big waves, the rocks and the breakers bubbling as if being churned to nothingness. The sight was to her appalling, and she turned away from it in utter despair. "Lost! lost!" cried she. John's appearance restored her. "There, John, don't you see our danger? And you standing there as cool as a cucumber. Oh, dear, dear. Just look out there and see the fate in store for us," moaned she. John looked and endeavored to console her. "Gone! gone!" was the only response. Then suddenly reviving she cried: "There, John, take my watch and chain, and pocket-book, too; and hold on to them tight, too. I know we are going to the bottom, and——" Another plunge and the spinster lay sprawling upon the floor. She had her "mad" up to the fortieth degree when she did get her feet, and she yelled to John, "Get me a life-preserver, quick! Do you hear me? Don't stand there like a fool. Quick, now." Another plunge and she went over again, for in an unguarded instant she had left the protection of the post near her. "Quick, John; the preserver." John was quick, and in a twinkling had two of them strapped around her with the remark, "There, I've strapped 'em on below the hips, and you can use both hands and feet when worse comes to worse." The roughest portion of the rapids was passed, however, and the crowd began to gather about the screaming Dorcas. Their laughter drove her to the other extreme of madness, and resuming her feet she fled as rapidly as the preservers would allow her, and locking herself in her state-room moaned the afternoon away as rapid after rapid was run.

Apples.

Apples are considered more nutritious than potatoes—indeed, many go so far as to think that they contain more brain food than any other fruit or vegetable. However this may be, they certainly exert a healthful influence upon the whole system when eaten raw or cooked in the most simple manner. When compounded with butter, eggs and flour they are far less wholesome than when baked or steamed. Apples nicely baked and served with cream are a delicious dish, and an ingenious housekeeper can easily devise numerous ways of preparing them for the table. Many methods have been suggested for keeping apples in a good condition through the winter. One is to wrap each apple (as oranges and lemons are wrapped for importation) in paper; old newspapers will answer. Paper is not only impervious to air, but serves to keep the fruit at a uniform temperature. Another method of preserving apples is to put some dry, fine sand into each barrel and shake it down very gently; powdered plaster is sometimes used instead of sand. Another way is to put the apples in a dry sandy soil. A hole three or four feet deep should be dug, the fruit put in upon dry straw and covered with a layer of straw and dry earth. The earth should be raised above the general level of the ground, so as to shed rain. When thus protected, the apples are said to keep well until spring.

Burning a Faithless Wife at the Stake.

About three weeks ago an Indian known as Sam lost his squaw Mary, through the blandishments of an Indian named Jim, with whom she eloped, taking some of his household goods. The loss of these goods added much to the wrath of Sam, and he raised such a commotion among the Piute braves that they determined to teach the frail Mary, and, by her example, the rest of the women of the tribe, a lasting lesson. Jim tried to screen her from the gathering storm by hiding her, but they soon found her, and about fifty of the tribe, including Jim and several squaws, escorted her to the hills, just back of the Washoe lake, on Saturday evening last, and there, safe from Caucasian intrusion, they made a great pile of sage brush, and, after tying her firmly in the middle of it, set it on fire. Then they began a war dance around the scene of cremation, in which all joined but Jim, Sam being very fierce in his leaps and yells. The screams of Mary added to the zest of the dance. Jim, meantime, sat quietly by, and seemed an indifferent spectator. After the body of the unfortunate Mary had been reduced to ashes, Sam expressed his satisfaction, and they dispersed.—*Reno Journal.*

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VISITING ODD FELLOWS.

The Encampments went to Foss' Beach to the clam bake, Friday, leaving the Rockingham at 8 o'clock, A. M. The bake was a success, and was enjoyed by all. After amusing themselves with foot ball and in other ways, they returned to the city to prepare for the grand parade which took place in the afternoon, and which was a fine display; some buildings were decorated, and flags were hoisted in public places. In the evening the promenade concert and levee complimentary to the visiting Encampment was largely attended. The Grand March, in which there were 120 couples took place at 9 o'clock, and the dance was kept up until the small hours of the morning. Refreshments were served from ten until twelve o'clock.

To-day they make an excursion to the Shoals on steamer Appledore, returning in time to take the afternoon train for home.

THAT INVITATION.

The following correspondence fully explains the apparent discrepancy between the statements of the Light Artillery of this city and the Mayor of Portsmouth, England, in relation to the invitation extended by the latter to the company to visit old Portsmouth:

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., July 11th, 1877.

Hon. Geo. E. Kent; Dear Sir: At a meeting of the Portsmouth Artillery held Sept. 29th, 1876, your invitation to this organization to visit England was read by Capt. T. E. O. Marvin, then in command of this company, and a vote of thanks for this courtesy passed, and the proceedings of the meeting ordered to be published in the Portsmouth *Journal* of this city and copies of the same sent to your address. The company at that time having just returned from an extended tour to the American Exposition, deemed it inexpedient to then name the time when they would make the contemplated visit. At a recent meeting of the company (held June 28th) the action of last year was unanimously ratified, and the company voted to visit England and the Paris Exposition in July, '78. It is not our intention in visiting England to compete with the troops in Her Britannic Majesty's service, of whose fame we have read; neither have we the desire or expectation to impress the citizens of the mother country with our proficiency as American volunteer soldiers; our company being simply a perpetuation of a Portsmouth Artillery of a century ago,—famous not for military precision in all that makes soldiers, but for a glorious history. Our time abroad being limited, we shall simply pass through England, giving one day to Portsmouth; and let us say here, that the company desire no formal public display or courtesies be tendered them, as they only intend calling on your Honor to express their gratitude for the interest you have manifested in the organization, and on the present Mayor as the ruler over the people of the Mother Portsmouth. We should not have alluded to this but for the unfortunate rumor telegraphed abroad that the company had received and accepted an invitation from the present Mayor of Portsmouth, England, and which he so promptly and properly denied. We shall esteem it a great favor if you will convey to him the compliments of the Portsmouth Artillery, and our regrets for this unfortunate occurrence, hoping that you will favor us with your correspondence that we may further acquaint you with our plans, we remain very respectfully,

Your Obedient Servants,

Wm. O. Sides, Jos. R. Curtis, D. J. Spinney, John S. Treat, John C. Lewis, Justin D. French, John Turner, S. J. Slany, Com. of Arrangements for Portsmouth Artillery.

STUBBINGTON LODGE, PORTSEA, Aug. 28.

Wm. O. Sides, Esq.; Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your letter relative to the proposed visit of the City of Portsmouth Artillery Company to their mother town. I am delighted to hear that you have resolved in so doing. I assure you it will afford me unbounded pleasure to receive you and give you a right hearty welcome. * * * I really have never anticipated such a pleasing event; it will be a source of immense gratification not only to myself but to my follow-townsmen. When your intended visit is made fully known, my impression is that so enthusiastic will the leading citizens become, that I shall scarcely be permitted to entertain you privately (my intention being to do so) but be requested to allow it to be made a public reception; whatever course may be adopted hereafter, all I can say is, "Come," and you may rely upon receiving such a recognition as the event deserves. Kindly let me know more fully your arrangements; the number likely to attend, the time you can give to Portsmouth, (one day will not suffice,) time of your arrival, and if you appear in uniform—which I hope to see worn, as I had a little to do with your adopting the same.

Although you do not desire any public demonstration, permit me to say we could not allow you to depart from old Portsmouth without it. My desire and present intention is to invite all to a *dejeuner*, and our local volunteer officers to meet you, also the Mayor and a few of my personal friends. You therefore should arrange the second day here.

When your letter reached me I could not conjecture how the present Mayor know of any invitation, but the whole matter was explained by the agent to Reuter's Telegraph office. The mistake arose by imagining I was still in office. I conveyed your message to him and your apology for the mistake; kindly thank your committee and the corps generally for the kind expressions used toward me. Hoping to have the pleasure next year of personally thanking them for the compliments, and trusting all may be spared to meet on that occasion,

I am, dear sir, yours truly,

GEO. E. KENT.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen had a special meeting on Friday evening, at which the special committee on the sanitary condition of the mill-ponds made a report, which was accepted.

Moved, that the city hire the South Mill-pond for one week. The motion did not prevail.

The committee on claims reported on claim of C. D. Hanscom, recommending that it be paid. The report was accepted.

Notice was received that if the claim of Alvin Emery was not paid before Saturday at noon, suit would be commenced.

Petition of Wm. Conn that the North Mill-pond and shop of A. T. Walker be deemed nuisances was accepted.

Application of Josiah T. Morrison for sidewalk corner of State and Cabot streets was granted.

Petition of E. G. Pierce and others for a drain across Islington street to Rock street, was referred to committee on drains to report.

Petition of Wm. C. Newton relative to the chimney of Ward's distillery was referred to committee on gas lights.

Committee on drains reported that the drain between Cabot street and Jones' Brewery would last another year. Report adopted.

F. W. Miller appeared before the board and declined the proposition made by the Board at last meeting for acceptance of Union street, and offered to take $150 just as the street stands, and will finish it with material there in the best manner for $75; if not accepted would commence a suit next day.

Voted, that Mr. Miller be allowed $225 to finish Union street to the satisfaction of the committee on streets, and deed it to the city.

Samuel Taylor was appointed a special police office without pay, to attend temperance meetings.

Adjourned.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, September 14th.

Phebe A. Hanscom, drunk, fine and costs —$9.90. Paid.

John Hanscom, ditto.

[Communicated.]

PERILS OF NAVIGATION.

There is a great deal of complaint made by people who are in the habit of visiting our city by water from the towns and villages bordering the river on either side, that they find it difficult and dangerous to effect a landing anywhere within the city limits, there being but one public landing for boats, and that at the extreme north end of the town, where vessels usually occupying and obstructing the dock, render it extremely hazardous to land, especially after dark, when there are lady passengers in the boat.

Many persons living across the river would willingly come to the city to patronize our store-keepers if they could get here with tolerable safety, but with toll houses commanding each end of our extensive water front and almost impassable barriers between, there is little fear that our merchants will ever be oppressed by an invading host of customers.

Neither are the inconvenience and danger of landing at our wharves the only discouragements which our river traffic has to labor under. If a bold boatman succeeds in scaling the slimy piles of a wharf and gains a foot-hold upon our "sacred soil" he dares not leave his boat unguarded for fear that the gamins who infest the place will *borrow* his craft, and he cannot take her along with him—there is an ordinance against obstructing the streets—nobody wants to drag a dory up Market street anyway, it is so narrow.

A gentleman came from Kittery the other day to get a doctor; when he returned with the doctor to the wharf, where he had tied his boat, he could see it far up the river with two boys in it enjoying an excursion. It happened that a boat bound for Eliot was just leaving the wharf; the gentleman took passage in her in pursuit of the freebooters; after an exciting chase he regained possession of his own and free-booted the pirates. Being in a hurry he did not take the trouble to bring the marauders back to their native shore, but left them exiles on the Eliot side of the river.

Friday an Irishman eloped with Mr. Jere Gunnison's dory, from Spring Hill. Jere got mad and organized a police expedition in search of the runaways; the pursuit was only partially successful; the dory was recaptured, but the enterprising emerald jumped ashore and escaped across lots. These two incidents are a sample of numerous occurences of the kind, all of which might be avoided if our city authorities would establish a few suitable landing places for our aquatic friends, who would visit us more frequently if they could escape the various perils they now have to encounter. By the way, what has become of our "Board of Trade;" couldn't they do something to open the river to long shore commerce, or have they exhausted their energies in blowing the fog horn, and draining the mill-ponds—in a hora? M*****.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

Services at the Middle Street Church tomorrow—morning and evening. Sabbath School at quarter before three. Dr. Alden will preach in the morning at half-past ten o'clock, and lecture in the evening at half-past seven o'clock. Subject of the lecture, "The Value of Knowledge."

There will be a meeting of the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall, Sunday evening at half-past seven o'clock.

A very interesting service is expected at the Bow Mission next Sabbath afternoon; the time will be especially devoted to the interest of seamen. Rev. Mr. Hubbell is expected to speak on the "Merit of the Sailor in our National Commerce." And Rev. James Noyes on the "Moral Condition of Seamen." We give a cordial invitation to all interested in the welfare of seamen, especially to members of the Seamen's Aid, for whom seats will be reserved. Our service is appointed at a time when there is no other meeting of the kind in the city, as far as we know, and we trust the people will come to this very important service, for all ought to be interested in the condition of those men "that go down to the sea in ships, that do business on great waters." Come and bring your friends. COM.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

We hope our citizens will appreciate the forthcoming bird's eye view of Portsmouth sufficiently to give encouragement to the publishers, because after so many failures to do justice to the subject in former attempts we are happy to note that at last an accurate and acceptable likeness of the city has been obtained. The lithograph (as are those of Dover, Great Falls, Rochester, and other towns and cities in this and other States,) is published by Stone & Roger of Boston; and from an examination of the prepared lithograph we think we shall not only have of this town a view that will be accurate but one that will please the eye of the present and former residents of the old city by the sea.

Messrs. John Stokell & Co. have made an assignment of their property to William H. Rollins, Esq.; a meeting of the creditors is called to assemble on Tuesday next at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

For the U. S. Circuit Court, October 8th, William H. L. Brackett has been drawn as a grand juror and Charles Foss as a petit juror.

The examination of the brig Clara J. Adams by divers on Friday, revealed the fact that the keel of the vessel is broken about eight feet from the sternpost. There are no holes in her and she lies in about the same position as on the day when she went ashore.

The New Hampshire Missionary Society has voted to aid the church in Newington for the support of preaching, until the first of November, at the rate of $150 a year.

The "Appleton Oaksmith, slaver and pirate," as he was very properly termed in the CHRONICLE in connection with a "Confederate" flag presented by some English women to the pirate Semmes, is the son, I regret to state, of a late most worthy gentleman, well-known in his day in the literary world of New England and elsewhere. Not liking his name, thinking it, perhaps, too common, but borne by any number of excellent people, he had it changed to *Oaksmith*, for which all the *Smiths* should be greatly obliged to him. It will be about as much honor in after time to the donors of *that* flag—which should have borne upon it a death's-head and cross-bones—including among them one known as "*Lady*" de Houghton, as it would have been in their day to present a flag to the famous Capt. Kidd, or Gibbs, the pirate of a later time.

Yours, B.

Members of the Band of Hope are especially requested to be present Saturday afternoon. We are glad to announce that we expect one of the best music teachers in the city to teach the members in the art of singing. We are also making preparations to give an exhibition about the middle of October, and we trust the parents will send their children to this all important service. The Band of Hope is expecially designed to throw about the young the safety bond of touch not, taste not the intoxicating cup; also to train the children in good morals. We think this one of the most important branches of mission work in our city, and expect the hearty co-operation of all the friends of temperance and morality to help us.

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—An engineer has a letter from a friend in Chili, South America, who runs a train through the Andes where the grades are 200 and 300 feet to the mile. The Chilian brakeman is described as a most recklessly indifferent critter devoid of all emotion. "Often," he writes, "have I been running down a grade at a rate that brought my heart to my mouth, and those Chilian galoots should be laying off in the dumps, smoking their paper cigars and regarding the scenery as calm and as cool as a canvas-covered ham. They didn't know the difference, forty miles an hour and embankment curves was all the same to them."

—It is really too bad when, in private theatricals, a man is picked out to play the hero, and just as he is thinking how he will hug and kiss the heroine, he finds that his wife has been picked out for heroine.

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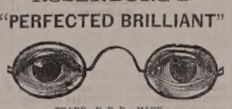

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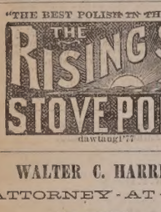

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause the same to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than twenty nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him or them, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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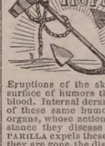

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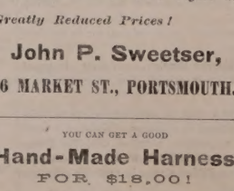

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Prohibition.

Readers of the last issue of the *Dispatch* were not a little interested in reading an article with the caption, "The Temperance Movement," and were amused especially at the sombre conclusions at which the editorial mind arrived after its retrospective view of the twenty years past when it asks.

"But frankly, we would ask the temperance men if they believe that the cause we all approve is in any way advanced by the prohibitory law? It reads well, it sounds well, it is right in principle, but do the twenty years of its existence in New Hampshire give any proof that it is a practical and judicious statute? Will some one explain."

In answer to this inquiry, which seems to have been made in all seriousness, we are led to the conclusion that this inquirer occupies about the egotistical position of the proud old citizen of Rome in its palmiest days, when he said, "All roads lead to Rome," and that an editorial friend is "viewing the landscape o'er" from Manchester heights, with its murky atmosphere, polluted with the clouds and mists and miasma which have arisen from the weak and futile efforts "oft repeated" to enforce the law in Manchester. All roads did not indeed "lead to Rome," and there is indeed a world outside of Manchester, morally speaking, as a friend will find if he will rise to a higher plane of observation, and he will find, too, in every village in New Hampshire evidences that this prohibitory law is not only a very *beneficent* measure, but a "*practical* and *judicious* statute" as well.

The trouble is *not* with the law, but is in the people themselves in all localities where this statute is in effect a nullity. Law, in our form of government, where the will of the majority is the rule of human action, is said to be the "hardening of public sentiment," and the law will be just what public sentiment is. Natural laws show that a "stream cannot rise higher than its source" of supply; so a law of any kind, whether it be in reference to this evil of liquor selling, or other evils afflicting society, such as larceny, murder, arson and others is no law at all, unless supported by an enlightened public sentiment, and this law should no more be styled a failure because men violate it, than should *all* the statutes of the State which by their penal clauses seek to prevent the commission of crime in its different forms, because they are violated. What good citizen, because men steal and thus violate the law with reference to larceny would pronounce the law a failure, and therefore demand its repeal, and thus make larceny lawful. Who, because evil men sometimes take the lives of their fellow men, would call the law which seeks to repress murder and protect the life of the citizen a failure, because murder is now and then committed; and so of all the laws which seek to protect life and property, and which the experience of society show to be absolutely necessary. A more enlarged and comprehensive view of the working of this law is necessary, if one would judge correctly, than that furnished by the dyspeptic and purposeless efforts of the authorities of our cities, where the rum power is the prime factor in the local political problem. In the country towns, where society may, in a certain sense be said to be in its primal purity, and which has not been cursed with the contaminating influences which infest society in the cities, where "vice, ignorance and wickedness most do congregate," and where the authorities do not see the necessity of pandering to the worst elements in society in order to gain and retain power, this law *can* be and *is* enforced and its observance demanded by an unerring and exacting public sentiment. Especially is this true since the great reform movement has called public attention to the terrible evils which follow in the train of unrestricted liquor selling and drinking.

Almost every village in New Hampshire in the higher moral tone which pervades society, and which is the natural fruitage of that long agitation which resulted in the enactment of this law, contains a conclusive answer to the question. The 125 reform clubs in New Hampshire with their 65,000 members made up of reformed men, the ladies, and the old reform workers, are an answer to the question, and the further potential fact, that no man of sense who places himself in the focus of the public gaze, dares advocate the repeal of this law is an unanswerable reply to the question propounded by our editorial friend. The politician with his finger ever upon the public pulse, and his ear to the public heart, is ever to be regarded as an indicator of public sentiment, and that politician has mistaken his calling in New Hampshire, who would risk now his political future in an attempt to repeal this law. Temperance men should stand by the law, and thus "Hold the Fort."—A. P. DAVIS, *in Manchester Dispatch.*

—Poor relations—Those with Mexico.

—A cross dog will make the top of a hemlock board fence feel soft as downy pillows are.

—Parson Moors of Greenfield, Mass., boasts of having written thirteen hundred sermons in thirty years. This is nearly one a week, and is somewhat less than the work of a lazy reporter on a small daily paper in a dull time. If he wishes to know what work is, let him go to newspapering.—*Graphic.*

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 17, 1877.

Disgraceful Scrimmage.

Captain Benjamin Sanborn, of Canterbury, a pensioner of the war of 1812-15, aged eighty-five, died Wednesday morning. Elbridge G. Chase was employed to dig his grave in the old burying ground at Canterbury Centre. While quietly proceeding with his job, assisted by his son Charles, George W. Whidden put in an appearance, followed by another man, whom he ordered to dig the grave, at the same time ordering Chase away, claiming that, as he had been duly elected sexton, no one else had a right to dig a grave. Chase, failing to see the matter in the same light, declined to comply with the order, when many loud words (including much profanity) were uttered. Then Whidden seized the elder Chase by the head and shoulder and threw him down a steep bank and made an assault upon him with a spade; the younger Chase coming to the rescue of his father the assailant finally withdrew in a somewhat damaged condition. The matter will probably be settled in court.

Sympathetic and Cordial.

President Hayes last week visited Senator Morton in his sick room, and the correspondent of the New York *Times* gives the following account of the interview:

"The President became at once deeply affected, and advancing to the bedside took the Senator's hand in his, and addressing him in affectionate terms stooped over and kissed him on the forehead. Mr. Morton addressed the President by name and spoke of his gratification at seeing him there. The President replied that not only had he been very anxious for the Senator's welfare during his illness, but he had found the feelling general throughout the country. Governor Morton said he had indeed been near death's door, but he now felt better, and believed he was on the way to recovery. 'I now expect,' said he, 'to take my seat in Congress in December next, and to warmly and earnestly support you in your Administration.' The President seemed deeply affected by this. Governor Morton continued speaking in a hopeful strain, referring to the condition of the country at large, and to the President's account of the cordial greetings he had received in his recent travels in New England, and the evidences of returning prosperity that he had seen. He listened with evident interest. The Senator grew so interested in the conversation and showed such signs of growing excitement that Dr. Thompson asked that the interview be brought to a close. 'Yes,' replied the President, 'it is better that I should go, and go at once.' And taking the Senator's hand he again kissed him and bowed himself out of the room. The interview lasted about fifteen minutes, and Dr. Thompson, from whom the above account is gathered, says it was extremely sympathetic and cordial. The President remarked subsequently that he had not expected to find the Senator looking so well. 'I feel,' said he, 'as though he will certainly recover and take his place in the Senate.' After the departure of the President's party Senator Morton fell into a quiet sleep, and it is believed that he will experience no ill effects from the interview."

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 13th.

The reported determination of the President and his advisers to include Messrs. Arthur and Sharpe in the meed of punishment prescribed for such cases of insubordination as Mr. Cornell has been guilty of, is censured by not a few warm administration supporters, who regard it as evasive and inconsistent with reform, while declared opponents denounce it as cowardly and as another conspicuous instance where the Administration has not scrupled to go back on all its pretensions and to flagrantly transgress the rule of action prescribed for the guidance of subordinates on pain of dismissal, because of its disinclination to shoulder the responsibility of meeting and deciding upon its merits the case of a mutinous office holder whose social and political standing render him a formidable opponent.

Anticipations of another general strike, to be inaugurated by the middle of October, by the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, have been revived here, and they have led to a feeling of great uneasiness among those most familiar with the inadequate means at the disposal of the government to struggle successfully with the lawlessness and rioting almost certain to follow. These fears appear predicated upon correspondence, made public, between Mr. Arthur, chief of the organization, and some of his influential subordinates. If decided upon it will be timed so as to occasion the most embarrassment and distress, as the vast crops of this most abundant year are already in process of movement to market, and the effect of a suspension of traffic over the trunk lines a month hence would more or less directly reach every man, woman and child in the United States, and many thousands elsewhere throughout the commercial world. The ice has been broken, and recurrence of the late disorders are a constant menace to vast interests—so vast and far reaching that Congress, willingly or reluctantly, will be forced to grapple with the question and find a remedy, or the present "hard times" will be aggravated many fold, and the hopeful revival of business, now so apparent as to be acknowledged by the most incorrigible grumblers and skeptics, will prove a mockery, leaving the darkness of the past four years more profound by contrast with the temporary relief.

Our Navigation Laws have long been a subject engaging the attention of thoughtful men in connection with the decline of American shipping interests; and they have been alluded to, favorably or otherwise, at every session of Congress since their enactment. The action of the National Board of Trade at Milwaukee in demanding their "immediate and total repeal" will aid to insure their exhaustive consideration early in the session. Against them it may be said that our interests have steadily declined under their operation, or at least have made no progress toward their ante-war magnitude. But insignificant as our merchant marine now is, too much money is invested to justify Congress in taking any hasty action in the premises; and a good deal of light, founded upon actual figures, will likely be shed upon this matter of such vital importance to the nation, before legislation is attempted.

Much sympathy was expressed here for the unfortunate Amy Fawcett at the time of her death from phthisis, as was said, in a New York tenement house of a disreputable character, and in extreme destitution. The revelation just made by the New York *Herald*, invests the matter with a tragic interest, it appearing that she died of injuries received at the hands of a drunken, dissolute brute, who, taking advantage of her uncontrollable taste for stimulants, plied her with them until she was no longer a voluntary agent, decoyed her into his foul den, established himself as her keeper, debauched, robbed and outraged her, and finally ended her sad history by beating and kicking her until insensible and then hurling her over the stair railing to the floor below, whence she was moved to her death bed. Her murderer is represented as a very Bill Sykes; and it is probably expecting too much of New York justice to suppose he will ever be brought to earthly account for this most foul murder.

The United States members of the Anglo-American Fisheries Commission are reported to have scored one in the unanimous vote against the Canadian claim for extra compensation for the use of their harbors for trans-shipping cargoes, and for obtaining bait, ice and other supplies, it being held and admitted that the profits of the trade thus established, were individually and materially of great value and amply compensated Dominion citizens for any disadvantages accruing. It is understood that the point so long in dispute as to whether the limitation of distance from shore to which our fishermen are restricted, was intended to follow the coast line or a line drawn from headland to headland, is the next one to be taken up and decided; and it is to be hoped that there will be no resort to chicanery or craft by either party to the treaty, to outwit and circumvent the other, but that the matter will be decided upon its equities and in a way that shall prove satisfactory to all reasonable men of both. Its final determination and settlement in such a spirit will remove a question from the province of dispute that has long threatened to rupture our friendly relations. KNOX.

The Eastern War.

Despatches on Friday from the seat of war on the Danube to London says: "On Wednesday the Turks attacked the Russian left at Plevna five times, and were unsuccessful each time. They afterward, however, made the sixth attack, and carried the position lost on Tuesday. A Russian official report admits the loss of the fortifications taken by General Scobeloff's division." Other despatches say: "Various accounts of the fighting around Plevna concur in showing that the Turks, up to five o'clock in the evening, repulsed the continued assaults along the whole line. The Czar had left the field when an aide-de-camp brought news that twelve fresh Russian battalions had carried the central salient redoubt and another redoubt, and thus retrieved the day. The London *Times* correspondent says the capture of the redoubts converts a bloody resulse into a final, and, perhaps, permanent success." Osman Pasha has telegraphed to Constantinople that two redoubts at Loftcha have been recaptured. A despatch from Constantinople says Suleiman Pasha has defeated the Russians in Northern Shipka.

News and Notes.

The Americans won the international rifle match at Creedmoor, beating the British team by 96 points.

The jury in the case of Hayden, the Derby Line, Vt., wife slayer, on Saturday brought in a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree.

Miss Harriet Bentley, aged sixty, drowned herself at Rockland, Me., on Thursday night.

When a train on the Illinois Central Railroad arrived in Chicago, Wednesday evening, an officer arrested Catholic Priest Grogan, who had thrown from the car window two Bibles placed in racks by religious societies.

The New York *Sun* announces that Leonard I. Fuentas, a South American, recently smuggled into New York from Europe twenty-one full sets of vestments, to be worn by Catholic clergymen, which he has been endeavoring to sell in Fordham, Hoboken and Philadelphia. Three sets, sold to a Philadelphia clergyman for $800, have been returned and the money refunded. Several thousand dollars' worth of women's elaborately embroided underwear, said to be smuggled by the same party, have been seized. Fuentas is missing. Two custom-house officers were implicated, one of whom was removed; the other left the city.

The Ferry House, a hotel at the mouth of the Saco river, in former years a popular summer resort, was burned to the ground Thursday evening. It was owned and occupied by the heirs of the late Col. Thomas K. Lane. Insured for $3000. Defective chimney.

The report that Davis, the fugitive Weathersfield, Conn., prison official, is in Nova Scotia, raises the question whether he can be extradited under the existing treaty. This treaty provides for the delivery of persons charged with "murder, assault with intent to commit murder, piracy, arson, robbery, forgery or the utterance of forged paper," while Davis' crime was that of being accessory to murder.

The American House, Boston, is said to be the only transient Hotel in that city (kept on the American plan) having running water in every chamber.

New Hampshire Items.

The soldiers' monument at Dover was dedicated on Friday, and the ceremony was witnessed by a large crowd of people. The mills and places of business were closed in the afternoon. The procession was composed of all the civil and military companies of Dover and several from Rochester, Newmarket and other towns in the State. Music was furnished by four bands and a drum corps. Governor Prescott and staff were present as the guests of Colonel John Bracewell, who treated his guests and the distinguished citizens to a dinner. The oration was delivered by Rev. A. H. Quint of Dover, and an original poem was read by Rev. Leander S. Coan of Alton. Remarks were also made by Governor Prescott, Mayor Foye and others. The monument is situated in Pine Hill Cemetery, and was erected by the Grand Army of the Republic, of Dover, without direct aid from the citizens.

Varney's tannery buildings at Wolfeboro, which were destroyed by fire July 4, have been rebuilt and are in active operation.

The United States Pension Agency at Concord, embracing the States of Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont, employs fourteen clerks.

Hundreds of dollars' worth of feathered property were stolen from the farmers of Epping last autumn, and the thieves have begun their depredations again the present year, a dozen hen roosts having been visited within a week or two.

—A druggist in Vermont advertises "an elegant and delightful pill."

—A bottle came ashore at Melbourne, Australia, lately, after a voyage of thirty-five years. On April 16, 1842, a passenger by the ship Kelso, bound from London to Sydney, threw into the sea a bottle containing a memorandum requesting the finder to report for the sake of ascertaining the currents. It is quite possible that the writer is no longer asking questions.

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A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,805 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junctions of said avenues, and containing 35,790 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.

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Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
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Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
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†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" " Way,	10.10 A. M.	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) cast or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

A SMART OLD GENTLEMAN.

Mr. Editor: The statement in the CHRONICLE of the 14th inst. in relation to potato digging by Captain James Tobey, of Eliot, Maine, is so far from being correct that I deem it a matter of justice to have the facts of the case given. Capt. Tobey is one of the old and honored residents of Eliot, will be seventy-six years old on the 25th day of September, instant, and is a man of sterling qualities, honest, industrious, generous and kind,—a most worthy example for the young men of the town. Having by active industry acquired a sufficiency of this world's goods, he labors now in the evening of his life, not from necessity but because he delights in it; and takes great pride in the cultivation and improvement of his little farm on the bank of the Piscataqua. Stimulated by the thought that he still retained the vigor of his youth, he recently volunteered to dig potatoes one-half day for a neighbor of his, Mr. Samuel Dixon,—who, by the way, is one of the most active, enterprising young men of the town. The labor performed was between the hours of seven and twelve o'clock A. M., just five hours, and the potatoes were measured by Mr. Dixon (who has established a reputation of fair dealing among the State of Maine farmers) *himself*, and the result was sixty-eight and three-fourths bushels! If there is anything on record better than digging sixty-eight and three-fourths bushels of potatoes in five hours by a man seventy-six years old, it would be interesting to read. M.

THE VISITING ODD FELLOWS.

The members of Bunker Hill Encampment pronounced their trip to the Shoals on Saturday in steamer Appledore one of the pleasantest incidents of their visit, the weather being all that could be desired. There was a heavy fog outside the harbor in the morning, but it lifted about the time the boat started, enabling the passengers to get a fine view of the coast, and the runs out and back were greatly enjoyed. The inner man was cared for by the Laighton Brothers, and the visitors had several hours to spare for roaming about the island before returning to the city, and most of them improved the opportunity. Shortly before the steamer started on her return trip the excursionists were called together, and one of the most popular members of the Encampment was presented with something prescribed for him by Dr. Curtis, one of the veteran Odd Fellows of this city. In returning thanks for the honor paid him the recipient said it was the best prescription he ever heard of, and declared it the most symmetrical and delicately-tinted bologna he ever saw. The boat arrived back at her wharf shortly before five o'clock P. M.; and the visitors, after marching through the principal streets, proceeded to the depot under escort of the local committee of arrangements, and took the cars for their home.

The band brought by the Encampment (the Medford Band, Jos. C. Norton, Jr., Leader,) is a large one, and a superior one also. Some surprise has been expressed that the music on the occasion of the concert on Market squre, Thursday evening, was not more effective, considering the excellent performances of the band during the marches and on the steamboat trip. This is easily explained; the musicians were placed so low and were so crowded upon by the spectators at the concert that the sounds were deadened to such a degree as to detract largely from the effect, and the fine rendering of a choice programme did not give half the pleasure it would have done had a suitable band stand been provided. The next time a band gives a free (or paid for) concert out of doors in this city we hope they will have a fair chance to show what they can do.

"OUR DRAWING ROOM."

The above is the novel title of an entertainment to be given at Franklin Hall this and to-morrow evenings. In order that the scene may correspond with the title, a very cleverly-constructed arrangement is carried by the company, whereby the barest platform is converted into an elegant parlor, the walls hung with crimson satin and white lace curtains, and the enclosed space richly carpeted and supplied with handsome furniture. The elegance of the appointments is in keeping with the nature of the entertainment, which, we are assured, will be found unique and brilliant, while it does not contain even a suggestion that might offend the purest mind or the most delicate sensibility. This entertainment is free from any objections which even the most prudish may entertain against the stage, and the artists are not only first class professionals, but ladies and gentlemen of high social position. The programme comprises a two-character operetta; some well-selected vocal and instrumental music; a brief lecture on "Marriage," illustrated with four characteristic impersonations by the manager—Kate Aston; and a musical comedietta written especially for this company by Mr. Julian Magnus. The artists are, (in addition to Kate Aston,) Miss Cooper, soprano, Miss Blanche Galton, Mr. Knight Aston, who ranks in this country and England as one of the best tenors of English opera, Mr. Thomas Whiffin, who is favorably known as comedian, vocalist, and violinist, and Signor Vogri, a pianist of eminent European reputation. While entertainments of this class have long been among the most fashionable and popular in England, they are almost unknown here, but the eminence of the artists, the elegance of the surroundings, and the admirable programme, should secure a great success for "Our Drawing Room," and establish it as one of our most popular entertainments.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

"The season" is over at the Shoals, the Oceanic having closed on the 8th inst. and the Appledore on the 15th. The floating breakwater at Appledore was towed in on the 12th, and the landing stage and bridge on Sunday. The season just finished has been the most successful one ever enjoyed by the Appledore, which has been famous for success even in the dullest of the past ten years. The steamer Major on Thursday made a trip from Star island, bringing in to this city horses, cows and other gear not needed on the island during the winter.

Miss Kate Claxton, the eminent actress, will appear as "Louise" in the play of "The Two Orphans" at Franklin Hall on Thursday evening. See advertisement.

Read L. Blumauer's ad. in another column of this morning's CHRONICLE, and look out for another in the same place to-morrow morning.

At the annual meeting of the New Hampshire Botanic Medical Society in Concord on Thursday, Dr. Adams Perry of this city was elected President for the ensuing year.

A strange dog, supposed to be rabid, on Friday evening bit two or three other dogs on Cabot street. Attempts were made to kill him, but he got away unharmed.

The old iron foundry on Mechanic street, long unused, is likely to be idle no great while longer, a Boston firm proposing soon to commence there the manufacture of iron pipe.

In a recent canvass of twelve towns in York county, Maine, Mr. E. B. Stilson of the American Bible Society found two hundred and forty-two Protestant families who had not a copy of the Scriptures in their homes.

Lieut. Whipple, U. S. M. C., is ordered to the U. S. S. Enterprise and leaves this morning to join her.

The Portsmouth Philharmonic Society meets for rehearsal each Tuesday evening at half-past seven, at Mercantile and Grange Hall.

A detachment of marines have been ordered from the navy yard to join the Marine corps at the Boston naval station to take part in the dedication ceremonies of the Soldiers' Monument at Boston to-day.

We are informed that Bunker Hill Encampment of Odd Fellows, in this city on a visit last week, have for seven years past always gone on their annual three days' excursion on the 13th, 14th and 15th days of September, not making an exception even when one of the days mentioned was Sunday; and they have never had a day's bad weather on one of their trips.

The suit of the Eastern Railroad Company against the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad, is to be entered at the October term of the United States Circuit Court for this District. The claim is for five hundred thousand dollars for money loaned, and for interest due from the P., G. F. & C. to the Eastern R. R. The bond holders of the P., G. F. & C. R. R. will probably defend the action.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Concord & Portsmouth Railroad will be held at Manchester, Thursday, Oct. 4th.

Scandal Denounced.

In a reporter's wanderings about town he heard a lady talking across the street to a neighbor, thus deliver herself on the subject of scandal: "Of all things I do hate in this world it's a scandalizing woman. Now, there's Mrs. Jingletongue, that everybody knows isn't a bit better than she'd ought to be, and whose two daughters cut up so shamefully that no decent woman ought to speak to them, and whose husband gets drunk, and they do say he owes for that grenadine she puts on so many airs in over her betters. If I were to say any mean things about people like she does I would pull my tongue out by the roots, the nasty, scandalizing, stuck up old cat."

—A noted scientist says that rattlesnakes can express anger, contempt, joyousness, and melancholy by a shake of the rattle. But the rattle never rings so joyously as when the other end is biting somebody.

—A noted miser who felt obliged to make a present to a lady, entered a crockery store for the purpose of making a purchase. Seeing a statuette broken into a dozen pieces, he asked the price. The salesman said it was worthless, but he could have it for the cost of packing in a box. He sent it to the lady with his card, congratulating himself that she would imagine that it became ruined while on its way home. He dropped in to see the effect. The tradesman had carefully wrapped each piece in a separate bit of paper.

—While the Emperors of Germany and Austria were visiting at Ischl, a young lady desired to present the former with a costly bouquet, but her courage failed her at the last moment, and she begged an officer in Prussian uniform to perform the office for her. He at once complied, gave the Emperor William the present, and returned to express His Majesty's thanks to the fair donor, who was rather surprised to see this Prussian officer then enter the Emperor's carriage and take a seat beside him. On asking who he was, she discovered that it was the Emperor of Austria in Prussian uniform.

—An English beauty who went to be photographed at a seaside resort, after taking her seat in the chair of torture was thus addressed by the insinuating operator: "Now, miss, you look at me as if I was your young man and you'd met me unexpected."

—"Far be it from us to doubt the word of a brother editor," says the La Crosse *Sun*; "we believe them all to be truthful men; but when the Durand *Times* says that the water is so low at the mouth of the Chippewa River that catfish have to employ mud-turtles to tow them over the bar, we feel as though the editor must be away, and some local minister filling his place."

—Mrs. Sherman, the General's wife, has written a letter, in which she expresses herself freely about "round dancing." She says her soul revolts against it, that very soon women of self-respect will blush at it, and that public opinion will eventually drive it out of society. She adds: "The advocates of this dance have had their own way long enough—absorbing all entertainments—sneering upon and ridiculing those who quietly decline to participate—openly and constantly insinuating of those who decline it that they are therefore evil-minded, etc., or are quoting impudently and insinuatingly their only weapon, 'Honi soit qui mal y pense,' and then throwing themselves in men's arms to prove their own purity of mind."

—About thirteen years ago, Mrs. Captain Wortley, a wealthy but childless woman, stopping temporarily in New York, got permission of her French laundress to take her little girl of four years to Long Branch, for a few days. With the child in her possession the covetous woman ran off to Europe, thence going to California, by way of Asia, where she settled. Now after years of vain search, the bereaved French mother has discovered her missing daughter, through the kind offices of Aimee, the actress, but the girl stubbornly refuses to acknowledge her. The woman she called mother died not long ago, after lavishing upon her and a boy, whom she had also stolen, all the luxuries and advantages that wealth could bestow. On her death-bed she confessed stealing the children and gave information of the girl's parentage, but died ere that of the boy's could be spoken.

DIED.

RAND. In this city, Sept. 15, Miss Serena M. Rand, aged 29 years, and 3 months.

☞ Funeral from the residence of Mr. Charles W. Gardner this Monday afternoon, at 3 o'clock P. M.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Barque Armenia, Salter, sld from Colombo for False Point July 13.

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for the choice of Directors and transaction of any other business that may properly come before them.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT, Clerk.

Portsmouth, Sept. 8, 1877.

This half-column will to-morrow morning be taken up by an announcement of L. BLUMAUER'S Great Bankrupt Sale of Dry and Fancy Goods, which commences to-morrow and will last for thirty days. Persons intending to purchase anything in that line will do well to wait until to-morrow before so doing.

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and recommended by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

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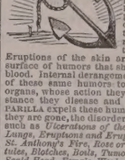

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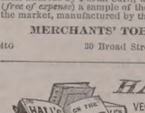

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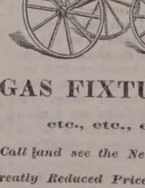

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Mr. Davenport's Death.

The *Spirit of the Times* contains the following: "The details of Mr. Davenport's last illness, as communicated to us by a member of his immediate family circle, and which have not been published, are very curious. He was the victim of a quack doctor. It seems that about six weeks ago he first felt the symptoms of acute rheumatism, and, being in Boston, complained of them before a quack doctor, who persuaded him that he would easily effect his complete cure. He induced him to take fifty acid pills in rapid succession. In a few days after Mr. Davenport's return to his country house, Canton, he began to perceive that his stomach rejected all food. He sent for Dr. Dowling, who is his ordinary attendant, and the gentleman at once saw that the acid in the pills, acting on an enfeebled stomach and irritated blood, had in a short time irretrievably ruined the coating of the stomach, and that nothing could be done to save the eminent artist's life. He informed his family, and when Miss Davenport arrived, although the rest thought her father much better, her quick eye detected an awful and sinister change. Other physicians were called in—eight of them—but all gave the same sad answer. Mr. Davenport was kept alive by stimulants, and was quite aware of the approach of death. He prepared himself by prayer and resignation, and called his children around him and blessed them, and then bade each in turn a special adieu. His last words and looks were for his beloved wife, whom he always called 'mother.' Such is the truth concerning his death, and we are assured on the best of authority that it had not been for the fatal pill he would have been with us still."

A Fortiori.

The following story came from Spain: A Spanish sentinel one dark night was posted at the entrance of a fort outside of Malaga. About midnight he heard some one approaching, and gave the usual challenge, equivalent to our "Who comes there?" To his amazement the answer was, "Jesus of Nazareth!" He at once called the sergeant of the guard and reported the facts to him. The sergeant went forward, challenged the intruder in his turn, and received the same answer. Infuriated at what he considered was an attempt to trifle with him, he knocked the man down with his musket, and beat him severely. He then sent for a lantern to ascertain who it was. When the light came, he saw that it was a gentleman of high standing who lived in the neighborhood, but who was out of his mind. The sergeant, deeply regretting his hasty action, said to the man: "I am very sorry I hurt you; but hereafter when I challenge you, remember to give your own name." The poor victim replied, "I am not such a fool as to do that. If this is the kind of reception you give Jesus of Nazareth, you would have killed me outright if I had given my own name."—*Harper's for October.*

—Mr. Ralph Waldo Emerson addressed, twenty years ago, a literary society, during Commencement, at Middlebury, Vermont, and when he ended, the President called upon a clergyman to conclude the service with prayer. Then arose a Massachusetts minister, who stepped into the pulpit Mr. Emerson had just left and uttered a remarkable prayer, of which this was one sentence: "We beseech thee, O Lord, to deliver us from ever hearing any more such transcendental nonsense as we have just listened to from this sacred desk." After the benediction, Mr. Emerson asked his next neighbor the name of the officiating clergyman, and, when falteringly answered, with gentle simplicity remarked. "He seemed a very conscientious, plain-spoken man," and went on his peaceful way.

—The Texan who is accused of twenty odd murders owns up to one only, and says that he has had "no other troubles except with Yankees, mobs, and State police." Killing any of these does not count.

Proposals for Carpets.

PAYMASTER'S OFFICE, NAVY YARD, KITTERY, ME., August 29th, 1877.

Proposals in *duplicate*, sealed and endorsed "Bid for supplies advertised," will be received at this office until 12½ o'clock Thursday, September 20th, for the following supplies to be delivered free of expense at the Navy Yard, Kittery, Maine, subject to the usual inspection, viz.:

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65 yards Parlor Carpet;
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The carpets to be of the best quality 3 frame English body Brussels, and to be made up ready for putting down.

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EDWIN PUTNAM,
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PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
U. S. MARINE CORPS,
Washington, August 28, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, M. of Tuesday, the 9th day of October next, for furnishing supplies to the United States Marine Corps, during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1878, to be delivered at the office of the Assistant Quartermaster, Philadelphia, Pa., free of expense to the United States.

Schedules of the supplies required can be obtained, and the standard samples seen, at the office of the Quartermaster, Washington, D. C., Assistant Quartermaster's Office, No. 226 South Fourth street, Philadelphia, Marine Barracks, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Boston, Mass.

Blank forms of proposal and all information desired can be had by applying at either of the places named above.

Proposals to be endorsed on the Envelope "Proposals for Supplies" and addressed to

W. B. SLACK,

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 1877.

The Shooting Match.

The rifle contest at Creedmoor last week, which lasted two days and resulted in a sweeping victory for the American marksmen, was emphatically national. The British team was made up of men from England, Ireland and Scotland, and was intended to represent the British Empire, while the American team was distinctively American. The victories achieved last year by the American team abroad, and the consequent impetus they imparted to rifle practice in this country, cannot but be productive of good results in promoting the cultivation of a very useful and gentlemanly accomplishment. Last week's triumph will only, it is to be hoped, increase the ardor of our marksmen, for the British Rifle Association will not rest quietly under defeat, but will come over next year with increased determination to carry the Centennial trophy across the water. The two days' shooting of the two teams is the best on record, the Americans having scored 3334 points, and the British 3242—the Americans winning by ninety-six points. The following table shows the score at each range for each day's shooting:

FIRST DAY.

	800 yds.	900 yds.	1000 yds.	Total
Americans	568	547	540	1655
British	556	537	534	1627
American lead first day				28

SECOND DAY.

	800 yds.	900 yds.	1000 yds.	Total
Americans	578	554	550	1679
British	559	536	518	1613
American lead second day				66

Sir Henry Halford, captain of the British team, attributes the Americans' victory to the superiority of their weapons, the Americans using breech-loaders and the British using muzzle-loaders. This is the fourth long range victory for breech-loaders; and it will be noticed that the Americans won at each range on both days.

Insurance Company Wrecking.

Our Washington correspondent writes, under date of Sept. 14th, as follows:

A meeting was held last evening at the Board of Trade Rooms, this city, to perfect the organization of a "Policy Holders' Protective Union." The chairman stated that the purpose of the organization "is to protect policy holders against the rascalities of fraudulent companies; to break up the system of frauds practiced by some companies; and to uphold honest insurance represented by good companies." Some statements were made relative to the cunning methods of the insurance company wreckers well calculated to destroy the little confidence remaining in this form of investment. The system, it was said, had been made as intricate as possible, the more easily and effectually to trap the unwary. Under the loose statutes of some States a few sharpers could get a charter and fleece their victims with a minimum risk of punishment. The case of one company was instanced which was started upon a capital of $16,000, and in a little time the originators had control of $10,000,000 nominal assets. Even where those who form the company, owning and controlling the stocks, are honest, a wrecker buys a controlling interest, then circulates stories of the company's failure, and a pal enters proceedings in a Court of Bankruptcy. Nine-tenths of the policy holders, believing them worthless, fail to make the next annual payment, forfeiting, of course, their policies. The other tenth reinsure in some other company believed to be sound, and the stockholders, chuckling over their success, divide up the millions of assets. The Phœnix Company represented their capital stock as $100,000. Investigation showed but $16,000 paid in, the balance being represented by stockholders' notes; and the report of 1875 showed that these men, with an actual capital of only $16,000, controlled $10,000,000 worth of property. One, Goodman, arranged to buy more than half the stock. In a letter produced, Goodman asks his cousin Cassett for money to buy, intimating that there were literally millions in it. It was shown by testimony that the purchase was made, and Goodman had control of $10,000,000 worth of assets upon which to speculate. The speaker, having a $10,000 policy, sued out an injunction to prevent the sale. Furber, chief wrecker, and a poor school teacher five years before, was reputed as worth $10,000,000 at the time of the investigation, and was negotiating to purchase the Phœnix when the injunction was taken out. He also desired to buy the Charter Oak, and got Steadman, an aid, to represent it insolvent in order to beat down the price. After buying at $150,000, the company was again reported solvent, and the lucky Furber came into possession of $13,000,000 worth of assets by his finesse. Property he bought for a song was put up to about $6,000,000 as assets, to cheat fresh victims.

A Washington lawyer of standing in his profession, said perjury was the cheapest commodity in Washington, and intimated that anything could be proven in our Courts provided a few hundred dollars could be afforded in payment, and immunity from punishment could be guaranteed. He says the perjurer goes scot free; while the poor man who steals a loaf of bread that he hasn't the money to buy, to save himself and family from starvation, goes to the work-house. He made the startling announcement that the reputation of any man in the District could be sworn away by the judicious distribution of a few glasses of whiskey; and instances of cases coming under his observation seemed to confirm his statements.

Southern Repudiation.

Since public attention all over the North and West has been drawn to the action of several prominent Southern States in connection with their respective indebtedness, the prominent journals in the South are warning the people to move slowly on this subject. They class it as a dangerous issue for the South, in view of the fact that it is likely to assume such proportions as to consolidate majorities against them in the next Presidential election and cost them a thousand times more than the State debts in dispute. They claim that repudiation on the part of the South is the very worst issue upon which the the South can enter the next campaign. The following is an interesting statement regarding the Southern States' debt: Virginia, whose State debt in 1870 was $45,000,000, has reduced it to $30,000,000 by funding operations, and she now proposes to readjust it by a further reduction. Tennessee proposes to compromise her debt of $23,000,000 by paying $13,000,000. Georgia has wiped out $6,000,000 of her bonded debt on the ground of fraudulent issue. North Carolina has omitted for three years to levy or collect any taxes for her State debt, simply because her creditors refused to accept a compromise which she offered them. Alabama has compromised her debt of $27,000,000, reducing it practically to a few thousand dollars. South Carolina, after compromising her debt by a rejection of 16,000,000 and consolidating the balance at fifty cents on the dollar, now has under consideration the project of rejecting further a portion of the $6,000,000 left. The fear is repeatedly expressed that the people who thus deal with indebtedness of their own States may not be trusted to sustain the national debt.

The Eastern War.

The reports from the seat of war on the Danube indicate further reverses for the Russians, who are said to be preparing to fall back from Plevna upon Tirnova and Sistova. Osman Pasha's report to the 14th says that the Russians after taking three redoubts were forced to retreat in great disorder, losing 15,000 men and several guns. The grand Duke Nicholas officially states that the loss of the Russians was 12,800, including Roumanians. The Russians maintain Grivica, but their position in Shipka Pass is said to be critical.

News and Notes.

Bechler's division of Hayden's surveying party has arrived safely at Camp Stanbough, not having been scalped, as was feared.

Steamer Sylvan Dell ran down a row-boat containing five persons, in New York harbor, Sunday afternoon, and Mr. John Welch, aged 22, Frank Oliver, aged 60, and his daughter Cloda, aged 16, were drowned. The same afternoon and near the same place, steamer D. R. Martin ran down another boat, and Ellen Mack, aged 19, and Mary O'Neil, aged 20, were drowned, a man in the boat having both legs broken.

A despatch received at San Diego, Cal., from Camp Grant says Major Tupper and his command struck the Indians at Knight's ranche and killed forty. The troops are close on the trail of the Indians.

W. H. Hutchinson of Baltimore, and W. P. Junk, supposed to be from Altoona, counterfeiters, were arrested at Tyrone, Penn., Saturday. Hutchinson was shot dead while endeavoring to escape. Their counterfeit coin consisted of quarters, halves and trade dollars.

Probate Judge Elias Smith, of Salt Lake, Utah, having refused a Committee of the Grand Jury access to his books and papers, was ordered to appear before District Judge Shaeffer. Not appearing he was adjudged guilty of contempt. The Court fined him $500 and $50 for each day he kept the papers from the Grand Jury, and the costs. The Marshal was requested to arrest him upon further refusal. The Grand Jury were thereupon allowed access to the books and papers. It is supposed that the refusal was on account of wholesale divorce business.

An extraordinary bit of conscientiousness became apparent at Henderson, Ky., recently, when H. W. Lewis declined to qualify as Councilman, because, as he said, he used money to secure his election, and he was not aware till it was all over with that his oath of office would in any way allude to the delicate possibility of bribery. The only wonderful thing about this is that a man who would commit bribery to get office should hesitate to commit "official" perjury.

The old physicians used to insist upon the danger of plunging into the water for a swim when the system is heated and perspiration is free. At present the best English doctors, such as Fordyce, Currie, Parsons, and Sir Charles Blagdon, say that then is the very best possible time to take a bath.

The whaling schooner Charles Thompson, of Provincetown, arrived at New York from a cruise via Fernandina, Fla., reports that on the 3d Captain Leach was taken sick with yellow fever and died; on the 4th the second mate, and on the 6th the first mate were taken down with fever, leaving the vessel without a navigator. On the 8th the vessel fell in with a bark, the mate of which brought the Taompson to port.

Owing to the wearing away of the rock foundation, Smeaton's marvellous edifice, the famous Eddystone Lighthouse, on the coast of England, is doomed. The Trinity House have decided to take it down and erect another lighthouse in its stead.

Stanley has succeeded in crossing the African continent.

Two brothers named Mitchell, confined in the San Bernardino, Cal., jail, recently escaped by presenting a wooden revolver at the jailer's head while he sat at supper, and so terrifying him that he gave them the prison keys and suffered himself to be bound hand and foot. The revolver was whittled out of a pine stick, and stained walnut color. Sheet zinc was rolled up and fastened on to represent the cylinder and chambers.

The dedication of the Army and Navy Monument on Boston Common, Monday, was made the occasion of the most elaborate military display of late years. Boston was thronged with strangers. A stage in Blackstone square fell with some 800 people, and seven or eight were badly hurt, but fortunately no lives were lost.

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AT AUCTION.

United States District Court.

NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.

In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts: To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 24, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, at 2 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,885 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,730 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plans of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 8, 3d division, sec. 6; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 79, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 19, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 64, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 29, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, div. 4, and lot 38, section 38.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Gunnison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.

About 16,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Beacon and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

About 9,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington av. or street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, it being lot 163 on plan of division 5 of the 4th and 5th divisions of section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.

All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

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— ON —

Wednesday, Sept. 19th,

At 10 o'clock A. M., 2 and 7 o'clock P. M.

— AT THE —

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The Goods will all be sold at Auction to the highest bidder for *cash on delivery.* Ladies and Gentlemen who attended our sale last Spring will need no assurance that this sale will be positive, and will be conducted in a courteous and honorable manner. No goods will be retailed and all will have an equal chance. Ladies are particularly invited to attend.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	3.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.50, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, Sept. 17th.

John Crowley, a young fellow, was shown to have been drunk, but was placed on his good behavior.

John Sullivan, a boy—and not a very good boy, if half the stories told of him are true—was up for an assault on Reuben Rand, said assault consisting in his hitting the complainant in the head with a large ball of wet paper, alias a "spit-ball." Adjudged guilty, but let off on probatton.

Jeremiah Murphy and Michael Hurley—French boys, judging from their names—were convicted of malicious mischief in wrongfully appropriating James Linnehan's team to their own use for the purpose of taking a ride. Fined $1 each; costs, $6.90, divided between the culprits.

Kate Reed, who runs a drinking place on Morning street, near the Creek, was complained of for keeping the establishment open on Sunday. A strong array of brewery workmen and others, who were sitting on the front steps of the place or hanging around it on Sunday, and didn't see it open, were in court and testified what they didn't see; but Judge Batchelder seemed to place more reliance on what Assistant Marshal Cole and Officer White testified they *did* see, and adjudged the accused probably guilty, sentencing her to pay a fine of $10, costs $6.90. She appealed, and was ordered to give bonds in $50 for her appearance at the Supreme Court.

C. G. A. R. A. D. B. P.

The committee in the interest of the Childrens' Grand Army Roll of Animal-Defenders and Bird-Protectors held a meeting September 12th to make arrangements for a public entertainment to be held in Franklin Hall about the middle of October. A dozen handsome and handsomely-framed pictures (the gift of a lady friend of the cause) were exhibited, and classed by the committee to to be awarded as prizes, as follows: six for the best essays (one prize for each essay) written by public school pupils under fourteen years of age; and six for the pupils under fourteen years of age securing the largest number of signers to the Grand Army Pledge. At the entertainment there will be select music, an original poem, and appropriate speaking, of which due notice will be given; the prizes will be awarded, and an award pledge will be given to every member. There are now over nine hundred members who have signed this pledge. The committee desire all who intend competing for the prizes offered for the best essays, to send in their letters at once to Box 858, Portsmouth Post-office.

E. B. G., Sec.

SMASH-UP.

As the Conway train due in this city at 11:14 o'clock A. M., Monday, neared the Green street crossing, the fireman on the engine discovered a team (an ice-cart) crossing the track and immediately blew four distinct whistles; this was the first intimation the engineer had that anything was in the way, as he was looking out that the switches were all right, but he instantly reversed the engine and applied the air-brakes, but too late to prevent a collision. The ice-cart, which was drawn by two horses and occupied by the driver, Mr. Frank Garland, and the owner, Mr. Charles E. Hodgdon, was struck on the hinder end by the engine, whirled around and dragged along some forty feet until it came in contact with a freight car standing on another track, (the horses being dragged backward all that distance,) where it was smashed to a complete wreck, the train fortunately coming to a stop a few seconds after. When the cart struck, the forward part was thrown into the air, and Mr. Hodgdon went with it; and after the train stopped he was found with his head under the head of one of the horses and just in front of one of the car wheels. Mr. Garland was thrown under one of the cars, but almost miraculously escaped with a few bruises. One of the horses was found under the car and the other standing up beside it, neither of them being much injured. Mr. Hodgdon was seriously hurt about the head, and was taken to his home at Gravelly Ridge; he was delirious up to a late hour in the evening, and at that time Dr. Dearborn considered him in a critical condition. His escape and that of his companions from instant death was little short of miraculous.

To those who are aware of the number of trains, teams and pedestrians daily passing this crossing, it is a matter of surprise that more accidents do not happen there, and a source of indignation that reasonable precaution is not taken to prevent them. The sad death of Mr. Pillow, in February, 1874, cost the railroad a sum the interest of which would have gone far toward paying the wages of a flagman, the coroner's jury rendering a verdict that Mr. Pillow's death was caused by the carelessness of the corporation in not providing proper safeguards at this crossing. We were under the impression that the city authorities, after that accident, appointed a committee to confer with the railroad authorities relative to the stationing of a flagman there, but we can find no record of anything of the kind in the city books; and if there was any such conference it amounted to nothing, for this dangerous crossing is still without a flagman to warn people of approaching danger, and the accident on Monday, which might easily have cost two men their lives, was a natural result of this culpable carelessness.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

It will be seen by our advertising columns that Mr. L. Blumauer has re-opened his dry goods store on Market street, where he has been in business for the past ten years. Mr. Blumauer, like many others, felt the depression in business and was obliged to succumb; but he has made an arrangement with his creditors to resume business, and now offers the entire stock in the store at bankrupt prices, and will sell it regardless of cost. He offers a special inducement to those who purchase twenty dollars' worth or more at one sale. So it seems we can get bargains without going out of Market street to look for the opportunity.

"Our Drawing Room" was thrown open to the public at Franklin Hall on Monday night. It is a new style of public entertainment for this vicinity, and the audience was only fair as to numbers, though the entertainment deserved a full house, the music, singing and character sketching all being excellent, and the fun funny without any approach to vulgarity. The Drawing Room will be opened again this evening at the same place.

The appearance of the Kate Claxton dramatic company at Franklin Hall is postponed from the time first announced, Sept. 20th, to Tuesday next, the 25th.

Four days is a fair average time for letters to reach Portsmouth from North Hampton station; while recently a letter from this city to Greenland depot was a week in reaching its destination, having been received after that time at the post-office in Greenland Centre.

A force of nineteen ship carpenters was "taken on" at the Navy Yard on Monday, for the purpose of tearing down the upper works of the Ticonderoga, preparatory to deciding as to her being repaired or broken up.

Mr. William Prior, formerly driver for Mr. Plaisted, starts an opposition "hourly" to-day.

The *Weekly* speaks of "the world's papers," (referring to papers whose editors are outside the Grange,) just as self-styled Christians refer to non-professors as "the world's people." Why, Frank! [Emphaticness on the "Frank!"]

Extensive repairs have been recently made to the large building on the corner of Vaughan and Deer streets, (numbered thirty-two on Deer street,) and the old gambrel-roofed house in its rear on Vaughan street, both buildings being owned by Mr. James Douglas. The first mentioned building was moved to its present position from Pleasant street about twenty-five years ago, having previously been removed from Water street to Pleasant, on which latter street it stood for many years. The size of the timbers and the decayed condition of those removed testified to the age of the house; but its timbers were not half so big nor nearly half so rotten as those of the house in the rear, which stands end-on the street. The whole end of the latter building was ripped out from the ground to the roof, revealing the inner consciousness of the housekeeping arrangements; and the comical view thus displayed, and the immensely heavy frame thus exposed, attracted much attention from those who passed by during the day the house was thus dismantled. Wood was cheap when that house was framed.

We are pleased to be able to say that Mr. Thomes H. Odion will not probably suffer any permanent injury to his sight from the effects of the blow he received on the night of the Veterans' reunion, while he was on his way home from Newcastle. It was at first feared he would lose the injured eye; and in consequence, now that all danger of that serious result is passed, he feels quite chipper about it, and cares nothing for the comical temporary change in his appearance consequent on his wearing his eyes under blue glass.

The United States District Court will be in session in this city this morning. A jury has been ordered in to try cases in Bankruptcy.

Mr. Andrew Wilson, a middle-aged man residing on South street, was found dead in his bed on Saturday morning. Heart disease was the cause. Mr. Wilson was senior member of the firm of A. Wilson & Co., manufacturers of hemp and flax hackles.

Rev. James DeNormandie is in rdceipt of a letter from Charles F. Folsom of the Massachusetts Board of Health, stating that on account of several pressing engagements he will be unable to come to this city to look after the sanitary condition of our millponds. He, however, will recommend to the Aldermanic committee several gentlemen, any one of whom will be most efficientin the matter, promising to accompany whoever may be chosen, and give a day to the subject "as a labor of love."

The bill of sale of the steamer Major passed on Saturday between her owner, John R. Poor, and Captain William Robinson and engineer William Gertin, of the steamer Appledore, and others. The Major will be employed the coming winter as a tug boat at Baltimore.

The Supreme Court at Dover comes in this forenoon, when the liquor sellers in that city will ascertain just how much they are indicted. The liquor dealers insist that they were offered absolution from indictment by the complainants in this case, if they would "come down" freely, but they declined to purchase peace at the price claimed. The Attorney General will be present this morning and take charge of the criminal docket. The other indictments announced last week, are numerous, while those for violation of the liquor law were kept *sub rosa* and are to be announced to-day.

The September term of the Supreme Judicial Court for the county of York begins at Alfred, Me., to-day.

New Hampshire Items.

Capt. Robert O. Patterson, late first pilot of the steamer Cambridge, has authorized a suit for $10,000 against the Bangor *Commercial*, for damages by an alleged libel printed in that paper of the 8th of June, in which it is charged that Capt. Patterson, by negligence and disobedience of orders, came near wrecking the Cambridge on Monhegan, on the morning of that day. Suits have also been commenced against the Portland *Argus* for $10,000, the Rockland *Opinion* for $5000 and the Rockland *Gazette* for $5000. These papers each published the article, or the substance of the article, that originally appeared in the *Commercial*.

Miss Emma Stockwell of Croydon espied a hedgehog in the topmost branch of a tree, and brought him down, dead, at the first shot. Rum old hedgehog he was.

Charles Jesseman of Wentworth caught in a steel trap, recently, a hen hawk which measured four feet and four inches across the wings.

Under authority of a law passed at the last session of the Legislature, the Governor has appointed the following gentlemen as a commission to revise the militia law: Ira Cross, Adjutant and Inspector-General, and William R. Patten, Judge Advocate, of Manchester; David M. Whitè, Colonel of the Second Regiment, Peterborough; Elbridge G. Pierce, Jr., Captain Second Troop Cavalry, Portsmouth, and Frank F. Davis, Captain Section A. Second New Hampshire Battery. The first two members of the commission are named by the act.

John Hubbard, formerly a resident of Windsor, recently removed to Claremont. His wife has spent the summer in Malone, N. Y., and last week returned to her new home. About 11 o'clock Saturday Mr. Hubbard left home with the intention of spending Sunday at Windsor. As he took leave of his wife she urged him to take a luncheon. She gave him a bag of cookies. When within a mile and a half of Windsor he ate his luncheon and immediately felt bad symptoms. Seeing a friend in a cornfield he determined to reach him, but had convulsions and was prostrated. Being taken to Windsor physicians were summoned, who found that the symptoms indicated poisoning by strychnine. Hubbard is now considered out of danger, and an investigation into the case is in progress.

The new horse railroad at Manchester is fully completed, and trial trips were made on Monday. It is said to be the only narrow gauge in New England, and works to entire satisfaction.

Some miscreant recently entered the pasture of Daniel P. Maxfield of Chichester, took one of a valuable pair of steer calves into a swamp near by and slaughtered it, and carried off the hind quarters.

Leo Gilman, of Rutland, Vt., after a vain attempt to procure a license for his marriage with Minnie Smith, daughter of a wealthy Shrewsbury farmer, the clerk refusing it because Miss Smith is only fourteen years old. Gilman then proceeded to forge a letter purporting to be the written consent of Minnie's mother, and obtained the license. The couple were then married, but before the night Mr. Smith got out a writ of habeas corpus, found the child and her husband hiding in a cellar and took them to court, and the case was continued for a week.

—"Going to the caucus, George?" "Ah, yaas," said the recent graduate; "it is the duty of every good citizen to attend the—ah—the *caucei*." And then he wondered what they were so outrageously tickled over.

FRANKLIN HALL,

Monday and Tuesday Evenings,

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KATE ASTON'S

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☞ Reserved Seats at Preston's.

Portsmouth and Dover RAILROAD.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders in the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad, will be held at the Common Council Room in Portsmouth, on

MONDAY, SEPT. 24th, 1877,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.

for the choice of Directors and transaction of any other business that may properly come before them.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT, Clerk.

Portsmouth, Sept. 8, 1877.

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THE MONEY MUST BE RAISED WITHIN

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By an immense practice, extending through a period of years, having within that time treated many thousand cases of those diseases peculiar to woman, I have been enabled to perfect a most potent and agreeable medicine that meets the indications presented by that class of diseases with positive certainty and exactness.

To designate this natural specific compound, I have named it

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription.

The term, however, is but a feeble expression of my high appreciation of its value. Not alone based upon my own personal observation. As a close observer, I have while witnessing its positive results in the few special diseases incident to the separate organism of woman, singled it out as **the climax or crowning gem of my medical career.** On its merits, as a positive, safe, and effectual remedy for this class of diseases, and one that will, at all times and under all circumstances, act kindly and in harmony with the laws which govern the female system, I am willing to stake my reputation as a physician. Nay, even more, so confident am I that it will not disappoint the most sanguine expectations of a single invalid lady who uses it for any of the ailments for which I recommend it, that I offer and sell it under **A POSITIVE GUARANTEE.** If a beneficial effect is not experienced by the time two-thirds of the contents of the bottle are used, I will, on return of the bottle, two-thirds of the medicine having been taken according to directions, and the case being one for which I recommend it, promptly refund the money paid for it. Had I not the most perfect confidence in its virtues, I could not offer it as I do under these conditions; but having witnessed its truly miraculous cures in thousands of cases, **I feel warranted and perfectly safe in risking both my reputation and my money on its merits.**

The following are among those diseases in which my **Favorite Prescription** has worked cures, as if by magic, and with a certainty never before attained by any medicine: Leucorrhœa, Excessive Flowing, Painful Monthly Periods, Suppressions when from unnatural causes, Irregularities, Weak Back, Prolapsus, or falling of the Uterus, Anteversion and Retroversion, Bearing Down Sensations, Internal Heat, Nervous Depression, Debility, Despondency, Threatened Miscarriage, Chronic Congestion, Inflammation and Ulceration of the Uterus, Impotency, Barrenness, or Sterility, Female Weakness, and very many other chronic diseases incident to woman not mentioned here. In all affections of this nature, my Favorite Prescription works **cures—the marvel of the world.** This medicine I do not extol as a cure-all, but it admirably fulfils a **singleness of purpose,** being a most perfect specific in all chronic diseases of the sexual system of woman. It will not disappoint, nor will it do harm, in any state or condition.

Those who desire further information on these subjects can obtain it in THE PEOPLE'S COMMON SENSE MEDICAL ADVISER, a book of over 900 pages, sent, post-paid, on receipt of $1.50. It treats minutely of those diseases peculiar to Females, and gives much valuable advice in regard to the management of those affections.

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January 16, 1877.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS TO BE SUPPLIED TO THE NAVY YARDS UNDER THE COGNIZANCE OF THE BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIRS.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,

BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR,

Washington, D. C., August 21, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS to furnish Timber and other materials for the Navy for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878, will be received at this Bureau until Tuesday, 12 o'clock M., the 25th of September next, at which time the bids will be opened.

The proposals must be addressed to the "*Chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair, Navy Department, Washington,*" and must be indorsed "*Proposals for Timber, &c., for the Navy,*" that they may be distinguished from other Navy business letters.

To prevent confusion, and facilitate the opening of the bids, parties bidding for supplies at several yards will enclose their bids in separate envelopes for each yard, indorsed with the name of the yard for which the bid is made.

Printed schedules for such classes as parties deal in and intend to bid for, together with instructions to bidders, giving the forms of proposal, of guarantee, and of certificate of guarantors, with printed forms of offer, will be furnished to such persons as desire to bid, on application to the Commandants of the respective Navy Yards, and those of all the yards on application to the Bureau.

The Commandant of each Navy Yard, and the purchasing Paymaster for each Station, will have a copy of the schedule of the other yards, for examination only, in order that persons who intend to bid may judge whether it is desirable to make application for any of the classes of those yards.

The proposals must be for the whole of a class, but the Department reserves the right to reduce the whole class, should the interest of the Government require it, before the execution of the contract. All applications for information, or for the examination of samples, must be made to the Commandants of the respective yards.

Bids or orders will be received only from parties who are bona fide dealers in, or manufacturers of the articles they offer to furnish. The guarantors must be certified by the Collector of Internal Revenue for the district in which they reside.

The contract will be awarded to the person who makes the lowest bid and gives the guarantee required by law, the Navy Department, however, reserving the right to reject the lowest bid, or any which it may deem extortionate.

Under the provisions of section 3723 of the Revised Statutes, the Department will not accept the proposal or surety, has been a defaulter in any previous contract with the Navy Department will not be received.

Sureties in the full amount will be required to sign the contract, and their responsibility must be certified to the satisfaction of the Navy Department.

As additional security twenty per centum will be withheld from the amount of the bills until the contracts shall have been completed, and eighty per centum of the amount of each bill, approved in triplicate by the Commandants of the respective yards, will be paid by the Paymaster of the station designated in the contract, or, if none is specified, by the Paymaster of the station nearest the yard where the goods are delivered, within ten days after the warrant for the same shall have been passed by the Secretary of the Treasury.

The classes for this Bureau are numbered and designated as follows:

No. 4, White Oak Plank—Oregon Pine Deck Plank at Mare Island yard; No. 7, Yellow Pine Logs—Oregon Pine Logs at Mare Island yard; No. 8, Yellow Pine Beams—Oregon Pine Beams at Mare Island yard; No. 9, Yellow Pine Mast Timber; No. 13, White Pine Plank, Boards—Super Pine Plank and Boards at Mare Island yard; No. 15, White Ash, Elm, Beech—White Ash and Redwood at Mare Island yard; No. 16, White Ash Oars; No. 18, Black Walnut, Mahogany, Maple, Cherry; No. 22, Cypress, Cedar; No. 23, Black spruce; No. 25, Lignumvitæ; No. 32, Wrought Iron, round and square; No. 33, Wrought Iron, flat; No. 34, Iron, plate; No. 35, Steel; No. 37, Iron Spikes; No. 38, Iron Wrought Nails; No. 39, Iron Cut Nails; No. 42, Lead, pipe, sheet; No. 43, Zinc; No. 44, Tin; No. 48, Locks, Hinges, Bolts of brass and iron; No. 49, Screws, of brass and iron; No. 50, Files; No. 51, Augers; No. 52, Tools for ship stores; No. 53, Tools for use in yard and shops; No. 54, Hardware; No. 56, White Lead; No. 57, Zinc Paints; No. 58, Colored Paints, Dryers; No. 59, Linseed Oil; No. 60, Varnish, Spirits Turpentine; No. 63, Sperm and Lard Oil; No. 64, Tallow, Soap; No. 65, Fish Oil; No. 66, Glass; No. 67, Brushes; No. 70, Dry Goods for upholstering; No. 71, Stationery; No. 72, Crucibles; No. 73, Ship Chandlery; No. 74, Acids; No. 75, Rosin, Pitch, Crude Turpentine; No. 77, Belting, Packing; No. 78, Leather, pump, rigging, lacing; No. 80, Junk; No. 82, Anthracite Coal; No. 83, Bituminous Coal; No. 88, Charcoal, Coke; No. 89, Wood.

The following are the classes, by the numbers, required at the respective navy yards:

PORTSMOUTH.

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NAVY DEPARTMENT,

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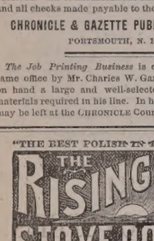

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be removed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year, and in case any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal, or any head, hoofs or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 17. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or any house or part of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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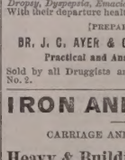

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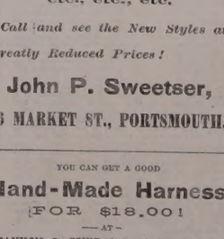

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Woodhull's Crazy Business Agent.

Victoria C. Woodhull has had many sins laid at her door, but if the following story is true she is a dangerous person to be abroad. Just prior to lecturing in Detroit last summer she was in Toronto and gave several very profitable lectures there. While there a young man named B. Knibb, a travelling and purchasing agent for the well known firm of Morgan & Sons, of Montreal, went to hear her lecture on "The Human Body the Temple of God." It was too much for poor Knibb, who never had heard such doctrine expounded before. He grew enthusiastic, and as soon as Vic's musical voice had died away with a blessing upon her audience, Knibb was upon the stage shaking her hand as heartily as though she was his long lost grandmother. Vic loves flattery, and she encouraged the young man in his wild and extravagant compliments. He applied for and received an appointment as her business manager, and immediately engaged her for a three years' tour in Europe. He then telegraphed to one of the Morgans for $1,000, although they owed him nothing. Somebody who had talked with Knibb telegraphed to Montreal that he was crazy, and the Morgans then requested him to go to Montreal. He went and was incarcerated in a lunatic asylum, where he played some curious pranks, always maintaining, however, that he was perfectly sane. When released at the end of a month and sent to rusticate with some relatives in Michigan, he stopped at Detroit, and frightened the reporters of the *Free Press* and the *News*, to whom he told his story, and exhibitted several curious antics. He offered to throw a *News* reporter from a window on the latter's hinting that perhaps his visitor was crazy. There seems little doubt that the reporter was right in his surmise, and that Victoria turned Knibb's head.

Portsmouth and Dover

RAILROAD.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders in the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad, will be held at the Common Council Room in Portsmouth, on

MONDAY, SEPT. 24th, 1877,

At 11 o'clock, A. M.

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WILLIAM H. HACKETT, Clerk.

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R. V. PIERCE, M. D., Prop'r,

BUFFALO, N. Y.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 19, 1877.

The Eastern War.

The Turks have taken Fort St. Nicholas, in the Shipka Pass, and the Russians have been driven out of the Pass.

The slaughter at Plevna was terrible. A London despatch says: "Details received here of the recapture by the Turks of the redoubts at Plevna show that it was one of the bloodiest struggles ever recorded, and was attended by frightful carnage. The proportion of officers killed was immense; only one commander of a regiment was left alive. General Skobeloff in his report says, 'I did my best; I could do no more. My regiment don't exist. I have no officers left.' Suleiman Pasha and Mehemet Ali are reported to have formed a junction of their forces and are pressing to attack the army of the Czarewitch at Biela. The Russians still hold Grivitca and are fortifying themselves. General Todleben is preparing winter fortifications at Matchin, Sistova and Nicopolis."

Maine Election.

The official returns from all but fourteen small towns and plantations in Maine have been received, and foot up as follows: Total vote, 101,451, the largest aggregate ever polled in an "off year," after a Presidential election. Connor has 53, 665; Williams, 41,835; Munson, greenback, 5188; scattering, 763; Connor's plurality over Williams, 11,830; Connor's majority over all, 5879.

News and Notes.

There were 30,000 men in line in Boston on Monday. McClellan and Hooker were enthusiastically received by the veterans.

Three thousand troops have arrived in Cuba during the last ten days, landing at different ports. A ship from New Orleans has landed 30 cases of guns for the revolutionists.

Boston is to have a baby show in Music Hall.

Two men and a woman were murdered in Placer County, Cal., on Sunday by Chinamen. The murderers were arrested.

Last Friday, at Essex Junction, Mass., a practical joke was played on one of the boy apple peddlers, which resulted in crippling him for life. The perpetrator of the joke was a passenger, who reached from the car window as the train was in motion and caught the boy by the hand. When released he fell under the car, the trucks passing over a foot and ankle, which had to be amputated to save the boy's life. The boy is a son of George Chase, switchman. The perpetrator of the "joke" has not yet made himself known.

Thirty clerks were removed from the Treasury Department Saturday, and fifty more will follow on the 30th instant. These clerks were all on the temporary roll, and the appropriation for that roll having been exhausted removal became necessary.

The United States Treasury has received from an unknown person $75.51 for an error in income returns for '65 and '66. Tilden?

It seems a little queer to read in the notices of the fight between the Kearsarge and Alabama, current in the papers since the death of the latter's commander, of "Admiral" Semmes and "Captain" Winslow. The regularly commissioned officer of the United States navy is only "captain," while the rebel pirate and wholesale chronometer thief is "admiral."

New Hampshire Items.

Thomas Britton stabbed a Mr. Mulligan and his wife at Manchester on Friday night. Britton, who is a brother of Mrs. Mulligan, boarded with them and was ordered to leave for being quarrelsome when in drink. After going to bed they were aroused by hearing some one breaking-in the front door, and on Mulligan's going out he was stabbed by Britton three times. Mrs. Mulligan then went out to assist her husband, when her brother made a savage assault on her and stabbed her three times. The brute escaped, and has not yet been captured.

The jury in the case of Leonard Morse vs. the town of Francestown, for injuries received by a defect in the highway, which had been on trial at the Hillsborough County Supreme Court at Nashua, brought in a verdict of $1000 for the plaintiff.

The employes in the Ranlet car manufactory at Laconia, not having been paid off since July 1st, struck for their "back pay" on Monday, only three remaining at work. The company is considered entirely solvent, and no serious interruption is anticipated.

The house on the Dennis place, at Garrison Hill, Dover, was totally destroyed by fire Tuesday morning at half-past twelve. Cause, a defective flue. Loss $5000. Insured.

Explosion in a Church.

Last Thursday afternoon between five and six o'clock the people of Plattsburgh were startled by a dull and heavy report, resembling a subterranean explosion; or, as described by some, the falling of the walls of a building. It was soon discovered that the First Presbyterian church was the scene of the disaster, and upon entering the basement it was found that all the windows were blown out, the furnaces shattered and the ceilings ruined. The first who entered the main audience room above found the atmosphere very hot and impregnated with gas, the carpets and cushions on fire in places, several of the memorial windows ruined, the three small arched windows over the organ completely shattered, and the heavy outside front door blown out into the street. The statement of Sexton Prindle is that he spent a portion of the day in the main audience room above sprinkling benzine from a common house or garden sprinkler upon the cushions and carpets according to directions given him, to kill the moths with which the carpets and upholstery were infested. He thinks that about two-thirds of a barrel of benzine were used in this manner. After finishing his work up stairs he went down into the lecture room and made his preparations to start a fire in the furnace in the southwest corner. He prepared kindlings and ignited a match when a shock came which threw him some fifteen feet and rendered him insensible for some time. In the light of this statement it is not difficult to trace the cause of the explosion. Some twenty or thirty gallons of benzine spread over a surface of 2500 feet would not be long in evaporating, filling 75,000 cubic feet of space in the audience room with a highly explosive gas. The gas is heavier than air, and naturally fills the room from the bottom, and as it does so, a considerable quantity leaks down around the furnace registers into the lecture room, and when the sexton touched it off with his match it exploded. The damage is variously estimated from $500 to $3000. The carpets and cushions are badly singed, the fans scorched, and the main walls have large cracks at the front corners of the audience room, although it is said these cracks were there before the explosion.—*Plattsburgh, N. Y., Republican.*

A New Source of Gold.

The San Francisco correspondent of the Baltimore *Sun* says: The auriferous black sands of the sea shore of Northern California have been described in the *Sun*, and lately we described a machine that was about being set up on the beach to test the practicability of profitably extracting the exceedingly fine gold dust from the sand. Every effort heretofore has been a failure. There is gold enough in those miles of ocean sand to pay the National debt, if this new process proves successful; therefore the report of this first practical test is of high national importance. The fine concentrators, after a month's run, gathered twenty tons of the sands, well cleansed of the lighter parts, which don't pay; so much that the concentrated tonnage realized $12,000, or $610 per ton. The cost of working was $1,300. New machines are being constructed, which at the same rate will yield $80,000 a month, at a cost of $4,000. Many attempts have for years past been made along one hundred miles of coast to work these shifting tidal sands without success. Now a rush of pre-emptors is expected to stake off claims on the shores of California and Oregon. The sands extend under the ocean far beyond low water. But every tide and every storm so shifts the paying points, that a claim rich to-day, may, to-morrow, be covered with barren sands. Nevertheless auriferous ocean sands may now be considered a new and permanent source of gold production, rivaling and probably excelling the great auriferous gravel deposits worked by hydraulic washing. In both, it is a question of cost in separating and gathering a small per cent. of gold dust from an immense body of sand or gravel.

A Baby by Express.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* tells the following as a fact: "A lady in this city, having a fancy for the daughters of the sunny South, sent a description of the kind of a child she wanted to a foundling hospital in New Orleans. A day or two ago she received a reply that a child suiting her description had been found among the babies in the hospital, and that it was on its way to Cincinnati. Imagine her sensation yesterday morning when the messenger rung the bell and announced a package for Mrs. —, at the same time presenting a little girl of tender years with an express label tied to one arm. The package was duly receipted for and was gladly welcomed."

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The term, however, is but a feeble expression of my honest appreciation of its value, based upon my own personal observation. As a close observer, I have, while witnessing its positive results in the few special diseases incident to the separate organism of woman, singled it out as **the chiefest or crowning gem of my medical career.** On its merits, as a positive, safe, and effectual remedy for this class of diseases, and one that will, at all times and under all circumstances, act kindly and in harmony with the laws which governed female system, I am willing to stake my reputation as a physician. Nay, even more, so confident am I that it will not disappoint the most sanguine expectations of a single invalid lady who uses it for any of the ailments for which I recommend it, that I offer and sell it under **A POSITIVE GUARANTEE.** If a beneficial effect is not experienced by the time two-thirds of the contents of the bottle are used, I will, on return of the bottle, two-thirds of the medicine having been taken according to directions, and the case being one for which I recommend it, promptly refund the money paid for it. Had I not the most perfect confidence in its virtues, I could not offer it as I do under these conditions; but having witnessed its truly miraculous cures in thousands of cases, **I feel warranted and perfectly safe in risking both my reputation and my money on its merits.**

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Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 55,720 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. F. Sumner for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.

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Portland	3.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	3.45 "	6.30 "
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Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

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MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.,	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
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A THIEVING EPIDEMIC.

Some time Sunday night the garden of A. F. Howard, Esq., at No. 56 Middle street, was entered by thieves and his musk-melon vines stripped of every melon.

On Monday night there was a most astonishing revival of the thieving industry in this city, at least four business places and two dwellings being plundered. The thieves entered the cellar of Mr. Edwin B. Prime's residence, No. 4 Dover street, through the window; they were unable to get into the house, the door to the cellar stairs being fastened, but they stole all the provisions they could lay hands on, carrying off also the dishes the victuals were in. The scoundrels also left other evidences of their filthy presence in the cellar.

At the house of Mr. Alexander L. Rand, No. 77 Islington street, an entrance was effected, also through the cellar window, and a quantity of food stolen; a pair of boots and other articles were taken from a room above to the cellar, but the thieves threw them into the garden.

Sheriff Kent was also called upon at the jail; possibly the fellows wanted to inspect their future (it is to be hoped) residence before taking up their quarters there. They got into the outer enclosure at about half-past eleven o'clock, but Col. Kent's dogs, Sancho and Pedro, set up a terrific outcry and made things so lively for the marauders that they left before the arrival of the people who were brought out by the alarm. [A notice in another column may be of interest to one of Col. Kent's visitors.]

Either the same gang of thieves or another one visited the business places of Elihu Dennett and C. Sullivan & Co., (both doing business in the store corner Bow and Penhallow streets,) Charles Robinson, and the Eldredge Brewing Company. At Mr. Dennett's they broke a square of glass, and reached in and threw back the catch of the window; from Mr. Dennett they stole about $11 and from Sullivan & Co. about $6; and valuable papers belonging to each, and a lot of lambs' tongues, were also taken.

The thieves entered the office of the Eldredge Brewing Company by way of Mr. Robinson's store. It is supposed they slipped into the store before it was closed for the night, and secreted themselves in a rye bin. After the door was locked they "went through the till," securing only about a dollar. They then made their way to the roof, (being easily tracked by the grains of rye that dropped from their clothes,) crawled along the roof to the scuttle of the Brewing Company's premises, opened the scuttle and went down to the office. Here they broke open a small trunk and stole about $70 belonging to De-Witt Clinton Commandery of Knights Templar; and they also got about a dollar in change, belonging to the Brewing Co., from the drawer.

WON'T OWN THEM.

A Newcastle man requests us to say that the young fellow who had the trouble with a member of the Rye band at the Veterans' reunion was not a "young Newcastle rough," as a Rye correspondent stated, but a Portsmouth street ranger, named Hennessey; and he (the Newcastle man) further asserts that the young scoundrels who pelted the teams on their way home were also some of Portsmouth's youthful candidates for State prison. Newcastle, he says, has some very undesirable residents, but doesn't claim quite so much embryo crime as was drifting about down there that day and evening.

HORSE-THIEF CAUGHT.

A horse belonging to Mayor Foye, of Dover, and a beach wagon and harness belonging to William Hurd of that city, were stolen last June by a man named Arthur Hodgdon. This Hodgdon had been for a long time engaged in peddling brushes in this vicinity, and getting tired of that business and wanting to raise some ready cash, he sold the team to Mr. Langdon Whidden, of Lafayette road, for $25, giving the name of John A. Atherson. Whidden afterwards sold the horse to Mr. Wm. Plaisted, and he was run on the "hourly" for a long time. On Monday last Marshal Entwistle received a letter from Dover, asking if such a team was here and giving a description of the thief; and in about an hour the Marshal and Assistant Marshal Gray had the man caged; he admitted the theft and gave information as to the whereabouts of the team. The team was recovered, and it and the thief taken to Dover on Tuesday.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, September 18th.

Morning Love: Edward Foley, George Young, John Gill, William Webb; all drunk; all $9.90; all Brentwood.

Jerry Murphy and Michael Hurley, the two boys on Monday sentenced to pay $4.45 each for stealing a team to take a ride in, went to jail Monday night in default of payment. On Tuesday morning, when they learned of the burglaries of the preceding night, one of them remarked: "It's mighty lucky we are in here, for if we were out we'd have been the first ones to be charged with this stealing." It is a pretty tough reputation that is improved by its possessor being in jail, as seems to have been the case with these boys.

"BLOW YE THE TRUMPET, BLOW!"

In December of last year the CHRONICLE commenced to "agitate" for the establishment of a suitable fog-signal at the entrance of this harbor, being earnestly requested to do so by a number of fishermen, particularly by Mr. John Hayes, then one of the crew of schooner Grace Choate, which vessel about that time came perilously near being lost on Odiorne's Point while running for the harbor in a heavy southeast gale and snow storm. The necessary data to work on were gladly furnished us by the fishermen, and it was an easy matter for any one who had ever been wet with salt water to demonstrate the necessity of a powerful fog-signal at this harbor. The other papers of the city followed suit; and during the following spring, when Hon. Frank Jones' re-election to Congress was pending, that gentleman got through an appropriation for the purchase of a Daboll fog-trumpet to be placed on Whale's-back. At the time the appropriation was made we ridiculed the idea that any practical benefit to seamen would result from it, as the sum devoted to the purpose was ludicrously disproportioned to the amount needed, being only sufficient to buy and set up a third-class fog horn, and making no provision for a building to set it up in; and we prophesied that the desired signal would not be furnished this year or from that appropriation. Our reason for this was that we knew it was absolutely impossible to put the fog-horn in the new tower at Whale's-back, and that the old tower was condemned as unsafe years ago, before the new one was built; but we were mistaken, for all that, for a few days ago we were down the river and saw the big trumpet pointing seaward from the top of the old tower. Curious to know if the old tower had become any more trustworthy than it used to be, we ran our boat alongside the stone steps and clambered up for a personal inspection. Our researches resulted in convincing us that there is something rotten in the state of the old tower,—and possibly in the board of lighthouse engineers; for if the old tower is safe now it certainly was ten years ago, when a hundred thousand dollars were expended for the new tower; and if it was extremely unsafe then (and we do not doubt that it was) it must be still more unsafe now, as nothing whatever has been done to strengthen it in the meantime. Yet the same engineers who ten years ago condemned the tower as unsafe, now approve it as being a suitable place for a man to stop in during heavy weather. If the building of the costly new tower was necessitated by the dilapidated condition of the old one, and was not a "job," then the putting of the fog-horn in the old tower is an outrage on humanity. When the old tower is washed away—and washed away it will be at some time, unless many thousands of dollars are laid out upon it in wholesale repairs—it will go on the top of high water; and at that time it would be impossible to pass from one tower to the other with a very heavy sea running, and yet that is the very time the fog-horn must be attended, for the worse the weather the more need of the warning signal. The sea acts with vastly greater power now on the old tower than it did before the new one was built, the two being connected by a high curtain of masonry, a shallow tunnel being thus formed into which the sea pitches with tremendous force. The condition of the masonry on the up-river side of the new tower shows how powerfully the sea hits it, the cement filling-in being gone and the massive blocks of stone loosened and some of them displaced; how much a man would be worth after being caught there by a sea while trying to make the crooked passage from one tower to the other in a dark night, can easily be reckoned up. The fact is that the old tower *was* unsafe before it was condemned, and is more unsafe now; the walls of the circular pier on which it stands are bulged out on the sea-face some four or five inches, most of the iron-work is so far gone with rust as to be worthless, and the heaviest timbers of the interior are almost entirely rotted away. The lighthouse engineers have no right to needlessly imperil the life of a lightkeeper, and the least they should do before winter sets in is to put up a suspension bridge from one tower to the other, high enough up to be passable at all times, so that the man who tends the trumpet can retreat to the safe tower during the worst of a storm. The old tower can only be made safe by being entirely rebuilt; it requires an outlay of at least ten thousand dollars to make even the new landing-place secure, and build a proper break-water on the sea-face of the curtain; but a suspension bridge between the two towers could be put up for a trifling sum, and would give the fog-horn tender at least a chance for his life in case the old rattletrap tower should be knocked over.

UNITED STATES COURTS.

The jury summoned in to appear before the United States Court on Tuesday received orders not to appear, as Mr. Copeland of Great Falls was unable to attend; and the cases brought by Hiram Abbott of Conway, assignee, against certain parties who had paid their debts to a bankrupt after his declaration of bankruptcy, were continued to the December term.

Before the Bankrupt Court, Charles E. Simpson of Newcastle was adjudged bankrupt, and a hearing was had on other matters of minor importance.

Before the Circuit Court, Albert S. Twichell of Gorham was appointed a Commissioner of the Circuit Court.

A hearing was had on Tuesday at the U. S. Court House in this city, before Hon. Charles H. Bartlett of Manchester, U. S. Commissioner, relative to the admission to bail of one Warren K. Walker, a locomotive engineer, who was arrested at Dover on Monday on a charge of obstructing the United States mails while engaged as a striking engineer on the Grand Trunk Railroad in Maine. No decision was announced by the Commissioner.

[Communicated.]

SUMMER PICNICING,

While freely enjoyed in many places elsewhere, would seem to be reduced to a science in Portsmouth. Many of the people of New York, who have no relatives to visit in more rural localities, and to whom it is not pecuniarily convenient to indulge in summer journeyings to the popular resorts of the season, take their needful recreation in jaunts, of a day's duration each, into the many beautiful regions, both on land and sea, to be found within short distances of the city. Very good times they have, but for a right down, thorough enjoyment of a picnic, Portsmouth, there is little doubt, bears off the palm; nor is it wanting in any number of retreats for such festivities in its beautiful suburbs.

A party of familiar friends, with invited guests and visitors from abroad, have greatly enjoyed many such occasions during the late summer and early autumn, and in a locality on private grounds most happily fitted by nature for such a purpose. Seasons of enjoyment they have been that will be remembered by those who shared in them on winter nights, when "household fires burn warm and bright," and while huge waves are breaking in thunder tones upon the beach, and the winds, joining in a grand anthem of nature, howl among the rocky retreats where they spent such happy hours in the summer solstice.

These seaside gatherings included those in every stage of life from childhood to middle age, and all found in them equal enjoyment. While the maturer in years would rest for chat beneath the shade of willows that overhung the beach, the surf rolling in upon the shore in the most musical of tones, following with the eye the various craft as they glided along the horizon, or listening to the roar of the sea as it dashed in foam over the rocky reefs in the far-off distance, others strayed away over the sandy beach, or gathered in little parties upon the rocks that line the shore. A favorite resort was a recess in the most picturesque of rocks, where a dozen could gather for chat, or listen at times while one would read to them; the young ladies that were industriously inclined employed meanwhile upon one or another of the species of fancy work, that is ever taking new forms, with which the younger of the gentler sex are wont to employ their leisure hours.

Most pleasant it was to look in upon these little gatherings in their various places of retreat, exchanging a word of chat, or sitting down for a rest among them; but always keeping in remembrance that where *two* are in most harmonious concord, a *third*, however welcome at other times, may be regarded as quite superfluous. Especially did it seem as if it might be so, though giving the most polite of welcomes to their visitor, when two, who now are far away, were found in the "Devil's Den," (as people *will* call it,) who doubtless were so absorbed in the book they were reading, as to forget the sumptuous repast beneath the willows, and had to be sent for when missed, and all the rest had appeased to the full their appetites.

A most agreeable addition was made to the party on an afternoon when a young officer of the Enterprise came in his boat with four young ladies, and very soon afterwards a curious little dwarf was discovered among the willows, who, under the direction of the lady who presented him for exhibition, sung a little song, repeated the somewhat familiar poem of "the boy" that "stood on the burning deck," made frequent bows, removing his hat each time, to the company, smoked a cigar, and danced several times upon the table on which he seemed to stand. A great puzzle it was to the laughing lookers-on how it chanced that while sunbrowned otherwise to the last degree, his hands, with which he removed his hat when bowing, twisted his moustache, wiped his face, and lighted his cigar, were of snowy whiteness. The mysterious little man was afterwards learned to have been composed of a gentleman of good height from a neighboring cottage, and one of the young ladies who came in the officer's boat.

More or less of the company coming by water, boating formed one of the recreations for those who fancied it; sailing away well out to sea, or skirting the "sea-girt isle" that year by year becomes more and more a summer resort; exciting oft surprise that until quite recent years it was so little appreciated for such a purpose.

Half a dozen of the young gentlemen engaged on one occasion in a tub-race, that, from their disasters in getting upset by the overturning of their tubs, or being upset by others, was as novel as amusing. The prize was a tasteful silver medal, furnished by the youthful members of the fair sex, which was presented to the winner in a little presentation speech by the presiding lady of the party, to which the modest hero of the hour "made a neat and pertinent reply," quoting the newspapers on like occasions.

A lady visitor from New York carried back with her most delightful memories of a Portsmouth picnic, an improvement as it was, she was happy in saying, upon anything else of the kind she had ever known elsewhere; and hoping to enjoy hereafter a like scene of pleasure in the same locality.

No one seemed more to enjoy these happy occasions than a noble horse, who, allowed by his master to have *his* picnic also, freed from bit and rein, roamed at will over hill and dale, cropped the greensward or rolled upon it to his heart's content; now and then from an elevation gazing off to sea, as if he, too, loved to look upon the foam-covered reef, and hear the breakers' roar. J. H. B.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Fire King Engine Co., No. One, of South Berwick, were on a trip down the harbor on Tuesday, and made a short stay in this city. Their engine is the old Piscataqua, No. Four, formerly owned by this city, and one of the best hand engines ever owned here.

The Kearsarge Flute and Drum Band has re-organized under the leadership of Mr. Abraham Kay, with fifteen members—all of the original members and two new ones. They propose to call upon some of our public spirited citizens for help to procure a bass drum, which they need and do not feel able to purchase themselves just at present.

The wife of Mr. N. Appolonio, City Registrar of Boston, was one of the persons injured by the fall of the stand in Blackstone square, Boston, on Monday. Her left leg was broken. Mrs. Appolonio is a native of this city.

On Monday evening, as a party of gentlemen from this city were riding near the new house of Mr. Josiah Grover on Sagamore road, a large stone was thrown with considerable force into the team by some one hidden near the road. The missile struck one of the company a severe blow. This is the third time parties have been assailed by stone throwers in that vicinity, and persons starting out for a drive in that direction will do well to put a well loaded shot-gun in the bottom of the wagon.

The ship Paul Jones is to be launched from the Raynes ship-yard on Monday next, at one o'clock P. M., if all goes well.

The fog-horn on Whale's-back was sounding all the afternoon, Tuesday. The engineers were trying it.

Brig. Gen. Clough was in town on Tuesday, as the guest of Major Urch. He was down river in the afternoon, and inspected Fort Constitution and the big guns.

Capt. Wm. H. Treadwell has arrived home from an extended tour in Europe.

Sheriff Kent hereby notifies the individual who left in his garden on Monday night that portion of his pants which usually wears out first, that if he will call he will be presented with the piece of cloth; or if he will send up the damaged breeches they will be repaired without charge. The prints of the dog's teeth do not show enough to condemn the cloth.

The new register of the steamer Major was issued by the custom house on Monday, the registered owners being William Robinson, Henry M. Clark, William W. Cotton, William R. Gerting, William H. Thompson, Henry Mason, Christopher E. Rymes, Oscar Laighton and Cedric Laighton.

The train from Boston due in this city at eight minutes past nine o'clock Monday evening, consisted of fifteen crowded passenger cars, drawn by two locomotives, and was an hour and a half behind time. When it started out of the depot to the eastward it had to back up three times before it could swing around the curve, but at the fourth trial got successfully by the hard place and went on its way rejoicing, but not very fast.

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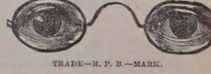

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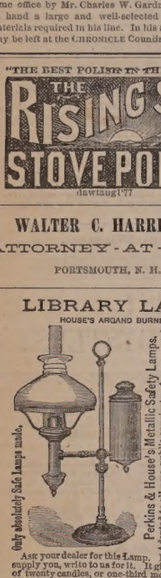

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendee of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, nor suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by any member of the health officers.

SEC. 8. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct any drain or conduct any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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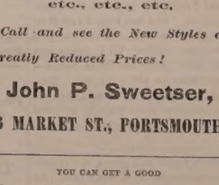

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the Persons or Associations who got or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Ceremony of Giving the Royal Assent.

The clerk on the right hand of the table before the woolsack in the House of Lords takes up a bill, and turning round so as to face the Royal Commissioners bows low, the clerk at the other side performing at the same time precisely the same gesture, as if the two were connected by an axle and turned by a single cog-wheel. The clerk on the right, who is known as the clerk of Parliament, reads the title of the bill, and then faces to the left. The clerk of the crown on the other hand faces to the right, and bowing thus brought face to face, the clerk of the crown chants "La reyne le veult!" Then some one in charge, possibly the resident engineer, gives another turn to the invisible wheel, the clerk of Parliament and the clerk of the crown simultaneously turn toward the five figures, and bow down almost to their boots. The clerk of Parliament takes up another bill and reads the title, after which he turns and bows again, the clerk of the crown bowing at the same time. Then they turn and face each other as before and once more there rings through the chamber the solemn lugubrious chant, "La reyne le veult!" Fancy this going on without intermission or variation for the space of a quarter of an hour, add to it an aspect of settled melancholy on the face of the clerk of the crown, and an ever deepening sadness in his monotonous chant, "La reyne le veult!" and some excuse may be found for the ladies, who, to the number of sixteen, were before the ceremony was over, reduced to a state of exhaustion through uncontrollable laughter, which it was felt desirable should be, like Grand Court's Smile, inward.—*London Mayfair.*

Autumn Leaves.

Press the leaves carefully between newspapers, taking care to avoid lapping one over another. The next day take out the leaves and dry the papers. Put the leaves again in press, and the next day repeat the drying process. This should be done three or four times, until all the moisture is extracted from the leaves. This is troublesome, but the result will be brilliant. If the face of each leaf, after the first pressing, is brushed over with sulphuric acid, diluted one-half with water, the color will be still brighter. Do not wax or varnish the leaves, as it gives them an unnatural gloss. They can be made into sprays or garlands by means of the fine wire which florists use, twisted around their stems.

—The following story is told about Aristarchi Bey, the Turkish Ambassador in Berlin, who married the daughter of a Prussian general: The General was not blessed with much wealth, but with many marriageable daughters. One day the Turkish Ambassador called upon him and asked if he might hope to become the General's son-in-law. "With pleasure," replied General Bonin, delighted; "How many do you want?" Aristarchi, seeing that the General took him for a Mussulman, replied with some trepidation that he was a Christian, and wanted only one. "What a nuisance!" grumbled the General; "Well, take whichever you like!"

—Gleanings from the late mails—A few tufts of hair in the hands of an infuriated spouse at 2 A. M.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 20, 1877.

The Eastern War.

The Turkish report of the capture of the Shipka Pass turns out to be false. The Turks themselves acknowledge that they do not hold fort St. Nicholas, but claim to have taken it and hold it for six hours; on the contrary, the Russian Gen. Radetsky's official account of the fighting does not admit that the fort was ever occupied by the Turks. He says: "After five days' bombardment the Turks, at three o'clock in the morning, made a sudden attack on the fort. The attack subsequently extended along the whole line, and was repulsed with enormous loss to the Turks after a desperate fight which lasted nine hours."

The reported evacuation of Ardahan, in Asia Minor, is officially contradicted.

The Grand Duke Nicholas allows no pilfering by the troops under his command. Any offender detected is tried by court martial and shot. So strictly is the order obeyed that General Zotoff himself had to do without chickens for some days because the Bulgarians refused to sell him a fowl for his private table.

New Hampshire Items.

James Fisk, Sr., father of Col. "Jim" Fisk, is peddling lightning rods through the northern part of the State.

Among the the New Hampshire veterans in the Boston procession was seen the towering form of Private Dickey, who served all through the rebellion as a color-bearer. He stands six feet seven and one-half inches in his stockings.

Chicagos 1, Manchesters 0, at Manchester on Wednesday.

Mary D. Stearns, daughter of Ex-Gov. Stearns, was married at Concord on Wednesday to Gen. John R. Brooke, U. S. A., of Pottstown, Penn.

The grand jury at Dover on Tuesday brought in true bills against forty-four persons, of Dover, Great Falls, Farmington, Rollinsford and other places, for selling liquor or keeping it for sale, from one to seven indictments against each.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Joseph P. Morse of this city arrested at Dover on Monday, under a United States warrant, Warren H. Walker, and on Tuesday, at Exeter, Benjamin Whittier, charged with obstructing United States mails while engaged as striking engineers on the Boston and Maine railroad on Feb. 12, 1877. A hearing was held before Commissioner Woodman of Dover on Tuesday, the parties pleading not guilty. They were bound over in the sum of $2,000 each to appear at the U. S. Circuit court at Portland October 24.

News and Notes.

On Tuesday the Boston base ball club was beaten by the Manchesters by a score of four to one; the Rhode Islands beat the Chicagos the same day, four to one.

John W. Young, Brigham's son, proposes to follow in his illustrious papa's footsteps in the matrimonial line. He wants to marry a girl named Julia Cobb, 18 years old, but her father opposes it. Young's last-married wife has left him.

Twelve thousand operatives in the cotton mills of Bolton, England, and its vicinity, have struck against a reduction of wages.

The net result of Stanley's three years' journey across the African continent, is the verification of the opinion that the great river Lualaba, in the interior, is identical with the great river Congo, on the Atlantic. It had been ascertained before, that the bed of the Lualaba was lower than the bed of the Nile, and this discovery made it reasonably certain that the waters of the Lualaba must find an outlet through the Congo. Stanley has verified this presumption.

A boy who suddenly finds himself with both his legs broken, struggling for his life in deep water, and who yet has the manliness to think of and save a helpless girl who had trusted herself in his care, is a boy who should not be lost sight of. That is what William J. Hamilton did on Sunday evening; and some rich and philanthropic New Yorker should make it his business to keep an eye on the brave lad and see that he has a fair chance in the world.—*New York Sun.*

August Belmont's daughter Frederica was married to Samuel S. Howland on the 18th inst. The affair was simply gorgeous.

There was a public reception at Faneuil Hall in honor of Gen. McClellan, Wednesday.

Joshua M. Sears, heir to the "Sears estate" in Boston, and Miss Sarah C. Choate, were married in Cambridge on the 18th inst.

The public generally are somewhat interested in the reported challenge of "Bob" Ingersoll to the "evangelicals" to prove that either Thomas Paine or Voltaire recanted the doctrines they advocated in their lifetime, or exhibited remorse for the same on their death beds. The New York *Observer* is said to have accepted the wager of battle, and Mr. Ingersoll has, according to the *Graphic*, promptly deposited $1000 in bank to be forfeited in case the *Observer* succeed in convincing the tribunal—one member to be chosen by Ingersoll, one by Dr. Prime, and the third by the two—of the correctness of its position. Ninety days to be allowed the *Observer* to collect the evidence, ninety to Ingersoll after it is submitted, then thirty more days to the affirmative to procure rebutting evidence. Then will follow the arguments before the tribunal, whose decision is to be final to both disputants.

Advices from New York make it more than probable that many of the politicians of that city and State even wish that the old "Boss" were dead, tongue tied, or deaf and dumb, and couldn't master the art of communicating his knowledge by any of the methods known to the latter unfortunate class; and we can almost hear the curses and maledictions upon the officious meddler who nabbed him just as continental Europe opened its sheltering arms to the fugitive; on the ship that brought him home, and on the untoward combination of circumstances that at last induced him to open his mouth, like a very Pandora's box, to blast and blacken reputations, heretofore only under suspicious or wholly spotless. The Boss is talking, now.

Schooner Jonas Smith, from Boston for Savannah, has been seen by a pilot boat under circumstances leading to a suspicion that her negro crew has mutinied and taken possession of the vessel. The revenue cutter Colfax has been out looking for the schooner, but did not find her.

The crew of an unknown American vessel have been killed by natives near Cape Prince of Wales.

The East-bound passenger train which passed Cheyenne, on the U. P. R. R., at 3 P. M., Tuesday, was stopped and robbed by thirteen men the same night, at Big Springs, Nebraska, 160 miles from Cheyenne.

The Republican State Convention of Massachusetts met at Worcester on Wednesday. George F. Hoar was chosen President. Alexander H. Rice received 478 votes out of 901, on an informal ballot.

The First American Cutler.

One of Naugatuck's oldest and most respected citizens, Lyman Bradley, is dead. He was the ostensible founder of a now extensive branch of American industry, having made the first pocket cutlery manufactured on this side of the Atlantic. This is a positive fact, and the building, or rather shed, under whose roof the first pocket knife made in the United States was hammered out still stands. Lyman Bradley was born May 25, 1798, and was consequently nearly eighty years old at the time of his death. He was born in what is now called Middlebury, but was then the town of Waterbury. As soon as he reached the years of understanding he went from his native town and learned the cutlery business, and soon after removed to this town, where he formed the idea of commencing the manufacture of pocket cutlery. In order to make this idea practicable it was necessary that he should import some mechanics from England, as Yankee ingenuity had not yet captured that branch of mechanism. He advertised in a Sheffield paper for some cutlers, paid their fair to this country and set them at work. The enterprise was a success from the beginning, though some of Mr. Bradley's friends advised him against going into the enterprise, arguing that he could not sell a knife in the United States which had not the Sheffield stamp on it.—*Waterbury, Conn., American.*

Mrs. Grant and Nellie.

The Long Branch correspondent of the Chicago *Times* writes that paper as follows: An old servant of the Grants attended my room at the Ocean Hotel. "People may say what they will about President Grant, but just ask the helps what they think of Mrs. Grant and Miss Nellie, and they'll every one say that they never had no such mistress before. I never did see Mrs. Grant lose her temper. And as for Miss Nellie, she was the sweetest child that ever breathed. Why, when she first come to Washington she wore a short dress and round combs. She never was fretful and impudent to them as was beneath her—never. After she got older, she always sent for me to see her before the receptions and parties. I used to say, 'Miss Nellie, you look like an angel, that's true.' 'Now, Sarah, you don't mean it, I know,' she'd say, just as innocent like; she never was stiff and stuck up. After the big wedding, and when everybody was congratulating her, and before she went away, she come and said good-by, and gave me her picture, and says now don't forget me, Sarah. Right down here at Long Branch in that very house, her little baby was born. 'La, Miss Nellie,' I said, 'you ain't more than a baby yourself; you ought to be playing with doll babies by right.' She was a proud little mother. When the nurse would be out dragging the boy up and down the lawn people would stop and look at his fine clothes—and I must say he had a wardrobe ekel to a prince. The last time I saw Miss Nellie she looked real old, but she had just the same pleasant ways. We'll never find any one like Mrs. Grant and Miss Nellie—them good times is all gone by. Mrs. Grant wasn't a pretty-faced woman, but her husband and children set a heap by her, and I don't believe she had one enemy in the world."

—A Kentucky girl was given the premium for horsemanship at a town fair. An admirer threw her a bouquet, whereupon her horse shied and the prize horse woman sat down on the ground.

—John F. Lewis, a colored man living near Elmira, N. Y., stopped, at the imminent peril of his own life, a runaway team, and so saved Mrs. C. J. Langdon, her child and nurse, who were returning from a visit to "Mark Twain." The rescued lady's husband gave him $1000, the holder of a $400 mortgage on his farm canceled it, another gentleman gave him $25, and "Mark Twain" gave him $50 and a complete set of his works.

—As a sample of the fictitious value which is sometimes attached to things utterly worthless, it is interesting to note that a magistrate in Middlesex, England, has just declined an offer of $4,500 for his collection of foreign postage stamps. An extensive collection of 17,000 varieties was sold in London recently for $4,000, which is believed to be the highest price that such a collection has ever fetched in England. In France, however, the mania has reached a higher pitch, for there an exceptionally complete collection was sold privately for $15,000.

—A St. Louis policeman, attempting to arrest a man for cruelty to his mule, incautiously came in the rear of the animal, and the ungrateful brute, with characteristic promptness, struck out from behind with his foot, and so disabled the policeman that he will be confined to his bed for a month.

—"Why don't I go into the country?" said the tramp, gazing with scorn at his heartless interrogator—"why, ain't it harvest time? Them farmers are just mean and small-souled enough to ax a man to work for his victuals. Do you suppose I want to have the back of my neck all blistered up, and my hands stuck full of thistles, and like as not get mashed in a threshing machine? And besides, I never could eat fried pork and hot biscuit all the time. It ain't healthy."

—A German editor who recently crossed the Atlantic, made certain scientific observations on board the steamer. A bottle of champagne was let down into the deep, and when it was pulled up it contained nothing but sea-water, although the cork was still embedded in the neck of the bottle, with the fastenings unbroken. The philosopher at once explained that the pressure forced the sea-water in through the pores in the cork and drove out the light, sparkling champagne.

—Archie Gordon, a Revolutionary soldier, who has numerous descendants living in Oxford, N. C., was the father of twenty-seven sons by his wife, Caroline Gordon, seven of whom were born during twenty-four months. At the Whig Convention, which assembled at Raleigh in 1840, old Archie was escorted through the streets in a four-horse carriage, with a flag floating over it, bearing the inscription, "Archie Gordon, the Whig father of twenty-seven Whig sons." All his descendants, and they are numerous, vote the Democratic ticket.

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AT AUCTION.

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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.
In Bankruptcy.

In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts: To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 24, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on

SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, at 3 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,805 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,700 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plans of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 8, 3d division, sec. 6; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 79, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 19, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 64, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 89, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 38.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Gunnison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.

About 16,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Beacon and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

About 9,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington av. or street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, it being lot 103 on plan of division 5 of the 4th and 5th divisions of section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.

All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars in regard to title, etc., inquire of J. M. Twichell.

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A LOT OF FORTY ACRES, more or less, of Pasturage and Woodlands, situated in Newington, being a portion of the homestead farm of the late John Fabyan. This lot is mostly covered with a heavy growth of PINE and OAK, the latter suitable for ship timber. It is also well watered, and affords an abundance of feed in the dryest seasons; some portions are suitable for tillage. For further information apply to

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To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 21, 1877. JEORGE L. TREADWELL.

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BRICK HOUSE No. 24 State St. It is a fine residence for one family; or will be let for two families, for which it is well adapted. The furniture can be had if wanted. Apply at the house.
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To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street. For particulars apply to
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THE very desirable BRICK DWELLING HOUSE No. 16 ISLINGTON ST. belonging to the Estate of the late Capt. Andrew Hussey. House contains twelve rooms and has a Brick Stable and large Garden attached. Possession given September 1st.
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Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.35 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
Way,	10.35 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.45 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	5.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE KEARSARGE MILL.

It is always gratifying to us to notice any evidence of prosperity on the part of any legitimate business or branch of industry anywhere, but especially in our city; hence we take particular pleasure in noting the extensive additions to and improvements in the machinery of the Kearsarge Mill, made during the recent shut-down. Since the present management took charge of the mill, improvements in machinery and buildings have been steadily going on. The most important recent addition is the new engine —a high-pressure Corliss—put in this season. This engine has a twenty-inch cylinder, and a stroke of five feet; does the dressing, and also the heating of the building. The old engine, that did all the work up to the time the new one was started a week or so ago, has been altered from a high-pressure to a condensing engine; it has a twenty-six inch cylinder and a stroke of six feet. The two engines are now running four hundred horse-power, and when all the new machinery is working will run four hundred and fifty, with one hundred horse-power still in reserve.

The card room has been reorganized; seventy new cards, of Foss & Peavey's make, have been put in, largely increasing the working capacity of the room, the new machines turning off eighty pounds a day where the old ones only turned off forty-five. A new lapper has been added, which does the same amount of work as the old one with less attendance. The capacity of the spinning room has been increased, twenty-six new frames having been put in; and seventy new looms have been placed in the weave room. Eighty feet of length has been added to the cloth room, and improvements made which greatly facilitate work in that department. A new floor has been laid in the card room, and a great many minor improvements and additions made, all which add to the efficiency of the working departments.

The capacity of the mill has been increased about sixteen per cent.; last year it turned out 85,000 yards per week; when the new machinery gets in operation the week's work will amount to over 100,000 yards. The cloth manufactured is satteens, which is used for making corsets and linings, and the product of the Kearsarge Mill stands as high in the market as any similar fabric. The managers propose to take up the manufacture of silesias as soon as the arrangements are completed, which will be before long.

The management of the Kearsarge Mill have aimed to pay their help all they could and make the mill a paying concern; and the wages of the operatives the past year averaged within five per cent. as much as in 1869. Under the present control the pecuniary condition of the corporation has steadily improved, while the efficiency of the mill has as steadily advanced. The agent, Robert B. Adams, Esq., who has been connected with the establishment for eight years past, first as foreman of the machine shop, and later as agent, he having taken the latter position when Mr. Thompson left it to become agent of one of the factories in Manchester, is thoroughly competent to fill the important position he holds; the treasurer, William H. Thompson, Esq., has the entire confidence of the corporation and the public; and they and the able corps of assistants are earnestly interested in making the establishment profitable to the stockholders, which for the good of the city if for no other reason we hope it will always be.

As a closing paragraph we will say a few words about the veteran clerk of the company, Ammi R. H. Fernald, Esq., who has been clerk since August 12th, 1845, and in all that time has missed but one pay-roll. The mill was built in 1845-46; and early in the former year Mr. Fernald, with Jerry S. Young, Calvin Brown and Thomas Clapham, staked out the ground on which the building now stands, Mr. Fernald having been connected with the enterprise ever since. Few men can boast such a record for long-continued, faithful and intelligent service as our respected townsman, the proprietors' clerk of Kearsarge Mill.

[Communicated.]

LANDING-STAGE WANTED.

Mr. Editor:—I read in the CHRONICLE recently a communication concerning the "Perils of Navigation" on the Piscataqua, in which the writer said there is but one public landing place for boats within the city limits, and that at the extreme north end of the town. There used to be one—and a great convenience it was—at the foot of Daniel street, close by the landing of the navy yard ferry boat. It did not cost the city much, as the stage itself was but the old tank which was thrown aside by the naval authorities when the new navy yard landing stage was fitted up, and was "borrowed" by the city—never to be returned or paid for, of course. Piles were fitted with iron travellers to hold the tank in place and allow it to rise and fall with the tide, and a bridge and brow were built; and the landing stage thus economically procured was almost always in use by boats from across the river, or owned on this side. But the old tank *was* old, and rotten, and finally it commenced to sink; and a committee of the Board of Aldermen was authorized to haul it up and fix it. The committee did haul it up, and never put it down again, reporting (I believe) that it was too far gone to be made tight. If that committee had known enough to have filled the old tank full of cord wood or slabs, at an expense to the city of perhaps twenty or thirty dollars, and then put it back again and let it fill with water if it wanted to, we should have had a good landing place there for years yet; for the top would have floated a foot above the water, which is amply sufficient for a boat landing, though it might not do to accommodate a steamboat. I don't know if the old tank is still in the land of the living; but the piles and footbridge are still in their places at the foot of Daniel street, and three good-sized logs with planks bolted across them would make a stage which would furnish a needed accommodation at a very small expense. Why cannot the city do this much for the convenience of BOATS?

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Sept. 19th.

Jeremiah Murphy (not the Jeremiah Murphy who went to jail Monday evening in default of payment of $4.45 fine and costs for stealing a ride, but his father,) was arraigned for drunkenness. The evidence showed that the charge was only too true, and old Jerry was ordered to hand over $9.90, (he might as well have been ordered to pay the National debt,) failing to do which he was sent up. Old Jerry and young Jerry, old Jerry's son, are both provided for now.

David Barry and Andrew Callahan, two boys, were arraigned for stealing a ride in Mr. Jere Gunnison's boat. The owner of the boat not being present, the case was continued to Thursday morning.

AT THE FAIR.

The Manchester correspondent of the Boston *Globe*, writing of the State Fair, says: "Frank Jones' eight yoke of mammoth working oxen are the admiration of every farmer on the ground. Their weight is as follows; One yoke, seven years old, 6180 pounds; one yoke, five years old, 4660; one, four years old, 4200; one, six years old, 4200; one, six years old, 3920; one, six years old, 3700; one, four years old, 3760; and one four years old, 4010; total, 34,630 pounds."

Other entries from Portsmouth are as follows:

Frank Jones, one pair matched horses; one gelding, five years old; one gelding, three years old.

Frank W. Hilton, pair matched horses, Gipsey and Bessie, five and six years old.

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

The Board had a session on Wednesday evening; present, the Mayor, Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Wilson, and Messrs. Shannon, Sherburne, Pender, DeNormandie, May, Hacket, Goodrich and Wendell.

The subject of a teacher at the Franklin School was discussed, and it was voted that the secretary give notice of a competitive examination to be held at half-past two o'clock on Saturday, the 29th inst. The petitioners for the appointment of Mr. C. A. Shannon were granted leave to withdraw.

Further report from the committee on rules was presented by Mr. DeNormandie.

The names of committee upon the different grades of schools were reported, and the members therein designated were chosen.

The subject of compensation of teacher of Lafayette School was referred to the subcommittee of Ward No. Three.

The remaining portion of the report of the committee on rules was laid on the table.

Adjourned for two weeks.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The injury to Mrs. N. Appolonio, who was one of the sufferers by the breakdown in Blackstone square, Boston, on the 17th inst., was severe; both bones of the leg were broken below the knee, and split, and she had to wait some hours before a surgeon could be obtained to set the bones. The wife of Mr. Henry Fernald, a Portsmouth boy who has been employed in the money order department of the Boston post-office for some years, was also hurt, but not so badly as many others.

Steamer Major, Capt. Robinson, made an excursion from Merrimack to the Shoals and this city, Wednesday. The excursionists were accompanied by the Merrimack Band.

Assistant Postmaster J. Wentworth Ayers is taking his summer vacation.

Chief Engineer Wm. H. Shock, U. S. N., Chief of the Bureau of Steam Engineering, and the Chief of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery, visited the navy yard on official duty, Wednesday, and received the regulation salute.

It is said by Col. Kent's neighbors that it was not the row made by his dogs that scared the intending thieves out of his garden on the night of the 17th, but the appalling apparition of a big man, apparently about seven feet high and dressed in a single long white garment, jumping around over flower beds and bushes. According to the neighbors the appearance was fierce to behold.

The Street Commissioner has done a good job in relaying the cross-walk at the entrance of Locke's stable on Congress street, where was heretofore an uncomfortable walk over cobble stones, which are now replaced by an improved pavement.

The *Times* of Wednesday evening says: "Ship Jean Ingelow, Capt. Tanton, arrived at Batavia, Japan, on the 13th inst." This capsizing of astronomy and geography will have to be stopped, or we shall find our relations with foreign powers seriously compromised. Shifting the "vernal equinox" into September might not do much harm, but the Dutch government will be sure to raise a row about this moving of Batavia from Java up to Japan.

The Portsmouth City Guards have elected First Lieutenant James E. Ford, Captain, and Orderly Sergeant Alonzo F. Burnham, First Lieutenant.

At Dover on Tuesday, before Register in Bankruptcy Sawyer, E. B. West, Esq., of this city was chosen assignee of the estate of George E. Hanson, bankrupt.

Mr. Charles W. Adams, General Passenger Agent of the Chicago & Erie Railroad, with headquarters at Chicago, arrived at his home in this city on Wednesday, for a brief visit.

—A Meriden school district has "struck." The committee having insisted on retaining an unpopular teacher, all the families in the district have withdrawn their children and the school ma'am goes daily to the school house and stays there all alone, so as to draw her wages.

MARRIED.

CHESLEY—PETTINGILL. In Kingston, Sept. 18, by Rev. J. Chapman, Mr. George E. Chesley of Lee, and Miss Abbie H. Pettengill of Haverhill, Mass.

DIED.

☞ The funeral of Andrew Wilson will take place this (Thursday) afternoon at 3 o'clock from No. 13 South Street. Friends and relatives are invited to attend without further notice.

HOYT. In Newington, Sept. 18th, Mrs. Lizzie J. Hoyt, wife of Mr. G. P. Hoyt.

☞ Funeral from the church in Newington on Saturday afternoon at one o'clock.

PEASLEE. In Kingston, Sept. 17, Mrs. Mary E. Peaslee, wife of Simmons S. Peaslee, aged 51.

DAVIS. In Stratham, Sept. 17, Mr. Amos Davis, aged 79 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

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SAILED, Sept 17.

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ARRIVED, Sept 18.

Sch Plymouth, Stuart, Maitland, N S.

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Sch G W Raitt, Coleman, Rockland.

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal in such stalls, or in any premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Bennett Medal.

In 1869 the late James Gordon Bennett, recognizing the services of the firemen at the burning of his house, sent a check for $1500 to the commissioners, to be used in the purchase of a medal for the most meritorious member of the department each year. Five hundred dollars were spent in the purchase of a die, and the interest of the remainder is annually applied to the purchase of a gold medal. A roll of honor is kept at department headquarters, recording all noteworthy actions of the men, and the one who has especially distinguished himself for bravery is chosen as recipient of the medal, at the annual parade. Ten medals have already been awarded, the first to M. D. Tompkins, foreman of an engine company, who, at the risk of his own life, saved a woman from the second story of a building, and the second to B. A. Gicquel, who rescued two women and two children. Charles L. Lelly received one for the heroism he displayed at a fire on the northeast corner of Division and Forsyth streets. The flames were burning fiercely on the first floor, but Kelly climbed up the shutters to the second floor, and thence carefully lowered three persons to the ground. He also saved the lives of others, who were paralyzed by terror, in directing them to a stairway, and in leading them down. Ambrose L. Austin was at a fire and saw a woman striving to climb the basement steps; the flames steadily repulsed her, but Austin dashed through them and carried her out. Thomas Henry, another medalist, rescued eight persons from the second story of a burning building. Thomas Hutchinson was told that some persons were in a burning tenement house on Baxter street. He made his way up the exterior to the second story, rear, and found a boy hanging from the third-story platform of the fire-escape. He told the boy to drop, and that he would catch him. The boy obeyed, and was snatched by Hutchinson as he fell through the air. William H. Nash was awarded a medal for saving the lives of two children at No. 223 Division street, and William Mitchell was awarded another for rescuing a man from a pit of flame at No. 78 Pearl street. James Horn rescued six persons from No. 351 Rivington street, and Henry Schuck, at great personal risk, fought his way through a furnace to save an infant. There is not one among these instances of bravery that, if given in greater detail, would not read like romance, but the romance is reality of a very good sort—*Harper's for October.*

A Curious Case of Infatuation.

Jennie June, writing from Brooklyn to the Baltimore *American*, says:

It is generally supposed that when beautiful young women marry elderly men they do it simply and solely as a matter of business—so much young flesh and blood for so much money, and there is little sympathy for either side if the bargain does not turn out as good as was expected. A young lady of Brooklyn has recently, however, reversed all the traditions in this respect. She is an only child and the apple of her parents' eyes. She is extremely pretty and petite, with a rose leaf complexion, a plump yet delicate form, and a profusion of golden brown hair. She has been educated at home exclusively and seen but little of the world, except one year spent abroad. This trip was projected in order to get rid of an attachment which, to her parents' horror, she had formed for a man of nearly sixty years old, who was in the habit of visiting her father occasionally, but who took advantage of the privilege accorded to his age, and of a still somewhat fine and even distinguished personal appearance, to make passionate love to the daughter. He is a very poor man, so poor that his board and washing bills are always in arrears, and he is overwhelmed with debts for personal indulgences for which he never thinks of paying. All this has no effect on the girl. She insisted upon having him; and the parents, really knowing but little of him, after a hard contest finally gave a conditional consent, their daughter to first accompany her mother abroad for a year, and if she, on her return, desired to marry her elderly lover, they would no more oppose it, but pay his debts and give him a home at their house, for they have abundant means, and the daughter has every advantage that wealth could bestow. A few months ago the mother and daughter returned from Europe, the daughter still determined on an alliance so repulsive to her family that the thought had made her mother's hair turn gray. But, in the meantime, her father had made himself acquainted with some previous passages in the man's career, and as soon as possible after her arrival placed them strongly before her. The man was proved to be a thoroughly unprincipled old scamp, the father of an illegitimate child, whose mother he had refused to marry—the boy, now fifteen years of age, supported and kept at school by his mother's daily labor. He had even been compelled to leave one place where he lived to escape lynching, and left everywhere in debt. The father with tears told his daughter he could not let her marry such a man, and that her death would be almost preferable. He pictured her ten or fifteen years from this time, in the flower of womanhood (she is not yet nineteen,) with a husband decrepit and helpless, whom she could not even respect. But it was all of no avail. She insisted that he

had been abused, wronged, and said it was the one desire of her life to be able to comfort his remaining years, and smooth his pathway to the grave. There seems to me something radically wrong and morbid about a case like this, and I think her parents would be justified in taking strong measures to save their daughter from her self-imposed fate. If they do not, she will certainly blame them some time for their failure to rescue her from her situation; and should she even die, as she threatens, her death would be easier borne than the long, horrible sacrifice to which she wishes to consign herself.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 21, 1877.

The Last Train Robbery.

The particulars of the robbery of a train on the Union Pacific Railroad at Big Springs, Nebraska, on the night of the 18th, are given as follows: As the eastward bound express pulled up at the station, and the express messenger opened the door to deliver for the station, about half a dozen masked men forced their way into the express car and with drawn revolvers compelled express messenger Miller to unlock the safe, containing about $60,000, mostly gold coin, with which they escaped. The party consisted of about twelve or thirteen men, some of whom held the messenger while the rest went into the telegraph office and made the operator destroy his instruments to prevent his reporting the occurrence. The robbers then mounted their horses and started north. The train got started as soon as possible and reported the robbery from the next station. A large force was at once organized and started in pursuit of the robbers. The country north of the scene of the robbery is open and barren, forming the largest portion of the great plains. After the robbery parties were ordered out on horseback from Julesburg, Ogallala and North Platte. Superintendent Davis telegraphed the Sheriffs at Denver and Deadwood, offering $5000 reward for the capture of the thieves and $5000 for the recovery of the money. Shortly after the robbery Conductor Strong's freight train reached Big Springs, and the engine was detached and sent on to Ogallala, whence he forwarded the account of the affair. The passenger engine, the fires of which had been wet down by the robbers, was fired up and the train proceeded eastward. The following is the conductor's report: "There were from twelve to fifteen masked men. They had the agent captured, a red light for orders, and the telegraph instrument cut out. When I went on the platform to obtain orders, two men with a revolver in each hand told me to throw up my hands. They already had the engineer, fireman and express messenger captured. They got $65,000 in coin and $469 in currency. They only went through the passengers on the first-class coaches, when freight No. 10 came along and frightened them off. They got $1300 in cash, four gold watches, and a ticket to Chicago from the passengers. Miller, the express messenger, was bruised about the head, but not seriously. They made the agent knock at the express car door, causing it to be opened. The express safe, with a combination lock, is safe with its contents. A man named Morris lost a gold watch, a ticket and $480 in money. I went back flagging No. 10. They sent a guard with me part way, and then put the fire out in the passenger engine."

MacMahon's Manifesto.

The manifesto of MacMahon was published in the French official journal on the 18th, and is so threatening in tone as to unfavorably affect the European bourses. He says the radicals have forgotten his share of authority; the people do not believe he wishes to overthrow the Republic; the constitution has been entrusted to his guardianship and he will make it respected. If the elections are unfavorable he will not obey the mandates of the demagogues, but will remain to defend with the support of the Senate the interests of the conservatives. He says that for the last four years he has maintained the peace and personal confidence with which he is honored by foreign sovereigns. This enables him to render France's relations with all powers more cordial. He points out how France has prospered, and says that the deputies, throwing off the leadership of moderate men, at length forgot the share of authority belonging to him, and which he could not allow to be diminished without involving the honor of his name before the people of France, and in history. In the exercise of his right he dissolved the Chamber. His Government will designate among candidates those who are authorized to make use of his name. Elections favorable to his policy will facilitate the regular conduct of the existing Government. Hostile elections would aggravate the conflict between public powers as well as impede the course of business and maintain agitation.

News and Notes.

The body of John Maloney, who was drowned off Wood Island, near Biddeford Pool, some weeks ago, was picked up on Tuesday of last week by Capt. Norwood, keeper of the Wood island light.

The Warren Avenue Baptist Church, of Boston, is to have a year to recede from its heterodox position concerning open communion, failing to do which in that time it will be church-mauled by the Boston North Baptist Association. The Association met in Winchester, Mass., on Wednesday, and the letter of the offending church to the Association, which was read in the meeting, was published before its delivery in the Boston *Journal* of the same morning. Rev. Dr. Pentecost stated that the editor of the *Journal* solemnly promised not to have the letter published until after it had been read.

We do not think it consistent with the dignity of the republican convention to have all its committees published before it assembles, and we approve still less the act of one of the Boston papers in printing this morning an abstract of Senator Hoar's address before it was delivered. It is as impolitic for newspapers to enter into this kind of rivalry, as to vie with each other in cutting down their advertising rates—*Worcester Gazette.*

The English iron-clad "Shannon," the first vessel of a new class, tried to make a six hours' steaming trial at Plymouth a few days ago, but her bearings became so overheated that she had to be stopped. After a week she was still in such shape that three stoppages for cooling had to be made in one hour. Then it was discovered that her bowsprit was out of place, so that for ramming purposes she would be useless; also, that she was so overmasted and that such mistakes had been made in calculating her displacement that she drew twenty-three inches more than had been expected and allowed for. At the same time the "Flamingo" set out from Plymouth for Malta, and during her brief voyage displayed faults so multitudinous and multifarious that Admiral Rice declared that unless she was put into better shape in a fortnight he would order her home as useless. It is reassuring after all this to learn that the English naval authorities are not disheartened, for a London paper says of the discouraging "Shannon" that "probably she will make one or two more preliminary trials to discover more exactly her imperfections."

Senator Bogy of Missouri is dead.

There was a fatal case of yellow fever on board schooner Kit Carson at Portland, Me., on Thursday.

New Hampshire Items.

Thomas Perry, six years old, was playing on the Concord Railroad track in Manchester on Wednesday, where he was run over by a train, and killed.

Base ball—Manchesters 9, Chicagos 0, at Manchester on Thursday.

Political.

The Massachusetts republicans in State convention assembled, on Wednesday renominated Gov. Rice and Lieut. Gov. Knight, Sec. of State Peirce and Att'y Gen. Train. "The policy" was endorsed, as were also the civil service reform measures of the administration.

The New Jersey democrats on Wednesday nominated Gen. McClellan for Governor. The nomination is a strong one.

The Boston *Post* has already decided that Rice will be defeated by Gaston, and has set "the best republican leaders" in this State to "trembling over its effect upon the coming New Hampshire campaign." We think we have seen something like this in the columns of the *Post* a good many times before.

An American Stage-Coach.

Since a trip on the top of a stage-coach has become so deservedly popular with New Yorkers, a great deal of attention has been drawn to the subject of staging for pleasure, and there seems to be but one objection to the system so admirably carried out by Colonel Kane and the coaching club.

This objection arises from the fact that everything pertaining to these stages is strictly in the English fashion. The stage itself is an English vehicle; the driver is as much like an English stage-coach-driver as it is possible to make him; the guard blows his horn as Britishly as he can; the horses, which are English in their appointments, are changed in the English fashion, while the driver and the passengers, like Englishmen, get down to take a glass of English ale; the stage is whirled up to the tavern in regular English style, and, indeed, there is scarcely any difference between one of these New York coaches and an English stage.

Now, to a truly American mind, there is something distasteful in all this. If stage-coaches are to be run for the amusement and diversion of our people, why not have some of them based on an American model?

It may be well enough to give the people of our large cities an idea of how staging is, or was, carried on in England; but would it not be as well to show them how it is conducted in the far West, where there is a system of coaching which is distinctively American?

It would not be difficult, in the vicinity of New York, to make arrangements for running a line of stage-coaches strictly on the American plan. Any of the partly opened streets in the upper portion of the island would do for a starting-place, and a rough bridge, in imitation of those in use in the unsettled portion of the South-west, might be thrown over Spuyten Duyvil creek. The route could then be laid out along some of the least frequented country roads, and some of the low-lying places might be filled in with corduroy.

Then one of our Western stage-coaches, with six mules at full gallop, and a driver who was accustomed to guide them with the lines in his teeth and a rifle in his hands, would tear along the road, with all the clatter and bang and wild excitement that you could get on a road down near the Mexican border. The mules would be of the kind that no driver could stop between stations, and if he could keep them in the road it would be all that would be expected of him.

At certain points there would be armed men, ambushed by the road-side, whose duty it would be to fire at the stage as it passed, and as each of the passengers would be required to carry a rifle, very pretty sport could be had by peppering the bushes as the stage dashed along.

At other points, the stage would be stopped, and each passenger carefully robbed by highwaymen. This part of the exercises might be made very effective. The valuables taken could be returned on application to the stage office, or they could be kept as perquisites by the obliging attendants.

Sometimes the services of Indians or Mexicans might be obtained, and an attack on the stage by a small party of either of these would give variety to the proceedings.

Refreshments, such as are found at the stations on the prairie roads, would be furnished at the stopping-places, and many persons be thus afforded opportunities, which they could not otherwise obtain, of eating the crust off an immense lump of dough, hastily baked over a hot fire, and put on again after the departure of each coach, to be recrusted for the next load of passengers. Some pork and beans, and hot fried cakes, could also be served, if thought necessary.

Miners could be hired to play cards in the coaches, and all the cards, knives, and revolvers necessary could be furnished by the company.

By careful attention to these and other details, a line of coaches might be established, which should represent, with accuracy and fidelity, some of the characteristic methods of travel in our own country. And it is scarcely necessary to say that this would be a great educational boon to people like the citizens of New York, who will soon begin to believe that there are no stage-coaches excepting those modeled and run upon the English plan.—*Scribner's "Bric-a-Brac."*

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HOYT. In Newington, Sept. 18th, Mrs. Lizzie J. Hoyt, wife of Mr. G. P. Hoyt.

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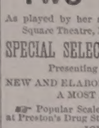

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SATURDAY, September 22d,

At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, at 2 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:

A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,800 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,500 and unpaid taxes.

Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,705 square feet more or less.

Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. P. Sumner for $1,800 and unpaid taxes.

All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on a plan of Real Estate and Building Company's Land, to wit: Lot No. 8, 30 division, sec. 6; lot 76, 31 div., sec. 6; lot 79, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 19, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 64, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 89, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 38.

Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:

A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Gunnison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.

About 10,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton street, Neponset avenue and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.

About 9,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington av. or street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, it being lot 103 on plan of division 5 of the 4th and 5th divisions of section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.

All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.

Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.

Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.

For further particulars in regard to title, etc., inquire of J. M. Twichell.

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To Let.

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" Way,	10.55	" 3.00	"
Portland	8.45	" 4.35, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	8.45	" 6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	8.45	" 4.35	"
Great Falls	8.45	" 4.35	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	8.45	"	
Concord and North,	7.40	" 4.35	"
Concord Way,		" 4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40	" 4.35	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.40	" 4.35	"

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Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10	A. M. 5.50,	P. M
" Way,	10.10	A. M., 5.50	P. M
Portland and East,	11.00	" 5.15	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20	"	
Concord and North,	10.20	" 6.30	"
Dover,	10.20	" 5.50	"

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, Sept. 20th.

Andrew Callahan and David Barry were before the court, on a continued case, for unlawfully taking possession of a boat belonging to Mr. Jere. Gunnison. They acknowledged going away with the boat, knowing they had no right so to do, but each blamed the other for being the leader in the rascality. Judge Batchelder decided the charge proved, and sentenced Barry to pay a fine of $5 and Callahan $3, the costs, amounting to $11.51, being divided between them. In default of payment Barry was sent to Brentwood, and Callahan was lodged in jail. The reason Callahan was not sent up country with Barry is that he is wanted at the approaching term of the Supreme Court to answer to an indictment for stealing a quantity of lead pipe; this indictment was found against him some time ago, but the culprit was let off on probation, and the indictment was to have been dismissed at the coming term if no other complaint was made against him in the meantime; but he has been "up" for truancy, assaulting another boy, and stealing a boat, since the indictment was suspended over him, and now he will be tried for the more serious offence.

James Haddock and Oliver Amazeen were charged with unlawfully taking possession of a team belonging to Mr. Stoddard, hired of him by Josiah Frost, and going off for a ride with the same against the peace and dignity of the State and the statute in such case made and provided. That they took the team as charged was proved, but Frost not appearing it could not be shown that the team was taken without his consent, and the defendants were discharged.

Oliver Amazeen was then arraigned for being drunk, pleaded guilty, and the Judge made some brief remarks about $9.90.

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

At the Board's meeting on Wednesday evening, sub-committees for the different grades of schools were elected, as follows:

Primary schools—Mrs. Knight, Messrs. Goodrich and Pender;

Intermediate schools—Mrs. Wilson, Dr. May and Dr. Sherburne;

Grammar schools—Messrs. Hutchinson, Gardner and Shannon;

Suburban schools—Messrs. Hackett, Wendell and Hutchinson.

AT THE FAIR.

In addition to the entries at the State Fair by Portsmouth people already published, we find the following in the *Mirror*:

Charles H. Hayes, one herd Ayrshires, consisting of bull and five cows; two bulls; three cows; two heifers; turnips, carrots, beets, onions, sweet corn, and five varieties of apples.

Mrs. S. E. Pearson, two hand bouquets, one table bouquet, decorations on two vases.

Mrs. L. Seavey, everlasting flowers, wreath cross basket.

Mrs. Louise Seavey, embroidery mats, crotchet cloud, wrought ottoman, embroidered shawl bag.

Mrs. Frank W. Miller, twenty-two vases canned fruit, six vases jellies.

Mrs. E. P. Seavey, two tidies, two rugs.

Mrs. Eliza Garrett, two blankets, silk patchwork quilt.

Charles Hayes & Son scooped numerous premiums, as follows: On Ayrshire stock—1st prize on herd, 2d on 3-year bull, 1st on bull-calf, 2d on 4-year cow, 1st on 3-year cow, 1st on 2-year cow, 1st and 2d on 1-year cow, 1st on heifer calf. On fruit—1st premium for best plate Hubbardston apples, 2d premium for best five varieties. On vegetables—special premium for show of Burbank's seedling potatoes.

Frank Jones took first prize on matched horses, and 1st on colts of one, two, three and four years. His magnificent ox-team was only entered for exhibition, but will receive a special award (a medal, we believe) as the best team ever shown in the State, owned by one man.

Col. Hilton's pair of matched horses were not so heavy as some of their competitors, but are so finely matched and such splendid drivers that a special premium was awarded them.

Mrs. Garrett received 1st premium for an Afghan.

Mrs. M. R. Haley took four second premiums.

[The above list is very incomplete, but it is all we could procure last evening.]

[Communicated.]

THE LANDING STAGE.

Mr. Editor:—In his appeal to the city authorities to make a decent landing place for small boats at the foot of Daniel street, where there used to be one, your correspondent "Boats" does not give all the reasons that he might in its favor. One of these reasons is that a landing there would always have the benefit of the navy-yard-landing light up to a reasonably late hour at night; another is that in bad weather there is a convenient ferry house in which women and children, and men too, can take refuge, or rest while waiting for their boats—for though the ferry house is exclusively the property of the general government, yet no objection was ever made by the navy yard authorities, so far as I ever heard, to any well behaved person making reasonable use of its advantages; and still another reason is that there is a watchful and efficient special police officer always on duty there during the day, and often in the evening. True, Mr. Anderson is paid by the general government and not by the city; but his presence would do much to stop the great and growing nuisance of boat stealing by the swarms of "dock-rat" boys, that has become so great an annoyance to parties coming from across the river in boats, if the boats were fastened to a public landing under his eye. The amount of traffic that was accommodated by the city landing there during the brief period of its existence, is a strong argument in favor of another one being provided; and almost any day ten or a dozen boats can be seen tied to the navy yard landing, where they have no business to be, because the city furnishes them with no place where they can rightfully be tied. Do, please, dear City Fathers, lay out a little "contingent" on a public landing place for boats at the foot of Daniel street. ROWLOCKS.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening:

The City Clerk being absent, Wm. C. Ham was chosen clerk pro tem.

David C. Urch was appointed special police without pay, at Newcastle bridge.

Wm. W. Cotton complained of the drain corner of Cabot and Islington streets. Referred to committee on drains.

Notice was received that Alvin H. Emery had commenced suit against the city.

George H. Perkins claimed compensation for loss of a horse valued at $150, injured on Banfield road last January, and since died. Referred to committee on claims.

Notice was received that Frank Jones and others have petitioned the Supreme Court for a new highway on Christian Shore.

Petition of Abraham Kay for use of Elm street ward room, for drum corps, received; leave to withdraw granted.

The resolution of the Board to pay claim of Mr. Hanscom, was vetoed by the Mayor. The following is the veto message:

Gentlemen: I return to this Board the bill of C. Dwight Hanscom without signing. The reason for so doing is that I have investigated the matter and find that the highway where the damage is alleged to have occurred was in good condition; several hundred vehicles passed over the crossing that day. People by reckless driving can no doubt break their carriages or their necks in any street in this city; and I am of the opinion that no member of this Board, or citizen, would think of allowing any such claim as the one here presented to the city, if made against them personally; and I think the guardians of the city should be as watchful of the city's money as they would of their own. I had an application this week requesting the city to pay 75 cts. for a jug of molasses that was spilled in a person's wagon by jolting in riding over a road in this city. If this Board deems it proper to pay such trivial claims, doubtless applications for damages will be numerous enough to supply you with plenty of business. J. H. BROUGHTON, Mayor.

Voted to pay A. K. Brown & Co. $250 on account, and that they be requested to appear before the Board at the next meeting, and make a statement of their account.

Committee on gas lights reported that the chimney of Ward's distillery is a nuisance; that he has been requested to raise it and put wire screens on it, but refuses to comply.

Voted that petition for naptha lights on Islington street be granted, provided the petitioners furnish posts and lanterns, the city to locate them.

Voted that the piggery of John Stokell & Co. be declared a nuisance, and that the assignee be notified to remove the same forthwith.

City Marshal's report was accepted.

Robert E. Rich was elected inspector of Petroleum, vice Wm. C. Ham, declined.

The Mayor and Ald. Hadley and Yeaton were appointed a committee to see what can be done to insure safety at the railroad crossings.

Under suspension of the rules, a vote was passed notifying the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire to secure the Green street crossing with a gate.

Ald. Coffin requested that John Turner, supernumerary policeman, be stationed between Frenchman's lane and the Eastern Railroad round-house.

In Convention, Surveyors of Highways were elected as follows:

George Murray, District One;
Thomas Wiggin, District Two;
Charles H. Hayes, District Three;
Samuel H. Whidden, District Four;
John C. Marden, District Five;
William P. Israel, District Six.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Mr. Charles E. Hodgdon, who was so severely injured at the Green street railroad crossing by the cars on the 17th, is recovering slowly.

Joseph C. Muchmore, James Barr and John A. Peterson have taken a contract to get the brig Clara J. Adams off the beacon ledge, and to deliver her alongside one of the wharves in this city, or at the Kittery railway.

L. Blumauer is offering great bargains and making large sales, in disposing of his stock of dry and fancy goods at No. 21 Market street. If you want anything in his line, now is your time to get it at the lowest possible price.

Ship Jean Ingelow, Capt. Tanton, arrived at Batavia, Java, July 29th, after a passage of one hundred and five days from New York.

Steamer Major, Capt. Robinson, made an excursion to the Shoals and this city on Thursday, from Newburyport.

Grand Master A. F. Craig and other grand officers of the I. O. O. F., will institute, at Groveton, on Friday evening, Sept. 28th, Ammonoosuc Lodge No. 29.

—What kind of tacks are used in tacking a ship.

—A Japanese is employed among the workmen on the Brooklyn bridge to do the climbing work. Recently he ran up a rope "hand over hand" for a distance of more than fifty feet, and performed the necessary work at the top with apparent ease.

—The Rome (New York) *Sentinel* explains why no mob assembled in that place during the recent railroad troubles. A stern deputy sheriff stood ready to pass around the hat at a moment's notice. Of all methods for breaking up an assembly, commend us to the contribution box.

—Says the New York *Commercial*: Preparations are being actively made for the resumption of fall studies at the various large universities. Entire new sets of bats and balls throughout have been provided at Yale, and Harvard is reported to have ordered a large consignment of euchre decks from a London dealer.

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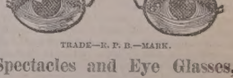

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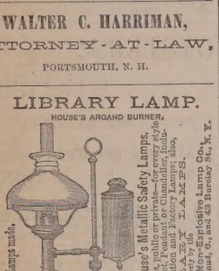

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEE. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than five dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal or any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after notice shall be notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at the usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land owned by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that any substance therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain tending thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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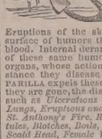

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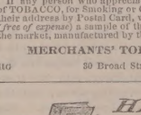

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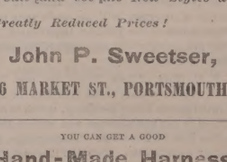

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Season of Horror.

The following account of the loss of schooner J. C. Van Name, of Fairhaven, Mass., which took place on Friday, August 3d, is from the narrative of Capt. Hardy, who commanded the lost vessel.

The Van Name was from New York, bound for Baracoa, coal laden, and having on board a crew of seven men and three passengers. Up to the morning of August 2d, the trip had been prosperous and all were in good spirits. During the night a heavy wind arose and the sea began to make until before morning tremendous waves were running. Through the night the rain fell also. The sea occasionally broke over the schooner, but the hatches were battened down, and no damage was done. At about five o'clock, Friday morning, the catastrophe occurred. It may be well to state something concerning the persons on board the schooner. Of the crew none except Captain Hardy and the steward were over twenty years of age. The Captain is about forty years of age, and has had a wide experience as a sailor. The passengers were Matilda Assurus, aged twelve, Freddie Assurus, aged nine, and a man, name unknown. The crew were unusually good young men, being temperate, averse to profanity and good workers.

When the dawn came under sullen clouds, with driving rain pelting the vessel and the men, that terrible Friday morning, the vessel was riding bravely. Great waves loomed up behind and all around, but there was in the mind of none on board a thought of danger. All were on deck except the girl, who, it was thought, was in the after cabin. The vessel was hove-to, to ride out the gale with the peak of the mainsail up. Everything else was stowed snug. At a quarter past four o'clock the vessel was tight and clear of water. At about five o'clock came the great waves which caused the wreck. As usual the middle wave of the three was the largest. It may be interesting to know that such waves always come in threes. When the first wave struck there was then little idea of danger, but with the second the vessel keeled over on one side, the cargo having shifted, and the third wave made a clean breach. All this had come so quick that there was hardly chance for thought. Before the calamity had been consummated, however, Captain Hardy had time to tell the steward to run for the girl. The steward was never seen afterward by any one except the first mate. In six minutes from the time the wave struck she had sunk and carried down with her the girl and Captain Hardy, who had grasped the back stay. How far he sank the captain does not know. When he came to the surface he grasped something, which proved to be an oar. With this he rose to the top of a great wave, but finding that it would not sustain him, and not being able to swim, he resigned himself to death, shouting out a farewell to the mate who was afloat not far away clinging to a piece of joist. Sinking again the captain came up once more, and grasping about without aim but in a frantic struggle for life, he caught hold of another piece of joist which luckily sustained him so that his head was out of water. Here he saw the boy drown. He was the best swimmer on the vessel, but although he had succeeded in getting two pieces of wood to float him, every huge wave that "combed" broke over his head, and he was suffocated and drowned.

With the vessel had gone down about everything. The boat, which was lashed, was carried down. All that appeared to offer rescue to the crew, who were in the water, were pieces of joist which had been on deck and which having floated away, were tossed wildly about. By little less than a miracle, of sixteen pieces which had floated off, eight had been secured. Of these it was necessary to make a raft. The mate had two pieces. Each piece was twenty-four feet long, but only a few inches wide, so that when finally they were got together a raft hardly three feet wide was formed. To get the joists together was a task of great difficulty, but when they were once gathered they were lashed together with the garments of which the sailors divested themselves. By the time the captain was reached he was numb, and as he says, "felt as if I had taken ether, and I didn't care whether I lived or died, hardly."

Beside the raft the sole property of the seven persons gathered, was an oar which had drifted from the boat. The buoyancy of the raft was not enough to keep them above water, and each had to hold on while partially under water while remaining on his hands and knees. If a condition so horrible has been imagined, an almost unimaginable horror was added now. Almost as soon as the raft was completed there appeared in the vicinity a number of sharks, which appeared to be hungry and ferocious, and all were large. Throughout the rest of the time spent on the raft they were constant attendants. Sometimes three or four large ones would be by the raft, and they would smell of the sailors, who were compelled to remain recumbent to avoid sinking their frail support. If the sea monsters had not been withheld by some unaccountable influence they would probably have gone on the raft, which would have ended all hope. This they could easily have done, as they floated on a level with the helpless sailors. Luckily some of the men had sheath knives, and when the sharks came up against them they used these knives to put out the monsters' eyes. Still the sharks

lingered. By times while on the raft, to add to their discomfort, it rained in gusts, and throughout Friday and Friday night, which latter season was horrible, the waves continued to run heavily and the waters constantly washed over the men. It was cold and the lack of clothing was a great want. Of food there was none, and drink was obtained only by spreading a handkerchief which was soaked with the rain.

The terrible Friday night experienced is beyond description. There laid the sharks eager for their prey; and the men, growing weaker but holding on with the desperation of despair, drifted, without a star in sight, the clouds being thick and black, and with rain and waves drenching and chilling them. They could not sleep, for that was sure death. An almost utter silence reigned as far as speech was concerned. About all had lost hope and the night was like a pall. Not a sail had been seen during the preceding day and the morning seemed ages away. The thought of a vessel passing in the night was added to other horrible fancies. The mate talked some on religious subjects, but few others had much to say, and their talk was confined to their condition.

A fear that should they see a vessel they might not be seen, was realized the next day, Saturday. To attract attention, one of the sailors managed to fasten the oar upright, and to attach to this his shirt. According to the captain, none had expected to see day, however. In seven days previous to the wreck only one vessel had been seen. Saturday morning a steamer hove in sight, but there came up a thick squall, and the raft was evidently unseen. All the sailors shouted, but the steamer when next seen had passed by. There was a wonderful eloquence of despair in the act of the owner of the shirt which had served as a flag. Without a word he managed to get to his feet and taking down the garment put it on and then laid down again.

There was another disappointment in the shape of a sail which passed by during the day out of hailing distance. It was also discovered that the raft was breaking up, the fastenings becoming loosened, and the sharks forbade any attempt at repairs. After thirty-six hours time thus imprisoned the schooner Minnie Rippelier, Captain Henry L. Benton, for Aspinwall from Philadelphia, was sighted. She was on the wind, and her course brought her near the raft. The flag of distress had been placed again in position. The signal, however, seemed to be unseen. From the raft a man could be seen to climb the rigging and scan the water with a glass. This was an officer, who afterward told the rescued men that all he could see was a lot of heads. The schooner made no signals. All the men shouted with desperation, but although rescue was possible they all deemed it doubtful. One man who had the best eyes was appointed to watch, "although"—said the captain—"they all thought they had the best eyes."

Rescue was at hand, however, although there was peril in the method adopted. A [illegible] rope to the raft, which was seized. Had the raft separated, which calamity was feared, the sharks, which were watchful, were ready for a dash. As it was, in their eagerness to get off, the raft was sunk farther until the plan of getting off one at a time was adopted. Once aboard the Rippelier they were taken to Aspinwall. Captain Hardy has arrived home. "You have no idea of our feelings," he says, "when that steamer moved away." The sharks made only one attempt at an attack, and then one shark snapped at a sailor's foot, which was missed, however. The captain is well, but says: "In looking back it makes me shiver; I can hardly believe it."

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 22, 1877.

New York Letter of Fashion.

NEW YORK, Sept. 19.

A humorous writer says, "If you want to do well in the music business, have a top note." My verdict is, "If you want to do well in the fashion business; *i. e.*, if you wish to be fashionable—wear beads." Have them on your bonnet, shower them on your costume; wear them peeping forth from beneath your dress, bestrew them plentifully on your stockings, and even on your shoes. The beads just mentioned are bronzed or made to glitter with metallic effect; the latter style being the *clair de lune* jet of which we shall see and hear a good deal before the expiration of the winter. Bronze will be the leading color. 'Tis going to be bronze, bronze, bronze,—in silks, dress goods, millinery, and I know not what. Now, "why is this?" one asks, and I answer, for several reasons. Firstly, because the various bronze shades harmonize so well with the different yellows now so fashionable. Then again, bronze is a handsome color, and affords a variety from brown, on which the changes have been rung so everlastingly that despite its many advantages, we have grown somewhat tired of it. Running the gauntlet of colors over, we find that bronze is more generally suitable than blue, green, plum or grey, and therefore while we shall see all the above hues patronized, yet bronze will be *the* color.

DRESS MATERIALS.

Is it a result of women's rights, that dress materials look rough enough to suit so many Amazons going to war? Be that as it may, it is a fact that they do. Yet the vanity of the sex comes out in the bright intermingling of color which are apparent—gay dashes or dottings—maybe both—of red, blue, or yellow, scattered broadcast and at random over the goods, as one would sow wheat in a field. The ground work may be plain, or again it may be wrought into mosaic figures, but regularity of design is thus set at naught and counteracted. New silks also are devised in similar fashion, and both come under the heading of bourette goods. But should some doubting soul exclaim, "You have just said that bronze is the leading color," I reply so I have, and so I do now. Let me explain: Bourette goods, being so rough, need an offset, and here comes in your bronze; effective in plainly woven woolens and silks which will appear as parts of combination costumes. Standard materials are among the first importations, and as for general wear nothing is so desirable as black, we find that special attention is paid to the better class of black goods. In cashmeres, the Grand Opera brand is preferred by purchasers of discrimination, and in mohairs the Beaver brand is excellent, being silk finished and a fast black, while the stable brand of Turkish brilliantine possesses the highest degree of brilliancy and is the most beautiful black lustre goods ever imported.

MILLINERY.

We are rushing after satin and plush with the avidity of a widower "along in years" who seeks to fascinate a girl of sixteen. Velvet is classed as thoroughly respectable, but who wants to dress "respectably?" We want something stylish—something which is new, and which will cause Mrs. A— over the way to look at us and feel jealous. In millinery especially sparkles the *clair de lune* jet. Tis everywhere—placed on plain foundations, bristling on aigrettes, hanging on petals, bestrewn on leaves, glistening on moss, peeping forth on braids, gleaming on buckles, and giving out changing hues with every change of light. Shapes are various, with square or slightly pointed crowns, and narrow brims and foliage is massed in heavy moutures, occasionally lightened by flowers.

COSTUMES.

Princess polonaises lead, but close fitting basques and overskirts are not discarded; again we find the princess dress all in one. One of the handsomest designs in the last named style is the "Davenport" dress, having the front draped across, quite low down, and a plaited train inserted about midway down the back, producing a fan-like effect. The "Czarina" polonaise is also novel and distinguished, being a unique design in which the waist, both back and front, is partially shirred and confined in a deep yoke. The "Camille" basque is a distingue design, tight fitting, with the trimming arranged to simulate a vest, and the neck cut low and shawl shaped. The "Juanita" overskirt is irregular in arrangement, and very stylish, the front being disposed on the right in deep, diagonal folds, while the left side is plain and lapping over the right at the belt. The closely clinging drapery at present fashionable, demands a support for the dress other than that afforded by the ordinary underskirt, and hence we find different kinds of tournoures designed which combine both elegance and comfort. Perfection has been reached in the "Queen," which besides being very stylish shaped, possesses a durability and [illegible] with a gossamer lightness never before equalled. It is entirely new, made without pockets, clasps, buttons, or other metallic device, and the tapes are sewed to the wires by a lockstitch sewing machine of novel construction, made especially for this purpose. One will be sent post paid, on receipt of $1.50, by J. L. Colby & Co., 425 Broome street.

LUCY CARTER.

Serves Them Right.

The "Mother of Presidents" is beginning to find out that continued bleating about "honah, sah," is not enough to keep good the reputation and credit of a swindler. Virginia wants a temporary loan of $200,000. But there has been and is now so much repudiation talk in the Old Dominion that the authorities find the credit of the State so shaky that neither the Richmond banks nor the Northern banks that have been applied to, are inclined to make any further loans that may be subjected to arbitrary "adjustment."

Political.

The Maryland republicans in State convention, Thursday, endorsed the policy all through.

This is the way Secretary Key's New England speeches affect a Texas editor: "We spit him out! We spurn and loathe the crop-eared craven, the foul, unclean buzzard, who pollutes the eagle's eyrie."

It is expected that assessments in the name of requests will be made upon the Ohio clerks in the Interior Department, as they are being made on clerks of the same State in the Treasury.

E. R. Hoyt, of New York, the new Indian Commissioner, is the President of the United States Dairy Company, which is engaged in the manufacture and exportation of the product known as oleomargarine, or butter from tallow. Now Mr. Hoyt may be a very proper man for Commissioner, and may know all about the duties, but we cannot help feeling that we have already had too much oleomargarine in our dealings with Indian affairs. It is time for the dawn of an era of honesty, genuineness, good faith.—*Providence Journal.*

New Hampshire Items.

Lebanon has decided in open town meeting, called for the purpose, that cider shall not be sold in that town in quantities less than ten gallons, there being but one dissenting vote.

A Tamworth school-boy weighs 268 pounds.

Potatoes are reported to be rotting badly in the northern part of the State.

There was a frost in Hopkinton on the morning of the 19th, sufficient to kill vegetation in the valleys.

A two-story house of Benjamin F. Nichols of Keene was burned Thursday afternoon. Loss about $5000; insurance on house and furniture, $4000. The fire was caused by a defective chimney.

John Dow of Epping died on the 13th from the effects of being thrown from a carriage a few days previous.

One day last week Deacon Noah P. Wiggin of Stratham, who is 83 years old, picked fifty-five bushels of potatoes besides taking care of four hogs, six cows and a yoke of oxen.

While Marshall Barney and Joseph Liberty were blasting in a well at Tilton on the 11th, the powder exploded. Barney had his hand blown off and one arm broken, and both were badly injured about the face and eyes.

The house of Nehemiah L. Meserve in Freedom, was burned on the 9th, with $115 in money. Loss $1000; insured $500. The barn of Henry Eldridge was burned on the same evening.

The Universalist State Convention meets in Claremont, Oct. 2d, 3d and 4th, and promises to be of more than usual interest. Among the speakers advertised we notice, Revs. E. M. Grant of Portsmouth, H. A. Philbrick of Pawtucket, R. I., H. M. Harris of Brattleboro, Vt., James Gaston of Nashua, J. H. Little of East Jaffrey, W. W. Hayward of Keene, E. L. Conger of Concord, and others. Rev. L. F. McKinney of Manchester will preside. The Claremont parish will welcome and entertain the convention. The Northern road will sell excursion tickets to Concord, from Nashua, Manchester, Portsmouth, Newmarket Junction and Epping at reduced rates.

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MARINE CHRONICLE.

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—To adopt that familiar proverb to suit these times it should read, "Truth is more of a stranger than fiction."

—If there is anything Miss Stepper is proud of, it is her little foot. When the shopman kept on bringing her boots at least seven sizes too large, she observed, "I wanted a boot for a lady, not a boot for a coach."

—The old proverb, "The more haste the worse speed" was never better exemplified than in the case of Nelson Sheldon, of Sheffield, Mass., who was committed to jail in Pittsfield three weeks ago for an assault. He had only two months to serve, and in fact his friends had raised money to pay his fine and costs, and he would have been released the next day. However, his impatience was so great that he escaped in the forenoon, and was recaptured at night as he was entering his home. The result of his escape is, that he will remain in prison until January for trial in the superior court for breaking jail; and, besides this, the officers when searching his house for him, after his escape, came across a lot of property which had been stolen from several places, and complaints for larceny will issue against him for his original offence. So his premature excursion involved him in trouble which will end in his imprisonment for a year or more.

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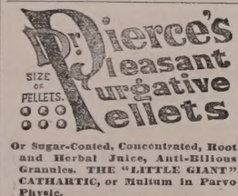
MONDAY, SEPT. 24th, 1877,
At 11 o'clock, A. M.
for the choice of Directors and transaction of any other business that may properly come before them.
WILLIAM H. HACKETT, Clerk.
Portsmouth, Sept. 8, 1877.



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NORTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.
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In the matter of Frank W. Davis, David Moulton and Jeremiah C. Carr, bankrupts: To all whom it may concern: By virtue of a license from said Court, granted at Syracuse, in said District, July 24, 1877, I shall sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, on
SATURDAY, September 22d,
At the town office in Everett Block, Hyde Park, at 3 o'clock P. M., all the right, title and interest, being the right to redeem, which said Jeremiah C. Carr has in and to the following described incumbered Real Estate situate in said Hyde Park, to wit:
A certain parcel of land and buildings thereon situated on River street and adjoining the Everett House, containing 4,868 square feet more or less and being subject to a mortgage of $5,500 and unpaid taxes.
Also another lot situated on the easterly side of Metropolitan avenue and northerly side of Clarendon avenue so called, being at the junction of said avenues, and containing 35,790 square feet more or less.
Also about one-half of another lot of land in West Roxbury, in said County of Norfolk, containing about 14 acres, and situated on Shawmut avenue, said premises being subject to a mortgage to M. F. Sumner for $1,600 and unpaid taxes.
All the right, title and interest that J. C. Carr now has in the following described real estate described and numbered on plans of Real Estate and Building Company's Lots, to wit: Lot No. 8, 3d division, sec. 6; lot 28, 3d div., sec. 6; lot 79, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 19, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 64, div. 4, sec. 6; lot 88, div. 4, sec. 6; part of lot 47, sec. 5, and lot 38, section 38.
Also immediately after the above sale will be sold on the premises the following described unincumbered real estate, to wit:
A parcel of land and buildings thereon, situated in Hyde Park on Gunnison street, containing 1,800 square feet more or less.
About 16,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Milton avenue, between Beacon and Highland streets; bounded northwesterly by the estate of W. P. Sparrell; southeasterly by the estate of Wm. Poole.
About 9,000 feet of land situated on the northeasterly side of Arlington av. or street, between Hyde Park avenue and Providence street, it being lot 105 on plan of division 3 of the 4th and 5th divisions of section 6 of the Real Estate and Building Company's land.
All the above mentioned land subject to unpaid taxes.
Arrangements have been made for Mrs. Carr to quit claim all her right in the above named Real Estate to the purchaser or purchasers.
Terms of sale—cash on delivery of the deed, with a reasonable time after the sale to examine the title. A payment will be required on the day of sale, on each piece of property sold.
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" Way,		10.55 "	5.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. Noyes. Subject, forenoon, "The bitter waters sweetened;" afternoon, "Receiving the Holy Ghost."

At the Universalist church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. E. A. Grant, at 10:15 A. M.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; Sabbath school at 2:45 P. M.; Prayer meeting in the evening at half-past seven o'clock.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder J. Libby will preach to-morrow.

At the Unitarian church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie, at 10:30 A. M. Vesper service at 7:30.

At the Congregational church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M.; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. Mr. Hubbell, the pastor.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M., 7:30. P M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. Dr. Alden. Subject in the evening, "The Humanity of Christ."

At Mechanics' Hall, at 4:15 P. M., the second anniversary of Bow Mission will be appropriately celebrated, with a brief history of the mission, and speaking by Rev. Mr. Goss and others. All are invited.

There will be a meeting of the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Speaking by members.

AT THE FAIR.

The following premiums, in addition to those already announced, were awarded to Portsmouth people at the State Fair.

Daniel H. Spinney, 1st on four varieties of pears.

Mrs. Eliza Garrett, $5 on blankets, $1 on quilt.

Mrs. Lizzie P. Seavey, $3 on embroidery.

HABEAS CORPUS.

A hearing was had before Judge Foster of the Supreme Court at Dover, on Friday, upon a writ of habeas corpus issued upon the petition of George W. Twombly of this city, who claims the custody of his minor child, held by his wife, from whom he has separated. The application is resisted on the ground that Twombly is an improper person to have the custody of the infant, who is of tender years. The parties had a difficulty about the custody of the child recently, and Twombly and his wife's father were before the Police Court on mutual charges of assault; Twombly went to his father-in-law's house, where his wife now lives, to demand the child, and a fracas ensued. Both parties were bound over to answer at the Supreme Court.

The evidence was but partly heard Friday, and the hearing will be resumed on Monday.

Hatch for the petitioner; Harriman for defendant.

FATAL ACCIDENT.

The Conway train for this city on Friday evening at about nine o'clock (the train being behind time) when at Butler's crossing in Kittery ran into a team which was trying to cross the track. The man who was driving the team was instantly killed, his skull being crushed in; he was caught up by the cow-catcher and carried some distance, until the train was stopped and his body taken on board. The corpse was brought to this city and placed in the station house, subject to the order of Coroner Wentworth, of Kittery. The horse escaped unharmed, but the wagon was destroyed. The unfortunate man left this city about an hour before the accident, it is said in an intoxicated condition; and we are informed that the flagman at the crossing vainly tried to prevent him from going upon the track. The deceased, whose name was Tomlinson, resided at Cape Neddick.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Messrs. Morse & Ilsley will sell to-day at their office, by auction, ten shares in the Concord Railroad and twenty-four shares in the Mechanics & Traders' Bank. See advertisement.

The Boston *Post* of Friday says: "The new ship Paul Jones, the finest vessel ever built at Portsmouth, is to be launched next Monday at twelve, noon." The Paul Jones is a very fine ship, but to say she is "the finest vessel ever built at Portsmouth" is a ridiculous extravagance of language. Nothing in the shape of an inferior vessel has been built here within our recollection, and some of the magnificent ships constructed by the late George Raynes (on the spot where the Paul Jones has been put together) and by other builders, of New Hampshire pasture oak and southern hard pine fastened together with copper, are still afloat and in good condition, after twenty or thirty years' hard service.

Three of the schooners belonging to the fishing fleet of Valentine Doane, Jr., have been hauled into their winter quarters below Newcastle bridge.

Mr. George Bilbruck and wife, of this city, arrived home on the 17th inst. from an extended tour in Europe.

The shore mackerel fishermen which have been cruising for the last week or more between Boon Island and the Isle of Shoals, have averaged better catches than they had previously made this season. The fish are going to the southward, as is usual at this time of year, and are very shy. The seiners have not as a general thing done much, and in fact no vessels have landed any large fares. The fishermen say there are plenty of fish on the coast, but from some reason there seems to be a lack of success in taking them. A large number of the men, unless there is an unusually large catch this Fall, will not have enough to carry them through the Winter; and the owners of the vessels would have been better off financially if they had let them lie at the wharves. The Bay fishermen have not done anything during the Summer, and some of them are in hopes to retrieve their bad fortune by staying there for the "Fall spurt."

Some days ago Mr. Stephen Marden, farmer, residing near the Plains, set fire to a pile of brush which he had gathered on his premises. The dry state of the ground, together with the sudden springing up of the wind, caused the flames to spread beyond control, and getting into his peat land the fire has raged lively there for about two weeks. It has already extended over about an acre and reached a depth of from three to four feet. Strenuous efforts to stop its progress have been unavailing, and only a good drenching rain will now be effectual.—*Times.*

The annual meeting of the New Hampshire branch of the Women's Board of Mission will be held in this city on Thursday, October 11th, at the North church chapel on Middle street; exercises at 10:30 A. M. and 2 P. M. Mrs. Bizzell of India is expected to be present.

News and Notes.

Samuel Cushing of Kennebunkport, Me., while out gunning Wednesday, accidentally shot himself in the right leg, which was amputated.

The French liberal papers talk very plainly to the "clerical" President, MacMahon, about his manifesto. The *Journal des Debats* points out that there have been other rulers of France who said they wouldn't quit power anyhow, yet who did quit in a hurry, for all that. The *Siecle* asks what France has done that MacMahon should treat her as a conquered country. The *Rappel* says that it is generally children, not great nations, who are intimidated by threats.

British steamship Rowland, with 60,000 bushels of wheat on board, has been wrecked off the Canadian coast. All hands saved.

One of the aldermen of Meriden, Conn., has been fined $40 for selling rum on Sunday evening to a selectman of the town who is also a constable.

The equinoxial storm—or a heavy cyclone which they take to be the line gale—has done immense damage along the Gulf coast. In Galveston, Texas, twenty small schooners were capsized, the town was flooded, bridges carried away, and damage to the amount of $130,000 done. The Warrior river, in Alabama, rose sixty feet.

In a recent decision it is held by the Treasury Department that when a vessel properly registered as owned by American citizens is found derelict at sea and condemned for the benefit of the salvers in a foreign country and there sold to American citizens, an American register can issue to the purchasers if they can produce a proper bill of sale.

Baltimore society is still agitated over the splendor of the wedding of Miss Florence Patterson, daughter of the late George Patterson, a nephew of Mme. Bonaparte, and James Carroll, son of the late Charles Carroll of Baltimore. The bride has been a belle for several seasons, and is the sole heiress to an estate valued at $500,000.

The Columbia (Tenn.) *Sentinel* tells of a man named Jo. Tomlinson who, while wrestling with the angel of mercy for the forgiveness of his sins at the mourner's bench at Hurricane Switch camp-meeting, became so conscious-stricken that he confessed the commission of a horrible murder in May county, several years ago.

Sargent, who claims to have invented the time lock, has had his claim confirmed and letters patent issued to him. The patent is estimated to be worth a million at least.

Delmere A. Patch of Richford, Vt., was pursuing a wounded blue crane, the other day, when the bird turned upon him and pierced his eye with its bill, entirely destroying the sight.

The Pope grows weaker, says the London *Times*. He does not rise until seven o'clock; he says mass, but can no longer stand to do so, and he sleeps much during the day. The *Times* adds that he "has also become somewhat difficult to manage in matters which would be conducive to his health. His physicians consider that during this hot weather the little bed-room he has always occupied was much too close, and by their directions his common, narrow iron camp bedstead was removed to a larger and more airy apartment, but after spending two nights there he insisted upon returning to his own little room he had been so long accustomed to. In his eating, also, plain as his fare is and always has been, he cannot be pursuaded to diet himself; he will eat indigestible things and take a great deal more green salad than is thought good for him. This combined with the impossibility of his taking any exercise tells much against him."

Hiram Cranston, for many years landlord of the New York Hotel in New York city, died on the 17th inst. His hotel was for twenty years the New York headquarters of southern men; and Cranston was an unmitigated secession copperhead, all through the rebellion and ever since.

A Richmond, Ky., correspondent of the *Courier-Journal*, writes under date of Sept. 20th as follows: "A year since Jasper Waumpin shot John Burnam at Kingston, Madison county, wounding him. Waumpin was indicted and his trial was set for to-day, but the case was not reached. This evening the parties met in the street in Richmond, each accompanied by friends, when firing began. Jasper Waumpin, John Burnam, Chris. Ballard and William A. Cornelison were killed. The survivors were arrested.

Steamer Great Republic, the largest river steamer in the West, was burned at St. Louis Wednesday night; loss $150,000. Steamer Carondelet, another large boat, was damaged $40,000.

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A furious snow storm prevailed on Mt. Washington, Friday, the thermometer standing at 35 deg. above zero.

DIED.

HATCH. In this city, Sept. 21, Alice May Hatch, daughter of Charles E. and Hattie L. Hatch, aged 1 year, 3 months and 21 days.

KNIGHT. In Biddeford, Me., Sept. 17, Susan J. Knight, wife of Charles H. Knight, aged 23 years and 7 months.

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FOR BANGOR, 10:58, A. M., 9:36, P. M.

FOR ST. JOHN, MONTREAL, AND QUEBEC, 9:36 P. M.

FOR GREAT FALLS AND NORTH CONWAY 10:27 A. M.; 2:32, 5:41 P. M.

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FROM PORTLAND, *2:15, 8:45, A. M.; 1:30, 5:30, P. M.

FROM NORTH CONWAY 7:30, A. M; 12:30, 4:35, P. M.

FROM WOLFEBORO' 8:40, A. M., 1:18, 5:10 P. M.

FROM GREAT FALLS 7:34, 10:27, A. M., 2:32, 6:30 P. M.

FROM DOVER 6:45, 10:35, A. M., 2:35, 5, 6:35 P. M.

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TRAINS FROM ROXBURY at Portsmouth at 10:02, 10:24, 10:53, A. M.; 12:26, 2:49, 5:28, 6:38, 9:05 P. M. Sundays, 10:24 A. M.

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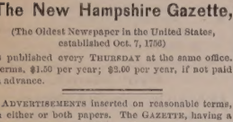

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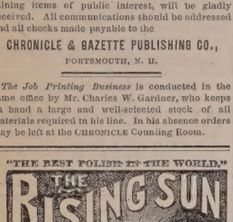

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water marks.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owner or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and aldermen, cause the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substance.

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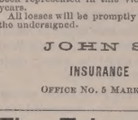

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Mr. Aldrich and "Tom Bailey."

The critic of the Chicago *Inter-Ocean* is hearty and reminiscent in his notice of "Tom Bailey," as follows:

Among recent American works of fiction there are no books which we take up with a greater feeling of pleasurable anticipation than those of Thomas Bailey Aldrich. They possess a graceful sort of *bonhomie*, added to a delightful sense of ease and languor, an evident command of all the requirements of art, and a thorough acquaintance with literature of all ages and kinds. Above all, they are in full sympathy with the pathos and the humor of life. In the writing of short, brilliant bits of local coloring we do not think Mr. Aldrich has an equal. His art is superior in our opinion to that of Harte, because he chooses subjects of more familiar yet less prominent characteristics. Mr. Harte's miners and gamblers attract our attention from their very strangeness; were the descriptions of an inferior character we should still care to read about them. It takes a more subtle and delicate appreciation of critical requirements to place before us every-day people whom we seem to have known about as well as the author. In the story before us we find Mr. Aldrich at his best. We can recall no more delicious bit of boy painting in the language. There is not a strained or exaggerated thought in the book. If the hero—which seems probable—is T. B. A. himself, the boy indeed was father to the man. We have all been boys, more or less, in our day—fat boys, lean boys, patchy boys, spirly boys, boys with warts, and boys with tufts of hair sticking away up on our prominent bumps, like the peak upon the brow of Peveril. This allusion to Peveril demands some little explanation. In the brightest days of the Scottish bar, when Walter Scott had gained his baronetcy, and the floors of the Parliament House were trod by wits and poets, a young advocate, called Patrick Roberson, afterwards a judge, had begun to attract attention by his inimitable drollery. He was very fat, and Sir Walter Scott was remarkable among his fellows for an upper story in his fine old head, and a tuft of hair which followed the bent of its own inclination. One day when a knot of advocates, among whom was Pat Robertson, were standing cracking jokes before the meeting of the court, Sir Walter Scott approached. "Here," said Pat, "comes Peveril with his peak;" "and there," retorted the bard of Abbotsford, "stands Peter with his painch." To return to the boys—Some of us have stuttered during our school days, others lisped, not a few have played truant, and perpetrated all conceivable kinds of mischief. Few, we hope, have been sneaks or shirks or petty pilferers. Mr. Aldrich recalls it all, almost bringing the tears to our middle-aged optics. We dislike owning up to the soft impeachment, but we were a fat boy. If any one of our readers happens to have been a fat boy he will know how to sympathize with our tenderest recollections. A fat boy has to suffer untold agonies of which a skinny boy has not the ghost of a notion. He is called "puddin-head" by the skinnies, "fatty," "choppy," "plumper," "mushy," and many other figurative nick-names. How our feelings boil when we recall one skinny boy with a yawning abyss between his jacket and irreconcilables. How many hours of anguish has that boy caused us, and how we have wished that we were a skinny, and could punch the head off him. If there were too little "boiled duff" to go around at dinner, that boy—the wretch used to eat enough for a dozen—would sing out, "don't give any to fatty, he'll be sure to burst." If a spent ball wanted to hit any one it was sure to—but no! there are sorrows which even our dearest friends must not share. We have enjoyed the adventures of Tom Bailey almost as well as any boy could possibly do. Mr. Aldrich's art is too fine, his humor too bright, to escape the approval even of a jaded imagination. Tom Bailey does no more than any other boy could do, always excepting a fat boy who would never dream of running away, or firing off the "old sogers" of Rivermouth, but the author tells his adventures, longings and aspirations in a way which places Tom very much at the head of his class for charming frankness and irresistible comicality. We cannot conceive of a funnier boy than Harry Blake, who has an eccentric passion for carving his name on everything, who never lets a captured turtle slip through his fingers without leaving his mark engraved on its shell. "I have no doubt," says Tom Bailey, "that there are at this moment fat ancient turtles wandering about that gummy woodland with H. B. neatly cut on their venerable backs." We feel, like Thackery, an irresistible desire to present Charley Marden, Binny Wallace, Pepper Whitcomb, Harry Blake and Fred Langdon with a guinea apiece. Perhaps it is just as well that they are not here, for alas! we haven't got the guinea. And we should dearly like to invite the captain and Sailor Ben to dinner, and yet the one is dead and the other is too old to travel. Ah, well! the intention is good, anyway. If the reader fails to be fired with a similar impulse he must have been either a skinny boy or a boy who never had any money to buy taffy with on Saturday nights. But we must leave Tom Bailey to tell his own story, a story infinitely more amusing than Robinson Crusoe, the Swiss Family Robinson or Masterman Ready. We think Tom Bailey beats Tom Brown hollow, either at Eton or Oxford, and that is about the highest compliment we can pay him.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 24, 1877.

The Eastern War.

A Constantinople despatch, dated ten o'clock Friday night, says a great battle was fought at Biela that day, lasting from nine in the morning to seven in the evening, resulting in a terrible defeat for the Russians, of whom 4000 were killed and 8000 wounded.

The Montenegrins have captured Belekia, taking three Krupp guns with it. They have also gained undisputed possession of the Duga Pass, and the Prince has changed his headquarters to Nicsics. The bombardment of Gatchko is threatened, and a state of siege is proclaimed in Trebigne.

The Crops.

The present year has proved one of unexampled prosperity to the New Hampshire farmers. All the crops except that of apples have been very abundant, while the yields of wheat and corn have increased to an unprecedented extent. Since Gov. Hartman in 1868 called the attention of the farmers to the possibilities of the State as a grain producing section, the number of acres devoted to it has rapidly increased, and the wheat crop this year is double that of a decade ago. The average yield this year is fifteen or twenty bushels to the acre. The corn crop is the greatest gathered for the past twenty years, and is unusually heavy, yielding fifty to one hundred bushels of ears to the acre. The hay crop is good, and is well supplemented by a heavy second growth of straw and corn fodder. Potatoes have survived the rapacity of the Colorado beetle, but the later varieties show symptoms of the rot. Stock raising and wool growing were never more successful, and dairy products are as good as the best. The pastures are looking green and fresh, promising an abundance of Fall feed, and consequently ensuring rich dairy products and thrifty store and beef cattle. The Board of Agriculture are working vigorously to stimulate the farmers to activity, and will hold about thirty meetings the coming season, beginning at the Agricultural College, October 23 and 24.

A Savage Wretch.

William Appleton, an old man and an inmate of the Sailor's Home at Wollaston, Mass., was brutally murdered near the depot in that town on Thursday, being found with one bullet hole through his head and another through his body, either of which would have proved fatal. The poor old man was evidently murdered from sheer wantonness, as he had no money, and was a quiet old soul with no enemies in the world so far as is known.

On Friday one Michael Murphy was arrested in Hingham for attempting to murder Mr. Albert Lincoln. Murphy, it seems, on the Wednesday previous had some trouble with the driver of an ice-cart, named Fred C. Blair, who kicked Murphy off his team on which he was trying to steal a ride. On Thursday Murphy went to Boston, filled himself with rum, and bought a revolver with the avowed purpose of killing Blair. Returning to Hingham he called at Mr. Lincoln's house (where Blair formerly lived) and asked Mrs. Lincoln for a match, following this request with abusive language, when Mr. Lincoln appeared and drove the ruffian away. Murphy then fired twice at Mr. Lincoln, one bullet hitting him in the arm, but Mr. Lincoln grappled him and held him until an officer arrived and took the scoundrel to the lockup. While drunk Murphy acknowledged murdering Appleton, but when he became sober next morning he denied all about it. The wretch will probably be used to stretch a piece of hemp rope.

News and Notes.

The whaling barque A. Houghton, of New Bedford, was wrecked on a rock in Hudson's Bay on the 12th of June last. Her crew, thirty-one in number, were all saved.

The docks and basins of Liverpool cover over two hundred acres.

Congress will be asked at the approaching session to change the law relating to the retirement of army officers who are unfit for active duty on account of age or disability. The law limits the retired list of the army to three hundred, while in the navy there is no limit whatever. Army officers who are disabled for active duty are compelled to remain in active service until death creates a vacancy on the retired list before they can be retired.

Ex-Attorney General Williams has brought a suit against McKee of St. Louis whisky ring fame, alleging that he was employed by McKee to obtain for him a pardon of his sentence of imprisonment, and that he was to receive a fee of $2,500. He was successful in securing the pardon, but McKee has refused to pay more than $2,000, and Williams now sues for the remainder.

Steamer Diego, from New York for Liverpool September 1st, was burned at sea on the 8th. She was breaking in two when abandoned. Crew saved.

Thirty houses and stores in Keyport, N. J., were burned Friday night; loss $500,000. The fire was started by the explosion of a kerosene lamp in a butcher shop. Two hotels and a church were destroyed.

Mark Twain writes a letter to the Hartford *Courant*, accounting for the strange actions of the schooner Jonas Smith, seen with a negro crew on board and supposed to have been captured by mutineers. He says she is an old hulk, condemned and sold at Bermuda, and bought by a lot of negroes, who started in her on a pleasure cruise to New York four or five months ago; she was spoken by the steamship Bermuda, on which Mr. Clemens was a passenger, on the 25th of May, and furnished with provisions. She is an old rattletrap, and how she has kept afloat ever since, drifting about on the ocean, is a wonder.

Nicholas Fish, recently secretary of the United States legation at Berlin, has come home from Europe until the middle of October, when he will return, to assume the position of Minister to Switzerland.

The rice crop on the lower coast of Louisiana was damaged probably thirty per cent. by gales last week, and much other harm was done, notably in St. John Baptist parish. New Orleans, too, suffered.

The centennial of the first battle of Bemis Heights, where Burgoyne received a fatal check in 1777, was celebrated by a gathering of over 20,000 people on the battlefield near Saratoga, N. Y., where the remains of the American entrenchments laid out by Kosciusko, and behind which Learned's and Poor's brigades fought, are yet visible.

New Hampshire Items.

There is on the premises of John Hurd of Wolfeboro' a rosebush of the white variety, which has grown to the unusual height of ten feet the present season.

The N. H. Scythe and Axe Co., at Littleton, are selling large invoices of their productions in Maine, this year, orders from that section being more numerous than ever before.

The Mount Washington railway has been completed to the summit a little more than eight years, and during that time it has carried sixty thousand passengers.

Should Senator Spencer decide to remain in the Black Hills this winter, Senator Wadleigh of this State would be acting chairman of the military committee.

The Carroll County Five Cents Savings Bank, of Wolfeboro, has suspended payment. The amount of deposits is about $450,000, and it is claimed that the assets will more than pay all liabilities.

Edward T. Wight, of Contoocook, the young man who was found under the railroad bridge at Concord last January, terribly injured, and who charged a Concord rough named Barney Murphy with having assaulted him, has been taken to the poor farm of his county, having never recovered from his hurts sufficiently to support himself.

At the State Fair on Thursday afternoon, an amusing contest was put upon the track, in which a three-year old Jersey bull, in harness, was driven once around the track against Charles M. Mitchell of Manchester and Parker Brown of Bow. The men were to walk five miles in 40 minutes. In the first mile, near the homestretch, Mitchell cast a shoe, and the bull came in second, amid great applause. Brown completed the five miles in 39m. 41s. In the meantime, Norman Taylor, 49 years old, from Plymouth, Vt., accomplished the feat of running five miles in 28m., 26s. Taylor made the first mile in 5m., 27s., and the second in 5m., 15s. At the conclusion of these sports the fair was closed.

Newell C. Ladd, a prominent piano dealer of Concord, died suddenly of heart disease Saturday afternoon.

Political.

The democratic party is constitutionally opposed to "reviving the issues of the war," and yet its representatives in New Jersey have reanimated the very deadest of war issues. The resuscitation of General McClellan has already projected the spirit of Abraham Lincoln into the canvass, and the campaign orators are hunting up the old speeches which were used to fire the republican heart in '64, when these two men stood out as incarnations of the contending principles which were locked in a life and death struggle. The democrats, too, are turning over the musty vindications of their chieftain's military career, and will once more attempt to prove that the war was a failure. Oratory which has been laid away for thirteen years is apt to be a trifle stale, but it is not difficult to predict which dish of cold victuals will be the more unpalatable.—*Tribune.*

The *Enquirer* says "Old Bill Allen is the kind of a Gatling gun that is needed in Ohio just now." As if that old smoothbore blunderbuss could do anything for the party, if it was brought out and had the cobwebs brushed off it. What the democracy wants is to get its repeaters out of the penitentiary.—*Toledo Blade.*

Another Improvement in Railroading.

For some time past it has been generally understood that a line of magnificent Pullman Hotel cars was soon to be placed on the Chicago and North-Western road, to run between Council Bluffs and Chicago; and we are pleased to announce that all the arrangements have been perfected, and that the cars have already been placed on the road. The managers of the company have determined to omit nothing which will add to the convenience, safety and comfort of the travelling public who favor them with their patronage; and further, that they will not be eclipsed in this direction by any other railroad in the world. Hence these cars, constructed by the Pullman Palace Car Company especially for the Pioneer Line, are the finest ever built.

These Hotel cars leave Council Bluffs on the Atlantic Express, and run through to Chicago each day in the afternoon. On the east-bound train, dinner, supper and breakfast will be served. The west-bound Hotel cars leave Chicago on the California Express each day in the forenoon. On this train, supper, breakfast and dinner will be served. Thus passengers bound in either direction are enabled to have all their meals *en route*, and yet not leave their palatial travelling parlor. The only objection that has ever been raised against the use of Hotel cars has been connected with the odors of the kitchen. As we said before, this, in these cars, has been entirely obviated; no person, no matter how particular he or she may be, will have cause to make any objections on this score. In the Dining car you merely get your meals, and as soon as you are through eating you are shoved out, and started for the coaches or sleeper, so as to make room for other travellers who desire your place. While in these Hotel cars your berth is secured through, and you own it absolutely for the length of your trip, and it is your own for lounging, sitting, sleeping and eating purposes, as much as your own seat in your own house. As it is not generally known, Dining cars are never run over the entire length of any route; they are taken on and set off the train at stated times; while these Hotel cars are made a part of the train, and run through in the same way as the regular sleeping car. The North Western Company have their road nearly all laid with steel rail, and the bed ballasted in the best possible manner; hence these elegant palaces, with their sixteen wheels, will ride as easy and with as little noise and oscillation as can be expected in railway travel. In these and other improvements the people of Council Bluffs feel interested, and will join with the towns along the line in congratulating the progressive and liberal management of this great corporation.—*Council Bluffs Nonpareil.*

—A London journal tells the following story: At a Washington tea party, where General Butler was recently a guest, the hostess, glancing over the table, perceived his cup unturnished with an important implement, of which he was supposed to appreciate the value. "Why, General Butler," she exclaimed, in a little womanly flutter of consternation, "haven't you a spoon?" "No, indeed, madam!" quickly responded the General, springing from his seat and slapping his pockets one after the other, "upon my word, madam; if you don't believe me, madam, you may search me." The applause which greeted this spontaneous sally may be more easily imagined than described.

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FRENCH—LOUGEE. In Salisbury, Mass., Sept. 17, by Rev. A. G. Morton, Mr. Frederick B. French of South Hampton, and Miss Minnie B. Lougee of Epping.

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" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
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Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M. 5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 " 8.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "
Concord and North,	10.30 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 " 5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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NAVAL MATTERS.

Ensign William Winder is ordered to hold himself in readiness for sea service on being detached from the torpedo station at Newport, R. I.

Boatswain Andrew Milne is detached from the practise ship Constellation and placed on waiting orders.

The U. S. S. Ticonderoga was hauled under the sheers at the navy yard on Friday and had her boilers taken out; and on Saturday she was put in the dry dock.

The Pensacola has been receiving a thorough survey at San Francisco, to see in what condition she is, and it is intimated (although the board of survey have not reported) that she is likely to be put out of commission, the repairs needed being very extensive. The Pensacola is commanded by Capt. John Irwin, and is the flag-ship of Rear-Admiral Alexander Murray, commanding the North Pacific squadron.

Last week the chief of the bureau of medicine and surgery was at the navy yard here, and was of course saluted. We wanted to make an item about it, and did so, but didn't know who the chief of the bureau was, and no one we enquired of could tell us. We therefore copy from the *Army and Navy Journal* the following list of heads of bureaus of the Navy Department: Yards and docks, Rear-Admiral Jno. C. Howell; navigation, Commodore Daniel Ammen; equipment and recruiting, Commodore R. W. Shufeldt; ordnance, Capt. William N. Jeffers; medicine and surgery, Surgeon-General William Grier; provisions and clothing, Paymaster-General James H. Watmough; steam engineering, William H. Shock; construction and repair, Chief Constructor John W. Easby.

The Washington *Nation* talks as follows about a naval officer well and favorably known in this city: Lieut. Thomas M. Gardner, U. S. N., who is quartered at the Imperial, and who was so long in command of the Speedwell, takes his station every night at a window of the main entrance of the hotel, and makes believe that he is looking out of a pilot house window watching the coast lights. A good story is told of him that coming out of Boston harbor some years ago he ran the Speedwell aground on a sand spit, but on his arrival at the Kittery navy yard failed to report the circumstance as required by the regulations. The commanding officer got wind of the case and sent for the Lieutenant, and demanded an explanation of his failure to report, and got it as follows: "Why! that? Why, that was no grounding or running ashore. You see, Commodore, she was all over barnacles and weeds, and I put her on the sands to clean her bottom off. I'll bet she's as clean now as if she'd been in dock a month." That was the last of the case.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The agent who is canvassing the city for subscribers for Ruger & Stoner's splendid bird's-eye view of Portsmouth, had secured a few over one hundred subscriptions up to Saturday evening. The hard times no doubt deter many from subscribing who would otherwise be glad to do so, but still so meritorious a work as this view should find at least three hundred takers in this city, for it is not only a work of art but is wondrously truthful, and the price is set at a very reasonable figure.

The steamer Major, Capt. Robinson, made an excursion from this city to the Shoals on Saturday.

Coroner Wentworth, of Kittery, after investigating the facts in regard to the accident at Butler's crossing which caused the death of Tomlinson, deemed an inquest unnecessary, and exonorated the railroad from all blame.

Lieut. G. Frank Towle, of the 19th U. S. Infantry, has recently been transferred from Fort Dodge, Kansas, to Fort Elliott, Texas. Fort Elliott is about two hundred miles from any railroad, and used to be a cantonment, but has recently been made into a military post. It takes a letter from eleven days to two weeks to come from there to this city.

Olivet Commandery of Knights Templar, of Lynn, Mass., John Shaw, 2d, Eminent Commander, accompanied by the Lynn Brass Band, will visit this city on Thursday, and stop at the Rockingham House.

Work in the old Drake iron foundry on Mechanic street will commence to-day. Mr. Thad E. Stevens, of the firm of d'Este & Co., of Boston, arrived in town with seven experienced workmen on Saturday. The first iron will be melted to-morrow.

Col. Charles G. Pickering, of Cleveland, Ohio, is on a visit to his friends in this city, after an absence of three years.

That talented and eminently successful actress, Kate Claxton, whose name is as familiar as a household word in the various cities where she has appeared, and even to a great extent elsewhere, will appear at Franklin Hall to-morrow evening, on which occasion our citizens will have an opportunity to see her in her unparalleled *role* of the blind girl, in that intensely interesting play, "The Two Orphans." She has sustained this most difficult part hundreds of nights, before thousands of people, and on each occasion has received warm words of praise and commendation from spectators. The press, also, all over the country, has tendered Miss Claxton the most flattering tributes. She is supported by a company selected by herself; and as it is seldom an actress of her reputation visits this city, she will probably be greeted by a full house. Seats can now be secured at Preston's.

Mr. James Christie, Deputy Sergeant at Arms of the United States Senate, was in town on Saturday.

The ship Paul Jones is to be launched from the Raynes shipyard at noon to-day.

A new dry goods firm, entirely of Portsmouth men, has just been opened in Erie, Pennsylvania, consisting of Mr. Wm. B. Trask, of the formerly well-known establishment in this city of "Trask & Tidd," and Mr. Charles Prescott, late with Jordan, Marsh & Co., of Boston, the style of the new firm being "Trask & Prescott."

One of the questions of debate which exercised the Convention of Young Men's Christian Associations at Concord on Friday was, "How can the non-church-goers of our State be reached?" A few of them, who steal their reading off door-steps in the morning before our subscribers take in their papers, can be reached through the columns of the CHRONICLE; others, perhaps, by a postal card.

SEABROOK LETTER.

SOUTH SEABROOK, Sept. 21st.

A lady, a former resident of Newburyport and now visiting there, has presented Rev. Wm. A. Rand $185 as the basis of a fund for a parsonage. The question of a permanent home for the minister has been long under discussion, but the limited means of those most interested has prevented the advance of the undertaking,—the only place available for a parsonage being rooms upstairs in the house of Mrs. Betsey B. Eaton. As a consequence of the above gift, work will be immediately commenced on a cellar on a lot east of the church; the work will be done by volunteers, as in the case of the meeting house cellar. The building will go forward only as funds are secured, the pastor feeling sure that for a house for the minister, as in the case of the church, "The Lord will provide." The New Hampshire Home Missionary Society continue their aid of $300 to the church here, this year.

The new two-storied school-house is to be commenced right away, to be finished by the last of October. The old building is to be sold. The new one is to be put just back of the site of the old one. The school-house lot is to be enlarged sufficiently to furnish ample play ground.

The Atlantic Cornet Band furnished music for the Salisbury Beach gathering.

Two lady graduates of the Portsmouth High School are now teaching in Seabrook; Miss Emily A. Tomlinson in the new school-house on the new road, and Miss Odiorne in the new school-house in the Boyd District.

South Seabrook has lost five children within a few weeks by summer complaint.

ENO.

A MIRAGE.

"H. H.," writing from the Shoals to the Providence *Journal*, under date of September 10th, after describing the heavy sea which had then recently rolled in on the rocky shores, goes on as follows:

"But my object in writing is to tantalize those who have run away too soon; and especially the worthy president of the National Academy of Design, who had the good fortune to see and enjoy the mighty uproar of the waters, but who left just an hour too soon after all. For within that hour we have been favored with a sight which would have been to his trained perceptions a joy forever. The piazza of the Appledore House fronts the west, and the declining sun threw its beams along the vast corridor so gently and lovingly that the few guests loitered the afternoon away in that pleasant spot. Happening to look westward I was mystified by the strange appearance of the opposite shore. The more I looked, the more I was bewildered. Everybody here who wants anything, or who wants to know anything, starts for one of the Brothers Cheverble, who keep the hotel. So I made for the office. 'Laighton! Laighton!' I said. 'Come out here. Either the west coast is bewitched or I am. Look yonder. The Boar's Head is broken off, and is drifting up to Appledore, water-logged!' To which outburst of amazement, C., the imperturbable, simply responded, 'Mirage.' That was enough to one who had feebly aspired through a long life of usefulness for such a sight. A few bounds took me to No. 128; a few more, opera glass in hand, to the pavilion overlooking famous Smutty Nose. I am not well up in mirages, but I did not suppose they extended around the horizon. In this case, however, wherever sky touched sea or land, there was the same magical transformation. Where Boar's Head should have been, and over Hampton and Rye, there were unaccustomed mountains and huge lines of arches stretching away like the Roman Aqueducts on the Campagna. The houses along the shore from Straw's Point to Portsmouth, appeared more like the ruins of Paestum and Philæ than the architecture of modern times. Portsmouth, in the golden mist, was distorted into a group of minarets and towers. The inverted dwellings on the Maine coast are square and even at the top as at the base, and, elevated to twice their height, frowned like castles. But prettiest and most interesting of all was the spectacle far out at sea. The stately twin towers of Thatcher's Woe, which I had never distinguished from this point before, shot up into the air, doubling their immense stature. Sweeping around to the far east, girt about by a dreamy radiance such as only Gifford can paint, there were ten phantom ships suspended in the air. Seen through the glass there were in two or three instances the real vessel and two apparitions visible. Sometimes the inverted reflection only was visible, and in some cases the top of the mainsail seemed to rise out of the water and depend from the inverted image. The western sun occasionally breaking through a thin veil of clouds would now and then light up the sails of the spectral fleet so vividly that I could tell by the varying light when the course was changed. The illusion continued for an hour or more, and must have constituted, I think, as fine an exhibition of mirage as was ever witnessed."

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—Louis the Fourteenth of France, playing at backgammon, had a doubtful throw; a dispute arose and the courtiers remained silent. The Count de Grammont came in that instant. "Decide the master," said the King to him. "Sire," said the count, "your Majesty is in the wrong." "How so," replied the King; "can you decide without knowing the question?" "Yes," said the count, "because had the matter been doubtful all the gentlemen would have given it for your Majesty!"

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEE. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land owned by him or under his care, any pen for swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Lafayette's Departure from America.

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"The night was now too far advanced to get under sail and Commodore Morris waited until next day to weigh anchor. It was the 8th of December we entered the Chesapeake under full sail, traversing the center of a brilliant rainbow, one of whose limbs appeared to rest on the Maryland shore, and the other on that of Virginia. Thus the same sign that appeared in the heavens on the day on which Lafayette landed on American soil, also appeared when he left it, as if nature had reserved to herself the erection of the first and the last of the numerous triumphal arches dedicated to him during his extraordinary journey."

Then the writer adds this foot note: "The day of our arrival at Staten Island, whilst the general was receiving the congratulations of the people, from the balcony of the vice-president's house, a rainbow, one of whose limbs enveloped and tinged Fort Lafayette with a thousand colors, appeared; the multitude, struck with the beauty and opportuneness of this circumstance, exclaimed, that heaven was in unison with America in celebrating the happy arrival of the friend of the country."

Another reminiscence mentioned by this biographer is the following: "The government of the United States has no theoretical school for her naval officers, but each national vessel, when going on service, receives a certain number of midshipmen and this forms a practical school at little expense as to money, and attended with the happiest results. When it was rumored that the Brandywine was destined to conduct Lafayette back to France, all those parents who intended their children for the navy, were ambitious to obtain them a berth on board this frigate, and the president found himself beset with petitions from all parts of the Union. Not being able to satisfy them all, but at the same time wishing to amalgamate, as much as possible, private interests with public good, he decided that each State should be represented by a midshipman, and hence the Brandywine had on board twenty-four instead of eight or ten as is usual in vessels of her size. It was gratifying to the general, thus to find himself surrounded by these young representatives of the republics he had visited with so much pleasure, not only as their presence recalled spots he loved, but also as some of them, being sons of old revolutionary soldiers, gave him an opportunity of speaking of his former companions in arms, and the young men on their part, proud of the mission they were engaged in, endeavored to render themselves worthy of it, by strict attention to study, and the performance of their duties. The paternal friendship testified towards them by the general, during the voyage, so completely gained their affection, that they could not separate from him without shedding tears. They begged that he would permit them to offer him a durable mark of their filial attachment, that would also recall to his mind the days passed with them on board the Brandywine. This present, which was received by Lafayette a short time after his arrival at Paris, is a silver urn, of an antique form and beautifully engraved. It rests on a base of the same metal, three of the faces of which are ornamented with exquisite sculptures, representing the capitol at Washington, the visit of Lafayette to the tomb of Washington, and the arrival of the Brandywine at Havre. On the fourth face is inscribed, in relief, the offering of the young midshipmen to their paternal friend."

Some Swell Western Ranchmen.

During my trip hereabouts I have visited the ranches of several New York, Boston and Philadelphia boys who have left homes of luxury to become ranchmen, and who are making money rapidly in growing cattle and sheep. Among those who have exchanged the comforts of the East for this life of adventure and excitement are Professor Clarence King; Charles Motley, a nephew of the dead historian; L. C. Briggs, son of Richard Briggs, the Boston merchant; Wilbur Raymond, who graduated from Wesleyan University, class of 1874; Galusha A. Grow, Jr.; a nephew of Sidney Dillon, and many others whose names I might mention. Clarence King says the only true way to live in this world is to raise stock on the Laramie Plains during summer months and spend your winters alternately in New York, London and Paris. There is a fascination about this wild, roving, adventurous, independent life of a ranchman, which I can readily understand captivates young men of birth and education, especially when there is money in the business. "When I am my own master,

am not tied down, and can make five times as much money as I could at any business in Pennsylvania, it is not surprising," said Mr. Grow to me, "that I enjoy this life." Many of the ranch-houses a few miles away from here are made of old worn-out rail ties which when new were cut in the Medicine Bow and other neighboring ranges of mountains, and floated down in the Laramie and other streams to the railroad track.—*Cheyenne Letter.*

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 25, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 21st.

If one half that reaches us from leading cities North and West, and from the South to a less extent, is true, we have every reason to take heart over a real and, apparently, permanent revival of business and restoration of public confidence. The rebound in New York, according to the statement of all its papers, and the testimony of those who have prolonged their visits there since last July, is something almost, if not quite, unprecedented in the commercial history of this country. Two months ago her streets were comparatively deserted and silent; much of her shipping had been partially dismantled and laid up; thousands of her workmen had been idle for months, and were looking forward to the advent of cold weather with a sullen apathy or feeling of despair; her merchants were everywhere despondent, and there was a universal apprehension of riots and mob violence by her tens of thousands of enforced idlers, when stress of weather should drive in from the open country and reinforce them, the army of tramps plying their vocation in the rural districts. But we are told now that her streets are well nigh impassable from the crowd of vehicles of every description pressed into service; the pavements are represented as piled up with every conceivable commodity and kind of merchandize, awaiting removal for shipment or storage in cellars, shops or in the vast wholesale establishments; purchasers overrun her hotels; her wharves are again assuming their ante-panic appearance, as they existed prior to September 1873, and in place of despondency and gloom there has come to be the old-time-bustle, activity and cheerfulness. Baltimore is so near that it has been easy to verify the reported improvement in her business; and I am happy to be able to corroborate the general testimony to that effect, by conclusions drawn from actual inspection, although not an expert in any branch. The change has been more gradual though none the less real than in New York and some other of our vast distributing ports, perhaps. The improvement has been felt even in Washington, though destitute of commerce, having but a few manufactories and only a local trade.

Our "Labor Exchange" is progressing and it is hoped it will soon be in permanent and successful operation. Correspondence has been opened with distant sections in the South and West with a view to induce emigration of our surplus population; and many farmers, needing laborers, in the contiguous counties of Maryland and Virginia, have been encouraged to come here for them. We can spare a few thousand whose presence here as loafers is a constant menace, but whose labors can be turned to profitable account in the country, and we shall be glad to miss them. Street begging and professional vagrancy were never before so general, not even in contraband times.

The city is beginning to fill up with pioneers from the army that winters here. Houses are being made attractive by the carpenter and painter and there is quite a demand for them and for rooms already. Political matters on the surface are very quiet and will probably undergo little change before the President's return. But it is understood that the different aspirants for the desirable places in the House and Senate have their friends here; and there is no doubt a good deal of plotting and counter-plotting going on already, day and night, at the hotels. Occasionally an old face familiar here for many winters and instinctively associated with some sort of a job, or a raid on Uncle Samuel's funds, is seen, and we hear that the army of lobbyists are to be strongly represented the coming winter. It is rumored that a compromise has been agreed to by the terms of which Collector Arthur is to retain his present position, and Senator Conkling's other friends, or the most of them, left undisturbed.

Although we are constantly assured that Diaz is really anxious to remove all cause of misunderstanding between the two governments, yet the resignation of Generals Canales and Trevino, on the ground that they cannot retain their local popularity and at the same time execute the provisions of the extradition treaty is regarded as very significant of the feeling of hostility existing against us among the majority of the Mexican people; and if Diaz succeeds in carrying out his conciliation programme towards us it will be against the protest of a large majority of his countrymen.

The most important points divulged in the trial of ex-Assistant Secretary Sawyer, yesterday, were that when the claim first came before Mahan from the Secretary, it was endorsed as a matter undergoing investigation; but the papers were removed by Haines, who returned them with the endorsement erased, and again endorsed in Sawyer's hand-writing in such a way as led to its approval. From testimony of a colored employe in the Commissioner of Customs' office it appeared that all the parties interested were extremely anxious to keep the whole business secret. It has an ugly look for the defendants; and a verdict of guilty at the conclusion of the trial would, I apprehend, surprise very few. How have the mighty fallen! The vicissitudes that have marked Mr. Sawyer's career have been marked indeed. Only a few years ago a Senator; then Assistant Secretary of the Treasury; a few months after his retirement he appears in the records of our police courts, and now in the criminal court.

KNOX.

Tweed's Talk.

The democratic leaders of New York are a queer lot; just now John Kelly is Boss of the Tammany wing, while "Hon." John Morrissey, who was almost as much trusted by Tilden as "Gobbie" was during the Presidential campaign, is the anti-Tammany leader. Now Tammany rules New York city, and the democratic party of the State, and doesn't mean to yield the lead to anybody; so the Tammany Aldermen have been ordered to "investigate" the old Tammany Boss, Tweed, the object being to show from his evidence that the democrats who now oppose Tammany—John Morrissey in particular—were fearfully corrupt at the time they and Tweed ran Tammany. On a recent examination the Boss explained the Tammany method of rolling up democratic majorities, as follows:

Q. Well, in case you wanted a particular man elected over another?

A. Well, we should count the ballots in bulk, or, without counting them, announce the results in bulk, or change the totals from one to the other, as the case might be.

Q. Then the ballots cast made no difference as to the result?

A. The ballots made no results—*the counters made the result.*

Q. Will you please state if you ever gave any directions to anybody in the First ward during any time that you were connected with city politics, the intention of which was to induce anybody to falsify the ballot?

A. I say I can answer "Yes" to that, and to every ward in the city—the whole twenty-two wards.

That, of course, is no news; it was as well known when Tilden and Tweed stole the State of New York for Hoffman and Seymour as it was when the democrats of Tweed's district (*after* the New York *Times* had demonstrated that he and Oakey Hall and Connolly and Sweeney were wholesale thieves) gave him 10,000 majority for the State Senate; but how Tammany is to be strengthened now by this confession of Tammany's tactics a few years ago, is hard to discern.

The old Boss also goes for John Morrissey, asserting that it is a matter of record that Morrissey was indicted in Troy in December, 1848, for assault with intent to kill; indicted for burglary and assault and battery in April, 1849, and sentenced to jail for sixty days; indicted for burglary in June of the same year; convicted of breach of the peace in Albany and sentenced to pay a fine of $50 and serve a term in the Albany penitentiary at hard labor in case of nonpayment, July 15, 1851, and served nine months in the penitentiary, serving out this term; in 1857 he was indicted in New York for assaulting T. H. Bulmer with a dangerous weapon with intent to kill him; he was also indicted for a felonious assault on W. P. Conway with intent to kill, and another upon J. F. Dagget; and in addition to having thus thrice attempted to place the brand of murderer upon his forehead, he has been a professional prize-fighter, a gambler, a proprietor of the lowest dens in New York, the resort of thieves and men of the basest character.

The Utica *Herald*, an anti-Tammany paper, is disgusted with this attack on the Honorable John, and says:

No parallel exists for the license allowed by the committee to Tweed to arraign John Morrissey. It is a device of personal politics, degrading even to the managers of Tammany. It destroys all confidence in the committee. John Morrissey has made statements to a newspaper against John Kelley and Tweed, but these were in no sense in evidence. The committee had no right to permit Tweed to answer them from the witness stand. But in doing so, it only gave another proof that it is not seeking to get at the truth about Tweed's crimes, but it is conducting a partisan inquisition to destroy those who have revolted against the dictation of Tammany Hall.

The *Tribune* comments on the ludicrous spectacle of Boss Tweed and John Morrissey endeavoring to damage each other's reputations, as follows:

John Kelly is a unique party leader. No other man under the sun would have conceived the idea of strengthening his party by getting up a free fight between that party's two most notorious members. For the first time in political warfare a campaign has been opened with a grand mud-slinging contest between an ex-thief and ex-prize-fighter, and the man who has started the disturbance has the grotesque idea that in some way or other it is going to increase the popularity of the organization to which the combatants belong. It is not strange that Mr. Tilden prefers to remain at a safe distance till the excitement is over.

The Wollaston Murder.

Michael Murphy, the Wollaston murderer, had a preliminary examination in the District Court at Quincy on Saturday. The principal witnesses against him were George R. Turner and Demerick Marble, who guarded Murphy after he was arrested for attempting to murder Mr. Lincoln; and the important part of their evidence was that which related to Murphy's admissions. They remained with the prisoner until the constable came, nearly three-quarters of an hour. The voluntary statement which the prisoner then made to them was that he went to Boston in the morning and bought a revolver and cartridges with the intention of shooting Mr. Fred. Blair of Hingham, an ice man. He left State street, Boston, at ten o'clock, and stopped at a place on Lincoln street, where he bought a pint of rum for fifty cents. He then walked out to Wollaston Foundry, where he stopped, and, knowing some of the men, shared his rum with them. Then he walked along the track and past the station. Coming across an old man he asked him for fifty cents, and when the old man refused he fired at him twice. At the second fire the man threw up his arms and fell to the ground. Murphy then put the pistol to his ear and fired again. A little later he saw a lady and was tempted to shoot her, but let her pass. Both witnesses were of the opinion that Murphy was intoxicated when arrested, though he was able to walk straight.

George W. Griffin, station agent at Wollaston, testified to the strange man passing the station soon after four o'clock in the afternoon, Appleton following him; hearing three shots without paying any attention to them; being informed that a man had been killed; going to the place indicated; finding the body and giving the alarm.

Dr. Faxon, Superintendent of the Sailors' Home, testified to the length of time deceased had been in the Home, etc., the time being twelve years.

Mrs. Lydia Williams, the lady whom Murphy, according to his statement, had been tempted to shoot after killing Appleton, testified to meeting Murphy in the road near the place where the murder was committed, with a pistol in his hand. She heard no shots. At this point Judge Bumpus said that the evidence already presented by the Government was sufficient to warrant him in holding the prisoner for the action of the Grand Jury. State Detectives Allen and Smith, in working up the case, have secured nearly thirty witnesses, whose evidence will be overwhelming. One of the witnesses, it is said, will testify to seeing Murphy reloading his pistol in Hingham. After the adjournment of the court the prisoner was taken to the County Jail in Dedham.

The Eastern War.

The accounts sent from the Danubian battle grounds on Saturday gave the Turks important victories at Biela, with "4000 Russians killed and 8000 wounded;" but Sunday's telegrams say: "Five or six different attacks were made by the Turks, from one to three battalions each, and all unsupported. The attacks failed. The loss to the Turks was very heavy. A number of killed and wounded can be seen lying on the open ground over which the combatants passed. The Russians maintain their position, which consists of a series of formidable trenches. There has also been some fighting at Kudickler by divisions of Ahmet Erjoub's corps, and at Verbatza by two battalions detached by Mehemet Ali, but the Turks were unsuccessful at these places also. The whole action has been totally different from what it should have been. A feint has been turned into an attack, and the real attack has not been carried out."

A Russian official despatch says; "The Turks renewed the bombardment of Schipka Pass position on Friday from fourteen mortars. At one o'clock in the afternoon they began an assault on the right flank, but were repulsed. They then attacked the left and centre and were likewise repulsed. The fighting lasted until night."

Horrible accounts of Turkish atrocities in Roumelia are given. Executions and transportations are depopulating the country. In the town of Carlova, which formerly had a population of 20,000, not a grown man is left alive, and only about 5000 women and children, who pick up a precarious subsistence among the ruins, and are subjected to the most brutal outrages by the Turkish irregulars.

Disastrous Fire at Washington, D. C.

Fire caught on the roof of the Patent Office at Washington at half-past eleven o'clock Monday forenoon, and before it was got under control damaged the building to amount of $300,000 or $400,000. No lives were lost, but an immense amount of models were destroyed, and there is no way of estimating their value. Important records belonging to the Land Office and Indian Office were burned. Fire engines were sent from Baltimore to help extinguish the flames.

News and Notes.

Baseball—Lowells 5, Bostons 3; Hartfords 11, Chicagos 8; St. Louis 10, Athletics 0; Cincinnatis 4, Indianapolis 2.

The governor of Texas is reported to have given orders for the quiet raising of 1000 men to fight on the Mexican border.

A little girl in North Carolina was stung on the arm by a locust a short time ago, and has been compelled to suffer amputation of the member in consequence.

The habeas corpus case for the possession of the thirteen-year old wife of Lee Gilman was unexpectedly called in court at Rutland, Vt., last Friday, and on motion of the father's counsel, who had been endeavoring to get possession of his daughter, the case was dismissed. The trouble has been amicably settled, and young Gilman gets possession of his girl-wife. The happy couple will live with the wealthy farmer, who has made up his mind to give them a chance and a bang-up start in life, and see what Gilman is made of.

Mrs. Milmore, mother of the sculptor, who was hurt by the fall of the scaffold in Boston on the day the monument was dedicated, will be a cripple for life, her hip bone being broken.

Le Verrier, the famous French astronomer, is dead.

Schooner Newton Booth has arrived at San Francisco from the Arctic Ocean, and reports that of the seventy-five men who stock by the abandoned whaling fleet last year, only two, both Kanakas, reached Point Barrow; all the others are supposed to have perished on the ice.

The first mate and five men of steamer Gussie have been lost in a boat off New Orleans. The steamer broke her shaft and the boat's crew started for shore to procure a tug; the disabled steamer has arrived in under sail, but the boat has not been heard of.

The committee appointed to enquire into the Blackstone square accident in Boston, have reported, strongly censuring the builders of the sham staging.

New Hampshire Items.

William Henry Trumbull was found dead in the woods in Warner on Friday night, shot through the head, as is supposed, by himself, accidentally. He had been gunning. He was twenty-eight years old and leaves a wife.

Friday afternoon, Abraham Melvin, widely known as a sheep merchant and a man rising 80 years of age, while on his way from East Weare to his home, a distance of a mile and a half, was knocked down and robbed of about $100 by some person lying in wait for him.

Jack Hall, alias Jack Smith, of New York, was arrested in Hudson Saturday night by the police of Nashua, for breaking into the stores of J. B. McQuesten and David Lanergan in Nashua, where he succeeded in stealing quite a quantity of goods.

An appeal has been taken against the verdict for the plaintiff rendered in the case of the State vs. the Boston & Maine Railroad, tried before the Supreme Court at Dover, for alleged carelessness, resulting in the death of Mary Dominique at Somersworth in October last.

Peter Hines, conductor on the Boston, Concord & Montreal railroad, when he reached Northfield on the up trip, a few evenings ago, discovered a tramp under one of the cars on his train, having ridden from Concord, a distance of sixteen miles, curled up on the truck frame. He was driven from his perilous position.

At the meeting of the New Hampshire State Teachers' Association, which is to be holden in Dover, Oct. 11th and 12th, Prof. A. S. Hardy of the Chandler Scientific Department, Dartmouth College, will read a paper on the Science of Education.

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	5.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.30 "	
Concord and North,		10.30 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.30 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

PORTSMOUTH & DOVER RAILROAD.

The annual meeting of this corporation was held in the Common Council Room on Monday forenoon, Hon. Frank Jones, President of the corporation, presiding.

The Clerk read the call for the meeting.

The President reported the financial condition of the corporation, and the report was voted to be accepted.

Messrs. Foye and Horton, of Dover, and Chas. W. Norton, of this city, were appointed a committee to receive, sort and count the votes for Directors; and after a ballot, Mayor Foye, for the committee, reported the whole number of shares voted upon to have been 6385; necessary to a choice, 3193; and that Frank Jones, Daniel Marcy, John H. Broughton, Albert R. Hatch, Oliver Wyatt, And'w H. Young, and Charles H. Sawyer had each received 6386 votes. Messrs. Jones, Marcy, Broughton, Hatch, Wyatt, Young and Sawyer were thereupon declared elected Directors for the ensuing year.

Ex-Mayor Horton addressed the meeting, giving certain cogent reasons for the construction of a station house on Washington street in the city of Dover, urging its great accommodation to residents on that side of the river, its economy, on the score of its being attended by the switchman at that place, and that the law compelled a slow passage of trains over the crossing at the point named. He gave his suggestions, but offered no motion. The meeting then dissolved.

The Board of Directors subsequently re-elected the officers of last year, viz.: Hon. Frank Jones, President, George L. Treadwell, Esq., Treasurer, and Col. William H. Hackett, Clerk.

THE PAUL JONES.

The launch of the new ship Paul Jones from the Raynes ship-yard took place at a quarter before one o'clock on Monday, and was witnessed by a large number of people, who were glad of so good an excuse to meet together and sun themselves on such a magnificent day. Noble's island, the bridge and the ship-yard, and other points from which a good view of the launch could be obtained, and the ship herself, were liberally populated. The launch was a fine one, the beautiful ship—for she is most decidedly a beauty—gliding off smoothly, and bringing up at the proper time and place without any mishap. She will go under the navy yard sheers to have her masts stepped, we understand, and will then be brought alongside one of the city wharves to be fitted for sea.

THE BOW MISSION.

The second anniversary of the Bow Mission was celebrated by a special service in Mechanics' Hall on Sunday afternoon, the hall (as usual at the Bow Mission services) being filled with an interested and appreciative audience. After the opening services Mr. William A. Loyne, the volunteer missionary, gave a brief history of the Mission—its establishment, and the extension and growth of its influence. The Mission has done a good work in the past, and its friends confidently hope its usefulness will continue increasing. Rev. John A. Goss, of the Christian church, made an excellent address in the interest of the work, of which he was one of the earliest friends and promoters. Mention having been made of the promotion of Dr. E. B. Goodall, the organist and musical director of the Mission services, to the leadership at the old North Church, and of Miss Davis to be organist at the stone church, Mr. Goss expressed the opinion that if he had been more attentive to the Mission he also might have been promoted. Elder J. A. Libby, of West Poland, Me., who was supplying the Hanover street chapel for the day, gave a very excellent talk in reference to the mission of the Savior. There was also a judicious selection of pieces for singing, which has always been a prominent feature of the Mission services. Altogether the anniversary celebration was very interesting, and the Mission starts on its third year with renewed hope of progress in the right direction.

THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Rumney is to have a public library. Contributions of money and books are made almost universally by citizens. The library will be free and in full operation the coming winter.

The foregoing, which we clip from the Concord *Patriot*, sets us to wondering when the Portsmouth public library is to be opened, or if there is ever to be one here. We are sure there was some talk about one some years ago; Frank Jones gave $600, conditionally, as a start; John H. Miller gave $50, and possibly others contributed; but for a good while past we have heard nothing of the matter, and presume the moth and rust must have broken through and stolen the whole concern. Some one awhile ago in one of the papers suggested that a public library would be of no more real benefit to this city than a fifth wheel to a coach, and in support of this view cited the meagre patronage of the excellent collection of the Mercantile Library Association, membership in which institution costs but a trifle. From present indications we should say that writer need not fear that Portsmouth will soon be oppressed with a public library; Kittery has one, and the call for its books is large and constantly increasing; but that was established by a generous bequest, which Portsmouth is evidently waiting for but has not yet received.

CHEAP EXCURSION.

These pleasant autumn days are particularly tempting to the in-door worker, and there is no time of the year more favorable to the enjoyment of a season of rest than the last of September or the first of October. Among the attractions offered this week, that of an excursion to the White Mountains must take the precedence. The Eastern Railroad offers to carry passengers on Thursday next from this city to the White Mountains and back for the extremely low fare of $2.50. A special train will leave the Eastern Railroad station at a quarter past seven o'clock in the morning, and arrive at Fabyan's at noon. The return train, on that day, leaves Fabyan's at four o'clock P. M., altho' the excursionist can have the privilege, if he chooses, of stopping over until the following Monday, as the tickets will be good to return until and including that day. It will be seen that this affords an opportunity to witness all the grandeur of the autumnal scenery at the mountains at a price within the reach of nearly every one. Those who do not wish to remain over night can, by taking a lunch along with them, confine their expenses to the mere cost of the fare for the round trip, $2.50. This is, indeed, a rare chance.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The Portland *Advertiser*, commenting on the presentation by the Kate Claxton company of the "Two Orphans," says "it required good courage for any company to present to the Portland public a play so familiar, and which had been so admirably placed upon the stage and so well acted" as by companies mentioned, and adds: "the play nevertheless was so well presented that it elicited the hearty applause of the very large and fashionable audience assembled last evening, a fact that speaks highly in behalf of the performance. As a whole it was presented with more elaboration of detail than ever before. The waits between the acts were brief, and the seven acts were concluded a few minutes after eleven o'clock." Many tickets have already been sold for this evening's entertainment.

Don't waste the aqueduct water, for it is getting scarce; there is plenty of it for *use*, but none to waste. The wells in Newington, Rye and Kittery are getting very low, and we presume the same is true of all the other towns in this vicinity, as the rains have served all pretty much alike, by keeping away from all.

The following persons have been drawn from Ward Four to serve at the United States Court which convenes at Exeter on October 8th: Samuel G. Hooper, grand juror, and Jeremiah D. Goodrich, petit juror.

Rev. Caroline E. Angell, formerly settled over the Universalist church at Kittery, will be ordained pastor of the church in Pittsfield, Maine, on Wednesday.

Schooner Mayor Jones, of this port, put into Provincetown on the 21st, having lost her mainboom in a gale.

Ensign William Winder, U. S. N., is detached from the torpedo station at Newport, to take effect Sept. 30th.

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PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfeb16 78

DIED.

LAMOS. In this city, Sept. 21, Clara Goldin Lamos, aged 8 months and 23 days, only child of J. Christie and Fannie T. Lamos.

WENDELL. In this city, Sept. 24, of cholera infantum, Nellie P. Wendell, daughter of Andrew P. and Ruth A. Wendell, aged 2 weeks and 5 days.

HILLS. In this city, Sept. 24, Mrs. Lois Hills.

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ARRIVED, Sept 24.

Sch Treasure, Henderson, Bangor.
Sch Satellite, Adderton, Boston.
Sch Edwin H Stevens, Smith, Fort Johnson.

SAILED, Sept 24.

Sch D K Ham, Freeman, Boston.

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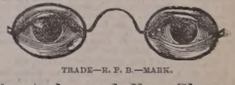

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January 16, 1877.

Daily Chronicle.

Wonders of the Deep.

In her scientific cruise of three years and a half, the Challenger steamed and sailed 68,930 miles, crossing both the Atlantic and Pacific—the former several times. The deepest soundings were 4575 fathoms in the Pacific, between the Admiralty Islands and Japan, and in the Atlantic 3870 fathoms, 90 miles north of the island of St. Thomas, in the West Indies. Many curious crabs were brought home. One very odd specimen, which came to the surface only at night, is described as having a head which is nearly all eye, and a body so transparent as to render visible all the nerves, muscles and internal organs; while another more lobster-like creature had no eyes at all. Near Amsterdam Island, in the South Indian Ocean, the ship encountered a belt of gigantic seaweed, in which single plants are said to attain a length of a thousand feet, and a thickness equal to that of a man's body. A gale of snow to which the vessel was exposed in the Antarctic ocean consisted of exquisite star-like crystals which burned the skin as if they were red-hot. The history of the expedition abounds with similar unique experiences.

—A burglar can make no explanation of his presence that will satisfy a bull-dog.

—Mr. Erskine, of Angus, had a valet named Gabriel, whose impertinence was intolerable. One day, as Mr. Erskine was at dinner, Gabriel called something which he had said, "a great lee." "Well," said the laird, rising from the table, "this will do no longer, Gabriel—we must part at last." "Hout, tout, laird," replied Gabriel, pressing his master again into his chair, "whaur wad yer honor be better than in your ain house?" not conceiving the possibility of his being the moving party.

—He invited her to lunch, and she, being a beautiful young lady, went. She read the bill of fare behind her sweet little fan, and whispered in zephyr accents, "Woodcock on toast." At this announcement it flashed upon his mind that his assets were but seventy-five cents. Something must be done. "Cornelia, do you know what a woodcock is?" he asked. "No, Mr. Sprinks," she answered. "Well, then, my dear," said he, "it is as big as a halibut." "Oh, goodness gracious!" exclaimed the charming Cornelia; "then bring me some pork and beans." Sprinks winked at the waiter.

PROPOSALS FOR MATERIALS.

BUREAU OF YARDS AND DOCKS.
NAVY DEPARTMENT,
Washington, August 29, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS for each class separately, indorsed "Proposals for Class No. (name the class.) for the Navy Yard at (name the yard.)" will be received at this office until 10 o'clock, A. M., of the 15th of September, at which hour the opening of the bids will be commenced for furnishing and delivering at the several Navy Yards, and Naval Asylum, the materials and articles embraced in printed schedules, which, with form of offer and guarantee, and printed instructions, will be furnished on application, and sent by mail, if so requested, to persons desiring to offer to contract for any or all the classes named therein, by the Commandants of the several Navy Yards, for the classes for the Yard under their command, or by the Purchasing Paymaster nearest thereto, or by the Bureau for any or all the Yards and Asylum.

The classes of this Bureau are numbered and designated as follows: Class No 1, Bricks; No. 2, Lumber; No. 3, Yellow Pine Timber; No. 4, Yellow Pine Lumber; No. 5, Oak and Hardwood; No. 6, White Pine, Spruce, Juniper and Cypress; No. 7, Lime, Hair and Plaster; No. 8, Cement; No. 9, Gravel and Sand; No. 10, Molding and Fire Sand and Fire Clay; No. 10, Slate; No. 11, Iron, Iron Nail s and Spikes; No. 12, Steel; No. 14, Files; No. 13, Paints, Oils and Glass; No. 16, Ship Chandlery; No. 17, Hardware; No. 18, Stationery; No. 20, Hay and Straw; No. 21, Provender; No. 23, Charcoal; No. 23, Belting, Packing and Hose; No. 24, Sperm and Lubricating Oils; No. 24, Illuminating Oils; No. 25, Iron work, Piping, &c.; No. 26, Augers; No. 27, Anthracite Coal; No. 28, Bituminous Coal; No. 21, Copper and Composition Nails; No. 23, Machinery and Tools, &c.

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Nos. 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28.

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The Bureau reserves the right to reject any or all bids, as the interest of the service may require.

JOHN C. HOWELL, *Chief of Bureau.*

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE,
U. S. MARINE CORPS,
Washington, August 25, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 12 o'clock, M. of Tuesday, the 9th day of October next, for furnishing supplies to the United States Marine Corps, during the fiscal year ending 30th June 1878, to be delivered at the office of the Assistant Quartermaster, Philadelphia, Pa., free of expense to the United States.

Schedules of the supplies required can be obtained, and the standard samples seen, at the office of the Quartermaster, Washington, D. C., Assistant Quartermaster's Office, No. 226 South Fourth Street, Philadelphia, Marine Barracks, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Boston, Mass.

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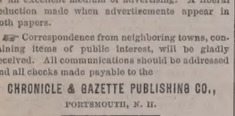

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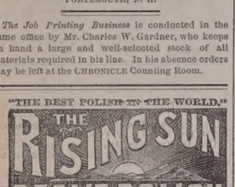

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any offal in said stalls, or cart of any kind about their stals or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forthwith enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or any privy, vault, or the mill pond within said city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen or privy, by means of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his hand into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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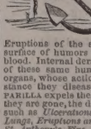

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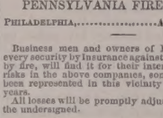

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 157.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

When New Hampshire was separated from Massachusetts in 1680, there was constituted an executive council of nine, the first of which was President. The President was Hon. John Cutt of Portsmouth. Two of the Council were of Portsmouth, one of Dover, two of Hampton, one of Newcastle, and one of Exeter. This last was John Gilman. He is frequently named as "Councillor Gilman." He held the office three years. He was a member of the Council in the Presidency of Cutt, Waldron and the troublous times of Cranfield.

Of the Gilman family, noted in Exeter and other places in this country for more than two hundred years, Edward was the immigrant, came over to Hingham, Mass., in 1638. He came to Exeter in 1647. This was but nine years after the town was settled. He erected mills at the falls. These might have been the first in the town, and mills have been there ever since. The present factory is near.

Councillor John Gilman was his son, and was born in Hingham, England, Jan. 10, 1624, came over with his father, and to Exeter, and with an elder brother, Edward, engaged in the mill business. In 1653, Edward went to England for mill gearing, that could not be obtained here, and was lost at sea. Their father was advanced in years and the entire management of affairs devolved on John.

Mr. Gilman was chosen one of the selectmen of Exeter in 1652 and was in the office several years following. Public spirited, active and enterprising, he became one of the leading men of the town. As a councillor it is presumed he was a man of good judgment, sagacity and wisdom. As to politics, loyalty to the king, Charles II., was the main thing. How far the Council was in sympathy with the arbitrary Cranfield does not appear.

Mr. Gilman's wife was Elizabeth Shapleigh, probably of Kittery, Me., and they had six children. He died July 24, 1708, aged 84 years.

I do not know where Councillor Gilman resided in Exeter. The first settlements were in the vicinity of the present jail. Probably it was not long before some settled near the falls and mills. It is a tradition that he built the house lately occupied by Mr. Manly Darling, now the American House. Of that old house more will be said in the next number.

The Gilman family in Exeter has been prominent. Some of its members have occupied high places of trust; and the blood of the family flows in the veins of the Folsoms and Dudleys with whom there were intermarriages, and members of these last have risen to usefulness and fame.

—Corn balls—husking parties.

—A rush-light—a head light on an express train.

—He was showing his watch to his nephew, who was about six years old. He pointed to the face of the dial and said, "Why, there is another little watch!" "That is called the second-hand." He tossed his head contemptuously, and walked off, saying, "I wouldn't own a second-hand watch." He had heard of second-hand watches, and thought this was one of them.

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Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 26, 1877.

News and Notes.

There was a little riot in Milwaukee on Monday, occasioned by a big mob of roughs attempting to rescue a prisoner from the police. The police used their revolvers freely, wounding a number of the roughs and killing one. Twenty of the rioters were arrested.

On Monday, in Milford, Mass., a man named Maguire killed a man named Foley in a drunken row. The murderer escaped.

William H. Grace, an ex-official of the New York custom house, has been sent to the penitentiary for four months for an assault on Gen. George S. Sharpe, surveyor of the port, last July.

The "mysterious schooner" Jonas Smith has been picked up off Sapelo Sound without anchor or sails, and towed into Doboy, Georgia, by steamer Dictator. The crew are safe. One account previously given of her reported her as a Boston vessel, bound from that port for Savannah, and probably captured by a mutinous crew of negroes; another story, by "Mark Twain," was that she sailed from Bermuda five months ago for New York, and was an old condemned hulk.

Henry Spaulding of New York city sues the Pennsylvania Railroad company for $50,000. He alleges that, when travelling between Monmouth, N. J., and New York, and when between Newark and Elizabeth the conductor took his ticket at Jersey City and demanded thirty cents for his ride from Elizabeth. This Spaulding was willing to pay, but the conductor wrote a receipt for sixty-one cents, which Spaulding was unwilling to pay, and he was locked up in Jersey over night.

An immense cave has been discovered in Josephine county, Oregon. It has been found to be over five miles in extent, and the exploration is not yet completed. The stalactite formation overhead is said to be unique, being similar to that in other caves of which more is known. A party will shortly make a thorough investigation of the mammoth cavern.

It is the *Catholic Columbian* which says that "it is enough to make an American blush for his countrymen to read in our papers the praises of such men as Gambetta and Garibaldi."

Dr. Parsons, medical superintendent of the New York city lunatic asylum, says there is a very marked increase of insanity among women. During the past ten years the number of females committed to his asylum has increased at an average rate of more than ten per cent. per annum. All the patients admitted to the asylum last year—478 in number—were women, and of the whole number under treatment on the first of January only ten were males.

The Keeley motor is heard from again. Mr. Keeley has completed his contrivance so far as to offer to submit it to scientific tests, to be conducted by experts selected by the New York *Herald*. The offer has been accepted, the tests are to be made, and we shall soon know somebody's opinion about the motor. But what the anxious world is chiefly waiting for is to see it propel a heavy train from Philadelphia to New York, as was promised a long while ago.

After the big blow-up at Hell Gate last Fall, the public generally supposed there was little left to do, but that idea was and is far from the truth. The work of tunnelling Flood Rock is stopped for want of funds, but the business of removing the splintered rock continues. Single stones of sixteen tons weight are the trophies that the grappling machine is taking from the stream. In spite of the interested statements of old pilots to the contrary, we are assured that the destruction of Hog's Back Reef has improved navigation in the channel, and so of course added to the facilities for safe and extensive commerce.

An English swindler named Donnell was recently escorted into a New York gambling-house by a "capper" who mistook him for an English peer, and the result was that with a $1,000 counterfeit Donnell fleeced the faro-bank out of $12,000 in genuine greenbacks. It takes a thief to catch a thief.

A Wellesley College "freshwoman" writes to her home: "The Sophomore class presented each new comer with a bouquet, and last evening invited us to a reception." There's not much fun in that, compared with putting each new comer under the pump, or making her stand the cigars, or smashing her Gainsborough, or breaking her parasol, or rolling her down hill in a barrel. It is plain that co-education is the only way of initiating our young ladies into the more lively expressions of genuine college life.—*Post.*

"As the slow, rising tide of the moon-lit waters of Mobile bay was yesternorn moanfully beating her sandy shores, a life was fast ebbing out whose glorious career had been spent on that liquid plain which encircles the globe." That was the way the Mobile *Register* began its obituary notice of the hero of sixty chronometers and a defeat.

A strange accident happened recently on the Missouri river near where it is spanned by the bridge of the Union Pacific Railroad. A party of five persons, two men and three women, were caught on the river by a thunder storm, and one of the party, George Studge, was struck by lightning and instantly killed. The lightning struck him on the head, making two wounds, stripped the shirt from one of his arms, broke one blade of a knife in his pocket, and then went out through the bottom of the boat, making a hole through which the water entered rapidly; the gunwale of the boat was also broken. Mrs. Studge sprang from her seat, fell overboard backwards, and was not again seen. The other inmates of the boat were partially stunned, but finally drifted ashore, the boat being nearly filled with water before they landed.

A hurricane struck the Windward Islands of the West Indies on the 21st. It was expected to reach the Atlantic coast of the United States about the 26th.

The best time on record in the matrimonial race can be conceded to Anthony Keough and a Miss Rivers of Cohoes, N. Y. At three in the afternoon they met, became acquainted, and before nine in the evening were married. The bride is sixteen and the groom nineteen years of age.

An astounding fraud—if fraud can any longer be astounding—was brought to light in Philadelphia Saturday. The President of the West Philadelphia Railway Company resigned, confessing that he had made overissues of the stock of that company to the amount of over one million of dollars. He says the fraud has been going for seven years, and, notwithstanding the usual "high reputation for integrity" which he has enjoyed, he now refuses to divulge the names of his confederates in crime. The stock, which sold Friday for $150, fell to $60 upon the announcement of this robbery by the President. The name of the culprit is John S. Morton, and he is President also of the Permanent Exhibition Company.

Ship St. Mark, 1973 tons, was launched at Bath, Me., and ship Wandering Jew, of about 2000 tons, was launched at Rockport, Me.,—both on the 24th.

A Pugnacious Old Sailor.

The Turks find that they have waked up the wrong passenger, when they attempt to brow-beat a Yankee. The Troy *Times* tells how Admiral Worden sailed out of the harbor of Smyrna in Asia Minor, on the 24th of July. Turkish regulations require that during the period of war no vessel shall enter or leave a harbor between sunset and sunrise. The admiral got up anchor about half an hour before sunset, but owing to some unaccountable delay did not reach the fort at the entrance to the harbor until several minutes after the evening gun had been fired. He, however, proceeded directly on his course. The Turks signalled him to stop. The admiral paid no attention to their demands, when suddenly a gun was fired across the bow. As the *Times'* informant says, "This made the old man mad." The men were beaten to quarters, the starboard battery was manned, the guns run out and trained on the fort, and the decks of the Trenton cleared for action. This bold act of the admiral produced no little commotion among the Turks, but no further effort to molest him was made, and he proceeded down the coast to the next port. Two Turkish vessels were sent after him to demand an apology; but this Admiral Worden positively refused to give, and they returned to Smyrna. The fact of the matter was that the Turk was over zealous in maintaining the rules of the port. The admiral's vessel was well known, his preparations were all made, and he was under way before sunset, and to make a long story short, all the Turks in Asia couldn't stop him.

The Big Fire.

By the Patent Office fire in Washington 60,000 models were destroyed. It is said that an immense amount of litigation will grow out of the disaster, as the law in regard to specifications and models was not complied with until a few years past and many models cannot be replaced accurately. In the matter of reissue of patents destroyed one of the models is necessary, and will result in litigation, especially in a case relating to reapers, mowers and various agricultural implements, all of which were destroyed. Many of the models consumed can never be duplicated, and such as can be must be from the original patents granted and now in use. A great many historic relics of America's history were stored away in the south front of the model room and were saved. These included the original of the Declaration of Independence, Washington's commission as Commander-in-Chief of American armies, his treasure chest, uniform and sword. Among the models saved was one filed by Abraham Lincoln years ago for letters patent for an improved method for lifting vessels over shoals.

Masonic.

At the annual conclave of Grand Commandry of Knights Templar and appendant orders of the State of New Hampshire held at Concord, Tuesday, the following grand officers were duly elected and installed: Chauncy H. Greene, Littleton, R. E. Grand Commander; Joseph W. Hildreth, Concord, V. E. Dep. Grand Commander; Albert S. Wait, Newport, E. Grand Generalissimo; Benjamin T. Rackley, Dover, E. Grand Captain General; Joseph Kidder, Manchester, E. Grand Prelate; Nathan P. Hunt, Manchester, E. Grand Senior Warden; Thomas L. Ellis, Lancaster, E. Grand Junior Warden; Frank A. McKean, Nashua, E. Grand Treasurer; George P. Cleaves, Concord, E. Grand Recorder; Milton A. Taylor, Nashua, E. Grand Standard Bearer; Andrew Bunten, Manchester, E. Grand Sword Bearer; Washington Freeman, E. Grand Warder; Edward R. Kent, Lancaster, E. Grand Captain of the Guard.

New Hampshire Items.

The house and outbuildings of Mrs. N. M. Jameson, in East Weare, was burned by an incendiary fire on Sunday morning. Loss $2200; partly insured.

On Tuesday last, Mr. E. Chamberlain, with his dog team, attracted considerable attention in this village. Mr. Chamberlain, who is now fifty-five years of age, is a native of New Hampshire, and when not upon the road resides in Ashburnham, Mass. When about nine years of age a rheumatic fever deprived him of the use of his limbs, which have become paralyzed and much shrunken. Several years ago he conceived the idea of a dog team and secured a large St. Bernard dog, weighing 150 pounds, which for ten years did him faithful service. His present steed is a pure bred Newfoundland weighing 110 pounds and capable of drawing him fifteen or twenty miles a day. With "Bruno," the St. Bernard, even thirty miles have been spanned in a day. Ordinarily but short trips are made, long distances being travelled by rail. Mr. Chamberlain supports himself by selling pencils, photographs, notions, etc. He appears to be in excellent health, but with only the partial use of his left arm, he is most certainly worthy of the sympathy and patronage of all the communities he may choose to visit.—*Peterboro' Transcript.*

Eli Hamblett of Hudson recently picked fifteen hundred striped-back potato bugs, by actual count, from one hill of potatoes, and thinks there are hills that will yield a larger crop.

John C'Brien, a Hartford, Conn., tramp, for building a fire too near the railroad woodshed at Troy, was arrested and taken to Keene, tried and sentenced to jail.

The Nashua and Jackson Manufacturing Companies were obliged to suspend work at noon on Monday on account of low water in the Nashua river.

The premiums at the late New England Fair in the poultry department amounted to $344, of which sum almost $300 was taken by Mr. Haynes of Peterboro.

J. W. Fellows, a prominent and wealthy resident of Hopkinton Village, fell from the beams of his barn and was badly injured, on Monday.

The annual meeting of the Cocheco Manufacturing Company occurs to-day. The meetings of the Manchester Manufacturing Corporations is fixed for Wednesday, October 3d.

Political.

Ben Hill insists that the South should be represented on the next national ticket, and hints that the second place ought to be forced on a party by the name of Ben Hill.

General McClellan can scarcely be popular hereafter with the old line democrat. He says that he should have an army of forty thousand men in time of peace.

Judge James, the democratic candidate for Governor in Iowa proclaims himself "a democrat of the old fashioned sort, with no modern improvements," and that he would put the negroes back into slavery if he could have his way. There are a good many democrats who believe with the Iowa candidate, but do not express themselves so clearly.

The republican party has nothing to fear from its principles. Standing squarely by its own Administration, it will convince the country that it is still progressing, and that it means to support the methods adopted by the Administration, as far as they prove effective in vitalizing the principles of the party.—*Syracuse Journal.*

A correspondent of the New York *Tribune*, speaking of the demonstration at Atlanta, Ga., on the occasion of the President's visit, notes the fact that of three or four military companies that took part not one carried the "old flag." One had a painted blue banner on which the central device was a "rebel flag," surrounded by clouds and stars. The others had blue banners, but the central device is not described. The men wore red and white cockades, the colors of the Confederacy, and for some reason did not march under the flag of their country. This is what the correspondent says, and leaves people to draw inferences. Perhaps there is some explanation of this incident not yet made.

That old scoundrel, Boss Tweed, in his testimony last Friday, stated he paid money to Winslow, Brand, Harpening and others of the New York Senate, to vote for the passage of the city tax levy of 1870. The Senate Journal of the year shows that on the final passage of the bill the above-named gentlemen voted in the negative. Winslow and Harpening voted the same on the county bill. The old thief is evidently just as able-bodied a liar now as he was when he ruled the democratic party of the State of New York.

John S. Morton, the swindling President of Philadelphia Market Street Railway, is a great-grandson of John Morton, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and was a prominent candidate for the democratic nomination for Governor of Pennsylvania. His reputation stood as high as a man's could stand, in Philadelphia and wherever he was known.

Gen. McClellan has accepted the democratic nomination for Governor of New Jersey.

In the democratic town of Anson, in Maine, a dozen river-drivers in the employ of a Boston concern and awaiting a rise of water, appeared at the polls and voted the democratic ticket. As they are not residents of the town and probably not of the State, a good many republicans who did not vote for the proposed amendment to the Constitution which makes the payment of a poll tax a pre-requisite to voting, now wish that they had done so. The same men attempted to vote in New Portland, but their votes were refused.

A Ball Player's Career.

A New York paper says: Mr. Thomas Barlow, of base-ball notoriety, who is now confined in the Tombs on a charge of petit larceny, tells a strange story of the manner in which he became addicted to the use of morphine. He says: "It was on the tenth of August, 1874, that there was a match game of base ball in Chicago between the White Stockings of that city and the Hartfords of Hartford, now of Brooklyn. I was catcher for the Hartfords, and Fisher was pitcher. He is a lightning pitcher, and very few could catch for him. On that occasion he delivered as wicked a ball as ever left his hands, and it went through my grasp like an express train, striking me with full force in the side. I fell insensible to the ground, but was quickly picked up, placed in a carriage, and driven to my hotel. The doctor who attended me gave a hypodermic injection of morphine, but I had rather died behind the bat than have had that first dose. My injury was only temporary, but from taking prescriptions of morphine during my illness, the habit grew on me, and I am now powerless in its grasp. My morphine pleasure has cost me eight dollars a day, at least. I was once catcher for the Mutuals, also for the Atlantics, but no one would think it to look at me now." Mr. Barlow said that a few days ago he was examining some pavement-displayed goods, when a clerk in the store accused him of attempting to steal a pair of socks, and caused his arrest. He knew not what defense to make, and the judges of the special sessions sent him to prison for ten days. His arrest, trial and conviction were like a dream, he said. He says there is no hope for him, and that he will continue taking the drug until it kills him.

Hare and Hounds.

The game is played chiefly by school-boys from ten to sixteen years old, though often boys who do not belong to the school are members of the "hunt," and very often, too, the little fellows are the best runners in the party.

The boys divide themselves into two parties, each having its "champion runner," and lots are drawn as to which of these runners shall be the "hare" in the first hunt of the season, afterward they go by turn.

The rest of the boys are the "hounds," and the other champion is the huntsman who marshals them to the "meet" (which is usually the school play-grounds,) gives the signal for the start, calls them off by a shrill whistle when they get on the wrong scent, and, in fact, is "master of the hounds," *par excellence.*

The "hare" is provided with a small, open satchel or pouch, slung across his shoulder, and filled with bits of white paper about an inch square—heavy paper that the wind will not carry away. It is the privilege of the small boys who are too little to take part in the hunt to prepare these bits of paper, and for a day or two before a "run" they have great fun in preparing "scent," as they call it.

The hare is also allowed five minutes "head start," and is allowed to choose his own course, but is obliged to scatter the bits of white paper at short intervals all along the way he goes, as they are his tracks for the hounds to follow. The five minutes given him he usually spends in seeking for some obscure place at which he leaves a little package of *yellow* or *blue* paper to denote the starting-point.

This may be some blocks away, or up a side street, or just around the corner; he has his choice, and a free opportunity to seek it, as the "hounds" go within doors till the five minutes are up. Then the huntsman cries "whoop! halloo!" and away they all bound hither and thither, seeking till they find the package of colored paper (which they are obliged to do before they can start;) the finder must cry "hark! forward!" then off they go, on the scent.

Sometimes so long a time is taken up in finding the starting-point that the hare makes famous headway, and can "double" on his followers—that is, retrace his way for a block or two on the other side of the street (leaving the bits of paper all along, of course,) go round a block, or, if they are in the country, he probably makes for the woods, goes in some distance, then turns back, perhaps, till he finds some leafy tree, up which he climbs and hides himself till the "hounds" have gone by; anything to put them off the track.

When the hare has gone far enough, and wishes to return, especial care must be taken, as, if he is seen, the hounds can rush after him, "cross lots," and woe betide him if he is caught! He is no longer champion, but has to give up his badge to the fortunate "catcher," and cannot even be one of the hounds till he has paid a certain forfeit demanded by rule—usually something good to eat.

If the hare gets successfully home to the play-ground, the opposite party has to "stand treat;" so you may imagine how hard each side strives to win. It is a capital game when really played according to rules, and English boys think the rules half the sport. It has been played for several generations,—an old game,—not only in England, but wherever English boys have gone, or English games are known.—*St. Nicholas for Oct.*

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PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. REESLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfeb16 78

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P. M	
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "	
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Concord Way,		4.35 "	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "	

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.30 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.30 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Mr. Edwin H. Leslie has reopened the bread store on Church street formerly kept by Mr. Cyrus Plumer, in the same line of business.

Morse & Ilsley will sell by auction at noon to-day, at their office, some very desirable bank and railroad stock. See advertisement.

The rush at Blumauer's since he reopened seems to indicate that the ladies are satisfied that the place to buy dry goods in hard times is at No. 21 Market street.

The Paul Jones laid quietly inside the Nobles' Island bridge for twenty-four hours after being launched. On Tuesday she was warped through the draw, towed over to the navy yard and placed under the sheers to be masted. The beauty of her model attracts general attention.

Gunner Andrew Harman is detached from the Navy Yard, and ordered to take charge of the yard magazine. Gunner Eugene Mack is ordered to the navy yard.

The evidence in the habeas corpus case of Twombly vs. Woods (involving the custody of a minor child) was concluded on Monday before the Supreme Court at Dover, a large number of witnesses having been examined. The case is to be argued to-day before Judge Foster.

Steamer Major, Capt. Robinson, makes an excursion trip to Newburyport and up the Merrimack river to-day, leaving steamboat wharf at ten o'clock. The steamer will touch at Newburyport, and then run up the river to Salisbury and Amesbury; returning, will reach this city about 6:30 P. M. The trip up the river is a beautiful one, and the sea has been very smooth for some days past; and the fare for the round trip being only one dollaar, a large number of excursionists will probably avail themselves of this chance for a visit to our neighboring seaport.

General Passenger Agent B. F. Patrick, who was formerly connected with the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad, has been appointed General Passenger Agent of the Eastern Railroad. It is understood that the appointment of a General Passenger Agent is rendered necessary by the increase of outside business, that the offices of general ticket and general passenger agents have been combined, and that Mr. George Russell, who has filled the position of General Ticket Agent for the past twenty-three years, retires. Mr. Russell has been a faithful and efficient officer of the corporation, and in the performance of his duties has given entire satisfaction. The regret at his retirement will be equally felt by his associates and the general public by whom he is held in high esteem.—*Traveller.*

Schooner W. H. Y. Hackett, Jamieson master, came in on Monday with 23,000 lbs. of fresh cod and six bbls. mackerel. On her previous trip she brought in 14,000 lbs. of cod and four barrels of mackerel. Both catches were made on "the southeast," some ten or twelve miles seaward of the Isles of Shoals.

The probabilities predict that the equinoctial is on its way, and that the unexceptional weather of the past week has been but a "weather breeder."

Ship Granite State has her sails bent and is to leave for New York some day this week.

From E. H. Winchester's beautiful field on Lafayette Road a bountiful second crop of hay has been cut and secured in excellent order.

Capt. Shillaber's building on Court street, which he permits the county to occupy for court purposes, has been shingled.

FREE LECTURE.

Rev. Dr. J. H. McCarty of New Orleans, Louisiana, is to deliver a lecture on "Our Country: its Glory and its Perils," on Friday evening at half-past seven o'clock, in the Methodist church; admission free. A voluntary contribution will be solicited at the close of the lecture to aid in the completion of the Soldiers and Sailors Monument at Chalmette National Cemetery near New Orleans, where nearly thirteen thousand Union soldiers are buried. The Grand Army Post at New Orleans in their printed circular say: "We appeal to New England first because so large a proportion of the dead who sleep at Chalmette are from that section of our country. We command Dr. McCarty to the public as an able and eloquent speaker,—one who thoroughly comprehends national questions, and, having resided for some time in New Orleans, the metropolis of the South, as the pastor of a Christian church, he will come before the public with information on national and Southern questions in particular, which cannot fail to be of great interest to all who may have the privilege of hearing him."

SAFE SHOOTING.

The *Times* a few days ago contained the following: "The latest case of absence of mind occurred the other day, when a couple of our most accomplished sportsmen were gunning. They reached the hunting grounds, many miles from here, without any mishap, and found game in abundance. But they didn't kill anyting,—they had left their ammunition at home." That was not a very wonderful thing, as Portsmouth shootists often go out without any ammunition. Mr. Nathaniel, a native of this city who formerly resided on the frontier of Texas, near the "Indian Nation," snatched his rifle one evening and went out with the rest of the men to repel an invasion of the Indians, who had come in and killed a woman, stolen a lot of horses and made themselves generally obnoxious. Word was soon brought that the marauders had retreated, and a mounted party was quickly organized to pursue them. A man who was on a horse, but had no rifle, suggested to Mr. Nathaniel to lend him his, and he (the horseman) would then join the pursuers. "All right—take it," said Mr. Nathaniel. The ranger took it, examined it, and exclaimed with evident astonishment, "Why, this rifle ain't loaded! Where's your ammunition?" "Ammunition! I haven't got any ammunition," was the answer received by the amazed frontiersman, who thereupon concluded that the rifle, when in Mr. Nathaniel's hands, was safer for his friends when empty than when half full of powder and lead, and quite as dangerous to the enemy. That was the only time Mr. Nathaniel ever shot an Indian—or anything else—in Texas.

JURORS.

The following named persons were on Tuesday evening drawn from Ward Two in this city:

William G. Billings, Grand Jury, and Oliver Stacy, Petit Jury, to serve at the U. S. Court at Exeter, Oct. 8th.

Charles C. Akerman, Grand Jury, and T. Salter Tredick, Henry H. Ladd, Charles W. Kimball and Matthew T. Betton, Petit Jurors, to serve at the Supreme Court in this city, Oct. 16th.

TEMPLARS' VISIT.

The Olivet Commandry, of Lynn, John Shaw Eminent Commander, accompanied by members of the Grand Commandry of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, with the Lynn Brass Band, will arrive in this city on Thursday afternoon at 5:38, and will be received at the depot by the DeWitt Clinton Commandry, with the Portsmouth Cornet Band; they will be escorted to the Rockingham House which will be their headquarters during their stay. In the evening the visiting Sir Knights will be given a reception at Congress Hall. Friday morning they will be taken down the harbor in steamer Major. Friday afternoon there will be a parade of both Commandries, at the close of which the visiting Sir Knights will be escorted to the depot. It is quite probable that the Newburyport Commandry will accompany the Lynn Commandry on its visit here.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties cupon	108¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1868 cupon	107¼
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1875	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1886	103½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 3½s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	69½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	128½
Boston & Albany	123½
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	58½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	33
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	8½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 33c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 20c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @9; Ex. 10
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 95c.
Molasses per gal., it. Cuba 50 @ 60c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 45c.
Pork per ℔., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 10 @10½; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔. Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Time-Proof Teeth.

The teeth may be rendered time-proof by brushing them daily with Sozodont. No tartar can encrust them, no canker affect the enamel, no species of decay infest the dental bone, if this pure and delicious dentrifrice is faithfully used to the exclusion of every other preparation.

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CODDINGTON—MOSES. In Metuchen, N. J., Sept. 15, by Rev. Edward Lord, at the residence of the bride's uncle, Joseph C. Moses, Esq., Mr. Robert Coddington, of Woodbridge, N. J., and Miss Lizzie H. Moses, daughter of Hon. Nehemiah Moses of this city.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, Sept 25.

Sch Cornelia, of Rockland, Pease master, from Rondout with 598 bbls cement to Sam'l Adams & Co.
Sch W H Y Hackett, Jamieson, from fishing with 23,000 lbs. cod and 6 bbls mackerel to V Doane, Jr.
Sch Ruth T Carlisle, Smith, Philadelphia.
Sch Medena, Sanson, Boston.

Sch Sinbad, Perry, for this port from Rondout, passed through Hell Gate, Sept 23.
Sch War Eagle, Frisbee, from Bath, arr at Boston Sept 24.

"Sulphuret Oil of Roses."

A wonderful External Remedy, almost miraculous in effect. By absorption it eradicates Rheumatic pains, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Throat Diseases. Sufferers do themselves positive injustice by not giving this Remedy a trial. Price 50 cents and $3. FLAVILLE, BROTHER & CO., Chemists, 30 Franklin street, Boston. ☞N. B. AGENTS WANTED IN EACH TOWN. 1?3&6if

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod&6tsep15 78

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THE MONEY MUST BE RAISED WITHIN

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From date, therefore

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A SPECIAL DISCOUNT

OF 5 PER CENT. will be given to those who buy Twenty Dollars' worth or over at one sale, as an inducement to raise the Cash in the shortest possible time!

☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE! ☜

L. Blumauer,

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

☞ All persons having Accounts with us are requested to settle immediately.

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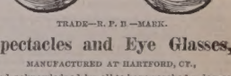

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January 10, 1877.

Daily Chronicle.

Vaccination Parties.

The Paris *Constitutionnel* gravely tells, and the *British Medical Journal* owlishly repeats, the following yarn:

In America the fashionable amusement of the day is very original. The Yankees give themselves up in the most joyous spirit to the amusement of vaccination parties; they give *soirees*, and in lieu of providing for these reunions refreshments of the usual kind, they offer to the guests assorted varieties of vaccine matter. At a concert, for example, after the execution of each piece, doctors come at the call of the host and pass through the rooms instead of servants, who usually offer tempting dishes; and, in lieu of the words, "Sir, or madam, would you like an ice, or some punch, or some sandwiches?" they ask, "Would you like infant vaccination or cow vaccination?" and each one answers according to his fancy or to the degree of confidence he feels in each remedy. "Give me three children and five cows," one will say; "four cows and five children," another will say, limiting themselves always to the eight incisions which every good vaccination is held to require. Besides *sources* of vaccination, others are held at which the vaccinated meet to compare their arms and to ascertain the success of the operation. It is not unusual now in America, when a lady wishes to justify the preference which she feels for any gentleman, to express herself in these terms: "How can I help it? We have been vaccinated together."

—A widow in Baltimore put crape on the door. The crape remained there about a week before the landlord made bold to interrupt her grief, and when he entered he found nothing there but the house. Her grief was so intense that she had inadvertently removed all the furniture and forgotten to pay her rent.

—A well-dressed, lady-like looking woman entered a car the other day, with her little boy of about six years of age. On the conductor's coming to collect the fares, the lady handed her little son a half dollar, he being near the door. The little fellow examined the coin carefully, and then gave it to the conductor. Scarcely had the man returned the change than the youngster clapped his hands, and, looking at his mother, exclaimed, triumphantly, "Mamma, mamma, he has taken the bad half dollar!"

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any state meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen or the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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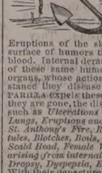

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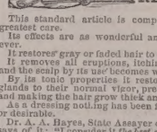

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Interrupted Table Talk.

The other evening Rev. Mr. Philacter sat down at the tea table with a very thoughtful air, and attended to the every want of his brood in a very abstracted manner. Presently he looked up at his wife and said—

"The Apostle Paul"—

"Got an awful lump on the head 'a afternoon," broke in the pastor's eldest son, "playing base ball. But flew out of the striker's hands when I was umpire, and cracked me right above the ear an' dropped me. Hurt? Golly!" and the lad shook his head in dismal but expressive pantomime as he tenderly rubbed a lump that looked like a billiard ball with hair on it.

The pastor gravely paused for the interruption, and resumed:

"The Apostle Paul"—

"Saw Mrs. O'Gheminie down at Greenbaum's this afternoon," said his eldest daughter, addressing her mother. "She had the same old everlasting black silk, made over with a vest of tilleul green silk, coat-tail basque pattern, overskirt made with diagonal folds in front, edged with deep fringe; yellow straw hat, with black velvet facing inside the brim, and pale blue flowers. She's going to Chicago."

The minister waited patiently, and then in tones just a shade louder than before, said—

"The Apostle Paul"—

"When in swimming last night with Henry and Ben, pop, and stepped on a clam shell," exclaimed his youngest son: "cut my feet so I can't wear my shoes; and, please, can't I stay home to-morrow?"

The pastor informed his son that he might stay away from the river, and then resumed his topic. He said—

"The Apostle Paul says"—

"My teacher is an awful liar," shouted the second son; "he says the world is as round as an orange, and it turns round all the time faster than a circus man can ride. I guess he hain't got much sense."

The mother lifted a warning finger to the boy and said, "Sh!" and the father resumed.

"The Apostle Paul says"—

"Don't bite off twice as much as you can chew," broke out the eldest son, reproving the assault of his little brother on a piece of cake. The pastor's face showed just a trifle of annoyance as he said in a very firm, decided tones

"The Apostle Paul says"—

"There's a fly in the butter!" shrieked the youngest hopeful of the family, and a general laugh followed. When silence was restored, the eldest daughter, with an air of curiosity, said—

"Well, but, pa, I really would like to know what the Apostle Paul said."

"Pass me the mustard," said the pastor, absently.

Then the committee rose and the Senate went into executive session and soon after adjourned.—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—The Atkinson, Kan., *Patriot* tells this little romance: It will be remembered that when Barnum's show was here several years ago his treasurer took sick, and was left at the Massasoit House. He died there and was buried here, we believe. He was engaged to be married to a Miss Fish, a sister of Barnum's present treasurer. After his death it became necessary for Miss Fish to write several letters to Mr. Barnum in reference to her dead lover. Barnum admired the lady, because of her well-written letters, sought an acquaintance—an acquaintance which soon ripened into love, and to make a long story short, the then Miss Fish is now Mrs. P. T. Barnum. Barnum is twenty-seven years older than his wife.

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Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 27, 1877.

The Revival of Trade.

From all quarters of the country come reports of a remarkable and unlooked for increase in business; our Washington correspondent in a late letter gave a roseate account of the briskness of trade in New York city and Baltimore, and stated that from letters received in Washington it is evident that business throughout the country is rapidly improving. On this subject the Providence *Journal* says:

"The reports of trade from the west and southwest are most promising. The cereals have proved most abundant. Corn, which is the only crop not yet fully made, is in almost the entire region in which it is an important consideration, beyond the influence of frost. There is no question that it will be a large crop. Those who are in the best position to know, have evidently the fullest confidence in the harvest. In Chicago, in Louisville, in Nashville, the merchants represent the fall trade as being beyond that of any late year, and beyond expectation. This is precisely in accordance with the natural and proper rules of trade. It is in the producing districts that the first impulse of business should be felt, because there it is based upon actual production of the necessaries of life. Wheat, corn, cotton, wool, these are the essentials. When these are produced, the producer is able to purchase, so far as he has a surplus, the luxuries of life. In this country, at any rate, the worker seeks for his family, if not for himself, the elegancies. When, therefore, the farmer sees his way to pay the interest on his mortgage and have a little something left, he will buy at the store that which is, in his region, "fashionable." How soon and how far this tide of expenditure will come east, at this juncture, is not now to be estimated. All that can be said is that this tide now promises to be more full than for a long time past."

New Jersey Nomination.

The Republican State Convention of New Jersey nominated Ex-Gov. William A. Newell for Governor, and mildly endorsed the President's southern policy.

News and Notes.

Instruction in the mixtic system is to be given in the grammar schools of Boston.

Owing to the exposure of the wholesale stealing of Morton, the President of the Permanent Exhibition Company of Philadelphia, it is feared the exhibition will be closed.

A train on the Illinois Central Railroad was thrown from the track on the night of Sept. 24th, and seven passengers were killed and many wounded. Masked men were seen by passengers from the car windows, as the moon was shining brightly, but after the accident they were not to be seen. It is supposed that they wrecked the train, intending to plunder the passengers, but were frightened away.

The failure of Rufus Hatch, the well-known New York stock-broker, is reported.

The President and party have arrived in Washington.

The Cambridgeport (Mass.) National Bank has been robbed of $30,000 in money and securities belonging to private parties, but nobody knows when or how it was done.

A telegram is said to have been received from Santo Domingo, saying that the ashes of Christopher Columbus were discovered there, with authentic proof of their genuineness. It is therefore supposed that the ashes of Columbus in the Havana Cathedral are those of his son Diego.

During the year just closed the United States sold 105,000,000 yards of cotton goods abroad, ten times more than was exported the year before.

A new and baffling disease has appeared among the horses of Morristown, N. J., and neighborhood. Several are dying daily at Madison. Veterinarians say it is a kind of diphtheria. None of those attacked recover. It is spreading fast.

The South Pass at the mouth of the Mississippi river has been deepened so that it is now available for all classes of vessels, and the largest craft go through now with only one tow boat.

Base ball—Bostons 6, Lowells 9; Cincinnatis 7, St. Louis 4; Louisvilles 3, Indianapolis 0.

The Patent Office officials now say that no papers of great importance were destroyed by the fire; and Commissioner Williams of the Land Office does not think he has lost a single paper, even of the most unimportant nature.

Hon. John L. Stevens, the newly-appointed Minister to Norway and Sweden, has left for Stockholm with his family.

There has been a heavy gale in the Bay of St. Lawrence, and several American fishing vessels are reported ashore.

The Boston base ball club beat the Hartfords on Wednesday, 14 to 3.

Zach Miller, eighty years old, has been arrested at East Brownfield, Me., for setting fire on the 25th to the barn of his nephew, John Miller, by which the latter lost $1000.

Fourteen thousand Manila cigars, brought to Boston by Capt. Taylor, of the British ship Fontency, and smuggled ashore by Capt. James L. Fowler, master of pilot boat No. 7, of Boston, have been seized. All engaged in the smuggling will be arrested, and the pilot boat seized and held as security.

Burglars have been operating in Amherst, and on the night of Sept. 24th somebody burgled a cow from Rev. Dr. Davis' barn.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from St. Petersburg says that a further levy has been made on the Russian Landwehr, and that fifty-two battalions are now proceeding to the front.

It is reported that at the council of Ministers, held Sept. 25th, at which the Grand Duke Constantine presided, a majority of the members favored peace negotiations, which report is probably bosh, for Russia cannot afford to make peace until she has gained some decided advantage over the Turks.

The losses of the Russian and Roumanian armies in the engagement at Plevna are placed at 25,000 in killed and wounded.

Political.

New Jersey was the only Northern State which voted for McClellan for President. He may be its next Governor.

Postmaster-General Key does not adapt his speeches to his audiences, but has repeated and justified his "erring brethren" remark, which brought him so much denunciation from the Southerners, in his own State of Tennessee. "What good did all our fighting do?" he asks, and adds: "If to lose all that you fought for, and to have that done that you did not wish done, was not a mistake and an error, I don't know what the meaning of those words is."

Kemper County, Miss., has taken the first step toward doing its duty in the case of the murderers of Judge Chisolm. Six indictments for murder and twenty-five for being accessory to murder have been found by the grand jury of that county, and it is said that most of them are directed against the participants in the outrage. They will be brought to trial, thought it is doubtful whether any convictions can be obtained. It will be some satisfaction if the county authorities do their duty and make a real effort to have justice done.

A Frightful Wreck.

The Panama *Star and Herald* contains the following particulars concerning the loss of the steamship Eten in the South Pacific Ocean, some weeks ago reported in brief, supplied by an officer of the Chilian war vessel Chacabuco, after visiting the scene of the wreck:

At 5 A. M., on the 15th of July, during the watch of the first officer, Mr. Thomas Ford, passengers and crew were suddenly awakened by the heavy shock experienced throughout the ship on her striking the rocks. They immediately abandoned their beds and rushed on deck, where within a few moments the scene of confusion became simply indescribable, everybody rushing heedlessly hither and thither in a state of utter desperation, some occupying the shrouds and others crowding toward the boats. The captain made fruitless efforts to restore and preserve order; at the same time proceeding to get out the boats. In spite of all that could be done, however, it was impossible to maintain discipline, the prevailing idea being "every one for himself," and each one seeking the best means of preserving his own life.

Fifty or sixty persons crowded into a lifeboat, but one of the davits giving way they were precipitated into the sea, where the majority of them at once perished miserably. Only seven of them succeeded in finding their way to the shore, where they were cast up completely exhausted and severely bruised by the buffeting they had experienced.

The rest sought refuge on a rock about three hundred metres distant from the shore, thinking it would afford them a place of safety until the arrival of succor, but where, alas! many of them found but a tomb. An eye-witness says it would be utterly impossible to depict the harrowing scenes which occurred on that rock, seventy or more unhappy wretches clinging to each other for mutual protection against the heavy sea constantly breaking over them, each successive wave threatening to sweep them bodily from their frail tenure.

It seemed as if it were in the power of Providence alone to snatch them from the arms of death. Unfortunately the elements were against them. The wind freshened, the sea increased in fury, and to crown their miseries a heavy rain began to fall, accompanied by intense cold, completely benumbing the faculties of those who had not been rendered insensible by the breakers. Each wave carried away two or three victims, and the position finally became so terrible that the boldest among the survivors preferred to face the fury of the sea than to remain longer exposed to a prolongation of their sufferings. Many perished in attempting to swim ashore, but some few fought their way inch by inch to the beach, where they were received by crowds who had hastened from the neighboring villas on hearing the news of the disaster.

On Tuesday, the third day of the wreck, there were about twenty persons still alive on the rocks. They had been there about fifty-five hours without rest or food, attenuated by exposure to the cold, the sea and the rain. About four or five o'clock in the evening an immense wave broke over them and they were all swept away.

One of the most melancholy incidents in connection with the fatal rock was the following: Among those who sought refuge there was a Mr. Bates of Coquimbo with his two young daughters. They were passengers from England by the steamer Valparazo, and at the port of that name had changed steamers. The young girls had been for ten years in England, receiving their education, and were returning, accompanied by their father, to the place where their mother was anxiously awaiting them after so long a separation. The sea swallowed them up one by one, and the youngest (a girl of sixteen) was compelled to witness the agonizing death of her father and sister, within a few yards of her, without having it in her power to render them the slightest assistance.

A Race Between a Horse and an Engine.

A communication from Norwalk, Ohio, to the Cleveland *Herald*, says: "Rather an exciting chase occurred yesterday between a horse and a train. As the afternoon excursion train was running from Huron, and when near Milan, a fine-looking horse appeared upon the track a short distance ahead. The engineer endeavored to whistle him off, but the steed, throwing up his head and tail, started up the track on a lively trot, the train keeping about four rods in the rear. If the engine slackened up, the horse would also. The fireman ran ahead of the engine, but the horse only kept out of his reach. The fireman re-entered his cab, and the pursuit was continued. Soon after, a boy, coming from the woods with a long pole, ran up to the horse, which kept the track notwithstanding. Apparently he became tired, and was constantly stumbling and catching his feet on the ties. The fireman got off again, and being aided by a man coming down the track, compelled the horse to turn out, but with a lively pace he ran around the man and got on the track again just ahead of the engine. At each success of the horse there arose shouts of laughter from the excursionists. The horse seemed to understand and the engineer keenly felt the defeat. After running about two miles a bridge was reached. The engineer slackened a little to give the horse a chance to get off. The horse stopped, looked at the trussing a moment, made a left face, ran down the bank, and crossed the ravine. The engineer, seeing his chance, pulled out lively. The chase was kept up about forty rods further. The horse kept up abreast of the engine for some distance, and finally, with a shake of his head, turned to the left, and was soon out of sight."

Flying Squirrels.

During my first year in college, however, I became the owner of three flying squirrels, and soon found that they could afford as much amusement and do as much mischief as a monkey; and, during the time that I owned them, we were never tired of watching them.

I kept them in the trap in which they were caught, a common wire rat-trap, with a door at each end. This I placed upon a bracket on the wall between the two windows of the room, so that they could reach it easily by running up the window curtains, and jumping from them to the cage. In a short time they became so tame that the cage was fastened open, and left so all the time, and every night, about day-break, they would run up the curtain, jump into the cage, and curl up under the cotton with which it was filled, and sleep all day, rolled up with their tails wrapped around their bodies and covering their heads, so that they looked like little round fur balls. If they were disturbed during the day they were very sluggish and inactive, and hunted out another dark corner as soon as they were allowed their liberty; and no one who has seen them only in the daytime can understand what active, wide awake, mischievous animals they are after dark.

Sometimes they chose very odd places to hide and sleep in, when they were driven out of their nest in the day-time. The pockets and sleeves of the clothes which hung in the wardrobe were favorite hiding-places, and the bed was another. They would crawl in between the pillow-case and the pillow, and sleep there all day, and sometimes I have found all three of them in bed with me when I awoke in the morning. They would climb up my coat-sleeve while I was studying, and go to sleep under my arm, and they were very angry if they were disturbed, although of course I could not sit still all day for their convenience.

About twilight every evening they would come out of their hiding place and play around the room, and were as wide awake all night as they had been sleepy all day. They were very fond of playing in my hair, and often the first notice I would receive that they were out for the evening would be their coming down with a flying leap from the top of the window plump upon my head, as I sat reading or talking. When I was engaged in study, such an interruption was rather startling at first, as they always awoke and came out of the cage together, so that, before the first had time to recover his balance after his leap, the second would alight in the same place, and while they were struggling with each other to gain a foothold the third would strike on top of them, and perhaps knock one or both of them off upon my collar or shoulders; but they usually jumped back on my head again, and for a minute or two I would have all three scuffling together in my hair. In a short time I learned to expect this visit about dark every evening, and I was very much pleased to see that they soon learned to know me, and always selected my head when there were visitors in the room. I never discovered that my visitors felt slighted by this neglect, or were at all sorry that their heads were not favored in the same way.

They were very fond of perching upon the picture nails, and climbing upon the cord, and would often carry a nut up and sit there and eat it, and then drop the empty shell behind the picture. They had one great feat which was very amusing. They would run up the side of the door-casing to the top, and then drop down to the door knob, and try to sit there; but as it was round and smooth they had great difficulty in clinging to it, and usually slipped off on the floor, one after the other, and raced back to the top of the door. To try it again. Occasionally one would almost proceed in gaining a seat upon the knob, but before he had time to get fairly balanced, another would drop down and strike him, and both would fall to the floor.

They would eat all kinds of nuts, but they seemed to be much fonder of insects, and were busy a great part of the evening catching the large moths and beetles which are so abundant in the early summer. They would hang by the claws of their hind paws to the lower edge of the sash of an open window, and watch for an insect to fly past them. If it were near enough to reach they would seize and eat it as they hung in the window. If it were not near enough for them to reach it in this way, they would sail out into the room after it, and in most cases catch it before alighting. Their large, projecting eyes, fitted for seeing in the night, and their power of sailing short distances through the air, fit them perfectly for the capture of insects; but nuts must furnish the larger part of their food, for they may be trapped in the dead of winter when there are so few insects that they cannot depend upon them.

They have the instinct shared by most of the gnawing animals, such as field mice, striped squirrels and beavers,—of storing up in the fall a supply of food to be used in the winter. One which I kept several years, after those of which I have been telling you, dropped nearly a peck of hickory nuts down a large hole which a mouse had gnawed in the floor of my closet, thinking that he was storing up a rich supply which he could draw upon when he should need them. They probably live upon nuts and seeds in the fall and winter, and their power of catching insects helps them to gain a living during the spring and early summer, when proper vegetable food is scarce, but insects very abundant.

Of course I need not tell you that the name "flying squirrel" is a mistake, as they do not really fly, and are not furnished with true wings. A very thin skin, covered with hair, like the rest of the body, joins the fore to the hind leg on each side, and thus form a broad sail which enables the animal to slide along through the air for some distance. Their legs are very short and weak, and they cannot jump upward much more than a foot; but, by climbing up to some high place, such as a tall tree, and then sailing off into the air, they can slide for a hundred feet or more before reaching the ground. The tail is very broad and flat, and is used as a rudder to regulate the slope at which they shall fall. The rudder of a boat is used to turn the boat from side to side, so it is flattened vertically, and moves from side to side. The tail of a flying squirrel does not seem to be of very much assistance in turning from side to side, but it regulates their fall, so that they can come almost straight down to the ground, or sail off so as to come down very gradually.

Sometimes they come almost down to the ground very rapidly, then, just before they reach it they bend the tail so as to sail off for some distance, close to the ground. After they have sailed down from a high place in this way, and have thus acquired a good supply of force, they are able to change the position of the limbs and tail so as to go up some little distance, in the same way that a sled will slide up a short hill after it has gone down a long one, but of course they are not able to reach a point as high as that from which they started.

Mine were able to start from the top of the window, and sweep down almost to the floor, and then rise enough to catch the back of a chair on the opposite side of the room, which was about twenty-one feet deep. In the woods, where they can start from a very great height, they make much longer flights than this. The tail is also used to stop them, by bending it down so as to catch the air, when they wish to alight. All of these uses of the tail for a rudder, require that it should be arranged on the opposite plan to the rudder of a boat, and we see why it must be flattened horizontally, and move up and down, instead of being flattened vertically, and moving from side to side.

It may be new to many persons in the city, to learn that the flying squirrel is fully as abundant and widely distributed as the chipmunk or striped squirrel, although it is not as often seen, since it lives among the tall forest trees, and is seldom seen in the day-time.—PROF W. K. BROOKS, *in Wide Awake.*

—A Baldwinsville, N. Y., surgeon removed a piece of hoop-skirt from the stomach of a horse, the other day. Apparently that was all there was left of the woman.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 20c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @9; Ex. 10
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 29
Lard per pound, 13 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 50 @ 60c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushels, 50 to 53 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 45c.
Pork per bll., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9¼ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107½
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1873	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	109½
N. H. State 6s 1880	105½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 4½s	56½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	150½
Boston & Albany	123½
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	58½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	38
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

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FOR SALE BY
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ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR THE
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To Let.
A PART of tenement No. 3 Church street, near Market square. Apply to WALLACE HACKETT.

To Let.
HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET. Apply at 3 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.
TO a small family, "THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.
THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 31, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.
BRICK HOUSE No. 24 State St. It is a fine residence for one family; or will be let for two families, for which it is well adapted. The furniture can be had if wanted. Apply at the house. W. J. LAIGHTON.

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THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street. For particulars apply to WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square' or HENRY A. YEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market Street.

For Rent.
HOUSE of ten rooms, No. 2 Melcher St., near Pleasant St.; water in house; rent very low to a good tenant,—or will rent to two tenants, with six or four rooms. Apply at No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

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THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. Merrill, Esq.
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Parties leaving their orders with us can depend upon the LOWEST PRICES in the city!
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Orders left at N. K. Walker & Son's Hat and Fur Store promptly filled.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.50, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P.M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,		4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	12.20 "	"
Concord and North,	10.30 "	6.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE HABEAS CORPUS CASE.

In the habeas corpus case of Twombly *vs.* Woods, before Judge Foster, at Dover, on Wednesday, the arguments were heard, and the Judge held that by the decision of the late Chief Justice Bellows in the case State against Richardson, it has been decided that the custody of the child belonged to the father, unless it was shown he was clearly unfit for the trust, such as being grossly immoral, etc. The testimony adduced did not sufficiently bring the case within this rule, and the Judge held that the child was awarded to the father, Mr. Twombly, the wife to have the full and unrestrained right to see the child upon all reasonable occasions. The case was stoutly contested on the part of the friends of the child's mother, with whom the mother resides and has her home. The Judge pretty clearly intimated that the custody of the child might perhaps be decreed to the mother, upon her application for a divorce.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, September 26th.

Edward Tobey was up for drunkenness, and after listening to the frequent oration about $9.90, concluded to retire to the country for a while to escape any further remarks of that kind.

SALE OF STOCKS.

Messrs. Morse & Ilsley on Wednesday sold by auction the following bank and other stock:

Rockingham National Bank—six shares at $64 each, twenty-four shares at $62.50—par $50.

National Mechanics & Traders' Bank—twenty shares at $106.75, three shares at $106.

Bank of New Hampshire—eight shares at $106.50.

Trust & Guaranty Company—three shares at $90.

Concord & Portsmouth Railroad—ten shares at $120.37.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The Eastern Railroad has at the station in this city an improvement in the shape of a mounted platform from which ladies can reach the high steps of the cars—provided the new platform is near the steps when the cars stop, which is not often the case.

The Sunday trains between Boston and this city have been discontinued. These trains do not pay for running after the summer hotels at the beaches close, yet they are never put on until the season is waning; if they were started as soon as the summer travel commences they would no doubt be well patronized by the world's people for three months.

Richard Taft, Esq., of the Profile House, Franconia Mountains, is on a visit to his son-in-law, Chas. F. Eastman, at Odiorne's Point.

The steamer Major did not make her proposed trip to Newburyport and up the Merrimack river on Wednesday, the number of excursionists appearing not warranting it.

The coroner's jury in the case of John Faulkner, found dead on a Sunday morning, three or four weeks ago, (it is so long we have forgotten the exact date,) finished taking evidence on Tuesday evening, having examined fourteen or fifteen witnesses.

The cheap excursion to the White Mountains over the Eastern Railroad starts this morning at quarter-past seven o'clock.

Charles A. Shannon, Esq., has been appointed principal of the school at Eliot Neck, where he taught twenty-one years ago. The gentleman who secured his services was a pupil in his school at the time. Miss Clark of Rye is to be assistant.

Mr. James R. Eaton desires us to say that he received that anonymous letter signed "John D. Claymore;" and that $500 or any other sum will not buy him, as he is not for sale.

The attendants at the Court street chapel will have additional cause for thankfulness that the sidewalk between their chapel and the corner of Haymarket square has been raised to its proper grade.

On Wednesday morning, at about seven o'clock, the barn of Mr. Sylvester Gilbert, on Cass street, was discovered to be on fire, and the flames were not put out until a hole had been burned through the roof. The family were engaged in candy-making at the time, and it is supposed that the fire caught from a spark.

Rev. J. H. M'Carty, D. D., who is to give a free lecture this evening in the Methodist church, delivered the last Decoration Day address at the National Cemetery at Camp Chalmette, near New Orleans, and it was published by the G. A. R. of Louisiana. A copy has been laid on our desk, and though we hate to read printed speeches as a general thing, yet we did read this one *all through*, and enjoyed it. We intended to make some extracts, to give an idea of the lecturer's style, but cannot make a selection to suit us without taking up more room than we have spare, and will only say that if his Decoration Day address is a fair sample of what he can do, his hearers this evening will enjoy a rich treat.

The rooms of the Health Lift Co., on Daniel street, have been closed,—not, as we are informed, from a lack of patronage, but through a misunderstanding which caused the shutting up of the rooms during the absence of the agent on a vacation.

The register of the ship Granite State gives her tonnage as 1683.69. Her officers, so far as the list is made up, are: mate, Thomas Fitz, of Boston; second mate, Samuel S. Sides, of this city; carpenter, Richard Burnham, of Kittery; steward, Andrew Morine, of Baltimore. She will take out four boys as apprentices,—one each from Eliot, Kittery, Concord and this city.

The burglar alarm between the dwelling and shop of Mr. John F. Shillaber was twice tampered with on the evening of the 25th, at eight o'clock and ten, the alarm being sounded both times. This was evidently done by some one well acquainted with the working of the alarm, as the circuit was broken for a short while and then closed again, each time; but however much he may know about the apparatus he will find it hard work to cut the wire or break into the shop without setting the gong clattering. A sharp watch was kept during the night, (Mr. Shillaber deals in fire-arms and ammunition,) but no one was seen around.

Fishing parties have been the order of the day (and night, too,) during the recent spell of splendid weather; and numerous parties from the country, as well as from the city, have availed themselves of the gentle breezes and smooth sea to "stop out all night," and the schools of fish that have recently struck in on the coast have enabled many of the parties to make good catches.

Miss Kate Claxton and her company had a good paying audience at Franklin Hall on Tuesday evening, and the acting was all that it was anticipated it would be; Miss Claxton maintained her reputation as a great actress, and her support was good; and the audience was made as thoroughly and delightfully wretched as that dismal play, the Two Orphans, well performed, could make them. But though the acting was all that was expected, the scenery was not; this, however, was not the fault of the management, as the stage was found to be too narrow to admit the use of much of the scenery carried by the company, only a very small portion of which was available.

At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Cocheco Manufacturing Co., held at Dover, on Wednesday, the following officers were elected: President, Amos A. Lawrence; Treasurer, Howard Stockton; Clerk, Z. S. Wallingford; Directors, John A. Burnham, Amos A. Lawrence, J. Ingersall Bowditch, Jefferson Coolidge, Fred A. W. Hitewell, John McDuffee and Howard Stockton.

Time-Proof Teeth.

The teeth may be rendered time-proof by brushing them daily with Sozodont. No later can encrust them, no canker affect the enamel, no species of decay infest the dental bone, if this pure and delicious dentifrice is faithfully used to the exclusion of every other preparation.

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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfeb16 78

MARRIED.

TWOMBLY—LEAR. In this city, Sept. 25d, at St. John's church, by Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, the rector, Mr. Charles Twombly and Miss Alice Lear, all of this city.

CLARKE—HAYES. In Somerville, Mass., Sept. 23d, by Professor L. T. Townsend, D. D., Elisha Clarke, Jr., of Somerville, and Mrs. Nellie A. Hayes of Kittery, Me.

DIED.

NICHOLS. In Lower Lake, Lake county, California, on Wednesday, Sept. 12th, Leslie P. Nichols, son of the late Phinehas Nichols of this city, aged 41 years and 3 days.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

SAILED, Sept 25.

Sch Ida May, Anthony, St John, N B.

ARRIVED, Sept 26.

Sch Lewis A Rommell, Jeffries, Philadelphia.
Sch Aldine, Dennison, Philadelphia.
Sch J J Little, Gandy, Philadelphia for Newmarket.

SAILED, Sept 26.

Sch James H Gorden, Champion, Philadelphia.
Sch Edwin H Stevens, Smith, Bangor.
Sch Plymouth, Stuart, St John, N B.

Ship Jean Ingelow, Tanton, sld from Batavia for Sourabaya, Aug 1.

Barque Quicksteep, Barnaby, at Hong Kong for Portland, Oregon, Aug 11.

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☞ Tickets Fifty Cents.
☞ Grand March at 8 o'clock.

—A young man whom Prof. King had invited to accompany him in a balloon ascension at the fair in Rutland, Vermont, went to the grounds laden with a big basket of lunch, an ulster overcoat, a fur cap, a pair of arctics overshoes, a whole change of winter clothing, an electric heater, a canteen, an opera glass, and a life preserver.

Notice.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between N. A. COPELAND of South Hampton and JAMES H. PERKINS of Rye is this day dissolved, by mutual agreement of said parties. Done at Rye, N. H., this 27th day of July, 1877.

N. A. COPELAND,
JAMES H. PERKINS.

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Found.

ON Wednesday, Sept. 19th, between Kittery Point Bridge and Fort McClary, a SUM OF MONEY, which the owner can have by calling on H. J. WALKER, Kittery Point, proving property and paying charges.

House Wanted.

FOR a small family without any children; rent not to exceed eight dollars per month.
Enquire at this office.

37 A SPLENDID LINE of WINDOW CURTAINS, Cheap, At 37 Market Street.

Notice.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the late ANDREW WILSON, or having accounts against deceased, will please hand same to CHARLES C. WILSON, 14 South Street, for settlement.

$1000 IN GOLD!

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GOODS!

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For the purpose of closing out his entire Stock of Dry and Fancy Goods, without regard to cost, in order to raise the Cash to satisfy his creditors.

THE MONEY MUST BE RAISED WITHIN

30 DAYS!

From date, therefore

Great Inducements Will Be Offered!

A SPECIAL DISCOUNT

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☞ REMEMBER THE PLACE! ☜

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21 MARKET STREET,

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OF —

SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS.

- AT —

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Having received a full assortment of

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Small Pig Hams,
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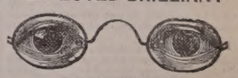

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January 16, 1877.

Daily Chronicle.

—Five sons and seven daughters of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan Parker, of Nantucket, are now living, whose ages are respectively 78, 76, 73, 70, 68, 65, 63, 59, 57, 55, 53, 51. These twelve constitute all the children of the family, except one who died in infancy. The father was, at the time of his death, 88, and the mother died at the age of 77.

—At a banquet recently given to the tenantry of the Williamston estate, in Wales, by its owner, Sir Owen Scourfield, one of the speakers mentioned something interesting to Americans in connection with the estate. "Some hundred years ago," he said, "a man named Adams, residing at Penbaek, near Llanboidy, one of the farms of the Williamston estate, emigrated to America, and a descendant of his became second President of the United States."

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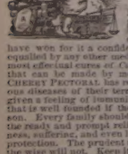

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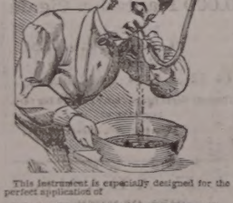

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SEC. 5. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEE. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of the ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Amateur Opera.

A correspondent of the Hartford *Times* gives the following account of the first appearance in opera, before a chess club of which he was a member, of the now famous tenor Foley:

Even while pursuing his course under Dr. Barnett, Mr. Foley marked out his career as an opera singer, and studied to perfect himself in the different parts. He admired "Norma" exceedingly and proposed to get up a scene from it for the enjoyment of the chess club. He drilled the chorus, learned his own part, and as it was whispered something unusual was coming off on a certain evening, the back parlor was crowded, and so great was the impatience that I am afraid chess was sadly neglected the first part of the evening. I don't believe Mr. Foley has had to work as hard since to make an opera pass off well, for, beside his own part, he drilled the chorus, performing wonders with the awkward squad, giving a hint when the Greek fire was to be lighted, and directing the actors when he was off the stage. The first part went off very well, but the gem of the evening was coming, in a solo by Mr. Foley as high priest, with a wreath of real oak leaves on his head, and a young member of the chess club, who couldn't sing, but sighed to appear in opera, was to throw the blue fire on the stage at a certain moment. The lights were put down to make the scene more effective. Mr. Foley sang on, and as time passed and no blue light, the flash of his eyes might have set the powder on fire. The young man held the tin plate and poured on the powder, but it would not catch.

Mr. Foley began to look dangerous. All at once the fire flashed up, the smoke rose to the ceiling, and the sulphurous smell was awful. The audience arose in great consternation, the young man jumped out from behind the scenes, dancing around with the hot plate in his hands, and finally rushed to the window and threw it out. Mr. Foley's solo was stopped, the audience laughed and turned on the gas; the poor fellow who managed the Greek fire looked like a singed cat. There was a great call for Mr. Foley, but he had disappeared in the darkness. Afterwards he was found in the back kitchen moaning:

"I'm ruined entirely! The High Priest in 'Norma' has made a fool of himself!"

Since he has been abroad he wrote to a friend in Hartford that he had recently sang in London in the opera "Norma," before Queen Victoria, with a real gold crown on his head, but in the midst of his solo he happened to think of his first performance of the part before the Hartford Chess Club, and how R—— came dancing out balancing the hot plate on his fingers, and had hard work not to laugh outright.

—The girl with the seal-skin sack looks complacently upon the approach of winter, while the maiden without one of these garments is engaged in circulating the report that they are to be extremely unfashionable this year.

—"Grace Greenwood" is out with a spicy card, denying the published statement that she had sought for and obtained a divorce from her husband, L. K. Lippincott. "It is not true," she says; "It never has been true; it never will be true"—and she wishes the newspapers would let her alone.

—They have enterprising thieves out in Pittsburg. A man in that city is now under arrest, charged with stealing a stone-crusher, and it is alleged against him that he deliberately hitched his six-horse team to the huge apparatus, which weighs nearly eight tons, and drove off with it.

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FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1877.

Big Fire in Hrovidence, R. I.

At eight o'clock Thursday evening the following despatch was received in this city over the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph wires: The Providence Post-office and surrounding buildings are in flames; the fire broke out in the Post-office about 6:45, and at this hour is spreading rapidly. All wires of the two telegraph companies are severed between Providence and New York.

The New York Republican Convention.

The Republican State Convention of New York met at Rochester on Wednesday. The Convention was called to order by Hon. A. B. Cornell, Chairman of the State Committee and Surveyor of the Port of New York. Hon. T. C. Platt, Congressman from the 28th District, was chosen temporary chairman, and made a strong speech against the southern policy of the administration, and the civil service order to office holders. The committee on permanent organization reported in favor of Roscoe Conkling for permanent chairman, but he declined in favor of Mr. Platt, who was chosen by a vote of 311 to 110. The platform adopted reaffirms the validity of President Hayes' title, and demands resumption of specie payments, opposes further land grants or other government aid to corporations, demands universal education through common schools and denounces aid to sectarian institutions, and lays out a new plan for reforming the civil service, but neither endorses nor denounces the "southern policy." Mr. Geo. W. Curtis spoke earnestly in favor of the adoption of a plank cordially endorsing the President; Lyman Tremain followed him in opposition, and the Convention adjourned till evening without acting on the question. In the evening Mr. Curtis' plank was rejected by a decisive vote, after ringing speeches from Lyman Tremaine and Mr. Conkling. The Convention then adjourned to Thursday forenoon. On Thursday the following nominations were made, after which the Convention adjourned: John C. Churchill for Secretary of State; Francis Sylvester for Comptroller; Wm. L. Bostwick for Treasurer; Granville Tremaine for Attorney General, and Howard Soule for State Engineer.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 24th.

It cannot be winked out of sight that there are gross abuses in the administration of some, at least, of the various bureaus of the executive departments, that call loudly for reform; and probably not one among them has fallen under a heavier weight of suspicion than the Pension Office. Months ago Mr. Schurz' attention was called to the matter, according to the uncontradicted statements of the local press. Specific charges were filed against ex-Commissioner Baker, and the present head of that Bureau was alleged to be fully cognizant of the bribe-taking of his predecessor, and to have connived with subordinates to cover it up. It was charged that secret service agents who were fully posted as to the facts and had been engaged in prosecuting some of the guilty parties, had been unceremoniously kicked out of office, or dismissed on frivolous charges, trumped up, it was intimated, for the occasion, and their places filled with more discreet and pliant underlings with eyes single to the interests of their superior, who holds, to a great extent, the issues of their official life and death in his hands. It will be remembered that Kane gave what purported to be true copies of vouchers on file in the Department, showing how one Lanston, who was appointed chief of the secret service division under present Commissioner Bentley, had spent the public monies on pleasure excursions over the country with his family, professedly hunting up fraudulent claimants. It was also shown how, while thus spending money specially appropriated for a particular purpose, he was drawing in addition to a stated salary, a *per diem* and mileage. No valid denial has ever been made; and if any action has been taken looking to the correction of this profligate waste of funds, it is not known to the public. The alleged ring favorites still occupy their sinecure places. Altogether the showing is a very bad one.

Nor has the public forgotten charges equally as explicit and as openly made, against several members of the secret service division of Mr. Sherman's Department, and which, so far as investigated with reference to the Norfolk Custom House, appeared only too well founded. It is not known that any of the gentlemen inculpated in these charges have been invited to satisfactorily explain, failing which to place themselves in the most comfortable position for the work of the guillotine. Certainly Messrs. Ayer, Chamberlain and Tingle would appear sadly in need of vindication, or the attention of the axeman.

There has been a hiatus of two hours between the present writing and the above, to allow your correspondent opportunity to attend the Patent Office fire. In the excitement our usually efficient fire department was severely censured for mismanagement; and they certainly did appear a long time getting to work; but after a subsidence of the excitement we shall be better prepared to render a just verdict. A thousand and one causes are assigned by excited men and hysterical women. It appeared to break out near the southwest corner of the building and rapidly burned its way around to the north-east corner, being confined, apparently, to the attic and floor immediately below, the two lower floors and basement remaining unscathed seemingly. At this writing several Baltimore engines are on the ground, and the fire is under control. More accurate information as to the real extent of the fire and amount of damage, will be given in my next. KNOX.

New Cattle Disease.

The Portland *Argus* says the much dreaded cattle bug, which has created much terror at the West, has appeared in Cape Elizabeth, Me. On Monday, Sept. 24th, a veterinary surgeon was called to look at the cattle of a Mr. Crowley, which appeared to be possessed of some strange malady. Examination showed that several of the cattle were almost completely covered with "cattle bugs," over a pint of which the doctor scraped off from the backs and sides of three cows. Those bugs are of a greenish color, with any quantity of legs with which they cling so close to the unhappy animal that in order to remove them it is at times necessary to take a small piece of hide too. They eat into the animal's flesh and by this means the meat becomes infected, so that in the West cases of severe illness have resulted from eating beef made from an ox on which these bugs had thrived.

News and Notes.

The base ball championship is decided, and Boston wins the pennant. On Thursday the Bostons beat the Hartfords, 14 to 1.

Prang's chromo establishment at Boston Highlands was badly damaged by fire on Thursday; loss $100,000.

General Pearson, of the Pennsylvania militia, has been arrested at Pittsburg for murder in ordering the troops to fire during the riots.

At Hyde Park, Mass., Sept. 25th, several persons were victimized by four men who passed a number of counterfeit $5 bills on the Tamaqua (Penn.) National Bank. Many of these bogus bills have recently been put in circulation, and no clue could be got to the "shovers of the queer." On the 26th Edward Burke and Michael Cunningham were arrested in Boston, recognized as two of the Hyde Park swindlers, and eighteen of the bogus $5 bills found in their possession.

Rufus Hatch, the once noted broker and Wall street speculator, failed for only $2,500! It looks as though the money market must be awful tight when a man of Mr. Hatch's undoubted capacity for "daring" financiering could not raise that paltry sum. He was at one time managing director of the Pacific Mail Steamship Co., and up to the great crash of 1873 was one of the leaders on Wall street.

The loss by the mysterious robbery of the Cambridgeport bank is much greater than was at first reported. The amount stolen is now set at $81,000.

George Monroe, a negro tramp, on Monday went to the house of a farmer named Mersey, in Otis, Mass., and finding Mrs. Mersey alone outraged her. He was arrested, and confesses his guilt.

The schooner Ocean Wave, of New Orleans, with coal, for Galveston, foundered off Galveston, Sept. 16th, and all on board, Capt. McIntyre and seven men, were lost.

John H. Davis, the keeper who furnished the weapon with which his associate keeper was killed by convicts in the Wethersfield, Conn., State Prison, has been arrested and committed to await examination.

James Hampsey, a young man residing in Malden, Mass., fell from the cars on the Saugus Branch of the Eastern Railroad, on the evening of Sept. 25th, and was fatally injured by being run over.

Mary E. Welch, aged twelve, a feeble-minded daughter of a widow, was run over and killed at Valley Falls, R. I., Wednesday evening while walking on the track. When the whistle sounded she dropped on her knees in the attitude of prayer, and so remained until struck, and it is thought probabl that she may have intended suicide.

The schooner Sarah S. Tyler, at Providence, Sept. 25th, from New York, picked up, off Hart Island, a naked boy, about seventeen years old, who was clinging to a plank. His stories were contradictory, and he was thought to be a fugitive from a New York city institution. He was placed in charge of the Providence police.

Sloop yacht Ada M. Grant sailed from Philadelphia Sept. 3d for Suffolk, Va., having on board Capt. Robinson Grant, his son, and two men. Since that time, nothing has been heard of the vessel, and it is feared she is lost, with all on board. Capt. Grant is an old shipmaster, and formerly belonged to Winterport, Me.

Ex-Controller Connolly wishes to come home. He has not been happy in foreign lands; he cannot adapt himself to foreign customs; he proposes to come back if the city will take $1,000,000 and say no more about it. Upon the whole, it is about what we might have expected. Mr. Sweeny has made everything pleasant. Mr. Tweed has not got quite permanently out of jail yet, but he seems to be working out by degrees, and when he emerges periodically to entertain the public with his personal reminiscences he is greeted with cordial and appreciative laughter. Mr. Woodward is rolling in wealth and impudence. Almost everybody except poor Connolly has been provided for. We do not wonder that the ex-Controller feels lonely and abused.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Gov. Blue Jeans Williams missed a train at an Indiana town lately, and was obliged to seek lodging at the hotel. The clerk, not knowing him, assigned him to a room of limited dimensions in the fourth story, reserving a handsome room down stairs for an expected commercial traveller. The youth presently discovered his mistake, and the patient Governor of the State was escorted, with frantic apologies, to the more comfortable apartment.

Rear Admiral Reynolds, recently in command of the Asiatic Station, has submitted to the Secretary of the Navy the report of Lieut. Commander Barker, of the United States steamer Alert, sent in May last to search for seventeen white persons reported shipwrecked and living on an island in the vicinity of Dampier Straits. After a cruise of some months the Alert arrived at Hong Kong, and the Commander reports that after a careful search and mature deliberation, his own opinion, and that of every officer on board, was that within the last eight months there had been no shipwrecked or lost white persons on any of the islands referred to.

Business Notes.

The Savannah (Ga.) *News* learns from the jobbers that the condition of interior merchants is better this year than for many years past. They have more ready money, and are thus enabled to buy to better advantage than formerly. Some have discounted their own accounts rather than pay the slight increase charged between cash and time bills.

The Charleston (S. C.) *Courier* reports: "There is a steadily improving tone in business affairs in this section, and the jobbing trade of the city has presented quite active features during the week. The interior demand for dry goods and general merchandize has been better than for several years previously."

The Wilson Manufacturing Company, at New London, Conn., are running every day on full time, for the first time in two years, and have orders enough to keep them busy most of the winter. The Brown Cotton Gin Company's pay roll is seven times larger than last year at this time, and they have promise of a large fall business; and other manufactories at New London, Fall River and in other places in Connecticut, are also rejoicing in the possession of increased orders.

The West Brookfield, Mass., boot shops are driven with orders, and have not been so busy for a long time; they ship about 750 cases a week. Other boot and shoe manufacturing towns also make cheering reports.

Some branches of the woolen manufacturing business are reported very dull, but industrial pursuits generally seem to be most certainly improving in condition, and the crop reports from the West and South abate nothing of their encouraging character.

New Hampshire Items.

Miss Sarah Hayes of Durham, while on her way home from Dover on Thursday, was stopped by a tramp who presented a pistol at her and robbed her of her pocket book.

The Cocheco Manufacturing Company during the past year have manufactured and sold from the Printery at Dover, thirty-seven million yards of printed cloth, which is an excess over any previous year. The net profits have been fifteen per cent. on all the capital invested, ten per cent. of which has been a dividend to the stockholders and the other five per cent. has been carried to the surplus fund of the Company. These figures show most successful management for so dull a business year as the one just past has been.

Charles F. Chapman of the Junior class at Dartmouth broke his leg Wednesday at West Lebanon, on his way to his home at Woodstock, Vt.

Wednesday morning Detective Wood arrested J. V. Drew on the fair grounds in Plymouth for the larceny of a horse and carriage from Amesbury, valued at $250.

Seventeen boys under fifteen years of age were up before the Dover Police Court within two days last week.

The members of steam fire engine companies Nos. 1 and 2 of Nashua, have won $525 in prizes during the past three years. This money was all won in Massachusetts.

Fred. Fields, of Barton, Vt., died in the lock-up at Littleton on Tuesday night, while intoxicated.

John H. Rand, a painter, fell from a staging in Manchester on Wednesday, and was fatally injured.

Joseph Parks of Pittsfield met with a very serious and painful accident on Monday afternoon, Sept. 24th. He was going to the village, and as he was going down hill the breeching of his harness broke and his horse commenced to run furiously, and in turning a corner the wagon was overturned and he thrown out in such a manner that he struck on one foot, turning the ankle over and breaking it all to pieces, and driving the bone of his leg out through his foot. His leg was amputated.

Fred. L. Allen, a young graduate of Andover, son of Dr. J. S. Allen of White River Junction, was ordained Wednesday as pastor of the First Congregational Church of Walpole. Professor Parker of Hanover delivered the sermon.

John Sullivan, of Nashua, who lost his arm in a shoe factory in that city recently, died on Wednesday.

Political.

Vice President William A. Wheeler does not seem to sympathize very extensively with the Administration. A prominent republican Ex-Congressman from one of the New York districts lately visited him to request him to urge the appointment of a *protege* to a position under government. The Vice President listened to his friend considerately, and then replied: "Mr. C., there is no one on earth I would ask a favor for sooner than for you; but, my dear sir, I would not ask even the appointment of a *messenger* at the hands of this Administration."

The democratic *Union and Advertiser*, of Rochester, N. Y., talks thus of the democratic State officials: "John Bigelow, elected to the office of Secretary of State, at a salary of $5,000 a year, abandons his post, neglects his duties, leaves the country, and spends months on a tour of pleasure in Europe. Is this reform in the Civil Service? Deputies and clerks in the office that John Bigelow has thus abandoned are spending their time, for which they are paid from the Public Treasury, in either travelling through the State or writing letters to secure the packing of conventions to send delegates to the Democratic State Convention in favor of the renomination of their absent chief for the office he fails to fill. Is this reform?"

Milking by Machinery.

Hand labor is gradually being superceded by machinery in nearly every branch of industry. It is curious to mark the unlikely uses to which machinery may be applied. An ingenious inventor has recently patented a device in the shape of a cow-milking machine, which, it is said, will do all that can be done by hand, faster and easier, and will be of special service where cows have sore teats or are hard milkers. The apparatus consists essentially of a glass globe, large enough to hold an average yield of milk, which is connected by means of a flexible tube with an air pipe. Rising from the top of the globe are small pipes with metal tips. The mode of operation consists in suspending the globe underneath the animal to be milked, and inserting the tips of the small pipes into the teats. A partial vacuum is then effected inside the globe by means of the air pump, and the milk thus drawn forth. The advantages claimed by the invention are that it prevents any loss of milk through spilling, renders milk or straining pails unnecessary, and prevents entrance of dirt. Finally, it can be easily manipulated by anybody.

Tortoises as Weather Indicators.

If there be any truth in a paper read by a French savant at a recent meeting of the Academy of Sciences in Paris, every well regulated household should have one or more tortoises about the premises. According to M. Bouchard, tortoises take extraordinary precautions against cold weather. Their instinct tells them in the milder seasons when the thermometer is to fall to the freezing point, and toward the end of the autumn warns them also of the approach of winter. In both cases they take precaution to screen themselves from cold, and by carefully observing them, M. Bouchard has for years been enabled to regulate his hot house. At the end of autumn, when the winter threatens to be severe, tortoises creep deep into the earth, so as to completely conceal themselves from view. If the winter promises to be mild, they scarcely go down an inch or two, just enough to protect the opening of their shells. Last January, which was so mild, they even went about. Last month, the thermometer standing at fifty degrees Fahrenheit, our author saw his tortoises creep into the ground, and that very night the glass fell to 28 deg. Fahrenheit. On the 1st inst., the mercury being at 110 deg. Fahrenheit in the sun, one of the tortoises hid itself; on the following morning there was hoar frost.

A Little Mistaken.

There was a funny incident in connection with the burning of the Boston & Albany shops at Springfield, Mass. When the steam-pipe blew off, causing a general stampede from the vicinity of the burning blacksmith shop, a young man who believed that the boiler was going to burst, suddenly recollected that two or three sisters were standing at the gate of his house near by, exposed to the danger. Running up to them, he screamed out, "Run into the house as quick as you can." They obeyed except one, who seemed disposed to be refractory. So he seized her in his arms and carried her, struggling, kicking and biting, into the dwelling, seating her in a chair with energy enough to make her teeth rattle. Then he stepped back a little, to give her a lecture on the danger of loafing around a fire where a steam boiler was doing its best to blow up, and discovered to his horror that the lady was not his sister at all, but a perfect stranger. The tableau which followed the discovery was ludicrous enough, and the young man apologized as well as he knew how.

—A boarding-house mistress, like the rest of us, has her weak and strong points—the weak point being her coffee and her strong point the butter.—*Phila. Bulletin.*

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Coal, Anthr. per ton $8.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 20c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 5
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., It. Cuba 50 @ 60c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 45c.
Pork per bll., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Dr. 9¼ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 35c. @ $75
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107½
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1873	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	103½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. 5½	56½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	129½
Boston & Albany	122½
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	56
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	56½
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Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.35 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30 P. M
" Way,		10.35 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "		4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "		6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "		4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "		4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		"
Concord and North,	7.40 "		4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "		4.35 "
Dover,	7.40,	10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.50 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.20 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE TEMPLARS' VISIT.

At a quarter past five o'clock, Thursday afternoon, De Witt Clinton Commandry, Eminet Commander Washington Freeman, with the Portsmouth Cornet Band, marched to the depot to receive Olivet Commandry of Lynn, Eminent Commander John Shaw 2d, Capt. Gen. E. Alfred Ingalls, Generalissimo Nathan B. Fletcher. The visitors arrived at 5:38, forty-six in number and accompanied by the Lynn Brass Band of twenty-five pieces, H. Allen leader; Grand Recorder A. F. Chapman, Grand Lecturer C. M. Avery, and Grand Standard Bearer W. D. Pool, of the Grand Commandry of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, being with the visiting Commandry as guests. They were received with the customary military salute, after which they took up the line of march under escort of De Witt Clinton Commandry for the Rockingham House, the headquarters of Olivet Commandry during their stay. The visitors executed some very handsome military maneuvres on the route, their formation of and marching in a cross and by fours being perfect.

At 8:30 o'clock a delegation of De Witt Clinton Commandry escorted the visitors to Congress Hall, where they were introduced by Sir Knight Albert R. Hatch, Past Commander of De Witt Clinton Commandry, and welcomed by Eminent Commander W. Freeman in a short address, which was responded to by Eminent Commander Shaw of Olivet Commandry. Dancing was then indulged in until a moderately late hour, refreshments being served in the banquet hall.

This morning the visitors will appear in undress uniform, and proceed to steamer Major for an excursion down the harbor, and a visit to the navy yard on the invitation of Commodore Guest, Commandant of the yard. In the afternoon there will be a parade of both Commandries through some of the principal streets, after which the Olivet Commandry will take the cars for home.

[Communicated.]

GRANITE STATES vs. OUR BOYS.

Mr. Editor: In reporting the recent game of base ball betweeen the above-named clubs you gave the honor to the Newmarket club, which (and I think I speak the opinions of the crowd present—umpire, Our Boys and all) was incorrect. The umpire was not only wrong in declaring Coubig out, but made a greater mistake in not counting the runs of Walden and Rowe. No rule in base ball requires a player to touch a base but once. By counting these two runs the Portsmouth club won by a score of 15 to 14, and a man on second base with two men out. The following from the New York *Clipper*, acknowledged authority, settles this question beyond a doubt, if there ever was any:

STATEMENT.—Two men were out—Rowe was on third base and Walden on second; Coubig struck a liner to right field, on which Rowe and Walden both came home, and the runs were scored. Coubig overran first base, stopped, saw he could make second and did so. The ball was fielded in, Coubig was touched on second base, and judgment called for.

QUESTIONS.—1. Was Coubig out for not retouching first base?

2. Did the runs count, even if he was out?

ANSWERS.—Coubig was not out because of his not returning to touch first base, as it was optional with him to return or not. If he failed to return, he only forfeited the right of exemption from being put out after over-running.

2. Had he been put out at second in any way except being forced out by the striker, the runs would have counted.

By giving the above a space in your columns you will oblige

ONE WHO WAS THERE.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

In our mention of the lecture in the Methodist church by Rev. Dr. McCarty of New Orleans, in Thursday's CHRONICLE, we inadvertently stated it was to be given on the evening of that day. This was an error; the lecture is to be given this (Friday) evening; it will be both interesting and instructive, and admission is free.

Ship Granite State has been chartered in Boston to load for Rio Janeiro with ice and apples.

We clip the following from the *Weekly*: "The Great Falls *Journal* says there is nothing bad about those editors on the Portsmouth CHRONICLE.' We are very glad to hear it, for of such is the kingdom of heaven." The editor of the Great Falls *Journal* is one of the youngest editors in the State, but he is a gentleman of wondrous good judgment.

The White Mountain excursion train over the Eastern Railroad, Thursday, left the depot in this city with ten well filled passenger cars, and two more were taken on at Kittery.

Agreably to a vote passed by the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Sept. 6th, to devise some method by which the sanitary condition of the North and South ponds may be improved, the committee then appointed, consisting of Aldermen Hadley, Sides and Perkins, have secured the services of Mr. L. F. Rice, of Boston, civil engineer, to determin the best and most economical method by which it can be done; and he has made an examination of the ponds preparatory to completing his plans.

The coroner's jury in the case of John Faulkner rendered a verdict on Thursday, to the effect that he died from suffocation while drunk.

Mr. Oscar J. Pfeiffer of this city, who recently graduated from Dartmouth with honors, has been appointed principal of the high school at Lancaster, in which duty he is now engaged. The school is large and Mr. Pfeiffer has two or three assistants.

The races between Rufus Hatch's splendid schooner yacht Restless and Gen. Butler's famous schooner America, from the Shoals arou nd Boon Island and return, which took place two years ago, the stakes being $1000 a side, will be remembered, as they attracted much attention at the time. The cost of running such a yacht as the Restless would probably reach $2000 a month; her then owner, Rufus Hatch, has just suspended payments owing to his inability to raise $2500!

The Boston *Post* says; "A man named Elliott, from Portsmouth, attempted suicide near the passenger station at Laconia, Wednesday evening, by cutting his throat with a razor. The wound is not dangerous." There are a number of Elliotts in this city, but which—if any—of them was so foolish as to cut his throat we have not learned.

The *Times* says: "Among those present at the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors General of the thirty-third degree—the highest degree in the order of Free Masons—which held its sessions in Boston last week, was John Christie of this city, the only Mason enjoying this elevation in New Hampshire." This latter statement is incorrect; there are several other Masons in the State who have taken thedegree, and one other in this city.

After the U. S. S. Ticonderoga was in the dry dock at the navy yard, and all was ready to haul her out on the ways, it was decided that the masonary at the edge of the dock basin was not in a condition to safely bear the immense weight that would come upon it, and the ship was allowed to remain in the dock to await the securing of the stonework. This was completed on Wednesday, and on Thursday the ship was hauled out upon the land to be repaired.

Col. S. H. Dumas, whose experience as a landord is known to all travellers, has assumed the management of Gorham Hall, once known as the Swampscot House, at Exeter. Here Col. Dumas will entertain the young gentlemen who visit Exeter for educational purposes, and "has room for the care and comfort of persons visiting Exeter for business purposes or on pleasure." The well known host at the Boat's Head is busily engaged upon many improvements at Gorham Hall, and the visitors at the county seat as well as the Faculty of the Academy, may congratulate themselves that Dumas has concluded to take charge of this hotel, which doubtless will be kept in the style for which the Colonel has long been celebrated.

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MARINE CHRONICLE.

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—Sara Jewett, the actress, has entered the ranks of the literati, and is a contributor to *Once A Month*; Lawrence Barrett writes for the *Galaxy*, and Dion Boucicault and Clara Louise Kellogg have already distinguished themselves by contributions to the *North American Review* and to *Scribner*.

Notice.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between N. A. COPELAND of South Hampton and JAMES H. PERKINS of Rye is this day dissolved, by mutual agreement of said parties. Done at Rye, N. H., this 27th day of July, 1877.

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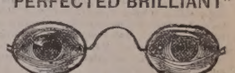

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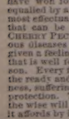

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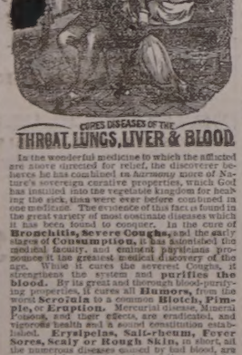

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls to remain over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction, of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected or kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive matter therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Getting a Drink.

Last winter, when the mind of the average statesman was absorbed in the all-engrossing topic incident to the Presidential count, President of the Senate Ferry issued an order to the restaurateur to abstain from the sale of all intoxicating drinks. Within twenty minutes after the ukase had been promulgated, Senator Clayton of Arkansas appeared and gave one of those knowing winks to the young man behind the marble counter. The wink failing to be interpreted, as the Senator thought, he threw up his finger (all drinkers know how it is done,) but even this, accompanied with the wink, duplicated and triplicated, failed to penetrate the seeming stolidity of the attendant. Finally, Clayton, out of patience, said:

"Here, give me some whisky."

"Sorry, sorry, very sorry," replied the attendant, "but Vice President Ferry has just issued an order that no liq—"

"D—n Vice President Ferry. Gimme a drink, quick."

"But you will protect me, if discovered?"

"Certainly I will. Gimme some whisky."

The tea cup was served, the Senator quaffed from it, smacked his lips and passed up stairs to legislate. Presently Senator Jones, of Florida, appeared.

"Ah," said he, with a good deal of dignity, "you may give me one of those things in a cup. You know what I mean, Mr. Love."

"Excuse me, Senator, but Vice President Ferry has warned me, upon pain of dismissal, not to sell any liquor to——"

"I don't care, Mr. Love, what Vice President Ferry wants; I want a cup of comfort."

Jones assured him that, of course, certainly, ahem! Why, to be sure, he would protect Mr. Love if trouble came. The next customer on hand was Senator Simon Cameron of Pennsylvania. Without making any roundabout attempts to indicate his wants by facial or finger gymnastics, he called out: "Fetch me some brandy."

"But, my dear Senator," said Love, "Vice President Ferry——"

The Senator, excited—"Oh, d—n Vice President Ferry. Bring me some brandy, and I don't want any tea-cup business about it. You may bring me the jug."

Love saw that Simon meant business, and without exacting any promise of protection the Pennsylvania Senator got the jug, and as he sought from it such exhilaration as it gave, he no doubt muttered to himself his favorite expression, "This is a h—— of a time."—*Washington Star.*

A Musical Prodigy.

There is a most remarkable musical genius in Staunton, in the person of little Virgie Hoge, a daughter of Mr. Charles E. Hoge, a child not yet eight years of age. Besides being a performer of merit, she has extraordinary talent as a composer, and is never happier than when engaged in that work. She will come into a room, without any preparation, and, going to the piano, will play beautiful airs of her own composition. Some of the airs have been caught and written by older persons who hear her, and are excellent compositions. Her remarkable gift has attracted the attention and excited the wonder of all the connoisseurs in music in the city.—*Staunton, Va., Indicator.*

—A girl who never had a "feller" got up quite a sensation one evening by burning a cigar in her room over the gas jet before a gossip whom she invited to call came to see her. Of course, reasoning from cigar smoke, there was a man in the case, and the gossip made all she could out of it to the great amusement of the girl who had no "feller."—*Boston Transcript.*

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Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 29, 1877.

Angamar Motor Company.

This company was organized in New York September 25, Colonel E. H. Angamar, President; Ex-Senator A. H. Cragin, Vice President; Hon. H. S. Vanderbilt, Secretary and Treasurer. The first motor, intended for the Pennsylvania Avenue Railway at Washington City, has been built at the Baldwin Works, in this city, and will make trial trips on the Reading Railroad in presence of Philadelphia, New York and Washington parties this week.—*Phil. Telegraph, Sept. 27.*

The Angamar Motor was invented by Col. Eugene H. Angamar, a distinguished citizen of Louisiana. The best steam motor for horse car tracks heretofore in use was one operated and built by the Baldwin Locomotive Works of Philadelphia. On a horse car line of fifty cars the Baldwin Motor makes a saving of $62,500 per annum, forty cars propelled by motors taking the place of fifty drawn by horses. Col. Angamar claims that by the use of his motor a saving of five dollars per car can be easily made. On the score of economy alone, this affords a vast saving in the way of running expenses over the system of using horses. The Angamar Motor is non-explosive, needs no engineer, and gives forth no offensive smell of gas from coal or scorching wood. It is destined to make a great revolution in the management of street railroads and tramways in all the large cities of America and Europe.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 26th.

To achieve an intelligent understanding of the extent of the Patent Office disaster, and enable one to approximate the direct losses involved, it should be remembered that the entire attic, which was covered in by a roof composed of white pine timber and boards, overlaid by a light copper sheathing, was filled with the records of the Department in manuscript and print, drawings and old rejected models, the most of them wood and as dry as tinder. It was separated from the third story by a wooden floor. The third story was divided into four halls, extending the whole length of the respective north, south, east and west fronts, communicating with each other by wide arches, and each filled with thousands of models in glass cases. The floor of these halls was fire-proof, and the fire, consequently, was confined to the upper story and attic, extending from the southwest to the northeast corner, burning everything that could ignite throughout this distance, just one-half the entire circuit of the building. It has been ascertained that fully a half-hour was lost by employes in attempting to extinguish the fire before the alarm was struck for help. Four engines arrived at about the same time, and before the alarm had ceased sounding. The hook and ladder company had damaged their apparatus at the fire of Saturday night, and the repairs were not completed; hence an old wagon with hooks and ladders that had been discarded as unserviceable, was the only one that could be brought into service. The authorities and firemen of Alexandria and Baltimore promptly responded to the call for aid. To the presence of the firemen from abroad and the fortunate lack of wind, we are probably indebted for exemption from a conflagration that might have carried our losses away up into the millions. The Baltimore companies arrived just in time to cope with the fire at Gheen & Osborne's stables, which without their aid, would inevitably have swept a larger area. So general was the alarm that merchants squares away removed portions of their stock, much of it into the street, whence, in the confusion, thieves transferred some of it to "fences" about town. What was said in a recent letter relative to the Government's parsimonious policy as regards provision for an efficient fire department for the protection of its millions of dollars' worth of property in this District, and its failure to provide a fire-proof receptacle for the Government archives, appears more than justified by the facts elicited by careful inquiry; and public condemnation cannot well be too strong or emphatically enforced otherwise. Chief Engineer Cronin believes the fire to have been burning hours before it was discovered, and that it was the work of an incendiary; and the belief is general that the fire at the stable was purposely set. The loss is variously estimated from $1,000,000 to $1,500,000, the latter figures being probably not too high. Proposals for a temporary roof have been already called for, and Congress will be urged to make an immediate appropriation for rebuilding. About 60,000 models were destroyed, but the most of them can be duplicated if thought necessary. Buildings will be at once rented to temporarily accommodate the clerical force burned out. The pressure for work is almost overwhelming, and those out of work elsewhere could not do a more absurd thing than to rush here.

The Presidential party arrived here last evening from their swing around the southern half of the circle. The monotonous character of the speeches made *en route* satiated public appetite some time ago; and there is a general feeling of relief that the infliction by the daily press will, for a time at least, cease.

Among the Indian delegation just arrived are Spotted Tail and son, Swift Bear, Red Bear, Young-man-afraid-of-his-Horses, Red Cloud and He-Dog, — names that have grown familiar to the reading public by reason of their connection with the various Indian outbreaks in the West since the war. They are here, it is said, at the request of General Crook, relative to the proposed removal to the Missouri River. They are accompanied by Lieut. Clark, the agent at the Red Cloud Reservation, and four interpreters. "A big talk," several of them probably, will soon be held now that the President has returned, and for the same reason we looking to see a stir among the political dry bones; the culmination of many astounding schemes is evidently at hand, the nuptial couch of the lion and the lamb having been prepared, and the highway cast up whereon they are to journey together in loving accord to the day of the millenial dawn. KNOX.

News and Notes.

The city of Providence had a disastrous fire Thursday night, though the Post-office was not destroyed as was at first reported. That building, a substantial structure of stone and iron, withstood the flames and enabled the firemen to get the conflagration under control. French roofs on high buildings with narrow streets between them did the mischief; some of the stores burned were seven stories high. Engines were sent from Cranston and Pawtucket, the latter going four miles and getting at work in twenty minutes after receiving the alarm. Engines were also taken to the Providence depot in Boston, to be sent down, but were not needed. One fireman was fatally injured by falling from a building, and an unknown man was buried under a falling wall. The militia were ordered out to protect property, but were dismissed before morning, the police arrangements being excellent. The loss is set at over a half million.

The air of perfection, cleanliness and home-like comfort which is so apparent at the American House, Boston, is one of the characteristic features of that well regulated establishment. To those disposed to economise, this popular Hotel offers an opportunity seldom found at so thoroughly a first-class house, having reduced its rates to $3.00 and $3.50 per day.

A terrific cyclone was reported off Cape Hatteras on Friday, travelling northward.

John Perry, of Hydeville, Vt., set fire to his house on Wednesday night, and was seen to jump from a window and run away after the building was on fire. He was found dead next morning some rods away, with a bullet hole in his heart. He had quarrelled with his wife, and threatened to burn the house and kill himself. The house was not insured.

Edwin J. Buddington, who shot William Thompson dead at Groton Centre, Conn., Sept. 10th, while he was in company with Buddington's wife, pleads guilty at New London to manslaughter, in order, it is said by counsel, to prevent his wife's further humiliation by testifying to her shame in court, and for the sake of his children. Buddington is broken down and friendless.

The base ball game between the Bostons and Hartfords, Thursday, was won by the former by a score of 13 to 2. On the same day—Louisvilles 9, Chicagoes 8; Manchesters 9, Rhode Islands 1.

The Barnstable (Mass.) Savings Bank has been "run" to suspension; the deposits amount to about $1,200,000, and the assets are expected to cover all liabilities.

Assistant Secretary McCormick has concluded to remain in the Treasury Department through the extra session of Congress, but will retire before the regular session begins.

Commodore James Madison Frailey, United States navy, died in Philadelphia Wednesday evening, aged sixty-nine years.

A freight train was thrown from the track in Kentucky, Thursday, by the blowing up of the engine; four men were killed and seven badly wounded, including every man on the train. A number of very valuable race horses were killed.

Dr. W. S. Howe of Pittsfield, Me., has been tried by the Maine Medical Society, on complaint of three neighboring physicians, for advocating and using homœopathic remedies. The doctor asserts that he will give to patients whatever medicine he thinks best fitted for them, be it allopathic, homœopathic or eclectic, for the science of medicine is not so far advanced that a physician can afford to stick to one school. And the Society votes that there is no reason for expelling the doctor.

Utah has been doing a big business in "straw" divorces during the past year, 300 having been granted to non-residents. Those divorces are not recognized as legal in any of the States.

W. A. Bancroft, captain of the Harvard University boat crew, is out in a letter to the press announcing himself as the author of the famous "Reporters and loafers not wanted here" notice, and defending his action. Capt. Bancroft is an ass.

The Philadelphia *Press* calls a poor girl who stole a dress a "thief" in big letters, but they are not so big as those it used in speaking of John S. Morton's "mistake." The reason that Morton's crime was only a "mistake" was that he stole a million dollars.

A petition which has already been signed by more than nine hundred New York bank presidents, merchants, manufacturers and business men generally, and which urges the Senate to confirm the course of the House of Representatives, in repealing the bankrupt law, is now in circulation in that city. The petition itself is a remarkable document, containing, as it does, the autograph signatures of many of the most eminent men of the mercantile community of New York. The reasons assigned for the proposed repeal are that the law affords opportunity for fraud, and that it is differently interpreted in different places.

Chronicle Correspondence.

SEABROOK, Sept. 27th.

This town is to be congratulated on the opening of a new business enterprise; the new firm of Staples & Adams, shoe manufacturers, have begun work in earnest, and the people of Seabrook are encouraged that two such earnest workers should be in their midst. The manufactory is situated on the road leading to South Seabrook from Walton road, and nearly opposite the Boyd school house. The building is two storied. The lower story is used for office, sample room, storage of leather and packing; in the second story are two of Goodyear's boot and shoe machines for sewing turned work, with accompanying machines for channelling, fitting, etc.; with these fire hundred pairs of shoes can be made and finished in a day. Since opening, business has increased to such extent that an addition of thirty feet to the building will be immediately begun. The senior member of the firm, Mr. Samuel E. Staples, was brought up a shoemaker, and has been engaged in manufacturing for himself for more than twenty years. He is from New York city, and transfers his business to this locality in order to secure to his customers the advantages of cheap rent and cheap labor. The junior member of the firm, Mr. Edwin A. Adams, is also a New Yorker, and is well known in Lynn, Haverhill, Newburyport and this vicinity, as a very smart workman, with remarkable mechanical tact and fine business qualities. Mr. Adams, like his partner, was born at the shoemaker's bench, and well knows the ins and outs of a shoe. For five years he was general agent of Goodyear's boot and shoe turned sewing machine; travelling in sixteen of the States, and the Provinces, introducing the machine and teaching the operators, thereby gaining an insight into different ways of manufacturing. For the last year he has been engaged in superintending the manufacturing of turned work at the factory at Seabrook, for N. D. Dodge of Newburyport. The cutter and draughtsman is Mr. George Penniman, of Paxton, Mass.,—recently from Newburyport. On being asked how long he had been in the shoe business, Mr. Penniman answered, "I am forty years old: when I was thirteen years old I was a journeyman on the bench." Your correspondent was shown a hundred different styles of shoes, from the finest to the cheapest in work, embracing many styles of wedding slippers, men's and women's shoes and slippers, and children's shoes down to the tiniest ones for infants. There are three other factories in Seabrook, but this is the only one where the shoe is fitted and made in the same building.

Washington Eaton's new grocery store on the corner of Walton road, near by, is finished and will soon be opened.

A temperance crusade meeting, will be held next Sunday at four o'clock P. M., in front of Abbott A. Locke's store, just west of Seabrook depot. Workers are expected from the Newburyport reform clubs. There has been quite a crusade already on Walton road, and as a result the temperance element has been greatly stimulated, and they now propose to complain of the "grocery" of John Locke as a nuisance. Several slaves of cider appetite have signed the pledge, and are trying to induce others to join them.

Ground will be broken this week on the lot back of the church, for the parsonage. The 2d Cong. Church of Biddeford, Me., of which Rev. Mr. Rand was once a member, want to know "how much will be needed for shingles?" A member of the church has given a cord and hatchet. A Newburyport lady gives a cask of nails. Volunteers will do much of the work, and it is expected a part of the building will be ready for occupancy before cold weather.

Robert Morrill, of Salisbury Plain, has bought the old schoolhouse, and will set it on land near by and fit it up as a grocery store. ENO.

The Eastern War.

General Kotzebue, Governor of Poland, is to take supreme command of the Russian armies on the Danube. A despatch from Bucharest says Mehemet Ali is retreating on his former positions on Kara Lom, fearing that the concentration of the Russian troops and the approaching bad weather would cut off his supplies. A despatch from Shumla says the cannonade fight at the Shipka Pass still continues. There is no confirmation of the battle before Plevna, reported by the Turks Sept. 25th as a Russian defeat. A Russian official despatch announces the arrival of 10,000 Turkish reinforcements at Plevna.

New Hampshire Items.

Two dwellings, owned by Hiram Hodgdon and Abel Mitchell, were burned at Ashland Thursday afternoon. A lady tenant of one of them narrowly escaped by leaping from a second story window. Mitchell had $1200 insurance.

A deed was received for record at the Registry in this County last week which was dated Aug. 24, 1822, and conveyed lot of land etc., on "the south side of Mud lane so called." Several deeds executed about the same date came in from Rye last week, one of them executed in March, 1820. In the former instance, the owner and his children had occupied the premises for over fifty-five years without taking the trouble to have the deed recorded, and which probably only found its way to the registry by reason of a sale of the property.—*Journal.*

The Models Burned.

The following list of the classes of models destroyed in the Patent Office fire of Sept. 24th, 1877, is furnished us by Gilmore, Smith & Co., Patent Solicitors, 629 F street, Washington, D. C. Any particular information desired may be obtained by addressing that firm.

Aeration, bridges, brushes, brooms, butchery, bottling, baths, bee hives, bolts, brakes, carpentry, carriages, closets, castings, doors, dairy, engineering, excavations, fences, files, glass, gins, garden, grinding, hoistsig, hydraulics, hardware, harrows, harvesters (cutter-bars saved), journals and bearings, lime and cement, masonry, mechanical power, metallurgy, metal working (seven classes), mills, nuts, nails, needles, orchard, paving, presses, pumps, pneumatics, polishing, plows, planters, (very few saved,) roofing, railways (four classes), rivets, stone, saws, seeders (a few saved), sheet metal, stabling, threshing, tobacco, tubing, wagons, wire, water wheels, wire working, wood working. Total number of models destroyed (about) 60,000.

Political.

Sam Cary claims that the workingmen-greenback ticket will poll 40,000 votes in Ohio.

Only two men on the Ohio Republican Legislative ticket are in favor of Stanley Matthews for Senator.

—A California paper has a long article on a "Fossil Scorpion," and an esteemed contemporary remarks that "it is this ridiculous self-esteem that is the curse of local newspaper publishers."

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" Way,	10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M. 5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 " 3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 0.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE TEMPLARS' VISIT.

On Friday morning the Templars paraded in undress uniform, marching with the Lynn band to the steamboat wharf, where they embarked on steamer Major, Sir Knight William Robinson commanding, for the Shoals. They had a splendid run out, the sea being very smooth and the temperature just right for comfort. Arrived at Star Island the party landed and had a ramble over the rocks, the band giving them a liberal allowance of music, including a beautifully played dirge at the old cemetery where Mr. Beebe's children lie. Returning, the Major touched at the navy yard, the Sir Knights calling upon and saluting Commodore Guest, and being afterward shown the points of interest about the yard by Constructor Wilson and other of the naval officers. Ship Granite State, Sir Knight William Ross commander, was gaily decked with flags in honor of the occasion, and the Commandries called on their brother Templar and spent a short time in inspecting his magnificent ship. Returning to this city the Lynn Templars were escorted to the Rockingham House, where they dined, the officers of De Witt Clinton Commandry being their guests. At three o'clock the Portsmouth Commandry, with the Cornet Band, proceeded to the Rockingham, and escorted Olivet Commandry on a march about town and to the depot, where the visitors took the 5:55 train for home, having apparently enjoyed every hour of their visit.

The Lynn Brass Band, brought on by Olivet Commandry, is a superior one, and was "right on the play" while here, and especially on the trip to the Shoals and while ashore on Star Island.

The Portsmouth Cornet Band, too, made music they need not be ashamed of; a new quickstep, played by them on Friday, being especially worthy of commendation.

ACCIDENT.

Shortly after one o'clock, Friday afternoon, Lewis Calkins, son of Charles H. Calkins of Exeter, a slater employed on the new opera house, while engaged in hoisting slate stepped backward upon a pile of slate he had landed on the stage, slipped, and fell backward off the stage, striking the gutter of the Kearsarge House and falling thence to the ground, a distance of over thirty feet. His left arm and left leg were broken, and he was otherwise injured, it being feared his hip is broken. It is a marvel he was not killed outright. This is the first accident worthy of mention that has occurred in connection with the building of the new play-house.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. Noyes.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; Sabbath school at 2:45 P. M.; Prayer meeting in the evening at half-past seven o'clock.

At the Unitarian church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie, at 10:30 A. M. Vesper service at 7:30.

At the Congregational church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M.; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. Mr. Hubbell, the pastor. Subject in the afternoon, "Future Punishment."

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M., 7:30, P M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. Dr. Alden. Subject of evening lecture, "The Divinity of Christ."

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M., by Rev. H. W. Hand, of Dover.

Gospel temperance meeting at Bow Mission in the afternoon. The time will be given especially to reformed men. Subject of service, "Then and Now." Short speeches, and live singing from a new temperance circular. Laboring men especially invited. Seats free.

There will be a meeting of the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Ex-President John S. Treat will address the club.

Rev. James DeNormandie will preach at the Congregational church in Eliot on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

THE VERDICT.

The following is the official verdict rendered by the coroner's jury in the case of John Faulkner:

State of New Hampshire, Rockingham, ss.

An inquisition taken at Portsmouth, in said county, the ninth day of September, in the year 1877, (and at adjourned meetings) before Samuel C. Whittier, one of the coroners of said county, upon the view of the body of John Faulkner, there lying dead, by the oaths of John W. Parsons, a justice of the peace for said county, and of Harry G. Tanton and Edwin A. Tilton, all reputable persons, who, being sworn, and charged to enquire for the State, when, how, and by what means the said John Faulker came to his death, upon their oath do say that the said John Faulkner came to his death, on the night of the eighth of September, in his sleeping apartment, by accidental suffocation while in a state of intoxication.

So the jurors aforesaid upon their oaths aforesaid, do say that the said John Faulkner, in manor aforesaid, came to his death by misfortune.

In witness whereof the said jurors have hereunto set their hands the twenty-seventh day of September, 1877.

JOHN W. PARSONS,
HARRY G. TANTON, } Jurors.
EDWIN A. TILTON,

In witness of all above written the said coroner hath hereto set his hand and seal, the same day and year.

(Seal.) SAMUEL C. WHITTIER, M. D., Coroner.

NAVY YARD ITEMS.

The repairs on the steamer Emerald are nearly completed, and she will resume her trips next week.

A rare sight at the yard is seen now—two merchant ships. The Granite State leaves (probably in tow of a steamer) on Tuesday next. Her skysail and royal yards have been sent down, and she is ready for departure, only awaiting her berth in Boston. Capt. Ross takes a part of his family with him, in the ship, proceeding from Boston to Rio Janeiro, thence to Callao. The Paul Jones lies beneath the sheers. Schooner E. M. Smith is alongside, with the rigging for this new vessel.

The Ticonderoga has been taken from the dry dock and hauled on the railway. This was a night job, being completed at five o'clock on Friday morning.

The anchor hoy is being used alongside the brig Clara J. Adams, in the effort to get her off the beacon ledge.

SEND HIM UP.

For some time past complaints have been frequent at the police station regarding the conduct of a young man (whose name is well known to the police, though we refrain from giving it on account of his father, who is an honest, industrious and respected citizen,) on the streets, in insulting ladies by addressing them in the most disgustingly obscene language. The police have been blamed for not putting a stop to his vile conduct, but they are not at fault in the matter, for they have had him locked up more than once; yet the aggrieved parties, though assured that the police magistrate would take their evidence in private, from motives of delicacy have all refused to appear against the culprit, so all the police could do was to let him loose,—to repeat his infamous conduct the first time he meets a woman alone on the street at night, with no officer near by to arrest him and no citizen at hand to knock him over, for he is "cute" enough to time his insulting proposals and language so as to secure his own immunity from punishment unless the insulted ladies appear against him, which they have all so far refused to do, as before stated. This is wrong; the reluctance of a virtuous woman to appear in such a case and repeat the vile language addressed to her is but natural, but she should reflect that by yielding to the dictates of womanly modesty she exposes other women to the same and possibly far worse outrages than she has suffered, from the same offender, who should be safely locked up, and gains courage to persevere in his vile course so long as he is not punished. The police are ready and anxious to do their part toward abating this nuisance, and we hope the next time the fellow insults a woman it will be one of those—and there are not a few such in this city—who believe that even a woman has duties to perform with regard to society which should not be evaded even though womanly delicacy may earnestly prompt to such evasion. This woman-insulter is a scamp, but the women he has insulted are not blameless.

THE WRECKED BRIG.

Reports in the Boston papers, that the brig Clara J. Adams, ashore on beacon ledge, is so badly damaged that she will be condemned and sold, are without foundation. Boston divers are now patching her, after which a steam pump will be brought into use and the water pumped out, and the vessel will go on the marine railway for repairs.—*Times.*

The brig has already been once condemned and sold, Mr. H. P. Dewey of Portland being the purchaser; after she is taken off the ledge she will be sold again, as the marine railway here has not capacity for taking her out of water for repairs.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Ship Kate Prince, built at Noble's Island in 1856, has been sold in New York,—probably to go under the German flag. No stronger ship was ever built on the Piscataqua.

The *Journal*, referring to the fact that a lime barrel of the size and construction of those used in Maine is not a legal barrel in Massachusetts, and cannot pass inspection in Boston, which operates unfavorably on the lime trade of Maine, notifies "parties from Massachusetts in want of lime for consumption" that they "can be supplied in the Portsmouth market at less prices than at any place in Massachusetts."

Mr. William Keefe is building a tenement house, on his lot on Linden Street.

The Granite State base ball club of this city have received a challenge from the Blue Star club of Rochester to play on Wednesday, Oct. 3d, at the Town Fair in Rochester, which they will probably accept.

The following is a list of the schooners forming Valentine Doane, Jr's, fishing fleet, with the tonnage of each vessel in round numbers: Henry M. Clark, 173 tons; Daniel Marcy, 115 tons; Mayor Jones, 102 tons; Governor Goodwin, 96 tons; Anna M. Nash, 80 tons; W. H. Y. Hackett, 74 tons; Velocipede 67 tons; Charlie, 62 tons; Light of Home, 56 tons; Clyde, 28 tons.

One of the proverbs in "Poor Richard's Almanac" was, "A penny saved is twopence earned." If this is true—and it is no doubt as true now as it was when Ben Franklin wrote it—anybody can make good wages by purchasing dry goods at L. Blumauer's great sale, at No. 21 Market street.

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One of the tax collectors of Kittery, Me., has collected $3000 worth of taxes and failed to make any returns thereof. The town has brought suit against his bondsmen for the amount. The case will be tried at the January term of court at Alfred. So the papers say.

MARRIED.

MORRISON—MITCHELL. In this city, Sept. 27, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. George H. Morrison and Miss Ellen Mitchell, both of Portsmouth.

DIED.

LOCKE. In Rye, Sept. 20th, Mrs. Elizabeth M. Locke, aged 83 years and 10 months, widow of Samuel J. Locke, Esq.

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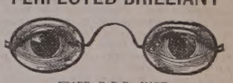

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January 16, 1877.

Daily Chronicle.

Revaccination.

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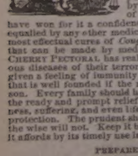

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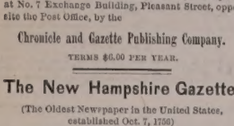

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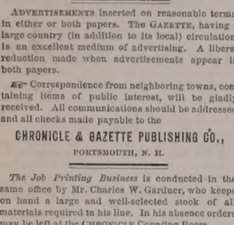

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No carcass or meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stals or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for such refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

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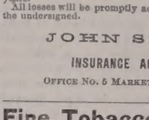

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Something About Marrying.

Jennie June in one of her gossip letters undertakes to explain why it is that so many young women marry elderly men. She looks away from money—which has been so generally brought into consideration of such alliances—for the principal reason, and we are very much inclined to think she has found it. The young man of to-day, according to this authority, is not the desirable party the young man of fifty years ago was; he is not so thoughtful, sober, painstaking and conscientious; he lives at a club, has no love of home life nor desire to build up character and reputation as a man and citizen; his ideas of life are bounded by the theatre and the doings of his little set; and in too many cases his ambition is to own a racer and be on intimate terms with the ballet. Naturally mothers "shrink from entrusting their daughters to such youths as these, even if they have the opportunity, and are better pleased to bestow them on older men—men who have sowed their wild oats; who know how little of real value there is in the temporary excitement of pleasure; who have, perhaps, been married once, and have learned to value home and the guarantee it affords for permanent happiness." There is enough in this opinion of a keen and observant woman to cause reflection. Her picture is undeniably a fair one, but of course there are exceptions in young men, who are not all accurately described in her sweeping phrases. The race of fifty years ago has some lingering samples still on earth, and most of them are no doubt complaining that the young women are not the kind they had fifty years ago. They are now young ladies; to them the thoughtful, sober, painstaking young man is stupid and a bore. If he knows anything he overwhelms them, and no young lady likes to be overwhelmed. They prefer one more airy, with a jaunty style, even a spicing of slang, and one who knows all the light gossip of the town and can tell it in a breezy, flippant way that gives it relish. If he owns a racer it's awful jolly, and he's the young fellow "that's too nice for anything." We should suppose a mother would naturally shrink from entrusting her son to such young ladies as these. But there are exceptions here, as there are on the other side. The real need is some means of separating the sensible young people from those who are not so sensible, and of bringing the young men and maidens together in their appropriate class. Let our social economists direct their powerful attention to this important question.—*Exchange.*

The Old Barque Truelove Again.

Several men belonging to the barque Truelove, of London, appeared in custody before the county magistrates sitting at Brixham, England, recently, for refusing to do duty. It was stated that the vessel was coal laden and bound to Spain. She had to put into Falmouth for repairs, and shortly after leaving that port bore up to Brixham for further repairs. The Truelove was built at Philadelphia, and launched as long ago as 1764, being, in fact, 113 years old. The master of the vessel was warm in his praise of the seaworthiness of the craft.

—A curious accident was that which happened in Champaign, Ill., one day last week. A well-digger backed his horse into a well, the animal falling thirty-seven feet upon a man at the bottom. The man escaped between the horse's legs, and avoided injury from the animal's desperate struggles by clinging to his neck.

The war correspondent of the London *Daily News* says that at the battle near Kazelevo, where the Russians were defeated, "a Russian officer, who was observed gallantly endeavoring to rally the men, was killed, and the body, when subsequently discovered, proved to be that of a woman. She was buried where she fell."

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Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1877.

Explanation Needed.

The evils of a republican National Administration, and a protective tariff, and the United States laws for the registration of shipping, to which the democrats and the New York *Post* attribute the business stagnation in this country for the past four years, are more far-reaching than even they assert. In fact, this evil influence extends to England, which is not under republican rule, and has free trade, in ships and about everything else. The London *Times* of Sept. 26th in its financial article says:

Business is very dull and inactive; nothing but complaints are heard on all sides of immovable stagnation. There is only too good reason to believe that the nation must prepare for a further struggle before we regain prosperity.

The New York *Post*, which has always advertised free trade and free registration for foreign built ships as the universal and infallible panacea for all the ills that nations are heir to, should explain how it is that the nostrum does not work more satisfactorily in the case of Britain, the inventor and patentee. If free trade will cure hard times in this country, why does it not prevent hard times in England?

The Eastern War.

On Friday the Turks reported another severe repulse of the Russians at Plevna, the latter losing 8000 men and four guns. Also, that Sulieman Pasha had intercepted the Russian communications between Shipka Pass and the town of Gabrova, and cut off all retreat from the Russians. On Saturday it was stated that no engagement at all had occurred at Plevna, and that the snows in the Shipka region prevented either army from moving. Active operations for the season are believed to be nearly at an end. The Russian general, Levisski, who was responsible for the failure to reinforce Skobeleff when he was desperately striving to hold a captured redoubt at Plevna, and who was removed from his command in consequence, has committed suicide.

[Written for the Chronicle.]

The White Mountain Excursion.

The White Mountain Excursion of last week from Newburyport, Portsmouth and adjacent towns to Fabyan's and return for the trifling sum of $2.50, was a grand success. Of course, everything didn't run so smoothly as on ordinary days with no great crowd to manage and provide for; but considering that some seven or eight hundred people were being transported on a train that must keep clear of the regular trains by allowing the latter the road on their time, the fact that the excursionists were two hours and a half behind the advertised time is not so very strange after all. There was but little fault-finding among the passengers; in fact, we heard no growling until we got home, and then it was by those who didn't go! But one ought not to expect to get as much for twenty-five cents as usually costs him a dollar. In other words he must know that more or less discomfort always attends a crowd, and that a crowd is quite generally the result of low fare; and so the two, if not inseparable, are probable concomitants. Speaking for the party of excursionists that started for the White Mountains from Portsmouth on Thursday last, we can assert that we never saw a better-natured, better-behaved or jollier set of people on any like occasion. There was nothing said or done, that we know of, that should offend any lady. So much for the crowd and its character.

The ride through the Notch was "just magnificently grand." To the writer, who had never seen a mountain nor even a high hill, it was a sight that filled him with awe and amazement. But so much has been written about the wonders of the Notch, and by far abler pens than ours, that we shall forbear encroaching upon the patience of the reader in an attempt to describe the ride through the Notch.

After reaching Fabyan's those of us who proposed remaining over a day or two found that there was nothing to do in that region but go to the top of Mt. Washington. Touching this matter we were informed that if a party of fifty or more could be obtained, half fare tickets would be furnished to each, so that the cost of visiting the summit from Fabyan's and return would be three dollars. A little canvassing soon secured the required number, and in a few minutes after the party was increased to two hundred. This being the limit of the capacity of the Summit Railway conveyance (it was in fact just fifty more than they should have taken) the sale of tickets was stopped, and at 4:45 we left Fabyan's for the foot of the mountain—a distance of six miles. This point reached we found three cars, each about the size of a New York horse car, waiting for us. A scramble for seats ensued, and as there were only enough for one hundred and fifty the other fifty were compelled to stand. Aside from the discomfort occasioned by being overloaded, and the ever-conscious fear that something might break, the ride up was intensely novel and the scenery gloriously sublime. [The adverb is actually needed in order to make the adjective strong enough.] We won't try a description of this, either. We cannot do it, and don't believe anybody can. If there is a pen-wielder whose powers of description are adequate to convey to the mind of one who has never ascended Mt. Washington the sensations that take possession of the beholder while experiencing that seemingly perilous ride of three miles over those rugged mountain peaks, we would like to be introduced to him. We have never seen nor heard of one. We reached the Summit House in safety at seven o'clock, and were as well cared for in every way as we could have been at Fabyan's. This was likewise a marvel to us. Think of it! No notice was had of our coming until two hours before our arrival. A party of two hundred were to be provided with supper, lodging and breakfast at a hotel that had just closed for the season, and had nearly everything stowed away for winter; and this, too, at the top of Mt. Washington, a place that seems hard enough to reach without rations or other necessaries of subsistence. Almost all things are possible with man, though, as a visit to this mountain top will prove.

The chief inducement to climb the mountain was the prospect of witnessing a glorious sunrise from the summit. But we were doomed to disappointment. The evening was clear and beautiful; the waning moon shone out, giving us an indistinct view of the surrounding mountains, and the wind was blowing fresh from the northwest. On retiring, everything promised well. The early morning, however, found the mountain top enveloped in heavy clouds, thus shutting out from our gaze what we had longed to behold. We were called at five o'clock to prepare for breakfast, and after he entire two hundred had arisen, and severally strode the piazza of the Summit, striving to see some signs of lifting in the dense and chilly fog, they each withdrew to huddle together and warm themselves around the welcome coal fire in the hotel waiting-room. Bets that it would not "clear up" found no takers, and at seven o'clock we commenced the descent. If the ascent was gloriously sublime, the descent was still more so. When about a mile down the mountain we emerged from the clouds to behold the morning sun lighting the world below us. With the clouds just above, and the beautiful panorama below, spread out over miles and miles of mountain region, it was a magnificent spectacle.

We arrived at the foot in safety and found a party of sixty-five more excursionists waiting to ascend. It has been stated that the grandeur of the White Mountain scenery has never been surpassed. A gentleman of our party told me that he had climbed the Alps, but had never witnessed anything in Mt. Blanc that surpassed the wonders of the mountain region of New Hampshire. We advise all our friends and foes to at least take a ride through the Notch if they don't go anywhere else. * * *

News and Notes.

A fire at St. Gregoire, Canada, Thursday night, burned a farm house and five children, three other children being suffocated; their mother, the only adult in the house, escaped.

The last game of the base ball season at Boston was played on Saturday between the Boston and Hartford clubs, the former winning by a score of 8 to 4.

The losses by the great fire in Providence foot up $696,950; insurance, $373,500.

Lieut. Allen, 16th U. S. Infantry, telegraphed Gen. Sheridan from Buffalo, Kansas, on Wednesday, that two of the ruffians who robbed the train on the Union Pacific Railroad had been killed and eighty pounds of gold recovered.

The great Japanese rebellion is once more crushed out, and the leading chieftains, Saigo, Kirino and Murata, have committed hari-kari, all the others submitting to the government forces.

Not long ago Lewis Myers, the treasurer of Wapakoneta county, Ohio, was found one morning in his office, bound and gagged; the safe was open and all the county's money gone. Myers related a pitiful tale about the way masked burglars banged him and bounced him, and stole him from his home and made him open the safe; but the heartless police soon after arrested him on suspicion of knowing more of the matter than he told of, and he now confesses that the county auditor, J. T. Smith, was the person who was permitted to bind and gag him, and rob the safe. It appears that money had been before abstracted with Myers' knowledge and probable consent.

Titusville, Penn., was somewhat excited on the 19th ult., by a report that Leopold Leob, a prominent business man, aided by an unknown desperado, had attempted to murder by hanging one Harmar Levy, a young man of good character and formerly a clerk of Leob. The object of the crime was to get possession of a receipt lawfully held by Levy, who would have been murdered but for the quick wit and prompt action of an unknown horseman, who saw the two ruffians at their work, took in the situation at a glance, and, drawing a pistol, galloped down upon the party exclaiming: "Drop that man or I'll shoot you!" "Oh, we've got a horse thief here," said Leob. "Drop him, horse thief or no horse thief," the horseman repeated, levelling his pistol. They dropped him and took to their heels, and were soon lost in the woods. Levy was almost gone, his face was as black as a negro's and his neck was skinned and cut. He was taken to a farm house, and with much difficulty restored. Leob's friends are trying to keep the case out of the courts.

There was a cloud-burst of mammoth proportions near Los Angeles in Southern California, recently, and the water from it submerged seven miles of railway, beside sweeping away several culverts and 4000 feet of track.

The Hartford base ball club beat the Manchester on Friday, 3 to 2. The umpiring gave much dissatisfaction.

The Iowa Methodist Conference resolved to entreat all ministers and members who use tobacco to desist for conscience's sake; and to vote for the admission of no one to the conference who uses tobacco, without a pledge that he will abandon it.

The opposition to the Maffit bell punch in Virginia is taking a practical turn, and the private bottle is on the increase. By buying as much as five gallons, the special tax of forty cents on a gallon is avoided, and drinking at home is more popular. So are the private club rooms more popular.

William Tryson arrived at St. John, N. B., on Friday, having pulled all the way from Yonkers, N. Y., 700 miles, in a flat-bottomed wherry.

Two young fools, one nineteen years old and the other a year younger, have been arrested at Portsmouth, England, for robbing several carriages at Blackheath, near London, which many years ago was a favorite resort of highwaymen. Among the effects of the youthful idiots were found numerous novels of the "dime" order, such as "Claude Duval, the Dashing Highwayman," the "Adventures of Dick Turpin," and the like. They will have a chance to see the inside of a penitentiary.

Red Cloud, Spotted Tail and the other Indian chiefs in Washington had a "big talk" with the President on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

New Hampshire Items.

The police are trying to catch Peter Ayers of Sunapee for bigamy. He is reported to have had three wives, two of whom he murdered, the last saying on her death-bed that he had forced her to eat matches.

The barn of William T. Brown of Campton was burned Friday night. Loss $400; insurance $300, in New Hampshire Fire Insurance Company.

In Pittsfield, Mass., Thursday night, E. L. Horton of Boston was arrested for being connected with others in passing counterfeit money at Suncook.

On Sunday night, Sept. 17th., some man who didn't know that Mr. Corning kept a dog, undertook to go through the Lancaster House, at Lancaster. He had not proceeded very far before Corning's dog came out through the window of the harness house and fastened on to the rear end of the stranger in such a manner that he felt a stern necessity of leaving those diggins. The dog didn't howl, but the stranger did. The inmates of the house, alarmed by the outcry, arose just in time to see the man leaping out of sight with the dog hanging to the strips of his unmentionables in a way denoting him to be the hungriest dog in town.

Some time ago, Mr. Thomas W. Whitney, living about two miles from Groveton village, put about half a pound of powder into the oven of a stove, which during the summer he had no occasion to use, to keep it from the rats. Last Friday a fire was built in the stove, but he forgot all about the powder, and the result was a blow-up. One piece of the stove hit Mr. Whitney's sister, who was there visiting, cutting a severe gash across the forehead, and two little girls sitting by the stove had their eyes filled with the powder, affecting them so badly that at last accounts they had not been able to open them. A hard wood table sitting in the room was blown to pieces, windows and sash blown out, the plastering badly defaced, and a good deal of damage done generally. Mr. Whitney thinks he will be careful in the future where he keeps his powder.

Political.

General Banning, of Cincinnati, is a cool customer. In the face of the confessed frauds on the ballot-box, by which he secured his election to Congress, he mounts the stump and denounces the registry law which makes a repetition of the frauds impossible. Of course it is natural he should have strong feelings toward such an interference with democratic methods, but it would have been decent in him to keep still about them.

The Meridian (Miss.,) *Mercury* is indignant at the action of the grand jury in Kemper county, which has found six indictments for murder and twenty-five for being accessory to murder. A portion of them, it is believed, are against the actors in the Chisholm murders. The *Mercury* intimates that if any arrests are made, the "demon" will be aroused in people who are now "calm and acquiescent in the law." The calm acquiescence of people in a law that is not enforced, and their excitement to devilitry as soon as an attempt is made to enforce it, is characteristic of Mississippi justice, and illustrates the ideas of law that prevail in that region.

Berwick Sponge Cake.

There was in former days a famous restaurant at Berwick, in Maine, a town bounded by the New Hampshire line. It was at the junction of the two railways from Boston for Portland and the east. In times forty years ago, when railway building in the United States was in its first wind, these two railways, the Boston & Maine and the Eastern, came racing into Maine, their routes nearly parallel, each seeking a charter to Portland. The prudent legislature of that time would give but one charter over that ground. Accordingly a company was formed, the Portsmouth, Saco & Portland, which built the line from Berwick to Portland, and on equal terms hauled the united trains of the Eastern and the Boston & Maine, which each started from Boston at the same time, into Portland together. Berwick junction, where the trains formerly halted and were hitched together, to be taken into Portland, and separated to be taken into Boston, became a famous refreshment station. An employe of one of the companies was lamed in some accident, in consideration of which the privilege was given him of keeping the refreshment room at that point. The specialty of his establishment was sponge-cake; the tea and coffee were of but moderate quality. But the cake made his fame. It was a golden yellow, light yet rich, moist and creamy, and moreover, would keep. The ladies always bought an extra portion to take home with them. More enterprising ones procured the recipe for its making from the accomodating restaurateur or his cooks. The secret was stirring the yolks and whites of the eggs separately, stirring them with all possible rapidity, and putting the mixture to bake immediately. Nice fresh eggs had something to do with it, but separate, rapid stirring and quick setting to bake was indispensable. The recipe was taken from that station all over the country, and if in any part any of our readers should discover wholesome and palatable sponge-cake, that will keep fresh for days, he may probably trace back its lineage though a generation or two to Berwick, not Berwick on the Tweed, but Berwick on the Salmon Falls river.
—*New York Stockholder.*

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 5.30† P.M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "		4.35, 5.35 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "		6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls & Conway R.R.	9.45 "	"	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.30 "	4.35	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.02, 10.35 A. M.	5.30, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	8.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	"
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

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E. G PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

FIFTEEN YEARS PASTORATE.

Sunday was the fifteenth anniversary of the commencement of the pastorate of Rev. James DeNormandie at the Unitarian Church in this city.

The altar was profusely decorated with flowers. In front of the desk was a shield, the ground of which was white carnations, upon which in carmine colors were the figures '62, '77, while other emblems were beautifully arranged.

The sermon was a review of the progress of the parish for the past fifty years, the changes in the manner of attendance, etc., being noticed. The statistics of deaths and the peculiar changes in the past fifteen years in the congregation and kindred subjects were touchingly given. The pastor maintained that in all communities we have too many churches of different creeds, in not a few cases feebly supported. He advocated a concentrated effort in behalf of religion, instead of a diffused and scattered labor to establish and maintain sects.

NOT MISTAKEN AT ALL.

The *Times* of Saturday evening alludes to the article in the CHRONICLE of that day concerning a young man who within a few months has repeatedly insulted women on the streets, and in reference to our statement that "the aggrieved parties, though assured that the police magistrate would take their evidence in private, from motives of delicacy have all refused to appear against the culprit, so all the police could do was to let him loose," says "the CHRONICLE is grievously mistaken," and goes on to explain that he was once punished for similar conduct on the testimony of four young women he had insulted. We were not very grievously mistaken; in fact we were not mistaken at all, nor did we misstate the facts. We were well aware the fellow was before the police court *early in October of last year*, and was sent to Brentwood for six months; and we are equally as well aware (as is the *Times* also) that within a few months past numerous complaints have been made of his actions, and he has been more than once locked up by the police, yet the aggrieved parties have all refused to appear against him,—in which they were decidedly in the wrong. We plainly enough referred to what the fellow has recently been and is now doing; not to what he did in his infancy, or even a year ago. Possibly our neighbor would be doing the public as much service by lending its influence to the abatement of the nuisance referred to, as by giving a manifestly strained and irrational interpretation to what the CHRONICLE said, for the purpose of breaking any force it might have.

[Communicated.]

SCHOOL REGULATIONS.

Editor of Chronicle:—There is no public interest of more importance than our schools, and on this subject every parent and citizen has a right to be heard. Having children in whose education I am directly interested, and having a more general and broader interest in the cause, I wish briefly to refer to some of the regulations recently adopted, and proposed for adoption by the "Board of Education."

The appointment of grade committees is open to grave objections. A member of the committee is naturally or ought to be most interested in the schools of his own district, and there his arduous labors for the cause should be bestowed. It will not do to spread the average member over too much territory. Mr. S. may properly have charge of the grammar school in his own district, but who cares to have him slop over into the other districts? Mr. H. does good work where he is most interested, and probably has no time to do more. Mr. G. has always been a favorite at the south end and done excellent service for the schools there; it is probably about all he can and will do in the future.

But the real objection is the want of unity; each member should know something of all the schools in his district, that he may be able to work more intelligently and effectually for the good of the schools and the advancement of the pupils from one grade to a higher. We would give his work more latitude and less longitude. The old plan worked well, and why the change? Soon we shall have men to establish communications between the committees of the different grades—sort of foreign ministers from one dignified body to the next higher or lower. Who pays for the red tape?

But the marvel stops not here. Look at the rules reported at the last meeting of the board. No. 1 proposes that the "re-election" of teachers shall depend on the *unanimous* recommendation of the "Grade Committee." If injustice has been done in the removal of any teacher in the past, how much easier it will be to do it in the future! One grave and reverend committee-man refuses to join in the recommendation for reasons best known to himself, possibly such as he would not care to openly give, and the teacher, no matter how faithful or how much worn out with work, is forthwith ordered to appear for examination. It is devoutly to be hoped that there is no teacher in the city who would do it. One could afford to take in washing sooner than crawl and pray for a re-election under such circumstances.

No. 2 proposes that these examinations shall be conducted by the High School Committee, of which the proposer is a member.

No. 4 proposes that no new teachers shall be appointed to the lower grades who are not graduates of some normal school. That is to say, graduates from our own schools shall not teach the alphabet in our smaller schools till they have been several terms—or years for ought we know—to an expensive school abroad, the expense of board away from home being more than most of our graduates can afford. Thus our children, for whom we have bought books by the basketful and worked hard to help in school, are to be excluded from all right to a position as teacher within our borders. "O ingratitude! thou marble-hearted fiend!" Perhaps this proposed regulation was written by some custom house officer, or jeweller, or merchant, or doctor, or lawyer, or minister who does not want the people's money, and so it is right and just to say our children shall not have the chance to earn a dollar, when they can give as good an equivalent as any one else. Already, gentlemen, you have sent excellent teachers abroad who asked for a place at home, and the strangers you have taken instead are doing no better work than these exiled ones are accomplishing elsewhere. "Fair play is a jewel." But for real genuine philanthropy, not to mention justice, read No. 5.

In case of the sudden illness or necessary absence of any teacher, the master in that district may furnish a supply for a period not exceeding three days; if the absence is prolonged, notice shall be given to the sub-committee, who shall appoint a teacher for the remainder of the term, subject to the confirmation of the Board,—but no teacher shall, in any case, hereafter be confirmed until a competitive examination is held, by the direction of the Board, as provided in Section 2.

Our teachers are not even allowed to be sick. If they are, then off goes their heads and in goes somebody else, so that they may derive no advantage from their daily pittance should God see fit to inflict them with ills to which flesh is heir. Where is compassion? Where is justice?

Verily, we with many prayers commend this "Board of Instruction" to the powers that created them in a single night—the city fathers. It is too bad the people do not know enough to elect a school board, but so it seems to be.

X. Y. Z.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

City Marshal Entwistle and Assistant Marshal Gray captured a stolen team in North Hampton, on the farm of Joshua Drake, on Saturday night. The man who stole the team was not caught. When found the wagon was hid in the woods, a part of the harness in a tree, and the horse in a corn field. The team is owned by J. B. Randall of Bradford, Mass.

Mr. Charles F. Vaughan, of this city, who is carrying on the bakery business in Manchester, met with an accident last week. His horse shied at something in the street, and in Mr. Vaughan's efforts to control him he broke the bit; the horse ran, throwing Mr. Vaughan out. He was picked up insensible, and remained so for five hours. Fortunately no bones were broken, although he was pretty well shaken up.

Morse & Ilsley will sell by auction to-day the Buzzell farm; also the cattle, horses, tools, hay, etc. See advertisement.

The amount collected at this port for the fiscal year ending July 1st, 1877, is as follows: duties $17,052.21; tonnage tax, $447.30; marine hospital dues, $351.75; fines and penalties, $10.

Three paintings of dogs from the studio of Miss Mary E. B. Miller were on Saturday morning placed on exhibition at Willis G. Myers' book-store in Congress Block, which for life-like qualities and smooth finish are par excellence. Two of the portraits represent the well-known dog belonging to Mr. Alfred Larkin, while the other is that of a favorite pet owned by a New York lady. These superior pieces will remain on exhibition only a short time, and admirers should call early if they want to see them.—*Times.*

James R. Happeny, a man forty-one years old, was run over on the Saugus Branch of the Eastern Railroad, Sept. 25th, had both legs and one arm crushed, and died in the Massachusetts General Hospital at Boston on the 26th. He was formerly a resident of this city, and was sent to State Prison for setting a barn on fire during the epidemic of fire-raising which prevailed here some sixteen or seventeen years ago.

Mrs. S. E. Pearson, the florist of Broad street in this city, was awarded the premium for the handsomest pair of hand bouquets at the State Fair at Manchester.

The examination of candidates for the vacancy in the Walker School took place in the Girls' High School room on Saturday afternoon. Five young ladies presented themselves as candidates from this city and two from Newington. The examination lasted four hours and a half, and was conducted by the committee on examinations from the Board of Instruction, other members of the Board being present, as was Mr. S. W. Clarke, Principal of the High School, who rendered the committee valuable service in placing at their disposal the conveniences of his room, etc. The result is as yet unannounced.

The fall arrangement of the Eastern and Boston & Maine Railroads goes into effect on Monday, Oct. 8th.

NAVY YARD ITEMS.

The U. S. S. Enterprise, our old standby, is reported to be "quietly secured alongside of the wharf at the navy yard" near Norfolk, Va., and after the repairs of the Powhatan are completed and she is undocked, the Enterprise will take her place. A more economical method, it would seem, would have been to have put her on the railway at this yard, where she could have remained for an indefinite time. There may at some future day be a call for the use of the stone dry dock at Norfolk, but the Enterprise will be found "quietly secured" therein; while if she was on the railway here the dock could be used for other service. We commend this suggestion to the chiefs of the bureaus of yards and docks and things.

The ferry steamer Emerald, which has been thoroughly repaired at the navy yard, made a trial trip on Saturday, taking the officers of the yard and others, on an excursion down the harbor.

Lieut. F. W. Nichols is detached from the Colorado and ordered to the Enterprise.

Lieut. Theo. T. Wood is detached from the Enterprise and ordered to the Colorado.

The ferry steamer Emerald has recommenced her regular trips between the navy yard and this city.

Commodore D. Mc N. Fairfax is president of the board now at Newport, R. I., to witness the examination of the class of officers under instruction in the* use and manufacture of torpedoes.

MARRIED.

TREFETHEN—BALCH. In this city, Sept. 24th, by Rev. S. B. Bowdish of Rye, Mr. Charles E. Trefethen of Rye and Miss Martha E. Balch of this city.

MORRISON—ROWE. In Salmon Falls, Sept. 20th, by E. S. Nowell, Esq., Charles L. Morrison, of Madbury, and Jennie B. Rowe, of Eliot, Me.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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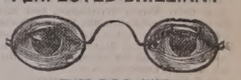

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January 16, 1877

Daily Chronicle.

The Cannon Revolver.

The Whitehall *Review* describes a formidable gun called a "cannon revolver," just adopted by the French Government. The peculiarity of this arm consists in its capability of throwing eighty shells per minute of rather more than one pound each, which break up into twenty-four fragments. The cannon revolver can be brought into action and the range determined with great rapidity, and when once sighted it can be worked without the slightest recoil and traversed by pivot action. Its destructive effects can thus be brought to bear on troops either in column or deployed. It commences to be effective at the tremendous range of over 3000 yards. The first delivery of this formidable arm to the French government is principally for the use of the navy. The guns are fired from and resting on the bulwarks, and are intended for torpedo boat searching. In this form the weight of the piece is only about 700 pounds, but as field pieces the additional gear required brings them up to about 1600 pounds. Two men only are required to move the gun itself.

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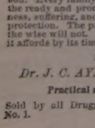

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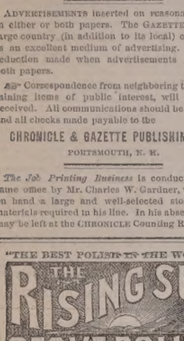

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation of health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stals or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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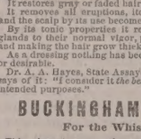

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Executions in Adrianople.

To get up in the gray dawn and watch while here and there at the street corners a number of fellow-creatures, from half a dozen to a score, are "hanged by the neck until dead," is by no means a pleasant experience. At least, this may be affirmed if we judge by western standards. But the people here are becoming accustomed to the spectacle, and they make very little fuss about a mere hanging. It is difficult to know when an execution is to take place. In such matters I have no morbid curiosity, but I thought it my duty to witness for myself the spectacle this morning, and now propose to tell very briefly what it is like. Save for whispers that get about, the first hint of an approaching execution is given to the ordinary observer by the erection of the "gallows"—a three-legged affair made of not very strong poles, and very similar to that in which gypsies suspend their pots over the camp fire. These structures are put up at a street corner or crossing late at night; the signal is well understood, but the operation attracts very little attention. I saw one put close by my hotel last night, so gave orders that I should be called in time for the "ceremony." The soldiers went through their business in a very matter-of-fact fashion. The culprit was a pale-faced Bulgarian, dressed in a Frankish costume, with the exception of the fez, for this man did not wear the ordinary clothes of the Bulgarians. As to his bearing, he seemed to have become lost either to hope or to fear before the end came. His hands were fastened behind his back, the noose was adjusted apparently with considerable skill, the stool was removed from below his feet, and within a very few minutes there was hardly a convulsive twitch of the limbs remaining to tell that the ghastly thing thus suspended in the golden and rosy light of the morning sun had been a sentient human being, with his individual hopes and fears, it may be with his loves and his high aspirations.

My object in going near to the place was not chiefly to study the air and demeanor of the culprit, far less to work up sensational details in regard to a subject so intensely revolting. What I chiefly desired was to see for myself how the ordinary Turkish population demeaned themselves on this occasion. And the result was such as to give a renewed and forcible illustration of the indifference to life and to the taking of life which has been so much observed among Orientals. The streets were crowded with people passing to and fro on their ordinary occupations. And though there was no hindrance to the most complete view of the spectacle, yet hardly more than one person in ten cast more than a passing glance on the ghastly scene. Nearly a score of soldiers stood round, but they had not the slightest difficulty in keeping back the "mob." Of course, by far the greater proportion of the crowd were Turks. They were of both sexes—for a number of women stood up in little groups together by the side of the street before they passed the body—and they were of all ages. Little children holding by their mother's henna-stained fingers looked up curiously at the sight, and the mothers themselves regarded it with large, lustrous eyes, in whose glances there was more of wonder than of fear, horror, or aversion. As with fixed bayonets they stood round the dangling corpse, the soldiers preserved a quiet and serious demeanor, I was glad to see that neither among the soldiers nor among the little crowd who stood by was there any disposition to scoff at the fate of the unhappy culprit.—*New York Times Correspondence.*

—Paducah, (Ky.,) has a horse which eats onions. Like the war-horse of Job, he smelleth from afar off.

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Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 1877.

Business Notes.

The New York *Sun* of Thursday thus describes the business aspect of that city at the present time: "During business hours Broadway and the streets adjacent thereto below Broome are crowded with bustling people, who find their progress greatly impeded, by the transfer of merchandise from stores and sidewalks to trucks. Never before, at any period since the close of the war, have dry goods jobbers transacted in September so large a line of business as during the present month, while the general mercantile trade of the past two weeks has been the most active that has been witnessed or experienced among wholesale dealers for years. The hotels are crowded with guests, the majority of whom are country merchants, come to make purchases, the West and the Southwest being more particularly represented by the buyers now in this market. The fall dry goods trade has opened in such manner as to convince the most skeptical that New York will transact a heavier and larger trade than ever accomplished before. Many dry goods houses are at work by gas light till twelve or one o'clock to fill orders."

A prominent railroad man from the West gives glowing accounts of the present condition of the grain crops in the West, and of the universal improvement and increased activity in business in that section. Cars for the transportation of grain cannot be furnished in numbers to meet the demand.

Meriden, Conn., bears testimony to the returning business prosperity. All her large manufactories have larger orders than for six years past; some of them run until midnight, and part of the Britannia force are kept busy through the night.

News and Notes.

A despatch from Kentucky reports that Hon. Cassius M. Clay on Sunday killed a negro named Henry White, and then surrendered to the authorities.

Eli Phillips, a veteran of the regular army in the Florida, Mexican and Southern wars, aged 80, but still a powerful and desperate fellow, was arrested at Long Island Saturday morning for stealing boats and rigging along the Maine coast. He is also a graduate of the Massachusetts State Prison.

Doun Piatt is out in a card about the old "moth killer" fraud, making specific charges against Col. Rufus Ingalls, Gen. Marcy (Gen. McClellan's father-in-law,) and others, and offering to prove all he says before a Congressional committee or a grand jury.

The Department of Justice will need at least $250,000 more to provide for its current needs this year, the appropriation made by the last Congress being wholly inadequate.

An Arkansas man lately snapped both barrels of his gun at his bed-ridden wife. The gun, as if endowed with the humanity of which its owner was devoid, refused to be discharged, but, when the monster took it by the muzzle and attempted to dash out the sufferer's brains, the breech glanced on the bed-post, both barrels "went off," and their respective charges of buck-shot took lodgings in the would-be murderer's lungs. There was no wearisome delay about the funeral preparations.

A despatch from Victoria, Vancouver's Island, says an Indian woman while bathing was seized by an octopus, or devil fish, and drowned. The body was discovered by Indians next day lying at the bottom of the bay in the grasp of the octopus. They cut the tentacles and recovered the body.

At Rockville, Conn., Thursday, a man named White, his mother, and a man named McVey, started to drive home from the cattle fair; both men were drunk, and White, who was driving, fell out of the wagon, and the horses started on a run, throwing out and killing the other man and Mrs. White.

James E. Buddington, who killed Wm. Thompson at Groton Centre, Conn., for improper intimacy with Mrs. Buddington, was sent to the county jail for ninety days.

Schooner Commonwealth, Gross master, left Rockland, Me., for Boston, with a load of lime, Wednesday, and returned next day on fire, and with the loss of the captain, who was knocked overboard and drowned the night before. [A later report says the dead body of Capt. Gross was found in the vessel's cabin on Saturday afternoon, he having evidently laid down and been suffocated, instead of being washed overboard as was at first supposed. His two sons, aged respectively fifteen and twelve years, were all the crew on board, and took the schooner back to Rockland.]

Nelson H. Carr, a prominent and wealthy citizen of Danbury, Conn., was explaining to a friend, Saturday, the operation of dynamite, holding some of the powder in his hand, when it exploded, instantly killing him.

Rutland, Vt., has had a great scandal. A Mrs. Cheeney having been detected in improper relations with a man not her husband, confessed her guilt to the church of which she was a member, but requested that she might be suspended instead of expelled, as she wished to reform and her husband had forgiven her. The deacons refused her request, whereupon she told the minister that at least one of the deacons was as bad as herself. She was expelled, and one of the deacons at the same time handed the pastor a letter acknowledging his guilt with the woman, and asking for expulsion, which was promptly granted him. All the parties had previously borne good reputations.

Sawyer, Ex-Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, was convicted in Washington on Saturday of conspiring to defraud the United States, the penalty for which is imprisonment from one to five years, or a fine of $1000 to $5000. Parkman Brooks and Ex-Commissioner of Customs Haines were convicted of bribery—all three cases arising from a fraudulent cotton claim made by Brooks.

Chief Joseph and his Nez Perces have been chased across the line into Canada, it is now reported. The Apaches have attacked the ranches along the Gila river in New Mexico, and killed twenty whites. Lieut. Bullis has had a fight with Indians near Pecos river in Texas, in which he lost several of his command. Seven companies of cavalry, with two Gatling guns, have crossed the Rio Grande river into Mexico in pursuit of hostile Indians.

Yellow fever still rages at Fernandina, Fla. The Collector of the Port died Saturday night, and the Mayor, Riddell, is sick. There had been 853 cases of fever up to Saturday night.

Orrin Porter Rockwell, the notorious Mormon murderer and chief of the Danites or Destroying Angels, has been indicted by the grand jury at Provo, Utah, for his share in the Aitken massacre of 1858. He was arrested by the U. S. Marshal, and placed in the penitentiary for safe keeping; he was drunk when arrested. Burton, Major-General of the Nauvoo Legion, and Dr. Clinton, his adviser, have been arrested for participating in the murder of the Morrisites, and released on bail of $15,000 and $10,000 respectively.

Four hundred and fifty-nine recruits for the Mormon church landed in New York on Saturday. They are from Norway, Sweden, Denmark and Great Britain.

The business portion of Putnam, Conn., was destroyed by fire on Sunday. Loss $125,000 or more; about half insured. The town numbers about 5000 inhabitants.

New Hampshire Items.

As showing the extent of the drouth, it is said that the manufacturing companies at Suncook are drawing two-thirds the water they are now using from the reserve ponds, and yet they have not enough.

Rev. Eleazer Smith of Concord will soon celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of his ordination into the ministry of the Methodist Church.

William Palmer, of Exeter, and Capt. Benjamin Sanborn, of Conterbury, both pensioners of the war of 1812, died recently.

Rev. O. W. Kimball of Concord, a member of the Senior class of the Newton Theological Seminary, is a stated supply for the Baptist Church at Bow.

A lead and silver mine, thought to be a continuation of the Newburyport mine, is found to crop out in two places at Madison.

Scales, the wool-thief now in jail at Haverhill for stealing wool from Mr. Johnson's warehouse at Enfield, will be tried for that offence and then taken to Hillsborough county to be tried for highway robbery, as it is almost certain that he was the man who robbed the old farmer, Melvin, at Weare some weeks since, by knocking him down on the highway. The detectives are confident of being able to send Scales to State prison for twenty years.

Political.

The Washington *Republican*, transferred to Ex-Secretary of the Navy Robeson and Ex-Public Printer A. M. Clapp, is to be conducted as an anti-administration organ. The *Union*, the new paper to be run by Ex-Congressman John Lynch, is to be strongly in favor of the administration; and as the best talent is to be employed on both papers some lively sparring may be expected.

Sam. J. Randall and Albert W. Fletcher, superintendent of the document room of the House of Representatives, have brought suit against the Philadelphia *Sunday World* for libel in having charged Randall with receiving pay for his influence, and Fletcher with allowing valuable documents to be stolen. The proprietors of the paper offered no defence, and were each bound over in $1000.

Col. David H. Armstrong has been appointed United States Senator from Missouri, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Senator Bogy.

J. H. B.

[Written for this paper.]

"The First and Last Dinner."

In *Blackwood's Magazine* of 1829, a deeply interesting sketch appeared, bearing the above title, of which the following, though in less graceful language, as well as can be recollected, was the substance. Twelve young friends, fixed by their pursuits, their family connections, and other local interests, as permanent residents of London, while chatting over their wine at that famed hostelry, the Star and Garter, at Richmond, agreed to form themselves into a club under the following regulations. That they should dine at each other's houses alternately on the first and last day of every year; that the first bottle of wine uncorked at the first dinner should be recorked and drank by him who should be the last of their number; that they should never admit a new member; that the table should continue to be set for the twelve, and that they should sit for the usual number of hours, whatever the number remaining; that when but one survived, the first time he so dined alone, lest it should be the only one, he should then uncork the first bottle, and in the first glass drink to the memory of all who were gone. The twelve never had the opportunity of dining together, for while gliding down the Thames in their yacht in returning to London in the evening, and chatting in high glee of their dinners in the future, one of them, losing his balance, fell into the river and was drowned, though every effort was made to save him. When the last day of the year came, and with it their first dinner, the vacant chair did not fail to bring to memory their lost companion, and a decorous sigh or two, with a few observations on the uncertainty of life, preceded the more agreeable observances for which they had met; but by the time the watchman announced the hour of twelve beneath their windows, and the beginning of a new year, they had ceased to note the inequality of six on one side of the table and five on the other. The years went by, the eleven continued to hold their double anniversary, and then a calamity befell them at such a season that they never had looked for, when one of their number, the wit, the life of the circle, was hanged for making a single stroke of a pun in a wrong place,—a check that went into his hands for £700 passing out of it for £1700. Time sped onward until raven locks had changed to a silvery hue, and once bright eyes had lost their lustre; good old port and warm madeira took the place at their dinners of hock, burgundy and champagne; conversation at the table ceased to be boisterous, turning chiefly to politics, the state of the funds, and the value of landed property; a quiet game of whist occupied the time once given to hilarious merriment; and ere taking their departure for home at eleven, there was a buttoning up of great coats, a tying on of woollen comforters, and a grasping of stout canes to support unsteady feet. The fiftieth anniversary came, when four feeble old men sat down by "the mercy of God," as they tremulously expressed it, to observe yet once more the frolic compact of their youthful years; eight were in their graves, yet when a glass or two of generous wine sent the blood coursing more warmly through their veins, they talked of the past as if it were but yesterday, and of the future as if a century lay before them. They were just the number for a rubber of whist, but when a few more years were gone, whist was no longer practicable when they met; *two* could play only at cribbage, and that was the game, yet a mockery of play it was, for their palsied hands could scarcely hold the cards. At length came the *last* dinner, and the survivor of the twelve, upon whose head four score winters had showered their snows, sat down to his solitary meal. It chanced that at his house the first dinner had been eaten, and in his cellar the bottle he was that day to uncork had remained for eight and fifty years. As it stood before him, his thoughts went back into the past; he saw, as in a mirror, how one by one his companions in the merry hours at Richmond had dropped into eternity, and felt the utter loneliness of his position, for he had never married, and not one was left on earth with whom he could claim kindred. When he had drained the glass, while tears coursed down his furrowed cheeks, "to the memory of those who were gone," he prepared to fulfill the remainder of his vow by sitting the usual number of hours at the table, desolate and lonely though it was; but ere long a lethargic sleep stole over him, confused images crowded into his mind, he babbled to himself, and when his servant came, alarmed by the noise he heard, he found him stretched upon the floor, upon which he had slipped from his chair in an apoplectic fit, and in a little time he passed like his companions, the last of them all, to the realities of the unseen world.

Such a club as the above was formed in New York at the time the story appeared, of which seven members remained a few years since; others have been heard of elsewhere; but that which will interest the readers of the CHRONICLE most to learn, is that a like club, or one much resembling it, exists at Portsmouth, of which half of its members survive, but instead of once a year, they dine together every fifth year. Their next gathering will be on the 4th of July, 1880, being fifty years from the time of their first meeting. The surviving members all retain much of their early vigor, and none has more erectness of form or lightness of step than be in the vaults of whose fine old mansion reposes the wine that was first uncorked so many long years ago; yet, however hale and hearty they now may be, the time will come when the last to survive will sit alone at the table, and "drink to the memory of all who are gone!"

J. H. B.

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Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	126½
Boston & Albany	122½
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	105

Pedestrianism.

At Haverhill, Mass., at ten o'clock Monday morning, Prof. Charles A. Harriman started on a walk of 150 miles, to be accomplished in 36 hours. The first four hours he averaged 5 1-2 miles an hour; at one minute past eight o'clock in the evening he had walked 48 miles, and seemed as fresh as when he started.

—Louise Chandler Moulton says that to be properly dressed in the streets of London, a woman must wear a tiny bonnet, hanging upon a knot of hair, an immense crinoline, heel-less boots, a black lace shawl, and her front hair pasted down over her cheeks like a horse's blinders.

—A detective describing the scene of a recent terrible crime in New York, said that the house was "gloomy and dark and pervaded by an air of mystery, whilst about ten black cats, which wandered from room to room, added greatly to the dismal nature of the surroundings."

—Some women of Germantown hit on a novel way of raising $1,000 for a charitable purpose. Their smoking friends were asked to preserve the points of their cigars that they bit off before smoking. It became fashionable to take this way of winning the women's smiles. The points were sold to a manufacturer when a bulk had accumulated, and were made into snuff. The money was raised in four months.

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Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.35 A. M.,	2.00, 6.30† P. M
" Way,	10.35 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.36 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.36 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.30 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	1.35 "
Concord Way,	"	4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35† "
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M. 5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 " 8.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 " "
Concord and North,	10.20 " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " 5.50 "

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AN IMPORTANT NEED.

It would seem that a proper regard for the interests of our port, would demand the removal of the ledge in the harbor, upon which the brig Clara J. Adams has recently been wrecked. * * An effort should be made to induce Congress at its coming session to grant an appropriation to remove this ledge. * * The Dover Board of Trade called attention to the condition of the Cocheco river, and a very liberal outlay was voted for the removal of rocks, where there was but little to be gained. Again, as far up as South Newmarket, a similar expenditure was made by the efforts of Ex-Congressman Small. Now right here in our harbor, are two bad ledges, one by Noble's Island, near which at times are many deeply laden vessels passing, and the other near the beacon. Are we, with our commercial interests jeopardized by these ledges, to remain year after year inactive, and not even ask for an appropriation to remove these dangerous rocks? There should at once be prepared and circulated a petition to Congress to appropriate a sufficient sum to have these ledges removed next summer. Our members of Congress should be informed of the pressing need of the expenditure, and some one be sent to Washington to appear before the proper committees of Congress to urge the subject. Will not the Board of Trade, the city government, or the citizens of Portsmouth move in this matter. * * With a naval station of the importance of ours, with the increased size of vessels that visit our harbor, and the manifest propriety of this work contrasted with the jobs that have been allowed in some ports of the country, of not one tithe the importance of our harbor either to the navy or the mercantile marine, it seems to us that there would be no doubt as to a proper appropriation being made by Congress, if only a suitable explanation of the case could be made to that body.—*Journal.*

Shipmasters who are aware of how much has been done by the general government for the improvement of petty and comparatively worthless harbors and "trout brooks" in other parts of the country, on entering this harbor are astonished to find so many dangers existing that could be easily and at a trifling cost removed. The reason for this neglect of our harbor is accurately given in the foregoing extract from the *Journal*—nobody has ever made any effort to bring the matter properly before Congress, while the "trout brooks" and petty harbors have been ably represented by persistent claimants. How thoroughly Portsmouth harbor has been neglected is shown by the fact that Ham's ledge, near Noble's Island, was never even bouyed out until after the schooner Sidney Price stuck it, bilged, and sunk, not many years (about ten, we believe) ago. About a year after the disaster to the Sidney Price the government "improved Portsmouth harbor" by placing a spar buoy on Ham's ledge!

A fraction of the money expended on the Cocheco river—less money than was expended up at South Newmarket—would have removed two of the most dangerous obstructions in this harbor, and abated a third; yet the important harbor has been ignored in the distribution of "improvements," while the up-river places, which can never accommodate any but small sized vessels and not many even of those, have had all done that was asked. Ham's ledge, and the rock in the centre of the ship channel, nearly north of the south beacon, can be removed in a tenth part of the time employed and at a tenth of the expense incurred in blowing the bottom out of the Cocheco. The ship channel rock is simply an enormous boulder, big as a house, with less than sixteen feet of water (according to chart) upon it at mean low tide, and ten fathoms all around it; and it is a disgrace to the government, and still more to the people of Portsmouth, that an obstruction so dangerous and so easily removed did not cease to exist many years ago. Just north of the beacon ledge, about northwest of the beacon, is another rock, with seventeen feet of water over it at mean low tide, and four fathoms between it and beacon ledge; this rock, though not in the usual track of vessels, might pick one up at some time and can be easily removed. The beacon ledge itself would require a considerable outlay to remove; but between the beacon and the buoy which marks the eastern extremity of the ledge, (there is a depth of seven fathoms, forty feet outside the buoy,) there are a number of points of rock that can be blown away for a trifle. It was one of these points that caught the Clara J. Adams; had she cleared it she would possibly have safely cleared the ledge; and it was another one, on which she rested at low tide, that broke her back.

If the work of removing obstructions in our harbor was once begun, there is no doubt it would be continued until the easily-gotten-rid-of rocks, at least, were out of the way; and just now is the right time for the citizens of Portsmouth to move in the matter, if they ever want the work done. The Congressman from this district is a Portsmouth man, and largely interested in the city's advancement; but probably nobody now living will live long enough to see another man from this immediate region in Congress. Mr. Jones is a worker, and would no doubt like to signalize his second term by securing some marked benefit for the city of his home, as well as for his district and commerce generally; and if "the Board of Trade, the city government, or the citizens of Portsmouth" will but move in the matter, as the *Journal* suggests, and lend him a hearty helping hand, we are willing to vouch that he will do all he can toward securing the needed appropriation. Also, that the work will be done.

MR. HARLOW'S LAURELS IN DANGER.

The residents of a northern section of the city were favored on a night of last week with a rare musical treat, on the occasion of a serenade to a newly married pair. The performance of "Home, Sweet Home" and "Sherman's March through Georgia," will especially not soon be forgotten by the listeners as they lay in their beds, or peeped through the blinds to endeavor to learn to whom they were so much indebted. A heartiness there was, besides, in the rousing cheers and "tigers" that concluded their performance each time the favored ones were awakened from their slumbers, that showed they were greatly in earnest; and well could the happy pair afford to be aroused from sleep three times in a night by such inspiring strains, as well as hope they might again ere long be thus favored. Whoever the artists were, whether amateurs or professionals, their services should at once be secured for the new opera house.

A LOVER OF MUSIC.

[*Note.* Our contributor is generous enough with his commendation of the music as a whole, but we think he hardly does justice to certain of the musicians, in not specially mentioning their individual performances. We had heard of that serenade before; in fact, we heard a part of the serenade, though we were a half-mile or so distant; and we cannot forbear saying that the fish-horn solo was one of the best we ever listened to, while the *tambour* who warbled on a milk-pan with two beef-bones showed himself a finished artist in his line, and the fog-horn produced the most robust tenor we ever experienced.—*Ed.*]

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Gov. Prescott was in town on Monday.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Kearsarge Mill occurs at eleven o'clock this forenoon.

The ship Kate Prince, built here twenty years ago and recently sold to go under the German flag (as before reported in the CHRONICLE,) has had her name changed to Pauline. She registers 1360 tons, and was sold for $25,000.

The masts for the ship Paul Jones were towed to the navy yard on Monday by steamer Clara Batemen.

There has been less fog during the past summer than for many previous seasons; and there has also been an almost total absence of thunder storms, but one really heavy one having occurred in this immediate vicinity. The rain-fall has been very light, and as a consequence the wells and springs are unusually low—a common complaint throughout New England and New York just now.

We are to have a course of lectures upon Art this coming season.

The October interest and the sinking fund due on the bonds of the Mount Washington Hotel Company (Fabyan's) were paid at the Trust & Guarantee Company's office in this city on Monday.

The Granite State base ball club have decided to accept the challenge of the Blue Stars of Rochester, to play a game at the Town Fair in that place on Wednesday.

Assessors' meeting this evening. See advertisement.

The parties engaged in attempting to get the brig Clara J. Adams off the beacon ledge succeeded in righting her on Sunday, by means of a purchase from her mastheads to the shore of Peirce's island. During the night the guy parted and let her fall over again, but on Monday she was once more righted up.

We are informed that orders have been received at the navy yard to allow no merchant ship to lay under the sheers at the yard longer than four hours after her masts are stepped.

Ship Granite State, Capt. Wm. Ross, left this port for Boston soon after seven o'clock Monday morning, in tow of steamer Major. Steamer Clara Batemen was employed to assist in taking the big ship down the harbor, and she went down in fine style. The Clara Batemen cast off as soon as open water was reached, and the Major "went it alone" the rest of the way. The Granite State had her staysails set when she passed Rye Beach, and the tug was taking her along at a good rate. A number of gentlemen from this city made the trip around in the vessel, by invitation of Capt. Ross and Capt. Marcy.

Portsmouth has invested largely in floating property this season. Besides the two large ships—the Granite State and Paul Jones—built on the river, it seems by the following list of the registered owners of the fine new ship Gov. Goodwin that a large part of that vessel is owned here. The sixty-fourths of the Gov. Goodwin are held by the following parties: Wendell Goodwin and Fred. P. Jones ten sixty-fourths, Wm. Harly two, Geo. E. Foster one, Fred. Bradley one, M. M. Piggatt one, C. A. Cousens one, Wm. Pratt one, Fred. Ames one, Thomas E. Call three, John H. Broughton four, John T. French three, Marcellus Eldredge two, Alex. Robinson two, Geo. Billbruck two, W. A. Peirce two, Jno. S. Pray four, W. Freeman one, Jos. C. Perkins one, Chas. H. Garrett one, Jos. W. Peirce two, Robert C. Peirce two, H. F. Eldredge two, Geo. Annable one, Edwin A. Peterson four, Wm. Lester two, David H. Buffum two, M. C. Burleigh two, W. Odlin two, John H. Burleigh two.

WHO IS HE?

On Sunday a tramp was arrested on Pleasant street by the City Marshal and Assistant Marshal Gray, and taken to the station house. His peculiar actions and the manner in which he answered their questions caused suspicions that all was not right with him, and on searching over a lot of detective cards received from different localities, giving descriptions of persons "wanted" for various offences, the officers found one as follows:

WANTED FOR MURDER.

A man, (supposed to be a tramp;) five feet six or seven inches in height; about thirty-five years old; stout built; weighs about 160 pounds; reddish moustache; side whiskers and hair; has large scar on his forehead over left eye; the under lid of one of his eyes droops and is much inflamed. Supposed to wear a greyish suit, with black soft hat, or he may be wearing a blue short jacket with red lining and black ribbed pants, with clothes of a different color used in mending a slit in the back.

Send information to Luther Stephenson, Jr., Chief Detective, 35 Pemberton Square, Boston, Mass.

March 17th, 1877.

This ref rred to the supposed murderer of Horatio Messenger, of Norfolk, Mass., who was robbed and murdered in his own house on the 8th of March last. The man answered the description perfectly — except as to his clothing, which of course could not be expected to be the same after the lapse of seven months—and the Pemberton Square office was notified of the arrest. On Monday Detective Philbrick, of the Boston detective force, came to this city and interviewed the prisoner, but while admitting that he answered perfectly to the description given, for some unexplained reason did not take him to Massachusetts. A better description of the tramp than is given on the card could not be written from a personal inspection of him, and if a man of that description was the murderer of Mr. Messenger, one would think it worth while for the Massachusetts authorities to look further into the matter. The tramp had on no shoes when arrested; he says he is an Englishman, but tells many different stories about where he is from and where bound, and as to his name. From the facility with which he lies it is suspected that if not the murderer of Mr. Messenger he is either Charles A. Dana or Boss Tweed.

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LYNN. In Boston, Mass., Sept. 29th, Andrew J. Lynn, formerly of this city, aged 41 years.

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January 16, 1877

Daily Chronicle.

—The finest crop of raisins ever produced in California is promised this fall. The grapes are not growing so large as in previous years, owing to dryness, but their quality is better.

—"It is curious, doctor, that every time I smoke after dinner I have something dazzling in my eyes. What can you do for that?" "Eh!" said the doctor, with a smile, "don't smoke." The patient was nonplussed. He hadn't thought of that.

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 10, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Angamar Street Motor.

By the kindness of Mr. Henry C. Jones, Superintendent of the Reading Railroad Company, the Angamar Street Motor was given a trial test last evening on the tracks of the company, between the depot at Thirteenth and Callowhill streets and the Reading Railroad Bridge over the Schuylkill river. There was a distinguished party of engineers and parties interested in railway matters present from New York, Washington and this city. The test was pronounced thorough and successful, the machine proving capable of doing all that was claimed for it. The engine used is the first one built under this patent, and it is intended especially for use in propelling street cars. It has many advantages possessed by no other intended for the same purpose, and is a great improvement on the steam cars now in use upon the Market Street Railway. The motor used is steam, the agent which science with all its arts has been unable to supersede with anything at once so powerful and so easily utilized. But in this particular instance, while the power of the agent has been utilized to the utmost, it is rendered harmless and proof against any possibility of explosion. Moreover, it is about the simplest piece of machinery ever seen, there being no pumps, no injection, none of those delicate pieces of mechanism that are liable to get out of order, and which when disarranged are the cause of explosions and other accidents. Moreover, this motor has the very great and unique advantage of making no noise when in motion. There is none of the fuss and fizzle so alarming to animals and so disagreeable to nervous people, which has been one of the great drawbacks to the use of steam on our city railways. The Angamar Street Motor goes quietly about its business. Nor is there any smell of oil or sense of heat, or, in short, any of the minor annoyances usual to machines of this kind. And as the entire apparatus, boiler, etc., is below the floor of the car and unseen, the neighborhood of anything of the kind, except from the fact of motion, would not be suspected. A great advantage of this arrangement of the machinery is that the view from the front windows of the car is unhindered and the draught of air unobstructed. The machine can be attached to the horse-car bodies now in common use without any alteration or expense. No engineer is required to run the [illegible] quicker in its action than our present system. From the above description, all of which was demonstrated yesterday, it will be seen that the attention of all parties interested in street-car railways should be directed to a consideration of this new motor. Rapid transit, cheap, safe and comfortable transportation through our thoroughfares, is the great need of the time in all the large cities, and the Angamar motor solves the problem. Here in Philadelphia the new invention should attract especial attention, as every portion of it is of local manufacture, the car body having been built by J. G. Brill & Co. and the machinery by the Baldwin Locomotive Works. The machine is now on view for a few days at the latter place, and all interested in the subject are invited to inspect it there.—*Phila. Telegraph*, Sept. 28th.

—Mme. Anna Bishop, who was born in the reign of King George III., who was married to the composer, Sir Henry R. Bishop, in or within a few months of the reign of George IV., who made at the age of twenty-three her first appearance as a vocalist in the reign of William IV., and who bade farewell to England eighteen years ago and came to America, sang recently at the Agricultural Hall, London, and was received by the audience with catcalls and hisses.

—How imbecile and silly seem all the stale, hackneyed, worn-out popular slang sayings of other days! "There you go with your eye out!" "What a shocking bad hat!" "How are you off for soap!" "Flare up and join the Union!" "How's your mother?" "How's your poor feet?" What stupidity, affecting sharpness, bewrays itself in these obsolete impertinences! In respect of fun, and point, and cleverness, what a difference there is between all those and the sparkling exclamation with which the lively lower orders now continually salute each other and their superiors—"Whoa, Emma!"—*Punch.*

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Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 3, 1877.

Business Notes.

The increased facilities for sending fresh meat to Europe have caused the shipments of beef this year thus far to reach a value of $8,082,036, against only $1,755,101 for the same period last year; and of mutton, $113,500 against none in 1876. The live sheep sent in 1877 are valued at $61,110; in 1876 at nothing. Live cattle this year at $2,060,950; in 1876 an insignificantly small quantity. The total shipments of butter from Jan. 1 last to Sept. 29th, consisted of 12,250,690 pounds against only 5,919,073 last year, and of cheese 89,650,350 against 53,706,530.

The protracted war in Europe is not without its beneficial effect upon business in this country, and, aside from the demand for breadstuffs, horses, etc., the firearm manufacturers have already derived a lucrative business. The cartridge factory at Bridgeport, Ct., is supplying material for both Russians and Turks, and American bullets are hurled promiscuously from both sides. The Bridgeport company makes from six to seven hundred thousand cartridges per day. They have supplied forty millions to Russia, seventy millions to Turkey, and have just received an order of eighty millions from the Italian government. Two tons of powder are used each day, and other materials in like proportion. An inspecting officer for Russia and Turkey were recently alike engaged side by side superintending the production of the cartridges for their respective governments.

The shipments of grain to Europe, on Saturday, by steamers alone, approached half a million bushels, and sailing vessels during the week, took much more. Contracts have been so heavy of late that several lines have sent for extra steamers. Thus far this season the shipments have exceeded those of last year by nearly 40 per cent. The crop being by 25,000,000 bushels greater than in any previous year in the history of the country, the demands of Europe can be readily supplied. Vast areas of land in Russia, the Slavonic provinces, and in Turkey, were planted last spring with wheat, but whether through a depletion of population in many districts it can all be gathered is uncertain. Much has also been trodden or harvested in a green state by passing soldiery. The winter demand by the belligerent armies and populations in those countries cannot yet be fully calculated; but shipments are going forward on the supposition that their needs will be great. The short crop in England gives an added stimulus to speculation, added to the fact that numerous cargoes of flour have been sent from England to India, and will continue to be sent toward alleviating the famine there.—*N. Y. Sun*, Oct. 1st.

Rope and Brine

A strong effort is being made to save the neck of Albert F. Joy, the Rockport, Mass., murderer, or at least to secure him a reprieve for three or four months.

The negro killed by Cassius M. Clay of Kentucky was named Perry White, and is said to have been a bully, thief, and desperado generally. He had threatened to kill Gen. Clay for discharging his (White's) mother from service as cook, on account of her thefts.

Minister Pierrepont writes to the San Francisco *Examiner*, denying that he ever asked Earl Manvers for the privilege of using his family crest, or that such a privilege was ever granted him. He says "there never was the slightest truth in one word of the story."

A letter from a recent American emigrant to Australia says: "Americans had better remain at home, as there are numbers of natives waiting at the corners in Sydney unable to get work."

Frank Leslie's liabilities prove to be $336,134; actual assets, $75,166.

An Englishman who has made a bet of $250,000 that he will in six years walk through France, Germany, North Russia and Siberia to China, has started from Calais on his journeying. His bet obliges him to return through India, Persia and Southern Russia, and from there over Greece and Italy to France. He must be in Liverpool by the 1st of July, 1883.

New Hampshire Items.

At the battle of Cold Harbor, June 1, 1864, Mr. R. M. McGilvray of Peterborough was wounded by a Minie ball, which passed through the calf of the left leg and imbedded itself between the bones of the right leg, in such a manner that the army surgeons deemed it unadvisable to attempt its removal. The wounds healed and the bullet caused but little trouble for several years, but after a time it worked down the leg and for some time rested just below the ankle. Of late it had troubled him seriously, and on a recent Sunday morning he cut it out with a pen-knife.

Several young men, comprising some of the best dramatic and musical talent of Dover have formed a stock company under the name of the Eagle Atheneum Stock Co. They have leased Eagle Hall on Third st., and propose to give entertainments during the coming winter.

Fish Commissioner Hayes of Milton has stocked Cole's pond in Somersworth with black bass, and the commissioners have posted a notice forbidding all persons from fishing in the pond for one year.

The frame of the new Catholic church at Lancaster was recently found to be spreading at the top, making it necessary to put in iron rods to keep it together. It had spread five or six feet when discovered.

The Concord *Monitor* relates that "one of those narrow escapes that you read about occurred Friday night, on the evening train to this city, when it was at Thornton's Ferry. A man named Cushing, living at Thornton's, got on the train at Nashua, having a dog with him. He entered the smoking car. He was in the condition commonly described as "drunk as a fool." When the train had nearly reached Thornton's some of the boys in the car persuaded him to let his dog loose, instead of holding on to him as he had been doing. He did so, and pretty soon the dog went out on the platform and the man after him. The dog jumped off the car, and Cushing fell off. The horrified train-men stopped the train and went back expecting to find a corpse. On arriving at the place where he fell, they found that six cars had run over and fearfully mangled Cushing's coat-tail, but that was the extent of the ruin accomplished."

Hubbard Hunt of Randolph, recently attempted to nail his thumb to the barn, but after he got the nail through his thumb, he gave it up as a bad job.

On Sunday last, Rev. Mr. Pert, of Londonderry, read a sermon in his church, written by Rev. David MacGregor, first pastor of the church. It was preached at Greenland 135 years ago, and "printed for the hearers." It contains a full exposition of the austere and rerentless orthodoxy of the time.

Pedestrianism.

Prof. Harriman, engaged at Haverhill, Mass., in an attempt to walk 150 miles in 36 hours, took a rest of 25 minutes at the end of the 70th mile, at 8:30 Monday evening; at 10:30 he rested another hour. At 27 1-2 minutes past eight o'clock, Tuesday morning, he completed his hundredth mile, and seemed in good condition. He had then used up 22 hours, 27 1-2 minutes in walking 100 miles, and had 13 hours, 32 1-2 minutes left in which to walk the other 50 miles. He finished the 150 miles in 35 hours and 44 minutes, having rested two hours and 25 minutes out of that time. All the nourishment he took was beef tea. A quadrille band was present, and a large audience of ladies and gentlemen; and a purse of $50 was presented to the pedestrian at the close of his walk.

Protection From Thieves.

The *Daily Advertiser* of yesterday reported the disappearance from vaults of the Cambridgeport National Bank of four trunks containing papers belonging to individuals of an aggregate value of twenty-five thousand dollars. The day before, the telegraph reported the robbery from the First National Bank at Cortland, N. Y., of a package containing bonds and other securities worth $200,000. And here, as usual, the significant remark was made that the bank suffers no loss, as the securities belong to private individuals. There now lies before us an interesting little pamphlet containing a condensed report of the Northampton bank robbers and their exploits, whereby in four years they succeeded in stealing nearly three millions of dollars in money and securities, but a small part of which was ever regained. This report has been issued by the Boston Safe and Trust Company, and is prefaced by a few remarks from which we quote these words: "Individual bondholders, who have enjoyed the doubtful protection of bank vaults, should bear in mind that nine-tenths of the losses by the bank robberies fall upon special depositors." Notwithstanding these repeated warnings there is hardly a bank in New England whose vaults are not cumbered with trunks and parcels containing in some cases the entire wealth of their owners. There was a reason for this in former years when bank vaults furnished the only protection, however imperfect, from fire and thieves; but now that in every large city there are institutions especially devoted to the safe keeping of valuables, there is no good excuse for the heedlessness or the parsimony which prevents so many from availing themselves of their protection. There are three such institutions, as our readers know, in Boston. It is, perhaps, not so generally known that the vaults of the Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company are more extensive and more massive than those of any other institution in the country. Here for ten dollars a year or upwards, according to the room required, a safe can be hired where a man's property will be absolutely secure.—*Boston Advertiser*, Sept. 28th.

Attempt to Steal Commodore Nutt.

As the Union Pacific west-bound passenger train stopped at Cozad, in Western Nebraska, on Thursday night, a bold attempt was made to steal Commodore Nutt, who was on his way to San Francisco with a party of other dwarfs. A couple of stalwart and knavish appearing men, who took the train at Omaha and had tickets to Cozad, paying the extra charge for riding in the sleeper, are supposed to be the parties to the affair. Just before the train arrived at the station, both of these men—one a few feet ahead of the other—moved toward the rear of the car, in which end the commodore was sleeping. One stopped near the little man's berth, and the other stood near the door. As the train came to a halt the rear man thrust his arms into Nutt's berth and gathered him up in his arms, and moved hastily toward the door of the car, which had been opened by his confederate. The dwarf struggled and tried to scream, but the would-be kidnapper held his hand over the little fellow's mouth in such a way as to stifle almost every sound. The porter, however, screamed for him, which caused several gentlemen to jump out of their berths, one of whom alighted between the kidnapper and the dwarf. The villain dealt the half-asleep passenger a blow on the head which felled him to the floor. This gave another passenger time to come up, who struck the desperado in the head with a slung-shot, which stunned him, and caused him to drop the commodore, who by this time was making more lusty noise than all the women in the car, every one of whom, in concert with the men, were making a lively racket. The kidnappers sprang from the train and disappeared in the darkness. Great confusion existed on the train for some time, especially in the car where the bold act was committed, and every one shook the commodore's hand in congratulation over his fortunate escape.—*Chicago Times Omaha telegram.*

Real Love Before the Mast.

A British sea captain, lately arrived at San Francisco, relates an interesting episode of the voyage thither. Two days out from Liverpool a little round-faced stowaway was dragged from his hiding-place before the captain, and after the usual nautical cussing on such occasions the youngster was set to working his passage in doing light chores about the ship. A young and likely sailor turned up as an acquaintance of the stow-away and they were much together, and their relation finally became the occasion for much speculation among the ship's crew. One day the fair-faced waif fell from the mast to the deck and was instantly killed, and then the mystery was solved—the stow-away was a young woman and the sailor her husband. The latter was inconsolable over her death. He sat by the corpse all one night, and when next day it was shotted and sunk in the sea the husband with a cry climbed the rail and plunged overboard and never more was seen. From letters found in the young sailor's chest it was learned that the couple were of good family, but had married against much opposition, and as the old folks refused to be reconciled, the young pair, scarcely more than children, and with not a sixpence between them, resorted to the Quixotic and romantic expedient of a sea voyage to California.

Banks and Individuals.

Bank notes are promises to pay individuals, on demand, for value received, *without interest*.

Individual notes are promises to pay banks, for value received, *with interest*.

Banks put out their notes and receive interest on what they owe.

Individuals put out their notes and *pay* interest on what they owe.

Bank notes are based upon the public debt.

Individual notes must be based upon three times their face value of unencumbered real property.

Bank credit is based upon untaxed bonds.

Individual credit is based upon real property, taxed to support the bondholder, and to protect his credit.—*New Haven Union*, (greenback dem.)

—What is the difference between a poor gun and a borrowed masquerade costume? One is fired and doesn't hit, and the other is hired and doesn't fit.

—A Western paper speaks of "a tramp with a sort of half-jaunty air about him." Most of them do have a sort of demi-jaunty air about them, that's a fact.

—A fashionable tailor in London has this notice conspicuously posted in his rooms: "No American orders taken without a deposit." Above a bar in Chicago may be read: "No trust for alleged English noblemen."

—The father of a tall Howard family, living somewhere in Kentucky, is six feet four inches in height; the mother is six feet one inch, the sixteen sons range from six feet three to six feet eleven, and the ten daughters average six feet two.

—The good old times are back again in New Orleans, sure enough. Two gentlemen who were introduced the other day, began calling "liar" and slapping faces a moment after, and had a duel in Mississippi early next morning. That's business.

—A man in New York was told by a friend that Tweed had mentioned his name, whereupon the indignant, honest tradesman wrote to the papers, declaring that what Tweed had said about him was maliciously false. Then he investigated the subject further, and found out that what Mr. Tweed had said was that this particular honest tradesman was not concerned in the fraud at all.

—The Widow Van Cott, the woman preacher, is described as a "pretty, plump little woman, with cheeks soft as peaches, delicious brown eyes, a temptingly kissable mouth, and dimpled hands. She dresses richly in black silk, lets her hair stray in the faintest tendrils of curls about her forehead, carries fine cambric handkerchief perfumed with haunting 'White Rose,' speaks eloquently, fervently, and charmingly."

—Peddlers in Maine are very plenty and carry exhilarating goods. A peddler for an Auburn firm recently called to see an old gentleman in the suburbs. The latter invited the peddler aside, ostensibly to see a colt. On reaching a retired spot the old gent winked. The peddler didn't exactly see the point. "Got any that isn't mixed?" asked the old fellow. "I rather guess you've made a mistake," said the peddler, "I deal in another sort of wares entirely." The old fellow begged to be excused; he was rather dim of sight, but hoped the mistake might be forgiven and nothing said about it.

—Jennie June gossips pleasantly about Miss Lydia Thompson, the burlesque queen, who begins a season at the Boston. She says: "An interviewer recently expressed astonishment at the excellent sense and intelligence which he found on conversing with Miss Lydia Thompson. It would surprise some good people to know her as a charming and happy wife and thoroughly practical, conscientious mother. In her private relations and conduct of affairs, I am told, she is refined, extremely kind-hearted and exemplary in the performance of every duty. She takes the most solicitous interest in the welfare of every member of her company, particularly the female part of it, and in return they are devoted to her."

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Butter, per lb 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 22c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10
Fish per b by the qtl. Cod 5 @ 6c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 30 @ 50c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 45c.
Pork per bl., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per b, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugarper b, Rr. 6¾ @10c; Gr. 7¾; Crushed 11¼c.
Tea per b, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood percord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¾
United States Ten-Forties coupon	118¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107¾
Maine State 6s, 1889	112¾
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104¼
N. H. State 6s 1879	102¾
N. H. State 6s 1880	103¾
Massachusetts State 5s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. 3½s	90¾
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60¾
Boston & Maine	94¼
Boston & Providence	120¾
Boston & Albany	123¼
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	44
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	103
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	38¾
Northern N. H.	63¼
Old Colony & Newport	36
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63¾

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" Way,		10.55 "	3.40 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.30 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

James S. Little, Josiah G. Abbott, James H. Beal, John F. Anderson, James R. Lake, Alexander S. Wheeler, and John Stavers, were elected Directors of the Kearsarge Mills on Tuesday. The Treasurer and Proprietors' Clerk were re-elected.

On Monday Messrs. Morse & Ilsley sold at auction the well-known Buzzell farm, near the Plains. Mr. Joseph R. Holmes bought a field of eight acres for $53 per acre, and a pasture of twenty acres for $51 per acre—$1444 for the two lots. The homestead field of twelve acres, with pasture of twenty acres, house, barn, etc., were bought by Mr. George Bilbruck at $56 per acre,—$1792. The sale of live stock, tools, etc., was postponed to Monday next. It is said that Mr. Holmes re-sold the two lots bid off by him to Mr. Bilbruck.

Dr. F. E. Potter has arrived home from a visit to Europe.

The *Times* recently contained the following hit at two well known prohibition papers of the prohibitionest kind: "It is a veritable fact that the practice of giving gin to infants for quieting purposes is a growing evil, and temperance reformers should pay more attention to it. There are parents in this city who regularly purchase this liquor for the sole purpose of administering the dangerous dose to little ones. Now, Frank Miller's *Weekly* and Wolfe's *Word of Truth* ought to take this in hand." The Portsmouth *Weekly* responds to this with the following, the closing conundrum being a pretty tough one to answer: "Take what in hand, the gin, the babies, or the parents? No, we thank you—not any of them. The practice referred to is sad enough, if the statement be true; but if alcohol is a good thing for adults, why not break them in to use it when young?"

Everybody who ever took a drive out in the country in the summer time has noticed a peculiarity displayed by flocks of hens and chickens—a sort of mania for running across the road with no apparent object in view, just under the horse's feet, keeping up a terrible clangor and cackling the while; but nobody ever ran over one, or supposed a chicken could get run over, anyway. This idea, however, is an error, for an Eastern Railroad train last week ran over and killed two chickens at the Green street crossing—the first instance of the kind on record.

Permit me, Messrs. Editors, to say a few words in behalf of the pupils of that model music teacher, Mr. Amos Pearson, who welcome gladly his return to the field of his former usefulness. The writer has a vivid recollection of the patience, rare discrimination and skill displayed by Mr. Pearson when he first ventured in the (to him) unexplored realm of music, and has grateful remembrance of the painstaking teacher who was always so patient as to make clear every step leading to the desired improvement in practice. Knowledge does not always carry with it the capacity of imparting to others the ideas of the teacher. Mr. Pearson's experience has shown that he possesses the faculty of thoroughly instructing his pupils, and the writer, for one, is pleased to place his children's musical education in charge of a teacher so faithful and efficient.

Qo.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, Oct. 2d.

William Hanscom was charged with an assault on Jane Parks. Case continued to next day.

George Bateman (alias Charles A. Dana, alias Boss Tweed, alias a lot more names,) was charged with being a vagrant. Sent to Brentwood for sixty days; costs $6.13.

A GOOD EXAMPLE.

Some weeks ago we noticed in these columns the fact that some unknown friend had presented the Society for Prevention of Cruelty with $50. By request we now publish the letter that accompanied the money, as printed in *Our Dumb Animals:*

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., July 18th.

Mrs. J. J. PICKERING—*Madam:* Please receive the enclosed contribution of $50 for "our dumb friends," in whose cause you have been, and are, so conspicuous a worker.

This small sum is one-half of all the earnings which I have been able to lay aside in two years, two or three small charities excepted.

Will you be so kind as to add it to the permanent fund of your Society? The other half I add to a small competency, hoping, sometime, to give all to the cause.

It represents the highest and noblest of the Christian virtues, when, in the true spirit of humanity, it teaches men to show kindness to all creatures.

Please acknowledge the sum received, through one of the local papers, so that I may know it reached you.

With much respect, yours,

HUMANITY.

The New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals had Jeremiah Janvrin of Hampton arraigned on Monday, for putting out the eyes of ducks and beating and otherwise maltreating them. The offenses were committed at Seabrook, and the case was tried in that town before Justice Robie. Janvrin was fined $10 and costs, amounting to a total of over thirty dollars. He appealed and gave bonds in the sum of $200 for his appearance at the October term of court. Harriman for State; John Hatch for defendant.

A LONG PULL.

Ship Granite State arrived in Boston at noon on Tuesday. After the Major and her tow left the lower harbor on Monday the wind freshened steadily from the southwest, a heavy sea running, and at four o'clock in the afternoon they were nearly abreast of Thacher's island lights; and during the next seven or eight hours they made hardly a mile of progress. At three o'clock Tuesday morning the wind abated, and then the steamboat took the ship along rapidly, making more from that time to eleven o'clock than had been made all the time before since starting. It was a long, hard pull for the steamer, but she did her work well.

One of the boys belonging to the ship fell from between decks to the ballast in the lower hold and was roughly shaken up, though no bones were broken; he was brought back to this city by the Major, and hopes to be all right before the ship sails. The tug made the trip back in about six hours, bringing a number of the passengers who went around in the ship.

[Written for the Chronicle.]

REMINISCENCES.

The CHRONICLE of last week contained a brief notice of the death at Lower Lake, California, of Mr. Leslie P. Nichols. Mr. Nichols had been many years absent from this city, and to most of the young men of to-day was unknown; but those who were High School boys twenty-five years ago, at the time the Boy's High School was kept in the upper room of the old school-house on State street and the Girl's High School was located in the Court House, will remember him well as a lively and generous, albeit somewhat mischievous boy, of keen intellect and ready wit, ever ready for a good time but never seeking to find pleasure in the pain or trouble of others. There were five of us then who used to run together: Les Nichols, Charley Ricker, Alf Hanscom, Josh Staples, and the writer of this; and though we were all fair scholars, I fear we often sorely taxed the patience of our excellent teacher, Israel Kimball, Esq., by our schoolboy pranks. In the warm weather we went boating together, or on long shooting excursions, on which we generally started out with our gamebags full (of provisions) and brought them home empty; and often of a Saturday afternoon in winter we enjoyed a surreptitious clambake in the old schoolroom, to which we gained access by clambering up between the schoolhouse and the building next it, and into a window—and then roasted the clams on the stove, to the utter ruin of the black-lead polish. In the spring of 1851 (I think it was) we separated, and our little clique soon literally scattered all over the world, for in 1854 one of our number was in Kansas, fighting Missouri's "border ruffians," another was in the Arctic ocean, a third in the East Indies, a fourth in the Liverpool and New Orleans packet line, and the fifth studying civil engineering in another city. Returning to this city in the autumn of 1856, one of the first persons I met was my old chum Nichols, then not long off his last voyage; and almost his first remark was, "Charley Ricker, Alf Hanscom and Josh Staples are all home here!" This was a fact; improbable as it was that our little circle should ever come together again after being so effectually broken up, such a contingency had occurred. We had parted as boys; but though we met as men, and each had learned something of the great world with which we were thenceforth to battle for our bread, yet our intercourse during that winter, which we all spent at home, was more warm in its friendliness than ever, though less boisterous than that of our schoolboy days. In the spring of 1857 our circle was again broken, this time never to be reunited. Mr. Ricker was the first to leave, going out as second or third mate of a new ship built here; Mr. Nichols went next, to California, sailing from New York as second mate of ship Flying Dragon; and in a few weeks more not one of "our boys" was left in the city. Now, as I pen these reminiscences twenty years after our final dispersion, I find myself to be the only one who has returned to the home of his boyhood to spend his later days. Charles C. Ricker, after serving gallantly through the war and rising to the position of Volunteer Lieutenant Commander in the navy, and later sailing as captain of merchant vessels, took command of a steamship running between Galveston, Texas, and Liverpool, England, removed his family to the latter city, and now resides there; Joshua Staples, for many years consulting engineer on an important railroad in the west, lives and has long lived in a western city; Alfred H. Hanscom has made himself a permanent home in the State which, when but a boy, he fought to keep free from the stain of slavery, and only at long intervals pays a visit to his native city; and Leslie P. Nichols, the centre and light of our schoolboy ring, after winning an honored position among the men of his adopted State, has gone to rest on the coast of the Pacific.

Leslie P. Nichols was born in this city on the 9th day of September, 1836. His education was gained partly in this city and partly at Dummer Academy in Massachusetts. He began the study of civil engineering at Manchester, but his health commencing to fail he gave up study and went to sea, being but eighteen years old when he started on his first voyage. Rising with unusual rapidity, he started on his second voyage as second mate, and was appointed first mate on the return trip. He went to California as second mate of the clipper ship Flying Dragon, in 1857; leaving the ship there he engaged in mining, and afterward for some years commanded a vessel in the coast lumber trade; and in 1866 went to Lower Lake, Lake county, as Superintendent of the Clear Lake Water Works. Here his industry, ability and public spirit soon brought him into prominence; his unaffected good nature, manly self-respect and brilliant conversational powers made his townsmen his warm friends, and his energy and enterprise carried through many of the most important improvements in his new home. Having firmly established himself he sent for his mother to join him; married, became the father of two children, and at the time of his death was a prosperous, leading and honored citizen of Lower Lake, with every prospect of living a useful life for many years to come. On the 12th of September, having been out during the day on a duck shooting excursion with a friend, toward evening he shot a duck on the lake; being an expert swimmer he went in after the bird, was seized with cramps, and sank, his companion on the bank being powerless to help him. His body was recovered next day, and was buried on Friday with the honors by the Free Masons and Odd Fellows, of both which orders he was a prominent member. His aged mother survives, to mourn with the widow and orphans for the loss of the true-hearted son on whom she has leaned in her declining years. Their loss is indeed great; and among all those who may proffer condolences to the bereaved family there can be none whose sorrowing sympathy is more real than that of Leslie's schoolboy chums.

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MARRIED.

BICKFORD—DIXON. In this city, Sept. 27th, by Rev. L. L. Hamon, Mr. James T. Bickford, of Deerfield, and Miss M. Alice Dixon of this city.

DIED.

SMITH. In Newcastle, Oct. 1, Mr. James Smith, aged 52 years.

RIGGS. In Kittery, Maine, Sept. 27, Abbie M. Riggs, daughter of W. E. Riggs, of Lawrence, Mass., aged 7 years, 7 months and 3 days.

DENBAR. In Hampton, Sept. 21, Jefferson C. Dunbar, aged 44 years. He was a member of the 3d N. H. Regt., in the late war.

CODDINGTON. In Woodbridge, New Jersey, Sept. 28th, Mr. Robert Coddington. [It will be remembered that on September 13th this gentleman married the eldest daughter of Hon. Nehemiah Moses of this city, the ceremony taking place at the residence of the bride's uncle in Metuchen, New Jersey.]

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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January 16, 1877

Daily Chronicle.

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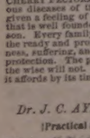

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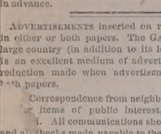

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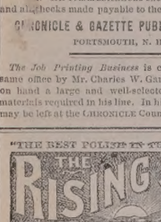

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SEC. 2. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in cases such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or any other place of the kind within said city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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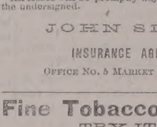

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. J. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

—Russian monitors stationed at Odessa received orders to go after some Turkish monitors, and endeavor to draw them into a fight. The commanders of the vessels declared the orders impossible of fulfilment, and an investigation being made, it was ascertained that owing to their peculiar construction, the heat in the engine rooms of the Russian boats became so great when under way that the crew were utterly overpowered. In case of inclement weather certain air holes had to be closed to keep out the water, and then the heat became suffocating. The decks are so hot in warm weather that they cannot be walked on without double-soled shoes, and the concussion from the enormous guns is so terrible that almost the whole crew have trouble with their hearing, and some have, at intervals, lost it entirely.

—A new way of scaling down liabilities was urged upon Mr. Haines, of the exploded Fidelity savings bank of Chicago. Depositors were clamorous the funds wouldn't hold out. A proposition was made to him by a man to quietly take $100,000 of the bank's funds and use it in the purchase of bank books for the benefit of the institution. This would do good in two ways: The bank would be relieved to the extent of the discount on each book, and the value of the books would be gradually appreciated, so that perhaps the run might stop; that is, they would start in by offering, say, sixty cents on the dollar. Then there would be a little quiet competition, and the price would go up to seventy, eighty, ninety, and so on until the depositors would refuse to sell, thinking that the institution was perfectly sound, and that they were simply being shaved by speculators.

—The ten per cent. reduction of the wages of school teachers in this city brought some protests to the ears of the committee, although as yet no "strike" has transpired. One committee-man gave as a reason for the reduction that the school year had been reduced three weeks. "Very true," said a teacher, "but we have to pay our board all the same." "You should go a visiting and live on your friends," replied the committee-man. "But some of us have no friends to live upon," quickly replied the young lady. "Wall, come and visit me," said the school guardian, glad of any escape. "But that might be less agreeable than the reduction," coolly answered the teacher, and the committee-man was glad to retreat. It is a new and possibly patentable idea that school teachers can "live on their friends" and thus eke out their subsistence.—*Nashua Telegraph.*

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Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
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Coal, Anthracite, egg $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 20c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
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Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 45c.
Pork per bll., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9¼ @ 10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75;
Wood parcord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

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United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107¼
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N. H. State 6s, 1878	104¼
N. H. State 6s 1879	103¼
N. H. State 6s 1880	102¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1892	103
Eastern R. R. 8s	50¼
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
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Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 1877.

Good Discipline.

The Connecticut State Prison is one of the places where good discipline prevails. In addition to the culpability of the night watchman Davis, who is under arrest for supplying the pistol with which his fellow-watchman was murdered in the State Prison a few weeks ago, it has been discovered that the Deputy Warden, Dwight M. Martin, has been keeping a regular liquor shop in the prison for the benefit of the prisoners. He has had possession of the money belonging to prisoners, including that from extra work, and has kept a regular book account, the prisoners having pass books and himself a private ledger kept by a prisoner in which accounts for whiskey and "sundries" were entered. Among the items charged to Hamlin and Allen, the prisoners under indictment for the murder of the night watchman, were a saw and a file and a pint of whiskey just before their attempt to escape. Allen asserts that Hamlin was under the influence of liquor, when he fired the fatal shot, and that he would not have done it if he had been sober. How long the affair has been going on is not known, but there are several entries as "balance from old ledger." Martin has been dismissed and will doubtless be arrested, as his crime is no less heinous than that of Davis, who fled. There has been a good deal of trouble in the Connecticut State Prison within the past few years, and with a grog shop in full operation on the inside, it is not to be wondered at.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 1st.

So far as ascertained the files containing pending applications for patents are safe, and it is stated that not a single original document relative to the business of the Patent Office was destroyed by the fire, two facts, if they are such, as gratifying as important.

Another simpleton has come to grief. It has been customary for the disbursing officer of the Interior Department to advance to needy clerks during the month, a portion of the pay due them, their printed receipts being taken in return; and on the regular pay day the receipt and balance due were enclosed in an envelope and handed him. It appears that one Frederick R. Goodrich, a clerk in the disbursing officer's division, who managed to make himself a favorite and enjoyed almost universal confidence, would sign the name of such clerk as he had selected as a victim, and on stating he was acting at said clerk's request, would be paid the money, managing to make it good before pay day, thus escaping detection; but success made him bold, or demand on him "for more" made him reckless, and he so enlarged the scope of his operations that on Saturday he failed to make up the amount and could no longer conceal his crime. A system that made its perpetration possible will probably not strike the generality of people as very commendable,—right under the nose of the noblest reformer of the Cabinet, too, who has reduced everything to a business basis; and the ready credence given reports heard of defalcations and frauds of great magnitude about to be brought to light, when intimations of Goodrich's method of robbing Peter to pay Paul were first circulated, show with what suspicion the methods in vogue in that Department are generally regarded. It is understood that this weak brother has boasted of his extravagant expenditures at Harvey's, the fashionable resort where swells take their female friends for oysters and champagne, after the theatre, and at other times. Goodrich is now in custody. He is married, and one of the stories heard is to the effect that the money went to supply the extortionate demands of a female shark who had him fast in her toils and threatened exposure in case of non-compliance.

It will be remembered that Mr. Ira Ayer was one of the special agents of the Treasury under whose lynx eyed supervision the Custom House at Norfolk was robbed and defrauded of nearly $30,000, those crooked transactions extending through a series of years. He is said to have uniformly reported everything in apple-pie order. It is now given out that his instructions were so limited that he could not have known anything about the rascalities being perpetrated in his very presence. To those who do not regard this statement as very thin indeed, the conclusion that it would have been money in Uncle Sam's pocket to have abolished the secret service division, so far, at least, as it related to the Custom House in question, is inevitable; for of what possible benefit can it be to pay officials big salaries to report everything all right, when it is all wrong, and rapidly going to the dogs? It was supposed by many simple minded people that Ayer was stationed at Norfolk to prevent, among other things, just such thefts as were perpetrated.

The Indians attended church yesterday at the Foundry and, in common vernacular, proved a good card. They are to have a final pow-wow with the President to-day.

Secretary McCrary will recommend that existing regimental organizations be recruited to their maximum strength, adding about 15,000 efficient men to the military establishment and avoiding the objection to any increase of officers. It will increase the army budget over this year's estimate by about $2,000,000, allowing $600 per annum for the expenses of each man.

KNOX.

News and Notes.

The Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railroad has indemnified the relatives and heirs of sixty-five out of the eighty-one persons who lost their lives in the bridge accident at Ashtabula. The balance of the claims are in a fair way of speedy settlement. The largest amount paid to any one party was $9000. Mr. and Mrs. Rogers, a newly married couple on their wedding tour, were killed and their bodies burned beyond recognition; yet their lives have been settled for at the comparatively small figure of $3000. The claims against the company have generally fallen under $5000.

It is asserted in Hoboken that John Kamena, the City Treasurer, is a defaulter to the amount of $80,000 or $90,000. The money which ought to be on deposit in the First National Bank is missing, and the City Treasurer has been called to account. A number of influential citizens have been before the Grand Jury to secure his indictment for malfeasance.

The following was the coinage at the Philadelphia mint during September: Double eagles, $4,492,200; trade dollars, $1,677,000; half-dollars, $408,400; quarter-dollars, $349,600; dimes, $129,000; total, $7,056,200.

Alfred H. Wyant, constable of Washington, Conn., was probably fatally shot by a tramp, on Tuesday, 2d inst., whom he sought to arrest for previously threatening a resident of Roxbury with a revolver. Wyant's dog instantly sprang upon the man and dragged him to the earth, when he was secured.

The savings banks at Hyannis and Harwich, Mass., have suspended.

George W. Waterman, trustee clerk and assistant paymaster of the Pacific Mills of Lawrence, Mass., is a defaulter to the amount of $50,000 or more. It is thought the loss will be made good to the mill, and the matter kept out of the court. Waterman was formerly order clerk of the mills, in which position he acted dishonestly, and was then transferred to the position of assistant paymaster, where he managed to steal $50,000.

New York has another financial sensation, it having been discovered that William C. Gilman, of the firm of W. C. Gilman & Co., insurance scrip brokers, has for two years been carrying on a wholesale system of altering certificates, the forged paper already discovered amounting to $250,000. Gilman has borne the reputation of being a very wealthy man, was a church member and teacher in a Sabbath school; and he was regarded with such confidence that certificates offered by him as collateral for loans were not closely scrutinized by the banks.

The banks of Montreal have been victimized by raised drafts to the amount of nearly $40,000, by two men named Deton and McAllister.

The *Journal of Commerce* says that hot alum water is the best insect destroyer known. Put the alum into hot water and let it boil till the alum is dissolved; then apply it hot with a brush to all cracks, closets, bedsteads and other places where any insects are found. Ants, bed bugs, cockroaches and creeping things are killed by it, while it has no danger of poisoning the family or injuring property.

The Malden *Mirror* published a paragraph describing a disturbance at Dr. Lyman A. Abbott's house, in which Abbott was charged with drunkenness and wife-beating. The Doctor thereupon sued Mr. H. C. Gray, editor of the *Mirror*, for libel, with a claim for $5000 damages. Mr. Gray responds in the last *Mirror* in a heated article, in which he charges the doctor with being a graduate of three State prisons, for bigamy, counterfeiting, etc., and with being a thief, debaucher and seducer, summing all his charges up in the epithet "consummate ass," and suggesting that he put these allegations into his bill of damages.

The Montreal *Witness* says that a physician in that city is restoring the faculties of an idiotic child by lifting depressed portions of its skull.

Mr. Hutchinson, a leading operator on the Chicago Board of Trade, has furnished the city with laughter for some time by the costly eagerness with which he bought up a bankrupt estate. He wished to secure it for his son-in-law, and bid $19,000; then he discovered that there was a sealed bid in the competition, and induced the assignees to wait till he could put in a new bid at a higher figure. They did so, and he was gratified to find that in his second bid he had raised on his son-in-law's offer just $12,000.

Charles Brown, of Plymouth, Mass., is under arrest for wounding a boy named Cornish and the latter's grandfather with a charge of small shot from a gun. Brown is but twelve years old, but bears a very bad character.

Report was current in Washington on Tuesday that the United States troops under Lieut. Bills, who crossed the Rio Grande in pursuit of Mexican marauders, had been roughly handled by the Mexicans and that Col. Shafter, with 600 men and two Gatling guns, was surrounded by 1000 Mexicans. Gen. Sheridan calls these stories sensational, as probably they are; for no 1000 "greasers" could bother 600 U. S. regular troops a great deal.

Madame Teresa Titiens, the celebrated operatic singer, died in London, Oct. 3d, at the age of 43 years.

New Hampshire Items.

On Saturday evening, 29th ult., a five years' old son of Mr. S. H. Eagle of Nashua was so badly scalded by the upsetting of a tea-pot that his life is despaired of.

On the night of the 24th ult., the Post Office and the store of G. & W. P. Frost in Durham were broken into, and $10 worth of stamps and from $300 to $500 worth of goods carried off.

On Monday night, 1st inst., at 11 o'clock, Patrick Cashman assaulted and robbed Samuel Fogg of Hampton, on Merrimac street, Newburyport, of a wallet containing $100 in gold and $32 in bills. Fogg, in liquor, was picked up with valuable papers on his person, including three savings bank books to the value of $5083, which Cashman had not time to obtain. Cashman was arrested and the money recovered, and he was held to answer at the Superior Court.

Florence McCarty, aged twenty years, for breaking and entering the store of Mallard & Son, at Manchester, was sentenced on the 2d inst. to the State Prison for six years. He has been before the Court twice for other offences, and voted the democratic ticket twice at the last annual election.

Andrew F. Burpee, a blacksmith of Bristol, while out hunting on the 2d inst., was accidentally shot by his son Ira. The charge entered his back near the shoulders, lodging in the lungs, making a wound which his physician thinks will prove fatal in a short time.

A Dartmouth student was expelled a short time since for throwing an iron clad torpedo at a professor who was walking on the sidewalk in company with ex-Senator Patterson. The torpedo landed directly in front of the pair. The Prof. whooped and ran, but the Senator ran without whooping.

A woman in Manchester, whose husband is one of an extensive dry goods firm in that city, has been stealing from the firm and decking out her person in the most gorgeous array. She has charge of one of the departments. The consequence is the disruption of the firm, the husband buying out his partner.

A bridge in Chester broke down recently while a herd of cattle, belonging to Messrs. Johnson & Hines, were passing over it, precipitating thirty of them into the stream below, and seriously injuring several. As the owners of the cattle are two of the selectmen, the question of damages is a delicate one. A new bridge of eighty feet span is to replace the old one.

Miss Mary Louisa Field died at Bethlehem on Sunday, Sept. 30th. She was to have been married to Gov. Rice of Massachusetts in a few days.

Rev. S. L. Blake of the South Church, Concord, resigned on Sunday, 30th ult.

Political.

Backus, of the California minstrels, offers a reward of $1000 for a joke which will make an audience laugh two minutes by the watch. The late Pillsbury-Williams campaign in this State ought to fill the bill. —*Bangor Commercial.*

Talking of conventions, there was one of the democratic sort held at Lima, Auglaize County, Ohio, at which the County Auditor, Smith, by name, just when he was making a furious speech in favor of "reform," was suddenly snatched up by the constables and carried off to jail, where he found his friend and political crony, Lewis Myers, also incarcerated. Myers was the treasurer of Auglaize County, which, by the way, has not had a republican in office for twenty years. A few weeks ago, Myers was discovered in his office in a pitiable condition, a blanket over his head, and a gag in his mouth. He said that four masked ruffians had seized him upon the highway, baled him to the treasury, tortured him by applying burning coals to his feet, and so compelled him to divulge the combination of the safe lock, whereby they were able to carry off about $27,000. It turns out that the ruffian who applied the torture was the County Auditor, and that it was all what is vulgarly called a put-up job. Moreover, there has been a steady course of stealing from the county treasury for years. The democratic tax-payers of Auglaize are very much exasperated, and are considering the propriety of lynching both Myers and Smith.—*Tribune.*

NAVAL MATTERS.

It is reported that Capt. Temple will be retired from his command at the Brooklyn navy yard this month, and that Capt. Harmony will be assigned to his place.

Master M. Francis Wright is detached from the receiving ship St. Louis and ordered to the Enterprise.

Gunner Thomas S. Wilson is on the Hartford, the flagship of the South Atlantic squadron, Rear Adm. C. F. Nichols, now lying in Hampton Roads, bound for Rio.

Andrew Johnson's Grave.

A Philadelphia firm is completing a monument to be erected at "Home," near Greenville, Tenn., over the graves of Ex-President Johnson and his wife. The height of the entire structure is twenty-six feet, and it consists of a granite base, with a plinth, die and shaft of Italian marble. The base is nine feet six inches square at the ground. There will be two granite piers, one on each side of the two graves, over which will be sprung a granite arch, and upon this the monument will rest, leaving an opening under the arch in which the graves will be visible. On the front is carved a scroll representing the Constitution of the United States, and an open book with a hand resting upon it, representing the taking of the oath of office. Surmounting the whole is an American eagle with outstretched wings. The inscriptions to be carved upon the plinth have not yet been decided upon by the heirs of the ex-President, at whose order the monument is being made.

Influence of Valleys on Health.

Mr. Alfred Haviland lately informed the London Social Science Association that many diseases were induced by the common tendency to place houses in valleys instead of on the hill sides. He says that valleys do not get a full share of fresh air. The wind blows over, not through them, and the atmosphere within their boundaries is comparatively stagnant. His observations are therefore opposed to the common belief that valleys are especial channels for atmospheric movements; but his opinions are sustained by Dr. B. W. Richardson, who is good authority. The latter gentleman enumerated twenty-five or thirty diseases which he thought might be attributed to the propensity for valley homes. Among them are croup, influenza, scrofula, rheumatism, fistula, calculus, and possibly some malformations. The list is formidable, and to put it mildly, it is almost incredible that diseases of this character can be caused by living in the broad and shallow valleys of England. Mr. Haviland's remarks were illustrated by maps and models showing the geological structure of the earth—*Galaxy for October.*

—A Memphis man bought a coat for five dollars on credit, and sold it for fifty cents in cash, so as to go to a circus.

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5	do.	1,000	5,000
20	do.	500	10,000
100	do.	100	10,000
200	do.	50	10,000
500	do.	20	10,000
1,000	do.	10	10,000

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" Way,	10.55 "	3.00	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.,	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) cast or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Oct. 3d.

William Hanscom, for an assault on Jennie Parks, (case continued from previous day,) was senteneed to pay a fine of $2, costs $7.61.

Same for unlawfully taking possession of a ring belonging to the Parks woman, was fined $5, costs $6.90. He wished to appeal in both cases, but was unable to find surestie.

A CONFLICT OF AUTHORITY.

There was a verbal sparring exhibition at the meeting of the Board of Overseers of the Poor, held at the City Rooms on Tuesday evening, 2d inst. Everything went on harmoniously until the introduction of a bill of Mr. Charles W. Robinson for flour, which had been contracted by Mayor Broughton, *ex-officio* Chairman of the Board. The Overseers took umbrage at this innovation on their former method of doing business, and on motion of Mr. Frye the bill was laid on the table. It seems that Mayor Broughton, having examined the city ordinances in regard to his duties as Chairman of the Board, construed them as making him the purchaser of all supplies for the poor, and acting upon this conviction bought the flour of Mr. Robinson. The bill was presented at a meeting held two weeks previously, and a motion was then made to lay it over for one month. The Chairman refused to put the motion to vote, for the reason that the matter could be investigated and decided at the following meeting. As the bill met a similar fate then as at the previous meeting, and there seemed no better prospect of its settlement, the Mayor read a communication from City Solicitor Hackett sustaining him in his action and construction of his duties as Chairman of the Board. The following communication will explain the position of affairs:

Gentlemen: On the 18th ult., I presented a communication to this Board stating that in my judgment the poor of the city should be supplied from the Almshouse and the supplies furnished in accordance with the city ordinance, and asked you to give it your earnest consideration. The document was read and laid over for one week; at the next meeting the paper was called up to be considered, and without much comment a motion was made by Mr. Joy that the paper be postponed for one month, which motion was declared carried. I then notified the Board that I should present another communication at the next meeting, and I have addressed a note to the City Solicitor asking him to define the law which says that the Superintendent of the City Farm shall purchase supplies for the out-door pensioners, and also my duties in regard to the poor of the city, and the City Solicitor has furnished me with the following opinion:

SEPT. 27th, 1877.

HON. JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor of the City of Portsmouth:

Sir: In answer to the enquiry as to intent and meaning of Ordinance relative to Superintendent of the City Farm, which gives the Superindent "power to purchase stock, provisions and supplies for use of inmates of the Almshouse and out-of-door pensioners," I would state that by the law of the State the Mayor shall cause the laws and regulations of the city to be executed, and shall exercise a general supervision over the conduct of *all* subordinate officers and cause their violation or neglect of duty to be punished. He is also *ex-officio* Chairman of the Board of Overseers of the Poor. All officers are ordinarily members of the boards over which they preside, except in certain legislative bodies. The overseers by ordinance have a general direction and control of the Superintendent of the City Farm,—the term "general" as the opposite to "specific,"—the intention evidently being that the Mayor as the executive of the city should see that the keeper of the Almshouse performed his duties in detail and under his immediate direction, while the Overseers had the more universal, common, or comprehensive direction, not directed to a single object but giving general policy of management of affairs. I think it was the intention of those enacting the ordinance that the Mayor, in cases you name, should direct *especially* the keeper when, how and in what quantities he should purchase supplies; while who are to be the recipients of bounty may be a subject of investigation and determination of the Board, whose duty is in respect to the keeper similar to that of the Board of Aldermen, who may authorize an expenditure in certain contingencies, which is made by the proper officer upon *his* responsibility. The Keeper of the Almshouse and Superintendent of the City Farm gives bonds, as the City Councils direct, for the faithful performance of his duties, and the accounts which he keeps must be open at all times to the inspection of the Mayor or either of the Overseers. I am led to the conclusion that it is the duty of the Mayor as Chairman of the Board of Overseers, and as the chief executive officer of the city, to indicate to the Keeper of the Almshouse what supplies he thinks will be needed for the out-of-door persioners. These the Keeper will purchase in such way as "the faithful performance of his duties" will point out to him as most for the interest of the city and its pensioners, and issue supplies upon an order duly passed by the Board of Oversers, which being properly authenticated, will be his warrant for such issue, and permit him to account for such supplies as he may under authority of the ordinance purchase.

Very respectfully,

WILLIAM H. HACKETT, City Solicitor.

Mr. Joy said he supposed the Board understood its duties without the decision of the City Solicitor.

Mr. Frye was of the opinion that the Board had full control of all business matters.

The Mayor referrred to some irregularities in bringing bills in for approval, made out in gross instead of in detail, in the following communication:

Oct. 2, 1877.

To the BOARD OF OVERSEERS: *Gentlemen*; I hereby give notice that after the 20th of October no bills for supplies furnished by this Board from any store will be approved by me unless authorized by me; also that no bill will be approved by me after this date unless rendered showing quantity and price of each article furnished.

J. H. BROUGHTON, Mayor.

Mr. Frye stated that the law allowed bills to be brought in without the details, but that the articles seould be put separately on the books of the persons from whom the supplies are purchased; he thought if the Overseers had no power, there was no necessity for them to meet. Mr. Joy referred to an article published in the Boston papers, and suggested that it was in bad taste to publish suggestions that were brought before the Board before any action had been taken; he also pronounced the article scandalous.

Comments were made by the other members of the Board, but no conclusion was arrived at. Mayor Broughton said he should assume the right to purchase supplies until the law was defined differently. The Overseers will consult legal authority, and probably the question will be argued at the next meeting.

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

The regular meeting of the Board of Instruction was held Wednesday evening, at the City Rooms. The Mayor being absent, William H. Hackett, Esq., was voted to the chair. Present, Mrs. Knight, Miss Wilson, Messrs. Hackett, Pender, Hutchinson, DeNormandie, May, Shannon, Goodrich, Wendell and Sherburne.

Mr. Hutchinson offered the following, which passed:

Resolved, That Mr. A. R. Dickinson be confirmed as teacher of the Jones Grammar School.

Report of examining committee was received regarding competitive examination of candidates for position of teacher of the Franklin school; five candidates were examined, Miss Amanda Pickering of Newington having the highest aggregate, 83 7-8, ("par" 100,) the lowest aggregate being 75. The report was accepted. Dr. Sherburne moved that Miss Pickering be confirmed as teacher of the Franklin school, and the motion prevailed.

The following proposed regulations, reported at the last meeting of the Board, came up for consideration and action:

1. At the regular meeting of the Board of Instruction in the month of July, the Grade Committees shall report the names of all the teaches then connected with the schools under their care, whose re-election for the ensuing year they unanimously recommend. The Board shall then proceed to the election of each teacher by ballot, and seven votes shall be necessary to elect. In each case when the Grade Committee is not unanimous in its recommendation, an examination shall be ordered.

2. Whenever a vacancy occurs among the teachers, an examination, open to all applicants, shall be held in the High School building and conducted by the High School Committee. Notice of it shall be published at least one month previously and shall include a statement of the studies and how far in each study the teachers for each grade shall be examined.

3. These examinations shall give special prominence to questions relating to teaching; shall be marked on a scale of 100; shall be conducted by numbers instead of names; and all the papers relating to them shall be preserved, and at all times open to the Board.

4. In making appointments from the various applicants, the Board shall have regard to attainments, experience, testimonials and character; shall give the preference, other things being equal, to those already teachers in a lower grade, and to those who are graduates of our own schools,—but no new teachers shall hereafter be appointed in the Primary or Intermediate schools, who are not graduates of some good normal school. As soon as the examination papers are laid before the Board, it shall proceed to the election of a teacher or teachers according to the provisions in Section 1.

5. In case of the sudden illness or necessary absence of any teacher, the Master in that district may furnish a supply for a period not exceeding three days; if the absence is prolonged, notice shall be given to the sub-committee, who shall appoint a teacher for the remainder of the term, subject to the confirmation of the Board,—but no teacher shall, in any case, hereafter be confirmed until a competitive examination is held, by the direction of the Board, as provided in Section 2.

No. 6. No charges shall be entertained against any teacher in the employ of the city, unless they are in writing, signed by responsible and interested persons and setting forth the specific causes of complaint.

The first of the proposed rules was read and considered, and Mr. Hutchinson moved that the word "unanimously" be stricken out, and that the words "is not unanimous in its recommendation," in the last clause, be made to read "does not so recommend." The motion prevailed, and the section as amended was adopted.

Section two was considered, and "Examining Committee" substituted for "High School Committee." As amended, the section was approved.

Section three was adopted without altera. tion.

Mr. Shannon moved to strike out the provision in section four demanding that all now teachers be "graduates of some good normal school." Rejected: yeas—Hutchinson, Shannon, Pender and Sherburne—four; nays—Mrs. Knight, Miss Wilson, Messrs. May, DeNormandie, Goodrich, Wendell and Hackett—seven. The section was passed without amendment.

Section five was amended by striking out the words "remainder of the term" and inserting "temporary vacancy," and by causing "until a competitive examination is held" to read "until an examination is held." The section then passed.

Section six was adopted without discussion.

Adjourned.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The Boston papers of Wednesday, in their telegraphic reports of the annual meeting of the Kearsarge Mills stockholders, in the list of officers chosen announce "Annie H. Fernald" as Proprietors' Clerk. We are at a loss to know whether our old friend, Ammi R. H. Fernald, Esq., has left the position he has filled for so many years with honor to himself and profit to the company, or if it is only his good name they have taken from him.

Ship Paul Jones, having had her lower masts stepped, was on Wednesday towed from under the navy yard sheers to Jones' wharf by steamers Clara Batemen and Major. She will be fitted for sea where she now lies.

Judge Stanley, who is to preside at the Supreme Court which commences in this city October 16th, notifies the bar that the Equity docket will be in order for trial or other disposition on Tuesday afternoon of the first week, and that no case on the Equity docket will be taken up after the first week until after the jurors are discharged for the term, except by agreement of both parties.

[Communicated.]

PHOTOGRAPHIC AND STEREOSCOPIC PICTURES.

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SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in futures on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing above said to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or other place leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, swine-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

A Man Under the Bed.

One of the most striking characteristics of woman is her cheerful perseverance of looking under the bed for a man. No man in his senses ever looks under the bed for a woman, but there are millions of women in this country who would find it quite impossible to sleep in any bed under which they had not previously looked for a concealed man. Experience is lost upon them. The average unmarried women of forty years of age has usually looked under the bed at least 7500 times, without ever once finding the expected man; but she is not in the least discouraged by so long a course of failure, and it would be easy to find women of ninety years who still nightly search for the man whom they have never found.

Miss Johnson, of Evanston, will hereafter be famous as a woman whose long perseverance has been signally rewarded. It would be indelicate to inquire into her precise age, had she not described herself in a recent affidavit as having been born in the year 1834, and we may, therefore, take it for granted that she is at least forty-three years old. If we assume that she began to look under the bed at the age of fifteen, it follows that she has performed that ceremony more than 10,000 times. Until last Friday she never found the smallest fragment of a man under her bed, but on that eventful night her perseverance was rewarded, and the long-sought man greeted her astonished gaze.

Miss Johnson being an unmarried lady, not wholly unconnected with the milliner's trade, and full of womanly independence, resides entirely alone in a small house containing but three rooms—a kitchen, shop, and bed-room. Dogs she despises, and cats she mistrusts, while as for men, she regards them as poor creatures who may possibly have their uses in time of drought, when water must be carted from the creek, but who, as a rule, make more trouble about a house than their necks are worth. Holding these views, it naturally follows that Miss Johnson lives alone, and the cool bravery with which she locks up her house at night and seeks her solitary couch, no matter if a first class thunder-storm is in progress, has for years been the admiration of the more timid of her sex.

It was about 11 o'clock last Friday night when Miss Johnson stooped down and looked under her bed for a possible man, precisely as she had done on 10,000 previous nights. Whether she was or was not astonished at perceiving a large-sized man lying under the bed, with the back of his head toward her, will never be known, but at any rate she gave no sign of astonishment, and did not even inform the man that she saw him. On the contrary, she resumed with great deliberation the nocturnal twisting of her back hair, and even softly hummed "Hold the Fort" with as much distinctness as could be expected of a woman while holding a comb between her teeth. Her back hair being finally finished, she opened her window, turned down the lamp until it gave forth a dim and modest light, and then stepped gracefully into bed, but not to sleep.

That sagacious woman was perfectly well aware that the man under the bed, not suspecting that he had been discovered, would creep forth with a view to plunder as soon as he found that she was asleep. The bedstead stood in the corner of the room, and from the position of the man it was plain that he would creep out at the side of the bed. Miss Johnson, therefore, changed her usual manner of composing herself to rest, and lay as she subsequently expressed it, "flat as a pan-cake," with her head projected over the side of the bed at the precise locality where she expected the man to appear. For at least half an hour she lay perfectly still, watching for the man with a stealthy vigilance that would have done credit to an astute and experienced cat. Not a muscle or a hairpin of her frame moved, and her breathing was as slow and regular as that of a profound sleeper. At length the man, confident that she was asleep, softly began to worm himself from under the bed, moving after the manner prescribed by way of penalty to the original serpent of the Garden of Eden. Little did he imagine that a pair of pitiless gray eyes were waiting for the appearance of his head, while a pair of lithe and nervous hands were ready to pounce upon his ears. It was not many minutes, however, before each ear was suddenly caught in an inexorable grasp, and his head began to oscillate with remarkable speed between the floor and the edge of the bedstead.

Von Moltke himself could not have surpassed Miss Johnson's tactics. She had the man completely at her mercy, and he was as helpless as though his head were in the stocks. At first his captor maintained a grim silence, but, after she had bumped him sufficiently to ease her mind, she addressed him upon the wickedness and folly of seeking to rob her. In vain did the man protest that his motives were innocent; that he had mistaken the house, and had merely intended to take a quiet nap under his own bedstead, where the flies could not find him. Miss Johnson sternly told him that he could not make her believe any such nonsense, and that she would "let him know," and would also "show him." These threats were carried out by a renewal of the bumping process, until the man yelled for mercy so loudly that the neighbors were aroused and rushed to Miss Johnson's house with the firm conviction that a gang of burglars

had murdered that excellent woman and were quarrelling over the division of the spoils. It was not until a strong force, armed with clubs and hatchets, had recklessly entered the room, that Miss Johnson surrendered her captive, with the remark that the sooner they took themselves off the better, and that if any other man would like to lie under her bed she was entirely ready to knock a little sense into him.

Thus this intrepid woman not only defended herself with the most signal success, but she pointed out the true way to deal with a man under the bed. Most women would have tried to poke the man out with a broom, at the same time requesting him to "shoo." The result would have been to expose themselves to an attack at a very great disadvantage. Miss Johnson's plan, on the contrary, places a man under the bed entirely at the mercy of a cool and courageous woman, and those women who may at any time hereafter find a man under their respective beds, will do well to imitate her example and share her well-earned glory. —*New York Times.*

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1877.

Yacht's Crew Missing.

Sloop yacht Scud, of the Dorchester Squadron, was found off North Scituate (Mass.) beach on the 2d inst. under circumstances leading to the belief that her crew are all lost. The yacht was found off the "Collamore," a dangerous rock on the Scituate coast, by Mr. Elijah Pratt, a fisherman living on North Scituate Beach. On the morning mentioned Mr. Pratt saw the yacht from the shore, and from her general appearance he suspected that all was not right with the boat and her crew. Taking his boat he rowed out to the Scud, which he found nearly over the rock, with all her sails up and flapping. Her canoe was missing, and no trace of her crew could be found. Her anchor was over the bow and almost beneath her forefoot, with plenty of slack cable overboard. The anchor rested on the rock on which the boat was aground. She was leaking badly at every seam, apparently having been severely wrenched. She was floated off the rock and taken to the beach, making water rapidly during the passage. Mr. Pratt and two others with difficulty kept her afloat by hard work at the pumps. What has become of the crew is not known. The vessel's owner, Mr. Thomas R. Cooper, with John P. Hunt and Charles H. Peirce of Dorchester, started on a gunning excursion to Cat river, Scituate, Monday afternoon. They passed Minot's Ledge lighthouse about sunset on Monday, and probably struck on the Collamore at about eight o'clock in the evening. Doubtless the anchor was then thrown overboard, the first intention of the party being to remain on the rock during the night. The fact that lights were seen from the shore in the direction of the Collamore during the night leads to this conclusion. Finding that the boat was rapidly making water, the party probably started ashore in the canoe, and in the darkness the boat was overturned and the party drowned. The yacht Spite, A. C. Wheelwright, owner, on her way from Marblehead to Cohasset, on Tuesday afternoon, passed off Minot's Light what was supposed to be an overturned canoe. The crew of the Sprite endeavored to pick up the object, but a fog setting in they failed in doing so. A coat was picked up on Tuesday at Minot's Light, and two others were washed ashore on the beach at Scituate, on Wednesday.

The United States Senate.

The following roll of the Senate, showing at a glance the political classification of that body, will be of interest at this time, in view of the organization of the new Congress:

REPUBLICANS.	DEMOCRATS.
Geo. E. Spencer, Ala.	John T. Morgan, Ala.
S. W. Dorsey, Ark.	A. H. Garland, Ark.
S. B. Conover, Fla.	Chas. W. Jones, Fla.
O. P. Morton, Ind.	J. E. McDonald, Ind.
B. K. Bruce, Miss.	L. Q. C. Lamar, Miss.
Roscoe Conkling, N. Y.	Francis Kernan, N. Y.
Stanley Matthews, Ohio.	Allen G. Thurman, Ohio.
J. H. Mitchell, Oregon.	L. C. Grover, Oregon.
Donald Cameron, Pa.	W. A. Wallace, Pa.
J. B. Chaffee, Colorado.	W. W. Eaton, Conn.
H. M. Teller, Colorado.	W. H. Barnum, Conn.
W. B. Allison, Iowa.	Thos. F. Bayard, Del.
S. J. Kirkwood, Iowa.	Eli Saulsbury, Del.
John J. Ingalls, Kansas.	John B. Gordon, Ga.
P. B. Plumb, Kansas.	B. H. Hill, Ga.
Hannibal Hamlin, Me.	Thos. McCreary, Ky.
James G. Blaine, Me.	James B. Beck, Ky.
H. L. Dawes, Mass.	G. R. Dennis, Md.
G. F. Hoar, Mass.	W. A. Wayte, Md.
S. J. R. McMillan, Minn.	H. D. Armstrong, Mo.
Wm. Windom, Minn.	F. M. Cockrell, Missouri.
A. S. Paddock, Neb.	Thos. F. Randolph, N. J.
Allen Saunders, Neb.	J. R. McPherson, N. J.
John P. Jones, Nevada.	A. S. Merrimon, N. C.
Wm. Sharon, Nevada.	M. W. Ransom, N. C.
R. Wadleigh, N. H.	J. E. Bailey, Tenn.
E. H. Rollins, N. H.	J. C. Burnside, Tenn.
R. B. Anthony, R. I.	Samuel Maxey, Texas.
A. S. Burnside, R. I.	R. Coke, Texas.
George F. Edmonds, Vt.	John W. Johnston, Va.
J. S. Morrill, Vt.	R. E. Withers, Va.
T. O. Howe, Wis.	H. G. Davis, W. Va.
A. Cameron, Wis.	Frank Hereford, W. Va.
A. A. Sargent, Cal.	
R. J. Oglesby, Illinois.	
J. J. Patterson, S. C.	
T. W. Ferry, Michigan.	
Republicans.....37	Democrats.....33

INDEPENDENTS.

Newton Booth, California. David Davis, Illinois.
J. F. Christiancy, Michigan.

CONTESTED SEATS.

J. B. Eustis, Louisiana, democrat.
W. P. Kellogg, Louisiana, republican.
W. T. Spofford, Louisiana, democrat.
James Lewis, Louisiana, republican.
M. C. Butler, South Carolina, democrat.
D. T. Corbin, South Carolina, republican.

Should two democrats from Louisiana and one from South Carolina be admitted to seats the Senate would stand thirty-six democrats to thirty-seven republicans and three independents, the latter adding a balance of four. If Messrs. Booth and Christiancy are ranked as republicans, as they are, and Judge Davis as a democrat, the Senate will stand republicans thirty-nine, democrats thirty-seven. Senator Morton being too ill to attend, it virtually stands thirty-eight to thirty-seven. Hence every republican will see the necessity of being present at the commencement of the session.

An Unsavory Theatre-Goer.

Quite a panic was created Tuesday evening, the 2d, at the Academy of Music, Fall River, Mass., by the advent of a "tramp" among the audience. The Boston Theatre Company, with F. S. Chanfrau, were playing "Kit" before a large and select audience. In fact, the orchestra chairs and those of the parquet circle were crowded with the elite of the city. At about the end of the fifth act, when "Kit" and "Manuel Bond" were engaged in the bowie-knife duel, some of the audience in the front part of the theatre arose, and immediately the cry of "down front" was raised by those in the rear. The answer was soon returned that there was a skunk in the building, and a panic ensued almost equal to what a fire would cause. In the rush that ensued his skunkship became enraged, and before he could be killed he made his presence known in a manner not pleasant to those in his immediate vicinity. Many ladies had their dresses ruined, and considerable damage was done to the chairs and carpets in the theatre. At first it was supposed that his introduction was the work of some scoundrel, who thought to have some amusement not in the bills, but subsequent inquiry showed this suspicion to be incorrect, as the animal was seen on the street by a policeman about twenty minutes before he appeared in the theatre, and a gentleman who was standing at the theatre entrance saw the creature run by him and go up the stairs.

New York Democratic Convention.

The democratic State Convention of New York met at Albany on Wednesday. B. P. Hill was elected temporary chairman; and there was a struggle between the anti-Tammanyites, under John Morrissey, and the Tammany crowd under John Kelly, for the control of the convention—which would be decided by the admission of one or the other of the contesting delegations from New York city. The Morrissey men wanted the committee on credentials appointed by the chair, in which case the Tammany delegation would have been left out in the cold; Kelly and his followers wanted the committee appointed by the county delegations—and Tammany carried the day, insuring a change in State officers under any circumstances, as Tammany is opposed to the Bigelow ticket all through.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Erzeroum, in Asia Minor, says that a great battle opened on Tuesday near Alexandropol and was proceeding at the latest accounts. The Ottomans claim the advantage, while the Russians claim to have carried the key to Mukhtar Pasha's position, annihilating his battalions and cutting off his retreat on Kars.

A despatch from Erzeroum via London, Thursday afternoon, says: "Muhktar Pasha defeated the Grand Duke Michael before Kars Wednesday, with enormous losses. Two Russian generals and thirteen subordinate officers were killed. Seven battalions were almost annihilated, and there was fearful carnage on the Turkish side, although the Turks obtained the key of the position taken Monday by Michael, and advanced lines for sharpshooters."

The Russians are keeping up an incessant artillery fire on the west side of Plevna. A war council has resolved to proceed with the regular siege, and General Todleben will place heavy ordnance on three sides of the town.

A despatch from St. Petersburg says that a terrible accident had occurred to a railway convoy which was crossing the River Don. The train contained a large number of Abchasian prisoners, who were chained together and were being transported to Siberia. Four hundred of them were lost.

A despatch from Bucharest says that the heavy cannonade is incessant against the great Turkish redoubt opposite Gravitza. A fourth line has been completed and an assault is imminent by the Roumanians upon the Turkish position.

News and Notes.

A few days ago William R. Cooper, a stock operator in San Francisco, disappeared suddenly, and it was ascertained he had forged the name of J. H. Treadwell to checks on the bank of Satbere & Co., and the National Gold and Trust Company to an amount aggregating over $50,000. Cooper is the individual who, in 1868, committed heavy forgeries on the Government while employed in the Navy Department. He married a daughter of the Government Printer Defrees, and was arrested on his wedding day and finally consigned to Moyamensing prison in Philadelphia for five years. He is supposed to have gone to New Orleans.

Dennis Donnelly, "Mollie Maguire," who has just served out a sentence of fifteen months for assaulting with intent to kill Robert Moore, an Englishman, at Raven Run, Pa., has been arrested charged with complicity in the murder of Thomas Sanger and William Wren in September, 1875, for which crime Thomas Manley was hanged with the Yost murderers, June 21st.

In the Superior Court at Portland, Wednesday, Charles H. Fabyan, a former employe of the Boston & Maine Railroad, recovered a verdict of $2076 against the company for the loss of two fingers in coupling cars.

Steamer Comfort blew up near Moundsville, Va., on the afternoon of the 2d inst. Three men were killed, two more are missing, and ten others were badly cut and scalded.

George Phelps, a resident of Robbinston, Me., while returning home from Calais, about three o'clock on the afternoon of the 2d inst., was attacked, shot in the back, and severely wounded, by a person unknown, some four miles from the city. Early in the morning of the same day, S. D. Woodcock's billiard hall was entered and robbed of a sum of money and a revolver. Deputy Sheriff Doyle was immediately employed and arrested one Frank Matthews, aged fifteen, in the vicinity of the affair. He pleaded guilty to the charge of breaking and entering the billiard hall, and was detained on suspicion that he was the person who shot Phelps. He was taken before Phelps, Wednesday morning, and identified by him as being the person who shot him. Matthews was bound over in the sum of $200 to appear at the January Court at Machias.

Steamer Magnolia, Capt. Daggett, which left Savannah Sept. 27th, for New York, foundered at sea off Cape Hatteras. All hands saved. The Magnolia was 1067 tons register, built at New York in 1852.

The forgeries of Gilman, the New York high-toned thief, are now said to amount to nearly $800,000.

A street-car depot in New York was burned on Wednesday; the loss amounts to $500,000.

The force of volunteers under Major Sturgis has had a fight with Nez Perces, lost one man killed and had several wounded, and were forced to retreat.

Gold was down to 102 3-4 on Thursday—the lowest point reached since that metal commenced to "go up" at the commencement of the rebellion.

Most Rev. James Roosevelt Bayley, Archbishop of Baltimore and Primate of the Roman Catholic Church in America, died at 10:50 o'clock Wednesday morning, in the episcopal residence in the shadow of St. Patrick's Cathedral, at Newark, N. J.

Henry Menden, assistant foreman of Harper Brothers, is missing; so are $1500. He is believed to have been foully dealt with.

The Commission to investigate the condition of the building and walls of the Interior Department report the walls entirely safe. After the building is rebuilt they will bear any weight likely to be put on them. They recommend that the roof be rebuilt with iron beams, the covering to be of copper, and as space is evidently much needed, suggest the propriety of constructing another building across the middle of the court yard, of fire-proof construction. The two court yards can then be readily roofed with iron and glass, which will make it possible to use all the lower portion of them for the storage of models, papers, etc.

On Friday, Sept. 28th, four Philadelphia boys were playing near the docks, when one was accidentally pushed into the water and drowned. The others concocted a story that he had been locked up in an unoccupied house by older boys, and the police were looking into unoccupied houses until Oct. 3d, when the body was found in the river.

Miss Wilson, a niece of Major Trainor, keeper of the Newark Bay lighthouse, saw three men capsize in the bay on Monday. She ran down the staircase and quickly unfastened a small boat, and put out to the men. She backed the little craft toward the nearest man and calling on him to climb into the stern made for the others, and rescued them.

The crops of Northern Vermont are nearly all harvested, and prove abundant beyond expectation. Although but little rain fell for more than eight months, nothing but the grass crop seemed to suffer, and that has been nearly an average. The warm and pleasant September has been very favorable for ripening the corn crop, which was never better. Potatoes are rotting in many localities, and there will not be such an overplus of tubers as was anticipated a few weeks ago. They bring at railway stations about thirty cents a bushel now.

Samuel Humphreys, indicted for burning the Lebanon Valley bridge at the time of the railroad strike, pleaded guilty at Reading, Pa., on Wednesday, and turned State's evidence, confessing that he held a lamp while a man named Smith saturated kindling wood with coal oil and set fire to it.

United States Marshal Tarrans has made a successful raid on a gang of illicit distilleries operating along the Missouri line of Arkansas, and Deputy Marshal Woodard, in charge of a posse, captured two stills, destroyed a large amount of mash, beer and raw whisky, and arrested four men. While on their way to Sharp county, where they intended to leave the prisoners under guard, preparatory to making other arrests, Woodard was attacked by twenty friends of the prisoners, but after a sharp fight, in which one of the attacking party was killed and others were wounded, he drove off the assailants and brought in his prisoners, who were committed for trial.

New Hampshire Items.

The Universalist State Convention was held in Claremont, Sept. 2d and 3d.

A burglar who attempted to enter the dwelling-house of Mrs. L. A Osborne, at Newmarket, Tuesday night, 2d inst., was confronted by a loaded revolver in the hands of the plucky woman, who, without delay, blazed away at him. The gentle burglar wheeled about and made his escape, leaving a trail of blood behind to show that the shots had taken effect.

The State Bank Commissioners report the number of savings bank now doing business in the State as sixty-seven, one less than last year, with 98,683 depositors, an increase of 1753. The deposits amount to $30,963,047, or $570,894 more than last year; the surplus is $990,479, and the guaranty fund $382,350. The loans on real estate amount to $9,575,318; on personal security, $5,001,047; investments in county, city and town bonds, $6,284,499, and in United States and State bonds, $1,776,877. There are 7456 single loans of $1000 and less, and 1013 depositors of $2000 and over. The banks paid last year $298,060 in State taxes and $103,126 for expenses.

—A rule at Wellesley forbids the presentation of gentlemen to ladies by introduction, so the dear creatures have to say, "Brother Jack, I would like to introduce you to my friend Miss Jolly, but the laws forbid."

Notice.

DR. DUTTER, having returned from Europe, will resume the practice of his profession at his Office, No. 2 Market Street, Portsmouth, N. H.

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FALL OF 1877.

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20 do.	500	10,000
100 do.	100	10,000
200 do.	50	10,000
500 do.	20	10,000
1,000 do.	10	10,000

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A PART of tenement No. 3 Church street, near Market square. Apply to WALLACE HACKETT.

To Let.

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To Let.

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HOUSE of ten rooms, No. 2 Melcher St., near Pleasant St.; water in house; rent very low to a good tenant,—or will rent to two tenants, with six or four rooms. Apply at No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

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Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.

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A LOT OF FORTY ACRES, more or less, of Pasturage and Woodland, situated in Newington, being a portion of the homestead farm of the late John Fabyan. This lot is mostly covered with a heavy growth of PINE and OAK, the latter suitable for ship timber. It is also well watered, and affords an abundance of feed in the driest seasons; some portions are suitable for tillage. For further information apply to

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30 P. M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "	
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "	
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Concord Way,		4.35 "	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35 "	
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.55 "	

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.30 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) cast or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

CONCORD & PORTSMOUTH RAILROAD.

The annual meeting of the stockholders in this corporation was held at Manchester, on Thursday. The clerk having read the call for the meeting, the stockholders proceeded to the choice of directors, Messrs, Fred. Smyth of Manchester, Seth Eastman of Concord and John Stavers of Portsmouth, being a committee to receive, sort and count the votes. The committee reported after the ballot, that the whole number of votes cast was 1666, all of which were for Stephen Kenrick of Franklin, Samuel N. Bell of Manchester, Benjamin F. Martin of Manchester, Joseph B. Walker of Concord, Nathan Parker of Manchester, John J. Pickering of Portsmouth, and John J. Bell of Exeter, who were thereupon declared duly elected, and the meeting adjourned without day. The Directors subsequently organized by re-electing Hon. Stephen Kenrick President, and Col. William H. Hackett, of Portsmouth, Clerk.

"UP-RIVER" TALK.

Portsmouth people are agitating the subject of an appropriation by Congress for the removal of certain obstructions in their harbor. One or two vessels have recently gone upon the rocks down there and awakened the idea of clearing those rocks out of the way. But the CHRONICLE in "going for" the obstructions in Portsmouth harbor need not strike out this way to hit us of Dover about our "up-river" position and insignificance in creation. It needn't get mad because Dover people have been sharp enough to get the necessary appropriations for clearing out our river. Dover is a place of some importance and consequence in the world, and is growing rapidly to a more conspicuous position and influence. Portsmouth is a most excellent old town. We know all about it. We have summered and wintered there year in and year out, and no better place can be found anywhere. * * Dover has picked up wonderfully during the past few years, and there is not a city or town in the State that is growing in every material element of prosperity so rapidly and surely as Dover at the present time. * * Of course it is necessary to clear out our river for navigation, and it is just as necessary to have Portsmouth harbor and the river there clear also, for we have to sail that way to carry on our increasing commerce. So we join our Portsmouth friends in the demand for the removal of all obstructions from the river clear out to the sea.—*Dover Democrat.*

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, Oct. 4th.

Joseph Smith, a vagrant, was sent to jail for three months, costs $6.90.

Winfield Scott Prior and Eben Blaisdell, two boys, were each fined $1, costs $3.45 each, for throwing stones. There was another complaint against them, for pulling down a fence, but they got clear.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

One of the most beautiful monuments in Harmony Grove Cemetery, is that recently erected by Mrs. James W. Emery of Brooklyn, in memory of her deceased husband. It consists of a plinth, surbase, die and capital of fine white granite, with a circular shaft of very dark granite, highly polished, surmounted by a marble statue of Faith, the whole monument being about eighteen feet in height. It is from James Shorhey's Monumental Works, near Greenwich Cemetery, Brooklyn, N. Y., and is a fine specimen of monumental architecture.

Lieutenant H. G. Ellsworth, U. S. M. C., has been ordered from the Charlestown navy yard for duty at this naval station.

The biggest peach that has found its way into town this year was brought in on the third by Capt. Geo. W. Towle, and was raised by him on his place at Newcastle. This big peach was ten inches in circumference, and weighed nine ounces. Pumpkins do not grow so big in some countries.

The Bangor *Commercial* of Wednesday says: "Hon. John H. Broughton of Portsmouth is in the city. He came to attend the sale of timber lands." We understand that Mr. Broughton made some pretty extensive investments in the line indicated, before he left that city.

For some time past the air has been thick with rumors of a great "legal suasion" movement against the liquor dealers of this city, occasioning not a little trepidation among them. The time set for the movement to commence was guessed to be Monday, October 1st; but open bars are still more common than liquor prosecutions, and the dealers are beginning to think there won't be any flood, anyway—nothing more than a shower,—and it hasn't commenced to sprinkle yet.

The game of base ball between the Granite States of this city and the Blue Stars of Rochester, at the latter place on Wednesday, resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 26 to 20, the fielding of the Granites being very loose, but tho' batting was heavy and safe. The Blue Stars will probably play a return game on the Plains next week.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, the following communication was accepted:

To the Hon. the Mayor and Aldermen, and Common Council of the City of Portsmouth:

The undersigned would most respectfully submit

That if an "expert" could be found who could demonstrate how by a system of under-framing a chimney could be constructed, building it from the top downwards, it would probably take more than 10,000 other experts and a large show of finely spun theories to make the thing work well.

No! No! No! no matter how fair and costly the work thus far, Repent, Repent, confess, and begin the work over again by proper Rules and definitions.

Has the whole world blundered into a drainage system without first taking pains to get the "Rule," the "Principle," the "Definition?"

The first thing to be recognized is the fact that the Great Architect of the Heavens and the Earth is always ready to teach on this subject as well as on those things that pertain to our immortal life.

The next point in order is to consider why drainage or sewerage is necessary.

Ans. Only from *one* course, i.e., to obviate the difficulty and troubles arising from *surface water.*

Allow for one moment or to the extent of one spoonful that any substance where nature is such that it requires to be dealt with and disposed of *above* ground where it is *always needed* can be sat afloat, scattered, diffused through the complications of underground passages, do for mercy sake, honored gentlemen, give me a term and phraseology damnable enough to express the abominations which if carried fully out would be fatal to humanity.

Now for the Rule: If people must have cellars, we must also have drainage and sewerage, but it must be for Water *only*; all else must be disposed of above ground.

I must ask your kind consideration that I am obliged from shortness of time to give you a very rough looking document.

As in duty bound, &c.

ANDREW J. PENHALLOW.

Communication from Rev. James DeNormandie, resigning his membership in Board of Instruction, was received, and laid on table till next meeting.

J. F. Hall was granted permission to encumber State and Fleet streets for building purposes.

Request of John Nutter for gravel sidewalk on Howard street was referred to committee on streets.

Communication from Frank W. Miller in relation to South Millpond, marginal road, etc., was received and laid on the table.

City Marshal was granted leave to keep a horse in the city stable.

Deed of Frank W. Miller et al., transferring to city land taken for extension of Union street to South, for $250; and bill for work on said street, $225, were submitted, and the committee on streets reported that they had examined the street and were satisfied the work had been done as agreed. The Mayor said Mr. Webster had opened several streets and built some fine houses, and had not asked the city for any money. The report of the committee was accepted and adopted, and it was voted that the bill as presented be paid.

Voted, that Union street, from Hawthorne to South, be accepted.

Mr. Barr made a statement in regard to sprinkling streets; matter referred to the Mayor, to report.

Committee on claims reported the damage to Woodbury Locke's sleigh at $20.25. Referred back to committee, to settle.

Ald. P. D. Norton reported that notice to John Stokell & Co., to remove piggery, had not been complied with. Explanation was made that the notice was not a legal one.

Extension of drains foot of Brewster and Cabot streets was referred to committee on drains.

Position of gravel sidewalk corner of Myrtle and Dearborn streets, disposition of a tree at same place which interferes with gas light, and crosswalk in front of Moses H. Goodrich's tannery, were referred to committee on streets.

A hearing was granted on petition for road from Banfield road to Mr. Clough's residence, to take place Oct. 25th.

Ald. Perkins reported gas light corner Hanover and Fleet streets in way of teams. Referred to committee on gas lights, with power.

Ald. Coffin reported complaints of residents in Ward Three relative to the manner in which trains run over the crossing at the Creek, and requested that a gate or a flagman might be provided. [No action was taken.]

The committee to whom was referred the matter of establishment of a gate at the Green street crossing, by the railroad, reported, giving opinion of City Solicitor to effect that the statute law provides that such should be done; the report was accepted, and it was voted that the City Clerk be requested to notify the Eastern Railroad Corporation of the circumstances, and cite the statute law to them.

The committee on claims submitted the following report:

The committee on claims, in the matter of C. Dwight Hanscom's claim for damages for the breaking of a spring, beg leave further to state: That as His Honor the Mayor has seen fit to exercise his judgment in returning this bill unsigned, and therewith to attach a general censure to your committee, we desire to say that we were especially careful in making an examination of the premises, and the circumstances attending the accident, and its causes, and that we are convinced that the street at that point was in *bad* order at that time. Mr. Holmes, the Street Commissioner, told your committee that the crossing was in such condition that a team passing it at a moderate speed was liable to accident; and that as soon as his attention was called to it he had the road repaired. A member of this Board is knowing to the fact that repairs had been necessary at that point for some time. On the day we visited the spot the crossing laid by the railroad company was out of order, and the roadmaster of the Concord Railroad being in town we called his attention to the case, when he informed us that he had given orders some days before to have the repairs made there, but that he would have the planking relaid that day, which was done. His Honor states that the road was in *good condition;* your committee reiterates that it was *not* in good condition—and this is susceptible of proof. The matter of reckless driving, as insinuated, we have not been able to ascertain about; if His Honor has knowledge of it, as a *fact*, we think he is derelict in not enforcing the ordinance provided for such cases. And the triviality of a claim can never bar its justice; and your committee will look with as much care into a claim for one dollar as into one for a thousand, if submitted to them. Our reason for asking your attention to this matter at this time is that the usefulness of your committee is only to be continued by your confidence in the belief that we give you our best judgment, and make use of *facts* in finding conclusions upon bills submitted for our examination; and while too many times we may be at fault, yet we are not disposed to remain quiet under such imputations as are made by His Honor, and retain our position as committee on claims. Therefore we think this claim should not be permitted to rest as it is now, and we ask your further action upon it.

Voted, That Alderman Hoyt be empowered to sign the claim for damages of C. Dwight Hanscom.

The yeas and nays were called on this question, and all voted yes except Ald. C. W. Norton, Ald. Yeaton being absent.

There was a discussion relative to the inspection of petroleum, Mr. Rich having forbidden the sale of some as not being up to the proper standard; but no action was taken.

James D. Ayers at Jones' brewery, John Wilson at Portsmouth Bridge, Henry Dixon at Eastern Railroad, were appointed special police without pay.

The Mayor reported certain repairs needed on city building, and the matter was referred to the proper committee with power.

Petition of J. C. Butler and others for repairs of crosswalk between stores of Butler & Laighton and Jos. Pettigrew, was referred to committee on streets with power.

Committee on police were empowered to repair City Marshal's office.

Adjourned for one week.

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Daily Chronicle.

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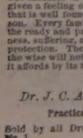

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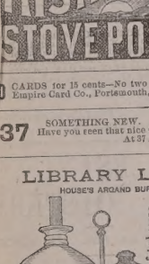

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SEC. 3. All waste water or house, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers in the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any person be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 24. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, even either of the still ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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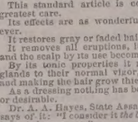

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Postage-Stamp Swindling.

As the time draws near for the meeting of Congress, and a probable change in the law in relation to the compensation of postmasters, the operators in postage stamps are redoubling their efforts to effect sales of their goods and secure stamps in payment. A circular has come to the Post Office Department dated as late as September 18, in which a notorious sewing machine agent, whose operations have already been published, proposes to postmasters to pay them what they have to pay the Government for sixty dollars' worth of stamps, ($24,) and throw in as a profit to them a sewing machine, thus practically giving them the machine. He boldly says: "Our Congress meets October 15, 1877, and in a few weeks they will change the postal law so as to take from you the large commission you now get, and instead pay you a small salary. Then the machine will cost you $60 cash. As time is an object now don't delay. You can get the stamps and have the trade closed before the law is changed." As a guarantee of his integrity he authorizes the postmasters to send their communications and remit their stamps through a certain national bank cashier, or to the treasurer of the city where this agent resides, thus indicating that these officials are not unwilling to lend their aid to what is no less a swindle upon the Government because there is no law to prevent. The name of the agent is not given, because there is an evident desire on his part to have his business advertised.

A Brave Engineer.

A little railroad accident occurred at the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton depot on Thursday evening, which might have been serious but for the prompt action of Engineer Whalen. The theatre train was standing in the depot nearly full of passengers, and the engine detached, standing some distance in front of it, when a freight train was, by some blunder, backed down at a rapid rate directly toward the passenger train. Fortunately Billy Whalen, the engineer in charge of the engine, saw the situation, and, understanding the danger, sprang at once into his engine, which was yet detached from the passenger train, and turning on full steam, shot her ahead into the rear of the coming freight train. The shock was a terrible one. The trucks of the rear car of the freight train climbed up to the front of the engine; the head light of Whalen's locomotive was smashed and considerable other damage incurred. The bold Billy was badly shocked, but the force of the freight train was checked, and though it struck the passenger train, driving it back to the rear of the depot and shaking up the passengers at a pretty lively rate, none of them were seriously injured, for all of which they may thank the quick witted and brave Billy Whalen. Such an action requires more true heroism than is embodied in a thousand strikes. —*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

—The pupils in a school in Boston were asked to give in writing the difference between a biped and a quadruped. One boy gave the following: "A biped has two legs, and a quadruped has four legs; therefore, the difference between a biped and quadruped is two legs."

The "winter arrangement" of labor on the navy yard has gone into operation, the orders having arrived on Saturday and been promulgated on Monday. From now until further orders work will commence at 6:30 A. M. instead of seven o'clock as heretofore, and the knock-off bell will ring at 5:30 P. M. instead of six.

—Professor Swift of Rochester, N. Y., declares that curved pitching is a mathematical impossibility. A writer in the *Scientific American* joins hands with the Rochester professor, and has prepared an elaborate article, with calculations to prove his position. An expert visited Rochester, and in the presence of the learned gentleman caused a common regulation ball to curve seven feet eight inches in a distance of one hundred and twenty-seven feet.

—New Haven sporting men recently came a practical joke on a supposed green young man from Springfield. They took him out duck shooting with a gun loaded clear to the muzzle, and a decoy duck floating so naturally in the distance. Springfield, awarded the first shot, of course, as a visitor, rose up in his canoe and blazed away. The duck didn't seem to mind it much, but the visitor was fished out clutching firmly to the worthless gun. He didn't say anything, but on the way home he cut loose the game bags and the party didn't have any game supper that night, after a hard day's hunt.

—Mrs. Sawin, of Kansas, has a farm of 360 acres of prairie land. Last spring she harvested ten acres of wheat of her own plowing and sowing, and put down twenty acres more, besides some sorghum and broom corn. She is not a strong-bodied woman; on the contrary, when she began her ploughing she was so feeble that she had an easy chair at the end of her furrow, and was obliged at every second row to stop and rest. She chose this life because she had more fitness for it than for anything else that gave promise of a future for two little sons whom she desires to educate to usefulness. Her health improves, and a sheep-raiser in the neighborhood has engaged her to plough ten acres of land for him and take her pay in sheep.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 3d.

Our faith in the invincibility of the United States troops was shaken yesterday for the time by the spead of senational reports to the effect that the commands of Shafter and Bullis had encountered a Mexican force and been pvt to flight. Sheridan's dispatch, later, rather reassured us, however. From still later details it appears that Sept. 20th Bullis crossed the Rio Grande with troops of the 6th and 10th cavalry and a few Seminole scouts, about one hundred men all told, hoping to surprise a camp of marauding Lipan Indians, just escaped across that stream with considerable plunder. But the Mexican who agreed to guide them into the enemies' camp is suspected of treachery, and when they succeeded in finding it the thieves had fled, leaving four squaws, one boy, twelve horses and two mules as the only fruits to be gobbled up by the expedition. Col. Shafter crossed three days later to assist Bullis in case he needed it, with seven companies, and was joined by that officer on the 30th, on his way back to camp. Shafter reports that quite a large Mexican force hung upon his rear for some miles, but made no actual hostile demonstration. The threatening aspect of Mexican affairs consumed the larger portion of the two hours' Cabinet session yesterday, but no conclusion was reached relative to any of the points under consideration.

Witowski, Brummer, Feltenburg, Gen. Negley and three others were called Monday in the District Criminal Court to plead to an indictment for prosecuting a fraudulent claim against the Government. Only three of the defendants—those first named—appeared, and Brummer and Feltenburg promptly pleaded guilty. The claim was for $24,705, for logs alleged to have been delivered to the military authorities in Tennessee in 1862. There is a further charge that Gen. Negley in 1874 falsely swore that the claim was just, knowing that it was false and that no such delivery of logs was ever made. Messrs. Matt Carpenter, Shellabarger, Wilson and Cook appear for defendants.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Sawyer and his alleged confederates in a raid on the Treasury, is still pending, the parties meanwhile languishing in the District jail. It is now said that Sawyer keenly feels the adverse results of the trial and is much depressed; and one doesn't have to circulate very extensively about the places of public resort here to be convinced of a pretty strong feeling of reaction in his favor. Like many other men, suddenly elevated to a conspicuous position, he is said to have lost his head, and to have been made a tool in the hands of worse men, who secured his co-operation in their numerous schemes by appealing to his gratitude on the ground of great service rendered him.

The Sioux Chiefs and sachems leave us to-day, each provided with his new overcoat, trunk and a portion of the $40 asked for; but they go, not wholly satisfied with the result of their mission, as their appeal from the fiat of removal has been unsuccessful; the keenness of their disappointment, however, will be much softened by the reflection that their enforced residence on the upper Missouri will be only of a few months duration, and that it is to be followed in the Spring by another change of location to reservations of their own choice, within certain limits. At no former visit of Chiefs to this city has public sentiment appeared so unanimous in favor of dealing justly, mercifully, even generously, with these poor creatures whose last representative will be so soon stricken down and disappear before the march of a superior race; but a review of all the facts convinces reasonable people that the President could not do otherwise than he has done in the premises. It is now certain that Sitting Bull is in Canada and intends to remain so long as it suits his convenience, and his marauding parties are carrying dismay to all the surrounding tribes. He evidently believes in subsisting his army on the country, and distributes his requisition for creature comforts with an impartial hand, among friend and enemy alike. While he declares himself for peace so long as he can have it on his own terms, he intimates his readiness to return blow for blow, whether dealt by the American or Dominion governments.

M. C's. are slowly arriving. From present appearances, any contest with Randall for the Speakership would seem almost like a fight against fate, but it now seems probable that for each of the minor positions there will be two or more competitors, who will only yield to superior force.

KNOX.

New York Democratic Convention.

The convention closed its session at the end of the second day, Thursday. Tammany Hall and the Canal Ring were too much for the Gambling Hell and Tilden's Reform. John Kelly, the Tammany Boss, and Jarvis Lord, the leader of the Canal Ring, (and the only member of the ring against whom a verdict was ever rendered—and he was never punished, possibly because he sent a man to St. Louis to work for Tilden, and gave an ox to be roasted at a Tilden barbecue,) beat Tilden's man Morrissey all out, and the renegade republicans and other "critters" nominated by Tilden last year, and elected by Tammany's counters, were remorselessly thrown overboard. Allen C. Beach, the Canal Ring candidate, was nominated for Secretary of State, by a vote of 227 to 156 for all others. For Treasurer, James Mackin had 12 votes; Ross, the present incumbent, had 126; Gurney 111; the votes were then rapidly changed and Mackin was nominated by acclamation. For Attorney-General, Schoonmaker had 225 votes, Fairchild 114, Waldo 35. F. P. Olcott was nominated for Comptroller, and Horatio Seymour, Jr., for State Engineer, by acclamation.

Steamer Massachusetts Lost.

The splendid steamer Massachusetts, of the New York and Providence Line, built about a year ago at a cost of $750,000, went ashore in the storm of Thursday night, at midnight, on Horton's Point, near Greenport, Long Island, and it is feared is a total loss. She had a large list of passengers, 200 or more, including seventy-five ladies, who were all landed in safety by boats. The report on Friday evening was that she was laying broadside to the sea, 300 feet from shore, and full of water. Her freight was strewn all along the beach. It is said her piston rod broke and stove a hole in her bottom, and Capt. Jones, her commander, ran her ashore to save his passengers; but it is more likely she drifted ashore.

News and Notes.

The yellow fever still rages at Fernandina, Fla. Nine new cases were reported on the 4th.

The Shillaber family, of which the renowned Mrs. Partington is one, held its first reunion at the old homestead in Peabody, Mass., Thursday.

Two men got into a dispute about the ownership of a claim at Central City, Dakota, on Thursday, and effectually settled the claim by killing each other.

The Boston *Post* of Friday, speaking of the missing crew of the yacht Scud, says: "The latest facts in regard to the missing yachtsmen are of a most discouraging nature, and without doubt the three men aboard when she started on her cruise are drowned. The theory that the friends of the missing men hold is, that after the boat struck they endeavored to find the leak, as the ceiling near the leak was pulled out, but, not being able to do so, and not knowing how soon the boat would sink, hastily collected their guns and ammunition and endeavored to reach the shore, but the boat being overloaded it was capsized and the men drowned. Among the known articles on board the yacht when she left Dorchester were five heavy fowling-pieces, 400 or 500 loaded shells and a large quantity of powder and shot. There were also a number of heavy coats and several blankets, and as none of these articles were found on board, the men probably took them in the boat with them. One of the coats found on the beach has been identified as belonging to Mr. Cooper. The fishing schooner Wide Awake found on Thursday afternoon the canoe, about one mile southeast of Minot's Light."

The Grand Division of the Conductors' Brotherhood of the United States has resolved that in case any brother shall engage in a strike of railway employes he shall be expelled from the order.

Base ball—Manchesters 2, Rhode Islands 1, at Providence on Thursday.

A Liverpool, Eng., paper says the harvest in Yorkshire is one of the worst that has been known for years, as there are farms after farms where the crops will not pay the rent. The French harvest is poor also and Russia is at war, so that it seems to be America's opportunity, which she is not slow to improve.

A Kansas City, Mo., special has the following: A gentleman from Lower New Mexico says the Apaches one day last week attacked a settlement of whites, killed twenty-five men and stole a number of horses. These are the same redskins who committed so much devilment last year, and Gen. Hatch, in command of the United States troops, proposes to punish them.

Michael Cunningham, a freight brakeman on the Boston & Albany Railroad, was fatally crushed while shackling cars at the Providence Railroad crossing in Boston, Wednesday evening, and the locomotive Indiana exploded in the Boston & Albany yard on the same day, killing the fireman and severely injuring the engineer.

A girl was killed by a train on the Boston & Albany Railroad at Auburndale, Mass., on Thursday. She attempted to cross the track in front of the engine. On the same day two women, in attempting to cross the Boston & Albany Railroad in Grantville, Mass., in a buggy, were struck by a train and instantly killed.

Mr. Ann Breed, of Lynn, was knocked down and robbed of $8000 in Boston on Friday, by two ruffians. One of the fellows fired three shots from a revolver, and the two drove off in a wagon which was in waiting.

Great damage from the storm of Thursday and the following night, is reported from Virginia up to Rhode Island.

Dr. Lyon Playfair, on a recent visit to Niagara Falls, fell among confidence men, to whom he handed his letter of credit on the Bank of Montreal, and was victimized to the tune of $500.

Mr. Julius D. Rhodes, a famous diver of Springville, N. Y., dived from the top of a derrick into the Niagara River, a distance of one hundred feet, a few days ago. He had intended to dive from one of the suspension bridges, but did not do so on account of a strong wind which was blowing.

In Vermont there is some talk of changing the laws regulating marriages in the State. It is suggested that they be so altered as to require the presence of the girl's parents or guardian at her marriage, if she is married before she is eighteen years old. It is also a question worthy of consideration whether it would not be better to allow only ministers to perform the marriage ceremony.

There are hundreds of men at the Black Hills who are destitute of money and unable to obtain employment. Recently twelve of them offered to draw a loaded wagon from Deadwood to Bismarck on condition of being fed on the way, and their proposition was accepted by a teamster. One man, after saying to a group that he hadn't had a good meal in three weeks, nor been able to get a day's work, and was dead broke, took a pistol from a miner's belt and shot himself through the head.

Mr. Stokes, late Secretary of the West Philadelphia Passenger Railway Company, and concerned with Morton and Huhn in the fraudulent issue of stock, has gone insane. He at least must have had a conscience.

Miss Lizzie Webber, aged thirty-five years, died in the Massachusetts General Hospital at Boston on Tuesday, 2d inst., of hydrophobia. She was bitten by a dog in July last, but experienced no trouble from the bite until a few days ago, when she suffered terrible pain. She was so violent on Tuesday, that to secure her removal to the hospital it was necessary to strap her to a board. Just before her death she became uncontrollable, and, jumping into the air, fell back lifeless. Dr. Draper made an autopsy, and pronounced it a case of hydrophobia.

According to the Columbus (Ga.) *Enquirer* one of the strangest things in the world is to find Southern planters buying tons of Northern hay, while the heavy and grevious task the whole year round is to keep the fields clear of grass.

Mr. M. W. Clark of Danville Junction, Me., secured a caribou in Canada last March. In May she gave birth to a male calf, which has grown as large as an ordinary deer. The mother is "tamer than a sheep." Mr. Clark expects to be able to breed caribou. The animal is very rare.

An important verdict was rendered in the Windham County Court in Vermont last week, against Daniel C. Carpenter and son, hotel keepers, in favor of Ophelia Snow, for permanent injuries received by being thrown from a wagon in consequence of her husband, who was driving, being drunk from liquor procured from the defendants. The accident happened three years ago and the case has been tried twice, and was sent up the first trial to the Supreme Court on some technical error. A verdict was rendered in the sum of $2008.34. Its importance as a test case of the Vermont liquor law caused a deep interest in the result.

The Eastern War.

Constantinople despatches of Oct. 4th acknowledge that the report of the day before concerning the killing of two Russian generals in Asia Minor was all gammon, and that no decisive battle has been fought before Kars or Erzeroum. There was a fight, the Russians having taken a redoubt at Great Kanilar, and the Turks having retaken it. Mukhtar Pasha claims to have slain 5000 Russians, but acknowledges his own loss to have been very heavy.

The London *News'* special from Vienna says: "Trusty reports from Berlin state that by Emperor William's special order a note has been sent to Constantinople very earnestly urging that the principles of humanity be no longer violated. The note does not exactly threaten the Turks, but leaves no doubt of the high indignation felt, and that the German Government does not intend silently and indifferently to look on."

The Russian government has contracted with ten private firms to construct pontoon bridges across the Danube at a cost of 1,750,000 roubles.

New Hampshire Items.

Warren B. Moulton of North Hampton was quite seriously injured a few days since by the accidental discharge of a gun from which he was withdrawing the load, the entire charge passing through his hand, but fortunately in such a manner that the member can be saved.

The annual parade of the Concord Fire Department took place on Thursday.

The Concord Unitarian church calls Rev. B. F. McDaniell of Exeter.

Only nine persons in Hollis are declared eligible to the High School in that place.

Colonel George S. Stevens, formerly a prominent member of the Belknap County bar, died at the asylum in Concord, Tuesday, aged 63 years.

Deacon Ezra Smith, of Vergennes, Vt., and a Mrs. Champlain, said to be his paramour, are under suspicion of having murdered the deacon's late wife by poisoning her.

Gilman, the New York forger, is connected by descent with the Gilmans of Exeter. His ancestors, like those of Morton, the Philadelphia forger, were among the staunch supporters of the revolutionary war.

At Great falls on a recent night a man and a woman were passing quietly along the street when a third person, a lady, ran up and commenced an open battle with the couple, directing her blows more particularly to the woman, who suddenly disappeared on some other street and the man walked along with—his wife.

Political.

I think Mr. Hayes' tenure is firmer than that of any President ever inaugurated in the United States. He holds his office by the judgment of the highest judicial authority in the land. Even if I thought their decision wrong, which I do not, I should bow to it as I would to any decree from the bench.—*A. H. Stevens.*

The old "Boss" is still a power in the democratic party of New York. His attacks on the anti-Tammany democrats came in just the right time to enable Tammany to control the democratic State convention.

Ex-Governor Palmer of Illinois produced a coolness in a Greenback meeting at Springfield last week. He happened to be present and was called upon for a speech. He declined at first, but finally yielded to repeated demands, and calmly proceeded to say that specie payments were inevitable, and that the sooner they were reached the better it would be for everybody.

Alex. Stephens speaks of the "outrageous folly of secession," right in the face of the wallloping Mr. Key has received for calling it a mistake,

At the Colorado election the woman suffrage amendment to the constitution was defeated. Wilbur F. Stone was elected Judge of the Supreme Court without opposition, he having been unanimously recommended by the lawyers of the State, and nominated by both parties. The town and county elections were favorable to the republicans.

The ballot is doing more than anything else to harden the women of Wyoming. Some of them are actually so lost in womanly instinct that they declare themselves older than they really are in order to get a chance to vote. Probably Wyoming is the only place on earth where such a thing ever happened.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
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Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 20c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., fl. Cuba 30 @ 60c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 45c.
Pork per bbl., $16.50 @ $18.50
Plaster per ton, lump $8; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, fr. 9 @ 10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107½
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1870	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1888	103½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 3½	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	123½
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	44
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	80
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	58½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	98
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	54
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

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1 CAPITAL PRIZE			30,000
1	do.	do.	10,000
1	do.	do.	5,000
2 PRIZES of $2,500			5,000
5	do.	1,000	5,000
20	do.	500	10,000
100	do.	100	10,000
200	do.	50	10,000
500	do.	20	10,000
1,000	do.	10	10,000

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Boston, South & West,	8.00,	10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 6.30† P.M
" Way,		10.55 "	3.00 "
Portland		9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls		9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	"
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.35 "
Concord Way,			4.35 "
Boston & Maine R. R.		7.40 "	4.35 "
Dover,		7.40, 10.40 "	4.35 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.00 "	3.15 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	"
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	3.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Unitarian church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie, at 10:30 A. M. Vesper service at 7:30.

At the Congregational church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M.; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. James W. Hubbell.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M., 7:30. P M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. Dr. Alden. Subject, "The Divinity of Christ."

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder William Mitchell of Kennebunk will preach to-morrow.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. Noyes. Subject, forenoon, "The Salt of the Earth;" afternoon, "The Bread of Heaven." Sacrament of the Lord's Supper following the afternoon sermon.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; Sabbath school at 2:45 P. M.; Prayer meeting in the evening at half-past seven o'clock. Sermon to-morrow forenoon by the pastor, Rev. John A. Goss; subject, "Five years in Portsmouth."

Special children's service at Bow Mission, at 4:15 P.M.

There will be a meeting of the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Speaking by members. An admission fee of five cents will be charged, to defray expenses.

[Communicated.]

SCHOOL REGULATIONS.

Editor of Chronicle: As some one signing himself "X. Y. Z." has seen fit to assail our "Board of Education" in your paper, I have been expecting to see an answer, and can only conceive of one reason why it has not been answerd ere this, i. e., that the article was really so weak and absurd that it condemned itself.

The first idea of the article appears to be that our schools are organized for the sole purpose of providing for the teacher, while we had always, heretofore, supposed that the scholar was the one prime object to be considered. He says "The member of the committee is naturally or ought to be most interested in the schools of his own district." It is certainly a very narrow mind that considers only his own home. Was Washington the President of Virginia, his own State, only? And how can a member of the board judge if a school is "up to the mark" if he gives his attention solely to one? By comparison is the way we always supposed a person formed an opinion. He says again, "It will not do to spread the average member over too much territory;" this is a fact, if the "average member" is such an one as some we have had in our city, who ask the geography class "Where is Pumpkin Island?" and of such we see the workings of electing the "average politician" at the polls; but thanks to some one, we know not who, for the present system, by which we can have such a board as we now have, graduates of college, old, tried teachers, etc., who know from experience what they are about.

Again: "The real objection is the want of unity." Did the old system he advocates give it us, when the City Marshal had to be called in to the meetings to keep the members of the board from fighting? Think you there is any such necessity now with gentlemen and ladies on the board, as had to be done a year or two ago under the old plan? ["The old plan worked well, why the change?"] Perhaps some of the committee were more fitted to "take in washing," etc., than to act as judges of a teacher's capacity.

He takes particular umbrage at the clause requiring applicants for teaching to be graduates of a Normal School, and gets off some very hard adjectives. The State laws say that before a man can practice medicine in our State, he shall spend time and money in preparing for the profession. Lawyers have to do the same. Even mechanics have to serve an apprenticeship, which costs time and money; but lo! the applicant for teacher, the highest and noblest calling of all, must not be required to have made any special preparation. We have had the opportunity of examining lists of questions for the examination of teachers, from Salem, Lynn, Dover and Portsmouth, pretty extensively during the past two years, and the average lawyer, doctor, minister, merchant, or even foreman in most any of our workshops, could answer a fair percentage of those questions. Now what would "X. Y. Z." think of an examination of a physician, in which questions were asked such as any average merchant might answer? Judging from what we see, we think that the average school committee man, or the average teacher of our city, for the past few years, inspires very little confidence. Why not be willing to try a change, especially when in the hands of a Board of Instruction composed of persons of the known capacity and ability of our present board? Yet we should expect opposition, for no improvement has been advocated in our midst, but some wiseacre jumps up to oppose it, for no other reason than because the idea did not originate in his fertile brain! It is unnecessary to quote instances in illustration of this subject; our eyes, our ears and our *noses* will bear witness to the truth of the assertion.

But when "X. Y. Z." comes to "filthly" he either is ignorant of the English language or else wilfully misconstrues the regulation, for it does not even insinuate that the sick teacher be decapitated, but only that an incompetent substitute shall not be placed in the chair for a time to exceed three days,—and that is altogether too long a time. We well remember a silly substitute inflicted upon us as teacher, many years ago, when in school. There now appears to be room for improvement, and competent persons appointed to carry it into effect; let us all lend our cheerful acquiescence until tested. REVILO.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, Oct. 5th.

George Parker pleaded guilty to a charge of drunkenness, and was assessed the usual $9.90, which he paid.

John Murphy was charged with drunkenness, but there was not quite sufficient evidence to induce the judge to speak of nine-ninety, and Murphy was allowed to retire from the court with his reputation as unblemished as when he entered it.

THE SHILLABER FAMILY.

The Shillabers held their first reunion in Peabody, Mass., Thursday. Charles P. Shillaber, of Brighton, delivered an address, in which he stated that the first person bearing the family name in this country was John Shillaber, who came over from England in 1699 and located in Salem, Mass. Two years later John's wife, daughter and two sons, John, Jr., and William, came over. William settled in Salem and died there, while John, Jr., settled in Peabody. Walter (John, Jr.'s, son) built a tavern in 1750, which is the same building where the reunion was held, and which is now occupied by the host of the occasion, Mr. Hardy Shillaber. From the original John Shillaber sprang all the members of the Shillaber family in America, which now embraces thirteen heads of families and fifty-five individuals. Of these heads of families, four are in California, two in this city, and seven in Massachusetts. Of the Massachusetts families, two reside in Chelsea, two in Peabody and one each in Lynn, Brighton and Worcester.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The Ladies' Humane Society will meet on Monday, Oct. 8th, at Mrs. Lyman's, on Austin street.

Over two inches of rain fell Thursday night. Several inches more could fall without doing much harm.

A dog belonging to Mr. Charles S. Frye was killed by the police on Friday. Cause, 'cause he had bitten a little daughter of Mr. Wm. W. Cotton.

The following officers were elected in the Temperance Reform Club, Wednesday evening: President, James Janvrin; Vice Presidents, John E. Roberts, Samuel Stringer, James R. Eaton, Charles W. Lolley, George W. Fernald, Edwin O. Randall, Charles H. Hutchins; Secretary, Joseph Pettigrew; Ticket Takers, Maurice Tobin, Benjamin Powell; Chaplain, William A. Loyne; Finance Committee, John S. Treat, Stephen W. Clarke, Thomas E. O. Marvin; Ticket Seller, Augustus Ham.

The heavy rain which fell in this region on Thursday night was our share of the extended cyclone which struck the Windward Islands of the West Indies on the 29th of September, and has been slowly travelling northward ever since, making a curve so as to strike the United States coast at Florida, following the coast line along, and leaving the coast again at Cape May on Friday, the storm centre passing along the New England shore about one hundred miles from land. All along shore to the south of us there was a heavy gale, doing great damage to vessels and towns; in New York and Pennsylvania the blow extended inland a hundred miles. We had no wind here.

The Glory of Woman

is a fine set of teeth as well as a fine head of hair. How the enamel glistens after a good brushing with fragrant Sozodont! Nothing destructive to the teeth can exist on the surface or at the roots, if this vegetable antidote to corrosion is duly applied.

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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfeb16'78

DIED.

RAND. In this city, Oct. 4, Mrs. Hannah W. Rand, widow of the late Moses Rand, Esq., aged 63 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch Union Flag, Frisbee, sld from New Bedford for Philadelphia Oct 4.

Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, for this port from Georgetown D C, arr at Vineyard Haven Oct 3.

Sch Mary J Adams, Coombs, from St John N B, for Richmond, Va, a-r at Portland Oct 3.

Schs Daniel Marcy, Henry M Clark and Light of Home, arr at Provincetown, Oct 3.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.*

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FALL OF 1877.

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PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES FOR NAVY YARD, KITTERY, MAINE, Requisitions Nos. 8, 9, 10 and 11. Bureau of Yards and Docks.

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January 16, 1877

Daily Chronicle.

—Man glories in his strength; woman glories in her hair; butter glories in both.

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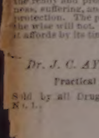

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

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SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. E. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Trade Dollar.

Silver is making its way. The Trade Dollar—with two per cent. of silver in it in addition to the amount in the Dollar of the Daddies—is getting into circulation. The coinage of the Trade Dollar is free—that is, at cost, one and one-half per cent. The gold value of the unminted silver of the Trade Dollar is about ninety-five cents. So that, though a legal tender for but five dollars, the Trade Dollar, by virtue of its intrinsic value, stands within a small fraction of a level with the greenback promise—which is made lawful money—to pay gold on the 1st of January, 1879. The Trade Dollar is a safe coin. When the old standard dollar is restored, the Trade Dollar will become too valuable to circulate. In the mean time it is likely to come largely into use in place of one and two-dollar notes. The Trade Dollar is a beautiful coin, and its glitter gladdens our eyes while the ring that it gives is music to our ears. The people will not care to fumble the ragged greenbacks in preference to this magnificent money. We believe, confidently, that the next House of Representatives will, within thirty days after its organization, pass an act restoring the old silver dollar to its old lawful place, and order the coinage of fifty millions of them to begin with; and we do not doubt that the Senate will be found to have a majority of silver men. The President will, there is no doubt whatever, sign the bill, the sum o which will be the restoration of the Double Standard and of the old bi-metallic money basis. The people may make up their minds to this. Silver is already rising, in anticipation of the remonetization of the metal in America. As the inevitable action of Congress becomes known to the world, the appreciation of silver will be accelerated. There is no result in a scientific experiment more certain than that the silver dollar of 412 1-2 grains standard metal will find its level with the gold dollar—and then the Trade Dollar, 420 grains standard metal, will be at two per cent. premium above gold. It is this anticipation—the great probability of grain and the certainty that there will not be a loss—that is creating the demand for Trade Dollars. The only objection to the introduction of the Trade Dollar into circulation at this time is, that as it is not accompanied by the retirement of greenbacks, it is in the nature of inflation—but that is not a popular objection. We *could* stand a little inflation in the shape of hard dollars.—*Cincinnati Commercial.*

Supposed Relics of the Franklin Expedition.

The U. S. Consul at St. John's, N. F., informs the Department of State that he purchased of one of the crew of the New Bedford whaler "A. Houghton," wrecked in Hudson's Bay last June, one silver table spoon and one silver dessert spoon, supposed relics of the Franklin expedition. The table spoon has the letters "J. G. F." engraven thereon. On the face of the dessert spoon is the head of a fish, with a laurel wreath, and on the back the English crown and stamp. The story of the sailor is that he received these articles from an Esquimaux of Repulse Bay, who had received them from a native chief, at whose camp the white man who owned them died of scurvy while on a visit thereto.

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This instrument is especially designed for the perfect application of

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It is the only form of instrument yet invented with which fluid medicine can be carried *high up* and *perfectly opposed* to all parts of the affected nasal passages, and the chambers or cavities communicating therewith, in which sores and ulcers frequently exist, and from which the catarrhal discharge generally proceeds. The want of success in treating Catarrh heretofore has arisen largely from the impossibility of applying remedies to these cavities and chambers by any of the ordinary methods. This obstacle in the way of effecting cures is entirely overcome by the invention of the Douche. Its use is pleasant and so simple that a child can understand it. Full and explicit directions accompany each instrument. When used with this instrument, Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cures recent attacks of "Cold in the Head" by a few applications.

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R. V. PIERCE, M. D., Prop'r,
BUFFALO, N. Y.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 8, 1877.

The Great Storm.

The storm of Thursday night was terribly destructive, both of property and life, though contrary to the usual case, most of the life was lost by disasters on the land. Near Phenixville, Pa., an excursion train from the Pennypacker family reunion ran into a wash-out and was wrecked; twelve persons, if not more, were killed, and fifty injured.

A train on the Pennsylvania Railroad was wrecked near Frenchtown, N. J., by the washing away of a bridge; the engineer and conductor of the train, and a lady passenger, are known have been drowned, and three or four persons are missing. The train was carried some distance down the stream by the flood, and those who escaped had to swim for their lives.

A train was capsized at Coatesville, Del., the engineer killed and the fireman badly scalded.

In Williamsburg, N. Y., Newark, N. J., Brooklyn, Poughkeepsie and other cities, immense damage was done. In Chester, Pa., much loss occurred from the bursting of dams; several schooners and sloops were wrecked at the mouth of Chester Creek. In Virginia the river bottoms were inundated and the crops much injured; and bridges and buildings were washed away.

In Philadelphia a sailor was washed off a wharf and drowned, and a woman was swept away, with a small bridge across which she was driving to her house.

About 200 sails of vessels, mostly wood-laden and colliers, were in Delaware Bay, and were hardly used. Ten vessels foundered at their moorings. At daylight in the morning the unfortunate crews were discovered clinging to the rigging of the sunken vessels, and were rescued at great peril by the skiffs of the pilot boats. The following is a list of vessels sunk, as far as known: schooners Babel H. Irons, Mary E. Smith, Bessie Morris, Jessie Wilson, M. A. McGahan, John E. Myers, William G. Dearborn. The heavy shipping fared badly. The Italian bark Firenz C. was driven on Cape Henlopen, and the brig Matilda, lumber laden, was totally destroyed. The schooner Rockie E. Yates, of Damariscotta, was stranded on the beach inside the harbor, and the brig Jeremiah, of Searsport, Me., lost her foremast. Many other vessels were damaged more or less by collisions, etc.

In Provincetown harbor some 200 vessels were at anchor, and several of them went ashore.

The government schooner Joseph Henry, anchored in Newport harbor, was drifted into Brenton's cove, and several yachts and small boats were sunk.

Over 174 vessels sought shelter in Biddeford Pool, and considerable damage was occasioned among them by collisions, etc. On Friday a schooner (name not given) of about forty tons, loaded with salt and fish barrels, went ashore on Phillips Rock, between Wood Island and the Pool, and will be a total wreck.

Wreck of the "Massachusetts."

The "Massachusetts" was wrecked on Rocky Point, (not Horton's Point,) Long Island, within a mile of where the steamer "Commodore" was wrecked ten years ago. The steamer "Frances" arrived at Stonington, Conn., at midnight on Friday, with the passengers from the "Massachusetts," having left the wreck at about one o'clock Friday afternoon, at which time she was fast on the rocks with the water nearly up to her main deck. The passengers thought she must go to pieces, but Capt. Waldron, of the "Frances," thought she was less damaged than reported, and that she might possibly be got off. The Providence *Journal* of Saturday morning give the following account of the loss of the vessel, gathered from the passengers:

"The Massachusetts left New York at five o'clock Thursday afternoon with about 150 passengers on board, and a large cargo of freight. The day had been stormy, and the violence of the storm increased as the boat went down the sound. By 11 o'clock a terrible gale was blowing, and it is reported that the Captain said he had lost his lights. The fog was so thick that nothing could be seen, and the whistle was blowing incessantly. About half past 11 the passengers report that the engines were stopped for a few minutes; then the boat went ahead slowly for a few minutes, and then the engine stopped again. In a minute more there was a terrible crash, quickly followed by two more. Some of the passengers were thrown from their berths by the shock, while all were terribly frightened. People poured out of their state-rooms as if they felt their time was short, and in five minutes almost every passenger had on a life-preserver and was waiting for the worst. There was, however, no confusion, and no outcries. The officers of the boat told the passengers that the boat was aground, and that there was no danger at present in the sheltered position in which the boat then lay. The violence of the gale was less severely felt, and reassured by the comforting words of the officers, most of the passengers took off the life-preservers, and some of the cooler ones went back to bed. This was about one o'clock.

Half an hour later the wind, which had been blowing from the southeast, changed to northwest, and beat upon the stranded boat with terrific force. The steamer, which lay quite steadily, began to thump heavily upon the rocks. Every sea would raise her in the air, and she would come down with awful force upon the rocks and writhe and grind until it seemed she must go to pieces. One of the passengers describes the motion of the boat as being like that of a toy serpent when set on fire. The alarm, which had partially subsided, broke out afresh. The passengers who had gone down to bed got up again in haste. The life preservers were once more put on, and there was a general expectation that the boat would immediately break up. Still the officers and passengers preserved admirable composure, although there was excuse for fear. No one knew where she was, it was so dark that absolutely nothing could be seen. The wind howled so that conversation was almost inaudible, while above all was the incessant thump and the sound of heavy grinding, which all knew was eating out the bottom of the boat. The gilding on the staterooms began to fall down, and in some of the staterooms the berths even fell to the floor, so much was the boat spread. The rods which held the chandeliers in the main saloon had snapped like pipe-stems, and pieces of the side of the boat had been broken away.

The water was rising in the forecastle, and the deckhands set to work to lighten the boat. Overboard went cotton, flour, whiskey, sugar, until half the cargo was in the sea. The other half was kept in to balance the boat. Thus the night wore away, and it was a night which the passengers will not soon forget. About four o'clock the northwester lighted up a little and a dim black line of shore could be seen. As the morning began to break it became apparent that the boat was on Long Island. She apparently struck head on and swung around until her bow pointed east. The waves were beating on the windward side so furiously that the spray dashed over the upper deck and fell on the leeward side of the boat. The boat was about 500 feet from the shore, and although she formed a breakwater the surf was running very high on the beach. Soon after daylight the position of the boat was seen from the shore, and there was a speedy gathering of the people on the beach. About six o'clock one of the steamer's boats was lowered, and some of her officers went on shore. About this time Daniel Clark put off through the surf in a dory and safely reached the steamer. He was heartily welcomed, as it proved that a boat could live in the surf, a fact that some of the passengers had been inclined to doubt."

After the "Frances" had embarked the castaways, which was done at Greenpoint, and started for Stonington, the passengers began singing Moody and Sankey hymns, and, inspired by the occasion, a prayer meeting was held on board, Rev. Mr. Haley of New Hampshire officiating, and one of the passengers states that he never enjoyed a prayer-meeting so much before in his life. Hon. Neal Dow of Maine was one of the rescued passengers, and improved the opportunity to make a temperance speech. A singular incident of the night was that when the danger was at its height and the steamer threatening to break apart every minute, a number of passengers were actually seasick, and declared, with the true unction of seasickness, that they did not care whether the boat went down or not.

News and Notes.

Steamer Constitution took fire on Friday, fifty miles from San Francisco heads. She was run in and scuttled on Mission flats, and the fire put out. She will be raised and repaired.

Over four inches of rain fell in Boston on Thursday night.

The heavy rain of Thursday night proved more disastrous to the valuable records of the Patent Office than the fire did. Had there been a man of practical common sense at the head of the department, instead of a visionary intent on showing off the paces of his pet bobby, this would have been provided against. Secretary Schurz had two weeks of fine weather between the dates of the fire and flood,—ample time for the erection of a temporary housing that would have prevented the deluging of the lower stories of the building.

At a meeting of the creditors of Frank Leslie, last week, it was decided to retain him in charge of all his publications at a stated salary, all the net profits of the papers to go to the payment of his debts.

Base ball, Friday: Manchesters 16, Rhode Islands 1; Lowells 13, Bostons 11; St. Louis 11, Cincinnatis 2; Louisvilles 4, Chicagoes 0.

Diphtheria is epidemic in Providence and Westerly, R. I., and many deaths have occurred.

A train was thrown from the track near Carbondale, Pa., by strikers who misplaced a switch, Thursday night. The engineer and fireman were killed, and a brakeman fatally injured.

The losses by the Gilman forgeries in New York are thus summed up, as far as discoveries have been made: American Exchange bank—false values, $87,320, net loss $85,000; Commercial Insurance company, $110,000, not loss $70,000; private loans $60,000, net loss $48,000; Talmage & Co., $20,000, net loss $14,000; three mining certificates, $30,000, net loss $20,000; Home Insurance company $20,000, net loss $5,000—total $327,000, net loss $242,000. To this must be added fifty-three shares of the American Exchange bank, which, it is believed, were raised ten-fold and which have been hypothecated to within twenty per cent. of their face value. This would make the gross amount of the forgeries $342,500, and the actual cash received by Gilman $247,940.

The insurance agency of Alliger Brothers of New York city has been discovered in default to a large amount with companies represented by the firm. The deficit is $150,000 or more.

Chief Justice Cartter of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia has received a requisition from Hampton, de facto governor of South Carolina, for United States Senator J. J. Patterson. Judge Cartter, having examined the indictment against him, and the accompanying paper, it is said will issue a warrant for the Senator's arrest. A technicality, however, appears in the requisition, which may necessitate returning it to South Carolina for amendment before definite action is taken.

The wife and three sisters of Gilman, the New York forger, offer to give up all their personal fortunes, some $150,000, to secure immunity from prosecution for Gilman.

One night last week the family of ex-Gov. Cony, of Maine, living at Augusta, were startled with the noise of a fearful crash of glass. On seeking the cause they found that a partridge in flying had struck against the glass in the front door, measuring four feet by five and one-half, breaking it. The bird was killed in the crash, and the family ate a $60 dinner the next day.

A plaster cast of a tablet containing a treaty made by the Greeks in 409 B. C., and containing mention of the first political acts of Alcibiades, has just been received at Washington by the officials of the State Department. The tablet was discovered in Greece in April last, and sent to this country by Mr. Read, our Charge d' Affaires.

New Hampshire Items.

The school at Deerfield Parade has been closed on account of the prevalence of diphtheria in the town.

One day recently as Rev. E. True was making a pastoral call at Mr. James Knox's, Lebanon, his horse became detached from his fastening, and left on the direct way for home. After going some distance he seemed to feel that it would be very naughty in him to go away and leave his master to walk home, so, selecting a favorable spot to turn the carriage, he very carefully faced about (as shown by the wheel tracks) and trotted back after him, stopping at the place where he was left hitched, Mr. True knowing nothing of his absence until he saw him coming back after him.

S. W. Dearborn of Hampton has taken the contract to build the new schoolhouse at South Seabrook, for $1576.

There have been sixteen deaths in Greenland since the first of Janury last.

Mr. D. O. Leavitt, a prominent citizen of Hampton, who had always borne an excellent character, and had served the town as town clerk and representative at different times, recently decamped, after borrowing considerable amounts of money at sundry times, much of it from needy people. A bill of sale of his drug store was given to R. B. Ladd, and on the 3d inst. deputy sheriff Brown attached the goods in his grocery for J. A. & S. W. Dearborn, who hold a note against Leavit for $800 and interest. Leavitt's liabilities are already figured at from $3000 to $5000.

The New Hampshire State Teachers' Association will hold its twenty-fourth annual meeting in the City Hall, Dover, on Thursday and Friday, October 11th and 12th. The session will begin at two o'clock Thursday afternoon. Teachers, Committees, Superintendents, and all interested in Education, are cordially invited to be present and take part in the discussion.

Business Notes.

We have frequently called attention to the progress of the American beef trade with England, and the month that has just closed records the shipment of 5000 head of cattle from the port of New York, an increase of nearly a hundred per cent. upon the quantity shipped last year. This contradicts the reports that there was a falling off in this newly-established business.—*Boston Post.*

The earnings of the Western railroads for September show a very large increase, notably Northwest and St. Paul. Stocks made a considerable advance and are generally firm.

The trade circular recently issued from the Department of State and forwarded to our diplomatic and consular officers, is having a most beneficial effect in arousing those officers to renewed efforts for the enlargement of trade in their several districts. The consul at Liverpool is of the opinion that in addition to American beef a large trade can be established by the export of American poultry, alive or dead, to England. In that country the wholesale price of turkeys averages about fifteen cents per pound and chickens sixteen cents, and as the American poultry are far superior to the English, so they would sell more readily. It is contemplated by the Department of State to publish all the responses to the trade circular from our diplomatic and consular officers, and the publication will be of the highest importance to all who take any interest in American trade at home and abroad.

Rubber goods to the value of over $3,000,000 were sold at auction to the trade, in Boston last week, at satisfactory prices.

The striking miners in Pennsylvania now realize the full extent of their folly, and plead in vain for some concession from the companies. The men cannot much longer hold out against the siege of starvation, and must resume work at the old rates.

Political.

General Bob Toombs, being interviewed, asserts that the Electoral Tribunal was a device of Mr. Tilden; that the first proposition for its appointment came from Gramercy Park; that Mr. Randall, Speaker of the House, opposed a settlement in that way until he came on to New York and saw Mr. Tilden.

"Hev ye got yer arrangements all made, gineral?" said the New Jersey Hunker to Little Mac, the other day. "Certainly, sir, certainly," said the general after a thoughtful pause. "A military man can never afford to postpone things." "Lection's in November, ye know," said the New Jersey Hunker, suspiciously. "What!" said the general, hastily consulting a patent-medicine almanac. "Why, so it is, so it is! This is too soon, too soon. Orderly! address a note to David Dodd at once, telling him that we cannot possibly move before December. I am astonished at this unseemly haste. I did hope that my wishes would be respected in this matter at least."
—*Rochester Democrat.*

Good Work.

Encamped in a shallow ravine upon the plain, near the lonely place known as Buffalo Station, on the Kansas Pacific Railroad, on September 25, were Sheriff Bardsley, of Ellis county, Kansas, and thirteen United States soldiers. Late in the afternoon across the plain came riding slowly, apparently two Texan "Cow Boys." Between their horses walked a pony laden with something that, while not bulky, seemed to try its strength. The Sheriff started in pursuit, with the soldiers, and soon overtook the travellers, who, although seeing that they were pursued, made no attempt at flight. The Sheriff said: "I have a description of some train robbers which answers well to your appearance. I want you and your partner to return with me to the station. You need fear nothing if you are innocent, and if you are the men I want, then I am $10,000 better off." "You are mistaken in your men," one of the riders said, "but of course we will go back and have the mistake explained." They then turned their tired horses toward the station, but had not gone far when the man who had answered the Sheriff said to his companion: "Pard, if we are to die, we might as well die game." He then drew a revolver and his companion did likewise, but before either could fire the soldiers had riddled them with bullets and both were killed. Tied up in a pair of old trousers, on the pony's back, were $25,000 in $20 gold pieces—part of the $60,000 in gold taken by the men who robbed the Union Pacific Railroad train at Big Springs, Neb., September 19. The man who replied to the Sheriff was the leader of the robbers.

—Billy Kersands, a negro minstrel, was dragged and badly hurt in stopping a runaway horse in Petersburg, Va., but he says the incidental advertising of his business is worth the cost.

—A man who edited a paper in Texas for two years is one of the curiosities now travelling with Barnum's show. He carries thirty-seven bayonets in his body, 116 bowie-knife scars, has one eye gouged out, one ear bit off, his nose twisted around on his left cheek, all his teeth knocked out and his skull trepanned. At the time of his leaving Texas he was the veteran editor of the State press.

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To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.*
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At 12:30 P. M.,

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Said House contains ten finished rooms, concrete cellar, with furnace; connected is a good stable and carriage house, all in good order.

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BY a young man, (a Swede,) to take care of a gentleman's premises, or on a farm; thoroughly understands care of horses and neat cattle; has good recommendations. Apply at this Office.

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11TH GRAND DRAWING, 1877.

At New Orleans, Tuesday, Nov. 6th.
Louisiana State Lottery Company.

This Institution was regularly incorporated by the Legislature of the State for Educational and Charitable purposes, in 1868, with a Capital of $1,000,000, to which it has since added a reserved fund of $350,000. **Its Grand Single Number Drawings** will take place monthly. *It never scales or postpones.* Look at the following scheme:

CAPITAL PRIZE, $30,000.

100,000 Tickets at Two Dollars each.
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LIST OF PRIZES.

1 CAPITAL PRIZE			30,000
1	do.	do.	10,000
1	do.	do.	5,000
2 PRIZES of	$2,500		5,000
5	do.	1,000	5,000
20	do.	500	10,000
100	do.	100	10,000
200	do.	50	10,000
500	do.	20	10,000
1,000	do.	10	10,000

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9 Approximation Prizes of	$300		2,700
9	do.	do. 100	1,800
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Tuesday, Dec. 11th, 1877.

Tickets, $10, Shares in proportion.

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Fresh Dug Green Ginger Root, For Preserving.

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To Let.

A PART of tenement No. 3 Church street, near Market square. Apply to WALLACE HACKETT.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET. Apply at 5 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 24 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

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HOUSE of ten rooms, No. 2 Melcher St., near Pleasant St.; water in house; rent very low to a good tenant,—or will rent to two tenants, with six or four rooms.
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HOUSE No. 12 MYRTLE STREET. Said house contains ten finished rooms, concrete cellar, with furnace; connected is a good stable and carriage house, all in good order; will be sold *cheap!*
Apply to THOS. J. SPINNEY, on the premises.

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THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq.

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A LOT OF FORTY ACRES, more or less, of Pasturage and Woodland, situated in Newington, being a portion of the homestead farm of the late John Fabyan. This lot is mostly covered with a heavy growth of PINE and OAK, the latter suitable for ship timber. It is also well watered, and affords an abundance of feed in the dryest seasons; some positions are suitable for tillage. For further information apply to
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Parties leaving their orders with us can depend upon the LOWEST PRICES in the city.

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Orders left at N. E. Walker & Son's Hat and Fur Store promptly filled.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

Boston, South & West,	8.00, 10.55 A. M.,	3.00, 5.30†	P. M
" Way,	10.55 "	3.00	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	4.35	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.35	"
Concord Way,		4.35	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.35†	"
Dover,	7.40, 10.40 "	4.35	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50,	P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50	P. M
Portland and East,	11.00 "	3.15	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.35 "		
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30	"
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50	"

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

INSPECTION OF PETROLEUM.

The apparatus used in testing petroleum is a copper cylinder, divided into compartments. In the lower one is a spirit lamp, for heating the oil under examination; above this is a copper reservoir for holding water, and in the water is a cup (of metal or glass) for holding the oil to be tested. A thermometer is suspended from a wire in such a manner that the bulb is immersed in the oil, so as to indicate the temperature to which the oil is brought; and when the proper degree of heat is reached a lighted taper is drawn across the cup about one inch above the surface of the oil. When the gas arising from the oil flashes as the taper is drawn through it, the "flashing point" is reached; but the heat is increased until the oil itself takes fire from the taper, and the temperature then indicated is the "flaming point" of the oil. The standard varies in different States, being in this State 100 degrees Farenheit for the flashing point and 110 degrees for the flaming, while Maine demands 120 degrees as the flaming point. Thus in this State, if oil "flashes" before a temperature of 100 degrees is reached, or "flames" at less than 110 degrees, it is not merchantable.

Mr. Robert E. Rich, inspector of petroleum and its products, has made a number of tests in this city, and finding some of the oil not up to the State standard by his tests, has forbidden its sale. This naturally caused some commotion among the dealers in the prohibited oil, some of them having a large amount of it on hand, and they notified the manufacturer of the condition of affairs; and to settle the point in dispute Mr. R. F. Means, a Massachusetts State inspector of petroleum, came to this city on Saturday to test the oil in company with Mr. Rich. A sample of oil drawn from a barrel which had not stood the test was produced, and Mr. Rich made another test in presence of Mr. Means, with the same result as on the former occasion, the oil catching fire at 100 degrees. [The lowest standard for flashing being 100 degrees, no test to determine the flashing point was made until the oil reached that temperature.] Mr. Means then made a test, using a glass cup to hold the oil instead of a metal one as used by Mr. Rich, stating that glass was generally used by prominent inspectors as being a less perfect conductor of heat than metal; with this exception, Mr. Rich's apparatus was used by Mr. Means. The time occupied by Mr. Means in bringing the oil up to the requisite temperature for testing was nearly three times that taken by Mr. Rich; and under Mr. Means' test the oil flashed at 103 degrees and took fire at 110, Mr. Means stating that he could carry the flaming point up to 120 degrees, and that his method is the one employed by the United States & New York petroleum company in all their tests.

It is evident that Mr. Rich's test is the most severe, but consumers will probably not find fault with him for that. It seems to us that the different results attained by the two tests may be accounted for as follows: by raising the oil quickly to a high temperature, it is tested as it comes from the barrel and as it is to be sold—if sold at all—to consumers; while in raising the temperature slowly, time is given for the evaporation of a portion of the volatile (and explosive) part of the oil, and the flashing and flaming points of the oil are of course correspondingly raised. In other words, by a slow test a dangerous oil, or an oil not pure enough to meet the requirements of the State law, is manufactured into a perfectly safe oil that will pass the State test, during the progress of the test itself. Mr. Rich, it will not be questioned, did what he conscientiously considered his duty in condemning the oil referred to; whether he was or was not mistaken we shall not assume to decide. Mr. Dudley, of Manchester, a manufacturer of oil, is perfectly satisfied with Mr. Rich's test, and all the oil of Dudley's manufacture used in this city is tested by the city inspector at the manufacturer's expense.

We found Mr. Means willing to impart any information in his power; he gave us some very interesting details of the manner of making kerosene oil, and some suggestive hints concerning the causes of explosions. In particular, he thinks many explosions of lamps occur from their being kept on mantels over hot stoves during the day, being thus heated to a high temperature and made liable to overheating as soon as lighted in the evening.

WRECKED SOME MORE.

The brig Clara J. Adams, wrecked on the south beacon ledge in this harbor some weeks ago, floated off on Friday night, took a cruise about the harbor and went ashore again on the same ledge. The divers had patched up the holes in her bottom so that she did not make a great deal of water, and two small steam pumps were able to gain on it, a large pump procured from Boston not having been put in use. Pumping was suspended at six o'clock Friday evening, but the tide rose outside the vessel faster than it did in her, and at about eleven o'clock she floated clear of the ledge. The tide got hold of her, and three hawsers that were out—one to Peirce's island, one to Three-Tree island and one to an anchor laid out astern—parted, and away went the brig toward the navy yard. After drifting about over half an hour she swung into the eddy above the beacon and went stern foremost on to the ledge, on its north side and in shore of the beacon, and there she lies now, in a much worse position than when she was first wrecked. At low tide her fore hatch is under water, her stern being high on the rocks; and though the diver reports no new holes made in her, it will cost more to get her off than it did in the first place. There were a number of men aboard while the brig was cruising about, but they were helpless without a steamboat; and why the wreckers did not have a tug at hand is a mystery.

[Communicated.]

A GOOD THING.

A young people's association opened the season, last Thursday evening, at the North Church chapel, with exercises of more than ordinary interest. Besides good music, a lecture was given by a lady upon the progress of literature, illustrating its different epochs. An obelisk covered with hieroglyphics, interpreted by a priest of Or, represented Egyptian culture; there were Assyrian tablets, with their priestly interpreter; a scribe of the middle ages sat before his huge folios, slowly and patiently writing his book, not for the millions but for the few; the bard of the olden time, the song-singer of the castle and hall, appeared before us; Cavalier and Round-head, looking for all the world like Buckingham and Ironsides, illustrated the gay and the grave of a later day. The lecture with its illustrations was well done; clear, graphic, instructive and entertaining. I do not know whether the lady or her coadjutors would like their names called here, but I would say that such entertainments calling out the talent, taste and cultivation of our own people are pleasant, profitable and quickening for the long evenings now soon upon us.

INCHES.

THE REASON.

The *Times* of Friday copies our item about the failure of the anticipated "legal suasion" flood to overwhelm the saloon keepers, and adds: "For the information of the CHRONICLE and all whom it may concern, we would state that the monied prohibitionists who were most anxious to let the flood loose in this city, were not willing to 'come up to the scratch' when consulted by their legal man, James A. Edgerly of Great Falls, who came to this city on Monday last to complete the arrangements for making the descent,—the general plea being that their business would suffer if they showed themselves too conspicuous in pressing the cases. Mr. Edgerly complains that there is a great lack of backbone among professed temperance advocates here who should be the first with their money and voice to encourage him to prosecute, especially after they had got him so far into it as to employ a detective, secure evidence against twenty-four dealers, and make that number of writs. Thus the matter hangs; still there is no knowing what a day may bring forth."

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Semaphore switch-signals (said to be the best invention yet) are being put up all along the line of the Eastern Railroad.

We were on Saturday shown three pears of the Duchess d'Angouleme variety, weighing together three pounds and three-quarters. They grew on a tree in the garden of Mr. W. Freeman on State street, and are the largest and fairest we ever saw that were raised in this vicinity.

Sunday last being the anniversary of Rev. E. M. Grant's pastorate at the Universalist church, the church was tastefully decorated with flowers in honor of the occasion.

The lighthouse steamer "Iris" was in the harbor on Sunday, the inspector of the district being on his regular quarterly tour of inspection.

The finest basket of large pears that we have seen for some time was on exhibition in front of the fruit store of Mr. H. C. Locke on Saturday. They were of the Duchess variety, and raised in the garden of Mr. James F. Jenness on Hanover Street.

The *Times* of Saturday says: "The CHRONICLE reports that Mr. Charles S. Frye's dog was shot yesterday by the police. But Mr. Frye's dog is alive and well to-day, and as well behaved as any o' his kind." Well, perhaps that is so; all we know about it is that the police officer who killed the dog told us he was dead, and as he had some bullet holes in his head, and was lying very quiet, we thought very likely the statement was true. The same authority informed us that the dog was Mr. Frye's, and he was generally following Mr. Frye around, whether he owned him or not. He's dead, anyway.

John S. H. Frink, Esq., of Greenland, has so far recovered from his late serious illness as to be able to ride out.

The old Ham House, at the Creek, just demolished, was occupied by the Ham family for about 200 years, and with all its uninviting exterior, has been the abode of comfort and elegant hospitality to the last. The late Robert Ham told us he had stood at the windows when a child, and seen ships launch from the present site of D. G. Norton's blacksmith shop; and we have seen boys dive off the banks there in our day. The old cellar had to this day a wide door, into which hogsheads of molasses and rum were rolled over the wharf from the good brig Sally, on her returns from the West Indies, lang syne. Mr. Asa Ham, who like his father and grandfather, and children, was born here, says the old house was built of four stories, for a brewery; and has been razeed two or three times when needing repairs. It was almost indestructible. Farewell, old hut; we could have better spared a better structure.—*Weekly.*

"Blake's New Method for the Piano-forte, a complete self-instructor, by Charles D. Blake," is published by White, Smith & Co., Boston, and sold at 75 cts. per copy. It contains, besides the elementary exercises and instructions, a large collection of waltzes, marches, etc., including many popular pieces. We have received from the same publishers "Dem good old times," plantation song and chorus by Henry Newman, "basso and warbler of the troubadour quartette (colored)," a very pretty song, well received when sung by the author in Callender's Georgia Minstrel shows.

The Glory of Woman

is a fine set of teeth as well as a fine head of hair. How the enamel glistens after a good brushing with fragrant Sozodont! Nothing destructive to the teeth can exist on the surface or at the roots, if this vegetable antidote to corrosion is duly applied.

Spalding's Glue will mend anything except a broken heart.

ELEGANT HAIR is woman's crowning beauty. When it fades, she fades as well. While it is kept bright, her personal attractions are still maintained. By preserving the hair fresh and vigorous a youthful appearance is continued through many years. Those who grieve over their failing hair turning gray too early, should know that Ayer's Hair Vigor prevents it, and restores gray or faded hair to its natural color. It is a clean and healthful preparation, containing neither oil, dye, nor anything deleterious, and imparts to the scalp what is most needed—a sense of pleasant and delightful freedom from scurf or dandruff.—*New Berne (N. C.) Times.*

THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfeb16 78

DIED.

JOHNSON, In this city, Oct. 5, Mr. Charles E. Johnson, aged 38 years.

HOLMES. In this city, Oct. 6, Ruthie M. Holmes, daughter of Joseph R. and Lottie L. Holmes.

HANSCOM, In Kittery, Sept. 23d, Miss Rosie A. Hanscom, aged 22 years and 11 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, Oct 5.

Sch Mary S Hontvet, Hunter, Boston.
Sch D K Ham, Freeman, Boston.
Sch G W Raitt, Coleman, Boston.
Sch E M Smith, Raymond, Boston.

SAILED, Oct 6.

Sch Ruth T Carlisle, Smith, Philadelphia.
Sch Arcola, Elliott, Boston.
Sch Charles Carroll, Burdiss, Rockland.

Ship Grandee, Shillaber, at Calcutta Aug 28 unc.
Barque Antioch, Hemingway, at Cebu for New York Aug 3.
Sch Union Flag, Frisbee, New Bedford for Philadephia, arr at Newport Oct 4.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTION!

THE SUBSCRIBER, proposing to devote his entire time and undivided attention to the work, offers his services as

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In the various branches,—PIANO, ORGAN, VOCALIZATION, HARMONY, etc.,—to the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity. All orders received will be promptly attended to. MUSIC ROOM AT

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☞ OFFICE HOURS from 10 o'clock A. M. to 12 M.; pupils instructed at their homes in the afternoon.

The hundreds of residents in this city who have been his pupils in the past are sufficiently aware of his qualifications as a teacher; as a guaranty to others of his ability he would point to the many superior performers in the city who received their instruction mainly or wholly from him.

A. PEARSON.

ODD FELLOWS' MUTUAL RELIEF ASSOC'N

OF ROCKINGHAM CO.

THE QUARTERLY MEETING will be held at Odd Fellows' Hall, Portsmouth, N. H., TUESDAY EVENING, Oct. 9, 1877, at 7½ o'clock.

A full attendance is requested as Amendments to the By-Laws are to be acted upon.

GEORGE ANNABLE, Sec.

CLOTHES WRINGERS REPAIRED.

GREAT REDUCTION! *New Rolls put on to Old Wringers at* $1.50 *each; former price* $2.

REMOVAL.

The undersigned, having been engaged in the business of repairing Clothes Wringers for more than three years, and having in every instance given satisfaction, would solicit a continuance of patronage, and announces that he has removed his shop to **No. 14 WARREN STREET**, corner of Fleet Street. Don't forget the place, when you want your Wringer repaired.

WILLIAM ELLISON.

FALL OF 1877.

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SALE

—OF—

ROOM PAPERS,

Borders,

Window Curtains,

Cords, Tassels,

Curtain Fixtures,

Etc., Etc., Etc.

—AT—

Lower Prices than ever before sold in this city!

☞ Remember they are all NEW GOODS and not remnants.

Cloth Curtains from 35 cts. to $2.00 each.

Room Papers from 6 cts. to $1.50 per roll.

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PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK

—OF—

SPRING AND SUMMER

GOODS.

—AT—

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NO. 8 MARKET SQUARE.

Having received a full assortment of

FOREIGN & DOMESTIC

CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, ETC.,

is prepared to make them up into garments of the most style or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and

Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed.

HIS STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR

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☞ Particular attention paid to the making of

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Constantly on hand, consisting of

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Suspenders, Collars,
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Daily Chronicle.

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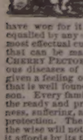

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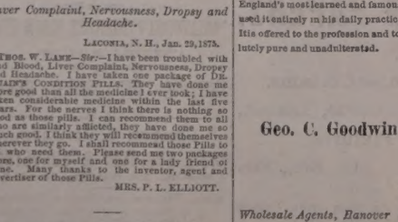

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any state meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing decomed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—he said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing adjudgeed to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or place that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any drain, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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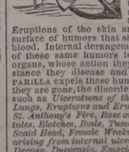

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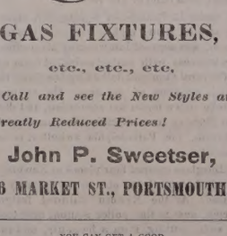

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 199 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Little Isaac.

Peters' history of Connecticut, published in 1781, has the following description of the tree-frog: "The tree-frog cannot be called an insect, a reptile, or one of the winged host; he has four legs, the two foremost short, with claws as sharp as those of a squirrel; the hind-legs five inches long, and folding by three joints. His body is about as big as the first joint of a man's thumb. Under his throat is a wind-bag, which assists him in singing the word I-saac all the night. When it rains, and is very dark, he sings the loudest. His voice is not so pleasing as that of the nightingale; but this would be a venial imperfection, if he would but keep silence on Saturday nights, and not forever prefer Isaac to Abraham and Jacob. He has more elasticity in his long legs than any other creature yet known. By this means he will leap five yards up a tree, fastening himself to it by his forelegs, and in a moment will hop or spring as far from one tree to another. It is from the singing of the tree-frog that the Americans have acquired the name of Little Isaac. Indeed, like a certain part of them, the creature appears very devout, noisy, arbitrary, and phlegmatic, and associates with none but what agree with him in his ways."

Shawl Pin in the Lungs.

A case of much interest in the medical profession is that of a young daughter of W. G. Corbin of Union, Conn. On the 3d of last September she swallowed a shawl pin, which was received in the left lung. For six weeks she experienced no trouble, but at the expiration of that time she had inflammation of the lungs. She was attended by the local physicians, and at length Dr. Storrs of Hartford was sent for, this being mid-winter. He advised the parents, who were of course very anxious and alarmed, to trust to the chance of the pin being coughed up, rather than have an incision made for the removal of it. This course was pursued. The child recovered her usual condition of health, nearly, and in May coughed up a portion of the pin, it having rusted in two. On the 26th of July the rest of the pin, the head piece, was likewise gotten rid of, and the child is as well as ever. She had lived for eleven long months with a shawl pin, over two inches long, in her lungs.

Tasteful to the Last.

There comes to us the story of the death of a beautiful woman of this city, whose mind was somewhat given to the contemplation of the styles. While she lay sick she was particular about color and light and the general tone of the room, and never received a visitor without a red or blue shawl thrown across one shoulder and part of the pillow, to keep her from "looking like a death's head." She didn't intend to die. "It was such a disenchanting process," she said. When it was discovered that she must die, her husband broke the news to her very gently. She was a little distressed, but not much agitated. She had only one request to make. It was: "My darling, don't let that horrid Mrs. — make my outfit. Her fits are sickening, and she overtrims terribly; besides, she will be sure to spell myrtle 'm-u-r-t-e-l' in the bill"—*Indianapolis Herald.*

—The mate of a ship—Another similar ship.

—A queer mourner at a boy's funeral in Orangeburg, Ky., the other day, was a small, pet pig. It followed its little master's remains to the grave, trotting along under the hearse some seven miles to the burial ground.

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Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1877.

Circuit Court of the United States.

October Term, before Shepley, J. The court came in at Exeter, on Monday forenoon.

Grand Jurors reported as follows: Wm. H. L. Brackett, Greenland; Joshua A. Lane, Hampton; John H. Gove, Hampton Falls; Milton S. Laine, Samuel Savage, Newmarket; Wm. D. Fernald, Isaiah Wilson, Wm. G. Billings, Samuel G. Hooper, Portsmouth; Samuel S. Chase, Stratham; H. P. Wingate, Bradbury Purrington, Exeter; Caas. G. Swain, Barrington; Lewis B. Laskey, John S. Hayes, Dover; William G. Langmaid, Durham; Samuel E. DeMerritt, Lee; Dearborn D. Caswell, Strafford; Orrin Batchelder, North Hampton; James W. W. Brown, Kensington; Isaiah Wilson, Esq., was appointed Foreman.

The Petit jurors in attendance are Chas. Foss, Greenland; Zaccheus Brown, Hampton; Benj. F. Weare, Hampton Falls; Albert H. Darrell, Newmarket; Levi Marston, North Hampton; Oliver Stacy, Jere. D. Goodrich, Portsmouth; John C. Hall, Barrington; James Y. DeMerritt, Lucius Everett, Dover; Wm. Tuttle, Durham; Benj. Y. Piper, Lee; Stephen Leighton, Strafford. Frank J. Philbrick and Tobias E. Burke, of Portsmouth, were excused.

At the call of the docket the action Bartlett Land & Lumber Co. *vs.* Daniel Saunders, an important case involving titles to large tracts of land on the line of the Portland & Ogdensburg Railroad, was continued; and cases Town of Franklin *vs.* Norcross, and Hutchings *vs.* the Peterboorough Railroad, were marked for the jury. There were but few counsel in attendance. Case Whitehouse *vs.* Travellers Insurance Co. was marked for trial.

First case for jury is Town of Franklin *vs.* Norcross, for damage in destroying the town's bridge over the Pemigewassett river, June 11, 1872. The damages claimed are $10,000. Pike and Barnard for the town; Hatch for the defendant.

In the suit in equity of Woodward Emery, administrator of the estate of Wm. B. Dodge, *vs.* Henry L. Dodge, which is a proceeding on the part of the creditors of the late W. B. Dodge to declare a conveyance of his farm in Hampton, made to said Henry April 22, 1871, to be void as against his creditors, the Court announced a decision that William B. Dodge was insolvent at time of the execution of the deed, April 22, 1871, that the conveyance was voluntary and without legal consideration, and was a conveyance of the said property to the respondent to be held in trust, for the benefit and to the use of the grantors and was void as against the creditors of W. B. Dodge; that the said Henry L. Dodge make and execute such conveyances as under the direction of A. R. Hatch, Esq., specially appointed as a Master in the case, shall be adequate to revest in the estate of said W. B. Dodge, subject to the claims of the creditors of said estate, all such interest in said real estate described in said deed as he derived under and by virtue of said conveyance, excepting what interest the Portsmouth Savings Bank have derived under their mortgage, their right not being prejudiced, impaired, or in any way affected or changed by the decree; and that the said Henry L. Dodge account for the nett proceeds and profits of said estate since the date of the filing of the bill, and that the cause be referred to Albert R. Hatch, Esq., to take account of the rents and profits aforesaid and prepare such instruments of conveyance as shall be necessary to carry out this decree. Emery and R. D. Smith for complainants; Frink and Butler for deft.

The Grand Jury reported in the afternoon, presenting one indictment against Nelson L. Horton of Manchester for passing a counterfeit ten dollar note on the Mutual National Bank of Troy, New York, to Clarence E. Currier. The jury were then discharged.

The case Town of Franklin *vs.* Norcross et als., is set down for trial at nine o'clock this morning, unless referred, of which there was some prospect at the adjournment in the afternoon.

The Court comes in this morning at nine o'clock.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C. Oct. 5th.

The commission to inspect the public buildings and report their liability to destruction from fire, says they are found "literal tinder boxes." The United States Observatory with its many valuable instruments is at the mercy of a chance spark; and the attic of Winder's building is crowded full with 26 Auditor's vouchers, representing over $1,900,000,000, with hardly any provision for extinguishing a fire. The War and Navy Departments, to be examined to-day, will be found, it is believed, similarly prepared, with the records of those branches of the service from the foundation of the Government, for a conflagration that would wipe them all out in one short hour. Even our magnificent Capitol, erected at a cost of more than $20,000,000, is in constant peril from the same source. It is expected an appropriation to make them all fireproof, and to secure the safety of the public archives, will be asked of the extra session, as well as one to repair or rebuild the portion of the Patent Office destroyed.

Another batch of frauds, this time in the 6th Auditor's Office. It appears that a clerk, one O'Brien, was for years in collusion with certain mail contractors; and by means of his manipulation of the books and pay accounts to which he had free access in his official capacity, double payments to them were often made. While absent on his annual leave double payments were discovered to two mail contractors, aggregating $15,000. One has made restitution and the other has promised to do so. The exact extent of O'Brien's operations are not yet publicly known. When confronted with the evidences of his guilt, he confessed.

Donn Piatt in the last issue of the *Capital* asserts that he will furnish evidence to convict Generals Ingalls and Marcy (McClellan's father-in-law) of having been bribed into recommending the Cowles and Bregg moth exterminator, by which it was folsted on the Government at a cost of thousands of dollars. Of course such insinuations against high-toned army officials startled "good society," which means those with plenty of money without much regard to any other consideration. KNOX.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Constantinople says that Mukhtar Pasha telegraphs under date of Friday that, after a three-days' battle around Zamtar, (Asia Minor,) the Russians abandoned their positions. The Russian loss is estimated at 5000, including 150 officers. The Turkish loss is set down at 2000.

An official despatch received in Washington from Russia indicates that the Russian campaign of the present season will prove a failure.

America at the French Exhibition.

The position of American manufacturers and citizens with respect to the forthcoming Paris Exposition having, at the request of leading bankers, manufacturers and merchants, been represented to the French Government, by Frederick R. Caudert, Esq., of New York, the Duke de Cazes, the French Minister of Foreign Affairs, has in behalf of his Government given notice that all obstructive official regulations will be waived and Americans admitted to the Exposition upon the simple introduction of the American Minister at Paris. By this action of the French Government legislation and appropriations by the United States Congress are, it is said, rendered unnecessary, and it only remains for those interested to organize a general committee to take charge of the administration of affairs affecting the general welfare that have hitherto been superintended by Congressional Commissioners. To this end a large number of prominent firms of New York have issued a call for a public meeting, to be held in that city on the 11th inst.

News and Notes.

The Mexican population of El Paso, Texas, has risen and seized all the civil authorities and hold all of them prisoners in the jail. The rioters number about 400 and have scouts, pickets and sentinels posted. All the Americans in the county are in peril of their lives. The rioters are expecting aid from volunteers from the Mexican side. Texan volunteers are called for to protect the frontier. Another account says that the affair is but a squabble between two factions, each claiming proprietorship in some salt lakes.

The Mayor of Fernandina, Fla., earnestly appeals for aid for the fever stricken city. He says: "We cry for help, and cry for it now in the name of that God who hath touched us with His woful judgment. We implore you to give us help." There have been 800 cases of yellow fever, and 60 deaths; and there are now 300 persons ill, in a population of 1600.

A report from the wreck, Monday, says the owners of the steamer Massachusetts think the vessel will not prove a total loss, and with good weather hope to have her off the rocks and in New York in a few days. There was no accident to the machinery; the captain lost his reckoning, and the boat steamed ashore on the rocks, stem on. The deck hands proved utterly worthless in the boats, not knowing how to pull an oar at all, much to the disgust of the passengers, who were not before aware that the seamen on these big steamboats are entirely innocent of any knowledge of a seaman's duty, being merely cargo handlers. The other boat of the Providence Line, the Rhode Island, has been taken off the route for this season.

Senator Morton is worse, and his friends have little hope of his recovery.

Smith R. Phillips, of Springfield, Mass., a prominent and highly respected business man, was accused last week by his partners in business with having swindled them out of several thousand dollars by falsifying the book accounts of the firm. He at once broke down under the accusation, and died on Sunday from mortification and grief. Morton, the Philadelphia swindler, is not dead yet.

Burglars entered four places at Newburyport Friday night, obtaining no booty of value. At the Eastern Railroad freight depot, next to the police station, they took a safe, putting it on a hand-car, and ran down the track, but were unable to beat it open. They have made fifty entries within a hundred days, without being seen. They are supposed to be boys.

The Supreme Court of New York has decided against Jay Gould in the case of his Black Friday gold brokers, whom he "went back on" after ordering them to purchase $8,000,000 in gold. The court has ordered Gould to pay $442,000 to the brokers.

Samuel Cluff, of Saco, Me., recently took into market seven squashes of the Hubbard variety, which together weighed 828 1-2 lbs. The heaviest three weighed respectively 141, 136 and 128 lbs.

The fishermen living on the lonely island of Hitteren, off the coast of Norway, have had for generations a tradition that on shoals near the island, over a century ago, a large ship was wrecked. Divers searched for the vessel this summer, and easily found her. Since then portions of the cargo, including ninety-six cannon, twelve anchors, and 200 poods of lead, have been recovered. The cannon bear the date 1716. It has been discovered that the ill-fated ship was a Russian man-of war, and that while on a voyage from Cronstadt to Archangel in 1760 she was wrecked.

Col. Henry R. Sibley, of Boston, was arrested on Saturday on a charge of forgery, which he confessed having committed. Col. Sibley stood high in the community; he served with distinction during the war, was at one time Department Commander of the G. A. R. of Massachusetts, and was the messenger appointed by the Electoral College of the State to carry the vote to Washington last year.

The wife of Ben Cooper of Camp Colorado, Texas, recently gave birth to four children at once. One of the children died, but the rest, with the mother, are doing well.

When General Grant visits Rome, the Italian government proposes to have, in his honor, one of the most elaborate street pageants which has been seen there since the days of the Cæsars.

New Hampshire Items.

A bank in Nashua was "busted" last week, owing to a severe run upon it. It was a faro bank, and the police ran it and its manager into the police station.

The Protestant clergymen of Manchester held a meeting, Saturday afternoon, to make arrangements for a series of meetings to be conducted by Messrs. Moody and Sankey. It is understood that the Evangelists will spend a month in that city during the coming season.

Two cars, loaded with birchwood, on the Mount Washington Railway, broke away from the engine on Friday, and left the track at the end of the cog rail, going about thirty rods on the ties and destroying a trestle bridge of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad. No one was injured.

Mr. Charles W. Bean of Chester recently met with a painful accident. He was standing upon a log engaged in cutting it off, when suddenly the log broke down, throwing him headlong upon his axe in such a manner as to cut the cords of his left wrist. He will probably lose the use of his hand.

Mrs. Joseph C. Langford of Candia had her left arm broken just above the wrist by a cow which she was milking being frightened by a dog, and kicking.

A young French boy, son of John Naire, got his head badly hurt in the picker room of the China mill at Suncook, on Wednesday evening.

In the Supreme Court at Dover, Saturday, in the case brought against the town of Somersworth by Dr. Boynton to recover damages for injuries caused by his horse being frightened in the streets of Great Falls three years ago, the jury rendered a verdict in favor of the plaintiff for $8333. This is the heaviest verdict ever rendered against a town in Strafford County.

The Samoan Monarch.

Consul Steinberger arrived at New York on the 3d inst. He says he established a constitutional monarchy at Samoa, was made Premier, and established schools and a printing press. He also established religious freedom, which enraged the London Missionary Society, the result of all being a British ship-of-war taking him away by force to New Zealand, from whence he worked his way to England, where he was kindly received by Lord Derby, who had the captain of the British war ship dismissed from the service. Lord Derby promised reparation as soon as Mr. Steinberger can show that he was recognized by the American Government. He says ex-Secretary Fish treated him shabbily, and Steinberger has come home now to secure documents to show his citizenship and show his recognition as representative of the United States at Samoa. The British in the Pacific Ocean want to make a colony of the country. Mr. Steinberger says: "I met Caleb Cushing in Paris and asked his opinion as to the point whether I had expatriated myself by taking an official position under an unrecognized Government created by myself under influences marked out for me by the authorities at Washington. Mr. Cushing gave me clearly to understand that such an idea was absurd, and that I was fully entitled to United States recognition and protection."

—The apartments of the two eldest sons of the Prince of Wales on her Majesty's training ship for cadets, the Britannia, have been fitted up at a cost of nearly $15,000, but the princes hadn't been on board forty-eight hours before the commonest kind of a twenty-five cent seasick came along and laid them by the heels, and emptied enough royalty out of them to stock up half a dozen ordinary kingdoms.

—The Chicago papers say that Mr. William Henry Smith has taken possession of his office as collector of customs in that boisterous town, and officially announced that he will serve his country from 11 A. M., to half past twelve, and from four to half past four in the afternoon. This will make altogether two full hours' service out of each twenty-four, and as the salary is only six thousand dollars a year, people will be likely to conclude that Mr. Smith is selling a large amount of time for a ridiculously small sum of money.

—A Barnesville (W. Va.,) signer of the Murphy pledge went to Wheeling a few days ago, and after transacting his business, while waiting for the train to take him home, was induced to forget his pledge to such an extent as to get drunk. He fell asleep as soon as the cars started, and the conductor had no easy task to awaken him. After he was aroused, instead of presenting his ticket he handed the conductor his Murphy pledge. The conductor punched the pledge and wrote on it "one drunk." The Barnesville gentleman's dismay may be imagined when the next day he exhibited his pledge to prove he was a Murphy man.

—A cow was recently taken for debt from a poor family in Newburyport. Two benevolently disposed ladies learning of the matter raised the money to redeem the cow, and themselves drove her down High street back to the family from whom she had been taken.

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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	6.30 "	
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TRAIN TIME CHANGED.

The fall and winter arrangement of the Eastern Railroad and its connections went into operation on Monday, a large number of important changes being made. No train leaves Boston for this city after half-past seven o'clock in the morning, until half-past twelve o'clock in the afternoon; and only one train leaves this city for Boston after the 11:05 o'clock train in the forenoon, and that one starts at half-past five. Three trains each way are taken off between Boston and Portsmouth, two are discontinued on the Dover Railroad, one on the Great Falls & Conway, and one through train to Bangor. The half-past three o'clock train from this city for Boston, and the half-past eight o'clock forenoon train from Boston for this city, will be as much missed as any of those that have been taken off. The time of starting of trains, corrected for the new arrangement, will be found in the usual place.

POLICE COURT.

Sunday, October 7th.

Three young men from Rye were brought up, charged with "rude, indecent and disorderly conduct" in using abusive and threatening language to a man at Rye on the evening of the previous Friday, the young men being in the road and the aggrieved party in his own house. The accused parties being anxious to avoid being locked up, Judge Batchelder consented to open court, and they were arraigned and admitted to bail.

Monday, October 8th.

Mary Morrissey, for keeping her drinking saloon open on Sunday, was fined $10, costs $6.90, which she paid.

The young men from Rye appeared to answer to the case against them continued from Sunday. The evidence for the prosecution was not positive, while the defence made out a pretty good alibi, as alibis go, so they were discharged.

SOLD THEMSLEVES.

Mr. Albert Dow, of Rye, last week made arrangements to have an old fashioned husking party, and issued notice thereof to those whom he desired to be present. A party of young gentlemen in this city, getting wind of the proposed good time, concluded to patronize it without waiting the formality of a pressing invitation, and on Thursday evening loaded a beach wagon with themselves and drove down. Arrived at Mr. Dow's they invaded the barn, found a big pile of corn and commenced husking; several of the neighbors, having seen the big team go by, and from that concluded the husking was to come off that evening, joined the industrious party in the barn; and Mr. Dow, delighted at the vigorous work done by them, generously furnished the cider for all hands. After some hours' hard work, finding no girls arrived and seeing no preparations made for a feast, the Portsmouth party returned home, sadder if not wiser men. The fellows who went to the *real* husking party, Friday evening, report a glorious time, the chowder and clam soup being lovely, the goose done to a turn, the pumpkin pies of the genuine old fashioned kind, and the mixtures (tea, coffee, etc.,) made in pitchers seductively delicious; while the dance in the barn floor with the girls, to the music of a good fiddle, after the work was done, was almost quite too awfully jolly for anything. Mr. Dow explained to the husking party that they would have had more corn to husk but for the kindness of a party of young gentlemen from Portsmouth, who came down the evening before and worked like heroes till after midnight, just for the pure love of husking.

[Communicated.]

SCHOOL REGULATORS.

Editor of Chronicle; Your correspondents "X. Y. Z." and "Revilo" too widely censure in the first instance, and too extensively approve in the second, the action of the new Board of Instruction, to satisfy the public generally. Extreme partisanship in either case seems to partake of the absurd, for while there may be just complaint at some of the rules adopted by the Board, there can be no doubt that other rules are very excellent improvements over the practices of school committees in the past. Assuming that "regulators" like "X. Y. Z." and "Revilo" are so diametrically opposed as to never agree except by conversion to each other's views, (even as pendulums when regularly oscillating go quickly to opposite sides and never compromise while in the vigor of motion by any half-way pauses,) it seems that to expose wholly the cause of either is practically to offer no common ground on which to meet and harmonize.

That part of the fourth rule adopted at last week's meeting of the Board, providing that "no new teachers shall hereafter be appointed in the primary or intermediate schools, who are not graduates of some good normal school," seems at first sight to be altogether heartless. I never taught pupils, and do not know what could induce me to take charge of even a primary school, yet I have great sympathy for those who devote their time and talents to the instruction of the young. It strikes me that a teacher who has been a graduate of some normal school should be qualified to take charge of a higher grade of schools than either the primary or intermediate, or in other words should be capable of earning a larger salary than can be given for these grades.

It may be well to provide that schools requiring a principal should have a teacher with a normal school education. It is a known fact that teaching requires something besides culture and cultivation. Many persons of culture make poor teachers, while others whose facilities for learning have been sadly cut short for want of means, have the natural talent that enables them to impart to pupils the information they have. Our Board of Instruction is composed of earnest, well-meaning and thoughtful citizens, and I can hardly understand why the majority came to adopt such an apparently unreasonable clause as that I have quoted. The capacity to impart knowledge is in most cases a natural gift. The pupils of to-day may be, should be, the teachers of the future. Culture improves the gift, and ambition will excite the pupil to endeavor to attain an efficiency that will ensure a reward by teaching. It is safe to say that a majority of the pupils in our schools do not expect, and their parents or guardians cannot afford them, a normal school education. The new regulation cuts off a majority of them from earning a livelihood by teaching, shutting off one of the paths leading to self-maintenance. Once more, I say, the action of the Board appears heartless in the extreme. A common humanity should lead us to care for our own. The world is full of snubs for the young, and it is wholly unnecessary for a Board which should represent the parents of the community, to trample under foot the growing and untried ambitions of those who in maturer years may become as good citizens and valuable committee men as those who now so cruelly "sit down on" them. ROLAND.

WORK VS. THE TRAMP.

Cold weather is approaching; the tramps that during the warm weather have slept in barns or in the woods will soon have to seek other quarters, and our city will secure its full share of their patronage—at least, it has always been generously patronized by them in the past. In view of the fact that about all the charity of the city can be advantageously bestowed upon its own deserving poor, without furnishing food and lodging for the worthless, lazy, criminal vagabonds of all creation, would it not be well to adopt some plan by which those of the latter class that are lodged and fed in the police station may be compelled to pay for their entertainment, by giving two or three hours' work in the morning? [We are under the impression that something of this kind has been suggested before! True, it has never been acted upon, but that is no reason it should not be.] In Springfield, Mass., the authorities adopted the plan of making every applicant for lodgings break a certain amount of stone for the streets next morning, to pay for what he had received; unfortunate laboring men, reduced to ask the city aid, gladly gave their labor, and the professional tramps had to do it or go to jail, and the result was that the latter class gave that city a wide berth,—for the true tramp, though he likes a county house, where he gets plenty to eat and nothing to do in winter, hates a jail almost as sincerely as he does work. This city, which is famous among tramps as furnishing lodgings, excellent coffee and first-class pilot bread, but no work, to all the bummers that come along, has been in winters past a regular tramps' paradise, and will be again the coming winter, unless something is done to prevent it. The city will have many outdoor pensioners to care for this winter, and a large amount of firewood will be distributed among them; why would it not be a good plan for the city to purchase a quantity of cord wood and some saw horses and buck saws, and provide some place where the tramps could be made to saw as much wood as would liquidate their hotel bill with mine host Entwistle? If there was such provision made, the police could easily (and would) see to it that each tramp did the specified amount of work or else went to jail; and the moment the tramps learned—and they would mighty soon learn—that they would have to work if they came here, they would act the part of a certain Scripture character, and pass by on the other side. Suppose that the city, to carry out this plan, did have to pay rent for some old barn or other building in which to store the unsawed wood and in which a single officer could watch the tramps while at work; that would be more economical than to give free lunch to all the loafers who demand it, to say nothing of the advantage of keeping the city to a great extent clear of the pests.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

An alarm of fire, at about three o'clock Monday afternoon, was occasioned by the partial burning of the roof of Mr. Joshua Stackpole's joiner shop on Mechanic street, which probably took fire from a spark from the foundry. More damage was done by water than by the fire.

The fog-horn on Whale's-back was sounding all day Monday. We have not heard from the fishermen how effective it is as a signal at sea, but it sounds well on shore.

Several gentlemen who used to be base ball players, but are now supposed to have arrived at years of discretion, drove to the Plains Monday afternoon to take positions in a "picked nine" for a game with the Granite States. Not having quite men enough when they got there, one of the party returned to town with the team to take out some more; and just after he left, the alarm of fire was given. Procession for town was immediately formed, one of the Granite State boys, who is also a member of the fire department, leading off; and it is asserted that whenever he struck a puddle in the road the men at work in the fields on each side immediately rushed for shelter from the shower. The game of base ball was postponed to a more convenient season,—the gentleman who drove into town to catch another player, after he caught him driving out to the Plains again by a different road from that taken by the procesession, and arriving there to find the grounds entirely deserted, not even a broken bat being left on the field.

The Odd Fellows' Mutual Relief Association of Rockingham county holds its quarterly meeting this evening at Odd Fellows' Hall, at 7:30 o'clock. See advertisement.

The Direct United States Cable Company announce that an interruption has occurred in the short section of their cable between Rye Beach and Nova Scotia, but it does not, however, affect the due transmission of telegrams to Europe, which are now being forwarded to Nova Scotia by the land lines.

The much-wrecked schooner George L. Treadwell, formerly of this port but now of Baltimore, which was bilged and sunk on Chincoteague Shoal last winter, sold and raised, sent to the West Indies, capsized and sunk again off Nassau, N. P., and again raised, arrived at Baltimore last week with a cargo of salt, having been caught in (and weathered) the great gale.

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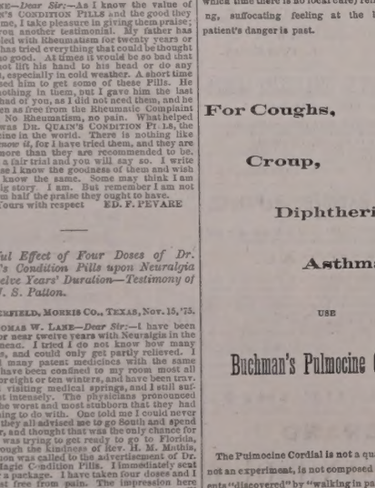

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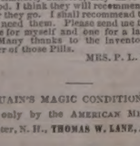

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vendor of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one of more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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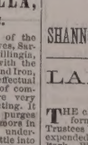

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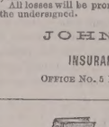

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

Railway Carriages in India.

The railway carriages of India are, I fancy, the most complete of any in the world, forced to be so by that potent mother of inventions; for, as you may imagine, a trip across India in the Summer, with a sun tossing the mercury like a plaything well up above the hundred, carelessly shooting it higher and higher all day long, is no over comfortable journey under the most favorable of circumstances. "Open the window," do you suggest? This might be well when dashing through a jungle; but the jungles do not last forever, while the journey takes "forever and a day" (everyone seems to be of this opinion before they have finished it), and much of the distance is through wheat fields, rice fields, poppy and barley fields; and considerable yet remaining is over tracts where nothing but the sand shrub, the sage bush and the sand moss flourish. Those are the hottest parts of the journey, and if you open a window there, you will have a thick coating of sand sticking fast to your face, hands and clothing, in half an hour, that would keep you warm in mid-winter. The carriages are short, divided in the center by a double partition which contains a washbowl and all appurtences thereto. The seats of each compartment are broad divans upon the sides and ends, four of them, and for the night four more are lowered from the top, forming beds for eight people in each compartment. Oh, the luxury! I would I could describe it, of lying in one of those upper divans through a long moonlight night, gazing out of the window over India. To counteract the powerful heat, the arrangements which the company have produced are most ingenious and complete. The carriage has a double roof; the windows are surrounded with bamboo awnings; the floor directly under the feet is but open lattice work, under which is a thick mat of moss, and under the moss an air chamber, only open at the front, where iron wind sails extend beyond the car. At the end of each car is a large tank of water, which water is conveyed through tubes, and kept continually dropping over the matting; the moss is saturated, and the wind caught in the sails by the motion of the cars, is driven into the air-chamber, through the moss, and comes up through the open floor into the carriage, a damp, cool, refreshing atmosphere. The final point they have not yet succeeded in attaining; that arrangement which shall continue the cool breeze, while the car is standing still. The most uncomfortable sensation imaginable, is that produced when the car stops in a dry, sultry plain, after the spin has been drinking the moisture for half an hour. The cool air settles instantly into the moss, and the dry heat creeping in through inconceivable crevices, calls at once for every drop of moisture that has been absorbed, and has it returned from every pore, in good measure.

—Mattie Strickland, the St. John's (Mich.) girl who was married a few years ago to Leo Miller of Minnesota, according to a free-love contract of their own drawing up, is said to have arisen and gone home unto her father.

—A monster reptile in the Mississippi river is creating great consternation wherever he has appeared. At New Madrid, Missouri, last week, as a ferry boat containing two wagons and three horsemen was crossing the river and while in the middle of it there was a violent shaking of the boat. The shock was like the motion of an earthquake, but the second lifted the boat clear from the water and almost capsized it, the horses retaining a standing position with difficulty. The waves washed clear across the boat from bow to stern. Almost at the same moment, forty feet away, an immense object was seen cutting through the water with irresistible force. In a little while the monster disappeared beneath the water. The occupants of the boat on reaching the shore reported their experience, and an expedition is being organized to watch the river and kill the reptile. So the papers say.

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Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1877.

"Fraud First Triumphant in American History."

When Charles Francis Adams wrote his famous twaddle to Samuel J. Tilden about Hayes' election being secured by "fraud first triumphant in American history," Boss Tweed had not given the public an "official" expose of the methods adopted by the organized corruption of New York city to carry elections for the democratic party; but those methods were as well known as was the fact that James K. Polk was elected President by the Plaquemine Parish frauds in Louisiana and the Empire Club frauds in New York, and Mr. Adams could hardly have been ignorant of either. True, the democratic press was once as noisy in denying the Tammany frauds as it is now silent about them; but there is no further use in keeping up a system of persistent denial of proved facts, now that the Tammany Boss has confessed the Tammany tactics, and his statements are undisputed by the Tammany officials in whose presence he confessed. Tweed's active connection with Tammany politics covers a period of at least twenty-five years, and he says: "I don't think there was ever a fair and honest election in the city of New York." Tweed also tells how he and the other Tammany fugiers, with John T. Hoffman, Horatio Seymour and others, managed matters in 1868 so as to give the electoral vote of New York to Seymour and the governorship to Hoffman, in spite of a heavy adverse majority in the State. He says that having determined that Tammany's count in the city should override the people's vote in the State, "it was necessary that in the State they should not know the result in the city; one thing we did was to take possession of the wires, and it was determined to have the Bible telegraphed from beginning to end over the wires, so as to keep them employed; that was the only use a great many of them ever made of it." There is no reason whatever to believe that the election in 1876 was any more honest than the one of 1868, or that Tilden had any more right to the electoral vote of New York than Seymour had. Neither is there any prospect that Tweed will ever see "a fair and honest election in the city of New York," for Tammany still rules, and Tammany is organized fraud now, just the same as it has been in years past.

Circuit Court of the United States.

Tuesday, Oct. 9th. Case Town of Franklin vs. Norcross was referred and continued.

Nelson L. Horton, of Manchester, was arraigned for passing a counterfeit note of a National Bank at Troy, N. Y.; plea, not guilty. Trial assigned for Wednesday.

Case Whitehouse, administrator of Horace Gowen, late of Dover, vs. the Traveller Insurance Co., in order for trial on Wednesday. This action is brought to recover amount insured by the defendant company, in the sum of $3000, against accidental death, etc., which happened to the deceased June 22, 1879. The defendant denies that the death was caused either through external violent means or by accident. Copeland for plff.; Hobbs for deft.

United States vs. the New Hampshire Savings Bank. A part of the forenoon of Monday was consumed in the discussion of the disposition to be made of this action, which is a suit brought under the Internal Revenue law to recover certain taxes upon deposits since December, 1873. Mr. Pike, who appeared for the bank and said that he also represented a savings bank in his own town, Franklin, maintained that there should be delay until an application for abatement should be heard. The District Attorney said that the Department had enjoined upon him the duty of disposing of these claims for duties, and he was anxious to make some progress in the case. The Court intimated that the District Attorney had full power to commence suits and it was his duty to prosecute violations of the law. The case was allowed to stand open. The Court said that the question raised ought to be determined, for the benefit of the banks as well as of the Government, by the highest Court of the land.

The Court adjourned to Wednesday morning at eleven o'clock, when Judge Clark will appear, and hold the Court, Judge Shepley having returned to Portland in the afternoon.

Suspension of the "Patriot."

The *Daily Patriot* of Concord, Col. E. C. Bailey, proprietor, announced on Monday evening that it will suspend publication after November 1st. The weekly will, however, be continued under the same management as for the past five years. The cause assigned for the suspension is chiefly of a financial nature, the proprietor, though abundantly able, not caring to continue the publication of a daily at a loss of some $3000 or $4000 a year. Non-political support is also assigned as another reason for discontinuing the paper. In this connection, the following from Monday evening's *Patriot* is of interest:

"Unless the leaders in the democratic party heal their differences and become united and give what support they may have to one central paper, we see no encouragement to struggle single-handed against a united opposition in the publication of a daily paper, when those who receive the benefit of such labor are unwilling to recognize the services rendered, or lift a hand to assist in carrying the load. We believe that the nation is drifting in the right direction, and that a large majority of the people are conservative and will sustain the right and steadily oppose the wrong; we believe that the great business and industrial interests of the country are thoroughly in earnest to put down extremists in all parties, and that political tricksters and political demagogues have had their day, and that henceforth the people will have their say, and that they will not give heed to agitators or to ambitious political manipulators, to the detriment of the public good."

The *Patriot*, under Col. Bailey's management, has been a newsy, readable paper; but the democratic in politics it has never been rabid, and has always refused to preach the gospel according to the New York *Sun* and New Haven *Register*, which is probably a principal reason why it has failed to receive the encouragement it deserved at the hands of the New Hampshire democracy.

Political.

The nomination of Allen C. Beach for Secretary of State, by the democrats of New York, is a great triumph for that identical Canal Ring which "Sammy the ring-breaker" smashed so effectually, according to democratic accounts. Beach is to the Canal Ring what Tweed was to Tammany. The convention showed considerable forbearance in not nominating Mr. Tweed for State Treasurer.

It is stated that the President prefers a southern democrat instead of a northern one as Speaker of the House, as he considers that an ex-Confederate there would be an additional indication of the desire of the North to bury sectional jealousies.

Adams, clerk of the last House of Representatives, whose duty is to make up the roll of the new House, has finished that job, and gives the democrats 12 majority. He has managed this by leaving off the names of two republicans from Louisiana and one from Florida, who were elected, and putting on in their places three democrats who were not elected; and by leaving off the name of the republican Congressman from Colorado. The great Adams is entitled to a vote of thanks from the republicans for not excluding all the republicans elected, and making the House unanimously democratic.

Business Notes.

A new line of steamships will be placed upon the route between New York and Venezuela early next month. There will be two vessels, one of twelve hundred tons and another of eleven hundred tons. Departure will be made from New York every seventeen days. Venezuela will extend unusual facilities to the enterprise.

President Vanderbilt has ordered an advance of five per cent. to be made upon the compensation of all employes of the New York Central and Lake Shore lines, affected by the reduction of ten per cent. in July last. If business continues to increase at the rate of the past two months, it is said to be Vanderbilt's intention to carry out the restoration till it covers the entire reduction.

The Pioneer Land and Loan Bank of San Francisco has suspended. Liabilities $2,000,000, assets $1,000,000.

News and Notes.

Gold on Monday was down to 102 1-2, and dull at that.

Thomas Van Foster and Thomas Lewis, notorious counterfeiters, have been arrested in Philadelphia and a large quantity of counterfeit trade dollars, halves and quarters, found in their possession.

The War Office has received official despatches confirming the press reports of General Miles' encounter with the Nez Perces. The fight took place on the Smoke Creek, about seven miles from its mouth. The country where the Indians have taken refuge is said to be equal to the famous Lava Beds, where the Modocs fought. It is believed that General Miles has sufficient forces to keep the Indians at bay until reinforcements can reach him, but even if he has, it is thought the Indians can defend their position until the cold weather forces the troops to seek their winter compartments.

A politician who sued the Springfield (Ill.) *Journal* for $5000 damages for calling him an intolerable nuisance, has been given by an appreciative jury a verdict for one cent. Even this the paper refuses to pay, and it threatens to appeal the case.

The United States Treasurer has received advices from the agent of the United States Depository at Tucson, Arizona, acknowledging the receipt of a letter containing an exchange on New York amounting to $100,000, sent from the Treasury to that agency in May last. The mail rider bearing despatches was murdered by the Indians, and the letter, left with other despatches on the scene of the murder, was found recently by a scout and forwarded, after lying in the pure, dry atmosphere of that region nearly six months in a perfect state.

In view of the alarming increase of murders in Iowa since the death penalty was abolished, the Dubuque *Times* calls for the restoration of that penalty.

James E. Cope, a British subject, has complained to the English government that he was arrested at St. Louis during the labor disturbances "without warrant or process of law," refused counsel, shut up from his friends, allowed to take no exercise and held for trial in excessive bail, the charge against him being dismissed when he appeared in court. Sir Edward Thornton is investigating the case.

A San Francisco newspaper recently accomplished a remarkable feat in telegraphy. The morning after the international rifle shooting at Creedmore it came out with a broadside of diagrams of the targets, bearing accurate representations of the scores, as proved by the New York papers received a week afterward. These diagrams had been transmitted over the wires by a new process, invented and patented by one of the proprietors of the journal, and not yet generally understood, but which may contain the germ of great things.

Professor Asaph Hall, who has just discovered the moons of Mars, was a carpenter, and owes his success largely to his wife, who was a New England school ma'am, and persuaded him to study the higher mathematics. At twenty-five he became an assistant in the Harvard observatory; in 1861 took that place at the naval observatory at Washington, and was promoted to be professor in 1863. It was on the night of August 11th that he first saw the satellites, but he had to wait several days, till the 16th, for favorable weather for further thorough observations. In the interim he half thought of telling the other observers, so that they might all share the honor of the discovery, if it proved to be one, but he thought of his long years without luck, and kept his chances for himself.

New Hampshire Items.

Mrs. Alice Jackman, organist at the Second Advent Church of Concord, while playing during the morning service on Sunday, fell dead from her chair. Heart disease is the supposed cause. She was 45 or 50 years old.

Patrick Fitzgerald of Manchester, a section hand on the Concord Railroad, was thrown from a hand-car on which he was riding on Friday, in consequence of his coat catching the crank, and his back was broken. He is not expected to recover.

Andrew F. Burpee of Bristol, who was accidentally shot by his son on Tuesday of last week, died on Thursday night. He leaves a helpless invalid wife and two sons, aged 12 and 17.

Mr. Joseph B. West has been elected President of the Nashua Reform Club. It has the name of being the best and most active club in the State. Rev. James Gorton is its chaplain.

A valuable horse, six years old, belonging to John L. Peavey, landlord of the Glendon House at Wolfeboro', was taken sick with diphtheria Monday morning, and died on Tuesday.

Eli T. Fifield of Claremont committed suicide Monday morning about six o'clock by hanging himself in his barn. Cause supposed to be depression of spirits.

A Battle-Scarred Veteren.

Among the persons who applied for lodgings Sunday evening at the Ninth Police Station was one Charles Williams, formerly a lieutenant in the navy and attached to the South Atlantic squadron under the command of Admiral Dahlgren. Mr. Williams, previous to the late civil war, was in the merchant service, and for six years was the commander of the Lookout, one of the finest clipper ships which sailed out of New York harbor. Upon the breaking out of the war he entered the navy as a common sailor, and was very soon after made a lieutenant. During the bombardment of Fort McAllister, while attached to the Sonoma, of the South Atlantic squadron, he was severely injured by the explosion of a cannon, the powder burning his face and hands in a shocking manner. From the effects of this accident he lost his eyesight, but was still retained in the service until 1865, when he was discharged. During his service as a merchantman and in the navy he had managed to save a considerable sum of money, which he proceeded to expend at some of the best eye infirmaries in the country, hoping thereby to regain his eyesight, but finally gave up in despair until 1870, when he made the acquaintance of an eminent German physician, then on a visit to New York. He succeeded in restoring the lost eyesight, although in an impaired state, and in order to strengthen the eyes inserted two minute glass plates beneath the lids, which Williams retains up to the present time. Having been unable to procure work in his own place (Bridgeport, Conn.,) and having a wife and three children to support, Mr. Williams came to this city a few days since with what money he could raise, with the hope of procuring work at his trade, which is sail making; but being unsuccessful and having used up his last cent, he was compelled for the first time to ask lodgings at the city's expense. —*Boston Post.*

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" Way,	10.45 "	5.00	"
Portland	9.45 "	4.55, 6.30	"
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30	"
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.55	"
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.55	"
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "		
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.55	"
Concord Way,		4.55	"
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.55	"
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.55	"

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 "	6.30 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

A QUEER CONTRAST.

A gentleman who recently overhauled the files of the GAZETTE for the year 1814, in search of information regarding a circumstance that occurred in that year, was very much struck with the entire change in journalism which has taken place since that time. He was endeavoring to find some record of the killing of a citizen of Portsmouth by a marine sentry at the navy yard, the circumstanees being that the citizen, who was pulling past the yard in a boat at night, instead of answering the sentry's hail by telling who and what he was, derided the marine, who fired at and killed him. Such an occurrence must of course have created a good deal of stir in such a little town as Portsmouth was then, and our friend naturally expected to find columns about it in the local paper; but a whole afternoon's diligent search of the GAZETTE failed to show him the slightest allusion to the matter! Still more surprising it was to him to find that nothing whatever was said about the navy yard, so that it would be impossible to gather from the columns of the GAZETTE that there was a navy yard on the Piscataqua at all in 1814, though the nation was then at war and the yard must have been an object of decided interest to the citizens of Portsmouth.

A reasonable explanation of this seemingly strange ignoring of local matters is, that in those days, before the telegraph and the railroad had cut time and distance down to insignificant proportions, the people of this city, (and others, for all the papers of that day are alike in their neglect of local news,) having plenty of time to attend to each other's affairs, were supposed to know all about what occurred in their own immediate vicinity quite as well as any editor, and did not need to be told anything about it; but they did not know, and did wish to be told of, what occurred in other cities and in foreign lands, and depended on the local paper to tell them. Hence it was that our friend, though he could find no reference to a homicide at the navy yard, or even to the yard itself, did find plenty of reports of what had occurred in Europe six months before the paper containing the reports was printed, and of battles in this country that were fought weeks before any news of them was known in this city. The newspapers of that day, like those of the present, no doubt aimed to give the people the kind of news that was wanted; "local" was not wanted, so it was not furnished to any such extent as at present, when "local" is just what is demanded. If a sentry at the navy yard was to shoot a respectable citizen now, the occurrence would be pretty certain to attract the attention of the local press.

BOARD OF OVERSEERS MEETING.

The regular meeting of the Board of Overseers of the Poor was held in the City Rooms on Tuesday evening.

After the routine business was disposed of, Mr. Joy moved that the Mayor's communication presented to the Board on the 18th of September be taken up, said communication being as follows:

Gentlemen: In regard to the out-door pensioners I would say, as the winter season is approaching and there will probably be numerous calls for aid from the city, I am of the opinion that the city should buy their supplies by wholesale and that they should be dispensed from the Almshouse as formerly, and in accordance with the city ordinance. I am informed that my predecessors have formerly done so when the applicants have been numerous, and the plan of furnishing from stores only adopted in prosperous times, when poor people could nearly provide for themselves. I submit this matter to your earnest consideration, and trust you will act for the best interests of the city and of the recipients of the public favor. JOHN H. BROUGHTON.

On motion of Mr. Joy, the further consideration of the communication was indefinitely postponed.

The following lawyers' opinions as to the powers of the Mayor in the matter under dispute between that officer and the Board, were submitted:

To the Overseers of the Poor of the city of Portsmouth:

Having consulted me with reference to the right of the Mayor of the city to furnish provisions and supplies for the use of the inmates of the Alms House and out-door pensioners—in reply would say, that I have failed to find by any charter, statute or ordinance in existence, any authority for such action on the part of the Mayor.

On the first Tuesday of August, annually, you receive your election from the qualified voters of the several wards, to perform such duties as the general laws and the city ordinances impose upon you. You have the charge and direction of all matters relating to the poor of this town.

Sec. 2, Chap. 15, of the Ordinances is as follows:

He (the keeper of the Alms House) shall have control of the internal arrangements of the Alms House and the management of the City Farm in all particulars necessary for the profitable conduct of the same; with power to purchase stock, produce, and agricultural implements; also provisions and supplies for the use of the inmates of the House and out-door pensioners; and to sell or otherwise dispose of the surplus stock and produce; subject, however, to the general direction and control of the Board of Overseers.

By this ordinance the powers and duties of the keeper are specifically pointed out—all of which are to be exercised under the direction and control of the Board of Overseers. If the Mayor of the city has the "immediate direction," and the Overseers "a more universal, common or comprehensive direction"—why, then, I suppose that the Overseers, or the Representative in Congress, or somebody else, has the *immediate* direction over the conduct (Gen. Stat., Sec. 7, Chap. 41,) of all subordinate officers, and the Mayor only a "more universal, common or comprehensive" one.

The Mayor is *ex-officio* chairman of the Overseers of the Poor. I cannot find that he has any right whatever to cast a vote. As *chairman* he can only act by the authority of the Board.

At your request, I consulted Gen. Marston, and herewith send you his opinion.

Yours respectfully,
WALTER C. HARRIMAN.

W. C. HARRIMAN, ESQ.: *My Dear Sir:* In answer to your inquiry whether the Mayor of Portsmouth has the right to purchase the provisions and supplies for the use of the inmates of the Alms House and out-door pensioners, I reply that neither the laws of the State nor the ordinances of the city confer upon the Mayor any such right or impose upon him any such duty. By a city ordinance the power to make such purchases, subject to the general direction and control of the Board of Overseers of the Poor, is conferred upon the keeper of the Alms House. True, the Mayor is authorized to exercise a general supervision over the conduct of all subordinate officers, but even this does not authorize him to usurp the functions or perform the duties appertaining to any officer. He might as well assess and collect the city taxes as undertake to perform the duties incumbent upon the keeper of the Alms House and the Board of Overseers. The Overseers of the Poor are in no sense of the word subordinate officers. They derive their authority from the same source that the Mayor derives his, and in the exercise of their functions they are as independent of the Mayor as he is of them in the discharge of his peculiar duties. The keeper of the Alms House is in no way accountable to the Mayor, because by ordinance he performs his duties under the direction and control of the Board of Overseers. I am of the opinion, therefore, that the Mayor of Portsmouth has nothing whatever to do with the administration of the public money appropriated for the relief of the poor, except as chairman of the Board of Overseers.

Yours respectfully,
GILMAN MARSTON.

The following notification was given to the Mayor by the Overseers:

PORTSMOUTH, Oct. 9th, 1877.

To John H. Broughton, chairman *ex-officio* of the Board of Overseers:

Sir: Notice is hereby given that after this date no bills for supplies furnished by you by contract or otherwise, on account of the Board of Overseers, will be approved, unless previously ordered by said Board; also that the statement of quantity and prices would form no exception.

The communications and notification were accepted and placed on file, and the Board then adjourned.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, October 9th.

Edward Taylor, drunk, assessed $9.90.

Dennis Ledden, do., do., do.

Augustus Beatty, do., do., do.

Frederick Randall, for assault on Joseph Orbin, was fined $3, costs $8.81. Same, for brawl and tumult, was fined $2, costs $3.

William Quinn, for assault on Joseph Orbin, was sent to jail for thirty days, costs taxed at $6.90. Same, for brawl and tumult, was fined $10, costs taxed at $7.67. Quinn appealed in both cases, and was ordered to furnish sureties in $100 in each case.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The Boston *Post* says: "The new ship Granite State, built at Neal's shipyard at Kittery, and now in Simpson's dry dock at Boston, is a beauty." The Granite State is in dock to be coppered; and we are informed that when she was taken out of water the length of grass on her bottom was a foot in some places. As soon as she comes out of the dock she will commence loading her cargo of ice and apples, and will sail for Rio Janeiro about the 20th inst.

Schooner Mary Willey, Capt Williams, sailed from this port on Sunday, 30th ult., for Bangor, loaded a cargo of 110 thousand feet of lumber for Samuel Adams & Co., and arrived back here on Saturday, October 6th, performing the trip in a little over six days.

The life-saving station at Rye Beach will be manned on the 1st of November, the crew to remain there until the first of May.

Miss Amanda Pickering declines to accept the position of teacher of the Franklin School, to which she was elected at the meeting of the Board of Instruction on Wednesday evening of last week.

While the apple crop in this vicinity is much below an average one, the yield of pears is very large, the fruit being also unusually fine as regards size, smoothness and flavor. Mr. D. J. Lynch on Tuesday showed us two pears grown in Mr. Benj. Cheever's garden, one of which weighed twenty-one ounces and the other nineteen. In the window of Moses Brothers' store are a dozen pears raised by Mr. W. Freeman, that weigh together thirteen pounds.

Sheriff J. Horace Kent, employed by United States Attorney Wells, of Washington, D. C., to look up one James T. Elliott, "wanted" for complicity in the notorious Witowski fraud, on Saturday last arrested Elliott at Great Falls, and took him to Washington. The culprit made a full confession of his share in the conspiracy to Messrs. Kent and Wells, and on Monday pleaded guilty in the court. His statements are considered of great value to the government. Elliott belongs in the eastern part of Maine, but has not lived there for many years. The Witowski fraud, it will be remembered, is the swindle with which Gen. Negley's name has been mixed up, and was a bogus claim on the government for about $25,000 for logs asserted to have been furnished to the army in Tennessee during the war, but in reality never furnished at all. The full amount of the claim was paid, and Uncle Sam is now after the swindlers.

Hon. Thomas L. Tullock, formerly postmaster in this city, has been appointed assistant postmaster of Washington, D. C.

One of the prettiest bits of skilful manipulation I have seen for a seven-night was shown at the South End fire on Monday afternoon. Mr. Enoch Jones, in taking an engine (Kearsarge) down Gardiner street, instead of slacking pace for a descent, continued at full speed, and in turning at the junction of Gardiner and Mechanic streets occupied the entire space, (with not an inch to spare), and in less time than it takes to write these lines had backed his engine in position at the wharf, ready for the suction pipe. It was a piece of work requiring nerve and prompt judgment,—a splendid exhibition of "drivemanship." OBSERVER.

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Sch Sharon, Donnell, York for Dover.

Ship Jean Inglelow, Tanton, from Batavia, arr at Sourabaya Aug 5.

Sch Mary J Adams, Coombs, cld from Cheverie, N S, for Richmond, Va, Sept 25.

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Sch L M Strout, Fernald, for this port from Port Johnson, arr at Vineyard Haven, Oct 7.

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Daily Chronicle.

What They Think of Death in Deadwood.

As I was resting in a camp on the outskirts of Deadwood, a jolly-faced man came along and asked for a job. He was told that every man was working for himself, and making mighty poor wages at that, when he replied: "Gentlemen, I haven't had one good meal in three weeks; I haven't been able to get a day's work; I'm dead broke, and the curtain is going to ring down on this tragedy right here and right now!" He stepped around the fire, pulled a revolver from a miner's belt, and then, retreating back a pace or two, he said: "Gentlemen, I'm going to hell! I've starved around the Black Hills for three months, and if there is any bigger hell than this I'm envious to see it! Excuse me for wasting ammunition, but here I go—crack!" He put the muzzle of the revolver to his forehead and never kicked after the report. No man rose up to restrain him. After a few minutes the owner of the revolver walked over and secured it, and as he wiped a spot of blood off the barrel, he growled out: "Blast his eyes! Why didn't he jump over some cliff, or go out and let the Indians tickle him to death!"—*Cincinnati Enquirer, letter.*

A Remarkable Crow.

The city of Kokomo, Indiana, boasts of a tame crow that possesses remarkable intelligence. It fell from the parent nest prematurely, was picked up by a kind-hearted gentleman and nurtured tenderly, and has received a most complete education. It talks intelligently, having a long list of bright speeches, and laughs like a human being. Becoming too familiar in its owner's house, the mistress frequently told him in a very emphatic manner to "walk out of this." This expression was not lost upon the bird, for one day a visitor coming to the house, and finding the door open, entered the hall without further ceremony, when he was saluted by a gruff voice in very decided English: "Walk right out of this." And ever since that day many a tramp and many a respectable citizen has been ordered by "Dick" from his benefactor's doorway. Every day he accompanies the children to school, and sometimes enters by the window, perching upon the teacher's desk, and surveying the children with becoming gravity. At recess he puts in an appearance, and occasionally swoops down and seizes a boy's or girl's hat and makes off with it for inspection. When they call out to him for such thefts he retorts in a judicious manner, "Very bad crow." A favorite amusement of his is to pounce upon the back of an unsuspecting cat, administer a fearful nip, and when pussy meows with pain "Dick" will fly to a tree near by and laugh immoderately. He is a pronounced republican in politics, and during last Fall's campaign on all suitable occasions shouted "Hurrah for Hayes!"

—Father Chiniquy, the renegade priest who has done so much to keep alive the fires of religious animosity in Canada, is scored severely by Mr. W. B. Court, a respected Protestant resident of Montreal, for publishing bogus lists of converts, employing as an associate a notorious criminal then living in concubinage, having as editor of his evangelical paper a free-thinker whose idea of Christianizing literature was "The Wandering Jew" and "The Mysteries of St. Claud Street," and so on.

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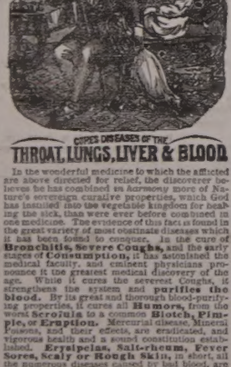

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THE BOARD OF HEALTH OF THE CITY OF PORTSMOUTH call the attention of the public to the following sections of Chapter 16, of the Revised Ordinances, and invite all interested in the preservation o health in our city to aid them in the execution of their duty:

SEC. 3. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, fins or offal of any kind about their stale or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any soliers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or so old, to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over or near any stream in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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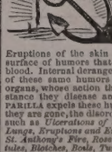

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

"Married but No Wife."

There was an interesting case of "married but no wife" before the Supreme Court at Boston last week. Thomas J. Herring, a widower with five children, fell desperately in love with Miss Althea Butters in 1871, proposed and was refused some half dozen times, and finally got her consent by threatening to blow his brains out. But Thomas indiscreetly boasted of his conquest, and Miss Butters broke the engagement. Then there was another long series of proposals and refusals, until the young woman refused even to see him. Then Herring wrote a long letter fixing the hour for his death, and told her to be at home to hear the news, but discreetly sent a friend to plead for an interview, which resulted in her marrying him secretly in April, 1872. She repented of it as soon as it was done, and compromised by agreeing that they should not live together as man and wife for six months, nor tell anybody. The result is that they have never lived together; the more she has seen of him the more has her early dislike for him grown, and she asked the court to annul the marriage. Judge Endicott says, however, that threats of suicide do not constitute duress, and as there was neither error nor fraud the petition could not be granted. The case will probably be taken to the full bench on exceptions.

—A man in Vermont is defendant in two suits for breach of promise of marriage brought by different women at the same time.

—Some one has discovered that a woman can be agent, but a gent can't be a woman. This is one of the rules that won't work both ways.

—The Recamier style of hair-dressing is a favorite autumn mode. In this the hair is combed up from the nape of the neck, and a pouf of curls is placed at the top of the head. The hair in front is also combed upward, but the fringe over the forehead remains, and may hang out straight across like a child's or be arranged in very light frizzes.

—The *Christian Magnet*, of Pittsburg, Texas, strenuously objects to carrying dogs to the sanctuary, to "the brother who spurted tobacco juice on the floor, making a noise like a young cataract," to the fellow who was so lost to all sense of the proprieties of place and time as to stick his cowhide shoes on the back of the pew, and to the bad little "boy who put the wasp down the back of a nodding member, awaking too suddenly that dormant individual."

—It has been stated by European papers that the middle span of the proposed bridge over the Bosphorus will be the longest in the world. Its length is to be seven hundred and fifty feet. This statement causes America to look up the length of her little spans across some backwoods creek, because it must not be supposed that the country is going to stand calmly by and see any bloated monarchy in Europe boast about bridges, even if they are only prospective. The longest span in the world is the recently built bridge from Cincinnati to Covington. The next biggest (in the world) is from Wheeling, West Virginia, to Wheeling Island, and it measures one thousand and ten feet.

—The mutilation of the feet of female children by the Chinese is exceedingly barbarous. A little girl, nine or ten years old, was lately found hobbling about the streets of San Francisco, and on being taken in charge a horrible case of mutilation was revealed. Her feet bore hardly the slightest resemblance to the natural form. It seemed as if a greater part of the bones had been removed by some barbarian surgery, and the toes, with the exception of the large toes on either foot, were turned completely under. The feet, which had the form of elongated hoofs, were bound in bandages and encased in pointed shoes. The child was unable to walk or even stand without experiencing intense pain. Her guardian, a woman, was arrested on the charge of cruelty.

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5	do.	1,000	5,000
20	do.	500	10,000
100	do.	100	10,000
200	do.	50	10,000
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Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1877.

Ohio Election.

There was an election in Ohio on the 9th inst., and the State went democratic by almost any desired majority—somewhere between 10,000 and 25,000, probably; the democrats claim the latter figure, and the republicans concede the former and are willing to throw in the odd 15,000 rather than have any growling about it. The vote was very light. The republican vote in the Western Reserve, the great republican stronghold, fell off most disastrously. In Toledo the "national" ticket won; the democrats carried Columbus by 1000 majority. The returns are meagre; the greenback vote was very heavy, as was the "workingmen's;" and the scratching of tickets was something astonishing. The "policy" of kicking the old workers of the party to the rear, and putting forward reformers with pet hobbies, and ex-confederates, has received a startling endorsement in the President's own State.

Iowa Election.

Iowa went republican on the 9th inst., by a reduced majority.

Circuit Court of the United States.

At Exeter, Wednesday, Oct. 19th, before *Clark, J.*

United States vs. Nelson L. Horton. Respondent charged with passing a counterfeit $10 bank note upon the Mutual National Bank of Troy, N. Y. The evidence was that Horton passed the bill to one Currier, an employe of the National Hotel in Manchester, to be exchanged for small bills, and that Currier went to the saloon of one Thayer, on Elm Street, Manchester, where the bill was given to Mr. Thayer, from whose possession it was traced. The defence offered no evidence. The jury were out about three hours, failed to agree on a verdict, and were discharged. Hall for United States; Copeland for defendant.

Quite a number of physicians from Dover and neighboring towns were in attendance to-day as witnesses in the case of Whitehouse vs. the Travellers Insurance Company.

The Court goes in this (Thursday) morning at nine o'clock.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 8th.

Intelligence received at the War Department from Gen. Miles shows that he has with him three companies each from the 2d and 7th cavalry and eight from the 5th infantry. With these he encountered Chief Joseph in full force on Snake Creek on the 30th ult., and after a day's hard fighting he captured about 600 horses, mules and ponies. The Indian killed is given as seventeen, including Joseph's brother, Looking Glass and three other chiefs; wounded, about forty. The list of our killed appears somewhat larger, the number of wounded considerably less. Joseph is represented as having promised to surrender, but Miles appears to apprehend that it was only to gain time to send to Sitting Bull for aid. So far as can be gathered from Miles' despatch to Terry, the influence is that the advantage rested with him up to time of its date. He says he expected Sturgis with reinforcements, and suggests that the Canadian Government be requested to prevent any of the Nez Perces from crossing the line, or, at least, to disarm such as take refuge there. Additional information is awaited with great interest, not wholly free from anxiety.

Interest here is largely divided between the Mexican outrages reported from El Paso county, Texas, and the arrest here Saturday of Senator Patterson of South Carolina. From data at hand it appears that El Paso county is almost wholly peopled by Mexicans; that they have risen *en masse* and have thrown into prison all the officials and every American they can lay hands on, and that there is a perfect reign of terror throughout the county. There is a good deal of excitement here over the matter; and the prediction is made that the occurrence will lead to speedy hostilities.

Many republicans denounce the action of the South Carolina officials in the arrest of Patterson, declaring it a flagrant violation of the tacit agreement entered into last spring that there should be no prosecutions for political offenses on either side. Richbourg, who came as the State agent to make the arrest, obtained a bench warrant from Justice Cartter on Hampton's requisition, on Friday; but when he came to look for his prisoner he was not to be found. After a search of twenty-four hours, Patterson sent word that he could be found at the office of Col. Cook, one of his counsel. It appears that he slyly slipped over the District line to allow time to make all the preliminary arrangements for a writ of *habeas corpus*, directly he was formally arrested. The work was quickly done, for as soon as the deputy had made the arrest, an order was served on him to bring the prisoner at once before Justice Humphreys, who adjudged him till the 17th inst. to file legal objection to the rendition. Bail was fixed at $2,500 and was promptly furnished. The opinion is expressed here that this action will serve to greatly strengthen the anti-administration faction in the House and Senate, and it is also intimated that several supporters of the Administration have appealed to prominent Southerners to "call off their dogs," at least for the time.

Every one here acquainted with the circumstances has his or her opinion (not at all favorable either) of the secret, inquisitorial method Mr. Schurz permitted in the investigation of the Indian Bureau. Witnesses were summoned from all parts of the country and their testimony secretly taken without an intimation to the accused of what was going on. The pretext was similar to that always urged in such Star-chamber proceedings, namely, that the ends of justice could best be subserved in that way.

It appears that a colored jail bird of most unsavory reputation, who, it is suspected, got admitted to the Freedman's Hospital as a spy, under instructions from a certain jealous faction in this District, has made a long list of charges against Dr. Palmer, the Surgeon-in-charge, of the most ridiculous and puerile character. It has long been known that his occupancy of the place has been regarded with disfavor by a wrangling, quarrelling set of men who are ashamed to be known in the disreputable business, but hope to swear away his character in the way intimated, and they appear to regard the precedents established by Mr. Schurz as very much much in their favor.

KNOX.

News and Notes.

John Morrissey is seriously ill.

The steamship England, one of the National Line between New York and Liverpool, has been seized in New York, on account of the silk smuggling frauds. The Denmark, another of the ships of this line, was seized some time ago for the same reason, and bonded in $300,000; the England will be released on the same terms.

During the storm on the night of the 8th inst., schooner Highflyer, of Gloucester, was run down and sunk while at anchor off Ten Pound island, by schooner Henry C. Mackey; crew saved. A large fishing schooner ran on the rocks at Baker's island, Salem harbor, and was abandoned by her crew, who reached the shore in safety; an abandoned schooner, supposed to be the same, drifted on Jack's rocks, off Marblehead, later in the day, and went to pieces. A colored fisherman, with his wife and daughter, were swept away by a wave, which took their house into Newark, N. J., Bay, and all were lost.

During the storm of Thursday night the three-masted schooner Armstrong, Ethcridge master, of Providence, R. I., struck on a bar opposite West Hampton, L. I. The sea made a complete breach over the vessel, and the crew, seven in number, took to the rigging. The wreck was discovered at daylight, and the crew of Life Saving Station 15, under Captain Jessup, went to her assistance. After failing to throw a line to the schooner by mortar, the distance being too great, a life boat was soon launched, and in spite of the heavy surf, the wreck was reached and the shipwrecked men were brought safely to shore. But for the gallant conduct of Captain Jessup and his men, the crew of the Armstrong would certainly have perished. The vessel, which, with a cargo, is a total loss, was a new one, valued at $33,000, and was not insured.

James Smith, of Williamstown, Oswego county, N. Y., on Saturday whipped to death his fourteen-year-old son. The brute, who has once been arrested for murder, escaped.

Overcome with grief at the seduction of his daughter, aged seventeen, Michael Ryan of Indianapolis committed suicide by drowning himself in White river. When his wife heard the news she tried to throw herself under a freight train, and came very near succeeding in her suicidal design. At last accounts both Mrs. Ryan and her daughter were kept under close surveillance, to prevent the former from carrying into execution a threat to kill the girl and then destroy herself, and the latter from committing suicide, as she has threatened.

Professor S. A. Latimore, of Rochester, N. Y., University, has made a careful analysis of water taken from forty suspected wells in the city, and reports them all to be very impure. He advises the citizens to abandon the use of well-water entirely, as a prudential measure against typhoid fever.

Ice did not become an article of commerce until the present century; but already in the United States alone thirty millions of dollars are invested in the business of gathering and selling it. Large shipments of ice are made to South America and Asia; the European nations supplying themselves with ice from Norway. There has been a remarkable increase in the use of the article in the United States since 1845, when only 50,000 tons of it were used. In the year 1876 the consumers bought 2,500,000 tons and probably 5,000,000 tons were cut. Beer brewers are the best customers of the ice companies, several using 30,000 tons of ice annually. So great has become the ice commerce that it now has a neatly and clearly printed newspaper of its own—*Ice Trade Journal*—the first number of which has just been printed.

New Hampshire Items.

Rev. Joseph S. Swaim, of Cambridge, Mass., has accepted a call to the Baptist church in Claremont.

Col. Daniel Hall, naval officer at Boston, has resigned the position of Court Reporter in this State.

The State Grand Encampment of Odd Fellows met at Manchester on the 9th inst. The scribe's report gives the number of encampments in the State as twenty-four; membership, 2167.

Political.

Yates, republican, was re-elected Mayor of Newark, N. J., on the 9th inst., by 200 majority; the republicans elected nine out of fifteen aldermen.

The Springfield *Republican* having stated that Senator Conkling and Ex-Secretary of the Navy Robeson are backing Mr. A. M. Clapp in the publication of the Washington *Republican*, the latter paper informs its Springfield namesake that Conkling knows nothing more of the venture than he has learned from the press, and that Robeson ceased his connection with the paper long before the present management took possession of it, and is not now interested in it to the extent of one dime. If the Washington paper does not yet know that the Springfield one is one of the immaculate "independent" and "reform" sheets, and therefore privileged to lie at any and all times and under any circumstances, it will soon find it out.

The ex-President loses nothing in popularity as time passes, and his simple dignity influences the people more and more. Whether Senator Conkling favors or not, it is entirely among the probabilities that the people will demand his nomination. If nominated, his election will be assured by the grandest popular majority ever given any candidate.—*Pittsburg Gazette.*

Reciprocal Reconciliation.

From twenty to twenty-five republican voters (according to the democratic authorities at the time) were assassinated in cold blood at Ellenton, in Aiken county, South Carolina, about a month after the Hamburg massacre. General Hampton asked President Hayes that the prosecutions against the murderers of these black men should be discontinued because their crimes were "political offenses." Only one man (if we remember rightly) was prosecuted, and although the evidence against him was clear, the democrats on the jury refused to convict him. Now we hear of the arrest of Member of Congress Small, the colored hero who ran out the steamer Planter during the siege of Charleston, and of Mr. Patterson, the only republican Senator from the State of South Carolina.

There is a parable in the Good Book concerning a debtor whom his lord forgave all his indebtedness, and who left his presence and seized one of his own debtors and ordered him to pay the uttermost farthing that he owed.

We recommend that parable to Governor Hampton. Some show, even a faint one, of reciprocal reconciliation would be more potent just now to induce the North to believe in the sincerity of the Southern Bourbon leaders than a thousand speeches in laudation of the President's Southern policy.

When Senator Patterson was arrested recently he gave bonds. This is not the South Carolina method. When Gen. Butler, who claims to be Senator-elect, was arrested for his share in the Hamburg massacre, he rode with a large armed force to the court, and demanded immediate trial! Why does not Senator Patterson emulate his example? Half a dozen rifle clubs are sometimes more influential than a lawyer's plea.

South Carolina seems to have learned nothing and to have forgotten nothing. She appears to be as arrogant and imperious as in the days before Fort Sumter was fired on. If she does not learn to forget some things, it is quite probable that the North may forget to forget other things.

General Butler is not in the Senate yet. —*Washington Republican.*

—The New York *World* classifies "That Husband of Mine," "That Wife of Mine," "My Mother-in-Law," "His Grandmother," and "They All Do It," as "flash inanity."

—The sparrow will have to sign the pledge. He has been "drunk and disorderly," in the language of the Police Courts. But his plea of "not premeditated drunkenness" will be accepted. Geneva, New York, saw him in his moment of degradation. A town liquor-dealer, for some inscrutable purpose, soaked a loaf of bread in whiskey, and then breaking it into fragments, threw it into the roadway before his door. Down swooped a large flock of sparrows, and eagerly devoured the bread. And then there were hoarse chirruping and quarrelsome birds, and a universal fight, and some could hardly fight from staggering, and altogether it sadly resembled some scenes in the life of the superior creature—man.

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Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.55 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.55 "
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Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.55 "
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Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
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Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	"
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BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

The regular meeting of the Board of Instruction was held in the City Rooms on Wednesday evening, the Mayor in the chair.

Declination of Miss Amanda Pickering as teacher of the Franklin school, was received and accepted.

Mr. Shannon moved that Section Four of the regulations adopted at the last meeting be stricken out.

Rejected—seven nays, four yeas—Sherburne, Shannon, Hutchinson and Fender voting yes.

The question then arose on an amendment to Section Four offered by Dr. May, as follows: that the word "hereafter" be stricken out, and "after Jan. 1st, 1879," be substituted. The amendment was adopted.

Miss Josie Prescott was appointed teacher of the Franklin school.

Voted, that all the teachers who wish to attend the Teachers' Institute at Dover, have leave from Thursday noon until Saturday morning.

Adjourned.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Oct. 10th.

John Lord, a tramp, was arraigned for malicious mischief in breaking glass in a window of a barn belonging to Mr. James H. Thompson. A man who works for Mr. Thompson found a hat and coat in the barn, Wednesday morning, and suspecting a man was somewhere around called in officer Bessellevre, who poked around in the hay mow with a long pole and stirred up Mr. Lord, who had burgled the barn to secure lodgings for the night. He was put under $50 bonds for his appearance at the Supreme Court, and went to jail in default.

William Quinn, having failed to find sureties in $200 on his appeal from two sentences imposed on Tuesday, went to jail to serve out thirty days, and long enough besides to satisfy the court $24.57 worth.

THE FLAG STILL FLYING.

We are glad to see the flag still flying from the Sailor's Home. As a cheap and good eating house it has done good service to the temperance cause. Many a one has been the better for it these hard times,—likely to grow harder, if the winter be severe. We are glad of the life of all such institutions. The worst of it is, they don't live. Many a Holly Tree Inn began well, but before long fizzled out. Why? The fact is, to devise and sustain wise means of helping people is not easy, and people who can do so deserve a faithful constituency. As for the sailors, let us heartily welcome them and the business which they bring us. As many of the craft are coast-wise, manned by men who know what home is, let us be glad that they can find a quiet, tidy, well-kept Home here, with a pleasant room for "long yarns." C. C.

[*Note.* We fully endorse our correspondent's praise of the Sailor's Home, and echo the good wishes for its prosperous continuance as one of our regular institutions. It is well kept, and a good meal of wholesome, well-cooked food is furnished very cheaply there. We visited the Home one day recently, and fared sumptuously—but not extravagantly—as follows: One plate (about a quart) of beef stew, ten cents; one cup of tea, (good tea, too,) five cents; one plate plum pudding, five cents; total, twenty cents. We were quite hungry when we entered the place, and we made a hearty meal on twenty cents; and if we had devoured all the beef stew set before us we could not have managed any plum pudding, so our dinner would have cost us but fifteen cents. The choice of dishes is not so large at the Sailor's Home as at the Rockingham House, but then the charges are less, and all the food set forth is good to eat. There is a snug, cosy reading room on the second floor, where the patrons of the Home can smoke, talk, read, play games, etc.; and there are accommodations for lodgers—four single-bedded rooms, and one large room containing a number of beds, all clean and neat, lodgings being thirty-five cents per night in the separate rooms, and twenty-five cents in the big room. The Home is conducted on strict temperance principles, and merits the countenance of all who believe in helping those who try to help themselves,—for the aid extended to working men by furnishing them with good, plain food at the lowest possible price, involves no loss of self-respect on their part, and will be of more value than ever, we fear, during the winter now approaching.—*Ed.*]

RIVER IMPROVEMENTS.

The reports of the officers of engineers of the United States Army in charge of river and harbor improvements for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1877, have been received by General Humphreys, Chief of Engineers, who is now engaged in collating them for submission to Congress. From the report of Lieutenant-Colonel George Thom we learn that the appropriations available for use during the present fiscal year, or to be asked for of Congress for next year, for rivers and harbors in this vicinity, are as follows:

Improvement of Kennebunk river, Me.,—Amount available, $4992; no further appropriation asked for.

Improvement of Cocheco river, New Hampshire: Amount available, $11,228.08; amount estimated to complete, $11,000; amount that can be profitably used during the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1879, $11,000.

Improvement of Piscataqua river, including the harbor of Portsmouth, New Hampshire: Amount available, $00,000; amount estimated to complete $00,000; amount that can be profitably used during fiscal year ending June 30th, 1879, $00,000.

Improvement of Merrimac river, including the harbor of Newburyport, Mass.,—Amount available, $1251.10; amount estimated to complete, $25,000; amount that can be used during fiscal year ending June 30th, 1879, $25,000.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The Franklin school at Christian shore opens this morning at the usual hour, with a new teacher.

House No. 12 Myrtle street will be sold at auction to-day, at half-past twelve o'clock. See advertisement.

Ensign William Winder of this city has been ordered to the receiving ship Colorado at New York.

Fishing schooner Valiant, of Portland, lost foremast and stove bulwarks by colliding with schooner Andrew Nebinger, in the lower harbor, on the morning of the 9th. The latter vessel was not injured.

If there ever was a homelier-looking garment than the ulster invented, (for men's wear, we mean,) we never were afflicted with a view of it; but the clumsy, bogtrotter-looking thing (the "ulster" is neither more nor less than the Irish peasant's "frieze coat" translated into English) is comfortable, and what is of far greater moment to its wearers, it is the fashion. C. E. Myers & Co., recognizing the importance of the latter fact, have laid in a large stock of ulsters, of all sizes, and are ready to answer all calls for them or almost anything else in the shape of fall and winter clothing for men folks. See advertisement.

There was considerable excitement about town on Wednesday, relative to the long-talked-of legal crusade against the liquor dealers; but the sun went down without any startling developments having taken place. It is reported that from some reason the project of making seizures has been given up, and that the grand jury will be invoked—in some manner to us unknown.

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Editor Chronicle: By the way, how would it do for the citizens of Portsmouth to elect none but graduates of normal schools as members of the Board of Instruction? Has the present Board of Instruction *one* member who is a graduate of a normal school? Don't *all* speak at once! ROLAND.

Hon. Thomas L. Tullock has been appointed Assistant City Postmaster to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Colonel Lewis Porter. Mr. Tullock is a native of New Hampshire, and has resided in this city about twelve years. He received a thorough business education, and besides being a merchant, and treasurer of a New England railroad and other concerns, has held several public positions, secretary of the State of New Hampshire, postmaster at Portsmouth, N. H., and navy agent at Portsmouth naval station during the war of the rebellion. He came to this city as secretary of the Union Republican Congressional Committee, and had charge of it during President Johnson's administration, the reconstruction work, and the first Grant campaign. He was appointed by Secretary Boutwell chief of the Appointment Division of the Treasury, and subsequently collector of internal revenue for the District of Columbia, recently consolidated with a Maryland district. He was superintendent of the Labor Exchange when appointed to his present position—*Washington Union.*

At a meeting of the Governor and Council in Concord on the 9th inst., James E. Ford was appointed captain, and Lorenzo T. Burnham first lieutenant of the Portsmouth City Guards, company F, Second Regiment. A new uniform for the First Regiment was adopted; it consists of a dark blue swallow-tailed coat with buff trimmings, piped with red, three rows of buttons on the breast, and buff epaulettes; the pants are light blue with buff stripe, piped with red; the cap is the same style as worn by the Fifth Massachusetts Infantry, with the addition of a white plume. Two new companies of infantry were authorized, one to be located at Keene, the other at Nashua. In the matter of the appointment of an inspecting officer, authorized by an act of the Legislature, a hearing was granted to several parties interested, but no decision was reached.

The October number of the *United States Official Postal Guide* commences the fourth year of this valuable publication, and is a compact, well-printed volume of 400 pages. The present issue contains two distinct lists of all the forty-odd thousand post offices in the United States, one arranged alphabetically, and the other classified by States and counties; a list of all the money-order offices in the United States and Canada; a list of counties in the United States; rates of postage on all classes of mail-matter, foreign and domestic; information about the money-order and registered letter system, and about the existing postal treaties with all foreign nations; a schedule of the dispatch of foreign mails, and of the arrival and closing of mails in all the principal cities; and rulings of the Post Office Department on doubtful and disputed questions during the summer months. These last include a clear and definite statement of what postmasters will or will not be permitted to do under the new Civil Service Reform regulations, and also an announcement that "postmasters have the right to read the communications on postal cards," but are forbidden to make the information thus obtained public. The *Guide* is published quarterly by H. O. Houghton & Co., Boston, by authority of the Post Office Department. Price 50 cents a number in paper, or $1 in cloth. subscriptions ($1.50 a year) received at the Post Office.

[Written for the Chronicle.]

An Obedient Son.

John Smith and John Smith, Jr., were clerks together in the popular dry goods store of White & Brown, in one of the New England cities, which may have been Portsmouth, until John the younger took a fancy to emigrate to New York. On reaching there, as in duty bound he wrote home a letter, which he directed to "John Smith, care of White & Brown, dealers in pins and tape," which did not specially please Mr. Brown when it met his eye, as the business of the firm embraced a wider scope than "pins and tape," a fact which he suggested to the elder Smith, who, in replying to the letter of John, Jr., told him to direct his letters thereafter to plain John Smith, and nothing else. Great was his surprise, when another letter from New York arrived, to find upon its exterior, "Plain John Smith and nothing else." To his remonstrance, when writing again, against so quaint a direction, the younger replied that his father had always commended him as being the most obedient of his children, and contended that in the case in question he had simply done what he expressed a wish for him to do. In writing again the elder of the pair suggested to the other to direct to John Smith, care of White & Brown, with no reference to tape and needles, or anything else. *Pater familias* gave it up when another missive arrived from his too-obedient offspring, directed "John Smith, care of White & Brown, with no reference to 'tape and pins,' or anything else." ***

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Daily Chronicle.

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—A Nebraska Judge decided to give a horse thief one more chance to reform. As the fellow left the neighborhood to begin a newer and better life, he took along the Judge's horse to help him.

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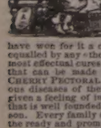

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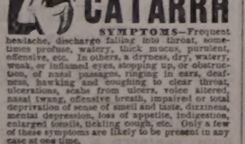

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Ohio Election.

The Ohio election pans out according to the prospect. The democrats claim that they have carried the State by 28,000 to 30,000 majority, and that they will have a majority of forty in the Legislature on joint ballot,—which means Pendleton for U. S. Senator, probably, in place of Stanley Matthews. In the republican strongholds throughout the State the loss was very heavy, mainly owing to dissatisfaction with the President's southern policy and civil service reform order; the working politicians of the republican party being barred out by the President, encouraged the working politicians of the democratic party to do their best, and the contest was all one way.

Iowa Election.

The republican majority in Iowa will not exceed 25,000, against 47,000 in 1875. The republican majority in the Legislature will be about forty. The greenback vote was very heavy, coming close up to that for the democratic ticket.

Circuit Court of the United States.

Thursday, Oct. 11th, before *Clark, J.*

Case Whitehouse (administrator of the estate of Horace Gowen, a city expressman and teamster, late of Dover, deceased,) against the Travellers Insurance Company, was begun on Thursday morning. The deceased was insured by a policy in the Travellers, dated July 16, 1864, to the amount of $3000, against death by external violence and accidental means, and $15 a week indemnification. Gowen was thrown from his job wagon, the seat falling on him, and it is claimed by this reason he came to his death; while the defendants claim that the death resulted not from the alleged accident, but from other and natural causes. The accident occurred May 20, 1875, and the death occurred June 22, 1875; the deceased, as was contended, having struck on his head and shoulders, and died in consequence of the injuries, he having been well up to the time of the injury. His physician certified that anomalous fever was the consequence of the accident. The defendants contend that the accident occurred in consequence of the intoxication of the deceased, and that the disease of which he he died was a bilious typhoid fever. The leading physicians of Dover were in attendance and testified. Nineteen witnesses were examined, nine of whom were physicians.

Case Hitchings vs. Peterborough Railroad has been settled and stricken from the jury list.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from the Grand Duke Michael's headquarters at Karajol, in Asia Minor, says Muhktar Pasha has retreated from Kiziltepe and Soubalan and the Russian troops have occupied those positions.

Chevket and Osman Pashas have joined their forces near Plevna.

A despatch from Belgrade states that the Russian and Servian Governments have signed a convention by which Servia has agreed to co-operate with Russia in the war against Turkey, and will furnish 40,000 men.

End of the Nez Perces War.

Chief Joseph and his band, after a desperate five days' battle with Gen. Miles' command, surrendered unconditionally on the 5th inst.

The savages gave up their arms and ammunition, passing in solemn review before Gen. Miles, and yielding an unconditional surrender. The troops at once took possession of the Indian entrenchments, and the first victory over the redskins during the past two years was signalized. In the charge upon the Indian camp on the first day of the fight sixty-four officers and men were killed and wounded. After the camp had been surrounded and the soldiers had secured defensive positions, only four casualties occurred. The soldiers closed in upon the savages slowly but surely. It was the purpose of Gen. Miles to lose no more men in the attack. On the last day of the fight the troops succeeded in securing a position commanding a stream that flowed in front of the rifle-pits occupied by the enemy, and had the battle lasted another day, their supply of water would have been exhausted and a surrender would have become imperative. On the fourth day of the fight Joseph raised the white flag for the third time and, through an interpreter, who advanced towards his camp, offered to surrender, provided his band were allowed to keep their guns. Gen. Miles sent word back that Joseph must surrender without any reserve and the battle was taken up again. The white flag was again displayed on the fifth day, when Joseph appeared in front of his line and advanced to meet General Miles, to whom he tendered his gun. He was followed by sixty warriors, who also turned over their arms and shook hands with Gen. Miles as they passed. When the troops entered the rifle-pits forty warriors disabled by wounds were discovered. The number of Indians killed is not known, as they had already buried their dead. General Howard, with an escort of seventeen men, arrived on the morning of the surrender, but made no attempt to assume command. He had left his small force of infantry at the Missouri River, and with his small escort of cavalry proceeded to the scene of the battle. The entrenchments occupied by the Indians were admirably constructed for defence. They occupied in all over 160 rifle-pits, which communicated with each other so that assistance could be rendered if necessary. The squaws fought by the side of the warriors, took care of the wounded and buried the dead. When the history of the unparalleled march of the Nez Perces is written, they will be considered to have been endowed with wonderful valor and great humanity. Their defence could not be excelled by any body of men. Of their generosity, seven wounded soldiers lying under the entrenchments live to bear testimony. They took away the guns and ammunition from the disabled troops, but did not offer to molest them.

News and Notes.

Col. Forney has sold the Philadelphia *Press* for $150,000 cash, and the book debts for $30,000, to Capt. W. W. Nevin and his cousin, proprietors of the Pittsburg *Leader*, who will dispose of the latter paper and devote their time to the *Press*.

In the U. S. District Court for Maryland, Judge Giles has dismissed four cases of libel in the suit growing out of the collision between a steamboat and the Norwegian barque Azow last spring in Chesapeake Bay, the barque having been run down and sunk while laying at anchor, in a thick fog. The owners of the barque claimed $35,000 damages, the owners of the cargo $22,500, while $5,000 was claimed for personal injuries, and a small amount on the cargo shipped. Judge Giles, in his decision, says that it is a mistake that when a collision occurs the vessel in motion is always at fault. Usually the burden of proof is on the vessel in motion, and the inquiry is whether she was careful. An appeal to the Supreme Court was taken.

Mrs. Maria F. L. Simpson, seventy-two years old, a resident of South Boston, was instantly killed on Wednesday by an engine while she was trying to cross the Old Colony Railroad track at Commercial street, Harrison Square. On the same day Mrs. Mary McCarthy and her daughter, Mrs. Catherine O'Brien, of South Boston, started to walk on the Old Colony track, both of them being drunk; the mother laid down on the rails, the daughter attempted to pull her off, and while they were squabling an engine came along and knocked them both off the track, breaking both legs and one thigh of the elder woman and badly injuring the other. A Mr. Jones, of Dodgeville, Mass., was killed on the Boston & Providence Railroad, Wednesday evening, while walking on the track.

Gunboat Frolic, arrived at St. Thomas, reports that she was caught in the cyclone of Sept. 23d and sustained considerable damage.

A fight occurred in the democratic senatorial convention at Nyack, N. Y. Charles Jones of Nyack, had his jaw broken by Purroy, of Westchester.

The French Free Masons have long been divided upon the question as to whether a belief in the "Grand Architect of the Universe" should be a dogma of their order. At the recent Masonic Convention in France, the second clause of the constitution, which ran thus: "Free Masonry holds the principle of the existence of God and of the immortality of the soul," was altered by an immense majority to "Free Masonry holds to the principle of an absolute freedom of conscience, and to the brotherhood of mankind. It excludes no one on account of his belief."

Monseigneur Capel, of Kensington (England) Cathedral, in a recent interview with Mr. Jennings, formerly editor of the New York *Times*, said that the high church, or ritualistic party in the church of England, is naturally a feeder of the Roman Catholic Church. But the candid Catholic magnate adds: "I have a hearty contempt for the ritualists. How can any rational man fail to prefer Catholicism to Ritualism?—the religion itself to a mere imitation of it?"

Political.

Great republican victory in Ohio—got rid of Stanley Matthews.

The President does not seem to be much disconcerted by the news of the democratic victory in Ohio, and he remarks, according to a Washington special, that although his policy may create a temporary sinking of the republican stomach, he believes that in a short time it will regain its wonted tone and vigor. At all events he expresses himself as determined to keep on in the way he has been going so successfully, and intimates that if the politicians don't like it they may proceed to make themselves as comfortable as possible on the back seats. —*Boston Globe.*

The Springfield *Union*, commenting on the great defeat won by the republicans in Ohio, asks: "Isn't it about time for President Hayes to begin to 'conciliate' the North a little?"

The republican party in Georgia formally disbanded on Wednesday, by the dissolution of the State committe. The "conciliation" of the South is not far off, though there are still some men left in some of the Southern States who think Jeff Davis, Capt. Wirz, Hamburg Butler, Wade Hampton, *et als.*, were mistaken in their views not many years ago.

"The South wants her share of the public benefits, and she is now in a position to command, not to entreat, and she means to have what is due to her." So says the New Orleans *Times*. As an entering wedge, as a test of how far the South *is* in a position to "command," the *Times* demands the subsidizing of the Texas Pacific railroad.

New Hampshire Items.

Wednesday afternoon the stable belonging to the ancient Weeks house in Greenland was burned, together with a ton of hay and some tools.

Much anxiety is felt about the fate of Emile Reber of Nashua, book-keeper for the Boston, Lowell and Nashua Railroad, who sailed for France two months ago to help settle the large estate of his dead brother, and has not since been heard from. His German wife does not know the town in France to which he was going, and as some Philadelphia persons offered him $30,000 for his share in the estate before he sailed, there is a fear that the whole story of his brother's death was a pretext for trapping him to France because of family unpleasantness with the Government, and that the Philadelphia men are in some way connected with it.

The store of Mr. Abbott Norris at North Hampton was entered Wednesday night through a cellar window. Some groceries and other articles were stolen and the money drawer taken from its place and conveyed to the depot near by, the thieves getting a considerable sum therefrom.

There was a narrow escape from fire at Milford on Thursday evening. A lantern left hanging in D. K. Marvell's barn melted and the bottom dropped out on the floor. The flames flashing up attracted the attention of Mr. Sargent who rushed in and extinguished the flames.

For some time there has been talk that gold and silver existed in the hills at Milford, on the farm of Dea. Henry A. Fletcher. The belief is so strong that a man who has some experience in mining will soon commence digging for the precious article on shares.

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PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfeb16 78

MARRIED.

PINKHAM—ROLLINS. In Newmarket, Sept 26, Mr. Charles E. Pinkham and Miss Abbie Rollins.

FULLER—EATON. In South Seabrook, Oct. 2, Mr. B. Frank Fuller and Miss Lizna D. Eaton.

BLAKE—BROWN. In Hampton Falls, Sept. 22, Mr. Ira N. Blake and Miss Susan A. Brown.

BRACKETT—BARRELL. In York, Me., Oct. 10, Mr. Simeon S. Brackett, of Greenland, and Miss Abbie S. Barrell, of York, daughter of Mr. C. C. Barrell.

DIED.

HOBBS. In North Hampton, Oct. 10, Mr. John L. Hobbs, aged 68 years and 4 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, Oct 10.

Sch Clara E Simpson, Talphey, Philadelphia.
Sch Two Sisters, Morehouse, St John, N B.

SAILED, Oct 11.

Sch G W Raitt, Coleman, Boston.

Schs Kendrick Fish, Hooper, and Dennis Hastings, Tilton, for this port cld from Philadelphia Oct 9.

Schs Francis L Godfrey, Wheaton, for this port from Philadelphia, and G H Gibson, Dom, from Bangor for Peekskill, N Y, arr at Vineyard Haven Oct 9.

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East (beyond Portland)		9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9.45 "	4.55 "
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Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9.45 "	
Concord and North,		7.40 "	4.55 "
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Boston, South & West,	6.03,	10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,		10.10 A. M.,	3.50 P. M
Portland and East,		11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11.20 "	
Concord and North,		10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,		10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

[Communicated.]

THE POOR BOARD DISPUTE.

Mr. Editor: Whatever may be the legal aspects of the controversy between the Mayor and Board of Overseers, the matter as gathered from your columns, resolves itself into just this: that the Mayor, realizing—as most of us do—that the demands upon the city for out of door relief the coming winter will tax to the utmost all the resources, demands that all the needed supplies shall be purchased in such quantities and of such dealers as will give the best returns for the outlay, and that *specific bills* should be given for *each article* purchased. The Board of Overseers—if we understand correctly—insists upon its right to approve bills in the lump, *without items being specified*, and upon purchasing in quantities as needed for each recipient and from the dealers on their own board. Now the public cares comparatively nothing about the technical rights of either party, as to the purchasing, *but it does care* and *does demand* that the business should be done as any sound business man would do his own. Unless these purchases are made at the lowest rates, the poor and the tax-payer are *both* wronged, and unless full and specific bills are rendered it needs no ghost to say that it is at least possible that the latter may be doubly. COMMON SENSE.

Editor of Chronicle: I have read of the proceedings in the Board of Overseers at their last two meetings, as reported in your columns, with much interest, some amusement and very great astonishment. I am interested, as a tax-payer, to know how the city funds appropriated for the relief of the poor are expended; and as a man, to know if the poor get *all* the benefit the city intends they shall receive from the said funds. I have been amused, because it seems to me that the arguments and legal opinions advanced show that the power to purchase supplies for the poor is vested in *neither* of the parties (the Mayor and the Board of Overseers) who are contending for it, but in the keeper of the Alms-house. And I have been astonished beyond measure to learn that bills for supplies furnished on the city's account have been rendered *in gross*, the items not being specified at all; I have been still more astonished to learn that such bills have been approved and paid; and my astonishment reached the superlative degree when I read that one of the Overseers "stated that the law allowed bills to be brought in without the details!" This may be correct; but if it is, the sooner such an asinine law is altered so as to direct that the city business be conducted on business principles, the better it will be for the tax-payers—and the poor as well. In saying this, I especially disclaim any intention to insinuate aught against the present Board of Overseers of the Poor, or any of its members; the *system* of dispensing the city aid is the object of displeasure, as it is absolutely and totally *wrong*. The present *custom* is to elect storekeepers for Overseers of the Poor; and the *law* it seems is, that these Overseers can give to whom they please and when they please, orders for provisions in such quantities as they please, furnishing the goods from their own stores and charging whatever prices they please, and the city must foot the bills! No wonder the position of Overseer of the Poor is sought after. If the city ordinances concerning this matter are so loosely drawn as to permit the city business to be thus loosely conducted, (and I do not think I have stated the case extravagantly,) the sooner the City Government gives us a new and better set of ordinances the better it will please the citizens. ONE OF THEM.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Rev. Canon Walsh was in town on Thursday, looking hale and hearty, and much improved in health.

Beware of accepting thousand dollar greenbacks in change; a dangerous counterfeit of that denomination is in circulation.

The dulcet tones of the Whale's-back fog horn were distinctly heard in this city, as far away as the North Millbridge, throughout a good part of Wednesday night. As the mouth of the trumpet points straight out to sea, and of course the main volume of the sound is sent in that direction, the horn must make a pretty big noise to be heard so plainly so long a distance inland. The old fog-bell could rarely be heard more than a mile away, and even at that distance only under the most favorable circumstances.

We wish to say a good word for the new "Hourly" (which makes trips every fifteen minutes) and its proprietor. Mr. William F. Prior is a young man of steady habits, and a careful driver; and being possessed of an accommodating disposition will no doubt succeed in his venture. He is a cripple and unable to do heavy manual labor, which is an additional reason why the public should encourage him with their patronage in his laudable endeavors to earn an honest living, particularly as he gives an equivalent for each nickel he receives. His comfortable coach may be found every fifteen minutes or so at Thacher's corner on Market square, where he takes passengers for the west end. Fare five cents.

The Governor and Council have appointed Major D. J. Vaughan of Portsmouth to the office of Inspector of the State militia. This is an excellent selection. Major Vaughan is a war veteran who bears upon his person honorable scars, and has a military record of which any man might well feel proud. He is every way competent, and we doubt not that he will not only save from abuse and misappropriation the property of the State, but also add largely to the efficiency of our State militia.—*Concord Monitor.*

At the meeting of the Grand Encampment of New Hampshire Odd Fellows, at Manchester, John H. Locke of this city was elected Grand Patriarch for the ensuing year, and John E. Colcord of this city Grand Inside Sentinel. From the reports submitted it appears that the Grand Encampment is in a flourishing condition, having over $2,200 cash on hand; nearly $1,500 was disbursed for relief during the past year. There are twenty-four Encampments in the State, with a membership of 2,167.

Portsmouth Grange, P. of H., will on Wednesday, Oct. 24th, give a ball exhibition of fruits, flowers, vegetables, grains and articles of household manufacture.

The Wednesday evening freight train from this city for Boston ran over and killed a thoroughbred Ayrshire heifer belonging to Charles Hayes & Son. The animal was valued at $70.

MR. KNAPP'S LECTURES.

The two lectures of Rev. A. M. Knapp, to be delivered on Saturday and Monday evenings next, on ancient architecture, have had in other places a large attendance and much praise. Since the season of the year has come when we must take in our silken, summer sails, and settle down to the earnest efforts of knowing something, building the house of our knowledge one story higher, we commend these lectures as a good beginning for the winter campaign. The subject of the first lecture is Eastern and Grecian architecture; that of the second Roman and Romanesque. The *Romanesgus* was the debased style of the later Roman Empire and has been widely imitated in modern times. The lectures are to be illustrated by stereoptic views, which add much to comprehension and retension. The lecturer is said to have great facility in the handling his theme, and a clear eye to the lessons to be drawn from different national types of building. The characteristics of nations can be seen most clearly in the artistic forms in which they most delighted; and it cannot but be interesting to hear, and also to see how the Pelasgic but grew into the Parthenon, the rude Roman arch into the dome of the Pantheon, as Greek and Roman grew in power and intelligence.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, Atwood J. Adams claimed damages for a sheep killed,—eight dollars.

John W. Wilson was appointed special police without pay, at Portsmouth Bridge.

Need of repairs on school houses was reported; referred to proper committee.

Mayor reported repairs needed to sidewalks in front of city building and Court House. Referred to committee on streets.

Mayor reported western wall at South Millbridge thrown out, and repairs needed, requiring immediate attention. Referred to committee on streets, with power.

City Marshal's monthly report was received and accepted. City Marshal's report on fines and costs was received, and referred to committee on police.

Usual batch of monthly bills considered and ordered to be paid.

Committee on appropriations reported that the appropriation for police department is exhausted. Referred to committee on finance.

Marcellus Eldredge asked permission to set a post in front of his house. Referred to committee on streets.

Communication of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, resigning his membership in Board of Instruction, was taken from the table, and his resignation accepted. Daniel J. Vaughan was elected to fill the vacancy thus occasioned.

The following protest from the Mayor was submitted to the Board:

MAYOR'S OFFICE, Oct. 11, 1877.

Gentlemen: In regard to the claim of Mr. Miller and the deed of his land to the city, I do not think I should allow the circumstances to pass without adding my protest against the action of the Aldermen. Ordinarily streets are laid out either by petition and upon hearing, or by the owner of land through which they are made opening them, when, after being put in proper order, they are accepted and become public ways,—the abuttors receiving a benefit from the opening of the street equal to the value of land dedicated to the public for a highway. In the present case it seems that the street is not in order for acceptance that we are asked to pay for, in addition establishing a precedent that will be open to the temptation of land operators in the future, and one that might in some instances make inroads upon our Treasury to an unlooked-for extent. The frequent claims made upon the city for damages by reason of alleged defects in highways should make us especially cautious in new undertakings of this nature. On Friday last, in company with the Street Commissioner, I examined the extension of Union street, and the opinion of the Commissioner was that the middle of the highway was dangerous, there being holes in which a horse was liable to get his leg and break it; also that the street required one hundred loads of gravel to render it in good passable condition, so as to avoid accidents for the present. He also thought that by another season some of the ledge ought to be removed from the street. Last year Mr. Miller applied to this board to have his part of Union street accepted. The matter was referred to the whole board, and they visited the premises; they were unanimously of the opinion that the city could not accept it in such a condition, and nothing further was done in the matter at that time. The present year, when Mr. Miller renewed his application, (which was referred to the committee on streets, who visited the premises with myself), the committee thought it was in rather rough shape, and Mr. Miller remarked that he would put the road in as good condition as South road for the sum of $50. Alderman Hadley, for the committee, reported at the next meeting of this board that Mr. Miller be allowed $150 if he would complete the road as good as South street, and deed it to the city. This Mr. Miller refused to accept, and notified this Board that if they did, not take some definite action in the matter presented, he should next day commence a suit against the city. Just what Mr. Miller was going to commence a suit against the city for, I cannot understand, but on being notified so positively you then voted I think (two only voting) to pay Mr. Miller $225, if he would complete the road to the satisfaction of the committee on streets. There are four parallel streets in less distance than a quarter of a mile, running into South street, besides Union street, and if Mr. Miller wishes to cut his land up into streets he no doubt has a perfect right to do so. It has been argued that the opening of this street develops some fine building lots, upon which the city will get additional taxes. I am of the opinion that if any citizen wishes to open a new street on their land, and then put it in fair passable condition, and then ask the City Government to accept it, that it is their duty to give the request its proper attention. I can see no reason, (and if I can appreciate the repeatedly expressed sentiments of our taxpayers they see none), why one citizen who opens his lands for market by laying out a street through them, should be paid for building the street and then for the right of way, while he brings into market for sale, lots of land situated like those of his neighbor who has in like manner brought land into market and enhanced its taxable valuation by the erection of substantial dwellings thereon at his own expense. It seems like making a distinction, which in its workings will be found unsafe, and, I believe, illegal. As to the deed presented, it seems carelessly prepared. It does not describe the land sufficiently, nor does it give the source of ownership to Mr. Miller, from which any person can trace the title, nor is there submitted any evidence that Mr. Miller is the present owner of the land. Besides, the city is asked to take a deed "for the use of a highway"—a highway, which, if put in order as it should be, and at the same time paid for, as now proposed, would, I fear, open a highway to reckless and unlawful expenditure that would lead us far toward bankruptcy. I give these suggestions solely because I wish to confine our expenditures to legitimate matters within our authority and consistent with the interests of the city. There is another consideration, to which I have not had time to give my especial attention, and that is the power of the city to make this a highway by the means attempted here to be employed. I infer that streets and public ways can only be laid out and become accepted and legal streets and roads by legal action, pointed out by the statutes of the State, and whether the Board of Aldermen can vote to pay money for a highway laid out in a way other than the mode prescribed by law, and such action on their part be legal, is a matter which is deserving, I think, of your careful enquiry. In my position, I am obliged to listen to continual complaints of taxpayers, by no means confined to the heavy taxpayers or the wealthy, but from those of moderate means, upon whom the burthen of public taxes, now as always, bear the heaviest; and in the belief that you would no sooner vote to pay an improper claim than the Ex-Mayor would be likely to receive it after reflecting upon its unprecedented, and, I am led to conclude, illegal character, I have submitted these views, asking your pardon for detaining you so much longer than I intended.

JOHN H. BROUGHTON, Mayor.

Alderman Hadley wished to have it stated that the city is not liable for damages for any cacident occurring on any street not laid out after a proper hearing, or kept open to the public for a period of twenty years. The Mayor's protest was laid on the table until the next meeting; and it was voted that the Board visit the premises at the call of the Mayor.

Cesspool on State street, above Cabot, was reported in bad condition; referred to committee on drains.

Alderman Hoyt recommended that sewer be removed from Rock street to Pearl, and run into main sewer on Hanover street.

It was recommended that the committee on printing be instructed to report how the city printing and advertising can be done at uniform rates and brought under the direct control of the Board. Referred to committee on printing.

Communication was received from the Inspector of Petroleum, asking the Board to define his duties. Communication accepted, and subject referred to committee on gas lights.

Committee on gas lights reported two naptha lights on South street not lighted for one year. Ordered that Chase Gray be appointed lamplighter on South street.

Complaint about Hanover street schoolhouse vault was received, and referred to committee on schoolhouses.

Adjourned for two weeks.

Base ball, Wednesday: Manchesters 9, Fall Rivers 9; Stars (of Syracuse, N. Y.,) 6, Bostons 0.

Boston on Wednesday sent $1000 to Fernandina, Fla., for the relief of the yellow fever sufferers.

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Daily Chronicle.

—Champion, N. Y., has a matron who was married three years ago at the age of eleven. She still rolls down hill with the other girls.

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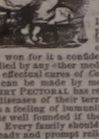

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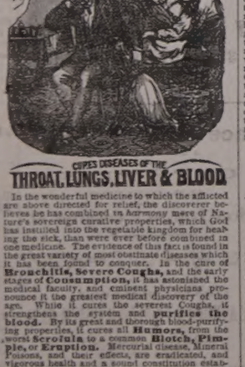

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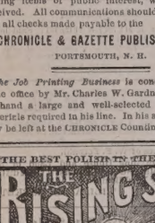

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SEC. 5. All waste water or houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. All owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

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SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in the city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown upon his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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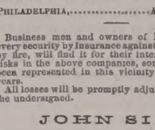

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Portsmouth Chronicle.

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A Singular Discipline.

Southington (Conn.) temperance people appear to have peculiar ideas of the mercy which should be extended to the erring. One day recently it was discovered that a man who had signed the temperance pledge some time previously, had failed to keep the promise made. A temperance excitement is raging in the town and perhaps things are seen morbidly. At any rate, the erring brother was bound to a wheelbarrow and wheeled about the town, accompanied by a large crowd of men and boys, who beat drums and made other noises to attract attention. Whether this Pandemonic exhibition is calculated to induce men, who so desire, to sign the pledge, but who think perhaps in the weakness of human nature they may sometimes lapse, is an open question. The exhibition appears fanatical rather than reformatory.

—Two Troy brothers, who went home late one night recently, from a celebration, disliked to arouse their aged father. One of them, after infinite pains, effected an entrance into the house by means of a grapevine and a back window. Then taking off his shoes he stealthily descended to the door to let in his brother, and found it unlocked.

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—The Sunday school at Tilton, Ky., passed a resolution last spring that any scholar attending the circus should pay five cents to the treasury, any teacher twenty-five cents, and the Superintendent $5. A nice, crisp V was put in the box last Sunday, and the Superintendent still wears his summer hat.

—An Erie express train was late one day, and an anxious passenger went to the engineer, and wanted to know of him if he couldn't make up the time. Said the knight of the throttle: "Look here, mister, I had rather go into Hornellsville ten minutes late than to run this train to Tophet on time!"

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Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 10th.

Republican supporters of the "Southern policy" are much dejected over the adverse verdict rendered in Ohio yesterday, and democratic supporters are correspondingly elated over their party's success in the President's own State, where Administration republicans had insisted on making Mr. Hayes' endorsement a feature of the campaign. The significance of the result cannot be winked out of sight or disposed of by saying that it was one of the ordinary vicissitudes of party politics; nor do the votes drawn off by the greenback and workingmen's movements satisfactorily account for the republican apathy or the heavy democratic majority reported, which has equally astonished everybody apparently. Some republican growlers insist that Mr. Stanley Matthews should accept a portion of the result as a personal rebuke, while others claim that Mr. Garfield cannot fail to take a part of it to himself as implying something of the feeling of distrust entertained toward him for consenting to sacrifice principle to expediency. Be that as it may, neither can reflect upon the result with complacency, as at one fell blow it dissipates the pleasing picture of senatorial honors.

It seems to be on the programme to dismiss Collector Arthur from the New York Custom House, and to compensate him for his loss by a foreign appointment, because he has shown himself faithful and competent. Now there are a good many censorious people inquiring why, if that is the character he has earned in the Custom House, he should be removed at all, and give place to an untried man, who, however honest and competent, must spend months in familiarizing himself with the work of the office; but if this certificate of character is all a polite romance, just put out to spare his feelings, it is stupidly urged that he is not eligible to any office under our nobly reformed civil service.

The second storm that came to flood the unprotected rooms of the 9th and G street wings of the Patent Office, appears to have aroused Mr. Schurz to the fact that some sort of a roof or protection to the valuable records left by the fire might be desirable before they were wholly destroyed by the fall rains. Accordingly he adjusted his eyeglasses and then set the contractors at work night and day, and the temporary roof is in an advanced stage of completion.

The family jars growing out of the contest for the Speakership, are fast assuming considerable magnitude. The headquarters of the several contestants were lively yesterday, and their chances were hotly discussed by intemperate adherents till a late hour last night. All the candidates that have been mentioned were in town, save Sayler, who is expected to-day fresh from the field of his Ohio triumph; Ellis, meanwhile, represents him. Notwithstanding the intrigues and combinations thus far reported, having as their ultimate object the defeat of Randall, he will be the successful candidate in the estimation of nine out of every ten of those watching developements. Thompson, it is thought likely, will be reelected without serious opposition. The contest for Clerk lies between Adams, of Kentucky, and Colwell, of Alabama.

KNOX.

The Troubles in Western Texas.

In view of the possible complications that may arise from the so-called Mexican revolt in Western Texas, the following from a correspondent of the Providence *Journal* is of interest:

"The troubles near El Paso, on the Rio Grande, it appears grew out of the seizing of a salt lake or pond, near El Paso, and compelling all persons taking the salt therefrom to pay the claimants of the pond forty cents a bushel for all the salt taken by them. While connected with the United States and Mexican Boundary Commission, I passed some months at El Paso, San Eleazario and Ysleta, the villages where, it is said, the late riot took place, in which Judge Howard was forcibly taken by the people and thrown into jail. Permit me therefore to state some facts which may throw light on the case. About thirty miles from El Paso is a salt lake or pond, which yields a large quantity of pure salt, requiring only the labor of shovelling it into wagons from the shore of the lake. This lake has, from the very settlement of the country, more than three hundred years ago, been public property. A train of carts or wagons has annually gone to the pond, and brought away the salt—the late papers say the annual yield is 300,000 pounds. All northern Mexico, as well as New Mexico and western Texas, has derived its salt from this pond from the earliest period, with the mere trouble of carting it away. Even the city of Chihuahua, three hundred miles distant, has depended on this pond for its supply of salt. It appears now that some 'land-grabbers' have seized upon the pond, by covering it with a land title, and demanded fifty cents a bushel for all the salt taken. What this title is we know not, but presume it is one, under a late act of Congress, known as the 'Desert Lands Act.' This law was lobbied through Congress by a ring of speculators in California, by which they have been and are still 'locating,' or covering with their titles, hundreds of thousands of acres of valuable lands in California, Arizona, Colorado, New Mexico, etc., on the ground that they are desert lands. This act is so worded that any land which requires to be irrigated to render it productive is called 'Desert Land.' Now, when we state that no land can be cultivated in the larger portion of California, or in any of the Territories named, without artificial irrigation, it will be seen how much injury may be done by this nefarious act. So outrageous have already been the proceedings of the ring of land-grabbers in California that, upon representations from that State, the Secretary of the Interior has directed that a check shall be put to their proceedings by forbidding titles being issued to them from the land office. The seizing upon the salt pond in question and diverting it to private benefit can only be compared to a spring of water on public land from which the surrounding country obtained its supply, which was covered by a land title and the people compelled to pay for their water. We are not surprised that the people of El Paso and the adjacent villages should rise *en masse* and 'give the land-grabbers rough handling. The New York papers say that the firm of Foster, Ludlow & Co. of that city, are the owners of the salt pond. We would like to see it stated by what means the New York house became possessed of the property."

Circuit Court of the United States.

Friday, Oct. 12th, before Clark, J. The case Whitehouse, administrator, against the Travellers Insurance Co., was given to the jury in the forenoon. The court in the charge said that the statement charging the company with fraud in having the conditions of the policy printed in small type, was not properly made, as in the policy in large type reference was made to these conditions; and that the company had the right under the terms of the policy to have the autopsy, and if Mrs. Gowen desired her physician to be in attendance it was her duty, not that of the company, to invite his presence. The contract was that there should be no recovery unless the accident left signs of the injury external and visible, and whether this was shown was a fact for the jury; and whether the accident solely occasioned the death must be shown. The evidence, arguments and charge in the case were phonetically reported by Mr. Charles T. Brown of Manchester, at the request of the defendants. Judge Clark's charge in this case was regarded by the members of the bar present as particularly able, giving a clear view of the law applicable to cases of this kind. The jury were in consultation but a short time, and returned a verdict for the defendants.

News and Notes.

By an explosion in the King colliery, near Wigan, England, Thursday, forty miners lost their lives.

Wm. B. Gilman, the New York insurance scrip forger, gave himself up on Friday; he was arraigned before Recorder Hackett, pleaded guilty, and was sent to State Prison for five years.

Judge Wright, of Indiana, assaulted Columbus Delano in Washington on Friday, knocking him down with a stick. Delano was badly hurt.

Steamer Cousett, from Antwerp for New York, ran down and sunk ship Jessore, from Liverpool for Melbourne with passengers, 100 miles west of Fastnet light, Wednesday morning. The steamer saved all hands from the Jessore, and reached Queenstown, Ireland, with her bows stove in and her forward compartment filled with water.

Mr. J. B. Gardner, agent of the Providence line of steamboats, says the wrecking company who are at work on the Massachusetts have undertaken more serious and hazardous jobs in this line, and almost always with success. They have commenced to build air-tight bulkheads in the steamer, under water, and will proceed to pump the vessel out at once, using for that purpose a series of pumps, two of which are of such magnitude as to raise 400 barrels of water a minute. They are the same pumps used in raising the Oceanus, which steamer it will be remembered had eighteen feet of her keel entirely broken out. The water is smooth at present, and unless the wind kicks up a sea that will cause the divers to lay off, the Massachusetts will soon be in the dry-dock. He further says that the steamer is strained but very little, and that the damage is far below what the company had expected.

Two men, Matthew Huntwell and Adolph Jackson, of the crew of the schooner Andrew Leighton, were lost overboard and drowned by their dory capsizing while fishing on the Grand Banks, on the 29th of September.

The shore mackerel fleet are mostly off Cape Cod and are catching but a few barrels daily, as the season is about drawn to a close. There will be but a light stock in the market.

On Wednesday a large haul of porgies was made off Cape Cod, estimated as high as 8,000 barrels.

The late Stanley Matthews has arrived in Washington.

Schooner Silas Barnard, from Perth Amboy for Portland with coal, was run down by steamer Narragansett in Long Island Sound, Thursday morning. The schooner's planking was torn away to the water's edge her entire length, but she floated long enough to be towed in. The steamer was but little injured.

Patrick Staunton and his wife Elizabeth, Alice Rhodes, and Louis Staunton, are under sentence of death in London for the wilful murder of Louis Staunton's wife Harriet. The public mind is greatly exercised over the matter, and strong efforts are being made to save the murderers.

The yield of cotton in Virginia and North Carolina will be twenty-five to forty per cent. less than last year. In Georgia the crop will be less than last year, but the percentage of decrease cannot yet be approximated. Damage amounting to fifteen to twenty per cent. has been done by worms, rust and storms in Florida, but the acreage being greater, with good weather the balance of the season, the yield of the State will not fall below that of last year. The average crop in South Carolina will be three per cent. below that of last year, and the quality is injured by rust, rot and storms. Louisiana and Mississippi report their crops respectively thirty-one and ten per cent. below those of 1876, while in Arkansas the yield compares favorably with that of last year. The crop in Texas is at least twenty-five per cent. off.

Official returns made to the bureau of statistics shows that during the three months ended September 20th, 1877, there arrived at the port of New York 20,109 immigrants, of whom 11,462 were males and 8,647 females. During the corresponding period of 1876 the total immigration into New York was 25,886, of whom 14,981 were males and 10,905 females.

The French election takes place to-morrow. If the republicans do not win, it will not be because they have not deserved success by their moderation under great provocation.

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PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. feb16 78

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Chairman Light-House Board.

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45	"	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45	"	4.35 "
Great Falls	9.45	"	4.55 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45	"	
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Boston, South & West,	4.03, 10.10	A. M. 5.50, P. M
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Portland and East,	11.30 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at two o'clock, Vesper Service at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public catechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Unitarian church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie, at 10:30 A. M. Vesper service at 7:30.

At the Congregational church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M.; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. James W. Hubbell.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant.

At the Court street (Christian) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M.; Sunday school directly after morning service; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching by Rev. John A. Goss, the pastor.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M., 7:30 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. D. P. Morgan, of Beverly, Mass.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder E. B. Wells will preach to-morrow.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. Noyes. Subject, forenoon, "The essential thing with God;" afternoon, "Man drawing nigh to God, and God drawing nigh to man."

Mr. T. B. Garland, from Dover, will lecture at the Bow Mission at 4:45. Many of our friends will remember the very interesting lecture given by Mr. Garland a few months ago in the Mission. Subject of lecture to-morrow will be, "Our Bible; how written, how preserved; various translations; and sufferings of those who have given to us an open Bible;" (with diagrams). A general invitation is extended. Seats free.

There will be a meeting of the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall in the evening at 7:30 o'clock. Speaking by members. An admission fee of five cents will be charged, to defray expenses.

[Communicated.]

INSPECTION OF PETROLEUM.

Editor of Chronicle: I see by your paper that Lieut. Rich, the city Inspector of Petroleum and its Products, has prohibited the sale of certain oil (made by the Maverick Oil Company of Boston, I believe,) in this city, on the ground that it does not come up to the State standard, according to his tests; and that he has asked the City Government to define his duties and powers. Also, that a Massachusetts inspector of petroleum, sent down here by the company that manufactures the oil which Lieut. Rich prohibits the sale of, tested the oil and managed to make it (according to his test) just come up to the State standard. In your report of the Massachusetts inspector's test you say:

Mr. Means stated that he could carry the flaming point up to 120 degrees, and that his method is the one employed by the United States and New York petroleum companies in all their tests.

Admitting that both these statements are true—what of it? The object of testing coal oil is not to see if by skillful manipulation an oil that is below the State standard can be made to appear above it; and neither the State of New Hampshire nor the city of Portsmouth is bound to follow the plan of any petroleum company in testing that or any other company's products. The object of inspection by fire test is not to see if it is possible under the most favorable circumstances to heat the oil under examination to a specified temperature before it will take fire, but to see if it will take fire at that temperature *under any circumstances*. When a coal-oil lamp is dropped on the floor and smashed, or some ninny attempts to fill a lighted lamp, the oil will be apt to ignite and make itself obnoxious at its *lowest* igniting point, utterly regardless of the possible fact that some inspector may have succeeded in heating a sample of it to a much higher temperature without its "going off." The State has fixed the standard of merchantable oil, and declared that oil which will ignite at a lower temperature than 110 degrees of Farenheit's scale shall not be sold; and if Inspector Rich finds any oil that will take fire at a lower degree of heat than that, *no matter how quick or in what way it is heated*, he will fail in his duty if he does not prohibit its sale. At least, that is the way it looks to me, and I am an interested party, for I often burn the midnight kerosene and have conscientious scruples against its burning me; and as the State law and the city inspection are intended to protect me (as well as other kerosene burners) from the catastrophe suggested, and not to give the sanction of "legal safety" to any oil that is morally and physically dangerous, I hope that the City Government will back up their Inspector of Petroleum in sitting down (figuratively) upon any oil that "flames" at less than 110 degeees, no matter how it is heated.

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[Communicated.]

ARTICLE IV.

I desire to add a word of commendation to Roland's article in the CHRONICLE of Tuesday. I find, also, a difficulty in reconciling "Article 4" of the new School Regulations with the just dealing which a graduate of the High School ought to expect at the hands of the Board of Instruction. A diploma of graduation from the High School ought to entitle its possessor to a fair and impartial hearing from the authorities, in the event of a vacancy among the teachers of the city. It is a record that the party in whose *honor* it is issued is an adept in one or two languages besides his or her vernacular—fresh from the primary laboratory of the chemist—well up in grammar, geography, mathematics, rhetoric, physiology, etc., etc. Having pursued these studies during four years, the student is politely informed by the authorities who have publicly and with much display certified to his or her graduated scholarship, that he is incompetent to teach the rudiments of those theories—in the profound and thorough knowledge of which they have just proclaimed him an expert—and that he must spend three or four years more in the study of didactics. Is the institution which graduates such pupils an ab-normal school? or is the School Board subject to a temporary gush of enthusiasm on exhibition days, for which the pupil pays penance? Is not every school a school of didactics? Does not the pupil teach as he has been taught? No fault is laid at the teachers' door. The teachers of the schools in this city are known to be capable and pains-taking, and earnest.

I may be permitted to suggest a fault in a system which, in endeavoring to do too much, perhaps imperfectly accomplishes little. There is a fable about putting a quart of wine into a pint bottle. It can be done—in theory. There is an unctuous tale regarding the spreading of an ounce of butter upon an unlimited amount of bread; it has cost great effort to him who spread it, but its extenuated condition suggests to the hungry one only an aggravated sense of unbelief. The majority of the text books of the present day imposed upon the teachers and pupils of public schools are masses of unparalleled verbosity, in which simple ideas or plain facts are so completely enveloped by the magniloquent pedantry of the compiler, that the elimination of sense from nonsense exhausts and disgusts the ordinary student. Here may be a potent cause of a pupil's failure, if such failure should exist. But what shall be said if no such failure occurs, and competent parties are denied an engagement on no reasonable ground. Not long since a young gentleman, a native of Portsmouth and a graduate of its High School, a graduate also of Dartmouth, applied for the vacancy in the Academy school. To avoid particulars it is sufficient to say that the city of Portsmouth stultified itself by refusing his services. Now it is in order to say that neither the Portsmouth High School nor Dartmouth College can furnish a graduate who is competent to teach a Grammar School. However, the citizens of one of the largest towns in the State are badly deceived, (that's a comfort!) for they have given this gentleman command of their High School, with two assistants, and 200 pupils.

This system has its "*utile*" as well as its "*dulce*" side. It has the merit of cheapness, for no better fertilizer for grass in the streets could be procured. The manufacturer, generally, does not depreciate the value of his productions; possibly the authorities here may have discovered something valuable in such a policy. Let it continue, by all means, and we shall soon have the place entirely to ourselves, with no annoying hum of trade; and we may enjoy the felicity of sitting by our chimney corners as "gudeman" and "auld wife," spending the hours not devoted to sleeping or smoking a pipe, in reading of the successes of the "sons of Portsmouth" who have been driven from "the quaint old city by the sea," to earn and spend their money in places that have extended to them a cordial welcome and a warm and continued encouragement. Teachers of Portsmouth—I envy you; graduates of Portsmouth schools—I congratulate you upon the possession of a foot square of waste paper.

EDWIN A. TILTON.

Mr. Editor: Both "Roland" and "X. Y. Z." appear to me to do injustice to our new School Board. First I would ask, what is the Board created for? For the benefit of our schools, or for the benefit of applicants? For the schools I supposed, and I have much sympathy with the members of the Board, whom I believe to be both conscientious and sympathetic, when they have to decide, as they sometimes may have, between the benefit of the schools and an applicant, worthy, exemplary, and needy, but not the *best* they could employ. In such a decision they need the cordial support of the public. Shall they give schools to the graduate of the High School simply because the applicant needs a situation? Rather should they not consider first, the need of the hundreds of children who will never see the High School, some of whom will not go through the Grammar Schools, and give to *them* the *best* teachers to be found? Will not the best graduate from our High School exert every power to add to his or her knowledge, a *training* indispensable to the complete success of a good teacher?

Why should we not demand for *our* schools the *best* teachers? And who are the best, if not those who, added to their knowledge, possess the *training*,—the art of teaching,—taught only in the Normal Schools? Would a mechanic place over his apprentices one who possessed knowledge only, without experience? Would hospital directors appoint to responsible situations, a graduate from a Medical School, without other training in his profession? Why should teaching be the only profession where a thorough training can safely be omitted? PROGRESS.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

Do not forget Mr. Knapp's illustrated lecture on Eastern and Grecian architecture, at the Unitarian chapel on Court street, this evening. Tickets 50 cents (for the two lectures). See advertisement.

Speaking of base ball matches, the one to be played at the Plains this afternoon will be the most astonishing on record. The "Granite States" are to allow their opponents six "outs," and all the players they can get together from the old Rockingham and other clubs which have existed since the game became "national." Some fifty "old players" have been invited to compose "the nine." There is great difficulty in placing them, as forty-nine of the fifty want to play in the "right field," as far from the ball as they can get.

The numerous patrons of Mr. Eduardo de Anguera, the piano tuner, will be pleased to learn that after an absence of a year in the West he has concluded again to resume his regular business visits to this city.

An unsuccessful attempt was made to pull the brig Clara J. Adams off the beacon ledge on Friday afternoon. She was lifted clear of the rocks forward, but she was so firmly grounded aft that the efforts of the steamer only resulted in parting the hawsers.

United States sloop-of-war Ossipee, Commander Breeze, from New London, Conn., via Newport, R. I., arrived below Boston on Thursday night. She is bound here.

Friday forenoon a horse belonging to Mr. John Walker, of Rye, while standing on Daniel street, took fright at one of Adams & Co's lumber teams and started on a run, colliding with Carter's store wagon. The breast of the runaway animal was severely cut by striking against an iron-bound edge of the latter team. One of the shafts and the seat of Mr. Walker's wagon were broken, and an axle of Mr. Carter's wagon was sprung. The injured horse was taken to one of the stables, where his wound was sewed up.

Mr. Benj. Russell, having purchased the house on State street next east of the Methodist church, formerly owned by the late Dr. C. A. Cheever, is changing it into two distinct tenements, one of which he is to occupy as a residence.

Hon. Edward H. Rollins left Rollinsford for Washington on Friday. Messrs. Blair and Jones are already on the ground. The trouble will begin on Monday.

We have received from Ira G. Stockbridge, music publisher, of Portland, Me., the following pieces of new music: Grande Valse de Concert, for piano, by Tito Mattei; Busy Bee Galop, for piano, by Pierre Latour; Tuneergruss March, for piano, by Hermann; Now or Never March, for piano, by E. Mack; Lowland Mary, song, by Claribel; There's a little Mossy Mound, song, by Edgar M. Porter; Beyond the Bower, ballad, by Auber Forestier.

CITY MARSHAL'S REPORT.

The following is the report of City Marshal Entwistle, of arrests made from August 17th to September 30th, 1877, as submitted to the Board of Aldermen on Thursday evening: Lodgers, 88; drunks, 101; assaults, 9; malicious mischief, 4; common drunks, 3; larceny, 3; disorderly house, horse stealing, attempt at rape, assault with intent to kill, aggravated assault, liquor selling, desertion, one each; truants, 2. Total number of arrests, 129.

The total amount of fines and costs collected by the City Marshal from the 18th day of August to the 30th day of September was $236.05. Amount paid for warrants, witness fees, etc., $21.86; leaving a balance of $214.19 to the credit of the city.

[Advt.]

THE OTHER SIDE.

Editor of Chronicle: An article appeared in the Boston papers of Thursday, stating that the "liquor dealers of Portsmouth had formed a combination to oppose the laws." The article in question was essentially false in every particular. A meeting *was* held at the place named; but it was for the purpose of protecting ourselves against the blackmailing operations of unscrupulous men, both in and out of the city, who have hoped to profit by their unprincipled extortion. DEALER.

MARRIED.

HOYT—GORDON. In Sandown, September 27th, Mr. Moses Hoyt of Hampstead, aged 80, and Mrs. Sarah R. Gordon of Lynn, Mass., aged 39 years and 6 months.

DIED.

DANIELSON. In this city, Oct. 10, Frances S. Danielson, wife of Mr. Frederick N. Danielson, aged 28 years and 9 months.

SMART. In this city, Oct. 12, Mr. George J. Smart, aged 74 years.

HILTON. In South Newmarket, Sept. 26, Mrs. Mary Ann Hilton, aged 72 years, 9 mos.

DONNELL. At Cape Neddick, Me., Oct. 6, Mr. William Donnell, aged 55.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Sch Concord, Gray, Rockland.

Sch J L Lampray, Gould, Philadelphia.

Steamer Crescent City, Shackford, from New York arr at Aspinwall Oct 8.

Sch Sallie B, Bateman, for this port, cld from Philadelphia Oct 10.

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Daily Chronicle.

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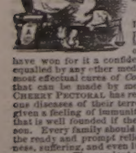

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SEC. 2. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, or under his the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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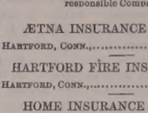

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

The Devil-Fish.

An immense cuttle fish, captured recently on the Newfoundland shore, and shipped to New York, is described by a St. John, N. F., correspondent of the New York *World*. Only one complete specimen of this extraordinary animal was ever previously secured—in 1873. It is now to be seen in the Peabody Museum, New Haven. The present one is a much larger specimen, being forty feet from the extremity of the long arms to the point of the tail. When stranded it was still alive, but died soon after the ebb of the tide, which left it high and dry on the beach. Two fishermen captured the monster and took it to St. John, where they made much money by exhibiting it, and finally sold it to New York parties. Of the cuttle's ten arms two are thirty feet in length, having rows of powerful suckers an inch in diameter at their broadened extremities. The other arms, eight in number, are entirely covered with suckers on the under side and are eleven feet in length. The body is ten feet in length and nearly seven feet in circumference, and terminates in a caudal fin two feet nine inches across. When taken from the water the color of the squid was a dusky red, but that has disappeared, and the body and arms are now perfectly white. There is the usual horny beak, the parrot-like mandibles of which project from a membraneous bag in the center of the mass which constitutes the head, and from which the ten arms radiate. Posterior to the head, are a pair of huge staring eyes, the sockets being eight inches in diameter. Their expression, when the creature was alive on the beach, is said by the fishermen to have been peculiarly ferocious. The two long tentacles are each thirty feet; the body ten feet in length, making the total length from the termination of the outstretched long arms to extremity of the tail forty feet. The long tentacles are thin and tough as leather, being only five inches in circumference, except at the extremities, where they broaden out and are eight inches in circumference. The body at its thickest part is nearly seven feet in circumference. There are eight short arms, which at the point of junction with the central mass are seventeen inches in circumference, but at their extremities taper down to fine tongue-like points, having rows of suckers along one side. The eight arms must contain two thousand suckers; the long arms perhaps two hundred and fifty more. The head or central mass, from which the arms radiate, is four and one-half feet in circumference. Unfortunately the delicate eyes had been destroyed on the voyage or in putting it on board; but the socket of one measured eight inches in diameter.

The appearance of the animal when in the water is described by the fishermen as extraordinary. The tail had got fast on a rock as it was swimming backward, and it was rendered powerless. In its desperate efforts to escape the ten arms darted about in all directions, lashing the water into foam, the thirty-foot tentacles in particular making lively play as it shot them out and endeavored to get a "purchase" with their powerful suckers, so as to drag itself into deep water. It was only when it became exhausted and the tide receded that the fishermen ventured to approach it. Its mode of moving through the water is remarkable. Behind the head on one side a tube or funnel is visible, which is connected with the bronchial or breathing organs. The water is admitted to these organs by valves, which allow it to enter on the muscular dilatation of the body; and when the water so admitted has communicated its oxygen to the blood it is expelled by this tube, just as in the case of fishes it is driven out at the gills, when this effete water, after purifying the blood of the creature, is not merely got rid of, but is utilized so as to be subservient to the movements of the animal. By ejecting the water through the funnel with force it is, by the reaction of the surrounding medium, enabled to dart backward with amazing rapidity. This is its usual mode of locomotion, and nothing can surpass the ease and elegance of such movements. The body is just visible above the surface of the water; the funnel is at work below, like a hydraulic engine, ejecting the water, while the triangular fin which forms the tail acts the part of a front rudder and directs the way. It also moves forward by means of the fin-like expansion of its tail, and sideways by means of the side-fins or the expansion of the mantle. It can also use its arms and legs and crawl along the bottom of the sea with its head downward. The backward motion, however, is that which is most graceful and natural in the giant squid. When moving through the water its arms are folded together. When grasping its prey it shoots out one of the long, lithe tentacles, which are endowed with a high degree of muscularity, and as quickly as a cat would clap her paw on a mouse, the extremity of the arm covered with suckers seizes the object by the suckers, the pistons of which are quickly retracted and the sharp, denticulated edges are pressed with enormous force on the surface of the victim. Then the arms twine round and grasp it, and from that corpse-like embrace there is no escape. Altogether, the gigantic cuttle-fish is the most wonderful of all the denizens of the great deep.

The late George W. Lang, of Meredith Village, left $1000 to the New Hampshire Missionary Society, to be used for the present expenses of the organization.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 15, 1877.

Ohio Election.

The returns of the Ohio election were nearly all in, Saturday, and the majority of Bishop (democrat) for governor is about 25,000. The House will stand 76 Democrats, 39 Republicans, two Greenbackers or Nationals; the Senate 25 Democrats, ten Republicans. Domocratic majority on joint ballot, 50.

It is amusing to read the reasons given in the papers for the result of the Ohio election. The western democratic papers claim it as a square victory for currency inflation and postponed resumption of specie payments; the "policy organs" chasge the republican defeat to the "off year," or to the stupid refusal of "machine politicians" to stultify themselves by voting the straight "policy-reform" ticket; eastern democratic papers twaddle about its being a "rebuke" to the way in which Hayes was put in his present position; and republicans papers lay all the blame on the "Southern policy," and the President's order to the old workers of the republican party to stand back and let the machine be run by independent reformers, or not run at all. Our own opinion is that the President's officious interference with what is none of his business, in assuming to regulate the private affairs of office-holders, had more to do with the overwhelming defeat in Ohio than "the policy," communism, inflation, "off years" and "rebukes of eight to seven," all put together.

News and Notes.

Congress meets to-day.

Two girls, aged sixteen and eleven, have been arrested at Columbus, O., who have been in the habit of going through the country in the night, breaking open barns, corn cribs and henneries, and taking whatever they could load into their wagon.

Lewis Cardis, the leader of the mob that threw the officials of El Paso, Texas, into prison, was killed on the 9th inst. by Judge Howard, one of the officials who was imprisoned but who had escaped.

A special commissioner of the Ship Owners' Association in New York has been investigating sailors' boarding-houses, and finds that brothels and vile dens of every description are licensed for this business and allowed to carry on their infamous practices without let or hindrance. The only use of the license seems to be to get the fees, and these are mostly squandered.

A benefit performance was given in the Chestnut street Theatre in Philadelphia, Friday afternoon, in aid of Edwin Adams, the actor, who is sick and in poor circumstances. The amount netted was about $8000.

Dr. Luke P. Blackburn, of Louisville, Ky., has gone to Fernandina, Fla., to assist in caring for the yellow fever patients there. If we are not mistaken this Dr. Blackburn is the man who attempted to spread yellow fever in the north during the rebellion, by sending a cargo of infected clothing to New York, a scheme which was frustrated by the British authorities at Bermuda seizing the vessel, destroying the clothing and setting Dr. Blackburn to work on the fortifications with a ball and chain on his leg.

It is reported from Washington that Gen. John M. Harlan, of Kentucky, is to be appointed to the vacancy in the United States Supreme Court, and that his law-partner, Gen. B. F. Bristow, is to be appointed Minister to England.

The jury in the Witowski fraud case, at Washington, have rendered a verdict of not guilty. The District Attorney said privately, after the verdict was rendered, that he would not go to trial with the case of Gen. Negley, but enter a *nol. pros.* Gen. Negley's friends say he will not be content with this, but demand a trial, so he can establish his innocence of the charge brought against him.

Edwards Pierrepont, Minister to Great Britian, has tendered his resignation, to take effect December 1st. This makes room for Mr. Bristow without requiring the removal of anybody.

It is now thought the recent killing of Joel Comins, as a train robber, at Big Springs, Kansas, was a mistake. Comins it is said was a wealthy citizen of Texas, had been to the Black Hills, where he had sold a beard of cattle, and had $20,000 with him. It is supposed that he resisted the arrest the arrest on the ground that he was attacked by robbers. The matter is being investigated.

The "American" of Boston, has a great reputation for the excellence of its table, the cleanliness and comfort of its rooms and the air of perfection which pervades every department. The location of the house is unsurpassed and the charges are reasonable. —*Phila. Bulletin.*

The exports from New York for September were the largest of any previous month on record at any port in America. They foot up over thirty millions and a half, consisting largely of grain.

John J. Field, of Providence, R. I., has the following "notice" in the *Journal* of that city: "My wife, Esther M. Field, having left my bed and board, and ran away with an Irishman, from Quidnick, R. I., I forbid all persons harboring or trusting her on my account, after this date."

New Hampshire Items.

Some miserable scoundrel one night last week took a valuable cow from a stake she was tied to, near the house of Mrs. Eugene Casey, of Concord, led her to the woods, killed her, and left her there. Mrs. Casey is said to be a worthy, industrious woman, who works hard to provide for herself and three children, and the loss of the cow is a severe one for her.

An interesting case is on trial in the Supreme Court in Nashua. It is brought by A. Shattuck, in behalf of his wife, vs. B. P. Cooper of Nashua, to recover $2000 damages for injuries received from the bite of a dog.

Mrs. Fannie Kent of Chester, aged 73, was found suffocated in her room Thursday morning, on account of the escape of gas, the use of which she was unacquainted with. She died a short time after being discovered.

The house of James Balcon, Nashua, was broken into Wednesday night, and a valuable watch and chain, together with about $40 in money and other articles, stolen. There is no clue to thief.

The thirty-fourth annual session of Grand Lodge, I. O. O. F., of New Hampshire, was held in Manchester Wednesday with a very large attendance, Grand Master A. F. Craig of Portsmouth presiding. The Grand Secretary read the annual report, giving the status of the order and showing the following interesting statistics: Number of members, 6861; increase during the year, 315; deaths, 53; number of brothers relieved, 536; widowed families relieved, 36; total relief, $16,006. The annual receipts were $45,785; investments, $1430. The Treasurer's books show an increase for the year of $2521.

Charles H. Payson of Northfield, who was arrested for a murderous assault upon his wife with an axe last June, has been sent to the insanee asylum by order of the court.

Mr. Hayward, the poultry fancier at Hancock, has received over $3000 in premiums at different fairs during the last year. His grounds are on the outskirt of Hancock, and cover a level, extensive plain, which is bordered by a fringe of woods. The houses for the fowls are of board, and are set at equal distances and in long, regular lines, and, as they are snow-white, give the appearance of a tented field. The stock of fowls is large and rare.

David Larrabee, a resident of Merrimac, was found dead near the fair ground in Milford, Oct. 4th. It is supposed he died of heart disease. His age was 86 years.

The monument provided by the people of Pembroke to the memory of Josie Langmaid, the young girl murdered by La Page two years ago, is put up on the scene of the murder; it is a handsome granite shaft, inscribed with an account of the girl's death.

A dove flew through a large pane of glass, fourteen inches by thirty, in the northeast tower of the Ash street school building, at Manchester, recently, and was found unhurt inside the tower. It seems almost incredible that so frail a creature as a dove could break such a solid pane of glass, but the fact puts aside all incredulity.

John Bean of Warner recently lost a cow in a singular manner. He had just turned her loose from the stall when, another cow coming along, the two animals engaged in a friendly bout with their horns. During the contest, which was very brief, Mr. Bean's cow was thrown to the ground, and her horns being entwined with those of the other, her neck was instantly dislocated. The cow was a valuable one.

A three-story block in Lebanon, owned by Thomas Worthen, was partly burned Wednesday night. A. L. Worthen, dealer in ready-made clothing, lost a great deal by the hasty removal of stock and from damage done by water. The Mascoma Lodge of Odd Fellows lose $1500 on furniture, etc., on which there is an insurance of $800; Morning Star Encampment lose $500, no insurance. The fire is supposed to have caught around a chimney in the third story.

Political.

A correspondent who met General Grant in Switzerland says: "I happened to refer to the fact that he had been, up to the breaking out of the war, a democrat. He said he was aware that it was so generally understood, but that it was a mistake. He had belonged all his life long to the Whig party, and had always voted that ticket except on one single occasion, and that was when Fremont was up as candidate for the Presidency; he had, as had thousands of others, declined to vote for him."

A correspondent of the New York *Sun* says: From a genuine reform republican, who is widely and favorably known, I obtained the following opinion on the result in Ohio: "It was not so much the disaffection of the republicans at the Southern policy as it was the disgust of all decent and respectable people at the humbuggery and hypocrisy of the administration. Sham civil service reform had as much to do with it as anything else. The people were disgusted at civil service reform which began and ended with an executive proclamation. John Sherman's order about blood relations, which turned soldiers' widows and one-armed and one-legged soldiers out of the Treasury Department, and did not turn out all of John Sherman's brothers, nephews, and other blood relations, who continue to hold fat offices, had a good deal to do with it."

When "Little Mac" from sound of guns retreated, What cheap applause the Jersey welkin shook! How he was flattered, glorified and greeted As he the saddle for the stump forsook! Pope was the only foe he e'er defeated—Trenton the only town he ever took.—*Exchange.*

The New York *Tribune* talks as follows about political matters: "There has been just enough promise of Civil Service reform to irritate the machine man in Ohio and enough pretence of the reform to disgust the independent voter. Very rarely has an Administration so dextrously contrived to get itself so loudly rebuked from opposite points of the political compass.—It *doesn't* seem as if the German vote of Cincinnati had been secured by the appointment of a German to the Cabinet—that is a fact. There must be a screw loose in the arrangement somewhere.—It is understood that Governor Robinson proposes to stay mad. He is credited with the truthful statement that pretty much every thief in the State was present at the Albany Convention."

The Boston *Globe* says "the result (of the Ohio election) comes as an assurance that the people do support" the Hayes administration "in the course which it has been pursuing." The man who could extract sunbeams from cucumbers must be on the *Globe's* editorial staff.

Mr. Bristow is to be Minister to England. It is a case of "the foreigner the better;" but we have an idea that if the fact had been known a few days earlier it might have added another ten thousand to the democratic majority.—*Cincinnati (Ohio) Times.*

Iowa, which was reported as "doubtful" in the first despatches after the late election, gave 40,000 republican majority, and the republicans gain eight or ten members of the legislature, giving them a majority of 75 or 80 on joint ballot. The republicans of Iowa went into the fight on a republican platform.

The New York *World*, the leading democratic organ of the country, demands the retirement of the New York rough, Purroy, who broke another democrat's jaw at a democratic convention because he objected to the admission of a delegate who was not elected, from his position as chairman of the Board of Aldermen of New York city. The *World* thinks it a disgrace to even the democratic party to have a low-bred bully acting-Mayor (as Purroy is in the absence of Mayor Ely) of the largest city in the Union, and a city that is always under democratic control; and it calls on John Kelly, the Tammany Boss,—*not* on the people,—to drop him. Tammany rules the democratic party of the country, and John Kelly rules Tammany.

The "divine right of bolting" is not just now being so persistently glorified to the republican voters of Massachusetts by the "independent" press as it was last year.

The Boston *Pilot* (Roman Catholic and of course democratic) thus expresses its opinion of the ruling power in the democratic party in New York: "The fight in the New York State Democratic Convention between Tammany and anti-Tammany, and the subsequent criminations and recriminations of the politicians who hold the reins and those who missed them, is clear evidence to all who can use their eyes that the average citizen in New York is not supposed to have anything to do with politics, except vote at the bidding of the managers. It is quite time the democrats of New York State took the matter into their own hands. The existence of a party within a party, and the inner one a close corporation controlling the other, is a dangerous principle, and one that should be wiped out. There is no doubt about it, Tammany is an injury to the democracy in every State."

When the New York republicans differed it was Roscoe Conkling and George William Curtis, two of the most gifted and cultured men of the time, who came to the front as the leaders of their respective parties within the party. When the democrats of the same State fell out it was Morrissey, the prize fighter and gambler, and Kelly, the successor of Tweed, who led the contending factions, and converted a convention of bruisers, bullies and bosses into a bediam.

Some of the republicans in the Lowell, Mass., district, who are urging people to vote the straight ticket, are being pointedly reminded that a year ago they thought it was every good man's duty to bolt Ben. Butler's nomination. The moral of which is, when you get beaten in a convention don't bolt, for you don't know how soon your favorite may be nominated and then it may come the other fellow's turn to sulk.

Don't Fret, Granny!

Three months will give ample time for the republicans of New Hampshire to come to a better understanding. * * * "The republicans of New Hampshire can remain in power twenty years longer if they choose; but they will never do it in the world if they insist upon fighting over their old battles, while their opponents, and their friends all over the country, are taking advantage of the opportunities of the present and the future.—*Boston Advertiser.*

Don't fret yourself, grandmother. The New Hampshire republicans are abundantly able and entirely willing to manage their own affairs, and moreover you have got about all you can attend to to elect your ticket in Massachusetts, where you should, and with any decent management would, have 50,000 majority. The republicans of New Hampshire have remained in power twenty years by not following the advice of the *Advertiser*, and will continue to win in the same way.—*Manchester Mirror.*

Important Discovery.

"Thank God, the days of the humpback are ended," said Dr. Sayre, at a recent meeting of the Cork branch of the British Medical Association. His method of treatment of spinal diseases is to give complete and continued rest day and night at the point where the inflammation exists, perfect freedom from compression and at the same time absolute immobility, so enabling consolidation to take place. His process involves the temporary suspension of the patient in a peculiar apparatus by which the weight of the head and shoulders is taken off the spine, and the application of a skin-fitting shirt, coated over with plaster of Paris. Dr. Sayre exhibited a patient, a young man of nineteen, who had suffered from an angular curvature of the spine, the angle of this curvature being about 150 degrees, and was only able to move about by putting his hands on his knees or catching at the furniture. After six weeks' treatment, the patient was perfectly erect and had gained three-quarters of an inch in height; he had taken, unassisted, a walk of four miles, and the bone was rapidly developing.

—A Canadian priest lately sued a young man whom he had married, for his wedding fee, which he stated at fifteen dollars. The jury found for the defendant, on the ground that the youth had received no appreciable value.

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The vessel should draw not more than 8 feet loaded, should be in good condition, well found in every respect, and have a powerful windlass. She should also sail well, handle easily, and be metaled.

Proposals should give name, age, register-tonnage, description in full of the vessel, sails, rigging, spars and ground tackle, with price for which she will be sold, and should also state when and where she can be seen and examined by an agent of the Board, together with the names of her owners.

JOSEPH HENRY,
oct9 eod3t Chairman Light-House Board.

Notice.

DR. POTTER, having returned from Europe, will resume the practice of his profession at his Office, No. 2 Market Street, Portsmouth, N. H.

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Local Matters.

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" " Way,	10.45 "	5.00 "
Portland	8.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.55 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.55 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.55 "
Concord Way,		4.55 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.55 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.55 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.05, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" " Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.20 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	5.50 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

STOVE POLISH.

Some weeks ago a peripatetic peddler of an unapproachable stove polish was around town, and disposed of a large quantity of his wares. The stuff was a liquid, and only required spreading on with a brush to make a stove shine like "a good deed in a naughty world;" it was sold cheap, too, and many a thrifty housewife saved time, money and labor, by purchasing a bottle or two. One application of it was enough to settle the question as to its value; the stoves looked lovely for a week or so, and at the end of two weeks were of last year's fashionable color, cardinal red, with numerous spots of brick color; and subsequent applications of black lead do not avail to wholly hide the rust spots. How the second application of the "labor saving polish" works we have not heard, no person having yet tried it a second time. J. P. Sweetser has *not* got this kind of stove polish for sale, but keeps on hand all the standard kinds in the market,—and anyone in want of stove polish or any other article will save money, by purchasing of reputable resident dealers at regular prices, and letting the "cheap" goods of itinerants severely alone.

[Communicated.]

SCHOOL TEACHERS--A DIALOGUE.

PROGRESS. What is the Board of Instruction created for? For the benefit of our schools, or for the benefit of applicants?

ROLAND. The Board is created for the purpose of bringing the schools up to the highest standard possible, to benefit the pupils; but not to proscribe applicants (who are well qualified to teach,) simply because they are not "graduates of some normal school."

PROGRESS. Shall they give schools to the graduates of the High School simply because the applicant needs a situation?

ROLAND. Certainly, if at the same time the applicant is well qualified to teach said school.

PROGRESS. Should they not consider first the needs of the hundreds of children who will never see the High School, some of whom will not go through the Grammar Schools, and give to *them* the *best* teachers to be found?

ROLAND. But the highest salary paid to the teacher of an "intermediate or primary school" in this city is $400 per annum. I am unable to see how these "hundreds of children" referred to can have the *best* teachers at that rate. Therefore, so long as there are graduates of the High School well qualified to take these positions, why go wandering around after strangers and belittle our own High School by a declaration direct, that is a standing insult to teachers and graduates of the High School? *All* knowledge and capacity are not born solely to those who can purchase a "normal school education."

PROGRESS. Will not the best graduate from our High School exert every power to add to his or her knowledge, a *training* indispensable to the complete success of a good teacher?

ROLAND. For the reason that after having done so, and become qualified to be good teachers, such graduates are to be met by the disheartening information that they must spend hundreds of dollars to attend and graduate from a "normal school" before being given an opportunity to compete for examination as teachers? Hardly.

PROGRESS. Why should we not demand for *our* schools the *best* teachers?

ROLAND. At $400 per annum! "We don't want work; we don't want bread; we want pie and cake," was the ironical inscription on a banner borne in a procession of lads during the recent strikes. *Demand* all we can and how much of the *best* will we get at $400 per annum?

PROGRESS. And who are the best?

ROLAND. Not in every case the normal school graduate.

PROGRESS. Would a mechanic place over his apprentices one who possessed knowledge only, without experience?

ROLAND. Frequently, knowing that after his apprentices had learned all they could from their overseer they would come under his own supervision. For $400 per annum, said mechanic would hardly take charge of teaching his apprentices without other sources of income, which the teacher cannot very well have.

PROGRESS. Would hospital directors appoint to responsible situations, a graduate from a medical school without other training in his profession?

ROLAND. Certainly, but not to the *most* responsible. Would "Progress" immediately place a "normal school" graduate in the responsible position of a professorship of Harvard, "without other training?"

PROGRESS. Why should teaching be the only profession where a thorough training can safely be omitted?

ROLAND. I have not seen any person yet who thinks of omitting training. Does "Progress" intend to imply that "the best" graduate who has spent eight years in the intermediate, grammar and high schools, and has the capacity to teach, is not well qualified to take charge of a school in this city which is worth but $400 a year to teach?

And now, *Mr. Editor*, let me ask the Board through your columns, if the City of Portsmouth spends $20,000 and more per annum, (one-seventh of its total annual expenses,) to be used in belittling its own creations? ROLAND.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The break in the United States Direct Cable Company's cable, before reported, was caused by the fishing schooner Northern Star, of Gloucester, Mass., picking the cable up with her anchor on the 6th inst., while fishing on "the southeast," six or seven miles outside the Isles of Shoals.

On Wedesday evening next there is to be a gathering in Franklin Hall in the interest of our dumb animals. During the past summer efforts have been made among the children of the public schools, by the friends of the work of prevention of cruelty to animals, to enlist their co-operation and sympathy by offering prizes, and in other ways. The meeting alluded to is the culmination of the labors of the past few months and is for the children especially. We shall give the programme to-morrow.

Mrs. B. F. Thorndike of this city has been chosen recording secretary of the New Hampshire Woman's Temperance Union.

The lathing for the new building on the Temple site was nearly completed on Saturday night. The work was done by practical lathers who work by the job, each man lays about twenty-two hundred laths in a day, driving five nails in each lath. The work was begun on Monday afternoon at two o'clock. The lather fills his mouth with nails, and hits but one blow to drive the nail home. For a man out of a job it is painful to see how fast these men work. The plastering work, to be done by Portsmouth mechanics, begins to-day. Messrs. N. D. Miller & Son do the piping and other iron work on the building.

The return game of base ball between the Blue Stars of Rochester and the Granite States will be played one day this week on the plains.

ANOTHER RAILROAD SUIT.

A second suit was brought last week by the Merchants' National Bank of Salem against the Eastern Railroad Company, to recover fifty thousand dollars upon notes "had and received by the defendants to the plaintiff's use, the defendants not having paid the same but neglected and refused so to do." The action is returnable at the Supreme Court for Rockingham county, on the third Tuesday of January next. By a law passed by the Legislature in June, the cashier, servants and employes of a corporation are not chargeable as trustees of the corporation. In this action the customers of the road have been trusteed, the writ having been served upon Frank Jones & Co., ex-Governor Goodwin, Joshua Brooks & Co., Charles Robinson, the Eidredge Brewing Company, the Kearsarge Mills, the Portsmouth Brewing Company, the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad, George L. Treadwell, treasurer of the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad at Portsmouth, the Salmon Falls Manufacturing Company, the Great Falls Manufacturing Company, the Cocheco Manufacturing Company, the Great Falls Woolen Company, and several prominent shoe manufacturers in Dover, Great Falls and other places; also upon the Sawyer mills, at Dover, and the levee of the North Millpond in this city, which are rented from the Eastern Railroad. This suit will probably be contested sharply by the railroad.

NAVAL MATTERS.

Lieut. D. G. McRitchie is granted leave of absence for one month, to take effect on the arrival of the Tallapoosa at this station.

Carpenter Josiah P. Carter has leave of absence for thirty days from Oct. 16th.

Capt. William G. Temple will be detached from the Navy Yard at Brooklyn on the 31st of October, and placed on waiting orders.

Medical Inspector T. W. Leach is detached from duty as a member of the Naval Examining Board, and placed on waiting orders.

PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. tfeb16 78

MARRIED.

BOWKER—FARR. In Dalton, Oct. 3, Mr. Leonard Bowker of Somerville, Mass., and Miss Laura Farr of Dalton.

BUFFUM—BUFFUM. In Bellows Falls, Vt., Oct. 10 Mr. Ogbourne D. Buffum, of New Orleans, La., and Mrs. Laura W. Buffum of Walpole.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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ARRIVED Oct 12.

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Sch Hattie Lewis, Coleman, Boston for Dover.

Sch D K Ham, Freeman, Boston for Dover.

SAILED Oct 13.

Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, Kennebec, to load ice for New York.

Sch Alexander Harding, McBride, Philadelphia.

Sch John S Daily, Long, for this port, cld from Philadelphia Oct 10.

Sch Union Flag, Frisbee, for this port from New York, arr at Newport Oct 11.

Sch James Ponder, Fisher, for this port from Philadelphia, arr at Vineyard Haven Oct 11.

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod&wtoseptl5 78

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Of Portsmouth, in the County of Rockingham, on the First day of October, 1877.

STATEMENT.

Liabilities.		
Due depositors	$3,508,027 17	
Surplus earnings undivided	14,165 32	
Guaranty Fund	27,509 58	
Premium on Stocks & Bonds	61,514 40	
		$3,611,216 27

Resources.	*Market Val.*	*Val. on Books.*
Loans on Real Estate	$545,851 71	$545,851 71
Loans on Personal Security	51,483 79	51,483 79
Loans on Collateral "	85,622 10	85,622 10
U. S. Bonds	186,005 20	177,719 20
Bank Stock	24,750 00	23,600 00
Railroad Bonds	18,975 00	19,620 00
Loans to States, Counties, and Towns	1,605,217 00	1,556,053 73
Other Investments	4,450 00	4,317 42
Real Estate	32,750 00	29,722 45
Cash	55,511 47	55,511 47
	$3,611,216 27	$3,549,701 87

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Oct. 13, 1877.

We, the undersigned Trustees of the Portsmouth Savings Bank, do solemnly and severally swear that we have made a thorough examination of its affairs, and that the foregoing statement by us made is true, according to the best of our knowledge and belief. So help me God.

BENJAMIN F. WEBSTER,
THOMAS E. CALL.

Personally appearing, the above named B. F. Webster and T. E. Call made oath to the foregoing statement. Before me,

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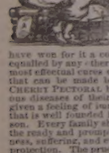

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and thereafter on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect, a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the above period.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any state meat, heads, feet or offal, nor any kind of fish or shellfish, or other refuse matter, to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty-four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the Health Officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

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SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 15. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, yard or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by order of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

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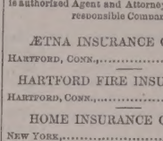

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. E. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them —may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

The French Workingman.

The French laborer probably gets more for his wages than any other. His food is cheaper and more nourishing. His bouillon is the essence of beef at a penny a bowl. His bread at the restaurant is known in without any charge, and is the best bread in the world. His hot coffee and milk are peddled about the streets in the morning at a sou per cup. It is coffee, and not slops. His half bottle of claret is thrown in at a meal costing twelve cents. For a few cents he may enjoy an evening's amusement at one of the many minor theatres, with his coffee free. Sixpence pays for a nicely-cushioned seat at the theatre. No gallery gods, no peanuts, pipe smoke, drunkenness, yelling nor howling. The Jardin des Plantes, the vast galleries, and museums of the Louvre, Hotel Cluny, palace of the Luxembourg and Versailles are free for him to enter. Art and science hold out to him their choicest treasures at small cost or no cost at all. French economy and frugality do not mean that constant retrenchment and self-denial which deprive life of everything which makes it worth living for. Economy in France, more than in any other country, means a utilization of what America throws away; but it does not mean a pinching process of reducing life to a barren existence of work and bread and water.—*The Vanguard.*

A Tramp's Terrible Ride.

A tramp who arrived here a few days ago from the West gives his experience in deadheading it over the Union Pacific from Cheyenne to Green River, on the Jarrett & Palmer train, by climbing upon the roof of a coach. He says that from Cheyenne to Sherman he rather enjoyed the ride, but that between Sherman and Green River his experience was one never to be forgotten. The rapid movement of the train and the rocking of the coach forced him to wind his arms and legs around a stove pipe and hang on for dear life. His hat flew off early in the ordeal, and after the train left this city he was discovered by the engineer, who began throwing a heavy shower of cinders, but so rapid was the movement of the train that the heaviest ones merely cut through his clothes like bullets, while the lighter sparks passed above him. His coattails flapped so hard that he realized that he must part with them, but he dared not loosen a hand to tuck them under him, and they were soon torn off to blow away. Although he managed to keep his face behind the pipe nearly all the time, he was frequently struck in the face by flying cinders, so that when he reached Green River his face and neck were badly cut and scratched. So great was the poor tramp's fear of being thrown off and killed that this, added to the terrible strain of hanging to the pipe by main strength for so long a distance, and the intense suffering from the wounds inflicted by the cinders, caused his hair to turn grey, and when he climbed down at Green River he looked like a man who had seen fifty instead of twenty-two summers. —*Cheyenne Leader.*

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	119¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107¾
Maine State 6s, 1889	112
N. H. State 6s, 1892	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102
N. H. State 6s 1880	103½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. 6s, 1893	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	126½
Boston & Albany	123½
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	20
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	64½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	34½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	31
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices

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Butter, per lb 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 22c.
Flour, Fancy, $ @ 9; Ex. 10
Fish per ½ bbl. qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., fl. Cuba 50 @ 90c; New Orleans 75
Oats per bushel, 40 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bbl., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ½, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ½, Gr. 9½ @ 10; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½.
Tea per ½, Black, 50 @ 75.; Green, 50c. @ $75
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Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 16, 1877.

Congress.

Congress met on Monday. In the democratic caucus, Saturday night, Samuel J. Randall was nominated for Speaker on the first ballot, receiving 107 votes, against 12 for Sayler and 23 for Goode. Clerk Adams and Sergeant-at-Arms Thompson were renominated. J. W. Polk of Missouri was selected as Doorkeeper after thrbe ballots, J. M. Stewart of Virginia as Postmaster of the House, and Rev. Dr. Poisel, Southern Methodist, as Chaplain.

The organization of the House was effected in accordance with the democratic caucus selections, Randall having 149 votes to Garfield's 132, three republicans not voting.

The Senate met, with very few absentees. Don Cameron, Stanley Matthews, and Armstrong of Missouri, were sworn in, and the Senate adjourned after a 20-minutes session.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 13th.

The Ohio election is touched upon very reluctantly by republicans here, and handled in the most gingerly manner by those forced into an exposition of a very disagreeable subject. On the other hand it is, seemingly, furnishing the unwashed throngs of the democracy more satisfaction than any occurrence since the last signal defeat of the Union armies in the late war. There is, apparently, an almost uniform disposition on the part of dissenters from the plan of the republican managers, to wash their hands of all responsibility, and to generously concede to this coterie of superserviceable friends, all the honors and consolation to be derived from the result. Many sincere friends of the President, who sympathize in a general way with his policy, protested against it from first to last, holding that the intelligence of the great mass of republican voters and the tenacity with which the right to individual opinion has always been maintained, assured the failure of any plan of campaign that practically ignored both, and sought, by whip and spur, to force an endorsement of measures not approved by the consciences of a considerable portion of the party. It is charitable to suppose that some of the high priests of democracy who spoke at the democratic jubilation meeting here last night have not yet given in their adhesion to the Murphy movement, otherwise the latitude they allowed themselves in denouncing the practical working of a measure originated and carried through both Houses of Congress by their party, can be accounted for upon no theory save that of the idiocy or arrant demagoguery of the party representatives, including the speakers. There were present all the old ironclad shellbacks of the party who retired broken-hearted on the collapse of the rebellion, but who emerged last night for almost the first time to exchange congratulations with the persistent workers who, by unremitting labors and through the mistakes of their opponents, have well nigh succeeded in gaining for their party the ascendency it lost seventeen years ago by its disloyalty; and the howls of approval which greeted every allusion to the fraudulent character of the President's title to office, and the coarse vituperative efforts of a majority of the orators, sufficiently attested the vindictive sentiments still cherished against the party that saved to succeeding generations the goodly heritage of a Republican Government, regenerated and freed from the blight and curse of slavery.

There is a feeling of general satisfaction over the capture of the hostile Nez Perces, just as they were leisurely preparing to cross the line and seek refuge from their pursuers, on Canadian territory. The casualties were heavy on both sides. If there was any understanding with Sitting Bull to aid the beleaguered Joseph he failed to send it, and the victory leaves free quite a large force to look after that redoubtable chief; and a sufficient number of squaws, children, old people and wounded to make a total of nearly 400, are among the fruits of the victory. The *Herald's* correspondent is profuse in his acknowledgements of the magnanimity of the savages to our wounded who fell into their hands; but there are many who will resent as unjust the imputations against the soldiers of all other commands than that of Gen. Miles, who have endured the hardships of an arduous campaign which yielded hard blows and few honors, uncomplainingly; and his invidious comparisons and the motives believed to have prompted them will cost him the respect of many men quite as well versed as he is in the science of war and in the achievements of our officers and soldiers.

Yours, KNOX.

News and Notes.

The French elections on Sunday resulted in returning a majority of republicans to the Assembly.

Thomas J. Williams, who acted as guide on a recent raid against illicit distillers in Lawrence county, Tenn., has been taken from his house by disguised men and murdered.

As an instance of the intense personal feeling engendered by French politics, it is said that soon after her husband's death Madame Thiers received, in a registered letter, the visiting card of the Marquis de Roys, expressing his satisfaction at death having at last done its work. And this in the center of fashion and in the "politest nation on the globe."

After much agitation the price of lager beer has fallen in Cincinnati to two glasses for five cents. The beer taverns for some time held out against the decrease, notwithstanding a fall in the price they were compelled to pay by the keg to the brewers; but the indignation of the German population finally proved too much for them.

The Great Falls *Journal* thinks the man for whom the lowest deep in the next world will be reserved is he who at eleven o'clock on Saturday night gets into a barber's chair, when the shop is filled with men waiting for a "scrape," and has his hair cut, and then a shave and a shampoo. We presume Bro. Fernald was unable to attend divine service some Sunday on account of his unshaven condition, and wrote that paragraph at home during sermon time.

Gilman, the New York forger, is a nephew by marriage of Henry Ward Beecher.

Almon P. Dyer has been arrested at Newburyport for setting fire to a barn burned in East Salisbury, Saturday night. He confesses also to having set fire to Cole's bakery, Newburyport, several years ago. He also burned the town barn in Salisbury.

New Hampshire Items.

Horace Townsend, of Bedford, on Wednesday sustained such a severe injury to his left hand from the premature explosion of a blast of powder as to necessitate its amputation.

The Dover cotton mills are to be shut down because of the low price of prints and because they can buy the cloth for printing cheaper than they can make it.

County Treasurer Lang engaged a young lady of Cabot, Vt., to keep a private school at Dalton this Fall and guaranteed her $60. The school commenced, the scholars were few and grew fewer. Some difficulty arose, Mr. Lang took his children out of school, others did the same until there was only one scholar left, and still the plucky little schoolmarm continued her school into the fourth week, when Mr. Lang paid her the $60, and she went home rejoicing.

A queer confidence game has been brought to light in Dover. A man calling himself J. M. Sanborn has been stopping there several weeks and made the acquaintance of a young lady who by hard work had saved quite a sum of money and placed it in the savings bank. Sanborn induced her to withdraw it from the bank and let him have it without giving any security. He was about to leave town when he was arrested and half of the money recovered. The lady refuses to appear against him and does not wish to have him punished.

Mrs. Thomas Smith, of Pittsfield, fell down stairs Saturday night and broke her neck.

Political.

The *Patriot* bids its late candidate for the Presidency a long farewell in the following touching paragraph contained in an article on the New York convention: "Mr. Tilden must now be counted among the outs. He forced himself upon the party by his endeavors to injure other democrats. We have no sympathy for any man who tries to build himself up by pulling his friends down."

Iowa, whose republican platform created no issue within the republican party, shows its average republican majority and a republican gain in the legislature. Maine, under similar conditions, polled the largest republican vote ever polled in an off year, and gave a majority thousands larger than in the last "off year." California, with a republican platform making an issue in the party, went democratic. Likewise Ohio.

Book Notices.

"The Chorus Choir Instruction Book," by A. N. Johnson, is published by Oliver Ditson & Co., of Boston. It is a book of church-music size, with seventy-five pages of instructions, and 260 of music in great variety. The book is an admirable book of directions for the proper training of singing classes, choirs, and of all bodies of singers singing in chorus. The directions are singularly minute and exhaustive, and are given in simple language.

Mr. Frank R. Stockton has written for the forthcoming number of *Scribner* an illustrated article describing a recent trip to Nassau, that delightful place where the weather in winter-time is always the same, and always salubrious. Curious methods of fishing, the coral-reefs, the quaint habits of the darkeys, a visit to an "African queen," diving for pennies, and the tarantula market are among the interesting things described. Mr. Stockton calls Nassau, "An Isle of June."

"The American Journal of the Medical Sciences" for October is published, by Henry C. Lea, 706 & 708 Sansom street, Philadelphia; quarterly; $5 per year. The first and second articles, on acute erysipelas and diphtheria, will more than repay any reading physician for the cost of the work, though these papers take up but a small fraction of the book.

Miss Alcott's works are understood to have sold in England to the number of half a million copies, and no doubt the home figures exceed these. Her new story is expected to add to her popularity. It is named, "Under the Lilacs," and will appear in *St. Nicholas* as a serial, beginning in the December number. One reader of the manuscript says: "The story is quiet and lovely in feeling, full of life, though, and of quaint, jolly bits of childhood. It is characteristic of Miss Alcott in her best vein; but it is not intended for young readers of vitiated taste who need, or think they need, sensational stories." The illustrations will be made by Mary Hallock Foote.

The October number of "Bentley's Book Buyer," published monthly at 1420 Chestnut street, Philadelphia, by Frank W. Robinson, is received. It is full of matter valuable to intending purchasers of books, such as lists of leading publications for the preceding month, classified by publishers and subjects, with price of each book; numerous reviews of new books! leading magazines, etc. Subscription price, $1 per year.

"Dat's 'Nough of Dat Story."

During the progress of the Liberia movement last Saturday, one of the workmen in the cause got an old darkey, who did not take kindly to the movement, off to one side, and began describing the great benefits the negro would enjoy by emigrating, and among other things told him that there the negro did not have to work; nature had provided everything for his comfort; there the milk and honey, and bread and sugar trees covered the forests, and bananas, cocoanuts, pineapples, lemons and all the tropical fruits grew as plentiful as China berries here. "Dat's 'nough of dat story," said the old darkey; "dat ain't so; kaso, if it was, de white men would a went dar long ago, and de nigger neber would hab known nuffin 'bout it."—*Shreveport (La.) Times.*

Seal and Salmon Fight.

An interesting sight, says the Dundee (Scotland) *Telegraph*, was witnessed off West Ferry the other day in a desperate fight between a seal and a huge salmon. The combatants were not above a hundred yards from the shore, and the encounter was therefore plainly seen. For more than an hour the fight lasted, the seal all the while dashing about in the water after its agile prey. During the progress of the fight the salmon was tossed many times into the air after the fashion of a cat with a mouse. It was then seen to be a very large fish. After the fish was fairly exhausted, (for the seal was the victor,) the seal rose frequently to the surface of the water with its prey in its mouth, the salmon however, not being yet dead, as the movements of its body plainly indicated. Whether or no the seal swallows its prey whole is not known to the writer; but to spectators of that morning's fight the protracted nature of the battle seemed to have its origin in some desire on the part of the seal not to injure its prey or break it with its teeth.

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—Canaris, the Premier of Greece and its greatest hero of modern times, died in a room uncarpeted and unpapered, so poor that his grandchildren had to attend inferior schools because there they could get free tuition.

—The Amoskeag Veterans went to Bennington to help Vermont celebrate. The Manchester correspondent of the Peterborough *Transcript* says: "The drill of this band of warriors is near perfection. Each man has a different step, and nearly all of them know a knapsack from a cartridge box. Besides the usual arms provided by the State, I have noticed that many of these old veterans carry a pistol, holding, I should say, about a pint."

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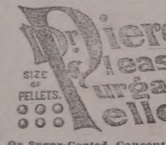

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East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	5.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.55 "
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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.55 "
Concord Way,		4.55 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.55 "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.55 "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.02, 10.10 A. M.	5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M.,	5.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 "	5.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.30 "	
Concord and North,	10.20 "	5.30 "
Dover,	10.20 "	5.30 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

S. P. C. A. ENTERTAINMENT.

The meeting of the children and friends of the dumb animals in Franklin Hall tomorrow (Wednesday) evening promises to be very successful in point of numbers and enthusiasm. The interest of the children of all the public schools of the city has been enlisted and we learn that a medal or a prize of some kind is to be given to the boy or girl who will contribute the best essay on the treatment of animals. The following is the programme for the occasion:

1st. Singing of an original hymn, written for the occasion by Sarah L. Foster;

2d. Remarks by Thomas E. O. Marvin;

3d. Music: "Let us scatter deeds of kindness"—chorus by male voices;

4th. Remarks by Charles W. Gardner;

5th. Short declamations by children from the public schools, and awarding of prizes;

6th. "God speed the right"—chorus, male voices;

7th. Declamations by Masters Frank Shannon and Harry G. Marvin;

8th. Singing by the children and choral choir, "Dare to do right."

THE COURTS.

The Supreme Court begins its October term at the Court House in this city this forenoon; Judge Stanley is to hold the term. Sheriff Kent has had the court room put in excellent order, and introduced several commendable improvements.

In the Circuit Court of the United States, last week, the Court remained in session a portion of the day on Friday, for the purpose of the trial of case of the United States against the Union Five Cents Savings Bank at Exeter, an action brought to recover tax on the deposits in the bank made subject to check or different from ordinary deposits in banks of this nature. The Treasurer of the bank was absent upon a trip to Kansas, and as the counsel for the bank and the Attorney for the United States were unable to agree on the facts in the case, that the question of law arising thereon could be determined, the trial was postponed, with the understanding that if no agreement is made as to facts the jury will be recalled shortly, and a trial had.

The case of town of Franklin vs. Norcross and Saunders, for the destruction of a bridge several years ago by reason of a run of logs down the Pemigewasset, was referred to Messrs. Frank Hobbs, Gilman Scripture and John W. Sanborn.

Milton L. Hilton, whom the jury failed to convict for passing a counterfeit ten dollar National bank note, was allowed to go on his own recognizance.

Hon. Jacob D. Young, Judge of Probate for the County of Strafford, sat at the Court of Probate in Rockinghm County at Exeter, in the hearing of a case wherein Judge Leavitt, by reason of relationship to one of the parties, deemed himself disqualified to act.

AFTER THE BATTLE.

[Our reporter was too much distressed by the base ball practice of Saturday to furnish a full account of the game between the "Granite States" and "Off 'Uns," in season for Monday's paper, but after resting all day Sunday he was sufficiently recuperated to write the following:]

The day was all that could be wished, and so was the game—and more too! The "Off 'Uns" played seventeen men against nine "Granite States," and covered the field well, mostly in reclining positions. They were allowed six "outs,"—and in fact were out most of the time. Capt. Jo. Neff, Fred Coleman and Hon. Dennis Lynch distinguished themselves at the bat extensively, Eugene S. Hoyt playing behind the bat hugely. The several pitchers did nobly and curved their drop balls with equanimity. Ten fielders took care of the "out field"—took care not to get in the way of the ball until it stopped rolling. Your reporter didn't take notice of the playing of the members of the "Granite State" nine, except that John D. Randall stood so close behind the bat that he seemed to take the ball before it reached the bat. Hence said reporter's repeated strikeoutfulness!

It was fun alive to see the "Off 'Uns" make their opponents run around the bases twenty-nine times, while *their* whole seventeen only went around nine times. The umpire, Mr. Joseph R. Curtis, presided over the game with impartiality and a lame arm, and will do so at the second game this week, if he can be induced to face Buckley's pitching. The small boys, a hundred or more, encouraged the "Off 'Uns" with vigor, remarking as your reporter took the bat the second time: "Here comes another out!" As he made a mild endeavor to put the bat in the vicinity of the ball which was approaching rapidly, an enthusiastic South-Ender of some nine summers remarked above a whisper: "Say, he doesn't intend to *hurt* the ball, does he?" The worst of it was, the *gamin* told the truth—which at all times should not be spoken above a whisper. "With malaice toward none and charity to all," he resigned the bat for a position at left field, nearest Greenland.

The game was enjoyed by merchants and school teachers on horseback, would-be normal school graduates, gentlemen of leisure in carriages, fair lady pedestrians, a bevy of beauties drawn by horses, an ex-city marshal, two majors of volunteers in the late war, and minors by the score.

The "Off 'Uns" have challenged the "Granite States" to play the second game to-morrow afternoon at 2:30.

Capt. Neff sends us the following:

Friend Chronicle; We (the "Orphans") played the "Granite State" base ball club, Saturday afternoon. Game was called at five o'clock, owing to the darkness and a lack of interest on our side; score nine to twenty-seven in favor of "Granites,"—we were gaining on them though; at least we held our average. We weakened some on the third inning owing to the sudden run home—not home run—of our best man, a member of the Press. He was a heavy striker, but owing to the sun being directly in his eyes, he didn't get on to the ball as some expected he would; this accounts for several runs lost, as we had six men on bases (including the fielders) and several more who might have made runs, *perhaps*. We can't account for several more runs lost, due some to the brilliant fielding of our opponents, who we will admit, played very nearly as good a game as we. We had only seventeen men, the rest of our nine failing to appear.

AN ODD OVERSIGHT.

The very many friends of Capt. Robert Shillabor were surprised at not seeing his name in the list of those present at the family reunion at Peabody, Mass., last week, as published in the Boston papers, the omission of "Capt. Bob's" name from that list forcibly reminding Portsmouth people of the play of Hamlet with Hamlet left out,—for though the mirthful and kind-hearted B. Partington Shillabor may be *the* noted one of the name in the vicinity of Boston, yet Capt. Bob's decided individuality has made him the family representative in this region, and for any one in this city not to know him is to argue himself unknown. A list of the Shillaber family without the sturdy Captain's name in it is about as absurd a document as could be imagined. And he was at the reunion, too, with his wife and son and grandson, and was the recipient of much attention from the younger scions of the family, and of hearty congratulations from all on his still sturdy appearance and apparently rugged health, after his long life of unwearying industry. In the organization, Capt. Shillaber was appointed one of the executive committee.

BURGLARY AT HAMPTON.

As a young man who had been out somewhere to spend Sunday evening, in Hampton, was returning home not long after midnight, when opposite the store of Messrs. George W. Lane & Co., near the Hampton depot, he saw a light shining through the chinks of the wooden shutters of the store. Suspecting all was not right he aroused Mr. Lane, who lives across the street from his place of business, and the two went to the store together, entering by the door. As they entered the store three men ran down cellar and out through the roll-way into the open air, and escaped. Examination showed that the thieves got in by forcing a cellar window; they then no doubt opened the roll-way doors to provide an easy retreat in case they should be disturbed, and then cut a small hole in the door at the top of the cellar stairs, which enabled them to lift the hook by which it was fastened and gain an entrance to the store. They used matches to light themselves about the cellar, but once in the store lighted one of Mr. Lane's lamps, and set it on the window seat where it shone through the crack and betrayed their presence. They captured between twenty-five and fifty dollars, and stole several razors, a glazier's diamond and other small articles. The thieves were evidently thoroughly acquainted with the premises, but are not suspected of being professionals.

The dwelling house of Mr. Samuel D. Lane of Hampton was entered the same night, but no plunder of any amount was secured by the burglars.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

In the window of Goodrich's bookstore, in the basement of the City Building, is a common eight-ounce bottle containing a steamship, with her funnel and three masts on end, and yards crossed, the miniature vessel being many times too large to go through the neck of the bottle, it having a very small opening. This ship was constructed, rigged and launched into the bottle in one day, by a prisoner who is working out a fine and costs at the jail; and he had only a common jack-knife to work with. The bottle with its contents is quite a curiosity.

Big pears are the rule this year, in this vicinity. On Monday Mr. John B. Bruce, of Dover, placed on our desk four very handsome ones raised by him, of the Duchess variety, smooth and fair, and weighing within a trifle of a pound each.

Mr. John H. Slater on Saturday handed us a sprig of rasberry bush a foot long, from his garden, containing sixty berries, about one-third of them being ripe, large and luscious. They were of the Franconia variety.

The Catholics of this city are to hold a fair in aid of St. Mary's church in Franklin Hall, commencing on Monday next and continuing through the week.

There was a "temperance crusade" meeting in front of the Washington Hotel in Seabrook, Sunday afternoon, at which Rev. William A. Rand of South Seabrook, Mr., Merrill, station agent of the Eastern Railroad at Seabrook, and a Mr. Gove, spoke strongly and very plainly in favor of temperance and against rum-selling. Mr. John M. Weare, of Seabrook, spoke quite as strongly and plainly on the other side of the question, attacking the previous speakers, and arguing against the "crusade" as a direct assault upon the democratic party. The crusader who made the closing prayer was very fervent in petitioning for a change of heart for John M. Weare.

A match was shot at the trotting park Monday afternoon between John S. Sides and James Carroll, for the Eldredge medal, fifteen birds each, H and T traps; score—Sides eleven, Carroll five.

SONG.

The following sweet little song in *Lippincott's Magazine* for November, seems to show that the heart-strings of the Lord of the Isle must have been at last touched:

Sweet wind that blows o'er sunny isles,
The softness of the sea!
Blow thou across these moving miles
News of my love to me.

Ripples her hair like waves that sweep
Above this pleasant shore:
Her eyes are bluer than the deep
Round rocky Appledore.

Her sweet breast shames the scattered spray,
Soft kissed by early light:
I dream she is the dawn of day.
That lifts me out of night.

OSCAR LAIGHTON.

What Sweetens the Mouth,

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than thirty nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any stale fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that filth or nuisance therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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THE PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

Civility in Business.

The great want in New York is civility in trade. Stewart, a short time before he died, said that one of the great plagues of his life was to find a salesman that would be civil to poor people who wanted a few needles and some tape. The ladies that traded in satins and laces men would be polite to. But the same salesman would snub a small buyer. It is the universal complaint that officials are impertinent. One can hardly get a civil answer in trade. One of our car conductors came up one morning to the Grand Central depot. His car was stopped two blocks below. The train left at twelve. A dozen people were in the car who wanted to take the noon train. Some of them were aged and decrepit. Instead of announcing that his car would be detained ten minutes he jumped off, bought a paper and an apple, came into the car and began to eat and read. When asked if the car was going to move he simply shouted, "If you want the twelve train you had better be lively." All his load lost that train through his dogged incivility. I saw a lady ask for a bunch of tickets at one of the ferry offices. A mere lad threw down two bunches. The lady said she wanted but one package. The boy flew into a passion, as if the woman had committed some great crime, because the lad misunderstood her. He really abused her so that the woman left in tears. During the centennial season a little of the old-time courtesy would be a healthy infusion.—*N. Y. letter.*

—In Texas, recently, a judge broke down with emotion while sentencing one Longly, a notorious desperado, to be hanged for murder. Longly was surprised at this, and remarked, on going back to jail, "I feel sorry for the judge."

—A novelty for ladies' over-dresses is called French cord, and so closely resembles the corduroy worn by gentlemen that it will probably be known as corduroy, notwithstanding the protest of merchants against so fine a stuff having so common a title.

—A Hillside, Pa., lady hearing a noise in her parlor, went to see what was the cause of it. She was much surprised to see a sleek looking cow standing in the middle of the room silently chewing her cud, and complacently gazing at herself in the looking-glass.

—Visitor: "Isn't it terrible to think that the vessel yonder may dash on the rocks, and every soul on board perish?" Old Salt: "Yes; but isn't it more terrible to think that maybe the crew's a working themselves to death, and perhaps there's not a bit o' backer aboard the entire craft?"

—Two gentlemen had had a dinner and were looking at the bill. In lieu of two bottles of champagne which had been consumed, the waiter had charged for only one. "Shall we point out the thing?" says one. "Well," replied the other, "we had better not; the waiter would be sure to be scolded, poor fellow!"

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties cupon	108¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	107¾
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1875	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	103½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 5s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	123½
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	135
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	64½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	83½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LEIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 22c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9¼ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
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Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 17, 1877.

Congress.

In the House, Tuesday, the case of Rainey (colored) of South Carolina was taken up; Mills of Texas, made a strong speech in favor of seating him, and the House voted to do so, 175 to 68, all the negative votes being democratic. Mr. Rainey was sworn in.

Darrell, republican, of Louisiana, has certificates from both Gov. Kellogg and Mr. Nicholls, but Clerk Adams left his name off the roll and he is not yet admitted.

Both democratic and republican Senators held caucuses; Senators Conover, Patterson and Christiancy, who have been classed as doubtful, took part in the republican caucus; nothing definite was decided on in either caucus.

The democrats are greatly disappointed at the united front presented by the republicans of the House, whom they had expected to find demoralized and divided.

News and Notes.

Over 8000 cigar makers in New York are on a strike. The price of genuine Havanas will go up.

Nearly all the striking miners of the coal districts of Pennsylvania have gone to work at the old prices, after remaining idle for two months. The loss to these foolish men in wages is at least $800,000.

Deacon Ezra J. Smith, of Vergennes, Vt., his paramour, Mrs. Mary E. Champlin, and Solon Burroughs, were arrested Monday night for the murder of Mrs. Cordelia Smith, the deacon's wife, about eight weeks ago. The evidence is said to be very strong against Smith and the Champlin woman as the murderers, and against Burroughs as an accessory after the fact.

A private bank in Vienna has failed; liabilities $7,500,000.

The American ship Marianne Nettlebehm, Captain Whitney, which sailed from New York, September 15, for San Francisco, Cal., put into St. Thomas on the 15th of October with the captain dead, he having been killed by the second mate. The American Consul is investigating the affair.

While some workmen were engaged at Waterville, Me., on Saturday, in removing to its proper place a boundary fence which Charles B. Gilman had wrongfully moved upon the farm of Edwin Noyes, Gilman commenced firing upon them from his back-yard fence, distant about twenty-five rods, with a rifle and a double-barrel shot-gun, loaded with buckshot. He loaded and fired as rapidly as possible, riddling the fence and wounding three of the men, John Flood, William McNally and Daniel Butler. Mr. Gilman was at once arrested and conveyed to the Police Station, but was soon released on bail. He is the person who shot his own brother on Broadway, New York, last winter.

Sylvanus and Samuel Eaton of Deer Isle, crew of a vessel in Biddeford harbor, were arrested Saturday for stealing nets, ropes and other articles from Pool fishermen. Sylvanus answers the description of the man wanted for housebreaking at Deer Isle.

The captain of schooner Northern Star, of Gloucester, has demanded $200 damages of the Direct Cable Company for loss of anchor and chain during his late encounter with the cable. The company has probably lost $20,000 by the break in its line due to that encounter.

Lieut. Rucker has notified the war department that all is quiet at El Paso, Texas, since the arrival of his handful of regular troops.

Ross and Hanlon, the oarsmen, had a race at Toronto on Monday, which was won by Hanlon easily, by eight lengths. Over $50,000 changed hands on the result. Ross was the favorite in the betting.

Three chiefs and 187 Apaches have surrendered at Wingate, and their arms and horses have been taken from them. The whole of the Warm Springs Apaches are expected to surrender immediately.

The New York papers are discussing the proposition to remove one of Cleopatra's Needles from Egypt to that city. It can be transported for $100,000. The Khedive is willing to present it to the city of New York. Its companion is now on its way to London. This shaft now stands upon the seashore, a monolith of the granite of Syene, seventy feet in height. It was erected 3400 years ago. The *World* of Sunday says a New York gentleman of great wealth, but who does not wish his name known, will give the entire amount required to bring over the big rock.

Thedore Roosevelt is to be Collector, E. A. Merritt Surveyor, and John C. Robinson Naval Officer of the port of New York.

After the recent cyclone in the Gulf of Mexico the beach near Galveston, Texas, was strewn with human bones washed up by the waves, and supposed to be the remains of the persons lost with the City of Waco.

The Lafayette (Ind.) grand jury have a queer case to decide. William Houck made a sworn affidavit before the Mayor never to drink any more whisky, but he got drunk a few days afterward, and is in jail awaiting trial for perjury.

Another of the Union Pacific train robbers has been caught. James Berry, who sold some gold in New Mexico a week ago, which proved to be some of that robbed from the Pacific train, was arrested and jailed Saturday. He endeavored to flee from the sheriff, but was brought down with a load of buck-shot.

John K. Beatty, a notorious rough of Lawrence, Mass., assaulted an old man, Timothy Dineen, Saturday night, stabbing him in the left side. Dineen ran, and Beatty, in hot pursuit, mistaking John McCarthy for the man he was after, drove the knife into his temple, inflicting a fatal wound. Beatty escaped.

Three tramps boarded a moving coal train near Lancaster, Ohio, on the Hocking Valley Railroad, Monday morning, to steal a ride, and cut the train in three parts, so as to escape, but they overdid the business, for when the coupling-pins were pulled the train was on a down grade, and the men were on the middle section. The speed of the detached cars was great, and when near the bottom of the grade the rear section ran into the middle section with terrific force, throwing it from the track, burying one tramp under ten tons of coal, killing him. A second had a leg broken, and the third man escaped, it is supposed, without injury. The dead man's name was Thomas Rolland, and as he was well dressed and had a kit of burglar's tools, it is supposed the trio were thieves playing the tramp dodge for effect.

New Hampshire Items.

Mrs. Gertrude Seelig of Manchester, a German lady, aged 65 years, residing in Piscataquog, committed suicide by jumping into a well. She had been missing since Thursday, and was found Monday morning. Her husband is said to have committed suicide some years since.

Mr. Kendall Webster of Wentworth has a young black bear which is so tame that it will take its rations from his hands, but is not always very fond of company, sometimes showing extreme displeasure when visited by other people.

The following postmasters have lately been appointed in this State: Edwin C. Bean at Belmont, Lorenzo D. Dunbar at Grantham, William Hall at Plainfield, Sylvanus M. Jordan at Stewartstown.

Mr. Thomas Collins of Colebrook lost his only cow last week. The cow was coming out of the stable, when a hen flew down by the cow's head, at which the cow jumped and ran against a hatchet, the edge of which entered between the ribs. It was thought at the time that the injury was not serious, but the cow died in three days.

The number of inmates at the Rockingham county farm at Brentwood, is 223: males, about 150; females, not far from 75. A building for the insane department has been erected the past season, and is nearly ready for occupancy. This building is of brick, built in a very substantial manner, and will have all the conveniences of an asylum when completed. There are kept on the farm four horses, four oxen, twelve cows, and at present 143 swine, ranging from a few days old up to one year.

The farmers in the vicinity of Carroll have lost during this season many sheep, and, as bear tracks have been seen in the woods, it is supposed that bruin is the thief. All attempts to trap him have failed, and there's talk of a grand bear hunt to come off the last of this month.

Messrs. Moody and Sankey are to visit Manchester on Sunday, the 4th day of November, and will remain throughout the remainder of the month, conducting services every day. The evening meetings will be held at the Franklin Street Church, the noonday prayer meetings at Hanover Street Church, and the afternoon Bible reading at the First Baptist Church.

The house on Mt. Agassiz, at Bethlehem, will remain open during the coming winter for the accommodation of guests, and those who wish to get a good view of the mountain scenery should not fail to improve this opportunity.

Political.

Vice President Wheeler is claimed as an endorser of the administration policy; and John Lynch's paper, the Washington *Union* (administration organ) says Senator Blaine "will, before the session is over, show himself an ardent supporter of the President's policy."

It is useless for Governor Bishop to publicly depreciate his part in the victory of Tuesday. Destiny has marked him for the Presidential nomination in 1880, and it only remains for him and the other leaders of democracy to submit. The Bishop movement cannot be laughed down.—*Cincinnati Gazette.*

Mr. William E. Chandler of New Hampshire says he wishes Tilden had been counted in, and any shrewd democrat ought to be glad he was not. Whichever side won in that ugly contest over the Electoral vote was likely to suffer in the next elections.—*Boston Globe.*

The republican party of Iowa may be likened, in the expressive language of the historian of the "Harp of a Thousand Strings," to "a 'possum on a simmon tree. And thunders may roll and the earth may quake, but that 'possum clings thar still. You may shake one foot loose," by the concussion of a labor movement, for instance, "but the others are thar! You may shake all his feet loose," with a civil service reform order or a Southern policy that shakes even the deepest roots of the party tree, "but he twists his tail around a limb and clings and clings forever!" There was a shaking in Ohio and some little tremor even in Iowa, but the party extended a tail of 40,000 majority of the popular vote, variegated with a legislative majority of ninety on the joint ballot, around the rock-rooted and mountain-buttressed old landmarks, and that party clings there still, unawed amid the warring elements.—*Chicago Times* (*dem.*)

Short Walking Skirts.

Among the styles for the coming season that will rejoice the hearts of all sensible persons is the revival of short skirts for street suits. Walking costumes with the skirts short enough to clear the ground have been included in the most desirable Parisian importations, and, if the American leaders say the word, this comfortable fashion will be widely and gratefully accepted. Trailing garments should never be seen in the public thoroughfares, and all women who wear them sin against the laws of good taste, and that "eternal fitness" which is so important an element in the perfection of the feminine toilet. It is to be hoped then that a movement will be made in the right direction in this department of reform, and winter walking costumes will swing clear of the mud and pestilential incumbrances of the streets, while that most inelegant and ungraceful necessity for a vigorous and violent grasp upon the backbreadths of the skirt will no longer be a source of amusement and an unfailing topic for criticism to all spectators of the process.—*Ex.*

The Old Set is Back.

The old set is back. It was William M. Tweed and Jarvis Lord who triumphed at Albany, and revenged themselves upon the reformers for a long course of persecution. Never since the old boss bought and sold Legislatures in the lump, have the vilest, most disreputable and most corrupt elements of the democratic party risked such an open assault upon decency as they have just committed in the State Convention. They made no secret of their purposes, no secret of the causes of their rage. There is not a canal thief in the State, who did not appear, in person or by proxy, in the ranks of the victors. There is not an old Tammany leader able to show himself in public who was not seen in the thick of the riot at Tweddle Hall, clamoring for revenge on the reformers who sent his friends to jail and put a guard around the public treasury. Tweed appeared by his counsel, Mr. Townsend—to say nothing of the service he received from John Kelly. Denison & Company, the great unbalanced bidders, had their attorney among the delegates, fighting with might and main against the promoters of the canal ring indictments. Spinola brought his bounty-jumpers to their aid; and when the test vote was taken which decided the defeat of honesty and respectability, and the whole rabble of frauds, swindles and ruffians started to their feet, shouting and waving hats, the great head of the canal ring was the loudest and most conspicuous person in the crowd. They can cheer now with good heart. The old set is back.—*New York Tribune.*

—We can't have everything to tickle us; The Buckeye State has gone ridiculous.

—A horse thief was on trial at Waco, Texas, recently, when his wife, a mere child, with tearful eyes and blushing cheeks, took the stand and testified that her husband had bought the horse from a man she had never seen but once, and produced the bill of sale. The jury burst into tears and acquitted him, and locked in each other's arms the devoted couple left the court amid applause. Two hours later the discovery was made that the wife had been schooled by one of the worst thieves in the prison, who had written the bill of sale for her.

—After a stunning circus parade, two small boys met on the street. One of them, his face glowing with excitement, said; "Oh, Johnny! did yer see the feller with the snakes around his neck?" No word from Johnny. "Yer see the man in the lion's cage, uncourse?" No word or sign from Johnny, save and except the cloud upon his brow. "Well, yer see the ponies with the red blankets on, didn't yer?" "Naw and I didn't," said Johnny, at last, bursting into tears; "I had to stay at home and tend our baby; but I kin lick the stuffin' out of you!"

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Way,	10.45 "	5.00 "
Portland	9.45 "	4.35, 6.30 "
East (beyond Portland)	9.45 "	6.30 "
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9.45 "	4.55 "
Great Falls	9.45 "	4.35 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9.45 "	"
Concord and North,	7.40 "	4.55 "
Concord Way,	"	4.55 "
Boston & Maine R. R.	7.40 "	4.55‖ "
Dover,	7.40, 9.45 "	4.55‖ "

†Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

Boston, South & West,	4.02, 10.10 A. M. 5.50, P. M
" Way,	10.10 A. M., 3.50 P. M
Portland and East,	11.30 " " 8.50 "
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11.20 "
Concord and North,	10.20 " " 6.30 "
Dover,	10.20 " " 5.50 "

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G PIERCE, JR., P. M.

SUPREME COURT.

The Supreme Court began its October term in this city on Tuesday, Hon. Clinton W. Stanley on the bench. Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Hubbell, of the North church. The Grand Jurors were summoned, and a brief charge having been given by the Court, retired to their room. Solicitor Small is in attendance upon the Grand Jury, which is composed of the following named gentlemen:

Robert Collins, Seabrook, Foreman; John F. Gill, Kensington; Henry C. Smith, Londonderry; Alfred A. Meloon, Newcastle; Robert Smart, Newmarket; George B. Merrill, Newton; Charles C. Barton, North Hampton; Charles F. Cate, Northwood; Marcrus M. Taylor, Nottingham; George Sumner, Plaistow; Charles C. Akerman, Portsmouth (Ward 2); William D. Ladd, Raymond; Lewis L. Perkins, Rye; Charles M. Russ, Salem; Wm. I. Moore, Sandown; Frederick B. French, South Hampton; James B. Martin, South Newmarket; Greenleaf C. Brown, Stratham; Jacob A. Nesmith, Windham; Isaac R. Hovey, Atkinson; Henry Bean, Newington.

The entire day was consumed in calling the docket; and no cases were heard during the session of the day except by the Judge in chambers.

OVERSEERS' MEETING.

At the regular meeting of the Board of Overseers of the Poor, held at the City Rooms on Tuesday evening, the following communication from the Mayor was accepted and adopted:

To the Board of Overseers: *Gentlemen:* As I am equally desirous of doing my duty as a a member of this Board, to the city and to the poor, and should deprecate any course which should in its effect deprive the poor of proper relief; and as I feel that we each desire to perform our respective duties according to the requirements of our oaths of office, though entertaining different views of our rights and obligations, I propose that the questions as to the legal and proper mode of furnishing supplies shall be submitted to some legal gentlemen of this city who have not been consulted upon this question by any member of the Board; and, from the legal as well as municipal experience of Hon. A. R. Hatch and Hon. W. H. Y. Hackett, I am led to suggest that the question at issue be submitted to these gentlemen, of whose legal knowledge and candid judgment, I trust no one can have any doubts; and that the Board abide by such opinion as they together shall in writing express to us as the law to govern our action in the matter at issue. Trusting that you may appreciate this as an effort to arrive at a proper solution of the difficulty, I submit it for your candid consideration.

J. H. Broughton.

The report of Supt. of City Farm for week ending, Oct. 16th was received, showing the number of inmates of the Almshouse during the week, as follows:

Paupers twenty, convicts two, boarders eight, male help two, female help two, Superintendent's family three.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, Oct. 16th.

George Tighe was charged with an assault on Thomas Collins. The evidence showed that Collins was remarkably drunk, and Tighe and a person named Walter Laskey were trying to get him home; and that Collins resisted and "cut up" until Tighe lost his temper and struck Collins. Tighe was allowed to go.

Walter Laskey, same charge as against Tighe—case *nolled.*

Thomas Collins, for brawl and tumult, was fined $3, costs $7.27.

PORTSMOUTH AND VICINITY.

The meeting of the children this evening at Franklin Hall in the interest of the treatment of our domestic animals will commence at 7 o'clock. An admission of five cents will be charged adults. Dr. Goodall will lead the music with the double quartette of male voices, which of itself alone is a sufficient guarantee of a good entertainment. All are invited, both young and old.

Rev. Mr. Morgan, of Boston, will lecture in the Methodist church this evening. Mr. Morgan is a man of wonderful power as a speaker and delineator of character. He has filled Music Hall, Boston, to overflowing night after night, with men from all classes of society, eager to listen to his eloquent words. Our people will have an excellent opportunity of hearing this singularly interesting lecturer.

For the Hall Show under direction of Portsmouth Grange, to be held Oct. 24th to 27th, liberal premiums will be awarded at the discretion of the committees, for the best grains, fruits, flowers and vegetables; for needle work and other useful and fancy household manufactures; and for dairy products, bread, etc.

The fastest sailing boat owned in Portsmouth Harbor is the property of Mr. Plumer D. Norton, a business man of that city. It skips over the water at a speed which is actually astonishing. The boat is the pride of its owner and the wonder of all who have seen it sail. It sailed into Portsmouth from the Isle of Shoals, on a recent date, with Mr. Norton at the helm, in less than one hour. We are indebted to Mr. Norton for the pleasure derived from a ride in this boat the other day.—*Gt. Falls Journal.*

On Thursday the riggers' gang of the navy yard, under foreman William Pinkham, will commence operations to raise the wrecked brig Clara J. Adams, the former contractors for the job having given it up.

Among the estimates for appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878, is an item of $60,000 for the batteries at Jerry's Point and Gerrish's Island, at the entrance to this harbor.

The Boston *Post* says: "Efforts have been made by the local evangelical clergy at Portsmouth to induce Moody and Sankey to visit that city sometime during the winter to hold a series of meetings."

At the quarterly meeting of the Woman's Temperance League the following officers were chosen for the ensuing quarter: President, Miss Garrie E. Randall; Vice Presidents, Mrs. A. W. Haven, Mrs. S. W. Webber; Recording Secretary, Mrs. J. M. Pickering; Treasurer, Mrs. M. E. Taylor; Assistant Treasurer, Miss Ida Tilton; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Sarah Yeaton; Chaplain, Mrs. Bearse.

Mr. John W. Wilson, special police officer without pay at Portsmouth bridge, has brought a suit against ex-City Marshal John Dame to recover a reward of $100 which the plaintiff claims belongs to him for the arrest, near the bridge, of one Pettigrew, an escaped convict from the Massachusetts state prison.

The Secretary of the Navy has issued a general order, dated October 9, directing that hereafter, until further orders the working hours at the several navy yards and stations will be as follows: At Portsmouth and Boston—From the 1st of October until the 15th of November, from 7:30 A. M. until 5 P. M.; from the 15th of November until the 14th of February, from 7:30 A. M. until 4:30 P. M.: from the 14th of February until the 1st of April, from 7:30 A. M. until 5 P. M.: from the 1st of April until the 1st of October, from 7 A. M. until 6 P. M. One hour will be allowed for dinner.

Morris H. Smith, who has been station agent at North Hampton, on the Eastern Railroad, for twenty-one years, has resigned, and Frank R. Starkey, ticket agent and telegraph operator, has been appointed to the position. Mr. C. S. Drew of Boston is appointed baggage-master.

—In North Carolina apples are two cents a bushel.

—They are talking in Chicago of licensing the newsboys and the bootblacks.

—Pennsylvania has the largest number of Sunday schools among the States—7,660.

—Bear in mind, ye that own horses, that an ounce of hitching strap is worth a pound of hollering.

—Touch-the-Clouds was the shortest of all the Indians who recently visited the Great Father.

—What is the difference between a fool and a man who leaves his horse standing on the cross-walk?

—Max Strakosch was married at Watch Hill on August 1st, to Miss Kate Neilson, and his friends are just finding it out.

—When a reporter sees a spittoon in a minister's study, he knows he's got a sure thing on a cigar before he leaves.

—When four women are walking abreast on the pavement they will break ranks for nothing except a man with a paint pot.

—Plain glass bottles covered with silk, upon which a monogram or name is embroidered, are a novelty among fancy toilet articles.

—Some people are troubled about how to get out of a hotel when it is afire, but a large majority are more troubled how to stay in a hotel when it isn't afire.

—Amateur sportsman returns in triumph from a day's shooting with a splendid hare, and says to his wife: "There, you said I couldn't shoot. You didn't expect to see me bring this home?" "Yes, I did; the servant next door saw you buy it round the corner."

—A foolish young man writes to the New York *Sun*, to know whether there is anything in the rule of etiquette to forbid his calling on a certain young lady 112 days in succession. The *Sun* replies that there is no rule of etiquette which specially forbids a man's annoying a girl to that extent, but the rules of humanity and common sense forbid it.

—All babies born in the Oneida community are at once taken from their mothers and given to some other woman to nurse, and the babies are changed around so that no mother ever rears, or even knows, her own child. The object is to destroy all family feeling, and to keep a woman from loving her own child better than anybody's else children.

—"Many of the Indians hereabouts" says the Austin, Nevada, *Reveille*, "have adopted biblical names, by which they are known and called among their own people and the whites. Recently Rachel and Rebecca had a little personal difficulty, growing out of jealousy for Moses. With a well-directed blow, Rebecca knocked Rachel out of time, and was about to sit down on her, when Solomon came along and separated them."

—On a small piece of frame-work underneath a third class smoking carriage on the London & South Western (Eng.) Railway, a water wagtail has built her nest and reared a young and thriving family of four. The train runs regularly from Cosham to Havant five times a day, in all about forty miles, and the station master says that during the absence of the train the male bird keeps close to the spot, waiting with manifest interest and anxiety the return of his family from their periodical tours.

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preserves and whitens the teeth, keeps the gums from becoming spongy, neutralizes all impurities that adhere to the dental enamel, and effectually prevents the toothache? Any body can answer this simple question who has ever witnessed the wonderful effects of that matchless vegetable preparation—Sozodont.

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THE GREAT REMEDY FOR SORE THROAT, PULMOCINE CORDIAL is for sale at the UNION STORE, Market Street. Price 50 cents per bottle.

PERSONAL.—NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all officers and soldiers wounded, ruptured, or injured (however slightly) in the late rebellion, can obtain a pension by addressing G. KESSLER, attorney for claimants, No. 4 New Chambers Street, New York. ifeb16 78

MARRIED.

Whalen—Barney. At the City Rooms, Tuesday evening, by Walter C. Harriman, Esq., Mr. Frank Whalen, U. S. M. C., and Mrs. Artie Barney of this city.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Sch Elizabeth M Smith, Raymond, Boston, with stores for Navy Yard.

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—It having been discovered in New York that many of the policemen were compelled, by reason of corns, bunions, and other pedal infirmities, to violate the order forbidding them to sit down whilst on duty, the Police Department of that city have appointed a chiropodist, whose duty hereafter will be to look after the feet of the police force.

—The Chicago fire department has a pet cat which has never in its life attended a fire-line concert, and which, whenever an alarm is sounded, seats itself on the dial of the telegraph instrument and there remains until the "out" signal sounds. It was a kitten at the time of the great fire, and came into the Superintendent's office a stranger, badly singed.

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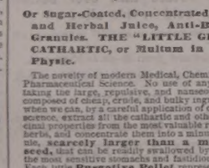

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West Lebanon, Me., Feb. 21, 1

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEE. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stale meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any seller of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 13. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, yard or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, yard or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds, or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Notice.

I HAVE this day given my son, GEORGE W. LASKEY, his time, to act for himself, and I shall hereafter pay no bills that he may contract.

MEHITABLE LASKEY.

Portsmouth, Oct. 13, 1877.

Portsmouth Chronicle.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

Fellow Citizens of the Senate and House of Representatives:—

The adjournment of the last Congress without making appropriations for the support of the army for the present fiscal year has rendered necessary a suspension of payments to the officers and men of the sums due them for service rendered after the 30th day of June last. The army exists by virtue of statutes which prescribe its numbers, regulate its organization and employment, and which fix the pay of its officers and men and declare their right to receive the same at stated periods. The statutes, however, do not authorize the payment of the troops in the absence of specific appropriations therefor. The Constitution has wisely provided that "no money shall be drawn from the Treasury but in consequence of appropriations made by law," and it has also been declared by statute that "no department of the government shall expend in any one fiscal year any sum in excess of the appropriations made by Congress for that fiscal year." We have therefore an army in service, authorized by law, and entitled to be paid, but no funds available for that purpose. It may also be said, as an additional incentive to prompt action by Congress, that since the commencement of the fiscal year the army, though without pay, has been constantly and actively employed in arduous and dangerous service, in the performance of which both officers and men have discharged their duty with fidelity and courage, and without complaint. These circumstances in my judgment constitute an extraordinary occasion requiring that Congress be convened in advance of the time prescribed by law for your meeting in regular session.

The importance of speedy action upon this subject on the part of Congress is so manifest that I venture to suggest the propriety of making the necessary appropriations for the support of the army for the current year, at its present maximum numerical strength of twenty-five thousand men, leaving for future consideration all questions relating to an increase or decrease of the number of enlisted men. In the event of the reduction of the army by subsequent legislation during the fiscal year, the excess of the appropriation could not be expended; and in the event of its enlargement the additional sum required for the payment of the extra force could be provided in due time. It would be unjust to the troops now in service, and whose pay is already largely in arrears, if payment to them should be further postponed until after Congress shall have considered all the questions likely to arise in the effort to fix the proper limit to the strength of the army. Estimates of appropriations for the support of the military establishment for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878, were transmitted to Congress by the former Secretary of the Treasury at the opening of its session in December last. These estimates modified by the present Secretary so as to conform to the present requirements, are now renewed, amounting to $32,436,764.98, and having been transmitted to both Houses of Congress, are submitted for your consideration.

There is also required of the Navy Department $20,386,127. This is made up of $1,446,688 due to officers and enlisted men for the last quarter of the last fiscal year, $311,935 due for advances made by the fiscal agent of the government in London, for the support of the foreign service, $50,000 due to the Naval Hospital fund, $150,000 due for arrearages of pay to officers, and $45,219.58 for the support of the Marine Corps.

There will also be needed an appropriation of $262,535.22 to defray the unsettled expenses of the United States Court for the fiscal year ending June 30th last, now due to attorneys, clerks, commissioners, and marshals, and for rent of court rooms, the support of prisoners and other deficiences.

A part of the building of the Interior Department was destroyed by fire on the 24th of last month. Some immediate repairs and temporary structures have, in consequence, become necessary, estimates for which will be transmitted to Congress immediately, and an appropriation of the requisite funds is respectfully recommended.

The Secretary of the Treasury will communicate to Congress, in connection with the estimates for the appropriations for the support of the army for the current fiscal year, estimates for such other deficiences in the different branches of the public service as require immediate action, and cannot, without inconvenience, be postponed until the regular session.

I take this opportunity also to invite your attention to the propriety of adopting at your present session the necessary legislation to enable the people of the United States to participate in the advantages of the International Exhibition of agriculture, industry and the fine arts, which is to be held at Paris in 1878, and in which this government has been invited by the government of France to take part. This invitation was communicated to this government in May, 1876, by the Minister of France at this capital, and a copy thereof was submitted to the proper committees of Congress at its last session, but no action was taken upon the subject. The Department of State has received many letters from various parts of the country expressing a desire to participate in the exhibition, and numerous applications of a similar nature have also been made at the United States legation at Paris.

The Department of State has also received official advice of the strong desire on the part of the French government that the United States should participate in this enterprise, and space has hitherto been and still is reserved in the exhibition buildings for the use of exhibitors from the United States, to the exclusion of other parties who have been applicants therefor. In order that our industries may be properly represented at the exhibition an appropriation will be needed for the payment of salaries and expenses of Commissioners, and for the transportation of goods, and for other purposes in connection with the object in view; and as May next is the time fixed for the opening of the exhibition, if our citizens are to share the advantages of this international competition for the trade of other nations, the necessity of immediate action is apparent. To enable the United States to cooperate in the international exhibition which was held at Vienna in 1873, Congress then passed a joint resolution, making an appropriation of two hundred thousand dollars, and authorizing the President to appoint a certain number of practical artisans and scientific men who should attend the exhibition and report their observations to him. Provision was also made for the appointing a number of honorary commissions I have felt that prompt action by Congress in accepting the invitation of the government of France is of so much interest to the people of this country, and so suitable to the cordial relations between the governments of the two countries that the subject might properly be presented for attention at your present session.

The government of Sweden and Norway has addressed an official invitation to this government to take part in the International Prison Congress, to be held at Stockholm next year. The problem which the congress proposes to study,—how to diminish crime,—is one in which all civilized nations have an interest in common, and the congress of Stockholm seems likely to prove the most important convention ever held for the study of this grave question. Under authority of a joint resolution of Congress, approved Feb. 16, 1875, a commissioner was appointed by my predecessor, to represent the United States upon that occasion, and the Prison Congress having been, at the earnest desire of the Swedish government, postponed to 1878, this commission was renewed by me. An appropriation of eight thousand dollars was made in the sundry civil service act of 1875 to meet the expenses of the commissioner. I recommend the re-appropriation of that sum for the same purpose, the former appropriation having been covered into the treasury and being no longer available for the purpose without further action by Congress. The subject is brought to your attention at this time in view of circumstances which render it highly desirable that the commissioner should proceed to the discharge of his important duties immediately.

As the several acts providing for detailed reports from the different departments of the government require their submission at the beginning of the regular annual session, I defer until that time any further reference to subjects of public interest. (Signed) R. B. HAYES.

Washington, Oct. 15, 1877.

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Maine State 6s. 1889.....	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1875.....	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879.....	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880.....	102½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold.....	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895.....	105
Eastern R. R. 5½.....	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s.....	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.....	60½
Boston & Maine.....	84½
Boston & Providence.....	120½
Boston & Albany.....	123½
Nashua & Lowell.....	69
Concord.....	74
Eastern.....	5
Eastern Railroad in N. H.....	30
Fitchburg.....	105
Manchester & Lawrence.....	124
Michigan Central.....	64½
Northern N. H.....	65½
Old Colony & Newport.....	59½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway.....	3½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth.....	62½

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Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 30c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smithe', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., H. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $19 @ $13.
Plaster per ton, lump $8; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9¼ @ 10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 18, 1878.

The Eastern War.

A Russian official despatch states that Mukhtar Pasha's army has been routed and completely cut off from Kars. In the battle which took place on Monday, the 15th, the Russians captured many guns and prisoners, and large quantities of provisions.

A Turkish despatch from Kars states that the Russians have re-commenced the seige of that place. A Constantinople despatch says Moukhtar Pasha's account of the battle on Monday has not yet been received.

The London *News* correspondent with the Russian headquarters in Asia telegraphed from Karajal, Monday evening, that "this morning, our troops began an attack on the Turkish positions, and after heavy cannonading on our left wing with the Aladja batteries, we made a serious assault on Avilias Hill and the redoubt. At noon the Caucasian grenadiers, under Gen. Flemann, stormed the hill and redoubt, capturing three Krupp guns. The Ezinkoz Regiment occupied Aladja Dagh, capturing the Turkish camp. The enemy retired in disorder in three directions, being cut off in the rear from Kars. Pursuit was sharp everywhere, and will be continued to-morrow."

A despatch from Gorney Studen says the Turks have withdrawn their artillery from the Plevna redoubt, and the Russians fear that mines have been laid. A despatch from Shipka says the Turks on Monday recommenced cannonading. The weather was fine and favorable for military operations.

News and Notes.

Joy, the Rockport, Mass., murderer, who was to have been hung Oct. 19th, has been reprieved.

Camp, the Vermont state prison convict who escaped by tunneling under the wall fifteen years ago, and was only caught and returned after fourteen years of liberty, has been digging away at the same place, and was caught when he had got to within a foot of liberty. He had his haversack packed with provisions and clothing.

The French election returns give the republicans 314 and the clericals 201, with fourteen districts yet to elect. The French people did not vote as McMahon ordered them to.

James Berry, the Pacific Railroad robber, captured at Mexico, Missouri, died from wounds inflicted by Sheriff Glasscook. His dying confession was that he was one of the men who robbed the express car at Big Springs, and he said that Collins, who was killed in Kansas, planned the robbery. It will be remembered that the killing of Collins (or Comins) was said to have been a mistake, as he was a wealthy Texan and the $20,000 in gold he had with him was his own.

When the Soldiers' Home at Knightstown, Indiana, was on fire, and everybody else had abandoned the burning building, Ida Wishard, at the imminent risk of her life, made her way through the smoke and heat up to the attic, and rescued two little boys who were asleep there and had been forgotten. With a child under each arm she groped her way down three flights of stairs, and happily reached the ground in safety.

The present House of Representatives at Washington contains 175 lawyers.

The story of the Kentucky Judge, who humbly confessed his sin of over-indulgence in liquor, is yet familiar; and now comes this from Arkansas: The Mayor of Hot Springs, Ark., lectured himself very severely in court the other morning for getting drunk. "You are old enough, Linde," said he, "to know better. I am pained beyond expression that you have thus disgraced yourself and the city you, as its chief executive, represent. I must fine you $20, and see to it that hereafter you conduct yourself more properly."

People who are so unfortunate as to have litigation in the United States Supreme Court will be very grateful to Senator Davis if he gets his measure through for relieving it of all its smaller cases by the establishment of intermediate courts of appeal, composed of the Circuit Judge and the district judges in each circuit. The Supreme Court is now two years and a half in arrears with its work, with no hope of gaining upon it unless relief is afforded.

Neal Dow was called into the Portland police station Saturday night to confront a tipsy book agent who insisted that they drank brandy and water together on a Sound boat recently. When the irate apostle of temperance got there the fellow explained that he drank the brandy and Dow the water.

Judge Walton, of the Maine Supreme Court, said a sharp thing to a jury of Norway, Maine., who acquitted a man of stealing corn from the Grand Trunk Railway in the face of convincing evidence, by remarking: "At the same time, Mr. Foreman, don't you think you had better admonish Manuel against stealing any more corn?"

The New York *Sun* says a Trieste newspaper states that the remaining Cleopatra needle belongs to that city, and a subscription is now going on there to pay for its removal to Trieste. The Austrian Consul at Cairo has notified the Khedive of their ownership of the obelisk.

The freight agents of the steamers to and from Boston report a heavy increase both ways this fall, and the Fall River line has had to put on an extra freight steamer, while the regular boats are crowded to their full capacity. The Stonington line also is running to its full capacity of freight room. The routes by steamer to Southern ports make similar reports.

A gang of thieves, which has been operating in West Gardiner, West Waterville, and other places in that region of Maine lately, has been ferreted out and captured. The thieves are all young men. Their names are Willard Thompson and John Johnson of Gardiner, Lyman W. Cochran and Manly Brooks of West Waterville. Besides stealing from stores and dwelling houses *ad libitum* for the past six months, they have taken harnesses without number from the stables of people living in that region, who are much rejoiced at their capture.

A New York jeweler, from whom a stranger ordered $800 worth of watches in the name of a well-known Stamford man, took the goods to Stamford, instead of sending them, because he feared a swindle. He found his suspicions verified, and felt so good to think that he had not been cheated that he got drunk, when a thief robbed him of his $800 package.

The President's message to Congress in extra session is a concise and business-like document.

New Hampshire Items.

Daniel Bean's team, of Meredith, collided with a carriage in Sandwich containg two ladies, throwing them out and seriously injuring them. As Bean was considered to blame, it cost him $50.

Rollinsford has no town debt.

Some mischievous Dartmouth students locked Profs. Emerson and Quimby in the cottage chapel Saturday night.

A gentleman of Buffalo, N. Y., and a resident of Candia, have offered $500 toward a bell and clock for the Freewill Baptist Church in that village. The sum required is $1000.

The New Hampshire Baptist Convention opened in Concord on the 16th, to continue three days.

Edward Sanderson, a Providence machinist, while attempting to get a squirrel out of its hole in the bottom of a tree by the ingenious method of poking about with the butt of his gun while holding the weapon by the muzzle, was very naturally shot in the leg by an accidental discharge and is not expected to recover.

Rev. E. C. Rogers, of Rindge, has a sweet scented geranium, two years old, three feet in length, and its branches form a compact and almost perfect circle twelve feet in circumference.

Some one cleaned the fish pond at Livermore Falls of over one hundred pounds of fine trout on Thursday night of last week. The act is rendered doubly mean because great dependence was placed upon the spawn of these fish to aid in restocking the river.

A little boy only seventeen months old, son of Mr. F. Tebbets of East Haverhill, wandered from the house on Tuesday, the 16th, and in attempting to cross a brook to get to the field where his brothers were at work was drowned. When found life was extinct.

The agricultural department of Dartmouth college has seven students and eight professors.

Dr. D. E. Wells and wife of Bethlehem, celebrated their golden wedding on the 11th inst.

Parirldges are so plenty in Colebrook that villagers are shooting them in their dooryards.

The mining excitement seems to be spreading in New Hampshire. The Gardner Mountain Mining Company, with $600,000 capital, has been formed to work a copper mine at Littleton, and one with $1,000,000 is to be formed to work the White Ledge Gold Mine at Sandwich, whose citizens are all dreaming of fabulous wealth in their farms.

Dr. Waltham Barrows of Meriden has declined the position of Supervisor of the State Normal School, to which he was recently appointed by the Governor, on the ground that he cannot afford to perform the duties of the position gratis, no salary or pay attaching to the position.

An Excellent Reason.

Romein, the French actor, was an incorrigible joker, but one day he was very nearly taken in by a clock-maker in the Palais Royal. Enter Romien, pretending to be a gentleman from the country, of a very simple type indeed. Romien, with strong provincial accent—

"Pray, sir, can you tell me what are those little round machines hung up in your shop-window?"

Clockmaker—"They are called watches, sir." Unhooks one and shows it.

Romien—"Ah, watches! And what are they for, please?"

Clockmaker—"To indicate the time, sir."

Romein—"To in-di-cate the time! And how, pray?"

Clockmaker—"I will show you." Enters into brief but lucid explanation, then concluding, "You must wind up the watch every twenty-four hours."

Romien—"Every twenty-four hours! Morning or evening?"

Clockmaker—"Morning."

Romien—"Why morning?"

Clockmaker, blandly—"Because, Monsieur Romien, in the evening you are tipsy!"

Exit Romien.

A Card.

To Employers in New Hampshire: In the name of Humanity and in behalf of the cause of Temperance, I respectfully suggest that your pay day be changed from Saturday to Monday. By such a change a severe blow can be dealt the liquor traffic, the wages of many workmen which are now worse than wasted saved to their suffering families, and employers and employed alike benefitted. Will all New Hampshire newspapers please copy. JOHN W. Drew.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

By the Judge of Probate for said County.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of MARY D. HUTCHINGS, late of Portsmouth in said County, deceased, intestate, and all persons interested in said estate, greeting:

You are hereby notified that JOSIAH S. HALEY, Executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of November next, at 10 o'clock A. M. for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby ordered to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Morning Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court. By order of the Judge.

WOODBURY DURGIN,
Register of Probate.

Dated at Portsmouth, Oct. 16, 1877.

PROPOSALS FOR WOOD.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the Overseers of the poor of the City of Portsmouth, until Tuesday, October 30, 1877, at 7 o'clock P. M., for one Hundred Cords first Quality HARD WOOD, to be delivered at either of the railroad stations in this city, or at the Poor House yard. The right to reject any bid is reserved.

M. BUFFORD, Secretary.

October 17, 1877.

I. O. R. M.

COUNCIL FIRE will be kindled at the Wigwam of SEWICHEWANNOCK TRIBE, No. 4, on the Sleep of the 18th Moon of the 7th Run, 5th Breath. A full attendance is requested.

Hunters, Warriors and Chiefs Degree.

Per Order,
J. W. CASWELL, Sachem.

LANGDON PARK,

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that the funds placed in the hands of the Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. We, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that we are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or any other of the Trustees.

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The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstore of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth Weekly Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

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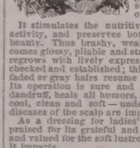

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MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:45	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:45	5
Portland,	9:45	4:35 6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:45	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:55 10:10	5:30
Boston Way,	10:10	5:30
Portland and East,	11:20	5:30
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:30

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

SUPREME COURT.

Wednesday, Oct. 17th, *Stanley, J.*

Ida A. Griswold vs. Albert C. Griswold; divorce decreed, for desertion. Page for libellant.

Mary E. Carr vs. Samuel L. Carr; divorce, and custody of child. Bartlett for libellant.

Delia A. Brown vs. Nathaniel G. Brown; bill for divorce heard. Hatch for libellant; Hills for libellee. The hearing occupied the Court until late in the afternoon. Decision reserved.

The Court adjourned until Thursday morning at half-past ten o'clock.

ORIENTAL ENTERTAINMENT.

Mr. James Rosedale, of Jerusalem, in the Holy Land, assisted by his wife and daughter, gave a most interesting lecture and descriptive entertainment in the Pearl street church, Tuesday evening, on Palestine, its cities, inhabitants, customs, etc. Mr. Rosedale is a native of Jerusalem, speaks all the languages common among the dwellers in that region, including Arabic, and was interpreter for the American exploring expedition in the Holy Land. He described the various races inhabiting Palestine, exhibiting their manner of receiving guests, singing, dancing, saluting, disputing, bargaining, betrothal and marriage ceremonies, etc. The entertainment was mostly in the Arabic language and costume, the language being interpreted by Mr. Rosedale; and it was not only very interesting and full of valuable information, but extremely amusing.

Mr. Rosedale will lecture again at the same place this (Friday) evening, at 7:45 o'clock; admission 20 cts., children half-price. Tickets for sale at the door.

THE CITY.

Foster, of the Dover *Democrat*, says that the more the temperance advocates "abuse Frank Jones the more the people like him and the more votes he is sure to get every time he is nominated. By and by, dear brethren, he is going upon the track for Governor, and then you will have to get up and get out of the way again."

The Foul Batters and Heavy Muffers played a game of base ball on the Plains, Wednesday afternoon, the Foul Batters winning by a score of seventeen to seven.

The Granite State base ball club will play the "Off 'Uns" a second game on the Plains to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock sharp. The "Off 'Uns" will play but nine men in their nine, this time.

The following is the annual report of acting missionary Loyno for the year ending October first, 1877: Missionary visits, 1910; vessels visited, 445; services held, 212; sick visits, 161; tracts distributed (about) 2900; papers and magazines, 2850; meals provided for the poor, 222; articles of clothing distributed, 206.

The south mill-bridge is undergoing extensive repairs. A wall is being built on the front facing the mill-pond, which will be a great improvement, as it will do away with the inside railing and make a walk which will need but little outlay for repairs when once completed.

Harper's for November is received, and ready for delivery at Myers' and Moses Brothers' bookstores. The contents are: Ten years' acquaintance with Alaska, with twenty illustrations; Palingenesis, a poem; The king of conjurers, with eighteen illustrations; San Antonio de Bexar, with eighteen illustrations; Contentment, A study, and The best gift, poems; Madelena, a story, three illustrations; Yachting in blue waters, five illustrations; Back to back, a story of to-day, by E. E. Hale, one illustration; A year of American travel, by Jessie Benton Fremont; and other articles.

Capt. Wm. O. Sides of this city, Grand Chancellor of the Grand Lodge of Pythians, has recently been in Franklin to make arrangements for instituting a Pythian Lodge in that town.

The steam launch "Mollie,"—the smart little craft that has been running up and down the river, and outside with fishing and picnic parties from Newmarket, Dover and other up-river places all the past summer,—has been purchased by Laighton Brothers, of Appledore.

The Overseers of the Poor, by an advertisement in another column, invite tenders for the furnishing to the city of a hundred cords of hard wood—the proper way, it would seem, to purchase such supplies as are needed in large quantities by the city. Now if the City Government would only set the tramps that come loafing around at work sawing this wood, making each one saw a specified amount to pay for his meals and lodging, so city and the city's poor would have the benefit of cheaper fuel, and the tramps wouldn't be hurt any.

NAVAL MATTERS.

Paymaster A. J. Clark is ordered to the New York navy yard.

Naval Constructor Samuel H. Pook is detached from the New York navy yard and ordered to the Boston navy yard.

Naval Constructor Thomas E. Webb is detached from special duty at the New York navy yard, and ordered to relieve Constructor Pook at that yard.

Naval Constructor Robert W. Steel is detached from special duty at the Washington navy yard, and ordered to the Boston yard as assistant to Constructor Pook.

The United States steamer Ossipee arrived in Portland harbor Tuesday morning, and sails for Hampton Roads on Thursday. The report that she was ordered here, and was on her way here from Boston, was incorrect.

U. S. S. Kearsarge, having been ordered home, left Japan for Boston via Suez canal on the 3d of September. She will go out of commission when she arrives, which she is not expected to do before February next, as her boilers are veay much out of repair (she has been in commission four years) and she must depend largely on her canvas.

Political.

Lucy Stone and Rev. Dr. Bliss met at a Colorado voting place. Bliss had fought the woman suffragists hard. Lucy said, after the introduction: "And you are Dr. Bliss. I have heard of you, and you may be assured, sir, that my respect for you is very small. Really, sir, if I had known who you were, I should not have shaken hands with you!" Bliss retorted that he "had thought her to be a lady, and that he was satisfied that he was mistaken." Then there was quite a conflict of words, and a crowd gathered, but the two politicians did not come to blows.

The confirmation of Col. Daniel Hall as Naval Officer at Boston, it is said will be opposed by some of the republican Senators, and the charges made against Mr. Hall by ex-Congressman Small of New Hampshire are to be revived.

The following is clipped from the Liberty (Miss.) *Herald*, a good democratic paper: "In this county, in Wilkinson, Franklin, and Pike, the most diabolical crimes have been secretly committed—whippings, mutilations, robberies, rapes, and murders—by bands of men under the guise of bulldozers or protective clubs. If, as was the case in more than one instance, good men denounce these acts—these crimes—they are mysteriously threatened with violence or enforced to exile, or the torch of the incendiary. In such a condition of affairs, every industrial interest of the country is depressed, and we are travelling with lightning speed on a down grade to the devil."

Gen. Garfield laughs at the idea that the Ohio result signifies the dissolution of the republican organization. He has seen a democratic majority of 2500 in Ohio one year, and a republican majority of 100,000 the next.

The editor of the Jacksonville (Flo.) *Sun*, who was present at the reception of President Hayes in Atlanta, denies the statement, circulating in Northern papers, that the rebel flag was brought out on that occasion.

Hon. Otho R. Singleton, one of the democratic Congressmen from Mississippi, is quoted as saying in Washington that the feeling in favor of sticking to the democratic party and banishing the republicans from the control of the government is universal among the Southern people, and that nothing that Mr. Hayes can do will diminish it.

—A noble lord, one of the canons at Windsor, who is good-naturedly addicted to speaking to soldiers in a friendly manner, and not as though the wearer of a red coat were "food for powder," and nothing more, was naturally much gratified when a guardsman said genially, "I like you, my lord—there's nothing of the gentleman about you!"

—On the top of Prospect mountain, near Addison, Vermont, is a remarkable pond about three-quarters of an acre in extent. Except a small space in the centre, it is covered with a thick moss, strong enough for people to walk upon. Poles are pushed through the moss at any point, but none have ever touched bottom, yet there are large trees growing and the people walk in safety. The moss forms a thick mat or carpet, and is described as being exquisitely beautiful.

—The literary ladies of Great Britain appear to have been astonishingly long lived; here is a list of them with the ages at which they died: Miss Jane Austen, 42; Mrs. Radcliffe, 59; Miss Mitford, 69; Mrs. Trimmer, 69; Miss Jane Porter, 74; Mrs. Elizabeth Montagu, 80; Mrs. Piozzi, 81; Mrs. Barbauld, 82; Miss Edgeworth, 82; Lady Morgan, 82; Madame d'Arblay, 88; Miss Hannah More, 88; Mrs. Marcet, 89; Mrs. Joanna Baillie, 89; Miss Berry, 90; Mrs. Somerville, 92; Miss Harriet Lee, 95; Miss Caroline Herschel, 98; Lady Smith, 103.

MARRIAGES.

BEEKMAN—BEEKMAN. In Seabrook, Oct. 3, Mr. Orin Beekman and Miss Addie Beekman.

DEATHS.

GOSS. In Rye, Oct. 9, Annie M. Goss, aged 9 years and 5 months.

DURGIN. In Epping, Oct. 15, Mr. Gardner D. Durgin, aged 67 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch Isaac I. Clark, Elwell, for this port, cld from Philadelphia Oct 13.

Schs Mystery, Call, from Hingham, and Mary Willey, Williams, from this port, arr at Bangor Oct 13.

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Unite your shattered China with Spalding's Glue.

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20 do.	500	10,000
100 do.	100	10,000
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1,000 do.	10	10,000

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any stalls, offal, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores any where, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either the land of any street in the city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Daily Chronicle.

A Vagrant Philosopher.

In the hip pocket of an old vagrant taken in by the police the other night, was a memorandum book full of his own writing with pencil, and some of his philosophy is good enough to be preserved. His first paragraph reads:

"Drinking bad whiskey because it is offered free is like getting in the way of bullets purchased by an enemy."

A second reads:

"Honesty is the best policy, but some folks are satisfied with second best. It is hard to be honest on an empty stomach."

A third runs:

"A dry plank under a rain-proof shed is better than a feather-bed in jail, and one isn't annoyed by the jailer bringing in a square breakfast."

A fourth says:

"Pay as you go. If you haven't anything to pay with, don't go. If you are forced to go, record every indebtedness, and let your heirs settle the bills."

The fifth is recorded:

"Politeness costs nothing, but it is not expected that you will wake a man up at midnight to ask permission to go through his hen-house. It is more courteous to let him enjoy his needed repose."

The sixth and last was noted down as follows:

"When you pick up an apple core do not find fault because it is not the apple itself, but be satisfied with the grade of descent. Do not be ashamed of your occupation. We cannot all be lords nor can we all be vagrants. As I cannot be a lord, I should not lament at being a vagrant. Be truthful and outspoken. That is, tell 'em you are a Chicago fire-sufferer. Keep seasonable hours or some other vag will get your plank first. Be hopeful and good-natured. Growling won't cure a sore heel."

—The Norwich and New York Steamboat Company, taking warning from the experience of the Massachusetts, now drill their hands twice a week in boat-lowering, rowing, heaving anchors, etc.

—A mouse stays in a Sacramento jeweler's window and catches flies. The *Record* says: "The mouse does not in the least seem disconcerted or frightened in his pursuit and capture of the flies by the crowd gazing at him, but pursues his self-imposed duty with an avidity which discounts all the patent fly-paper in the market."

—The Indianapolis *Herald* having become a workingman's paper, thus addresses the workers: "Don't listen to the viper hisses of our enemies. We are honest. We love you. We want every workingman to come in and take two dollars' worth of our sympathy. The *Herald* is eminently a poor man's paper. Lantern-jawed, gamboge-eyed leaders may tell you we are only after your two dollars. It is a lie. We want you to have the full benefit of our sympathy, and we will let you have it at the regular rates."

—The greatest of the cat-races ever held in Belgium came off recently at Belcele, near Bonsecours. There were seventy entries for the chief prize. The animals were carried some four miles from the village in baskets, and there let loose. Of course they all ran toward home swiftly. Minette, a pretty white cat with a pensive eye, reached the town first and won the first prize—a silver coffee-pot. Lolo, a big tortoise-shell, which had been made the favorite in the betting, jumped the course, and has not since been heard of.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes, 1881, coupon	110¾
United States Ten-Forties coupon	109¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107¾
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
N. H. State 6s 1878	102½
N. H. State 6s 1886	108½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	114
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 7s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	120
Boston & Albany	123½
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	100
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	64½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	20½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	5½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

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Butter, per lb 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 22c.
Flour, Fancy, $ @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per lb by the qll. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bbl., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, lr. 9 @ 10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per lb, Black, 40 @ 75c.; Green, 35c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 19, 1877.

Congress.

The House on Wednesday seated Pacheco, republican, from California, and Elam and Robertson, democrats, from Louisiana. The democratic papers assume great non-partisan virtue for their party, because some of the democratic representatives voted to admit Pacheco, while the republicans voted solidly against Elam and Robertson; the difference is, that Pacheco was elected, and Elam and Robertson were not. The case of Belford, republican, of Colorado, elected by more than a thousand unquestioned majority, will be sent to committee to decide if it is necessary, "for the good of the party," to give his seat to a democrat. The House adjourned to Saturday, then to adjourn to Monday.

In the Senate, the democrats attempted to secure the admission of Spofford, of Louisiana, but no action was taken. Beck, of Kentucky, introduced a bill providing that fifty per cent of customs dues may be paid in legal tender notes.

In the Senate, Thursday, Spofford's case was referred to the committee on credentials, by a party vote, Booth, Christiancy, Conover, Matthews, Patterson and Spencer voting with the republicans, and Davis with the democrats. A motion by Mr. Whyte, of Maryland, to instruct the committee to report by Nov. 1st, was defeated by a vote of 31 yeas to 35 nays. Kellogg's credentials were referred to the same committee, to be reported on at same time as Spofford's.

The Eastern War.

According to Russian official bulletins not only was Moukhtar Pasha's force decisively defeated on Monday, but the Turkish army in Asia Minor utterly destroyed. On the morning of Monday, the 15th, a heavy cannonade was directed against Olya Tepe, which was the key to the Turkish position. In the afternoon Gen. Heymann, with about 10,000 infantry, carried Olya Tepe by assault, cutting the Turkish army in two. The centre and left wing, under Moukhtar himself, retreated upon Kars, pursued by Heyman and harassed on the flank by Lazareff, but succeeded in gaining the cover of the fortifications of Kars after a fearful rout, during which he lost a great number in killed and wounded, several thousand prisoners and four guns. Three divisions, constituting the Turkish right, had meantime been surrounded and attacked and driven from their fortified camp with great loss. Finally at eight o'clock Monday night the remnant of this portion of Moukhtar's army surrendered with thirty-two guns and a great quantity of material. Among the captured are seven Pashas. Moukhtar Pasha is in Kars. The Russian losses are relatively slight. Moukhtar's official despatch acknowledges his defeat, but he claims to have lost only 800 men.

The Russian bombardment of Plevna has been recommenced, with greater fury than ever, and a great battle is expected there very soon.

Speedy Resumption.

It is understood that the committee of bankers, to which the matter of aiding the Government to effect an early resumption of specie payments was referred in September, has substantially approved of the Coe plan. The banks under this plan propose to unite and pledge themselves to furnish the Treasury with all the gold required by the Government from time to time in redeeming maturing bonds and retiring legal tenders, the condition being that the Government shall issue to the banks new United States bonds to be held by the Treasury Department until redeemed. The banks by this plan are to have the privilege of redeeming these bonds either by payment of gold coin, or the substitution of United States bonds of any issue, or legal tenders. Meantime the national banks will credit the Treasury of the United States for the whole amount of bonds purchased as gold deposits, subject to order. A copy of the plan was forwarded to Secretary Sherman, and it is proposed to have the banks make a formal offer to the Government at once to subscribe $50,000,000 in gold to the new bonds, and have a contract entered into, to be dated January 1, 1878, and thus forestall the anticipated legislation opposed to resumption by Congress.

"No Warrants Against Democrats."

A Charleston, S. C., correspondent of the New York *Sun*, writing of the determined efforts of the democrats to punish and destroy every republican of prominence in that State who stands in the way of putting a democrat in office, says: "There are other knowing men, who say neither Chamberlain nor Kimpton will ever be brought back. They say Patterson may be returned in order to expedite a vacancy in the United States Senate, but that he will never be tried. The ground for this assertion is that Kimpton, Chamberlain and Patterson all know too much for many leading democrats, and that if they have to put on the striped suit of the penitentiary convict they will see to it they spend their imprisonment in some of the 'best society' which the State boasted during their rule. As yet the Investigating Committee have issued no warrants against democrats. They have the cases of some of them under consideration, and are yet accumulating testimony against them. The testimony against Patterson for bribery is direct, particular and voluminous. It relates particularly to his election as Senator, and will probably be used at the opening of Congress to drive him from his seat. Should the Senate expel him, Gov. Hampton will probably be made Senator in his place."

The Big Rock Lost.

The British steamer Olga, from Alexandria, Egypt, for London, with Cleopatra's Needle in tow, arrived at Falmouth, Eng., on the 17th, and reports that she was compelled to abandon the Cleopatra obelisk off Cape Finisterre on the previous Sunday night, during a tremendous gale. The crew on the craft which contained the obelisk were transferred to the Olga, but not until the Olga had lost her second mate and five hands in her endeavor to rescue them. The gale which forced the casting adrift of the craft containing the obelisk was the same which swept over England on the Sunday referred to, unroofing houses and throwing down buildings, and doing immense damage in other ways. The vessel containing the obelisk was a cylinder of very heavy plate iron, and it is barely possible the big rock may yet be found wrecked somewhere on the shores of the Bay of Biscay.

P. S. A telegram from London, Thursday evening, says: "the English steamer Fitz Maurice, from Middleborough for Valencia, recovered the Cleopatra caisson, 90 miles north of Ferrol, Spain."

News and Notes.

It pays sometimes to follow your wife's directions about looking under the bed. W. R. Rowley, of Hartford, did so, Monday night, and found a young man named Marshall Loyden, who is twenty-one years of age and has borne a bad reputation for years. He struggled some to get away, but Mr. Rowley held fast to him and delivered him over to the police. He was bound over to the Superior Court, and in default of $1,000 bonds went to jail.

Special Agent Mudge has discovered that large quantities of uncut diamonds have been smuggled into New York. A suit brought against Fox & Co: for $10,000 by the Government in this connection, has developed the fact that they were in collusion with one Marsh, an examiner in the Appraiser's Department. The suit was compromised by the United States Attorney on the payment of $5,228.

A Baltimore paper of the 16th inst. says: The second case of collection of extra tonnage tax under the order recently promulgated by the Secretary of the Treasury came up yesterday at the Custom House. The law provides that American vessels under the command of a foreign subject shall pay fifty cents extra beyond the thirty cents required for vessels carrying the American flag. The American ship Celestial Empire, which arrived on Sunday, is commanded by Capt. Stewart, a British subject. She is of 1620 tons measurement, and tax at the rate of eighty cents per ton was collected, the amount being $1304. Including hospital dues, this vessel paid $1512.

A fearful hurricane visited Curacoa and neighboring islands September 23, and caused great damage. The wind blew from every quarter. The sea washed away the lower part of the town of Wilhelmstadt. Nearly every house in what is known as the Petrimay quarter was destroyed, and the fortifications are in ruins. Many families are destitute. The damage to property is estimated at over $500,000. A Dutch man-of-war and the Dutch schooners Juliet and Sarah were wrecked. Several lives were lost. All the salt ponds in the neighboring island of Bonaire were ruined.

The jury who tried the suit of Mrs. Phœbe Robertson vs. James G. Bennett, before Judge Speir, in the Superior Court of New York, have brought in a verdict for $10,000 damages, the amount sued for. The suit was for a libel contained in a "Personal" in the *Herald*: "Beware of the blackmailing crowd at" (giving the the lady's address) and no retraction was published.

A Miss Edgar, of Auckland, has received the degree of B. A. of the New Zealand University.

In the early part of July Mr. Jesse Hinks, a farmer in Brewer, Me., was called upon by a good-looking young man who desired to assist in haying. Mr. Hinks engaged the person then and there, and Charles Works, as he gave his name, commenced to do all the work of a common laborer on the farm. Haying was in operation, and he took hold with readiness and was a thorough and efficient farm hand. It now appears that Charles Works, although the semblance of a man, was in reality a woman. She succeeded in disguising herself very perfectly, and none mistrusted she was other than a man. She wore men's clothing and assumed most of the habits of young men. She smoked and chewed with the rest of them, and the wielder of the shears in Brewer has shaved her several times. She is about twenty years of age, stout and strong, and as a farm laborer gave good satisfaction to her employer. Saturday night she left without telling where she was going.

Steamer Massachusetts was floated off the rocks at Rocky Point, R. I., Tuesday night, with the aid of two pontoons under her stern. The enormous steam pumps easily kept her afloat.

Morton, the great Philadelphia swindler, has been arrested for perjury.

The first news from Capt. George E. Tyson, who has gone to the Arctic seas to make arrangements for the Howgate expedition to the North Pole, comes through a letter received by his wife. It was written in a storm at sea, on August 20th, and sent to land by a whaler. In it Capt. Tyson says: "We have been having very bad weather nearly ever since we sailed, rainy and foggy, and we have just rode out a dreadful gale, which lasted five days. The Florence ships a great deal of water, as was known before she started."

Thomas Owens, twelve years old, had a petty quarrel in Lowell, Wednesday night, with Patrick Williams, aged thirteen; Owens got a pistol to Williams' head and fired, inflicting a fatal wound.

During a mutiny on board the American ship New World, off the Nore Light, the captain shot one man dead and the mate wounded another. British marines boarded the vessel and took her back to London. Minister Pierrepont, it is said, claims that the British marines had no right to take the vessel to London, she being at the time of the mutiny on the high seas.

The Australian steamer arrived at San Francisco Wednesday morning, the 17th, with the British mails two hours after the departure of the overland train. The mails were put on a special train, with instructions to overtake the express train, and by making close connection at New York with the Abyssinia for Liverpool, it is expected to deliver the Sydney mails in London in thirty-nine days from Australia.

The National Convention of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers began its annual session in Boston on Wednesday.

The New Orleans *Democrat* says the German steamer Hanover, Capt. Erdmann, which arrived at New Orleans Monday night in a disabled condition, brought the thrilling intelligence that she had collided with a ship that was bottom upward in mid-ocean. It is alleged that the collision was in daylight. The Hanover had on board at the time of the collision some cabin passengers and about 380 emigrants. She had a part of her hull stove in, and in such a manner as to allow water to get into her hold. The *Democrat* reporter called at the ship Hanover, but was informed that the Captain was ashore. When other officers of the boat were asked for they declined to be interviewed, stating through an interpreter that they were not at liberty to give any particulars regarding the collision. It is also reported that there were two other ships seen by the passengers and officers of the Hanover bottom upward in the ocean.

A railroad newsboy of Pittsburgh, Pa., has just come into possession of a handsome fortune. His father died at Richmond, Va., in 1857, leaving a life insurance policy of $22,000, which the boy's guardian invested in confederate bonds, which made no return. The guardian refused to make good the loss, but after a long law suit the case has been decided in the boy's favor, and the guardian, a wealthy man, is compelled to pay the principal and interest for twenty years.

A remarkable natural fountain has been developed out of a well sunk for oil at Clintonville, Pa. An immense gas vein was found instead of oil, and a month ago the proprietors decided to draw out the casing and abandon the well. As soon as the casing was raised a foot or so, the water from the upper part of the well rushed into the hole, and was seized by the gas and thrown out at the mouth of the well to a height of forty feet. It has continued to spout at this rate ever since, throwing out twenty thousand barrels of water daily.

Six drunken Italian sailors attacked a crowd of workmen at Staten Island on the night of the 15th, when the latter fired upon their assailants, fatally wounding two of them.

With a face as red as a lobster, and back like the shelf of a clam, the wife stands over the kitchen stove and manipulates raspberry jam.—*Berkshire Courier.* While her husband, with nose like sunset, and his mouth like the song of a year, leans over the counter of "free lunch," and elevates schooners of beer.—*Hawkeye.* And her daughter, with ear like a shovel, and eye like a Florida bean, swings on the front gate with a fellow, with darkness to cover the scene.—*Graphic.* But the son, with a lip for "the ardent," and a scanty supply of "the tin," is pouring it down by the measure, without stopping to wipe off his chin.—*Boston Home Journal.* And the mother-in-law, with a gay grin, takes her stand in the lordly hall, enlarging on cards and every sin, and making it lively for all.—*Globe.* While the cred'tor sums up the column, and thinks, "How long will it be, 'fore the sheriff makes ready to haul in, and five cents on the dollar pays me?"

The New Hampshire Fish Commissioners have stocked Carpenter's pond in Epping with black bass. Jones' pond in Raymond has also been similarly favored.

—Just take notice that the cooler the nights the oftener a man's wife hears burglars seeking to get in, and the oftener he must leave his bed to search for them.

—They were discussing the subject of epitaphs and tombstones, and the husband said: "My dear, what kind of a stone do you suppose they will give me when I die?" "Brimstone, my love," was the affectionate reply.

—Another titled French turfite has come to grief. Baron de Rochetaillée, ruled off the course at Lyons for pulling the horse he was riding. He has $80,000 a year, and had not a penny pending on the race he purposely lost, but probably pulled the horse to save a penalty in a future engagement.

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Local Matters.

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East (beyond Portland),	9:45	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45	
Concord and North,	7:30	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:35
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:35

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MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8:35 10:10	5:50
Boston Way,	10:10	5:50
Portland and East,	11:40	5.50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:30	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	6:30

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Master Lyman G. Spalding, U. S. N., of this city, is ordered to examination for promotion.

The *Times* says "George E. Hanson, apothecary, offers to pay his creditors ten cents on a dollar."

The Granite States propose to "knock the 'stuff'n out'n" the "Off 'Uns," this afternoon at the Plains.

Steamer Major, Capt. Wm. Robinson, left steamboat wharf on Thursday morning at eight o'clock, for Baltimore, where she will run as a tow-boat during the winter.

We are authorized to state that Mr. Elias Ayers did not die as stated by the *Times* of Thursday. He was as well on Thursday evening as he has been for some time past.

Charles Hayes & Son claim damages of the Eastern Railroad for the killing of a valuable heifer by a freight train some days ago, on the ground that the fence was down at the point where the animal got on the track.

Thomas Connors of this city, who was convicted as a participant with Leslie Norman in burning the Chesley buildings at Barnstead in 1875, and sentenced to the State prison for ten years, was pardoned on the 17th inst. by Governor Prescott, and has arrived at home.

At the New Hampshire Baptist Pastoral Association's convention, held in Concord this week, Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D., of this city, was chosen essayist for next year. Before the Sunday School Convention, held in the First Baptist Church of Concord on Wednesday, Dr. Alden read an essay entitled "defects in our Sunday School work, and how to remedy them."

C. A. Shannon & Sons have on exhibition at their nackers' establishment on Vaughan street, a pair of gold mounted harnesses which surpass in beauty and style any ever before seen in this city. They were made by this firm, and the superiority of workmanship and quality of materials used shows that no one need go out of the city to procure an elegant harness.

Mr. William C. Ham, City Messenger and Harbor Master, has been appointed a Justice of the Peace, and is now ready to splice any happy (or unhappy) couple who may present themselves at the City Rooms provided with the necessary documents. The old salt will engage to tie a nuptial knot so skillfully that it cannot be untied with a marline-spike, or anything else short of the judicial knife or death.

Under the heading of "A good appointment" the Portsmouth *Weekly* says: "Maj. Daniel J. Vaughan, of this city, has been appointed by Gov. Prescott to the office of Inspector of the State Militia. As there were a number of candidates for the position from other parts of the State, the selection is not only creditable to the good judgment of Governor Prescott, but the choice of a Portsmouth man is an honor that will be appreciated by our citizens generally, and particularly by Maj. Vaughan's many friends." As to Major Vaughan's fitness for the position and Gov. Prescott's good judgment in appointing him to it, there should be but one opinion; but we fear the selection of a soldier who fought bravely on the wrong—that is, the Union—side in the rebellion, and stopped a rebel grapeshot with his head, may be regarded as a wanton affront to the "conciliationists."

SUPREME COURT.

Thursday, Oct. 18th.

No. 51 on the Equity docket, Alfred Swain and others vs. William Hodgdon and others, was heard on Thursday. This is a proceeding relative to a school tax attempted to be levied to build a school house in one of the school districts of Epping, and it is contended that the proceedings of the meeting at which the tax was voted were not legal. The Court seemed to be of opinion that there could be no going behind the record of the meeting, but the case was left open to admit the reception of some documentary evidence. Stickney and Towle for plaintiffs; Wiggin for defendants.

Several witnesses who were summoned before the Grand Jury and declined to answer questions regarding liquor selling, on the ground that their answers would tend to criminate themselves, were brought before the Court and held for contempt. A hearing was had before Judge Stanley in the evening.

THE VICINITY.

The New Hampshire Fish Commissioners have put a number of black bass in the pond on Seavey's Island, at the navy yard,—which is in Kittery, Maine, we believe, although Congressman John Lynch, at the time he was Congressman, had an act passed calling it the "Kittery, New Hampshire, Navy Yard."

Before Thomas E. Sawyer, Esq., Register in Bankruptcy, at Dover, Thursday, Col. J. Horace Kent was appointed assignee of the estate of Charles E. Simpson, of Newcastle, bankrupt.

MARRIAGES.

WOODBURY—FRITZ. In this city, Oct. 16, by Rev. E. M. Grant, Mr. Frank P. Woodbury and Miss Lucy Fritz.

DEATHS.

VARRELL. In this city, Oct. 17, Mr. Hall Varrell, aged 74 years, 1 month and 2 days.

☞ Funeral from Court street Christian church on Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

MORGAN. In Newmarket, Oct. 7, Mrs. Rose Morgan, widow of Patrick Morgan, aged 68.

WELCH. In York, Sept. 23, Mrs. Hannah Welch, wife of Mr. Albert Welch, aged 43 years.

WEARE. In York, Oct. 12, Mrs. Dorcas Weare, wife of Capt. Theodore Weare, aged 77 years.

RENICK. In Kittery, Oct. 10, Mrs. Anna Cornelia Renick, wife of Mr. Harrison Renick, and eldest daughter of the late Oliver Philbrick, aged 51 years 4 mos.

TARLTON. In North Hampton, Oct. 15, Mrs. Sarah Tarlton, aged 93 years, 7 months and 22 days.

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Sch Sallie B, Bateman, Philadelphia, coal for C E Walker & Co.

Sch Ida May, Anthony, St John, N B, coal for C E Walker & Co, to be delivered to Manchester Gas Light Company.

Sch James Ponder, Fisher, Philadelphia, coal for Russell & Odion.

Sch John Stroup, Hurst, Philadelphia, coal for Randlet & Prescott, Concord, N H.

Sch G W Kalit, Coleman, Boston.

SAILED Oct. 17.

Sch D K Ham, Freeman, Boston.

Sch Hattie Lewis, Coleman, Rockland.

ARRIVED Oct. 18.

Sch Tehmah, Bennett, Philadelphia.

Sch Thomas Clyde, Fisher, Philadelphia.

Sch Concord, Gray, Rockland.

Sch Velocipede, Ross, Grand Banks.

SAILED Oct. 18.

Steamer Major, Robinson, Baltimore.

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M. BUFFORD, Secretary.

October 17, 1877.

I. O. R. M.

COUNCIL FIRE will be kindled at the Wigwam of NEWICHEWANNOCK TRIBE, No. 4, on the Sleep of the 19th Sun, at the 7th Run, South Breath. A full attendance is requested.

Hunters, Warriors and Chiefs Degree.

Per Order,

J. W. CASWELL, Sachem.

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THE citizens of Portsmouth are respectfully informed that the funds placed in the hands of the Trustees by citizens and others have been entirely expended in the improvements thus far made in the Park. We, therefore, would hereby inform all interested that we are ready to expend in further adornments and improvements of the grounds, such sums as may be donated for the purpose; and contributions of any amount are hereby solicited to be sent at any time to the Treasurer or either of the other Trustees.

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JOHN J. BROUGHTON, Mayor, *Ex. Of.*

The PAMPHLET which was printed last year, containing a report of all the proceedings at the Dedication of the Park, the Addresses of Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, Hon. C. L. Woodbury and others, with a full list of the 600 Trees set, and the names of the persons or Associations who set or paid for them—may be had at 25 cents per copy, at the Bookstores of J. H. FOSTER, or at the Portsmouth *Weekly* Counting Room. Sent postpaid on receipt of price.

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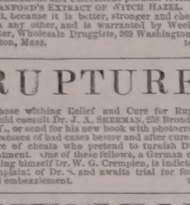

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SEC. 3. All waste water of houses, yards, cellars, sinks, pumps, etc., shall be conveyed by their owners or occupiers to the common sewers, or to such places as the Health Officers may direct.

SEC. 4. No person shall be allowed to throw any vegetable or dead animal substance, or any other matter capable of producing infection, into any street, lane, alley or dock, or upon any wharf, but shall bury them or throw them into the river below low water mark.

SEC. 5. The contents of vaults and privies shall not be permitted to rise within one foot of the surface of the earth. And all owners and occupiers of buildings having such vaults or privies as may require it, shall cause them to be emptied within ten days from the promulgation of this ordinance, and in future on or before the first day of May in each year. And any such owner or occupier neglecting so to do, shall forfeit and pay for every such neglect a sum not less than three nor more than twenty dollars, and a like sum for every week's neglect after the time above specified.

SEC. 6. No vender of meat at the stalls shall be permitted to leave any state meat, heads, feet or offal of any kind about their stalls or stores over night, or suffer them to be thrown into any street, lane or alley of the city. Nor shall any sellers of fish be permitted to throw any offal of fish into any street, lane or alley of the city, or upon any wharf, but shall either bury them or throw them into the river beyond low water mark.

SEC. 7. If any dead animal or decaying vegetable substance, or any other nuisance, shall be found in any part of the city, the owners or occupiers of the premises where such nuisance shall be found, shall cause the same to be removed within twenty four hours after being notified so to do by one or more of the health officers.

SEC. 12. When any householder shall know that any person within his family is taken sick of the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, he shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 13. When any physician shall know that any person whom he is called to visit is infected with the small pox, or any other disease dangerous to the public health, such physician shall immediately give notice thereof to the Health Officers.

SEC. 14. If any such householder or physician shall refuse or neglect to give the notice required in the preceding sections, he shall for each refusal or neglect, forfeit the sum of twenty dollars, to be recovered by either of the Health Officers in the name of the city.

SEC. 16. The Health Officers may give written notice to the owner or occupier of any building, vessel or enclosure, to remove or destroy any nuisance or other thing deemed by them on examination, to be injurious to the public health, within a certain time limited therein; and in case such owner or occupier—the said notice having been given to him, or left at his usual place of abode—shall neglect to comply therewith, the said Health Officers may, by direction of the mayor and accompanied by the city marshal, forcibly enter such building, vessel or enclosure, and cause said nuisance or other thing aforesaid to be removed or destroyed.

SEC. 21. No person shall erect, keep or continue, or permit to be erected, kept or continued, upon any land occupied by him, any pen for the keeping of swine, or privy, over either of the mill ponds in this city, or so placed that offensive substances therefrom shall be discharged or drained into either of said ponds or into any creek, or cove, or drain leading thereto. And no person shall construct, keep or continue any drain leading from any pen for the keeping of any swine, slaughter-house, privy vault, or other unwholesome or offensive place, into either of said ponds, or to any flat or marsh adjoining the same. And no person shall throw or suffer to be thrown from his land into either of said ponds, or upon any of said flats or marshes, any dead, decaying, unwholesome or offensive animal or vegetable substances.

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Daily Chronicle.

The Water We Drink.

There is very little pure water used. That which comes from the clouds has the best claim to be so regarded, but that is contaminated by impurities in the air as it descends. Clear water is not necessarily pure water. All water from springs and wells contains minerals in solution; the latter having but a meager supply and outgo is usually more strongly impregnated than natural fountains with flowing inlets and outlets. The purest water is found where solid rock, as of granite, forms the bed over which it runs. But waters of springs and transparent rivers, even when filtered, are never pure. Waters of average purity employed for domestic purposes, are said on authority of Johnson, to hold in solution from twenty to thirty grains of solid matter. The water of the river Jordan contains seventy-three grains, and that supplied by the various companies of the city of London have from nineteen and one-half to forty grains. The impurities that make water injurious to health are organic matters, such as are abundantly supplied by barnyards, drains and cemeteries, where the decay of animal and vegetable substances are going on. Some families who live on farms, and who fancy they are drinking the best of water, are, in fact, constantly imbibing poison that will appear perhaps in the dreaded form of diphtheria or typhoid fever. The character of the impurities is important. It is claimed that a certain degree of hardness, from the presence of lime, improves the water for all domestic uses except washing, and water from the chalk districts in Europe is preferred to softer water. It is also stated that conscripts for the French armies who were reared in hard water districts were taller and stronger in bone than those who were reared in places where there was no lime in the water.—*Scientific American.*

A New Shooting-Iron.

We find the following description of a new rival of the Gatling gun: "The new Gardner gun is a weapon in size of an ordinary musket, to be carried on a man's shoulder; yet as destructive as a Gatling, more so than a mitrailleuse, and equal to three field cannon firing grape and canister. It has but one barrel, but three times the ordinary strength. At the end is a little brass box of thirteen inches by five inches, with a thickness of two and a half inches, having a crank at the side for power and a hopper on the top for cartridges. Two men can maintain a continuous fire of 200 shots a minute, without anything obstructing the weapon, such as heat or fouling, to check the fusilade. The cartridges can be supplied by a man faster than they can be fired. It weighs but forty pounds, and has fewer pieces than a Remington rifle, and, "being only the size of an ordinary musket, its performances strike the observer with amazement, and justify one in the belief that it will work a revolution in modern warfare."

—A sharp Yankee skipper, whose ship was infested with rats, once hit on a cute dodge of getting rid of them. He hauled his craft alongside a British vessel loaded with cheese, and caused the plank connecting the two to be well smeared with red herrings; the consequence was that the rats migrated in a body, attracted by the herrings and the cheese.

—The hull of the wrecked steamer Massachusetts will be saved. As goes hull so goes Massachusetts.—*Boston Post.*

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107½
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1871-2	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	108½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1885	103
Eastern R. R. Bjs	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	94½
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	125½
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	64½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	38½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	3½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

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Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 22c.
Flour, Fancy, 6 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 2.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., In Cuba 50 @ 80c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bbl., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugars per lb, Br. 9½ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 20, 1877.

Joseph B. Buzzell's Case.

In the Supreme Court at Ossipee, on Wednesday afternoon, Attorney-General Tappan announced to the Court that the Grand Jury had found a bill indicting Joseph Buzzell as accessory to the murder of Susan Hanson. Buzzell was brought into Court for arraignment. Judge Clark, who was the prosecuting officer at Buzzell's former trial, left the bench, and Chief Justice Doe took charge during the proceedings. Mr. Copeland, counsel for Buzzell, objected to the reading of the indictment, questioning the right to try him as an accessory. Judge Doe suggested whether it would be a justifiable proceeding to put the county to the expense of $3000, the amount of cost to the county for the former trial, to try the case with so much uncertainty about the matter. An agreement between the Attorney General and counsel for the defence, submitting all legal questions involved in this case and taking the opinion of the full bench was entered upon. To do this the case was continued, and Buzzell was remanded to jail. It will be remembered that Buzzell was arrested for the murder of Miss Hanson in Brookfield on the night of Nov. 2, 1875, and was committed to jail, where he remained from November until the April term of the Court, when he was tried for murder and acquitted. The cause of his arrest for being accessory to the crime was the confession of one Charles Cook, who was arrested for setting fire to several buildings in Brookfield. Soon after his arrest he confessed to the shooting of Miss Hanson and to setting the fires, implicating Buzzell, saying that Buzzell hired him to commit the crimes and was present at the killing of Miss Hanson.

The Female Stranger's Grave.

Our Washington correspondent, in an account of an Indian Summer trip from the capital to Alexandria, says: A visit to the old cemetery and to the "female stranger's grave" seemed to those disembarking at Alexandria a natural sequence; and while copying the following inscription from the stone that marks her last resting place, it occurred to those present that it was the 60th anniversary day of her death. The inscription reads:

"To the memory of a female stranger, whose mortal sufferings terminated on the 14th of October 1816, aged 23 years and 8 months. This stone is placed here by her disconsolate husband in whose arms she sighed out her latest breath, and who, under God, did his utmost, even to soothe the cold dead ear of death.

How lov'd, how valu'd once avails thee not,
To whom related or by whom begot.
A heap of dust alone remains of thee,
'Tis all thou art, and all the proud shall be.

To him gave all the *prophets* witness that through his name, whosoever believeth in Him, shall receive the remission of sins."

Two generations have come and gone since she was laid at rest, and thousands have visited the grave in the time. The soldiers camped in and about the town during the war spared the grave by tacit agreement, apparently hardly anything else, however sacred, having wholly escaped the vandal touch of the iconoclasts among them. A very touching romance, founded largely on tradition, probably, has been woven around the couple who appeared at the hotel in Alexandria, took rooms and led a very secluded life for the few months they were there preceding the lady's death. It is related of her that she never appeared in public unless closely veiled. The servant who came with them was the only one ever admitted to their rooms until her last illness, and then only the physicism who, either of his own accord, or because sworn to silence, so the story goes, always remained reticent as to what he learned of their mysterious history, while attending in his professional capacity. He mixed with the townspeople only to the extent necessary to provide for their wants, and never invited familiarity by his very reserved manners. He disappeared immediately after her death and was seen once, some years subsequently, in town, but never again. It was the theory that they were English and that he, though wealthy, had persuaded a titled daughter of aristocracy into a mesalliance and had fled from the wrath of her family. Though his devotion to her is apparent, many claim to be able to detect a tone of reproach in the verse cut in the marble; and the subject has been a never failing source of speculation to those sentimentally inclined, for more than half a century.

News and Notes.

William C. Gilman, the forger, who was sent to Sing Sing the other day, has been made assistant to the book-keeper in the prison shoe department. The term of the present book-keeper expires next June, and it is expected that Gilman will be assigned to his place when he is released.

Portland, Maine, harbor was filled with small fish, a day or two ago, evidently herring, which were pursued by a large number of whales, measuring thirty or forty feet in length. At one time three whales were seen blowing at once.

It is reported from Washington that Senator Edmunds proposes to stop the sharp practice in the sale of postage stamps by enacting that any postmaster or deputy who sells postage stamps for less than par value shall be deemed guilty of embezzlement and punished accordingly, and by making postmasters and deputies swear quarterly they have not been making illegal sales. An easier way would be to make each postmaster pay the full value of all postage stamps furnished him, and then let him sell them at whatever rate he pleased—he wouldn't sell them at a discount, to any great extent. Congress offered a heavy premium on "sharp practice" when it passed the law as it now stands, and had better use a little common sense in making sensible laws than to waste much virtuous indignation because silly laws are taken advantage of in a perfectly legal manner.

The steamer Relief started for New York on Thursday afternoon at two o'clock, having in tow the wrecked steamer Massachusetts, which was floated off the rocks at Rocky Point, L. I., on the previous evening.

Joseph A. Lamb and his wife, of Lewiston, Me., have been arrested for causing the death of Lizzie M. Holmes by an illegal operation, and John M. Foss is charged with being accessory before the fact.

It is reported that certain Boston capitalists, in conjunction with owners of Union Pacific Railway stock, are about to begin the construction of an opposition telegraph line. There is said to be an abundance of money contributed, and advantage is to be taken of all the latest improvements in the telegraph. Certain large railroadists are said to be involved in this new enterprise.

British steamer Knapton Hall has been sunk at sea by collision with an unknown vessel, and twelve lives lost.

Rev. W. H. H. Murray, of Boston, lectured at Manchester on Wednesday evening. In the report of the lecture, he appears to have said: "I have a favorite mare in my stables on my farm—a dark chestnut, with a coat like satin and an eye of fire. Why, I should as soon think of going home and not kiss my wife as to visit the old place and not have a frolic with her." Mr. Murray leaves it a doubt, after all, whether it was with the mare or the wife, (the last used noun) the frolic came off, though he probably intended the former.

The British steamer J. B. Walker, with nearly $2,000,000 worth of ammunition and arms for the Turks, left New Haven, Wednesday, for Constantinople.

The report of the Treasurer of the Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad (narrow gauge) shows a net profit for the past year of nearly $27,000.

The New York papers are having their fun over the House unanimously tendering the compliment to Hon. S. S. Cox of a choice of a seat without his having to draw for it in the usual lottery way. The Congressional brainpan of wit bowed his acknowledgment when the fact was announced to him, and shaking his fist good-naturedly at Randall said, (pointing to the Chair,) "That's the seat I ought to have."

Political.

Col. John G. Thompson, Sergeant-at-Arms of the House, will be the next chairman of the Democratic National Committee, if the Cincinnati *Enquirer* knows anything about it.

For the comfort of our democratic friends, we venture the prediction that the ultimate result of the democratic triumph in Ohio will be the election of General Grant to the Presidency in 1880.—*Denver Tribune.*

The election assessments upon the 10,000 office-holders in New York city reach $100,000, and with that sum Boss Kelly thinks the usual overwhelming vote for the democratic ticket can be secured. Even the street laborers have to come down two per cent. on their wages or take a ticket of leave.

New Hampshire Items.

Nine years ago but one man used coal in Milford, and that came from Nashua in barrels. Now there are used in town from three to five hundred tons yearly, and yet wood is as high as it was nine years ago.

The Sandwich gold mine is still the theme of interest. The stones taken from a stone wall in places seventy-five rods apart showed on analysis $49 and some cents to the ton. Eleven specimens of the ledge itself averaged $243 to the ton.

James L. House, for many years past a successful stone contractor of Manchester, died suddenly of heart disease, last week. He was a native of Leeds, Me., and went to Manchester in 1851. He left a widow and four children.

At a town meeting in Bartlett, Saturday, 6th inst., it was voted to raise $2000 at once to build a covered bridge across Ellis river at Centre Bartlett.

The mills at Suncook are running on full time, and report business ahead to be good. The recent rains have quieted all apprehensions of failure of water on the Merrimack.

Gardner D. Durgin, a prominent citizen of Epping, died on the 15th, aged sixty-seven years.

Concord has recently been visited by a gang of burglars. The thieves have broken open several shops and stores, and made several ineffectual attemps to take away teams.

The Moody and Sankey campaign in New Hampshire will begin Sunday, Nov. 4th. Messrs Moody and Sankey will be assisted in the work by Major Whittle, Mr. McGranahan, Mr. Needham, Mr. Cato and Mr. Morehouse. They will occupy four of the prominent points in the State, while ministers and others are working outside. The month of October is being spent in Vermont. Mr. Moody and Mr. Sankey are laboring in Burlington, Major Whittle and Mr. McGranahan in Rutland, Mr. Needham and Mr. Cato in Bennington, and Mr. Morehouse in St. Johnsbury. Mr. Sankey will be with Mr. Morehouse a portion of the time. The work has opened very successfully.

—A mischievous lady filled the shower-bath to be used by one of her admirers, a journalist, with ink, and for once the gentleman was wholly in his element.

—In St. Joseph, La., there is a barroom where "none but gentlemen are allowed to enter," and where "parties desiring to while away an hour or two in billiards will hear or see nothing that the most fastidious could object to."

—Some months ago Dr. Upham, of Salem, Mass., in order to explain to his audience the variations of the pulse in certain diseases, caused the lecture room to be placed in telegraphic communication with the city hospital of Boston, distant fifteen miles, and by means of special apparatus the various pulse beats were exhibited by a vibrating ray of magnesium light upon the wall. These experiments have lately been repeated at Paris with success.

—Before she could utter the "Where have you been till this hour of the morning, anyhow?" which was trembling on her lips, he said: "Bin t'ther mind-readin'; bet yer seven dollars I can read yer mind this very minnit." "Well, you old fool, what am I thinking of now?" she said in a tone of sadness. "Thinking of? Why, I can read yer mind like the open pages of 'er book; yer thinkin' I'm drunker'n a biled owl, but yer never was worse fooled in yer life." She only said that there must be something in mind reading after all, for he had hit the nail right square on the head.

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DAMON—WHITING. In Reading, Mass., Oct. 18th, Mr. Charles G. Damon and Miss Anne Whiting, youngest daughter of Rev. Lyman Whiting, D. D., formerly of this city.

DEATHS.

VARRELL. In this city, Oct. 17, Mr. Hall Varrell, aged 74 years, 1 month and 2 days.

☞ Funeral from Court street Christian church this Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

SEAWARD. In this city, Oct. 19th, Miss Lucy Seaward, daughter of the late Capt. John Seaward, aged 32 years.

TUCKER. In Eliot, Oct. 16th, Grace Tucker, daughter of Henry W. and Augusta Tucker, aged 19 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Sch Fannie Butler, Sherman, Port Johnson, coal to E F Sise & Co.

Sch Active, Seawards, Georgetown, D C, coal for C E R.

Ship Chocorua, Matthews, sld from New York for Boston, Oct 17.

Sch Mary J Adams, Coombs, from Windsor, N S, arr at Richmond, Va, Oct 15.

Sch Telegraph, Gott, for this port from New York, arr at Newport Oct 19.

Sch Frank L Lawding, for St John, N B, via this port, cld from Boston Oct 17.

Sch Susan Rose, Haskell, for this port from Perth Amboy, arr at Vineyard Haven Oct 17.

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Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55	
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SUPREME COURT.

Friday, Oct. 19th, before *Stanley, J.*

The petition of the Portsmouth Trust and Guarantee Company against the City of Portsmouth, relative to the abatement of a tax assessed in 1876, was, on motion of Mr. Hatch, representing the City, brought forward, and the Court directed the order of Judge Doe, made at the October term, 1876, to be vacated and an order of notice to the City to appear and show cause why the prayer of the petition should not be granted, to be returnable on Monday next, the motion to determine the petition for want of previous order of notice having been denied. W. H. Y. Hackett appeared for the Trust Co.; A. R. Hatch for the City.

R. T. L. Gunnison, of this city, came into Court with Solicitor Small, who read to the Judge certain questions which Gunnison declined to answer, relative to his being clerk, servant or employee of M. Gatrity, or whether Garrity sells liquor, whether he keeps liquor for sale, etc. The matter was discussed, Mr. Hatch appearing to object, but Judge Stanley indicated that these questions were proper to be answered, like those which were ordered to be answerd in other cases. The parties representing the witnesses asked that the questions of law arising in these cases might be reserved. It is understood that the witnesses act under legal advice in declining thus to answer, while the State officials contend that the clause of the statute regulating the sale of spirituous liquors which provides that "No clerk, servant, or agent of any person accused of a violation of this chapter shall be excused from testifying against his principal for the reason that he may thereby criminate himself; but no testimony so given by him shall in any prosecution be used as evidence, either directly or indirectly, against him, nor shall he be thereafter prosecuted for any offence so disclosed by him," is sufficient protection to the witnesses. The Court said witness must answer if he is the "agent, servant or clerk," or "a partner." The witness having returned to the Grand Jury room, answered these two questions, but refused to answer others as to sale of liquor, etc., and was held to answer at the April term. The counsel for the parties against whom indictments are sought to be obtained, will ask to have the question as to the constitutionality of the section of the statute above recited transferred for decision to the Law Court.

Herbert W. Nowell, clerk at the Commercial House, a witness, was bound over to the April term. R. Taylor L. Gunnison and Dennis Carroll, also witnesses, were also bound over to the same term.

The Grand Jury came in in the afternoon, and returned a large number of indictments.

No indictments, we understand, were returned against Portsmouth parties for liquor selling.

Andrew J. Roberts, of Raymond, stealing a horse of Joseph Richardson. Plea, not guilty; trial assigned for Monday. To a second indictment against Roberts for stealing a wagon and harness of Joseph Richardson, he pleaded not guilty.

James Lynch, transient person, breaking and entering Boston & Maine Railroad station in Plaistow, in the night. Plea, guilty; sentenced to four years in State Prison.

Eldad L. Hankins, of Cedarville, N. J., assault on Wm. Daily and giving him a mortal wound on the 8th day of July, 1877, of which he died. Plea, not guilty. Trial assigned for Wednesday, 24th. Harriman for prisoner.

Charles E. Morse, of Chester, adultery. Plea, not guilty. Trial assigned for Monday, 22d.

Frank Wells, stealing, at Boar's Head Hotel, gold watch, broach, etc., property of Mrs. E. J. Titcomb, in August last. Plea, guilty. Batchelder for respondent.

Manning C. Rand, of Portsmouth, stealing money of Sally Leavitt. Plea, guilty. Sentenced to six months in State Prison.

Michael Cunningham and John Ledden, breaking and entering with intent to steal from a railroad freight car.

Michael Cunningham, breaking and entering a railroad freight car and stealing therefrom butter and crackers; two indictments. Plea, not guilty. He subsequently retracted his plea, and pleaded guilty; and with Michael Ledden was sentenced to two years and six months in State Prison. W. H. Hackett for respondents.

Thomas F. Hoyt and Charles Hammond, wilfully and maliciously destroying window glass of Thomas Wardwell, in Portsmouth. Plea of both, guilty. Sentenced to confinement in jail for six months, and to pay costs of prosecution.

Barney McKean, of Portsmouth, assault on Martha Brooks, etc. Plea, not guilty.

Henry Adams, cruelly over driving horse of Oliver B. Philbrick from Rye to Portsmouth. Plea, not guilty. Harriman for defendant.

George O. Goodwin, of Salem, setting fire to barn of Wm. H. Bryant, Jr., on the 1st of June last, whereby the dwelling house and shoe shop of Bryant was burned. Plea not guilty. The respondent said he did not light the match, but furnished the materials. Bartlett for the prisoner.

Judge Batchelder offered some suggestions in behalf of Frank Wells, explaining his conduct and the motives which induced him to commit the robbery for which he was indicted. Wells was sentenced to three years in State Prison.

Afterwards Goodwin attempted to explain to the Court the circumstances of the incendiary fire. He was then sentenced to confinement in the State Prison for the term of twenty years.

The Court adjourned to half-past ten o'clock on Monday morning.

GLORIOUS VICTORY.

The captain of the "Orphans" base ball club, having succeeded in winning a glorious victory for his "nine," has withdrawn them from the diamond field for this season. Under date of Friday evening he writes us as follows:

Mr. Editor: The invincible Granite States have lost one game to the "Off 'Uns," as they failed to appear at the Plains this afternoon to "knock the stuffin' out'n" us as it was announced in Friday morning's CHRONICLE they would do; we had one man out there to represent us, but the Granites had nobody,—hence the score of nine to nothing in favor of our club. The Granite States may say that the rain had something to do with their absence, but that doesn't alter our score, and we have no desire to play them any more, as it is not likely we could improve the above score much.

THE CAPTAIN.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M., 7:30 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. H. Alden.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder George W. Brown of Eliot will preach to-morrow.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. Noyes. Subject, forenoon, "All things working for the good of Christians;" afternoon, "God against strong drink."

At the Unitarian church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; vesper service at 7:30. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie. Subject of evening discourse: "What is practical Education?"

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M.; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. James W. Hubbell.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant.

At the Court street church (Christian) services at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M.; Sunday school directly after morning service; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching by Rev. J. H. Rowell, of Kittery, if pleasant weather.

At the Pearl street (Freewill Baptist) church there will be services at 2:30 P. M., when Mr. James Rosedale will speak upon the "Travels of St. Paul."

Service of Praise at Bow Mission at 4:15 P. M. New pieces are expected. All are invited—seats free.

Reform Club meeting in Mechanics' Hall at 7:30 P. M. Speaking by members.

THE CITY.

Mr. Rosedale, with his son and daughter, will give another of his unique and highly interesting entertainments illustrative of the manners and customs of the inhabitants of the Holy Land, in the Pearl street church this (Saturday) evening, commencing at 7:45. Admission 20 cts.; children under twelve, half-price.

Washington Wilson, of Kittery Point, aged twenty-three years, has been missing from his home since Monday, the 15th, and his parents are in great distress. He stopped in this city that night and when last seen was on Lafayette road, going towards Hampton. At one time he was confined in the insane asylum at Augusta, Me. [Since the foregoing was in type we learn that Wilson was found at Seabrook, Friday afternoon, and was lodged in the station house in this city in the evening.]

Rev. Mr. Wolfe, editor of the famous Newburyport "Word of Truth," will probably speak on temperance in Franklin Hall on Sunday evening, Oct. 28th. If he does there will be a big crowd to hear him.

At the fifteenth annual meeting of the New Hampshire Unitarian Society, which adjourned at Laconia on Thursday, William H. Hackett, Esq., of this city, was chosen one of the two Vice Presidents for the ensuing year.

Cook, the confessed murderer of Miss Susan Hanson at Brookfield two years ago, and who has been confined in the jail in this city since his confession last autumn, was taken to Ossipee on Wednesday to testify in the trial of Joseph Buzzell, who hired the murder done, but was returned to Sheriff Kent's charge on the continuance of Buzzell's case on a question of law.

On Thursday Mr. John Nutter brought in a basket of Duchess and Sheldon pears for our inspection, and showed how just a conception he has of the eternal fitness of things by not carrying them out again. He put them down on the proof press, from which the compositors kindly assisted to remove them, and the unanimous verdict was that if they were not the biggest ones yet shown they tasted better than any of the previous samples looked.

Frank Jones and sixty-one other petitioners for a new highway leading from North street to Jackson Hill street, have appealed to the Supreme Court to lay out the street which failed to be laid out by the Mayor and Aldermen. The appeal was entered at the term of the Court now in session in this city.

The Washington *Republican* has the following concerning a former resident of this city,—the popular proprietor of the Sagamore House at Frost's Point until it was burned; and later, landlord of the Rockingham House: "It is stated that Col. James S. Peirce, proprietor of the Imperial Hotel, contemplates disposing of his interest in that establishment, in order to accept an offer to take charge of a hotel in Montreal. Mr. Peirce has made many friends here, who, while glad to know that he betters himself, will regret his departure from the city."

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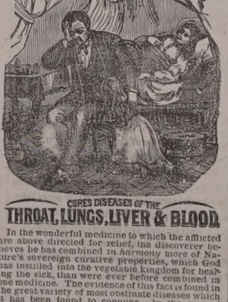

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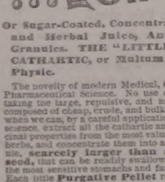

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Daily Chronicle.

Hygiene of the Eyes.

The following hygienic rules are compiled and condensed from eminent French and English authorities. For the worker the light should come as much as possible from the left side—that is to say, from the side toward which one turns in working. Daylight is the best; but direct sunlight and that reflected from mirrors, should be avoided. The aspect should be northern, and the light should come a little from above. White walls should be avoided; and, in workshops, shining articles, like silk, should be protected from the sun's rays. Artificial light is always bad on account of the heat and the exhalation of carbonic acid. The best is that of lamps fed with vegetable oil (much used in France but seldom in this country,) and furnished with a glass shade. Gas is bad, because of its heat, brilliancy and mobility; the light of mineral oils is too hot, that of candles insufficient and flickering.

The eye of the workman should avoid the light coming to him directly or diffused through the room. Working immediately after meals is objectionable, also uninterrupted use of the eyes for long periods of time. One should write on an inclined plane, and not keep the head bent down more than is absolutely necessary. Reading in bed is bad every way.

Some good authorities commend washing the eyes in cold water, but the majority of the best opthalmologists advise use of hot water for the less serious affections of the eye. For tired eyes, we believe, from our own experience, that water, hot as can be borne, is refreshing and beneficial. If the eyes are fatigued by bad artificial illumination, blue or slightly smoked glasses will be useful, and in order to avoid the lateral rays they should be large and round. If the irritation of the eyes persists, all work must be abandoned, and an examination made to see if there be any disturbance of refraction, or power of accommodation of the mobility of the eyes.

Presbyopia, or so-called "far-sightedness," supervenes earlier with those who are constantly at work than with other individuals, and as soon as it does convex glasses should be at once resorted to, without which the muscle of accommodation would be fatigued to no purpose. At first they should be used for working in the evening after the fatigue of the day; but a long-sighted person should only use spectacles for looking at near objects, not at far ones.

Work requiring close application favors the development of myopia, or "near-sightedness," precisely in proportion as the conditions of illuminations are bad. If the action of those causes continues, the myopia will increase until vision is lost. A slight degree of myopia may be favorable to close work, but, as a general rule, work requiring close application, by the derangement of circulation that it inevitably induces in the eye, is much more injurious to the myopia, and is the great cause of the development of myopia and its complications. Young people should be examined, and if they are myopic, hindered from undertaking tedious studies, and excluded from all professions demanding close application of the eye. —*Journal of Chemistry.*

A Story of Flip-Days.

The old Abercrombie house at Pelham, Hampshire county, is said to have been the scene of a practical joke by Rev. Mr. Abercrombie, the original occupant of the house and minister of the town. In his days, of course, flip was the common beverage of clergymen and the laity, and no objection was ever made, unless people became notoriously over-indulgent. The charge was finally brought at a church meeting that the minister was drinking too freely, and a committee was appointed to tell him of his fault and warn him of the danger of continuing in it. Warned of their coming, the erring pastor told his wife to prepare the first round of flip, which even this committee would expect, with equal parts of rum and water, the next with more rum, and the next mostly rum. The committee, soon after their arrival, partook of the flip which their pastor ordered, after which they made known the nature of their errand. The pastor admitted that there might be need of the reproof, and that he would be governed by it. Then came the second round of flip, and, as the business had been despatched, the committee were disposed to be talkative and social with the pastor who had so humbly admitted his sin at their rebuke. The flip came round the third time, and it is said near sunrise the next morning two of the committee managed to reach their homes, but the third lay prone on the floor, unable to stir from the effects of the flip, until broad daylight. At the adjourned church meeting, when this committee made their report, it is said they made a very concise report of their visit to the pastor, and the kindly way in which he received the reproof, by reporting: "We have called on our pastor, as directed, and he gave us Christian satisfaction."—*Springfield Republican.*

A Night Under Water.

A new ocean life preserver has just been invented by Mr. Traugott Beck, of Newark, N. Y. It consists of a rubber suit somewhat resembling that worn by Paul Boynton. A combination of boots and trousers reaches up to the waist. At that point the rubber cloth is expanded by a series of steel hoops. From the waist up to the middle of the head the suit has the appearance of a barrel. The bow of the apparatus is shaped as nearly as possible after the bow of a boat. From the sides hang long rubber sleeves ending with gloves, so that the hands can be used freely. There is a port-hole closed with strong glass on either side of the bow, through which the wearer can look out for squalls. Another similar port-hole is placed over the breast. Directly over the spot where the head will be when the man is on his back, is a rubber pipe eight inches in diameter and a foot high, by which air is supplied. In front of this is a flagstaff some ten feet in height, from which proudly floats an American flag. This staff is in four sections, and can be taken apart and stored away inside. It is hollow, so that when the weather is too stormy to allow the pipe to remain open, the man can breathe through this. The man gets into the suit by throwing back the top. Mr. Beck thinks that this apparatus is strong enough to carry a man through any storm. It is buoyant enough to carry 150 pounds besides an ordinary man, and in it a man can keep comfortably warm, besides having room enough to change his position slightly. In order to test his invention, Mr. George Krumsieh left the Battery at New York intending to stay in the bay over night without communicating with land. He wore three pairs of socks, two pairs of trousers, and under his coat, a cardigan jacket. He also carried some bread and water, and a lantern to hang out at night. In the water he lay on his back, rising about a foot above the surface. A pair of paddles enabled him to move in any direction at about three miles an hour. A reporter visited him at anchor in the evening, and found that he had gone down below, several feet, to be warm, while men in a row boat kept watch on the surface. The wind was so high that he had few callers. —*N. Y. paper.*

After Wild Honey.

The senses of the bees are very acute. By the aid of smell they find the sweetest flowers, and thus the delicate cleanliness of the hive is preserved. While certain odors are very attractive to them, others are excessively repugnant. This fondness for certain perfumes is used by bee-hunters in discovering the nests of wild bees. When wild bees are seen loitering around, an upright stake to the upper end of which is attached a small horizontal platform, is planted somewhere near; on this platform is placed a bit of full comb, and in front of it is suspended an open phial of annis, an odor they particularly love. To expedite matters, one of the strange bees is frequently captured by inverting over the flower from which it is sucking a small cylinder with glass over the end. The bee flies up to the lighted end, the lower part is covered with the hand, and the cylinder placed over the honey-comb on the platform. As soon as the cylinder is darkened, by putting something over the top, the bee goes down to the honey and fills its honey-sac. When fully gorged, it is released; a bee, with its honey-sac filled, always makes a "bee-line" for the hive. When the load of stolen sweets is deposited, the little pilferer comes back,—usually with a companion,—guided by the scent of annis; both alight on the platform, and are held in mild captivity till they are filled. One is then released, the direction it takes is noted; the stake is then carried to some distance to the right or the left of its former position, and the second bee released. The point at which the two "bee-lines" cut each other is the position of the nest.—*Scribner for Nov.*

Secretary Thompson's Forthcoming Report.

The Secretary of the Navy has commenced the preparation of the annual report of the operations of the navy during the past year. After showing the available resources of the Government in ships, material and men he will urge upon Congress the necessity of such legislation as will establish a general policy in the building of new ships, so that from year to year the navy may not only be maintained, but its strength gradually advanced. He will urge a liberal appropriation for the further prosecution of ex-

periments with torpedoes, the experience of the pending war in the East demonstrating the utility of this modern appliance in naval warfare. He will also urge liberal appropriations for the benefit of navy yards, so that their capacity for the construction of ships may be increased to meet the exigencies of a first-class navy. He will also recommend that the moneys which accrued from the sale of the old navy yard at Philadelphia, and which the law authorizing the sale directed should be expended upon the League Island navy yard in the construction of piers, docks and other necessary works, shall be made good by Congress. The Secretary favors making this yard the principal station for iron-clads, the facilities there being superior to any presented by any other yard. The aggregate amount asked by the Secretary for the navy for the next fiscal year will be somewhat larger than last year.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, OCTOBER 22, 1877.

A Gigantic Swindle.

J. R. Ham, Edward L. Stevens and George W. Miller have been arrested at Kansas City, Mo., on a requisition from Gov. Hubbard of Texas, for wholesale swindling in land titles, and forgery. Over sixty persons were arrested the same day in different parts of the country for complicity in the frauds, which involves the titles to immense tracts of land in Texas and other places. No less than thirteen court houses are said to have been burned by the gang within a year, to destroy evidence that could be brought to prove their crimes. The Kansas City *Times* says: "One of the largest banking houses in Austin, Texas, two Chicago bankers, two real estate dealers and two attorneys in St. Louis, a banker and two real estate dealers in Indianapolis, and others in Cincinnati, Cleveland and Pittsburg, are to be or have been arrested for being connected with the well-organized system for forgery in full practice in this Western country for the past eight or nine years. The same organization which is now forcing the Texas scrip on the market has been perpetrating some of the most terrible forgeries ever detected."

The Steamer Massachusetts.

The wrecked steamer Massachusetts arrived in New York on Friday, and was at once taken up on a sectional dry dock. The damage to the vessel is on the bottom toward the stern, and there are numerous holes also. About forty feet of the keel are missing. To prevent the vessel from leaking two hundred yards of canvass is nailed on the bottom, and the holes were stopped up as well as possible. The engines are in no way damaged, and they were used to take the vessel down. The New York papers give the following account of her condition when she arrived at that port: "In the saloons a very sorry appearance is presented. The dining room is filled with old kettles, tin pans and workmen's tools, and piled here and there are dining tables and chairs. The main gangway has an engine at each side, and the smoke from the boiler has blackened the interior of the vessel very much. In the bow of the vessel wood and coal are piled promiscuously, and in the main saloon the handsome furniture is piled on every side, and bedding, chairs, tables, looking-glasses and even handsome chandeliers can be seen on the floor in every direction. The carpet is all wet, rain having penetrated through the roof, and in the state rooms everything is in a chaotic state. The woodwork of the vessel is blackened and smeared, and the Massachusetts shows hard usage. What the loss is it will be impossible to ascertain until a thorough examination, but it is believed to be about $150,000, and the insurance is said to amount to $100,000."

News and Notes.

The dead body of a beautiful and richly dressed woman who found in a lake in Central Park, New York, on Friday, having evidently been in the water for several days. At first it was suspected she had been murdered, but it turns out that she committed suicide. She was the wife of Thomas Otis LeRoy, once a very wealthy merchant, but now in comparatively reduced circumstances; her father, with whom she and her children were living, is reported to possess $2,000,000 or more. Insanity induced by sickness and morbid religious fancies was the cause of the act.

It is thought the bankrupt law will be repealed at the present session of Congress. It ought to be.

Since the recent earthquake on the Pacific coast of South America the province of Catamarca, in the western part of the Argentine Republic, has become gradually submerged, and a large lake formed there is continually enlarging.

The British steamer J. B. Walker, with arms and ammunition for the Turkish government, is still lying in New Haven lower harbor. On her last trip she was chased for two days by a Russian steamer, and it is belived she is waiting for a dark night to put to sea, expecting to be chased again. She is very fast, and once outside the Sound will stand a good chance to get away.

Portland, N. B., opposite St. John, had a great fire on Saturday, 3000 people being rendered homeless by it. The fire was still spreading when the last telegram came through on Saturday.

The British authorities have decided to hold no inquest on the body of the sailor killed by the mate of the American ship New World, as the ship was outside the jurisdiction of England at the time of the homicide. The British marines who took the vessel into the Nore have been withdrawn.

A possible war between China and Siam, is talked of. For twenty years past Siam has refused to send messengers to China with the tribute and acknowledgment of submission to the latter power. China now demands a settlement of the arrears of tribute, but Siam points to her independent treaties with foreign governments.

James Craig, the tramp who shot Constable Wyant of Washington, Conn., perhaps fatally, some days ago, is found to be the twenty-one years old son of a Westford (Mass.) Baptist minister, who had not heard of him for six years.

The Cincinnati *Times* says Kentucky may be able to furnish a first-class Supreme Judge, but she seems unable to construct her own courts well enough to put a check upon the wholesale murdering over there. The news columns of the press are burdened with Kentucky shootings, but not with their punishment.

The American House, of Boston, is one of the favorite houses of that city. It has a large patronage of the best class of guests, is excellently well furnished throughout, and from kitchen to garret is kept as clean and bright as a new pin. Visitors to the city stopping at this famous House, will find a hotel under the most perfect management.

Three sisters in Gloversville, N. Y., named Lydia, Caroline and Lina Fonda, having been arrested on a charge of stealing articles from a tenant who occupied a part of their house, gave bail to appear for trial, went home, and took poison to avoid the disgrace of a trial. One of them has died, and the other two probably will.

New Hampshire Items.

A prisoner who has been in the jail at Lancaster for a year has, since his incarceration, taught several Frenchmen to speak English, some Irishmen to read, and all nationalities to play cribbage and euchre.

The Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of New Hampshire holds its annual session at Fisherville on Wednesday, Oct. 24.

James H. Blake was recently coming down the White Mountain railroad on foot, when he heard a loaded car which had broken loose from a wood train, coming down with terrific speed behind him. He jumped from the elevated roadbed, and although he sprained his ankle, he saved his life.

The monster chimney at the new mill, that has been in process of construction at Dover for the past few weeks, is completed. It is 125 feet high, eight feet in diameter inside at the top, and upwards of 125,000 bricks were used in its construction.

The New York *Tribune* says: "Governor Prescott, aroused by the statement that New Hampshire had no boulder as large as those of Vermont and Massachusetts, has been hunting them through his State, and has found one in Nottingham 62 feet long, 40 feet wide and 50 feet high. It is said to weigh 6,000 tons and is surrounded by others almost as large. The Governor is supposed to be exceedingly happy and triumphant."

Mr. L. S. Gordon, of East Rumney, has during the last year sold over $50 worth of garnets found within a short distance of his house. That section of the town abounds in garnets, crystallized quartz and many other specimens dear to a geologist's heart.

It is said that a Mr. Dame, one of the inmates of Strafford county almshouse, was one of the Mormons who was engaged in the Mountain Meadow massacre. Soon after, he was taken insane, and the Mormon physicians pronounced him incurable if he remained in that country, when he was sent to his native State.

A child of Eben Faxon of Dover was run over by an ox cart, on the 12th inst., and severely injured. Three ribs were started from their spinal connection.

On the night of the 15th inst., as Thomas King was passing over a culvert on the railroad at Wilton, he heard a groan beneath it, and reaching down he found a woman in a half insensible condition, who in the darkness had fallen through and was stunned. He lifted her out, and after a brief time she was able to proceed to her house.

Converse Spooner's soap factory at Newport was burned one night recently, with its contents, including wagon, sled, and utensils for manufacturing soap. The fire was undoubtedly the work of an incendiary. Some malicious person has for a long time committed acts to the injury of Mr. Spooner. On two previous occasions his buildings have been fired, and at different times his utensils have been tampered with. He will rebuild, however, and defy the malice of his persecutor.

Political.

The President has appointed Col. O. P. Fitzsimmons, of Augusta, Ga., United States Marshal for Georgia, in place of Major Smyth. Smyth was an excellent officer, it is said, and the only reason given for the change of officials is that Fitzsimmons, who is a democrat, wanted the place, and Ben. Hill and A. H. Stevens advocated his claims.

Wayne MacVeagh is to be Minister to England, according to the latest reports.

The Senatorial squabble in Ohio has opened early and opened hot. The two leading candidates, Pendleton and Ewing, are both so strong that the election of either is, to say the least, doubtful. Unless one of them gives way to the other, which is not reckoned upon by anybody, the odds are largely in favor of a compromise candidate. A wild rumor has been started that Mr. Thurman will resign, thus allowing both Pendleton and Ewing to be elected, the recompense being that they will support Mr. Thurman for the Presidency. The trouble with that rumor is that Mr. Thurman is not the sort of a man to give up a sure thing for a most uncertain one. There is also some talk about Mr. Albert Gaither as a compromise candidate, whom the democrats voted for when Stanley Matthews was elected.

A year ago the New York democrats resolved that they were true reformers, and in proof of it pointed to the fact that they had disowned Tammany and prosecuted Jarvis Lord, chief of the canal thieves. This year Jarvis Lord and Tammany took possession of the State convention and kicked the men who had disowned and prosecuted them down the back stairs; but their platform is a reiteration of that of last year, and just as loud on the subject of reform.

It sounds strangely to hear the supporters of Mr. Tilden called a faction of the Tammany democracy. It was not so a year or two ago. But it is a world of change. A year or two ago Mr. Tweed had not, or was supposed not to have, any influence in making and unmaking democratic politicians. Now he goes from the prisoner's dock to the witness stand, and by discreet State's evidence unmakes the men who were promoted over his downfall. His counsel goes to the State Convention and assists in turning his prosecutors out of office. So the whirligig of time brings in his revenges. —*Tribune.*

—A London journal cautions its lady readers against sitting down in cane-bottomed chairs when they are dressed in velvet. This is a plagiarism from a remark of Mrs. Fanny Kemble, who, when she found such a chair provided for her at one of her readings in the West, turned upon the leading committeeman a basilisk glance, and exclaimed, "Man—do you wish me to give my best velvet gown the small-pox?"

—From Havre come the tidings that there need be no more sea-sickness. A number of persons, it is said, have repeatedly been taken on board a steam tug and have put out to sea just where they were most likely to meet with severe tests, and it has been found that those who were provided with a certain electro-magnetic girdle were entirely exempted from sea-sickness, while those who became sea-sick without this appliance were almost instantaneously cured by its application. The girdle, it is claimed, tends to check the derangement of the diaphragm.

—Elizabeth Bray of Leominster, England, asked Mr. Watts to have her, but he declined the offer of her hand and heart. She thereupon made three desperate attempts to drown herself. As they fished her out for the third time, happened along the practical Mr. Wall, who, upon being made acquainted with the facts, said: "If you want to drown yourself, miss, come this way and I'll see you does it." Seizing her, he took her to another part of the stream and dipped her overhead two or three times until she was nearly exhausted. Crying hard for mercy she promised not to repeat her foolish conduct, and was then brought out of the river thoroughly drenched and thoroughly repentant.

—A clergyman of South Norwalk, Conn., who had been annoyed by the noise made by the late-comers to his church, announced a fortnight ago that at precisely 10:30 A. M., every Sunday, the church doors would be locked and no person would be admitted after that time to the morning service. One Sunday he was detained at home by something till near the moment for the beginning of the service. He discovered his dangerous position, however, and ran with all his speed toward the church, which he succeeded in entering just before the doors were closed. His wife, one of the church deacons, and many of the congregation were, however, locked out.

—And now we hear a still small voice saying: "The nasty moths have just ruined my furs." Any sensible man will know what is expected of him.

—The five years' lease of the Tip-Top House, on Mount Washington—at $10,000 a year—expires this fall, when Messrs. Coe & Pingree, the proprietors at the top of the mountain, by the conditions of the lease of the land to Messrs. Aiken & Lyon, the owners of the building, can, if they choose, take the house at the original cost.

Boston Stock Sales.

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United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¾
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N. H. State 6s 1879	102¾
N. H. State 6s 1880	103¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
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Boston & Providence	120¼
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Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	103
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	64¼
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Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63¼

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Eggs per dozen, 22c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
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Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
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Lard per pound, 12 cents.
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Molasses per gal., It. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 33 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 80c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9½ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:45	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:45	5
Portland,	9:45	4:35 6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:45	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A.M.	P.M.
Boston, South and West,	4:33 10:10	5:50
Boston Way,	10:10	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE CITY.

Parties fishing in the vicinity of the Shoals report getting better fares this fall than for the past ten years.

On Saturday the fishing schooner Mary E. Smith arrived at Tredick's wharf with 14,000 lbs. of hake and cod, and the Grace Choate with 10,000 lbs. of hake, cod and haddock.

The wife of Rev. H. L. Kelsey, formerly pastor of the Methodist church in this city, died suddenly at her home in Hollis on Friday morning. She was about forty years of age, and leaves several small children.

The Fair in aid of St. Mary's church opens in Franklin Hall at 7 o'clock this evening, and will be open each evening through the week, and Wednesday and Saturday afternoons at 2 o'clock. All of the usual attractions will be offered. Admission 25 cents.

Another unsuccessful attempt was made on Sunday to tow the brig Clara J. Adams off the beacon ledge, the tug Clara Batemen parting several stout hawsers without starting the wreck. The brig was lifted well off the rocks forward, but she was still heavily grounded on the ledge aft, where it is not easy to get a lift on her owing to the shoalness of the water.

The Manchester *Mirror* perpetrates the following diabolical slander on the Concord & Portsmouth Railroad: "An estimable lady came down from Bow to the depot recently, and when the horse-car came along stepped in and took a seat, which she kept until it turned at the north end, when the driver asked where she wanted to go. She said she was going to Portsmouth to see her daughter. The driver informed her of her mistake, when she said: 'La me, I can't see very well and I thought I was on the Portsmouth train, but it seemed as if we was going amazing fast for that road."

COMMISSIONER'S COURT.

On Saturday, Henry J. Davis, a seaman, was brought before United States Commissioner Hackett, charged with stealing from the Portsmouth post-office a letter belonging to A. H. Palmer, one of the crew of scheoner Active. District Attorney Hall, for the United States, desired a postponement until Monday, which was granted. Messrs. Page and Harriman appeared for the defendant.

Davis, who was arrested Friday evening, came here on the schooner J. B. Vandusen; he was drunk when arrested, and had in his possession at the time five letters addressed to members of the Active's crew, three of the letters having been opened. On being arrested he said that he belonged to the Active; that while in Georgetown she went off and left him; he therefore took passage in the Vandusen for this port, and reaching here before the Active, called at the post-office for the letters, intending to hand them over to their rightful owners on their arrival. He denied any evil intent, and said the letters must have got opened while he was drunk.

The case will be heard this forenoon.

INSPECTION OF PETROLEUM.

Mr. Robert E. Rich, the city Inspector of Petroleum and its Products, has asked the city government to define his duties and his powers,—a very reasonable request, for he has a right to know just how far he will be supported by the city government in his endeavors to enforce the law which prohibits the sale of kerosene which "flashes" at a lower temperature than 100 degrees Farenheit and "flames" at less than 110 degrees. He evidently proposes to do his duty; and it is also evident that he does not wish to become involved in a law suit—or suits—through doing his duty, and then be left in the lurch by those to whom he has a right to look for support. If the Inspector of Petroleum has not power to prevent the sale of oils which the statutes prohibit the sale of, the office should be abolished, and free trade in such oils allowed; if he has such power, would-be dealers in such oils should be given to understand that he will be supported by the city in exercising it.

We recently gave an account of a test of oil which had been condemned by Mr. Rich, made by an inspector sent to this city by the manufacturers of the rejected oil, in which the out-of-town inspector managed to make the oil just come up to the State standard, though he said he *could* make it appear even better. Mr. Rich has since that time tested other samples of the same oil, one of which flashed at 86 degrees and flamed at 93, another sample flaming at 98 degrees. To burn such oil as this is about as safe as it would be to burn good quality gunpowder; and it is not enough that the Inspector has authority to prohibit its sale; he should have ample power to enforce his prohibition, and if the ordinances do not provide for this the ordinances should be blacksmithed. One of our leading grocers, who sells only the best oils, informed us a few days ago that his empty kerosene barrels, marked by the Inepestor as containing a high grade of oil, are bought right along by the dealers in inferior oils, who no doubt fill them with the dangerous rubbish and then sell it out as being first-class, on the strength of the Inspector's marking. How this dodge can be defeated is not our business to decide; but the city government should find out some way to do it, and invest the Inspector with abundant power to carry out whatever plan they may devise.

AN ECCENTRIC DOG.

On Saturday afternoon a dog belonging to Mrs. Joseph C. Langley, of Deer street, created quite an excitement, which finally culminated in serious misfortune to the dog. His first performance was to rush out of the house, and bite a hen. He then took a circuit about town, biting Mr. Sise Frost and Mr. Joseph Akerman on the way, though not severely enough to draw blood in either case; he also bit four (and possibly more) dogs, and tried to bite another man, but failed in the latter enterprise owing to the vigor with which the assailed individual whacked the assailant with an umbrella. After biting Mr. Akerman and being repulsed by the umbrella man, the dog ran up Market street, pursued by a crowd of men and boys armed with clubs and brick-bats; and after turning up Deer street, possibly to run home, a heavy cart-stake was laid over his head by Mr. Garrett Cunningham, teamster for the Portsmouth Brewing Company, in such manner as to preclude any further display of canine eccentricity on his part. The dog is supposed to have been afflicted with rabies, and it is fortunate he was killed before he managed to bite any one severely enough to occasion apprehension as to the result.

OBITUARY.

The Winona (Minnesota) *Republican*, in an obituary notice of the late S. Newhall Knight, says:

"For some fifteen years he had been in the employ of the American Express Company, spending a portion of the time at Saint Paul, then at Read's Landing, and latterly, for some ten years he represented the Company as agent in Winona. For sterling honesty and fidelity in the discharge of his duties he was noted not only among his associates but also with the business public. He was a hard worker, took little rest, and was always at his post. For several years he was a zealous and efficient officer in the work at the West End Mission of this city. His age was forty-one. He leaves a wife and two children. A man of kind heart, he was held in high esteem by his associates and by all who knew him. The family in their bereavement will receive the sympathy of a large circle of friends."

Mr. Knight furnishes another illustration of the energy and ability with which Portsmouth boys make their way in the world away from home, and the honorable positions they generally hold in society. Mr. Knight was a native of this city, a brother of Mr. Oliver M. Knight, and left here to make himself a home in the great West some twenty-five years ago.

WHERE TO BUY.

As the talk about cheap and dangerous kerosene may make people who value their lives timid about using any kind of kerosene oil for illuminating purposes, it may not be amiss to assure them that any oil which stands a test of 110 degrees or more before flaming is perfectly safe; and we have taken the trouble to ask Lieut. Rich what kind of kerosene is sold by the prominent grocers who keep their advertisements in the columns of the CHRONICLE. He informs us that Butler & Laighton sell two qualities—their *cheap* oil, which is warranted to stand a test of 130 degrees and always goes above it, and another grade that never flames below 140 degrees; Henry F. Gerrish never has oil that goes below 120 at the test, and his best goes up to 150; and Charles E. Laighton & Son sell only that which is warranted by the manufacturers to stand a test of 140 degrees, and always comes up to that standard by the Inspector's test. Not only are the oils sold by the grocers named, perfectly safe to burn, but a dollar's worth of any of the brands will last longer and give a better and purer light, and with less smoke, than a dollar's worth of any of the inferior oils,—in fact, the high grades of oil are really cheaper in the end than the so-called cheap stuff. It is with kerosene as with anything else, a good article is cheaper than a poor one; and it may be taken as a rule—and it will rarely be found to fail—that the dealers who advertise their wares are the best ones to trade with.

THE VICINITY.

Abbott Norris' store, in North Hampton, was entered through the cellar, Wednesday night, 10th inst., and a considerable quantity of groceries and other articles were stolen. The money drawer was taken from its place and conveyed to the Eastern depot, near by, and robbed of about $40. Attempts to break into other stores were also made.

The grocery store of Chesley Brothers, in Rye, was broken into and robbed early on the morning of Sunday, the 14th inst. The burglars effected an entrance by removing a pane of glass and unlocking the door. The loss is estimated at $600, the stolen goods consisting of boots, shoes, cloth, cutlery, etc. More than a hundred burned matches were found scattered upon the floor in different directions, showing that the thieves had no dark lanterns or other appliances of professional burglars, and it is more than probable that they are the same fellows who robbed Leavitt's store in Hampton on the night of the 14th. The robbery of Chesley Brothers' store was kept very quiet, seemingly, as the Boston *Herald* of Saturday morning was the first paper we saw it in.

NAVAL MATTERS.

The repairs to the U. S. S. Enterprise having been completed, she has been taken out of the dry dock at Norfolk and is being coaled and provisioned for service.

Assistant Naval Constructor John F. Hanscom is detached from the Boston navy yard and ordered to the navy yard at League Island.

A dispatch from Capt. Jonathan Young, commanding U. S. S. Tennessee, the flagship of the Asiatic squadron, reports that vessel at Yokohama, Japan, Sept. 18th.

Lieutenant-Commander Charles S. Cotton is nominated to be a Commander in the Navy from April 26th, 1877.

First Lieutenant Charles L. Sherman, U. S. M. C., resigned his position on Sept. 8th.

DEATHS.

LOCKE. In this city, Oct. 19th, Mrs. Sarah Locke, wife of Mr. John E. Locke, aged 40 years and 4 months.

☞ Funeral this (Monday) afternoon at two o'clock, from No. 3 North street.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Sch Three Sisters, Baker, Philadelphia, with coal for C E Walker & Co.

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SAILED, Oct 20.

Sch J B Vandusen, Booye, Philadelphia.

Sch Francis B Godfrey, Wheaton, Philadelphia.

Barque Antioch, Hemingway, sld from Cebu for New York Aug 23.

Sch Wellingtpn, Barbour, for this port from Hoboken, passed through Hell Gate Oct 18.

Schs Telegraph, Gott, for this port from Rondout, and Sarah A Reed, Guptill, for this port from Philadelpuia, sld from Vineyard Haven Oct 18.

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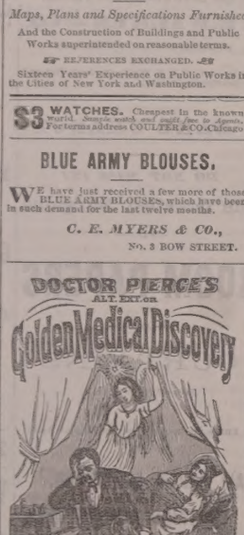

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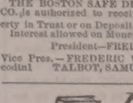

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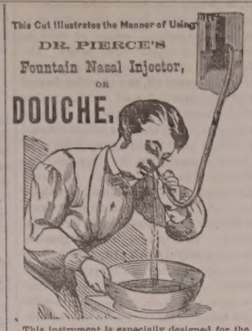

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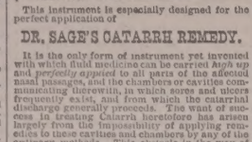

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Business Still Progressive.

The extent to which business has revived had not been anticipated by the railroad companies. They have permitted themselves accordingly to be caught napping as it were. Not one of the roads leading into Chicago has enough of cars to receive the freight which offers, and even the roads leading to the East are found deficient in carrying facilities. This is certainly an encouraging sign. More cars must be built to accommodate the freight, and this implies activity in machine and other shops, and the employment of additional brakemen to a large extent. If now the railroads are short of thousands of cars daily, strenuous efforts must be made to supply the deficiency before the close of navigation, when the traffic on the roads will be enormously increased. All this points to a return of better days for mechanics and artisans, and an improvement in their circumstances must give stimulus to the retail trade generally.

Within the last four months there has been indicated a rise in the market value of railroad and other stock, amounting to about $280,000,000. That is, there has been that much addition to the apparent value of the securities dealt in on the Exchange between June and October. This means better circumstances to tens of thousands of families. But it has a significance of another kind. Merchants have been complaining that their sales, though large, have been mostly of the coarser kinds of goods, and that their fine stocks remain on their hands. Frugality is still the order of the day, and in households where money has not been scarce articles of necessity and not of luxury are sought after.

But this increase in the value of corporate securities shows that the over-timidity and caution which prevailed have disappeared. There is less of a nervous dread for the future. People will soon buy more than is absolutely necessary for the maintenance of life. They will purchase what contributes to the graces and higher comforts of modern tastes and habits.

Thus an active and effective home demand for manufactured products must come—not all at once, but steadily. The artisans, mechanics and laborers will at least soon have steady employment and perhaps more pay, and will be able to buy what they want for themselves and their families. The richer classes will become more liberal in their purchases as the signs of industrial depression depart. Real estate which has fallen so low, must soon rise again. Other property will also increase in market value. Capital once freed from the feeling of dread inspired by the panic will be invested in manufactures and in mining, and impart the necessary life to house and ship construction and to many of the industries, once so great, which are now nearly dormant. There has as yet been no check to the return of prosperity.

—*New York Graphic.*

The Cosmograph.

M. Riviere, of Marseilles, France, is to be credited with a capital idea for popularizing astronomical knowledge through the medium of a simple monument which may be set up in public squares, private grounds, or any other convenient locality. Several have already been erected in French cities. The cosmograph, as the invention is called, shows, first, by a vertical circle, the plane of the meridian. A rod, directed toward the polar star, passes diametrically through the circle and shows the position of the earth's axis. A circle placed at right angles to the first indicates the plane of the equator. Of course the inclination of the axial rod varies according to the latitude of the locality. A small rod, placed vertically above the meridian circle, shows the zenith. Four other arms, fixed 28 degrees above and below the equator, mark the tropics, and four more, placed at the same distance from the points of intersection of the axis, mark the polar circles. The graduation comprised between the tropics allows of the sun's movement in declination being followed, the solstices and equinoxes being observed, and the succession of seasons noted. The equator, divided into degrees and receiving the shadow of the axis, becomes a sun dial, an arc of 15 degrees counting one hour. After a little practice it is easy to refer the curves of the cosmograph to the heavens, when the principal constellations may readily be found, especially those of the zodiac, through which passes the plane of the ecliptic, the annual apparent path of the sun. Inscriptions in relief show the names of the various portions of the instrument, and several useful astronomical facts and data are engraved on the pedestal.

—*Scientific American.*

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 19.

The participation in the Republican caucus of several Senators from the South, who have heretofore acted with the republicans but who have been reported as about to make the best terms possible with the democrats, out of revenge, seemed to definitely settle their status as having decided to "stick to the wreck," and their vote on the question of sending the credentials of Spofford to Committee is regarded as proof positive they can be relied on to act with their party in emergencies. The vote in question was productive of some comment about town and at the hotels last night. Every development thus far, leads to the conclusion that the impetuous republican members who came here primed for an early tilt with the President, have been induced by the cooler heads to lay aside their weapons of warfare against him for a time, and to unite against the common enemy. If the vote means that Spofford's admission will be contested as a party measure, it would seem to indicate that the opponents of the "Southern policy" have been accepted as leaders, and that the President's action in recognizing the Nichols and Hampton governments, with the logical effect it carried with it to invalidate elections under preceding regimes, are to be ignored so far as possible in the treatment of the claims of contestants to seats in the Senate. But it may turn out that those voting for the reference did it with a view to an impartial investigation, and that it furnished no indication of their vote on the final question for admission.

There was no session of the House yesterday. The impression seems to strengthen that we are in for a protracted extra session. After all the matters proposed for legislation in the message have been disposed of, there are enough others being urged to carry the session right through to the day of convening the regular session in December. The constituuencies behind some members, have seemingly gone daft over the matter of resumption, and they with many others are so thoroughly in earnest to bring about remonetization, that representatives will hardly dare disregard the standing command that the fight against the one and in favor of the other be inaugurated at the earliest practicable moment.

It is said that Libby, deputy 6th Auditor, who was sent West to force restitution in the cases of double payments to contractors through the connivance of O'Brien, sends word that he has succeeded in every case and that the government will lose nothing.

The Russian victory reported from Asia Minor was received with unmistakable signs of gratification by a large majority of Washingtonians, residents and visitors, upon the theory, probably, of choosing the least of two evils.

Quite as large a proportion was made glad by the substantial victory achieved over the jesuitical intriguers in France the other day. Considering all the bulldozing McMahon was able to inflict through possession of the Government machinery, the result is accepted as showing that France is irrevocably committed to the republican form of Government, and that if the republican leaders can succeed in the next election for Senators as well, even the gates of Rome cannot prevail against her. KNOX.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 20.

The beneficent effect of a little cool reflection upon the absurdity of a family quarrel among republican members of Congress, was apparent yesterday when the case of Spofford, the rival of Mr. Kellogg, came up in the Senate. The democrats have evidently counted on a division among their opponents on this matter, insuring their reinforcement by the admission of Spofford and Hamburg Butler. Very few, even among concentrated Bourbons, have the effrontery to deny the legality of Kellogg's election; and there was a marked disinclination of their lawyers, for instance Thurman and Bayard, to discuss the law or equities involved; but they contented themselves with the general statement that by the recognition of Nichols, Kellogg lost all rights he had previously acquired, leaving Spofford as the only one that could consistently claim the seat. But the republicans were unanimously of the opinion that such a method of getting rid of an opponent was wholly inconsistent with our theory of majority rule, and too sweeping to make it a safe precedent; and by a strict party vote Mr. Spofford's credentials went to the committee where Kellogg's were voted at the last session. This vote puts an effectual quietus upon the statements of numerous newspaper-writers to the effect that several southern republican Senators, soured by the "Southern policy," had determined to cast in their lot with democracy and would vote accordingly on all party questions. It also makes us hopeful that the claims of Messrs. Kellogg and Corbin will be decided upon their merits, without much reference to what any one else has done or failed to do; and if the Ohio disaster is shown by subsequent proceedings to have once more consolidated the republican vote in Congress, its sting will prove comparatively innoxious.

Even before the election of a Speaker, the indignation of republicans over the usurpations of Clerk Adams, found voice in the case of Mr. Belford; and the cup of fuming, effervescing little Mr. Cox's humiliation was made to run over when Mills and enough more of his party voted with the republicans to admit Rainey and Cain.

The weight of opinion appears decidedly favorable to a protracted extra session, though the President carefully avoided giving any pretext for its continuance longer than two weeks, at farthest.

As the alleged cause for the refusal of the House majority last winter to provide for the army no longer exists, a lengthy debate over the amount asked for that purpose, and factious opposition to its appropriation, would be so generally condemned that it cannot reasonably be anticipated; and the injustice to the officers and men of the navy, and the detriment to th epublic service that has followed the failure to provide for them, and for the necessary expenses of United States Courts, are so well understood, and the motives that prompted the opposition are so thoroughly appreciated, that the respective amounts stated as necessary to bring us out square at the end of the year, will, it is believed, be voted without much haggling.

It is felt on all sides that since the surrender of the Nez Perces and the quiet submission of the tribes recently represented here by the Sioux delegation, to the removal to the Missouri, our prospects for a lasting adjustment of our Indian relations on a peace basis are brighter than for many years, There is nothing specially important from Sitting Bull; but should he reject Gen. Terry's terms and attempt to recross the line on a hostile mission, the force now in his vicinity is sufficient to successfully cope with him. KNOX.

The Eastern War.

Reports from Constantinople announce something very like a panic there on account of the defeat of "Conqueror" Mukhtar Pasha in Asia Minor. The Russians are correspondingly elated. Mukhtar notifies his government that he holds a position to cover the retreat from Kars, should the Turks be driven out.

On Saturday the Roumanians captured the second Grivitza redoubt after three assaults, but during the night the Turks, after a sanguinary fight, retook the position.

A Russian ukase has been promulgated, ordering the foot and horse artillery of reserve to be placed on a war footing.

News and Notes.

The wife of Gilman, the New York insurance scrip forger, has become a raving maniac.

Three hundred and twenty houses were burned in the Portland suburb of St. John, N. B., on Saturday, and over 2000 persons were rendered homeless. One man was burned to death, three boys were killed by a falling wall, and several persons are missing.

On Saturday an explosion took place at the China Silver Company's mine at Newburyport. Some loaded cartridges to be used in blasting, were laid on the blacksmith's forge to dry, and exploded, blowing the roof off the building and breaking some glass. Nobody was hurt.

Ned Gaulsby, colored, having been arrested for burglary at Atlanta, Ga., on looking up his record it was found that he owed the State some service—159 years of it, in fact, having four times escaped from jail—namely, when sentenced to a ninety-nine years term for murder and three terms of twenty years each for a homicide and two burglaries.

A very light adulteration of kerosene oil with naphtha or benzine makes a very dangerous compound. A report to the New Orleans Board of Health gives the following tests:—When kerosene that would not flash below 113 deg. Fah. had one per cent. of benzine added to it, it flashed at 103 deg.; with two per cent., at 92 deg.; with five per cent., at 83 deg.: with ten per cent., at 59 deg. This means that a comparatively slight adulteration will produce an oil that gives an inflammable vapor in the ordinary heat of apartments—an oil that is more dangerous to the consumer than a keg of gunpowder.

By a fire in the dwelling of a Dr. Demees, at Myerstown, Penn., Saturday night, Mrs. Demees and her mother were suffocated, and the doctor very nearly so.

A son of M. Belknap of Holland, Vt., was instantly killed Saturday afternoon. Belknap and another young man had loaded their guns, preparatory to attending a shooting match. The other boy, having set his gun in a sap-holder, stepped some eight feet back. When Belknap placed his in the holder he hit the lock of the other gun, discharging it, the charge striking him in the chin and blowing the top of his head entirely off.

Miss Alice Blaine, eldest daughter of Senator Blaine, aged about eighteen years, was seriously injured on Saturday evening at her home in Augusta, Me., by the premature discharge of a toy pistol belonging to a younger brother, with which she was playing. The ball entered her forehead, inflicting an ugly wound, though the physicians say if inflammation does not set in her recovery will be speedy.

It will be difficult to find a spot where municipal reform needs more attention than in Montreal The majority of the City Council is composed of French Canadians, and that body has refused to pay the volunteers who were ordered out by the authorities to prevent trouble at the funeral of Hackett, the murdered Orangeman. The grand jury, by a sectarian vote, has refused to indict men for participation in the riots of the 12th and 16th of July, though there was sufficient evidence to warrant sending the prisoners up for trial. Thirteen of these grand jurors made their marks to their receipts for pay, as they were unable to write their names.

Martin E. Michael, a South Adams (Mass) butcher, was shot Friday through the heart in the presence of his wife and child, a revolver in his coat pocket being accidentally discharged.

Clintonville, New York, has been devastated by small-pox. Twenty persons have died within a few days. Travelers are prohibited from entering the place, all the highways being blockaded.

Burglars entered the jewelry store of J. H. Otis of North Berwick on Saturday night, and carried off watches, jewelry, revolvers, etc., to the amount of several hundred dollars.

Birmingham advices, September 29th, of the London *Times*, contain this notable statement: "From the colonial markets, and especially Australia and New Zealand, the indents are of fair extent; but the lengthening list of American made goods, which are superseding English hardware, in these markets, is a source of considerable anxiety to merchants and manufacturers."

Mr. Walker, the statistician of the New York Produce Exchange, estimates the wheat yield of the present year, as 325,000,000 bushels, and the corn yield as 1,280,000,000. So large a yield of wheat has never before been experienced in the United States. The nearest approach to it was in 1874, when the total was 302,102,700 bushels. Last year it was 286,000,000 bushels. Twice the estimated corn yield of this year has been surpassed—last year, when it was 1,300,000,000, and in 1875, when it was 1,320,000,000 bushels.

New Hampshire Items.

In the Supreme Court at Dover on Saturday the Clerk declared the following county officers elected: Register of Deeds, Ezra H. Twombly; County Treasurer, Henry H. Hough; County Commissioner, John Bartlett.

P. T. Taleor, aged 70 years, was found drowned in the flume under his shop at Woodsville Saturday afternoon. It is supposed that he fell through a scuttle hole.

The Grand Jury, after a four days' session at Ossipee, found the following indictments: One against Joseph B. Buzzell, for aiding, hiring and conspiring with Charles W. Cook to commit murder, and one for aiding, hiring and conspiring with Cook to commit arson; one against Cook for murder. Other indictments were as follows: One for arson, one for burglary, three for sheep stealing, and 23 for selling liquor.

Political.

Well informed correspondents say there is already a project on foot in Washington to put Grant again in nomination in 1880, and we have no doubt that such is the case. In fact, there was an under-current working in favor of a third term, last year, but it never came to the surface for obvious reasons.—*Worcester Gazette.*

The Iowa republicans are a good deal elated over the figures of their triumph, and are not a bit backward in calling attention to their treatment of the question of indorsing the President as the true one. Their candidate for Governor has a plurality 18,000 larger than their candidate in the last off-year, and about 8,000 larger than their candidate in 1875. The majority in the Legislature is larger than it has been for many years.

The Concord (N. H.) *Patriot*, speaking of our election, says "There is a God in Israel." The assurance is comforting—but we trust next time to have him in Ohio.—*Cincinnati Times.*

Bob Toombs has gone back on the Solid South and joined the New England outcry against the Texas Pacific. Probably he is trying to coax the Yankees to let him call the roll of his slaves at the foot of Bunker Hill. He vowed he would do it, and where there is a will there is a way, even if it is a back way.—*New Orleans Times.*

The Washington correspondent of the Chicago *Inter-Ocean* says Senator Beck, of Kentucky, summarizes the situation by saying that the republicans stole the Presidency from the democrats, and now the democrats have stolen the President from the republicans. He adds that no power on earth, except the power of the democratic party to make mistakes, can prevent the democrats from electing all the Presidents of the country for the next twenty-five years. But, in order to do this, the democrats, he says, must come out for free trade, the silver dollar, and paper money for Custom duties. He wants all this done before the adjournment of the present session.

Crushed Belles.

The other night a groceryman at Vallejo gave a large party, at which the daughter of the carriage painter who lived next door created a decided sensation. It was not that she was more handsomely attired than the other ladies present, but that when she gyrated in the "dance of death" she was observed to display the only pair of pink silk stockings in the room. She left the house for a few moments at the expiration of the dance, and in the next waltz exhibited in light blue dittoes. An hour later her crushed and exasperated female friends beheld these supplemented by further hose of a delicate chocolate shade. And so it went on until her miserable rivals determined to follow her the next time she appeared. They traced her to her father's paint shop in the back yard, where she was discovered, brush in hand, and about ornamenting her nether extremities with a final artistic coat of light salmon. The exulting spies rushed back with the damaging news, but it was too late. The men were all too tight to understand, the music had gone home and the lights were being put out. Thus it is that fraud and duplicity triumph, while honest simplicity walks around with a darn on its calf and a hole in its heel.—*San Francisco Post.*

—An old-fashioned fire escape—A chimney flue.

—Autumn leaves—just before the first of December.

—A North Carolina man has been five times married, and has just obtained his fourth divorce. One wife considerately died.

—An Oregon paper has this decidedly personal item:—"A great lot of young ladies welcomed General Sherman at Albany. The old warrior went right in and kissed the whole of them, while his son, a young fellow who had never been through the wars, stood back and looked on."

—The *Scientific American* and one or two professors, are greatly exercised over the matter of curve pitching. They declare it an utter impossibility, and mathematical calculations are brought to their support. And still the pitcher takes his stand, twists the ball in some unknown manner and the batsman pounds away at—nothing.

—One of the new propositions for Government enterprise in fields where individuals can do better, is that the Post-office Department be transferred into a grand savings bank. This is to be done through the issue of Government bonds at a low rate of interest, redeemable on demand, and the postmasters are to be the medium through which such investments are to be made. The total amount of deposits in this country is estimated as high as $1,500,000,000. About $800,000,000 is in 7 per cent. securities, which it is proposed to replace by bonds at 4 per cent. It looks well on the surface; but heretofore all attempts on the part of the Government to go into private business have been failures.

—Father Doane of Newark, N. J., has prohibited the Catholic Dramatic Association of that city from playing the "Two Orphans." He thinks it difficult to choose a play that will prove perfectly acceptable, believing that the taste of the present generation has become vitiated, and that dramas adopted from the French are likely to be tinged with immorality. His chief objection to the "Two Orphans" was that the story turned upon the abduction of a young girl evidently with an improper motive, and also that in the prison scene of La Salpetriere the falsehood the Lady Superior is induced to tell by the doctor to hasten the release of the sister of the blind girl Louise is contrary to the teaching of the Church. Father Doane is held responsible for the character of the entertainments given by this dramatic association.

—Billy is dead. He was a venerable Newfoundland dog. In 1862 a man in delirium tremens jumped overboard from the schooner Hero, on a voyage to Labrador. The dog bounded over the taffrail, and for half an hour held to the man with his teeth fastened in the collar of his woollen shirt. The delay was occasioned by the capsizing of the first boat that was lowered. In 1864 the dog saved a baby that had fallen through a sewer hole in the wharf at Catalina, N. F. He jumped through the hole and was too large to swim between the posts of the wharf, but he held the baby's head out of the water and swam briskly in every direction in search of an opening. In 1869 he saved the life of a Swedish sailor, who, while drunk, walked into the landwash at Bonavista, N. F. Between 1870 and 1873 Billy saved three children and one grown boy. Then his strength failed, his teeth fell out one by one, until last winter he had not one left, and he finally died of the infirmities of age.

—The fire losses of the United States exceed the total gold and silver coinage by twenty millions of dollars per annum. We burn up $100,000,000 each year. This is a dead loss to the country at large and necessarily to each citizen, and increases *pro tanto* the taxation of what remains. Laws should be secured for the establishment of fire inquests, by means of which every fire should be made the subject of official investigation; laws for the regulation of buildings in the villages as well as the cities, and other statutory regulations for the prevention of fires.

—Daniel Webster's whist-playing friend, Mr. Henry Fox, formerly British Minister at Washington, had a habit of shutting himself up and refusing to see people. An Englishman who had business at the legation, complained bitterly of this to the secretary, who promised to speak to his chief and set things right. Shortly afterward, meeting the gentleman accidentally, the secretary asked him innocently if he had heard from the minister. "Heard from him?" wrathfully replied the other; "I should think I had! He has sent me the plate of his card, with permission to strike off as many as I like in return for those I have left on him!"

—In the little republic of Switzerland the telegraph lines are a part of the postal system, and the use of the former is as common as that of the mails. The rates are very low, only ten cents for a message to any part of the state, which is less than those of any other country. There is not a village, however small, or wherever situated, even in the highest regions of the Alps, that has not a government telegraph working night and day. The double postal card is also another great advantage. This enables you to send a business order, etc., on one part, and on the other your own address, so insuring an immediate answer without expense or trouble to the receiver.

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Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
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Great Falls,	9:45	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:08 10:10	5:50
Boston Way,	10:10	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

The wild geese have commenced to fly southward. Several large flocks passed over this city on Sunday.

Senator Blaine's daughter Alice, who accidentally shot herself on Saturday, as reported in another column, was a pupil at Miss Morgan's seminary in this city last summer.

Entries of fruit, etc., are invited from *any person* interested, for the Hall Show under direction of Portsmouth Grange, on Wednesday and Thursday of this week. See advertisement.

The schooner Lizzie K. Waters cleared at the Boston custom house on Saturday, for St. John, N. B., by way of Dover neck; at the last named place she will take in a load of brick.

"Notice to Mariners" is given by the Lighthouse Board that a Daboll's trumpet fog signal has been established at Whale's-back light station, entrance to Portsmouth harbor, and will be sounded during thick and foggy weather, giving blasts of eight seconds' duration, at intervals of twenty-two seconds.

The storm sent a lot of vessels into the lower harbor for shelter on Saturday and Sunday. Among the arrivals on Saturday were the brig Benjamin Carver, Shute, from New York for Portland; schooners Morelight, Webster, New York for Calais; Maria Foss, Tapley, for Bangor; James S. Pike, Robinson, Provincetown for Round Pond; Ocean Eagle, Maxwell, New York for Boston; Avail, Chateau, Boston for Brookline; Mariel, Bryant, Boston for Bristol; Agricola, Whitmore, Boston for Portland; Union, Brown, Boston for Machias; Royal Oak, Rich, Boston for Calais; Albert Bowden, Boston for Sullivan; Harriet, Weymouth, Lynn for Bangor; Advance, Pickett, Boston for Millbridge; William, Danforth, Port Johnson for Tenant's Harbor; Ida May, for Thorn's Cove, N. S.; Joseph William Fish, Watts, Philadelphia for Portland; Gertie E. Merrow, Dunning, Perth Amboy for Portland; Washington Freeman, Gilchrist, Perth Amboy for Thomaston.

SUPREME COURT--SECOND WEEK.

Monday, Oct. 22d, before *Stanley, J.*

The following jurors were returned to serve for the second and third weeks:

Chas. Osgood, John C. Dearborn, Caudia; Joseph W. Sanborn, Benj. J. Sanborn, Deerfield; Alden B. Smith, Wm. H. Crowell, Derry; E. Newton Chase, James R. Thing, Exeter; Wm. B. Lowd, Saml. Gilcreast, Londonderry; Benj. E. Chase, Prescott B. Emerson, Salem; Geo. A. Weare, Charles S. Dow, Seabrook; Matthew T. Betton, Chas. W. Kimball, Ward Two, Portsmouth; (Henry H. Ladd, Titus S. Tredick, Portsmouth, excused;) Augustus Walden, Zebulon Holmes, Ward Four, Portsmouth; Willard P. Meloon, Newcastle; James Winkley Hoyt, Newington; Geo. W. Marston, Newton; Daniel G. Moulton, North Hampton; William B. Sherburne, Northwood; John H. Chelsey, Jr. Nottingham. William H. Haddock and Adolph Nelson, of this city, to report Tuesday morning.

Trials began with State vs. Barney McKone; assault and attempt to commit rape. Verdict, not guilty. Small for State; Page for deft.

State vs. Chas. E. Morse; adultery at Chester. Verdict, guilty; sentenced to eighteen months in State prison. Small for State.

State vs. Sweetser; assault and attempt to maim William Kennedy. Given to the jury in the evening, at the adjournment; verdict to be announced this morning. Small for State; Hatch and Page for defendant.

Wm. H. Briant, Jr., of Salem, was arraigned upon ten indictments charging him with selling and keeping for sale liquors, contrary to law. Plea, *nolo contendere* in each; fined fifty dollars on one, and costs upon all the indictments. Hatch for respondent.

COMMISSIONER'S COURT.

Henry J. Davis, charged with stealing from the Portsmouth post-office a letter belonging to A. H. Palmer, was brought before United States Commissioner Hackett, (case continued from Saturday,) on Monday afternoon at half-past two o'clock, but owing to the unavoidable absence of two needed witnesses (seamen on a schooner in the lower harbor, and who could not get to the city on account of the storm,) the case was continued to Thursday.

AFLOAT AT LAST.

On Thursday of last week the navy yard riggers' gang, under the direction of their foreman, Mr. William Pinkham, commenced operations on the brig Clara J. Adams, the former contractors having given up after the failure of an attempt to float her off the north side of the beacon ledge, where she grounded after coming off her original berth on the ledge and cruising all over the harbor for an hour or so on Sunday night, October 8th. Mr. Pinkham, with the aid of a diver, placed additional chains under the wreck's bottom, and after one or two preliminary trials to tow her off, which resulted only in broken hawsers, on Sunday evening had got things fixed to suit him; and instead of waiting for daylight, (as was done by the former contractors, with the result already reported,) he had the tug Clara Batemen on hand, and during the night the brig was towed off the ledge and grounded in shallow water near Three Tree island. On Monday at low water the slack of the chains was taken in, and when the tide rose the wreck was towed to a berth off the head of Russell & Odion's wharf, where the remainder of her cargo of coal will be discharged.

NAVAL MATTERS.

Lieut. Commander Samuel H. Baker is ordered as Executive of the Enterprise at Norfolk.

The Bureau of Navigation will soon put in use on board the naval vessels the night signal invented by Lieutenant Very of the navy. This plan is based on the Roman candle system, and the colored stars are projected from a pistol from two hundred to three hundred feet into the air, by means of which the commander-in-chief of a fleet can readily communicate with any or all vessels in any crowded harbor, notwithstanding intervening vessels, which is of itself a very valuable improvement. By firing single red or green stars, or a combination of them, the numbers from one to ten can be made and all the sentences in the Navy Signal Code be readily communicated. The stars projected from the pistol are brilliantly red and green and can be seen at a distance of from ten to twelve miles, as has been ascertained by practical tests. This invention of new a means of nocturnal communication will, it is believed in high naval circles, be of incalculable service to the navy.

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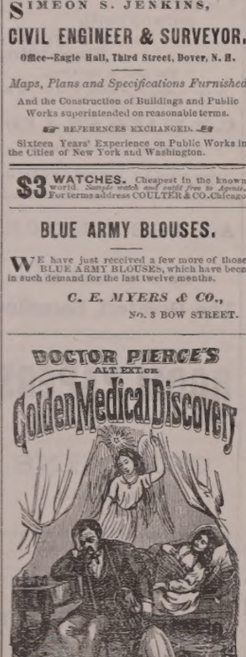

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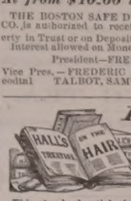

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Daily Chronicle.

Base Ball.

The New York *World* says: Now that the professional season is at an end it is proper to take a glance at the record and see what club comes out of the season's play as the champion team, not of this or that association, but of the whole country. In reckoning up the account which is to decide this question it is entirely unnecessary to include all the clubs which entered the arena, it being quite sufficient to limit the list to the leading professional nines of the country; and the past season's record shows these to be the ten most prominent clubs which belonged to the League, International and League Alliance associations, viz.: The clubs of Boston, Louisville, Hartford, St. Louis, Chicago and Cincinnati, the Stars of Syracuse, and the clubs of Indianapolis, Allegheny and Lowell, all champions of their special sections or States, the Lowell especially standing high on the record as the champions of the New England States. In this regular United States championship arena the Bostons take a leading position by so large a majority of victories as to leave them in undisputed possession of the field. A record of sixty-one victories out of ninety games—more than two-thirds—and against such strong teams as they had opposed to them, is something a club has a right to be proud of, especially in view of the fact that the fight has been won in a manly and honorable manner in every respect. Louisville comes next with a record of 43 victories out of 79 games, and Chicago stands third on the list, with 41 victories out of 84 games, Hartford being fourth, with 37 out of 67, and St. Louis fifth, with 35 out of 78. The Stars, of Syracuse, lead the clubs outside of the five League clubs, they being ahead of Indianapolis and Cincinnati, with 30 victories out of 54 games. Last on the list in won games comes the Lowell nine, they having won eleven games out of 18, or nearly as good an average as the Bostons. They defeated every League club in one or more games except the weakest—the Cincinnatis—the Lowells standing even with the Bostons in won games—4 to 4.

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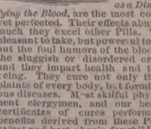

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Congress.

In the Senate, Monday, Beck of Kentucky introduced a bill to repeal section three of the resumption act of February, 1875; and Hereford introduced one to repeal the entire act. Jones of Nevada introduced a bill remonetizing the old silver dollar.

In the committee on privileges and elections, Kellogg and Spofford, the contestants for admission as Senators from Louisiana, were present by invitation. Mr. Kellogg said his case, with documentary evidence, was before the committee. Mr. Spofford stated that he rested his case upon the facts which were known to the world of what had occurred in Louisiana There was but one Government there now, and he represented that Government. At the date of Mr. Kellogg's credentials there were two Governments, they struggling which should be the Government. Mr. Mitchell, the Chairman, asked Spofford if he correctly understood him to rest his title on the events that occurred since the meeting of the Legislature. Judge Spofford replied in the affirmative.

In the House, nearly the whole session was taken up with a discussion regarding the seating of Mr. Belford, elected from Colorado. Mr. Cox of New York offered a resolution directing the Secretary of the Navy to inform the House whether the eight-hour law had been complied with at the Navy Yards of the United States; adopted. The House then adjourned to Wednesday.

The Eastern War.

The Russian commander in Asia Minor reports Kars completely invested, and summoned to surrender. The London *News'* correspondent says the Turks lost 18,000 men captured, and forty cannon, at Mukhtar Pasha's defeat. The Turkish reports that their troops still held fortified positions at Aladjah Dagh are disproved.

Sulleman Pasha's retreat from the river Lom, in Bulgaria, was owing to the fact that 170,000 Russians with 400 cannon were opposed to him.

Terrible Accident.

By an explosion in the Blantyre coal mine, near Glasgow, Scotland, 233 men were buried, only three of whom escaped alive. Forty bodies were found at the foot of the first shaft. Some of the buried miners were alive for hours after the accident, as they could be heard knocking by the relief parties.

"Curved Ball" Pitching.

There has been quite a conflict going on all summer, between base ball and science, base ball insisting that a skillful pitcher can throw a ball so as to make it describe a horizontal curve in the air, and science insisting that it is a scientific impossibility, never to be accomplished until some means is devised whereby a man can take hold of his own pantaloons and coat collar and lift himself over a high fence. Science has repeatedly demonstrated the impossibility of pitching a "curved ball;" but the pitchers and catchers and batters, and base ballists generally, have all kept on sticking to the story that it *is* done, impossible though it may be. On Saturday, the 21st inst., the Boston and Cincinnati clubs played a game at Cincinnati, and the occasion was improved to conclusively demonstrate, by an experiment of extraordinary interest, the possibility of a base ball pitcher performing the impossible—Bond, of the Bostons, and Mitchell, of the Cincinnatis, being two of the most famous of "curved pitchers." A line running parallel with the line from the home plate to the first base bag was taken as a straight line for trial on the Cincinnati grounds. It runs north and south, with the pitcher at the south end of it, opposite the home plate. Midway between the home plate and first base was placed a section of a paling fence, one end resting on the line, the other pointing toward the infield at right angles. This, of course, formed a barrier to the ball started on the west side of the line unless it should cross over to the east side. Another section of fence was placed at right angles to the line, opposite the first base, but being on the east side of the line. Then at the south end a board was placed on the end of the line. Bond, the pitcher of the Bostons, was placed on the west side of the board and a little behind it, so that he was obliged to deliver the ball from the west side of the line. It was for him to demonstrate that the ball could be made to leave his hand on the west side of the line, cross over to the east side, so as to avoid the fence paling on the west side, and recross to the west side and avoid the other fence paling. Bond at first sent the ball against the edge of the board, but after several trials he was able to clear it, and sending the ball fairly round the middle barrier, landed it on the same side it started from, at the other end of the line. The curve was not only visible to the eye, but was shown beyond the possibility of dispute. The demonstration was greeted with shouts of applause. Mitchell of the Cincinnatis, who is left-handed, was next called out. The barriers were reversed to suit his position, and he too succeeded in sending a curver that swung around the middle barrier and was caught fully a foot to the east of the final barrier. The experiment proves that pitchers can pitch curved balls, science to the contrary notwithstanding. There is a chance for the Keeley motor yet.

South Carolina "Conciliation."

The Washington correspondent of the Chicago *Inter-Ocean* writes:

Southern Representatives in Congress tell strange stories of the fruits of the policy in the South. While Wade Hampton was being introduced to the public in Kentucky by the President as "a patriot and an honest man," his advisers in South Carolina were reviving the whipping-post for negroes. Hampton's organ, in an editorial, said: "The only way to reach the inner consciousness of a nigger is through his hide." When this editorial was published, Hampton himself was making speeches about the freedom and equality of all races from the same platform with President Hayes. The democrats have failed to provide for public schools, in South Carolina, and the negro will, henceforth, go untaught. Instead of a school appropriation, the Legislature will establish a system of serfdom, which has all the horrors of slavery without its ameliorations. Labor is to be performed under yearly contract. There is no provision for the punishment of the employer, because that would be impugning the honor of the Southern gentleman, but if the employe violates his contract in any way, he is guilty of a misdemeanor; he is a criminal, and is punished by whipping and the forfeiture of his wages. The evidence of one witness (the planter, of course) is sufficient to prove a violation. At the end of a season a planter can go into court, swear that half or all his negro laborers failed to comply with the provisions of their contracts. That is enough. The negroes are whipped, and the planter does not have to pay them their wages. Unemployed negroes are pronounced vagrants, are sent to jail, and the State hires their labor to planters. There is a "Labor Reform League" in South Carolina, of which Hamburg-Massacre Butler, who will be admitted to a seat in the Senate, is one of the leaders. Members of this league, and those who do not join it are ostracised, are prohibited from selling or renting land to negroes. The league has power to regulate wages in the State; and all planters are prohibited from employing negroes who do not carry a "working card" from their last employer. This is the sunshine which was to follow democratic supremacy in the South. This is the advancement of the colored element which Hampton talks about in his speeches.

New Hampshire Items.

Rev. B. F. McDaniel of Exeter declines a call to the Unitarian Society of Concord.

City Marshal Kensington of Manchester returned from Providence Saturday, bringing Thomas Britton, aged thirty-five years, who committed a murderous assault in Manchester, at midnight, September 14th, on his brother-in-law, Patrick Mulligan. Britton broke into the house, seized Mulligan by the hair, dragged him from his bed, and inflicted four painful stabs in the neck with a jack-knife. His sister, who interfered to protect her husband, also received a serious cut, which came near being fatal. Britton escaped, and his whereabouts was ascertained by following a trunk sent to Britton from Manchester by express. The prisoner says that he was drunk at the time, and took this way of revenging himself for being turned out of Mulligan's house.

A man representing himself to be John Brown of Concord, was arrested Sunday night while attempting to break into the store of Nelson Tuttle, of Nashua. He was brought before the Police Court next morning, and bound over in the sum of $500 to appear at the Superior Court in January.

Last spring Noah P. Young, of Stratham, planted two bushels of Late Rose potatoes, from which he has this fall harvested ninety-seven bushels. Of this number eighty-five bushels were suitable for the market. He also planted one bushel of Early Rose, from which he realized thirty-eight bushels. The tubers were grown on new ground, backed up with plenty of good barn yard manure.

There are said to be two black walnut trees growing in the neighborhood of Stratham, as large round as a man's body. Black walnut boards sell for some $70 per thousand feet, while the branches for veneering are worth twice that amount. As these trees will grow to maturity in New England, are healthy and profitable, excellent for shade, and the nuts spicy and good, it would seem well to go into their cultivation.

News and Notes.

In Woonsocket, R. I., Sunday night, two burglars thrust the wife of J. W. Smith into a closet, where she became insensible. When her husband found her, some hours later, the thieves had escaped with $1000.

The steamer Massachusetts is found to be badly injured about the stern and to have lost one hundred feet of her keel, besides having many timbers broken. It will cost $100,000 to put her in complete order.

In the case of Scott and Dunlap, the Northampton, Mass., bank robbers, the exceptions on the charge of robbing a bank were overruled, but those on the charge of entering the house of the cashier, Whittlesey, were sustained. The twenty-ninth exception taken by the defense is as follows: "On closing their argument counsel for the commonwealth argued that neither of the defendants testified for themselves because their counsel believed them guilty." The Supreme Court sustains this and grants a new trial.

The foundation of the Washington monument is at last declared to be safe, and it is said that the great work will now go on to completion.

The ship New World, on board which a man was killed during a mutiny off the Nore, England, last week, started on Sunday from Gravesend for New York, but put back next day, the captain being unable to manage his still mutinous crew.

It is announced that sixty different kinds of animal life are to be found in the water which the Bostonians are compelled to drink, if they drink any, and yet we hear it advocated even in Boston, that water is a healthful beverage.

It is rumored that the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad company intends stopping work in all its shops at Reading, Pa., for a year. More than 3,000 workmen are employed in these shops, with a pay roll of over $75,000 per month.

Hon. Richard C. McCormick was confirmed as Assistant Secretary of the Treasury by the Senate on Tuesday.

Gen. LeDuc, the commissioner of agriculture, estimates that this country could save $60,000,000 a year by producing all the sugar it consumes, and thinks there is no good reason why this may not be brought about.

Political.

Bishop, the democratic candidate for Governor of Ohio, had 21,886 plurality over West, the republican candidate. Bishop's minority on the total vote was 12,429. "Go to thunder with your old ark; it's only a shower, anyhow."

Mr. Cox, with perhaps pardonable petulance, is speaking of Mr. Hayes as "Governor" Hayes. This is certainly not very witty; it is certainly not likely to be very effective; and if it were, Mr. Hayes might plead as an offset the fact that when, on the 14th of last March, Mr. Cox wrote him to ask the appointment of Mr. Geoege H. Butler as Post Office Agent to the Black Hills, Mr. Cox addressed Mr. Hayes as "Mr. President," and directed his letter "To the Hon. R. B. Hayes, President United States."—*N. Y. World.*

The Council Bluffs (Iowa) *Nonpareil* asks: "Wouldn't it have been better if the democratic House of Congress had appointed one of its officers from the republican party, just to show that the North had been forgiven for the part it took in the late unpleasantness?"

President Hayes, it is reported from Washington, has decided to appoint as United States Marshal for Georgia a Mr. Fitzsimmons, who is a nephew of Wade Hampton. And yet we are told that political influence is of no account with this reform administration.

The Boston papers are on the track of what seems to be a bit of Tweedism in the Boston city government, in the shape of the "raising" of bills against the city. If this should turn out to be so it would be awful, as Boston's city government is of the genuine democratic reform brand.

—The Vienna newspapers are very enterprising. During the present war the Neue Tagblatt has recorded nineteen battles which have never been fought. Extra blatt seventeen, the Forstadt Zeitung nine; five in the Morgen Post, three in the Neue Presse, and so on. In the latter paper the Russians have been made to lose 396,000 men, and the Shipka Pass has been evacuated seven times. The other journals are not far behind in the matter of slaughter, and altogether the war correspondents of the Austrian press are not wanting in energy, if their accuracy is not all that might be desired.

—A young man named Frank Frey, who had been "taking a drop too much," entered the laundry of the National hotel at York, Pa., Saturday night, and shot a young girl employed there, named Graybill, in the breast; then shot a woman named Reilly in the breast also; then leaving that place he fired at a man named Nelly, but the ball struck a buckle on his suspender and glanced off. Meeting Thomas Craig (colored,) Frey shot him in the breast, and, running across the street, he fired at Joseph Erney, the ball merely grazing his body. Entering a cigar store he fired one shot, but without injury to any one, when he was seized by a man named Sponsler, and in the struggle which ensued was himself shot in the hand. None of the victims are dangerously hurt.

—Within a few miles of the fortunate town of Evansville, Ind., are a three-legged dog, a pet hog with no eyes, a man who is about to marry his daughter-in-law's sister, two other men who have wedded each other's daughters, a young man who has espoused the mother of his deceased wife, and several variations of the Enoch Arden type.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	103
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¾
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107¼
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104¼
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	103½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 8½	56½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60¼
Boston & Maine	94¼
Boston & Providence	120½
Boston & Albany	123¼
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Concord Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	64½
Northern N. H.	65¼
Old Colony & Newport	32¼
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	8½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 29 @ 33c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 22c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 2.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., Ist. Cuba 56 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Hr. 9¼ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 75.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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At extremely low prices. Wash-Boilers, copper-bottomed, $1.75. Coal-hods, galvanized iron, 75 cts. to $1.00. Large three-hooped Wash-tubs, 75 cts. Custom made 10 quart Milk-pans, with feet, 25 cents; 6-qt. do, 22 cts. Chamber-sets, $15, $20, up to $30.

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THAT Major Generals P. T. Beauregard of La. and Jubal A. Early of Va. should manage the distribution of prizes of the Louisiana State Lottery at its grand semi-annual drawing on December 11th, is a fair guarantee to the people of the United States that the transaction will be a high-toned honorable lottery. Capital $1,000,000, with accumulated surplus of over $350,000. Address M. A. Dauphin, President, P. O. Box 692, New Orleans, La., for information or tickets.

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To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod&tOcsept15 '78

Proposals for White Oak Knees

FOR BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR—Requisition No. 28.

NAVY YARD, KITTERY, ME., October 22d, 1877.

Proposals in *duplicate*, sealed and endorsed on the envelope, "Bid for supplies advertised," will be received at the Paymaster's Office until 12½ o'clock, Saturday, November 10th, for the following supplies of the best quality to be delivered free of expense at the Navy Yard, Kittery, Maine, subject to the usual inspection, viz.:

242 White Oak Knees to side 7 inches, length of arm 4 ft. to 4 ft. 8 in., length of body 5 ft. 4 in. to 5ft. 10 in.

220 White Oak Knees to side 8 inches, length of arm 4 ft. 5 in. to 4 ft. 8 in., length of body 6 ft. to 6 ft. 6 in.

74 White Oak Knees to side 9 inches, length of arm 4 ft. 9 in. to 5 ft., length of body 6 ft. 6 in. to 7 feet.

The above Knees to be Square and Inasquare; no Outsquare Knees will be received.

Bids will be referred to the Bureau of Construction and Repair before any award is made, and the right is reserved to reject any or all bids.

EDWIN PUTNAM,
o24-27 n6-3 Paymaster U. S. Navy.

Foreclosure of Mortgage.

BE it known that on the fifth day of October, 1877, I peaceably entered upon and took possession of a tract land with the buildings thereon situated in Derry, in the County of Rockingham, State of New Hampshire, containing about 70 acres, as follows: North by Chester town line, east by the highway leading from Derry to Chester, south by land of Edmund Adams, west by the Cogley farm. Conveyed to me in mortgage by Harrison G. O. Hawkes, to Pearley C. Ingalls, and assigned to me by said Pearley C. Ingalls, recorded in Rockingham County register, December 23, 1857, Lib. 375, Fol. 27. Assignment recorded Jan. 5, 1858, Lib. 379, Fol. 36, for conditions broken and for the purpose of foreclosing the right in equity of said grantor to redeem the same and at the declared time publicly declare the purpose and object of said entry and possession.

EDMUND ADAMS.
Derry, October 15, 1877. 6nov12

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PROPOSALS FOR WOOD.

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the Overseers of the Poor of the City of Portsmouth, until Tuesday, October 30, 1877, at 7 o'clock P. M., for One Hundred Cords First Quality HARD WOOD, to be delivered at either of the railroad stations in this city, or at the Court House yard. The right to reject any bid is reserved.

M. BUFFORD, Secretary.
October 17, 1877.

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HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET. Apply at 5 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

TO a small family, THREE CHAMBERS in a Brick House, No. 34 Court Street. Enquire at the house.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant streets. Apply to March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

BRICK HOUSE No. 34 State St. It is a fine residence for one family; or will be let for two families, for which it is well adapted. The furniture can be had if wanted. Apply at the house. W. J. LAIGHTON.

To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street. For particulars apply to WM. P. WALKER, No. 2 Market Square, or HENRY A. TEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market Street.

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HOUSE of ten rooms, No. 2 Melcher St., near Pleasant St.; water in house; rent very low to a good tenant,—or will rent to two tenants, with six or four rooms. Apply at No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

Lots of Land for Sale.

THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq. Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

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A LOT OF FORTY ACRES, more or less, of Pasturage and Woodland, situated in Newington, being a portion of the homestead farm of the late John Fabyan. This lot is mostly covered with a heavy growth of PINE and OAK, the latter suitable for ship timber. It is also well watered, and affords an abundance of feed in the dryest seasons; some portions are suitable for tillage. For further information apply to

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Newington, N. H. August 8th.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

		A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8	10:45	5	*6:30
Boston Way,		10:45	6	
Portland,		9:45	4:35	6:30
East (beyond Portland),		9:45		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9:45	4:55	
Great Falls,		9:45	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9:45		
Concord and North,		7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,			4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.		7:40	4:55	
Dover,		7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:03	10:10	5:50
Boston Way,		10:10	5:50
Portland and East,		11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11:20	
Concord and North,		10:20	6:30
Dover,		10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Mr. John Dixon has resigned the position of treasurer of the Portsmouth Brewing Company, on account of ill health; and the vacancy has been filled by Mr. Patrick McGlinchy, of Portland, Me.

On Monday night the fishing schooner Lone Star, lying at Tredick's wharf filled with water and sank. She was run into by the steamer Mystic on Monday morning, and her sinking is supposed to have been caused by injuries received at that time.

The Portsmouth Grange Hall Show of fruits, grains, vegetables, flowers, fancy work, household manufactures, etc., opens this afternoon at Grange Hall and continues through to-morrow. Articles for exhibition will be sent in this forenoon, and *all persons* are invited to contribute. Admission fifteen cents. See advertisement.

The juvenile temperance workers of the Band of Hope will give an entertainment this (Wednesday) evening in Mechanics' Hall, an interesting programme having been arranged for the occasion. All friends of the cause are urged to help it along by patronizing this entertainment. Tickets for sale at the door; doors open at 7:15; performance to commence at 7:45.

The rigger's gang under Mr. Wm. Pinkham were at work all Tuesday night on the brig Clara J. Adams. Operations will be continued until the vessel is so nearly tight that the steam pumps can keep her free of water, when her coal will be discharged. We are informed, we know not how correctly, that the marine railway at Kittery is having its capacity increased so as to take the brig out of water.

Rev. J. E. Wolfe, of Newburyport, editor of that famous "temperance firebrand," the "Word of Truth," will lecture on Temperance in the Methodist church on Sunday evening next at 7:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the Portsmouth Reform Club. The Club at first proposed to secure Franklin Hall for Mr. Wolfe's lecture, but the friends of St. Mary's church had already engaged it for a grand concert of sacred music on Sunday evening.

A lad named William Falvey was run away with down Congress street, Tuesday forenoon, by Mr. Alfred Larkins horse, but stuck to the saddle until the horse tried to jump over S. S. Frye & Son's store wagon, at the corner of Congress and Fleet streets, an attempt which resulted in horse and boy rolling in the gutter together, the latter striking the curbstone hard enough to split the end of his nose and blacken one of his eyes. The horse was unhurt.

On Thursday evening, 25th inst., M. W. John J. Bell, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire, F. & A. M., will institute Winnicut Lodge of Greenland, and there will be a public installation of officers at the Methodist church, as follows: Herbert C. Taft, W. M.; Edgar Taft, S. W.; William O. Junkins, J. W. After the public installation the brethren will adjourn to the lodge, where a collation will be provided. A special train for the accommodation of the Masonic brethren (and any others who may desire to attend) of this city will leave the Concord Railroad station at ten minutes before seven o'clock in the evening.

The workmen who for years had eight hours counted to them as a day's work on the navy yard under an act of Congress, but for some months past have had to work ten hours a day, under an order of Secretary Thompson, will not be displeased to learn that Sunset Cox, of New York, has introduced in the National House of Representatives a resolution directing the Secretary of the Navy to "inform the House whether the eight-hour law has been complied with at the navy yards of the United States." Mr. Cox is doing a proper thing in bringing this question before Congress; if the eight-hour law is an improper or foolish one, the proper agency to remedy the evil is Congress; and the Secretary of the Navy, in arrogating to himself, a mere executive officer, a power superior to that of the National Legislature, assumes more than Congress or the people are willing to grant.

SUPREME COURT--SECOND WEEK.

Tuesday, Oct. 23d.

The jury in case of State vs. Sweetser, returned a verdict of guilty of a simple assault. Sentence, fine of $10, and to pay cost of prosecution.

A hearing was had in the forenoon in case of the Portsmouth Trust & Guarantee Company vs. the City of Portsmouth, for abatement of tax upon capital stock alleged to have been illegally assessed, on the ground that the tax should have been assessed to the stockholders and not to the corporation, and also that the company paid tax on their real estate to nearly the amount of their capital stock. W. H. Y. Hackett for the Trust Co.; A. R. Hatch for the City.

State vs. Henry Adams; indicted for cruelty to a horse owned by Oliver B. Philbrick, of Rye. Benj. J. Sanborn was appointed foreman of the jury. The offence charged was overdriving the horse from Mr. Philbrick's house to Portsmouth, and also beating and otherwise ill-using the animal. The case, after being heard at some length, was taken from the jury and *nolle prosequi* entered. Small for State; Harriman for defendant.

Andrew J. Roberts was next tried. Respondent was charged with stealing a horse from Mr. Joseph Richardson of Raymond. He hired the horse to go to South Deerfield, but instead of going there, went to Haverhill, Mass., where he sold the animal. Verdict, guilty; sentenced to four years in the State prison. As to the indictment for stealing the wagon and harness, Roberts retracted his plea of not guilty and entered a plea of *nolo contendere*, and the case was marked not to be brought forward. Small for State; Hatch for Roberts.

Chas. R. Skillings was sentenced to confinement in the State prison for fourteen months, having been convicted of adultery at Kingston.

The case of Trust Co. vs. City of Portsmouth was argued by Mr. Hatch for the City and W. H. Y. Hackett for the Company.

Absalom Haselton, of Windham, indicted for obstructing a highway, moved to have his case continued, and presented an affadavit by his counsel showing that he had not had time to prepare for trial since his knowledge of the indictment. The case was ordered to be continued; defendant ordered to recognize in $200. Hatch for respondent.

The Court in the afternoon at four o'clock adjourned, and comes in this morning at half-past ten, when the trial of Hankins will begin—a trial for manslaughter.

OVERSEERS' MEETING.

At the regular meeting, Tuesday evening, no business of importance was done, the legal gentlemen to whom was referred the question in dispute between the Mayor and the rest of the Board not being ready to report.

The report of Mr. Shannon, keeper of the Almshouse, for the week ending Oct. 23d, was submitted, as follows: paupers twenty, convict two, boarders eight, male help two, female help two, Superintendent's family three; total, thirty-seven.

[Communicated.]

THE POOR OVERSEERS.

Mr. Editor: As there has been some controversy through your columns in regard to the Board of Overseers and their mode of doing business, I deem it my duty as a member of the Board to give the tax-payers, who are the parties interested, still further light on the subject. At the regular meeting of the Board on the 18th of September, the Mayor presented to the Board a communication, the substance of which was that all provisions and supplies to be used for the benefit of the poor of the city should hereafter be purchased by some *one*, carried to the Almshouse, and be distributed to the poor through the Keeper of the Almshouse. The Board of Overseers asked for a week to consider the proposition. At the next meeting of the Board, the matter being again presented, a motion was made to further postpone the subject in order to give the Board time to obtain legal advice as to the laws by which the Board should be governed, which motion the Chairman ex-officio did not see fit to put to the Board, but presented instead a written opinion from City Solicitor William H. Hackett, sustaining him in his views as to the mode of furnishing provisions and supplies, and also his individual right to purchase such provisions and supplies. He also hastened to notify the Board that after a specified time he should not approve any of their bills, etc. The Board demurred against any such assumption on the part of their chairman, and obtained legal advice from as good authority as they could find, fully sustaining them in their views as to the proper and lawful course to be pursued, all of which has been submitted to the public through your columns. Now, as to the way in which the poor receive assistance through the Board of Overseers: There is an appropriation made every year—which on an average does not exceed seven thousand dollars—for the benefit of the poor of the city. This includes wood, coal, provisions and supplies for the Almshouse and its inmates, and for the poor of the city in general outside of the Almshouse, of which there is a large majority. Now this enormous sum of money is disbursed indirectly by the Board of Overseers; all applications for help come before the Board at their regular meetings, and are acted upon individually. If any doubts arise as to the need of assistance, the matter is referred to a committee or to the overseer in whose ward the applicant resides, with power to grant the request if found to be a worthy subject. If the Board votes one dollar's worth of supplies per week to Mr. or Mrs. A—, then the overseer in whose ward such person resides furnishes the supplies; it is not material to the tax-payer whether that overseer is a provision dealer, a grocery dealer or a lumber dealer, as long as prices and quality of goods sold are at market quotations. Under the present system the poor (whom we always have among us and whose appeals for charity should be heard and acted upon in a manner consistent with an intelligent community,) make their wants known to the city through the respective overseers of the different wards; it is for the voters of the different wards to say whether they shall have grocery dealers, provision dealers or any other dealers to be elected to the office. When elected to the office myself I was (as now) in the retail grocery business, and presume every voter who cast a ballot for me was aware of that fact; and I did not deem it my duty to relinquish my business for the small sum of fifty dollars per year, which is an overseer's salary, although the *honor* of holding office with a small salary is probably in most cases the reason why they are so much sought after. I am, "one of them," C. H. J.

Obituary.

David H. Rand, Esq., whose death at Oakland, California, is recorded in the usual place, was formerly a resident of this city, having learned the carpenter's trade here with Mr. Abraham Staples. Mr. Rand was one of the Californian pioneers, having left New Hampshire in company with a younger brother for the then almost unknown Eldorado in January, 1849, where he has remained for the past twenty-eight years. The Oakland *Tribune* of Oct. 12th has an extended notice of his death, from which we take the following:

"David Harriman Rand, Chief of the Oakland Police Force, died this afternoon at one o'clock from congestion of the liver, from which he has been suffering for only about one week. Chief Rand was born in New Hampshire, and had he lived until the 20th day of this month would have been fifty-seven years of age. He came to California in the year 1849, reaching San Francisco on the first day of August. He lived in San Francisco until eight years ago, when he removed to Oakland, and has filled a prominent position on the police force in this city since that time. He served sixteen years in the San Francisco Police Department, part of the time as an officer, part as a detective, and afterwards as a captain. He was appointed Chief of Police in this city three years ago, and creditably filled that position up to the hour of his death. He leaves a wife and five children. His eldest child is a girl thirteen years of age; the youngest is a boy of eleven months. A brother of deceased is also a resident of this city, and a member of the police force. Chief Rand was a Mason, being a member of Oakland Lodge, No. 188, F. and A. M. Captain Rand was a man of quiet speech, and his subordinates grew to love and honor his gentle ways and obliging, courteous manner."

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DEATHS.

ROGERS. In this city, Oct. 21st, Mr. Thomas Charles Rogers, aged 43 years, son of the late Capt. Shubell G. Rogers of Eliot, Me.

RAND. In Oakland, California, Oct. 12th, David H. Rand, Esq., aged 56 years, a native of Epsom, N. H., and brother of Mr. Alexander L. Rand of this city.

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Sch Telegraph, Gott, for this port from New York, arr at Edgartown, Oct 18.

Sch Loella, Amoe, from this port, arr at Bangor Oct 19.

Schs Mystery, Call, for Bingham, and Mary Willey, Williams, for this port, cld from Bangor Oct 19.

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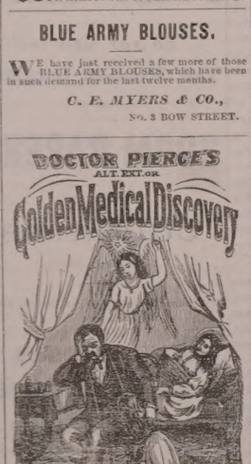

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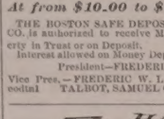

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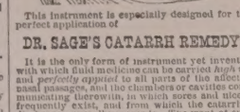

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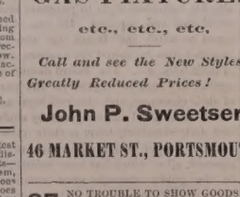

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BOSTON, January 1, 1877. 3tawtjan1 78

Daily Chronicle.

THE RACE OF FASHION.

Few scenes there are in every day life more strangely absurd than the not uncommon one of two families, whose means are far from limitless, striving to out-do each other in the race of fashion. No better parallel can be imagined than that of rival steamers, each in turn getting a little ahead of the other, and both all the while in danger of explosion.

In one of the uptown streets of New York, not many years since, upon the door-plate of a brown stone mansion, could be seen the name, in graceful script letters, of "J. Alliston." The occupant had left his native village, at the age of sixteen, to seek employment as a clerk in the city, and meeting with success from his intelligent replies when questioned, and simple honesty of manner, so well fulfilled his duties, his employer, besides liberally advancing his salary from year to year, on his reaching the age of two-and-twenty, admitted him to an interest in his business as a partner with no other capital than what he had laid by from his salary as a clerk. Everybody said that James Allston was exceedingly fortunate in finding himself at so early an age, and with no outside aid from friends in a pecuniary way, in a position others might not have won from a faithful service of a score of years. After two years of prosperity, such as the house had rarely known, the new partner felt himself in a position to take as a wife one with whom he had been long acquainted, and who with him, had been content to wait for a propitious season ere joining their fortunes for good or ill. The first year of their wedded life was spent at a popular boarding-house, of the higher class, whose inmates, like themselves, were mainly young married people, and then, after the birth of a daughter, they entered upon housekeeping in a modest way, and in a portion of the city, that, though far down town, was then regarded as one of the most desirable of neighborhoods. Those were to them very happy days, especially when little Imogen had reached an age to lisp forth her first words and make music upon the floor with her tiny feet. One of the best of housekeepers was Eleanor, receiving from her mother as she had done an early training in domestic duties after the strictest manner of the New England school; nor was she afraid, while directing all, to perform, with her own fair hands, no small share of the lighter labor of her household. Very proud was the husband of his beautiful wife, for such she was both in form and feature, and never was such a feeling more awakened than when he saw how fair she was above most others amid the social gatherings they attended, or when they returned such courtesies beneath their own roof. With the best of health, and many blessings not less to be valued from the hand of an ever kind Providence, time flew almost unheeded by until Imogen had reached her twelfth summer, and a fairer flower than herself, inheriting as she did the good looks of both her parents, was not often seen.

When James Allston had been a dozen years a merchant, the senior partner, content with the fortune he had accumulated, retired from the firm, leaving to him its long established and prosperous business. About the same period, uptown emigration had got well under way, and with their increased means the desire was felt by both husband and wife to follow many of their friends who had preceded them to the new and more fashionable section of the fast-growing city; nor was it long before they did so, leaving their old home, where they had known so many happy days, in the hands of a tenant whose business was in the neighborhood. For a very few years their new location, with pleasant neighbors around them, was all that could be desired, and then, from the rapid building up of that section of the city, its quietness gone, it became a common thoroughfare for the conveyance of the materials used for the purpose, as well as the carting away of the earth in excavating the cellars. The plain but comfortable brick residences, that at first satisfied up-town emigrants, had been followed farther onward by those having ornamental brown stone fronts, and then, as others were doing, the Allstons took up their line of march for the new quarter, where a class of mansions were making their appearance, such as had never before been seen on the island of Manhattan; each added block having something of elegance beyond its predecessors. The higher class of dwellings, as a matter of course, required corresponding furnishing and adornment to a degree that made the Allstons aware, when all was completed, that the fitting up of the parlors alone involved an outlay beyond that of the entire furnishing of either of their former homes. All, however, was so elegant and tasteful around them, and as they could well afford it, the conclusion was reached that the money had been well expended. They scarcely knew the names even of any of their neighbors, but when the new year's festival came, two months after entering their new home, the gentlemen called, and leaving their cards, requested a return of the courtesy on the part of the head of the household, which was complied with, and during the week Eleanor received a call from the ladies in response to an invitation from her husband to do so. This opened an acquaintance between them, and very soon they were asked to the social gatherings, and giving others in return, that attend winter life in all great cities. Then followed in company with their newly acquired friends, frequent visits to the opera, the theatre, and such like resorts, until they found themselves in a whirl of what they would once have regarded as nothing short of dissipation; for it chanced that they had fallen into a circle of the votaries of fashion that in their devotion to the fickle goddess might not have been surpassed in all the city.

Amid such scenes of excitement the winter passed away, followed by the bright days of springs, and then came the season for summer travel. The Allstons had been wont to enjoy at such a time a brief season of recreation at some out-of-town retreat, but now, to do as did their associates, it became necessary for them to make a lengthened sojourn at one or more of the midsummer resorts of the gaiety and fashion of the cities, and consequently rooms were engaged for them at Saratoga and Newport, where the weeks flew by amid the ever varying life of those world-famed gathering places of summer pleasure-seekers.

Four years of existence as artificial as it would once have been distasteful when compared with their former quiet life, passed on to James and Eleanor Allston; Imogene in the meantime having changed from a child to a beautiful girl on the eve of womanhood; and it may be added, gentle and good as she was fair and intelligent. It was what they had not sought, nor would have chosen, yet it had fascinations they could not wholly resist after being drawn inadvertently within its giddy vortex. There was something very attractive, they could not but feel, in the crowded assemblages of the young and gay, the brilliant and the beautiful, in which they mingled. The dance, the music, the varied enjoyments of the passing hour, trifles though they often were, the richness and taste of attire and ornament, the flash of diamonds beneath the glare of gaslight; scenes of dazzling splendor reflected in mirrors whichever way the eye might turn; the perfumed atmosphere, the gorgeous adornment, the rich furnishing and silken drapery of the homes, including their own, surpassed by none, in which these scenes were enacted,—all had their power to charm that few could have failed to appreciate or have turned from with indifference.

On a bright day in the spring-time, a relative of her mother came from his place of residence in the country to pass a week with Eleanor—one of those good men who "regulate their lives here by their hopes in the life hereafter"—and when he had looked upon the elegance of all around him, and with no unappreciative eye scanned the gems of art that adorned the walls, he said "You have a beautiful home, Eleanor, and very much to enjoy, but you must not forget there is 'a house not made with hands,' whose splendor far surpasses this. A reverse of fortune may take from you the one, but the other can never pass away, eternal as it is, like Him who has such a gift to bestow upon all his children."

It is but justice to say that both Eleanor and her husband had long been aware how little of true enjoyment and less of permanent good, had come to them from the life they had been living since entering their home in the fashionable quarter. While none could be more popular than they with the gay throng who had been their associates, they might truly be said to have "sounded to the last echo the hollowness of the fashionable world," and longed for the quiet and repose of their earlier married years, and the society once more of such another little circle of friends as those they remembered so well from the happy intercourse that had passed between them. To one of the twain, another theme for reflection came; as he thought of the amount expended on so costly a style of living, when a friend told him one day of the sum he had been able to invest, within the same period, from the profits of his business, in a way that was sure to bring liberal and prompt returns.

The winter that had just passed away at the period when such thoughts came to

the Allstons, had been a season in the business world of great depression; and from their being of the class who always live quite up to, if not beyond their annual income, in no slight degree did it affect some of their neighbors, who were the most devoted of fashion's votaries; but so far as making any effort to live in accordance with their depreciated means, they seemed endeavoring to make it appear that their resources were quite inexhaustible. A rivalry between two households, that had been visible from the time of their first appearing in the neighborhood, was more than ever apparent in efforts to outdo each other in the race of folly, and could not but be a source of amusement to others wiser in the use of the financial incomings that remained to them. If a new dress of the latest variety of material and style of construction was seen to issue from the door of one of the rivals, another, in some point surpassing it, was sure to make its appearance immediately thereafter from that of the other; if an entertainment was given by one, another that involved a greater expenditure inevitably succeeded it. A day of reckoning came at length to both, and an auctioneer's flag at their several doors, accompanied by a sheriff's advertisment announcing a sale of the goods and chattels contained within, told a tale as direful as that of the Kilkenny cats, of whom, as everybody known, nothing was found after their contest for mastery but the tips of their tails.

Fully satisfied with what they had seen and shared in of an existence that had in its elements very much more of want of heart than sincerity, and very little for pleasant retrospect in after years, the Alistons exchanged their brown stone mansion for a semi-rural retreat, but a few miles from the city, that overlooked the Hudson, and very thankful were they, when settled in their new home, that they had not been wrecked, like others, on the rocks of fashion, and landed on the barren shore of bankruptcy.

JOHN H. BOWLES.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1877.

News and Notes.

Billy Pastor, the well known minstrel, and brother of Tony Pastor, died on Tuesday night in New York.

Sitting Bull has been interviewed by Generals Terry and Lawrence, the U. S. Commissioners, and announces his intention to stay in the British dominions. Let him stay.

Butterworth, the North Andover, Mass., wife murderer, has been convicted of manslaughter.

A Connecticut paper says the Supreme Court has decided in a case where a woman burned her house to get the insurance that nobody can be convicted of arson in burning his own property, nor can a woman who burns her house, arson being described as "malicious and voluntary burning of the house of another by night or by day."

The large boa-constrictor in the New York aquarium gave birth to fifty small boas on Saturday night—an occurrence without precedence in this country. The family is kept in a large glass box. The mother is thirteen feet and her young about two feet in length.

Fredericton, N. B., had a great fire Tuesday night, caused by an incendiary.

Havana advices say a Spanish column, near Holguin, captured the President of the Cuban Republic, Thomas Estrada, and the Secretary of the Cuban Chambers. The *Official Gazette* of Havana prints a decree that rebels submitting to the authorities within four months will have their confiscated property returned to them.

On Tuesday morning, the 24th, George W. Sherwood, alias Hiram Sherwood, was released from the East Cambridge, Mass., House of Correction, where he has been serving out a seven months' sentence for theft. He was immediately re-arrested for highway robbery with violence, he and Albert F. Joy, the Rockport murderer, having on the 3d of February last knocked down Mr. Frank Vickery, a Lowell music teacher, while on his way home late at night, and robbed him of his overcoat, which was afterward found in possession of one Butterworth.

Mary E. Bottomly, twelve years old, a step-daughter of Mr. Joseph Crowfoot of Worcester, Mass., ran away from home on Monday in a suit of boy's clothes, which she bought last week for $10, taking with her a considerable sum of money belonging to Mr. Crowfoot. The cause of her flight is said to be a dislike to attending school, from which she had been absent for a year.

Miss Jane Schofield, daughter of Mr. James Schofield of Woodstock, Ontario, jumped into the Niagara river recently and was carried over the falls. She was in ill health.

The town of Monson, Mass., is considerably stirred up by the indignity inflicted upon Moses Smith, a peaceable, inoffensive citizen living in the west part of the town, a few nights ago, when six men took him from his bed, entirely naked but for a shirt, and gave him a coating of lampblack and grease. The perpetrators are known.

John W. Warren, a wealthy young man of Newton Highlands, Mass., is charged with setting fire to his house Sunday morning, with the intention of killing his sick wife. He poured kerosene over the floor and set fire to it, but became frightened and put it out when his wife screamed, and probably his purpose was only to frighten her into obeying him.

After 300 years of absence, shoals of herring appeared this year on the coast of Denmark. The fish was for many centuries the chief source of revenue of the country, and the Danes naturally hope that it may not soon again disappear, as it did suddenly one autumn over 300 years ago.

New Hampshire Items.

The Dover *Democrat* gives the following account of an odd accident in that city: "A couple of ladies from Rollinsford were driving along with horse and buggy belonging to Hon. E. H. Rollins, when they encountered a team loaded with wood. They were driving very slow and the wood team was going slower still. But they collided and the buggy took out the rear wheels and axle of the wood-wagon in a twinkling, upset the load and carried the driver down under it. The Rollins horse became frightened and started off upon the run and again collided with a lamp-post, where he left the carriage in a broken condition and went off for home at the top of his speed. The buggy was not upset and the ladies remained uninjured. The man under the load of wood was bruised a little but not much hurt."

William Sullivan of Deerfield broke his arm Oct. 14th while wrestling.

A Lynn firm is to start a shoe factory in Northwood, to employ from 150 to 200 hands.

The Selectmen of Londonderry refuse to allow their Town Hall to be used for a dancing school.

The freight trains through Concord are the heaviest known for years, and are considered a sure indication of reviving business.

E. A. Gleason, merchant at Cornish Flat, has failed. His liabilities are reported to be $10,000, and assets $1000. It is reported that the town will lose several hundred dollars through him as Town Treasurer.

Mr. John Emery of New Hampton has lettuce, pepergrass and dandelions growing in his garden as fresh as in their season, which the family use every day. He has also raised fifty-six pounds of potatoes from only two single tubers planted.

The woman who promises to build a handsome Episcopal Church at Nashua when the Society shall have secured the land, is a Mrs. Rand of Middletown, instead of the widow of Senator Atherton. The Society have bought a $6000 lot, and have thus far raised $4000.

The case of the town of Franklin vs. the Lowell Lumber Company, for damage done a covered bridge by a jam of logs in 1872, recently considered at the United States Court at Manchester, has been referred for settlement. The action was carried into the Court late in the year 1872, after several attempts at adjustment.

On Monday, Oct. 15th, a son of Davis Percival, about ten years old, while left for a few minutes in charge of his father's grist mill at Campton, with another boy about his age, had his coat sleeve caught by an upright shaft so that his arm was drawn tightly around the shaft, and was broken between the wrist and elbow. He at once called to the other boy to knock out the prop and shut down the gate, which was done, when the little fellow readily released himself and started for home with his arm dangling.

On the night of Oct. 17th a large wild-cat entered the house of Mr. Henry A. Drew, of Strafford, and attacked Mr. Drew, who was in bed at the time. Escaping from the room Mr. Drew procured a light and a stick of wood, went back and attacked the cat, and after smashing the stick to pieces used up a chair, finally—with the help of his dog, which took an active part in the fray all through—killing the wild-cat, which was a very large one. The cat entered through a hole where a side-light had been broken out at the front door. Mr. Drew had the light reset next day.

Edward Rogers, an employe in Strong & Burt's shoe factory at Dover, was badly and it is feared fatally injured on the 23d inst. by having his head jammed between the elevator and a floor of the factory.

Political.

On Tuesday, Oct. 23d, Congress adjourned to Thursday, so that the grave and reverend legislators could attend the Baltimore horse races. Then the Baltimorians adjourned the races; mighty mean.

The Democratic County Convention of Kings county, New York, adopted resolutions advocating "the impeachment and removal of Rutherford B. Hayes should he continue to prohibit officeholders from the exercise of their rights of citizenship."

A genuine Chinaman, giving the name of Emanuel Thompson, was naturalized in the Court of Common Pleas in New York on Tuesday. He emphatically renounced allegiance to any foreign prince or potentate, and especially to the ruler of the Celestial Empire.

Fifteen States have yet to hold elections this fall: Louisiana, Massachusetts, Minnesota, Mississippi, Nebraska, Nevada, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia and Wisconsin vote on the 6th of November, and Georgia on the 5th of December. In addition, Illinois elects county officers on Nov. 6th.

A New Street Light.

A new light that promises, in a large measure, to supersede gas in the street, has of late been successfully applied in several places in Germany and France. Sticks of charcoal, surmounted by an insulating matter which slowly melts away, are consumed by electricity. With two of these electric candles it is claimed that a light equal to that of one hundred gas jets may be thrown on a street. The cost is about half that of gas, and the light is of the best quality. It has also the recommendation that there is no danger whatever of fire from the electric candles. The new light has been introduced in forty large establishments in France, and is destined, many believe, to be soon the only light that will be used in large rooms, public places and manufactories. Outdoor work can be carried on by night as well as by day by means of the new light, since it has almost a sun-like clearness and intensity. A German paper speaking of the invention, says: "We are evidently on the eve of as great a revolution in lightning as when gas superseded oil-lamps and tallow candles."

—The Leipsic police are making war on ladies' trains in the street. Notice has been given through the newspapers that any person whose dress is found trailing on the sidewalk will be fined.

—An Aleppo girl, who has more than one lover, subjects her suitors to a trying ordeal for her hand. Taking three bits of live coal from the fire, she lays one in each of her lover's hands. The one who holds out the longest wins the girl for his bride.

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Fitchburg	105
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—A Mrs. Clinton, fifty years old, died at Fall River the other day from excess of joy in meeting her daughter, whom she had come from England to see. Her last words were, "Oh, I have so longed to see you for the last time"—saying which she fell to the ground and expired.

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Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
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E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

U. S. S. Speedwell arrived in this harbor Wednesday evening from the British Provinces, where she has been during the summer in the service of the Fish Commission.

The old schooner Ceres, sunk at Portsmouth Bridge a year ago, and afterward purchased, raised and taken to Boston by the Boston Wrecking Company, has been repaired as much as she is worth, and will be used as a wrecking schooner—about all she is fit for.

The directors of the Mercantile Library Association have voted a liberal sum for the purchase of new books. They are also making arrangements for a series of free public debates during the coming winter months at their hall on Congress street. A meeting of the Association is to be held on Monday evening next, to complete the details for a series of interesting meetings.

The Portsmouth Grange Hall Show opened Wednesday afternoon with an excellent exhibition of fruits, grains, vegetables, flowers, fancy work, household manufactures, etc. The hall will be opened to-day and this evening. Admission fifteen cents. The show of plants is far ahead of what was at the State Fair, and the whole exhibition is a most gratifying and unlooked-for success.

We supposed the strawberry season to be about over, but in the window of Mr. H. C. Locke, on Market street, may be seen a cluster of fine ripe strawberries grown out-of-doors in the garden of Mr. George A. Jackson, No. 1 Dearborn street, on Christian Shore. There are others in the same bed in process of ripening, and yet the fruit is of the delicate kind that naturally matures in July. It is evidently a freak of Nature.

A Washington correspondent, writing of the opening of Congress, says: "In the drawing of seats, about the first act of the session, New Hampshire drew a low number, which means in this instance to score high. Hon. Frank Jones drew No. 12, the seat occupied last year, according to Major Poore's directory, by Hon. S. B. Chittenden. This gives Mr. Jones a front seat in the synogogue, which is good, seeing that he is one of the active men of the house, of commanding presence, and burdened with the responsibility of representing the entire democracy of New Hampshire in the national council."

The contract for getting the brig Clara J. Adams off the beacon ledge was taken by Mr. McFadden of Portland and Mr. Nathan Whalley of this city, on the same terms as the previous contract. On Wednesday, the vessel having been well raised aft, Mr. Whalley went down in the submarine armor to examine her bottom—his first essay as a diver. He remained under water about half an hour, and experienced no particular inconvenience, coming up perfectly fresh and without showing any signs of exhaustion. He found the brig's keel split for about forty feet, aft, one piece hanging at right angles to the keel; in consequence of this the proposed plan of putting canvas under the brig to tighten her has been abandoned, and she will be lifted by other vessels into as shoal water as possible for the discharge of her remaining cargo.

SUPREME COURT--SECOND WEEK.

Wednesday, Oct. 24th.

Court came in at ten o'clock, and case State vs. Eldad L. Hankins, of Cedarville, N. J., for manslaughter in causing the death of William Daley, was called. Harriman and Gilman Marston for the defence.

The jury as drawn were William B. Sherburne, James R. Thing, James Winkley Hoyt, William B. Lowd, Benjamin J. Sanborn, Matthew T. Betton, Zebulon Holmes, John C. Dearborn, William H. Crowell, George A. Weare, Charles W. Kimball and Daniel G. Moulton. Charles W. Kimball was excused because he had formed an opinion, and John H. Chesley, Jr., was drawn in his place. Mr. Betton was objected to and excused, and Charles S. Dow was drawn. Mr. Moulton was objected to and excused, and Charles Osgood was drawn. John C. Dearborn was appointed foreman of the jury:

Almost the entire day was accupied in examining witnesses for the State, counsel for defence opening at a late hour. The case will probably be concluded to-dry.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Oct. 24th.

Gideon Carter, drunk, $9.90 fine and costs; Brentwood.

George Smith, brawl and tumult, fine $3, costs $8.04; Brentwood.

FOOLS AND THEIR MONEY.

On Wednesday an excellent illustration of the old and true adage, "A fool and his money are soon parted," was given on Market square. A crowd of countrymen and other persons, collected around an open carriage in which stood a young fellow with face and lungs of brass and tongue of silver, listened attentively to the harangues with which he endeavored to induce them to purchase brass "jewelry," while two or three "cappers" mingling in the crowd, assisted to get up an excitement. First a lot of silver quarters were sold at fifteen cents, dimes at five cents each, dollar bills at eighty cents, and a number of five-dollar bills at four and a half dollars each, the "cappers," one of whom was dressed as a countryman and the others as rather flash "gentlemen of leisure," purchasing; then came the jewelry. A number of cheap rings were soon disposed of, and then the fellow in the carriage handed back to the purchasers their money. Brass watch-chains at a dollar apiece came next, and as fast as two or three would be taken the purchase money would be returned—the boss swindler keeping his fluent gab going all the time, impressing upon the feeble minded hearers that this was "the way our firm—one of the wealthiest in the United States—is taking to introduce its goods; walk up gentlemen, and buy; you see you can't lose anything when you not only get the goods but get your money back!" "How does he make this pay!" was the query in the crowd, to which the "cappers" answered that *they* knew the man, and he was only an agent of a great company abundantly able to spend a few thousand dollars in advertising their wares. Then came two-dollar chains; the first purchasers of these received their money back, as before, and the rush for them was becoming livelier than ever when City Marshal Entwistle came on the scene; observing the officer's uniform the boss swindler put on his coat, announced to the silly dupes who had paid two dollars each for chains and had *not* yet received back their money, that he was going to dinner and should be back in a short time, and then drove off, taking his brother swindlers with him. Had the Marshal not driven the scoundrels off $10 watches would next have been produced; and instead of getting away with about thirty dollars, as they did, the swindlers would have bagged a hundred or two. That so transparent a swindle should deceive anybody is almost incredible, particularly as this same gang and their method of operations have been repeatedly exposed in the papers. These fellows some weeks ago managed to rake in over $175 in Dover; the Dover *Democrat* gave them the benefit of a full *expose*, the principal portion of which was copied in the CHRONICLE, and we think in the *Times*,—so it is pretty certain that the men who were duped by them on Wednesday are men who "don't take the papers." Since they were in Dover the gang have been operating down in Maine. The rings, chains, watches, etc., sold by them are made of a fine quality of brass, worth perhaps thirty-five cents a pound to melt down and make engine fittings of, so the money paid them by their dupes is not a total loss. Whether or no the law of New Hampshire takes cognizance of such swindling as these brass merchants have for months been successfully carrying on, we cannot say; but if it does not it should, for if the State cannot furnish common sense to people devoid of it, it should at least protect them as far as possible from being plundered by every set of worthless scoundrels that comes along.

THE VICINITY.

Mr. George E. Kelley, of Stratham, otherwise known as "Shadow," who tips the scale at 435 pounds, has a last spring's pig, now five months old, that will dress 475 lbs.

Mr. James Brackett, of Stratham, last year raised 130 barrels of apples; this year, from the same tree, he has *one* barrel. His apple crop this year looks terribly lonesome in his cellar.

Mr. Simeon Brackett, of Greenland Bay-side, son of John Langdon Brackett, and his bride, formerly Miss Abbie S. Barrell, of York, Me.,—both members of old and honored families,—were called upon at their home on Thursday evening by a large party of friends, the visitors announcing their presence by a genuine serenade—none of your tin-pan affairs. The visitors were most hospitably entertained, and departed at a late hour, entirely satisfied with the hearty generosity of their reception.

A surprise party, numbering about seventy persons from Kittery, Portsmouth and Greenland, called upon Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Edmonds at their residence at Greenland Depot, on Tuesday evening. The visitors took with them all that was necessary in the way of good cheer, and Mr. Joseph S. Turner was on hand with his violin; and the party enjoyed themselves so well in feasting, games and dancing that the gathering did not break up until three o'clock Wednesday morning.

FIRE.

The alarm of fire Thursday morning at about half-past twelve o'clock was occasioned by the partial burning of the old "Hart house," corner of Daniel and Penhallow streets. Officers Pray and Bessellievre gave the alarm, having followed the smoke, which was very dense in the streets, for some distance before becoming sure that there was a fire. On arriving at the house the officers burst in the doors and roused Mr. Levi Clark, (who was asleep in the upper story, and anxiously enquired where the fire was,) and then got out the furniture from the lower story. The bells were promptly rung, and the Fire Department promptly responded; and the fire was soon put out, but not until the roof and upper story of the building were ruined and the rest of it badly damaged by water. The lower story was occupied by Mr. Albert L. Badger, tin and sheet-iron shop, and Edwin Russell, saloon; Levi Clark, dwelling and barber shop, in the upper story. Mr. Badger's stock was removed, but everything on the upper floor was burned. The fire is supposed to have caught in Mr. Russell's part of the building, but was showing through the roof when the officers arrived. The building is owned by Robert F. Gerrish, Esq., of Kittery.

We are informed by Mr. Wm. Kennedy, who was in Gt. Falls Wednesday evening at a lodge meeting, that when he left there at eleven o'clock a building was on fire.

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You are hereby notified that JOSIAH S. HALEY, Executor of the will of said deceased, will present his account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of November next, at 10 o'clock A. M. for examination and allowance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Morning Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court. By order of the Judge.

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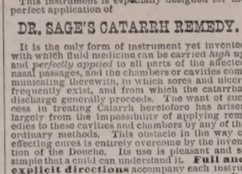

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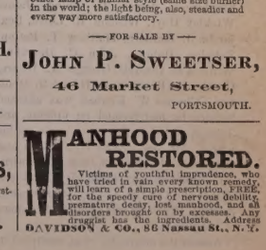

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American Trade with Toronto.

The United States Consul at Toronto says that as far as trade and commerce are concerned Ontario is the same as one of the States of the Union. He reports a large and continually increasing trade in American manufactures, their superiority in style and finish having completely obliterated old prejudices against them. At present the feelings of the people, politically and commercially, are throughly American. The Consul thinks that for the future Ontario will rely upon the United States for all her manufactures, as it would now be impossible to start any manufactories there which could hope to compete with those of the United States, and no foreign manufactures can. The imports into Ontario during the year of 1875 (the last official reports published) amounted to over $42,-000,000. Of this amount over $26,000,-000 were from the United States, against $15,000,000 from Great Britain. The exports during the same year from the forty-six ports of the province amounted to a little over $18,000,000, more than $8,000,000 less than the imports from the United States alone. The failures in all Canada during the last two years are represented as amounting to more than $50,000,000, but, on account of the American system of cash sales, it is thought that $60,000 of this total will cover American losses. A perseverance in this cash system, having all goods equal to representation, together with caution not to overstock the markets with pushing sales, and the future trade of the United States with Ontario will be both large and profitable.

—A Naugatuck (Conn.) man who vowed he would never pay for a newfangled spring bed which his wife bought in his absence for eight dollars, has finally succumbed after legal proceedings which cost him $700.

—It snows every other day in Russia during the winter, and thousands of young men join the Czar's army to fight the Turks for no other purpose than to get rid of shovelling three or four feet of snow off the front pavement three or four times a week.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107¾
Maine State 6s 1889	117¾
N. H. State 6s. 1875	104¾
N. H. State 6s 1879	102¾
N. H. State 6s 1880	103¾
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 8½	103
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60¾
Boston & Maine	93
Boston & Providence	120¼
Boston & Albany	112½
Nashua & Lowell	63
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	90
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	72¼
Michigan Central	64¾
Northern N. H.	63¼
Old Colony & Newport	95
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	5¾
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	64¼

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.	
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.	
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.	
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Stallbs', per chal $3.50.	
Eggs per dozen, 22c.	
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.	
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.	
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.	
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20	
Lard per pound, 12 cents.	
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.	
Molasses per gal., 15. Cuba 50 @ 55c; N. O. 75.	
Oats per bushels, 50 @ 55 cents.	
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.	
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.	
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.	
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c	
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.	
Sugar per ℔, Dr. 9¼ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½.	
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 50c. @ $75.	
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.	

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 26, 1877.

"Independent" Political Management.

It is to be hoped that the republicans of this State are not going to let the election go by default. Little more than two weeks of the canvass remain, and there are scarcely any signs of activity. The old managers are keeping aloof and the Custom House is attending to its own business. There was an opportunity to show that the services of the professional managers were not needed, but nobody seems to come forward to take their place. The State Committee is doing little or nothing, and the voters are left pretty much to themselves. They should not fail to do their duty as citizens, even though there are no brass bands, or torchlight, or ratification meetings to rouse their enthusiasm.

The above paragraph we clip from the Boston *Globe* of a recent date, and its tendency is to shake our confidence in the "independent" press and politicians as leaders of political campaigns. Unless our memory is very much at fault, the *Globe* is one of the papers that have most persistently relegated the "machine politician" into outer darkness, and insisted that "the people" would manage political things much better without the interference of the long-time political managers. But it appears from the *Globe's* statement that "nobody seems to come forward to take the place" of the machine workers, and the anti-machine papers fear the Massachusetts election may "go by default," as the Ohio election did. We do not anticipate so great a disaster as this, for we think the republican majority of Massachusetts is too large for even the wretched, blundering management of the independent hobby-riders to destroy; but we do expect to see so great a reduction in the republican majority that the party papers will not be able to indulge in extensive crowing. And even should the democrats carry the State, could it be greatly wondered at? We think not; it would not greatly arouse our wonder, anyway,—for no political party ever received from any National Administration more help toward carrying elections than the democratic party has received from the present republican administration. And this assertion we think susceptible of easy proof.

Every man who has ever taken an active part as manager in a political campaign knows that there is an immense amount of hard, exhausting work to be done to get out a full vote of any party, but more particularly of the republican party. It may be said that this is wrong; that all voters should go to the polls without urging, and that a full vote should be cast without any urging of voters or organization of "the machine." Possibly; but a large percentage of voters *do* not come out without urging, and *will* not either—duty or no duty. Now from the day of To-the-victors-belong-the-spoils Jackson down to the advent of the present administration, the active and efficient "workers for the party" have received the offices in the gift of the administrations elected by the party—whichever party has happened to be in power; whether this is right or wrong need not be considered in this connection—such is the unquestioned fact. The republican party having been in power in the nation for many years, a very large number of the most efficient republican workers are in office. These men were accustomed to "work for the party" before they became office-holders, and have always done so since up to the present time; but they are now prohibited from doing so any longer. We are aware that the famous order to office-holders is now interpreted to mean that said office-holders can "work for the party" *after* nominations are made; but this we regard as a contemptible quibble, utterly unworthy a reformer to make. To tell men who have all their lives worked hard in politics, "You shall not take any part in nominating candidates or building platforms, but after the nominations are made you may work as hard as you please to secure the election of candidates you may not like, nominated by men you may be opposed to on platforms you may not approve," is but adding insult to previous injury; and it is no wonder that under such circumstances "the old managers are keeping aloof," as the *Globe* says they are doing in Massachusetts. On the other hand, the democratic "old managers" are all at work; they are not in office, so the President's order does not fetter them; but they want to be in office, and they know that if their party wins they will get into office; and the sending of all the old republican leaders to the rear encourages the democratic workers to redoubled efforts, as they see now opposed to them but a disorganized, dispirited mob, with no better leaders than the impractical "independents," who have not the will—and if they had ever so much will have not the ability—to organize and carry to a successful ending a political campaign.

A New Financial Wrinkle.

A bill to provide a lawful note and coin currency for the United States, presented by Mr. Wallace of Pennsylvania, provides for the coinage of $400,000,000 in value of the coin metal patented by W. H. Hubbell of Pennsylvania called "goloid," consisting of gold, silver and copper in the proportions of one pound, twenty-four pounds and three-fourths of a pound respectively, to be paid for by issues of four per cent. bonds, redeemable in ten and payable after ten years, and to be paid out in exchange of bonds bearing a higher rate of interest, as the latter are retired, the goloid coins to be interchangeable with United States notes. The bill also requires the Secretary of the Treasury to cause to be issued $400,000,000 in legal tender notes in exchange for those now outstanding, and to keep at least $350,000,000 of the new issue out of the treasury in circulation.

News and Notes.

Charlie Ross has been discovered some more—this time as the adopted son of a Mr. Moffatt, one of the wealthiest citizens of Richmond, Ind.

Mr. Steers, the builder of the steamer Massachusetts, says $2000 will suffice to cover the expense of repairs upon the bottom of that boat, and that for $50,000 she can be put in as good shape as she was when first put on the line.

Colonel Charles G. Greene, founder and for many years editor of the Boston *Post*, and his wife, celebrated their golden wedding at the Commonwealth Hotel, Boston, Wednesday evening. Noteworthy among the many costly and tasteful gifts was a heliotyped fac simile in miniature of the first issue of the *Morning Post*, framed in gold and bearing the inscription: "To the founder of the *Post*, from those who have succeeded to his labors."

There was a slight fire in Newton, Mass., Wednesday morning, in the house of Jacob Dolet, and a son of Mr. Dolet's, aged seven years, was suffocated. The pecuniary damage amounted to but a few cents.

The first of the riot cases at Pittsburg, Penn., was tried Wednesday, and a sixteen-years-old boy was convicted of stealing property and having firearms and ammunition in his possession, and was sentenced to the penitentiary for three years.

The suit brought by Hallet Kilbourn of Washington against Speaker Randall, Sergeant-at-Arms Thompson and democratic members of the so called "real estate pool" investigating committee of the last House, claiming $150,000 damages for false imprisonment, having been appealed to the United States Supreme Court, the defendants have retained Frank H. Hurd to take charge of their case, and he will enter a motion to have the case advanced upon the docket for a hearing at an early day, in view of its involving questions of so much importance as to the powers and privileges of Congress and the rights of a citizen.

A number of tramps were ordered out of a chestnut tree by Louis Schalerg a farmer of Saulsbury, Pa., a few days ago. They drove him to his house with pistols, shouting "You've got to die," and began firing. Schaler fired out of a window and killed the ringleader of the gang. They picked up their fallen comrade and retreated to the woods, and nothing has been seen or heard of them since.

A man and wife at New Britain, Conn., made an agreement, some time ago, by which he was to stay at home and care for the children while she went away to work at a mill. Things worked satisfactorily for some time, the man getting goods on credit for the family use and his wife settling the bills monthly. Recently, however, the monthly payment failed. The man was sued by the storekeeper, and Judge Beach has just decided that he is not liable for the debt.

Alexander Reed, postmaster of Toledo, Ohio, and manager of the Toledo *Blade* and *Commercial* newspapers, has failed.

Major Minott A. Osborn, senior editor of the New Haven *Register*, died on Wednesday.

The New York police have arrested George C. Briggs, aged twenty, a stereotyper; Langdon W. Moore, alias Charley Adams, aged forty, a carriage-maker; Elizabeth Hill, aged twenty-one; and Rebecca Moore, aged twenty, on information which pointed to them as the persons who in September last robbed the Cambridgeport, Mass., bank of money and securities amounting to $60,000, for the recovery of which a reward of $4500 is offered.

George L. Fox, the celebrated pantomimist, died in Cambridge, Mass., on Wednesday, at the age of fifty-two.

Recorder Hackett has given Jane Loughlin, of New York, en years in the penitentiary for abducting Annie Costello, six years old.

New Hampshire Items.

Mrs. Susan Hanson of Weare celebrated her ninety-sixth birthday recently by going as a delegate to the Friends' quarterly meeting.

A man in the employ of A. K. Moore of the Franklin House, at Franklin, recently decamped with one of the best teams and a silver watch.

Some person or persons have been committing depredations at the cemetery in Chester. A handsome marble monument belonging to Nathan B. Goldsmith was considerably damaged one night last week. The name of Goldsmith, which was elaborately engraved on the monument in large letters, was entirely hammered off by means of a stone, and a monument belonging to Hon. John W. Noyes has also been injured.

The wife of Hugh McQuestion of Mount Vernon, 70 years of age, was found dead in bed on the 19th inst. She was apparently well on retiring the night previous.

Eagle Encampment, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, of Haverhill, Mass., accompanied by the Haverhill Cornet Band, visited their brethren in Dover, Tuesday.

Mr. George H. Hatch, the city clerk of Nashua, having tendered his resignation for the purpose of accepting a position as clerk at the office of Eaton & Ayers' Bobbin Works, Mr. E. N. Bowman, a member of the common council, has been elected.

The eighth annual course of discussions of the New Hampshire State Board of Agriculture opened Tuesday in Hanover. The introductory address was made by Hon. George W. Nesmith, of Franklin, President of the Agricultural College, on "Irrigation." Remarks were also made by Governor Prescott, President Bartlett, and others.

In the case of C. B. Mahan, agent of the Agricultural Works of Lebanon, in this State, recently on trial, at Belfast, Me., for cheating by false pretences in the sale of mowing machines, the jury rendered a verdict of not guilty. This was one of the notorious cases in which farmers in Maine and New Hampshire were last year swindled by being induced to give notes for mowing machines and other agricultural implements, which implements were never delivered though payment was enforced on the notes. If Mahan is not a swindler, then the company must be; at least there was a grand swindle adrift somewhere.

The oldest member of the present Congress is Hon. G. W. Patterson, of the 33d New York District. He is a native of Londonderry and was born Nov. 11th, 1799. He removed from his native town in 1818.

Political.

President Hayes, anxious to nominate for Minister to England some man not obnoxious to the Pennsylvania delegation in Congress, told them he would send to the Senate the name of the candidate they might agree on. The Pennsylvania delegation unanimously presented the name of Simon Cameron!

Senator Ingalls of Kansas has introduced a bill to enable Indians to become citizens.

Senators Hoar and Dawes, General Garfield and Colonel Ingersoll will take the stump soon in Massachusetts.

It is asserted by prominent democratic members of the House of Representatives that they will positively refuse to appropriate the sum asked for by the Secretary of the Navy, amounting to over $2,000,000, being an alleged deficiency in the pay account for the navy, until an adequate explanation of this deficiency is furnished by the department.

There is a row about the postmastership of Wakefield, R. I., between Elisha W. Cross, claiming the place under an appointment by Postmaster General Key, and Jesse V. B. Watson, appointed by Assistant Tyner, Watson having possession of the office. Cross is an "independent" republican,—which means, as usual, that he calls himself a republican and votes the democratic ticket. Watson is not only postmaster *de facto* but chairman of the Republican Town Committee. Both claimants have regular appointments, and heavy backing by prominent citizens of Rhode Island.

During the war Robert Smalls was a pilot on a Confederate gunboat, and when the captain was on shore he ran the steamer into the Union fleet which was blockading Charleston harbor, and surrendered the craft. Thereafter he served as pilot in the Union service. The democratic newspapers of South Carolina are recalling this fact now. Smalls is under indictment, and a Charleston paper says: "He is the rascal who stole one of our gunboats during the war, and ought to have been rotting in the Penitentiary, long ago."

MARRIAGES.

HASELTON—GAGE. In Suncook, Oct. 11th, John Bergen Haselton, Esq., formerly of Portsmouth, and Miss Hannah Gage of Fisherville.

DEATHS.

NEAL. In Eliot, Oct. 17th, Mrs. Lizzie Neal, widow of John Neal, aged 47 years.

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Sch Telegraph, Gott, Rondout.

ARRIVED Oct. 25.

Sch Porto Rico, Armstrong, South Amboy.
Sch Arctic, Ginn, Poughkeepsie.

FOYE—CLOUGH. In Greenland, Oct. 4th, by Rev. Mr. Ruland, Mr. Morris C. Foye, of Rye, and Miss Nellie E. Clough of this city. No cards.

Sch Ida E Latham, Potter, for this port, old from Philadelphia Oct 23.

Joseph English was tried before Judge Benedict in the United States Court at New York and convicted of attempting to pass an altered United States 5-20 bond for $1,000. The bond was one of Lydia M. Kimball's of Nashua, and stolen from her several years ago. Her name was erased by the thieves and that of George Higgs of Boston substituted. English attempted to dispose of the bond to Benjamin Van Buskirk. He was remanded for sentence.

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Boston Way,		10:45	5	
Portland,		9:45	4:35	6:30
East [beyo..d Portland],		9:45		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9:45	4:55	
Great Falls,		9:45	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9:45		
Concord and North,		7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,			4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.		7:40	4:55	
Dover,		7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:03	10:10	5:50
Boston Way,		10:10	5:50
Portland and East,		11:20	5:30
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		11:20	
Concord and North,		10:20	6:30
Dover,		10:20	5:50

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E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Ship Granite State, Capt. Ross, cleared from Boston for Rio Janeiro on Wednesday, with 2400 barrels of apples and 1600 tons of ice.

We are indebted to Senator Wadleigh for a copy of the report of the Monetary Commission of the United States Senate, submitted by Senator Jones of Nevada.

Mr. George A. Murray had his leg broken on Tuesday, the 22d, by the overturning of a load of corn-stalks upon which he was riding at Gravelly Ridge.

George Baxter, employed in the department of yards and docks at the navy yard, had his left foot severely injured a few days ago by a large cake of ice falling on it.

Capt. Charles E. Ricker of this city is now in command of the fine iron merchant ship Kate Kellogg, of 1800 tons, of Liverpool, and sailed thence for San Francisco Aug. 28th.

The grand jury of Essex county, Mass., very sensibly refused to indict Mr. J. E. Wolfe of the Newburyport *Word of Truth* for telling the truth (and what the subject thought was too much of it) about one Celia Sliney of Salisbury, who formerly with her husband kept a rum den in Kittery.

As cold weather is approaching the advertisement of Mr. J. L. O. Coleman, in another column, announcing a large lot of stoves of various kinds, cheap, is worth the reading of any in want of one of such articles. Mr. Coleman also advertises many other things besides stoves for sale. Read the advertisement.

The Fruit Show at Portsmouth Grange Hall will continue open through Friday and Friday evening and Saturday morning. The universal decision is that it is the finest display of the kind ever made in the city, and that neither the State nor N. E. Fairs excelled it this year in the same line. All should visit it.

We are sorry to hear that our friend Edw. D. Coffin, Esq., is suffering acutely from a severe sprain of the right leg just below the knee. Ald. Coffin appeared in the Board on Thursday evening ornamented with a very graceful pair of crutches. Ed. is too good a fellow to go breaking himself that way.

It is announced that the Secretary of the Navy has reduced the number of hours of labor at the New York navy yard to eight. We were under the impression that the National Government reduced the number of working hours to eight in *all* the navy yards, some years ago, and that the law making such reduction had never been repealed or modified.

The Aldermanic committee on gas lights, in their report on the questions submitted to the Board by the Inspector of Petroleum, suggested a plan that will prove more effective in checking the offering for sale of dangerous oils than all the prohibitive statutes that could be invented. When a dealer knows that if he buys oil that is below the State standard the public will be officially informed of the fact, he will be as shy about buying it as the most timid oil user could desire.

SUPREME COURT--SECOND WEEK.

Thursday, Oct. 25th.

Case State *vs.* Eldad L. Hankins, continued. The forenoon was occupied by the examination of witnesses for the defence. No new evidence of any importance beyond that produced at the coroner's inquest, already published, was brought forward on either side. The circumstances of the case are as follows: Three of the crew of the schooner "Sallie Mair," viz.: Eldad L. Hankins, Thos. Sullivan and William Daley, received some money on Saturday evening, July 7th, and each having permission to go on shore, came down in town at about six o'clock to make purchases and have a good time. On Sunday morning at about half-past one, they returned to the vessel, and shortly afterward the captain was awakened by a sound of scuffling on deck, accompanied by the sound of Hankins' voice, crying: 'For God's sake, turn out, or they will kill me!" The captain speedily dressed himself, ordered Hankins below and proceeded on deck, where a horrible scene presented itself. Across the entrance of the forecastle lay Daley, in a large pool of blood, which was trickling from a fatal stab he had received near the heart, while Sullivan was rushing "crazy-like" about the deck. Hankins and Sullivan were arrested by officers Johnston and Webster, and conveyed to the jail, where the former confessed to the deed, but said it was done in self-defense. According to the autopsy held by Drs. Whittier, Folsom and Parsons, the knife entered the chest between the fifth and sixth ribs, penetrated the right ventricle of the heart, and took an upward turn into the front wall of the organ, making a wound into it about two inches deep. The examination also showed that there was a very slight ossification of one of the semi-luna valves. Daley was an Englishman, hailing from London, and about thirty-six years of age; Hankins is an Englishman, about forty-nine years old.

The Court came in at two o'clock in the afternoon, when the case was argued by Gen. Marston for the prisoner, and Solicitor Small for the State. Judge Stanley's charge to the jury was regarded by those who heard it as being favorable to the prisoner. The case was given to the jury at about 5:45 o'clock, and a verdict of "not guilty" was returned at an early hour in the evening.

Adolph Nelson, a juror from this city, has been excused.

This morning case *State* vs. William Ward will be tried. The respondent is indicted for causing a nuisance by means of the chimney of his distillery, situate on Dennett street at Christian Shore, which it is stated, sends out dust, smoke, soot, etc., to the great injury of persons in the neighborhood. There will probably be a view of the premises by the jury. Hatch for the defendant.

COMMISSIONER'S COURT.

Henry J. Davis, the seaman who was charged with stealing from the post-office a letter belonging to A. H. Palmer, one of the crew of schooner Active, of this port, (case continued from Monday,) was brought before United States Commissioner Hackett, Thursday forenoon, and discharged. He had been in custody nerrly a week, and will probably be careful in the future how he fools around other people's letters when he is drunk. Rum came very near getting him in a bad scrape.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, October 25th.

Robert Foster, Patrick Sheehan and John Ryan, all "simple drunks," all adjudged guilty, and all sent to Brentwood on account of a deficiency in the treasury department which precluded their handing over $9.90 each, fine and costs.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, the hearing on the petition of E. A. Clough came up in order. Harriman appeared for the petitioner, and Hatch for Eastern Railroad; Harriman requested a postponement, and the hearing was continued to next Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

Communication from A. J. Penhallow on subject of sewerage was accepted.

Frank Jones was granted leave to open Fleet street to repair drain.

Applications of James Raitt for relay of sidewalk on Deer street, of proprietors of Opera House for same on Chestnut street, and of H. M. Clark for same on Islington street, were referred to committee on streets with power.

J. H. Grant asked to have the grade of sewer on Brewster street altered or new sewer built. Referred to committee on drains, to report.

Petition of Mr. Wiggin for culvert at Great Swamp was laid on the table.

Communication from Surgeon of the navy yard in relation to use of pest house in case small pox should break out at the yard, was referred to committee on burying grounds, to report.

Committee on streets were requested to estimate cost of repairing the sidewalks in front of Henry H. Ladd's on Middle street, of Mr. Durgin's on Islington street, and in front of H. M. Clark's and S. S. Frye's on Congress street, and report to the Board.

Elm street was ordered repaired from engine house to North Millbridge.

Sam'l S. Spinney asked permission to alter line between his premises and the city's. Referred to committee on city lands and buildings, to report.

Committee on police, to whom was referred City Marshal's report on fines and costs, reported in favor of accepting Marshal's report, which was done.

Ordered that claim of Atwood J. Adams, ($6 for sheep killed by dogs,) be paid.

At a previous meeting the Inspector of Petroleum and its Products, Mr. Robert E. Rich, sent in the following communication:

To His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen:

Having been duly sworn to perform the duties of an Inspector of Petroleum and its Products, and finding that some aggrieved parties take umbrage at my method of applying the fire test, I would respectfully state that I have looked into the matter carefully, and as far as it is regulated by statute, and by custom in the Massachusetts refineries, find that I am using the apparatus designated by law. A number of traders whose oil I found not up to the lawful standard have returned the condemned goods to the dealers, and purchased better and safer brands instead. But some continue to sell the rejected article, and I request that your honorable body define my duties in the premises. It seems to me that exposing the sale of oil not up to the standard should be the extent of my duty.

Very respectfully,
Your servant,
ROBERT E. RICH.

This communication was referred to the committee on gas lights, (Ald. Norton, of Ward Two, and Ald. Payne,) to report,—and the committee's report was as follows:

The Committee on Gas Lights, to whom was referred the communication of Robert E. Rich, Inspector of Petroleum, beg leave to report as follows:

The law demands that all illuminating oils or compounds manufactured from coal or petroleum shall be inspected, and if they do not come up to a certain standard, they shall be condemned, and the persons exposing such condemned oils for sale shall be fined or imprisoned. It also provides a penalty in case of fraud, deceit or culpable negligence on the part of the Inspector. As this law was passed for the purpose of insuring a greater degree of safety to the public, it seems to your committee that any oil which can be *brought below the standard by any test*, no matter how severe (provided the instrument prescribed by law is used in testing) should be judged unsafe and branded as such, and the dealer in whose possession it is found should be prohibited from selling it. There can be no injustice in this, from the fact that plenty of oils in the market will bear the severest tests and still be far above the standard, and those that fall below can be returned to the manufacturer to be exchanged for better qualities. We cannot find any clause in the Statutes making it the duty of the Inspector to prosecute any person violating any provisions of the same. His duty is to inspect and brand the oils, and to forbid the sale of all that do not meet the requirements of the law. Any one can enter a complaint, but the law does not specify a particular person. As the Inspector is appointed by the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, it seems as if it is their duty to sustain him in the performance of his duty, by instructing the City Marshal to see that the law is enforced. We would recommend that the Inspector be required to present to the Board a weekly report of all oils he may find that do not come up to the required standard, giving the names of the parties offering the same for sale.

P. D. NORTON, } Committee on
A. L. PAYNE, } Gas Lights.

The report was accepted, and its recommendations unanimously adopted.

The following petition, signed by James DeNormandie, Jos. Hiller Foster, Annie B. Wilson and Mary A. Foster, was presented by Ald. Norton of Ward Two:

To the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of Portsmouth:

We, the undersigned, citizens of Portsmouth, respectfully request you to grant us the use of the Ward Room on State street, for two evenings each week, for the purpose of holding a free evening school for adults. We also request the use of the necessary gas and fuel during those two evenings.

The prayer of the petitioners was referred to committee on school houses, with power.

Committee on gas lights were instructed to have lamps lighted on dark and stormy nights.

Need of repairs on several school houses was reported. Referred to committee on school houses, with power.

The railroad-crossing question again come up. Ald. Yeaton asked if any answer had been received from the Eastern Railroad to the communication sent by City Clerk, to which the Clerk said no. It was voted that the Mayor be requested to convene the Common Council for next Thursday evening; also, that the Mayor communicate with the railroad authorities, inform them that the notice was sent by authority of the Board of Aldermen, and request an early answer, so that the Councils can act in the matter at next meeting. Ald. Hadley read the statutes bearing upon the case, and stated that the cars crossed the head of Vaughan street twenty-four times in thirty-five minutes, on Thursday.

Adjourned for one week.

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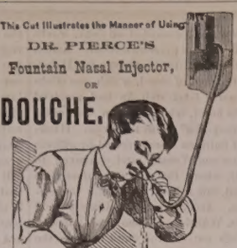

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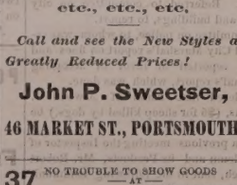

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Massachusetts State 5s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 5s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	93
Boston & Providence	120½
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Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
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Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 27, 1877.

The Eastern War.

A Russian official despatch says General Gourko on Thursday, after a severe battle which lasted ten hours, carried an outpost on the Sofia road and captured 4000 prisoners and a number of guns.

Suleiman Pasha, on the other hand, reports to his government that the Russian attack was repulsed. Also that the Turks have made a sortie from Rustchuk and beaten the Russians, killing 400; and that a Russian attack on the Turkish line of the Lom was repulsed and 800 Russians killed.

News and Notes.

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The Northampton *Gazette* reports that negotiations have been pending for several weeks between the bank officers and the burglars for the surrender of the stolen bonds. It hopes that the prisoners will be punished to the full extent of the law, as nothing else will satisfy the public demand.

The American Anti-Slavery Society held a mass meeting in Cooper Institute, New York, Wednesday evening, to adopt measures looking to the freedom of slaves in Cuba.

A German, with over 625 good diamonds, has been arrested by the New York police. It is believed that he has escaped the scrutiny of the Special Treasury Agents.

The Oregon Supreme Court has decided that a candidate for county judge, who promised to throw off $200 each year from his salary, if elected, was guilty of bribery.

Zack Chandler says that if he had a boy to-day he would rather have him go to work upon an eighty acre farm than into the best political office that could be found.

Samuel J. Tilden arrived in New York from Europe, Wednesday night, accompanied by John Bigelow, Secretary of State of New York.

Andrew Vanston, a shoemaker in South Coveland, Mass., by the death of an uncle in Europe becomes heir to property amounting to $2,500,000. Mr. Vanston has two brothers living in this country, who will each have the same amount.

It is reported that the receiver of the Erie Railroad has nearly completed negotiations to secure a terminus at Boston with the New York Central. The plan is to lay a third rail from the West to the Susquehanna depot at Binghamton; the Albany & Susquehanna Railroad is to be tapped; from the Hudson river a new line twenty miles long is to be built, to connect with the Troy & Greenfield Railroad, passing through the Hoosac Tunnel. The remainder of the distance is to be over the Fitchburg road. It is also stated that the Erie contemplates a new connection to Philadelphia by way of the Susquehanna depot, which explains the laying of the third rail to that place.

The legal clemency that Iowa has been experimenting with for some years does not satisfy the people of the State, and every year there is a movement to re-enact the death penalty for murder. There is probably more capital punishment going on in the State than there was before hanging was theoretically "played out," but it is done in spite of the law instead of in due form, and sometimes the wrong man gets hanged in consequence. Theoretically it is a fine thing to have no death penalty in a State, but practically it will not work well as long as men continue to murder and the popular ideas of justice remain what they are now.

New Hampshire Items.

There is a report that the town of Salisbury is considerably exercised at the disappearance of a boy who worked for a man named Fred Shaw. On a recent night the boy, whose name cannot be learned, but who was about ten years old, got into a quarrel with one of Shaw's boys about bringing in some wood. Late at night he disappeared and has not since been seen. It is said that Shaw beat the boy severely, and the story of the disappearance is told by Shaw.

Alfred Eastman of North Conway has contracted to cut and draw one million feet of spruce lumber for the Bartlett Land and Lumber Company, the coming winter. This company propose to draw seven million feet of lumber to their mills in Bartlett the coming winter.

Professor J. J. Holbrook and Ira J. Prouty, assistant, have just completed a series of levellings, over seven miles in extent, for the accurate determination of the altitude of Monadnock Mountain in Cheshire County, and for the purpose of testing the accuracy of the work done by the Coast Survey some years ago. The series, ending at the summit, begins at Troy on the line of the Cheshire Railroad, the surveys for which give the altitude of the track at the station as 1002 feet. The survey just completed makes the altitude of the mountain 3169.3 feet. By triangulation the Coast Survey made the altitude, according to the geology of New Hampshire, 3186 feet.

One day last week a Mr. Perry of Pepperill, while driving a vicious cow from Nashua to his home, was thrown down with sufficient violence to break his collar bone and dislocate two or three ribs. The cow escaped from him and the next day a party of Hollis men undertook to drive the vicious beast to Mr. Perry's house, when she bounded over the fence and gave battle to Mr. Samuel Worcester. Mr. Worcester defended himself with a pitchfork and yet he was thrown down and had both bones of his leg badly fractured. Mr. Worcester rolled into a ditch and but that the attention of the cow was attracted by a dog, must have been still more seriously injured. The cow was finally shot.

A "Rule or Ruin" Faction.

The Nashua *Telegraph* commences an editorial on "A pretty condition of things," as follows:

A correspondent states that if George William Curtis should be invited to take the stump in Massachusetts, and should accept and make a few speeches there, then the State would certainly go democratic. In other words this correspondent would have it understood that there is a faction of republicans in Massachusetts, as there was in Ohio, which is determined to ruin if it cannot rule the party.

If the correspondent meant that, the correspondent is just right. There has been for many years a "rule or ruin" faction within the republican party of Massachusetts—a faction that has always (until now) prated loudly of the "divine right of bolting" any nomination that might not just square with their ideas—a faction that elected five democrats (and Professor Seelye) to the 44th Congress—a faction that has always insisted that it was the duty of every honest voter to cast his ballot against his party whenever that party disregarded his pet theories, even though by so voting he might give the political control to a worse party—a faction that has assumed to possess a monopoly of political virtue—a faction that to-day is represented by Prof. Seelye, James Freeman Clarke and other "divine bolters." True, this faction does not now spout so loudly as formerly of the "divine right of bolting;" but that is because the party platform of to-day is just to their liking, and they recognize the vast difference there is between another man's bolting their ticket and their bolting his, —he of course being wrong, and they right. There *is* a rule or ruin faction in the republican party of Massachusetts, and a strong one; and it is not at all impossible that it may turn out to be a "rule *and* ruin" faction. We hope not, but our faith is not as a grain of mustard seed.

—Judge Morgen of New York has held a young man for trial for pointing a loaded pistol at another, "just for fun."

—The oldest ex-member of Congress now living is the Hon. Artemus Hale, of Bridgewater, Mass. He is ninety-five.

—A nephew of Vicomte Cooke, of St. Paul's Churchyard, says *Truth*, was once playing at whist with the late Mr. Peabody at a Brighton club. The latter was somewhat slow in arranging his cards. "Come, make haste, old fellow," said the nephew. "Do not be angry with me," replied Peabody; "when your father and I were apprentices in London he never spoke rudely to me when I was slow in taking down the shutters." The nephew of the vicomte, himself a fashionable young officer, was not pleased with the kindly-meant observation of Mr. Peabody.

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—A singular circumstance happened at Bridgeport on Monday, when a young lady residing in one-half of a house died at the very moment during which the remains of a young lady, who had died in the other half, were being removed for burial, and the piece of crape on one door was removed and placed on the other.

—The monster 100 ton cannon have been recently so improved that the Italian Government intends to try some new ones, which it has ordered from the English manufacturers, with a charge of 470 pounds of powder and a projectile weighing 2,280 pounds, or a little more than a ton. The metallurgists are busy making a composite plate, in which steel and iron are combined, for the purpose of resisting, when used as targets, the projectiles from these cannon.

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SEALED PROPOSALS will be received by the Overseers of the Poor of the City of Portsmouth, until Tuesday, October 30, 1877, at 7 o'clock P. M., for One Hundred Cords First Quality HARD WOOD, to be delivered at either of the railroad stations in this city, or at the Court House yard. The right to reject any bid is reserved.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:45	5	*9:30
Boston Way,	10:45	5	
Portland,	9:45	4:35	6:30
East [beyo..d Portland],	9:45		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:30	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:03 10:10	5:50
Boston Way	10:10	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:30

Letters for the night mails [and no others] cast or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Mercer Goodrich has for sale at his book store on Market square the pamphlet edition of the laws he helped enact at the last session of the Legislature.

The city lodged quite an army of tramps on Thursday evening; they divided into parties, Friday morning, and foraged for breakfasts at the West End.

We have received the Old Farmer's Almanac for 1878 from Mercer Goodrich, who has this standard work for sale at his bookstore in the City Building on Market square.

On Thursday, in the House, Representative Morse of Massachusetts introduced a petition of the widow of the late Pay Director A. Eugene Watson, U. S. N., formerly of this city, for pension.

Mr. Ralph K. Nichols, formerly of this city, has been appointed Secretary of the Water Company of Lower Lake, California,—the position made vacant by the death of his brother, Leslie P. Nichols.

Joseph H. Gardiner, Esq., on Wednesday evening last resigned the position of Secretary of New Hampshire Lodge, I. O. O. F., which he has held for fifteen years, the resignation to take effect on the following Wednesday. Mr. Gardiner is proposing to remove to Elmira, N. Y., soon, and go into the fire insurance business.

At noon to-day will be sold at auction, a thirty-second part of the ship "Paul Jones." The ship is ready for sea, and is to leave for New York on Monday. The sale will allow some one to invest in a good piece of property, which, if the prospects of the moving crops are to be relied upon, will repay the owners a handsome dividend on the first voyage.

Daniel W. Voorhees, who lectures in this State week after next, comes to Dover on Wednesday evening, Nov. 7th, and will give his celebrated lecture on Thomas Jefferson, in the City Hall. As the lecture begins at eight o'clock, residents of this city desirous of hearing the great Indiana orator can leave here by the seven o'clock train, and reach Dover in abundant season for the lecture.

MASONIC.

On Thursday evening the Consecration, Dedication, and Installation of Officers of Winnicut Lodge, No. 92, of Greenland, took place, the services being in public, in the Methodist church, and the Grand Lodge constituted as follows:

John J. Bell, Exeter,	M. W. G. M.
John Christie, Portsmouth, as	R. W. D. G. M.
John R. Holbrook, Portsmouth, as	R. W. S. G. M.
Charles A. Tufts, Dover, as	R. W. J. G. M.
David T. Parker, Farmington, as	R. W. G. T.
Daniel W. Edgerly, Farmington, as	R. W. G. S.
Joseph Kidder, Manchester,	R. W. G. C.
Horace A. Brown, Concord, as	W. S. G. D.
Charles G. Conner, Exeter, as	W. J. G. D.
Samuel E. Woodman, Kingston, as	W. G. S.
Benj. F. Webster, Portsmouth, as	W. G. S.
William P. Walker, Portsmouth, as	W. G. S.
George C. Gordon, Salem, as	W. G. S.
George F. Cleaves, Concord,	W. G. M.
T. E. O. Marvin, Portsmouth, as	W. G. S. B.
Samuel W. Emerson, Concord,	G. T.

After the ceremonies a collation was served in the store under the Lodge room. There were present about one hundred and twenty-five visiting brethren, a large number going up from this city in a special train; others from Manchester, Exeter, Hampton, Rye and other places being in attendance.

REVIVAL MEETINGS.

Arrangements have been perfected for a series of Evangelistic meetings to be conducted by Messrs. Whittle and McGranahan, in this city.

Major D. W. Whittle, of Chicago, was for years a prominent business man in that city, but at the earnest solicitation of Mr. Moody he gave up his business and the income derived from it, and has during the past four years been doing the work of an Evangelist; for three years the lamented singer, P. P. Bliss, was his colaborer in Chicago, Detroit and other western cities, where [as a result of their efforts many thousands were added to the churches. As a Gospel preacher he is second to none. In Chicago he filled the great Tabernacle for weeks, and held the audience as nothing but the Gospel earnestly preached could do. On the death of Mr. Bliss, Mr. James McGranahan of Chicago took his place, and since then Messrs. Whittle and McGranahan have labored very successfully together.

Mr. McGranahan has for years been well known in musical circles in Chicago and the West. He has written some of the sweetest and most popular songs, that are now being sung all over the world. He has a tenor voice of unusual sweetness; as a solo singer he has few equals, and his sacred songs attract many to the meetings, and the Gospel as sung by him has been the means of many conversions.

Messrs. Whittle and McGranahan are now holding meetings in Rutland, Vt.; they will arrive in Portsmouth next week, and the opening meetings of the series will be held in the North church on Sunday, Nov. 4th.

SUPREME COURT--SECOND WEEK.

On Friday the case State vs. William Ward was tried. The respondent was indicted for causing a nuisance by means of the chimney of his distillery, situate on Dennett street at Christian Shore, which it is stated, sends out dust, smoke, soot, etc., to the great injury of persons in the neighborhood. The trial occupied the entire day. A large number of witnesses were called by both sides. Witnesses for the prosecution were of opinion that the chimney caused an annoyance. Several witnesses were called by the respondent, whose testimony went to show that the annoyance was hardly appreciable. The neighbors evidently had different views of the matter. Given to the jury at the close of the arguments. Small for State; Hatch for Ward.

The Court at six o'clock adjourned to half-past eight o'clock this morning.

The new docket will be called on Monday afternoon at half-past two o'clock.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M., 7:30 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. H. Alden.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder D. M. Leavitt of Loudonridge will preach.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. Noyes. Subject, forenoon, "All things ready for the supper;" afternoon, "The sinner not ready."

At the Unitarian church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; vesper service at 7:30. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. A. D. Mayo, of Springfield, Mass.

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M.; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. James W. Hubbell.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant.

At the Court street church (Christian) services at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M.; Sunday school directly after morning service; prayer meeting at 7:30 P. M.

At the Pearl street (Freewill Baptist) church there will be services at 2:30 P. M.; Elder E. Owen will preach.

At Bow Mission, the service of praise that was postponed last Sunday, will be held, commencing at 4:15 P. M. The chorus will rehearse for the revival meetings which are to commence Nov. 4th.

The Reform Club meeting will take place at the usual hour, in the Methodist church, where Rev. J. E. Wolfe, the fearless temperance advocate of Newburyport, will address the audience. An admission fee of ten cents will be asked, to defray expenses.

THE VICINITY.

Mr. Albert Dow, of Rye, has this year harvested 145 barrels of apples,—more than any other person in the town has raised.

The statement that has been going the rounds of the State papers, that the house at North Hampton, in which Gen. Henry Dearborn of revolutionary fame was born, has been pulled down, is incorrect. The ancient structure still stands in good repair, and is occupied by Mr. Samuel S. Warner.

It is said that the Manchester & Lawrence Railroad economically makes use of an upright post as a "station" at Policy Pond. That is better than the Portsmouth & Dover Railroad Station at Newington, which is represented in rainy weather by an umbrella,—the only covering to be had against the inclemency of the weath, and always furnished by the passenger.

Farmers living in the vicinity of Spruce Creek, Kittery, have met with severe losses recently in having sheep killed by dogs. On Wednesday night twelve were killed. Among the losers are Admiral Welch, John and William Adams, and Mrs. Johnson. The first raid was made a week previously, on sheep belonging to Dennis Shapleigh. There will be no show for dogs around Spruce Creek after this.

On the evening of Thursday, Oct. 18th, George H. R. Marden, of Kittery Point, fired a pistol at Moses P. Randall, a son of Mr. Reuben Randall of Kittery, sending the bullet whizzing uncomfortably close to his head. On Wednesday, Oct. 24th, Marden was taken before Trial Justice Dennett, of Kittery, on a charge of committing an aggravated assault; he was also charged with carrying concealed weapons, contrary to law. The justice adjudged him guilty, and ordered him to furnish sureties in $200 that he would keep the peace for six months, and in default to be committed to Alfred jail.

NAVAL MATTERS.

Pay Inspector Edward May is ordered to duty as inspector of provisions and clothing at this navy yard.

Pay Inspector C. J. Emery is ordered to duty as purchasing paymaster at the Boston yard.

Pay Inspector G. E. Thornton is detached from duty as purchasing paymaster at Boston, and ordered to settle accounts.

Paymaster Charles T. Gulld is detached from duty at this naval station and ordered to settle accounts.

Boatswain Andrew Milne is ordered to the Omaha, on the South Pacific station, and to leave New York per steamer on the 31st of October to join her.

The Boston *Post's* Washington correspondent says that the United States vessels Enterprise, built by contract at this navy yard, and the Huron and Ranger, both built on the Delaware, are in so bad a condition that Secretary Thompson will call the attention of Congress to the matter. The Alert, an iron vessel, is said to be as bad as the others, and the correspondent intimates that none of them are seaworthy.

A Washington despatch of Oct. 25th says: "The Secretary of the Navy to-day finally decided the question with regard to the hours of labor in the various navy yards throughout the United States. The schedule provided by the Department directs that from March 21st to Sept. 21st labor shall begin at seven o'clock A. M., and continue until six o'clock P. M.; from Sept. 22d to March 20th labor begins at 7:40 o'clock, and continues until 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon, with an interruption of one hour for dinner. These regulations are in no respect designed to carry with them any present reduction of pay." It is quite possible that the question is not yet "finally decided," notwithstanding the Secretary's dictum; Congress may yet ask him by what authority he assumes to overthrow a law passed by the Congress and approved by the President of the United States, and he may find that his final decision has not finally decided anything.

PORTSMOUTH GRANGE HALL SHOW.

The Hall Show of Portsmouth Grange, though gotten up on short notice, was a great success, the entries being numerous and the articles entered superior; another year a much larger hall will be needed to hold the exhibits. We give the list of entries as fully as it could be procured, the awards of committees, etc.:

ENTRIES.

FRUIT.

1. Chas. H. Pickering, Newington, 2 plates pears.
2. John Stearns, Greenland, Peirce Farm, 3 plates winter pears unknown, 1 plate fall pears unknown, 1 plate Seekel, Baldwin apples, New York pippins, golden russet, bell flower, rockberry russet.
3. William L. Philbrick, Portsmouth, 1 plate Beurre Clairgeau, 1 plate Beurre Bosc, (Pears), 1 plate orange quinces, mammoth pippins, Baldwins.
4. Daniel H. Spinney, Portsmouth, Beurre Bosc, Beurre De Angers, Sheldon, Vicar of Wakefield, Beurre Clairgeau, Urbaniste, Monsieur John, Estes Buerre, Swans Oranges, Petre, Winter Nelis, Lawrence, Duchess Angoulême, Napoleon, seedling, Baldwin, New York pippins, russets, H. nonesuch.
5. William R. Preston, Portsmouth, Passe Colmar, Vicar of Wakefield, Swans Oranges, Duchess, Beurre Diel, Beurre Clairgeau,—pears.
6. William Plaisted, Portsmouth, Beau Clairgeau pears.
7. William Day, Portsmouth, Buerre Diel, Duchess d'Angoulême, Louise bon de Jersey.
8. Robert Shillaber, Portsmouth, Iona Grapes, Beurre Bosc, Sweets,—pears.
9. John V. Brown, Seabrook, 1 plate quinces.
10. Mrs. Charles H. Mendum, Portsmouth, Baldwin apples, greenings, Northern Spy, Sheldon pears.
11. Mrs. E. W. Haven, Portsmouth, cat head and pippins—apples, winter nellis pears weight 3lb. each, baking pears 1 lb. each, Louis bon de Jersey pears.
12. Mrs. Frank W. Miller, Portsmouth, Duchess d'Angoulême, Sheldon, Buerre Bosc, Belle Lucrative, unknown, Buffum, Buerre Anjou, Seckel,—pears. 1 Brahmah egg, weight 6 oz., circumference 9½ by 7½ inches.
13. Charles Campbell, Newcastle, 6 plates fruit.
14. Addison Carroll, Portsmouth, 3 plates fruit.
15. Asa Ham, Portsmouth, 1 plate lemon walnuts.
16. Mrs. M. S. Israel, Little Harbor, 1 miniature Brahmah egg.
17. Nathaniel Wiggin, Greenland, New York pippin, pearmains.
18. David Jenness, Rye, Baldwin, Northern Spy, New York greenings, quinces.
19. Mrs. M. B. Haley, Portsmouth, Beurre Bosc, Duchesse, 2 plates pears, 3 baskets grapes, 1 basket Catawba grapes.
20. Charles Hayes & Son, 17 varieties apples, 2 varieties pears.
21. Nathaniel Wiggin, Greenland, Black Hamburgh grapes.
22. John F. Leavitt, Portsmouth, 1 plate Hubbardston, 1 of Nonesuch,—apples.
23. Oxford & Johnston, 2 plates Baldwins, 1 of Northern spy.
24. Michael Sheridan, Portsmouth, mammoth pippins.
25. Wm. R. Preston, Portsmouth, 2 specimens of 1st and 2d crops Passe Colmar pears. The peculiarity of this tree is that it is constantly blooming from May to October, frequently bearing three crops. 20 years ago the tree bore the 3d crop.

VEGETABLES.

1. Mammoth squash entered by John Stokell & Co., raised by Wm. Hill, Portsmouth, weight 165 lbs.
2. Alfred Elwyn, Portsmouth, 1 peck Early Rose potatoes, 1 mammoth Wurtzel, 2 mammoth white turnips.
3. John Stearns, Greenland, Peirce Farm, onions, Soup, Horticultural, Cranberry, Yellow Eye and early string bean; Mangelwurtzel.
4. Wm. L. Philbrick, Portsmouth, turnips, beets, onions.
5. Frank Ayers, Portsmouth, pumpkin, sugar trough gourd.
6. Andrew M. Gardner, Portsmouth, onions, Early Rose potatoes, rutabagas, beets.
7. James A. Pickering, Newington, Early Rose potatoes.
8. Wm. P. Israel, Little Harbor, Orange corn, carrots, mangelwurtzel, cabbages, red etc., sugar beets.
9. Asa Ham, Portsmouth, peanuts, chickory, roots.
10. County Farm, Brentwood, pumpkins, turnips, beets, onions, carrots, turnips, cabbages, Kohl Rabbi.
11. Delhi Spinney, Portsmouth, 1 plate squash peppers.
12. C. Hayes & Son, Portsmouth, 18 varieties of vegetables.
13. Dennis Shea, Portsmouth, cabbages, turnips, beets.
14. Albert Dow, sugar beets, beans.
15. Frank Sherburne, Portsmouth, cabbages, turnips, 11 varieties beans.
16. David Jenness, Rye, Late Rose potatoes.
17. James Miller, Portsmouth, red and Savoy cabbages.
18. Mrs. M. R. Haley, Portsmouth, lettuce.
19. Daniel H. Spinney, Portsmouth, 1 basket vegetables.
20. Samuel W. Moses, mammoth sweet potatoes, raised by Joshua S. Moses, Hoopston, Ill.
21. Mrs. F. W. Miller, Portsmouth, okra.
22. Charles E. Lamprey, Portsmouth, cabbages.
23. Samuel Ham, Portsmouth, drum-head variety cabbage.

GRAIN.

1. Charles H. Pickering, Newington, sweet corn.
2. Charles E. Lamprey, Portsmouth, corn; one trace weighs 40 lbs., and one 29.
3. Samuel Hoyt, Newington, corn.
4. Louis F. Cannorn, Hampton Falls, 1 trace Hampton corn.
5. James A. Pickering, Newington, rye and corn.
6. Chas. H. Mendum, Portsmouth, basket corn.
7. Samuel Ham, aged 84, Portsmouth, trace corn, raised by himself.
8. Charles Hayes & Son, Portsmouth, 4 traces of corn, rye and oats.
9. David Jenness, Rye, corn.
10. George A. Murray, Gravelly Ridge, 20 bushels rye from 24 qts. of seed.
11. Sylvester Bartlett, Eliot, snapping corn.
12. John Stearns, Greenland, Peirce Farm, trace evergreen corn, trace popping corn.
13. Farmer Kent, Portsmouth Jail, ear red corn.

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2. Charles A. Hazlett, 18 pots plants, automatic fountain.
3. Mrs. J. P. Simes, Greenland, vase ferns, pyramid bouquet.
4. Mrs. M. R. Haley, Portsmouth, rustic basket, hand bouquet, basket flowers.
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6. M. E. Hutchinson, Portsmouth, Pteris Argyrea, box foliage plants, fuchsia cyperus, variegated colors and plants.

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Mrs. F. W. Miller, 1 box butter.
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George Plummer, bread.
Mrs. Wm. Israel, Little Harbor, biscuit and loaf of bread.
Mrs. J. W. Young, biscuit and loaf of bread.
Mrs. Wm. L. Philbrick, loaf bread.
Mrs. S. E. Pearson, loaf bread.
Mrs. F. W. Miller, 13 bottles various preserves.

FANCY WORK.

Mrs. John Stearns, Greenland, Peirce Farm, 1 Wool Blanket, 1 Cotton sheet; home made.
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Mrs. Wm. Philbrick, 1 Burlap mat.
Mrs. John P. Weeks, Greenland, Worsted Mottoes, Photograph Frames, Card Case, Vase, Lamp mats.
Mrs. John A. Hodgdon, 4 hooked rugs.
Miss Lizzie A. P. Treadwell, 1 white crochet quilt.
Mrs. M. S. Israel, Little Harbor, 10 tomato pin cushions.
Miss Annie Garrett, bead cushion, 2 fern holders.
Miss Eliza Garrett, carriage robe, baby blanket, Silk quilt.
Mrs. E. P. Seavey, wreath and basket of immortelles.
Mrs. Daniel H. Spinney, mittens, hose.
Mrs. Emmons B. Philbrick, Rye Beach, Afghan, Baby embroidered skirt and blanket, lamp mats.
Ella F. Philbrick, emb. skirt, Nubia, tidies.
Mrs. Charles H. Mendum, perfume box, emb. sack, Carriage Afghan, fancy plates, wall pocket.
Miss Ann L. Jenness, rug.
Mrs. Willis Barnabee, toilet set.
Miss Annie E Huntress, 2 pieces embroidery, travelling bag.
Miss Anna S. Cushing, Little Harbor, picture.
Mrs. J. H. Hutchinson, emb. Ottoman.
Miss Mary E. B. Miller, silk quilt.
Mrs. S. E. Pearson, Infant's Afghan.
Miss E. A. Philbrick, basket made of sealing wax, straw knitting case.
Olivia Drake, bag made of melon seeds.
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Mrs. S. E. Pearson, pair Potichomanie vases.
Mrs. E. W. Garrett, basking tidies, infant's hoods, socks and sacks.
Mrs. J. F. Adams, tidy.
Mrs. Wm. Hazlett, rug.
Miss Charlotte Walker, tidy.
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Mary E. B. Miller, oil paintings, charcoal sketch, 6 picture panels.
Mattie Fernald, panel painting.
Miss Sarah A. Foster, oil painting.
Mrs. S. E. Pearson, hand bouquet and basket.
Mrs. M. R. Haley, basket of flowers.
Mrs. J. P. Simes, pyramid bouquet.

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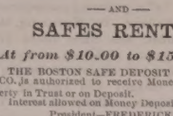

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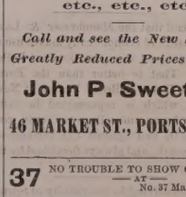

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A Needed Investigation.

The London *Daily News* calls upon the British Admiralty to institute a searching inquiry into the allegations of the survivors of the Eten, wrecked on the coast of Chili, that they were neglected by H. M. S. Amethyst, the inference being that it was because of the Hussar-Shah trouble. The *News* says: A few of the passengers and crew succeeded in reaching the shore, but the great majority of those who escaped immediate death by drowning, to the number of fifty or sixty, gained the summit of a rocky islet, at a distance of not more than five or six hundred yards from the land. Here they remained from Sunday, July 15th, till the following Tuesday without water or food, their numbers being gradually reduced by their falling into the sea or by the unsuccessful efforts of some of the party to reach the shore. On the Tuesday it is said that her Majesty's steam corvette Amethyst hove in sight, and according to the statements of the survivors who found their way last month to Callao, signals were hoisted both on the rock and on the land in order to induce that vessel to come to the rescue. She was within a distance of not more than two or three miles, and although the sea seems to have been rough at the time, yet there was appa rently no sufficient reason why her lifeboat should not have put off to the scene of the wreck. It is the boast of British sailors that they are strangers to fear, and willing to incur not only ordinary but extraordinary risks to save human life. Did the Amethyst observe the flags of distress which were raised as soon as she came in sight? Did she see the poor creatures who were huddled together on the rock, and who, we may add, all perished soon after she passed on her way? These questions are now being put at every South American port, and it is the duty of the Admiralty to see that they are satisfactorily answered.

The Astonished Politician.

General George A. Sheridan, of Louisiana, related his experience with this remarkable administration to the people of Ohio, during the recent canvass in that State. He said he had offered to take the New Orleans collectorship, but to his surprise, the President commissioned another man. He says.—

Do you blame me for thinking the administration a failure? The solid earth seemed to slip from under me. I felt that the republic was gone. In the distress of my soul I cried out: "Is this what I made 127 republican speeches for in the last campaign? or, to state it more correctly, the same speech 127 times. Can this government go on if I am left out? Alas! poor country, who will care for you now that I am banished by the edict of a tyrant, and can have no chance to sustain you, to say nothing of sustaining myself. I stated something of this kind to Mr. Hayes; my words moved him, moved him to console me, moved him to advise me. He advised me either to "pull down my vest" or to "go west;" which, owing to the excitement I was laboring under at the time of the interview, I cannot certainly remember; but it is one or the other, and (as he is known to be a liberal man) perhaps it was both. My first impluse, after listening to the consoling words of the President, was to go and take—a stroll. I did; I took three or four. They braced me up; I felt better. Notwithstanding I am not collector of customs in New Orleans, the government still runs on, the revenues are collected, and the republican party lives. I have reluctantly come to the conclusion that I am not absolutely essential to the maintenance of a republican form of government upon this continent; that there are men as well qualified to administer an office as I am; that the President, being responsible to the nation for the acts of his appointees, should be allowed the largest latitude in their selection, and that true sense and true patriotism should convince me that in declining to give me the position I asked, the President acted for what he felt and believed to be for the best interests of his country. My fellow-citizens, those of you who, like myself, have been disappointed in your aspirations and ambitions, will, I think, upon calm reflection, reach in your cases the same conclusion I have reached in mine.

News and Notes.

Captain Bogardus exhibited at Richmond, Ind., on Friday, and did some wonderful shooting, breaking 300 glass balls in twenty-five minutes and seventeen seconds.

A fire occurred in the City Hall building, New York, on Friday night. The engines were promptly on hand, and in a few minutes the flames were extinguished, not, however, before considerable damage had been done by water.

Three highwaymen and four officers had a hand-to-hand fight in Deadwood. The room was lighted at the outset, but the lamp was overturned, and they were left in perfect darkness. Six of them were coupled in the struggle, and had there not been a seventh no misunderstanding would have ensued; but this seventh man, by engaging in the scrimmage, confused the combatants. Soon nobody knew whom he was fighting, and the result was that friend grappled with friend. Revolvers and knives were used, and one death and many wounds resulted.

Turkish officers have placed fezzes and Turkish cloaks on Russian wounded lying on the field to prevent their irregulars from murdering them during the night. This speaks volumes for the humanity of the officers, but illustrates most forcibly the want of control over their men.

A private letter from Augusta, Me., gives the particulars of the sad accident to Senator Blaine's daughter Alice. She is sixteen years of age, very pretty, full of talent, charming and popular. Talking with a gentleman on Saturday evening in the parlor of her father's house, she toyed and played with a tiny pistol that belonged to her brother. The visitor begged her to put it away, although it was unloaded, and spoke gravely of using even empty pistols as playthings. When he arose to go away, she laughingly ran up stairs to her brother's room, got a cartridge and put it in the cylinder, and came bounding down, calling to her friend, who was passing out of the front yard, to see her shoot. But before she had levelled the weapon, in her gleeful hurry she pressed the trigger, and the ball struck between her eyes, passing upward. Miss Blaine clasped her head with her hands, and crying "Oh, I am shot!" fell to the floor.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Secretary Sherman has decided that suits of the United States against illicit liquor operators are of the gravest character, and steps should be taken at once to prosecute them either to final judgment or to the determination that the government has no case. This decision was given in a liquor case involving $700,000 and criminal charges. The suit has been pending three years, and the defendants wished to compromise by paying $10,000, but were peremptorily refused.

The Secretary of War will complete his annual report in the course of ten days or two weeks. It will contain some very important recommendations in relation to the army. The Secretary has invited and received the opinions of several distinguished officers on this subject, the points of which he will incorporate in his report. He does not recommend an increase of the army to 50,000 men. His recommendations on this points are based upon the actual needs of the service and it is believed that they will meet with favor in both houses of Congress.

Buffalo Bill will not travel as a star after this season.

Japan has a National Exhibition at Tokio.

It is stated in Washington dispatches that Kentucky Congressmen lost $50,000 at the races, Wednesday. They complain that the race was not honest, and that Ten Broeck, their favorite, was intentionally held in check on the last quarter.

Over twenty million dollars of gold yearly passes over the gold balance scales in the United States mint. A new balance has just been made, having a capacity of ten thousand troy ounces (about six hundred pounds) in each pan. The beam measures five feet six inches in length, is mounted on agate bearings and is sensible to one grain when loaded.

The "Law and Order League" have collected some interesting figures to show what tippling-houses cost New York City. They charge four-fifths of the expense for police, charities for criminals, paupers, or $4,000,000, to them; to this must be added $1,000,000 for salaries to extra employes in judicial and other departments, and $300,000 in donations to charitable institutions, or a total of $5,300,000. To off-set this there are $300,000 collected from license fees.

John Lowery, keeper of the insane asylum at Ward's Island, New York, has been convicted of cruelty in beating a patient and was sent to the penitentiary for a year.

Judge Hilton is the patron of some Italian opera soon to open at Niblo's. What troubles him, however, is the fact, that the best singers are Jews.

The Philadelphia Grand Jury found a true bill against John S. Morton, Samuel P. Huhn, B. F. Stokes, John R. Nagle and George N. Vickers, charging them with fraudulently making a written instrument and uttering and publishing the same, and with conspiracy to defraud the Market Street Railway Company out of $200,000. Another true bill was found against Morton, Stokes and Huhn, charging them with embezzling $200,000, the property of said company, and against Nagle and Vickers, charging them with receiving the money, knowing it to have been come by dishonestly. John S. Morton was arrested and held to bail in $15,000 under new indictments.

The run on the Union Dime Savings Bank of New York city has ended, and the depositors are returning their money.

Lieut. S. C. Barney, of Maryland, an old naval officer, who was summarily dropped from the list in 1863, is to be reinstated and retired as a Rear-Admiral, with back pay, amounting to over $35,000. He was suspended, it is said, on a false representation maliciously made to Secretary Welles.

Tilden is home again from a foreign shore.

A large band of Mexican raiders are reported depredating thirty miles west of San Antonio, Texas. The stage driver between Fort Stockton and El Paso is reported killed. The Rangers are organizing for defence.

New Hampshire Items.

Francis Martel, a Frenchman 33 years old, was instantly killed by a falling tree near Suncook, Friday morning.

Advices from the Arctic whaling fleet report the loss of two vessels, the Three Brothers and W. A. Farnsworth, and the Roman and Milton badly stove. The catch averages small and there is more ice than usual.

A case growing out of the forcible ejection of a Mrs. Burleigh from the Concord tent at the Alton camp-meeting in 1876 was recently tried at Laconia, and resulted in a verdict for Mrs. Burleigh, the plaintiff, of $408.38.

One day, a short time ago, Mr. S. S. Clark of Weare shot a grey squirrel from the limb of a tall tree. After it had fallen to the ground he observed a young squirrel, evidently an offspring of the squirrel shot, come out of a hole in the tree, near where the grey was shot, and peer around in search for its mother who had so suddenly and mysteriously left it. Mr. Clark climbed up the tree and secured the youngster without difficulty, and carried it to his home, and placed it in with a cat which was tending a litter of young kittens, and Tabby received the stranger kindly and at once adopted it as her own, permitting it to share with her kits the maternal attentions which she bestowed, and young Mr. Grey was not slow to avail himself of the livelihood offered him, and is now being brought up in a very domestic and civilized manner. He is as smart as a cricket, and runs and hops about the house and yard, and is as tame and happy as ever squirrel could have hoped to be.

Political.

The President will visit New Orleans.

"I stand firmly by the policy."—*Sergeant Bates.*

The proposed change in the Cabinet would be a good one if Schurz should retire to make room for Gov. McCormick.

"We have the best army in the world, considering its strength," once more observes Gen. Sherman, "but we need more soldiers."

The closeness of the political contest in Massachusetts has led to the recall of the Senators for the purpose of making political speeches in the principal cities.

Messrs. Spofford and Kellogg, contestants for the Louisiana Senatorship, were heard Friday by the Senate Committee on Elections. No action was taken by the Committee.

Is it not time for the other side to conciliate a little? Suppose, for a change, that the Republican Senate does not surrender three United States Senators to the ex-rebels.—*National Republican.*

The name of Gov. Fish of New York is again mentioned for the British mission, but it is understood that no appointment will be made until the middle of November.

The investigation of the claims of Spofford and Kellogg to a seat in the Senate will probably occupy several weeks. There are about 1000 pages of testimony and numerous witnesses to be examined.

The President has informed some Pennsylvania visitors that one of his Cabinet has written an article giving the views of the Administration on the part which Government clerks may take in their home election. O-o-oh!!!

Tweed says if Tilden were President, and the Constitution required him to send in his message on the 4th of March, he would perhaps have it ready by the 4th of April. He always puts off everything, and made his money by tiring people out.

Bernard Clancy was discharged Friday from the Boston Custom House for violation of the President's order to office-holders, by participating actively in a Senatorial Convention. The *Post* says that Mr. Clancy was discharged "for voting for the 'opposition' candidate."

It is proposed in some quarters that the President and Secretary Evarts shall relieve themselves from embarrassment by nominating Gen. Grant for the English Mission. That he would be acceptable to the government and the people of Great Britain, and would creditably represent his country at the Court of St. James, is certain.—*Traveller.*

Senator Davis seems to be the new party. One day the democratic correspondents announce with glee that he votes on their side, and the next day republican correspondents blow bubbles of pride at an action of his, favorable to their side. Mr. Davis seems likely to up the Senate chamber in whichever direction he moves. He should have a seat in the middle of the center aisle.

Fernando Wood, who, as the predestined Chairman of Ways and Means Comtee, must be considered some authority, says it will be impossible for Congress to adjourn before November 15, at the very earliest. Heister Clymer says he does not think the Navy Deficiency bill will be passed until the regular session. It certainly will not be passed, he says, until the House knows just where all the money went, just who authorized illegal borrowing of money from one fund for another, and just what auditors passed the accounts.

An issue must soon be made under the Civil Tenure act, to test the sincerity of the President's professions in regard to the civil service. He laid down the rule distinctly and emphatically that no public officer should be displaced except for good cause affecting his competency or his personal character, and that an official who had faithfully served one term under a commission should be reappointed. Senators are prepared to state that Hayes repeatedly took this position with them, and they are equally prepared to prove that he deliberately violated his own rule and broke his voluntary promises.

The Pennsylvania delegation which went to Washington to confer with the President have left in disgust. They represent that the conference was not spirited, but that the President gave no assurance which indicated that he was disposed to do any more for his party than he has already done. After they left the President's presence, a conference was held, and a committee was appointed to wait upon Senator Conkling and invite him to deliver his Rochester Convention speech in Pennsylvania. Mr. Conkling declined, giving as an excuse that he thought his post of duty now was in the Senate.

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Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45	
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SOUTH END FOUNDRY.

The foundry on Mechanic street, facing the old cemetery at Point of Graves, is one of the land marks of our city. When it was built we cannot say; but in the palmy days of Portsmouth, during its greatest commercial prosperity, it was used as a store or warehouse by Mr. Jacob Sheafe, who was then one of the principal merchants. At that time the depth of water at the wharves in that vicinity,—where now a fisherman's dory will hardly float at low water,—was sufficient to allow the largest merchant vessels to come in to land their cargoes. Many anecdotes are related of Mr. Sheafe, which mark him as having possessed more than ordinary shrewdness. One of them is that he one day bought a quantity of pork in barrels, and on entering the warehouse next morning found his pork was gone; but he said nothing to any person about his loss. Some time afterward, when at the Spring Market, he was asked by a man if he had ever found out who stole that pork, to which he at once replied, "Yes; you and I are the only persons who know about it." It is hardly necessary to say that the pork was paid for.

After the war of 1812—15, which virtually destroyed the commerce of Portsmouth, (as of other places,) this building became the receptacle of the irrepressible small boys' missiles, as the urchins of those days, as of the present, were apt to make the windows of desolate buildings the marks of their skill. But though the city's commerce was gone, the enterprising spirit of the citizens was left, and in many cases turned from mercantile to manufacturing pursuits. This place was selected for an iron foundry, and a stock company was formed to run it, with Mr. John Smith as agent and Mr. John W. Fernald as clerk. Since that time it has, we believe, always been a foundry, sometimes full of busy workmen for years together and at other times unused for years; and the number of times it has been on fire passeth the memory of man.

Mr. Ira Haselton occupied it for the manufacture of stoves, and secured a wide reputation for the excellence of his goods. Mr. Haselton was followed in his occupancy of the building by Huntoon, Baker & Co., general jobbers; and they in turn were followed by Drake & Co., who used the building as a brass and iron foundry, and machine shop. Mr. Drake was a thorough mechanic, and had his capital been equal to his mechanical ability, his extensive business would have resulted in marked success. He engaged largely in the manufacture of iron fence, (specimens of which now adorn this and many other cities,) and also in composition and brass fittings. During Mr. Drake's occupancy the foundry was partially destroyed by fire, (it had been partially destroyed by fire a good many times before, but this time the destruction was less partial than on any other occasion,) and when rebuilt was extended to its present form and size.

Succeeding Drake & Co., was Mr. J. L. Ross, of Boston, jobber and fitter. Then the old foundry was idle a long while; and then Sweetser & Clark, of this city, started in to make stoves and do general foundry work. But they were not long in finding that they could not make stoves at a price to compete with the great stove-making establishments of the large cities, and the enterprise was abandoned. The old foundry was abandoned, too, for another series of years, until a few months ago.

The present occupants are d'Este & Co., of Boston, the only manufacturers in New England of soil pipe and fittings; they also do all sorts of plumbers' brass and iron work, ship work in brass and iron, all kinds of jobbing in all sizes of castings that are likely to be called for here, and make sleigh shoes, etc.; manufacturing the ventilating hopper is also an important item of their business. An extension has been added to the foundry by d'Este & Co., for finishing rooms; and one of the outer buildings has been converted into a brass foundry. The firm commenced operations with seven workmen, which number has already been increased to fourteen; and with their present orders they are assured of work for some months ahead. We hope they will soon see their way clear to still further increase their business; and if their enterprise does not succeed it will not be because we do not wish it success. The office of d'Este & Co. is at No. 65 1-2 Sudbury street, Boston.

MEMORABLE WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

The thirtieth anniversary of the wedding of Dr. and Mrs. Adams Perry was celebrated at their residence on High Street on Friday evening last. The Doctor's friends and patients are very numerous, and they gathered in large numbers to pay their respects to this worthy couple. Nearly every physician in this city was present. So highly is the Doctor esteemed by his patients, that many of them brought choice presents, much to the surprise of the Doctor and his estimable wife—presents never having entered into their heads when inviting their friends to call. We learn that the Doctor is the oldest physician here in practice and in years. He has been a resident of Portsmouth for nearly thirty years, and although at the time he came here there was only one physician here older than himself, he has outlived all who were in practice here at that time. Whether this is owing to his method of practice, and taking his own medicine is not for us to decide. The Doctor has been the father of seventeen children, ten of whom are now living, scattered over various States in the Union; but several of them were present on this occasion, as well as numerous grand-children, and there are also great-grand-children at a respectable age. May the Doctor and his worthy wife long live to minister to the sufferings of his fellow citizens. The "wedding cake" that the CHRONICLERS had a taste of was "prime."

FIXING THE SIDEWALKS.

The Aldermen are considering the cost of repairing some of the bad sidewalks, particularly in front of H. H. Ladd's on Middle street, Mr. Durgin's on Islington street, and Frye's and Clark's stores on Congress street. While they are about it we respectfully suggest that they take a look at the sidewalk on Market square just in front of Henry F. Gerrish's store; this walk is not absolutely dangerous, but there is a depression in it which fills with water on the slightest provocation, and leaves but a narrow strip of dry land on each side for the use of pedestrians; and gentlemen going along this walk on their way home late at night invariably walk through the puddle, and then use all sorts of language about the Board of Aldermen. This language no doubt the Board will be held responsible for at some future day, and the sooner they fix the walk the easier it will be for them to answer; we hope they will do it quickly, for we want them to get off easily,—as we give the present Board credit for working as earnestly and intelligently for the best interests of the city as any Board within our recollection.

SUPREME COURT--SECOND WEEK.

Saturday, Oct. 27th, before *Stanley, J.*

In case State *vs.* Ward, the jury at the coming in of the Court, returned a verdict of "not guilty." The jury were out about an hour and a half, before coming to an agreement.

State *vs.* John S. Havey: This was an indictment for keeping liquor for sale, contrary to law, at Salem. The respondent waived reading the indictment, and pleaded not guilty. Three witnesses were produced to prove sales, besides the evidence of an officer who searched the premises. The respondent was put upon the witness stand and testified that he formerly kept groceries and liquors, but since last spring, when he was indicted, he went out of business, and sold out to his son, John J. Havey, and has since had no interest in the store. He has waited there when his son was absent. Didn't know anything about liquors being there; did not see any to his knowledge. A government license to sell tobacco in name of John J. Havey was shown the witness. He denied selling liquors to the other witnesses who had testified as to purchasing. The evidence by the production of the license was objected to and excluded. The respondent further testified that his son was 23 years of age, and was to pay him $800 for the stock and had paid a part. Mr. Gordon of Salem testified that as an insurance agent he had issued a policy of insurance on the stock in the store for J. J. Havey, the son. This comprised the evidence. The case was given to the jury in the forenoon. Small for State. Hatch for Havey.

The Court adjourned until Monday, when the verdict in this case was announced.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, Oct. 27.

The amount of costs and fines assessed by Judge Batchelder was $49.50, all for simple drunks. Charles Clark and John Ferguson went to Brentwood to work out their sentences. John Sullivan, a witness in the Hankins case, had witness fees due him, and went to jail. He will pay his fine when he gets his witness fees. F. W. Seavey and E. M. Foss paid their $9.90 each, like good little men, and are free to go and do so some more.

THE CITY.

The editor of this paper has escaped to Massachusetts, and business was generally suspended throughout this city, yesterday.

Col. J. Horace Kent delivered a temperance address at the Town Hall in Exeter, Sunday evening.

Friday night's frost brought down the horse-chestnut leaves in profusion, and the trees look naked.

The old house at the corner of Penhallow and Daniel streets, which refused to burn last week, survived the great fires of 1808 and 1805.

Wade Hampton is said to strongly resemble the late Hon. Richard Jenness of this city, but is said to be younger and a handsomer man.

The sale at auction of the thirty-second part of the new ship Paul Jones on Saturday, resulted in its disposal to John W. Caswell for $2125, or at the rate of $68,000 for a ship that has cost over $83,000.

Detective wanted at this office—to keep us posted as to the whereabouts of our "devil." Persons applying for the position must come prepared to "put in" all their time.

A nice thing is Hodder's Blotter for protecting note and bill paper from soiling; it is also constantly on hand, as a blotter when wanted. O. M. Knight applies them to all work ordered from him, when desired.

Tweed has no small vices. He says he never smoked a cigar or chewed a piece of tobacco in his life, don't like whiskey, and was always very temperate. Why don't the *Weekly* hold him up as an example for the youth of the country?

Every one but "The Sage of Broad Street" seems to have had a diploma awarded at the Grange Hall Show. He hopes to make the best show of onions next year, however, having planted that "little kitten" that the boys stoned to death, in his onion-bed. "After life's fitful fever she sleeps well."

Mr. Martin Hoyt, at his hair-dressing saloon on Congress street, over Freeman's oyster-house, has three juvenile golden robins, which he has brought up from infancy. Mr. Hoyt has recently built them a hotel, 3x2x2 1-2 feet, and it is amusing to see them playing every day at "touch-and-run" with all the vivacity and earnestness of the small boy of the period. The robins are quite tame, fly about the room without fear, and frequently perch upon the occupants of the tonsorial chairs while the artists are amputating beards. Their morning ablutions always interest the "next."

THE VICINITY.

Major George Marston has sold his homestead and several acres of woodland, lying near Philips pond, Sandown, to Messrs. Gage & Jones, for $3600. The Major has not yet decided where he shall settle, but intends to spend the winter at Washington, D. C.

The new town hall at Hampton Falls will be dedicated to-morrow evening at seven o'clock. The exercises will consist of an introductory address by Hon. Warren Brown, Chairman of Building Committee, a historical address by Hon. John J. Bell of Exeter, and speeches from citizens of Hampton Falls and other places.

Walter A. Hayes discharged a shot gun at some pigeons in his father's garden at Dover, and one of the shots hit Mr. William Rafferty, who was digging a cellar on a lot opposite, entering the fleshy part of the thigh. The shot must have glanced, as the young man says he fired at the pigeons on the ground, and had no idea of its going in that direction. The surgeon was unable to find the shot.

The yield of corn in all sections of the State is very large. In no localities has it been affected by frost. In Rockingham county the harvest of corn is the largest for many years. The unusually warm weather of September ripened the grain perfectly. One writer from Rockingham county says that fifty bushels to the acre in that section would be a low average.

The funeral of Joseph W. Welch, Esq., of Dover, will be held this forenoon at 11:30. Mr. Welch was a prominent Mason and for many years a member of the Grand Commandry of Knights Templar of New Hampshire. His funeral, although without Masonic ceremony, will be attended by many of the present and past officers of the Grand Commandry.

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MARRIAGES.

BREWSTER—BALCH. In Boston, Oct. 24th, at he residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. Jos. May of Philadelphia, assisted by Rev. E. W. Allen of North Middleborough, Mass., (uncle of the groom,) Mr. William H. Brewster, Jr., of the firm of Brewster & Graves, of Boston, and son of Mr. William H. Brewster of Newburyport, and Miss Gertrude Arline Balch, eldest daughter of Mr. William C. Balch of Boston.

DEATHS.

DICKERSON. In South Hampton, Oct. 12, Mary E. Dickerson, aged 25 years.

FOLLANSBEE. In South Seabrook, Oct. 13, Almaretta Follansbee, wife of Mr. Reuben Follansbee, aged 49 years.

WEARE. At Cape Neddick, Me., Oct. 15, Dorcas Weare, wife of Capt. Theodore Weare, aged 77 years.

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Sch Utica, Martin, St Stephen, N B.

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Sch Three Sisters, Baker, Kennebec.
Sch Sarah A Reed, Guptill, Calais.
Sch G W Raitt, Coleman, Boston.
Sch A J Williams, Murch, Boston.
Sch Satellite, Adderton, Boston.
Sch Kendrich Fish, Hooper, Thomaston.
Sch Susan Ross, Haskill, St George.
Golden Gate, Amee, Boston.
Sch Telumah, Bennett, East.
Sch Thomas Clyde, Fisher, Philadelphia.
Sch E H Pray, Clark, Boston.
Sch Modena, Clark, Boston.

Sch Clara E Simpson, Talpey, for this port cld from Baltimore Oct 25.

Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, cld from Bath for New York Oct 26.

Sch Campbell, Marshall, for this port from Port Johnson, arr at Vineyard Haven Oct 24.

Sch Herald, Frisbee, from Boston, arr at Portland Oct 24.

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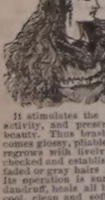

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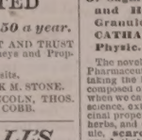

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—South Londonderry, Vt., has been enjoying a pretty little love romance, which has ended in the proper way. Rev. L. W. Wheeler brought his nineteen years old grand-daughter Ida from the White Mountains region of New Hampshire, to prevent her marrying the man of her choice, and to force her into wedding a rich Lyme, N. H., youth. The favored lover followed, and there have been numerous delicious little stolen talks between the couple, with scornful dismissals and threats of violence by the reverend grandpa—all to the delight of the sympathizing villagers. Recently, however, the grandfather was caught away from the house, the girl was hurried to the hotel to her lover, and, while grandpapa was storming around trying to bring a breach of promise suit against the girl in the name of the unfortunate Lyme youth, the heroine and her hero were quietly married.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	107¾
Maine State 6s, 1889	112¼
N. H. State 6s, 1878	104¾
N. H. State 6s 1879	102¾
N. H. State 6s 1880	103¼
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 3½	50¾
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60¾
Boston & Maine	53
Boston & Providence	120¼
Boston & Albany	125
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	100
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	64¼
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Pork per bl., $16 @ $18.
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Daily Chronicle.

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Washington Correspondence.

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Mr. Bakers' bill, just introduced, provides for the remonetization of the silver dollar, 412 1-2 grains weight standard silver, to be a legal tender for all debts, public and private; it authorizes the issue of Treasury notes similar (as near as possible) to greenbacks, redeemable in silver on presentation, and receivable for taxes due the United States, and also exchangeable for silver bullion at the rate of one dollar for every 480 grains pure silver. Senator Ingalls has also introduced a remonetization bill by the provisions of which the silver dollar is made a legal tender for all public and private debts, save those specially contracted to be paid in gold. Other members, ambitious of distinction as financiers, have indicated their purpose to follow suit, and others, still, are said to be preparing measures having for their object the repeal of the act designating the first of January 1879 as the date of resumption.

The designation of Simon Cameron to represent us at the Court of St. James has given the politicians a severe turn. Democrats insist that it is a sop thrown to placate radical republicans, who have certainly made themselves felt since the meeting of Congress. In other words that the President has turned his conciliatory efforts in the direction of his own party which threatened to take the bits in its teeth. Of course the old liners are pleased and ascribe it to their vigorous protests.

Sitting Bull's discourteous reception of the Commission, is treated good humoredly, the conviction seeming to be that with the Nez Perces subdued and the Sioux, recently represented here, reconciled to their removal to the Missouri, we can deal effectually with that gentle savage, with the forces thus liberated, should he venture across the line with hostile intent. KNOX.

News and Notes.

A musical convention commences at Saco to-day in which Henry C. Barnabee takes a prominent part.

Edwin Adams, the actor, died in Philadelphia, Sunday.

Edward Southward, late cashier of the North Bridgewater Savings Bank, died eight months ago, none too soon. An investigation shows a deficit in his accounts of only $80,000.

President MacMahon has accepted the resignation of the French Cabinet, and has agreed to a policy of compromise.

Russia is to have a new constitution "on an aristocratic basis"—whatever that may be.

Chickasaw county, Miss., is distinguished as a place where juries are bribed in open court into rendering iniquitous verdicts. At the last term the jury-rooms were invaded, and whisky and cigars furnished the jurors, while they made up verdicts of "not guilty" in the face of the most positive evidence of guilt. The Judge finally closed the docket and adjourned the court, declaring that he would "try no more cases before these juries."

Pietre Paliona and Hosea Divita, both Italics, got into a quarrel at a christening party in Newark, N. J., on Sunday. Paliona inserted a long stiletto into Divita's anatomy some nine times, and Divita is thinking seriously of departing this life.

The Merchants' National Bank of Salem attached during the past week, as property of the Eastern Railroad, that portion of the Portland and Ogdensburg road in Strafford and Grafton counties running from Livermore Station to Saunders Falls, about three miles in extent. It also trusteed many patrons of the road in those counties, being a continuation of the suit begun early in October for the sum of $50,000 loaned to the road. This action is the second brought by that bank, and is returnable at the January term of the Supreme Court, Rockingham county.

The American Seamen's Friend Society are to furnish the Life Saving stations with a library. The government furnishing the cases to hold the books. The eighty-two libraries will contain 3,280 volumes, mostly of a religious nature.

President MacMahon, when receiving General Grant at the Elysees, said he was much gratified to make the acquaintance of so illustrious a soldier. He offered to open all the French military establishments to his inspection, and to furnish him with means of knowing everything he desired concerning the military affairs. Grant accepted the offer with thanks.

It is said that Bob Ingersoll was made an infidel by the alternate praying and flogging of his father, who was a minister, and a very stern parent.

Tosselli proposes to establish watering places for ships at sea. It is well known that in many places springs of fresh water arise from the bottom of the ocean. These he proposes to utilize by means of flexible tubes held at the surface by suitable buoys. M. Tosselli, it is said, has given the subject careful study, and made provisions for the preservation of his apparatus against storms.

In one of the public schools of New York city two thousand children are gathered daily. Like many school buildings, this one is badly ventilated, has no cellar, and stands close to a crowded tenement-house. The rooms are only kept habitable by sprinkling the floor with disinfectants. One teacher has died already of typhoid fever, and another has been ill with the same disease.

A Mrs. Ball, of New Jersey, has sued Richard Grant White for breach of promise; damages $25,000. And yet Richard growls because some people persist in spelling "bouquet" with only one "u," and "diphtheria" with but one "h."

A woman named Bowen, living in Norwich, Conn., killed a burglar named Benj. H. Muzzey with a base ball bat, Sunday morning.

Gabrielle Greeley is very beautiful.

Some one suggests that the Londonera place Cleopatra's needle in Threadneedle street, But wouldn't it be just as proper to stick it in the outskirts?—*Norr. Herald.*

Many people are busy in this world gathering together a handful of thorns to sit upon.—*Jeremy Taylor.*

It is a lonesome day when no savings bank fails.—*Chicago Post.*

A tramp called at a house on West Hill recently and asked for something to eat. He was so thin, he said, that when he had a pain he couldn't tell whether it was a touch of the colic or the backache.—*Burlington Hawk-Eye.*

Found, on Boston Common, a small piece of elastic about ten inches in length, with monogram buckle. The owner can have it by calling and proving her property.—*Boston Post.* Let's see. Ten inches in length; scarce three and a third inches in diameter. H'm. 'Twasn't any Down East girl lost that.—*Belfast Journal.*

It is reported that Lydia Thompson will bring her performances to a close next spring. If her next spring should bring any clothes to her performance, it will be a great improvement.—*Atchion Champion.*

The mysterious disappearance of Frank Edsall, aged fifteen years, who left Hamburg, N. J., to attend school at New York, three weeks ago, is solved by a letter stating that he is penniless in London, to which place he went by a sudden impulse.

A legal question of some importance has arisen in Pennsylvania, touching the authority of the grand jury of Allegheny to compel Governor Hartranft, the Adjutant-General, Secretary of State, and several military officials of the State, to appear before it and testify regarding the Pittsburg riots. The Attorney-General denies jurisdiction, but attachments have been issued against the officers.

The Register of Bankuptcy in New York draws a heavy indictment against the Bankrupt Law. He says that it has almost become the universal practice in that city for persons knowing themselves to be insolvent to make large purchases of merchandise, make fictitious debts to friends, and then make a general assignment to some personal friend, who continues the business at the old stand. The bankrupt continues to live in style, and at the end of six months is put through involuntary bankruptcy and discharged, his general creditors benefitting at their expense.

The Turks are reported negotiating for the surrender of Kars, there is a panic at Erzeroum on account of a Russian advance, and England is negotiating for peace. The exportation of grain from Constantinople is forbidden.

New Hampshire Items.

Shaw & Haywood's excelsior mill, situated at East Tilton, was destroyed by fire Saturday night. Loss, $10,000; no insurance.

A daughter of Ossian Ray of Lancaster broke an arm recently by falling from a sofa.

In the Supreme Court, in session a Ossipee, in the case of John G. Cate vs. the town of Wolfeboro, for injuries received in 1875 by a defective highway, a verdict was rendered for plaintiff in $3500. In the action of Adam Brown vs. the Lake National Bank, to recover $1000 loaned in 1857, a verdict was rendered for plaintiff for $3900.

The Fish Commissioners of the State have issued a notice, declaring the waters of Winnipesaukee, Winnesquam, Squam Lake, Sanbornton Bay, and all waters thereto tributary, closed from all fishing, for a period of sixty days from October 20th, 1877. This is in pursuance of the authority vested in them by the act passed by the last legislature.

Forest King won the 2:34 race at Dover, Saturday; best time 2:29.

The Dover *Democrat* says it is "reported from Washington that the Naval office held in Boston by Col. Daniel Hall is to be abolished. Well, there are a great many offices that ought to be abolished; but whether this is one of that sort, we are not well informed. But this abolition dodge looks like one of Bro. Small's schemes to accomplish what he is not likely to do if the office remains."

John Welsh of Philadelphia is said to be booked for the English mission. Mr. Welsh was one of the big backers of the Centennial Exhibition.

Henry Colony and Samuel W. Hale, of Keene, directors of the Manchester and Keene Railroad, were arrested in Boston on Friday and held in $500,000, to answer suit for $1,500,000, for labor and material furnished by the contractors in building the road. The case involves a point of individual responsibility for the acts of incorporated companies, and will go to the Supreme Court for adjudication.

It turns out that the young man recently arrested for attempted burglary in Nashua, who said his name was John Brown, and that he lived in Concord, is Calvin Underwood, and that he has been working in the Nashua shoe shop several months. The lady with whom he boarded says in her opinion he is a steady, honest lad. She thinks he is not in his right mind. One or two of the night watchmen who saw the young man shortly after he was taken into custody are of the same opinion.

The Manchester Print Works have suspended until about Dec. 1, to effect the usual change in patterns from Fall to Spring styles. The fancy dye house of the Manchester mills is also included in the temporary suspension.

Mr. Asa L. Peckett, station agent at Nashua for the Concord Railroad, left home on Wednesday last and has not been heard from since. Whither he went or on what business, if any, no one is informed. In fact, the cause of his absence cannot be explained. His friends are greatly alarmed. It is said that his accounts at the road are all right, and it is believed that worriment over a recent lawsuit of the road in which he was the principal witness has caused insanity.

Political.

On Monday, the President sent in to the Senate the names of E. W. Stoughton of New York, to be Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to Russia; Theodore Roosevelt, Collector of the port of New York; E. A. Merritt, Surveyor; L. Bradford Prince, Naval Officer.

If the republican party had stuck to principle everywhere as it did in Maine and Iowa, it might have carried Ohio with a rush and been standing upon certain ground in Massachusetts. The reign of the Pharisees is about finished.—*Traveller.*

The democratic party of Ohio have resumed.—*Eaton Democrat.*

From which we may reasonably expect renewed assaults on the Common Schools; the revival of Ghegan bills; increase of taxation; mismanagement of the State finances, and the prostitution of the charitable, penal and reformatory institutions to partisan purposes.—*Eaton Register.*

Hon. Joseph B. Morss of Newburyport is likely to be the democratic candidate for Senator from that district.

"Once," say the office-holders, "it was meat and drink for us to put up for the party, but times have changed—no more halcyon days. We won't lose our heads any quicker by not giving than by giving, and they can't force it from us. We don't owe R. B. anything, for he has trod upon our liberties, and may order us out, and we can't contribute in the interest of any person who could save us. Solid men to the front is their only help just now."

By dint of judicious boarding around. Gen. McClellan hopes to make himself the favorite son of thirty-eight different States.

After eight months and more of cogitation, Ex-Gov. Tilden has opened his mouth, and whineth forth that he was elected President. It is a dismal "yawp."

The great expense of an extra session of Congress was incurred because the democratic House failed at the last session to make needed appropriations, and because the machinery of the Government was interrupted for want of them.

One of the peculiarities of the debate on the Colorado case is the conduct of Judge Harris, of Virginia, who appears as the champion of Mr. Patterson. It is quite certain that Judge Harris will be continued as chairman of the Committee on Elections, and will, by reason of his position, be called to pass judicially on a number of contested cases. A judge who should step down from the bench and argue the case he was sworn to try before the jury would startle everybody's sense of propriety; and yet this is the exact position of Mr. Harris. Should the Colorado case be referred to the Committee on Elections, we know now just what Judge Harris' decision will be; for has he not announced it already? Men who are called upon to act as judges should drop the *role* of advocates; otherwise their decisions will be the subject of popular contempt.—*Washington Rep.*

The day that Harlan's name was sent to the Senate as Justice of the Supreme Court, to fill the place of David Davis, I caught sight of Gen. Bristow going down Broadway in an omnibus. Bristow looked dark, fierce and bull-headed. He had lived to see that his small and sinister underminings of Grant's great fame had only brought him suspicion and defeat. The fulsome adulations of what are called independent newspapers have never dispossessed the American mind of the notion that Bristow was false to Grant, who was his friend, admirer and developer.—*Gath.*

Congressman Martin I. Townsend, of New York, is reported as saying that he "felt very kindly toward the President, and had desired to support him cordially, but he had been surprised at the reports which he had read from time to time that the President regarded the members of Congress as a set of scamps and not exactly reputable people, and as he was considered a tolerably honest and respectable man at home, he did not care to introduce himself at the White House, when he could not be certain of the standing which he occupied."

The utter folly of seeking to conciliate and tame democrats by concessions and kindness was never more clearly illustrated than just at present.

The Tammany hall Senatorial Convention of the Seventh district, New York, nominated Augustus Schell to run against John Morrissey in place of George W. McGlynn, who has resigned on account of insanity.

P. T. Barnum was on Saturday nominated at Bridgeport for Representative in the Legislature.

I wish it distinctly understood that I live where I do now—General McClellan. *Rochester Democrat.*

The Utica *Republican* calls George William Curtis "the apostle of swash."

Opposition to the Brooklyn Bridge.

Rumors that the Brooklyn Bridge is to meet with an opposition that will decide whether or not it is to be completed, are in circulation among ware-house-men, property-owners, ship-owners and ship-masters. These men are opposed to the bridge because they declare that it is not of a sufficient height above the water to permit the passage of vessels of the largest class, with all their spars standing. The striking of the spars, they say, cannot be done by regular crews, and hence would cause a loss, both in the wages paid to riggers especially employed for the purpose, and in the detention of the vessels. They say, if ten feet could be added to the present height, almost every vessel, submerged to half load line, could pass, provided the light spars above the top-gallant masts were sent down. If completed upon the present plan, they declare that many of the larger vessels will be obliged to send everything down, to the topmasts. The following are some of the vessels which it is claimed will be seriously affected by the bridge at only 135 feet above mean high water level in mid-river; their height from the water's edge to the top-gallant masts is given: Ship Hudson, 149 1-2 feet; ship Amazon, 183 feet; ship N. B. Palmer, 169 feet; ship Mercury, 170 feet. The following vessels are given, with the height of their topmasts above the water's edge: Ship Great Republic, 143 feet; ship Palestine, 134 feet; ship John C. Calhoun, 135 1-2 feet; ship Constellation, 132 feet.

The basis of action by the opposers seems to be in one section of the Act of Congress, permitting the bridge to be built upon a plan approved by the Secretary of War. This section reads: "Provided that the said bridge shall be so constructed and built as not to obstruct, impair, or injuriously modify the navigation of the river." They claim that if any one vessel is obliged to strike her spars to pass under the bridge, then the structure becomes an illegal one under the strict letter of the law. It will then have to be removed, and the money already spent upon it will have been wasted. Case No. 108 on the calendar of the United States Circuit Court, is to test the legality of this structure. Its opponents say that no more time will be wasted, but that the case will be pushed forward to a decision as rapidly as possible. It is also claimed that the Council of Political Reform will bring a suit against the Bridge Company for wasteful expenditure of the people's money. Henry A. Burr opposes the bridge, by contesting the company's right to open a new street without a special act of the Legislature, which has not been obtained. He has presented his argument before the Supreme Court and a decision is expected in a few days.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Movements of the Fishing Fleet.

The shore mackereling fleet continue in the neighborhood of Cape Cod, meeting with indifferent success, and it becomes more and more apparent that the mackerel stock for 1877 will be the smallest known for years. Scarcely a vessel employed in the business will pay expenses, and a majority of the crews will find themselves in straightened circumstances when they come to sum up the season's work. The demand is not active, the present call being supplied to a large extent by Provincial fish, which were hurried forward on account of the small catch and expectation of high prices, the receipts at Boston from foreign ports being nearly twice as large as they were to this date of last year, and buyers are holding off lest there should be a lively Fall spurt to unsettle the market. The probability of such a spurt grows smaller every day, and the market is firm and buoyant.

The Bay mackerel fleet report no catch of consequence since the gale a month ago, and the weather is growing so rough that there is little prospect of increasing the catch, and the arrivals will begin to grow numerous soon. The prospect is that many of the vessels will be compelled to come home with very light fares, and a balance on the wrong side of the ledger. The number of arrivals since our last issue has been ten, and the receipts 1925 bbls.

The Bank fleet continue to make short trips, and bring in light fares; twelve have been reported the past week. The market has been fairly supplied with fresh halibut, but the receipts of Bank codfish have not been large. We notice receipts of 145,000 lbs. halibut and 365,000 lbs. Bank codfish.

The Georges season is drawing to a close. Twenty arrivals have been reported since our last issue, with 160,000 lbs. codfish. The stock on the market is small, the call fair, and prices well sustained.

During the late storm two reliable men from the Boston Fish Bureau went through the Shore Mackerel Fleet rendezvousing at Provincetown and boarded 162 vessels, having a total catch of 7310 bbls. sea-packed mackerel, a trifle less than 60 bbls. each. On a basis of a fleet of 500 vessels, with a catch of 60 bbls. on the average, the stock to be landed would be 18,000 bbls. sea-packed, or about 14,400 bbls. after inspection. This amount will not probably be largely increased by later catch. The fleet remained at Provincetown Monday and Tuesday, and have not had good fishing weather since. Late advices report mackerel passing South rapidly, and unless the next few days show an improvement in the catch, most of the fleet will withdraw.—*Cape Ann Advertiser.*

—By care being exercised in saving all the remnants of models found in the ashes in the Patent Office after the fire many of the destroyed models can be reproduced.

—A new religious sect has been formed where a man is obliged to confess all his sins to his wife once a week. This is his punishment. It is needless to mention any other one for her.

—William H. Vanderbilt was an inveterate smoker in his youth, and one day in 1853 as the family were on the steam yacht North Star en route for St. Petersburg, his father remarked to him, "I wish you would give up that smoking habit of yours. I'll give you $10,000 if you do it." The son replied: "You need not give me any money. Your wish is quite sufficient." He has not smoked since.

—Score one good word for tobacco. An Ohio couple recently quarreled, and in the heat of the moment the man packed his carpet-bag and left the house, forever, as he informed his wife. At a short distance from the house he found that he had forgotten his tobacco box. He accordingly returned, filled his mouth with the fragrant weed, its influence causing him to look upon his wife with kinder eyes, and in another moment a reconciliation had been effected.

—Any one who takes an interest in the sensations of hanging will be pleased with the recently narrated experience of John Burns of Newtonia, Mo., who, during the war, was choked by ruffians who wished to compel him to give up money which he was supposed to have. He was four times hauled up by a rope tied about his neck, and each time lost consciousness as soon as his feet left the floor; though he felt no pain at any time, except the chafing of the skin of his neck. He weighs 200 pounds and probably stretched the rope considerably.

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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
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	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:35 10:10	5:50
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Dover,	10:20	5:50

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E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

It is said that a choir of one hundred singers is being recruited in this city to assist at the revival meetings, but that none but professors of religion will be eligible. What a choir that will be!

Engines Nos. Three and Four had a competitive trial as to which could get up steam quickest, Monday evening, Four getting up ten pounds of steam in six minutes, and Three in six and a half.

Mr. Jonathan Buzzell, Jr., a member of the Common Council, has gone to Florida to seek a climate more conducive to his health than that of New Hampshire. He is accompanied by Mr. Fred. C. Moses.

The Light Artillery will commence a course of assemblies this (Tuesday) evening in Mechanics' Hall. Music by Harlow's Orchestra. The management guarantee a good time to all who attend. Tickets 50 cts.

This is a good opportunity for the city to secure a part of the lot on which the old house stands at the corner of Daniel and Penhallow street, in order to make the latter street of uniform width; as it now is the end of the house projects into the street about ten feet.

The course of lectures under the auspices of the Methodist church which was to have opened on Wednesday evening of this week, is postponed until after the Union meetings, which are to be held under the direction of Major Whittle during the month of November.

SUPREME COURT--THIRD WEEK.

Monday, Oct. 29th, before *Stanley, J.* In case State *vs.* Havey, the jury were unable to agree on a verdict, and were discharged from the case.

Edgar W. Warner, who was charged at the October term, 1876, with stealing a watch in August, 1876, and was allowed to go on probation, was brought into Court upon the representation that he had not conducted himself as stipulated when he was allowed to go last October, and was sentenced to one year's confinement in the jail at Exeter, and to pay a fine of one dollar and costs of prosecution.

The trials in the civil list began with the case Sarah E. Merrill *vs.* Wm. B. Merrill, action by a daughter for services rendered her father. Hatch for plaintiff, Marston and Stickney for the defendant.

The new docket was called in the afternoon.

POLICE COURT.

Monday Oct. 29th.

Obed Nickerson and William Leary were judged guilty of being drunk on a public street, and fined the usual cost of $9.90, which they paid.

Thomas Spottiswood, charged with an assault with intent to commit rape, was bound over in the sum of $100 for his appearance at the Supreme Court to be holden at Exeter in April next.

THE NEW OPERA HOUSE.

The steam tubular boiler for heating the new Opera House, was placed in the basement last week. It was manufactured by the Exeter Machine Company and is said to be an improvement upon all models of steam heating yet produced.

The contractor for putting up the building having concluded his labor and withdrawn from the work, the finishing is now being done by a gang of joiners from Kittery. As the staging comes down and the brick wall receives a coat of oil, the exterior of the building begins to look more attractive.

Rear Admiral George H. Preble will be detached from the command of the South Pacific Squadron in January next, and Rear Admiral John C. Howell, now chief of the Bureau of Yards and Docks, will relieve him if his health purmits; if not, Commodore Robert H. Wyman will be ordered. Admiral Preble will be retired on his return home.

The U. S. frigate Alaska, now being fitted at the Brooklyn Navy Yard as flag ship of the South Pacific, the command of which has been offered to Capt. George Brown, has been declined. The honor of the choice lies between Capt. O. C. Badger and Capt. A. E. K. Benham.

MARRIAGES.

SHAW—MCCOLLIN. In this city, Oct. 28th, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. Joseph O. Shaw and Miss Clara A. McCollin, all of Portsmouth.

SEWALL—GUPTILL. In South Eliot, Me., Oct. 24th, by Rev. B. Freeman, Mr. N. Millard Sewall, of York, and Miss Emma E. F. Guptill, daughter of Dr. Guptill, of Eliot.

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Portsmouth Chronicle

The Lawrence (Mass.) Aldermen vote to decrease the Mayor's salary from $1500 to $1200, City Clerk from $1800 to $1500, Treasurer from $2500 to $2300, and the Marshal and Street Commissioner from $1500 to $1200. The Assessors are to have $2 a day, instead of $3, but the police remain at $2 a day.

—General Grant has been the innocent cause of a most unseemly row between the Mayor and Council of Leamington, England. Hearing that he was to visit the town a "reception" was projected, but the Council voted down the matter on account of the expense. The Mayor accordingly paid the expenses out of his own pocket, and revenged himself by not inviting the Councillors to the banquet. A spirited interchange of verbal compliments ensued, in the course of which the Mayor remarked that "the General was not accustomed to be exhibited at feeding-time at so much a head." The towns-people loudly criminate both the Mayor and Council.

—Mr. Sunset Cox says that when he had been in Brown University two or three weeks he came to the college one morning "in a hurry and made a bee-line across the grass from the gate to the entrance to my room. (You know how the gravel walk winds about through the campus?) Well, I was about half way across when I noticed Dr. Wayland's tall form coming out of the chapel. In a minute he was beckoning to me in his stately way. Then I made a bee-line for him. "My son, where did you come from?" I answered that I came from Ohio. "Don't you see these gravel walks?" was his next question. I replied that I did. "Then why don't you use them?" "I don't know what put it into my head," said Mr. Cox, "but I answered on the instant, "I don't know, sir, but I guess it is because there is more grass than gravel where I came from." From that minute the doctor, it is said, seemed to take a special interest in the young freshman from Ohio.

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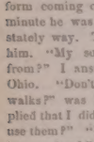

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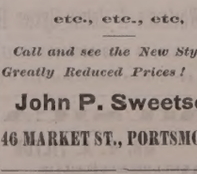

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England has nominally a mixed currency, though in fact ninety-and-nine one-hundredths of her financial business is transacted with paper, but since the poor man's cheap silver has been demonetized, bankruptcies rage like the measles among the Fejees, and national distress stalks in all the manufacturing thoroughfares.

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Peru, whose very soil is full of precious metals and whose fiscality would be polluted with paper money, has recently repudiated her debt, is as poor as a church-mouse, and has not enough assets to entitle her to become bankrupt.

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Towing the Obelisk.

Screw Steamer Olga, nearing Algiers, Oct. 2.—Our voyage hitherto has been successful, though slow, and the Cleopatra behaves splendidly—seems light as a cork, rising to every wave, but pitching tremendously. I have counted as many as seventeen times a minute that her nose has been under water, and then ten or twelve feet above it; but in the worst weather she doesn't show a sign of rolling. The drum on the bow acts as a splendid breakwater, and takes all the force of a head sea from the front of the cabin.

We are towing her now with nearly the full length of the wire rope out, and she steers first rate. We had some trouble at first in calm weather with the shorter cable, when she "yawed" about terribly, but they tightened up the steering chains, and with more rope she now follows straight in our wake. She offers much more resistance to the sea than I anticipated, and I think would have been better with sharper bow and stern. She drives the water off her bows even in fine weather in a mass of foam, and her stern is all in broken water. With favorable wind she carries sail, but it does not appear to help her much. The maximum speed that we have made is a little over six knots with favorable wind, which is two knots or two and one-half less than the Olga's usual speed when heavily loaded, but a head wind brings us down below five at once.

We have had but one casualty. On the 31st ult., Carter signalled: "Stop; want assistance," and it was soon evident that the tow line had parted from the Cleopatra and hung down over our stern. It took some time to haul in the wire rope by purchase tackle and steam winch at first and then by hand. When the end came up we found the thimble on the end of the tow line was gone and the eye broken through. We turned the rope end for end, so as to give the other end to Carter. This was not done much before midnight, when we made up to the Cleopatra and, as the night was very dark and somewhat stormy, told Carter we must wait for daylight; so lay to and dodged about until 5 A. M., when we passed him the other end of the wire rope and fastened it on with an anchor shackle to the bridle-chain, made fast at one end to the clamp on the sternpost, and the other passed round the drum.

This gave us the first opportunity of speaking to Carter since we started. He reported the ship all right and watertight,

fixings all right; the upper bolts of chain sheaves, crab winch, etc., had leaked a little at first, and given some trouble, but they had stopped all with cement. I thought Carter looked careworn; he must have a terribly anxious time, and is constantly on deck, as his boatswain is laid up with congestion of the liver. He can get no rest day or night, and I wonder how any one can sleep in such a "rocking horse," pitching almost constantly fifteen times a minute. We should reach Gibraltar on the 6th inst., and even if we have fine weather can't calculate on reaching Falmouth in less than nine or ten days, so we may hope to drop anchor there. "Insballah," any time between the 15th and 20th instant.—*London Daily News.*

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 31, 1877.

Congress.

In the Senate, Monday, a large number of Executive nominations were received and a few were confirmed.

In the House there was a perfect avalanche of bills under the call of States and Territories, until the total footed up 883. The great bulk were old bills. The call was closed at five o'clock, whereupon the Speaker announced the Committees, the chairmanships being disposed of as follows:

Elections, John F. Harris of Virginia;
Ways and Means, Fernando Wood of New York;
Appropriations, John D. C. Atkins of Tennessee;
Banking and Currency, Aylett H. Buckner of Mississippi;
Pacific Railroads, Clarkson N. Potter of New York;
Claims, John M. Bright of Tennessee;
Commerce, John H. Reagan of Texas;
Public Lands, William R. Morrison of Illinois;
Post Offices and Post Roads, Alfred M. Waddell of North Carolina;
District of Columbia, Alpheus S. Williams of Michigan;
Judiciary, Proctor Knott of Kentucky;
War Claims, John R. Eden of Illinois;
Public Expenditures, Robert A. Hatcher of Missouri;
Private Land Claims, Thomas M. Gunter of Arkansas;
Manufactures, Hendrick B. Wright of Pennsylvania;
Agriculture, Augustus W. Cutler of New Jersey;
Indian Affairs, Alfred M. Scales of North Carolina;
Military Affairs, Henry B. Banning of Ohio;
Militia, Miles Ross of New Jersey;
Naval Affairs, Washington C. Whitthorne of Tennessee;
Foreign Affairs, Thomas Swann of Maryland;
Territories, Benjamin M. Franklin of Missouri;
Pensions of Revolution and War of 1812, Levi A. Mackey of Pennsylvania;
Invalid Pensions, Americus V. Rice of Ohio;
Railways and Canals, Gustave Schleicher of Texas;
Mines and Mining, George M. Beebe of New York;
Education and Labor, John Goode, Jr., of Virginia;
Revision of the Laws, William Walsh of Maryland;
Coinage, Weights and Measures, Alexander H. Stephens of Georgia;
Patents, Robert B. Vance of North Carolina;
Public Buildings and Grounds, Philip Cook of Georgia;
Accounts, Charles M. Roberts of Maryland;
Mileage, James R. Cobb of Indiana;
Expenditures of the State Department, William M. Springer of Illinois;
Expenditures of the Treasury Department, John M. Glover of Missouri;
Expenditures of the War Department, J. C. S. Blackburn of Kentucky;
Expenditures of the Navy Department, Benjamin A. Willis of New York;
Expenditures of the Post Office Department, Jeremiah N. Williams of Alabama;
Expenditures of the Interior Department, Sparks of Illinois;
Expenditures on Public Buildings, William B. Lynde of Wisconsin;
Expenditures in Department of Justice, Edward S. Bragg of Wisconsin;
Reforms in the Civil Service, Carter H. Harrison of Illinois;
Mississippi Levees, Robertson of Louisiana;
Rules, the Speaker;
Revision of the Law Regulating the Counting of the Electoral Vote, etc., Milton I. Southard of Ohio.
Printing, Otho R. Singleton of Mississippi;
Enrolled Bills, Andrew H. Hamilton of Ohio;
Library, Samuel S. Cox of New York.

The House Chairmanships.

Out of thirty-six most important chairmanships the South gets twenty-three, as follows: Elections, Appropriations, Banking and Currency, Claims, Commerce, Post Offices and Post Roads, Judiciary, Public Expenditures, Private Land Claims, Indian Affairs, Naval Affairs, Foreign Affairs, Territories, Railways and Canals, Education and Labor, Revision of the Laws, Coinage, Weights and Measures, Patents, Public Buildings and Grounds, Accounts, Expenditures in the Treasury Department, in the War Department, for the Post Office Department, and Mississippi Levees. The chairmanships by States are assigned as follows: New York gets five, New Jersey two, Pennsylvania two, Maryland three, Virginia two, North Carolina three, Georgia two, Alabama one, Mississippi one, Louisiana one, Ohio three, Kentucky two, Tennessee three, Indiana two, Illinois four, Missouri four, Arkansas one, Michigan one, Texas two, Wisconsin two. New England does not get a single chairmanship. The new members who received chairmanships are Potter of New York, Wright of Pennsylvania, Robertson of Louisiana, Cobb of Indiana and Bragg of Wisconsin.

The "Solid South" is in a fair way to be conciliated, having secured two-thirds of the important chairmanships, a large proportion of them having been given to active Confederates, and very few (we believe not one) to southern democrats who opposed the rebellion. S. S. Cox is stuck away in one corner at the head of the library committee, which is of no earthly consequence in a national point of view; while Hendrick B. Wright, the pitiful, shallow demagogue from the coal district of Pennsylvania, who told the striking railroad men and miners, when they were doing their worst to destroy property and defy the law, that he "would demand of Congress $10,000,000 for the relief of the laboring men"—this wretched demagogue is placed at the head of the committee on manufactures! The committee on banking and currency is considered to be rather a soft-money concern, and the Pacific railroads committee is said to be arranged with special reference to promoting the Texas Pacific grab.

Political.

The New York *Tribune* says: There is a curious anomaly in the canvass in Monroe County. The Democratic party seems to be pretty well in the hands of Jarvis Lord again, one of his counsel, Wm. H. Bowman, being made the chairman of the convention; and yet George Raines, an ardent Tilden man, was nominated for Senator. Mr. Raines is a brother of Thomas Raines, the former State Treasurer, and is a young and eloquent lawyer.

The nomination of Daniel Hall as Naval Officer of the port of Boston was reported back to the Senate from the Committee on Commerce, with the recommendation that it be confirmed.

Collector Simmons, of Boston, expresses himself as ready to speak every second night in behalf of the republican nominees in Massachusetts.

Collecter Arthur of New York has finally decided not to forward his resignation to the President, as requested.

Col: Daniel Hall was confirmed by the U. S. Senate on Tueday as Naval Officer at Boston.

The President sent the name of Hon. John Walsh of Philadelphia to the Senate on Tuesday as Minister to England.

New Hampshire Items.

John Dame of Rochester, depot baggage master at Old Orchard Beach, has been doctored for many years by several physicians for various supposed diseases, until the other day, when a physician told him that he had a snake or some other reptile in his stomach. He did not partake of any food for twenty-four hours, and then medicine was given for the creature inside, with good results, and a wood snake has left the place where it has lodged so long.

A Canaan farmer recently saw two men attempting to drive a hog past his house, but the brute was so obstinate that they finally told the farmer that if he would kill it for them they would give him half of the meat. He accepted the offer with joyful alacrity, and not only killed the hog but dressed it into the bargain, after which the strangers drove away with their half. But when the farmer went at night to feed his own hog he found the pen empty, and it did not take him long to discover that he had killed his own property, receiving half of it for his trouble.

Appleton Hutchinson of Mount Vernon, hearing persons around his house Sunday evening, went out and has not since been heard from. Foul play is feared. The whole town is in search.

Albert Little of Goffstown, lately deceased, left a will, leaving to the town of Goffstown $300, requiring said town to expend $12 a year to keep his burial lot in that town in good condition till the death of his wife. The residue of his property he gave to the use of his wife during her life, there being no children, the estate amounting to $30,000, more or less. This whole amount he directed should be expended in erecting a monument to himself and beautifying his burial lot in Goffstown and keeping it in proper condition forever. This will came up for probate in solemn form before Judge Leavitt of Rockingham county. Judge Burnham of Hillsborough county having been of counsel and not sitting in the case. Judge Leavitt decided that the testator was not of sound mind, and decreed the will to be null and void. The property will, therefore, be distributed as if there were no will.

John W. Ricker, of Dover, has been convicted before the Supreme Court at Dover on nine indictments for selling liquor, fined $50 and costs on each indictment, and ordered to stand committed until all is paid.

On Saturday night some Massachusetts men who were at the races in Dover that day, went to the Plains House at Great Falls, kept by Thomas D. Locke, took charge of the premises, ransacked the rooms and stole a large lot of wearing apparel, besides other goods. Sheriff Chick of Great Falls was notified, and succeeded in arresting some of the parties as they were about to take the train for Boston. Part of the stolen articles were recovered. The thieves were taken to Great Falls on Monday, and arraigned before the Police Court.

News and Notes.

Commodore James H. Watmough, Paymaster-General of the U. S. Navy, has tendered his resignation.

The Texas cattle disease has appeared at Worcester, Mass.

Senator Morton's death is hourly expected.

Fredericton, N. B., was visited by another fire Tusday. The exhibition building and several others were burned. Loss $30,000; no insurance.

The sea monster seen off the mouth of the Kennebec the other day would seem to be the veritable sea serpent. Capt. Ingalls of Portland, who saw it says that in his fifteen years' experience at sea he never saw anything like this. It passed within one hundred feet of his vessel, and was apparently about eighty feet in length, as the entire crew agree. Its head was long and sharp and black in color, while on its back were several large white spots. A few feet behind the head projected two flippers about twenty feet in length, which it would occasionally strike together with a report which the captain compares to the discharge of a cannon.

A new invention—a torpedo balloon—is being experimented with in Bridgeport, Conn. It is designed to convey torpedoes by means of a balloon above a hostile army or city, when by an automatic arrangement they are detached, and exploded by a gauge fuse. It has attracted much attention, and an agent of the Russian government is observing the experiments.

The barque George A. Wright, which left Boston Oct. 12th on her first voyage to Liverpool, loaded with grain, foundered at sea Oct. 29th. All hands, including the captain's wife and two children, were saved by the schooner Joshua S. Sanborn, of Gloucester, and landed at Shelburne, N. S. The barque was owned in Portland, and is understood to be insured. The vessel was valued at $40,000 and the cargo at $25,000, the cargo being insured in Boston.

Frank E. Jones, a young man about eighteen years of age, was recently arrested on the charge of stealing $25 worth of jewelry from Albert C. Lord of Tilton, and for stealing money and cigars at the Dexter House, T. D. Foss, proprietor. His examination resulted in binding him over in $300 bonds for appearance at the next term of the supreme court at Laconia. Jones procured bail and is now at his home in Exeter.

The dwelling, shed and stable owned and occupied by Alvah S. Libby of Wolfeboro' were burned Sunday morning. Loss $2500; insured $1800.

Some 400 sailors formed a mob in Fourth Ward in New York, Monday, and assaulted McCaffrey's sailors' boarding-house, smashing all the windows. Nobody was hurt. The arrests of three or four ringleaders dispersed the mob. The cause was some disagreement with their employers about wages.

Private letters from Japan state that recent secret negotiations between England and Japan, and Russia and Japan embrace the following results: England insists on sharing all Japan's advantages in opening Corea, and Japan refuses to concede to the demand. Russia consents to support Japan's refusal to any extremity, if Japan will waive her claim to a northern port of entry and choose one further south.

The steamer Faraday sailed from New York on Friday for Liverpool, loaded with grain and provisions, besides 500 horses and cattle on decks. The Faraday was constructed expressly for cable laying, and with the Great Eastern laid all the cable connecting the old and new worlds. She is a vessel of 5,000 tons burden, and all the available space, including the receptacles for the cable, was filled with grain. The Great Eastern, of 10,000 tons burden, is on the way to New York on a similar errand, and it is said that enough orders have been received for grain, on English account, to give employment to every idle British vessel afloat. Said a well-known shipper: "England is preparing for next season's stock, and must rely on America for her food. The Black Sea is closed. Only the Prussian provinces on the Baltic are open, and as they must necessarily be closed if the war is prolonged, America will be England's only resort. Fortunately, the crop is large and ample enough to feed the entire world."

Gen. N. B. Forrest died at Memphis, Tenn., on Monday. He was a dashing cavalry officer in the Confederate service, and commanded the rebel forces at the capture of Fort Pillow, where the colored troops composing the garrison were all brutally massacred after having surrendered.

President Hayes has appointed November 29th as a day of National Thanksgiving.

A grand dinner was given to General Grant at the American Legation in Paris, Monday evening. President MacMahon and all the French Ministers were present.

John S. Damrell, formerly chief of the Boston fire department, has been appointed inspector of buildings in that city, for three years.

About eighty lawyers assembled in the general term room of the Supreme Court, at New York, on Saturday afternoon, pursuant to a notice posted upon the door, that "the members of the bar will assemble to take suitable action upon the judicial nominations before the people at the next general election." Every man inquired of his neighbor who had got up the meeting. No one could tell. No organizers appeared, and finally it was decided that the whole affair was a hoax.

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Portland,	9:45	4:35 6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:45	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45	
Concord and North,	7:30	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
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Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE CITY.

Schooner Henry M. Clark, Cahoon master, arrived at Doane's wharf, on Monday, with 100 barrels of mackerel.

This evening, at Franklin Hall, Spaulding's Swiss Bell Players and concert company will give one of their excellent entertainments; Miss Georgie Dean Spaulding is still one of this well known and always favorably received company. Tickets are put at popular prices—35 cts. for reserved seats. See advertisement.

Mr. Wm. W. Prior, the driver of the "Hourly," has come out with a new vehicle,—one of the Kittery Point stage-coaches, we believe. The owner of the coach which Mr. Prior has been driving since he started into the business for himself, apparently thinking Mr. Prior was making too good a living from his enterprise, took charge of the coach and has started an opposition "Hourly;" but he will find, we opine, that Mr. Prior is too firmly grounded in the good will of the local travelling public to be easily crowded off the track.

OVERSEERS' MEETING.

The Board of Overseers of the Poor held their regular meeting at the City Rooms on Tuesday evening. The general business being disposed of, the Mayor read the following communication, which was accepted and placed on file:

To the Hon. the Mayor and Board of Overseers of the Poor.

Gentlemen: We have considered the questions submitted to us by your agreement of the 16th inst., and respectfully reply: That whenever any person in the city is poor and unable to maintain himself, he shall be relieved and maintained by the Overseers of the Poor of the city; and the statute requires the City Council to raise and appropriate sufficient money for this purpose. The city by its City Council is authorized to provide lands and buildings and all means that may be necessary for the accommodation, support, and employment of the poor. The Overseers of the Poor are bound to use for the support and accommodation of the poor, so far as they reasonably may, the means and supplies, whether buildings, provisions, or other necessaries, which the city shall from time to time provide for this purpose. If the city fails to provide, or the articles provided are not suitable for the relief and maintenance which may be found necessary, it will be the duty of the Overseers to supply them at the expense of the city. An ordinance of the city provides for the election by City Councils of a keeper of the Almshouse, and authorizes him to purchase provisions and supplies for the use of the inmates of the house and outdoor pensioners, subject to the general direction and control of the Board of Overseers. This ordinance appears to be consistent with the laws of the State, and the Overseers are bound to accept and use all proper supplies in this way provided. From what we have said it will be understood, that the City Councils have power to direct in what manner the supplies, etc., shall be procured for the use of the Overseers of the Poor, and they may from time to time choose such agents for this purpose as they think proper. The remaining questions are, who are Overseers of the Poor? and how they may lawfully act? The original charter of the city, Sec. 25, provides for the election of one Overseer of the Poor by each ward at the annual meeting, and that the Board of Overseers so chosen, with the Mayor as chairman, shall perform the same duties that are incumbent on that body in towns. In another section of the charter it is said that the Mayor shall be *ex-officio* chairman of the Board of Overseers of the Poor. The alterations of the charter in 1874 and 1876 changed the number but not the constitution of the Board. The Mayor therefore is a member of the Board of Overseers of the Poor, with full power to vote and act as one of them. We see no reason to revise the opinion of this subject given by one of the undersigned to the Mayor of the city on the 30th of February, 1860. We think the law goes further, and makes the presence of the Mayor necessary for any valid meeting or action of the Board. When assembled the vote of the majority will prevail, but the presence of the Mayor is necessary before any vote can be taken, and the statute has provided no method of filling the place in his absence. Individual members of the Board have no power to purchase or distribute supplies, and their action is not valid unless authorized or confirmed by a vote of the Board.

Signed { W. H. Y. HACKETT, ALBERT R. HATCH.

The weekly report of the Keeper of the Almshouse was accepted, as follows: In House week ending Oct. 30th, paupers nineteen, convicts two, boarders, eight, male help two, female help two, Superintendant's family three.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, Oct. 30th.

Joseph Fabian, drunk $9.90 worth, will board it out at Brentwood.

Jeremiah Murphy, brawl and tumult, same sentence, and will pay the penalty exacted in the same way as Joseph.

A LEGAL OPINION.

We publish this morning the opinion of two distinguished lawyers on the questions at issue between the Mayor and the other Overseers. From this document we learn

1st. That the City Councils are authorized to provide lands, buildings, provisions and other necessaries for the support of the poor. [This is what the Mayor claims.]

2d. That the Overseers are bound to use whatever may be supplied by the City Councils "so far as they reasonably may." But if the city fails to provide, or the articles are not suitable, (according to the judgment of the Overseers,) they may supply them at the expense of the city. [This is what the Overseers are doing.]

3d. That the city ordinance which provides for the election of a superintendent of the City Farm, and authorizes him to purchase provisions and supplies for out-door pensioners appears to be lawful, and the Overseers are bound to use all *proper* supplies in this way provided. [This is what the Mayor says, with a qualification "*proper*" which suits the Overseers.]

4th. The Mayor is a member of the Board of Overseers, with full power to vote and act as one of them. [This appears to give the Mayor less power than he claims and more than the Overseers allow, though we are not quite certain.]

5th. The presence of the Mayor is necessary for any valid meeting or action of the Board; the Mayor must be present before any vote can be taken, and a majority must prevail, and no way is provided by law for filling his place in his absence. [This is a plum for the Mayor.]

6th. Individual members of the Board have no power to purchase or distribute supplies, but if they do their action must be confirmed by the Board. [Which the Board in most cases will do.]

There is an old story of a wise lawyer who settled a dispute by giving to each of the contestants a shell, and eating the oyster himself. When the two lawyers are each paid a fat fee, the vexed questions between the Mayor and Overseers will be similarly decided.

THE VICINITY.

The U. S. S. Speedwell went out of commission at the navy yard on Tuesday.

Mr. Edwin C. Nealley has been reinstated as superintendent in charge of steam fire engines at the navy yard, *vice* Moses Harriman removed. This puts Mr. Nealley ahead, the boats now standing—Nealley three, Harriman two.

The cable steamer Minnie arrived at Halifax on Monday from North Sydney, and left the same day for Rye Beach, to repair the break in the direct cable, which break is located by the electric tests about ten miles southeast of the Shoals.

Congressman Frank Jones stands fifth on the House committee on Naval Affairs, and also on the committee on Militia. The other New Hampshire Congressmen are located in the committees as follows: Blair tenth on Pacific Railroads and fourth on Accounts; Briggs tenth on Patents.

Several distinguished visitors were in town to-day, among whom we noticed Postmaster Pierce, Dep. Int. Rev. Collector Young, Mr. Beacham, Mr. Loomis, and Hon. Isaiah Wilson, all of Portsmouth, hale, hearty and serene. Our reporter tried to interview the two former concerning the policy of Hayes, but all he could get out of them was that they understood the civil service order was to be modified, and they seemed to be pleased. Sly fellows those.—*Dover Democrat, Monday.*

—Keely has named his first motor "The Tramp," because it won't work.

—A retired New York sea-captain has a pet crow named "Jack," which takes its grog like an old salt. It will take down at a dose a half glass of raw whiskey, after which it gives a hoarse croak of maudlin delight and falls over on its side. Its recovery is rapid and it soon walks off. This dissolute bird is in the habit of getting drunk two or three times a day, and the more it drinks the better it seems to thrive.

—The expected rise in flour alarms the bakers. They doughnut know what to dough.—*Lowell Courier.*

—A policeman hunting in a Sharon, Conn., house for Charles Lockwood, who had broken out of the Litchfield jail, was just about giving it up, when he saw a human nose sticking out of the cellar-earth under his feet. Further search showed that Lockwood was neatly buried, and that the officer had been unwittingly standing on his breast.

MARRIAGES.

SHAW—McCALLIN. In this city, Oct. 28th, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. Joseph O. Shaw and Miss Clara A. McCallin, all of Portsmouth.

FERGUSON—NEAL. In this city, Oct. 29, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. Augustus T. Ferguson, of this city, and Miss Sarah L. Neal of Kittery, Me.

DEATHS.

JOHNSON. In this city, Oct. 30, Mr. William M. Johnson, aged 70 years and 3 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED Oct 30.

Sch Campbell, Marshall, Port Johnson.
Sch Planter, Harding, New York.
Sch Clara, Britt, Boston, to load for St John N B.
Sch Henry M Clark, Cahoon, Mackereling.

SAILED Oct 30.

Sch Isaac L Clark, Mc Elwell, Philadelphia.
Sch S S Hudson, Vaughan, Philadelphia.
Sch D R Ham, Freeman, Boston.
Sch Active, Seaward, New York.
Br Sch Utica, Marten, St Stephens N B.

San Francisco, Oct. 21. Ship Triumphant is having new spars put in at Cousins' Dock.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	116¾
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109¾
United States 6s, 1880	112¾
N. H. State 6s. 1878	104¾
N. H. State 6s 1879	102¾
N. H. State 6s 1889	106¾
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1890	103
Eastern R. R. 4½	50¾
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60¾
Boston & Maine	93
Boston & Providence	120¼
Boston & Albany	125
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	134
Michigan Central	64¼
Northern N. H.	65¾
Old Colony & Newport	36
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	8¼
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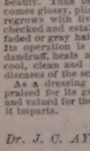

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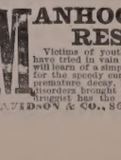

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A Swindle.

One of the most adroit swindles yet perpetrated through the mails has been discovered at the Dead Letter office through the sudden accumulation of letters, all addressed to the same parties and in the same handwriting, and each containing a check for fifty or seventy-five dollars. The letters purported to have been sent from manufacturing jewelers in New York to their drummers in Western towns and cities. They read as follows. "Yours at hand. In reply would say that all orders up to date have been filled and are quite satisfactory. We are making a new line of buttons and studs; will send you sample in a few days. Enclosed find our check for seventy-five (or fifty) dollars. Be as careful as possible with money. Also be careful in making new trades. Keep to the route laid out and let us hear from you often." The modus operandi of the swindle was as clever as the letters. The pretended drummer, after registering at the hotel to which a decoy letter had been previously sent, would inquire for letters. The decoy would be handed out, opened and read in the presence of the hotel clerk, who, after his confidence had been won by the letter and the pleased air of the recipient, and his vanity tickled with a promise of some of the new styles of buttons and studs, would be asked, in the most off-hand way in the world, to cash the check. It is learned that the ruse has been played quite successfully. The letters all purport to be sent from New York but are all post-marked Boston.

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You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have. And notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Morning Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court. By order of the Judge,

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Daily Chronicle.

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Congress.

In the Senate, Tuesday, a number of bills were introduced and a batch of executive appointments were confirmed. The committee on elections had a discussion over the investigation of the credentials of Kellogg and Spofford, and without conclusion adjourned until Thursday.

The House was not in session, but most of the newly-appointed committees organized and began their labors. Mr. Eames, of Rhode Island, has introduced into the House a bill which provides for the reduction of postage on letters, and proposes that on and after January 1st, 1878, postage on letters to and from any place in the United States, excepting local or drop letters, shall be charged at the uniform rate of two cents for each half ounce or fraction thereof.

Mr. Waitt, of Connecticut, has introduced a bill to equalize the pay of Rear Admirals on the retired list. It proposes that officers of the navy who have been heretofore or are hereafter to be retired, after forty or more years' of consecutive and faithful service, and promoted to the grade of Rear Admiral on the retired list, shall receive the retired pay of that grade from the date of such retirement.

The naval committee of the House, Wednesday, agreed to report in favor of immediately paying the arrears due naval officers.

News and Notes.

A negro was arrested in Red Bank, N. J., Oct. 29th, for some trivial offence, when a German handed him a revolver and told him to shoot, which he did, shooting the officer who arrested him in the abdomen, and mortally wounding a man named Longstreet. The black ruffian then made his escape, but the German was arrested.

A passenger train on the North Central Railroad of Utah, on Tuesday, was lifted from the track and turned over by the wind. Two passenger cars and the baggage car were turned over. The coals from the stove were scattered through the cars, but the fires were put out before any damage was done. Several persons were hurt, but are expected to recover.

The United States Consul at Curacoa, reports the loss by the great hurricane there of the 23d of September, at about two million dollars.

The Indians in Alaska are threatening serious trouble, and a revenue cutter arrived just in time to prevent the Indians from destroying the barricades around the town, and a murdering of the whites.

An attempt was recently made at San Pedro Jocopilias, near the Mexican frontier, to assassinate President Barrios of Guatemala. He was attacked while driving by a priest named Felix Pajes, who fired a revolver at him. The first shot missed, and before the second could be fired Barrios seized the assassin and struggled for the possession of his weapon. The President's body-servant at that moment entered the door, and, seeing the priest still endeavoring to fire the revolver, shot him dead.

The celebrated trotting mare, Goldsmith Maid, has been finally withdrawn from the turf. She is twenty-one years old.

The United States Circuit Court has ordered a perpetual injunction against any disturbance of the iron-clad Tecumseh, sunk in Mobile bay May 5th, 1864, with 200 men. The wreck was sold last winter, by Secretary Robeson, to junk dealers.

Emery W. Shaw, who has been in jail for about a year on a charge of murdering Simeon Smith of Weymouth, Mass., whose daughter he had secretly married, was on Tuesday discharged without a trial, there being no case against him.

It is intimated that an effort will be made this winter to induce Congress to abolish the office of Pension Agent, and provide for the payment of pensions by check directly from the Treasury of the United States.

The numbers of *Littell's Living Age*, for the weeks ending October 20th and 27th, respectively, contain Prussian History; Lord Falkland and his Modern Critics; The Science of Electricity as Applied in Peace and War; Green Pastures and Piccadilly; On the Discovery of Oxygen in the Sun; Africa "Translated;" translations from Heine, and other choice poetry, and miscellany. A new volume began October 1st. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than 3000 pages a year,) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4 monthlies or weeklies with the Living Age for a year, both postpaid. Littell & Gay, Publishers, 17 Bromfield street, Boston.

New Hampshire Items.

As Mrs. Cyrus Booth, of Concord, a lady about sixty years of age, was going to a temperance meeting, she slipped off the curb-stone and dislocated her shoulder joint, and was otherwise injured by the fall.

Cyrus Nelson, of Sanbornton, a youth sixteen years of age, committed suicide Tuesday evening by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver.

Hutchinson, the missing man from Milford, returned home on Wednesday. He has been out of his head as well as out of town.

Winter has fully set in on the summit of Mount Washington, and the frost formations, so peculiar to the high mountain region, are wonderfully beautiful. Sergt. Cone of the United States signal service station, and his assistant, D. C. Murphy, are now the only persons on the summit. Sergt. Cone, who had been to the Fabyan House for the mails, walked to the summit recently, it taking four hours to go three miles, from the base to the signal station. The wind was blowing 100 miles an hour, and the mercury had fallen to 20 degrees.

In the Supreme Court at Wolfeboro', Tuesday, Carter Jenness of Eaton and George Haskell of Maine were sentenced to three years each in the State Prison for sheep stealing.

The boy Flanders, who shot his father in Bow last spring, will be tried for manslaughter next week, at Concord.

A young man named Goodspeed barely escaped death at Nashua on Saturday night, by falling dead drunk on the track of the Boston, Lowell, & Nashua Railroad. Private watchman Griffin discovered him just in time to save him from death by the down freight over the Wilton railroad.

One day recently one of the children of the Nashua Mt. Pleasant school met with quite an accident. Her name is Mabel Graham, and as she was standing near the corner of the building, one of the boys came running by the corner, accidentally struck her and threw her to the ground with considerable force, cracking her collar bone.

Political.

The New York custom house officials say that they were perfectly willing to tender their resignations at the beginning, if the Administration had desired it. After the Administration had proclaimed its intention to remove them, they were unwilling to tender their resignations, or take any step whatever in the premises.

Collector Simmons of Boston made a strong speech in favor of the republican ticket in Massachusetts, Tuesday evening, in Boston Highlands.

Slowly but surely the republican press of the country are coming on to the ground occupied by the *Inter-Ocean*. The motto is "No lowering of the republican flag!" Presidents do not make parties. Parties make Presidents.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

The supreme court of Missouri has decided the contested election case of Frost vs. Metcalf in favor of the latter, giving the certificate of election to Congress to the latter, who is a republican. This was a case in which the republican candidate received an acknowledged majority of votes, but the returns were altered while in possession of a democratic clerk, who openly denounced the fraud but did not have authority to remedy it.

John Walsh, the new Minister to England, is a wealthy man, and seventy-two years old.

Randall's committee on banking and currency are eight to three in favor of repealing the resumption act.

A paper signed by nearly all the members of the bar and by all the Federal Judges in New York, and by several hundred merchants, requesting the President not to remove Collector Arthur, having come to the knowledge of the Collector, he has very firmly requested that it be dropped and not sent to Washington.

A Wide Awake Dog.

Mlle. D., a good and worthy lady, who lived in a country house in the neighborhood of Columbier, had a dog of special intelligence. He was of the race of poodles, which, everybody knows, is remarkably sagacious. When Mlle. D. passed the evening with ladies of her acquaintance in Columbier, as often happened, the dog lighted her home by carrying two little lanterns, which were fastened on each end of a stick which he carried in his mouth. If she went to walk during the day, the faithful dog carried her work-basket. On a beautiful autumn morning, as Mlle. D. was going by a vineyard on her way back from Columbier, a hare sprang out into the road. The dog set out after him, forsook his mistress, and sowed a part of the contents of the work-basket at every turn in the field. When he came home with the empty basket, Mlle. D. scolded him well. Wholly ashamed, with drooping ears and tail, he did not wait for the end of the lecture, but scampered off. Scarcely had half an hour passed when he came gayly back, bringing a pair of shears; then he hurried off again, and brought the knitting work; then a skein of thread, and at evening all the articles which the basket had contained, except the thimble, were together again.

A Sparrow's Reprehensible Conduct.

This gentleman, who resides in New York, had erected last spring, in his back yard, a large box for sparrows' nests. It was divided into three rows, each containing four compartments. These were all speedily taken possession of by a dozen pair of sparrows, and the business of making nests proceeded amid the customary chippering din of these fussy and pugnacious feathered colonists. Sitting idly at the window one Sunday, watching the birds, the gentleman saw one cock sparrow come flying to his place with a fine, soft white feather in his bill. The box was so placed that he could see into the compartments, and he saw this bird fix the feather into an incomplete nest and then fly away. No sooner was he out of sight than a female sparrow from the adjoining compartment, who had evidently seen that proceeding, hopped into her neighbor's house and pulled out and carried off the coveted feather. Becoming interested, the observer watched the performance, expecting to see the little thief carry her stolen prize to her own nest; but no; she knew a trick worth two of that, and here is where she displayed an undeniable reasoning process and acted on a clear perception of cause and effect, making a prudent use of her knowledge of the character and disposition of her plundered neighbor. She flew off with the feather to a neighboring tree, where she securely fastened it, in an unconspicuous place upon and between two twigs, and there left it. Pretty soon the bird she had defrauded came back with a straw to add to his nest. Discovering his loss he came out with an angry chirruping that boded no good to the despoiler of his hearth and home, if he could only find the rogue. His first demonstration was to visit his next door neighbor without any search-warrant. In that abode of peace and innocence he found no trace of the stolen feather; and as for the actually guilty party, she was hopping innocently about, and loudly demanding—as far as birdtones could be understood by the man at the window—what was meant by this ungentlemanly intrusion. The cock-sparrow was evidently puzzled. Unable, after a minute search, to find the lost feather, he apparently gave it up, and flew away in search of another. The thief demurely waited until he had got well off, and then flew to the tree, secured the stolen feather and took it in triumph to her own nest.—*Hartford Times.*

—David Stephen of Sunnyside, Iowa, is quite a singer, and he has a cat which intensely enjoys his music, rubbing against his legs as he sings, and purring an accompaniment. The other day a Dane came into the store and began creating a discordant noise which he probably considered singing. The cat at once appeared before the man, looked at him a moment to assure herself against mistake, and sprang directly into his face, clawing wildly. Popular feeling declares that that cat is too critical to be a pleasant pet.

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Boston, South and West,	8 10:45	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:45	5
Portland,	9:45	4:35 6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:45	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:35
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:35
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:35

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

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	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:33 10:10	3:50
Boston Way,	10:10	3:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

About thirty men are to be taken on in the bureau of construction and repair at the navy yard, this morning.

The U. S. S. Tallapoosa, last from Boston, arrived at this navy yard with stores Wednesday afternoon.

The Boston *Globe* says the new boat which has just been placed on Exeter River is named "Mohork," and is commanded by Mr. Augustus Bickford.

The naval authorities will put the U. S. S. Speedwell out of commission today. We beat the naval authorities two days,—we put her out of commission on Tuesday.

Messrs. John S. Sides and "Doc" Nelson recently made a day's shooting excursion to Candia, and returned with fifteen woodcock and two partridges. It was one of the handsomest strings of birds brought in this season.

In our publication of the communication of Messrs. Hackett and Hatch to the Board of Overseers of the Poor, we inadvertently gave the date "30th of February, 1860," as the time when a similar opinion had been rendered, instead of the 14th.

There is a story going about town of a partridge flying into the third story window of the building opposite the post-office, occupied by Mr. John S. Sides, and allowing itself to be caught. We have not heard what the marines think of this yarn. "It won't do; it smokes!"

Master Lyman G. Spalding, U. S. N., of this city, has successfully passed an examination for promotion to the rank of lieutenant. He is now attached to the Enterprise, which vessel is now at Norfolk, Va., having come out of dock and taken on board her coal and stores.

The first of a series of assemblies, given by the Light Artillery at Mechanics' Hall, Tuesday evening, was well attended and a general good time followed, Harlow's Band furnishing the music for the occasion. The next assembly will be given next Tuesday evening, Nov. 6th, when another large party is expected.

Grand Master A. F. Craig of the New Hampshire Odd Fellows, visited all the fifty-seven lodges in the State, last year, which was never done by any predecessor—instituted several new lodges, dedicated three halls and witnessed the work in forty-six lodges. He has been elected Grand Representative to the Grand Lodge of the United States.

Some little excitement was occasioned in the vicinity of Market square, Wednesday afternoon, by the performances of a cow that was hitched behind a load of wood drawn by a horse. This cow towed worse than a water-logged vessel without a rudder, for the latter would go ahead in some direction if not the right one, while the cow would not go ahead at all, but laid flat down as soon as she felt the tow-line draw on her horns. The men in charge of the animal treated her as gently as possible, but after they would coax her to her feet she would only go about ten feet and then slam herself down again. The convoy was about fifteen minutes going from the reservoir on the square to the post-office corner, and we do not know if the obstinate cow has been gotten home yet.

One of the most interesting of the extraordinary planetary phenomena which have marked this summer and fall occurs Saturday night, when Mars and Saturn will be in conjunction for the third time this year. Almost every one has noticed these brilliant objects in the southern sky, and careful observers have been interested in watching the fiery god's apparently erratic course, passing and repassing his less showy brother; but it doesn't come from any indecision of his, as the earth's motion is responsible for it all.—Those who saw the embrace of Venus and Jupiter several years ago will remember that such a conjunction is one of the most beautiful of celestial appearances, and all who wish to see Mars and Saturn cross the heavens with rays blending had better take the chance Saturday, for they won't have another till 1946.—*Exchange.*

SUPREME COURT--THIRD WEEK.

Wednesday, Oct. 31, before *Stanley, J.*

The case of Sarah E. Merrill vs. William B. Merrill, an action for services rendered by a daughter to her father, which had occupied the attention of the court since Monday afternoon, was given to the jury in the forenoon, and at twelve o'clock they came in with a sealed verdict.

The case Merrill vs. Merrill (similar to the above) was next called.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Oct. 31st.

Timothy Leary and James Rivero, drunk, were assessed $9.90 each, fine and costs, and found it more convenient to go to Brentwood than to pay up.

Jane W. Parks, another "drunk," was assessed the same amount, which was paid.

John Hanscom (not John Hanscom the bell ringer, who is not one of the Police Court customers, but another and less worthy John,) and Phebe Ann Hanscom were complained of for keeping a disorderly house, and were bound over in the sum of $100 each to answer at the term of the Supreme Court to be holden at Exeter in April next,—so they will not keep disorderly house any more until after that term.

DOGS.

On Tuesday evening a good-sized dog belonging to Mr. Charles H. Mendum attacked two little boys, children of Mr. Nathan W. Lear, bit both of them, and also snapped at Mr. Lear himself; the animal then ran away and has not been seen since. The dog had never before exhibited any symptoms of ferocity; on the contrary, he was noted for his good disposition.

On Wednesday, at noon, a dog belonging to Mr. James McClure was taken to the police station and shot. The police report that the dog made an attempt to bite Mr. Harvey Lear, and actually had a grip on Mr. Lear's pants when the City Marshal grabbed him, though he fortunately did not draw blood.

Capt. Thomas H. Eastman's valuable setter dog was poisoned on the evening of Oct. 27th, and died next afternoon. He was a fine animal, very gentle and intelligent, and was the constant playmate of Capt. Eastman's children and others.

[Communicated.]

THE POOR-LAW DISPUTE.

Mr. Editor: That the eminent legal gentlemen who expounded the law regarding the matters in dispute between the Mayor and the Board of Overseers of the Poor, expounded it correctly, I presume no one will question; but just what has been settled by their opinion, further than that the Mayor is an active member of the Board and the only legal chairman of it, I cannot see. If anything else is settled by it, it is that the city ordinance is defective in not making any one person or number of persons the responsible purchaser of supplies for the poor; the keeper of the Almshouse is to purchase the supplies, subject to the "general direction and control" of the Overseers; and the Overseers are to use "all *proper* supplies" in this way provided, the Overseers of course being the sole judges as to what "proper" supplies are; failing to receive "proper" supplies in this manner, the Overseers can purchase what is needed and the city must pay for it. In other words, the keeper of the Almshouse is empowered to buy the supplies, and so are the Overseers; and the Mayor, by persistently absenting himself from the Board of Overseers, can invalidate anything the Board may do and bring the business to a dead stop—in which case the poor would be the ones to suffer. When Messrs. W. H. Y. Hackett and A. R. Hatch, working together, cannot decide that the ordinance makes it *anybody's* business to purchase supplies for the poor, it is time for the City Councils to take hold of the matter and invent an ordinance that will put the power and the responsibility *somewhere*.

WATCHER.

[Communicated.]

THE GRANGE HALL SHOW.

Mr. Editor: We read in the CHRONICLE a report of the entries, awards, etc., of the recent exhibition given by the Grangers at their hall, and we are somewhat surprised, considering the many citizens who visited it, and who were unanimous in their expressions of commendation and pleasure, that it has not received any other extended notice in one of our city papers. Certainly, though it was an impromptu affair it claims more than a casual notice. We have visited State Fairs, where every effort has been made to collect the finest specimens of fruits and vegetables from those engaged in agricultural pursuits, and also works of art, needle-work, etc., and except in number of articles, they have not presented a more attractive show than that given to us by the Grangers' association. It is said Rockingham county possesses the finest land and the best farms in the State. The articles exhibited by the Grangers fully substantiate this; and one more truth might be added,—that it has the best farmers. The display of plants and flowers, though necessarily small for want of room, possessed more than ordinary attraction to those aware of the labor and judgment requisite for the successful raising of rare plants; Portsmouth need fear no competition from neighboring cities in this line of business. Of the collection of fancy articles and needle work we mention a few which attracted our especial attention. On entering the hall we noticed a crochet quilt, the handiwork of Miss Lizzie A. P. Treadwell, which showed not only excellent taste in the design but a large amount of labor. There were also two patch-work quilts made of silk by Miss Mary E. B. Miller and Miss Eliza A. Garrett, which were very handsome. A knit nubia, by Miss Ella Philbrick of Rye Beach, looked as delicate as if made from snow flakes. A carriage afghan and embroidered sacque by Mrs. Charles H. Mendum; worsted embroidered ottomans by Mrs. John H. Hutchinson, and Mrs. John P. Weeks of Greenland; an embroidered travelling bag, by Miss Annie E. Huntress; rugs, by Mrs. John A. Hodgdon and Miss Charlotte Walker; darned netting toilet sett, by Mrs. Willis Barnabee, a lady seventy-eight years old; ten tomato pin-cushions, by Mrs. W. I. Israel, of Little Harbor; embroidery on flannels, by Mrs. Emmons B. Philbrick of Rye, and a large number of other articles, were all worthy of special mention. For a now-a-days novelty, a home made blanket and cotton sheet, by Mrs. John Stearns of the Peirce farm, Greenland, carried off the palm. A collection of immortelles, raised and arranged into a wreath and basket by Mrs. E. P. Seavey, was very beautiful. Of the paintings—but we feel that we should get into deep water did we dare attempt to describe their artistic beauties. We know that the panel paintings of wild flowers and autumn leaves by Miss Mary E. B. Miller looked as if they had just been culled from the fields and woods, and the basket of arbutus—May Morning—made us wish that we were a connoisseur that we could expatiate on its merits. Two other paintings, the faces of a pet cat and dog, were much admired. The paintings by Miss Sarah A. Foster, one representing the hall of an old mansion, and the other a basket of pansies, were subjects skillfully handled by the artist,—at least they were very pleasing to look at. Two panel paintings by Miss Mattie Fernald were very fine, and came in for a share of admiration. Of the dairy products, etc., the bread and butter—which is a strong point with us—did look nice, but we failed to find a "Miss" on either of the cards, so we could not pop the question. By some mistake we did not get on the committee on preserves and pickles, so we remarked, "sour grapes," but the committee said, "A 1." As the Grangers have shown us what they can do in a hurry, we shall wait with pleasant anticipation their exhibition of next year.

VISITOR.

NATURAL HISTORY ITEMS.

As Alderman Charles W. Norton was passing along Pleasant street shortly after noon, one day not long ago, he noticed a tramp coming along the sidewalk toward him, and at once recognized the fact that the walk was not wide enough to accommodate both at once, and that one had got to take to the street. His first impulse was to assault and batter the tramp with two brickbats; but fortunately recollecting that an Alderman is expected to set a conspicuous example of keeping the peace, and that he had never been introduced to the stranger, so that it would not be polite to address him, Mr. Norton dropped his brickbats and courteously yielded the walk to the tramp. More than this; he went clear across the street, so as to give the tramp all the room he could ask. The unknown traveller walked under a gate, sat up on Mr. Wentworth's cellar door for a few minutes to view the landscape, and then disappeared in the bushes. He had four legs, was about the size of a cat, with a bushy tail, and colored black and white. Mr. Norton is satisfied that at least one member of the Board of Aldermen knows what judicious politeness is. He intends to give the next tramp of that kind he meets with *two* streets' width to pass in, if he wants it.

On the evening of the day that Alderman Norton showed how extra polite he can be when he lays himself out, shortly before eleven o'clock, a gentleman noticed a score or so of young men, apparently part of some military company that had been drilling, stretched in a skirmish line diagonally across the street near Congress Block. They were armed with such stones as they could pick up in the street, and were firing at will at a little black animal that was skipping along from door to door of the stores in Congress Block and below it. Once in a while the animal would run back a little way, and then there would be a masterly falling back of the skirmish line. The missiles rattled against the doors and brick walls, but the terrible enemy did not seem to be getting killed any, and at last one reckless young fellow rushed up with a rock in each hand for a close shot, and then called out, "Thunder, fellers! Hold on; it's only a kitten." It was a little cat belonging to Mr. Henry M. Clark; the young men had not hit her, which was perhaps not very wonderful, nor had they broken any windows in trying to hit her, which was wonderful indeed. Pussy was picked up and taken across the street to Freeman's oyster saloon, placed on the counter, and treated to a "raw" with the rest of the crowd, which she evidently relished very much; and after the "conciliation" was completed she was returned unharmed to her own side of the street.

Skunks are unusually and unpleasantly abundant this year, in this as well as in other cities. One was caught in a steel trap one night last week, in a garden on Mason's Hill, and was killed in the morning by the milkman, (who had fortunately about finished his route for that morning before he killed him,) this making the fourth one killed in that immediate vicinity within a few months. Another was stoned to death by a lot of boys on South street, near the cemetery, a day or two later.

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Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
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Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard pound, 12 cents.
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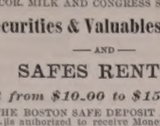

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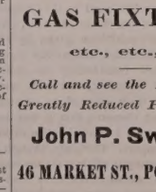

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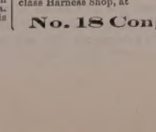

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Daily Chronicle.

Mathematics and Medicine.

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The Deacon Answered.

Up in New Hampshire, where I used to live when a boy, (says Gov. Noyes) there was a loud praying hypocrite, a deal more pious than honest. When he had done any particularly mean thing, he eased his conscience by going into the field, along one side of which was a stone wall, and, kneeling beside it, prayed the Lord to topple it over on him if he had done anything offensive to Him or wrong in His sight. Well, we boys found it out, and one day when we saw the deacon making for the stone wall, we got on the other side and waited. He knelt down, according to his usual custom, and went through with his usual formula, closing with the petition to have the wall topple over if he had done anything wrong. And we toppled it. Jumping out from under the stones, the old man cried, in tones of mingled disgust and alarm: "Good gracious, Lord! Can't you tell when a man is joking?"

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Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1877.

A Great Man Gone.

Oliver P. Morton, Ex-Governor of Indiana and United States Senator from that State died at Indianapolis at 5:30 o'clock Thursday evening. An earnest patriot, fearless and of vast ability, his services to the country during the rebellion were immense. Few men did more than he—fewer still in his position would have been able to do as much as he—toward saving the Union. Fortunate indeed for the Republic was it that at the time the Knights of the Golden Circle and other treasonable organizations carried the legislature of Indiana, Oliver P. Morton was governor of that State; for to his patriotism and courage and fertility of resource, more than to all other causes combined, was it due that in spite of a rebel-sympathizing legislature Indiana sent her troops to the field, well armed and equipped, by the hundred thousand. A man of strong convictions, it was impossible for him to be other than radical in politics; and though for many years a hopelessly incurable invalid, his iron will would never allow his wearied body to take the repose it needed. Democrats, republicans and liberals will all agree that his permanent removal from the place he has so long filled in the Senate will make a gap that will be sensibly felt by every one of his associates. Only the most wonderful tenacity of purpose has brought him annually to the Capital and every day into the Senate and committee-room, with the shadow of death always about him; and doubtless many of the bitter resentments born of political differences, and still cherished, will go down into the grave, enabling all to see and appreciate his heroic and manly qualities.

Congress.

In the House, Wednesday, the anti-resumptionist won their first victory by twenty-two majority. The vote in committee on reporting a bill to repeal the resumption clause stood five democrats and one republican in favor of it, and three republicans and two democrats agains it. The Army Appropriation bill will not permit any increase of the army and will not contain any proviso in relation to the use of the army for election purposes.

Conger of Michigan, republican, took the lead of the House resumptionists on Wednesday, Ewing of Ohio, democrat, leading the anti-resumptionists. Ninety-five republicans and twenty-one democrats voted with Conger, and thirty-one republicans and one hundred and seven democrats with Ewing. The New England vote was as follows: Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont and Rhode Island voted solidly with Conger; Massachusetts and Connecticut did the same, except that Butler of Massachusetts, republican, and Phelps of Connecticut, democrat, voted with Ewing. Loring of Massachusetts was absent.

Naval Affairs.

Promotions—Commodore Thomas H. Patterson to be Rear Admiral; Capt. George M. Ransom to be Commodore; Commanders J. G. Walker and Henry A. Adams to be Captains; Lieut. Commanders Oliver A. Batcheller, Albert S. Barker, M. W. Sanders, John R. Bartlett and Silas W. Terry to be Commanders; Paymaster Frank C. Crosby to be a Pay Inspector; Passed Assistant Paymaster E. N. Whitehouse to be Paymaster; Assistant Paymaster William W. Barry to be Passed Assistant Paymaster; Capt. William N. Jeffers to be Chief of the Bureau of Ordnance in the Navy Department.

It is gratifying to learn that the vote in the House naval committee on the question of reporting a bill to appropriate money to promptly pay the arrears due officers of the navy, as required by the Secretary of the Navy, was unanimous. This is but tardy justice and honesty, to be sure, but even tardy justice is better than continued injustice. If the naval officers are too many, or not worth their pay, they should be discharged or have their pay reduced by law; but the way they have been treated for some months back is shamefully dishonest and contemptible.

The Eastern War.

The Russian troops around Plevna are estimated at 150,000 men, together with fifty siege and 500 field guns. A despatch from Constantinople says that the Porte admits the capture of Teliche by the Russians. Great uneasiness prevails in Constantinople regarding Plevna, there being rumors of the success of the Russians in the rear of that place.

A despatch from Erzeroum says that the siege of Kars has reopened. The garrison, which consists of 10,000 men, is well provisioned and has plenty of ammunition.

News and Notes.

Early Thursday afternoon the report was flashed all over the Union that Senator Morton of Indiana was dead, and the news—which though long-expected was still startling—was bulletined everywhere. A later report said the Senator was still alive; but at about seven o'clock a third despatch, over the Atlantic & Pacific line, announced that he breathed his last at half-past five o'clock in the evening. His last hours were free from pain, and he passed away without a struggle.

Returns show that the cotton crop of the Southern States for the eight years succeeding the war, show a surplus of 2,800,000 bales over the crop of the eight years preceding the war. And the crop was not mortgaged to the extent that it was in former times.

The loss of the barque Glide, Capt. Beadle, 492 tons register, of Salem, Mass., off the Cape of Good Hope, is reported. The vessel and cargo were valued at over $200,000. No other particulars but her loss with all hands on board, have been received, and the story is not fully credited.

Senator Blaine arrived at his home in Augusta, Me., on Wednesday evening.

Oakey Hall has returned to New York. He says he has been deranged and the Tweed exposures had nothing to do with his running away. This story is very thin indeed.

The First Baptist Church of Salem, Mass., was partially burned on Wednesday night. Loss $20,000.

Mrs. Joseph Whitely, of Lowell, Mass., knocked her husband on the head with a hammer and then cut her own throat, Wednesday. The wounds are not fatal in either case. Jealousy was the cause of the trouble, Mrs. Whitely, who is Joseph's fourth wife, having learned that she was to be superseded in her husband's house by a widow to whom the husband had made over all his property.

Thomas M. Barry, second mate of the bark A. Houghton, which vessel was lost in Hudson's Bay last June, has returned to New York bringing a silver spoon given him by the Esquimaux. It undoubtedly belonged to Sir John Franklin, as it has his family crest upon it. The Esquimaux stated that the white men of the Franklin expedition all died at one of their villages from starvation and suffering, although the Esquimaux divided their scant supplies with them. A cairn was built in which were deposited all the valuables and effects of the Franklin party, which has always been held sacred by the Esquimaux. It is proposed to send a whaling vessel next spring to that region, a portion of the crew of which will be detailed under Barry to find the cairn and bring the contents home. A subscription to raise $15,000, to defray the necessary expenses, is about being started.

E. A. Eberle, an actor of over twenty years' experience, was seen to be very strangely at fault in his part in the Albany Theater a few nights ago. He had the reputation of being "letter perfect," but on this occasion he was at a loss for words, went on and off the stage at wrong points in the play, and gave the audience the impression that he was drunk. At length he advanced to the footlights and said: "I don't know what is the matter with me, but I certainly am not drunk—I never drink anything intoxicating. I was perfect in my part at rehearsal this morning, but now I cannot recall a word of it." He retired, and another actor read the rest of his part. His trouble was paralysis of the brain, and there is not much hope of his recovery.

Of all the million and one religious sects that have come and gone within the last two thousands years, the most absurd is that now agitating some of the western States. Its principal tenet is that a man is obliged to confess all his sins to his wife once a week, and *vice versa*. What a numerous amount of domestic lying this will entail. One advantage is manifest, and that is there will be no period of painful suspense as to the penalty, as to the repentance, or as to the instant forgiveness.

New Hampshire Items.

Amos H. Davis of Hopkinton, while returning from Concord, was run over by his ox-team, which became frightened and ran. Mr. Davis was cut badly on the head and had one shoulder dislocated. He was taken up insensible and conveyed to his home.

A man named Currier, seventy years old, was arrested in Concord on Wednesday for stealing a team from Joseph A. Brown of Manchester. The old fellow hired the team to go to Bow, and cleared out with it.

The last number of the New Hampshire *Daily Patriot* was issued on Wednesday, Oct. 31st. It was a good paper, but we judge was not quite bitterly partisan enough to suit the New Hampshire democracy. Col. Bailey will continue to issue the weekly.

Joshua Haynes of Newbury, for taking six trout from a brook near Sunapee Lake, has been fined $60 and costs, amounting to $71.25.

Some weeks ago an item went the rounds of the State press about a silly and confiding girl in Dover being swindled out of $100 she had saved from her earnings, and which she drew from the bank to lend a plausible rascal who made love to her and borrowed the money "to go into business with." His name was not given; but he is now in jail at Dover in default of $200, to answer to a charge of stealing a great coat and mittens. His name is James M. Sanborn, and he belongs in Haverhill, Mass.

Political.

Washington despatches report that Gov. Blue J. Williams, of Indiana, will appoint Daniel W. Voorhees to fill the late Senator Morton's position. He may be appointed to fill it, but he never will do it until he is many times a greater man than he is now. If Voorhees should become Morton's successor, it will be merely the fulfilment of a more or less tacit understanding among all the parties to the Senatorial election of 1875, which resulted in the choice of Judge McDonald. At that time Voorhees withdrew, and it was understood that next time he should have no party opposition. Another dispatch, however, says that at a conference of democrats in Washington on Tuesday, (before Mr. Morton was dead,) at which Governor Williams was present, it was considered best that the position should first be tendered to Hendricks.

Says the democratic *Courier-Journal*: "The President is said to be wavering as to Civil Service reform. So much the worse for the republican party. The coming democratic Administration will not waver in the matter." That's so; no democratic administration ever did "waver" on the subject of civil service reform, and nobody expects that one ever will. The democratic idea of civil service reform is "To the victors belong the spoils," and they have never faltered or "wavered" in the least, in carrying it out to the extreme.

It is now universally acknowledged that the workingmen of Baltimore were outrageously cheated at the recent election in that city. It has been discovered that in three of the wards several thousand votes were stolen from the workingmen's party. The democrats carried the city by an immense majority—and no wonder.

—The marriage of King Alfonso of Spain to Princess Mercedes, daughter of the Duke de Montpensier, will occur on the 23d of January next.

—It is reported that when somebody asked Mrs. Secretary McCrary if she had Mrs. Belknap's carriage, she immediately answered, "No; you won't find any of that skulduggery about us!"

—A Cambridge man, waiting in line for his turn to buy some lecture tickets, got hungry and gave a boy a quarter to hold his place while he went to lunch. The boy, with true Yankee thrift, immediately sold out the position to another man for two dollars, and left.

—Indian meal and vinegar or lemon juice used on the hands when roughened by cold or labor, will heal and soften them. Rub the hands in this and then wash off thoroughly and rub in glycerine. Those who suffer from chapped hands in the winter will find this comforting.

—A marvellous escape from death by lightning was that of Mr. Vest of Suisun Valley, Cal., the other day, when a bolt struck the buggy in which he was riding, tore the top completely off, twisted up the iron work of the vehicle, killed both his horses, and tore off two panels from the fence in front of them. Mr. Vest himself was stunned for the moment, but entirely uninjured.

—A new safety cannon, that shoots an anchor from ships in distress, has lately been tried at Bremerhaven. From a cannon with a diameter of five inches an anchor weighing seventeen pounds was shot, attached to a double rope 2,400 feet in length, and weighing thirty-two pounds, to a distance of 300 yards, by which a stronger rope was pulled on to the ship, with which ship and men could be drawn ashore.

—The Mayor of Denver recently issued a manifesto, in which he intended to order all shade tree limbs cut off below the height of nine feet from the ground; but by a neat bull the order is to cut off all limbs above nine feet from the ground. Several years ago, the same man was Mayor of the city, and caused this notice to be posted on the Cherry Creek bridge: "No person shall cross this bridge in opposite directions at the same time." The joke of this story is that it is absolutely true.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:45	3 *6:20
Boston Way,	10:45	5
Portland,	9:45	4:33 6:20
East [beyond Portland],	9:45	6:20
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:33 10:10	5:50
Boston Way,	10:10	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE CITY.

Congressman Frank Jones voted in the House, Wednesday, with the other members from this State and nearly all those from the other New England States, in favor of letting the specie resumption act stand as it is.

Spalding's Bell Ringers on Wednesday evening gave—what this company always gives—an excellent entertainment. Though the price of tickets was very reasonable the attendance was but moderate, the bad weather no doubt keeping away many who would otherwise have been present.

Col. Jerome C. Butler on Wednesday concluded (in deference to the wishes of others) to get rid of a large dog owned by him, though the animal was a valuable one, imported by a naval officer about a year ago, and was apparently all right. So he sent him away to be killed,—but he isn't dead yet, owing to the fact that a fisherman appropriated him and carried him off.

A new building belonging to Messrs. A. Sidney and Henry D. Carroll, located on their land on Sagamore Creek near the old Moses ferryway, and used for fishing purposes, the storage of seines, lines, etc., was burned early Friday morning, 26th ult., doubtless by an incendiary. Loss about $700, insured $300. In its secluded position, it is not known that anybody saw it burn, unless perhaps the wanton incendiary.—*Weekly.*

Ship Paul Jones sailed for Baltimore at half-past three o'clock Thursday afternoon. There was a large gathering of people on the wharves at the north end to see her off, and not a few took passage in her down the river, returning in the tug. Steamer Clara Bateman towed her down, Pilot Rufus A. Preble being in charge of the ship; sail was made on the way down the river, and the tow-line was cast off just outside of Whale's-back. No more beautiful ship than the Paul Jones ever left the Piscataqua.

The Hutchings Association are to give a course of entertainments, five in number, in the vestry of the Universalist church, the first one to be given on the evening of Thursday, Nov. 8th, the others to follow at intervals of two weeks. They will consist of dramas, readings, tableaux, music, etc. Tickets for the course, at only fifty cents each, can be procured of James M. Carr, Benj. Whitcomb or G. T. Vaughan. Evening tickets—for adults, fifteen cents; for children, ten cents. See advertisement.

The venerable father of Mr. L. V. Newell of this city, who lives in Gilmanton—the father, not the son, is the one who lives in the latter named place—and has been on a visit here, started on Thursday morning to drive home in a wagon accompanied only by a little boy. The old gentleman does not look or act like a man much over sixty years old, though he is nearly ninety-one; and with the exception of a slight deafness all his faculties are as keen as they were when he was forty years of age. It is rare indeed that so old a man presents such an example of physical and intellectual vigor.

There was a shooting-match at the Trotting Park, Thursday afternoon, between Messrs. John S. Sides and Joseph Locke, for the possession of the Eldredge medal, which had been in Mr. Sides' possession nearly two years. The winner has to hold the medal against all challengers who are members of the Sportsman's Club, for two years, accepting all challenges from April to November, inclusive; if not won from him during that time, the medal becomes his property absolutely. Mr. Locke won the match Thursday, killing twelve birds out of fifteen; Mr. Sides killed ten, and would probably have secured another but for an "outsider," who fired at and started the bird out of bounds when it bid fair to drop within.

In Thursday's CHRONICLE we published an item respecting the killing of four skunks on State street, at the foot of Mason's Hill, within a brief period. During the day we were informed by a resident there that he had that morning trapped and killed a fifth one; and shortly afterward another gentleman, residing near Lincoln Hill, came in and told us a moving story about the finding of one in his hen-coop an hour or two previously, and the killing of him by the gentleman's son, who blew the animal all over the neighborhood with a charge of duck-shot. On our pressing the latter informant for some definite idea as to about how much ground the animal was spattered over, he informed us that from the smell he thought it was about three square miles. In the evening another of these odoriferous beasts was making his presence known on the lower end of State street; and another (or the same) one has for several nights honored Sheafe street with his presence. Between these creatures and badly-behaved dogs on our streets, it will soon be unsafe to venture out without a suit of armor and a bottle of patchouli.

[Communicated.]

PETROLEUM INSPECTION.

BOSTON, Oct. 27th.

Ed. Chronicle: I have just received a copy of your paper of the 22d inst., and as the article on Petroleum is so manifestly incorrect ask your indulgence in what I have to say. The article says "an out of town inspector sent here by the manufacturers." Now as my name was freely used in your papers at the time, every one knows very well who is meant. The fact is I was not sent to your city by the manufacturers; I visited your city, by request of Messrs. D. J. Goss & Co., of this city, whose oil sold to C. Dwight Hanscom & Co. has been condemned. No doubt my going met their approval, but that has nothing to do with the fact that Messrs. Goss & Co. were the parties at whose request I went.

It also states that "the inspector just made it up and stated he *could* make it higher." When I tested that sample in your city, in the presence of the gentlemen there, I stated why the great difference exists between your inspector and myself. I explained fully when I burned it that as it was 100 and 110 which was all the law required, we could try the experiment of holding fire just at the surface of the oil as had been done by your inspector, and see how quick it would go; and I well know before trying, what was seen by those watching the test, that it would be but a few seconds before it would, as you say, "flame."

You also speak very plainly in regard to low test oils, and I will say that I endorse what you say in regard to them, and will add that an inspector should be very sure an oil *is* low, and not condemn unjustly. The law says tested by "Tagliabue's or a similar instrument," and stops there. I claimed to follow the custom of inspectors throughout the country, who have made it a business for years to inspect oil. I have been in New York, Philadelphia and the West, have had nearly fifteen years experience myself, have been upon the witness stand in nearly every important oil case here during that time and have heard the decisions of different judges, etc., in regard to tests, and I could see no way but to follow custom to be right, more especially after a decision applying directly to the point, which condensed was that "until the legislature saw fit to adopt Mr. ——'s method no inspector would be justified in so testing, and no court in the State (Massachusetts) could recognise it, but must be governed by general custom."

So I say, viewed in the light of past experience, no inspector has a right to set up a way of his own, no matter what may be his opinions or preference; he must follow the law as it is interpreted by the courts, and they have always so far said *custom*; and I feel confident if your inspector can only have a few years experience in testing oil, and learn what it is to be his own lawyer in cases where he has entered complaints for illegal selling, he will think and act very different from what he is to-day.

Yours, R. F. MEANS, Ins., Boston.

[*Note.* We cannot see what particular bearing it has on the case, whether Mr. Means was sent here by the manufacturers of the oil, by their agents, or by any one else. The local inspector had condemned certain oil, and "an out-of-town inspector" was sent here by some one to upset the local inspector's inspection and show that he was wrong, and that the oil was merchantable under the law of the State; who it was sent him is immaterial. Mr. Means may be correct as to the law and the custom in Massachusetts; but this city is in New Hampshire, a State which is not bound by the laws or the customs of any other State of the Union.—*Ed. Chron.*]

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, hearing was had on the petition of E. W. Clough for a new road. Voted to visit the premises at the call of the Mayor.

The following petition, largely signed by heavy tax-payers, and prominent citizens of all shades of political belief, was presented:

To the Mayor and Board of Aldermen of the city of Portsmouth:

Your petitioners respectfully represent that for the public accommodation there is need that Penhallow street should be widened and straightened on the south side of Daniel street at a point forty feet westerly of the eastern side of Penhallow street, and carrying that width southerly until it strikes the fence in the rear of the building on the southeast corner of Daniel and Penhallow street. Wherefore your petitioners pray that said street may be widened and straightened accordingly.

Mr. Robert F. Gerrish, owner of the building which must be cut for the widening, appeared before the Board and objected to the petition being granted. Voted that the petitioners be granted a hearing before the Board on the 22d inst.

A communication was received from the Common Council that they had so far amended resolution in regard to railroad crossings as to make it read "flagman" instead of "gate." The Mayor stated that three communications had been sent to the railroad authorities, and none had been answered. The Aldermen nonconcurred in the Council's amendment. A committee of conference was appointed, (Messrs. Hadley and Coffin on the part of the Aldermen, and Prior, Long and Whidden for the Council,) and the Councils then passed a joint resolution "requiring the proprietors of the various railroads to secure the crossings in the compact part of the city by said railroads, by gates on both sides of the tracks at such crossings."

A petition for the city to accept a gas-light at the corner of Court and Atkinson streets, was referred to the committee on gas lights.

Petition of Harry B. Drew for use of Ward One ward room two nights in each week, petitioner to pay for gas and fire-wood, was referred to Ald. Hadley, with power.

City Solicitor sent in a communication in regard to a suit against the city by Howe Call, stating that Mr. Call had agreed to refer the question at issue to Judge Batchelder. Referred to committee on finance.

Petition of L. E. Davis and others for cross-walk on State street opposite No. 89, was referred to committee on streets, with power.

C. W. Bailey made complaint that the nuisance of J. Stokell & Co's piggery had not been abated, and asked that action be taken. Referred to Ald. Norton of Ward Two.

Committee on streets reported the estimated cost of repairing sidewalks: In front of H. H. Ladd's, $85; in front of Mr. Durgin's $50; in front of Clark's and Akerman's stores, $50. Also reported the sidewalks in front of Henry F. Gerrish's store, and in front of Franklin Hall, needing repairs; and it was voted that the needed repairs be all made, providing the parties named bear one-half the expense.

Charles E. Walker asked for relay of sidewalks on Islington and Union streets, and crosswalks on same streets. Referred to committee on streets.

Committee on police were instructed to confer with City Marshal relative to adoption of some method whereby the city may be relieved of tramps.

Mayor reported repairs needed at the Almshouse, and was empowered to make such repairs.

Petition for a cross-walk on Market street, at or near Green street, was referred to committee on streets, with power.

Statement of stock needed to repair Sagamore Bridge was made; subject referred to committee on streets, roads and bridges, with power.

Voted that Frank W. Miller's bill be paid when the City Solicitor pronounces a deed of land that he may give valid.

Petition of James DeNormandie and others, which was referred to committee on school houses, was reported upon, the committee reporting that the school-room on State street asked for by petitioners is not fit for an evening school for adults, being fitted with small seats for children.

Reports of repairs needed on school-houses were referred to committee on school-houses, with power.

Adjourned.

—A Southern paper has the news that base balls will be delivered from small cannon next year, and that the catchers will be iron-clad. Thus in our sports do we progress backward to the middle ages, when the players wore armor.

—The largest land-owner in America is probably ex-Gov. Abner Coburn of Maine, who owns 593,000 acres, 350,000 of which are in Maine, 185,000 in Canada, 35,000 each in Wisconsin and Dakota, 20,000 in Michigan and 18,000 in Minnesota.

—A new periodical for women, sneers an ungallant exchange, devotes eighteen pages to fashion and only one to cookery. Jack Falstaff had to endure the same censure. "O, monstrous! but one half pennyworth of bread to this intolerable deal of sacque?"

—While the Jews in New York number between 80,000 and 100,000, or about ten per cent. of the population, they contribute less than one per cent. to the criminal classes. Out of 1,037 convicts coming under the notice of one association only eight were Jews.

—A party of emigrants from Pittsburg to Arkansas are going to their new homes in a cheap and novel manner. They have built themselves a large boat, on which they intend to place all their household goods, and to float by way of the Ohio and Mississippi Rivers to the mouth of the White River, from which latter point they will have their boat towed up that river to the lands in Arkansas upon which they intend to settle.

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Gold	102¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties cupon	107¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	108
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	103½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 3½	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	93½
Boston & Providence	122½
Boston & Albany	125
Nashua & Lowell	60
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	84½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	36
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	3½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

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Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 70c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 22c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., fl. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Dr. 9¼ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

MARRIAGES.

SHERBURNE—HAYES. In this city, Oct. 31st, by Rev. Mr. Hubbell, Andrew B. Sherburne, M. D., and Miss Jenny S. Hayes, youngest daughter of Mr. Chas. Hayes, all of this city.

DAVIS—FOLSOM. In Boston Highlands, Oct. 22d, Mr. Edwin P. Davis, of Lawrence, formerly of this city, and Miss Hattie E. Folsom, daughter of Rev. Nath'l S. Folsom of Boston.

DEATHS.

TAYLOR. In Kittery, Me., Oct. 31, Charles W. Taylor, aged 5 yrs., 3 mos., 1 day, son of Mr. Samuel Taylor of Kittery.

JENKINS. In East Somerville, Mass., Oct. 23, Mrs. Frances Jenkins, widow of the late Augustus Jenkins, Esq., of this city, aged 70 years and 10 months.

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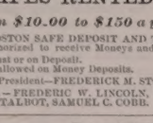

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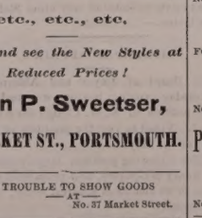

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BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

Having noticed Councillor John Gilman of Exeter, an account of another of the Gilman family will now be given. His name was Peter. He was called Hon. Peter Gilman, Col. Peter Gilman, and sometimes the military title "Brigadier" was applied. He was born in Exeter Feb. 6, 1703. His father's name was John, son of John, son of John, who came over with Edward his father, who was the emigrant. Peter Gilman was the third child of a family of eleven children. At the age of 21, he married a widow of John Gilman. He married second Dorothy Taylor, widow of Rev. John Taylor of Milton, Mass. A daughter of hers, Ann, became the wife of Nicholas Gilman of Exeter, and Gen. John Taylor Gilman was one of their sons. Peter Gilman had a third wife, also a widow, by the name of Prince. Peter Gilman had seven children, but four of them died young. Mehitable married Dr. John Giddings, we suppose of Exeter; Abigail married Rev. Job Strong, pastor of the South church in Portsmouth. He soon died and she married Rev. Woodbridge Odlin of Exeter. We have not the genealogy of the present Odlins of Exeter, but suppose they are of this lineage; if so, they are of noble descent. Mary, another daughter of Peter Gilman, married Major Daniel Tilton. He was of the Tilton family which lived in Hampton and Hampton Falls. The late Dr. Joseph Tilton of Exeter was also of this family. He was from Hampton Falls.

Peter Gilman appears to have been possessed of a spirit stirring nature, active and energetic. He had a share in the French and Indian wars, commanding a regiment at Crown Point in 1755. In 1756 he was one of the commissioners from this State in charge of the military stores at Albany. He frequently represented Exeter in the Provincial Assembly and from 1759 to 1771 was Speaker. The two following years he was a member of the Council.

It is not altogether strange that some, when the Revolutionary struggle came on, sympathized with the British authorities. But the Provincial Government kept a lookout on such. Mr. Gilman was suspected, and the Provincial Assembly ordered him to confine himself to the town of Exeter. But if he had sympathy with the Royalists, there is no evidence that it was much, or lasted long, as he was chosen moderator of the town meeting in 1775, and in 1777 a sergeant in Col. Stickney's regiment in General Stark's brigade, which participated in the well-fought battle of Bennington.

Col. Gilman was warm-hearted on the subject of religion. We could make this part of the narrative of him full, but one or two specimens must suffice. Robert Hale, Jr., of Beverly, Mass., had married his sister Elizabeth, and went a colonel of a regiment with Gen. Wm. Pepperell in 1745. In it is this passage; we follow his spelling and the use of capital letters: "The the archers may Shoot Sore at you I hope the Lord will cause your Bow to abide in Strength and that your arms may be made Strong by the hands of the mighty God of Jacob. I hope we shall be prepared for the second coming of our Dr Redeemer and to meet and Dwell together with him in his kingdom above where we shall never more hear the Clamor of War and Garments Rold in Blod."

Hon. C. H. Bell writes of Col. Gilman that he was a great admirer of Rev. George Whitefield, and says an amusing story is told of the power of the great preacher's eloquence on him and others, causing them to roll on the ground in an agony of penitence. We rather infer from this account, that some one of these was the one that rolled in dirt, but afterwards on being told that it was not Mr. Whitefield, who preached that day, but another minister, he exclaimed, "I have had all this fuss and dirtied my cost for nothing."

The house in which Col. Gilman lived is standing and is undoubtedly the oldest in Exeter. It is thought it was built by Councillor John Gilman, and if so, is about two hundred years old. Walk a few rods from the town hall in the direction of the bridge, and we come to it. It is on the right hand side. When we visited it Mr. Manly Darling lived in it. The old part or back wing has its walls of square timber as a defence against the Indians. We were shown dark and well-built closets where the inmates might hide if the savages should come and the danger be imminent. On the small panes of the old glass windows, the name, Peter Gilman, was found with a short record and dates of a few events. This house is now a hotel and is called the

American House.

Col. Peter Gilman died Dec. 1, 1788, aged 85 years.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1877.

The Naval Constructorship.

When President Hayes issued his instructions to the officials holding office under him, that civil service was to be henceforth recognized, and that promotions were to be made according to seniority and merit, we supposed it meant to apply to all departments of the Government, and have therefore looked for a change in the Bureau of Construction and Repair of the Navy Department. The senior officer entitled to have charge of that Bureau is Constructor Edward Hartt, but he was before the "investigating committee" of the last House, and the report of the committee as to the management of the yards under his charge was not such that his appointment would strengthen the present administration; and we are informed that he does not, at his age, desire the cares and duties of such a position. But such is not the case with the next officer in rank and seniority, Constructor Thomas E. Webb, late of this city, a courteous gentleman and one whose efficiency cannot for a moment be questioned; and whom the last House Committee on Naval Affairs endorsed "As one of the most exact and conscientious of public officers, who impressed them with the belief that he guarded the public interest with the same jealousy that a virtuous citizen protected the honor of his family." The appointment of such a man, who has shown by his fearless action against abuses that he will tolerate none of them, would strengthen the Administration by giving notice to all that Mr. Hayes meant not only to talk, but to act. The country demands that the best officers, and those who have in the past shown clean hands and fearless action, shall handle the great amounts of money which are yearly controlled by such officers as heads of naval bureaus. By right of seniority the position of chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair is due (after Mr. Hartt) to Constructor Webb, and simple justice alone would dictate his appointment. That he is abundantly qualified none can question, and that the interest of the government requires the services of men of his character and standing none can doubt.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 31.

It must be confessed that the selections of chairmen of committees of the House have created more than the usual amount of dissatisfaction; and the retirement of Messrs. Morrison and Cox from the prominent places they held last session, and their assignment as chairmen of comparatively unimportant committees, has led to the charge of a lack of magnanimity on Mr. Randall's part. His very pointed action in the case of Cox seems to warrant the conclusion as regards his disposition toward his most prominent rival in the Speakership contest. It always happens, of course, that out of the large number of the indignant party striving for recognition, there are some among the failures who are ready to dispute the accuracy of the Speaker's estimate of their worth, and more or less grumbling is always heard. The South certainly appears to have no cause to quarrel with the share of patronage accorded its representatives, as they walk off with twenty-six out of the whole number of chairmanships, while the West must be content with twelve, the Middle States with nine, and New England retires white-washed!

There are some significant winks exchanged over the announcement that Clarkson Potter has declined the chair of the Pacific Railroad business, and there are hints of a "put-up-job." It is put in this way. Randall, anxious to abstain from all appearances of evil, and at the same time desiring to pay his honest debts, appoints Mr. Throckmorton, an out-and-out advocate of the Texas Pacific scheme, as second on the committee, with the various views relative to it all represented, but in such a way as to insure a majority in its favor by the withdrawal of an opponent. Mr. Potter conveniently resigns to insure harmony; Mr. Throckmorton is advanced; Mr. Randall has saved his reputation and paid his debts.

Monday was one of the most busy days ever known in the House. Under the call of States, which began at about twelve and closed a little past five, nearly 900 bills were introduced. To be sure many of them were of no public importance, but it gave members ambitious to appear in the *Record* as authors of a bill, the opportunity desired, and as it only consumed time that might otherwise have been more mischievously spent, no great harm was done. It is said there are now over fifty bills introduced relative to remonetization and repeal of the resumption bill. The House exhausted itself by its unwonted activity, and adjourned over Tuesday; and as the three days' racing at Benning's begins to-day, another day or two devoted to that sport will be demanded by the precedent of last week.

Hardly sufficient time has yet elapsed to enable republicans to ascertain their own sentiments relative to the appointment of Mr. Welsh as Minister to England, but it is entirely safe to predict that there are many other names that would have elicited a greater share of cordiality among those devoted to the party.

The President, family and Cabinet are at Baltimore, where they appear to have received an almost extravagant welcome.

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The Eastern War.

A despatch from Bucharest says that Chevket Pasha, in attempting to recapture Teliche, had been repulsed with great loss. The English Government has offered the Porte mediation on terms that Bosnia, Bulgaria and Herzegovina shall obtain local and administrative autonomy. Russia's adhesion to these terms is considered doubtful.

A despatch from Erzeroum says that a strong force of Russians are trying to turn Moukhtar Pasha's army and prevent his retreating to Erzeroum. His position is considered as being very desperate.

The official return of the Russian killed, wounded and missing from the commencement of hostilities to October 25th, is 61,942.

News and Notes.

By a collision on the Philadelphia and Erie Railroad Thursday the engineers of both trains and one brakeman were instantly killed, another fatally injured and several passengers were injured, but none seriously.

Field Marshal Wrangel, of Prussia, died on Thursday. He was the oldest general officer in the world.

There is a grand muss along the line of the Canadian Southeastern railroad in Vermont, the State authorities and Passumpsic railroad folks having torn up the tracks. A raid by Canadians, and a relay of the track is talked of.

A runaway freight train on the New England Railroad ran into a passenger train at Franklin, Mass., Thursday evening; the firemen and engineer of the passenger train were fatally injured, but no passengers were hurt.

The public debt was decreased during the month of October $4,236,554.30.

A despatch from St. Thomas reports the arrival of the American ship Marienne, with second mate Kelley in irons, charged with murdering the captain and throwing him overboard. The vessel was bound from New York to San Francisco.

Jacob G. Otis, who assisted in swindling some fifty firms of New York several years ago out of nearly a million dollars, was captured by the police Wednesday. He was a member of the notorious firm of Lagrave & Co., who bought goods of A. T. Stewart & Co. and other firms on credit, and sold them and decamped with the money. Lagrave was subsequently arrested in France, but when brought to New York was released on account of a technicality in the extradition treaty.

Dishonest practices that have been going on for some time past in the Refiner's Department of the Philadelphia mint, have just come to light, but only one employe is known to be guilty, and at his house has been found one hundred ounces of silver. Director Pollock refuses to make public any further facts in the case, on the ground that his doing so might defeat the ends of justice.

A horrible murder was committed Tuesday night, eight miles west of Terre Haute, Ind., near Sanford Station, on the Indianapolis and St. Louis Railroad, at the residence of Burgoyne Tritt, a wealthy former. His daughter Ross, aged nineteen, had been the object of attention from a young man in the neighborhood, and also from Sylvanus Burnham, a hired man, who had been in the employ of Tritt three years. On Sunday evening, Rosa's lover paid her a visit, which caused a quarrel with Burnham, and he threatened her, saying he would get even with his rival. Tuesday night the old folks were awakened by a light, and found the upper story of the house on fire. Burnham was missing. The house was consumed, with everything in it, after which the corpse of Rosa was found in the ruins, with her legs, arms and head burned off, but there was enough of evidence to show that the girl's throat had been cut, and there was a deep wound in her side. Burnham is still missing.

New Hampshire Items.

Thursday, Nov. 29th, the date of the National Thanksgiving Day, has been set apart by the Governor and Council as a day of Thanksgiving and Praise in this State.

At a meeting of the Governor and Council Thursday the nomination of Edward A. Jenks as State Reporter was confirmed.

John W. Allard, ex-Superintendent of the schools of Nashua, has been elected President of the New England Association of Superintendents.

The suicide of Cyrus Nelson at Sanbornton, Tuesday night, is shrouded in mystery. An investigation will be made. The circumstances indicate foul play. Suspicion rests on the father of deceased, who is represented as rather an unsavory character.

Political.

Congressman Clarkson N. Potter has written a note to Speaker Randall, asking that some one else to be appointed Chairman of the Pacific Railroad Committee in his stead. He would cheerfully serve, he says, but for the fact that he is largely interested in a railroad in Pennsylvania, of which Col. Thomas A. Scott is the President.

Already the southern press is showing signs of fear that the President may be wavering in his reconciliation policy. This alarm, it seems, was brought about by southern Congressmen writing home that there is no further hope of offices for democrats, and that applicants had better save their money and remain at home.

The man who, acting as Mayor of Richmond, welcomed Hayes so heartily on Tuesday, is the same who was chairman of the committee on resolutions at the convention that nominated Tilden.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	119½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	107½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	108
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1890	102½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 8½s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	36½
Boston & Providence	122½
Boston & Albany	125
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
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Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
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SUNDAY SERVICES.

At the Unitarian church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; vesper service at 7:30. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant: Subject, "Overcoming the World." Sunday School meets at 2:45 P. M.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M., 7:30 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. H. Alden.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder Jesse Gray, of Portland, will preach.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. J. Noyes.

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. James W. Hubbell.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. John A. Goss, at 10:30 A. M.; subject, "Saul's Conversion." No service afternoon or evening.

Bow Mission services are suspended until December 2d.

Andrew J. Penhallow will hold a Revival Meeting at Mechanics' Hall in the afternoon from two to four o'clock. Seats free.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The revival meetings under the lead of Major Whittle and McGranahan commence on Sunday, the order of exercises being as follows:

Prayer meeting from nine to ten o'clock A. M. at the Middle street church. At three o'clock, services at the North church: preaching by Major Whittle; solo singing by Mr. McGranahan, his wife accompanying on the organ; choruses by the choir of sixty voices, under direction of Mr. E. B. Goodall. At 7:30 P. M., similar exercises in the North church. Previous to the commencement of the afternoon and evening services the chorus will hold a praise meeting of about half an hour's duration. Should it be necessary to hold overflow meetings, they will take place at the Middle street church. Ten ushers will be in attendance in the evening to seat the people.

[Communicated.]

WHITTLE AND McGRANAHAN.

Messrs. Whittle and McGranahan closed their evangelistic labors in Rutland on Thursday night, after a month of continuous effort. The attendance from the first has been very large; on Sundays and each week night (except Saturday) the large Congregational church has been crowded. The daily prayer meeting has been well attended and grew in interest; many requests for prayer were presented, and gradually new voices began to appear in the meetings. The bible readings in the afternoon were well attended, and were very interesting and instructive. The ministers of the city were in hearty accord, and assisted in the work. Large numbers have gone into the inquiry rooms after each service, and many have been converted. The result of the work has been very satisfactory. During the month the gospel has been preached day after day to large numbers, many of whom were not accustomed to attend church. The churches have been aroused and church members quickened. Many well known business and professional men have been converted and have come out and identified themselves with the work. A large number of young men have been converted, and very many young people. The infusion of new, young life into the churches, and their induction into Christian work, cannot but exert a healthy influence. The subject of religion has assumed a prominence in all circles such as it has not done, if ever before, in many years; and has been the great topic of conversation and comment alike in the parlors of the rich, the humble homes of the poor and in the haunts of the depraved. Possibly the most hopeful sign looking to the continuance of the work has been the number of intelligent, active young men who have been quickened and converted, and who are ready for active work. Arrangements are in progress for organized effort to utilize the material, and looking to special, continued effort for young men. The daily prayer meeting will be continued, and the Sunday afternoon meetings for men; and other special efforts will be made under the direction of the pastors of the city.

Major Whittle is an earnest, impressive preacher; his sermons are filled with good words; he is thoroughly sympathetic and carries with him the sympathy of his audience. He is specially attractive to young men. Mr. McGranahan has a voice of unusual sweetness, and many of the solos are of his own composition. Mrs. McGranahan, who accompanies her husband, sings very sweetly; and the solos and duets, accompanied by the chorus of a good choir, is winning and impressive.

Messrs. Whittle and McGranahan begin evangelistic efforts in Portsmouth on Sunday, Nov. 4th, in the Congregational church.

SUPREME COURT--THIRD WEEK.

Friday, Nov. 2d, before *Stanley, J.*

The evidence in case Otis S. Merrill vs. William B. Merrill having been closed on Thursday evening, Gen. Marston began his argument for the defendant on Friday morning. This action was brought to recover about $1500, alleged to be due from the defendant to the plaintiff, his son, for services. The counsel for defendant contended that the relation of the parties were those of parent and child, not of master and servant, from the time the young man came of age to the date of his writ; and that if the latter position were the correct one, then the set-off for board etc., when engaged at work for others, should be allowed. The plaintiff, as represented by Mr. Hatch, relied upon an express promise which he claimed to have proved by four witnesses. The case was given to the jury [at noon, and at 4:30 P. M., returned a verdict for the plaintiff, for $814.17.

Court adjourned to Monday forenoon at eleven o'clock. New jurors are summoned for the fourth week.

In the case in which W. B. Merrill's daughter sought to recover for services, the jury gave Miss Merrill $394.33. In each of these cases, Mr. Hatch was counsel for the plaintiff; Messrs. Stickney and Marston for the defendant.

THE HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

Those of our readers who scanned the list of appropriations asked for of Congress, for the improvement of rivers and harbors during the next fiscal year, noticed that not one dollar was asked for our harbor, notwithstanding its importance as a coal and winter-fishing port and shelter harbor, and the urgent necessity of something being done. We have published a number of articles on this subject, in hope that the "solid men" of our city who are interested in the improvement of the harbor—and every person in the city is more or less interested in it—would adopt such measures as to insure a favorable result, as has been done in other places. That some combined movement to attain so desirable an end was not made long ago seems incomprehensible; the people of Dover secured appropriations for blowing the bottom out of the Cocheco river, and enough money has been spent in improving the navigation of the "trout brooks" up Newmarket way to clear the Piscataqua of two or three of its most dangerous and most easily removed obstructions; yet until the CHRONICLE commenced to agitate the matter it seems never to have occurred to any one that Portsmouth harbor needed any improvement, or was of importance enough to be worth improving if improvement was needed. Since then one gentleman at least has moved in the matter; Col. William H. Sise, as President of the Board of Trade, has been in correspondence with Brig. Gen. Thom in reference to the obstructions in our river and the probable cost of their removal, and has transmitted the correspondence to Congressman Jones, of this district. This is first-rate, as far as it goes, but it is asking almost too much of our Congressman to expect him to secure an appropriation for surveying this harbor unless he is aided by the business men generally, with their representations and influence. A petition, properly setting forth the importance of the harbor and asking attention to its needs, would no doubt receive the signature of every business man in the city, and such a document would be a strong argument for Mr. Jones to use in urging the river and harbor committee to insert in their estimates an appropriation for making the necessary surveys. Give him the data to work with, and we have no fear but he will do his share of the work. The Whale's-back fog-horn is an illustration of his readiness in this direction; in the latter part of December of last year the CHRONICLE published an article urging a better fog-signal for this harbor than the old bell, and followed it up with others; and before the March election came off Mr. Jones had secured a promise of the necessary appropriation, and the horn is now in position, and braying cheerily whenever there is a fog. We believe he will be equally in earnest in working to forward the improvement of the harbor, —though his re-election to Congress is not now pending; [the Dover *Democrat* has however nominated him for Governor—this is by way of a note;] but it may not be so easy to get the larger sum as it was to get the small one for the horn, and his hands should be strengthened by the citizens in every possible way. The Washington correspondents say that the present administration has "decided that a large reduction can be made in the appropriations for improvements of rivers and harbors, and in the building of fortifications. It is contended that an immense amount is spent on rivers and harbors that might be saved and applied to the sinking fund or some other more useful purpose." From this it is evident that if any new enterprise in this line is to be undertaken, the most convincing reasons for it will have to be given, and its advocates will have to be persistent in their advocacy.

It would seem not a difficult matter to make a strong showing in favor of improving this harbor—so strong that even the present "economical" government will acknowledge that something should be done—and do it. Over 200,000 tons of coal are landed at our wharves in a season, besides lumber, salt, lime, etc., in considerable quantities. To transport this requires a large number of vessels, the wreck of almost any one of which on one of the sunken ledges would involve the loss of more money than would be required to remove the ledge; the amount which the wreck of the brig Clara J. Adams has cost somebody, if expended on the beacon ledge, would blow it to pieces and clear it away at least as far in as the beacon. Not a deep-loaded vessel of any large size is ever berthed on the north side of Concord Railroad wharf without being endangered by Ham's ledge; we are informed that such vessels can only be moved at high tide, and if by any accident one should swing upon the ledge she would be sure to bilge as the tide fell. One vessel was wrecked on this ledge some years ago, and though its position is now marked by a buoy it is as much in the way as ever, and becomes more and more so every year as our coal trade increases; and it is easily possible that another and more valuable vessel, or a number of them, may be wrecked on it in the future if it is not cleared away. If these and similar facts were properly represented in the proper quarter, and backed up by such shipping statistics as could be easily procured from the custom house and private mercantile records, it is more than probable that the government engineers would be set to work on a survey, with a certainty that such a survey would finally result in the obstructions being removed.

THE CITY.

Ship Anna Decatur, 1210 tons register, built at this port in 1856, has been sold to go under the German flag.

Ship Paul Jones, hence for Baltimore, put into Gloucester, Mass., on Friday, to escape the storm. The Paul Jones was very lucky to get in somewhere, for in her light condition she would not do much at clawing off a lee shore if caught on one in a gale.

The *Times* says: "The CHRONICLE man don't believe our story in regard to the partridge breaking through Mr. John S. Sides' window." Who authorized the *Times* to say we don't believe that story? We didn't say we don't believe it. All we said was, "we have not heard what the marines think of that yarn,"—and we haven't; we have not yet seen any of them to ask. But we have seen Mr. Sides, who assures us that he did find the partridge in the room on the third floor of the building occupied by him, as stated, and that he has no doubt the bird flew in through the window which was found broken. The bird was kept in a cage in Mr. Sides' saloon for a couple of days, where it was seen by many persons, and was then set at liberty.

NAVY YARD ITEMS.

Lieutenant-Commander A. W. Kellogg is detached from command of the Speedwell (now at this yard) and placed on waiting orders.

Advices from Norfolk, Va., contain the following: "Sloop-of-war Enterprise has been ordered to follow the Plymouth to Vera Cruz, previous to which, however, a Board of Inspection, by order of the Secretary of the Navy, will examine and report upon the construction of the Enterprise. This ship is one of the eight new sloops recently built and has never made a cruise. She came here from the contractors' hands at Portsmouth, N. H., months ago, and has been undergoing repairs ever since."

In compliance with the recommendation of the officers at the navy yard, the alteration in the propeller of the U. S. S. Ticonderoga will be done there.

Forty-two men have been required in the bureau of construction and repair at the navy yard, as follows: eleven shipwrights, ten laborers, six fasteners, five iron platers, four boat builders, two brass founders, two engine tenders, one plumber and one coppersmith.

Passed Assistant Engineer George W. Hill is ordered to the Ossipee.

THE VICINITY.

A petition is circulating in Newington, addressed to the Postmaster General, asking that arrangements be made whereby the residents of that town can receive the mail four times instead of twice a week.

A few nights since sneak thieves robbed the hen-coop of Mr. Jeremiah Marston at Hampton of fifteen of his best chickens. Thieves have also visited other premises in that vicinity, and stolen corn, squashes, apples, onions and other products.

On Thursday evening, at about nine o'clock, as Mr. Charles Marden of Greenland was driving through Great Swamp on his way home from this city, his horse stumbled and Mr. Marden was thrown with much force to the ground, injuring one of his legs and straining him considerably.

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Lard per pound, 12 cents.
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Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9½ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

MARRIAGES.

GRANT—STOVER. At Cape Neddick, Me., by Rev. Henry Stetson, Mr. Willard A. Grant and Miss Wilhelmina L. Stover, both of York.

BROWN—GODFREY. In Hampton, Oct. 24, Mr. Hugh Brown of Hampton Falls, and Miss Addie Godfrey of Hampton.

DEATHS.

WENDELL. In this city, Nov. 1, Nellie Folsom Wendell, infant daughter of Charles A. and Emma B. Wendell, aged 1 month and 3 days.

BLAKE. In Kittery, Me., Oct. 27, Mr. Mark Blake, agrd 50.

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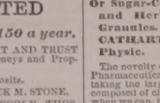

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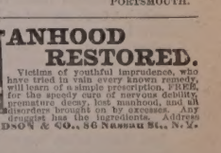

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The Porte has issued to the populace an official assurance that Plevna is amply provisioned and can hold out for months. Chevket Pasha telegraphs that on Thursday he repulsed the Russian advance on Orchanie, on the road to Plevna. The Russian loss was very heavy.

Silistria is threatened with investment, but is exceedingly strong in its defences and fully armed. The garrison is in admirable condition, and is commanded by Selami Pasha, one of the ablest Turkish generals.

News and Notes.

The *Cape Ann Advertiser* reports the schooner Etta Gott as "high line" of the mackerel fleet, with a little over 300 barrels. Very few of the fleet have taken over 200 barrels, one has taken only 70 barrels, and the average will not exceed 180 barrels. The business this year has been a losing one to owners and fitters of vessels, and has given but meagre returns to the fishermen for their labor. The stock of mackerel on hand is light.

A decision of much interest to the gambling fraternity has just been made in New York. A stranger was recently enticed into a gambling den in that city and fleeced, and the District Attorney, finding by experience that conviction on the charge of swindling was almost impossible, indicted the men for larceny. It was contended that there could be no larceny in the case, as the victim gave up his money voluntarily; but the judge charged for conviction, and the jury brought in a verdict of guilty. The case was promptly taken to the Court of Appeals, which has now confirmed the decision of the lower court.

The death of Dr. H. S. Smith, a practicing physician of Webster, Mass., causes much talk. The Doctor was subject to drunken sprees, and while on one of these, was put in the lock up for the night, where there was no fire. He claimed and his friends also claim, that he there took cold, which was the cause of his death. There is to be an investigation. He leaves a wife and two children.

The barque George A. Wright, before reported lost at sea, was knocked down while laying-to in a heavy gale with only a lower main-topsail set. She cost $60,000, and was on her first voyage. All hands, including the captain's wife and two children, were taken off by schooner Joshua S. Sanborn, of Gloucester, the barque sinking soon after. The cargo of grain was insured $25,000, and vessel $40,000.

The Congressional question—to resump, or not to resump!

Weston, the pedestrian, is lecturing to large audiences in England on "Will Power" and "Temperance."

Harwich, Ont., has had a shower of fish, some of them large enough to furnish the inhabitants a square meal.

Herring have suddenly reappeared on the coast of Denmark. They went away one Fall just as suddenly, over 300 years ago.

Ladies are awful frail beings, but when a man has to put on a thick overcoat the ladies are plenty warm enough in a thin lace shawl.

A French chemist is said to have succeeded in producing a paint with which to illuminate the numbers on street doors at night. Figures traced with it are so lustrous as to be read even on a dark night, and the preparation of the compound is said to be simple, inexpensive and not injurious.

Mrs. John C. Green, of New York, donates $50,000 to the home for destitute children of seamen.

"Woman," says an ancient writer, "can never become an orator." But he had probably never seen a housewife with her head out of the window in the morning, arguing with the milkman about that quart he overcharged her for in last week's bill.

A new method of preserving fish is announced. The fish, either raw or boiled, is cut in thin slices and plunged in a bath of water strongly acidulated with citric acid. After two or three hours' soaking it is removed and dried, either in the air or under moderate heat. In the latter case one hour is sufficient; in the former, five or six days exposure is required. Fish thus treated will keep anywhere for an indefinite period. Three or four days' soaking in fresh water is required to prepare it for use.

New Hampshire Items.

We are informed by the Dover *Press* that Mr. Voorhees telegraphed a cancellation of his engagement to speak at Dover on Wednesday evening, on the ground of important business; and thus Dover will have to fall back upon its duet of democratic editors to find out the strong points of Thomas Jefferson, as the voice of the Tall Sycamore will not be heard on the banks of the Cocheco as advertised.

Five clergymen are now living in Concord who have been engaged for more than fifty years in the labors of their professions: Rev. N. Bouton, Congregationalist; Rev. E. F. Cummings, Baptist; Rev. S. Curtis, Free Will Baptist; Rev. E. Smith and Rev. J. W. Merrill, Methodist. Each has passed his three-score and ten, the oldest being seventy-eight.

Political.

General Joe Johnson is convinced that the commercial condition of the South is better than it was before the war.

The Columbus *Herald* "believes that Hayes will yet cast aside the scoundrels who betrayed him, and return to the principles of the party that made him President."

The chair of the Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections will probably be filled by the promotion of Senator Wadleigh of New Hampshire. Mr. Mitchell of Oregon stands first on the Committee, but prefers to retain the Chairmanship of the Railroads Committee. Mr. Wadleigh is Chairman of the Committee on Patents, but prefers the Privileges and Elections Committee.

"Love, the toothache and tight boots are things which cannot be kept secret. Neither can the sorrows of a machine politician." We clip this item from a republican paper that has always denounced "the machine" in politics, and assisted the republicans to gain victories by assailing the party, its workers and its principles just in the warmest part of the campaign. The same issue of the paper from which we clip the fling at the "machine politician," contained an agonized appeal for "the people"—*i.e.*, the policy-holding reformers—to take hold and help prevent a democratic victory in Massachusetts! as the "machine politicians are doing nothing and the custom house is minding its own business." From this we judge that the independent divine-right-of-bolting policy-gush reform politician has sorrows, as well as the machine fellow.

Outrageous Scoundrelism.

On Thursday evening at about half-past eight o'clock, while the evangelists, Messrs. Whittle and McGranahan, were conducting the evening service in the Congregationalist Church at Rutland, Vt., an incendiary fire was started in the barn of Judson Howard, near the church. The exercises were the last to be held by the evangelists in Rutland, and fully 2000 persons were present in the church, filling every available space. As soon as the fire was started, and before it was hardly under way, some unknown party came to the door and cried "Fire," which caused a terrible panic for a few minutes. The presence of mind of Major Whittle, and the assistance of a number of the prominent citizens of the place, who almost forced the crowd to sit down, happily allayed the panic. As it was, a number of ladies fainted. The barn was not so near as to endanger the church.

Proclamation by the President.

EXECUTIVE MANSION,
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 2, 1877.

I lament the sad occasion which makes it my duty to testify the public respect for the eminent citizen and distinguished statesman whose death yesterday at his home in Indianapolis has been made known to the people by telegraphic announcements. The services of Oliver P. Morton to the nation in the difficult and responsible affairs of the State of Indiana as its Governor at a critical juncture of the civil war can never be overrated by his countrymen. His long service in the Senate has shown his great powers as a legislator, and as a leader and chief counsellor of the political party charged with the conduct of the Government during that period. In all things and all times he has been able, strenuous and faithful in the public service, and his fame with his countrymen rests upon a secure foundation. The several executive departments will be closed on the day of his funeral, and appropriate honors should be paid to the memory of the deceased statesman by the whole nation.

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Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1875	104¼
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	103½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	100
Eastern R. R. 8s	50¼
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60¼
Boston & Maine	93½
Boston & Providence	122½
Boston & Albany	125
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	84½
Northern N. H.	65¼
Old Colony & Newport	36
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 73c; Northern 85c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 27c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., ft. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9½ @ 10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch Union Flag, Frisbee, from this port arr at New York Nov 1.

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THE VOTING REGISTER of Certificate Holders is now making up at the Office of the Trustees, No. 75 State Street, Boston, Mass. The names of parties to whom certificates were originally delivered have been placed in the Register. Any subsequent purchaser or holder desiring to register may do so on presenting at said office to Mr. JOSHUA CRANE a written statement of his name, address, and the denomination and number of each certificate held by him or a written order from the last registered holder.

In accordance with regulations fixed by the Trustees the Voting Register will be closed on the thirteenth day of November, between which time and the Annual Meeting on the second Wednesday of December no registration will be made.

Per Order of the Directors,

Eastern EDWARD C. PERKINS, *Clerk.*

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.		P. M.	
Boston, South and West,	8 10:45		5	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:45		5	
Portland,	9:45		4:55	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:45			6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45		4:55	
Great Falls,	9:45		4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45			
Concord and North,	7:40		4:55	
Concord Way,			4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40		4:55	
Dover,	7:40	9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:03 10:10	5:50
Boston Way,	10:10	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Fifth of November—Guy Fawkes--Pope Night—pumpkin lanterns, tin horns, etc.

Mars embraced Saturn on Saturday night, and on Sunday evening was "sagaciating" north-easterly from S.

Mr. William H. Gardiner, principal of the Jaffrey High School, was in town last week on a brief visit home.

We sent four different reporters to attend the various revival services in this city on Sunday, and the results of their labors are apparent in our columns this morning.

Schooner Grace Choate made a lively run across from Gloucester to this port in the blow of Friday afternoon, springing her mainboom and splitting her mainsail on the way.

Laighton Brothers, of Appledore, are improving their new steam yacht "Mollie" by putting a house on her, and otherwise better fitting her for making the trip between this port and the Shoals during the coming winter.

Schooner Mary S. Hontvet, Hontvet master, has been thoroughly repainted since she arrived home from the Banks some two weeks ago, and now looks as gay as the latest style of fall bonnet. She will commence shore fishing the last of this week.

The opposition "Hourly" which was put on the streets on Tuesday of last week did not drive Mr. Prior out of the business. The opposition ran well for a season—Tuesday and Wednesday—but the passengers *would* patronize Mr. Prior's coach, so the opposition "busted" on Thursday. Glad of it.

The cable steamer Minia, from Halifax, N. S., appeared off the Shoals at about one o'clock Saturday, steamed down in the bay toward Rye beach, laid off and on for some time, and then ran into the lower harbor and anchored at about four o'clock. Her errand here is to repair the break in the Direct Cable, located by the electrical tests about ten miles southeast of the Shoals.

A correspondent desires us to call the attention of the city authorities to the dangerous condition of the sidewalk at the southwest corner of Union and Islington streets, a pile of dirt having accumulated there during the construction of the Walker house, that needs speedy removal if the city is expected to escape a suit for damages when some unlucky pedestrian comes to grief there in the darkness of night.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The concerted effort toward evangelizing the city was formally commenced on Sunday at the Middle street church, the first public service being held there in the forenoon, between the hours of nine and ten o'clock, Major Whittle and Mr. McGranahan conducting, and several clergymen of the city being present. The services consisted of prayer, congregational singing, and the singing of two hymns ("The beautiful words of light," and "Nothing without Thee,") by Mr. McGranahan, who was accompanied on the piano by Mrs. McGranahan, the reading of selections of Scripture by Major Whittle, and a very interesting and impressive discourse by the latter-named gentleman, on the importance of prayer with faith. The church was well filled, considering the early hour of the service, the congregation consisting mainly of members of the various evangelical churchs or constant attendants upon their ministrations.

We observed on Saturday, conspicuously displayed on our streets, the following poster, which we copy verbatim: "Andrew J. Penhallow, Revivalist and Common Sense Delineator of Bible Truths of the One Living and True God and Universal Salvation of Jesus Christ, will speak at Mechanics' Hall on Sunday afternoon Nov. 4 from 2 till 5." Following the information given as above, we betook ourselves to Mechanics' Hall, where we listened to Mr. Penhallow patiently for nearly an hour, without experiencing any revivification. This was probably no fault of the *Delineator*, however, as we are fully convinced that the trouble was with the writer.

The sermon or lecture, whichever it was, seemed to be too cursory to accomplish the author's purpose. He undertook to discuss too many points. Some of his remarks, though, were trenchant and deserve record. Among other things the speaker observed that men will grow insane if they neglect to use their reason. A fool is a person of one idea. In this definition Mr. P. differs from the opinions of modern lexicographers, but he is just as likely to be right as they, for aught we know. His exegesis of Bible Truths was not a success with us, though we must confess to a natural stupidity in the understanding of these matters. We gathered from Mr. Penhallow's remarks, the idea that he is an evangelical Unitarian, believing in the Trinity and particularly in salvation through the man Christ Jesus.

Now if the reader can understand this definition of the Revivalist's position, he has got Mr. Penhallow "right down fine," as the expression is. His illustration of the moral situation of man deserves a word or two. He remarked parenthetically that a man and his son while attempting to cross the marshes in Ipswich, lately, came to a bog and commenced to sink. Extrication on their own part was impossible, and they continued to sink. A little timely aid would then have saved them. It was not forthcoming. They slowly sank until overtaken by the rising tide, when they were drowned by the overflowing waters. Now, said the speaker, a platform would have saved them. [He did not tell us whether he would have used the democratic or republican platform, or that of the liberals.] Mankind, said the Revivalist, is in a marshy bog; (of ignorance, we suppose he meant, morally speaking.) They (mankind) are slowly sinking; morality is the platform that should be thrust under them; but the derrick, guys, and so forth, that are necessary to lift them out should be the heavenly attractions, that are found in the Bible, the Book of Books. [It seemed to our dull mind, that the man must be pretty well out after they had succeeded in getting a platform between him and the bog. To us the derrick simile appeared superfluous. However, we will yield to the Revivalist.]

As an initial meeting of a course of revival gatherings, Mr. P.'s was not particularly discouraging. We fear, however, that the next of the series will not find assembled the select crowd of intelligent thinkers that convened on the occasion referred to. This apprehension is based on a notion of ours that the Revivalist is too profound generally and too rambling particularly to bring himself within the understanding of the masses. His moral character however is a better sermon than he can verbally utter, and he had better save hall expenses, printer's bills, et cetera, and confine himself to the silent method that we have suggested.

After the lecture, Mr. Penhallow very courteously invited any of the audience to make a few remarks, if there were those present who desired so to do. No one responding, the meeting was dissolved.

The evangelical campaign for a revival of religion through the ministrations of Major D. W. Whittle and Mr. James McGranahan has fairly commenced, the first appearance of these two gentlemen at the North Church, Sunday afternoon, drawing an audience of 1200 persons, most of whom were comfortably seated through the exertions of a goodly corps of ushers, the Sabbath schools occupying the galleries, which were reserved for them.

The church was filled long before the appointed time for the services to commence, and the choir of some seventy singers were early in attendance. Dr. Goodall, who has enthusiastically entered into the work of training the choir, relieved the waiting audience by commencing a praise meeting shortly after half-past two o'clock, which he led with vigor for about half an hour, the choir alternating in singing with the large audience, the first selection being: "Come thou fount of every blessing."

Promptly at three o'clock, Messrs. Whittle and McGranahan made their appearance, the former taking possession of the desk, and the latter the command of the choir, which Dr. Goodall gracefully relinquished. There was an air of business in the appearance of the two strangers, and the fact that the audience was not tired with the first performance was largely due to the promptness which both displayed. The audience had hardly begun to inquire if these were the revivalists when Major Whittle sent Mr. McGranahan to the front with a finely rendered hymn: "Whomsoever will believe." We were at first somewhat disappointed in the singing, although Mrs. McGranahan's accompaniment was most opportune, the two voices blending well. The chief charm appeared to be in the perfect time in which the selection was rendered. Before the whispering audience could take time to compare notes, Rev. Dr. Alden was called on and offered prayer. Major Whittle then called on Mr. McGranahan to sing: "In the presence of the King," a gospel song that gave more scope to Mr. McGranahan's fine voice, and was rendered more impressively than the first, Mrs. M. again joining in an accompaniment with a sweetness of voice that added greatly to the effect.

Major Whittle went straight to business at the conclusion of the singing, announcing that his platform was based on his his belief in Christ. He quoted copiously from the Scriptures to show the testimony of Christ. What our Savior believed should be, in his way of thinking, the belief of all his followers. They must take Christ's testimony—in fact it was the only testimony offered. Christ stated that He spoke whereof He knew, and testified whereof He witnessed. To disbelieve in Him was to be lost. It is not a question of whether disbelievers shall be lost. All are already lost, and none can be saved who reject Christ. Safety is insured by embracing this belief, and everything is lovely for the true believer. No person could know God and reject Christ. The non-believer would be visited by God's wrath and indignation, and his path would be one of tribulation.

The speaker seemed to think that the Supreme Ruler *cared* what the belief of His creatures should be. He would be "put out" at not being shown due homage, and at the end would get right up and knock the poor wight out of all future happiness who should from ignorance of His ways, or the force of circumstances, decline to adopt the views of His living advisers, the evangelists. It soon became evident that the speaker was a believer that "I, thy God, am a jealous God," and this may account for the fact that Major Whittle believes it "safest" to adopt the hot-house system of making converts, instead of waiting for the ripening fruit to drop naturally into the vineyard, lest the delay be too dangerous. We waited for the full expression of his views, and found that he "stood pat" on the original orthodox belief, (antediluvian though it be,) and deemed it impossible to better his "hand." Said he, impressively and earnestly, with all the air of a person who believes firmly what he is about to state: "I believe in a Heaven, a hell, the judgment and a resurrection." And thereby lies his consistency! In the struggle after revelation, he who wants more light and goes to science and philosophy for it, finds no promise and is compelled to return to the belief that to be saved, he must believe in God, through Christ, said the speaker, and without that course of proceeding goes to eternal woe. Christ's testimony should be either impeached or be believed. That is, we opine, that if one man or god, be be saint or sinner, made a statement that certain things had been seen by him, and millions upon millions of people could not prove the negative, he must be believed.

To reject Christ, said the evangelist, is worse than murder or any crime on the catalogue. Rather a "sockdologer" that, to think that any honest man who cannot in his heart feel like absorbing the religion of the evangelists after a careful inquiry into its plausibility and its terminal points, though trying to observe pretty much all the commandments and the "Golden Rule," is worse than a murderer who "accepts Christ." No wonder this is a sinful world when men like the self-styled evangelists of the day, go about the country and preach—not "good will toward men," but "Believe as I do, or be damned."

We give Major Whittle credit for being an honest believer in his mission and the manner of its accomplishment. He is evidently aiming to do a great amount of good in this world, and though his belief is not the belief of a majority of his listeners, and never can be, all well-meaning people will wish him success in his efforts to better the condition of mankind. He is not, however, talking in this community so much to sympathizers with his belief as to its critics, and it is not well to make statements that appear ridiculous on their face to reflecting minds and are liable to result in damage to the cause he espouses. There is a vast amount of practical common sense cropping out in these enlightened times, when every man is apt to do his own thinking, and resents any interference with that right, especially when that interference comes in a shape that demands that he take counsel of his fears rather than of his affections and his good judgment. The tendency of the times toward liberalism is too marked to make it profitable for believers in any theory to announce that to believe otherwise than they do, or not to see wholly through their spectacles, is simply to be damned! Such self-assumption does not even tend to stimulate respect for cause or advocate. A becoming humility is far more effective than self-righteousness, but then we can't have *everything* to please us.

The evening meeting was preceded by by a praise meeting conducted by E. B. Goodall, some seven or eight songs being sung by the chorus and the audience, the song entitled "He Leadeth Me" being rendered with spirited effect. Promptly at 7:30 the Evangelists made their appearance. First the 100th Psalm was sung to the tune of Old Hundred. Prayer was then offered by Rev. James Noyes. Mr. McGranahan and wife sang in clear and sweet tones, "Wonderful Words of Life." After Mr. Whittle invoked the divine blessing he took his passages of scripture from the 16th chapter of John. He said the different verses were the last words of Jesus to His Apostles. He went on to explain who the Holy Ghost was. He explained that the three things which the Holy Ghost does are: (1) Convinces the world of sin; (2) He shows us how we may be righteous; (3) Convicts of sin. He said in the course of his remarks that it was the work of the devil in putting Christ to death. In Jesus Christ the devil is spoiled. The day of his punishment is hastening on and he will soon be punished by being thrown into hell. He warned the people to look out and see that they do not suffer punishment in the same manner and at the same time. Our righteousness is not in ourselves, but in God. He takes our sins, we take his righteousness. Men don't like to be convicted of sin. There is no greater sin than to turn back on God by not believing on the Son. The Holy Spirit is the spirit of love; it is representative of the motherhood of God. He closed by saying we cannot trust our feelings in all these matters. We must trust God and testimony. May Christ enable us to take his word.

The house was well filled, many persons remaining standing in the aisles during the services. Numbers left the building for want of sitting accommodations and went to the "overflow meeting" at the Baptist church. There was only one minister present during the whole of the services, Rev. James Noyes; Mr. Hubbell being present at first and then leaving for the Middle street church. One of the gentlemen members of the choir caused considerable annoyance by his trying to outsing the others, and his finishing the first word when the others were half through the next. The audience seemed disposed to go out at the singing of the last piece, but after some words by Mr. Whittle to the people upon the subject they respected his wishes.

After the sermon was ended Mr. McGranahan sang: "The Lord of the Vineyard is Waiting for Thee." The audience appeared very much interested in the sermon, and the speaker was listened to with marked attention. It seemed to be the opinion, from the tenor of the remarks of the audience as they dispersed, that the Evangelists have done good already, and that their efforts in reforming the community may meet with much success.

There being more people desirous of attending the evening meeting than the North Church could accommodate, an overflow meeting was held at the Middle street church, at which remarks were made by Rev. Messrs. Goss, Hubbell and Alden; Mr. McGranahan sang "Tell me more about Jesus," and "The Clanging Bells of Time;" and there was also singing by the congregation. The church was three-quarters filled, or more, and the meeting was a very interesting one.

During the week morning meetings will be held at the Middle street church at nine o'clock, continuing just one hour. Gospel mass meetings will be held every evening (except Saturday) at the North church at 7:30 o'clock.

SUPREME COURT--4TH WEEK.

The Court comes in at half-past ten o'clock this morning.

The following is the list of persons returned to serve as jurors this week:

Wm. A. C. Follansbee, Geo. W. Braxton, Exeter; Stephen Tobey, Portsmouth; David W. Clay, Plaistow; Geo. W. Moulton, Raymond; George H. Seavey, Rye; Saml. D. Fellows, Sandown; Thomas Sawyer, South Hampton; Danl. C. Wiggin, South Newmarket; David J. French, Stratham; Saml. Campbell, Windham; Stephen C. P. Tressey, Atkinson; Edwin Plumer, Edward O. Prescott, Auburn; Wm. S. L. Heath, Robt. S. French, Danville; Lorenzo D. Duntley, Thomas Mahoney, Greenland; J. William Sanborn, Andrew M. Murch, Hampstead.

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The schooner Ida E. Latham, a large three-master, is discharging coal at the navy yard.

U. S. S. Tallapoosa, Lieut. Joseph E. Jones commanding, sailed from the navy yard for Boston on Saturday morning.

Mates Hugh Kuhl and James A. Smith, Passed Assistant Surgeon T. H. Street, and Assistant Engineer A. V. Zane, detached from the Speedwell, are ordered to return home and wait orders.

Chaplain William H. Stewart reported for duty at the navy yard on Thursday. The yard chapel is to be put in good condition this week, and the court room in the "office building," will be fitted up as a Sunday School room for the children on the yard. There has been no chaplain stationed at this yard for a long time past.

A schooner, in getting under weigh on Saturday morning between three and four o'clock, before getting enough sail on to be under good command was swept by the wind and tide across the bows of the U. S. S. Lancaster, lying alongside the wharf at the navy yard, and had a hole knocked in her quarter. The schooner was held under the Lancaster's bow by the wind and tide until after daylight, all efforts to haul her clear being unavailing; then the steamer Clara Batemen took hold of her and towed her off.

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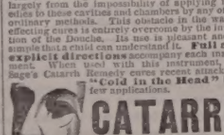

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Daily Chronicle.

French Politeness.

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"The other evening, while we were at dinner, an American lady opened a door for air: a French gentleman thereupon jumped up, slammed it shut, locked it and put the key in his pocket. An American gentleman procured a key, opened the door, and stood against it, to the delight of everybody. The excitement was intense. Every one left the table and rushed into the court, where a Frenchman, a Count de Luz, challenged the American and presented his card; but the American tore up the card and told him if he troubled him again he would knock him down; upon which the count got his whip and went to the Casino with his friends. Every one walked over there, and when the American appeared on the terrace, the Count stepped up to him and called him *un lache.* Of course, no American would tamely endure this, so our countryman knocked the count down forthwith, receiving himself a slight cut from the whip. The excitement is much easier imagined than described, and the little Frenchmen all positively yelled with rage. The American was arrested for striking the first blow, which according to French law, is the point where the offence comes in; as long as one keeps only to words, the *sergeant-de-ville* can do nothing, but the arrests the first man who strikes. It is on account of this absurd French law that you often see two Frenchmen talk wildly and call each other awful names, vociferating and disturbing the peace, but at last walking off unmolested. The Count has gone off, for no one troubled him, but he has his cheek cut open; the American will probably have to pay a fine of a thousand francs to appease justice. The American Minister was telegraphed for; the Americans in a body demanded a room to themselves; and everything has been said on both sides that can be said. By the time you read this the feud will have blown over, but just now it has lent tongues of fire to all sojourners here, especially to the American ladies."

—A Shaker community at Pleasant Hill, Ky., have had a series of matrimonial misfortunes recently, which threatened to destroy the society. First a young man and a young woman eloped, then an old man and an old woman travelled the same road; and within a month nine more marriages have taken place.

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Daily Chronicle.

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Congress.

The House on Monday passed the Bland bill providing for the coinage of a silver dollar 112 1-2 grains in weight, making it legal tender for all debts public and private except where otherwise provided by law; it provides for free coinage. The vote was 163 yeas to 34 nays. The rules were suspended, and a resolution assigning Tuesday, after the morning hour, for the special consideration of the bill repealing the date for resumption of specie payments, was rushed through without opposition.

The House Committee on Naval Affairs has called upon Secretary Thompson of the Navy with regard to the investigation which it is proposed to have made of the manner in which the naval appropriations have been spent during two years. Secretary Thompson said he had no objection whatever to such an investigation, and would do what he could to aid it; but he suggested to the Committee that they might as well wait and get his annual report, which would contain explanations of many points before beginning their investigation. The Secretary's report will be ready in the course of the next three weeks.

The Senate in 1879.

The appearance in the Senate of a democratic successor to Mr. Morton will reduce the republican majority to four, when all seats are full. As Senator Sharon is habitually absent, the actual majority is only three. The admission of the democratic claimants from Louisiana and South Carolina would balance evenly the strength of parties upon the floor, but the republican supremacy would still be maintained by the casting vote of Vice President Wheeler. Since 1871 the republicans have lost sixteen Senators, and gained one—not considering the seats now in dispute. The gain is in California, and the losses are in the following States: Connecticut (2.) New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Indiana (2.) Illinois, West Virginia, North Carolina, Florida, Mississippi, Arkansas, Missouri and Texas (2.) Unless a breaking up of parties should sooner occur, the democrats will be certain during the next two years, to make further gains of one Senator in each of the following States: Ohio, South Carolina, Florida, Alabama, and Arkansas. In no State have the republicans any prospect of gaining a seat, unless it be in Connecticut. It would therefore seem as well assured as anything can be in politics, that the control of the Senate will pass into the hands of the democrats in 1879.—*N. Y. Tribune.*

Disgraced Base Ball Players.

On the 2d inst. there was an examination of the players of the Louisville Base Ball Club for alleged "crookedness," conducted by an able lawyer, which resulted in the expulsion of A. H. Nichols, James A. Devlin, George W. Hall, and William Craver. Hall, Devlin and Nichols confessed to having received bribes for selling games. The first two told the whole story, and begged for mercy at the hands of the directors. Nichols gave the information which led to the discovery of the nefarious practice. Craver proclaimed his innocence. He was expelled for general misconduct. Devlin acknowledged having "stood in" with Hall, and in his statement of "crooked" transactions, related how he swindled the latter out of the proceeds of their dishonesty. McCloud, a New York gambler and poolseller, is the name of the party who is known to have paid them for "throwing" games. The expose causes much indignation in Louisville.

News and Notes.

A severe shock of earthquake was felt throughout New England and northern New York about two o'clock Sunday morning. The shock passed from west to east and lasted over a minute. A rumbling noise, followed by the shaking of buildings, etc., was heard. No serious damage is reported, but in many places the shock caused the bells to ring and moveable articles were thrown down.

The exports of wheat from New York during the past week aggregated 2,401,-971 bushels, most of it being destined for Great Britain. Wheat declined during the week, notwithstanding these large exports.

Jabez Elverson, a Newark, N. J., jeweller, had his store robbed on Saturday night of its entire contents, about $15,000, by a young man named George W. Taylor, from Boston. Taylor had been in Elverson's employ, and since being discharged had been allowed to sleep in the store.

A mad dog entered the St. Dominick Catholic Church, at Portland, Sunday night, and bit two persons before he was removed. He was finally shot.

The wife of Stephen Way, Mechanicsville, New York, stole out of the house while her husband was sleeping, threw her four children into a deep, swift running creek in the rear of the house, and jumped in herself. The eldest child, nine years of age, reached the shore, and gave the alarm. The mother and one child were rescued alive. Two of the children were drowned.

There have been fifty-three steamers and 700 men engaged in porgy fishing on the Maine coast and rivers this season, but fewer fish than usual have been caught. The largest school seen was five miles long and a mile wide, and was estimated to contain millions of barrels, but the largest single catch was 1400 barrels. There are sixteen porgy oil factories in Maine, each employing from twenty-five to sixty men, and involving a capital of over $1,000,000.

The Russian general Gourkho has died from wounds received in a late fight.

Three cows died in Woonsocket, Mass., last week, of hydrophobia, having been bitten while tied in their stalls by a rabid dog on Oct. 10.

Mrs. William Van Voorhees, a young woman of Wilton, Wis., who had been left by her husband with three young children to provide for, poisoned herself and the children and then set the house on fire, on Thursday night. All were dead when taken out of the burning house.

New Hampshire Items.

Miss Ellen A. George, who was brutally outraged by Charles A. Stevens at Canterbury, on January 7th, 1875, died at Loudon on Oct. 31st. She had never recovered from the effects of the terrible assault, and had been confined to her bed nearly the whole time since, and while in this condition a few months ago, the house at Canterbury, where the family were then living, was burned, which of course greatly aggravated her sickness, as her removal on a bed was effected with some difficulty. She was seventeen years of age at the time of her death. Thus the scoundrel Stevens (who is now serving out a long term in the State prison) worse than murdered his victim, having caused her to endure a living death for nearly three years after the atrocious crime was committed.

Woodward & Plaisted's starch mill and dryer at Lancaster, were burned Saturday night, with fifteen tons of starch. Loss $3000; insured $2500.

Manufactures in New Hampshire.

We give place to the following, which we clip from an exchange, in order to show what currency is given to statements at such variance with the facts, when the names of those high in position are used as collateral:

The death of the cotton manufacturing in New Hampshire is thus prophesied by E. H. Cheney, brother of the ex-Governor and of President Cheney of Bates College, and a well-known editor, who has spent some years in the South: "Cotton manufacturing in New Hampshire has probably seen its best days. If an old mill burns it will rarely be rebuilt, for capitalists are not likely to put more money into manufacturing business so far from the raw material, and where fuel is so scarce. More mills have been built in Georgia since the war than are now in operation in all New Hampshire. They are all paying factories, too. That tells the story, and New Hampshire people may as well look the matter square in the face."

We have no disposition to underrate the large increase in the building of cotton mills in the cotton-growing States, but as it is comparatively new, so much more is the above statement ludicrous, since it exposes want of information as to facts that is inexcusable, when they are a matter of history, and so easily obtainable. To show the relation of the New Hampshire cotton mills to those of Georgia, we annex a memorandum of the same as compiled to 1875:

Georgia—42 mills, 2934 looms, 155,000 spindles, No. 12 71-100 average weight of yarn, average running time 47 77-100 weeks, consumption of cotton 18,822,899 pounds.

New Hampshire—42 mills, 20,422 looms, 950,000 spindles, No. 23 13-100 average of yarn, average running time 51 46-100 weeks, and consumption of cotton 59,759,468 pounds.

Total in Southern States—187 mills, 10,495 looms, 487,629 spindles, average of yarn No. 12 1-2, average running time 47 weeks, and consumption of cotton 59,-793,774 pounds.

During the last seven years more spindles have been added to the capacity of the New Hampshire production than are in operation in Georgia, while, by way of comparison, the number of spindles in New Hampshire show nearly double those for the whole of the Southern States, the consumption of cotton per annum in the whole of the Southern States being less than 35,000 pounds more than consumed by the mills of New Hampshire. It is hardly necessary to add that the Amoskeag Manufacturing Company, Manchester, N. H., contains 135,000 spindles, and the Great Falls Manufacturing Company 107,298 spindles, to run which it is only necessary to build water wheels sufficient to withstand the pressure of the water power. That shows how far they are from the full supply.—*N. Y. Journal of Commerce.*

Crime in Mexico.

Details of a horrible crime reach here from Matamoras. About the 10th of September, Donna Rita Chara de Menchaca, a wealthy lady of Matamoras, accompanied by her nieces, Senorita Orila, and one female and two male attendants, left Matamoras bound for Monterey. The bodies of the whole party were found four days ago near Lobita Rancho, about forty miles from Matamoras. The women had been assaulted, bound hand and foot and gagged. There were no marks of shooting or stabbing, and it is believed they were left to die a horrible death of starvation and exposure. Donna Rita had a large amount of money and much valuable jewelry on her person. The greater part of the money was in drafts, which the robbers left undisturbed. Her rings and other jewelry and money, amounting to some $300, were taken by the murderers. The mules were killed, and the ambulance by which the party was travelling was thrown into a lagoon. It is reported that in an old well a short distance from the scene of this horrible crime was found the remains of thirteen persons. The authorities are doing their utmost to obtain some clew to the perpetrators of these atrocities, but with little prospect of success.—*Galveston (Texas) News.*

How the Bolivia's Shaft was Mended.

The Anchor Line steamship Bolivia, which sailed from Glasgow on the 15th ult. for New York, had the misfortune to break her shaft on the 20th, when off the outer edge of the banks of Newfoundland. The ship was immediately put under canvas, and the engineers set about repairing the shaft, the break in which was situated thirty feet abaft the engine, in the bowels of the ship. The break extended diagonally across the shaft, was about two feet in length, and jagged. Before the engines could be stopped, at the time of the fracture, the rapid revolutions of one portion of the shaft against the other had so splintered and twisted the iron that twenty-four hours were spent in smoothing the ends so that they could be welded. At one end of the fracture a four-inch hole was drilled entirely through the fifteen-inch shaft after forty-eight hours' constant labor, and through this was driven an iron bolt. A two-inch bolt in a similar manner holds the other end of the break, and over all is bolted an immense band of six-inch iron, entirely covering and concealing the fracture. All this work was done in the shaft tunnel, in which a man cannot stand upright, by the light of little, smoking oil lamps. The chief engineer and his seven assistants worked incessantly, and on the 26th the job was completed, and steam was again used as the propelling power. From that day until Thursday, when she reached her port, the Bolivia made an average speed of eight and a half knots. In the meantime the majority of the passengers enjoyed the whole affair immensely. The weather was fine, they had plenty to eat and drink, and they enjoyed the novelty of proceeding under sail.

Whipping and Prayer.

Colonel Robert Ingersoll was born in Oneida County, New York, and a letter in the Utica *Herald* gives some remembrances of the paternal sternness which has possibly inspired his protest against severe domestic discipline. It is told of his father that when his son was seized with a fit of coughing at the table one day, and could not stop when ordered, the elder Ingersoll took the boy to the carriage house and whipped him severely. The punishment could be heard in the house. The preacher-parent whipped till he was tired, probably, and then ceased for prayer. The praying, like the whipping, could be heard by the family. After praying a while whipping was resumed. Then more prayer. Then more whipping. And thus the prayer and the strap alternated for a considerable time. Meanwhile Mrs. Ingersoll was crying, and none of the household could continue the meal.

A Race Between Mails.

There are two lines of steamers carrying the mails from Australia and the East Indies to England, one being the British line, known as the Peninsular and Oriental, going by the way of the Red Sea, and the other the American line, known as the Pacific Mail, connecting at San Francisco with the Pacific railroad, thence to New York, and by the Cunard line to England. There is great rivalry between the lines, and recently the American beat its British competitor. On the trip that is now being made, the Peninsular and Oriental steamer left in advance of the steamer Australia, of the American line, and the latter steamer arrived at San Francisco on Wednesday, Oct. 17th, three hours too late for that day's overland train, which left on time, but the managers of the line were determined that the mails should go on the overland been transferred to the Pittsburg and Fort Wayne road, and next day he had a consultation with the agent of the Cunard company, and found that its steamer, the Abyssinia, must leave at seven o'clock Wednesday morning, on account of the tide. The mails would be due in New York on the Pennsylvania road at 6:45, giving a dangerously small margin of time. Portmaster James then saw Mr. A. L. Dennis, the Vice President of the Pennsylvania road, and besought him to hurry up the train. Mr. Dennis telegraphed the facts to Col. Scott, and asked for instructions. Col. Scott prompt-train, and dispatched them on a fast special train, which overtook the overland train and transferred the mails to it. Postmaster James of New York received a despatch in reference to the matter, and called the attention of General Superintendent Vail, of the railway mail service, to the desirability of expediting the transmission of the mails; Mr. Vail told the officers of the railway mail service that special pains should be taken, and communicated with the Pennsylvania railroad, urging special efforts for a prompt transmission. On Monday, the 21st, Postmaster James received word that the mils had arrived in Chicago, and had ly replied that he would arrange that; the train should arrive at six o'clock instead of 6.45, and thus the transmission of the mails to the Abyssinia was assured, and there is little doubt that the Peninsular and Oriental line, instead of gaining any advantage by its start, will be beaten, as it was on the last mail trip.

Books, Magazines, Etc.

Henry W. Longfellow, William Cullen Bryant, Dr. J. G. Holland, Theodore Winthrop, Louisa M. Alcott, the author of "Alice in Wonderland," Gail Hamilton, Frank R. Stockton and Lucretia P. Hale are among the contributors to *St. Nicholas* for December, the Grand Christmas Holiday Number, of which 100,000 copies will be issued.

Among the writers of poetry in the December *Scribner* are Emma Lazarus, Susan M. Spaulding, William S. Shurtleff, Edgar Fawcett, and Charles DeKay, the last named writer being represented by a three page poem, entitled "Hesperus." "The World's Work" department contains a record of "Progress in Telephony," "New Sounding Apparatus," "The Aleurometer," "Electrical Deposition of Metals," and "Carrier-Pigeons in Fishing." The aim of this department is to keep pace with the latest and most important inventions.

—In Indian parlance General Sherman is Old-man-who-kisses-the-girls-at-every-opportunity.

—It is evident that the price of cigars is to go up. The failure of the Western burdock crop must hit somewhere.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	116¼
United States Ten-Forties cupon	107¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	108
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1875	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	102½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. 5s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	52½
Boston & Providence	129½
Boston & Albany	125
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	64½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	96
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	3½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

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In accordance with regulations fixed by the Trustees the Voting Register will be closed on the thirtieth day of November, between which time and the Annual Meeting on the second Wednesday of December no registration will be made.

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	A. M.		P. M.	
Boston, South and West,	8	10:45	5	*6:30
Boston Way,		10:45	5	
Portland,		9:45	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],		9:45		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9:45	4:55	
Great Falls,		9:45	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9:45		
Concord and North,		7:30	4:55	
Concord Way,			4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.		7:40	4:55	
Dover,		7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:03 10:10	5:50
Boston Way,	10:10	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] cast or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

The Light Artillery propose to have a grand ball in Franklin Hall on Thanksgiving eve.

Six car loads of oil casks, holding from fifty to three hundred and forty-five gallons each, arrived here from Boston on Monday, to be used in raising the brig Clara J. Adams.

The small boy was out in force early Monday evening, with tin horns and pumpkin lanterns, to celebrate "Pope night;" but the welcome rain came down and happily extinguished him at an early hour.

Venus and Jupiter will be in conjunction on Friday evening, the 9th inst. They will not appear to be so close together as did Mars and Saturn on the evening of the 3d, but they will present one of the most beautiful sights ever seen by stargazers.

The cable steamer Minia, of London, laid quietly at anchor in Pepperell's cove, lower harbor, throughout Sunday and Monday, waiting a favorable opportunity to pick up and repair the broken Direct Cable. Several parties from this city visited the big vessel on Sunday, and were most courteously received by the officers.

The second regular Light Artillery assembly takes place this (Tuesday) evening at Mechanics' Hall; tickets 50 cts.; grand march at 8:30, Harlow's band furnishing the music. The first one of this course was a well-conducted and most enjoyable affair, and the managers propose the others shall be. No postponement on account of the weather.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, November 5th.

David LaChance and Joseph LaChance were arraigned on a charge of keeping a saloon—the "Washington House" on Bridge street—open on Sunday. The first-named was discharged, it being shown that he was merely a servant or agent; Joseph was fined $10, costs 5.76, which he paid.

GIVE US FAIR PLAY.

The following item went the rounds of the press last week:

A Washington despatch says that owing to the extraordinary expense incurred in continuous repairs to the sloop-of-war Enterprise, which was built by Griffiths at Portsmouth, N. H., navy yard, under contract, and is now being made seaworthy at Norfolk, and also to the unseaworthiness of the Huron and the Ranger, the Secretary of the Navy is about to order an inquest by competent naval constructors in relation thereto. The Adams, built at Boston, and the Essex, built near New London, are exceptions.

We do not feel the spirit move us to assert that the Enterprise is a good vessel, or that she was not built at this navy yard, by contract; but we do feel called upon to deny that the Essex was built "near New London." If the yard is to be blamed for the bad work turned out of it in an irregular manner, it should also be credited for the good work done by it in the regular order of business, and the Essex was built here, under the superintendence of Naval Constructor Thomas E. Webb, as capable and faithful an official as the navy or any other branch of the government service can boast. After her launch the Essex was sent to Boston to be fitted for sea, but all the heavy work—that which decides the strength and seaworthiness of a vessel—was done at this yard; even her boats were built here and sent around to Boston. There are no better shipwrights in the world than those of the Piscataqua river district, and the Essex is a fair specimen of the work they turn out under competent and faithful supervision.

SUPREME COURT--4TH WEEK.

Monday, Nov. 5th, before *Stanley, J.*

The complaint State vs. Janvrin was held by the Court to be bad, in not alleging sufficient in the complaint, and it was quashed. The complaint alleged that the respondant a certain number of ducks, to wit, six ducks, cruelly did beat, torture, torment, wound, mutilate and kill, and did cause and procure to be cruelly beaten, tortured, tormented, wounded, mutilated and killed the said ducks; but there was no allegation that it was done "maliciously and wilfully." The defendant also maintained that the complaint was bad for being double. Hatch for defendant; Small for State.

No. 158, Edmund E. Smith vs. John P. Griffin. Suit to recover for the balance of the price of a pair of work horses; defence that one was a kicking animal, and that $100 paid at delivery was all the pair was worth. Hatch for plff.; Small and Rowell of Manchester for Griffin.

[Communicated.]

A SCHOOL QUESTION.

Ed. Chronicle: Allow me to enquire through the columns of your paper why it is that the schools in Districts One and Three are so much more highly favored than those in District Two? Why is it that not only in the severe storm of Friday, but three times within a month or a little more, those schools have been closed for the afternoon, while the children of this District (No. Two) have been required to plod through wind and rain to the school-room? Who is in fault in this matter? It can hardly be the teachers, since the same ones are now employed, who in years gone by have always, when the weather has not been suitable, closed the school. Is it the Master who from neglect or indifference does not notify the teachers of the schools under his care? or who is the authority? Every inducement is offered for the children to be prompt, and punctual, and no provision made for removing any obstacles in their way. My own girl came home two or three weeks ago with wet feet, and nearly drenched, not being strong enough to hold her umbrella against the violent wind; and when her prudent mother resolutely refused to allow her to return, the result was a flood of tears, which scene has been since twice repeated. We could not blame the child, since the tears were not called forth by rebellion against her mother's authority, as was proved by her words: "Oh, mamma dear! *please* let me go; I shall lose my rank, and get a mark for absence—and I did not want to be absent this year." I presume there are scores of such cases—only, in too many, parents have not the requisite decision, and yield a reluctant consent to an exposure of their children to such weather as is almost sure to bring sickness and suffering to the child, and consequent care and anxiety to themselves. Are the children of this District so much stronger than those of the other two that they are expected to successfully breast a storm which compelled even stout men to close their umbrellas, and pull their hats down over their brows? Winter is at hand, and we would like to know what prospect is before our children. I do not approve of the long session from nine till one. Four hours is too long a time for any child to be confined in the schoolroom; but the school should close at the usual hour, on *very* stormy days, with the understanding that if the storm continues, there will be no school in the afternoon. That's my idea; let us hear from others. R.

THAT "BENEVOLENT PEDDLER."

The "benevolent peddler" who distinguished himself by tricking a lot of silly people out of two dollars each on Market square a short time ago, has been operating in Gloucester, Mass., where he and his pals were more successful than they were in this city. It will be remembered that the boss trickster was started off the Parade by City Marshal Entwistle, just when he had got so far on in his little game as to have disposed of a lot of brass watch-chains at two dollars apiece; but in Gloucester the pack of rogues were allowed to carry out their scheme to the end. There, as here, the fellow in the carriage sold at ten cents each a dozen or so of rings, which he requested the buyers to hold up so he could see them, meantime haranguing the crowd to the effect that the money he had received was his, or belonged to "the house he represented," and that he could do with it as he pleased, or, in his own words, "give it to the poor, scatter it among the crowd, or put it in his own pocket;" but in this case, he should return it to the persons who had bought the rings of him—which he did. The next move was to sell silver half dollars for twenty-five cents, a number of which he disposed of to his confederates in the crowd. Then came one-dollar chains of brass, and then two-dollar ones, the money for all being returned to the purchasers. This, it will be remembered, was as far as the fellow was allowed to go in this city; but it may interest those who were victimized by the shallow swindle here, to know how it ends when not interfered with. We quote from the Boston *Globe*:

He then told the crowd that he had one dozen more of extra long and nice chains that he would sell for $10 each, (before disposing of a dozen watches, which he would soon sell at $4 each,) most of which he readily disposed of to the crowd, which by this time was very jubilant over the bargains he was giving, and vieing with each other to see who could pass their money up first. After talking to the crowd as he previously had done about doing with the money as he pleased, the peddler quietly said he guessed he needed the money as much as anybody, and would put this in his pocket; bade the crowd good evening, saying he hoped he would meet them in Heaven, and in an instant whipped up his horse and was gone, leaving the crowd perfectly dazed and bewildered at the suddenness of his departure.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The morning prayer meeting at the Middle street church, Monday, was largely attended and the exercises were very interesting. Messrs. Whittle and McGranahan were present.

The evening service at the North church was not attended by so large an audience as that of Sunday night,—probably on account of the rain,—a very unusual proportion of the audience being men. The chorus under Dr. Goodall sang "Gates ajar," "Hallelujah! 'Tis done," and other sacred songs, before the evangelists arrived. The regular services were opened by a hymn by the chorus, followed by a prayer by Rev. Mr. Goss; Mr. McGranahan then sang "How much owest thou?" and prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Creed; the chorus then sang "What hast thou done for me?" Major Whittle offered prayer, and then taking John 17:17 as a text, proceeded to speak upon the necessity of drawing the line between God's people and the people of the world,—for Christians are not of the world, even as Jesus Christ was not. As soldiers have to separate themselves from the comforts and endearments of home and family, if need be, so must soldiers of Christ, if necessary, separate themselves from all that interferes with their work. The speaker holds that God himself teaches this separation. He took up the histories of Abraham and Lot, the former representing the true Christian, the latter the worldly one, and drew lessons from their character and works. At the close of the address Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan sang "Hast Thou any here besides?" Rev. Mr. Hubbell offered prayer, the chorus sang "Jesus, keep me near the cross," and the meeting then closed, the audience leaving with the exception of such as wished to join in a short prayer meeting.

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Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
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Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $9; ground $10.
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Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9¼ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
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Daily Chronicle.

Mrs. Partington.

Mr. B. P. Shillaber has been writing a bright and graceful article for the *Post,* of Boston, concerning the good old lady who first made her appearance in its columns—Mrs. Partington. Her first innocently wise saying was inspired by a remark of one of the newspaper men, on a night when a steamer from England had brought news of an advance in breadstuffs, who said he did not care, as he bought his flour by the half-dollar's worth. "Mrs. Partington" was then made to say, in the little paragraph that Mr. Shillaber wrote, that it made "no difference to her whether flour was dear or cheap, as she always received just so much for a half-dollar's worth." This was copied the next day, and the inducement was thus offered to try again. This meeting with like success, they were kept on, until Mrs. P., as she expressed it, had attained a "memento" she could not check. Mr. Shillaber adds: "Mrs. Partington was an entirely original creation, for I had never seen 'The Rivals' acted, nor read it, and though I knew from extracts in comic compilations, of Mrs. Malaprop's existence and character, it moved no pulse of my ambition. The real inspiration which prompted the effort to continue the Partington sayings, when the idea took positive form, was the constant hearing of expressions, by very excellent people, that seemed too funny to be allowed to pass into forgetfulness—queer errors, inadvertently made, and otherwise."

—A Philadelphia man has filed a caveat relating to an improvement for a safety pocket designed to thwart pickpockets. After valuables have been put in the pocket it can be closed up instantly by a neat and convenient contrivance, so that when a pickpocket gets his hand in, he is foiled by a false pocket that puts a stop to further operations. The pocket does not differ from an ordinary one except when the owner chooses to close it. The arrangement can be fitted to either vests or pantaloons, or to ladies dresses.

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Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 7, 1877.

The Elections.

There were elections on Tuesday in twelve States. The principal interest centered in New York and Massachusetts. The returns we were able to get up to midnight were very meagre. The indications at early evening were that the republicans had carried the New York Assembly, and also Massachusetts; and that McClellan had captured New Jersey by a large majority.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Erzeroum says that on Monday a battle was fought at Deve Boyoun, and after ten hours' fighting the Turkish centre was driven in, and they retired on Erzeroum during the evening. The losses on both sides were very heavy. Moukhtar Pasha was wounded.

Russian official bulletins report continued progress on Plevna and Orchanie, and the Lovats and Orchanie roads. Tetceven and Turskilsver are occupied by infantry and cavalry. A cavalry detachment penetrated the Yablanitza Pass in pursuit of retreating Turks. A Turkish force numbering between 3000 and 4000 men, from south of the Balkans, attacked the Russian force at Mahren, south of Elena. After three hours' fighting the Turks retreated, leaving hundreds of dead and many wounded.

News and Notes.

Jesse H. Pomeroy, the "boy devil" of Massachusetts, was on Sunday last found to have succeeded in tearing away a portion of the wall of the State prison, so that in a short time he would have been at liberty. If the worthless cur had been put under ground long ago, as he should have been, there would have been no danger of his getting out to practise his dime-novel atrocities on those smaller and weaker than himself; and if he ever should escape from confinement it is to be hoped the first man who meets him will become suddenly "insane" enough to knock out the young brute's brains, and not trust to the mawkish sentimentality of Massachusetts to take care of him any longer.

Lieut. Albert G. Squires, of the First Infantry, aged eighteen, is the youngest officer in the army. He had been in Washington nearly two years, pushing his own cause and applying in vain for an appointment to West Point or Annapolis, when he managed to secure a chance for an examination. He passed acceptably, and, after waiting some months, got a commission to fill a vacancy made in an Indian battle.

A case of alleged blackmailing, in which Dr. H. F. Damon, one of the physicians at Boston City Hospital, Charles A. Barry, Supervisor of Drawing in the public schools, W. S. McFarlane, counsellor-at-law, Addie E. Ward, formerly a teacher in a Boston school, and others, are mixed up, is mildly exciting Boston. Dr. Damon is the alleged victim, a charge of seduction brought by Miss Ward being the derrick used to hoist money out of his pocket.

The Australian mail from Sydney, Sept. 21st, via San Francisco and New York, arrived in London Nov. 2d, making the distance in forty-two days, against a run in fifty-six days by the Peninsula and Oriental Steamship Line.

Heller, the magician, undertook one of his practical jokes on a stranger in a Cambridge horse car the other day, such as taking quantities of supposed stolen market produce out of his pocket, etc. Everybody enjoyed things hugely, and so did Heller till he came to alight when he found that the stranger he had been making fun of was an expert pickpocket who had taken a valuable scarf pin from his bosom while the joke was being carried on.

One of the largest cigar making firms in New York has sent to California for 500 Chinese to take the place of strikers. Several manufacturers have started up with American girls as help, most of the help having previously been taken from the foreign born population. The prospect now is that the great strike among the cigar makers will result in suffering among themselves.

There was a snow storm extending from Minnesota to Montreal on Monday. At Redesburg, Wis., ten inches fell.

A Springfield, Mass., school boy who was walking on Armory street, saw a bull-dog holding his head low and frothing at the mouth, apparently mad, and making straight for a five-year-old boy who was playing in the street. He at once stepped up to the child, and when the dog reached him kicked it over, throttled it with one hand, and killed it with a stick he was carrying, receiving during the scuffle a bite in the wrist, that left three tooth-marks, which he proceeded coolly to burn out with some matches. The child was uninjured.

The owner of one of the most fashionable bar-rooms in Chicago is a bankrupt. Among the claims against him is one of a druggist for $1000 "for materials used in compounding liquors." A clergyman made this fact the theme for an uncommonly effective temperance sermon.

Charles A. Dana's home at Glen Cove, L. I., was robbed recently of 500 chickens.

Captain Chisholm, agent for Liverpool underwriters, who has been in Peru adjusting the losses to British vessels occasioned by tidal waves and earthquakes of the memorable 9th of May, has returned to England via Panama. The aggregate loss to the insurance companies was about £70,000.

Two roughs had a street fight with dirks in Zonesville, Ohio, Monday evening. One was stabbed and cut in ten places; and the other ran off, when the police came to arrest him, with his adversary's dirk sticking in his neck Neither of the roughs will die.

The Supreme Court has rendered a decision of interest to the traveling public. An Ohio man was ejected from a Lake Shore train for refusing to pay over three cents per mile—the rate fixed by the law of the State; he brought suit for damages, obtained a verdict in the lower court, which the Ohio Supreme Court affirmed, and the United States Supreme Court now indorses.

Two highwaymen, who had just robbed a coach between Deadwood and Cheyenne, Black Hills country, and a train of freight wagons, besides committing other depredations, were captured by Lieutenant Chase, with a detachment of the Third infantry, after being chased five miles and fired on, and one of them proves to be Webster, the murderer of Deputy Sheriff Cuney.

The purpose of the Postmaster General's order requiring postal employes on railroads to provide themselves with uniforms is to guard more effectually against robberies of the mails, and especially to prevent the handling of mail bags between the wagons and the office or cars by persons who boldly take advantage of the presumption that they have a right to be carrying the mail pouches that may be seen in their hands.

Commodore Nutt, the dwarf, is betrothed to Miss Jennie Quigley, a diminutive lady who travels in the same troupe with him.

It has been ascertained that the killing of some fifteen natives at Cape Prince of Wales, recently reported, was done by the crew of a Honolulu whaling brig. The natives boarded the brig and demanded liquor, and being refused attacked the crew, who obtained arms from the cabin and beat off the assailants.

The Secretary of War orders all employes, except General Sherman and staff, to abstain from intoxicating beverages between nine A. M. and four P. M.

New Hampshire Items.

A practical joke attended with serious consequences was perpetrated at Bedford the other day by two men named John Robinson and George Welsh. They were at work with Clinton Adams and managed to fill his pipe, which he had left on a wall, with mixed powder and tobacco. When Adams picked up his pipe and lighted it for a smoke the powder exploded, shattering the pipe, filling Adams' face with powder and severely injuring one of his hands. He has since been unable to see out of one eye, and it is thought the sight of that organ is permanently destroyed. The humorists were arrested.

Charles Whittem and wife of Northwood, and a tramp named George Smith, having got a supply of liquor in Deerfield, went on a spree and finally got into a fight in which Whittem struck Smith with a stake across the face, smashing his jaw, and then left him in the woods near the Raymond line. He was able after several hours to reach a house in the vicinity and was sent to the county farm at Brentwood.

On Monday, in the Supreme Court at Concord, the trial of William Flanders for manslaughter in shooting his stepfather, George E. Austin, in May last, was commenced. The boy, who is but seventeen years old, has always persisted that ha shot Austin in defence of his mother, who was being abused by her drunken husband. Mrs. Austin's arm was so badly wounded by the same charge that killed the man that her hand had to be amputated.

James B. Spencer of Raymond has been arrested by the United States marshal for selling liquor without having paid the internal revenue tax.

Hon. E. A. Straw has resigned the superintendency of the manufacturing department of the Amoskeag Manufacturing Co., and his son, Herman F. Straw, has been appointed to that position.

The man who stole a team from Joseph Brown of Manchester a few days ago, and was subsequently arrested at Concord, turns out to be Richard L. Currier of South Hampton, instead of Colby, the name given by him at the stable when he procured the team. He was arraigned before the court at Concord, and bound over in the sum of $900 to appear at the April term of court. In 1871 Currier was commissioned justice of the peace by Gov. Weston, and in his pockets after his recent arrest was found, dated Oct. 15, 1877, a recommendation to Gov. Prescott from Moses J. Eaton, the present representative to the legislature from South Hampton, that rascally Richard be again made a justice of the peace.

Benjamin E. Harriman, youngest son of ex-Governor Harriman, has recently graduated from the Dartmouth Medical School with honors.

Political.

The Cincinnati *Enquirer* (democratic) is shockingly disrespectful to its late candidate. It says: "Sam Tilden has received a hammering for his last speech. It is looked upon by the press as a clear case of squeal. Take your gruel, Sammy, and be quiet."

John Welsh, who has been nominated by President Hayes as minister to England, is a wealthy gentleman, who has made a fortune in business but who never held a political office, and makes no pretensions to being a statesman. In a word, very much such a man as Gen. Grant used to sometimes select for an important position, to the astonishment of the country. The appointment seems a creditable and wise one, but it is funny to see the papers which abused Grant for selecting men "without experience," pouring their praises over Hayes for "going outside the politicians for a minister to England."—*Mirror.*

Here is a crumb of comfort for the republican lovers of the Southern policy. The Natchez *Democrat* warns the republicans of Adams County, Miss., who are mainly colored men, against making nominations, and reminds them of "the difficulties of peaceably electing their men," and of "the utter impossibility of their men giving the required bonds."

Our New York Fashion Letter.

OUT DOOR GARMENTS.

Whatever else you may see fit to do, have nothing to do with a short cloak; neither let your cloak be of plain material, unless porchance, that material be silk, yet even here I would advise the choice of silk devised in mosaic patterns, for Fashion has set her face against plain materials of every kind, unless as an offset to such as display bourette or mosaic characteristics. Even plain velvet, although the most truly respectable thing possible, is at a discount. Stylish cloth cloaks also show throughout, long, hairy tuftings, and others are mottled in keeping with bourette goods. As to shapes, in the selection of something to grumble about, do not let us choose these. They are all we can ask, and with circulars, dolmans, and mantillas on the one side and sacques on the other, one must be a very Mrs. Gummidge, if one does not find something to suit. But in my judgment, the style which will prevail is the demi-long, half fitting sacque. In this shape the "Felicia" and "Aurelia" are handsome designs adapted either to material *en suite* with the costume, or to independent garments of any kind of goods.

FURS.

In furs, the pelerine is the newest thing—a cape reaching to the shoulders, and having long ends in front, narrowed down and finished by three fur tassels on either side. Boas however are by no means discarded, but we observe an increase in length, since the most fashionable are from two, to two and a half yards long. Muffs are quite small, and finished with tassels of fur, these being in greater favor in the way of ornamentation than anything else. All things considered, seal skin is perhaps the most desirable of furs, as it is dressy enough to be worn with a handsome costume, yet may suitably accompany a plain outfit, while it is also regarded as appropriate for mourning. Seal skin sacques retain prestige, but dolmans of seal skin have been more recently introduced. Silk sacques and circulars lined with fur are worn, but we do not rush after them as we did two years ago. Lynx and black marten rank next to seal skin; chinchilla is a beautiful fur and very fashionable, but although prices are not extravagant, it becomes expensive, because it is not durable. As to sables of fine quality, black and silver fox, I can only express my admiration of the woman who wears them. If she is not very happy, she ought to be, for she has the satisfaction of knowing that she causes many pangs of unhappiness to other women who survey her with envious eyes. Mink is as thoroughly respectable as velvet, but fashionables pass the one as the other, on the other side.

NEW DESIGNS: GLOVES: LINGERIE.

The "Victoria" dress is cut in princess style, with drapery across the front; the Royal Princess dress shows a peculiarly graceful arrangement of scarf drapery; the Adrienne basque is a stylish modification of the Breton basque and may be worn with the Van Zandt overskirt which has a long apron draped across the front, and is laid at the back in a deep box plait fastened by a sash. The new gloves heavily stitched or embroidered on the back of the hand, divide favor with the self stitched in the same delicate styles hitherto seen. In color, the medium shades are most worn, but serviceable and even handsome gloves are in dark hues, while for dress occasions, we find all manner of pale tints to say nothing of white. For evening or full dress the Harris Prevost side cut glove is preferred, as it is extremely elegant and stylish. The Harris seamless is also very durable and perfect in fit, while somewhat more moderate in price; the Victoria and Dorma Maria are much esteemed by judicious purchasers. We hear much talk about "new collars," but the facts are that there is really no "new departure" in this line, and the upright linen collar with ends rolled over (the most masculine thing possible,) continues to be more liked than anything else. A change is afforded by all manner of lace and crepe lisse ruchings; these last being intensely feminine.

EVENING TOILETS.

I will not be common place enough to write that evening toilets are beautiful. That is a matter of course. But there are some characteristics peculiar to the present season, and of these we will do well to take note. Prominent here we find close, straight falling drapery, often without any looping, and heavy materials are therefore employed to the disadvantage of diaphanous fabrics. The latter of course, can never be discarded, but this winter they are but little used in comparison with the former. Satin, velvet and thick silk plain woven are combined with materials of like character wrought in Oriental, bourette and mosaic designs. Superbly rich fringes are the favorite finish, but not to the exclusion of bands and box plaitings. A low corsage is the exception since the greater number show sleeves to the elbow with heart shaped or Pompadour front; the arm being covered with a side buttoned glove. *Clair de lune*, and other jets illumine dark toilets worn by middle aged ladies, but on light colored toilets they are not much used as the effect would not be good. In the evening toilet especially is found the opportunity for a pretty stocking, and the art of showing it coquetishly deserves serious study. The ornamentation is all on the instep, and the choice lies between beads, embroidery, and open work.

LUCY CARTER.

Grant and Sumner.

Hon. Hamilton Fish, in a letter responding to the request of Edward L. Pierce that he would name the treaties which Senator Sumner had delayed to report to the Senate, says:

"I have the honor to comply with Mr. Pierce's request, and present herewith a specific statement of the treaties, not 'drafts of treaties,' which had been transmitted to the Senate for its action, and referred by that body to the Committee on Foreign Relations while Mr. Sumner was its chairman, and which remained unacted upon when he ceased to be such chairman. They are nine in number, viz.:

1. The Mexico protocol, signed 23d October, 1869, to confirm the validity of the organization of the joint commission on claims—submitted to the Senate December, 1869; referred to the committee December 8th, 1869: approved by the Senate March, 1871.

2. The Colombia-Darien Canal treaty of January 26th, 1870—submitted to the Senate March 31st, 1870; referred to the committee April 1st, 1870; still pending before the Senate, but not having received its approval at the end of March, 1871.

2. The Peru treaty of friendship, commerce and navigation, of September 6, 1870—submitted to the Senate December 6, 1870; approved by the Senate March 31, 1871.

4. Peru extradition treaty of September 12, 1870—submitted to the Senate December 6, 1870; referred to committee December 8, 1870; amended and approved by the Senate March 31, 1871.

5. Guatemala extradition treaty of October 11, 1870—submitted to the Senate December 6, 1870; referred to committee December 8, 1870; amended and approved by the Senate March 31, 1871.

6. Nicaragua extradition treaty of June 5, 1870—submitted to the Senate December 6, 1870; referred to committee Dec. 8, 1870; amended and approved by the Senate March 31, 1871.

7. Austria Hungary naturalization treaty of September 20, 1870—submitted to the Senate December 12, 1870; referred to committee December 14, 1870; approved by the Senate March 22, 1871.

8. Salvador treaty of amity, commerce and consular privileges, of December 6, 1870—submitted to the Senate January 27, 1871; referred to committee January, 1871; approved by the Senate March 31, 1871.

9. Great Britain Naturalization Convention of February 23, 1871, supplemental to that of May 13, 1870—submitted to the Senate February 27, 1871; referred to committee February 28, 1871; approved by the Senate March 23, 1871.

Sumner's appointment as Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations expired on the 4th of March, 1871. His successor was appointed on or about March 10, 1871. Be it observed that one of these nine treaties had been referred to the committee nearly fifteen months before the expiration of Sumner's service as its chairman, and that eight of them were acted upon and approved within three weeks after the appointment of his successor."

The English Channel Tunnel.

Operations connected with the submarine tunnel have already been commenced on the other side of the Channel, several pits having been sunk to a depth of about 110 yards. At the same time the French and English committees have definitely drawn up the conditions of working for the route. The property of the tunnel is to be divided in half by the length: that is to say, each company is to own half of the line, reckoning the distance from coast to coast at low tide. Each company will cover the expenses of its portion. The general work of excavation will be done, on the one hand, by the Great Northern of France, and on the other by the Chatham and South Eastern companies, the two latter having each a direct route from London to Dover. All the materials of the French and English lines will pass through the tunnel in order to prevent unnecessary expenses and delay of transhipment, as in England and in France railway companies use each other's line, and goods can pass from one line to another without changing vans. It is understood that an arrangement will be established for a similar exchange of lines between all the the English and continental railway companies when the tunnel is completed. The tunnel will belong to its founders. At the expiration of thirty years the government will be able to take possession of the tunnel upon certain conditions.—*Mining Journal.*

—A Pennsylvania jury recently acquitted a man charged with murder, because, as one of the jurymen said, they were afraid his ghost would haunt them if they found him guilty.

—The Eminence (Ky.,) *Constitutionalist* relates that two married ladies (twins,) aged thirty-three years Oct. 3, who live in Trimble county, one about four miles and the other about five miles from Campbellsburg, recently gave birth to twin sons, one on Monday evening, Oct. 22, the other Wednesday morning, Oct. 24.

—It is customary with the students in an Eastern college to say, "Not prepared," when called upon to recite a difficult and not well-memorized passage. One summer afternoon the class was sleepily stumbling through the introduction to Butler's Analogy. The reverend doctor had a way of his own in conducting the recitation, giving out topics for the students to discuss instead of asking questions. "Mr. T—," said the doctor, "you may pass on to the 'Future Life.'" Mr. T—— was too much of a wag to let the occasion pass unimproved, and promptly responded, "Not prepared."

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Local Matters.

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	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:45	3	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:45	5	
Portland,	9:45	4:35	6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:45		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45		
Concord and North,	7:00	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:03 10:10	5:30
Boston Way,	10:10	5:30
Portland and East,	11:20	5:30
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:30

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

There was a feeble attempt at a snow-storm here on Tuesday forenoon, but it did not amount to anything.

Hon. William E. Chandler and Col. J. Horace Kent were registered on Tuesday, one at the Fifth Avenue Hotel and the other at the Grand Central, New York city.

The oil casks brought down from Boston for the purpose were placed in the brig Clara J. Adams on Tuesday, and at high tide she was taken in to the end of Union wharf. About thirty tons of coal were taken out on Tuesday.

Several hitherto irreligious persons requested the prayers of the church, after the services at the North church on Monday evening; and five others asked for prayers at the morning service at the Middle street church, Tuesday.

The schooner John Stroup, Capt. John C. Hurst, arrived at this port on Monday with 380 tons of coal, only forty-eight hours from New York, and was becalmed eight hours out of that time off Cape Cod. She made the trip from here to New York and back in ten days, which at this season is very quick work.

A correspondent suggests that it might be a good thing if the reporter who attended the revival meeting on Sunday afternoon, and wrote an account of it for this paper, would keep right on attending the services, as there is no fear he would become any too good. Also, it is suggested that he learn to play cribbage or whist, and henceforth eschew Minister Schenck's favorite game.

Dr. Samuel Baker, formerly of this city but now of Madison, has sent us specimens of sheet mica from the Grafton mines, and silver ore from the Madison mines, which are supposed to be a continuation of the Newburyport mines. One of the mica specimens, on which the doctor's business card is printed, is remarkably clear, and transparent as glass. These specimens can be seen in the windows of Mr. Wm. B. Lowd's bookstore.

Congressman Frank Jones did not vote on the silver-remonetization bill, or on taking Ewing's anti-resumption bill out of the morning hour, Monday. He says he was not absent when the votes were taken, and did not dodge. He was paired with Mr. Bagley of New York. If he had been free to vote he says he should have voted against Mr. Bland's bill, and for taking Mr. Ewing's bill out of the morning hour, as he wants the latter discussed and voted on.

The first of the Hutchings Association course of entertainments at the Universalist vestry will be given on Thursday evening of this week. Tickets for the course of five entertainments, fifty cents; evening tickets, for adults fifteen cents, for children ten cents. The first entertainment will consist of the drama "Once upon a time," and the farce "Wanted, a male cook," with tableaux and music between the plays, and two scenes representing "Langdon Park—as it was" and "as it will be."

Mr. John S. Treat has recently furnished for the town hall of Merrimac, Mass., a slab of Italian marble five and one-half feet long and four feet wide, bearing the following inscription: "This edifice was erected by the munificence of William P. Sargent, Esq., of Boston, Mass., and presented to his native town Nov. 13th, 1876. In honor of whom this tablet is placed here by the citizens of Merrimac." It is not probable Mr. Treat will have any immediate order for a similarly inscribed slab for a public hall in this city.

SUPREME COURT--4TH WEEK.

Tuesday, Nov. 6th, before *Stanley, J.*

The case Smith vs. Griffin was given to the jury. In the morning it was discovered that Robert S. French, one of the jurors drawn, was related to one of the parties in the case; Mr. French did not know the party or know of the relationship, but he was excused from further service in the case, and the trial proceeded with the eleven remaining jurors. The jury at a quarter to six o'clock gave a verdict for $114.16, the balance claimed, and interest.

Case State vs. John H. Havey of Salem, was next tried. This respondent has been before tried at this term upon this indictment, which charges him with unlawfully keeping for sale spirituous liquors, at his store in Salem. The defence is that he has sold out to his son, and was not the keeper of the place, and if any sale was made by him, (which is denied) he was acting for his son, the then proprietor of the store. Small for State; Hatch for Havey.

MECHANICS' ASSOCIATION.

The annual meeting of the Mechanics' Association was held Tuesday evening; Mr. John Pender was chosen Moderator, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Lewis G. Davis;
Vice President, Thomas E. O. Marvin;
Treasurer, John Knowlton;
Secretary, Joseph R. Curtis;
Deputy Secretary, Edward J. Moulton;
Marshal, Aaron Young;
Deputy Marshal, John Pender;
Standard Bearer, E. G. Peirce, Jr.;
Trustees, Joshua M. Vaughan, William G. Billings;
Auditors, Frank W. Miller, John W. Moses, Isaac Dow.

Major D. J. Vaughan, the Vice President of last year, was re-elected, but declined to serve.

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Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
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Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 90c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9½ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8: Pine $4.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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The Grand Semi-Annual Drawing at New Orleans, on December 11th, of the Louisiana State Lottery Company, will be conducted entirely by Generals P. T. Beauregard, of La., and Jubal A. Early, of Va., who act as Commissioners on behalf of the State and People, and who, by their high reputation, give the guarantee of entire justice and fair dealing in all respects. They will distribute over half a million of dollars in such round sums as $100,000, $50,000, $25,000, etc., etc. The scheme, which is unprecedented for liberality, appears in another column. For further information or tickets, address M. A. Dauphin, P.O. Box 692, New Orleans. 16d&w

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In accordance with regulations fixed by the Trustees the Voting Register will be closed on the thirtieth day of November, between which time and the Annual Meeting on the second Wednesday of December no registration will be made.

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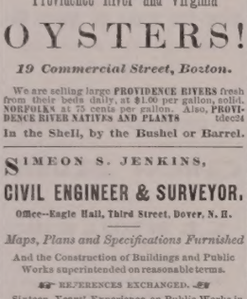

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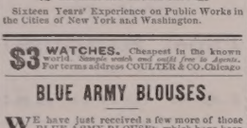

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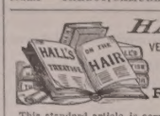

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A Visit to the Steamer Massachusetts.

It is difficult to conceive how such exagerated and erroneous reports in regard to the injury to the Massachusetts should have got into circulation, or obtained such general credence. Instead of being shaken all to pieces, partitions thrown down, mirrors fractured, windows shattered, and riddled with holes that a boat could be sailed through, she is in as staunch a condition as she was before she went on the rocks in that fearful gale. Her timbers have not started, her guard fenders are true to a line, the engine is in actual working order, there is not a mirror harmed in the whole ship, there is just one window broken by the concussions, the joints of the elegant principal stairway from the main to the upper deck, even these are not in the least displaced, and there is hardly a hole in the hull that a man could crawl through. Considerable of the planking is destroyed by the chafing, a large part of the keel is carried away, three of the ribs are so badly worn on the water side as to require removal. Several large holes were cut in the main deck to pump through, and the painted joiner work about the entrance to the dining saloon is badly defaced.

Careful observation detects a slight deflection in one of the lines of moulding on the port side of the upper saloon, which it is thought will come true when she leaves the ways. It was said that the chandeliers were badly injured, whereas the fact is that they are not only in perfect condition, but every globe is in its place, has been so all the time, and there is not one of them all, in the slightest degree fractured. It is true that the noble vessel's capacity for endurance has been severely tried, but she has triumphed gallantly, and deserves the highest commendation for strength and solidity.

President Babcock confidently asserts that she could have lain on the rocks without going to pieces all winter; and Mr. Steers, her builder, expresses great satisfaction that his handiwork has been thoroughly tested without having been found wanting in any particular. A shipbuilder from Connecticut remarked, after inspecting the hull, that if he had it in his yard he would do the carpentering required for two thousand dollars. The expense of docking and remaining on the ways is very large, but it seems probable now that $45,000 will cover all the expense of putting the vessel in perfect order. In addition to this, it will take some $25,000 to pay the expenses attending the rescue and removal to New York. The amount of insurance is $75,000.

Justice to Captain Jones and his officers requires that some of the many misstatements in regard to the circumstances of the disaster should be corrected. Briefly told, the exact facts seem to be these: The gale was of unusual severity and the night exceeding dark. Strafford light was the last seen. When off Saybrook, Captain Jones deemed it prudent to desist from further advance and turned to make a lee on the Long Island shore, not having any reason to anticipate any such change in the wind as afterwards occurred. He was moving very slowly, and taking every precaution, as he supposed, by sounding, when the boat, probably forged ahead by the gale on her quarter, or a powerful tide current, struck. Had the wind continued southerly this would have been an inconsequential matter, as she would have come off at the next tide; but all of the conditions were reversed when, in the lapse of one minute, as observed by Capt. Allen, on board the Rhode Island, the gale swept around to the north with unabated fury. It is true that Capt. Jones counselled the passengers to remain quiet and assured them that they could be taken ashore in perfect safety. The result shows that he judged rightly in this respect, the Massachusetts having easily ridden out one or two smart gales before she was relieved. The impression prevails that nearly all of the passengers were taken to land by the worthy men who came to the rescue from the shore, while the fact is that there were but few of these, and they had at their command only dories, whose carrying capacity was limited to three persons beside the boatman. These men all worked patiently and courageously, but the life boat of the steamer was also steadily engaged in the arduous work, and, in fact, carried more than one-half of the passengers, taking all of the ladies, by the express direction of the captain. It was reported by excited passengers that this boat was manned by inexperienced deck hands, but so far from this being the case, we are assured that she was manned by officers thoroughly versed and experienced in seamanship. She filled once but was freed and her battered

hull gives evidence of continuous hard work.

Captain Jones has received many very sympathizing letters, and we judge that there is no abatement of confidence in his skill and prudence as a commander, either on the part of his company or the community.

There seems to have been a prevailing error in regard to the depth of the Massachusetts below the water line. Mr. Steers informs us that she is intended to draw as much water as any steamer in the Sound. She is about one foot deeper than the Rhode Island, and the Rhode Island is about one foot deeper than the Narragansett and Stonington, which are confessedly two of the best sea boats ever constructed.—*Providence Journal.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 8, 1877.

The Elections.

Massachusetts is republican; Rice is elected by 17,000 plurality. The legislature is overwhelmingly republican, and the Council unanimously republican. Boston was carried by the democrats by 214 plurality, instead of the 5000 claimed before the election; last year they had over 4000 plurality in the city.

Pennsylvania is democratic by 10,000, probably.

Connecticut has a republican legislature.

New York gave the Tammany-Canal ring candidates 10,000 majority, but the republicans have the legislature by 8 majority in the Senate and 17 in the Assembly.

New Jersey is democratic by 12,500, the legislature democratic.

Wisconsin is republican by 5000 or 6000 majority.

Maryland, Mississippi, and Virginia are of course democratic by any desired majority.

Kansas, Minnesota and Nebraska are of course republican.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Vienna says that the Russians occupy Erzeroum, and that Moukhtar Pasha is retreating on Erzingham and Trebizond in hope of meeting supplies and reinforcements. The battle of the 5th, in front of Erzeroum, ended in a complete rout of the Turks.

Chevket Pasha, at the head of a strong force, is advancing to the relief of Plevna. Osman Pasha's army is amply provisioned and in fine condition. Notwithstanding the Russian progress westward, the Turks are confident that Plevna will hold out.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 5th.

There appears to have been a tacit understanding between the representatives of both great parties in Congress to kill time as best they could, and avoid precipitating any controversy prior to the elections to take place to-morrow. Looking at the amount of business that has actually been perfected and the frivolous pretexts upon which long adjournments have been voted it would be very pertinent to inquire if the interests of the whole country are to always be subordinated to the schemes of a handful of professional politicians for their personal aggrandizements. To those giving little heed to party and personal exigencies, there seems no good reason why Mr. Randall, thoroughly acquainted as he was with most of his material, should not have got his committees in working order the first week; and as all the expenditures called for by the President, save three comparatively unimportant ones, had been exhaustively discussed last session, it looks equally reasonable to suppose that the business might have all been transacted by the end of the second week; and as matters have gone the impression has grown general that the extra session might as well have been dispensed with altogether. There is a suspicion among anti-administrationists, that the resolution looking to the appointment of a Boss Commissioner at the Paris Exposition at a salary of $8,000, squints strongly toward a reward to Gen. Hawley for his services on the Louisiana Commission. Certainly the disproportion between the chief and his subordinates at $1,000 each and pay their own expenses, is a very marked example of Congressional economy. The first is intended to play gentleman on $8,000 and free passes likely, while the latter will be permitted to do the drudgery at a rate of compensation that will barely suffice to keep them respectably.

The Massachusetts friends of Mr. Sumner who were disposed to take up the club in his defense, and to vindicate him from the charges of fickleness and neglect of duty when at the head of the Committee on Foreign Relations, as intimated by General Grant, appear to have suffered a defeat. It appears pretty well established that Mr. Sumner promised his support to the San Domingo scheme and gave the President no intimation of his change of views relative to it until he (Grant) was so far committed that a retrograde movement appeared impossible without seeming to have been bull-dozed from his purpose by the Senator; and Mr. Fish has promptly accepted the challenge to specify the treaties Mr. Sumner pigeon-holed, naming nine, one of which was in his hands fully eighteen months without action. KNOX.

News and Notes.

Schooner Gipsey Bride founded in Rollo Bay on Friday, the 2d inst., and all hands were lost. The captain and crew (five men) of steamer Edward Tillery were drowned on the night of the 5th at Point Peters, in attempting to land from their vessel, which was wrecked. A large vessel, supposed to be a steamer, was seen on her beam ends three miles off Barnegat, on the 6th; she shortly disappeared, and is supposed to have sunk.

The great paper mills at Turner's Falls were burned Wednesday. Loss $300,000.

Monday afternoon two sons of Timothy Stowe of Newry, Me., were gunning when the elder one fired at a partridge, the whole charge lodging in the heart of the younger, aged 13, killing him instantly.

On Monday morning a square rigged ship in passing under the East River Bridge cables, had ten feet of her main skysail mast broken off by coming in contact with the storm cable. The ship had no cargo, and the tide was very high. She would have passed safely, however, had she not run too near the Brooklyn tower. The cable was not damaged.

Rev. Joseph Milliken, a Presbyterian minister of Columbus, Ohio, has given up his ministry, not being able conscientiously to preach the doctrines of that church any longer.

Mr. Waddell of North Carolina has introduced in the House of Representatives a bill involving a complete change in the administration of the present laws relating to steamboat service. The offices of Supervising Inspector-General and Supervising Inspector of Steamboats will be abolished by it if it passes, and the administration of the steamboat law will be placed in the hands of retired officers of the navy. The title of the bill is to provide for a Board of Admiralty and a local Board of Marine Supervisors. It may yet play sad havoc with many patent contrivances foisted on ship owners to endanger life under pretence of saving it.

The United States steamer Kearsarge has arrived at Suez, en route from the Asiatic squadron to the United States.

His millions of friends will sincerely regret to learn of the continued illness of Senator Blaine. A private dispatch announces that he will remain at home for some days, or at least until he recovers more completely from his late severe attack. His physicians have warned him that if he is not careful he will have a return of paralysis, with which he suffered last summer.

Thomas Ashton, a young man of Seekonk, R. I., was out gunning with a companion on Sunday; in getting over a wall the companion's gun was discharged, and young Ashton's throat was torn open, killing him instantly. Another young man was killed near the same place not long ago, while gunning on the Sabbath.

Political.

How would it do for Louisiana to secede from the Union, on the ground that she is deprived of representation in the United States Senate?—*New Orleans Times.*

It would do well enough. It has been decided that treason is more honorable than patriotism, and that a secessionist is more worthy of material reward than a Unionist. Secede by all means, if you want to prosper.

The Senate election committee has decided to report in favor of the admission of Wm. Pitt Kellogg, Republican, as Senator from Louisiana.

Daniel W. Voorhees has been appointed to fill the vacancy in the United States Senate caused by the death of Oliver P. Morton.

All that roguery and rascality can suggest is being done to delay the repeal of the odious Resumption Act. The tricky rascals in the House are offering all manner of motions looking toward a postponement of the vote on the Repeal bill. It is the many against the few, the people against a lot of monopolists. We know the final result will be a victory for the people, and possibly a dear defeat for the sharks.—*Cincinnati Enquirer.* (dem.)

The Kansas City (Mo.) *Times*, the leading democratic paper of the southern section of Missouri, had on Saturday last two obituary notices—one a malignant and brutal attack upon the memory of the dead war Governor, Morton—the other a eulogy upon the dead rebel, Gen. Forrest. The one's fame rests upon his efforts to save an imperiled country; that of the other on his efforts to destroy it. The one is denounced for waving the "bloody shirt," while the other is white-washed for the shirts made bloody at Fort Pillow.

Harper's Weekly says "Senator Edmunds, of Vermont, looks an old man, though he is only forty-nine. He has been eleven years in the Senate, and is one of the ablest members. He looks like St. Jerome, and when in repose folds his hands across his breast as if he were accustomed to hold a skull under them."

New Hampshire Items.

The house and barn belonging to Samuel Young, situated in Middleton, were burned Thursday evening. Loss about $1200; insured for $700. Supposed to be the work of an incendiary.

The valuable and extensive tannery of Hon. James Burnap, in Marlow, together with a large quantity of lumber, was totally destroyed by fire on Sunday morning. Loss $15,000 or $20,000. Probably no insurance.

The Sea Serpent.

For half a century and more, people have been talking and the newspapers telling of "*the* sea-serpent," as if there were but *one* such monster of the deep. With as much propriety might "*the* whale" be referred to, as if but one such creature existed, when, according to Genesis, I., 21, "great whales" were among the first, if not the first, living creatures from the hand of the Almighty. While legends of them have come down from the remote past, well authenticated records have been given, in scores of instances, of the existence of marine serpents, as far back as 1734, when Rev. Paul Egede, a missionary to Greenland, gave a description of one he saw on the 6th of July of that year. Capt. Lawrence De Ferry, of Norway, with his crew, had a near view of one in 1746, which he wounded with bullets from his gun, the ocean being discolored with the blood of the animal before its disappearance from sight. Capt. Little, of the U. S. Navy, in 1781, described one he saw in Penobscot Bay, and followed some distance in a cutter, but could not get near enough before he sank out of sight, for the marines to attack him. Rev. Donald McLear, and others who were with him in a boat, in 1808, saw one within a few yards of them on the coast of Scotland. Rev. Abraham Cummings, in 1809, with his wife and daughter, had a clear view of one while sailing in Penobscot Bay. In the harbor of Gloucester, Cape Ann, in 1817, a sea serpent remained so long as to be seen by hundreds of witnesses, for half a day at a time by some, and within as short a distance in one instance as thirty feet. Capt. Tappan, with his crew, of Newburyport, were within thirty to forty feet of the animal, which they described with the utmost minuteness. Hon. Alanson Nash described one he saw in 1817, that appeared nearly a hundred feet in length, and of the size of a half-barrel. One was seen by four men in 1830, near Kennebunk, Me. A London publication, the *Zoologist*, in 1833, gave a full account of one seen by five officers of the British army, while sailing in a yacht near Halifax, N. S. Hundreds of the most credible witnesses have given testimony to sea serpents being seen on the coast of Norway, as fully described by Sir A. de Capel Brooks, who travelled in Norway in the early part of the present century. In the summer of 1832 or '33, all on board the steamer "Connecticut," while on her passage from Boston to Portland, had a full view of a serpent of large size, soon after leaving Boston; the next day a party who went in search of him encountered one of a smaller size, six to eight inches in diameter, and approached him near enough for a man in one of the boats to strike him across the neck with an oar. One of the most minute accounts of such marine monsters that has ever been given was that of Capt. Peter McQuhae, his officers and crew, of the steamer Dædalus of the British navy, in 1849; the creature having a girth of fifteen inches or more back of the head. To come nearer home, in the summer of 1822, a party of half a dozen, while on a fishing excursion from Newcastle to the ocean, had a full view of a sea serpent, of a large size, when he was within half a mile of their boat. He lay for half an hour, as if asleep, upon the surface, and then after raising a considerable portion of his huge bulk in an erect position, made a plunge and was seen no more. A full account of the adventure, given under affidavit of the party, respectable residents of Newcastle, was given at the time in the Portsmouth *Journal*. As evidence that sea serpents have had an existence, one of a smaller size was taken near Cape Ann, about 1818, and in 1860, one measuring seventeen feet in length floated ashore on one of the Bermuda islands, of which a full, illustrated account was given in *Harper's Weekly*. That such creatures existed in the earlier ages of creation was proved from the fact that the entire fossil remains of a serpent, 120 feet in length, and of a girth in proportion, it was not doubted, when living, was exhibited in New York in 1845. It was found embedded in a limestone formation in Alabama, and Professor Silliman, who visited it, pronounced it without doubt a marine animal, and which was apparent to all from the skeleton remains of what might have been a sort of arms, having joints like an elbow, with which the creature could have propelled itself through the ocean. The cuttle-fish was once regarded as fabulous, from the terrific stories told of such creatures; yet none now doubt their existence. There is such a thing as being over-wise in incredulity, like those who say they will not believe what they cannot comprehend; as if there were not many things in the world that *all* can see, but few or none can understand. J. H. B.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	107¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	108
Maine State 6s. 1889	112¼
N. H. State 6s. 1875	104¼
N. H. State 6s 1879	102¼
N. H. State 6s 1880	103¼
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. 8s	50¼
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60¼
Boston & Maine	93¼
Boston & Providence	122¼
Boston & Albany	125
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	54
Eastern	4
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	64¼
Northern N. H.	65¼
Old Colony & Newport	56
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	3¼
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63¼

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Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
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Eggs per dozen, 27c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 2.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Br. 9¼ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @75c; Green, 65c. & $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8: Pine $4.

MARRIAGES.

DOWNS—WILLIAMS. In Farmington, Oct. 20, Mr. Arthur F. Downs, of Farmington, and Miss Eva M. Williams of Portsmouth.

BROWN—GODFREY. In Hampton, Oct. 24, Mr. Hugh Brown, of Hampton Falls, and Miss Addie B. Godfrey of Hampton.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch Active, Seaward, from this port, arr at New York Nov 3.

Sch John Balch, Hannah, for this port from Port John-on, passed through Hell Gate Nov 3.

Schs Diadem, Gray, for this port from Port Johnson, and Alligator, Sprague, for this port from Hoboken, arr at Vineyard Haven Nov 4.

Sch H B Gibson, Dow, from Newbury, N Y arr at Boston, Nov 5.

Sch Mystery, Call, from Hingham, arr at Bangor Nov 3.

Sch Mars Hill, Bowden, for this port from Port Johnson, sld from Vineyard Haven Nov 5.

Sch Herald, Frisbee, sld from Wiscasset for Boston Nov 5.

Sch Unison, Hurst, from this port, arr at Bangor Nov 5.

Sch Free Wind, Frisbee, from Providence for New York, returned to City Island 4th, to repair sails, before reported damaged.

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Boston, South and West,	8	10:45	5 *6:30
Boston Way,		10:45	5
Portland,		9:45	4:35 6:30
East [beyond Portland],		9:45	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9:45	4:55
Great Falls,		9:45	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9:45	
Concord and North,		7:40	4:55
Concord Way,			4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.		7:40	4:55
Dover,		7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:05 10:10	5:50
Boston Way,	10:10	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Don't forget the Hutchings' entertainment at the Universalist Vestry this evening.

At the regular monthly trial of the steam fire engines, on Monday evening, the Sagamore got up ten pounds of steam in seven minutes and twenty seconds; the Dearborn raised twenty-five pounds in six minutes.

Mr. Richard Seelye, of this city, has just completed a boat of peculiar construction for oystering in Great Bay. She has a flat bottom and is fitted with a centre board, and carries two leg-of-mutton sails. She is very stiff, and at her trial trip from Wm. R. Martin's shipyard, Wednesday afternoon, worked like a top. Quite a number of boat-builders and owners witnessed the trial, and all agreed in commending the boat as especially adapted for the purpose for which she was designed. The boat is called a "sharpie yacht," and is named the "Duster."

On Wednesday morning at about five o'clock Mr. Herman A. Tarlton met with a severe accident on board the brig Clara J. Adams. The navy yard gang of riggers, of which Mr. Tarlton was one, had commenced work in preparation for raising the vessel and moving her into shallow water. Mr. Tarlton went forward in the brig to get some tools to work with, and supposing that the fore hatch was covered made a step into the hatchway, and fell forward, striking his head on the opposite side of the hatch, falling from there into the hold, striking heavily on the bottom of the vessel. He was cut badly about the head, and was shaken up severely by the concussion. At a late hour in the evening Mr. Tarlton was comfortable, and it was hoped that serious results would not ensue.

The Boston papers give the following particulars of a little unpleasantness in which one of the regular traders to this port—the schooner A. J. Williams, Capt. Murch—was engaged: "A few days since Capt. Eaton of the schooner Alpine employed Messrs. Blackmar & Sheldon to libel the schooner A. J. Williams for damages in running down his vessel. A keeper was placed on board the Williams by the U. S. Marshal, but she suddenly put to sea, taking the keeper with her in spite of his remonstrance and warning. The Williams put into Portsmouth and promptly returned to the custody of the Marshal by the owners, who disavowed any previous knowledge of the evasion of process, and settled the case forthwith, paying all costs. The captain of the Williams was arrested, but it appearing that the mate and crew ran the vessel off during his absence he was discharged."

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

The regular meeting of the Board was held Wednesday evening; present Mrs. Knight, Mrs. Wilson, Messrs. May, Shannon, Vaughan, Goodrich, Hutchinson, Hackett and Pender. The Mayor being absent, Mr. Hackett was chosen President *pro tem.*

Records of previous meeting were read and approved, and sundry bills were presented and ordered to be paid.

Voted to proceed to election of a member of the High School Committee, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Rev. James DeNormandie; a ballot was had, and Daniel J. Vaughan was declared elected.

Monthly reports of Districts One, Two and Three were read.

Voted that the district reports be read at each monthly meeting; also, that the teachers be requested to comply with the regulation in rating scholars monthly.

Adjourned for two weeks.

SUPREME COURT--4TH WEEK.

Wednesday, Nov. 7, before *Stanley, J.*

In the case State vs. Havey, given to the jury on Tuesday evening, the jurors spent the night in their deliberations. At the coming in of the Court on Wednesday morning the jury came in, and stated in reply to the questions of the Court that they were unable to agree upon certain questions of fact. Judge Stanley told the jury that this was an important case for the State and the respondent; that it was a reproach upon the administration of justice that in cases of this kind jurors should not agree; that he hoped they would consider,—as he trusted they had considered,—the case on the evidence, and now make a further attempt to agree on a verdict. The jury went out again and struggled with the case all day, but were unable to come to an agreement, and they were discharged from further consideration of the matter at six o'clock in the evening, after twenty-four hours' service in that line.

State vs. O. P. Philbrick was in readiness for trial. This was an appeal from the Police Court, where the respondent was fined one cent and costs on the complaint of Hon. T. E. O. Marvin, for cruelly beating a horse at Rye. The Solicitor on conferring with the witnesses found it was a case in which the evidence would not sustain the complaint, and moved for leave to enter a *nolle prosequi*. Small for the State; William H. Hackett for defendant.

The Solicitor disposed of many appeal cases on the criminal docket.

Joseph Pettigrew vs. Daniel Sullivan, was tried in the afternoon. This was an action to secure the amount of $14 for boots and shoes furnished the defendant's wife. The plaintiff produced his books. The defendant contended that the charges were irregularly entered on the books, were not truly made, and were interlined. The wife and daughter of the defendant denied purchasing the articles charged at the time they purported to have been sold. A verdict was rendered for the plaintiff in the sum of $16.78. Call for plaintiff; Page for defendant.

Case State vs. Odiorne, set down for trial in the afternoon, was entered not to be brought forward *nisi*. Hatch for State; Hodgdon and Hackett for defendant.

THE VICINITY.

The new two-story school-house at South Seabrook is under way; the foundation is completed, and work will be pushed on the building by the contractor, S. W. Dearborn of Hampton, so that the house can be occupied in a few weeks. The building will accommodate two schools, which will be graded.

Jacob Joy's house in Kittery was discovered to be on fire at about quarter before three o'clock Wednesday morning, having caught, it is supposed, from matches kept in a pantry, and probably ignited by the nibbling of rats or mice. The fire was confined to the interior of the house, and was extinguished by buckets of water passed by hand. The navy yard fire department was in readiness and waiting orders, but its services were not needed.

The regular Sunday temperance crusade in Seabrook, on the 4th inst., was held in front of the residence of Jeremiah F. Locke at Seabrook village. Rev. Wm. A. Rand, Messrs. George E. Morrill, John M. Weare and Richard L. Gove were the speakers. The beginning of the meeting was delayed half an hour in consquence of the owner of the team that was to take Mr. Rand up from South Seabrook having borrowed a harness from a cider seller, who sent for his harness when he found out what it was to be used for. Mr. Weare spoke in his usual style,—pronounced himself not in favor of intemperance, but opposed to the method of the crusade; called Richard L. Gove "a puppy," and said "truth is necessary to the prosperity of the State"—a remarkable proposition, truly, but having no especial bearing on the questions of rum and cider making, selling and drinking. [As Mr. Weare raised some thousands of bushels of cider apples last year, remarks in favor of a crusade against cider cannot be expected from him.] Mr. Weare accused Mr. Rand of "trying to break up the school in South Seabrook last year," but did not state that Mr. Rand's desire was to have two teachers instead of one for one hundred and twenty-five scholars; that his views were approved by over fifty of the legal voters of South Seabrook in a petition presented to the school committee, and adopted by them; and that Mr. Rand this year has been elected prudential committee by the voters most vitally interested in school affairs.

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Sandemanian Society in Portsmouth.

But little is known of the Sandemanians, as religionists, as there have never been many of them in this country, and we believe not very many in any part of the world.

The first mention we find of them in Portsmouth in any publication is in *Merrill's Gazetteer*, published in 1817. It states in the account of Portsmouth, that Mr. Robert Sandeman came to this country about 1764, formed a Society in Portsmouth, which afterwards built a meeting house, and that David Humphreys, Esq., has for many years ministered to this little flock.

The Sandemanian meeting house stood on Brimstone Hill in Pleasant street, not far from the corner of Richmond street.

Robert Sandeman was the founder of the Sandemanians, and was born at Perth in Scotland in 1718. He was educated at St. Andrew's College, and was intended for the ministry. But he turned his attention to the manufacture of linen. He afterwards became preacher of his particular views, but so far as we have seen an account of them, there is nothing very special as to points of doctrine, differing from some other religions. The definition of faith was simple, which was an assent to the divine testimony. In practice, however, many things were peculiar to themselves. The Lord's Supper was administered weekly. It had love feasts at each other's houses; gave the kiss of charity on receiving new members, washing each other's feet when it was a deed of mercy, giving mutual exhortations; a community of goods to a certain extent, etc. They disapproved of laying up treasures on earth, also disapproved of lotteries, cards and dice.

It should be said that a sect arose in Scotland in 1728, founded by one John Glass, called Glassites, and that Mr. Sandeman fell in with that, and after he became active in his public career, we think the Glassites became much merged in the Sandemanians.

Mr. Sandeman not only formed a Society in Portsmouth, but in Boston and in Danbury, Conn., where he died April 2, 1771, aged 53 years. He was an earnest laborer, and some works of his were published.

It has been been stated in this article that probably the Sandemanians were never very numerous anywhere. It seems however that they were so formidable that Rev. Andrew Fuller, a Baptist minister of England, who died in 1815, thought it necessary to controvert their sentiments. See his works, Boston edition 1836, pp. 555–615 inclusive.

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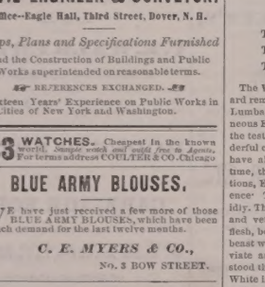

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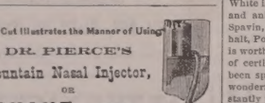

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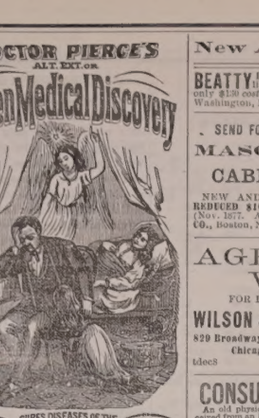

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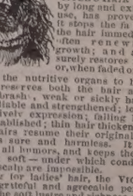

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Sharp Practice.

The bill for demonetizing gold which passed the House on Monday, 4th inst., was not the "Bland bill" of the last Congress, as was supposed; Bland, having received permission to offer his bill, surreptitiously substituted for it the bill of the present House committee on banking and currency. Now it is stated that another vote on the bill will be asked for by Speaker Randall. He says that the substitution of bills on Monday was wholly unwarranted. He was not on the watch for any such thing. It appears that the scheme was carefully set up in the House. Kelley of Pennsylvania was privy to it, and this explains his unusually vehement objection to all inquiries with regard to the bill when it was laid before the House. Kelley's share in the business is regarded as especially discreditable. Senator Stanley Matthews has expressed the opinion that the Bland silver bill will pass the Senate and be signed by the President. This opinion is important because of the intimate relations of Matthews to Hayes, and because the latest statement of the President's views given to the Associated Press under the advice of Matthews early in the Ohio campaign looked in this direction. It is said Matthews has prepared a bill for the inflation of the currency which he will soon offer in the Senate.

News and Notes.

In the trials of South Carolina ex-officials, a verdict of guilty has been rendered in Cardozo's case. An appeal will doubtless be taken. The case against Robert Smalls, member of Congress, for accepting a bribe while member of the legislature, was taken up immediately after the verdict against Cardozo. Judge Melton, counsel for Smalls, filed a petition for the removal of the case to the United States Court, on the ground of prejudice and political feeling. The Grand Jury has returned an indictment against B. F. Whittemore for accepting a bribe as member of the Senate. Whittemore was in Canada when last heard from.

The House Committee on Post Offices is unanimously in favor of increasing letter carriers' pay, and a bill will probably be adopted fixing the salary at $900 per annum for the first five years, and $1,000 subsequently.

Professor Baird, just returned from Halifax, says that about six hundred witnesses have been examined before the Fisheries Commission. The evidence is very contradictory and is no indication of the result. The cases close on December 15, when deliberation begins.

The first compass was used in France in 1150, though the Chinese are said to have employed the loadstone earlier.

Deputy United States Marshal Gainey has seized at Pascagoul, Miss., about two hundred thousand logs and a large amount of tar, turpentine and charcoal, from parties who had stolen them from the Government, and this he says is only a beginning.

The Allan steamship line and the Grand Trunk railroad have got into a quarrel, and all through freight is hereafter to be forwarded by the Dominion and Beaver lines from Portland. The Allan steamers will make Baltimore their winter port.

Lyman Trumbull of Illinois, ex-United States Senator, was united in marriage, Saturday afternoon, 3d inst., to Miss Mary J. Ingraham, eldest daughter of the late Capt. John Ingraham of Old Saybrook, Conn. The marriage took place at the residence of the bride's mother in Saybrook. The bride and groom are cousins.

A Baltimore boy raised his arm to strike his mother, when his brother struck the unfilial youth on the head with a stick, causing his death soon after.

Corydon, Weed & Co., of Bloomington, Ill., have filed a petition in bankruptcy; liabilities $1,800,000, assets merely nominal.

The farmers of Prince Edward Island are rejoicing over the largest crops ever raised and safely housed by them. All the crops are good, but the yield of wheat and oats is much above the average. Potatoes are, as usual, very fine in quality, and as to quantity, there is no room for complaint.

Mr. Key informs the Senate that the wages of postmasters are nearly $700,000 in arrears.

Clarkson N. Potter of New York has written to Speaker Randall that he will insist on being excused from chairmanship of the committee on Pacific Railroads and requesting that no action be taken concerning the vacancy until next week, as he wishes to be present. It is supposed that he intends to make a statement to the House. The Speaker will comply with his wishes. The rules of the House do not permit the Speaker to appoint another chairman in his place, but to make the next member, Mr. Throckmorton of Texas, chairman, unless the committee shall elect some other person chairman.

Mr. Williams of Michigan has introduced in the House a bill providing that until the several staff corps of the army shall be reduced to the numbers which are fixed for permanent appointment therein by act of Congress, approved June 23, 1874, any officer in either of said corps resigning his commission shall receive one year's pay and allowances for each five years of service.

New Hampshire Items.

A lady living on State street, Concord, was recently viewing a picture through a graphoscope. The sun was shining brightly and the picture was so placed as to give it a peculiarly beautiful appearance. She therefore left the graphoscope and picture standing as they were with the purpose of calling the attention of others to it when they came in. In a few moments, however, a smell of burning paper was perceived and in a few moments more the picture was ablaze. It had been set on fire by the rays of the sun brought to a focus on the picture by the lens of the graphoscope. Had no one been present in the room an unaccountable fire would have probably very soon alarmed the family and neighborhood. The fact suggests caution in regard to this and similar instruments.

The evenness of judgment of average jurors is shown by the marking of eleven who sat on a case recently tried in Concord. It was a suit brought to recover damages for the bite of a dog in Pittsfield, and having agreed that the owner of the dog should pay something they chalked the amount as follows: twenty-five cents, $10, $15, $50, $100 and $200. They finally compromised on a verdict of $37.50.

There will be a public installation of the officers elect of Trinity Commandry of Knights Templar of Manchester, by the officers of the Grand Commandry of New Hampshire, on Tuesday evening, Nov. 13th.

The body of Mr. Cass, of East Kingston, was found near the residence of J. Porter Sanborn, on the road to Exeter. It is supposed that he committed suicide, by taking poison, some six weeks ago.

Monday afternoon, Nov. 5, while Mr. Rodney Wilson of New Boston was standing on the bank of the river there, assisting in unloading a log, the log, which was a very large one, rolled off from the wheels and carried him backward into the river and fell across him. A neighbor, who jumped into the river to avoid the log, held Mr. Wilson's head out of the water until the team could be attached to the log and the log drawn out. Mr. Wilson had a severe compound fracture of both bones of the leg, and had received internal injuries; he is seventy-eight years old, and the prospect of his recovery is small.

Political.

In the New York district in which Augustus Schell was the Tammany ring candidate and John Morrissey his opponent, Hamilton Fish polled an open vote for Morrissey amid the cheers of the bystanders. The venerable Peter Cooper voted the same way. These two incidents were spread like wildfire and made the most of, and it was generally believed that Tilden would also vote for Morrissey. At ten o'clock his nephew, Col. Pelton, went the Tammany ticket straight. Mr. Tilden came to vote at two o'clock. Entering the little tailor shop where the ballot-boxes were kept, he uncovered his head in the old fashioned style and approached the inspectors. "Your name, sir?" he was asked. "Samuel J. Tilden." "Your residence?" "One hundred and eighteen East Twentieth street." "All right," said the registrar, and Tilden voted the straight Tammany ticket, after which he bowed to the inspectors and went out again.

Henry S. Sanford is nominated as Minister to Belgium. He has been waiting around for the job a long time.

Major Benjamin P. Runkle, U. S. A., who was convicted by court martial for stealing government funds, was degraded from his rank and dismissed the service in disgrace during Gen. Grant's administration, the interference of the Executive alone saving him from the penitentiary. Don Piatt, the editor of the Washington *Capital*, who suggested the assassination of President Hayes, has urged the restoration of this man to his former rank, and the President has acceded to the request and given Runkle his back pay, amounting to $10,000. The officers of the army are of course delighted to associate with a convicted thief, and Don Piatt doubtless considers this another ray in the dawn of reconciliation, since it was done at his request.—*Boston Traveller.*

Economy and Retrenchment.

The democratic House Committee on Expenditures by the Navy Department has notified Secretary Thompson that it still thirsts for economy. He must reduce his estimates. The army and the navy have been living on no pay during the last six months, and now these democratic economizers, who have no stock in trade but what they make by their "pinch here and starve there" policy, want these two arms of the public service to get along without any pay at all, we suppose. But the worst feature of this whole business is that these bungling democratic legislators have dissipated all the good that they claimed for their parsimonious policy by failing to lower the taxes laid upon the laboring people of the country at the same time that they reduced expenditures. Owing to this bungling, the faces of the poor have been ground to pay the money into the Treasury, where it has lain idle, for months, and still lies idle to the amount of $200,000,000, more or less, when a portion of it ought never to have been collected and withdrawn from circulation, and the other portion should have been expended in compliance with existing laws, and would have been so expended but for the refusal of the democrats in the House to make the necessary appropriations. This two hundred millions of contraction, in the two forms of excessive taxation and neglect to appropriate for necessary expenditure, has caused the greatest distress in the country. Had this amount been added to the currency, how many poor laborers would it have kept in employment? How many merchants it would have saved from failure? How many mills and factories would it have set in motion? And yet the congressional wiseacres are in no haste even now about passing the appropriation bills for which they were called together. They have plenty of time for buncombe speeches on finance, when the simple act of paying the nation's honest debts would solve one-half the problem on which they now labor in vain. It would unlock the Treasury and save hundreds more, who are on the verge of ruin, from failure by suffering the twenty millions now due the army and navy to flow into the channels of trade. Circulation is the life of the nation as well as the animal. Stagnation is death to both. No matter how much blood or currency you have, if they do not circulate the body will die.—*Wash. Repub.*

Danville.

This town is small in territory, and its population but about 550. My acquaintance has been for a period of forty years. In no place where I have been acquainted, has such a proportion of the inhabitants—young in years, especially young men and maidens, and those about mid life, fallen victims to voracious death, as here. All through the period named, quite a class of the most useful and promising for good, have fallen. The last on the long list, departed on Wednesday, Oct. 24th. This was Mr. James Morrill French, aged 46 years.

He was of respectable parentage, and was trained to habits of industry, propriety and good order. During his juvenile years, he was of a quiet, meditative turn of mind, attentive to books, and for a time enjoyed the benefits of the Academy in Kingston. He married, settled on a farm and became active in the business industries of life. After some years he returned to the paternal homestead. Health became impaired a number of months ago. Heart difficulties and dropsy were upon him, and by slow degrees, he went down. The funeral services were largely attended. It was painful to lay him away. He, who was manly in life, looked not only pleasant, but manly in death. He left a widow, daughter, mother, step brother and sister, with other friends, in sadness. J. F.

A Cossack's Trick.

Many stories are told of the cleverness of the Cossacks in obtaining what they need for themselves or their horses. Passing through the streets of Galatz recently, the thin, weary-looking horse of a Cossack fell suddenly, and lay apparently lifeless on the ground. Its master began bewailing the unhappy fate which had not only deprived him of a favorite, but left him horseless at the most interesting moment of the war. A crowd gathered around, and in it were several men who started a subscription to enable the soldier to procure another animal. Taking the money, and then removing the saddle from his horse, the Cossack wiped actual tears from his eyes and went on his way. As the crowd were bending in pure sympathy over the stiffened horse, a whistle was heard at the other end of the street, the horse sprang to his feet, and with a joyful neigh, hastened to join his shrewd master.

Jujube Paste.

Girls who chew jujube paste ought to be able to tell where it comes from. The *Semi-Tropical* of Florida says: "The jujube tree is worthy of attention of all lovers of fancy trees and shrubs. It is both useful and ornamental, and cannot be surpassed for beauty. From the first of April until late in November or until frost, it is covered with a dense, deep green foliage, interspersed with its tiny, ornamental fruit, in all stages of growth. The fruit is speckled and reddish when ripe. The leaves and fruit are borne on a small, wire-like stem from six to twelve inches long, which grows downward, and presents a beautiful, weeping appearance. The tree is a native of Syria, but has been cultivated many years in Spain, Italy, and France for its fruit, which manufactured into paste, is relished by school girls and annoying to teachers. When the fruit is ripe it closely resembles the cranberry in size and shape."

—A bailie of the Scottish capital recently went down to London and came back much impressed with the courtesy of the officials. Narrating how an M. P. had secured for him free access to many public institutions, he reached the climax of eulogy by exclaiming, "Why, sir, he got me a blank cartridge for every place in London." It is supposed that the magistrate meant a *carte blanche.*

MARRIAGES.

BLYE—FOWLER. In South Seabrook, by Rev. Wm. A. Rand, Mr. Francis Blye and Miss Anglinette Fowler, both of West Newbury, Mass.

DEATHS.

HAINES. In Greenland, Oct. 29, Miss Abigail Haines, aged 76 years and 9 months.

DICKERSON. In South Hampton, Oct 12, Mary E. Dickerson, aged 25 years.

GREEN. In Eliot, Me., Nov. 3, Mr. Stephen Green, aged 84 years, 3 mos.

NICHOLS. In Kingston, Oct. 30th, Mr. Elihu T. Nichols, aged 45.

FRENCH. In Danville, Oct. 24th, Mr. James M. French, aged 46 years, 2 days.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Boston Way,	10:45	5
Portland,	9:45	4:35 6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:45	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:45	4:55
Great Falls,	9:45	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:45	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

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MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:35 10:10	5:50
Boston Way,	10:10	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] cast or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

The vegetables from the County Farm exhibited at the Grange Hall Show were given to Mr. Loyne, the volunteer city missionary.

The fishing schooner Josie Johnson arrived at Tredick's wharf on Thursday afternoon with about seven thousand pounds of fish, mostly cod.

A beet weighing ten pounds four ounces, raised at the City Farm, was laid on our table—which is not a table at all, but a desk—on Thursday.

The curculio is now climbing the fruit trees, especially the plum trees. The farmer who proposes to raise a good crop of this fruit next year should protect his trees now.

Steamer Minia left the lower harbor early Wednesday morning to repair the break in the Direct Cable, but returned to her anchorage on Thursday evening without accomplishing her object. She succeeded in picking up the cable and finding the break, but was obliged to buoy the ends without making the splice, owing to the wind and sea.

Fishing schooner Frank Jones arrived at Doane's wharf on Thursday morning, bringing with her four men of the crew of schooner Davy Crockett, of Gloucester. Their account of the way they missed their vessel is that they were on shore at Harwich digging clams, when the schooner put to sea without them; they took to their dories and put to sea after her, but failing to find her boarded the Frank Jones, arriving at this port as above.

The reason why the Portsmouth Board of Trade does not meet is because their careful secretary, F. W. Miller, lost the records some time ago and has not since been able to find them. We suggest that the Board imitate the example of the pickle makers who have poor luck; "begin all over again."—*Times.*

We plead not guilty to that indictment, and desire to retain as counsel in this case of pages lost, the lawyer who don't drink.—*Weekly.*

Possibly the reason the Board does not meet is that the secretary's records have *not* been lost, and each member is afraid to attend lest he might be called upon to decipher them.

SOMETHING ENTIRELY NEW.

All remember the eastern prince who offered a fortune to any one who would give him a new sensation;—but we, more fortunate than the prince, are to have a new pleasure at a very small cost. We have frequently read notices in the Boston papers of semi-private entertainments given by Miss Susan Hale, sister of Edward Everett Hale, called Madame Norton's receptions, at which Miss Hale was the central figure, assisted by her brother Edward, Mr. James Freeman Clarke, and Mr. James T. Fields. Another entertainment given by this lady is called "The Elixir of Life," and is of so novel a character that it needs a description: Miss Hale makes her appearance first as a very handsome old lady, slightly garrulous, recounting her passed glories; then having heard there was a youth-giving potion which would act like a charm on her grey hair and dim sight, she takes a draught, and so on her second appearance she is transformed into a younger and comelier woman. She is so much pleased with the effect of this that she takes a more copious draught and becomes younger and still handsomer, till she goes back through all the stages of life and is finally brought in by her brother, a helpless and beautiful baby. These entertainments are given in Boston by these educated people in aid of the preservation fund for the Old South; and Miss Hale having many friends and admirers in this city, has consented to give this delightful and entirely new entertainment at Miss Morgan's spacious school-room on Wednesday evening, Nov. 14th, at half-past seven o'clock. The number of tickets will be limited to two hundred, and they may now be obtained at Myers' bookstore. †

SUPREME COURT--4TH WEEK.

Thursday, Nov. 8, before *Stanley, J.*

A jury was empanelled to try the case Edward Byrne vs. Wm. C. Scroones & Andrew J. Chase. Action on a promissory note alleged to have been given for dry goods on which the duties had not been paid. The Court directed a verdict for the plaintiff for $166.31. Marston for plaintiff; Lamprey for defendant.

No. 196, Uri Lamprey vs George Doncaour, was next tried. Trover for a large number of cords of wood (309 cords) which the plaintiff claims to have purchased of his nephew, John S. Lamprey, and which the defendant caused to be attached and sold on an execution against John S. Lamprey.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The revival meeting in the North church, Thursday evening, was well attended. Major Whittle took his text from Eph, 2:1, "Dead in sin," Rom. 6:2, "Dead to sin;" he also read Rom. 3:19, and Gal. 3:10. He said that trusting in the law will not save, because the law is perfect, and men and women are imperfect and cannot be saved by a perfect law. All are condemned because under the law, and will be condemned until they believe in Jesus. Under human law there is hope of pardon; the law is often not executed. Dead in sin means separated from God. Are we living to please God or self? is a test question,—whether there is spiritual life or spiritual death; the gospel is the test. Jesus the crucified—do you love him? If not you are spiritually dead, says the gospel. Whether dead in sin or alive in Christ is a vital question for every one to answer. Licked to Jesus we are all safe. He has paid the whole debt, and all are safe who trust entirely to Him.

After the meeting there was an adjourned prayer meeting at Mechanics' Hall, which was about three-quarters filled with men, the ladies remaining in the church to take part in a similar meeting there.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

In Board of Aldermen, Thursday evening, Mayor Broughton being absent from the city, Alderman W. E. Hadley was voted to the chair.

A petition from George Bilbruck and others, asking that the pound keeper be ordered to enforce the ordinance in regard to cattle in the public highways, was received and accepted.

Petition for a sidewalk on Warren street, near the new opera house, was referred to committee on streets with power.

Petitions for naphtha lights corner Miller and Lincoln avenues, and Miller avenue and South street, were referred to committee on gaslights to report.

Voted that the matter of a sewer trap at the corner of Warren and Chestnut streets be referred to committee on sewers, with power.

Petition of A. A. Fernald and others for a cross-walk at the north end of Market street at foot of Russell street, was referred to the committee on streets, with power.

Report of the committee on accounts, approving the usual monthly batch of bills, was received and the bills ordered to be paid.

Alderman Coffin addressed the Board at some length in regard to the new highway near Banfield road.

Voted that the committee on streets be requested to obtain of the City Solicitor at an early day his opinion as to the liability of the city for a claim of damages should an accident occur to persons or property by reason of the unsafe roadway or sidewalk upon a way leading from Deer street to Elm, called Railroad avenue. Also if in his opinion the said way is now a public street; also if the city is bound to keep the same in repair, it having been used by our citizens for a period of thirty years or more.

The committee on claims recommended that the bill of Wm. P. Israel for gravel be disallowed. Report accepted and adopted.

Committee on claims returned the bill of George A. Perkins for damage to a horse last winter, with the opinion of the City Solicitor that the city was not liable for the damage. The report was accepted.

Voted that the matter of the city printing be referred to the committee on printing, to draw up an ordinance covering the matter.

Report of the committee on gas lights, to whom was referred the petition of John Kelly and others for a gas light at the corner of Atkinson and Court streets, recommended that the light be located at the southeast corner of Atkinson street; accepted and adopted.

Voted that the Street Commissioner be instructed to notify Mr. Jackson to remove the gravel dumped by him in Jackson Hill street.

Voted that the committee on streets be authorized to have the obstructions on McDonough street, in front of the block owned by Stokell & Co., removed.

Voted that the Street Commissioner be notified to remove the stone step in front of the Melcher lot on Congress street.

The sanitary committee notified the Board that Mr. Rice, the engineer employed by them, would be ready to report Friday night; and the Board voted to adjourn to Friday evening at half-past seven o'clock, and that Mr. Rice be invited to be present.

Judge Davis' Joke on Senator Ferry.

Senator Ferry is a pious man. He is an elder in the Presbyterian church. As far as I can see, and I watch him pretty closely, he is bound for the kingdom. Of all old bachelors he is the most irreproachable. He feels very deeply the dignity of a Senator and maintains it on all occasions. He is polite, courteous and cold as ice. No one ever saw him do a natural or improper thing. Every act is studied and prim and solemn. Yesterday the Senator sat at breakfast glancing, as even deacons and Senators will, over his paper, at the women. He was taking the fiftieth stolen glance at a pretty, golden haired little saint from Georgia, when Senator David Davis, two tables away, startled the dining-room, by roaring in his lusty sailor voice to Mr. Ferry, "I want to see you before you go to the races, Ferry. Afraid I can't go. If it's possible for me to get through my work, I shall be happy to accept your invitation." The saint turned her big, reproachful orbs on Ferry. The women all looked at him and whispered. The model Senator blushed scarlet, stroked his beard nervously and smiled in a feeble way at the jolly giant, who sat shaking his fat sides, and bending his late judicial head over the thimbleful of gruel Banting allows him. His looks told that he had got even with Ferry at last. The tables are turned. Ferry owes him "one."—*Washington letter.*

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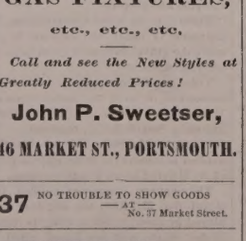

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WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 7th.

There is little boasting over the result of yesterday's election on either side. Returns are yet too meagre to definitely determine just how far one or the other party has succeeded or been defeated. Extensive preparations were made by the democrats at one of the hotels to receive and promulgate news of "great democratic victories." Sympathizing members of Congress and other distinguished visitors were handsomely entertained in a room specially set apart for the elect; but the expectation of a great "tidal wave" like that of 1874 was not justified by the intelligence received, and at a late hour the crowd adjourned without any particular manifestations of enthusiasm. A general spirit of indifference characterized the action of the thousands of republican office-holders here; no special means were provided for ascertaining the result, many of them spending the evening about democratic headquarters. It was a mixed, good-natured assemblage. Interest seemed to centre on New York, and when it appeared probable that the republicans had made sure of the Legislature, democrats were tauntingly reminded of their rather boastful predictions,—without, however, arousing any bad blood. On the whole the democrats were most disappointed, as their success had been confidently claimed and pretty generally conceded. The result in Massachusetts appears to be about equally regretted by democrats and anti-administration republicans; and friends of the President seem the only ones entirely pleased with a vote that is construed as a victory for the Southern and Civil Service policies.

The failure of Mr. Evarts to comply with the recommendations of Pennsylvania delegation, after inviting its members to name Mr. Pierrepont's successor to the Court of St. James, and the substitution of Mr. Welsh for Mr. Cameron, are cited as the immediate causes of the reverse in the Keystone State.

The large majority in favor of the remonetization bill passed on Monday on motion of Mr. Bland, surprised a good many, even among its friends, the ratio being almost as six to one in its favor; but no one who has watched the development of public sentiment relative to this matter since it was first agitated two years ago, as reflected by members of Congress, could fail to have seen the remarkable revolution wrought in those few months, after public attention was once fairly directed to it and the seemingly covert method by which demonetization was slily effected. By consenting to free debate and to entertain amendments, Mr. Ewing has finally got his bill out of the morning hour, where it was hopelessly stranded. Had he at first gracefully consented to what he was ultimately obliged to yield, there is no doubt the purposes of the committee could have been promptly brought about.

Mr. Phillips on Monday introduced a bill of great public interest under the dispensation of "busted" banks. It provides that at every Post Office where the Postmaster receives a salary of $1,000 or above, there shall be established a Government savings bank where deposits as low as twenty-five cents can be received, to bear three per cent. interest. No account, however, is to exceed $200; and it provides that small bonds may be issued with three months coupons. Finally the Postmaster is to be required to give heavy bonds and the government to be responsible for the safe custody of the money. KNOX.

Senator Blaine's Illness.

The illness of Senator Blaine gives his friends considerable uneasiness. Not that there is any immediate danger perhaps; but his health has not been good since his sudden attack during the sitting of the Cincinnati Convention, and he has to use the greatest care, it said, to guard against the return of that insidious enemy of men of active habit and nervous tendencies—paralysis. Though he may be able to take a moderate part in the deliberations of the Senate at its regular session, the days of his ambition are probably over, and he will have to be satisfied with moderate service hereafter.—*Boston Post.*

From the foregoing paragraph we gather that the *Post* is satisfied that Mr. Blaine's illness last year was not all a sham—a "convenient indisposition" occasioned by fears of a fellow named Mulligan, who had stolen somebody's private correspondence, or by a desire to escape the "investigation" of a democratic committee that had the evidence-suppressing Proctor Knott at its head. The *Post* had as many sneers as its fellows for the "convenient illness" of Mr. Blaine at the time he was on the edge of the grave.

A Queer Contest.

The contest between Merrissey and Schell, for the Senatorship from the seventh district of New York, presented some very peculiar features. That district represents more wealth and culture than any other in New York; Morrissey is a coarse and ignorant man, an ex-prize fighter as well as an ex-Congressman, a "jail-bird," and the most notorious gambling-hell owner in America—a man whose whole life has been one long defiance of the law, though his official record is clean; Augustus Schell is a wealthy, intelligent and highly respectable man; and yet the wealthy and cultured district elected the social criminal, —the gambler and bruiser—and rejected the respected gentleman! The reason for this strange preference is found in the fact that Schell represented Tammany Hall, while Morrissey is the determined opponent of that corrupt but powerful political agency; and the republicans and respectable democrats of the district preferred the ruffianly gambler with his anti-Tammany ideas, to the polished gentleman with his thick-and-thin endorsement of Tammany's infamy.

The Eastern War.

A Russian official despatch, dated at Kuruk-Daro, November sixth, says: General Lazaroff yesterday occupied a position in front of the southeastern forts of Kars for the purpose of erecting siege batteries. The Turks attacked him, supported by a fire from the forts. The Russians beat them back in disorder and pursued them into Fort Hafiz Pasha at the point of the bayonet, and inflicted great loss. They spiked the Turkish guns, captured ten officers and forty men and then retired with a small loss.

The Montenegrins are bombarding Fort Sedar, near Spuz. They have twenty seige guns also in position before Podgoritza.

News and Notes.

Ill-feeling between labor gangs of Florida and North Carolina negroes at King's Ferry, Fla., broke out in a riot a few days since at a ball given by the resident negroes. The North Carolina interlopers went in force, took possession of the festival and ejected their rivals, who at once procured weapons and opened fire on the dancers. After about one hundred shots, resulting in the killing of one of the North Carolina darkies and the wounding of several others, the assailants regained possession of the hall and their fair ones, and the sound of revelry went on as if nothing had happened.

John Welsh has been confirmed by the Senate as Minister to England.

Rev. Dr. W. P. Harrison of Georgia, a Methodist, has been chosen chaplain of the House of Representatives.

The democratic majority in the House will it is said insist on reducing the army to 15,000 men.

The motion of Robert Smalls' counsel to remove his case from the South Carolina court in which it was brought, to the United States Court, has been overruled by the Judge, Townsend, who is a bitter democratic partisan. The easiest way for the accused republicans to get off is to plead guilty at once, no matter whether they are guilty or not, as the Hampton-Butler conciliationists of South Carolina, including the judges of the State courts, evidently mean to bring them all in guilty regardless of petty questions of fact.

New Hampshire Items.

Senator Wadleigh has been chosen chairman of the Senate committee on privileges and elections.

P. B. Cogswell, Esq., of the Concord *Monitor*, has returned from a three months' visit to Oregon and California.

The Congregationalists of the State have 15,357 Sunday school scholars, of whom 644 have joined the church; the Methodists about the same number of scholars, 897 church additions; the Free Will Baptists 8562 scholars, with 423 additions to the church; the Baptists 7892 scholars, of whom 322 have united with the church, and the Universalists 1091 scholars.

An interesting case has just ended in the Supreme Court at Dover. Some time since a man named Mahan, pretending to be agent for the Granite Agricultural Works, of Lebanon, induced Mr. J. H. Ferguson of Brookfield to accept an agency for some kind of machine and obtained his signature to a note for $184.90. The note was cashed at the Gonic National Bank and Mahan disappeared. Mr. Ferguson never received the machines and when the note became due he refused to pay it. The bank brought suit against him, but the jury rendered a verdict in his favor. The plea of the defence was that the signature to the note was obtained by fraud. This is the same Mahan who operated largely in Maine a year ago, in the same way. There was a big swindler adrift somewhere, but whether it was Mahan or the Granite Agricultural Company, we believe is not yet fully decided by the Courts.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Unitarian church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; vesper service at 7:30. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie, who will give the first of a few discourses upon the general subject, "Popular misconception and misinterpretation of the doctrines of Scripture and Religion." The subject in the morning will be, "What is it to be damned?" In the evening, "Faith and Works."

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. H. Alden.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder S. S. Brewer will preach.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M., by Rev, James Pike, D. D., Presiding Elder of the Dover District, N. H. Conference.

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. Preaching by Rev. James W. Hubbell.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. John A. Goss, at 10:30 A. M.

Reform Club meeting at Mechanics' Hall at 7:30 P. M. Speaking by members. Praise service until 8 o'clock.

The regular afternoon services are omitted at the Baptist, Christian, Methodist and Congregational churches.

The special revival services for Sunday will be as follows: Prayer meeting at Middle street church at 9 A. M. Women's meeting at Congregational church at 3 P. M.; men's meeting at same place at 7:30 P. M. Overflow meetings for all at Middle street church at 3 and 7:30 P. M., with praise service at 7 o'clock.

THE CITY.

Paymaster Charles H. Eldridge, U. S. N., is in town.

Read the advertisement of the *Congregationalist*, in another colnmn.

The appropriation for the department of construction and repair at the navy yard for the ensuing quarter, is some $2000 more per month than for the quarter just expired.

We are pleased to be able to announce that Capt. Herman A. Tarlton is rapidly recovering from the effect of his dangerous fall on board the brig Clara J. Adams, and that it is probable he will escape permanent injury or disfigurement.

Rev. Moses How, eighty-nine years old, occupied the pulpit at the Christian Church at Franklin on Sunday, 4th inst. He has been engaged in the ministry for sixty-three years, and during all that period has had but two pastorates—one in this city and the other at New Bedford, Mass.

There was quite an excitement created on Union street, Friday afternoon, by the performances of a huge cat, supposed to be mad. The creature bit a young man named Frank Kernan, and Officer Nowell was called upon to kill it; he fired several bullets into the animal, and young Kernan then finished it with a generous charge of shot from a gun.

Representative Jones of New Hampshire has received and will offer in the House a petition of Mark H. Wentworth, administrator of W. P. Jones of Portsmouth, N. H., asking the enactment of a law granting two per cent. additional interest upon judgments heretofore awarded by the Court of Alabama Claims. The petitioners have been paid the amount of loss ascertained by the Alabama Claims Commissioners, and four per cent. interest from the date of loss to the date of the payment. They now ask two per cent. additional interest and quote from the Geneva tribunal to show that the tribunal adopted six per cent. as the rate of interest to be paid, and they further urge that Great Britain has paid our Government on their claims at the rate of six per cent. in gold, and that our Government has been receiving five per cent. gold interest on both principal of their loss and allowed interest, such principal and interest having been invested in United States five per cent. bonds.—*Wash. Cor. Boston Post.*

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The order of services throughout next week will be as follows: Prayer meeting at the Middle street church from nine o'clock to ten each forenoon; Bible readings at three o'clock, in the Methodist church; young people's gospel meeting at a quarter past four o'clock, at the Christian church on Court street; praise service of half an hour's duration at the North church each evening at seven o'clock, and gospel mass meeting at the same place each evening (except Saturday) at half-past seven.

SUPREME COURT--4TH WEEK.

Friday, Nov. 9, before *Stanley, J.*

Case Lamprey vs : Donacour, trial continued. The question in this case is upon the validity of the proceedings in the sale by Jno. S. Lamprey to Uri Lamprey. Marston and C. M. Lamprey for plaintiff; Wiggin for defendant. The case was given to the jury at seven o'clock in the evening.

At eight o'clock the Court came in, and a jury was empanelled to try the flowage case of John G. Forsaith, of South Hampton, against the Salisbury Mills Co. of Salisbury, Mass.; Benj. T. Webster was appointed foreman. Gen. Marston then opened the case. The writ is dated September, 1876; the land flowed is in South Hampton; the damage claimed is $4000; the dam complained of is a reservoir dam on the Powow river, about a mile from the State line; the defendants admit that they flow the land, and confess $100. They exhibited the plan of the river, and the premises claimed to be flowed, and indicated to what land, etc., they should call the attention of the jury on the view. The Court indicated to the jury how they were to proceed and view the premises, (on Saturday morning, then to separate to come in on Monday morning at eleven o'clock, when the trial will proceed.) The principal question will be the value of the land flowed.

The jury start in the morning train to Amesbury, to examine the premises.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

The Board of Mayor and Aldermen met in adjourned meeting Friday evening, when the special committee on the sanitary condition of the North and South millponds made the following report:

To His Honor the Mayor and Board of Aldermen: The undersigned were appointed Sept. 6, 1877, to inquire into the best method of improving the sanitary condition of the North and South Ponds—and respectfully report:

The system of sewerage in cities of large and small size is the fruitful source of discussion—particularly so where such primative means as we find here are used to put out of sight the refuse which needs such serious consideration and which to-day with us is growing to be a burden of no mean importance. The North and South ponds, as receptacles of our drainage, become mere cesspools on a large scale, where the heavier matter deposits itself, while the lighter in a series of tides finds its way to the sea. Low water exposes the deposits; a summer's continuous sun with a westerly or southerly breeze wafts the odor of the decaying refuse to our streets and homes, each pond rivaling the other in the quantity and quality of offensiveness. This trouble has been of long standing, but its continuous growth by gradual accumulation and increasing sewerage calls our attention to the necessity of active measures for the permanent abatement of the cause of the trouble. Many theories are offered, but nothing tangible attempted toward a satisfactory solution of the question. Our quandary was at first how far to go,—how much to do; should we be warranted in striking to the foundation of the question, and, taking it in its worst form, offer you suggestions that if carried out would at once and probably forever wipe away these nuisances and give us in place two sheets of pure water, beautifying forever our surroundings, and causing by their purity and the undulating nature of their borders such probable erection of residences and improvement of grounds that it would be only a question of time when the expense incurred to-day would prove but nominal to the results attained? Or should we temporize and merely ask you to go far enough to help the case for a few years? Our quandary was of short duration; consultation with some of our prominent citizens, a public meeting in our Council Rooms, and we concluded to carry out the idea which first suggested itself and needed but the support which these gentlemen by their active appreciation of any steps that would accomplish the purpose gave us,—and as the result we offer you at this time the investigations and opinions of an expert in matters of sewerage engineering, of a feasible and we trust not too expensive a nature to find your favor at once, and that in its end, when carried out, will make our city by a thorough system of sanitary rules what it is naturally, one of the most charming of New England resorts. That this system can be carried out at small expense is not to be thought of; we think it is beyond a question of cost; it has become one of vital importance, a question of health and length of life. Our ponds already holding too much of this offensive matter, each year adding an increased proportion, the fatality of sickness in our midst attributed to want of sanitary cleanliness is each year growing more and more alarming, while this year disease has fully developed itself in the vicinity of the South Pond, and a remedy must at once be applied to prevent a large increase annually of kindred complaints. After correspondence with several parties active in projects of this kind, among them Dr. Folsom of Boston, Secretary of the Massachusetts Board of Health, a son of Portsmouth, one who still harbors the good of the old home in his breast, and who, though his advice, has facilitated this case somewhat, we engaged Mr. L. F. Rice, who came to us highly recommended as a gentleman who had had considerable experience in this class of engineering, and who has, we think, faithfully discharged the duties asked of him. His plan and advice which we shall offer you is full of detail, while the profile plan which should have accompanied the grade plan made by Mr. Harris in 1860, will be found to be of the greatest utility in all repairs and labors upon our streets hereafter, and to greatly facilitate the labors of the Street Commissioner. The obstacles against which Mr. Rice has necessarily labored in projecting his plan for sewerage can only be appreciated when we consider the natural difficulties attending an engineering design with the several termini so little above low water mark. We have not thought it necessary to take up your time in a detailed personal report, knowing that the engineer's notes would embrace much more than we could say upon the subject, but in closing we must suggest that you should not be disappointed in finding that first-class sanitary conditions are only to be attained by a corresponding expenditure at the outset. Then if the work is well done we can rely upon its service for a life time,—for a hundred years,—and with the expense properly apportioned or distributed by a bonded debt with a sinking fund, the annual draft need be but small, while we shall each year reap the whole benefit of our investment, by a purer atmosphere, a beautiful city, a charming, annual visitation from abroad, and general happiness. Gentlemen, we offer you the investigations and suggestions of L. Frederick Rice, Esq., as meeting our approval.

WM. E. HADLEY,
CHAS. H. SIDES,
GEO. A. PERKINS, } Committee.

Messrs. Hadley, Sides and Perkins, Committee of Aldermen, Portsmouth, N. H.

Having been employed by you to investigate the question of the disposal of the sewage now being discharged into the North and South Millponds of your city, and the purification of those ponds, I present the following

REPORT.

Although the fact of your appointment to consider the matter would seem to indicate that the necessity of some action was recognized, some remarks upon the general subject of the disposal of refuse matters and their influence upon the public health, may be of interest, and serve to remove the doubts of some who do not yet see the propriety of public expenditure on this account at this time.

The most densely populated portion of your city lies between two ponds, which are formed by damming the outlets of two bays emptying into the Piscataqua River, and which, although filled by the inflowing tide, are slowly emptied through the sluiceways of their respective mills,—and the current through them thereby rendered very sluggish. Into these ponds a number of drains,—open or covered,—public and private'—have for years emptied, and the solid refuse matter brought down by them has gradually accumulated until the depth of water near the outlet of these sewers has been greatly decreased and deposits of decomposing matter formed, that at low tide are exposed to the action of the sun and air. Into these drains or directly into the ponds, several privies are discharging, altho' in violation of a city ordinance.

In order to show the probable effect of such a condition of things, I shall take the liberty of quoting to some length from a treatise on "Filth Diseases and their Prevention," by John Simon, M. D.; F. R. C. S.; Chief Medical Officer of the Privy Council and of the Local Government Board of Great Britain,—printed in 1876 under the direction of the State Board of Health of Massachusetts.

Appended to this treatise is a letter from Dr. Draper, examiner of returns of births, deaths and marriages of the State of Mass., in which he states that during the five years from 1869 to 1873 inclusive, of the total number of deaths in Mass., from *all causes*, those resulting from "zymotic" diseases (i.e. those resulting from fermentive putrifaction) comprised 26 per cent., while if those resulting from acute pulmonary disease and from phthisis are included, the deaths from "preventible" causes represent *one half* the actual total mortality.

Dr. Simon says, (and his remarks apply to Portsmouth, although written for England,) "Among causes which injuriously affect the Public Health * * * certain operate only in particular districts: * * * * while others appear to be of general, perhaps nearly universal operation.

Foremost in the latter class, and constituting therefore in my opinion objects which claim earliest attention in the sanitary government of England, two gigantic evils stand conspicuous.

First, the omission, (whether through neglect or through want of skill) to make due removal of refuse matters, solid and liquid; from inhabited places." "In certain very important cases, immense injury arises through the special facility which certain forms of local uncleanliness provide for the spreading of certain specific infections. * * * Uncleanliness must, I think, without doubt, be reckoned as the deadliest of our present removable causes of disease. In stating this opinion of its fatal influence, I do not refer to its minor degrees, as compared with high standards of cleanliness or chemical purity, but refer chiefly to such degrees as fall within the designation of *Filth*; to degrees which are such as any average man or woman should be disgusted at; such as, eminently, the presence of putrescent refuse matter, solid and fluid, causing nuisance by its effluvia and soakage."

"An important suggestion of modern science with regard to the nature of the operations by which filth, attacking the human body, is able to destroy it, is: that the chief morbific agencies in filth are other than those chemically identified stinking gaseous products of organic decomposition which force themselves on popular attention. * * * The other, and far wider possibilities of mischief which we recognize in filth are such as apparently must be attributed to *morbific ferments* or *contagia*. * * * Of these, the ordinary putrifactive ferments seem always to be present where putrifactive changes are in progress, as in all decaying animal refuse; while others, though not essential, are frequent incidents of our ordinary refuse. As, apparently, it is by these essential and incidental agencies that filth produces "zymotic" (fermentive) diseases, it is important not to confound them with the fœtid gases of organic decomposition; and the question, what infecting powers are prevalent in given atmospheres, should never be regarded as a mere question of stink. It is of the utmost practical importance to recognize in regard to filth, that agents which destroy its stink may yet leave its main power of disease production undiminished.

"There are considerable sections of towns where * * in spaces common to many houses, lies for an indefinite time, undergoing fœtid decomposition, more or less of the putrifiable refuse which house-life, and some sorts of trade-life, produce: excrement of man and brute, and garbage of all sorts, and ponded slop-waters; sometimes lying bare on the common surface * * * sometimes held in receptacles specially provided to favor accumulation, as privy pits and cess-pools. * * * And with this state of things, be it on a large or small scale, two chief sorts of danger to life arise; one that volatile effluvia from the refuse pollute the surrounding air and everything which it contains; the other that the liquid parts of the refuse pass by soakage into the surrounding soil, to mingle in whatever water the soil yields, and in certain cases thus to occasion the deadliest pollution of wells and springs."

"Filth does not only infect where it stands but can transmit its infective power afar by certain appropriate channels of conveyance."

"When an epidemic of typhoid fever has been traced to some gross pollution of air or water, the primary source of such pollution will usually be found under one or more of the following three heads, viz., faults of public sewerage, of indoor water closets and house drains, and of privies.

The public sewerage may be at fault in either of two ways: first in absence of sewers so that slop waters, and other liquid filth, have to pass along public ways either free on the general surface or in open and generally very irregular channels meant only for rain water; secondly in the existence of sewers which in themselves are more or less mischievous. * * * Apparently there is often an assumption that for the mere slop-water of the population, the open wayside gutters which are meant for rain water will suffice. This assumption can only rest on ignorance of what "slop-waters" really are, in respect to the filth which is contained in them; and its wrongness is sufficiently evident to any one who observes how extremely offensive are in general such wayside gutters as are allowed to receive liquid refuse from groups of houses."

"The perfection of cleanliness would be that all refuse matters should from their very beginning pass away inoffensively and continuously; and the principles of approximation to that ideal must evidently be, first to provide to the largest practicable extent for the continuous outflow of refuse as fast as produced, and secondly (so far as continuous outflow cannot be got) to provide for the closest possible innocuousness of such refuse as is unavoidably detained."

"All local authorities collecting refuse matters, have, of course, to dispose of them in way which shall not cause, or shall cause as little as possible, any nuisance in relation either to air or water, and this obligation is urging itself upon the notice of many local authorities as virtually a new problem with regard to the outfalls of liquid refuse." "Evidently the management of sewerage outfalls is a matter for serious consideration; so that on the one hand each inhabited area may best eliminate every sort of fluid refuse which it produces, and that, on the other hand the required prevention of outfall nuisances may be economically, as will as effectually attained."

"My reference to sewers and drains is only in regard to their sanitary results. In proportion as they are skilful or unskilful appliances so they become powerful influences for good or evil; and I would urge the necessity of such works (even though on the smallest scale) being always planned with adequate skill and executed under trustworthy supervision."

An examination of the various sewers in the city of Portsmouth discloses the following state of affairs:

Into the South Pond, near its head, discharge several sewers, which for some hundreds of feet before reaching the pond are mere open ditches in which the sewerage flows with sluggish current across the marsh, exposed to the action of the sun and bearing most odorous testimony to the necessity of a change in their condition. Around their outlets a deposit of soft and stinking mud, (in some cases several feet in depth,) has accumulated and is left uncovered whenever the water is lowered by the daily working of the mill at the lower end of the pond, and from it emanate most offensive odors, to be wafted through the city by every southerly breeze. Toward the outlet of the pond, from the territory lying between it and Pleasant street, there are several private drains,—also some privies which actually overhang the pond.

At the North pond matters are no better. At the head there discharges a sewer which, beginning near the intersection of Cabot and Middle streets, receives the drainage from houses on Union and Madison streets, crosses Cass street, and thence flows as an open ditch to Jones' Brewery. There it receives the washings and other liquid refuse of the Brewery and thence continues as a covered culvert to a point between the Eastern and the Concord railroads. There is a stagnant pool of putrifying matter, perhaps 100 feet in length, choked with old railroad ties and rubbish. The culvert then passes under the Concord railroad and discharges into the head of the pond. Near this point there also enters the pond through culverts and the brook by Eldredge's Brewery, the surface drainage from a large extent of territory.

This is not offensive nor objectionable, but is very intermittent in its action, almost entirely ceasing during long continued absence of rains.

In the upper end of the pond near the points where enter the above mentioned sewer, culverts and brook, there is a considerable accumulation of mud and slime, which by the drawing down of the water is exposed to the intermittent action of the sun, with a result similar to that which has been referred to in the case of the South pond.

In addition, we find that at the foot of Cabot and of Brewster Sts., covered sewers terminate on the easterly side of the Eastern Railroad embankment, and the sewage brought down by them, overflowing considerable areas of low ground, forms stagnant pools of putrifying matter, and then has to meander quite a distance before it finds its way, through culverts beneath the railroad, into the pond.

These spots are quite as bad as if not worse, than any that have been before alluded to, and it would seem as though they must render their vicinity almost unfit for human habitation.

A considerable deposit has also accumulated around the outlet of the Bridge St. sewer, which at a low stage of the water is quite offensive.

It is evident that any continuation of the sewers into the deeper water of either of the ponds would be simply a postponement of the day of reckoning which must surely come ultimately.

So long as the ponds are used for mill purposes it will be impossible to maintain a current of sufficient velocity to remove the objectionable matter brought down by the sewers, and it must, by its accumulation and decomposition, continue to generate offensive and pestilential gases.

It would therefore seem that the course contemplated in the order under which you are acting, namely, to "continue the sewers to such a distance toward low water mark that they will be prevented from depositing on the shores of the ponds," is the only practicable course to be pursued.

It is for you to decide what is the best manner of doing this. All the existing sewers serve to convey more or less of the rain water which falls upon the surface, as well as the house drainage, or sewage proper, and a complete system would dispose of all not lost by evaporation or by passing away through underground channels. To ascertain approximately the areas which would naturally drain into the various sewers, I have prepared a map of the city, hereunto appended, which will show at a glance the various inequalities of surface of the ground, the height of any point above Mean Low Water, the ridges separating the various drainage areas, and the relative extent of those areas. In the preparation of this map I have been greatly assisted by the notes of the apparently very comprehensive and careful survey of the city made in 1860 by Mr. Robert Harris, C. E. By vote of the city government 31st Dec., 1860, the grades as determined and recommended by Mr. Harris were adopted as the established grades,—and I have therefore assumed them to correctly represent the present surface of the streets. By reference to this map it will be seen that the Bridge street sewer and its branches drain an area of about thirty-four acres in extent, —the Brewster street sewer 13—and that in Cabot street 17,—while the valley which must discharge its surface water through the culvert by Jones' brewery is more than 100 acres in area.

During one year the average total rainfall in the New England States is between forty and fifty inches in depth over the entire surface, but it is not infrequently the case that quite large proportions of this total will fall in a comparatively short time.

A rainfall of 2 to 3 inches during twenty-four hours is no rarity, and instances are frequent where the fall is an inch or more within a single hour.

Of course a very considerable portion of this is lost by evaporation, or passes off by soakage under ground, and never enters the sewers, but as the population becomes more dense, and the ground more closely covered with buildings, sidewalks and pavements, this proportion is lessened and the duties of the sewers increased. A rainfall of one inch per hour would amount to 3630 cubic feet per hour for each acre of area, or 60 1-2 cubic feet per minute.

This, upon the 34 acres naturally draining through the Bridge street sewer, would amount to 2057 cubic feet, or 15387 U. S. Standard gallons per minute, and if we were to assume that on account of soakage into the ground, evaporation, non-extent of sewers or any other causes, only one-tenth of this amount would reach the sewers during the time of falling, it would require a velocity of flow of nearly 4 1-2 feet per second, or 270 feet per minute through a pipe of 12 inches diameter, to remove it.

We can readily see that to receive and convey all the surface water that might flow through the sewers now emptying into the North Pond, (covering a territory of nearly 200 acres) a sewer would be needed of such magnitude that its cost would utterly preclude its construction by your city. But such a sewer is not necessary in this case. At ordinary times the amount of surface water flowing in the sewers is but slight, and the amount of house drainage, which ordinarily forms the bulk of the sewage, so little that very small sewers relatively, would suffice to convey it. Assuming that a population of 1200 persons passed into the sewers 60 gallons of liquid sewage each, and that two-thirds of this was during ten hours, the entire amount would be readily conveyed away by a pipe of 12 inches diameter, laid with a fall of one foot in 450. It is therefore proposed to construct sewers from the head of each pond, intercepting the present sewers before they enter the ponds, and discharging into the river at about low water mark, these sewers to be of size sufficient to carry the ordinary flow of sewage. At the points of intersection overflow basins should be built, from which, when the volume of flow is increased by the water of storms and the sewage thereby greatly diluted and consequently rendered less offensive, the surplus over and above the capacity of the intercepting sewer, may flow directly into the ponds. This would take place at intervals so long that no objection would exist to such action.

As the outlets of intercepting sewers will be covered at high tide, it will be necessary to provide tide gates to keep the water of the river out. The action of these sewers must of necessity be intermittent,—the sewage accumulating in them during flood tides, and being discharged during the ebb. Should this accumulation amount to more than the capacity of the sewers, the overflow basins will permit discharge into the ponds. Possibly, by reason of this intermittent action and the low rate of fall that must of necessity be adopted in these sewers, some deposit of the more solid portions of the sewage may take place within the sewers while there is no flow. If this should not be removed upon the resumption of the action of the sewer, small reservoirs might be constructed, which being filled from the ponds at high tide, or by connection with streams, could be discharged into the sewers whenever desired, and by the flushing action of the water carry out the deposit. Or, as has been done in some locations, movable tanks could be used for the same purpose, being emptied into the sewers at any point where the stoppage occurred. For convenience of examination and for flushing, man-holes should be built at suitable intervals. The sewers being constructed perfectly straight and with a uniform rate of fall between any two of these manholes, a man descending into one while a lantern was lowered into the other, any deposit existing between them could be readily discovered, and removed at once by flushing.

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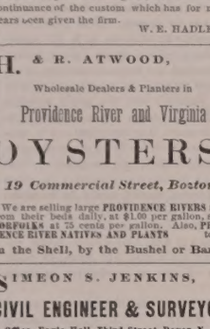

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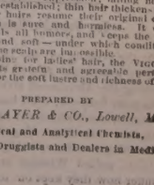

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Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 1877.

Safe Life Insurance.

The hostile investigations into life insurance and the collapse of so many unsound insurance companies are directly favorable to sound and strong companies. The managers of these must often have been annoyed, at the conduct of competitors who have striven to get business from them by underbidding, offering insurance for less than its cost and making reckless investments of the proceeds of this course. The managers of the great companies who have managed them with caution and conservatism, refusing to tempt customers by offering bargains which could not surely be carried out and to make "promising" and precarious investments, have now their reward. We print to-day the result of the official examination of the New York Life. It is evident that a severer test could not be applied to an insurance company than the careful appraisal of all its assets at their present market value. This test applied to the New York Life shows a surplus of about $6,000,000, or nearly one-fifth of the whole "admitted assets" of the company; which seems remarkable in view of the great depreciation since many of the company's investments were made. The table of stocks and bonds is particularly interesting and creditable. A total advance of ten per cent. over cost price in any list of permanent investments at this time is an evidence of unusual foresight and sagacity.

News and Notes.

Sir Edward Thornton goes as British Minister to Madrid, and will be succeeded at Washington by Hon. Lionel Sackville West, brother and heir presumptive of Lord Sackville, now British Minister at Buenos Ayres.

A joint resolution has been offered in the House of Representatives, by Mr. Riddle, of Tennessee, proposing an amendment to the constitution for the election of postmasters every four years, by the voters of the district, village, town or city, in which the duties of their offices are to be performed. The resolution was referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Billy Pastor, the minstrel, who died a few days ago, was the latest possessor of the famous emerald, known as "the gravestone," which superstitious actors believe causes the death of every one who wears it. It is certainly a curious circumstance that every recent owner of this handsome stone has died soon after coming into possession of it.

A Liverpool man, after lighting his cigar on the street, dropped the burning match through a sewer grating. Instantly a deafening explosion ensued, the pavement was torn to pieces and flames burst out. He had ignited a quantity of sewer gas, which continued burning for a long time.

Henry Norfolk, on trial for the murder of his wife, near Friendship, Md., in May last, was convicted of murder in the first degree. It may be explained that they had three children, all girls, and he killed her because they were not boys.

A Maryland bride, forty years old, went off in a spasm just as the important words were to be spoken, and was taken from the church to the insane asylum a raving maniac.

The pianos and organs used in the public schools of Boston, as well as those of many families, are tuned by blind pupils from the Perkin's Institute, who are found to be capable of peculiar skill in that occupation. Their lack of sight makes them more dependent on hearing, and the latter sense thereby gains in delicacy.

Professor—"In one evening I counted twenty-seven meteors sitting on my piazza." Class expresses great astonishment at the sociable character of the heavenly bodies.

There are three thousand people employed at Stewart's store, corner of Broadway and Tenth street. They have an immense loft, furnished with long lines of tables, at which are served tea and coffee for the clerks at lunch time, the clerks bringing their own lunch to take with their tea and coffee. These tables accommodate 500 at one time.

Mysterious lights have recently been seen on the coast of Wales. They seemed to rise from the sea and flash about in an erratic manner, and no one can understand them. As far back as the fifteenth century they were observed, and in the seventeenth century they became so bold as to land for a while and burn a field of hay. The tints of the flames are various.

New Hampshire Items.

On the evening of the 1st., as C. B. Rogers and a man named Wheeler were crossing the Merrimack river about one mile from Suncook, their boat sank and left them, one with an oar and the other with two umbrellas. Rogers succeeded in reaching the shore, and getting another boat, pulled Wheeler in. It was a wonder how they kept on top of water, for they both had on heavy ulsters, and it was in the middle of the river that their boat went down.

The reports concerning wheat-raising n this State this year are all one way and very favorable. Comer Paddleford of North Monroe gathers 100 bushels from 2 1-3 acres. In Stratham Enoch M. C. Lane has harvested 42 1-2 bushels from one bushel and a half of sowing. George Jenkins of Campton gets 56 bushels from 3 1-2 bushels, and A. Roble of the same town from an equal sowing gets 55 bushels, both crops very nice wheat. These Campton reports are strong arguments in favor of wheat raising on our upland farms. In Croydon, William W. Partridge has raised 30 bushels to the acre, and Welcome W. Partridge of the same town has raised 64 bushels on 290 rods of land. The wheat crop in the entire State must be large.

The Grand Jury, November term, of the Grafton County Supreme Court have returned thirty-five indictments. Scales and Clark, the men, who stole the wool from James W. Johnson, did not contend. The former was sentenced to ten years and the latter, who pleaded poverty as the cause of his crime, to eight years at hard labor. Both pay the costs of the trial.

The northern accommodation train on the Northern Railroad ran into the rear of a freight train at West Canaan, on Tuesday, creating a smash which required several hours' labor to clear up. Nobody was injured.

A few days ago, while removing the coal camp at Raymond, formerly occupied by the late David L. Magoon, who was found guilty of poisoning his wife by strychnine, a box was found under the brush in the camp which contained the body of a child and a bottle of strychnine. An investigation is to take place.

David W. Bowman of Herniker committed suicide Thursday evening about seven o'clock by cutting his throat. He attempted to hang himself early in the evening, but was discovered by his wife. Cause not known. Mr. Bowman was a farmer and in comfortable circumstances. Nothing unusual had been noticed in his appearance.

The Carroll County Five-cent Savings Bank at Wolfeboro is to be placed in the hands of a receiver, who has not yet been designated. There is a large deficiency between the liabilities and the assets, besides a shrinkage upon the securities.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Portsmouth, Nov. 7, 1877.

All debts due the above-named firm are to be paid by, and all bills against the firm to be presented for settlement to, the undersigned, who is authorized to settle the business of the late firm.

GEORGE E. STACKPOLE.

Portsmouth, Nov. 10, 1877.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.*	P. M.	
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:35	
Concord Way,		4:35	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:35	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:35	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4 *8 10:35	5:50
Boston Way,	10:35	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

THE CITY.

Dr. Robert W. Hooper of Boston has resigned the office of Director of the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad, and George E. B. Jackson has been elected to fill the vacancy.

The following is the last monthly school report: District No. 1—whole number in attendance, 512; boys, 256; girls, 256. District No. 2—whole number, 493; boys, 235; girls, 258. District No. 3—whole number, 377; boys, 208; girls, 169. District No. 4—whole number, 135; boys, 72; girls, 63. Total in attendance, 1517; boys, 762; girls, 755.

Miss Susan Hale is evidently going to receive a hearty welcome. A hundred tickets were sold on the first announcement of her new entertainment, but a few more may be found at Mr. Myers' bookstore; they will be soon all gone. Entertainment on Wednesday evening at Miss Morgan's school, commencing at eight o'clock precisely.

Hartz, the famous magician, whose marvelous performances have gained for him a world-wide reputation, will be here Thanksgiving week. The Lowell *Courier* speaks of him as follows: "His feats are certainly wonderful. No magician or illusionist has ever appeared in our city with a more bewildering series of seemingly impossible tricks than he."

A new time table on the Eastern Railroad goes into effect this morning. The only change effecting local trains is that the mail train leaves Portsmouth at 10:57 A. M., instead of 11:05, as previously. This train reaches Boston at half-past one P. M.

The announcement that Rev. Mr. DeNormandie of the Unitarian Church would preach on Sunday upon the subject of damnation, brought out a full congregation. The pastor's text was from Luke 20:46-47, and the sermon went to prove that the word damnation used more frequently by Paul, than by any other writer in the Scriptures, meant judgment. The sermon was attentively listened to by the audience, and was one of the ablest expositions of the reverend preacher. He announced that on next Sunday he should preach upon the subject "what it is to be saved."

SUPREME COURT--5TH WEEK.

The jury in the case Lamprey vs. Donacour, tried on Friday, agreed on a verdict at about nine o'clock Friday evening, and then separated,—the verdict to be announced at the coming in of the Court this morning.

The following additional jurors, not before reported, are in attendance: Frank B. Johnson, John Halloran, Ward One, Portsmouth; John W. Ladd, Raymond; John C. Hanson, South Newmarket; Shadrach Drew, Thomas Conner, Exeter.

NO INSTRUCTIONS.

The fire department on the navy yard is kept in a high state of efficiency, and the "fire-bill" gives every resident officer a position and specified duty. To the marine corps is naturally assigned the responsible duty of keeping guard, and the hook and ladder truck is also in charge of the marines. The hours of labor have been recently changed on the yard, the knock-off bell for dinner ringing at 11:30 A. M. instead of at noon as formerly; and the first time it was so rung a detachment of the marines came tearing down the yard with the hook and ladder truck, under the impression that they were running to a fire, while the commanding officer of the corps made most astonishing time along the walks toward his assigned position. As the commander hurried past another one of the yard officers, the latter, divining the misapprehension which had occurred, called out, "Colonel, Colonel! There isn't any fire—it's only the go-to-dinner bell!" But the hurrying officer merely waved his hand, replied "Had no instructions," in a tone that implied that only death or an official order could stop him till he arrived at his post, and kept on with unchecked speed until he got there. The marine section of the navy yard fire department was ahead of all the rest of it, that day, but it does not turn out any more at the sound of the 11:30 bell, so the needed instructions have probably been served out.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, Nov. 10th.

Jefferson Janvrin, of Hampton Falls, was arraigned for cruelty to animals, in having beaten ducks. Judge Batchelder quashed the first complaint, on the ground that it was not complete. Mr. Janvrin was immediately brought up on another complaint, which the Court held to be good, and Mr. Janvrin was ordered to pay a fine of $10, and costs of prosecution, from which sentence he appealed, and gave bonds in $100 for his appearance. [A complaint against Mr. Janvrin, founded on this same alleged "cruel beating, torturing, tormenting, wounding, mutilating and killing" of a "certain number of ducks, to wit, six ducks," was quashed before the Supreme Court on Monday of last week, on the score of the information in the complaint being insufficient.]

COMICAL CHARITY.

The New York *Sun* of Thursday says: "The will of Mrs. Caroline A. Merrill, widow of Nathaniel W. Merrill, who died in this city leaving an estate of about $100,000, was filed yesterday in the Surrogate's Court. Mrs. Merrill bequeaths $5,000 to St. Vincent's Hospital, $5,000 to the Athenæum in Portsmouth, N. H., $10,000 to a niece and nephew, and the residue to Cardinal McCloskey, with the proviso that, should the Cardinal die before her, then the bequest was to go to Chancellor Preston." The *Tribune's* account is a little different, it reading as follows: "The will of Caroline A. Merrill leaves $50,000 to the New York Hospital, $5000 to St. Vincent's Hospital, $2000 to the Portsmouth, N. H. Athenæum and $50,000 to Cardinal McCloskey. To her nephew and niece she gives $5000 each. All the rest of the property is given to Cardinal McCloskey. The estate is valued at $400,000." Who Mrs. Caroline A. Merrill was is not stated, but if she intended her bequest to a Portsmouth institution as a charitable gift, she would have done far better to have given it to the Old Ladies' Home under Mr. Loyne's superintendence, to the Children's Home under the supervision of the Episcopal church, or some one of the many other excellent charitable institutions of the city, than to the wealthy and "exclusive" Athenæum.

The *Sun* of Saturday says the relatives of Mrs. Merrill will contest the will which gives the bulk of the $400,000 she left to the Catholic church, on the ground that undue influence was exerted to induce her to make that disposition of it, and that she was not mentally qualified to make a will at the time the document was executed, nor ever afterward until her death, which was hastened by the use of strong liquors. The New York Hospital governors will make no attempt to secure the admission of the will to probate, though the Hospital is remembered in the will to the extent of $50,000. It is asserted that she was always an Episcopalian until about 1870, when being travelling in Europe, much enfeebled in body and in mind, she was persuaded by emissaries from Rome that she would be restored to health if she willed her property to the Romish church. She was a native of this city, and was received into the Catholic church here by Rev. Canon Walsh.

The *World* of Saturday says Mrs. Merrill is "the widow of the late Nathaniel W. Merrill of Portsmouth, N. H.," formerly of the firm of Taylor & Merrill of New York. "The contestants of the will are the nephews and nieces of Mrs. Merrill, she having left no nearer kin. They are seventeen in number, as follows: Wm. T. Salter, Orange, N. Y.; Mary T. Salter and Augusta P. Salter, Portsmouth, N. H.; Augusta L. Tibbetts, Durham, N. H.; Caroline S. Delgardo, Madrid, Spain; Geo. Merrill, Paris; Richard Tibbetts, Mexico; Geo. H. Salter, Albert E. Salter, Mary Key Porter, Harriet S. Howard, Anna Salter, Ellen E. Buchanan, Robert E. Tibbetts, Geo. W. Tibbetts, Augustus Tibbetts and Jane J. Thomas." The *World* places the bequest to the Athenæum at $200 instead of $2000.

SANITARY COMMITTEE'S REPORT.

[Concluded from last issue.]

To prevent gravel and other street wash from being carried into the intercepting sewer, silt or catch basins should be built at the lower ends of the old sewers, in which the gravel would collect and might be removed from time to time, allowing only the lighter matters held in suspension to pass along. A silt basin and an overflow basin could easily be combined into one structure.

It is proposed that the intercepting sewers shall be built of glazed stoneware pipe whenever practicable, that material being, by reason of its strength, durability, non-absorption of liquids and glassy surface, the best available for such a purpose.

The following is presented as a somewhat detailed description of the proposed intercepting sewers:

FOR THE NORTH POND.

Beginning at a point between the Eastern and Concord railroads, near the present outlet of the culvert from Jones's brewery, construct a silt basin with overflow at about grade nine feet above mean low water, or about the ordinary height of the surface of the water in the culvert at that point. From the Eldredge brewery lay a 6-inch stoneware pipe to this silt basin,—also receive into it the flow of the culvert from Jones's brewery. From the silt basin to a point near the present end of the Cabot street sewer, lay a 12-inch stoneware pipe, about 1620 feet long, with the upper end at grade 9 and falling one foot in each 450 feet of length. This pipe to be laid between the tracks of the two railroads, where the ground is lowest, in order to save excavation, and to have four man holes and four lamp holes located at about equal distances. [Lamp holes are merely vertical pipes from the sewer to the surface of the ground, through which, as is indicated by the name, a lantern may be lowered to facilitate examination from an adjacent man hole.]

Continue the Cabot street sewer across the track of the Eastern railroad, and construct a silt basin and overflow, with a 12-inch pipe connecting with the intercepting sewer. From thence lay a 15-inch stoneware pipe about 820 feet long, with a fall of one foot in 600. This to continue between the tracks of the two railroads to a point near the foot of Langdon street,—there crossing obliquely to the low ground on the easterly side of the Eastern railroad, and thence parallel to said railroad to the foot of Brewster street. To have two man-holes and two lamp-holes at the angles and at uniform distances along the straight portion, as indicated upon the map.

Continue the Cabot street sewer to the line of the intercepting sewer and there construct a silt basin with its overflow continued across the railroads to the ponds, and a 12-inch pipe leading from the basin to the intercepting sewer. Thence lay an 18-inch stoneware pipe about 810 feet long and falling one foot in 700. To be parallel to the railroad to a point about one hundred and fifty feet south of the Concord Railroad station, and there deflect to the left to a point between the track of the two railroads near where the present Bridge street sewer passes beneath. This part to have two man-holes and two lamp-holes. Near the last named point build a silt basin with overflow to the pond. The silt basin to receive the Bridge street sewer and to have an 18-inch pipe connection with the intercepting sewer.

From thence build a brick sewer of 24 inches diameter and about 1650 feet long, with a fall of one foot in 1200, running diagonally across the railroad tracks to the southwest corner of the Eastern railroad station,—then as nearly straight as may be to the lower end of Vaughan street (passing under vacant lots and between buildings), thence along the low ground and nearly parallel to the shore line, to the bulkhead of the C. & P. railroad wharf, where will be built an outfall chamber, with self-acting tide gate to prevent the inflow from the river at high tide. The outlet to be below low water mark. This brick portion of the sewer to have three man-holes and three lamp-holes.

FOR THE SOUTH POND.

Beginning at a point in rear of the southerly houses on the east side of Richards Avenue, lay a 6-inch stoneware pipe extending northward about 500 feet until it reaches the end of the present covered sewer from Summer street. To have two man-holes and one lamp-hole and to be laid with as great a rate of fall as can be obtained. This is to receive the house drainage from Richards Avenue.

From the point of junction with the Summer street sewer lay a 12 inch stoneware pipe extending northeasterly about 150 feet, with a rate of fall of one in 300. This pipe to receive the flow from the present Peirce street sewer through a 12-inch branch pipe about 200 feet long with a lamp-hole at its upper end. These two pipes to enter a silt basin and overflow, from which a 15-inch stoneware pipe is laid, with a fall of one in 400, to a point in rear of the court house. The Mark street sewer is prolonged as a 12-inch pipe to the foot of Rogers street, uniting there with the old sewer and the two having a silt basin and overflow in common, from which a 12-inch pipe communicates with the intercepting sewer. The Court House sewer is also continued as a 12-inch pipe to a silt and overflow basin, and thence into the intercepting sewer. All these various 12-inch pipes have lamp-holes at their upper ends, and the 15-inch pipe has in its 900 feet of length, three man-holes and two lamp-holes.

From the man-hole at the lower end of this 15-inch pipe lay an 18-inch stoneware pipe about 850 feet long, with a fall of 1 in 450, to a point on Washington street near the head of Puddle Dock, — at which point the old Washington street sewer will enter it, passing through a silt basin with an overflow into the dock. In this length of 850 feet will be two man-holes and one lamp-hole.

At the man-hole located near the Pleasant street or Universalist church will be received a 6-inch pipe sewer which begins at the foot of Livermore street, extends thence to the foot of Edwards street and thence to said man-hole.

From the man-hole on Washington street lay a 24-inch brick sewer about 1100 feet long, (with a fall of 1 in 1000.) along the shore-line of the dock, through Charles street to Water street, and thence to the bulkhead of Melcher and Salter's wharf, where it will discharge through an outlet chamber with tide gate into the river below low water mark. This brick sewer is to have two man-holes and one lamp-hole.

In addition to the sewer just described, and supplementary to it in the duty of keeping sewage from entering the South Pond, it is proposed to lay a 6-inch stoneware pipe, starting from the foot of Wentworth street and extending easterly along the shore line of the pond, (with a fall of 1 in 100,) a distance of about 1100 feet, through South Mill street, crossing the ship yard and discharging into the river below low water mark. This 6-inch pipe should have two man-holes and two lamp-holes, but will probably not require a tide-gate.

I estimate that these intercepting sewers can be built, (at present prices of labor and materials,) in the manner herein described for the following amounts:

For the North Pond.....$8,600
For the South Pond.....8,300

Total.....$16,900

Having thus provided for maintaining the purity of the ponds in the future, we will now turn our attention to the removal of the noxious matter already there.

Firstly, the filthy pools at the foot of Cabot and Brewster streets should be filled in with unobjectionable material, and so ditched and connected with the culverts under the railroads or with the intercepting ewer, that no surface water can collect or remain there. This filling should be made with clean gravel, ashes, or other imperishable material. The low spots near the upper end of the proposed North sewer should also be filled in a similar manner. The deposits of soft and putrid mud in both ponds should then be dredged out to such a depth that no portion of the bottom shall ever be uncovered by the ordinary operations of the mills.

It being a matter of considerable interest (as bearing upon the question of the best manner of disposing of the material dredged from the ponds) to know something of its composition and properties, I took samples of the mud from each pond and placed them in the hands of Prof. W. Ripley Nichols, of the Mass. Institute of Technology, for chemical analysis. His letter communicating the result of the analysis is hereunto appended.

As it would appear that the mud has no special value as a fertilizer, I would propose that for the South Pond it be deposited upon the shore thereof, and that from it an embankment or levee be constructed, by means of which the overflow of the marsh from Edwards street to Richards Avenue may be prevented at all states of the tide, and the enclosed land thereby reclaimed and rendered productive and of value. If the exposure to the rains, which Prof. Nichols suggests, should not prove sufficient to deodorize the material, a light covering of loam or gravel could be spread over it, which would effectually do so. If this embankment were to be built over the line of the proposed sewer, it might be enlarged and become a portion of the grading for a street to extend nearly parallel to Court street from Richards Avenue to the Universalist church.

I would suggest that the material from the North Pond be similarly deposited on low land bordering thereon, or that it might be utilized to some extent upon the city farm. Or, if the gates at the mill are of sufficient capacity to pass a scow, the mud might be taken out into the swift current of the river and there dumped.

I estimate that to remove the necessary amount of mud from the two ponds and satisfactorily dispose of the same, will cost about $2000, while for the filling near the foot of Brewster and Cabot streets an expenditure of $500 would probably suffice.

Respectfully,

L. FRED'K RICE, Civ. Eng'r.

BOSTON, NOV. 3, 1877.

L. Fred'k Rice, Esq.—Dear Sir: I received from you on the 29th ult. two specimens of mud for chemical examination. The nature of the material is such that it would be very difficult to give a close average composition of the whole mass of the mud, but as fair samples as I could take gave the following results:

Moisture—No. 1, 51 per cent.; No. 2, 45 per cent.

Organic Matter—No. 1, 7 per cent.; No. 2, 5 per cent.

Mineral Matter—No. 1, 42 per cent. (soluble in acid, 9; insoluble in acid, 33). No. 2, 50 per cent. (soluble in acid, 8; insoluble in acid, 42.

The specific gravity of the wet mud was in each case 1.4, so that the cubic foot of mud, as I received the samples, would weigh 87.5 pounds. I found that the mud treated with acid gave off twenty-five per cent. of sulphuretted hydrogen by weight, or from every cubic foot of the mud there would be disengaged two and three-tenths cubic feet of sulphuretted hydroden. The two samples were substantially the same in this respect.

I also found the amount of chloride of sodium (sea-salt) in the muds to be as follows: In No. 1, one per cent. and in No. 2, one-half per cent. of the wet mud. I noted that the muds contained considerable iron and sulphate of lime, and am of the opinion that the spreading of a quantity of the material upon the land in warm weather should be objected to on sanitary grounds. Even in cold weather there would probably be some offense.

As far as injury to the land itself goes, I should think that if the mud were spread this fall and the ground was such as to afford reasonable opportunity for the rain and snow water to leach through the deposit, most of what would be injurious would be washed out before another summer. I should think that it might well be harrowed in and sown upon in the spring. Of course what is now growing would be killed by the application.

Yours truly, WM. RIPLEY NICHOLS.

REPORT

—OF THE—

SUPERINTENDENT OF THE INSURANCE DEPARTMENT

Of the State of New York,

ON THE EXAMINATION OF THE

New York Life Insurance Co

OF NEW YORK CITY.

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT,

Albany, October 24th, 1877.

The Superintendent having personally, and through the services of the Deputy Superintendent, aided by the force of the Department, commenced and completed a searching examination into the affairs of the NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY of the City of New York, it affords him unqualified pleasure at being able to announce and make public the gratifying fact that the result of this examination is most satisfactory, and that, from the data in possession of the Department, the solvency of this, or other companies undergoing a similar test, can be readily ascertained, at little expense, for many years to come.

This Company was organized in 1845, and no investigation having been made, either by the Department or other properly constituted public authority, prior to the date when the Department was formed, much time has necessarily been expended to bring the matter to a conclusion.

The services of four one gentlemen of character, standing, and experience, have been procured, who have valued and appraised the property situated in forty counties in this State and in the State of New Jersey, covered by 2,629 mortgages amounting to the sum of $17,354,847.84, and forty-nine pieces of property owned by the Company, amounting in value to the sum of $2,541,576.46; which services have been intelligently and efficiently performed. The abstracts of title to each and every piece of these large amounts of property have been closely examined and reported on to the satisfaction of the Superintendent. All other investments, amounting to $10,311,045.67, have been carefully looked into, and evidence of payment by the Company, either by check or otherwise, for such investments, demanded and given, although many of these payments were made twenty years ago. The cash securities of the Company, the cost of which on the books amounts to $9,730,929.91, are of the most unexceptionable character, and are worth $589,515.76 more than cost.

The Superintendent personally examined these securities, taking the letter, number, and denomination of each security, and preserving the record of the same in the Department. In every instance where securities had depreciated in value, such depreciation had been promptly charged to profit and loss account, and all items of doubtful character had been stricken off by the Company from its assets, and omitted from its reports. Complete seriatim lists of policies, premium loans, and uncollected and deferred premiums have been made, and are on file in the Department.

LIABILITIES.

Every item of liability, real and actual, or contingent, are sworn to by the officers in the last Annual Report made to the Department, a copy of which is herein embraced, has been closely scrutinized, and the statements in said report found to be true to the letter, and no other liabilities were found to exist.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The different Departments—Medical, Actuarial and Agency—have been reviewed, with the most satisfactory results—gentlemen entirely competent and assiduous having been found in charge of each branch, to whose conduct and performance or their duties much is due.

Agents collecting funds of the Company at different points are held to a rigid accountability, remittances being required at the larger points tri-weekly, while at the smallest points settlements are not allowed to be delayed longer than one week. Bonds are required where the sums handled are sufficient to justify the same.

The system of book-keeping adopted by the Company, after many years of experience, seems to be perfect,—the checks by one division on another being so complete, that no wrong can be done to policy-holders by false entries of any kind short of wide-spread collusion among many employes, all of whom were found to be ex remely courteous, and, acting under instructions from the principal officers of the Company, were prompt in furnishing full information as to every detail.

Judged by the hardest test that could be applied under the law, and with every doubtful item eliminated from their resources, the net surplus, as shown by the detailed statement of this Company, which follows, amounts to $5,962,878.79.

This exhibit clearly established the fact that where a Life Insurance Company is honestly, ably and prudently managed, there is no occasion to force a showing of solvency by including in its assets prospective value of real estate, and excesses of premium payments to be received.

For the reasons above given the Superintendent has no hesitation in stating that this great Corporation is entitled to public confidence and its officers to his warmest commendation.

ASSETS.

Real Estate		$2,473,087.50
Bonds and Mortgages		17,205,232.84
Stocks, Bonds, etc., owned by the Company:		
	Cost Value.	*Market Value.*
Merchants Bank, N. Y., stock	$15,758.75	$18,180.00
Bank of America, N. Y., stock	8,464.00	10,164.00
Bank of the Republic, N. Y., stock	1,476.00	1,476.00
American Exchange Bank, N. Y., stock	10,125.00	10,500.00
Metropolitan Bank, N. Y., stock	5,581.25	6,400.00
United States Bonds	3,792,121.97	3,892,763.34
Central Park Loan	25,243.75	26,750.00
Delaware and Hudson Canal Co., stock	41,866.00	44,800.00
Delaware and Hudson Canal Co., bonds	409,098.06	400,000.00
New York Street-Opening bonds	549,867.10	576,110.00
New York County Bounty bonds	41,104.00	42,000.00
New York City consolidated bonds	645,509.25	745,875.00
New York County consolidated bonds	115,928.75	131,625.00
New York City (Morrisania & West Farms) bonds	80,000.00	60,000.00
New York Central and Hudson River R. R. bonds	1,019,382.50	1,179,000.00
New York and Harlem R. R. bonds	1,074,075.00	1,178,353.33
Brooklyn City bonds	985,144.80	1,024,700.00
Jersey City bonds	447,425.00	450,000.00
Yonkers Town bonds	128,429.16	183,700.00
Newark City bonds	179,875.00	131,210.00
Fusiling Water bonds	77,920.00	80,000.00
Rensselaer and Saratoga R. R. bonds	9,719.92	10,155.00
Kastchester bonds	5,000.00	5,000.00
Richmond City bonds	46,200.00	56,000.00
Tennessee bonds	8,000.00	8,000.00
Georgia bonds	2,730.00	3,360.00
Alabama bonds	17,840.00	15,800.00
South Carolina bonds	8,900.00	8,500.00
Mississippi warrants	15,283.71	20,000.00
Total	$9,730,929.91	$10,311,045.67	10,311,045.67
Premium Notes and Loans		$781,585.39
Cash in Banks and Trust Companies		1,427,933.18
Interest due and accrued on Bonds and Mortgages		22,[illegible]2.73
Interest due and accrued on Stocks and Bonds		42,[illegible]0.39
Interest due and accrued on Premium Notes and Loans		25,[illegible]0.37
Rents due and accrued		8,476.17
Premiums due and unreported		
Premiums deferred	$125,027.15	
	432,495.40	
Total	$557,522.55	
Deduct 20 per cent. estimated cost of collecting above	111,504.51	
Net amount		$446,178.04
Total admitted Assets		$33,915,621.80

ITEMS NOT ADMITTED:

Agents' Balances	$36,154.19	
Cost value of Real estate over present appraised values	69,48[illegible].96	
Loans on Mortgage in excess of present value	149,[illegible]5.00	
Total		$254,248.15
Total Gross Assets		**$33,199,869.45**

LIABILITIES.

Death Losses and Matured Endowments not due	$418,[illegible]93.19
Death Losses and Claims resisted	57,200.00
Premiums paid in advance	1,[illegible]058.23
Estimated liability on Lapsed Policies	10,000.00
Net Re-insurance Reserve	26,440,111.00
Total Liabilities	$26,982,742.51
Surplus as regards policy-holders, on the basis of admitted assets as determined by this report	$5,962,878.79
Surplus as regards policy-holders on the basis of total assets, as reported by the Company	$6,217,126.94
Estimated Surplus of Tontine policy-holders included in the above	$ 517,504.84

JOHN F. SMYTH, Superintendent.

Portsmouth Chronicle

—"That Umbrella of Mine?" It was last heard of going down street, being held over "That Girl of Mine" by "That Rival of Mine."

—A small Parisian, having returned with his nurse from the park, is asked by his fond pa what he will be when he grows up. "A soldier," he says, with conviction. "A hussar?" pursues his parent. "No." "Artillery-man?" "No." "An infantry-man?" "No." "Well, what kind of a soldier will you be?" "A soldier for nursemaids."

—When Mrs. Scott Siddons was in Providence a year ago last February, Mrs. Ettie Henderson loaned her a very valuable album to get her signature. The album was subsequently missing, and it was supposed that some one of the many who visited her had taken it away by mistake. Mrs. Siddons recently sent the book to Mrs. Henderson from Sidney, New South Wales. She found it packed away in a small box with some books of "Iolanthe," a character which she had never played since she was in Providence.

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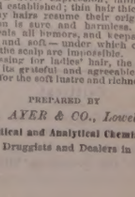

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The London *News* correspondent telegraphing from Dolny Dubnik, Nov. 6th, says: "In consequence of the evacuation of this place by the Turks the Russians have contracted the circle of investment to thirty miles. The Russians have 120,000 men, sufficient to fill two continuous lines of trenches around the whole position. Five or six thousand cattle are visible in Osman Pasha's position, and other indications show it is probable that he can hold out thirty or forty days longer."

A Russian official despatch says: "A cavalry detachment captured Vratza, half way between Plevna and Sofia, Friday, with several thousand wagons and a large quantity of stores. The attack was so sudden that our loss was small, though the place was defended by 800 Turkish infantry and 300 Circassians."

The Russians were defeated in the last fight before Erzeroum.

News and Notes.

The French Chamber of Deputies organized on Sunday by the choice of Jules Grevy as President, by 299 votes against 150 blanks. The former Vice President and Secretaries were re-elected.

Stanley, the African explorer, has arrived at the Cape of Good Hope.

Mr. J. B. Lawes, writing to the London *Times*, estimates that the whole crops of 1877 produced in England will not exceed 10,000,000 quarters, leaving as much as 13,000,000 quarters to be imported, unless the high price of wheat should somewhat reduce the average demand—an alternative which he thinks rather the more probable of the two. In any case, however, very considerably more than half the bread of England must this year come from abroad.

The quarrel between the Canada Southeastern Railroad and the Passaumpsic of northern Vermont continues. Arrests and counter-arrests are made, but the track of the Passumpsic is not relaid.

Four little boys, children of Joseph Ends of Pittsburg, Pa., during the absence of their parents Friday night, playfully emptied the contents of a kerosene can into the grate. Three of the little fellows were seriously burned, one of whom has since died.

At Columbia, Ill., Henry Goetz and his wife were murdered and their house was pillaged. Charles Strahl was arrested at St. Louis as the murderer, taken to Columbia and lynched by the citizens.

There was a big fire in Kennebuckport, Me., Sunday night. The post-office, Parker House and other buildings were burned; loss $30,000.

Fifty-eight "American stone-masons" recently went to London to take the place of the striking English masons. Fifty-five of these American masons are Irish, two German, and one French.

Congress.

The Senate has confirmed John L. Stevens as minister to Sweden, and John Defrees as public printer.

The House by a strict party vote has decided to cut the army down to 20,000 men, and that one quarter of the army shall be stationed on the Texas border. The South hasn't forgiven the army yet for the part it took in preserving the Union.

New Hampshire Items.

At Bridgewater, Friday afternoon, a man named Putney, a woodcutter, struck another named Tobine, seventy years old, with an axe, splitting his head open. A horse belonging to Putney entered land of Tobine's and began feeding. Tobine started to drive the horse off, when Putney rushed upon him with an axe. Physicians say Tobine cannot live. Putney is at large.

The case of the State vs. William Flanders, for manslaughter, George E. Austin of Bow being the victim, was concluded Friday. The jury were out all night and came in Saturday morning, having failed to agree, seven being for conviction and five for acquittal. Flanders was remanded to jail.

A. G. Cotten of Brownington, Me., procured an advance of $1600 from George Emery of Woodville, whose house he had contracted to build, ran in debt some $1200 more to various parties, and slid out of town in the night.

A farm in Temple, owned by Barnard Farrar, was burned Friday night, and a Frenchman named John Collington has been arrested for setting it on fire.

An unoccupied house, shed and carriage-house in the suburbs of Nashua were burned Friday night, it is supposed by tramps.

Political.

Senator Conkling pronounces the President's civil service reform order "factional in its intent, made in the interest of envious and presuming little men." He also says that Packard was "more elected than Hayes by three or four thousand votes," and adds: "People say this man assumes all the virtues of reform in an office which he has gained by the simple repudiation of the ladder that lifted him. It is the general record of usurpers that though sustained they do their favors to the other side. The President has a democratic Cabinet."

The Wheeling, Va., *Register*, a democratic paper, says: There comes a story of a postmaster in Webster County, who posted a letter through the mails with a ten cent Confederate postage stamp on it. The Postmaster General overhauled him for it, and the postmaster got out of it by replying that he "only intended to give practical effect to the President's policy."

The jury at Columbia, S. C., have found a verdict of guilty against Congressman Smalls for bribery, etc.

Senator Conkling, in the Senate on Monday, stated that what purported to be an interview with him, published in the New York *Herald*, was a mere fabrication from beginning to end, as he has not held an interview for publication with any person for months.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 159.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

Dover is older than Hampton, yet the latter has more old houses, built nearly two hundred years ago. Dover has one old one. It will now be noted.

In early times one of the garrisons, for security against Indian depredations, stood a little west of Central Square, which is the one north of the Central street bridge. That garrison was Major Richard Waldron's. On the night of June 27, 1689, the Indians made an attack, killed Major Waldron and several others.

Major Waldron had a son Richard. The latter had a son Richard, who had a son Thomas Westbrook Waldron, born in 1721. He was possessed of wealth, was a captain in the provincial militia, and in 1745 went with Sir William Pepperrell of Kittery, in the expedition against Louisburg, which resulted in its capture.

This Capt. Thomas Westbrook Waldron in 1741 built a large house, about where his ancestor's garrison stood. It faced easterly toward the square. It was a large double house, its rooms spacious with ceilings high. I knew it 44 years ago. It was then occupied by three families, Deacon David Wentworth and Wm. Randall in the lower tenements, and Hiram Wentworth up-stairs.

Some years later, this house was moved back a few feet, its front turned to the south, facing Second street, and Morrill's block erected on the old spot and front yard. The building still stands, and, if our dates are correct, it is 135 years old. It has withstood life's storms and life's changes. While its first occupant was alive, men of fame and others in social life, gathered in its spacious rooms, for the captain was given to hospitality.

We have received from Horace King of Thompsonville, Conn., agent for New England, four parts (Nos. 45 to 48, inclusive) of the New and Revised Edition of Zell's Encyclopedia. This work has been revised to date, many new articles written and inserted and eighteen Colored Maps added, and its usefulness and accuracy thereby materially increased. It is published by Zell, Davis & Co., of Philadelphia, in sixty-four numbers. Price 50 cts., per number.

MARRIAGES.

SPINNEY—ROBINSON. In this city, Nov. 11th, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. James O. Spinney and Miss Mary C. Robinson, both of Portsmouth.

TODD—AMEE. In this city, Nov. 10th, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. Charles N. Todd and Miss Ella J. Amee, both of Kittery, Me.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Sch Concord, Gray, Rockland.
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SAILED, Nov. 12.

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Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	4
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Great Falls,	9:35	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
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THE CITY.

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Diaries for 1878 already invite us to purchase at Goodrich's, under the City Hall.

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The last month's freight earnings of the Eastern Railroad are said to have exceeded any previous month's in the history of the road.

The third social assembly in the Light Artillery course will be given this (Tuesday) evening in Mechanics' Hall; grand march at 8:30; music by Harlow's band. Tickets 50 cents.

Mr. Robert Gurney, an insane man, residing on Mechanic street, left his home Sunday morning and wandered to Greenland. Exhausted and bewildered he dropped in the road near Greenland Parade, where he was recognized by Mr. Matthew Lowd, who brought him home in the evening.

The fall and winter arrangement which went into effect Monday on the Eastern Railroad has one change which is made with a view to insure a connection at Rochester with the eastern-bound trains over the Portland & Rochester Railroad. Those passengers leaving Portsmouth at five minutes before ten o'clock A. M., reach Rochester at eleven o'clock, in season to connect with trains for Alfred, Springvale, etc., on the Portland & Rochester. As at some seasons there is considerable travel for the Portland & Rochester from this vicinity, which formerly was enabled to connect in this way, we are glad to know that the connection is restored.

SUPREME COURT--5TH WEEK.

Monday, Nov. 12, before *Stanley, J.*

The Court came in at eleven o'clock. The flowage case of Forsaith vs. Salisbury Mills was announced to be settled. The list of cases on the jury list was gone over. The new docket was taken up, and cases marked for the jury were disposed of in their order.

In the case of Lamprey vs. Donacour, the verdict of the jury was for the defendant. Lamprey and Marston for plaintiff; Wiggin and Fernald for defendant.

In the case of Jane S. Janvrin vs. George Janvrin, libel for divorce, filed April 8th, 1874, a hearing was had upon a motion made by Mrs. Janvrin's counsel for a new trial, while the defendant moved for judgment on the report of the referee refusing the divorce. The libellee appeared in person, and desired to be heard, and insisted that he had been ever ready, willing and anxious to have the case tried. The counsel for Mrs. Janvrin maintained that she was entitled to a re-hearing on the ground of newly discovered evidence. Judge Leavitt opposed the motion for a new trial and gave a history of the delays in the case. Mr. Janvrin is eighty-three years of age, and insists that if the request for a new hearing is granted the libellant will not try her case, and he wants it finished before he dies. Judge Stickney complained that Mr. Janvrin had conveyed his furniture, which by the marriage settlement was to be Mrs. Janvrin's. This Mr. Janvrin denied. The Court declined to grant motion for new hearing,—and in the meantime the interesting question as to who shall pay $235 for the referee's report, before there can be judgment ordered upon it, must be considered.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The meeting for women, at three o'clock Sunday afternoon, at the North church, was largely attended, the house being nearly filled. The praise service was preceded by a prayer, offered by Mr. Loyne. The exercises began with the hymn, "I will sing you a song," after which Rev. Mr. Owen led in prayer. Mr. McGranahan, accompanied by his wife, sang "Wonderful words of life." After some remarks by Mr. Whittle, Mr. McGranahan sang "Memories of childhood," with much effect. Mr. Whittle's theme was "The gift of God," founded on John 4:10. Jesus is the gift of God to men. This gift is offered to us to-day, if we will accept it. Faint and weary, Jesus sat by Jacob's well, seeking to save a lost and sinful woman. He came into the world to seek and save sinners. We do not first seek him, but he seeks us, for he wishes to save us. As did the woman of Samaria, so men, now, begin to question, and make excuses. They want to understand the whole plan and process of salvation. But salvation must be taken on simple trust, just as we take some of the common laws of nature. The matter is a personal one,—not between the sinner and Christians, but between the sinner and God. Everyone who would be saved must first believe himself a sinner, needing salvation; when we come to this point, submit ourselves to Him, and trust in Him, then the Lord will answer and save. The speaker closed by exhorting every mother present to seek Christ. Mr. Shelton, a reformed opium eater, gave a very effecting account of his struggles against this terrible habit, and of his final triumph over it, by the help of Jesus. During the singing of the hymn, "Only trust Him," quite a number rose for prayers.

The 7:30 meeting for men was nearly so large as that of the afternoon. The praise service was rendered with more than usual spirit, the select tons being "Yield not to temptation," "Rescue the perishing," "O, sing of His mighty love," and other pieces. The regular service began with singing "Pull for the shore," after which Rev. Mr. Hubbell led in prayer. The choir then sang "Only an armor bearer." Mr. Whittle read the 30th chapter of 1st Samuel, as a scripture lesson. Mr. McGranahan then sang "My Redeemer," and also "Memories of childhood." Mr. Whittle took the "parable of the prodigal son" as the subject of his remarks. The young man illustrates the course of the sinner in his downward path. Men naturally desire to get away from God—no not want to know him. The speaker drew a graphic picture of the degrading effects of sinful habits, illustrating by cases that had come under his own observation. Men must come to a knowledge of themselves, before they will be persuaded to turn to God. God is ready to receive those who will turn to Him. He loves the sinner, and wants to save him. The father meets the son, when he is "yet a great way off," and welcomes his return; so God will welcome every returning sinner. Mr. Shelton again gave his testimony to the power of Christ to deliver from the habit of opium eating. Mr. McGranahan then sang, "Come Home," with great pathos. At request, several persons arose for prayers, and Mr. Whittle offered prayer in their behalf. During the singing of the "Gates Ajar," most of the congregation retired. A social meeting followed, in which, several testimonies were given. A number rose for the prayers of Christians. The meeting closed with the benediction by Mr. Hubbell.

The nine o'clock prayer meeting, and the afternoon and evening overflow meetings, were well attended.

The forenoon meeting, Monday, was well attended.

The gospel meeting, in the evening, was as large as the former ones of the same kind. After the usual praise service, the audience joined in singing the hymn "Whosoever will," and Dr. Alden offered prayer; other hymns were sung, and Mr. Whittle, after invoking a blessing, took for the subject of his remarks the story of Cain and Abel, as related in Genesis. He quoted passages to show that the New Testament writers believed the narrative, and said they mentioned nearly every miracle related in the Old Testament. He said we must believe the whole Bible, or reject the whole. This story shows one man accepted of God and another one rejected; Abel's offering was accepted, because he acknowledged himself a sinner,—his offering recognized a need of redemption through sacrifice; Cain's was rejected, because he would not repent, but wanted salvation in his own way. Christ is the sacrifice for sinners; they must come to God through this sacrifice, just as they are, acknowledging their sins, and looking to Christ for salvation. How shall any man dare to appear before God, after rejecting his son, Jesus Christ?

While the choir sang a hymn a part of the congregation passed out, but the larger part remained. Prayer was offered by Mr. Noyes, and remarks made by Mr. Hubbell; Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan sang "Why not to-night?" and during the singing several persons rose for prayers; on invitation quite a number of others also arose. After prayer by Mr. Whittle, an enquiry meeting was held.

The meeting for men at Mechanics' Hall was led by Mr. Shelton, a large number of men being present.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, November 12th.

Henry Moulton, a gentleman who divides his time between this city and Brentwood, (giving the most of it to the latter place, however,) returned home last week from his country residence. On Saturday he got gloriously drunk, and made things lively at his home. On Monday he was brought before Judge Batchelder, charged with drunkenness, and brawl and tumult, to both which charges he pleaded guilty, and was assessed $9.90 on the first complaint and $13.04 on the other. Up country he goes again.

[Communicated.]

OUR POOR.

The approaching winter brings us plenty of work in the matter of relief for the poor. For the past five years, at least, each succeeding winter has brought with it increasing numbers of poor families, and the present we fear will find more destitution among us than any of its predecessors. This sad fact must be met by sympathetic hearts and willing hands. There is plenty of money in Portsmouth, so that there is no need of one person lacking for the necessaries of life. Our wealth is not ours while there is a fellow-being among us in want! There will be appeals for aid from different sources from time to time, and we must be prepared to respond according as we have received.

Don't shrug your shoulders, knit your brows and exclaim that "folks have no business to be poor." Perhaps they have not, in one sense. Shiftlessness, thriftlessness, liquor-drinking and other causes contribute to poverty; and in many instances all these are inherited, so that the unfortunate thus born is no more responsible for his condition than he is for that of his neighbor. But no matter if he is. If he is a sufferer he must be helped. Don't forget that! And don't let any old boots, or shoes, or old cast-off garments lie in your attics this winter until you have satisfied yourself that all in want are provided for.

We have many benevolent institutions among us, which have done and are ever ready to do. Nearly all of our religious societies have each their subordinate local mission society. We have likewise, as agencies of relief, the Howard Benevolent Society, the Home for Indigent Women (with the valuable missionary labors of Rev. Mr. Loyne) and last but by no means least, the Children's Home, which is mainly supported by St. John's Episcopal Church. In this Home there are some twelve or thirteen children, that are not only well fed and clothed but are taught good morals and good manners; in short, have all the advantages of an average home. The church rector, Mr. Holbrook, has been signally active in ferreting out cases of real want and promptly administering relief thereto; besides originating and personally managing the Home above alluded to. A case of neglect on the part of a drunken mother to provide for her two children (the father being absent at sea) was promptly met on Saturday last by the wide awake Episcopal clergyman, who ordered them to be sent to the Children's Home, where they are to remain until the father can find an employment that will enable him to board them at his expense. This is but one of many instances of charity from this source we doubt not, but as it came under our personal observation we are led to record it. We care not whether these reliefs are under the auspices of the Episcopal, Unitarian, Presbyterian or Catholic churches, whether the contributors are evangelical or infidel, if so be that they are doing good to their fellow-men,—loving their neighbor as themselves—for this is all there is of true religion.

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THE VICINITY.

Mr. Horatio W. Trefethen, of Kittery, has sold his fishing schooner, the "Ranter," to parties in Winchester, Mass.

The York County Bible Association will hold a one day's session in the Methodist church at Eliot on Thursday, the 15th.

Thomas Burns, Henry Ward and Henry Wilson have been arrested for breaking into the cider house of Mr. Albert C. Lane at Stratham, for which offense they were each bound over by the Exeter court in the sum of $300 for their appearance at the April term of the Supreme Court.

Albert Lewis, of Kittery, a youth of only sixteen years, on Saturday shot in that town a fox four feet long—the first one killed there this season. Master Lewis brought the pelt to this city on Monday, and disposed of it to a Portsmouth furrier. Foxes are reported more numerous in Kittery than for many years past.

The Portsmouth & Dover railroad is doing a very good business in the freight line. Since the 1st of August last, the Station Agent here has paid in to the Treasurer of the Eastern road, for freights alone collected here, the sum of $23,000. That is at the rate of nearly a hundred thousand dollars per year. The amount collected for the month of October, was $8,309.90.—*Dover Democrat.*

YORK, ME., NOV. 12.

Capt. James Donnell, of York, has a cat thirteen years old, weighing thirty-seven lbs. When we consider the fact that ten lbs. is large weight for a common full-grown cat, this one appears a monster. She is apparently in good health, but her limbs are not sufficiently strong to hold her up but a few moments at a time.

From one squash seed that was accidently thrown upon his manure heap, Dr. J. J. Hazen has raised fourteen handsome squashes of the Hubbard variety. The fourteen weigh 201 pounds; the lightest is 11 1-2, the heaviest sixteen; twelve of them are of very uniform size. If anybody can beat this from one seed and with no care, we want to hear from the case.

Lieutenant John Donnett, U. S. R. M., of York, is about to erect a residence at York Village. He purposes putting up the finest set of buildings in York, and we have some very nice ones already.

Between sunset of the 9th and sunrise of the 10th some mischievous boys hoisted, or in some other way hung, an old wagon up into an elm in front of the telegraph office. It hung there all day Saturday for the amusement of passers-by, but the rope, by continued swinging of the wagon, wore off, and at about sunset it fell, "and great was the fall thereof!" Both arms were broken and the body was sadly bruised, insomuch that life is despaired of. No aid has been called and the arms have not yet been set. A verdict has been rendered regarding the disaster, but for want of space we do not give it.

Diphtheria is still raging at Cape Neddick. A little child of Capt. Jonathan Talpey died last week, aged about three years; others of his children are sick, but it is thought are getting better.

Mr. S. A. D. Grant is canvassing the town for subscribers to the "New Century," published at Portland. Three splendid premium chromos are given to each subscriber. Mr. Grant is very young for the business, but has a vast deal of energy, and we hope he may have abundant success, as the young need and appreciate encouragement. P.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

The first Protestant Episcopal church in New Hampshire was erected in 1634, at Portsmouth. The church and parsonage were nearly opposite the residence of Mr. Charles Burroughs on Pleasant street. John Mason, one of the first grantees of the tract of New Hampshire, also Governor of Newfoundland, and afterwards Governor of Portsmouth, England, sent from England the Communion Service, Bible, Prayer Book, Altar cloth, etc. Wm. A. Gibbons, Assistant Governor, and eighteen other persons, gave the church a glebe of fifty acres of land. The Rev. R. Gibson was rector until 1642, when the Puritan Government at Boston compelled him to leave. A long "interregnum" occurred. In 1732 the Churchmen of Portsmouth, liberally assisted by Mr. Thomlinson and many others of London, erected a church, and named it "Queen's chapel" in honor of Queen Caroline, consort of George II. She gave the Communion plate, Christening basin, two large flagons, a paten and chalice stamped with the Royal Arms, and a number of Prayer Books. Mr. Hope of London donated the lot. In the year 1758, during the French and English War, an English squadron, under Capt. John Marsh, was sent to reduce and capture the French Colony at Senegal, on the African coast. The expedition was successful. The Castle, Fort St. Louis, and the town with the military stores and treasure fell into the hands of the British. A baptismal font of beautifully variegated porphyritic marble, intended for the cathedral, (as is supposed,) came into the possession of Major Mason, commander of a corps of marines, was brought away by him, and presented to the church at Portsmouth by his daughters Sarah Catharine and Anna Elizabeth in 1761. This font is now used in the church. A Latin inscription stating the above facts is on the lids of the basins. There are two compartments, once silver-lined, but the silver was wrenched out when the town was sacked. There are keyholes in these lids, showing that it was locked after baptisms. The church bell was also captured from the French at Louisburg, and was recast by Revere & Son of Boston. The firm name and date (1807) is on the bell. There was a donation in 1793 of an elegant bible by Arthur Brown, L L. D., and Member of Parliament, in token of his affection and respect for the church of which his grandfather, Arthur Brown, M. A., was rector from 1736 to 1773, the year of his death. "Queen's chapel" took the name of St. John's church in 1791, was destroyed by fire Dec. 24th, 1806, and was rebuilt in 1807 and 1808. The interior was somewhat changed a few years since, but the old galleries and organ loft remain nearly as they were. The honored names of Benjamin Franklin, Daniel Webster and Jeremiah Mason appear as benefactors and proprietors of the time-hallowed church. When Mr. Mason removed to Boston Hon. Levi Woodbury bought his pew. Over in the pleasant chapel on State street stands probably the oldest organ in America, built in London, and presented to Queen's chapel, Boston, by Thomas Brattle in 1713; it has a history. It remained *unpacked* in the porch of the church for seven years (being considered an ungodly instrument), but was finally put up and used until the close of 1756, when it was sold to St. Paul's church, Newburyport, Mass. They used it until 1836, *eighty* years. It was then sold for $450 to St. John's, Portsmouth, and put in the "chapel," undergoing some repairs, including a new case. And there it now is, 164 years of age, and ready to raise its voice. A little boy who came to hear it afterward harnessed the lightning. At 86 it sounded the dirge of Washington. But one newspaper was published in the colony to announce its arrival.

To the pleasant citizen, local historian, and good Churchman, George M. Marsh, Esq., I am chiefly indebted for the facts recited in this notice. Rev. Charles A. Holbrook is rector of St. John's since Jan. 16, 1876, and is vigorous in all Church work. The youth, the middle-aged, the aged, are all cared for. Nothing escapes his notice.—*Church Journal.*

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The miners employed in Keet's mine at Deadwood have taken possession of the mine, and are armed and provisioned for a seige. They claim that $2500 is due them for wages. They defy the sheriff to remove them, and bloodshed is feared.

A few days ago Mr. Swann, of Maryland, presented the petition of Mrs. Elizabeth Wirt Goldsborough, widow of the late rear Admiral Louis M. Goldsborough, for a pension at the rate of $100 per month. A short time after he presented a supplemental paper, signed by Admirals Porter, Rowan, Rodgers, Poor, Powell and all the higher grade officers of the navy, earnestly indorsing the application of the petitioner.

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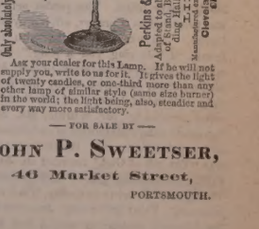

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—The ways of evading the licensing act in Dublin are numerous. A doctor going his rounds observed an unsavory heap of rotting cabbages near a door, and remarked upon it to a bystander. "But you'll not buy a head for less than sixpence," said the man. "Sixpence!" said the doctor incredulously. "Yes," replied the other, "Mrs. —— is a gay sort of creathur, and when you buy a head of cabbage she gives you a glass into the bargain."

—His home is up north in one of those staid old towns which revolve about an Orthodox church, and he came down here for a fortnight's visit at this particular time because Moody and Sankey are to be here next week. He stops here with a widowed aunt and a handsome cousin, and last night they proposed, with the help of a neighbor, to initiate him into the beauties of a game of whist. He said he knew nothing about cards, but if his aunt was quite sure it wasn't wicked he would try his best to learn. That worthy lady quieted his conscientious scruples, and he learned very fast, so fast that in an hour he played an excellent game, but at length he grew drowsy, and while his partner was dealing, fell asleep. When it came his turn to play his aunt called to him to do so, and partially opening his eyes he responded, "Yes, I'll straddle the blind," and a second after he straightened up in his chair and said in a mournful tone. "Two dollars in the pot and only king high." When they succeeded in waking him and his aunt asked him what he was dreaming about, he said it was the blinds on the little church in his native village, and the two dollars he put in the missionary box to convert the king of the Hottentots last Sunday.—*Wicked exchange.*

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Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 14, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 1877.

Senator Stanley Matthews' resumption bill recently introduced in the Senate provides that redeemed legal tenders, or those returned to the Treasury may be re-issued as required by public exigencies, but that the amount of those outstanding shall not, at any time, exceed $350,000,000. It also stipulates that a reserve coin fund of $100,000,000 shall be retained in the Treasury, redemption of legal tenders in gold to cease when it shall have been reduced to this point, the Secretary being authorized to issue four per cent. gold bonds in lieu of the coin, for resumption purposes, and to sell four per cent. bonds for legal tenders which shall be receivable for all dues against the United States. It is claimed that the bill embodies the views of the President and Mr. Sherman. Mr. Matthews is reported to have said that in his opinion the President will sign the silver bill which passed the House on Monday, being confident that the Senate will concur. But it is likely to meet a determined opposition under the lead of Mr. Edmunds.

The result of the Wisconsin election has emboldened the friends of the resumption act and the opponents of remonetization here, it being held as an evidence of re-action in the West, where they were for the time overslaughed by the temporary furor against the first and in favor of the latter. It is also claimed that the unexpectedly large vote given to the republican nominees in Massachusetts was due to the apprehensions that had been aroused there among both democrats and republicans by the aggressive attitude of the inflationists in Congress. There appears to be a good deal of indignation felt towards Mr. Bland for the trick he is alleged to have been guilty of, amounting to wilful deception and betrayal of confidence. Away from Washington it is only partially understood how often members of Congress vote for or against a measure, relying wholly on the statements of associates as to its purpose and scope, and basing their votes on such second hand information. I may cite the outrageous River and Harbor bill of two years ago as an instance where many members put themselves on record in favor of a measure that caused some of them no little anxiety when they looked up its provisions for themselves, incited thereto by the harsh criticisms of the press. It is said that the supposition was general that Mr. Bland had moved the passage of the bill be introduced last season, and that the motion was carried by a vote of nearly six to one on that understanding. Subsequent investigation showed that it was really a bill reported by the committee on banking and currency, substantially the same as his in its main feature, that of restoring silver as a legal tender, but materially differing in some of its minor points. It was rumored that Speaker Randall was highly incensed and would take occasion to publicly state his opinion of Mr. Bland's tactics.

Senator Chaffee has lodged a very serious complaint against the Pacific Railroad Company and several of its branches, alleging that it has persistently and notoriously refused to comply with the terms upon which large subsidies were granted it; hence the President is requested to inform the Senate what impediments exist to enforcing the terms in question. He appears very much in earnest in the matter, and a more perfect understanding of the spirit in which it has observed its promises may aid members of Congress to a just disposition of the claimant now importuning them for a similar gift in its behalf.

There is no reasonable ground to apprehend anything but conviction in the case of republicans on trial in South Carolina, or others whose prominence or ability may seem to stand in the way of the complete rehabilitation of the shotgun minority with autocratic power over the majority. It is understood here that the stenographic notes taken eight years ago by Woodruff, and which no one else pretends to be able to read, are the chief reliance for convicting all the republicans indicted at Columbia. He is said to have bargained for his own immunity by making a case against them from his "notes." The case of Senator Patterson yesterday came up before Judge Humphries and was again postponed to the 21st. The Judge incidentally remarked that there was no occasion for hurry and there would be none in the disposition of the case.

A mistaken impression appears to have gone abroad that the routine work of the Patent Office has been largely interrupted since the fire. It is wholly erroneous, current work being now attended to as promptly as before that disaster.

The politicians have quite generally settled down to the verdict of a drawn battle on Tuesday, and the prevailing sentiment appears to be one of quiet thankfulness that it is well over without serious disaster to their respective sides.

While Mexican affairs lost, to some extent, their interest to the public with the convening of Congress, they still appear to be regarded with anxious solicitude by those responsible for their peaceful solution. Latest dispatches are satisfactory as confirming the good faith of Diaz and his officers; but they also render it certain that the present authorities of Mexico are opposed by a determined faction equally hostile to them and us.

Washington military authorities appear to think that the Turk, if not actually in the "last ditch," hasn't much further to go to reach it. In other words that his situation could not well be more desperate.

French politics afford us some diversion; and a fresh delegation of Indians of the Ponca tribe have taken up their quarters at the Washington House, where they are daily interviewed by a stream of callers, largely female. KNOX.

News and Notes.

There is a singular contest going on in a Hartford, Conn., family, where a sixty-years-old father and his twenty-years-old son are both courting the adopted daughter and sister. The girl is in a strait between the two; the young man is of the right age and suits her, but he can't support a wife, while the old gentleman has plenty of money, and she also owes him gratitude for taking her from a life of poverty. Meanwhile both parties urge their suits openly and vigorously.

The signal service offices in Washington and Baltimore are now connected by the telephone, and there is also a line established between the Washington office and Fort Whipple, across the Potomac, all of which are working satisfactorily.

"Champagne Charley," of London, is dead. Charles Thorpe was born thirty-four years ago. His father left him $50,000 a year. Being clever, he sought the society of literary men; and liking a social glass, his means enabled him to choose champagne. Hence, a few years ago, after his exploits had been told so often as to make him comparatively well known about London, some one embalmed him in verse, and "Champagne Charley" was long a favorite song in the music halls. He never liked it, and always denied that he was the original of the song, and his friends deny it now, in deference to his memory. But it is said to be true, nevertheless.

Some months ago Mark Williams and some of his friends, residing some four miles north of Raleigh, Tennessee, were engaged in a row with some colored men and shot two of them. Since then a reign of terror has existed in that section. A number of colored men have been shot at by night, resulting in the driving away of a number of hands from the plantations. Law-abiding citizens have been overawed by the ruffians. Last Saturday night Scott Smith, a worthy negro, residing on Taylor's plantation, was called to the door by fifteen or twenty men, among whom he recognized Williams, and was fired upon with a volley and wounded in the head and arm. The gang, believing they had killed him, left. Smith went to Memphis on Monday to seek redress and protection. It may not be amiss to say that the "radicals" do not govern Tennessee, which is a good democratic State.

Thiebaud Bauer and William Miller had a three hours' contest at wrestling on the stage of Boston Music Hall, Monday evening, "Græco-Roman" style, for $1000 and the championship. Only one "fall" was won, and that by Thiebaud, who placed Miller flat on his back.

Steamer Tom Morgan blew up at Greenville, Miss., on Saturday, and the owner, captain and engineer were killed. The Canadian schooner Magellan was wrecked off Three Rivers, Michigan, on Saturday, and all hands (captain and eight men) were lost. Lugger Fortune was run down by a steamer near Carrollton, La., on Saturday; the captain, owner, and one of the crew of the lugger were drowned.

Henry Houseman, a porter, shot himself and his three children in New York, Monday night; one of the children was instantly killed, and the other two and the father will die. The cause of the tragedy was the drunkenness of Houseman's wife, he having threatened to destroy himself and children if the woman did not keep sober; finding her drunk on his return from work, he carried out his threat.

Mrs. LeBau, one of Commodore Vanderbilt's daughters, has brought suit in New York to revoke her father's will; she asks $1,000,000.

James Spencer, the last survivor of the famous fight between the frigate Essex and the British ships Phœbe and Cherub, in Valparaiso harbor, died last week at the Sailors' Snug Harbor, aged seventy-eight.

Philip R. Himes, who left New Bedford forty-two years ago on a whaling voyage, and has been heard of once since through indirect sources, and then about fifteen years after leaving, has written a letter which was received on Friday, stating that he is living in New Zealand. His relatives considered him dead long ago.

The prevalence of diphtheria brings out many new facts in connection with the origin and spread of this dreaded malady. A New Haven paper says it was introduced into that part of the country about twenty-five years ago in an exceedingly virulent form by the exhumation of remains in West Haven. Nearly all who were exposed to the exhalations from the graves died in spite of all that could be done to save them. The poison that arises from drains and other receptacles of refuse acts in a similar, even if less violent, manner, and the subject of ventilation has its extreme importance freshly illustrated by those facts.

The bonded warehouse on the North Point dock, in San Francisco, California, was destroyed by fire Monday, entailing a loss of $350,000.

A despatch from Rio Janeiro states that the Argentine torpedo ship Fulminate exploded in the harbor of Buenos Ayres, killing eleven persons. Captain Davidson, late of the American navy, narrowly escaped.

Eleven whale ships, which remained in the Arctic two weeks after October 1st (when the rest of the fleet left,) made a big catch, taking seventy-three whales in the two weeks. Previous to Oct. 1st the whole fleet took only thirty-three whales. The barque Rainbow leads, with 2300 barrels of oil and 6500 lbs. of bone.

New Hampshire Items.

The first free town library in the country was established at Peterboro' in 1833, and the town has made an appropriation for its support every year since, save 1862.

Many of the Dartmouth students are now on the lookout for winter schools. The Seniors, instead of having an examination in psychology, are required to write an abstract of the subject.

A double-tenement house in Nashua, belonging to James Farry, and occupied by him and a family named Angie, was burned Tuesday morning. Loss $2000; no insurance.

J. Knox Beattie, who is wanted at Lawrence, Mass., for a murderous assault committed Oct. 13th, in an altercation with J. Gorham Shingles, proprietor of the Trimountain House at Newton, on Sunday night, had his left thumb shot off. After receiving the wound Beattie took to the woods and has not since been seen.

A rather remarkable family group was photographed at Farmington recently, consisting of G. N. Fernald, one year and three months old; G. W. Fernald, the father, twenty-four years; J. E. Fernald and J. O. Nute, grandfathers, forty-seven and fifty years respectively, and David Nute, Robert Fernald and Hon. G. L. Whitehouse, great-graudfathers, each eighty-one years of age.

The Hillsboro' County Agricultural and Mechanical Society, after a life of over a quarter of a century, has voted to break up, and its affairs are to be subject to liquidation. The Society in its early days was one of the best in the State, and its fairs were the pride of Hillsboro' County. Bad weather for the exhibitions for several successive years began the failure of the Society. Exhibitors were unable to get their premiums, and the receipts of the society were not enough to pay the bills, and for several years they have been loaded down with debt. They made an attempt to retrieve their fallen fortunes by removing to Nashua, but there they met with reverses, and the exhibition was nearly a failure. This year it was found impossible to get up enthusiasm enough to have the annual exhibition, and on Saturday the Society met and voted to break up, and all the property owned by the Society will be sold at auction at an early date; but it falls far short of enough to pay the indebtedness. Two years ago the Society passed its quarter-centennial, which was duly observed.

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Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:50
East [beyond Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

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Boston, South and West,	4:03 10:55	5:50
Boston Way,	10:55	5:50
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THE CITY.

The cable steamer Minia succeeded on Monday in picking up the shore end of the Direct Cable, testing the same, finding it perfect, and after sealing and buoying it was obliged to return to the lower harbor.

An article in Tuesday's issue gave the number of children at the Home under the auspices of the Episcopal church as thirteen, when in fact there are seventeen. A larger house is desired, and is being sought by the Rector, Mr. Holbrook, with a view to the extension of this work of charity.

At the regular meeting of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, on Monday evening, it was voted that the thanks of the Society be extended to an unknown donor for a gift of $10. It was also voted to allow Mrs. Wm. H. Danielson five dollars as compensation for a week's care of the Rachel Kehoe-Russell children, until they could be provided with a permanent home.

Miss Susan Hale, who gives her unique and amusing entertainment this evening at the rooms of Miss Morgan's school, is a brilliant and gifted woman, fully sustaining the reputation of her talented family. Her fine dramatic power is exhibited in the play of "the Elixir of Life," which she gives this evening. Tickets at Myers'; begins at 8 o'clock. The Hourly will call passengers for the ball at the low price of 10 cts.; leave names at Thacher's for the Hourly.

We have been shown a stocking-mender (we believe that's what they call it—anyway, it is an implement used by women to put in stockings when darning them,) made at Mason & Hamlin's organ manufactory in Cambridgeport, Mass., by Mr. Wm. Haley, a son-in-law of Mrs. William Watkins of this city. It is a Japanese-looking concern, showing 536 pieces of black and white wood, and though not difficult to make after you know how to do it, at first sight appears a marvellous piece of workmanship.

On Monday, in the National House of Representatives, Hon. Frank Jones introduced a bill to appropriate $1000 for a survey of the mouth of Piscataqua river, with a view to improving the harbor. That's business. Mr. Jones may not be the most brilliant orator on the floor of the House, but he will strengthen himself more in this city by doing his level best to get the obstructions removed from our harbor, than he would by making fifteen first-class speeches for buncombe. In this connection it may not be out of place to say that a large and valuable vessel, commanded by one of the best seamen and best-acquainted skippers sailing out of the port, hit Ham's ledge a rap one day last week, though she fortunately escaped without serious damage; and the same day another large schooner was compelled to bring up in a hurry with her anchors, to avoid being swept by the tide on the ledge making out from Badger's island.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, November 13th.

James Wilson and Bertha Stetson, up for drunkenness, were adjudged guilty, and fined (with costs) $9.90 each. Having depleted their respective treasuries in getting drunk, they were unable to pay the amount the city charges for the privilege of so doing, and went to Brentwood in default.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.

At about four o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, a working train on the Conway Railroad, when running across Portsmouth bridge toward Kittery found the draw of the bridge open. The engineer, Hiram Goodwin, reversed the engine, but the train had too much way on to be stopped, and the engine and three freight cars ran into the opening. The engineer and fireman stepped off just before the engine went down, but one brakeman was carried into the river; the latter, however, was fished out unharmed other than by a wetting, by Mr. William Perkins, one of the bridge workmen. Two vessels had just passed through the draw, and a third one, lumber-laden and bound for Dover, was just starting to haul through, when the train came along. The engine is now laying in some forty-five feet of water, probably but little harmed; but the cars are supposed to be pretty well stove up, liberal-sized pieces of them having been seen floating away with the flood-tide.

SUPREME COURT--5TH WEEK.

Tuesday, Nov. 13, before *Stanley, J.*

Seneca Pettee and Charles S. Pettee vs. Isaiah A. Dustin. Action of replevin for goods attached by Dustin (as Deputy Sheriff) as property of Grey & Sanders, of Derry, on a writ in favor of Weeks & Conner, merchants, of Manchester. The plea was a justification of the taking the goods under the writ as property of Weeks & Conner; the plaintiff denies the goods were the property of Weeks & Conner, but of Messrs. Pettee & Son, as mortgages of a certain chattel mortgage given Pettee & Son by the owners of the property, under which mortgage the plaintiffs took possession of the same. The plaintiffs claimed to hold the goods not embraced under the mortgage by means of a pledge of the goods. There appears to have been a contest between the parties as to the possession of the stock of goods, and this action is to determine the title of the property. The jury returned a verdict, answering the disputed question as to change of property that there was a change, which was a verdict for the plaintiffs, with nominal damages. Bartlett for plaintiffs, C. R. Morrison for defendant. The case will go to the law Court upon exceptions filed by the defendant.

Ablie A. Dunbrach vs. Washington H. Hobbs; complaint under bastardy act. After a jury was empanelled the case was agreed to be tried by the Court, and the jury was dismissed. The parties live at Hampton. Lamprey and Wiggin for complainant; Marston for defendant.

In the evening a hearing was held before Judge Stanley in chambers, relative to the appointment of a receiver for the Wolfeborough Savings Bank; B. C. Carter representing the depositors, E. C. Banfield for the trustees.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The gospel meeting, Tuesday evening, at the North Church, was one of great interest and power; the house was filled, and many were unable to find seats.

The praise service was introduced by singing "I need Thee every hour."

The regular service began with the hymn, "My faith looks up to Thee," after which Rev. Mr. Haines of North Hampton led in prayer. Mr. McGranahan, accompanied by his wife, then sang, "Rejoice with me, for I am free," and "Speak of the mercy of God."

After invoking the Divine blessing, Mr. Whittle took for the subject of his discourse, Luke 19:1—10. Jesus came to seek and save the lost, and in this chapter, we find him seeking for sinners. Zaccheus was a publican and a sinner, but he desired to see Jesus, the mighty Savior; and went about in a business kind of way. So every one that desires salvation must make it his business, if he would find it. Many, that seek salvation, do it in a very un-business-like way; and if any obstacle comes in their way, they immediately give up. But Zaccheus pressed forward in an unusual way, even climbing a tree to see Jesus, while some now are unwilling even to rise for prayers, or go into an enquiry meeting. We cannot hope to receive Christ while we are unwilling to yield to him in every point. A child was not willing to come down the back stairs though its Christmas present was there, so many are not ready to go by some unknown way, though there the "gift of God" is waiting for them. Pride hinders many from coming to Christ, and the fear of the sneers of companions many more. Men should never neglect their salvation from the cry of excitement, or from any other excuse. God meets men in the most natural and unexpected way; he met Zaccheus in a tree, he meets every one that seeks him in his own way, and gives to each, perhaps, a separate experience. Zaccheus was not ashamed of Jesus; and we should not be ashamed to receive him to our homes, and acknowledge him there. If the prominent men and women of the religious congregations of Portsmouth would do their duty, and receive Christ, the whole place would be stirred, and many of the young be turned to God.

While singing "The Great Physician," most of the congregation retired, and an enquiry meeting was held, more than usual remaining to engage in it.

The meetings during the day were large and interesting; the Bible reading and children's meeting were especially so; at the latter quite a number arose for prayers.

THE VICINITY.

The diphtheria has been so prevalent for some time past in Cape Neddick, Me., that the schools have been temporarily closed.

President Elliott, of Harvard University, and his bride, have been staying for a short time past at the Pepperell House, Kittery Point, but have now left.

Not long ago Mr. Lowell B. Dow, of South Seabrook, had a bushel and a half of shelled beans, nearly his entire crop, stolen from his barn. A few nights later some thief got into the cellar of Mr. David Boyd's house near Seabrook depot, and stole seventy pounds of pork. It is supposed some person is preparing for a gigantic dish of pork and beans.

Gen. Butterfield, and Major Thomas, adjutant, are trying to raise a military company among the young men of the Spruce Creek district of Kittery,—the other officers to be elected.

The Eastern Railroad depot at Greenland and the Farragut House at Rye Beach are connected by a telephone, and a recent trial was most successful, the tunes played on a piano, and every word of hymns and songs sung, at one end, being distinctly heard at the other end.

The case of Forsaith of South Hampton against the Salisbury (Mass.) Mills Co., claim for $4000 damages for flowage of land, previously reported as settled and withdrawn from the Supreme Court now in session in this city, was compromised by the defendant company paying $1500.

The following officers have been elected by Whipple Lodge of Good Templars, at Kittery: W. C. T., Mark Fernald; W. V. T., Hannah J. Adams; H. R. S., William A. Williams; W. F. S., Fannie W. Adams; W. T., Lucinda Hayes; W. M., John Ball; W. I. G., Addie J. Calor; W. O. G., William Morse.

Miss Cynthia Nason, of Sturgeon Creek, Eliot, was serenaded recently on the occasion of her birth-day, by a party of sixty gentlemen, the music being led by Capt. Mel. Dixon. The large party was generously entertained, and after partaking of refreshments adjourned to the grove, where a dance was had to the music of Ellery Garland's quadrille band.

Mr. Albert S. Wilson, Mr. Wm. Parker and Mrs. A. Manson, of Kittery, have all lost sheep recently by their being killed by dogs. Colburn Barrell, of York, lost six sheep in the same way a few days ago, and had others bitten. It is said there are over four hundred dogs in Kittery, and only one hundred and twenty-five licenses issued; the claims for damages to sheep by dogs, which the town must pay, amount to more than $500, and nearly all this damage has been done within two months.

During the past few weeks thieves have been uncommonly busy in East Salisbury, and many of the citizens have been on the lookout for them. A few evenings since a farmer of that village was watching his cornfield, when he discovered three persons stealing therefrom. He discharged his old "King's Arm," in the direction of the thieves, and it was reported the next morning that a young man by the name of Fowler, of South Seabrook, had twenty-three shot picked from his body, he being well wounded in the shoulder.—*Merrimac Valley Visitor.*

There are some enterprising thieves out Seabrook way, and the indications are that it is local talent that is thus employed. For three months past stores have been robbed in Rye, Hampton and Seabrook, bulky articles of provisions—such as could not be transported any considerable distance—being taken therefrom in each case; chicken roosts and turkey coops have been robbed right along, and corn and potatoes harvested at night when the owners were asleep. Whenever the thieves' den is discovered, which the citizens of the towns named (and adjacent towns in Massachusetts) hope will be soon, the larder will be found in good condition.

How American Women Abuse Their Husbands.

Dr. Theodore Christlieb, the German "evangelical" whose sweetness and light so took captive the rest of the evangelicals at the alliance meeting in New York some years ago, has found a serious blot upon our civilization in the great republic. As Colonel Higginson tells the story in the *Woman's Journal*, Professor Christlieb confided to a recent American visitor that he had great fears for the future of our nation because "the spirit of Christ" was not here. Pressed to explain his meaning, he did not cite any of those financial or social scandals that make us uneasy, but "seriously declared that on more than one occasion he had heard an American married woman say to her husband, 'Dear, will you bring me my shawl?' and the husband had brought it!" and further, that he had seen a man come home and find his wife sitting in the best chair in the parlor, and not only did she not rise to get his dressing gown and slippers, but she did not rise at all, and let him find his own chair as well as other comforts! These were the things that this profound professor, named after the "love of Christ," found to evidence a dangerous lack of that article in the United States. It is hard to to overe-stimate the value of this well-weighed criticism from so eminent a source, based, as it is, on undeniable facts. The female woman in this country has unquestionably arrived at a degree of individualism which places her in many things on a level with man. She cannot be depended upon to get out of bed at four o'clock of a winter morning to make a fire and get breakfast, while her lord and master takes a beauty nap, with anything like the certainty that she once could. She won't eat up the little chicken's gizzard while there's any breast left,—no, nor afterward either. She objects to fill her husband's pipe and "start" it with a few gentle puffs, as any professor's spouse ought to. She opens her husband's letters on the same ground that he opens hers. A man has no right here to whip his wife, or to harness her to a plough, as the German farmers do. In fact, it's getting so in our country that a wife has almost as many rights as a husband, and the conviction is slowly gaining ground that marriage is a matter of mutual service and attention. We owe Professor Christlieb something for bringing this to our notice. He may have stopped us on the brink of a precipice, as it were.—*Springfield Republican.*

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¾
United States Ten-Forties coupon	107¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	108
Maine State 6s. 1889	112¾
N. H. State 6s. 1875	104¾
N. H. State 6s 1879	102¾
N. H. State 6s 1880	103¾
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. 8¾s	50
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60¾
Boston & Maine	93¾
Boston & Providence	122¾
Boston & Albany	121
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	44
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	88¾
Northern N. H.	65¾
Old Colony & Newport	36¾
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	31
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DEATHS.

TRIPP. In this city, Nov. 13th, Mr. Robert Tripp, aged 74 years.

TALPEY. In Cape Neddick, Me., Nov. 8th, Ernest Talpey, son of Capt. Jonathan and Mrs. Julia Talpey, aged 3 years, 20 days.

TOBEY. In Eliot, Me., Nov. 6th, Mrs. Annie Tobey, wife of Mr. Samuel Tobey, aged about 25 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

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Sch G W Raitt, Coleman, Rockland for Dover.

SAILED, Nov 12.

Sch J J Little, Gaudy, New York.

ARRIVED, Nov 13.

Sch Mary Willey, Williams, Bangor.
Sch A J Williams, Murch, Boston.

SAILED, Nov 13.

Sch John Stroup, Hurst, New York.
Sch Lizzie Young, Young, Boston.
Sch Clara, Britt, St John, N B.

Ship Paul Jones, Jacobs, from this port for Baltimore, passed in by Fortress Monroe Nov. 11.

Sch Mist, Muncy, for this port, cld from Philadelphia Nov. 9.

Sch Free Wind, Frisbee, from New York for Portland, passed through Hell Gate Nov. 11.

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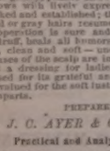

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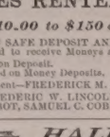

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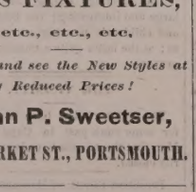

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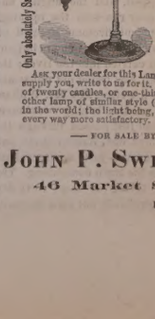

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Daily Chronicle.

Discovery of a Statue by Praxiteles.

In the second week of May, 1877, there was found in the Olympian temple of Zeus, not far from the portrait statue of a Roman lady, a colossal marble statue of a nude youth. The lower portion of the legs and the right forearm are wanting. With the left elbow he leaned upon the stem of a tree, supporting on his arm a little boy. Of the latter figure, unfortunately, only the lower part remains, and the tiny hand that he had laid confidingly on the shoulder of his bearer. Over the tree stem on which the arm that supports the boy is rested falls the drapery in rich, deeply-cut, and wonderfully worked folds, affording to the arm a soft resting place, and gracefully hiding the support of the tree stem, which in this portion was technically necessary. The body of the youth rests with an easy negligence on the left leg, so that the soft flesh of the right hip shows, in manifold displacements, the play of the muscles of the blooming, youthful form. The head is marked by the finest, most spiritualized youthful beauty, and somewhat resembles the heads we see on the Vatican Meleager, or the Hermes of the Belvedere. The body, too, resembles those figures, only it is slenderer, softer, more vivacious. At the first glance, we are struck by the careless execution of the hair, which, in the parts that were usually unseen by the spectators, is only slightly indicated. The back of the statue is also less thoroughly wrought. Now Pausanias reports that among the gifts of recent date was a marble Hermes carrying the boy Dionysius, and that it was a work of Praxiteles. The savants who have charge of the excavations have therefore, and there is no doubt correctly, inferred that our statue is really the Hermes of Praxiteles, and that we now, for the first time, behold an original work of that great artist—a work that is equal to the greatest treasures we possess of ancient art, and which must ever remain a corner-stone of our knowledge of the history of Greek sculpture.—*London Athenæum.*

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FOR 1877-78.

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Daily Chronicle.

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Congress.

In the Senate, on the 13th, Senator Chaffee of Colorado made a long and very able speech in favor of his resolution enquiring into the manner in which the Union Pacific Railroad has kept faith with the government.

The resolution offered in the Senate by Mr. Sargent, of California, in regard to promotions in the navy, has direct reference to the recent promotion of Commodore Howell to be a Rear Admiral. Senator Sargent says that Admiral Howell has been for a long time incapacited for active service and that he is a chronic sufferer from rheumatic gout, which facts ought to have been known to the Examining Board and should have prevented his promotion to the grade of Rear Admiral. Mr. Sargent is chairman of the Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, and it is understood his purpose is to fully investigate the operations of the Examining Board.

Senator Eaton, of Connecticut, introduced a bill to admit to register foreign-built vessels of wood or iron belonging to citizens of the United States; provided that such vessels shall have been purchased in good faith. This bill should be entitled "An act to encourage foreign ship building, at the expense of American ship-builders."

A large delegation of bankers and business men from Philadelphia and New York appeared before the Senate committee on finance, to urge the defeat of the silver bill. The committee has agreed to strike out the provision for free coinage.

In the House, the navy deficiency bill was passed without a division, after a somewhat lively debate, which elicited some vigorous criticism of ex-Secretary Robeson and a warm defence of that official by Mr. Hale of Maine; the democrats talked loudly of re-investigating the ex-Secretary, but were met more than once by the triumphant assertion from the republican side that a previous attempt to find criminality in his conduct had ignominiously failed. An hour was devoted to the discussion of the resumption-repeal bill, Mr. Crittenden of Missouri making an eloquent and forcible appeal against what he termed a national crime.

The Eastern War.

Despatches report Osman Pasha preparing to evacuate Plevna in the direction of Widdin. A despatch from Vienna says that the Russians who have been concentrating at Tirnova have started on their march to recross the Balkans. Servia has decided to join in the fight; a Russian subsidy of 2,000,000 francs has arrived. The Montenegrins have captured a fort commanding the town of Antivari, with its garrison, two guns and a quantity of ammunition and provisions. The Montenegrins are advancing on Antivari. Gen. Skobeloff has captured an important position in the rear of Plevna, and firmly established himself in it, repulsing the last Turkish attack with great slaughter.

In the neighborhood of Erzeroum the Russians are pushing the attack; they are also bombarding Batoum, on the Black Sea.

Democracy vs. the Army.

The debate in the House of Representatives on the army bill exhibited democratic "statesmanship" in a ludicrous light. Hewitt of New York talked a lot of twaddle about impeaching Secretary McCrary for having increased the army when the democratic House had not appropriated any money to pay the army; that is to say, it is a crime for an executive officer of the government to do his duty, when the democratic House, for partisan purposes solely, does not do its duty. The recruiting complained of by Hewitt was the enlistment of 500 men in the far West, to fight Chief Joseph and save the lives of hundreds of defenceless men and women on the Western frontier; this recruiting cost the government nothing, and did not nearly raise the strength of the army to 25,000 men, the standard fixed by law; but Mr. Hewitt evidently considers the refusal of a democratic House to do the duty its members had sworn to do, enough to overthrow any law of the nation,—and if the law says the army shall consist of 25,000 men and the democratic House don't want 25,000, all the democrats have got to do is to signify their dissent and the law is nullified without any further useless formality.

Another comical feature was the attempted usurpation by the House of the Constitutional prerogative of the President. The Constitution makes the President the Commander-in-chief of the army and navy of the United States; yet the "democratic House" coolly proposes to take five fall regiments of cavalry—one-fourth the entire army as it now exists—from the President's control, and station the said regiments in Texas, whether the President will or no. The Constitution makes the President Commander-in-chief; the "Constitution-shrieking" democrats propose to set aside the Constitution, and take supreme command themselves.

When the democratic House had gone so far, it is no great wonder that a Confederate Brigadier, General Hooker, offered an amendment prohibiting the expenditure of money for the support of troops to be used in any State "for the purpose of suppressing insurrection, maintaining order or supporting any government," unless such forces shall be applied for by the Legislature or the Governor of such State. The effrontery of this proposition is amazing. An ex-rebel officer gravely proposes to make it a misdemeanor for the President of the United States to use the army to put down a rebellion, unless he first gets the consent of the rebellious State itself! But this was a little too much for even the democratic House; and after General Garfield denounced the Hooker amendment as "a plan to facilitate another rebellion," it got but thirty-eight votes. It is a pity the thirty-eight could not have been put on the record, but as this occurred in committee of the whole the republicans failed to force a call of the yeas and nays.

News and Notes.

The Pope is very ill, and it is believed his death is close at hand.

William Sexton and Cyrille Dion played a match at billiards, 600 points, French caroms, for $1000 and the champion medal, in Tammany Hall, New York, on the evening of the 13th inst., Sexton winning by 172 points.

The Ophir mine of California has struck a bed of immensely rich ore, supposed to be a continuation of the "big bonanza." Ophir stock has gone up high in consequence.

Reports of Senator Blaine's condition represent him as a very sick man. He has been attacked with dysentery, and Friday night, the 9th inst., so weakened had he become that it was feared he would not survive. The worriment of mind caused by his recent domestic trouble has tendered to aggravate his bodily illness.

The shooting of Elmer Fletcher at Vandalia, Me., has been explained. It appears that one Jack Duncan had stolen $2800, and told Elmer of it, threatening to kill him if he told of it. Elmer told his mother, and Duncan finding this out killed him.

E. Near, of Orwell, N. Y., took a notion that he could cure his daughter of a desire to marry an objectionable young man by giving her a whipping. While this was going on up stairs, the mother, with an infant in her arms, went to interfere, when the brute pushed her down stairs, killing the child and severely injured the mother.

A vast amount of scandal is promised in connection with the suit to set aside Commodore Vanderbilt's will. The exposure of lots of immorality on the part of that ancient railroad mariner is threatened unless Wm. H. Vanderbilt comes down with $1,000,000. The parties had better wash their dirty linen in private.

Mrs. Belle Lynch, who, on her husband's death, assumed charge of the paper at Ukiah, Cal., of which he had been editor, cannot complain that she is not treated with perfect equality and just as if she were a man. Already she has been thrashed by two indignant readers, and the people have solemnly resolved to drive her out of the county.

There is a robust Christian element in San Antonio, Texas. It whipped an infidel who delivered a lecture against Christianity and sent him out of town with a warning that hanging would be the penalty of a second attack on his part upon the Christian religion.

Charles Capper, a rifle-target scorer, was shot in the breast and instantly killed by Dr. Lansing, while scoring for a rifle-match at Albany, N. Y., on the 12th inst. Capper leaves a wife and four children.

The American girls employed by the New York cigar manufacturies to take the place of the strikers, are said to be astonishing the employers by the quantity and quality of their work. The strike is considered a total failure, and a most disastrous one for the strikers, who find their occupation permanently gone.

Miss Wainwright, supporting George Rignold at the Globe theatre, Boston, is grand-daughter of the late Bishop Wainwright of New York, daughter of Commodore Wainwright, U. S. N., who lost his life gallantly fighting the famous Harriet Lane against a whole rebel fleet. She is also niece to Senators Anthony and Bayard, as also to Mr. Peter Wainwright of Boston. Young, beautiful and highly educated, a perfect French scholar and accomplished musician, she ought to become famous; and judging from the impression already made she will at least be a favorite with Boston.

Major Reno, who was sentenced to be dismissed from the service last Spring for insulting the wife of a brother officer, and whose sentence was commuted by the President to suspension for three years, isn't satisfied yet, and makes the cheeky proposition that this suspension be removed and he be granted a year's leave of absence in Europe. Army officers are highly indignant at the application, and General Sherman has written a savage protest against it.

Bangor's novelty is a case of stealing a man's leg. It had to be amputated, and the man brought suit for malpractice against the doctor who first attended him. A number of doctors were then called in to examine the limb, but the meeting adjourned without settling the matter, and with an agreement to meet for further consultation, one of the doctors locking up the leg in his office. The next morning it was missing, and the conundrum now is, who stole it?

Political.

There is a vigorous squabble going on among the Prince and anti-Prince factions of the democratic party in Boston, and it is very probable that Mayor Prince will be ex-Mayor next year.

The New York legislature is decisively republican in both branches. The Senate will stand—republicans, 19; democrats, 12; anti-Tammany, 1. House—republicans, 67; democrats, 56; anti-Tammany democrats, 3; independent democrats, 1; democratic greenback, 1. Republicans over all—Senate, 6; House, 6.

It is alleged that Edwin C. Bailey, editor and proprietor of the Concord *Patriot*, and formerly proprietor of the Boston *Herald*, is in Boston, making arrangements for a new daily evening democratic penny paper. He is said to have been in consultation with some prominent democrats, from whom he received encouragement enough to warrant the undertaking. The amount to be raised to start the paper is $75,000.

The newspapers of Wisconsin, republican and democratic alike, say that hard money won in the recent election there. There is hope even for the Northwest.

Ex-United States Marshal Shaffenberger, of Colorado, who has been in the Kansas penitentiary for the past eight months for robbing the United States government of $40,000, has been pardoned by President Hayes.

New Hampshire Items.

A house belonging to Isaac Bennett, in Belmont, was burned Monday night, the 12th. Probably the work of an incendiary. Loss $1500; insured $1000.

An attempt was made on the night of the 12th inst. to break into the store of Downing & Read, grocers, of Exeter. This is a third attempt at store-breaking there within a few weeks. It is supposed that the would-be thieves are mischievous boys in the vicinity, from the awkward manner in which they go to work. On the last attempt they piled a lot of dry goods boxes on each other, and in this way reached the rear store window, the glass of which they broke so that they might open it, but were unable to get in, owing to shutters on the inside.

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Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

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	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:50 10:25	5:50
Boston Way,	10:25	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
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E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Ship Paul Jones, Capt. Jacobs, arrived below Baltimore on the 13th inst.

The Bailey house on Court street, with the spacious grounds connected, has been secured by the managers of the Children's Home, and will be at once occupied by that most deserving charity.

Those desiring copies of the sermon preached by Rev. James DeNormandie on Sunday forenoon, the 11th inst., on "What it is to be d——d," can secure them, free, at Mercer Goodrich's bookstore.

At the last meeting of the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, at the close of the hearing on the petition of E. A. Clough for a new road, the Board voted to indefinitely postpone the further consideration of the matter.

Mr. Tower, a Boston diver, visited this city Wednesday forenoon to reconnoitre at the draw of Portsmouth bridge, and make arrangements for raising it. Another car, badly broken up, floated to the surface and went off up-river in the forenoon. The wheels of all the cars are at the bottom of the river, keeping the engine and tender company.

On Sunday evening, by invitation of Rev. E. M. Grant, the Portsmouth reform club will hold a temperance meeting in the Universalist church. Rev. L. F. McKinney, chaplain of the Manchester reform club, and an eloquent speaker, will deliver an address, and speaking is expected from members of the club; there will also be good music. Admission free, and invitation extended to all.

A fashionable wedding took place Wednesday forenoon at St. John's church, the contracting parties being Mr. Robert C. Peirce, son of the late Col. Joshua W. Peirce, and Miss Marianna Hackett, daughter of Hon. William H. Y. Hackett. The ancient church was filled with the elite of the city, and among the guests were ex-Governor Goodwin and a large number of the representatives of the bar, with other distinguished parties. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, rector of the church, assisted by Rev. Joshua R. Peirce, brother of the groom. The bride was elegantly attired in a navy blue travelling costume. After the nuptials, a recherche reception took place at the fine residence of the bride's father, which was attended by a large and select party. At its close the happy pair started on an extended western tour. The gifts were numerous and characteristic of the position of the families.—*Times.*

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The meetings still continue with unabated interest; the gospel meeting at the North church, Wednesday evening, was a very large one, every part of the house being filled.

At the praise service were sung, "Oh, where are the Reapers," "Ring the Bells of Heaven," "My High Tower," and other pieces.

At the beginning of the regular service was sung, "I love to tell the Story," and then prayers were offered by the Rev. Mr. Coult of Salem, after which Mr. McGranahan and wife sang, "In the presence of the King." The congregation then united in singing, "Jesus, keep me near the Cross," which was followed by "Where wilt thou spend Eternity," sung by Mr. McGranahan with thrilling effect.

Mr. Whittle announced that Thursday evening he should preach on Heaven; he then took as the subject of his remarks the "Parable of the rich man and Lazarus," Luke 16:19—31. Though this may be a parable, it teaches some spiritual truths. The man spoken of here, made a total failure of life. He had given him abundance of this world's goods; "he was clothed in purple and fine linen, and fared sumptuously every day;" yet he was selfish and cared not for God. When the beggar was laid at his gate, he cared nothing for him, though the law required him to administer to his wants. But the end came; the rich man died, was buried, and is represented as being in the future world. There he is described as having his memory remaining and unimpaired; the events of this life still pass through his mind; he could see the happy state of those who were in "Abraham's bosom." His state was fixed, and between him and the blessed "a great gulf was fixed." We read that "these shall go away into everlasting punishment, but the righteous into life eternal." He had chosen to pursue a certain course, and now he must take the consequences. Our future life is determined here, else why did the rich man desire that a message be sent to his brethren, "lest they also come in this place of torment." Christ humbled himself, became poor and of no repute, suffered on the cross that, we, through him, might be saved. Everything had been done for the rich man that God could do; he had "Moses and the prophets," and, if he would not believe them, neither would he believe, though "one rose from the dead." Everything has been done for our salvation; Christ has died for us; "how shall we then escape, if we neglect so great salvation."

Mr. McGranahan sang with unusual power "What Then;" and Mr. Whittle offered prayer for the unconverted.

During the singing of the hymn "Sinners turn, why will ye die," the congregation retired, and an enquiry was held for those who desired to converse on religious subjects. A meeting for men was also held at Mechanics' Hall.

The other meetings during the day, were well attended.

SUPREME COURT--5TH WEEK.

Wednesday, Nov. 14, before *Stanley, J.*

The Court was occupied throughout the day in the hearing of case Dunbrach vs. Hobbs.

In the matter of Carroll County Savings Bank, the Court made an order postponing the decree until the depositors can have an opportunity to confer upon the subject of an assignee.

[Communicated.]

THE OLD ASSEMBLY HOUSE.

Not a few there are, who, from what they remember or have heard from others of the above antique structure of former years, never pass Raitt's court without a wish to see it reproduced in its old-time locality. Much is it to be regretted that the photographic and steroscopic arts did not have an earlier existence, that we might look upon its pictured resemblance as it was, as future generations will be able to look upon present landmarks of interest that will in turn take their place among the things of the past. From Brewster's Rambles, to which we are indebted for so much it is pleasant to know of days gone by, it appears to have been built by Michael Whidden in the last century, as General Washington attended a ball given to him there in 1787, when he pronounced the dancing hall, with its drawing-rooms, the finest he had ever seen in any part of the country. Besides the assemblies that occurred there every winter, when the wealth and fashion of Portsmouth society joined in the mazy dance, and the Washington birthday ball that closed the season, it held the same relation to Portsmouth for theatrical purposes that Drury lane theatre of London, the Park theatre of New York, and the Federal street theatre of Boston, did to those cities. The late veteran actor, William Charles Drummond, first husband of the fair Mrs. Barrett, (the name by which she was known in her later life), loved to tell when past eighty in years, of the happiest period, as he said, of his whole theatrical life, when, in 1817, in the company of the Boston theatre, he performed with his beautiful wife, in her 17th year, at the Assembly House; he as Romeo to her Juliet, and Paul to her Virginia. So popular were they, flowers were sent to them daily from the gardens of Portsmouth, and a lover of the drama among its citizens furnished them a pleasure boat large enough to convey the whole company in moonlight sails upon the Piscataqua on the evenings when they did not perform; the shores on both sides of the river having plenty of listeners to the choice music, vocal and instrumental, that reached their ears from the sons and daughters of Thespis, including the airs from the delightful old operas of "The Mountaineers," and "Paul and Virginia," included in their programme of performances. The theatrical people who were wont to come from Boston annually were not of the strolling class, such as we read of in the player's story in Goldsmith's Essays, and of which specimens still are seen, but sterling artists who would have done credit to the Theatre Royal, Drury Lane, or New York's "old Drury," and there was sufficient cultivation in such matters among the people of Portsmouth fully to appreciate their performances. Besides the legends that survive of the Assembly House, its history can be read, during its entire existence, in the old volumes of the New Hampshire GAZETTE in the Atheneum library, from the many festive scenes and public exhibitions that occurred within its walls.

A lady has to tell of going there when a child to see a display of wax-statuary, that, as she remembers it, must quite have equalled Mrs. Jarley's famous show, and of handing her admission ticket to the life-like wax figure of the showman, an early Barnum, that stood at the entrance of the exhibition hall. Daniel Lambert, Larry O'Brien, (the Irish Giant), and all the other monstrosities wont to be found in old-time displays of the kind, were there, including the Witch of Endor raising Samuel from his tomb, which must have been especially choice and enlivening. Then there were the Sixteen Sister States, represented by as many little girls, fancifully dressed, with wax faces and hands, who were pounding upon inverted brass basins, being set in motion by the crank of a hand-organ that furnished music for the show. What a favored age it must have been when so much of the wonderful was to be seen, and how unfortunate are we not to have been born at an earlier period; enough it is to excite a wish for a home in one of the dwellings of Raitt's court, composed as they are mainly of the old edifice, in the hope of seeing some of the scenes of the past re-enacted at the witching hour of night, when spirits walk abroad, as did "the buried majesty of Denmark" to revisit the haunts of their earthly career,—if we may believe what our old friend Shakespeare informs us. Innumerable were the purposes for which the ancient temple of the muses was used, from Shakespeare's plays, and other of the old dramatists, well performed, to a puppet-show. Three thousand persons, as stated at the time, were in 1797 gathered in the large garden in the rear of the building, to witness the ascent of an immense balloon, of fancy colored paper, which, being the first thing of the kind ever seen here, drew together a large crowd. Some of the exhibitions were rather primitive, truly, but they "diverted" (to quote a phrase of the time) the good people who went to see them; but we will not laugh at them, for who can say but that a future generation may regard us as equally simple in being attracted by things that interest us now.

Our venerable fellow citizen, Capt. N. J. Ham, who has many interesting memories of the past to relate, tells of a time, in his boyhood, when he was awakened at his home, next door, by the Assembly House being on fire, through the carelessness of a writing master, who occupied the dancing hall as a place for his scholars; of his arousing Dr. Thorne from his slumbers on the opposite side of the street, to aid in extinguishing it, and the vexation of the owner, Mr. Whidden, with the writing master, when he learned that he had left two huge fires burning in the fireplaces of the hall, that had set the mantelpieces in a blaze, thus endangering, on such a blustering winter night, another conflagration, of which Portsmouth had already had a sufficiency. Another story of the building is that when it was once struck by lightning, the sole was stripped from the shoe of a young lady occupant, without inflicting injury to her foot. One of our citizens has a recollection of going there in his youth to a singing-school, and being told by the master that "nature had not designed him for a vocalist;" which he could not quite understand, as he had an idea that he was getting along as well as most of the class; but when the year following another teacher to whom he went, gave a hint of a similar import, he came to the conclusion that whatever else the gods had done for him, they had not made him musical.

Judging by what a few of the oldest of our residents can remember, and what others have said of it, so many happy memories were never associated with any other place of public amusement in Portsmouth; but these are for the present sufficient in this sketch of the once familiar landmark that was so conspicuous a feature in Vaughan street. J. H. B.

THE REPORTER'S OFFICE.

Editor Chronicle; The first excellent report of the Revival in your paper called forth a little criticism from some persons, because your reporter saw fit to intersperse a few remarks of his own. It was said that the reporter had only to note what he heard; and not to make any additions or subtractions, or comments. Of course the reason for this was that the criticisms there given were not as highly complimentary to the evangelists as their friends desired; if they had all been in favor, no one would have had a word to say against the reporter giving expression to his own views. The principle, however, is quite the same; it is no worse for a reporter to criticise than to praise; and if he is to give any impression of the sense of a meeting or of a discourse, can he do it without some words of his own? Is this altogether a fault, or is it a legitimate part of his office?

It is certainly something that he almost always does, but too frequently only in that stereotyped way, and with the repetition of those same adjectives which are used until they have become meaningless and an offence. Every prayer is *fervent* or *earnest*, though it be nothing but a mill-race of words without devotion or reverence, petition or aspiration; and many a discourse is *eloquent* and *impressive*, if only its sentences are so long, complicated and obscure, that if a fog-bell were to be rung in the middle it could not be heard at either end. Eloquent, able, scholarly preachers, or speakers in any department, are exceedingly rare; and it takes all force or meaning from words to use them so frequently and apply them so indiscriminately. A reporter says "the services to-day showed an apparently increased interest," "much good has already been done in the community," "a powerful sermon was preached last night,"—but are not all these *his* opinions, and favorable to increasing the interest already aroused? Why not object to them as well as to anything unfavorable? A strictly just person surely would. Certainly there is as much out of the way in these, as when your first reporter states (what was an unquestionable fact) that the great majority of listeners were far from accepting such views as were then presented. But it will be said a newspaper desires through its reports to give a fair impression of what is going on. If one reads in his morning or evening paper that a large congregation was present at such or such an unusual time or place, would it not be better to add that five or six churches were closed that all their attendants might, after long-repeated and vehement persuasion, be gathered into one, so that the public might be fairly informed? During the present religious (?) revival, probably at no meeting has the number represented nearly a half of the constituency of the churches engaged in the work; an *increased* interest ought to crowd every church,—not merely one.

Would not all such information be within the reporter's province, and something the public would be truly glad to have? Indeed there is no subject upon which reporters might more freely express opinions than upon this subject, which most intimately concerns all. One must not, of course, leave it doubtful which are his own words, and which the words of the speaker; nor should one make any comments in any ugly spirit, so as to set any one in an unfair light before the public; nor express opinions upon a subject where he had no information or interest; but with such limitations, surely the reporters' field ought to be regarded as pretty wide and free. The fact is, we are all delighted and think it very well, no matter how much is said, if only it agrees with our views or helps our side,—and when it is opposed to us, and we think it injures our cause with the public, we blame the reporter, and say it is his province to confine himself strictly to what was said and done! A man who is impartial, and honest, ought to confess that one is as legitimate as the other,—criticism as well as praise,—the unfavorable as well as the favorable. Thus the office of the reporter will steadily rise in dignity and influence, while if he be regarded as a senseless machine, only more and more inefficient and worthless persons will enter it, and the newspaper prove dull and dead indeed. The public would be pleased to hear again from your first reporter. FAIR PLAY.

MARRIAGES.

PEIRCE—HACKETT. In this city, Nov. 14th, by Rev. Charles A. Holbrook, assisted by Rev. Joshua R. Peirce, Mr. Robert C. Peirce and Miss Marianna Hackett, daughter of Hon. W. H. Y. Hackett, all of this city.

SMITH—DICKINSON. In Standish, Me., Nov. 7, Daniel B. Smith of Exeter, and Miss Lizzie D. Norton of Standish.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Ship Paul Jones, Jacobs, from this port, arr at Baltimore Nov 13.

Sch Active for this port sld from New York Nov 11.

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Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
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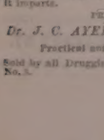

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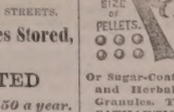

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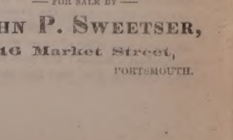

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Daily Chronicle.

Anecdote of Rufus Choate.

Rufus Choate and Chief-Justice Shaw of Massachusetts, often indulged in wordy combats, and wit was generally freely expended by both sides. Choate was once arguing a case before the Chief-Justice (who was one of the heaviest men ever elevated to the bench,) and, to express his reverence for the conceded ability of the Judge, said in yielding to an adverse decision:

"In coming into the presence of your Honor, I experience the same feelings the Hindoo does when he bows before his idol. I know that you are ugly, but I feel that you are great!"

It is said that Choate had a command of language, and his brain teemed with a wealth of diction truly marvelous. When Judge Shaw first heard there was a fresh edition of Worcester's Dictionary out, containing 2,500 new words, he exclaimed, "For heaven's sake, don't let Choate get hold of it."

Choate, in an important assault and battery case at sea, had Dick Barton, chief mate of the clipper ship Challenge, on the stand, and badgered him so for about an hour that Dick got his salt water up, and hauled by the wind to bring the keen Boston lawyer under his batteries. At the beginning of his testimony, Dick said that the night was as "dark as the devil, and rained like six bells." Suddenly Mr. Choate asked him:

"Was there a moon that night?"

"Yes, sir."

"Ah, yes! a moon—"

"Yes, a full moon."

"Did you see it?"

"Not a mite."

"Then, how do you know there was a moon?"

"The Nautical Almanac said so, and I'll believe that sooner than any lawyer in this world."

"What was the principal luminary that night sir?"

"Binnacle lamp aboard the Challenge."

"Ah! you are growing sharp, Mr. Barton.

"What in the blazes have you been grinding me this hour for—to make me dull?"

"Be civil, sir. And now tell me what latitude and longitude you crossed the Equator in?"

"Sho'—you're joking."

"No, sir, I am in earnest, and I desire you to answer me."

"I sha'n't."

"Ah! you refuse, do you?"

"Yes—I can't."

"Indeed! You are chief mate of a clipper ship, and are unable to answer so simple a question?"

"Yes, 'tis the simplest question I ever had asked me. Why, I thought every fool of a lawyer knew that there ain't no latitude at the Equator."

That shot floored Rufus.

A Maine Girl.

Eva E. Works, the girl who hayed all summer in Brewer village dressed in male attire, was born in Dixmont, near Bangor. Her parents lived on a farm, and she, as soon as she was old enough to do any work, commenced to help around the farm. Three of her brothers went into the army. The father was in rather poor health and needed help. Eva, as she grew stronger, did a good deal of the hard work on the farm, and knowing that she could do work easier in boy's clothing than girl's she assumed male dress. She continued to do the work on the farm, and as she grew older and stronger, she became a very good farm hand. In 1872 her father died. The mother was then dependent upon her for support. Eva continued on the farm, carrying on the laborious work in a most successful manner till the house and outbuildings caught fire and were totally destroyed. Not daunted in the least by this most unfortunate misfortune, a house near by was rented and the farm continued to be run by her. Thinking, however, that she could possibly support her mother some other way better than by farming, she moved to Chelsea. There the mother lived while Eva worked in Boston, and gained a living for the two. A part of the time she was a hostler at a stable and the remainder of the time drove a team. This went on for two years, when in May last the mother sickened and died, and Eva, not having to support any one beside herself, came to her native Maine once more. After she had become accustomed to the garb of a man she preferred to continue in that dress, and she now stoutly affirms that she will ever appear in male apparel.—*Belfast (Me.) Journal.*

—Little Soffygood—"Beg pardon, Miss; but you're down in my invoice for the next dance."

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 16, 1877.

Congress.

Messrs. Maxey and Coke, the democratic Senators from Texas, on the 14th inst. made earnest speeches in the Senate in favor of the government doing something to furnish better protection for the dwellers on the Texas border from Mexican raids. Mr. Maxey urging that the army should be kept up to its legal standard of 25,000 men. The army bill was reported, minus the sections limiting the strength of the army to 20,000 men and stationing four regiments of cavalry on the Texas border.

The time of the House was mainly taken up by speeches from democrats in favor of the repeal of the resumption act, and from republicans in favor of letting the resumption act stand as it is. Hon. Martin I. Townsend, of New York, made one of the best speeches of the session in favor of resumption.

The Eastern War.

A Russian official despatch says that the Russians, under General Heymann, had defeated the Turks at Mount Azizie, in front of Erzeroum. The Russians lost 800 men, while the Turkish loss was 2500.

News and Notes.

Peter Mahoney (or Mahaney), a drunken, worthless ruffian, fatally stabbed Miss Bridget F. Kenneally, a young Irish woman, on the street in South Boston, Wednesday night, 14th inst. The unfortunate victim, who is said to have been a worthy, industrious and in every way estimable young woman, gave the drunken scoundrel no provocation whatever for the assault. The assassin, who is a notorious South Boston rough, was arrested in a liquor saloon immediately after the murder.

Robert L. Case, president of the defunct Security Life Ins. Co. of New York, has been found guilty of perjury by a jury.

"Slippery Dick" Connolly, of the Tammany Tweed ring, has been served with notice of a suit to recover $7,000,000 of stolen money.

W. F. Coolbaugh, president of the Union National Bank of Chicago, shot himself dead at the base of the Douglas monument in that city on the night of the 15th inst. It is said he was driven to the act by the drunkenness of his wife.

SCHOONER EVADNE, Capt. SICKMAN, sailed from La Have, N. S., last December, with a cargo of potatoes for New York, and had never since been heard from until a few days ago, when a ship arriving at Queenstown, Ireland, from Rangoon, reported passing the wreck of a large schooner with the name "Evadne" on the bow. She was undoubtedly wrecked with the loss of all hands in the heavy storms of last January.

Steamship City of Brussels had a very rough passage on her last trip from Liverpool to New York, arriving at the latter port on the 14th inst. with loss of foreyard, fore-topgallant mast, and an anchor and chain. In going up New York harbor she ran down and sunk schooner Alexander Young, coal-laden, and drowned two of the crew.

Field & Leiter's immense dry goods establishment in Chicago, the largest establishment west of New York, was burned on the night of Wednesday, 14th inst. Loss estimated at over a million dollars; insurance $900,000. Three men were killed by falling rubbish, or burned to death; several persons are missing, and five others were badly injured.

A brutal prize-fight took place between two roughs, named Harry Hicken and William C. McClellan, in New York, Wednesday night, for $250 a side and the light-weight championship, the money being subscribed by Wall street nabobs, and the disgraceful exhibition "witnessed by young bloods of some of the wealthiest and most respectable families in the city." The human brutes pummeled each other terribly for an hour, and then the referee declared a draw.

The large number of stowaways who arrive at Liverpool in Atlantic steamers, says the London *Times*, gives some notion of the bad times prevalent in New York. Two of these stowaways were taken before the local magistrates last week and fined $25 and costs each, with the alternative of two months of hard labor. They both pleaded that they could get no work in America, and were destitute.

The superiority of civil over ecclesiastical law has been expressed by the Pennsylvania Court of Common Pleas. It was a case of six years standing between a priest named Father Stack and Bishop O'Hara, and the latter was beaten.

Collections by the fish commission under charge of Spencer F. Baird during the past summer off the coasts of Maine and Massachusetts, which are very valuable, are being classified in the Smithsonian Institution. The operations of the summer have added greatly to the knowledge of previously visited fishing banks, and brought to light one up to this time unknown, about fifteen miles off the mouth of Boston harbor. It is so rich in fish that from 500 to 1000 pounds have been taken by trolling within half an hour, and among the victims was discovered a species of flounder previously unknown on the American coast, and hitherto believed to be peculiar to Greenland.

Mr. Barnum sent a scientific expert, Professor J. K. Taylor of Bridgeport, out to Missouri to make an examination of the "fossil man" lately discovered in Colorado. The Professor's report is published, and the conclusion which he has reached is that it is a genuine fossil, formed by mineral matter in a mold produced by a figure which "was once a living animal organism." The figure is about seven and one-half feet high, and has features of a "decided Indian type." Mr. Barnum offers $10,000 to any sculptor who will produce a facsimile of it, and $1,000 to the poor of Denver, and a like sum to the poor of Bridgeport, if it is shown that this is not a genuine fossil.

Governor Hubbard, of Texas, said in a recent speech at an agricultural fair, that Texas was getting rich at the rate of $100,000,000 per annum. The taxable property in 1876 was $250,000,000, while now it is $350,000,000. At this rate, he predicted, it will in 1880 amount to $700,000,000, with a population of 3,000,000, represented by more than twenty members in Congress.

The regents of the Smithsonian Institute propose to erect a building costing $125,000, to contain the $1,000,000 worth of articles presented by foreign exhibitors at the centennial exposition, provided Congress will furnish the funds, of which there seems to be but little doubt.

Under the law, the Postmaster-General is authorized to make all appointments of postmasters whose salaries are less than $1000 each, and all postmasters whose salaries exceed $1000 are appointed by the President. Of the former there are in all 35,948, and of the latter (those appointed by the President,) but 1397, thus showing a vast deal of patronage that is placed in the hands of the Postmaster-General. The total number of persons employed in the Post-office Department proper is 373, which is a very small force as compared with other departments, as the Pension Bureau of the Interior Department alone employs a greater force than the entire Post-office Department proper. The whole number of officers, including postmasters, agents, etc., employed under the department, is 53,000.

New Hampshire Items.

Three pairs of twins have been born in Ashland within as many months.—of Mrs. John H. Barry, Mrs. B. H. Brown, and Mrs. Joseph Blanchard.

The Methodist clergyman at South Newmarket has a salary of $600 and a parsonage, the Congregational preacher gets $500 and the use of a small farm, and the Universalists pay their pastor $1000 per year.

Harness thieves are very troublesome in Greenland. The last victim is J. C. Weeks, who lost a pair, for the recovery of which and the capture of the thief he offers a reward of $50.

Both the Congregational and Methodist parsonages at Greenland are being repainted, and the academy building is nearly finished.

Three singing schools are in progress in Deerfield. There are not many towns in the State which have pretty girls enough to support two.

Timothy Dalley jumped out of a fourth story window in Manchester on Wednesday, and was killed. He was in the 'horrors" at the time.

The hard times have resulted in a fearful increase of crime and vagrancy. From all parts of the State there are reports of an unusual prevalence of petty offences and of the very frequent appearance of tramps and hungry wanderers. The present condition of business is not the direct cause of the multiplicity of these wanderers, for there is not a county in the State where an able-bodied person cannot find an opportunity to earn simple food, shelter and clothing. Advantage, however, is taken of the dull times, by strong men and boys, who, too lazy to labor, are swarming about the rural districts and telling their thread-bare stories of no work and no money. Not one out of a dozen of these muscular tramps will accept work if offered to them. As the winter approaches, the stern necessity for additional clothing, and substantial food presses upon these vagrants, and the result is breaking and stealing all over the State. Nor are these lesser offences all there is to be feared from these wanderers in our midst, for many of them are desperate enough, if hard pressed, to commit any deed of violence known in the catalogue of crime.—*Patriot.*

In the case of the "Granite Agricultural Works"—the trial of Mr. A. B. Latham of Marlboro, by Swain, Earle & Co. of Boston, to recover the amount of a note for about $200, which purported to be Mr. Latham's—the jury, this noon, brought in a verdict for the defendant, who recovers costs. The note purported to be made to C. B. Mahan of New Hampshire "Agricultural Works" fame, and who is accused of fraud by some of the farmers. Mr. Latham's defence was that he never made the note. The jury found for defendant; and the Boston grocery firm, who in business took the note from Mahan, lose their case and have to pay the costs of the prosecution.—*Hartford Times.*

Florias Tripp, a twelve year old boy at Short Falls, recently caught an otter in a trap set in the Suncook river for a mink. The otter was a beautiful animal, and measured four feet from tip of nose to end of tail. It is the first that has been caught in that region for twenty years.

Political.

As miserable a piece of democratic trickery as has lately come to light, has just been revealed in the case of Metcalf, republican Representative-elect from the Third St. Louis District of Missouri. Under orders from the democratic Secretary of State forwarded a certificate to Metcalf, so framed as to insure his failure of recognition before the House. This was discovered in time, however, and a peremptory mandate of the court compelled the issuing of a certificate in regular and legal form.

The Brooklyn *Union* says one "L. Silverman," who was chief operator in a recent scheme to have Revenue Collector Freeland removed in favor of Gen. E. L. Hayes, was at the time advertising clerkships for sale and endeavoring to dispose of those worth $1500 per annum for a bonus of $300.

It was Mr. Chittenden (republican) of New York, and not Mr. Crittenden (democrat) of Missouri, who made the great hard-money speech in the House on the 13th inst.

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In accordance with regulations fixed by the Trustees the Voting Register will be closed on the thirtieth day of November, between which time and the Annual Meeting on the second Wednesday of December no registration will be made.

Per Order of the Directors,

tnov20 EDWARD C. PERKINS, *Clerk.*

PRINCE'S BAY

OYSTERS!

W. FREEMAN is constantly receiving from New York, PRINCE'S BAY and other Fancy Oysters, for sale at retail or by the hundred.

Also on hand a large supply of PLANTED OYSTERS, of superior quality and size.

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AT SUCH

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

		A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8	10:35	5 *6:30
Boston Way,		10:55	5
Portland,		9:35	4:35 6:30
East [beyond Portland],		9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9:25	4:55
Great Falls,		9:25	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9:35	
Concord and North,		7:30	4:55
Concord Way,			4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.		7:40	4:55
Dover,		7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:30 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

The sunken locomotive and cars—or what is left of them—we understand will be raised on Sunday.

Lovers of Dickens cannot fail to be highly gratified at the second entertainment advertised by the Hutchings Association to-day.

The Secretary of the Navy, in response to a request made by Senator Rollins for the re-establishment here of the Marine Band, answers that it cannot be done.

Fishing schooner Annabel, sixteen tons, formerly of Portland, has been purchased by Capt. Thomas Jamieson of this city, and will be employed in winter fishing out of this port.

Capt. Albert Rand, of the steam-tug Clara Batemen, has purchased the smart little steamer "Little May," which was used as a pleasure boat on York river by the guests of the Marshall House last summer.

The oldest sexton in this city is Mr. Ebenezer Wyatt, who completed on Sunday last his thirty-second year as sexton at the Unitarian church, which church also has the longest settled pastor in the city. Mr. Josiah F. Adams, at the Universalist church, is the next sexton in order.—*Times*, 13th.

All the vessels of Valentine Doane, Jr's, fishing fleet have been laid up for the winter in the pool below the second Newcastle bridge, excepting the W. H. Y. Hackett, which will keep on at winter fishing, and the Henry M. Clark, which is to be put in the fruit trade between New York and the West Indies.

There was a runaway on Islington street, shortly after noon on Thursday, and when near Wardwell's store, the horse took to the sidewalk, striking Mrs. Thomas Rutter, knocking her down and cutting her head badly, and injuring her so that it was thought she could not recover. The team belongs to Mr. C. C. Lamprey, we are informed.

A horse belonging to a Mr. Hamilton, who keeps a meat shop on Vaughan street, ran away down Islington and Congress streets at about half-past two o'clock Thursday afternoon, with a wagon to which he was attached. Everybody discreetly got out of the way until he reached a point opposite Mr. Charles H. Joy's store, when a son of Mr. Joy's ran out and caught him by the head; but the frightened animal kept on, carrying the boy with him—off his feet a good part of the time, too—as far as Church street, where the boy managed to bring him up. It was a risky exploit, well done.

A large and pleasant surprise party was given Mr. Wm. H. Smith and family on Christian Shore, Wednesday evening. The occasion was the tenth anniversary of the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Smith, and it was their intention to have celebrated it in a quiet and private manner; but a few of their friends hearing of the coming event circulated invitations to upwards of fifty acquaintances, and when the hour of assembling arrived, the house was filled with visitors, each having some token of friendship. The presents were numerous and some of them quite elegant. After the usual time spent in "thawing out," the company settled down to a good time and the house was the scene of continual merriment until midnight.

PEOPLE WHO DON'T ADVERTISE.

Said an old patron to us the other day, "I would like to advertise, but business is so dull I cannot afford it." Such a man reasons backwards. The experience of every shrewd and successful man has shown that the time to advertise and sell goods is when people, not knowing from the ordinary modes what a dealer has for sale, learn through a judicious system of advertising where to go to make purchases.

We sat behind two ladies coming from Boston, recently, one of whom had been making extensive purchases of dry goods and was telling of the "bargains" she had obtained at a leading store in Boston. "Why," said the other, "I bought the same thing at a little less than that on Market street last week." "Indeed," exclaimed the other, "I didn't think I could find it in Portsmouth at all. I have never seen it advertised." We thought the lady was not so much to blame for buying in Boston, when the Portsmouth dealers in the goods she wanted to buy, did not inform her by a legitimate process that they had the goods on sale.

We recall the recent case of a merchant who on taking account of his stock found he had a surplus of a certain commodity on hand which he did not wish to "carry over." He sent a brief but business-like advertisement to the CHRONICLE, calling attention to these goods, which he promised to sell at low prices. He soon had calls for the article from persons he never saw or heard of before, and he was soon sold out of the article he feared would be a drug on his hands. This was not all, for others called for it until he was obliged to order more of a commodity he had previously despaired of selling. He ordered out the advertisement which had given him more customers in that line than he had catered for, entirely satisfied with the results of his special advertisement.

The time to advertise is when trade is dull. A dealer said to us last summer, "I do not want to advertise now, as I have all I can attend to; but next winter trade in my line will be dull, and I shall advertise extensively." Another dealer, some months since, told us he could not afford to advertise; but when the assignee in bankruptcy took possession of his assets he found several commodities which, if advertised and seasonably sold, would have very much increased the rate of dividend the creditors were compelled to receive. The only true rule is to advertise to get customers, not to omit to advertise because customers are few.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, Nov. 15; *Batchelder, J.*

John Jones, for drunkenness, was requested to contribute to the treasury the sum of $9.90, with which request he courteously complied.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The attendance at the gospel meeting, Thursday evening, was larger than usual; at seven o'clock the house was filled, and an overflow meeting was held in the Methodist church.

The usual praise service was held, at which were sung, "Jesus paid it all," "What shall the harvest be?" "Are your windows open toward Jerusalem," and "Salvation."

The regular service opened with singing "That will be heaven to me," after which prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Gwen, and then Mr. McGranahan sang "If papa were only ready," and "Good news for Willie," with thrilling effect. The congregation then joined in singing, "O, think of the home over there," and Mr. McGranahan sang "Eternity."

After asking God's blessing, Mr. Whittle spoke from Acts 7:55-56. We sing and speak a great deal of heaven, and much of it is imaginary, but heaven is not an imaginary place. It is not a mere state of mind, or experience; according to the Bible it is place. In Psalms 11:4, it is called the "dwelling place of God," and it is thus described in other parts of the scriptures; in them also it is spoken of as being the place where the angels dwell. It is the place from which Jesus came, and the place to which he has gone. Stephen, in his dying hour, saw the heavens opened, and Jesus standing on the right hand of God. It is the place of departed saints. Elijah is spoken of as being taken up into heaven; and hundreds of years after, he and Moses appeared alive on the Mount of Transfiguration. In John 17:24, Jesus says "Father, I will that they also whom thou hast given me be with me where I am." But the Bible nowhere teaches that we can have any communication with the spirits of the departed, or that they can return to us; and the belief in such a doctrine is a dangerous error. At death, the spirit "will return to God who gave it;" so Paul thought, when he says "to die is gain." In the final day, the dead shall be raised, those on earth changed, and all the saints, perfected, shall dwell in heaven forever. Neither the departed nor we have yet received perfect joy, but in the resurrection morn, there shall be perfect joy forever. In that home, there shall be no more sorrow or pain, but pleasure forevermore. But who shall inherit that blessed home? "They that believe in Christ shall not perish, but have everlasting life." In that blessed country, many have friends whom they have promised to meet there; may God influence such, to-night, to redeem that promise, and seek Christ.

Mr. McGranahan sang "What then," and during the singing of "Shall we gather at the river," the congregation retired, some fifty or more remaining for an enquiry meeting. A meeting for men, conducted by Mr. Shelton, was also held in Mechanics' hall.

SUPREME COURT--5TH WEEK.

Thursday, Nov. 14th, before *Stanley, J.*

John D. Lyman vs. Boston & Maine Railroad, action to recover for 330 1-4 cords of wood at four dollars per cord, $1321, with $307.13 interest. The defendants paid into Court $1063.41, and the question on trial is as to the balance, which the defendants deny, claiming nothing more is due, and that but 234 cords were delivered. On the trial, on Wednesday evening, Mr. Philbrick of East Kingston, a juror, was taken sick and excused, and the case proceeded with eleven jurors. Wiggin and Fernald for plaintiff; Hatch for the railroad. The case was given to the jury just before the adjournment in the evening.

In the case Dunbrach vs. Hobbs, a deaway was asked, for an opportunity to examine a witness who was not present.

Leonard L. Hook vs. Worcester & Nashua Railroad, an action to recover for damages for killing horses of the plaintiff on the line of the Nashua & Rochester Railroad in Sandown, is next in order, a jury having been empanelled with Thomas Conner, Esq., of Exeter, as foreman. Hatch for plaintiff; General Stevens of Nashua for the defendants.

[Communicated.]

REPORTORIAL--OR, OTHERWISE?

Editor Chronicle: The communication of "Fair Play" in regard to "The Reporter's Office" does not seem to call for any response except from the closing wish to "hear again from your first reporter." "Fair Play" states the case with such evidence of fairness and rare good judgment, that any additional work from the "reporter's" pen would seem superfluous. It chanced that, being desirous of listening to the singing of the McGranahans, the writer of the report referred to wasted a valuable hour at the North church on the Sunday on which the self-styled "evangelists" made their *debut* here. Being requested as a favor to report what he might hear, he did so—experiencing much pleasure from the singing of two solos, and some indignation at an exhibition of bigotry and self-sufficiency worthy the barbaric days of hanging for supposed witchcraft. The reporter who performs his work mechanically may consent to have no idea or opinion of his own, and be willing to become a tool to praise the doings of vainglorious workers-up of popular excitement, but as the writer has no overwrought sympathy with religious (or any other form of) intoxication, he painted the picture as it was, and has been pleased with the frequent congratulations offered him since. To doom him to follow up the matter, requiring constant attendance, would be a species of "damnation" a little too extensive for courtesy, and rather disagreeable to a person accustomed to choosing his own company.

This conviction is confirmed by a portion of the text of Rev. James DeNormandie's excellent and widely read sermon of Nov. 11th, the text being a sermon in itself: "Beware of the scribes which desire to walk in long robes, and love greetings in the market, and the highest seats in the synagogues, and the chief room at feasts; which devour widows' houses, and for a show make long prayers." THAT "REPORTER."

MARRIAGES.

ROGERS—EVOY. In this city, Nov. 14th, by Rev. James Noyes, Mr. George E. Rogers and Miss Naomi Evoy, all of this city.

MILTON—HAYNES. In Weston, Mass., Nov. 7, Henry Slade Milton and Lilias Constance Haynes, daughter of Hon. Gideon Haynes.

WHITE—WRIGHT. In Woburn, Mass., by Rev. N. B. Wright, Mr. Richard S. White of South Hampton, and Miss Charlotte S. Wright, daughter of the officiating clergyman.

DAY—LITTLEFIELD. In Newmarket, Oct. 27, Mr. James S. Day of Newmarket, and Miss Mary J. Littlefield of Berwick, Me.

DEATHS.

INGRAHAM. In this city, Nov. 15th, Margaret Pierrepont Ingraham, infant daughter of Geo. T. and Kate W. Ingraham, of Baltimore, formerly of this city.

LAMPREY. In Hampton, Nov. 11th, Mr. Reuben Lamprey, aged 68 years.

TREFETHEN. In Kittery, Nov. 12th, of pneumonia, Mrs. Harriet Trefethen, widow of Levi B. Trefethen, aged 78 years, 4 mos.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED Nov. 15.

Sch Active, Seaward, Port Johnson.
Sch T J Trafton, Hoyt, Port Johnson.
Sch G D Perry, Flynn, Port Johnson.
Sch Lucy Lee, Ingalls, Port Johnson.
Sch D K Ham, Freeman, Boston.
Sch Zicara, Webber, Hoboken, coal for C E Walker & Co.
Sch America, Trueworthy, Rondout, cement to Samuel Adams & Co., and C E Walker & Co.
Sch F Nelson, Holbrook, South Amboy.

SAILED Nov. 15.

Sch Daniel Yorke, Crossley, Cleverie, N S.

Schs Lucy Lee, for this port, and T J Trafton, Hoyt, for Boston, sld from New York Nov 13.
Sch J P Ames, Gould, for this port, cld from Bangor Nov 13.
Sch Jesse Williamson, Jr, Sawyer, for this port, cld from St John, N B, Nov 12.

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WANTED.

SIX OR EIGHT LADS of good habits and address, from 10 to 14 years of age, and with some natural musical taste—to form an

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For their services they shall receive from the subscriber careful training in

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Apply for examination until Dec. 1st, on Wednesday and Saturday afternoons from 3 until 5 o'clock, at 39 CONGRESS ST.

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A Congressman's Love Story.

Mr. Conger of Michigan has a love history, which is very remarkable. He has a smiling, fair wife, fat and forty, who leans upon him in the abandon of the honeymoon. She has dark hair, patted smoothly on her cheeks, and she wears gold rimmed spectacles. She was his first love. A quarrel separated them. Each married. Twenty years after, he, a widower, was in Congress; she, a widow, sat in the gallery and listened to his speech. It was the first time they had seen each other since their early days. She sent her card to him; he came at once to the gallery. After a little talk she asked him to call upon her at her friend's, Mrs. Dahlgren's. He said she would call if he could come as he used to in those long past days of youth. In a few weeks they were married at Mrs. Admiral Dahlgren's residence, and are completely infatuated with each other.—*Washington letter.*

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 85c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', pen. hal $8.50.
Eggs per dozen, 27c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per lb by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 50 @ 65c; N. O. 75.
Nuts per bushels, 50 to 55 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bbl., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c.
Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Br. 9½ @10c; Gr. 11; Crushed 11½c.
Tea per lb, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	107¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	108
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1879	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	103½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 3½	50
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	204
Boston & Providence	122½
Boston & Albany	121
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	44
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	88½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	96½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	63½

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Portsmouth Chronicle

—There's a heap o'nonsense about the "last rose of summer." Just examine one and you'll find it full of flies and worms, and smelling like a burnt boot.

—There is a precocious six-year-old boy who is wonderful on spelling and definition. The other day his teacher asked him to spell "matrimony." "M-a-t-r-i-m-o-n-y," said the youngster, promptly. "Now define it," said the teacher. "Well," replied the boy, "I don't exactly know what it means, but I know mother's got enough of it."

—A suggestion which meets with much favor in London is that the names of the brave fellows who were lost in their attempt to rescue the crew of the Cleopatra caisson during the storm in which it was cut adrift, should be inscribed upon the pedestal when the Needle is put up. The battle of the sites still goes on, but it is pretty well settled that the Egyptian trophy will find its last resting place on the green at Westminster, where its model is already becoming a familiar object.

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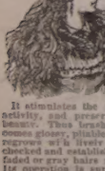

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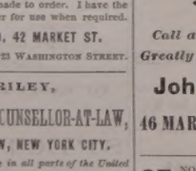

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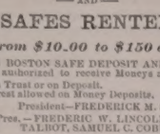

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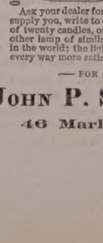

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PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 8th, 1877.

SEALED PROPOSALS in duplicate, endorsed "Proposals for Coal," will be received at this office until THURSDAY, 22d inst., at 1 o'clock, for the following anthracite steamer coal, to be delivered on board of vessels at Port Richmond FREE OF ALL EXPENSE to the Government, for each of the following places, viz.:

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Responsible security will be required for faithful deliveries as above, in conformity with the stipulations on the blank forms for bids to be had at this office, otherwise bids will not be entertained.

JOHN S. GULICK,
9-13-16-20 Pay Director, U. S. Navy.

CHAIRS TO MEND.

MR. C. C. WILSON, THE BLIND MAN, wishes to thank the citizens of Portsmouth and vicinity for the liberal patronage which they have bestowed upon him, since he has been located in this city, and hopes they will continue to send all their Cane-seat CHAIRS which need repairing, to him, and have them cheaply and neatly repaired. Residence No. 7 HANOVER St., three doors from High St. Orders may be left at E. R. Laight's store, corner of Vaughan and Congress streets.

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EDWIN A. TILTON,
tf Organist St. John's Church.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1877.

Congress.

The Senate on Thursday passed the navy appropriation bill as it came from the House, without debate.

The army bill was passed, but was amended so as to eliminate the mandatory clauses which requires the stationing of four cavalry regiments on the Rio Grande, and makes it permissible so far as the President is concerned. This was done because, as the House passed the bill, in this respect it was held to be an infringement of the high constitutional privilege of the President, and enjoining him in his right to order the army as its Commander-in-Chief where he pleased. The Senate also struck out the amendment which restricted the strength of the army to twenty thousand men, and left the law as heretofore, to recruit the army up to twenty-five thousand men.

The bill as amended was returned to the House, where it was referred to the committee on appropriations.

The Eastern War.

The Russians have formally summoned Osman Pasha to surrender Plevna. Osman Pasha formally says he won't do it.

The Russians report further successes at and near Erzeroum. The Ardahan column is on the Saghanli mountains.

Chronicle Correspondence.

SOUTH SEABROOK, Nov. 15th.

The temperance crusade meeting, last Sunday, came off at four o'clock in the afternoon, in front of the residence of Jacob Rowe. As Mr. Rowe lives just beside the Eastern Railroad track and off from a travelled road, and the crusaders had been warned to keep off the premises and were liable to be kicked off, a position was taken beside the railroad track, the audience of some two hundred persons lining the fences on either side, with the railroad tracks between them, enabling the crusaders to draw comparisons between the benefits of the Eastern and the curse of the "Black Valley Railroad." Rev. Wm. A. Rand, and Messrs. George E. Merrill (who by the way was born in Portsmouth, his father being the well known blacksmith of that name, formerly of Portsmouth but now of Newburyport,) and Richard L. Gove, coming on the ground fresh from listening to a rousing, aggressive temperance lecture at the Baptist church by Rev. Mr. Martell, (who is supplying the pulpit there,) carried the spirit of the meeting with them, much encouraged to see that although this was the eighth Sunday crusade, the subject of temperance still seemed to keep its hold on the interest of the people. Mr. John M. Weare was not present at the meeting to give aid and comfort to the rum element of the town; the "village" being the citadel of the "hard liquor" traffic, Mr. Weare has so far confined himself to meeting the crusaders in that place, which causes comment among the total abstainers. It was announced that the next Sunday crusade would be in front of John Locke's on Walton road, the place the crusade was begun at. This announcement caused much surprise among the liquor sellers present, as it made evident to them that the "cold water" thrown on the crusade by John M. Weare did not wet through. J.E. Wolfe, of Newburyport, is to be present at the meeting to be held at the village on Sunday, the 25th inst. Several slaves of cider have signed the pledge; and although no sellers have given up the business, they have lost some customers. The liquor dealers are disturbed at an uprisal in the public mind of the law question; and if the crusaders with the gospel are not very much mistaken there will also be a crusade of law.

The new school-house in South Seabrook is framed and boarded; and if Mr. Weare, whose residence is several miles away, would visit the place and see the building with its two stories looming up before him, he might be brought to see that there is some advance in the educational interest of the place—on a comparison of the new school-house with the old one. The building is erected at the expense of the district, by the district's own vote, $1576 being the amount of the contract. ESO.

RYE, Nov. 15th.

The "gay season" has commenced, and for the next five or six months the janitor of the Town Hall will earn his salary, if present appearances do not prove deceptive. The Musical Union met two evenings last week for rehearsal, preparatory to accepting an invitation to go to North Hampton and assist in a praise meeting, in the Congregational church there, which event came off on Sunday evening last, to the undoubted satisfaction of all present. The Union on these occasions was strengthened by the addition of several talented singers from North Hampton.

The members of the Congregational society, although still without a minister, are not disposed to remain inactive, and to show that they are still alive and mean to make the fact manifest, met in force at the vestry one night last week, and decided to have a Festival,—with all that the name implies,—at the Town Hall, on the evenings of Dec. 19th and 20th. The management was placed in proper hands, and it is safe to assume that there will be no failure, on their part, to make it the event of the season.

G. H. Janness, Esq., lectured in the Town Hall, on Thursday evening, for the benefit of the Christian society's Sunday School. His subject was, "Our Children—What shall they read?" and was handled with his usual ability, and the lecture was warmly received by the attentive audience present. It is proposed to have more lectures, for the same laudable object.

"Si Holland," whoever he may be, who claims to "have been before the public seven years and never failed to please all," advertises to give a show, next Tuesday night, at the Town Hall.

Business at the "South End," in the building line, is reported as being quite brisk.

The market for produce is not very lively as yet, but several car loads of potatoes and hay have been shipped from Greenland depot, the present week.

If they are to have any "guessing" done at the Festival, it would be both instructive and entertaining to have a guessing match on the number of loads of sea-weed that have been hauled from the town's six miles of sea-coast this fall. NAT.

News and Notes.

The consolidation of the Atlantic & Pacific and Western Union Telegraph companies, in Pennsylvania, is likely to be blocked by a constitutional provision which prohibits any such transaction.

Advices from Chicago show that the suicide of Mr. Coolbaugh, the banker, was undoubtedly due to overwork, and the report that it was owing to his wife's habits of intemperance is a cruel and baseless slander, as Mrs. Coolbaugh is a most accomplished and upright lady.

The Trans-Pacific Cable Company, to lay a telegraph cable from San Francisco to Japan and China, via Hawaiian Islands, organized at San Francisco, with Leland Sanford for president. The capital is $10,000,000 in $100 shares.

A new gasometer in Indianapolis blew up on Thursday, doing $20,000 damage but causing no loss of life.

Nebraska had an earthquake on Thursday; at Columbus it was so severe as to crack the brick court house in nine places.

George W. Stevens, George W. Kemp, Warren H. Walker, Charles A. Stevens, Benj. Whitten, Taylor S. Dodge, Henry G. Mills and Edward Merrill, striking engineers on the Boston and Maine Railroad, were all found guilty of conspiracy and obstructing the mails, in the United States Court at Portland Thursday morning before Judge Fox. A motion for arrest of sentence was made and is to be argued a fortnight hence before Justices Clifford and Fox on exceptions. The penalty is from $1000 to $10,000 fine, with from one day to two years' imprisonment.

Secretary Sherman's response to the resolution of the House shows that on the 7th inst. there was nearly $60,000,000 in gold coin in the Treasury available for resumption purposes.

Newfoundland advices say that the schooner Rose of Carbonear is missing. She had fifty persons on board, men, women and children. About forty days have passed since she left the Labrador coast.

I have heard Morton speak hour after hour in the Senate chamber when the muscles of his face were visibly contracted with pain, and his skin pallid with suffering and weakness. Time and again has he fallen fainting in the corridors about the Senate chamber or in his committee room, yet so well did the attendants know his strong aversion to letting the public know his weakness that the incident was rarely known beyond the limited circle of those who chanced to see it, or knew those who did and wormed it from them.—*Washington letter to Boston Post.*

The steamer Georgia, which was recently stranded on the rocks in the straits of Magellan, was set afloat by a very ingenious device. About 120 feet of the vessel's keel had been torn out, and two-thirds of the iron plates bent or broken, but the wreckers filled her frame spaces with Portland cement, which hardened into a solid wall against the water. Wrecking pumps were then put to work, and, as her engines were uninjured, she was safely steamed into port.

Political.

The citizens' movement in Boston against the re-election of Mayor Prince is assuming formidable proportions, the entire republican party and a large number of the better class of democrats seeming to be engaged in it. A list of over two thousand names, signed to a petition to Hon. Henry L. Pierce to run for Mayor on a citizens' ticket, contains the names of hundreds of prominent democratic business men, who have viewed with dismay the influence over the city government wielded by the back slums during the past year, and evidently do not love their party so much as to be willing to see the city ruled by the dangerous classes as New York has been for so many years.

Senator Conkling has written to the Secretary of the Treasury asking for what reasons and causes Collector Arthur and Naval Officer Cornell are removed before their terms of office expire, his understanding being that under the new civil service rules officers are to be removed only for cause.

New Hampshire Items.

The house and shed of Stephen Deland, in New Durham, were totally destroyed, with the entire contents, by fire early Thursday morning. The cause is supposed to have been a defective flue. Loss $1400.

The stable floor of Farmer Robbins, on the Chesterfield road, Keene, fell into the cellar on the night of the 12th inst., and four cows which were fastened to the stanchions, were found hanging by their necks, dead.

Col. George W. Lane, of Derry, has raised this year from three-quarters of an acre of land, twenty-two tons and 1269 pounds of mangel wurtzels. He also grew sixty tons of pumpkins, one of which measured five feet one and one-half inches in circumference and weighed sixty pounds.

A drunken quarrel between George Adjutant and one of his sons, at their home in the northly part of Wolfeboro, on the evening of the 13th inst., resulted in the immediate death of an old lady by the name of Garland, mother-in-law of Adjutant, who was far advanced in years, being 96 years old. It appears that she was sitting in the room where the fight took place and was knocked upon the floor, remaining there during the melee, and when taken up and placed upon a bed it was found that she was dead.

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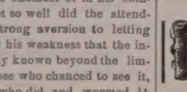

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THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between THOMAS A. STERLING and GEORGE E. STACKPOLE, under the firm name of STERLING & STACKPOLE is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Portsmouth, Nov. 7, 1877.

All debts due the above-named firm are to be paid by, and all bills against the firm to be presented for settlement to, the undersigned, who is authorized to settle the business of the late firm.

GEORGE E. STACKPOLE.

Portsmouth, Nov. 10, 1877.

Lost.

ON Wednesday, between Miller Avenue and Market street, a BLACK CROSS EARRING, with a pearl in the centre. The finder will be rewarded on leaving it at the Chronicle Office.

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To the Holders of Certificates of Indebtedness:

THE VOTING REGISTER of Certificate Holders is now making up at the Office of the Trustees, No. 15 State street, Boston, Mass. The name of parties to whom certificates were originally delivered have been placed in the Register. Any subsequent purchaser or holder desiring to register may do so on presenting at said office to Mr. JOSHUA CRANE a written statement of his name, address, and the denomination and number of each certificate held by him or a written order from the last registered holder.

In accordance with requisitions fixed by the Trustees the Voting Register will be closed on the thirtieth day of November, between which time and the Annual Meeting on the second Wednesday of December no registration will be made.

Per Order of the Directors,

tnov30 EDWARD C. PERKINS, *Clerk.*

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Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5
Portland,	9:35	4:35 6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:43	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:33 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Reform Club meeting on Sunday evening at the Universalist church, at 7:30 o'clock.

Eastern Railroad shares advanced in the Boston market on Thursday from 4 7-8 to 5 1-2 per share.

The fullness of a merchant's store is not indicated by the beggarly account of empty boxes which he permits to block up the sidewalk.

Morris Brothers' Minstrels announce their first appearance in six years, in this city, to take place next Tuesday evening in Franklin Hall, the performance to conclude with the "screaming burlesque" of Helen's Babies. See advertisement.

Hartz, probably the most renowned magician of modern times, is to be in this city throughout Thanksgiving week, and will perform every evening and on Thursday (Thanksgiving day) and Saturday afternoons, in Franklin Hall. See advertisement.

The Hutching's Association, whose second entertainment is to be given in the Universalist vestry on Thursday evening next, gave an excellent performance on their first appearance,—so good as to surprise as well as please the large audience in attendance.

Schooner Neptune, of Newburyport, while fishing on Long ledge, on Wednesday, had her foremast carried away, and also lost an anchor. She was picked up by a fishing vessel and towed into this port, where she will repair damages before starting on her return for Newburyport.

The Tompson house at the corner of Islington and Bridge streets was erected in 1720.—The Critchley house, corner of Bridge and Hanover streets, was moved here from Exeter.—The land on which the residences of Messrs. Thomas and Luther E. Martin now stand, has been owned in the Martin family for 267 years.

Mrs. Thomas Rutter, the elderly lady who was knocked down and badly injured on Thursday by a runaway horse on Islington street, died at about twelve o'clock the same night. She was somewhat hard of hearing, and probably knew nothing of the animal's approach until it was too late for her to get out of his way.

Rev. Arthur May Knapp, who some weeks ago delivered several of the most interesting and entertaining lectures ever given in this city, on architecture, is to give four lectures on art, (two on architecture and two on sculpture,) illustrated by the stereopticon, in the Unitarian chapel on Court street. Tickets for the course, $1; evening tickets, 30 cents; to be had at the usual places. The lectures will be given Nov. 19th and 20th, and Dec. 8th and 10th.

The cable steamer Minia on Tuesday picked up the off-shore end of the Direct Cable, spliced the new section to it, ran out a mile and a half of cable to the westward and there bouyed the end, returning to the lower harbor to wait a chance to make the final splice with the shore end. On Thursday the two ends were picked up and the splice completed, and the cable was once more in working order. The Minia on Friday left for Portland, where it is said she is to be docked to have her bottom cleaned.

There is no better place in the city to buy ready made clothing for men and boys than at C. E. Myers & Co's, number three Bow street. They have on hand a large and well selected stock of overcoats and ulsters, as well as a full line of boys' and men's furnishing goods; and their prices are as low as the same quality of goods can be purchased for anywhere else in the city. Custom work also is done at this establishment, and their patrons in this line will find the work well done and the goods as represented, and the proprietors willing and able to suit the tastes of their customers.

The diver who went down to the bottom of the river at the draw of Portsmouth bridge, Thursday, to see in what position the sunken locomotive was laid, found the engine standing upright on a lot of old piles and timbers with which the bottom is thickly strewn; the tender being on its side, and the truck-frames and wheels of the freight cars scattered around "promiscuous like." The report on Thursday evening was to the effect that the services of that invaluble anchor-boy would be again called into requisition, the navy yard authorities consenting to her being used, and that the engine, tender, etc., having been properly slung beforehand, the whole lot would be raised at slack water on Sunday. On Friday the announcement was made that the raising would not come off until Tuesday.

The annual report of the Sailor's Home says "10,328 meals have been served at the restaurant and as much food has been sold to be taken away. There have been 125 lodgers, and several regular boarders. We find the year marked by an increase of shipping, there having been 918 vessels this year against 781 the year before, and 5678 sailors, showing that our port is not without its full share of business. Mr. Loyne has made 388 visits on board these vessels, and distributed papers and books as needed."

Harper's Magazine for December is a brilliant number of that ever popular magazine. It contains Milton's "Hymn on the Nativity," seven illustrations; "The Metropolitan Newspaper," twenty-seven illustrations; "Keramos," a poem by Longfellow, fourteen illustrations; "A year of American travel," Part II, by Jessie Benton Fremont; "Monmouth," a poem by James T. Fields; "Back to back," "The man in the cage," "My uncle's heiress," and other articles. Now ready for delivery at Moses Brothers' periodical depot and Myers' book-store.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M. Preaching tomorrow by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. H. Alden.

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. Preaching by Rev. James W. Hubbell.

Spritualists; old Custom House block, Penhallow street, Sunday afternoon and evening. Lecture by P. C. Mills.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. John A. Goss, at 10:30 A. M. Subject, "Conversion essential to salvation," Matt. 18:3. All are invited.

At the Unitarian church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; vesper service at 7:30. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie; subject of morning discourse, "What it is to be saved."

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder George Brown, of Eliot, will preach to-morrow.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M., by Rev. James Noyes, the pastor.

The regular afternoon services are omitted at the Baptist, Christian, Methodist and Congregational churches.

Special revival services on Sunday: At 3 P. M., gospel temperance meeting at North church, for men only; at same hour, meeting for men and women at Baptist church. At 7:30, preaching at North church by Mr. Whittle; meeting at Franklin Hall, conducted by pastors of the city; and if church and hall are filled, overflow meeting at Middle street church.

On Sunday evening, by invitation of Rev. E. M. Grant, the Portsmouth reform club will hold a temperance meeting in the Universalist church. Rev. L. F. McKinney, chaplain of the Manchester reform club, and an eloquent speaker, will deliver an address, and speaking is expected from members of the club; there will also be good music. Admission free, and invitation extended to all.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, Nov. 16th; *Batchelder, J.*

Business was very light, the only customer being George Pierce, who had used up one of the city's stock of drunks and was unable to pay the price demanded, $8.76, and accordingly goes to Brentwood to work the debt out with his jaws at meal-times.

SUPREME COURT--5TH WEEK.

Friday, Nov. 16th, before *Stanley, J.*

In the case of John D. Lyman vs. Boston & Maine Railroad, the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $308.57, over the amount paid into Court by the defendants. The defendants will move to transfer the question of law arising in the case, to the law court.

The trial of No. 285, Hook vs. Worcester & Nashua Railroad, was resumed. Action is for the killing of two colts by the defendants, lessees of the Nashua & Rochester Railroad, which, it is charged, carelessly managed their trains so that the colts were killed; the bars on the side of the track were down, etc. The case occupied the entire day. The jurors not engaged on this trial were excused until Saturday morning at half-past eight o'clock, when No. 286, James Sleeper against the Worcester & Nashua Railroad, is set for trial. Action for damages for killing a horse on the Nashua & Rochester Railroad, which is operated by the Worcester & Nashua Railroad. A. R. Hatch and John Hatch for the plaintiff; A. F. Stevens for the defendants.

"PERSECUTION."

The venerable Mr. J. Janvrin of Hampton Falls was on Saturday again brought before the Police Court, on an amended writ, for cruelty to animals, in killing ducks encroaching on his fields. The provocation, if not the justification, was ample; and the sharp following up of this case begings to look like persecution. —*Portsm uth Weekly.*

If a man is annoyed by his neighbors' ducks, he may, or may not, be justified in killing them; but he is certainly not justified in torturing them. Mr. Janvrin is "persecuted" by the Society, because it is asserted that in consequence of his "provocation," he beat these ducks to death with a stick, jabbing out their eyes, breaking their backs, and performing other acts toward the unfortunate birds, (who certainly did not intend to provoke him,) unworthy of a "venerable" gentleman. We cannot see that a man is ever justified in wreaking his anger upon a helpless animal, however provoking it may be. The Society intends to take notice of all such proceedings,—whether a man beats his horse cruelly because he cannot or will not do as his master chooses; or abuses his dog because the animal makes a mistake; or tortures his neighbor's cat or ducks or hens because they annoy him. And whenever sufficient evidence can be obtained that these things have been done, the doer will be prosecuted, let whoever will, sneer or bluster. Perhaps one of these days people will find out that it is not safe to treat animals as if they were stocks and stones; for those who will not be persuaded to act with kindness, must be forced to remember that there is a law in New Hampshire which regards all cruelty as a crime. HUMANITY.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The gospel meeting at the North church on Friday evening was a large one, many being obliged to stand.

The praise service consisted of the hymns "There is a fountain filled with blood," "Come to the Savior, make no delay," "Oh, sing of his mighty Love," and "Only a step to Jesus."

The services began by singing "Coronation" by the congregation, and then the Rev. Mr. Hubbell led in prayer, after which Mr. McGranahan sang "The ninety and nine."

Mr. Whittle gave notice that at 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, a gospel temperance meeting would be held in the North church for men only, and that they would be admitted by tickets which could be procured free at the book stores, of the committee, and of the pastors; short addresses would be made by reformed men; and at the same hour a general meeting would be held in the Baptist church. In the evening there would be meetings at the North church, Franklin hall, and at the Baptist church if necessary.

Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan then sang a song of gospel invitation, "Whosoever will may come."

Mr. Whittle took for his text John 3:15—15, "And as Moses lifted up the serpent in the wilderness, even so must the son of man be lifted up; that whosoever believeth in him should not perish, but receive eternal life." Jesus gives eternal life to men if they will receive him. The text shows the death, by which he should die. When the people of Israel sinned, Moses lifted up a serpent of brass that whosoever should look upon it might be healed. The people desired that the serpents should be taken away; they were not, but a remedy was given. Men have been bitten by the serpent sin and need a remedy, yet some will not acknowledge it; they will not seek relief until they understand just how sin came into their hearts. So men might have refused in the olden time to look at the brazen serpent, because they could not tell just how or when they were bitten. Some might have refused to look because they were but slightly injured, others because they were waiting to become better, and yet others because they could not understand the remedy. But if we wait to get better before we come to Christ, or until we can find a scientific explanation of salvation, we shall never be saved. Men wish to be saved in their own way and it is pride that makes them reject Christ. God's remedy for sin is salvation by the cross of Christ, and that must be the true remedy, whether it accords with our reason or not. We have the testimony of many that this remedy is efficacious. God's word says "look" and "live;" "whosoever believeth shall not perish." We must look away from self, away from our sins, away from our goodness to the "Crucified One," and he will save.

After prayer by Mr. Whittle, the congregation united in singing "There is a life for a look," after which an enquiry meeting was held, and a meeting for men at Mechanics' Hall.

MARRIAGES.

LUNT—NUTTER. In this city, Sept. 25th, by Rev. James DeNormandie, Mr. Albert C. Lunt and Miss Eva J. Nutter, both of this city.

JANVRIN—MAILING. In Hampton Falls, Nov. 14th, by Rev. I. J. Burgess, Mr. George A. Janvrin and Miss Sadie Mailing, both of Hampton Falls.

NORTON—DAME. In Greenland, Oct. 11th, Mr. Carmi A. Norton and Miss Helen C. Dame, both of Green and.

NEWTON—SUETT. In Boston, Nov. 14th, George H. Newton, Esq., of Hollis, and Mary J. Suett of Brookline, N. H.

DEATHS.

RUTTER. In this city, Nov. 15th, Mrs. Thomas Rutter, aged about 56 years.

BUTLER. In Nottingham, Nov. 13th, James D. Butler, Esq., formerly of this city, aged 35 years.

BENNETT. In Seabrook, Nov. 1st, Mrs. Lydia Bennett, wife of Mr. Francis M. Bennett, aged 87 years.

ADAMS. In York, Me., Nov. 16th, Mr. George Adams, aged 82 years.

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Concord	74
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—"Gloria in Excelsis," the inscription on the front of the Boston Music Hall organ, caught the eye of an attendant upon the Graeco-Roman meeting last week, and he inquired of a classical friend what it might mean. "Glory to the highest," was the reply, "and a very appropriate motto for a wrestling match, too."

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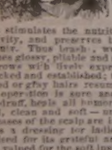

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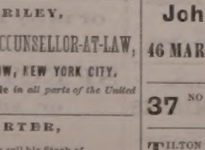

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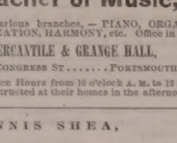

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CONGRESS.

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The House committee non-concurred in the Senate amendments to the army bill providing that the President shall be governed by the Constitution instead of by the "democratic House," and retaining the army at 25,000 men. Gen. Garfield made a powerful speech against inflation.

News and Notes.

The French ministry having resigned in consequence of the adverse result of the elections, MacMahon has accepted their resignations, and asks their aid in forming a new ministry. A gentleman in Paris, said to have excellent means of information, writes the Manchester (Eng.) *Guardian* as follows: "In my opinion civil war is now only a question of weeks, perhaps days. President MacMahon is entirely in the hands of the Bonapartists and Clericals. These know that the Marshal's resignation would destroy their last hopes of governing France. But for the fear of Germany and Italy the Government would long ago have resorted to force."

Pittsburgh, Pa., is greatly stirred up by the unaccountable disappearance of S. B. W. Gill, a prominent lawyer. He left the city September 16th to take his daughter to Vassar college, then went to Albany, and has not been seen or heard of since September 21. His financial affairs are thoroughly sound, his assets being $300,000, with small liabilities, and the general belief is that he has been murdered.

An effort is being made in Washington to defeat the confirmation of Naval Constructor Easby as chief of the bureau of construction and repair. Mr. Easby is a competent constructor and has a clean record, but that is no reason why, under the patent civil service reform rules, he should be jumped over the heads of other constructors as able as he.

A serious famine is reported from northeastern Brazil, where 80,000 cattle have perished from lack of food, and 1000 human beings have starved to death.

Frank Rande, a noted desperado who murdered a man and his wife at St. Elmo, Ill., some time since, and killed two police officers who attempted to arrest him, was captured in St. Louis on Friday by two officers, after a desperate fight in which one of the officers was mortally wounded, he in turn mortally wounding the ruffian.

The steamer Massachusetts, has been repaired and floated out of the dry dock. She has been made six feet wider amidships under water. An entire outside hull has been built, and her hull now is six feet eight inches thick of solid lumber. After repairing the interior and repainting she will be ready for service, but will not probably be put on the line until next spring.

Sister Simplicia, a Sister of Charity belonging to the convent of "Good Succor," at Turin, was recently walking out in charge of a procession of orphan pupils. A mad dog attacked the column, when the brave sister went for him, caught him by the nose, and held him until aid came to her relief. Her fingers were terribly bitten by the animal, and a few days after she died of hydrophobia, in terrible agony.

A Californian is said to have invented an ingenious water faucet, through which, if water is run, it comes out as cold as ice-water. Boiling water, placed in any receptacle, and allowed to run through, will be found cool and fit to drink. The faucet contains numerous small tubes inclosed in large ones, and between the outside of one and the inside of the other certain chemicals are packed, which produce the desired effect. The inventor declines to give further particulars.

Over two hundred bodies of the passengers of the ill-fated ship New Era, which was wrecked off Great Pond Inlet November 12, 1854, were buried in a trench in the little cemetery at Mechanicsville, N. J. After some fifty of them were buried it was discovered that most of the unfortunate German emigrants had money belts about their bodies. Several attempts have since been made to unearth the first bodies buried, in the hope that valuables would be found upon them. All of these attempts have been frustrated. In the storm on the night of the 11th inst. another attempt was made to rob the dead, but those who made it, after digging but a few shovelfuls of earth, were frightened away.

A leading dry goods firm in Boston has recently held a protracted auction sale of camel's hair shawls, and now these heretofore fashionable objects of admiration are tabooed by the *ton* of the hub as being too common for anything.

The Treasury Department has decided that cod liver oil, the product of Canada or Prince Edward's Island, imported in bottles, prepared for use as a medicinal preparation, is not free of duty under the treaty of Washington, which exempts from duty fish oil of all kinds, the product of those countries, but that it is liable to duty at forty per cent. as a medicinal preparation.

James Savage, of the Belgrade depot, Maine, murdered his wife on Thursday afternoon, while in a state of intoxication. He has been arrested.

The Border City Mill of Fall River, Mass., was burned on Saturday. The fire caught in the mule room, and the mill was totally destroyed. There were several accidents, but no lives were lost. The insurance is about $400,000.

Explosion of a Trunk.

Last Friday the Utica Central depot was the scene of a peculiar incident. At the time it created great excitement, and this is how it happened: "After the arrival of the Chicago express, bound west, and while John Decker, an employe in the baggage department, was engaged in sliding trunks from a car down a gangplank, he came to one, innocent looking and covered with white canvas. When it struck the ground at the bottom of the plank, a terrific explosion followed, and he found himself firmly clasping a trunk handle. At the same moment, the air was filled with torn and burning clothing, metallic turtles, paper packages, etc. When the smoke had cleared away, and the excitement of the bystanders had subsided somewhat, investigation was begun. The paper packages were opened, and in them were found small burglar alarms. They were made in such a manner that paper caps, like those used in boys' toy pistols, are employed. In the trunk were 200 of these paper caps, put up in extra non-explosive style. When it was taken from the car the burglar alarms struck them and the concussion produced the explosion. Mr. Ross, the owner of the property, was soon upon the spot, and everything was explained as above. The other apparatus turned out to be nothing but mechanical walking turtles, which Mr. Ross was taking to a friend in Utica. Although no one was injured to any extent, the persons standing around when the explosion occurred congratulated themselves upon their narrow escape."

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Letters for the night mails [and no others] cast or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Morris Brothers' Minstrels at Franklin Opera Hall to-morrow evening, when "Helen's Babies" will be introduced to the audience. See advertisement.

Quite a crowd of volunteers assembled on Portsmouth bridge, Sunday, to aid, by looking on, in getting up the sunken locomotive and cars at the draw. The tender and engine headlight were taken up on Saturday. Several truck frames, with wheels, were raised an Sunday, but the engine was not.

Rev. Arthur M. Knapp gives the first lecture of the series on architecture, at the Unitarian vestry on Court street this evening. He is an excellent speaker, and the subject matter of his lecture is interesting to an extreme degree. Tickets may be had at the bookstores of Mercer Goodrich and Willis G. Myers See advertisement.

The Portsmouth Dramatic Club will give an entertainment in the Town Hall at Rye on Friday evening, Nov. 23d, at which time and place they will present the burlesque opera Bombastes Furioso, and the farces "Turn him out" and "The house dog." There will be no postponement on account of the weather, let the weather be ever so bad.

On Sunday, as the schooner A. J. Williams, brick-laden, was approaching the draw at Portsmouth bridge, the tide being on the ebb and the wind blowing strong from the north-west, owing to some trouble with the gear the sails could not be handled as promptly as desired, and though she was promptly headed up stream the schooner was carried by the tide and wind stern foremost against the pier, breaking off a large timber and somewhat damaging the vessel's stern. The spectators considered the vessel lucky in escaping sinking.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

Notwithstanding the threatening appearance of the weather on Sunday morning the nine o'clock prayer-meeting was well attended. After some songs were sung and prayers offered, Mr. Whittle, in some remarks, emphasized the importance of personal effort, and gave some practical directions to Christian workers. In the enquiry room, they should always use their Bible; should have implicit faith and confidence in its power; and should select such parts as they have tested in their own experience. It should be their object to find out just where the enquirer stood, then to apply and show him such Scriptures as related to his case; but never to engage in any argument upon doubtful or disputed points. Each one, therefore, should have at his command a list of scripture texts and promises, to which he can immediately refer. In every case try to get the sinner to look away from self, away from his own feelings to Jesus. He exhorted every one to be ready to speak to his friends, for they were often waiting and expecting them to do so. Mr. McGranahan and his wife sang "Wonderful words of life," and the former made remarks. Short and affecting addresses were also made by Messrs. Pierce and Hayes, of Boston, and the meeting closed with the benediction by Dr. Alden.

The gospel temperance meeting at three o'clock, at the North church, was a large and successful one, the house being nearly filled. The regular services were preceded by the usual praise service, "Coronation," "Yield not to temptation," "Are your windows open toward Jerusalem," "Jesus, lover of my soul," "Salvation," and "Rescue the perishing," being sung. The congregation united in singing "Pull for the shore," then Rev. Mr. Hubbell led in prayer, which was followed by the hymn "Hold the fort."

After the reading of Mark 5:1—20 by Mr. Whittle as a scripture lesson, with some pertinent remarks on the power of Christ to save from sin, Mr. Hayes of Boston gave an account of his reformation from the power of strong drink. He had signed pledges, promised his wife to reform, but in vain. His little crippled child came to him when on his bed from the effects of rum, five times in one day, to make him promise to leave off drinking. When he had recovered somewhat, he was induced to attend the tabernacle meetings. The spirit of God reached him, and he yielded his heart to God, who took away the appetite for strong drink, and made him a free man; and now he was rejoicing in Christ, as well as his wife, who had also became a Christian.

Mr. French of this city made a short address, giving his experience. Under the preaching of Mr. Fowler, in this very house, he rose for prayers, found Christ and salvation from the appetite of strong drink.

Mr. Shelton of Boston repeated the story of his rescue by the power of Christ, from the terrible bondage of opium-using. He exhorted all to seek Jesus, if they would stand safe, and not fall again into the depths of sin and degradation.

Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan sang "Pity the drunkard," with much pathos.

Mr. Pierce of Boston began by saying "I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation to every one that believeth." He had been addicted to strong drink for many years, had had the delirium tremens, and lost all standing in society. He then enlisted in the war, had the tremens, and was sent to the hospital a raving maniac. When he came to his senses he found himself a wreck in mind and body. On that sick-bed he promised God he would seek him. When recovered so as to go out, he sought a Christian church, rose there to tell his story, fell down before Christ, and there received forgiveness of sin and redemption from the power of drink. He related some very affecting scenes in his history, bringing tears to many eyes.

Mr. Whittle offered prayers for any that might be bound by sin to any bad habit.

At the singing of "I am coming to the cross," those of the congregation who wished retired, and a meeting was held for any that might desire to seek Christ, a large number remaining.

At the Baptist church there was a full attendance in the afternoon, and preaching by Rev. Dr. Alden.

A large audience had assembled at the North church in the evening long before the time for the services to begin, every seat being taken and many obliged to stand. A full meeting was also held at Franklin Hall.

The praise service was more interesting than usual, several new pieces being rendered, such as "Refuge," "Watching and waiting," and "There's a light in the valley."

After the opening hymn, Rev. Mr. Noyes led in prayer, Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan sang "Have you any room for Jesus," and "My Redeemer" was sung very effectively by a quartette of male voices.

Mr. Whittle spoke from Rev. 3:20, "Behold I stand at the door and knock," etc. This is one of the last and most gracious promises of the Bible. Four things are to be considered in it: the person, the position, the place and the performance. The person spoken of here is Jesus that died on the cross for sinners. What is this Jesus to you? The position is one of expectation and beseeching. Jesus knocks at the heart expecting admittance there; for he has a right to expect that we should let him in. The place is the heart, the will power of men. It is the heart, the affections, the will that need to be put right. It is a hard and deceitful heart that refuses to receive Christ. Knowing our wicked hearts are "at enmity against God," still Jesus comes to us. He seeks admittance to our hearts, to our souls, to give us peace and rest. Jesus has been knocking at the hearts of each one of us; every time we hear the gospel, every time we read his word, every providence of God, is Jesus knocking at our hearts. Jesus always goes where he is invited, he never forces himself into unwilling hearts. O, hear his voice, open your hearts to him, and receive him as your Savior. If any one is lost it will be because he will not open his heart and receive Christ. "Behold, now is the accepted time, and now is the day of salvation." "To-day if ye will hear his voice, harden not your hearts."

After singing, "I have a Savior," a large enquiry meeting was held.

"WHAT IT IS TO BE SAVED."

Despite the falling rain at the hour of morning service on Sunday, a large congregation was in attendance at the Unitarian church to hear Rev. Mr. DeNormandie's ideas of "what it is to be saved." There were in the audience representatives from many other churches in the city; Baptists appeared to have no fear of falling water, and Congregationalists deemed a slight sprinkling of no moment, so that they could hear a solution of this absorbing question. After the singing of one of Jeremy Taylor's favorite hymns, which for two centuries has served to exemplify the breadth of Liberal Christianity, and in which very many of the congregation joined, with apparently the same unction which characterizes the evangelical songs, the pastor proceeded with his sermon. He shew by scholarly and learned research whence the term "salvation" comes, to what it alludes, and the many processes by which according to Scripture it is attained. The preacher did not regard a misspent life, terminated just after a late repentance, as a fit preparation for sharing the benefits of salvation; nor did he hold to the often-claimed doctrine of the few that are to be saved. If this was the divine plan, he preferred the democracy of the damned to the aristocracy of the saved! It was rather by a life of uprightness and holy living, a proper discharge of all our obligations here, that we are saved hereafter; and it is better to be good through life, from principle, than to become so through fear of everlasting punishment. The sermon was free from sarcasm or unkind allusions to those who hold to a different faith. It was liberal, progressive, logical and devout, and was most attentively listened to by the entire congregation.

OUR ANONYMOUS EDITORS.

It is a rule in all newspaper offices to take no notice of anonymous communications, but on Saturday we received two—one of them on a postal card—which we have decided to print. Here is No. One:

Mr. Editor: I have been rather surprised at the sharp criticisms in your paper on the men who are laboring here for the good of this community. Rather different was the reception of Moody and Sankey in Boston last winter, and totally different the tone of the press there, as you know. TRUTH.

We do not see why "Truth" should be "surprised at the sharp criticisms" he refers to, as it is known that the columns of this paper have always been open to the temperate presentation of *both* sides of any question of public interest; and when we admit the attacks of the evangelicals upon the Unitarians and all others who do not accept evangelical views, we have no option (under the rule which has always guided the CHRONICLE) but to admit rejoinders of the attacked parties. As to the different reception in Boston of Messrs. Moody and Sankey, we know that the sermons of Unitarian and Universalist clergymen were reported side by side with Mr. Moody's by the Boston papers; and that scores of thousands of copies of the Boston *Times*, containing pictorial caricatures of the evangelists and incidents connected with their work, and filled with ribald ridicule of the whole movement, were sold on the streets every Sunday morning while the revival was in progress in that city.

Our anonymous postal-card editor's rebuke is as follows:

Mr. Editor: From the tone of your paper, I should suppose the subscription list to be confined to Rev. Mr. DeNormandie's parish! How is it? A word to the *wise*, from A SUBSCRIBER.

The fact that our correspondent had not grace to sign his name to his message shall not prevent us from giving him the information he asks for; so we hereby let him know that the subscription list of the CHRONICLE is not "confined to Rev. Mr. DeNormandie's parish," nor to any or all the evangelical parishes, or the Episcopal parish, or the Catholic parish, as we have subscribers among the members of each, and outside the membership of any. "A subscriber" seems to us a little unreasonable; here the CHRONICLE has had, morning after morning right along, reports (which cost us a good many hour's of night work) containing the attacks of the evangelists upon the non-evangelicals, yet not one of the latter has intimated to us that our subscription list "must be confined" to the evangelical; but the moment we admit to our columns a rejoinder from one of those who object to be thus publicly damned for their belief or want of it, then "A subscriber" sneeringly enquires if all our subscribers are Unitarians, and follows his sneer up with an implied threat of something dreadful to happen if we dare to do so any more! He manages to crowd a sneer and a threat into a very small compass, considering his religious belief.

A large proportion of our subscribers do not "accept Christ" according to the evangelical idea; that is, they do not hold the evangelical view of His life and mission. Major Whittle, in his first lecture, said that to reject Christ is worse than murder or any other crime in the catalogue. This means, if it means anything, that such men as Thodore Parker and Thomas Starr King, whose whole lives were spent in self-sacrificing efforts to benefit others, who were ever foremost in good works, and against whose lofty moral character not even sectarian prejudice dare whisper a suspicion,—or, to come nearer home, that such men as Ichabod Goodwin, W. H. Y. Hackett, Jos. A. Grace, Joseph Hiller Foster, William Simes, William J. Laighton, and others,—were and are worse than such persons as old Evans, La Page and Wagner, provided only that the latter would accept evangelical views. The gentleman who reported that lecture took exceptions to such a view, and we have received and published a few communications in the same vein; but the CHRONICLE has not commented editorially on the matter in any way. Now, it seems, we must not even carry out our hitherto unbroken rule of allowing *both* sides to be heard; but we do not feel just yet like handing over the control of the CHRONICLE to postal-card editors, whether they are "evangelical" or totally unregenerate.

KEEP THEM WELL LOADED.

On Saturday afternoon there was a very astonished mariner on Ceres street. As Capt. Ezekiel Holbrook, of the schooner F. Nelson, of St. George, Me., was going down the stone steps at the corner of Market and Ceres streets, a gun was fired from the door of Wm. Downs & Son's store, and the captain instantly felt a stinging sensation in his neck; putting up his hand he found he was bleeding, and very naturally concluded that he was assassinated, or another victim of didn't-know-it-was-loaded. A small crowd soon collected, and on investigation it was found that the bullet had not hit the gentleman at all, but had struck the stone steps a few inches from his leg and knocked off a chip, which chip had shot the captain as aforesaid. The gun, we are informed, was one of several standing in Messrs. Downs' store,—unloaded, of course,—and it was fired off by a man from the country, who was quite as much astonished and almost as much horrified when the concern went off as the seaman was when he got hit, as he—the countryman—only snapped the unloaded thing to try the lock. Capt. Holbrook cleared his vessel at the custom house as quick as possible, determined to sail at the earliest possible moment Monday morning, not caring to stop longer in a town where bullets fly around the streets in such an objectionable manner.

After all the terrible accidents that have happened from keeping unloaded fire-arms around, it is indeed strange that the dangerous practice should be persisted in to such an extent as it is. It is not the *loaded* gun or pistol with which the unoffending man or woman is at brief intervals sent into eternity by some funny fellow of an acquaintance, who points the weapon at his friend "just to make him nervous, when there's no danger, you know;" it is the *unloaded* gun that does the mischief. Speaking to a friend of this bad habit unloaded weapons have of going off and killing people, Saturday afternoon, he told us that a short time ago a friend of his picked up a gun and aimed it at him; and on his earnestly remonstrating, the friend assured him there was nothing to be alarmed at, as the gun was empty. "How do you know that it is empty?" he asked. "Because I do," was the answer; "and I'll show you so, too; see here," and with the words he drew the ramrod and dropped it down the barrel,—"and by gracious," said our friend, "if there wasn't about six inches of powder and shot in it!" Even a heavily loaded gun is dangerous in careless hands; but an unloaded one is almost certain death to somebody, if a practical joker gets hold of it.

SUPREME COURT--5TH WEEK.

Saturday, Nov. 17th, before *Stanley, J.*

In case Leonard L. Hook vs. Worcester & Nashua Railroad, the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff, assessing damages at $161.10, which was presumed to be an estimation of the colts at $150, with interest from time of killing.

Case James Sleeper vs. Worcester & Nashua Railroad was opened to the jury. In this case it seemed that the horse was a runaway that ran upon the track and was killed; the defendants, as was contended, being without fault. After the case was opened the Court held that the action could not be maintained upon the case as stated. To this ruling the plaintiff excepted and the case goes to the full bench upon the question of law raised. Messrs. Hatch for plaintiff; Stevens for defendant.

The cases Gordon vs. Boston & Maine Railroad, for injuries received by two ladies driving over a crossing of the railroad at one of the streets in Exeter north of the station, by reason of the horse being frightened at the sound of escaping steam from a locomotive, wagon upset, etc., have been continued to next term.

In case Deverson vs. Eastern Railroad a judgment on the verdict was ordered.

Several cases have been tried before the Judge during this term, the decisions in which have not been announced.

The Court adjourned Saturday forenoon to Monday morning at eleven o'clock.

NAVAL MATTERS.

Mate Hugh Kuhl is ordered to duty at this navy yard.

Capt. Earl English, commandant of this navy yard, is granted leave of absence for three weeks from Nov. 10th.

Carpenter William J. Laighton is placed on the retired list of the navy, from November 13th.

The following commissions (with others) are gazetted in the *Army anp Navy Journal* of Nov. 17th as having been issued: David B. Macomb to be a Chief Engineer in the Navy with the relative rank of Commander from September 21, 1860; John W. Moore to be a chief Engineer in the Navy with the relative rank of Commander from August 5, 1861; Thom Williamson to be a Chief Engineer in the Navy with the relative rank of Commander from August 5, 1861; Richard M. Bartleman to be Chief Engineer in the Navy with the relative rank of Lieutenant Commander from Oct. 28, 1861.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, Nov. 17th; *Batchelder, J.*

Two men, who were arraigned for an assault on a third one, were cleared by the complainant's own admission.

Mrs. John Dwyer was also up, for committing an assault on one Henry J. Davis, who if we remember rightly came near getting into an unpleasantness with Uncle Sam not long since, owing to some misunderstanding about the propriety of his taking from the post-office, and opening, letters belonging to the crew of schooner Active. The story of the assault, as told in the Police Court, was that Davis went into the refreshment establishment presided over by Mrs. Dwyer, devoured some rum and molasses, and then wouldn't, or couldn't,—at anyrate didn't—pay for the same; whereat Mrs. Dwyer remonstrated by hitting him in the head with a glass tumbler. There were no witnesses to the transaction except the two participants, and after patiently listening to their somewhat contradictory accounts the judge scooted them both out of court.

THE VICINITY.

Miss Dora Rogers of Kittery, a recent graduate at Farmington, has been appointed teacher in one of the grammar schools in Calais, Maine.

Thieving depredations are on the increase in Greenland. On Thursday evening Mr. John P. Weeks had a valuable robe stolen from his carriage, while under cover of the Methodist sheds. On Friday evening a pair of boat oars belonging to Richard Watson were demolished. On the same evening an attempt was made to rob a hen roost belonging to Stephen Weeks, but the rascals were frightened away without any booty.

—It is aggravating for a woman, who has been poking all day mending her husband's coat, to find a love letter from another woman in the pockets.

—The Mayor of Des Moines has tendered his resignation with the understanding that it should take effect the next time he got drunk.

MARRIAGES.

JAMES—RICKER. In Exeter, Nov. 10, by Rev. S. Byington, Capt. John S. James and Miss Sarah F. Ricker, both of Hampton.

PAUL—SANBORN. In South Newmarket, Nov. 15, Mr. Charles H. Paul and Miss Alice P. Sanborn, both of South Newmarket.

NORTON—MERRILL. In South Hampton, Nov. 7, at the residence of the bride's parents, by Rev. Ernest L. Scott, George R. Norton of Peabody, Mass., and Miss Emily M. L. Merrill.

DEATHS.

PACKER. In Greenland, Nov. 16, Mrs. Sarah Packer, wife of E. P. Packer, Esq., aged 56 yrs.

☞ Funeral this (Monday) afternoon at two o'clock, from her late residence. Friends and relatives are invited without further notice.

DUPRAY. In this city, Nov. 16, Mr. Francis Dupray, aged 26 years, 10 months, 18 days.

PHILBRICK. In Rye, Nov. 2, Miss Mary Philbrick, daughter of S. B. Philbrick, aged 18 years.

TREADWELL. In Greenland, Nov. 16, Miss Frances Mary Treadwell, daughter of Capt. Chas. Treadwell, formerly of this city, aged 22 years and 10 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

On Friday, 15th, there were in the lower harbor, schrs Albatross, Powers, Cassine for Boston (with loss of mainboom); Fillmore, Adams, Wiscasset for Boston; Boston, Fogg, Eastport for Boston; Stella Lee, Brewer, Bangor for Boston; Harriet, Tabbut, from Calais for Boston; Eagle, Bennett, Franklin for Boston; Zingo, Boyne, and Chilian, Eaton, from We ia for Boston; Martha A. Brewer, McFarland, Belfast for Boston; T Hammond, Corbin, Jonesport for Bingham; Moro, Haley, Calais for Newburyport; Rainbow, Cobb, Bangor for New Haven; Yreka, Dudko, Calais for Rhode Island; Nile, Metcalf, Rockland for New York; Jas R Grant, Rockland for Salem; Rival, Dunton, Gardiner for New York; Harriet, Weymouth, Bangor for Lynn; Ranolo, Peck, St John, N B, for Dennysport; J & H Crowley, Cotton, from Sandy River, N S, for Providence (lost jibboom); Telegraph, Thorndike, New York for Thomaston; Georgie D Loud, Kenebec for New York; Forest Belle, Smith, Bangor for New Haven; Pathway, Snare, Bangor for Fall River. All sailed on Saturday.

Ship Triumphant, Robins, old from San Francisco for Nanaimo Nov 8.

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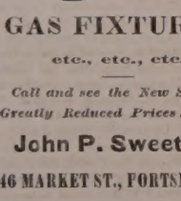

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Daily Chronicle.

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Congress.

In the House, Saturday, the army appropriation bill passed as amended by the Senate. The bill as passed leaves the chief command of the army where the Constitution puts it, with the President, instead of with the "democratic House;" it also leaves the number of men in the army at 25,000, and cuts down the amount originally appropriated by the House $100,500. [The vote on the bill was partisan, except that Culbertson, Mills, Scelelcher and Throckmorton, of Texas, Gibson of Louisiana, Luttrell of California, Williams of Michigan and Williams of Alabama, democrats, voted with the republicans for the bill.] T. C. Metcalf, republican representative from the Third District of Missouri, was sworn in. The Paris Exposition bill was considered, and it is likely an appropriation to provide for a proper representation of this country at the exposition will be made.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 17.

After being tossed from the republican to the democratic side of the House and back again for nearly a week, as in a game of battle-door and shuttle-cock, Chairman Atkins demonstrating his incapacity meanwhile by frantic but unsuccessful efforts to again get it in his possession, the army bill at length passed and went to the Senate. There was no lack of demagogue appeals during the debates; and the hate still cherished against the army as the one insurmountable obstacle in the past to the full fruition of democratic hopes and aspirations, is so thinly invested with the pretence of "retrenchment and reform" as to deceive no one. The reciprocity of good-will so confidently counted on in return for the many concessions made to Bourbon prejudice and ill-temper during the past few months, was looked for in vain in the treatment accorded the army, as it has been in every other matter of legislation undertaken at this session. Texas members have certainly not added much to their reputation for consistency or comprehensiveness of view by their several votes as recorded, on the bill. But the Senate committee to which it was referred, promptly spoiled the provision made in it for the four cavalry regiments to be stationed on the Mexican and Indian frontiers of Texas, by striking out that feature. The point was made that the House could with quite as much right order the entire army to Texas as any portion of it, virtually annulling the Presidential perogatives as Commander-in-Chief of the land and sea forces of the United States. The limitation to 20,000 men was also disagreed to, and the numerical strength restored to the old figure of 25,000. In this shape the bill passed the Senate, with a few reductions in the amount to be appropriated for specific purposes. A Conference Committee will likely be asked for.

The navy deficiency bill passed the House substantially as it came from the committee.

Finances still engage the attention of both Houses; and the *Record* shows that we have a large number of able financiers in the House, or those anxious to be known as such. The President's disposition toward the Bland and Ewing bills is regarded as a matter of great moment by deputations of bankers and others here, enlisted on one or the other side of remonetization, and resumption, and seeking to influence legislation in accordance with their views. Holders of bullion are mourning the perversity of the Senate finance committee, which insisted on striking out the free coinage feature of Mr. Bland's bill. With the known tendency of the Senate to move cautiously in important matters, it is thought ample time for a hearing for all sides will be allowed, before it takes decided action on either. The delegation of New York bankers succeeded in eliciting nothing more definite from the President at their interview concerning his bias, than that he would give the matter (remonetization) his most careful consideration.

Senator Eaton has introduced several bills of interest to the shipping interests of the country; and also one providing a method for deciding disputed Presidential elections, such as the Electoral Commission was called upon to determine.

Ransome is prolific in bills, one of his latest appropriating $1,000,000 to pay certain persons for services to the Government in the South prior to 1861. These include mail contractors refused payment for proved disloyalty. It seems to be the impression that Wood's joint resolution, providing for the adjournment of the Extra Session on the 22d inst. may be adopted, giving such members of committees as remain here a little time to arrange the business before them, so as to allow them more time to participate in the political warfare which, it is taken for granted, will be precipitated directly the regular session has begun.

The President is reported to have given very cold comfort to the delegation of republican Senators who were authorized by their associates to call and express the sentiments elicited at the Saturday's caucus relative to the appointment of democrats to office, and in favor of holding him to the programme he announced for his guidance for the reform of the civil service. He is understood to have replied that he must depend on his own judgment in making appointments, and that Senators must use their own discretion as to confirmation or rejection. It appears unlikely to most observers that the present relations between the President and the party leaders in the Senate can long continue exactly as they now exist.

Democratic Senators by their action at the two caucuses recently held, seem to imply their belief that the republicans will be found a unit in favor of admitting Kellogg and Corbin; and that their policy, if this view is confirmed, will be to stave off a vote to the latest possible time.

Patterson and Belford, contestants for Colorado's seat in the House, have both been heard by the committee in their own behalf, but no present decision is expected. KNOX.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Erzeroum says that Kars has been carried by storm after twelve hours' desperate fighting.

A despatch from Constantinople says that the Russians have been defeated at Orchanie, Etropal and Bergovatz, in the rear of Plevna. The hard-fighting Montenegrins have captured Antivari by storm, and are marching on Dulcigno.

The Russians took 300 guns and immense stores of ammunition at Kars, and captured the entire garrison. The fighting was desperate on both sides.

News and Notes.

A San Antonio despatch says several bodies of Indians have crossed from Mexico into Texas on raids. General Ord has warned settlers on the frontier, and he will follow them with troops. The Indians and Mexicans are unusually hostile on account of Lieutenant Bullis, who destroyed their camp near Saragossa. The Indians have received large reinforcements from Northern Mexico, and brag openly that any prisoners they take will have their eyes put out. They are consolidating their camps.

Mrs. Thomas Doran, of Bethel, Conn., attempted to kindle a fire on Sunday morning with mineral oil, and with her two children was terribly burned. One child is dead, and the other child and the mother will die.

The corpse of Louis Samuels, a dissipated character of New York, was found in a cellar one night last week, and was taken to the home of his family to be buried. The arrangements were all completed for Sunday, when Samuels appeared and objected to the whole proceedings. Who the dead man was is unknown.

Alexander Sayres fatally shot his wife, from whom he had been separated for two years, in a Methodist church in Philadelphia on Sunday.

Otis D. Brown, of Portland, broke his neck by a fall in Dooley's hotel, Boston, Saturday evening.

In some portions of Texas, where greenbackers have never been plentiful, the people have resumed specie payments, receiving and paying out gold in their daily transactions without any premium. Tired of waiting on the slow process of Congressional legislation on the subject, they concluded that as the premium had become so very small—less than two per cent., and in some places even one per cent.—it was not worth while to bother about it any longer.

Mrs. Morton is prostrated with her long vigils—for eighty nights she did not have a sound night's rest—and her friends do not think she will long survive the Senator. She is, however, preparing to leave Indianapolis for New Haven, where she intends to live until her youngest son has finished his college course. After that the two will return to Indianapolis and make that city their permanent home.

A maniac in Natick, Mass., caught a glimpse through a window, of a woman in her night clothes, and thought she was an angel. This was complimentary to her beauty, but dangerous to her life, for he fired at her with a pistol to find out whether she really wasn't human. The bullet grazed her head.

At the time of the surrender of Chief Joseph to General Miles, Lieut. Wood made a verbatim report of the speech delivered by the chief, which was as follows: "Tell Gen. Howard I know his heart. What he told me before I have it in my heart. I am tired of fighting. Our chiefs are killed; Looking Glass is dead; the old men are all dead. It is the young men who say 'yes' or 'no.' He who led on the young men is dead. It is cold and we have no blankets. The little children are freezing to death. My people, some of them, have run away to the hills and have no blankets, no food. No one knows where they are; perhaps they are freezing to death. I want to have time to look for my children, and see how many of them I can find. Maybe I shall find them among the dead. Hear me, my chiefs. I am tired; my heart is sick and sad. From where the sun now stands I will fight no more forever."

"Professor P. Valleau," of New York, is one of the great men of earth. He recently waltzed seven consecutive hours without a rest.

The gang of counterfeiters who have been circulating counterfeit bills on the Tamaqua (Penn.,) National Bank, were arrested in New York Saturday night. There is evidence to convict three of them, and four others are in a bad position.

The Pittsburg (Pa.) *Despatch* building was burned on Sunday, probably by an incendiary fire. The building was a very large and costly one, and the loss is very heavy.

George Alfred Townsend, well known as the "Gath" of the newspapers, had his face slapped in Washington on Sunday by E. P. Brooks, formerly editor of the Washington *Republican*. It is no great matter to slap "Gath's" face, for though he writes with a pen dipped in the gall of bitterness and the depths of iniquity, he is an insignificant-looking little buffer, who doesn't amount to a row of pins physically.

The Boston police have secured conclusive evidence that Peter Mahoney was the murderer of Miss Bridget Frances Kennedy, the young lady who was stabbed to death at the door of her sister's house last week. Mahoney was seen following her, and to leave the house just after the poor girl entered it; and the police have proof that friends of the murderer washed off his hands and the knife the blood that got on them. The worthless ruffian's neck is in a tickllish place.

The Cunard steamer Bothnia arrived at New York on Sunday, from Liverpool, after a terribly rough passage, during which her after cabin was stove to pieces by a sea. Steamship Thomas, at St. John's, N. F., from Liverpool, had her decks swept of boats, houses, skylights, ventilators, compasses, etc., and her second and third mates and one seamen were carried overboard and drowned.

New Hampshire Items.

The last Bank Commissioners' report on the condition of the Carroll County Savings Bank was in substance as follows: Total liabilities, $530,957.72; total assets, $422,072.19, showing a deficiency of $180,939.53. A committee of trustees appointed to investigate reports the liabilities, $530,423; total assets, $450,261; deficiency, $98,162. The officers of the bank claim that there are corrections and credits to be allowed, which will cut the deficits down to $30,000 or less, and for that amount the Treasurer is amply responsible.

Judge Stanley on Monday appointed Joshua G. Hall and Wm. A. Healey assignees of the Carroll County Savings Bank, of Wolfeborough.

There were showers, with heavy thunder and sharp lightning, at Manchester and Nashua, Sunday morning.

Heavy Failure.

Conrad Poppenhausen, the Long Island railway king, has petitioned to be adjudicated a bankrupt. The amount of his ascertained liabilities is $3,621,856, and the amount of nominal assets is $7,308,388. This includes $900,000 in notes of the Flushing, North Shore and Central Railroad companies. What these will realize is uncertain. There are twenty-four creditors, most of them secured by stocks and bonds on these railroads, or other securities. Poppenhausen had put over five million dollars in solid cash in these roads in extending and improving them. He paid all the obligations possible, but was compelled to stop because the Long Island Railroad failed to pay its notes for the floating debt, which he had endorsed. His troubles arise from the shrinking of values, (the general business depression here and in Germany carrying off nearly ten millions bonded and floating debt of these railroads,) and the falling off in receipts since he purchased the roads. In two years Poppenhausen has lost his large fortune. He is now sick in Germany.

Political.

The Wisconsin Legislature this winter will consist of twenty-one republicans and twelve democrats in the Senate, and in the House forty-three republicans, forty-three democrats, four greenbackers elected as republicans, six greenbackers elected as democrats, three independent greenbackers and one socialist. The greenbackers hold the balance of power.

It is said that when the Presidential party appeared before the audience at Atlanta, Mrs. Hayes came escorted by one O. H. Jones, well known in that city. It is asserted that Jones was one of the murderous gang who, having captured the gallant Adams and his party of Union scouts near Big Shanties, Georgia, in 1864, hung them so brutally at Atlanta. The rope around the neck of Adams being too long, his feet came down to the ground and he stood comparatively unhurt. The chivalric Jones thereupon seized a spade, and digging the earth away from under his feet, choked the heroic Union soldier to death.

Another great man has fallen. While Senator Maxey of Texas was speaking in the Senate, Wednesday, Senator Davis of Illinois, who wants to hear everything that is said and see everything that is done, left his own seat to get nearer the Texan. Forgetting himself, he took the risk of sitting down in one of the ordinary Senate chairs. The result was that the cane seating, as well as the legs of the chair, gave way, and the next moment four hundred pounds of solid Senator were gently dumped on the floor.

The Cincinnati *Commercial* professes to be quite happy over the success of the democrats in Ohio; not because it loves the democrats, but "because the taste of misgovernment that the people will get under their administration will make the State republican for the next nine hundred and ninety-nine years." The sincerity of this expression of joy the New York *World* is inclined to question, and it observes: "Rarely has so small an oyster been applied to so big a black eye."

—An Illinois editor bought his ink by the jugful, because it was cheaper, but his wife went to fill the inkstand one morning and she found it wasn't ink by a jugful.

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Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
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	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5
Portland,	9:35	4:35 6:30
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Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35'	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:30 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Carter's oyster and dining saloon at No. 10 Vaughan street is now open.

Morris Brothers' Minstrels at Franklin Opera Hall this evening. See advertisement.

Rev. Arthur M. Knapp will deliver the second lecture on architecture at the Unitarian vestry on Court street this evening.

There were more drunken men and boys on the streets Saturday night than have been seen before since the night before the fourth of July.

Schooner Mary Elia, Capt. Staples, of this port, with 250 tons of coal for Salisbury, arrived at Newburyport bar in thirty-six hours from New York, waited at the bar six and one-half hours for the tide, and then arrived at the wharf in Salisbury in forty-five hours from New York.

The managers of the Sailors' Home, in closing their annual report, say: The conductors of this enterprise thank its friends for their generous and unfailing interest; and though it is primarily for the sailor, it seeks to help those in our community upon whom the times press heavily, by furnishing food at the lowest possible price. Its acceptable aid "involves no loss of self respect, and will be of more value than ever, we fear, during the coming winter."

The Portsmouth Reform Club were greeted with a very large audience at the Universalist church on Sunday evening. Rev. L. F. McKinney, chaplain of the Manchester club, gave a splendid extempore address which fairly enwrapped his listeners. President Janvrin of the Portsmouth club related his experience, and the large chorus of this church gave some choice temperance revival hymns. It was one of the best meetings the club ever held. They will be continued every Sunday evening.

We hear that Howe Call, Esq., a promising young lawyer of this city, has received a pressing offer to enter a law copartnership at Baltimore. Mr. Call recently won a difficult case before the jury, at the present term of the Supreme Court, and his clients desire him to remain in Portsmouth. He is a ready speaker, and has rendered considerable service to his party friends upon the stump, and many democrats of the district urge him to remain and accept the successorship of Frank Jones as the nominee for Congress from this District.

Dr. John W. Parsons had a rather startling experience on Sunday morning at about four o'clock. He left this city on a professional visit to Hampton somewhere about midnight, at which time there was sufficient light for a man to find his way; but the sky becoming overcast and the night very dark, on his return he got off his route, and finally was astonished to find himself close to the edge of the cliff at Little Boar's Head, a flash of lightning fortunately showing him his dangerous position. The doctor stopped his horse pretty suddenly, but was unable to find the road until he alighted and struck matches; and he was not at all annoyed when he found himself safe at home.

On Saturday a well-dressed and gentlemanly-appearing man hired a horse at Cochrane's livery stable, for an hour and a half, saying that he might use the team longer in which case he would pay the additional price demanded. He returned to the city at about half-past two o'clock Sunday morning, and hitched the horse on Bridge street, where the poor animal remained until the afternoon without shelter, when the stable men learned he was there and of course at once took care of him. On Monday the horse was sick, and no great wonder. It is a pity the polished rascal (for any man who would treat a horse so is no less) could not be caught and put through a course of judicial sprouts; but it is supposed he left for Boston on the Pullman train.

A BLUSHING DENIAL.

Ed. Chronicle: Please do us the favor to make a correction in the locality of the shooting affair recorded in your Monday's paper. It did not occur at our store, and in no way had any connection with it. In writing up so full and particular an account of the occurrence, it would seem that your reporter ought to have been able to have correctly stated where it happened. We do not object to being publicly credited with any honor that justly belongs to us, but we are altogether too modest to be crowned with the laurels of others. WM. DOWNS & SON.

[*Note.*—Our reporter got his information from the man who was shot, and he said the bullet was fired from the door of Messrs. Downs' store; considering that authority pretty good, the reporter did not trouble himself to go further. In reality, the gun was fired from the next door, which is a few feet distant from the one named; but it was reprehensibly a careless trick, no matter where the gun was fired from or who fired it.—*Ed. Chronicle.*]

SUPREME COURT--6th WEEK.

Monday, Nov. 19; *Stanley, J.*

The Court spent the forenoon in looking over the docket. Case William R. Foster vs. Thomas E. O. Marvin, a suit about a uniform, was disposed of by an order for non-suit, for some informality in the papers. Frink for plaintiff; F. M. Hatch for defendant.

The suit Creswell and others, receivers of the Freedmen's Savings Bank, vs. James Pike, was continued.

John D. Ordway, of Hampstead, vs. Jonathan C. Sanders, of Derry. Action for the loss of a package of money entrusted to the servant of Sanders, a carrier of passengers, etc., between West Hampstead and Atkinson depot, there to be delivered to Perkins' Exeter and Boston express by Wm. Nelson, driver of defendant's stage. The case was tried at last January term, when a verdict was rendered, which the law Court set aside. The plaintiff seeks to prove that the driver was agent of the defendant, who succeeded his brother; the amount entrusted was $198.55 in currency and a check on Boston for five dollars, which is the claim in suit. Hatch and Bartlett for the plaintiff; Marston for defendant. The evidence was closed, and the arguments are to be made this morning.

TWO YOUNG FOOLS.

Two young girls, one a pupil at the High School, named Alice Stickney, and the other named Jennie Grey, one fifteen years old and the other sixteen, both quite attractive in appearance, and the daughters of respectable parents, left home on Saturday morning, purchasing tickets for Boston and showing considerable money at the time. The tickets were taken up by Conductor Leavitt, who takes out the 8:23 A. M. train from this city. It appears that some three weeks ago a couple of strange men, giving the names of Willey and Kittredge, came here and stayed three days, during which time they made a clandestine acquaintance with these silly girls, and from circumstances which came to light after the runaway the foolish escapade was connected with the men referred to. Steps were at once taken to rescue the girls from the consequences of their folly, and they were found in Charlestown, Mass., on Monday.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Eliza Laighton, widow of Hon. Thomas B. Laighton, and mother of Mrs. Celia Thaxter and Messrs. Oscar and Cedric Laighton of the Appledore House, Isles of Shoals, died in this city on Monday, at the age of seventy-four years. She was a most excellent woman, a true wife and devoted mother; and even in her old age, and despite the wearying and wearing complaint which kept her secluded from general society during the later years of her life, her cheerful, companionable disposition won her the warm regards of those who were admitted to her acquaintance. Blest with abundant good sense, she was an interesting conversationalist; and when long past seventy, neither age nor physical suffering had dulled her keen appreciation of humor, and her laugh was still cheery and hearty as a young girl's. An ardent lover of the beautiful in nature, she kept her island home at Appledore beautified indoors throughout the long winters with a wealth of plants, the common and the rare being equal favorites, so only they were equally beautiful; and her love for birds was to the last a source of pleasure to her. The devoted attentions of her children were doubly her due, for her youth and womanhood, and her riper years, were devoted to them; and they will have the sympathy of all who have enjoyed the venerable lady's acquaintance, in their affliction—not the less an affliction because long feared, and reasonably to be expected in the course of nature.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The gospel meeting at the North church on Monday evening was preceded by the usual praise service, the selections being "Whosoever Will," "Jesus of Nazareth passeth by," "Sowing the seed," "The gates ajar" and "There's a light in the valley."

The regular service began with singing the hymn "I hear thy gentle voice." Rev. Mr. Goss led in prayer, Mr. McGranahan sang "I have set before thee an open door," the congregation united in singing "There is a fountain filled with blood," and then Mr. McGranahan sang "Eternity."

Mr. Whittle took for his theme, Rom. 3:4—5. Salvation is either of works or of grace; our text says it is of grace, so other scriptures assert. The thief on the cross was to enter paradise by believing on Christ, the other thief would not believe. One was hardened by seeing the sufferings of Christ, the other melted into penitence. The gospel to-day either serves to turn men to Christ or to harden those that hear it, it is "a savor of life unto life or of death unto death." These men on the cross heard all the wondrous words of Jesus, saw all his sufferings, all the taunts given him; one only reviled and swore, the other recognized the divine service. True repentence is not because we have brought shame on ourselves, but because we have sinned against God. Those that take the ground that any good work can save them, make the death of Jesus of no effect. One thief recognized the Savior in his dying hour and called upon him for salvation. What did the thief do? Nothing, for he was nailed to the cross. Men now desire to do something to be saved; they are unwilling to be saved by grace. How was the thief saved? By faith in Christ, by believing in his name; it was through the suffering and death of Christ. "By grace are ye saved, and that not of yourselves; it is the gift of God." The church cannot save us, baptism cannot save us, good works cannot save us, nothing can save us but believing in Christ. "Whosoever calleth on the name of the Lord shall be saved." The meeting was closed by singing "There's life for a look," after which the usual enquiry meeting was held.

THE VICINITY.

The dedication of Greenland's Town Hall is set for Thursday evening, 22d inst. The exercises will consist of music, prayer, an introductory address by Charles W. Pickering, Esq., chairman of the building committee, and an address by Albert R. Hatch, Esq., of this city. Harlow's orchestra will furnish music for the occasion.

At Kittery foreside, Thursday evening, occurred the Baptist Sabbath School concert; dialogues, recitations and music held the close attention of the large audience, the scholars manifested a zeal seldom equalled in the society, and the result was a particularly well ordered entertainment. Five young ladies represented the "World of Bliss,"—and it was the general impression that any four of them were superfluous; the wife of Mr. John Milton read the "Teacher's Reward;" and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ball admirably sung "Sweet Long Ago." It is but justice to mention exceedingly good vocal music by Miss Fanny Adams and Miss Flora Hayes, to hear whom we are always pleased.

MARRIAGES.

HALEY—PARSONS. In Kittery, Me., Nov. 15th, by Elder George M. Paine, Mr. Oliver C. Haley and Miss Mary A. Parsons, all of Kittery.

DEATHS.

LAIGHTON. In this city, Nov. 19, Mrs. Eliza Laighton, widow of Hon. Thomas B. Laighton, aged 74 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Bids will also be received, at the same time and place, endorsed "Proposals for Vessels," for the immediate transportation and delivery of the Coal at the above places in American vessels of the full carrying capacity required, with their names and rates of freight specified therein.

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Responsible security will be required for faithful delivery of the coal, in conformity with the stipulations on the blank forms for bids to be had at this office, otherwise bids will not be entertained.

JOHN S. GULICK,
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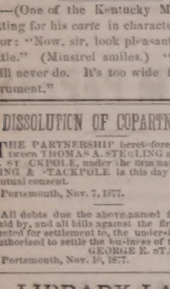

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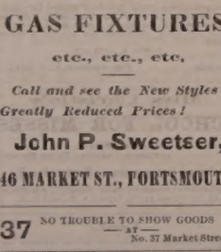

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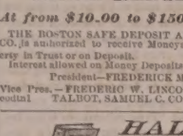

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Daily Chronicle.

Anecdote of Daniel Webster.

During one of the college vacations Daniel and his brother returned to their father's in Salisbury. Thinking he had a right to some return for the money he had expended on their education, the father put scythes into their hands and took them into the mowing field. Daniel made a few sweeps, and then resting his scythe wiped the sweat from his brow. His father said, "What's the matter, Dan?" "My scythe don't hang right, sir." His father fixed it and Dan went to work again, but with no better success. Something was the matter with the scythe and it was not long before it wanted fixing again, and the father said in a pet: "Well, hang it to suit yourself." Daniel with great composure hung it in the nearest tree and retired.

A Convict's Escapade.

A man named Downey, confined in the New Brunswick Penitentiary, and having only a few days of his term to serve, made a remarkably bold escape a few nights ago, scaling the walls and making off under the fire of the officers' rifles. He might have retained his suddenly acquired liberty had it not been for an unaccountable freak of temerity, which led him a few nights after his flight to return to his old quarters, break into the workshop and carry off a number of tools. These were missing the next day, and a search for them resulted in their being found in a barn. Here officers concealed themselves, anticipating that Downey would at some time return for his plunder. He did so that night, and his capture was very easily effected.

—Tally one for the dog. In New York a few nights since burglars attempted to break into a store on Broadway. The dog inside heard the noise and began to scratch on the window curtain, which released the spring roller and let out a flood of light, which attracted the policeman's attention and enabled him to bag a burglar after a single shot.

—Jennie June says that the real capitalist of to-day is the servant girl, since she has everything provided for her but clothing, and the cost of all fabrics is less now than before the war.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	107½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	103½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 5s	86½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	93½
Boston & Providence	122½
Boston & Albany	13[illegible]
Nashua & Lowell	59
Concord	74
Eastern	51
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	20
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	125
Michigan Central	58½
Northern N. H.	63½
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Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 21, 1877.

The Chief Constructorship.

Representative Shelley, of Alabama, just before the adjournment of the House on Monday, offered a resolution, which was agreed to, calling on the Secretary of the Navy to inform the House what naval vessels have been under repairs since the 1st of March last, with the name and cost of the same and the amount required to put them in a seagoing condition. This resolution was introduced on the suggestion of the following letter from a naval officer at this station to Mr. Shelley:

If your House wants to lop off some of the extravagance that is now going on, offer a resolution having a board of the highest naval officers, including a constructor and engineer, to examine and report on the old hulls which naval officers will be afraid to risk their lives in after they are completed. Besides, such an investigation will show the same condition of waste as was shown in the repairs of the Yantic at Norfolk under Constructor Easby, now Chief of the Bureau. His estimate as to the cost was $16,473.-55, while he spent before completing the same $171,830.05. For verification of this, read House Mis. Doc. 170, part 5, 44th Congress, 1st session, appendix, page 539, top of page.

We presume this is one phase of the movement to prevent the confirmation of Constructor Easby as Chief Constructor of the navy. We have always understood that Mr. Easby was a competent constructor and an honest official, though we know but little about him personally; but it is evident that his entire record will be thoroughly overhauled before he is confirmed by the Senate in the position to which President Hayes appointed him. And allowing Mr. Easby to be in every way fitted for that position, it is hard to see any reason for his appointment over the head of Thomas E. Webb, who stands first on the list of constructors in length of service, is master of his profession, and has been noted—we had almost said notorious—wherever he has been stationed, for his persistent opposition to everything in the shape of jobs, and his obstinate determination to run the department under his control as a business department, without fear of or favor to any person, clique or party. If the much vaunted civil service rules are to be enforced anywhere, this is a good place to do it; and if they are to be set aside in this case, at least some good reason should be given for Mr. Easby's promotion over Mr. Webb's head.

Congress.

The democratic Senators in caucus, Monday, decided to press upon the Senate the disposing of the claims of Spofford to a seat in the Senate from Louisiana at this session, and to vote against the proposed adjournment. A prominent democratic Senator said in speaking of the matter that his colleagues in the Senate felt that it was a great wrong for the people of Louisiana, to keep her from having any representatives on the floor of the Senate, and that they intended so far as lay in their power to remedy this by acting on the credentials now before the Senators; to this end they intended to oppose any resolutions looking to an early adjournment.

The new democratic door-keeper of the House has entered upon the work of reform by discharging all but one of the Union soldiers on his roll as assistant door keepers and messengers. The republicans at the last session of Congress secured an amendment to the appropriation bill requiring the retention of disabled soldiers in the employ of the House, but this law has been entirely ignored by the officers selected by the House at the present session, and every disabled Union soldier, with one exception, was dismissed on Monday. The one retained has lost both his hands, but it is very doubtful whether this will prevent his removal so that his place may be given to a democrat.

The Eastern War.

The *Graphic* says the following is the substance of a private cable dispatch received in that city by a prominent banking house: "Kars has fallen; Erzeroum will follow; Osma Pasha will very soon be captured at Plevna with his entire army. The Russians are putting forth extraordinary efforts, so as to finish up the war before the close of the year. They dare not permit the campaign to go over until spring, for Germany, Austria and England are in union as to the necessity of stopping the war before the Turks are entirely overwhelmed. Russia will have a large slice of Armenia. The Danubian principalities will be relieved from Turkish authority, and their future status left to a conference of the great powers. In any event, peace is certain. Sell wheat and provisions short, and get rid of railroad stocks."

The Turkish loss at Kars was 5000 men killed and wounded, 10,000 prisoners, 300 guns, and large amounts of stores. The Russians lost 2700 men. Gen. Melikoff directed the battle on the Russian side. The attack was made in the evening at 8:30, and lasted all night, the assailants climbing the cliffs where they were steepest. The first entrance into one of the Turkish redoubts was made at 11 o'clock at night, and the hand-to-hand fight lasted until 8:30 next morning, when the garrison fled toward Erzeroum, only to be brought back prisoners by the Cossacks.

Another Great Fire.

On Monday evening a fire broke out in the extensive rubber works of L. Candee & Co., at New Haven, Conn., while prominent officials of the New Haven and Norwalk fire departments were going over the building inspecting the new fire extinguishers which had been recently put in. It spread so rapidly that they hardly had time to get out. Fire extinguishers and other appliances were of no avail. The very combustible nature of the contents caused the flames to progress rapidly, and the efforts of the fire department could only save the adjoining buildings. Fortunately a majority of the eight hundred employes were not at work, five hundred girls having left at three o'clock in the afternoon for lack of work. The fire started in the cementing room. Some cement in use by a workman was ignited by a gas jet, and in an instant the whole room was in flames. About three hundred men were at work. Some in the third story could get out only by dropping. Those who dropped were the only ones hurt so far as known, although it was rumored that some were burned with the building; five men were very badly injured. The loss will reach $500,000, the insurance amounting to $350,000.

News and Notes.

Fifty-two vessels engaged in menhaden fishing sailed from New York Sunday for winter quarters along the coast of Massachusetts and Maine, and several will stop in Long Island Sound. About a dozen are steamers.

An astounding event in high society in New York is the elopement of a daughter of Mr. Arnold, of the great dry goods firm of Arnold, Constable & Co. She is nineteen years old and a belle, made so by a combination of personal beauty, intelligence and wealth. She fell in love with a clerk in her father's store. He is fifty years old, and poor, his special employment being that of floor-walker. Mr. Arnold sought to break off the intimacy, but the girl was self-willed. Saturday the couple sailed for Europe, having previously been united in marriage. She has a fortune in her own right, and is therefore independent.

Orlando Abbott and wife, of North Andover, Mass., while attempting to cross the Boston & Maine Railroad about three miles from Lawrence, Mass., on Tuesday, were struck by a freight train and themselves and their horse instantly killed.

An Atlanta man has invented a machine horse, and promises that if it will not carry a man faster than any ordinary horse can, he will eat it, cog-wheels and all.

British bark Nydia, from Liverpool for Tybee, collided with a steamer for Genoa. Both vessels were sunk, but the crews were saved, except two seamen from the Nydia and one from the steamer.

An explosion of a kerosene lamp, Monday evening, caused the destruction of the Fort Edward (N. Y.) Institute, the two hundred students escaping with difficulty, the flames spread so rapidly. The loss is estimated at $125,000.

The Boston *Pilot* has paid its second voluntary dividend of ten per cent to the poor people who suffered through the failure of Patrick Donahoe's bank. This action does the highest honor to the present proprietors of the *Pilot*, who were in no way bound by obligations assumed by Mr. Donahoe. It is purely a work of generous philanthropy.

The fall of Kars into the hands of the Russians must be accepted as true, and the details are sufficiently startling to render them of importance in forecasting the result in Asia Minor. Fifteen thousand men put out of the contest, Kars lost, with three hundred cannon and stores, is something to be considered in estimating the present and prospective situation of the opposing forces. The moral effect upon Turkey and Russia will doubtless be great. It will be recollected that early in the summer it was conceded that the Russians would take Kars; later it was popularly supposed the Russians would conclude this year's operations without having gained anything in Asia Minor. Now Kars, the key to Erzeroum, has fallen, and the army within it, instead of having retreated and saved itself, is killed and captive. Of course the objective point, Erzeroum, will now feel the full force of the Russian army. Operations against it may be delayed, according to the views and preparations of the Russians, but it seems hardly probable that the Turks will be able permanently to hold it. Still less is it probable that they will be able to retake Kars, but Kars is not the position of primary importance or aim. That point is Erzeroum, or rather the Russian purpose is to take and hold both places. With the work before the Turks, in Europe, it is difficult to see how they are to regain their dominion in Asia Minor. —*Providence Journal.*

Political.

Five maimed Union soldiers were on Monday removed by the Doorkeeper of the House of Representatives. They have been retained heretofore during all recesses since the Thirty-ninth Congress by the vote of both parties. At the last session their presence was a great strain upon democratic civil service practice, and at last it has proved entirely too much for it.

Col. Robert G. Ingersoll, Monday, in company with Senator Oglesby, called on the Secretary of State and stated he did not desire his name used in connection with the Berlin mission, as he did not want the position, preferring to practice law in connection with his brother.

The executive committee of the citizens' movement, in Boston, on Monday evening nominated by acclamation Hon. Henry L. Pierce for Mayor of that city.

The report in circulation that the Secretary of War had considered the charges made against Gen. Ingalls and others by Col. Dunn Piatt, and decided they did not make a court of inquiry necessary, is a mistake. The Secretary has been waiting for a movement on the part of the accused officers, and whenever any one of them requests a court, it will be convened by the Secretary without delay.

W. H. Sims was elected Lieutenant-Governor of Mississippi by something like 100,000 majority, but on the same day the people voted to abolish the office.

The democrats have not much to brag over Pennsylvania. The official figures show the democratic pluralities to range from 6,520 to 9,901. This is not so tremendous when it is proven that in three prominent republican counties over 20,000 republicans forgot to vote. It is fair to presume that their memories will return next fall.

What an inviting state of society for a northern man and a patriot must that be which supports or even tolerates such newspaper talk as the following, taken from an editorial notice of the death of Senator Morton, published in the Central Georgia *Weekly*, of Macon: "Yes, 'Bloody-shirt' Morton is dead. Thanks be to the God of the dead for the long-prayed-for relief! Grant is in Paris and Morton is dead! Is there not cause for rejoicing? Be glad, ye people of the United States that have so long suffered under the reign of these two bloodthirsty tyrants! They have sinned long and much, but they will suffer their just punishment in hell—if there be a hell—for assuredly there must be some place of torment for these wretches."

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MAILS CLOSE.

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Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:03 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	6:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE CITY.

Messrs. J. E. Ham & Co., of No. 27 Market street, advertise to-day a large stock of ladies' and gentlemen's overcoatings, gentlemen's pantaloon goods, furnishings, etc.

In another column will be found "an appeal" for the extension of aid to a worthy object. Mr. Atwood, who will call upon our citizens, comes well credentialed, and appears to be a gentleman and a man of more than average intelligence and ability, despite his great affliction.

The liquor store of H. Peyret & Co., on Congress street, was burglarized on Monday night, the thieves effecting an entrance by boring a hole through a window sash, throwing back the catch and raising the window. Some dozen bottles of wine and about three dollars in money were taken. On the same night the cigar case in the office of the Kearsarge House was robbed of several hundred Havana cigars, and an unsuccessful attempt was made to cut open the money drawer.

The runaway girls, Alice Stickney and Maggie Gray, were brought home to-day from Charlestown, Mass. It appears that the money they had when they left on last Saturday, amounted to only five dollars, and it was furnished them by a man here. The story circulated yesterday, about their departure having something to do with a couple of "drummers," had no foundation. The Stickney girl claims to have had good reason to wish a change of scene, while the Gray girl accompanied her only for the novelty of it.—*Times*, 20th.

SUPREME COURT--6th WEEK.

Tuesday, Nov. 20; *Stanley, J.*

On motion of Gen. Marston, Everett C. Banfield, of Wolfeborough, was admitted to practice in the courts of this State. Mr. Banfield was formerly Solicitor of the United States Treasury Department at Washington, and had previously been admitted to practice in Massachusetts and in the courts of the District of Columbia.

In case Ordway vs. Sanders, the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff in the sum of $138.66.

George Boss vs. Alfred Elwyn, action upon a contract for labor for one year at $300. Defence that the contract was broken by the wrongful acts and omissions of Boss. Given to the jury in the evening. A. R. Hatch and F. M. Hatch for plaintiff; William H. Hackett for defendant.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The Tuesday evening meeting at the North church was fully attended.

At the praise service were sung "Let the lower lights be burning," "The half was never told," "The sweet bye and bye," "Dare to be a Daniel," and "Sing of his mighty love."

The congregation united in singing "Alas, and did my Savior bleed," at the regular service, Rev. Mr. Gile of Lawrence led in prayer, Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan sang "Hear ye not your Savior calling?" the congregation sang "In the Christian's home in glory," and Mr. McGranahan, accompanied by his wife, sang "In the presence of the King," with great power.

After asking God's blessing on the services of the evening, Mr. Whittle took for his theme, "Confessing Christ," founded on Matthew 10:32—33, and the story of the blind man, John 9:1—12. This narrative illustrates how a sinner seeks Christ, in many points. First, Jesus saw the man before the man saw Jesus Jesus first sees the sinner, first enlightens him, before he can have any true spiritual vision. Again, the man was born blind, so men are born in sin. But a remedy has been provided, if men will only accept it, and they only must suffer if they will not receive it. This man believed in Christ, and received sight. How did his faith come? By hearing Christ. Sitting there in his blindness, he heard words of Jesus that gave him faith. So men now get faith by hearing the promises of Christ. The man's faith was tested; he was ordered to use a very simple remedy; he was told to go wash in Siloam, a place of a curse. The sinner must obey Christ; he must look to Calvary, that place of a curse; he must believe in Christ. Men cannot know themselves until their eyes are opened by the truth of Christ, so blinded are they by pride and self-conceit. The blind man was ready to confess Christ. He was not afraid that he should again lose his sight; he was not afraid to confess what Christ had done for him, though it was not popular so to do. Every heart that has received Christ should be ready to tell the story of his redemption. Because the man confessed Christ, he was cast out by the Jews; so may some of us be cast out by the men of this world, be cast out by society, be cast out by business men. Jesus declares that he is the Son of God, and we worship him as a divine Savior. Every one of us should say "Lord, what wilt thou have me to do?" and be willing to do what Jesus makes known to us. Jesus wants all of us to call upon him, to come to him, to give him our hearts.

After prayer, offered by Mr. Whittle, and singing "Am I a soldier of the cross?" an enquiry meeting was held, a larger number than usual remaining.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, Nov. 19; *Batchelder, J.*

James Gilchrist, better known as "Scotty," for brawl and tumult was fined $3, costs $6,90. Same gentleman, for an assault on Patrick Bates, was assessed the same amount, $9.90. Same gentleman, for assaulting a police officer while in the execution of his duty, was bound over in the sum of $100 to appear to answer at a higher court. We are glad Scotty is in all this trouble; on Saturday evening he was in the lockup, and by his outrageous, drunken yells and howls so disturbed us that we were unable to write the religious editorial we intended to finish that night; in fact, when we came to read over the pages we did manage to write, the spirit of the article was so unsatisfactory that we threw the lot into the waste basket; we sincerely hope Scotty will get hung this time.

Tuesday, Nov. 20, *Batchelder, J.*

George W. Brown, drunk, fined $3, costs assessed at $6.90. Brentwood for one.

[Communicated.]

AN APPEAL.

Ed. Chronicle: Not until within some few years past has interest in the spiritual welfare of the deaf and dumb taken definite form. Of the six New England states, Massachusetts takes the lead. A society known as the "Society of Deaf-mutes" has sprung up in almost every city where a sufficient number of such unfortunate people warranted the formation of one; it is a society composed of all the mutes of the different church denominations residing in the city and vicinity, whose object is to secure and enjoy religious instruction and preaching in their own language—"the sign-language" as it is called. The effect of establishing these societies, nonsectarian in their organization, and sustained as they have always been by the Christian and benevolent public, has been to open the way for a greater dissemination of the gospel of Christ among this class of persons, and that at less expense than would be done in any other manner. In times like the present it has been found necessary to seek aid from abroad, in places that have not such a society in their midst. Now surely the Christian and generous citizens of Portsmouth will kindly assist their unfortunate brethren in their struggling endeavors to maintain religious services. It is to be hoped that a helping hand will be extended by every one when called upon.

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[Communicated.]

"GIVE US A REST."

Mr. Editor: I have no desire to interfere with the management of your paper, but, as one of your earliest subscribers, wish to say that one unevangelical reader will be glad when the necessity no longer exists for the publication of the dreary nonsense and repelling sentiments of the self-appointed expounders of the divine scheme of salvation who are now laboring for so many dollars a month here. *

[*Note.* We publish the foregoing communication, because it's so delightfully short. But we really hope our friends, of *all* shades of religious belief or disbelief, will spare us any further communications on religious matters; fact is, we're tired. We shall adhere to the CHRONICLE rule of allowing all sides a hearing if any one side is allowed it; and as we shall continue to give reports of the revival meetings, the only way we can see by which we can get around our own rule is to insist that the opponents of the revivalists' creed, if they wish to answer them, must hold opposition meetings and preach sermons, of which we will publish synoptical reports. In the meantime, we would like a communication on base ball, or some other fresh topic, for a change. —*Ed. Chronicle.*]

[Communicated.]

JUST THIS ONE MORE.

Editor Chronicle: I* would like to call the attention of your readers to the sermon by Mr. Whittle reported in the CHRONICLE of Friday, Nov. 16. In speaking of heaven he says: "It is the place of departed saints." "Elijah is spoken of as being taken up into heaven," and hundreds of years after, he and Moses "appeared alive on the mount of transfiguration." At this point he seems to have become frightened for fear he was giving too much fact, and hastens to make the following remark, or assertion: "But the Bible nowhere teaches that we can have any communication with the spirits of the departed, or that they can return to us; and the belief in such a doctrine is a dangerous error." Now how much influence can such absurd and ridiculous contradictions as the above have upon the thinking people? Do these men suppose that people cannot read the Bible for themselves? There are many among your numerous readers that are so "dangerous" as to suppose that this man told the truth when he said "Elijah is spoken of as being taken up into heaven," and he admits that Elijah did appear to Peter, James, and John. Now as we read in the 1st Cor., 15:50, "Now this I say, brethren, that flesh and blood cannot inherit the kingdom of God; neither doth corruption inherit incorruption." Believing this, we also believe that Elijah had changed, and had become a spirit, and that when he appeared it was a spiritual manifestation; or in other words that a spirit had given a communication, or at least had been seen by men who were then in the flesh. Again, we are so "dangerous" that we dare to read in Deut. 34:5—6, "So Moses, the servant of the Lord, died there in the land of Moab, according to the word of the Lord. And he buried him in the valley," etc. We are such a dangerous class, that we dare to ask where did Moses come from, and what was this but a "spiritual manifestation?" Again, we ask were Jesus, James, Peter and John dangerous men because they believed they saw Moses and Elijah, or Elias? Was John a dangerous man, or did he believe a dangerous doctrine or a "dangerous error," when he said he fell down to worship an angel, and the angel *communicated* with him, telling him to do no such thing? "I am thy fellow servant of the prophets." Rev. 19:-10; also 22:9. Now these are dangerous questions to ask, I admit; but notwithstanding this, there a great many in this enlightened age that do ask them. Some may think I put too much stress on the word "dangerous;" but if what the same gentleman said in former discourses is true, we cannot look upon the word as half what it conveys. He is reported as saying last week, "There are some here to-night, who believe that God will let them into heaven on their good work, their upright life, *but alas, these are all vain!*" Now if it is true that *good works* are "all vain," and that murderers, robbers, and the wickedest men on the dark catalogue of crime, if "evangelical" in their belief, are better men than the upright, honest people who "reject" that belief, then indeed would I, for one, beg God to send me to hell, where I could have decent company. And I only echo the minds of many of your readers when I state that we prefer to be such dangerous people as Jesus, James, Peter and John, and commune with the pure spirits of our departed, than to engage in the crimes and degradation of a low and wicked life with the expectation of casting our sins on the shoulders of an innocent man at the end. Why are these people afraid to come out and discuss these questions with us, if they have the Lord on their side? I challenge them to do so; will they respond? We propose to answer the sermon above referred to next Sunday, and we ask all men of candid minds to come and hear "the other side of the question." I am happy to subscribe myself, Yours in the cause of truth, PALEMON C. MILLS, Inspirational lecturer.

*[*Note.* Just after we had finished a foot-note to the communication which precedes this, stating that we wanted no more communications on religious matters until we had got rested, Mr. Mills' article was handed in; and as the Spiritualists had not previously taken up any of our space, though we had published Mr. Whittle's assertion that their belief is "a dangerous error," we were obliged to set aside our new rule (for just this once) before the ink with which it was written had got fairly dry. We took the liberty to strike out all the first part of Mr. Mills' communication, as it was mainly commendatory of our course in giving all sides a hearing, and we neither claim praise nor fear censure for doing what we regard as simply fair and just. We have been so long in the newspaper business that commendations showered on our head slide off our ambrosial locks like rain off a duck's back, and denunciations rattle against our case-hardened ribs like musket balls against a monitor's turret. —*Ed. Chronicle.*]

—Ladies are wearing white vests and neckties in imitation of the gentlemen, and some of the dresses this fall have regular claw-hammer coat-tails.

—A singular accident occurred to W. B. Stewart, of Plainfield, N. J., recently. While dozing in a chair one of his legs "fell asleep," as it is called. Being startled from his slumbers, he suddenly arose, and the benumbed leg failing to give him support turned under him, and he fell, breaking the bones of the foot at the base of the toes.

—A sea-cow, caught in Indian River, Fla., is on exhibition at the Montgomery, Ala., fair. It is nine feet eight inches in length, and measures six feet around the body, and is so gentle that it bears handling while eating its food, without being the least disturbed thereby.

—"Foregoes" was the word put out at a written spelling exercise by a city teacher recently. And one little boy handed in, "Go, go, go, go."

DEATHS.

LAIGHTON. In this city, Nov. 19, Mrs. Eliza Laighton, widow of Hon. Thomas B. Laighton, aged 74 years.

☞ Funeral services at the house, No. 39 State street, on Thursday morning at ten o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend without further notice.

DUPRAY. In this city, Nov. 18, Mr. Francis Dupray, aged 66 years, 10 months, 18 days.

☞ The funeral of Francis Dupray will take place this (Wednesday) afternoon at 2 o'clock, from his late residence, No. 15 Deer Street.

ATWELL. In this city, Nov. 17th, Mr. John Atwell, aged 21 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Sch Fannie Barney, Sargent, Bangor.

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And will consist of

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Portsmouth Chronicle

A Leopard Loose in Ohio.

A telegram from Richwood, Ohio, to the Dayton *Journal*, dated 13th inst., has this story: "The people in the neighborhood of Richwood, Union county, were startled, yesterday, by the report that a wild leopard was ranging the woods. Some boys brought the news. The animal pounced upon them, and one of their number was dangerously injured. The neighborhood was aroused. Many turned out, and a hunt was begun, with the determination to capture or kill the savage beast. The party had not long been in pursuit, when they encountered the object of their search with a most disastrous result to themselves. The leopard made a sudden and most unexpected assault upon his pursuers, springing rapidly upon one after another till several were prostrated. John Sterling was badly torn and bitten. John Cahill received severe wounds in the head, Mr. Stanmates, two of the Davises, and Mr. Clifton, were all very much injured. Two of the party are considered to be in a very critical condition. It is said that during the chase the leopard was twice shot through the body, and during the fight, while standing over one of the prostrate hunters, the beast was shot a third time. This afternoon the dogs gave the alarm in the woods, about two miles north of Richwood. Half an hour later the men who went in pursuit found a dog that was literally torn to pieces, but the leopard was out of sight. There is, of course, great excitement among the people in town and country over the appearance of the ferocious animal. The supposition is that it escaped from a menagerie, though no exact description has yet been given of its color or size."

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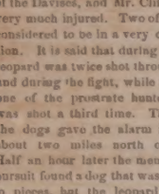

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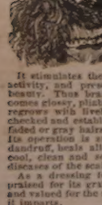

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And when the spring flowers were fairest,
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Whispered to us, the autumn is here:
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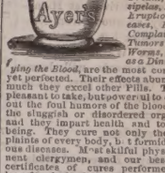

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Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 22, 1877.

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About the richest specimen of "pure cheek" that has been presented lately comes from the Hampton-Butler-conciliation chivalry of South Carolina. While they are engaged in punishing every republican and Union man in the State, for the crimes of supporting the Union during the rebellion and opposing the secession democracy since, by means of a partisan Court and the evidence of a confessed scoundrel who has a lot of "notes" that no one but himself can decipher, they demand "universal amnesty" for all Ku-Klux outrages and political murders by democrats. They tell us plaintively that "numbers of the most prominent citizens of the State [democrats, of course,] are exiled through fear of prosecution under the Enforcement Act, for participation in alleged Ku-Klux performances and the Hamburg and Ellenton riots;" and it is announced that a bill is to be introduced in Congress extending full and complete amnesty for all such offences, as a measure of conciliation. It would seem that the South Carolina chivalry should pass a State law pardoning the men who fought for the Union for that terrible crime against South Carolina democracy, before asking Congress to go into business as a wholesale whitewasher of midnight assassins and such daylight ruffians as "Gen." Massacre C. Butler.

Naval Affairs.

G. A. Scott, a cadet midshipman from Indiana, has been dismissed from the naval academy at Annapolis for hazing.

The nomination of Rear Admiral Howe to command the South Pacific squadron was on the 20th inst. confirmed by the Senate.

Pay Director George F. Cutter was nominated as Paymaster- eneral of the Navy, and Chief of the Bureau of Provisions and Clothing, on the 20th inst.

Constructor Easby's nomination as Chief of the Bureau of Construction and Repair is still pending in the Senate committee on naval affairs, and it is said great efforts are making to prevent his confirmation, though his friends are confident he will be confirmed.

The Secretary of the Navy sees no objection to the adoption of the metrical system in the Navy, except that if applied to soundings given in charts it would probably involve a total loss of all charts and plates now in use, and be prejudicial to the exchange of charts with England.

Advices from Washington of Nov. 19th say: "United States steamer Enterprise at Norfolk will be ready for sea to-day. She is under orders to proceed to New Orleans. The Huron arrived at Hampton Roads Saturday afternoon from New York. The Tallapoosa left Norfolk yesterday afternoon for Washington, via. Annapolis. The Pensacola will leave San Francisco in the latter part of this month for the Sandwich Islands."

News and Notes.

The mother of Mayor Pierce, of Biddeford, was found dead in her bed Monday morning. Heart disease was probably the cause.

Steamship Strathsay, laden with grain for Scotland, was lost on the Island of Miquelon, in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. Capt. Small and the crew of twenty-five men were saved. Insured $66,000, full value.

Gardner Chilson, inventor of the Chilson furnace and cooking range, died very suddenly at Mansfield, Mass., on Wednesday, at the age of 13 years.

The examination of Deacon Smith and Mrs. Champlin for the alleged poisoning of Mrs. Smith at Vergennes, Vt., last August, was commenced on Tuesday, the 20th inst.

Julius Kircher of New York city cremated his infant child to prevent family difficulty as to its burial, he being a Lutheran and his wife a Jewess. He burned the body in the furnace of his paint manufactory.

The silver men in the Senate finance committee won a big victory over their opponents in the rejection of all the proposed amendments to the Bland bill.

The commander of the Spanish forces in Cuba has issued a private order that all Cuban prisoners be killed, and reported as killed in battle.

In the Superior Criminal Court in Boston, on the 20th inst., Col. Henry R. Sibley pleaded guilty to the charges of forgery brought against him, and was sentenced to four years in the State Prison.

Gen. Melikoff, the captor of Kars, has arrived at Erzeroum with a portion of his army, and made a demand for the surrender of the city.

Congress.

The House on Tuesday passed the bill appropriating $150,000 for the Paris Exposition, after a long struggle.

The republicans in the Senate concluded to give Davis, of West Virginia, an opportunity to make a full investigation of his alleged discrepancies in the Treasury Department, and to show, if possible, the truth of his oft-repeated charge that the Treasury balances were habitually farces. The Vice President on Tuesday appointed Mr. Davis, of West Virginia, chairman of the committee of investigation, and Mr. Beck, of Kentucky, was named for the second place. Mr. Allison of Iowa, Mr. Ingalls of Kansas, and Mr. Cameron of Pennsylvania, are the republican members, with Davis and Beck at the head of the committee. Every opportunity possible is given to the democrats for proving the charges made. No better proof could be given by the republicans of their belief in the utter lack of foundation for Mr. Davis' charges than the composition of this committee, and virtually placing the whole machinery of the investigation in their hands.

New Hampshire Items.

An incendiary fire in that part of Rochester called Gonic, Tuesday morning, destroyed the building owned by the Gonic Manufacturing Co., and used by Riley Parker, machinist, and Hon. N. V. Whitehouse as a sawmill. Loss $6000. Parker and Whitehouse lose $3000, with no insurance.

Ned Howe, aged twenty, son of A. P. Howe in West Enfield, was instantly killed Monday, 19th inst., by having his head crushed between two trees, while chopping in his father's wood.

A two-story building in New Ipswich was burned on the night of the 20th inst. It was occupied by George A. Burton, a printer, who loses $8000 on stock and materials, with about $5600 insurance. The building was insured $600; loss $1000.

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Great Falls,	9:35	4:55
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Concord Way,		4:55
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Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Mr. John E. Roberts, of this city, delivered a temperance lecture at Newcastle on Wednesday evening.

John E. Johnston of this city has been appointed to take charge of the Insane Hospital at the County Farm at Brentwood.

The sunken locomotive was raised to the surface on Wednesday, when the gear gave way and down to the bottom it went again.

It is reported that permission has been given by the government for the brig Clara J. Adams to go into the dry dock at the navy yard, for repairs.

Mr. Lewis G. Davis, recently elected President of the Mechanics' Association, entertained the officers of the Association at the Kearsarge House, Wednesday evening.

A despatch from Gloucester, Mass., to this city, Wednesday forenoon, reported the loss of four of the crew of fishing schooner Grace Choate, but gave no particulars other than that they were lost while out in their dories after their trawls. Their names are Thomas Benson, Daniel McDonald, Henry Anderson and Frank Lawrence. Benson was the only married man of the four.

SUPREME COURT--6th WEEK.

Wednesday, Nov. 21, before *Stanley, J.*

In the case Boss vs. Elwyn, the jury returned a verdict in favor of the plaintiff, in the sum of $260.

Gerrish & Adams vs. Major Samuel Langdon: an action of assumpsit for undertaker's services, coffin, etc., amounting to $51.25. Defence was, payment to J. D. Butler, an attorney with whom the plaintiff left the bill for collection before this suit was brought, for a part of the items; and a general denial of liability as to the others. Verdict for the defendant. Call for plaintiff; Page for defendant.

Frank G. Bean, against whom two indictments for selling liquor were found at the present term, paid the costs in the cases, with the understanding that if no further sales are complained of, the indictments will not be brought forward.

Francis Hilliard vs. John W. Noyes and George W. Ross; action to recover a balance of $39.25 on an account for apples sold by the plaintiff, a resident of Kensington, to the defendants, who live at Barnston, in the province of Quebec, Dominion of Canada. The controversy is concerning twenty-seven barrels of apples, which the plaintiff, a fruit raiser and trader, claims to have sold to the defendants and delivered at Exeter depot in two lots, one lot consisting of eighteen barrels of No. 1's, and the other lot of nine barrels of No. 2's, which latter lot it is claimed was delivered subsequently to the other, but was not received and paid for, remaining until late in the year, when a part was taken away by the defendants, or one of them. The price of No. 1's was $2.25, and of No. 2's $1.25 per barrel, sold before picking; the bargain was made in September, and the first lot was delivered about the 20th of October. Several witnesses were in attendance. A deposition, taken by the defendants in Canada, was rejected by reason of an error in the notice. The case occupied the entire day. The Court came in at seven o'clock in the evening. This being the last jury trial, Judge Stanley told the jury that he should ask this additional service of them, that they might be discharged on Thursday. All the jurors not engaged in this trial were discharged in the forenoon. Marston for plaintiff; Hatch for defendant.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

There was a large audience assembled at the North church on Wednesday evening.

The praise service was preceded by prayer, offered by Rev. Mr. Haines of North Hampton. The selections were "Precious name," "Something for Jesus," "Are your windows open toward Jerusalem," "In the silent midnight watches," and "Once for all."

The regular service was opened by singing "I love to tell the story." Rev. Mr. Hubbell led in prayer, and Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan sang "He knows," the last composition of Mr. Bliss.

Mr. Whittle having been called away, by a telegram, telling him that his brother fell dead on the street in Chicago that morning, his place was supplied by Mr. Morehouse, an English evangelist, who has been laboring in Manchester with great success.

Mr. Morehouse began by asking all to bring their Bibles that they might test the truth of his preaching; if it be scriptural, then they that hear must either accept or reject God's word. He then read the 53d chapter of Isaiah with brief comments and the congregation sang "Precious promise." Mr. Morehouse took for his text 1st Peter, 1:19: "The precious blood of Christ." Once Peter did not believe in Christ, once he did not believe that Christ was to die on the cross; and once he received a severe rebuke from the Lord. But after the death and resurrection of Jesus, Peter began to preach a crucified Christ. Some say Jesus died only as a martyr, as did Abel, Stephen, and others, but the Bible nowhere says that Abel or any other man died for our sins or as a substitute for us, as did Jesus. Without the blood of Christ there can be no salvation from sin. The paschal lamb was a type of Christ. The Jewish nation began its real life as a nation when it first came under the blood of the paschal lamb; so the Christian's life begins when he comes under the blood of Christ. If we reject the sacrifice of Christ, we shall never be saved. The apostle says, "Ye know that ye were not redeemed with corruptible things, as silver and gold, from your vain conversation, but by the precious blood of Christ." The speaker gave a very affecting account of the conversion of a Yorkshire collier, and closed with an appeal for sinners to come to Christ.

The exercises closed with singing "There is a fountain filled with blood," after which the usual enquiry meeting was held, a large number remaining.

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

Adjourned meeting, Wednesday evening; present, the Mayor, Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. Knight, Messrs. Shannon, Pender, May, Gardner, Goodrich, Hutchinson, Hackett, Sherburne, Vaughan and Wendell.

Sundry bills were approved.

The salary of the writing master was fixed at $24 per week, when employed, and he was required to visit the suburban schools.

The subject of additional school accommodations in the westerly part of the city, in District No. Two, was discussed; and it was voted that application for the needed increased accommodations be made to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen, and Messrs. Hutchinson and Gardner were constituted a committee to present the subject to the City Government.

The subject of dismissal of schools on stormy afternoons was discussed, and referred to a committee consisting of Mr. Hackett, Mrs. Wilson and Mr. Vaughan.

Adjourned.

THE PAUL JONES' TRIP.

The men who went around from this city to Baltimore "by the run" in the new ship Paul Jones have returned, and from them we gather the following particulars of the trip, which may be of interest: The Paul Jones left this port on Thursday, Nov. 1st, and next morning was some fifteen or twenty miles to the southward and eastward of Gloucester, Mass., and at about six o'clock bore up for that port for shelter, having taken the heavy southeast gale which blew throughout that day and Saturday. She brought up inside of Eastern Point at about eight o'clock, and glad enough the crew were to get there; for it had become evident that the ship was insufficiently ballasted, so that she could do nothing on the wind, a moderately strong breeze laying her down on her side and sliding her off to leeward like a milk-pan in a mud puddle. Being in such an unfavorable trim, it is more than improbable that she could have made Portsmouth harbor again or kept off shore during the gale, had she been unable to get into Gloucester. The ship laid at single anchor until Sunday morning, the 4th, when she towed to sea and continued her voyage; and on the following Saturday, (having in the meantime been so far off shore as to be close to the Gulf Stream, if indeed she were not once in its edge,) at about five o'clock in the evening she brought up in the Horseshoe, just inside of Cape Charles, the wind at the time blowing a gale from the northeast. Here the ship laid until Monday morning, with seventy-five fathoms of chain out on one anchor and about fifty fathoms on the other; the anchors were then weighed and she started for Baltimore in tow, arriving at her dock at about five o'clock on Tuesday evening, Nov. 13th. Owing to the lack of ballast, the ship had no chance on the trip to show what she could do as a sailer, as it was impossible to do any carrying sail worth the name, except when dead before the wind, which is by no means a ship's best point of sailing; about eleven knots was the best she made at any time, we are told,—but she will do two or three knots better than that under favorable circumstances, unless her looks belie her greatly.

We judge from the way the crew talk that they are not great admirers of Capt. Jacobs; they speak in the highest terms of the seamanship and office-like bearing of Capt. Henry L. Marcy, who went around in the vessel; but they appear very enthusiastic the wrong way when they speak of the ship's commander. They say that the morning after the vessel's arrival at the dock he ordered them to get their traps ashore out of her in twenty minutes, and that he turned one of the ship's boys (Walter H. Prior) adrift without any means of reaching his home, the crew having to "chip in" and pay his fare back to this city, or else leave him to take the long tramp alone and with no money to pay for food and lodging on the way.

Industrial Sketches--No. 4.

PORTSMOUTH BREWING COMPANY.

Written for the Chronicle.

In the year 1800, one of the buildings that stood against the rocky and abrupt cliff that forms a part of the border of what was then known as "Strawberry Bank," was occupied by Mr. Mark Simes as a warehouse for the sale of grain and flour, and by Mr. Joseph Walker, who used the upper story for a sail-loft. The wharf connected with this building was the last of the piers that ranged along the south part of the town until Church-hill point was passed, the interval being marked by a swift current, which sets so strongly against the shore as to be dangerous to navigators at all times, and forbids any encroachment from the shore into its rapid waters. At this date Portsmouth boasted of an extensive commerce. Many of our wharves, which at present seem as if they had merely stepped into the water to partake of a foot bath and had fallen asleep, were then the scene of life and enterprise. Vessels from every clime could be seen loading and discharging their varied cargoes. From the West Indies was received coffee, rum, sugar, and molasses; from Russia and Sweden, iron, hemp, and duck; from Montevideo and Buenos Ayres, hides and tallow; from India, saltpetre, silk and wool; from England, salt, crockery, etc.; while the outward bound vessels with cargoes of fish, beef, horses, mules, oxen, sheep, pigs, poultry, flax-seed, lumber and pearl potash, together with a large number of coasting and fishing vessels, presented a scene that to those who lived amidst its busy turmoil and contrasts it with the present, can only find pleasure in the memories of past associations. Mr. Mark Simes retired from business and was appointed postmaster under the administration of President Jefferson. In March, 1821, Mr. Joseph Walker, who was assisting Captain Vaughan in moving a vessel, fell into the water, and lived only a few days after the accident, the injuries he received at the time causing his death.

In 1824 the building referred to became a sugar refinery. [The Browns of Portland, who have for years carried on extensive sugar works in that city, are said to be descendants of the parties who first started the Refinery here.] In the years 1826, '27 and '28, Mr. Daniel G. Brown manufactured in it potato starch and vinegar, and the tubs which were used at that time have recently been sold to parties in this city.

In 1832 a corporation was formed, styled the "Portsmouth Iron Foundry Company." They erected a substantial brick building where the present gas works are located, and the warehouse or factory was used in connection with the foundry for office and storage purposes until 1845. During this time it was occupied by Jefferson McIntire & Badger, who manufactured looms for the Portsmouth Stocking Factory; afterwards by Messrs. Israel & Cushing, who made machinery for factories in the neighboring towns; and by Col. Samuel Gookin & Sterns, for the manufacture of baggage cars complete. From 1845 to 1849, Mr. Jasper Crane occupied the building, and made a superior quality of ribbed woolen hose. It was next used for storage until 1856, when it was again converted into a stocking factory, under the superintendence of Mr. Simeon Straus. In 1858 it passed into the hands of Mr. Benjamin F. Webster, who purchased it for a workshop, and in connection with his house-carpentering business kept on hand a large stock of blinds, sashes and doors. During its occupancy by Mr. Webster it was burned, and again rebuilt; the present building being nearly a counterpart of the original.

In 1870, Messrs. Arthur Harris and N. F. Mathes purchased it, to occupy for the brewing of ale. Mr. Mathes retired from the business in 1871, disposing of his interest to Mr. William E. Hadley, who in 1873 sold out, the business being continued under the firm name of Harris & Co. In 1876 it merged into a stock corporation under the title of the "Portsmouth Brewing Company," who are its present occupants. This Company includes twelve stockholders, six of whom are directors. Five are residents of this city, viz.: George Bilbruck, Arthur Harris, John Dixon, William Ward and John Conlon. President, Mr. Bilbruck; Vice President and brewer, Mr. Harris; Treasurer, Mr. Dixon. [Mr. Dixon, on account of ill health, has recently resigned, and is succeeded by Mr. Patrick McGlinchy of Portland.] Although in extent of buildings the premises of the Portsmouth Brewing Co. may not compare with some other breweries, yet the business is so systemized that it requires less room, and the visitor can easily trace the different processes, from the mashing of the malt to the final act,—the storage of the ale.

The main building is 60 feet by 30, five stories high, with an extension of 40 by 45 feet. The upper room contains cisterns for hot and cold water. On the fourth floor is the malt room, and the mash tub, and the boiling tub, which sinks through the floor into the third story, in which is the surface cooler, mill and office. On the second floor is the tun room, at the back of which is the refrigerator. A part of the racking tub is also in this room, descending into the cellar or storage room below. The boilers, engine room and scald shed are under another roof, but connected with the main building. There are thirteen cisterns, including tubs, etc., with an average capacity of 170 barrels each; one engine, and one boiler of seventy-five horse power. They use daily about 250 bushels of malt. The average number of men employed is fifteen. The cooper's shop is opposite the brewery, and one can judge from the number (8000) of hogsheads, barrels, etc., which are required by this company, that there is a large amount of labor performed in this department. The conveniences for drainage cannot be surpassed, as the building is on a line with the river wall, and all the refuse is run into the stream, effectually preventing any unpleasant odor. The team (as in all breweries) is a point of attraction, necessarily demanding the heaviest draught horses.

In the few years that this brewery has been in operation it has gained a reputation that classes it with the older and well known companies. Mr. Harris, the brewer, has been connected with some of the principal breweries in the United States; and in the manufacturing of porter, stock ale, and the finer brands, such as pale India and Bass' English ale, it is claimed he has no superior in this country. The company have a constant demand for the higher grades, chiefly from the large cities. They introduced for their late summer trade the hop beer, resembling in color and liveliness the common draft ale; it acts as a tonic, is very pleasant to the taste and is free from any alcohol, except what one might find in a loaf of bread. They have sold large quantities in Maine, where the prohibitory law is enforced, and also in many of the cities and towns in Massachusetts where the sale of liquor is prohibitted by local option. It is intended to make this a specialty for the summer trade.

One of the features in the making of ale by Mr. Harris is the mashing machine, and it seems more like a toy when compared with the cumbersome structures of the older inventions. It is placed on the top of the mash tub, and is self-acting, doing away with all belting and machinery. Mr. Harris is the inventor, and in addition to the advantages of the simplicity of its construction, and the saving of expense of steam and other driving power, he claims that a larger extract is obtained from the same amount of grain than can be produced from the old methods. Science in this, as in other improvements, has made rapid strides, and if one could see the old methods of mashing in contrast with the present mode he would be not only interested but amused. The "sparger" or sprinkler, (a description of which was given in the first number of these sketches,) was introduced by Mr. Harris eight years ago, and is now universally used.

The extent that beer making has arrived at in this country is not astonishing, when one takes into account the increase of the foreign element, from countries where beer has almost from time immemorial been a common beverage. The first brewery built in Massachusetts was by Captain Sidewick, in 1637. Now New England has its hundreds of breweries; there is annually used about twenty million bushels of malt, from which is obtained seven hundred thousand bushels of sprouts, equivalent to nine hundred million pounds of hay. The sprouts are considered excellent feed for cattle, as they contain, to a great extent, albumen, the highest nutritive power. The amount of beer manufactured in the United States will approach three hundred million gallons a year, one brewery alone furnishing over four million gallons. And one significant fact connected with this, is, that while the building of breweries and the drinking of beer are on the increase, distilleries, and the use of strong alcoholic drinks, have materially decreased. One can hardly estimate the amount of capital invested in this vast business. The immense quantities of barley and hops consumed, the building of breweries and malt houses, the employment given to architects, engineers, mechanics of almost every branch, laborers, and farmers, will amount to millions of dollars. Statistics give the amount of tax received from brewers, nine millions of dollars.

In regard to the medicinal virtues of ale, its advocates quote the following authorities: The Director-General of the Army Medical Staff of Germany, recommended it for the soldier "in the camp and in the hospital, in time of peace and in time of war;" Prof. Moleschott, in his "Chemistry of Food," says it increases the secretion of the digestive juices and promotes solution of the food; that it is nutritive, and used in moderation is salubrious. Dr. T. K. Chalmers, Robert Ward, and Dr. Schoffern of the School of Chemistry, London, and many other eminent men who have made a study of its effects on the system, speak in favorable terms of it when used in moderation; as like water, tea or coffee, when used to excess it becomes injurious.

This Company has purchased land connected with the brewery and intend making extensive additions in the spring. The constant rivalry among brewers to excel in producing a superior quality of beer, shows that the efforts of the Portsmouth Brewing Company have met with a well merited success.

In the "Rambles about Portsmouth" we find the following mention of breweries and persons allowed to brew beer: "Samuel Wentworth (the father of the first Governor John and son of Elder William Wentworth of Dover) was the first of the name in Portsmouth. In the year 1670 our town records show him licensed with libertie to entertain strangers and sell and brew beare;" and in 1790 a brewery was located near the corner of Deer and Market streets.

The second record we find of a brewery in this city is of one located on the southwest corner of Fleet street, fronting Court street. The proprietor was Mr. James Foster, and judging from the ledger account of the year 1795, his customers must have been numerous and embraced a highly respectable class of citizens. On Sunday morning the pater-familias or some other member of the family would be seen going and returning with jugs of various sizes, according to the quantity wanted, and the occupants of the brewery were as busy as the bakers are at the present day in dealing out the Sunday morning breakfast of baked beans and brown bread.

The third one was on Adams street, near the Kearsarge mills, and was carried on by Mr. Peter King. The beer made in those days was called "strong beer," resembling the present stock ale. They also made a light beer for the table, which was in common use in most families. Mr. King had in his employ Michael Martin, who had figured in Ireland as "Lightfoot," a notorious highwayman, in connection with "Thunderbolt," who also came to this country and opened a barber shop in Portland, Maine. After the giving up of brewing or decease of Mr. King, the business was continued by Martin; and the stories of his adventures in Ireland, which he related, were often retold to the many who visited him. He is described by those who knew him as a great athlete. He was about five feet nine inches tall, with a strong, muscular frame. Among the many feats which he performed, was one of placing five molasses hogsheads in a row and jumping from one into another in five consecutive leaps. Another was the jumping over two horses, placed side by side. He frequented Wilde's Hotel, (later the Franklin House,) which was a popular rendezvous in the evening, and his performances of strength, and recital of incidents in his life were often the feature of conversation. He made his exit from Portsmouth by hiring a team from Mr. Stacy Hall, who kept a livery stable, which team he disposed of to another party. When next heard from he was arrested for robbing Major Bray on the highway in Cambridgeport. Major Bray's wife was with him, but Martin's gallantry would not allow him to take any valuables from a lady. This was his first and only attempt at highway robbery in this country, as he was arrested, tried, and sentenced to be hung. While at the jail in Cambridge he attempted to escape by jumping over the wall, a feat which was deemed impossible for any one to accomplish. He was captured after considerable trouble, and his sentence was carried out. After his death he was examined by the physcians, who stated that he was double jointed. In business he was not successful; his creditors not hearing from him, after a time took the brewery, and found themselves heavy losers.

The readings from Dickens and other authors, at the second entertainment given by the Hutchings Association this evening, will be of a most pleasing character; the most indifferent admirer of Dickens cannot fail to be interested. Tableaux illustrating the readings will be shown; also several pieces of statuary.

DEATHS.

TOBEY. In Eliot, Me., Nov. 6th, 1877, Mrs. Annie R. Tobey, wife of Samuel A. Tobey, aged 32 years, 7 months, 14 days.

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—A Texas exchange says: "W. P. Toodle, a Houstonian, has been fined $100 for shooting one William Burton in his trestle work!" In what part of a man's anatomy is his trestle work!

—A father of three sons and five daughters was asked what family he had. The answer was: "I have three sons, and they have each five sisters." "Mercy!" replied the interrogator, "such a large family."

—A fox played a shrewd trick upon the "Queens county hunt" on Long Island recently. A wild animal not being procurable, a tame one was furnished and let loose before the hounds. The fox was scared by the noise behind him, and ran until nearly exhausted, until at last he came to a farmhouse and dashed into the kitchen. Being thoroughly domesticated he made known his need of food and drink to the housewife, and when his wants were provided for quietly stretched himself out before the fire and fell asleep while the huntsmen and hounds howled about outside, wondering at the mysterious loss of the scent.

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United States Ten-Forties coupon	107½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	108
Maine State 6s, 1889	123
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
N. H. State 6s 1890	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	102½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 5½	56½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway	45
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	36½
Boston & Providence	122½
Boston & Albany	121
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	54
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	80
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	88½
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Soap per lb, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
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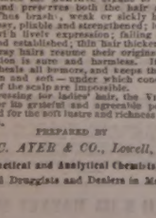

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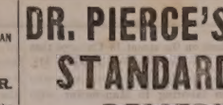

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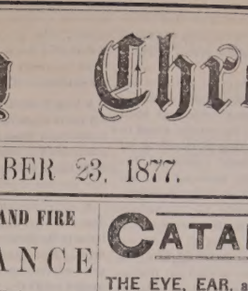

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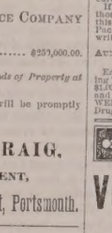

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Daily Chronicle.

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About it, when over—well, somebody's face.

The cost? Thirty dollars. You know it's im ported.
The fashion, you see, dear, has but just come out,
I tried it on, Tom, and, oh! I was transported.
Can't have it? Now, Tom, why? Can't I do without?

Let's see: there's the gas bill, the milk, and the grocer;
Jack wants his new shoes, and the butcher's bill is due;
And the dress-maker—There, I see you wish to know Sir,
How much it all makes. Well, of course, forty-two.

Have I bonnets up stairs? Yes. Worn out?
No, of course not.
But—There! I can't have it; to argue's no use.
Well, Tom, then that table, all gilding and what not,
We saw at the auction. Don't scowl so, you goose!

The table is lovely. I'm sure that we need it:
The parlor, you know, dear, is really quite bare.
Twenty dollars; 'tis nothing; you will never miss it.
Why, Thomas, I'm shocked! Was that meant for a swear?

Very well, Sir; there's surely no use of your scolding.
The gas bill, I hate it; the butcher still more.
You're always reminding me— Hark did the bell ring?
A bundle for you has just been left at the door.

What's in it? No matter. I'll see for myself, then.
The shoes that you got on your way from the cars?
Oh, Tom, what a story! There, now, it is open.
As I live, you extravagant wretch, it's cigars!

"Mr. Smith, for tobacco, to So-and-so debtor."
Five hundred cigars. Fifty dollars no doubt.
Now, then, Sir—the gas bill—the milk—you had better
Preach poor. Now that bonnet I shan't do without.

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THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between THOMAS A. STERLING and GEORGE E. STACKPOLE, under the firm name of STERLING & STACKPOLE is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

Portsmouth, Nov. 7, 1877.

All debts due the above-named firm are to be paid by, and all bills against the firm to be presented for settlement to, the undersigned, who is authorized to settle the business of the late firm.

GEORGE E. STACKPOLE.

Portsmouth, Nov. 10, 1877.

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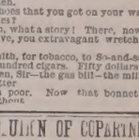

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Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 23, 1877.

Congress.

The result of certain test votes in the Senate, Wednesday, is regarded as indicative of the admission of Hamburg Butler from South Carolina, and the two democrats from Louisiana, thus making the Senate politically a tie, leaving the casting vote with the Vice President. The death of Senator Morton thus becomes of serious consequence to the country.

The Senate on Thursday adjourned to Monday. The republicans are satisfied that Conover of Florida and Patterson of South Carolina have been bought by the democrats to vote for the admission of the democratic claimants for seats in the Senate from South Carolina and Louisiana.

Boston and Maine Railroad.

We have received the report of the Directors of the Corporation showing the results of the operations for the year ending Sept. 30, 1877:

Gross receipts	$2,267,019.43
Operating expenses	1,423,182.62
Taxes paid	95,672 35
Rent of leased lines	87,200.00
Total expenses	1,606,054.97
Leaving as net earnings	660,964 46
Interest paid	245,802.73
Leaving balance of	415,161.73

This is a decrease in gross receipts as compared with the previous year of $103,600.10; in the expenses, including interest, taxes and rent of $7627, and in the net balance of $95,973.10. The report says:

"This decrease in gross receipts, and small decrease in expenses, is due to various causes. There have been now four years of great depression in all kinds of business that contribute to the support of a railroad. We have felt it from year to year in reduced receipts from our local business, and never more so than in our receipts from passengers during the year just closed. With no general improvement in business, the people all along our line of road have become poorer, have less money to spend, ride less, and in many instances have given up business altogether; this depression will of course be temporary, and business will in time revive and return again. Again, the low rates that have ruled during the past year on freight from the western States have seriously affected our gross earnings. The volume of business done during the year, in the department of freight, is but little short of the year previous. The sharp competition between all the trunk lines running west from Boston and New York has had its effect upon our line of road as well as upon all the others forming a link in the great chain of connecting roads extending from the East to the West.

Another important feature in the business of this road during the last year, and the cause for decreased traffic as well as increased expenses over ordinary years, was the strike of the engineers and firemen in the month of February last; which caused the entire suspension of all freight business over our road for nearly one week, and a considerable reduction in our passenger traffic. The effect of this disturbance remained well into the summer before traffic in both passengers and merchandise had fully resumed its accustomed line of travel.

A serious element of expense is the alarming increase in State and municipal taxes, which railroad corporations have been subjected to within a few years. State and municipal debts have increased so fast, that the authorities have become alarmed, and are driven to every expedient to find the means to meet their expenses. As corporations are bodies whose complaint can only be made by proxy, advantage has been taken of them, and a large share of this increased municipal indebtedness has been put upon them, until the taxes on railroads have become a grievous burden. The increase in taxes on the Boston and Maine Railroad has been from $6000 per annum in 1860 to $106,000 per annum in 1876.

Another large item of expense on our road the past year has been that of steel rails. We have purchased and laid down during the year 2060 tons, which cost us more than one hundred thousand dollars. Twenty thousand dollars, the difference between the cost of steel and iron, could have been properly charged to construction, but the whole amount has been charged to expenses. These are facts, and while they account in part for the reduced receipts and the comparatively small reduction in expenses, they at the same time show a healthy and sound condition in the road."

The history of the strike, so familiar to our readers, forms a part of the report. The Directors make the deserved acknowledgement of the ability, firmness and tact displayed by Mr. Furber, when they say "Much praise is due to our General Superintendent, Mr. James T. Furber, for his prompt, vigilant and earnest effort, during the disturbance, to bring order out of confusion and protect the property of the company, as well as to all other employees, who remained loyal to the road." None of the strikers have since been re-employed by the Company.

The floating debt is stated at $32,-009.08.

The bonds of the road and other liabilities, including the above item, are stated at $5,011,390.95 Capital stock, $6,921,-274.52.

Considering the state of business for the past year, the concentrated efforts of the striking engineers expended upon the corporation, and the reasons stated in the report, the showing of results is all that could have been expected. The road is economically managed and has but few complicated alliances, to impoverish its treasury; while the triumphant manner in which the General Superintendent guided the affairs of his department through the severe struggle of the strike, and has since weeded out dishonest servants by a system of surveillance at once quiet and effective, shows the stockholder that the running department of their road could not be in better hands. The meeting of the shareholders occurs at Lawrence, Mass., Wednesday, December 12th.

News and Notes.

Capt. Howgate has received a letter via Scotland, from Capt. Tyson, in command of the Florence, the advance vessel of the American Arctic expedition, dated September 20th. He reports their safe arrival at Numtilleck harbor, Cumberland Gulf, after a voyage of forty days. He proposed moving to the head of the Gulf in a few days to go into winter quarters, and carry out the instructions in reference to the collection of material. The crew were all in good health and spirits. Messrs. Sherman and Kumlein are reported doing well in their respective departments.

Hon. Israel Washburn, Jr., of Portland, has recently received an elegant otter robe, together with the photograph of a colonel in the United States army now stationed at Oregon, whom he appointed a cadet at West Point from Orono twenty-four years ago, when a poor boy.

A great temperance revival, under the direction of the Murphy Club of Philadelphia, is now in progress at Morrisville, Pa. With one exception every hotel and saloon has been closed, and nearly everybody has signed the pledge. On Monday evening a large torchlight procession took place. Boats filled with young ladies singing, "Give us water and no whiskey," paraded the streets, while in the center of each boat stood a young lady attired in the habiliments of the Goddess of Liberty, and held in her hand a large glass of water. This was said to have been one of the most striking and interesting features of the occasion. All the hotels and saloons, save the one alluded to above, were brilliantly illuminated.

Gen. Joseph Johnston says that Gen. Longstreet's description of the Gettysburg fight is the only satisfactory one that has ever appeared. Gen. Longstreet has received approving letters from officers of high rank in both the Northern and Southern armies.

Cora Young has been acquitted at Auburn, N. Y., of shooting her paramour, Barrett, last Summer. She fainted at the announcement of the verdict, and in the confusion Barr, the murderer of Prison Keeper Castle, who had just been brought in for trial, tried to e-cape, but was overpowered and chained after an exciting struggle with the officers.

That is a strange history of the British ship Ida Iredell, which, while on a voyage from the Clyde to San Francisco, took fire and was abandoned in the South Pacific on the 15th of October, 1876, and the iron hull of which drifted about until June 9, 1877, when it was found with all the wood-work destroyed, and was towed into Tahiti with its 100 tons of ashes and debris. Within nine months it had drifted 2,359 miles from the spot where the fire occurred, and was brought into the same port at which the captain and crew had landed seven months before.

Catherine Lester, wife of Professor Lester, the astrologer, committed suicide at Blackwell's Island recently by hanging herself. She was committed to the Island about a week ago as a lunatic.

Mrs. Jane M. Swett, of Kennebunk, Me., who was sent to prison for six years in 1866, for the memorable murder of her husband, Dr. Charles M. Swett, though she claimed she gave him morphine with his whiskey only to sicken him and cure him of his drunkenness, has just died at the Kennebunk poorhouse.

Double postal cards, affording facilities for reply, are already in vogue in several countries of Europe, and have been found of immense convenience.

Last summer the teacher who had been engaged for a school in Cayuga county, N. Y., stayed in the school house every day, waiting for pupils who did not come. Her engagement was disliked by the people, but by attending regularly she established a valid claim for wages.

A woman has been for several years, and is now, drawing a pension as the widow of a Union soldier, whose husband was not only never in the Union army, but was actually in the rebel army, and was shot for desertion, at Dalton, Ga. A special bill in this case was passed several years ago, and a recent investigation by a special agent has just brought the facts to light. All the testimony in the case was manufactured by rascally claim agents, who even invented six small children for the widow, in addition to the three she really had. She is likely to lose her pension.—*Washington letter.*

A New York fruit store displays Bartlett pears made of india-rubber, properly colored and filled with air. These serve admirably for samples, as they are always found soft by customers, and bear a vast amount of pinching.

A correspondent says: "The President and Mrs. Hayes decline all invitations to the theatre and places of amusement. Managers feel that they have lost good advertisements, since they can no longer notify the public that the President and family will occupy a private box during the performance on certain evenings. Mr. and Mrs. Hayes are very devout Methodists."

Millions of butterflies recently passed through Falls county, Tex., forming a caterpillar of cloud by day.

The oldest man in the State Prison at Thomaston, Me., is the wife murderer, Pangborn of Penobscot, 84 years old, who is serving a life sentence. He is very weak, and unable to leave his bed.

There was a daring attempt at abduction and outrage in the outskirts of Providence one night recently by a fellow who seized a fourteen-years-old school girl, hustled her screaming in his wagon and drove off, closely pursued by two men who had noticed the occurrence. The man evaded his pursuers by furious driving, and attempted to take the girl into Roger Williams park, but she finally loosened the fellow's hold and rolled from the wagon, not much hurt, but with her clothing wholly stripped from her body. The scamp cannot be found, though he is known.

A woman lobbyist is trying to get Congress to pass a resolution for the recognition of Cuban independence, and claims to have twenty-three Senators and sixty-three Representatives already pledged.

Hard times have caused a fearful increase of crime and vagrancy in New Hampshire. Farmers in sparsely settled regions say that they have never lived in such fear of violence from tramps, nor suffered so much from thieving from their granaries, poultry yards and their clothes lines, and in more than a score of places extra policemen are nightly on duty unknown to the public. The State prison has nearly double the average number of convicts from 1870 to 1875. They now number 175, with the promise of an increase to 200 by the time the Legislature meets.—*Syracuse Journal.*

Political.

The order that reigned in Warsaw is illustrated by the South Carolina dispatch that reports that not 25 republican votes were cast Tuesday in an Assembly district where, last year, the republicans had 2000 majority.

Baltimore republicans are hinting that Conkling's plan in regard to the New York appointments is to do his fighting over the shoulders of Collector Thomas, of Baltimore; that the case of Thomas will be first considered by the committee on commerce at the next regular meeting, Thursday, and Conkling will then throw down the gage of battle. As far as any principle is concerned, the New York and Baltimore cases are precisely similar, old officials having been removed without direct charges, during their term of office. Conkling claims that all of these instances are direct violations of the tenure of office act, and means to get an expression from the Senate on the point.

A Wonderful Feat.

The Detroit *News*, of Nov. 17, says: Yesterday morning an unprecedented feat of engine building was executed at the shops of the Michigan Central railroad at Jackson—a feat which reflects credit not only on the men engaged on it, as masters of their craft, but also places the shops in which they work in the first rank of mechanical achievement in the world. In the large locomotive works of the United States and Great Britain, the problem, how long does it take to "set up an engine?" has received several solutions, according to the speed of the workmen, and the capacity of the establishment in which they are employed. Heretofore the usual time for doing this work, with a gang of five or six men, in the "Baldwin locomotive works," of Philadelphia, an establishment famed all over the world for the excellency of its manufactures, has been from nine days to two weeks.

When, therefore, the fact had been accomplished at Jackson by Robert Stewart, with fourteen men, in twenty-five hours, and by Walter Eddington, with his gangs in sixteen and a half hours, the engine builders of the country were loud in their expressions of disbelief, and sneered lustily at the "big whoppers" of the Jackson engine builders, who were trying, as they said, to build a reputation on falsehoods too monstrous for belief.

This piqued the Jackson men, and they determined not only to transcend all previous efforts, but also to place their work on record before witnesses in such a manner that even brazen envy would not dare to express its disbelief. Yesterday morning at seven o'clock the parts of two new locomotive engines, number 44 and 61, which had never been placed together, were lying in the engine shops at Jackson, while on two trucks in the yard were the boilers.

As the clock struck seven, two gangs of fourteen men each, one commanded by Robert Stewart, and the other by Walter Eddington, sprang to their work. Each man was an excellent workman, clear-headed, swift and accustomed to every detail required. The boilers were raised by jacks on the massive frames, the driving-wheels secured in their places, the cylinders, valves, link motions, connecting rods, levers, smoke stacks, jacket bolts, etc., numbering altogether thousands of pieces, were all secured in their respective places. The fires already lighted convert into steam the water run in shortly after the start. One gang beats the other about a minute in the finishing touches. The engineer, standing in his place, blows the whistle, turns on the steam, the driving-wheels revolve, and the first engine moves down the yard. A few seconds later the other, with a shrill clarion whistle, follows its completed companion. The spectators, 200 in number, who watched every detail of the work with breathless interest, break into a cheer, to which the grimy workmen, drenched in perspiration, give hearty echo. Two hours and fifty-five minutes is the record from fifty watches, and the Jackson shops and workmen are covered with a blaze of glory.

At eleven o'clock the two engines were attached to an excursion train filled with employes, and the exultant crew arrived here in Detroit last evening.

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Boston Way,	10:35		5	
Portland,	9:35		4:35	6:30
East [form.d Portland],	9:35			6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35		4:55	
Great Falls,	9:35		4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35			
Concord and North,	7:40		4:55	
Concord Way,			4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40		4:55	
Dover,	7:40	9:45	4:55	

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MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:33 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE CITY.

Major Daniel J. Vaughan has been appointed on the staff of Gov. Prescott, with the rank of Colonel.

The dry dock at the Navy Yard was on Thursday being put in readiness to receive the brig Clara J. Adams for repairs.

The loss of four men from the schooner Grace Choate, before reported, occurred on Sunday, 18th inst., on the Middle Bank, where the schooner was haddocking, having left this port on the Friday previous. The sea was running high, and the two dories were capsized.

SUPREME COURT--6th WEEK.

Thursday, Nov. 22d; *Stanley, J.*

Case Hilliard vs. Noyes and Ross was given to the jury. The jury, after a deliberation of five hours, returned a verdict for the defendants.

New England News Company vs. Augustus H. Wiggin and Mary J. Wiggin was heard. This was a proceeding in equity brought to set aside the conveyance of certain real estate in Exeter, which complainants allege was (as against them, as creditors) fraudulently conveyed by A. H. Wiggin to his wife, while he was owing certain debts still unpaid. Sargent and Chase of Concord for plaintiff; Marston and Mugridge for defendants.

The following divorces have been decreed:

Eleanor Caswell vs. Thos. Caswell; Mellows for libellant.

Carrie F. Smart vs. Charles F. Smart; Jona. Smith for libellant.

Orville A. Peabody vs. Emily Peabody; Cross and Burnham for libellant.

Delia A. Brown vs. Nath. G. Brown; divorce with custody of child, as prayed for; Hatch for libellant, Hills for libellee.

Elizabeth H. Tucker vs. John A. Tucker; divorce with custody of child, as prayed for; Frink for libellant.

Case Joshua Getchell vs. Lewis T. Sanborn, action for goods sold, (plea in defence statute of limitations) was tried by the Court. Lamprey for plaintiff, Wood for defendant. The amount at issue in this case is abalance of $70.

A hearing was heard in the case on the new docket of Wm. Currier vs. Albert Janvrin and Churchill and Co., trustees. This was a hearing upon the claimants' motion as to their right to fund held by the trustee which are claimed by Albert Janvrin as trustee of minor grandchildren of Geo. Janvrin. Towle for the plaintiff; Hatch for trustee. A judgment was rendered in this case Nov. 5th, but it was afterward vacated by order of the Court.

In the afternoon the hearing of case State by Abbie A. Dunbrach vs. Washington H. Hobbs, postponed from last week, was resumed, and witnesses for the defence were examined. Lamprey and Wiggin for complainant; Marston for defendant.

Ham (of Newmarket) *et als.* vs. John Hayes and the County of Rockingham, trustee. There is in the hands of the trustees the sum of $75, for certain fees for the commitment of prisoners to the County House by Hayes, a former police officer of Portsmouth. Other parties claim this sum to be a common fund, in which all the police officers of the city then in office are interested, under the agreement that Hayes should convey the prisoners sent by the Police Court of Portsmouth to the County Farm, and the amount should be divided between eight officers, and Hayes is entitled to an eighth part of the amount only. The plaintiff denies that such an agreement can be enforced as against his right to this sum, received under the trustee process. The Court granted further time to the claimant to be heard. Smith for piff.; Call for deft.; Frink for Watkins, Smart and other claimants.

Court adjourned to Friday morning, at half-past ten, when case Dunbrack vs. Hobbs will be argued.

The jurors have been discharged.

A BAD JOB WELL DONE.

The wrecking gang under direction of Capt. Moses B. Tower on Thursday succeeded in raising the sunken locomotive and placing her on the anchor-hoy, with the rest of the gear which went down with her. Though the gingerbread work has been roughly used, the principal parts of the engine are not greatly damaged. The place where the train was sunk was a very bad one for the wreckers to work, owing to the narrow space in which the cars were, the swift current, and the deep water; in addition to all this, the telegraph cables were under the mass of wreck, necessitating great care and a perpendicular lift on each piece to avoid breaking the wires; and the wrecking schooner had to keep out of the way of the draw, and to get out of the way of any vessel that wanted to pass through. [She didn't get out of the way quite quick enough, once, and had her jib-boom knocked off.] Considering all the difficulties, the job has been got through with in good time. The engine will be mounted on its wheels to-day, on board the anchor-hoy at the railroad wharf; and another locomotive, that hasn't been overboard, will then tow the disabled one ashore on rails laid down for the purpose.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, Nov. 22d; *Batchelder, J.*

Isaac Welsh, a drunken tramp, was sent to Brentwood for thirty days, then to work out $6.90 costs.

Edwin H. Goodwin, for an assault on Joseph Spinney, was fined (with costs) $9.90.

William Howard, who escaped from officer White on August 28th while out searching for some one willing to pay his fine, was re-arrested in Dover this week, but was willing to pay additional costs instead of being returned here; so he handed over $15.90.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The North church was nearly filled at the gospel meeting Thursday evening.

Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Goss, then the usual praise service was held, the selections being, "Hallelujah, 'tis done," "There's a light in the valley," "What shall the harvest be," "The half was never told."

The congregation united in singing "Jesus loves even me," and Dr. Alden led in prayer. Mr. Moorhouse read Matt. 2:1—12 as a scripture lesson, and then "My Redeemer" was sung by a quartette of male voices.

Mr. Moorhouse took for his text Galatians 1:20, "Who loved me, and gave himself for me." There is no more precious and beautiful text in all the scriptures. John 3:16 is a very precious scripture, but not so much so as this of our text, because we desire to know that the love of God is personal. Paul believed in good works, but he did not believe that we can be saved by them, as he expressly says in Gal. 2:16. We have broken the law of God. How can we be saved by it? how can we be justified by it? Christ has died to save us, and to renew within us a new spirit. Jesus loves us, he wants us to love him, and to give him our hearts. His love exceeds that of any other friend,—"he gave himself for me," himself the price of our salvation. Salvation is so simple, and so easy that a child can comprehend it. It is hard to understand how men can reject the Savior who has done so much for them when they were sinning against him, when they were opposed to him.

At the close was sung "God so loved the world of sinners lost," and then the usual enquiry meeting was held.

THE VICINITY.

G. Harrison Jenness, Esq., postmaster at Rye Beach, opened a course of lectures at Epsom Short Falls on Thursday evening; subject "The world we inhabit."

One evening recently the Eastern Railroad officials at Seabrook received telegraphic advices from Hampton to "look out for a car of live stock" that was to be left there by a train then nearly due. Much speculation was occasioned, the Seabrook men wondering who had a car of live stock to leave at that place, and what in the world they should do with the stock over night. When the train arrived the "cattle car" was found to be a box car, and the documents were all right for "160 lbs. live Indian, drunk in freight car." When the freight agent stirred up the "cattle" the latter answered with a genuine Indian grunt, and then showed how far he had advanced in civilization by sitting up in the straw and trying to sell to the railroad man at a discount the ticket he (the noble red man) had purchased in Hampton, but had not been obliged to use.

—By and by kid gloves will have as many buttons as the front of Old Grimes' ulster.

—One of the greatest wonders in this world is what becomes of all the smart children.

MARRIAGES.

BLAKE—MOULTON. In this city, Nov. 22d, by Rev. James Noyes, Charles W. Blake and Nellie Moulton, both of York, Me.

DEATHS.

STOODLEY. In Boston, Nov. 17th, Mrs. Harriet Plaisted Stoodley, widow of the late William P. Stoodley, formerly of Portsmouth.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch Golden Gate, Amee, from this port arr at Boston Nov 21.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties cupon	107½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	108
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s, 1875	104½
N. H. State 6s 1878	102½
N. H. State 6s 1880	102½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	103
Eastern R. R. 5½	56½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	53½
Boston & Providence	123½
Boston & Albany	121
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	5½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	58½
Northern N. H.	65½
Old Colony & Newport	96½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65

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Oats per bushels, 55 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ⅊, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ⅊, Br. 9 @ 9½; Gr. 10¼; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ⅊, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
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The Amana Community, Amana, Iowa.—Germans. Number of members about 1500. Live in seven villages, all of which have a common interest. Own from 25,000 to 30,000 acres of land. Businesses: agriculture, manufactures and merchandise. Emigrated to America and settled near Buffalo in 1842. Removed to Iowa in 1855. Marriage permitted, but not encouraged. Strongly religious. Call themselves "The True inspirationists." Present leader in spiritual things, or "inspired instrument," Barbara Heynemann—now over eighty years of age. The temporal affairs are managed by trustees.

The Harmonist, Economy Penn.—Germans. Emigrated to this country in 1803—4. Organized into "The Harmony Society" in 1805. First settled in Butler County, Penn. Removed to Indiana in 1841, and built the town of Harmony. Sold that place to Robert Owen and returned to Pennsylvania in 1824, and built their present town of Economy on the eastern bank of the Ohio. Businesses: agriculture, manufactures and merchandise. Estimated worth several million dollars. Membership fifty years ago 1000; now 100. Marriage practiced until 1807. Celibacy has since been the rule. George Rapp was their founder and leader until his death at the age of ninety. Jacob Henrici and Jonathan Lenz are now their leaders. The Harmonists base their organization on religious principles.

The Separatists, Zoar, Ohio.—Germans. Emigrated from Wurtemburg in 1817, under Joseph Baumeler. Adopted communism of property in 1819. Businesses: agriculture, manufactures and merchandise. Estimated value of property one million dollars. Amount of land 7500 acres. Celibates until 1828; marriage has since prevailed. Jacob Ackerman present leader, but shares his responsibilities with trustees chosen by the members. Basis, Religion.

Dr. Keil's Communities.—The one located at Bethel, Shelby County, Missouri, was founded in 1844. Highest membership 650; present about 250. Mostly Germans and from Pennsylvania Dutch. Business: agriculture, manufactures and merchandise. Own 4,000 acres of land. Governed by president and trustees. Favor marriage. Founded on religion. That at Aurora, Oregon, where Dr. Keil now resides, was founded in 1855, and is the more prosperous, having 18,000 acres of land and about 400 members. Their basis principles are of course the same as at Bethel. The two communities are substantially one, having a common interest. Many persons at Aurora went from Bethel, which accounts for the latter's decline in numbers.

The Shakers.—Mostly Americans—a few of other nationalities. Followers of Ann Lee. Seventeen societies in seven States. Each society is divided into two or more families or separate communities; so that there are in all over fifty Shaker communities. These had at one time a membership of five or six thousand. The present membership is not far from 2,400. The Shaker communities are all large land-owners. Businesses: agriculture and manufactures. The Shakers are religious celibates. Each family has its Elders, Eldresses, Trustees and Deacons; and every two or three societies have a ministry, consisting when complete, of two males and two females. The Central Ministry of all the Societies resides the greater part of the time at Lebanon, N. Y., occasionally visiting the other societies. Daniel Bolar and Giles B. Avery now stand at the head of the Shaker ministry.

The Perfectionists.—Founded by John Humphry Noyes, as a religious sect date from 1834; as communists from 1846. First organized in community at Putney, Vt. Removed to Oneida, N. Y., in 1848. The branch society in Wallingford, Conn., established in 1851 Whole number of members 301. Businesses: The manufacture of silk threads and steel traps, the canning of fruits and vegetables, and agriculture. Social system, complex marriage. Theodore R. Noyes, a son of the founder, is now President of the two communities, which have a common interest, interchanging men and capital as occasion requires.

The Icarians, Corning, Adams Co., Iowa.—French. Their first leader and president was Etienne Cabet. Securing one million acres of land in Texas, he established a colony there in 1848, which removed to Nauvoo, Illinois in 1849, and in 1853 purchased land for a branch community in Iowa, which in time became the only Icarian Community. In 1855 there were 500 Icarians at Nauvoo. The Icarians have encountered many trials, including the death of their founder, and now number less than 100. Their business is mostly confined to agriculture. They own nearly 2000 acres of land. Marriage is obligatory. No religious bond.

The Respirationists.—Their community at Brocton, N. Y., was founded by Thomas D. Harris and Lawrence Oliphant, 1867. Its membership nearly reached 100, but is now much less, owing to the removal of many of its members to California, where another organization has been started. Their principal business at Brocton have been horticulture and wine-making. Their religion is a modified form of Swedenborgianism.

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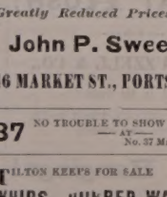
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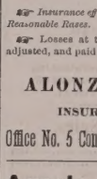

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In her deep sorrow, this fisherman's orphan did not think of herself alone. She was scarcely more than a child, humble, poor and weak; but she said in her heart that no more boats should be lost on the "Lonely Rock" if a light shining through her window would guide them safely into the harbor. And so, after watching by the body of her father, according to the custom of her people, until it was buried, she lay down and slept through the day; but when night fell arose, and lighting a candle, placed it in the window of her cottage, so that it might be seen by any fisherman coming in from sea, and guide him safely into the harbor. She sat by the candle all night, and trimmed it and spun; but when the day dawned, she went to bed and slept. As many hanks as she had spun before for her daily bread she spun still, and one over, to buy her nightly candle; and from that time to this, for fifty years, through youth, maturity and old age, she has turned night into day, and in the snow storms of winter, through driving mists, deceptive moonlight and solemn darkness, that northern harbor has never once been without the light of her candle. How many lives she saved by this candle, and how many meals she won by it for the starving families of the boatmen, it is impossible to say. How many dark nights the fishermen, depending on it, have gone forth, cannot now be told. There it stood, regular as the lighthouse, steadily as constant care could make it. Always brighter when daylight waned, the fishermen had only to keep it constantly in view and were safe; there was but one thing to intercept it, and that was the "Rock." However far they might have gone out to sea, they had only to bear down for that lighted window, and they were sure of a safe entrance to the harbor. But what do the boatmen and the boatmen's wives think of this? Do they pay the poor woman? No, they are very poor; but poor or rich, they know better than that. Do they thank her? No. Perhaps they think that thanks of theirs would be inadequate to express their gratitude; or perhaps long years have made the lighted casement so familiar that they look upon it as a matter of course and forget for the time the patient watcher within.—*Jean Ingelow.*

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Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 21.

The Paris Exposition bill came up yesterday as unfinished business from the day previous. There was a sharp and protracted debate, and Cox was outgeneraled, the friends of the original bill voting in favor of Hamilton's substitute for Cox's amendment and then, in turn, voting it down, leaving the bill of the committee to be acted on. The amendments are substantially as follows: Not more than one commissioner nor more than five honorary commissioners shall be appointed from any one State; that there shall be four practical agriculturists, and that the Commissioner of Agriculture shall be required to prepare for exhibition specimens of the agricultural products from all the States and Territories. Instead of vesting the appointment of all the honorary commissioners in the President, he is authorized to designate twenty-four, including one from each Territory; and the Governors of the States are to appoint the balance—two from each State. An analysis of the vote with reference to party, shows the republicans largely for, and the democrats against the appropriation.

Considerable surprise was manifested by members of the House, Monday, over a motion by Mr. Atkins to recommit the deficiency bill to his committee. Every one seemed at a loss to account for the movement; but it has since transpired that there was struck out of the bill the following provision, viz: "For the expenses of the Commission appointed by the present Executive to go to Louisiana, $4,115.17." The reason assigned for Mr. Atkins' hurried reconsideration of his committee's work was a rumor to the effect that General Butler and Mr. Knott were preparing to attack the allowance on the ground that, as there was no law for the Commission, the payment of its expenses from the public funds would be clearly illegal. We may conclude at least that Mr. Atkins and his associates of the committee dared not risk the issue, and discreetly withdrew the offensive item. It is said the money has been already paid out of the secret service fund, and that the Senate will restore the section; but it is difficult to see upon what grounds they would seek to justify it, and many predict that it will arouse a storm, should the attempt be made, that will shake the Capitol to its foundations.

We have finally got through with the army bill, the Senate receding from a few unimportant amendments, and passing it as it last came from the House with the army's numerical strength restored to the old limit of 25,000. Both it and the naval deficiency bill were yesterday signed by the President, and payments to the army and navy will be immediately begun. Of the business recommended in the President's message, the House now has to act upon only the deficiency bill, and the Senate has in addition the Paris Exposition bill. The anti-resumptionists strove to bring forward Ewing's bill for consideration, before the Paris bill was taken up; but Mr. Randall ruled them out, and Buckner got out of temper, apparently. It was thought Ewing would, to-day, contest the right of Singleton to a hearing on the deficiency bill, until he (Ewing) had been allowed his hour in which to close debate on his bill and demand a vote. In any event it is not thought Singleton will detain the House long, should he be decreed precedence; and time will probably be obtained during the day to dispose of both, in the House. Otherwise Mr. Ewing is thought likely to ask an evening session. The friends of the Bland silver bill are confidently counting on a report from the Senate finance committee in its favor, with some material amendments; and with a fair amount of diligence there appears no reason why an adjournment should not be reached by Saturday.

Tell it in Gath and everywhere else, that "Bob" Ingersoll has clearly vindicated his right to a reputation for eccentricity, by refusing a good, fat, foreign appointment—the Berlin mission.

A good many slow-going people here who think they are somewhat acquainted with the deserts of Mr. A. B. Mullett, late Supervising Architect, are much astonished at his proposal to allow him to go before the Court of Claims for more pay for work performed while under contract with the Government at a good salary and perquisites, if there were any such. In short, they feel that he has been tolerably well paid for his services already, and that until there shall have been a general increase of salary, to be made retroactive, it would be gross injustice to thousands of industrious government employees who have given their whole time to it at a much smaller salary; and it is safe to assume that the majority of tax-payers would regard a vote granting Mr. Mullett's modest request as nothing short of an outrage.

On the whole, participants in the two recent republican Senatorial caucuses do not appear to have gained much that was satisfactory through the delegation sent to the White House conference; and I think I am safe in assuring your readers that "we shall soon see what we shall see." KNOX.

The Eastern War.

The Roumanians have captured Rahova, driving the Turks in all directions.

The Russians are again bombarding Plevna.

Some minor Turkish successes are reported in Bulgaria, but nothing to offset their disasters.

A heavy fight was reported in progress at Tirnova on Friday.

The Turks are threatening the communications of the Russian army around Plevna, and also the Danube crossings.

It was authoritatively announced, from England, Friday evening, that that country will declare war if Russia wins any further success.es

News and Notes.

The Fisheries Commission on Friday awarded the British $1,500,000 for the permission to fish in Canadian waters by the Americans.

Henry W. Hilliard, United States Minister to Brazil, was a passenger on the steamer Parana, from Bordeaux for Rio Janeiro, wrecked October 8th, off Bahia. All hands were saved.

Mr. Louis A. Godey, who has published the *Lady's Book* for nearly forty-eight years, retires from its active management after next month. He has been an industrious, hard-working man. Think of the amount of application that has been required to superintend the publication of 571 consecutive numbers.

Oakey Hall is to lecture in Boston Music Hall on Monday evening.

In the Vanderbilt will case, at New York, the contestant asks the Court to grant twenty thousand dollars to help pay the lawyers to keep up the fight. With such an allowance we may expect that the entire soiled linen of the Vanderbilts can be washed in the New York streets.

The new ship Vigilant, of 1800 tons burthen, sailed from Kennebunkport on Thursday, bound to New York, where she is to load for San Francisco.

The name of John O. Hanscom appears in a list of persons arraigned on indictments found in connection with the issue of fraudulent navy pay certificates. Mr. Hanscom is the son of his father.

Steamer J. B. Walker, from New Haven Oct. 23, with a cargo of arms and ammunition for the Turkish government, arrived at Constantinople on the 21st inst.

The revenue cutter Samuel Dexter is in Bristol (R. I.) harbor, under orders, it is understood, to watch the new steam yacht Estelle, now nearly completed by the Herreshoffs for Kobbe, of New York. The Washington authorities seem to have a suspicion that the trim, swift-sailing craft is intended in some way to violate our neutrality laws in connection with the Cuban insurrection. The vessel is yet in the builders' hands, not being quite complete, although she has made a successful trial trip.

Thirty thousand dollars' worth of elegant furniture, placed on storage in New York at $450 per year, while its owner travelled in Europe, was sold by the keeper of the storehouse for $1200, which fact its owner discovered last week on his return. Purdy, the storekeeper, formerly a Tammany politician, has fled to Paris.

A San Antonio, Texas, despatch says that the Indians have cut the telegraph wires between there and Fort Stockton; that they have raided on the cattle, and that Lieutenant Jones with a large party has passed down Pecos river in chase of them.

The New York *Evening Mail* has been sold at sheriff's sale, for $8000.

George Crispin has received a verdict of $10,000 at Utica, N. Y., for the loss of an arm in the machinery of Babbitt's factory, while employed there, through the carelessness of the superintendent.

A company of the 7th U. S. Cavalry has arrived at Deadwood to support the civil authorities in their endeavors to take the Keets mine from the miners who seized it for non-payment of wages. The miners returned a defiant answer to the first demand for a surrender of the mine.

A man named Norton was stabbed in a drunken quarrel at St. Louis, Mo., recently, was taken to the police station and kept several hours, and when sober was discharged and walked home. He died next morning, thirty hours after the assault, and on a *post mortem* examination being made it was found that he had been stabbed twice in the heart, either wound being sufficient, according to all preconceived notions, to cause almost instant death. The case stands out as one of the most remarkable instances of vitality in the history of crime or medicine, the several cases of life being prolonged while bullets were in the brain of the victims, sinking to insignificance beside this one.

New Hampshire Items.

St. James Episcopal church at Keene was concentrated Thursday by Bishop Niles of this diocese, assisted by Rev. George W. Brown, rector, Bishop Clark of Rhode Island, Revs. Renouf (former rector) and Hubbard of Claremont, Dawson of Hanover, Ogden of Bellows Falls, Putnam of St. Johnsbury, Burchmore of Clinton, Mass., Smith of Fitchburg, and Whitcomb of Concord. The services in the evening were by Rev. Stephen Tyng, Jr., D. D., of New York. The services were very impressive and the singing was fine. The music of the *Venite te Deum* was composed for the occasion by the rector. Gen. Griffin gave a reception in the evening to the visiting clergy and others.

E. C. Garland & Sons' steam mill and chair factory in Lancaster was burned on the 22d inst. Loss $4000; insured for $2500.

The criminally bad failure of the Carroll County Savings Bank at Wolfeboro', has started inquiries as to the value of official examination. Only last March the Bank Commissioners reported that the bank had a splendid surplus, that its funds were well invested, its loans good, its books well kept, and that it had no debts. The Commissioners now say that it was the fault of Treasurer Brackett, who concealed from them a large amount of liabilities, falsely reported the assets and lessened the amount due depositors fully $40,000, and that, worse than all, Treasurer Brackett's own account was short several thousand dollars.

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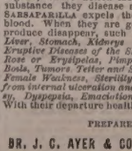

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Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

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	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4 8 10:05	5:50
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E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

THE CITY.

Rev. James DeNormandie will preach at the Congregational church in Eliot on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock.

A part of the boilers of the U. S. S. Iowa, now at the Boston navy yard, and one of her smoke stacks, will be sent to the navy yard near this city to be placed on board the U. S. S. Ticonderoga.

The eighty-first birthday of Mrs. Mark Dennett, which occurred on Friday, was remembered by several of her friends and former pupils, who visited the venerable lady on that occasion, bearing many kind tokens of regard.

The dredge and mud-scows that have been in use in deepening the Cocheco river for some time past, came down the river on Friday and brought up below Portsmouth bridge. The dock at Walker's coal wharf we understand is to be dredged out.

An attempt was made on Friday to take the brig Clara J. Adams across the river to the floating dock, which had been hauled out in the stream and was awaiting her reception; the tug Clara Batemen took hold of the brig, turned her around, and moved her from where she had been lying, near Union wharf, a couple of lengths toward the channel, where she took the ground again and had to lay over for the tide.

In Somerville, Mass., "an ample shed has been erected in the rear of the police building, filled with wood and supplied with saws and saw-horses, and on Friday morning the ten or fifteen tramps who took lodgings at the police station the previous night were set at work. The idea of requiring tramps to work is a new one in that city, suggested by the Overseers of the Poor, and as several public buildings are to be supplied with wood the idea meets with general approbation. It is probable that the poor of the city, who have been helped by the city and are able, will also be set at work." The festive tramp still visits this city regularly, in force, as heretofore, for his lodgings at the station house and his crackers and fish and coffee, but he departs in the morning unmolested by having any work thrust under his nose. The bill for his entertainment, however, will be thrust under the nose of the tax-payer at a future day.

Hartz, the great magician, holds the boards at Franklin Hall next week, commencing Monday evening. He will appear in a series of wonderful illusions that have won for him high praise wherever he has appeared. His feats are all new, and some of them are wonderful beyond conception. Among them is one called the "Burmese Box and Spiritual Canopy Mystery," which it seems is so astonishing as to mystify everybody. His ability is said to be unrivaled, while his magical efforts have everywhere created great surprise and laughter. The following words are from the Pittsburg *Leader*:—The Academy of Music last night held an immense audience, every seat and aisle being occupied, and all intent upon seeing the great conjurer, Hartz. Yesterday he was comparatively unknown, and to-day his name is on everybody's lips in Pittsburg. He is certainly one of the most talented artists in his line that we have ever seen, his magical illusions being accomplished with supreme ease and grace, while the feats are mostly new. The feats of the "Birth of Roses," the "Floating Coins" and the "Flying Glass of Water" were quite surprising, while the "Burmese Box" trick is certainly very wonderful and utterly beyond comprehension.

On Friday the anchor-buoy, with the recently sunken railroad gear on board, was taken alongside the Concord Railroad wharf; a temporary track was laid on timbers, reaching from the scow to the track on the wharf, the engine having previously been jacked up and had its wheels placed in position beneath; and at high water, when the scow and the wharf were nearly on a level, another locomotive was hitched on and easily drew the wrecked one on shore and away to be overhauled.

Capt. Moses B. Tower, who has had charge of the work, has for ten years and more been general wrecking agent of the New York and Boston boards of underwriters, for the New England coast east of Newport, R. I.; and previous to his taking that position, unless our memory is at fault, he for a long time commanded the underwriters' steamer R. B. Forbes. His experience in getting wrecked ships off the land and wrecked cars out of the water has of course been very extensive; but notwithstanding the amount of hard work he has done and the exposure he has faced, he is still as active and vigorous as many a younger man, and bids fair to do good service for a score of years yet.

SUPREME COURT--6th WEEK.

Friday, Nov. 23; *Stanley, J.*

The Court was occupied in hearing the arguments in the case of Dunbrach vs. Hobbs, and in listening to motions, etc., in other cases.

Twombly vs. Lewis, a case on the new docket, was tried in the afternoon. The action relates to the title of certain real estate on Christian Shore in this city. The case was postponed for further evidence. Hatch for plff.; W. H. Y. Hackett for deft.

Court adjourned to come in on Friday, the 30th inst., at which time the final adjournment will take place.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, Nov. 23; *Batchelder, J.*

Business very poor. Edward Chamberlain, for having been very decidedly drunk, was directed to hand over the usual $9.90. The price of drunks in this city is higher now than it was in war times.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, Messrs. J. H. Hutchinson and C. W. Gardner appeared in behalf of the Board of Instruction and asked for a primary school room near the corner of Union and State streets.

Voted, that the committee on school-houses be empowered to lease of James Moses for the term of five years, his building on State street, for a primary school, provided it can be obtained for the sum of one hundred and twenty dollars per year, and provided also that the owner will put the building in a condition satisfactory to the committee on school-houses.

The Board then granted a hearing to parties on the petition of Isaac Dow and others for the widening of Penhallow street. There were present, Messrs. Isaac Dow, James P. Bartlett, John R. Holbrook, John Nutter and George W. Plummer for the petitioners, and Robert F. Gerrish for the remonstrants. John R. Reding, by the city clerk, asked leave to withdraw his name from the petition, and A. J. Penhallow, in writing, explained his signature to the same. Further consideration of the matter was postponed until the next meeting.

Amendment to Chapter 14, Section 2, of the city ordinances, offered by Alderman Hadley, was read a first time, and the rules being suspended, was read a second time and passed. Sent to the Common Council and concurred in by them.

Communication from the collector relative to F. W. Miller's tax, was referred to Ald. Hadley.

The petition of Rev. James De Normandie and others for the use of ward-room on State street for an evening school, was referred to the committee on school-houses with power to grant the use of the ward-room, the court-house or the common council room.

Claim of John H. Grant for damage to fixtures, etc., in store in the city building, was referred to the committee on claims.

Joshua Stackpole was granted leave to encumber Market street.

The committee on gas lights, to whom was referred the petition of Frank W. Miller for acceptance of naptha lights, reported in favor of acceptance. The report was adopted.

The Common Council passed a resolution appointing a joint special committee, consisting of two Aldermen, three Councilmen and the Mayor, whose duty it shall be to examine the plan of the proposed sewers and report the exact route and owners of lands through which the sewers may pass, and all other matters relating to the construction thereof; and also to consider and report upon the best means of obtaining money to pay for the same. The committee consists of the Mayor, Aldermen Hadley and Norton, and Councilmen Hodgdon of Ward Two, Long and Walker.

The Council also passed a joint vote requesting the Concord and Eastern railroads to erect gates at both sides of their tracks, the former at the Creek street crossing and the latter at the Green street crossing.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The attendance at the North church Friday evening showed that the interest in the revival meetings was still unabated, the large house being filled to overflowing.

The regular service was preceded by the usual praise service, the following selections being sung: "Safe in the arms of Jesus," "Refuge," "I am coming to the cross," "Where are the reapers," "Tolling On."

After the opening hymn, Rev. Mr. Noyes offered prayer, Mr. Moorhouse read as a scripture lesson Luke 15, the congregation united in singing "Once for All," and then Mr. McGranahan sang "Eternity."

Mr. Moorhouse took for the subject of his discourse Luke 15: 22—24. We here see the love of the father to the sinner; and the same truth is expressed in the other parables in this chapter. We shall look at this text in connection with the church. The greatest harm comes to the Christian church from those who have been professed followers of Christ. The skeptic, the unbeliever, the atheist can never successfully assail the church. In the olden time it was the publicans and the sinners that crowded around the feet of Christ. In the story of the lost sheep, we have a description of the Savior seeking after his wandering sheep. When he found it, he bore it to his own house to show it how much he loved it. The son spoken of here, lost his home, that place for which we all care so much; he was a stranger in a far country, and had no food which he could eat. He lost also his work. [Christ calls his subjects into his church to work and not to be idle, but when in a back-slidden state they can scarcely do anything for his cause. One of Mr. Moody's teachers in one day's earnest work succeeded in bringing fifteen souls to Christ. Again he lost his testimony; so cold hearted Christians have no influence in their testimony for Christ.] But he did not lose his father's love; that still remained. If there be wanderers here, no matter what offences may have been received, come back to that father who loves you still.

The exercises closed with singing "What a friend we have in Jesus," after which was held the enquiry meeting, a large number remaining.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M. Preaching tomorrow by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. H. Alden.

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. Preaching by Rev. James W. Hubbell.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. John A. Goss, at 10:30 A. M.

At the Unitarian church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; vesper service at 7:30. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie; subject of morning discourse, "The Accepted and the Rejected."

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder T. W. Piper of Melvin Village, will preach; and the Reform Club, by special invitation, will attend the evening service.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M., by Rev. James Noyes, the pastor.

The regular afternoon services are omitted at the Baptist, Christian, Methodist and Congregational churches.

THE VICINITY.

Scarlet fever is becoming prevalent among the children in Kittery, and there is talk of closing some of the schools in consequence.

It is reported that Hon. N. J. Marshall, of York, has sold to his son, Mr. Edward S. Marshall, the fine summer hotel known as the Marshall House, at the entrance to York river. Also, that Mr. Brad. Marshall has purchased a large ice-farm at Ayer Junction, Mass.

A correspondent wishes us to announce that on Thanksgiving Day, at Stratham, "Shadow" of that town, who weighs ever-so-many pounds, will run a foot-race of five hundred yards against any and all comers. We do not believe the correspondent tells the truth, so we decline to do as he requests.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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One Thursday afternoon, while Colonel W. H. L. Barnes was standing about the middle of the hall, and explaining doubtless, to some gentlemen, his failure to crate as advertised on the opening night, a terrible outcry was heard in the direction of the bulldog department. The red dog referred to had, in some way, slipped his collar and instantly seized a small child, the daughter of Mr. Enos Rockley, the lumber merchant, whom it was apparently tearing to pieces. There was probably not one of the group of gentlemen referred to lacking in physical courage, but the two things every man shrinks from "tackling" unarmed are a rattlesnake and a bull-dog.

However, Col. Barnes instantly rushed forward and seized the canine demon by the throat. Fortunately, the beast's fangs contained more of the child's dress than its flesh, and by tearing the former, the other gentlemen released the girl from her dangerous position, and with only a bad looking flesh wound.

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All this time a messenger had been dispatched to obtain a pistol from a saloon, there being none among the bystanders. At the critical moment this arrived, and the muzzle being inserted into the ear of the foaming brute, his canine intellect was distributed rather unpleasantly over the clothes of the spectators.

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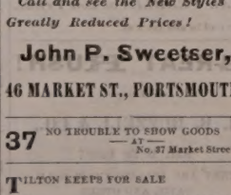

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How the Voting is Done in Paris.

Toward noon I met a friend at the Cafe de la Paix and went with him to his voting place. It was against the law for any but voters to go in; but my friend took the responsibility of seeing me through. We walked up to the Rue de la Fayette and turned into the building called the Cite d'Antin. There was no sign of a crowd or of excitement. Near the door which led to the voting room stood half-a-dozen men with their hands full of tickets. They wore no badges or ribbons, and were innocent of those graceful aprons with which our fellow citizens sometimes decorate their manly forms on similar occasions. They did not come to greet us, but stood in the way as if ready to hand tickets rather than solicitous. We each took a ticket of both kinds—large, square papers, bearing the names respectively of E. Daguin, the conservative and official candidate, and of the late President of the Chamber, Jules Grevy. We were in M. Theirs' arrondissement. No one questioned us as we advanced, or came hurriedly forward, armed with a book and pencil, to ask our names. No banners invited votes from us and admiration from the *gamins* of the neighborhood. No stiletto was pointed the "turncoats" and "disloyal" into the paths of them that scratch. All was peace and quiet and great decorum. We traversed an entry and entered a room. Three or four well-appearing men stood near a table at which another sat. My friend handed his paper "carte d'electur"—to the sitting individual who examined it critically and compared the signature on it with one which my friend then wrote in the book. This done the ticket was stamped, and we walked into the next room and took our place in the line. About a dozen men stood in single file, advancing slowly, paper in hand. Behind a long table sat three or four individuals with books, a huge square box and a pile of cut corners of electors' cards in front of them. The voter advanced in his turn and gave his name. The book was examined, the name and number found—the number written on the ballot—the ballot deposited in the box, a corner cut off of the elector's ticket with a pair of scissors, and we departed with a "Bon jour, Messieurs."

Such is the method of voting. The checks against fraud, you see, are many, and I presume there is no such a thing as personation or repeating. I was struck with the neatness of the proceeding and with the appearance of those who supreintended it officially. From six to six this scene was being enacted all through France, with a quiet and a decorum that was certainly admirable. It is quite likely that where improper interference with the ballot begins with us it ends in France. There the "work" is put in effectually before the voter goes to the poll. I am credibly informed that it is elsewhere otherwise. Intimidation beforehand is the French method; mutilation afterward, the American. They believe in the ounce of prevention; we in the pound of cure. They prescribe a "counter-irritant" before the attack; we rely on a "mild alterative" afterward. The systems are different, but each admirable of its kind; it is not for the likes of me" to say which is the most worthy of a great and enlightened nation.—*Cor. Phil. Times.*

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The signal service observer at Kitty Hawk on Saturday reported that at about half-past one o'clock that morning the United States ship Huron struck about two miles north of Station No. Seven; when the despatch was sent the vessel's foremast and maintopmast were gone, the sea was making a clean breach over her, and she appeared to be a total wreck; several bodies had been washed ashore.

The Huron was a third-rate of the Ashuelot class; tonnage, 541; displacement, 1020; screw propulsion; armament, four guns. She was officered as follows:

Commander George P. Ryan, commanding;

Executive officer, Lieut. Arthur H. Fletcher;

Second Lieutenant, Lambert G. Palmer;

Masters, William P. Conway, George W. Mentz, Walter S. French;

Ensigns, Rogers H. Galt, Lucien Young;

Surgeon, George S. Culbreth;

Passed Assistant Paymaster, Cary N. Sanders;

Captains Clerk, J. W. L. Calvin;

Chief Engineer, Edmund Olsen;

Assistant Engineer, Robert G. Denig;

Cadet Engineers, George S. Willits, Edgar T. Warburton, Edmund U. Loomis.

She carried a crew of 134 men.

A despatch from Washington, Sunday morning, says:

The steamer is ashore on the Carolina coast, and reported to be a total wreck; only thirty-four men reported to be saved. The navy department authorities are taking measures to get prompt information from the wreck, but the facilities are not very good. The list of persons saved received at the signal office contains the name of one officer, Ensign Lucien Young; others, undoubtedly, who were in the boat, were thrown upon the beach, but in such an exhausted condition as to prevent resuscitation. Of course, up to this time there is no clear ground for assertion of such incidents, but in conversation among naval officers here these ideas are advanced as not improbable.

A later despatch says:

The only surviving officers are Paymaster C. N. Sanders, Ensign Lucien Young, Assistant Engineer R. G. Denig and Cadet Engineer E. T. Warburton; besides these, about thirty men were saved. All these were taken off the wreck by the surf-men from the life-saving station. The Huron has been attached to the North Atlantic squadron, with the exception of two or three cruises, since she was built. The principal event of her career was the part she took in the engagement at Fort Fisher, where she was commanded by Capt. Thomas A. Selfridge, since promoted to Rear-Admiral, and retired. Since the war the Huron could have been frequently seen at the Brooklyn navy yard; she left that port on Saturday, 17th inst., and arrived at Norfolk on Monday, where she coaled; her destination was the West Indies, with orders to stop at Havana. She was built at Chester, Penn., and was first christened the Alliance, and those who know her say she was not a first class job. She was schooner rigged, and when she went ashore had a crew of 119 men and 15 officers.

Suicide at Lowell.

Mrs. Lois Thompson, 47 years old and wife of George H. Thompson, of Lowell, committed suicide at about three o'clock Saturday afternoon, by hanging herself to a cross-board nailed between the rafters of the unfinished attic of her residence. She had complained of a bad feeling in her head for several months, and had been quite despondent, expressing a feeling that she should come to want. Her husband, a son 19 years of age, and herself, were the only occupants of the house. When her son came home from his work at about five o'clock he found two letters from his mother on a table in the sitting room, one in an envelope directed to herself at Newburyport, and the other directed to her husband and son. On the latter were the words, "you will find my body in the attic." The son, with Mrs. Harper, a neighbor who had been summoned, went to the attic and found her hanging as stated; she had stood on a chair to adjust the knot and then kicked the chair from under. Her feet were several inches from the floor. The knot had cut her neck, and three fingers of her right hand were caught between it and her neck. The substance of her letter was a desire to have her son well cared for, and the expression that she was tired of life. She took a bath and changed her clothing entirely, before committing the deed; and put the clothing in which she desired to be laid out, on a table. She was an estimable woman, and was a sister of United States Senator Sargent of California.

Congress.

The House of Representatives, Friday, by a vote of 133 to 120, finally passed the bill to repeal all that part of the act, approved Jan. 14, 1875, known as the Resumption Act, which authorized the Secretary of the Treasury to dispose of United States bonds and redeem and cancel the greenback currency, and entitled, "An act to provide for the Resumption of Specie Payment." The anti-resumptionists have but a faint hope of carrying their bill through the Senate, and if successful there they fear that the President will veto it. Having finished this job, the House adjourned until Tuesday, and many members left for home, it being understood that an adjournment before the regular session is not probable. The only Congressman from New England voting for the repeal was Phelps of Connecticut, democrat; Gen. Butler dodged the vote on the final passage of the bill, though he voted with the anti-resumptionists on all the preliminary questions.

News and Notes.

The police of Biddeford broke up a gang of juvenile thieves, Friday, arresting four street arabs named Traverse, Besom, Bates and Whitten. They had been cutting lead from houses and pilfering stores and dwellings.

The Keet mine at Deadwood was taken from the miners who had seized it, on Friday. The soldiers having surrounded the mine, under direction of the Sheriff closed all the openings except the main shaft, and the process of smoking the miners out by sulphur was resorted to and successfully carried out. The last of them came up at ten o'clock at night, and all were put under arrest.

A San Antonio dispatch says Gen. Ord has received an official copy of the order of President Diaz to Gen. Daleou, commanding the Mexican forces on the border to repel invasion by United States troops by force, and that Gen. Trevino is ordered to the Rio Grande with 2500 troops to carry out the order. Gen. Ord has telegraphed to the President for another regiment of cavalry.

At the Girard House in Philadelphia, Saturday morning, Attorney General Lear was present to hear from the Western Union Telegraph why a writ of quo warranto should not be issued against them for violation of the constitution of the State in consolidating with the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph. Mr. B. H. Brewster being indisposed, the hearing was left open until Friday next. Gen. Collis, however, proceeded with his arguments in favor of issuing the writ. This was the first of a series of hearings.

On Thursday evening, at Pottstown, Pa., John Potts, a young drunkard, being censured for his continued misconduct, made a desperate attempt to drown his father, an old gentleman for whom the town was named, and failing in this he followed him to the house and murdered him with a hatchet. The whole community is aroused, and threats are made to lynch the scoundrel.

Peter Mahoney, charged with the brutal murder of Bridget Frances Kenealey at South Boston, has been committed to jail without bail to await the action of the grand jury.

In October, 1876, the German Consul at Leon, Nicaragua, was assaulted by Francisco Leal, a Nicaraguan, who had married his stepdaughter. He longed a complaint with the authorities, but, so he avers, no action was taken by them. Some time afterward he and his brother, also a Consul, were walking in the street with Mrs. Francisco Leal, when he asserts that he was again assaulted by Leal, who was, further, helped by the police to take his wife away. The Consul, finding that he got no reparation, appealed to his Government through the Charge d' Affaires, and the German authorities have in consequence demanded elaborate amends from the Nicaraguans, which include the payment to the Consul of $30,000, as a compensation for insult, and the solemn salute of the consular flag of Germany by a division of the army. The payment of the money to be made on the same day. Failing this, a large indemnity will be exacted and a fleet sent to extract it. The Nicaraguan Minister begs a suspension of action pending explanation, and declines relations with the German Charge, whom he accuses of misrepresentation.

New Hampshire Items.

Mr. George W. Tash was last week nominated by the democrats of Dover as their candidate for Mayor.

William Cunningham, a native of Whitefield, was killed Thursday night while running a freight car into Bartlett's mill at Carroll, being caught between the car and a piece of timber and crushed. He lived about one hour.

Farmers along the Wilton Railroad are now getting twenty-six cents a can for milk. A can holds eight quarts, wine measure, and the retailers get seven cents a quart, the contractor's profit coming out of the difference.

The jury for the September term of the Supreme Court at Dover were discharged Friday, after serving nearly three months. Hon. S. M. Wheeler, in behalf of the jurors, presented an elegant ebony cane to Judge W. L. Foster, as a token of their appreciation of his able and impartial service during the term. A large amount of work has been accomplished, there being nearly fifty jury trials, with but two disagreements.

Coal is a dollar a ton cheaper in Concord than last winter. The poorer classes in New Hampshire are said to be as well, if not better, prepared for the cold season than they were a year ago. In the agricultural sections they are hoping that the wood and lumber business will start up again, as it would afford employment for many.

The Burnap tannery at Marlow will be immediately rebuilt. The town will exempt the property from taxation for ten years and give Mr. Burnap a two per cent. gratuity.

Hops in Coos county are selling for eight cents a pound, as against thirty cents last year. Those crops that were kept over from last season were so injured that they brought only three cents a pound this Fall.

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Boston Way,	10:35	5
Portland,	9:35	4:35 6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:33 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Hon. Frank Jones returned home on Saturday evening.

The brig Clara J. Adams was on Saturday taken into the dry dock at the navy yard, for repairs.

Arrangements are in progress by the Signal Service Bureau for the daily display of weather signals in this city. There is no small port on the coast where such signals are more needed than here, this being an important shelter port and rendezvous for fishing vessels in the winter.

An easterly gale—the heaviest one of the season—accompanied by a pouring rain, kept most people indoors, Sunday afternoon and evening. The light-keepers at Whale's-back had the fog-horn going through the afternoon and night, its blasts being plainly heard all over the city.

The Maverick National Bank, which is one of the most enterprising and successful Boston banks, makes an announcement of interest to banks and institutions, as well as to individual capitalists and business men. They solicit accounts, allow interest on time deposits, discount business paper, and give careful attention to the collection of notes, drafts and coupons, and the purchase, sale or exchange of United States bonds. The well-known character of the board of directors for financial strength and business ability is a guarantee that all business intrusted to them will be promptly and faithfully transacted.

The bad failure of the Carroll County Savings Bank, at Wolfeboro', we are informed has startled quite a number of country depositors in the Portsmouth Savings Bank into coming into town to withdraw their deposits in that sound and cautiously-managed institution. Where they can hope to find a safer place of deposite we cannot imagine. But it is a good thing for the bank, for those who withdraw their deposits lose whatever interest has accrued since the books were last made up. Some of the withdrawers we are told have since wished to put their deposits back, but the bank doesn't want the money, having on hand quite as much as there is profitable use for just at present.

The Western Union Telegraph Company having swallowed the Atlantic & Pacific, the office of the latter line in this city will be discontinued on the 1st of December. Mr. Jo. Neff, who has had charge of the office here since it was opened, has made a friend of every one who has had business to do with him, and of a good many who have had none; and whether he remain here or goes to some other city he will have the good wishes of about all who have made his acquaintance. This re-establishment of the old telegraph monopoly will undoubtedly be a good thing for the monopoly, but it will be a little tough on the public after they have tasted the sweets of opposition.

President Rockwell of the Eastern Railroad has issued an order prohibiting conductors from passing their own friends or relatives, conductors of other roads, or any person whomsoever, unless they have a pass properly issued from the President's office. Conductors are allowed no discretion; all persons claiming to have a pass must show it, or pay full fare. We saw an official of the road who had left his annual pass at home, pay his fare to Boston last week, though he was known to the conductor as the holder of a pass. But the fact that a man has held such a pass is not to be regarded as a reason for passing him, unless he shows it whenever he seeks to pass on the trains without a ticket.

The ill-fated sloop-of-war Huron, whose total wreck at Kitty Hawk, on the Carolina coast (exactly what part of that coast we have been unable to learn, as "Kitty Hawk" is not down on any chart we can find, nor in the list of beacons and buoys,) on Saturday, resulted in the loss of a hundred brave men, was a three-masted schooner in rig, and came into this port in September, 1876, under command of Commander Chas. C. Carpenter, after a year's cruise in the Gulf. From Comdr. Carpenter we learn that she was not the original Huron, which vessel was one of the "ninety days" crafts, and was either sold or broken up soon after the war. The late Huron was an iron vessel, built by contract at Chester, Pa., by John Roach & Co.; it was intended originally to call her the Alliance, but the latter name was transferred to a vessel then building at Norfolk, Va., and the Chester sloop was then named the Huron. She was one of the eight sloops last built, under the act of Congress under which the Essex and the "contract ship" Enterprise were built at this navy yard.

THE SHIP IN A BOTTLE.

As the miniature steamship in a bottle, made by a man at the jail and for some weeks hung up for public inspection in the window of Goodrich's bookstore, has been removed, we will now explain, for the satisfaction of the many who have puzzled themselves over the question of how so large an object could have been put together in a bottle with so small a neck, how the thing was done. The hull of the steamship, which was as large as the neck of the bottle would admit, was hollowed out; the masts and funnel were stuck on pins, (which admitted of their being laid down inside the vessel, pointing over the stern,) the yards being fastened to the masts with thread, which admitted of their being laid parallel with the masts. The vessel having been all rigged and her braces and stays all made fast as the maker wanted them, masts and yards were laid flat down inside the hull and the whole lot put into the bottle, the maker of the puzzle retaining his hold of a string which was fastened to the foremast head,—a pull on that string raised the masts and funnel to their places and squared the yards, the string was made fast to the bowsprit to serve for a fore-stay, the cork was put in the bottle, and the puzzle was complete. And a real good puzzle it was, too.

THE DIVIDING LINE.

At the Unitarian church, Sunday morning, the pastor's text was selected from Matthew 7:20; "Wherefore by their fruits ye shall know them." The speaker referred to the line which the Evangelical sects draw between themselves and other Christians. This line he regarded as authorized solely by the assumed religionists, and not from any recognized power. He does not hold that we are saved by what we believe, but by the characters we maintain. He instanced the successful Boston merchant who did not invite his less fortunate brother to his entertainment, because, as he afterward explained to a guest, "he thought he must draw the line somewhere." The line between the sheep and the goats was not one of sectarian creed, but because of results. The goats were without practical virtues; there was no condemnation as to their belief. The inheritors of the kingdom had fed the hungry, clothed the naked and had abounded in good works. It was only these simple practices that had saved them. However we may believe, it is by our lives of purity and holy living and not by our professions, that we inherit eternal life.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, Nov. 24th; *Batchelder, J.*

William Sullivan and Patrick Kelly, two drunks, were assessed $9.90 each. Having no money, they will board it out at the County Farm.

John Sullivan, a tramp, was sent to jail for sixty days, and ordered to pay $5.76 costs.

NAVAL MATTERS.

Carpenter Benjamin E. Fernald is ordered to the Naval Asylum at Philadelphia, December 1st.

Chief Engineer Richard M. Bartleman is ordered to hold himself in readiness for sea service.

Commodore John C. Howell has been commissioned to be Rear-Admiral from April 25th, 1877.

Lieut. Comd'r Charles S. Cotton has been commissioned to be a Commander from April 25th, 1877.

THE SHOW TO-NIGHT.

Of Hartz, the "Crown Prince of Wizards," who appears this evening in Franklin Hall, the Baltimore *American* says: he "for two hours kept the multitude in a state of bewildering surprise by the continuous display of a series of the most astounding tricks ever beheld in Baltimore. The artist, as a conjurer, is far superior to any and all whom we have yet seen, and his grand success is certainly well deserved." The New York *Tribune* speaks of him as follows: "Hartz is, beyond all doubt, the most accomplished performer in his line that has visited this city, and it is doubtful if his superior exists anywhere. His feats in magic are entirely new, and many of them wonderful beyond conception; none whom we have ever seen bear the slightest comparison to the talented gentleman who, last night, delighted his large audience." And the New York *Times* says: "The most entertaining, instructive and amusing Wizard that New York has seen for years, is Prof. Hartz. His feats are entirely original and thus are doubly interesting, while the lively play on words and the many quaint jokes which permeate the entertainments keep visitors in fine humor and send them away in the best of spirts."

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The prayer meeting at nine o'clock, Sunday morning, was well attended.

Notwithstanding the heavy rain in the afternoon, the meeting at the North church was quite a large one, the body of the church being very nearly filled. Mr. Moorhouse preacced, and at the close of the service announced that he would give a Bible reading at three o'clock Monday afternoon, in the Methodist church, the subject being "The Pearl of Judah;" and that Mr. Whittle would conduct the gospel meeting Monday evening.

The drenching rain had a sensible effect upon the attendance at the gospel meeting at the North church, Sunday evening, yet there were several hundred persons present, a fair proportion of them being ladies. Mr. Moorhouse addressed the congregation, the lecture being preceded by the usual praise service.

THE VICINITY.

The school in district number three, of Seabrook, has been closed on account of scarlet fever.

Members of the recently organized Masonic Lodge (Winnicut, No. 92) of Greenland, will give their first annual Masonic Ball on Thanksgiving night, Nov. 29th. Harlow's quardrille band will furnish music. Only those holding invitations will be admitted. It will be the first ball of the season and the first in Greenland's new town hall.

While Michael Ward, an employee of T. H. Wiswell & Co., paper makers at Packer's Falls, Durham, was in Newmarket with a horse and wagon a few days since, in attempting to back the team out of a narrow passage way it was precipitated into an open cellar sixteen feet deep—horse, wagon, and driver included, all in a heap. Strange to relate, all came out again in good shape, save the wagon, and that with only a broken shaft.

A Newington correspondent of the Exeter *News-Letter* says that judging from the company at an assembly in the town hall at Newington recently, "which consisted of sixteen gents and four ladies, we are inclined to believe that the abiding interest which most of the people have taken in dancing, a short time since, is on the wane. Owing to the small number of persons present, the only figure of the dance dxecuted was: All forward and back—home."

Interesting Law Question.

Alderman Asa A. Breed of Lynn was set upon by three parties in Boston, some weeks since, and robbed of $8000 belonging to the Central National Bank of Lynn. The bank officials have consulted counsel to ascertain if Mr. Breed were responsible for the loss of the money, and their inquiries were answered in the affirmative. The officials claim that the original contract with Mr. Breed for carrying the funds of the bank to and from Boston was made when he was in the express business, and he was then liable as a common carrier. Mr. Breed sold out his express business after the contract was made but still continued to carry the funds of the bank. The question arises whether or not Mr. Breed was a common carrier after closing up his express business by continuing in the service of the bank. The bank officials further claim that Mr. Breed did not exercise due caution. On the other hand Mr. Breed claims that his liability as a common carrier ceased when he closed up his express business, and that he retained the trust by carrying the funds and was paid as an employe of the bank. There are good points on both sides of the question of Mr. Breed's liability, and the developments when the case comes to court will be awaited with interest.

—The *Cherokee Advocate*, the Indian Territory newspaper, requests vigilance committees not to hang any more men in front of its office, as such things annoy the compositors.

—A jolly son of the ocean was about being put on board an outward-bound ship, for which he had previously entered, when he asked leave to have another run "up town." Being informed that he could not be permitted to go, as the ship was about to sail, he sang out to a man on the wharf, an entire stranger to him, "Here, my friend," throwing him five shillings, "spend that for me—I'll do as much for you another time."

—There was a wedding of the most public sort at Coventry, Conn., the other day, of a sixty-five-year-old man and a twenty-five-year-old widow. The man got his license in Coventry, but had arranged to be married in Mansfield. When the knot was about being tied the mistake was noticed, but the expectant couple, determined to go off on their wedding trip as planned, took the parson to the bridge over the river dividing Coventry and Mansfield, and were married there in full view of a factory whose every window was filled with interested witnesses, having just time to catch the train.

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The success of this sterling periodical is owing to the fact that it enables one, with a small outlay of time and money, to keep pace with the best thought and literature of the day. The ablest living contributors to periodical literature are represented in its pages, some of whose names will be found in the prospectus published in another column. It has always stood at the head of its class, both in the quality and quantity of the reading furnished; and in fact it affords, of itself, so thorough and complete a compendium of what is of immediate interest or permanent value in the literary world as to render it an invaluable economizer of time, labor and money. For 1878, an extra offer is made to all new subscribers; and reduced clubbing rates with other periodicals are also given by which a subscriber may at remarkably small cost obtain the cream of both home and foreign literature. Those selecting their periodicals for the new year, would do well to examine the prospectus. In no other way that we know of can a subscriber be put in possession of the best which the current literature of the world affords, so cheaply or conveniently.

—A San Francisco inventor has completed a boot and shoe making machine which he thinks will save nearly seventy per cent. in the cost of labor and material. The machine, at one operation, makes the metal screws with which soles are fastened and puts them in place. The inventor says that his machine will turn out from thirty to forty pairs of boots or shoes in an hour, and that while the screws used in the old machine cost from $1 to $1.20 a pound, those used by him cost only thirty-five cents a pound, the price of the plain wire.

MARRIAGES.

BOYD—GOVE. In Seabrook, Nov. 4, by Rev. Frank Haley, Mr. Jerome Boyd and Miss Rosella F. Gove, both of Seabrook.

WARNER—RAND. In North Hampton, Nov. 18, Mr. Albert H. Warner of North Hampton, and Miss Sarah O. Rand of Newton, Mass.

DEATHS.

MARSTON. In Greenland, Nov. 20, Mr. Noah H. Marston, formerly of East Boston, Mass., aged 50 years and 5 months.

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Ashes of roses.

When love's warm sun is set,
Love's brightness closes;
Eyes with hot tears are wet,
In hearts there linger yet
Ashes of roses.

Eliza Cookes (13 years old), St. Nicholas for December.

St. Louis Amusement.

St. Louis had a touch of the war in Turkey the other day, when two mortal enemies, a physician and a bank cashier of that city, engaged in a most ludicrous encounter, while enjoying the luxury of a Turkish bath. It so happened that both entered about the same time, duly occupying neighboring couches in the hottest room of the establishment, and were enjoying a thorough steaming before they noticed each other. A wordy warfare was instantly begun, which soon developed into blows, and the two naked citizens, with drenched with perspiration, were locked in a deadly struggle. The strip of matting, which protects the bathers' feet from the almost red-hot floor, was soon pushed aside, and the fight went on furiously upon the blistering pavement. As the floor began to burn their bare feet, the combatants capered up and down in agony, pounding each other's faces with the fury of despair. The wildest dervish dance never exhibited so extraordinary a spectacle. At last the attendants rushed in and separated the gladiators, the war was summarily ended, and the doctors proceeded to bind up the many wounds. The shrivel-skin peeled from the soles of the doctor's feet like parchment, and the cashier was also pretty well roasted. They parted full of threats, but when they fight again, it probably won't be in the midst of a furnace.

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Portsmouth, Nov. 7, 1877.

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In accordance with resolutions fixed by the Trustees the Voting Register will be closed on the Twentieth day of November, between which time and the Annual Meeting, on the second Wednesday of December no registration will be made.

Per Order of the Directors,

Nov30 EDWARD C. PERKINS, *Clerk.*

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES,

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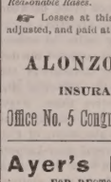

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In 1874, near the centre of this belt, the American mine was discovered. This mine has since produced the largest masses of tellurium associated with gold and silver, of any mine in the world. The product of the American has not ceased to be a wonder to mineralogists and precious metal miners since it was opened. The press of Colorado, and mining and scientific journals at home and abroad have had constant occasion during the past three years to note the remarkable results from this mine. The display of specimens from it at the Centennial was one of the attractions to scientists and miners and capitalists, and so interested General Galetin, the Russian mineralogist, and Prof. Posepay, the geologist of the Austrian Government mines, that they made a special visit to the property. Lately, the American and the Ajax, an adjoining mine, have been consolidated under one corporate management, and the stock placed on the New York Mining Stock Exchange. The Centennial case of specimens and others from later work are now at the Company's office, 31 Broad street, and will well repay examination by any one interested in mineralogy or mining.

The ore is generally of light gray cast, usually showing neither gold nor silver, and pieces worth fifty dollars a pound would be cast aside as worthless by the uninitiated; but there are specimens showing native gold and silver in nuggets, plates and wires. Among the specimens here are the following. The size of specimens named will average 20 lbs. The values given are the assays per ton of 2,000 lbs.: No. 1. Telluride and pyrites, gold, $6,201; silver, $126 50. No. 2. Same ore, gold, $49,049; silver, $810.80. No. 3. Same ore, gold, $35,139; silver, $207. No. 4. Surface ore, gold, $65,523.90; silver, $195.50. No. 5. Sylvanite, gold, $5,157.50; silver, $86.25. No. 6. Sylvanite, gold, $51,385.42; silver $1,345.50. No. 7. Telluride ore, gold, $120,000; silver, $7,680.50. No. 8. Hessite, gold, $9,318.25; silver, $7,-860.50. Among the more interesting specimens, in appearance, are one of iridiscent telluride, one of calvarite, free gold in pocket, free gold in wires, and roasted sylvanite showing drops and blisters of gold all over the surface. The pyrites specimens are very brilliant, particularly those embossed with the metal and containing occasional fossils in pyrites. There are two masses of the ore, showing the vein from wall to wall to be nine inches wide.

A lot of the American ore, 800 lbs., sent to San Francisco, yielded $5,420, or at the rate of $13,550 per ton. The general yield is indicated by returns from smelters. Prof. N. P. Hill, the well-known Colorado smelter, says: "Of the various lots of ore from the American Mine which we purchased in the years 1874, 1875 and 1876, the assays varied from 4 oz. gold and 20 oz. silver per ton, to 215 oz. gold and 255 oz. of silver, per ton, and the average grade of the ore was very high." Mr. J. H. Boyd, the enterprising smelter of Boulder, says: "I have been purchasing ores from the American Mine for some months past, and the lowest assay is 4.8 oz. gold and 8 oz. silver; the highest, 319 oz. gold and 257 oz. silver."—(Dated April 25th, 1877.) The Great Smelting and Refining Company, of Omaha, say, May 1st, 1877, of the lots shipped them, that they noted assays at $5,444 80 and $3,840.64 per ton, and add: "All of the different lots of the first class are assayed about as the above."

The following, from the *Boulder News* of May 26, 1876, is a sample of the local press notices:

The American mine is the most extensively worked of any in the district, and for quantity and richness of ore is one of the most wonderful mines in the world. It is turning out large quantities every month, that sells to the smelters at from $100 to $6,000 per ton, and has paid large dividends constantly from the very commencement. The first class ore, by the ton, assays $5,000 to $12,000; the second class about $800, and the third class $200. Pieces can be picked from any of the first class sacks that will yield from $1 to $3 40 *per ounce,* or at the rate of $20,000 to $100,000 per ton. The quantity and quality of the ore has grad-

ually but constantly increased from the surface, and now, at the depth of 220 feet, the vein is twice as large as it was at the surface and the ore is far richer.

From what is already known of this remarkable vein, few will dispute the assertion that no mine thus far recorded in the history of the world has produced such extraordinary yields as the American at Sunshine. Its character under development proves it to be a true fissure vein, very strong and exceedingly rich in precious metal. Its net returns at this time, and since the first ten feet of opening had been accomplished, have been, and are, greater than those of any other deposit of gold bearing mineral in Christendom. Much of the crevice matter is worth from ten to forty dollars per pound, and selected specimens have returned at the rate of $200,000 per ton.

From the Company's reports, it appears that the American mine was purchased for $18,000 in November, 1874; when it was opened but a few feet showing a narrow streak of telluride ore, very rich in gold. When only 17 feet deep it had yielded about $7,000 more than expenses, and since then it has continued to pay handsome dividends, make extensive developments and accumulate a plant estimated worth over $80,000. The total product to date, under the necessary disadvantages of first work, small force, in a new district and lack of machinery, has exceeded $400,000.

The openings on the American aggregate some 1,300 feet, exposing a large reserve of ore, but embracing less than 1-5 of the claim on the vein in length. The discovery shaft is now down 280 feet on the vein, with five levels from 100 to 300 feet long. At the surface the vein is only about one inch wide; at the third level it averages six inches; from there to the fifth level, it is from 10 to 18 inches wide. So far the vein has not only shown no barren places, but increases in richness as well as width with depth. Test shafts, 900 feet from the discovery shaft on the vein, show continuity in length and general characteristics. These facts, with the production of telluride ore yielding over $2,500 per ton, at a depth of 475 feet from the surface, in the Corning Tunnel, are cited by Prof. J. Alden Smith, State Geologist of Colorado and Superintendent of the American, as conclusive evidences of the permanency in richness of telluride ores, and that the American is a true fissure vein. Prof. Smith also reports the indications on the Ajax as being fully as flattering as those of the American at the same stage of development.

From the foregoing, and the results of other mines in the Telluride or Sunshine District, which now has some five hundred mines, a thriving village of 900 inhabitants, good roads and a telegraph line, it appears that Colorado's deposit of telluride ores, associated with gold and silver, is on the scale of large dimensions that characterize the Centennial State.—*N. Y. Reporter.*

The wonderfully profitable tellurium mines contiguous to the famous "American" have surprised their owners by the richness of the ore taken out. A three-fifths interest in one of them was offered to Portsmouth parties in 1876 for $1500. It is a mine that required but simple tools and no machinery to operate, the owner, who was in consumption, desiring to return to Southern California. The parties here to whom the control of the mine was offered, finally declined to purchase, and it was sold last November for $3500. In February following, the two purchasers realized a profit of $11,000 for that month's work, and refused to sell the mine at that time for $35,000.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 27, 1877.

The Wreck of the "Huron."

The wreck of the Huron loses nothing of its shocking features or its mystery by later reports. How the vessel came to be where she was, only twelve hours after leaving Hampton Roads, is not yet explained; nor why she left her safe anchorage to put to sea in the teeth of a furious gale, when the storm signal had been flying from the Wednesday previous, and was still up. Two stories are told as to the responsibility of putting to sea under such circumstances: One that Captain Ryan requested to be sent out, another that both he and Executive Officer Simons remonstrated against being ordered to sea in the face of the coming storm.

The Huron left the Roads at four o'clock Friday afternoon, and encountered the gale before getting fairly out to sea; and between one and half-past one o'clock next morning went ashore about two miles north of Oregon Inlet, near Cape Hatteras. It is scarcely possible the vessel could have lost her reckoning, and the most plausible theory advanced to account for the disaster is that she became unmanageable when off the breakers at Kitty Hawk—whether from the breaking of her engines or not cannot yet be known; that her sails were useless, and she was driven ashore with tremendous force. The accounts given Monday morning were not very coherent, but all agreed that the vessel was under sail when she struck, and had had several sails blown away previously. When she struck, all her boats were washed away but the first cutter, which was swamped in launching, and the survivors all saved themselves by swimming, the surf being so heavy that no aid could be rendered from the shore.

There were several errors in the list of officers as first published. Neither Lieut. Fletcher nor Master George W. Mentz were on board; Lieut. Sidney A. Simons was executive officer; and Master James W. Wright and Ensign F. W. Danner, whose names did not appear in the first list, were on board.

Paymaster Sanders, at first reported saved was lost, Master Conway, Ensign Young, Asst. Engr. Denig and Cadet Engr. Warburton being the only officers saved.

The United States steamers Powhattan, Swatara and Fortune were opposite the wreck on Sunday, but owing to the heavy sea could render no aid. Food and clothing for the survivors reached them on Sunday. The wrecking steamer B. & J. Baker attempted to land a surf-boat Sunday afternoon, but it was capsized and five men of its crew of nine were drowned, including Capt. J. J. Guthrie, chief of life saving stations from Kitty-Hawk to Hatteras.

Kitty Hawk, where the Huron was wrecked, is on the bank at the mouth of Albemarle Sound, exactly on the 36th parallel, and about fifty miles north of Cape Hatteras.

The Storm.

The storm which reached this city on Sunday began in Maryland, Virginia and Pennsylvania on Friday, and continued up to Sunday afternoon—about the time it commenced here. The rain fell in torrents, and the damage done to roads, railroads, bridges, buildings and farms is immense. Rivers overflowed their banks, the Potomac at Georgetown being higher than since 1852, and at Harper's Ferry twenty-five feet above low water mark. Much damage was done in Baltimore by the wind, and the overflowing of Jones' Falls creek. Richmond, Lynchburg and other cities were partially overflowed; in Richmond alone the damage is estimated at over $2,000,000. Danville and Richmond were in darkness at night, the gas-works in both cities being submerged. The telegraph lines were greatly injured, and many railroad bridges carried away, in Virginia, Pennsylvania, Maryland and North Carolina. The flood is the most disastrous one since the great one of 1870, and it is feared the losses will exceed those of that year.

The torpedo boat Alarm, which left New York for Washington on Thursday, had not reported up to Monday noon, and much anxiety is felt for her safety.

The Russian barque Johan Lang was totally wrecked on Sunday afternoon, ten miles south of Cape May. The crew of seventeen, including the captain's wife and child, safely landed on a raft.

Congress.

Forty members of the U. S. House of Representatives asked for leave of absence on Saturday, but it was refused to all those who were not able to put in a plea of sickness.

The question of seating Massacre C. Butler as Senator from South Carolina came up in the Senate on Monday; Senators Conover and Patterson made speeches in answer to the charge that they had been bought by the democrats, explaining that they were no such men, but true patriots. Senator Edmunds said he believed the sale had been made, and that an investigation would prove it.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.

The *Star* of last evening said of Mr. Ewing's pet: "The anti-resumption bill seems to get knocked about unmercifully. Gen. Ewing, who has charge of it, contemplated to-day that the pending deficiency bill would soon be passed, and that the resumption repeal bill could be brought up and a vote reached. First to antagonize it a large number of private bills were introduced, and then Mr. Hall of Maine, moved to discharge the election committee from the further consideration of the Colorado election contest of Belford vs. Patterson, inasmuch as the committee had failed to agree. Speaker Randall ruled that the question was one of the highest privilege, debate forthwith ensued, and the outlook for the repeal men became more gloomy than ever." The extract seems to express the sentiment of indifference or disfavor which appears to have been growing in the House toward the measure since the temporary furore which first greeted its appearance. It has had the effect to demoralize its friends, and the many rebuffs it has received has driven its parent well nigh distracted. He, however, obtained an opportunity yesterday afternoon after the passage of the deficiency bill, to rid himself of the speech he has been incubating during many anxious days and nights. But little was said that had not already been reiterated many times by amateur financiers who utilized the issue as a stepping stone to places of influence and power. No vote was reached but it is hoped it may be disposed of in the House to-day.

Mr. Bland is understood to have said that his bill, as amended by the Committee and reported to the Senate, will not be accepted by the House; that it is really more objectionable than none at all. The substitute offered by the free coinage provision makes it incumbent on the Secretary of the Treasury to buy silver bullion at the market price, in amount not less than $2,000,000 per month, to be coined into dollars of the weight (412 1-2 grains) and fineness (9-10) specified, the gain accruing to be paid into the Treasury to the credit of the silver profit fund, as provided by the law relative to subsidiary coin. It is complained that it would take years to coin sufficient silver to make it equal to the amount of gold coin now existing in the country, at the rate provided by the bill, thus defeating the object to make it interchangeable with gold.

The Senate has amended the Paris Exposition bill so as to make the appropriation $175,000 instead of $150,000; and in lieu of $1,000 as the rate of compensation to the under commissioners the amount has been increased to $1,200. With these and some other changes it is believed the House will refuse to concur, and that a conference committee will have to decide the points at issue.

The rumored defection of Conover and Patterson and the possibility that they may hereafter ally themselves with the democrats on all party questions, involves interests of such momentous importance that their hesitating, halting course the past few days has made a profound impression throughout political circles. It must be conceded that the policy of the Administration has not been such as to encourage southern republicans to continue their party organization. But no action of the Executive will be held to justify these two in disregarding the vote by which they were elected as republicans, by their party associates here; and should they prove recreant they must be prepared to encounter a storm that will test their endurance as few men are tested in a life time.

A sharp encounter took place between Conkling and Thurman yesterday morning on a motion by the latter to amend the journal; and another occurred the day previous in which many members of the House rallied about the principal disputants of their respective sides. Frye, of Maine, put the ball in motion by some severe strictures upon the action of Col. Polk in removing several door-keepers who have been borne on what was known as the "soldiers' roll." It was claimed that Polk had only substituted democratic Union soldiers for republicans; but Frye's point was that able-bodied men had been given the places of cripples, contrary to the spirit of the law; and it looked at one time as though there were to be a hot discussion of some of the merits of the late war. During his heat Frye very emphatically expressed his sentimenls of dissent to the appointment of democrats to Federal offices by a President elected as a republican. And the statements and insinuations of the "metropolitan press" to the contrary notwithstanding, the almost universal feeling here is that the President and the republican leaders of the Senate are farther apart than they were before the late conference; and that a hurricane is impending that may burst at any time with almost annihilating force.

KNOX.

News and Notes.

General Burnside has received information of the death of his brother at Indianapolis. He was very ill a few weeks since when the General was there in attendance on the funeral of Senator Morton.

A passenger train on the Charlotte, Columbia & Augusta Railroad, in South Carolina, went down with a trestle bridge into Falling Creek, on Friday evening, carrying twenty passengers and the train men. The creek was swollen by the rains to a depth of twenty feet, and many persons were downed—how many is not yet known.

McMahon of France having formed a new Ministry, the new Assembly on Saturday passed a vote of want of confidence, by 323 to 202.

Moses H. Grinnell, the eminent shipper of New York, died in that city on Saturday at the age of seventy-five years.

The striking cigar-makers of New York have won a victory over the employers in at least one large establishment, Lery & Ullman, who employ 500 hands, having surrendered unconditionally and announced that in the future they will submit to all the rules of the Cigar-Makers' Union.

The award of $5,500,000 made to Great Britain by the Fisheries Commission seems to startle some folks. It does seem to be a pretty steep verdict, but after submitting to arbitration it would be awfully undignified to growl because the decision is not favorable to our side.

A fearful gale raged around the British Isles Saturday night. Thirty vessels are ashore between Ramsgate and Deal, and many lives are reported lost.

The managers of the Permanent Exhibition at Philadelphia have concluded to close its doors on Sundays. The managers state that this is done for the welfare of the exhibition and in deference to the wishes of many members of their Board who were opposed from the outset to Sunday opening.

Assistant Secretary McCormick will leave the Treasury Department in a few weeks, and will be succeeded by Mr. Russell Hastings of Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Hastings is a gentleman of standing and ability, was Lieutenant Colonel of President Hayes' regiment, and for a time under Grant was Marshal of northern Ohio.

A San Francisco special says Senator Sharon declares he will not go to Washington until the latter part of December. Business interests involving a million dollars keep him in California—viz.; negotiations for the sale to the city for twelve millions of water works, in which he is the principal owner, and a big mining stock deal in Ophir. His volunteering to resign amounts to nothing, as the seat would be filled by a democrat by the present Governor of Nevada.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 85c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $3.50, Smiths', per chal $3.50.
Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 13 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 55 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Hr. 9 @ 9½; Gr. 10¼; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties cupon	107⅞
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	108
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s. 1875	104½
N. H. State 6s 1879	102½
N. H. State 6s 1890	103½
Massachusetts State 6s. 1889	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	103
Eastern R. R. 5½s	50¼
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60¼
Boston & Maine	92½
Boston & Providence	122½
Boston & Albany	121
Nashua & Lowell	69
Concord	74
Eastern	5¼
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Centralr	88¼
Northern N. H.	65¼
Old Colony & Newport	96½
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	2½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65

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In accordance with regualtions fixed by the Trustees the Voting Register will be closed on the thirtieth day of November, between which time and the Annual Meeting on the second Wednesday of December no registration will be made.

Per Order of the Directors,

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Boston Way,	10:55	5	
Portland,	9:55	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:55		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
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Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] cast or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

The Unitarian Church will be open (Court street door) on Wednesday after ten o'clock, for the usual Thanksgiving offerings for the sick and destitute.

The ninety-second birthday of Mrs. Laighton, widow of Hon. John Laighton, was celebrated on Friday last, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of the old lady being present.

If any one in Portsmouth has a copy of the life of Mike Martin, the highwayman, written by himself while confined in jail awaiting his execution for highway robbery, they will much oblige us by the loan of it.

Though no provision has been made by the city authorities for introducing the visiting tramps to buck-saws and cord-wood, Portsmouth is likely to lose the reputation it has so long had of being a perfect tramps' Paradise. Instead of an abundance of crackers and coffee and fish, all of the best quality, which the tramps formerly received, they now get only biscuit and water—the water being the very best that can be procured.

THE GRACE CHOATE DISASTER.

We have learned from one of the crew of the schooner Grace Choate the circumstances attending the loss of the four men (Thomas Benson, Daniel McDonald, A. E. Anderson and Frank Lawrence,) on Sunday, the 18th inst. The schooner left this harbor on Friday, the 16th, for a fishing cruise, intending to make Boston a market for her fish. On Saturday the crew set their trawls on Middle Bank, and on Sunday went to haul them. After getting their dories out and commencing to haul (they had got in about two tubs each,) the wind came off northwest in a squall and rapidly increased to a gale, the sea making very fast, as the current was setting to the north. Some of the dories went alongside the schooner, threw out some of their fish, and went to the other end of their trawls to finish hauling; but the captain did not deem it prudent to remain any longer and hoisted the signal to return on board. The crews of some of the dories, that were within gunshot distance of those lost, saw the latter when they started to go to the schooner, but after getting part of the distance to the vessel looked around and could see nothing of them. The remaining men went to work and reefed the schooner down snug, and used all efforts to work her up to the other dories, but owing to the violence of the gale did not make any headway. After using all possible endeavors to get where the missing boats were last seen, the anchor was let go but did not have any more effect at holding the schooner than a fish-hook would have had. The schooner cruised around from that time until Tuesday morning, when being out of wood and coal she ran for Gloucester harbor. They had been as far off as Georges and spoken several vessels, notifying them of the loss of the dories, and they will be on the look out for them. There is still a possible chance that they may have been picked up by an outward bound vessel, and may again be heard from; and we sincerely hope they may be. The men were all hardworking and honest men, and bore a good reputation among their associates.

A BEAUTIFUL PHENOMENON.

Notwithstanding all that has been said and sung about the Isles of Shoals, all the peculiarities of that favorite pile of big rocks in the ocean are not yet known to the public. For instance, it is not generally known that the Shoals have two moons, one being the well known article which does duty pretty much all over the world, and the other an eccentric moon that occasionally rises in the southwest, the two sometimes running opposition by both rising at the same time. A correspondent out there, writing under date of November 3d, (the mails are not regular at all between there and here, in the winter season,) says:

"Between the hours of one and three o'clock this morning we were treated to one of the most magnificent sights in nature, in the shape of a wonderful display of northern lights. They first made their appearance in a circle similar to a rainbow, and then the moon arose both in the northeast and the southwest at the same time, its rays starting from those two points and spreading out in fan-like form until they met at the zenith. A peculiar thing about these lights was that they were exactly the same at both north and south, with first a bright ray, and then a dark line looking exactly like rain or squall clouds, alternating and meeting each other overhead. As seen from White Island Light-station, the lights appeared to take for their stand-points Boon Island Light in the northeast and Plum Island (Newburyport) Light in the southwest; finally ending as they began, in rainbow form toward the north,—and leaving us with but one moon, and not much of a moon to brag of, at that."

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

At the gospel meeting in the North church, on Sunday afternoon, Mr. Moorhouse announced the subject of the Bible reading to be "Assurance." He had met many Christians who were afraid to say that they were saved. The Christian will be saved if he trusts in Jesus, even though he have not assurance, but the want of it will affect his life here. It is the Christian's privilege to know that he is saved. Luke 1:10 was first quoted to show that we may have knowledge of salvation from sin. John 5:24 declares that "He that knoweth my word, and believeth on him that sent me *hath* everlasting life." A very distinguished Christian worker in Philadelphia acknowledged to Mr. Moorhouse that he had often doubted his salvation. Mr. Moorhouse asked him to take out his pocket knife and cut out those parts of the Bible that he did not believe. He then requested him to read *this* passage, showed him that it was the word of God, and he must accept it, or reject Him, for it says, "*hath* everlasting life," not *hopes* for it. Colos. 2:2 speaks of the "full assurance of understanding." We are not to be governed by mere feeling, for no passage in the scriptures speaks of feeling as being assurance. Isaiah 32:17 shows us that "the work of righteousness shall be peace; and the effect of righteousness, quietness and assurance forever." In 2d Tim. 1:9, we are told the ground of our assurance: God "hath loved us not according to our works, but according to his own purpose and grace;" and in verse 12 Paul declares, "I know whom I have believed." The speaker then called attention to the *baths* in Col. 1:12, 13, 14, 20 and 21. John tells his brethren why he wrote to them in 1st John 5: "That ye may *know* that ye have everlasting life." In 1st John 1:1—2, we see why the world scoffs at Christians, and calls them hypocrites. One would not sell his child for gold, nor will God sell his people whom he has redeemed. Satan made a great bid for them, one day, offering "all the kingdoms of this world." God will keep his own, "having loved them to the end."—The meeting was closed with the benediction by Dr. Alden.

On Sunday evening Mr. Moorhouse took for the subject of his remarks, Luke 4: 14-21: Jesus overcame the power of Satan by the word of God; when he said "it is written," Satan was silent. Jesus came to preach the acceptable year of the Lord, and not the day of vengance. He might have read terrible threats and denunciations from the book of Isaiah, but he passed these by to say that he was "annointed to preach the Gospel to the poor." Many other passages, he could have read, but these he passed to say that he came "to preach deliverance to the captives." He came to preach the "Gospel," good news, or glad tidings to all. It is sweet to get good news from a far country, or good news from friends, but the "good news" that Jesus brought was sweeter than any of these. Many think that they must become good before they are accepted of God; they think that they must do something to merit salvation; but salvation is by faith in Christ. Paul declare that justification is "through Christ," and not by works. Christ is the friend of sinners; he loves them, and wants to save them.—The closing hymn was "Come to the Savior," and then the benediction was pronounced by Rev. Mr. Noyes.

Owing to the severe storm the attendance at the North church Monday evening was small compared with the former ones, yet quite a large one considering the state of the weather.

The praise service consisted of "Coronation," "Precious promise," "The new Song," "Draw me nearer," "Are your windows open toward Jersalumem," "Salvation," "What hast thou done for me."

The congregation united in singing "My faith looks up to thee." Rev. Mr. Hubbell led in prayer. Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan sang a song entitled "Blessed hope," and then "Guide me O thou great Jehovah" was sung, after which Mr. McGranahan sang "There's a light upon the shore."

After invoking the blessing of God, Mr. Whittle selected for his text Matthew 11:28—29. Though not in a condition bodily to speak, yet he wished to speak of what Jesus is to those who come to him. "Heavy laden" is what we all are; is the experience of every one of us. The old Roman and Greek philosophers, the old statesmen, all that have lived have met disappointments. What is the "rest" that Jesus will give and for which we all so much long? The world's rest is but trouble and care. First, this is rest with God; the knowledge that he has forgiven our sins, which is the privilege of each to know. We must also know that we can be kept from the power of sin. We need also a hope for the future, for unless we have the Christian's hope we can have no true rest of soul. No hope of this world can compare with the hope of a future life with God beyond the grave, beyond the morning of the resurrection.

The speaker gave some affecting incidents in the life of the brother who had recently died, reading a letter written by him, giving an account of his conversion, and he closed by inviting all to come to Christ. At the close of the service an enquiry meeting was held.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, Nov. 26th; *Batchelder, J.*

Patrick Reagan, for brawl and tumult, was fined $3, costs $6.90, which he paid.

RYE LETTER.

RYE, Nov. 26th.

On Sunday, the 18th inst., the Christian church was well filled by an audience attracted by the announcement that Major Whittle, the evangelist, would preach, and Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan would sing,—and the three made their entrance into the church at 10:45 A. M. and immediately proceeded to business, which consisted in their taking such part in the services as is their custom in Portsmouth and elsewhere.

Monday evening the Town Hall was occupied by the band; the vestry by the committees appointed to take charge of the approaching Festival to be given by the Congregational society; and the Christian church, by members of that society to make arrangements for a Sunday school concert.

Tuesday evening there was a minstrel show at the Town Hall, which was not patronized to any great extent,—and if all accounts are true, did not deserve to be.

Wednesday evening, Rev. Mr. Bowdish, of the Christian church, delivered a lecture in the Town Hall, subject, "Victory," for the benefit of the Sunday school connected with that society.

A dancing school, at the Town Hall, was commenced on Thursday night, the instructor being Mr. Turner of Portsmouth.

Friday evening the Town Hall was comfortably filled by an audience drawn together by the announcement that the Portsmouth Dramatic Club would give an entertainment, and from the way "Ten Nights in a Bar Room" was performed by the company in the same place, last spring, something of real merit was anticipated; and it may be, that the majority of those present were entirely satisfied, and thought they got their money's worth; but it does not seem to be treating the public quite fair to appear before them with parts not half committed to memory, thereby requiring the prompter's assistance in such constant demand that not only his voice, but his presence also, was at all times apparent, both to the ear and to the eye of the audience. And, if it was absolutely necessary to have singing by some of the characters, it does seem as though a little time might have been used to advantage, in a rehearsal by the singers and the orchestra, so that the lack of harmony might have been toned down a litile. That the stage in the hall is entirely inadequate for representing anything more than a lecture, in a proper manner, is admitted, but that defect, serious though it may be, is no excuse for parties taking the public's money, and then failing, through lack of preparation on their part, to render a satisfactory equivalent.

The centre and west schools commenced their winter terms last Monday. The former is taught by Mr. C. F. Larrabee of Portsmouth, and the latter by Mr. Nathan R. Goss of this town.

Rev. Mr. Hadley of Newington will preach at the Congregational church next Sunday. NAT.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

In lower harbor, Saturday, Schs D A Baker, Allen, Lubec for Boston; Pearl, Robinson, Danvers for Thomaston; Baltic, Spinney, Gloucester for Bangor; War Eagle, Frisbee, Boston for Wiscasset; Frances Ellen, Smith, Provincetown for Bangor; Will iam, Danforth, Lynn for do; Metropolis, Lane, Boston for Vinalhaven; Gangea, Wall, Ellsworth for Sing Sing; Emma Hotchkiss, Alley, Bath for Boston; Martha Nichols, Eaton, Boston for Machias; B J Leonard, Covert, do for Anapolis, N S; D K Ham, Freeman, Dover for Boston; Sedona, Hart, Kittery for St George.

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Ship Coldstream, Salter, at Shanghae for New York Oct 24.

Sch Clara E Simpson, Swett, from this port, arr Philadelphia Nov 22.

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His parents were strict, and he never was rested;
He knew he was wretched as wretched could be,
There was no one so wretchedly wretched as he.

HIS MATURITY.

His farm was too small and his taxes too big,
As was seldom and lazy, and even as a pig;
His wife was too silly, his children too rude;
And just because he was uncommonly good,
He never had money enough or to spare,
He had nothing at all fit to eat or to wear;
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HIS OLD AGE.

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He grumbles to think he has grumbled for years.
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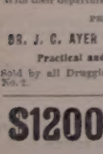

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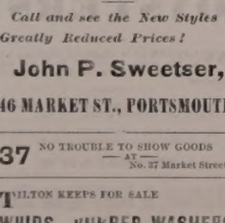

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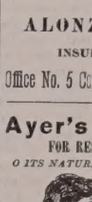

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BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

Brentwood is an old town. But twenty-seven had been incorporated before it in the State and one of them, Windham, the same year, but four months previously; another, South Hampton, but one month. It was incorporated June 26, 1742. North Hampton was incorporated the same year, Nov. 26. Of the twenty-seven towns before Brentwood, sixteen were in Rockingham county.

The name "Brentwood" signifies burnt wood. In early records and dates of documents, it is frequently written "Brentwood."

The population at the first census, 1775, was 1100. It has never been so great since. At the last census, in 1870, it was 895, or 205 less than 95 years before.

It is designed to notice some of the events of 1815, or 62 years ago. The population at the census five years before was 905, or ten more than in 1870, sixty years later. The Congregational society had been without a settled pastor from the death of Rev. Ebenezer Flint, a little more than eleven years. For the last two however, Rev. Chester Colton had been the stated supply. On the 25th of January, 1715, he was ordained pastor of the church and society. Rev. William F. Rowland, of Exeter, gave the discourse, from the words: "It pleased God by the foolishness of preaching to save them which believe." The salary agreed on was $400 and fifteen cords of hard wood, brought to his door. Mr. Colton was a native of West Hartford, Conn., and was a graduate of Yale College. When he came to Brentwood and was inducted into the pastoral office he was in the strength of his manhood, 32 years of age. He was very successful, about forty having been added to the church in 1818-19. He continued in the place ten years.

June 21, 1815, a council commenced in the Baptist church, which stood across the way south of the present church, and ordained Henry Veazy of the town, and I think a native of it, to the work of the ministry. Sermon by Rev. John Peak from the passage, "Finally, brethren, pray for us that the word of the Lord may have free course and be glorified as it is with you." Rev. H. Veazy two years later took charge of the Baptist church in Bow, where he continued many years, and where, I think, he died.

Nov. 4, 1815, Rev Samuel Shepard, familiarly called Dr. Shepard, as he was a practicing physician, died, aged 76 years. He was a native of Salisbury, Mass., was ordained in Stratham in 1770. The next year he came to Brentwood and the Baptist church was organized. He had charge of it to his death, 44 years, but having branches of the church in other towns, he preached abroad considerably, extending visits back at some distance in the State.

Walker's Wants.

The following letrer is said to be the genuine production of an applicant for a clerkship in Washington. It was addressed to Senator Jones, of Nevada, who very properly considered it too good to keep:

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 8 1877.

Most Argentine Senator:—Providence, you know, designs some men for Senators, some for advocating female suffrage, and others for government clerks. I was fitted up by the Most High for one of the latter class, and it's flying directly in the face of the Revelation when I'm left out in the cold, while slender-legged young men from Skowhegan catch flies off of government desks. I am the only person in Washington who wants an office, and I feel that I ought to be cherished as a natural curiosity, and put in a department, so that when strangers visit this part of the moral vineyard, they can gaze upon a noble patriot, whose soul is above lucre, and whose principles are modeled upon those of the administration—no matter whose administration.

Now, there's a show in the interior department, over which the philosophical Carl presides, and I want to get before that civil service examining board so that, I can let loose some of my wisdom. The havoc I will create among common fractions will cause weak-minded persons to howl, and the consternation that will seize the different parts of speech, will make Lindley Murray crawl out of his tomb and fill his coffin with tears. The geography of this country will undergo some rather startling changes, and, Lord! how the confidence of the public will be shaken in Daniel Webster as a constitutional expounder when I tackle that ancient document!

The only thing is to get before the board. I've got thirty-seven applications

on file in the various departments, and I've told them in all sorts of ways that I'm a nice young person who would be an ornament to any well regulated office, but somehow or other they don't seem to have that glowing faith in my declarations which is so captivating in the head of a department; so, therefore, I am still out in the cold world, and my autograph decorateth not a pay-roll.

Boss, were you ever busted—broke—up a tree? Were you ever haunted by wild-eyed grocers, and pursued by the savage smiles of an unpaid landlady? Did ever that time come to you when a dollar bill looked like unto an Iowa cornfield, and a five-cent nickel was as hard to raise as a chunk of pig-iron? Did it ever occur to you in your career that a saloon-keeper's confidence in your promises to pay was as full of holes as a cane-bottomed chair, and that ragmen tried to sell you to paper-makers? I'm one of those fellows.

Unfortunately, I'm not the man who first introduced Hayes to the notice of the American public; I'm not the original Jacobs, and, though a Walker, alas, I'm not "Vinegar Bitters" Walker, who had barrels of money. Therefore, silver-mounted Senator, I lack "influence." Get me into the interior, and that department will secure the services of a clerk who will never resign when another war comes on and leave the government in the lurch, and Carl can go to the Schutzen park and drink beer in peace and have his mind easy, knowing that I will run things on a strictly civil service basis.

If I can't get a clerkship, I'll open doors, oysters, canned tomatoes, or anything else that comes handy. I'd like a job of licking postage stamps. I believe myself especially qualified to sit out in a hall in a chair, or I would be simply invaluable as a man to absorb the time of book-canvassers, so that Carl would have an opportunity to get his teeth repaired after cussin' the clerks in his native language. If I were bossing a pen in the interior department, I'd shed a lustre upon his administration, so to speak, and remote generations would name their children after the man who got me in.

I'd like to get a mortgage on your good word with Brother Schurz. It don't make any difference about your not knowing me—you don't know anything about half the fellows whom you recommend for places, and I'm not prejudiced against you on that account.

If I have not said anything about my wanting a clerkship in the interior department, and that I'd like to have you speak to the Secretary in my behalf, then I beg leave to convey that impression to you in as diplomatic a way as possible.

In sunshine or shadow, joy or sorrow, drunk or sober, I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

D. G. WALKER.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 28, 1877.

Congress.

The Senate held in session throughout Monday night and Tuesday, the democrats, aided by Conover and Patterson, trying to seat Massacre C. Butler, and the republicans trying to prevent it. Conover and Patterson voted with the democrats on every question. At a quarter before three o'clock Thurman's resolution was passed by a vote of 29 to 27.

The Eastern War.

A Russian official despatch announces that the Russians on Saturday captured the fortified town of Eutrepol, about twenty miles north of the Balkans, with trifling loss. The Turks fled in disorder. A despatch from Berlin says it is reported that Mehemet Ali has evacuated Orchanie. This is deemed improbable. A despatch from St. Petersburg says: "Russian newspapers profess a strong desire for peace. There is much talk, and the probability of such settlement is said to grow stronger daily. Russia is reported to be making special exertions to secure at any rate England's exclusion from the negotiations."

News and Notes.

The torpedo boat Alarm, concerning whose safety much anxiety was felt, is all right. She was anchored off Stapleton, S. I., during the storm, waiting for good weather before proceeding to Washington.

In the case of H. N. Stiles, on trial for perjury at Portland, Or., in connection with the Grover investigation, the jury stood eleven for his conviction and one for acquittal, and were discharged. A new trial will be had. The case of H. B. Higby, indicted for subornation of perjury, in the same connection, was set for the 27th inst. Important developments are anticipated.

Owing to the prevalence of scarlet fever at Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., the authorities have temporarily suspended the school.

Kansas leads every State in the Union in the yield of corn per acre, being 43.5 bushels. New Hampshire comes next, with a yield of 42. Vermont follows with 39; Ohio, 36.7; Wisconsin, 34; Indiana, Iowa and Nebraska, 30; Michigan, 29; Missouri, 27.9; Minnesota, 25.4; Texas and Illinois, 25 each.

A Havana correspondent reports another serious military disaster for the Spaniards. A great battle was lost by the Spanish forces on the 16th inst. Gen. Daban, at the head of 3000 troops, was attacked near Holgesim by the combined forces of Gomez and Garcia, and after four hours' skirmishing and fighting the Spaniards were forced to abandon the field, leaving 25 per cent. of their number in killed, wounded and prisoners. Among the former were a major and several commissioned officers.

The steamers Old Colony and Newport, which will take the place of the Bristol and Providence on or about December first, have been extensively improved since they were withdrawn from the line last spring, the former being repaired $25,000 worth and the latter $40,000. The past season, considering the reduction in the price of freights, has been one of the most successful ever enjoyed by the Company. The Bristol and Providence will be laid up at Newport as usual, and soon after a large force of workmen will be employed in getting them ready for the season of 1878. It is the intention of the company to build a new steamer at an early date.

There seems to be a very general opinion among naval officers that the loss of the Huron and so many valuable lives was caused by her unseaworthy condition. In fact Captain Ryan, just before he left Boston, told a friend of the writer that he did not feel safe in going to New York in her. Another officer said he "would almost as soon go to sea in a spoon as in such a coffin ship." It will be remembered that the Huron was built under a contract with John Roach, who turned out those showy Pacific Mail steamers, which only needed one voyage to prove their flimsiness of construction. The unanimity of opinion among naval men as to the unseaworthiness of the Huron demands a rigid investigation, and if it shall be shown that defective construction of the vessel or machinery was the cause of her loss, constructors and officials alike should be held to a strict accountability.—*Globe.*

Steamer C. H. Northam was partially burned in New York on Tuesday, and three colored men were burned to death. Loss $175,000; insurance $120,000.

Schooner Frank Jameson, of Rockland, went ashore Sunday night on Smith's island, and was a total loss, with the captain and six men. One boy only was saved.

The Charleston (S. C.) *News* says that both North and South can agree upon one point respecting Senator Morton, namely, that he was an honest man. No higher tribute can be offered by a bitter adversary.

A construction train on the New Jersey Southern Railroad, on Sunday, set out to repair a break occasioned by the storm, but was itself wrecked. Three men were killed and seven wounded.

At Bridgeport, Conn., Alderman Patrick Fagan, a democratic politician, has been arrested for forging the names of county commissioners to liquor licenses, 16 of which, for a hundred dollars each, have been found, and more it is thought are afloat.

New Hampshire Items.

On the 20th of this month, Sheriff Kent received notice from Capt. E. P. Howe, City Marshal of Haverhill, Mass., that he was very anxious to get one Charles A. Sleeper, charged with the larceny of $117, and that he had reason to believe that Sleeper had fled from Haverhill into Rockingham County. The Sheriff at once sent a personal description of Sleeper to his deputies, and on Tuesday he received news that Deputy Samuel E. Woodman of Kingston had secured the man, and taken him to Captain Howe at Haverhill.

The case of A. L. Haines vs. the Republic Fire Insurance Company, to recover $3500 insurance on buildings burned in 1875, was tried Saturday at Plymouth. A verdict was rendered for the company. Plaintiff moved to set the verdict aside and carry it to the Law Court.

Some friends of ours lately stopped at the house of John Chase in North Salem. Their horse was put into the barn and fed with hay which was 40 years old, and at the table they had an apple pie made from apples which had been kept from the crop of 1875. They found a sister of Mr. Chase wearing a dress which was 35 years old. A visit there would seem like going back in "ye olden tyme."—*Canaan Reporter.*

Our Dover National Brass Band are to join the American Band of Rochester on Thanksgiving eve, and give a grand complimentary benefit to Mr. John Carty, the teacher of both bands and recently of the U. S. Naval Band of Portsmouth. The entertainment will be given at Rochester, and is to consist of a concert by the two bands, numbering forty pieces, and Edgerly's Orchestra. It will be a fine affair as ever known in Rochester, and we hope the people there will put in their appearance universally and make it a complete success.—*Dover Democrat.*

Solomon H. Foye was re-elected Mayor of Dover on Tuesday by 58 majority over Geo. W. Tash, democrat, and the temperance vote. Last year Foye's majority was 712. Eight republican aldermen and thirteen republican and two democratic councilmen, were elected.

The Wreck of the "Huron."

The survivors of the Huron's wreck arrived at Washington on Monday. The following is the principal part of Ensign Young's account of the wreck:

Left Hampton Roads about eleven o'clock on Friday morning and steamed out in charge of a pilot. The pilot left us at one o'clock. I had the afternoon watch. There was a stiff breeze and a heavy sea running from the southeast. We took our departure at 1:25 P. M., from Cape Henry light, bearing west by south, distant about five miles, and steered south by east, three-quarters east. Unbent chains and secured anchors for sea. About two o'clock made all plain sail; wind hauled more to the south, and took in topsails; at four o'clock wind increasing, also sea increasing, and ship rolling to leeward about ten degrees. I was relieved by Ensign Danner about four o'clock. About eight o'clock Mr. Danner told me that the jib and flying jib-stays were carried away and the wind was blowing a gale; went to bed about 8:30; was aroused at midnight by the Quartermaster calling Mr. French; heard Mr. French ask him the state of the weather; the Quartermaster replied, "bad;" I dozed off again, and was again aroused about 1:10 by the thumping of the ship when she struck bottom; heard the captain sing out as he came from the cabin, "laid down." I put on a coat and a pair of pants, ran on deck and found that the wind was blowing a fresh gale; heard the order, "Brail up the main staysail," and assisted, but could not take it in then. Asked the captain if we should throw the guns overboard; he said, "Yes, do it as quickly as possible." Got tackle hooked to the lee gun, but could not remove it because she had bilged, and could not get it over for the sea. The captain then ordered me to bring all the signals I could. In the meantime all the port boats and the cutter had been carried away. The ship was lying on her port bilge, inclined about forty degrees and the seas breaking clear over her. I went into the cabin and saved two boxes of Costen lights, sent up five rockets and burnt over 100 signals. The sea was then caving in the cabin very rapidly. When I heard the order given for all hands to go forward as quick as possible I hurried the Quartermasters who were with me and some other men to go forward. As I passed the cabin door Mr. French asked me if that was all? I slipped, and told him "Yes." Then he said, "We must go quick." We all started together. I had hold of the Gatling gun, when a heavy sea came over and washed myself and about five others down to the leeward. All but myself went under the sail, and they were drowned. I was caught in the bag of the sail and hurt both legs against the gaff. I regained the gear of the nine-inch gun and worked myself forward. I thought I saw Mr. French go in the main rigging. I saw a number of men standing in the starboard gangway and on the first launch, and a number of men underneath the topgallant forecastle. I succeeded in getting on the topgallant forecastle, with the assistance of the men there. A number of men had on life-preservers, and one rubber bolsa was rigged on the forecastle; the topgallant forecastle was full of men and officers; two or three men lashed themselves to the bowsprit; every one was perfectly cool and showed no signs of fear. The majority of us got close together on the upper side of the forecastle, suffering much from cold and exposure; the seas would break clear over us and nearly suffocated us. Mr. Conway, watch officer, had on a blanket and shared it with Mr. Danner, Mr. Loomis and myself. We sounded the side and found about six feet of water; a little after we sounded again and got seven and a half feet and then eight; saw a light about one point on the starboard bow, and we gave three cheers and repeated them several times. We then saw that the flood tide was making fast and the sea was breaking over us more. We here saw the first launch, the only boat left, stove in, and the same sea knocked Capt. Ryan and and the navigator overboard. I saw two men killed on the forecastle. Mr. Conway suggested that we make some effort to get a line on shore; I said I would attempt it, and called for men to put the bolsa over, when a three-inch line was made fast in the bolsa and the same lowered overboard, but it fouled with the jibboom foreyard and other spars; I got down on the torpedo spar, and worked about ten minutes to clear the bolsa, and called for some one to help me; Mr. Danner came part of the way and said he was too weak and could not get on. I then told him that it was our only chance, and he had better try. He said he could not, but would in a little while. Williams, a seaman, then came down and said he would go. In about ten minutes we succeeded in getting the bolsa clear of the spars. I could get no mainlines, and the 1st lieutenant, Mr. Simons, Mr. White, and many others on the forecastle, sung out to me, "The line is out, cut and get on shore, if possible, for assistance." I had a small penknife, but could not open it, because my hands were benumbed. Williams opened it, and I succeeded in cutting the rope; was then struck several times by the spars, once in the small of my back and across the hips. We thought the beach ran perpendicular to the ship. It was foggy, and we could not see the shore. When the line was cut the bolsa went toward the stern of the ship, and we thought we were going to sea, which was one thing that fooled the majority of the ship's company. We paddled the bolsa with pieces of panelling. Near the stern of the ship a heavy surf struck us and capsized the bolsa end for end, my leg being jammed. It had me underneath the water for awhile, but I regained the bolsa, when I told Williams to get on the end and we would then steer the bolsa in fear of another capsize. We were thrown over again and this catastrophe threw Williams about ten feet, my arm being jammed; I was thrown on my back. When we came up again it was rather still water; I swam and pushed the bolsa toward Williams; he got on this and stood up and looked around, and said he saw the masts of fishing vessels ahead, which proved to be telegraph poles on shore. I told him I would steer for it. We capsized twice more, and before we knew it we were on the beach. I told him to haul the bolsa up, as we might want to use it to send off to the ship. We landed about three-quarters of a mile up the beach from the wreck.

The rescued seamen make the following statement: The vessel was heading her course south-southeast, wind blowing strong, under after sail to steady her, and steaming along. There was no event to excite apprehensions of any danger. Master W. S. French had the deck. She had sighted and passed Currituck Light, and orders were given to keep a bright look out for Body's Island Light. At 1:40 o'clock the vessel struck, when all hands impulsively rushed on deck. Capt. Ryan and the officers acted promptly. The crew responded to all orders with alacrity. The surf was terrific. Shortly after the vessel struck, a boat was lowered, but immediately swamped. The vessel slued broadside to the sea, which made a clean break over her, sweeping everything from the decks and carrying the boats from the davits. Many seamen and officers were washed overboard, and several were killed by pieces of the wreck. The vessel broke up fast, and the surf became more and more furious, making it beyond all human efforts to hold on. It was dark. Signals of distress had been given, but no response had been made. No one knew where we were, and all who did get ashore were washed there by the surf.

—Texas is usually associated with the idea of a free, wild country, where people "take life easy." But recent doings there show that there is not much toleration yet for heterdoxy. Dr. Russell, a prominent resident of Bell County, Texas, who is known to be a free-thinker, having been inveigled lately into a wood near his home, was surrounded by a mob of indignant Baptists, who stripped him and announced their purpose, through their spokesman as follows: "We know you are an honest man and a good man, but we will tolerate no infidels in Bell County, so by the help of God we will stop your career of infidelity." A strong, tough raw-hide was then produced, and, amid a deep silence, intended to impress the victim with the enormity of his offence, a hundred lashes were administered on his bare back. He was then set free, and a notice stuck up stating that infidelity in future would be punished in Bell County by the use of torch and halter. Professor Tyndall, Mr. Huxley and other leading thinkers of the day will evidently do well to give Bell County a wide berth.

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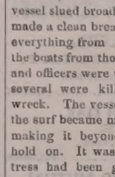

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THE CITY.

Eastern Railroad stockholders' and certificate-holders' meeting, in Boston, on December 12th.

There was a brisk thunder storm, with brilliant lightning and very heavy rain, Tuesday morning, not long after midnight.

The heavy storm of Sunday and Monday threw up immense quantities of seaweed on the beaches at Rye, and on Tuesday scores of farmers' teams were engaged in hauling it away. On Odiorne's Point was more sponge than we ever saw on the beach in this vicinity before.

The usual Thanksgiving services will be held at St. John's Church on Thursday at half-past ten o'clock A. M. The offering will be for the benefit of the Children's Home; any one preferring to send any of the fruits of the earth in aid of this deserving charity, rather than to contribute money, can send them to the Rectory at any time previous to the service.

We had an idea that we had already seed the ugliest specimen possible to be produced of the monstrosity known as "the ulster," until we met one on Saturday, that surely can never be out-done in hideousness; and yet the wearer, as he swept through Congress street, seemed to fancy himself, as its possessor, the envy of every other youngster in town. It would be a valuable acquisition to the wardrobe of a company of colored comedians, or corps of antiques and horribles, such as appeared in our streets on the last 4th of July.

People are said, at times, to be tight all over. Such an one was seen, a day or two since, as he lay at the entrance of a yard in Vaughan street, trying to make a pillow of his shocking bad hat, when a humorous passer-by stopped thus to address him: "My friend, I advise you to get home as soon as possible before a policeman gets hold of you. This is a most expensive place to get drunk in, so much so, *I* can't *afford* to get tight here; they charge us about $10 for the luxury, and if we have not the money, make us work it out. I intend to leave soon." The devotee of Bacchus was too far gone to heed the advice given him, and we thought, in taking our departure, that one who would sell liquor to a man in that condition ought to be compelled to pay his fine, besides spending a month with him at Brentwood.

Hartz, the magician, opened at Franklin Hall on Monday night, had a large audience, and amused and astonished them with his wonderful sleight-of-hand tricks. There is a distribution of presents at each entertainment,—baskets of groceries, castors, cases of table cutlery, bags of flour, hams, etc.,—and the distribution seems to be made in a perfectly fair and impartial manner. On Tuesday evening the show was attended by another large audience, and some of the principal gifts were awarded as follows: M. H. Fernald, large, silver-plated ice pitcher; S. Langdon, Jr., metal toilet set; T. R. Farr, set silver-plated knives and forks; F. G. Sherburne, silver-plated castor; C. W. Shannon, of Kittery, silver-plated toilet set. There will be no performance this evening, the hall being engaged for the Light Artillery ball; but there will be a matinee to-morrow afternoon, and exhibitions each evening thereafter. Seats can be secured for each entertainment, at Preston's.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

On Tuesday evening, a large audience again assembled at the North church, the house being filled, and many obliged to stand.

At the praise service were sung "There is a fountain," "White as snow," "I love to tell the story," "My high tower," and "To the work."

The regular service opened with singing "The holy spirit," Rev. Mr. Noyes led in prayer, Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan sang "Hear ye not the Savior calling?" and after the announcement of meetings, Mr. McGranahan sang "Where wilt thou spend eternity?" The subject of Mr. Whittle's discourse was Prov. 1:23. By wisdom we understand Christ speaking to us and telling us to turn to him. We ought to heed this call when we take into consideration the one who speaks to us, just as we act upon the testimony of men on those things of which we ourselves know but little, such as the facts of geology and other sciences. We have all had this reproof from different sources. There are three classes spoken of here: "simple ones," "scorners," and "fools." The majority are those who just drift along without caring for religious affairs, unconcerned about their souls; they care not whether the Bible is true or not, or if there be a heaven or not; these are the "simple ones." The "scorner" is one that does not believe in religion, that rejects revelation, and that will not believe unless he can reason out the process of salvation. The third class are those that know that they are wrong and yet deliberately keep on in the wrong way. There are many of this class; they know that they ought to be Christians; they acknowledge the claims of Christ upon them, yet they will not turn to him. To "return" is to repent of sin; and there are three things to be noted concerning it: it must be sincere, it must be entire, it must be immediate. "Behold now is the accepted time." To-day turn ye to God. Lastly, those that turn to Christ shall receive strength; upon them will he pour out his spirit. If the threatenings of God will not cause you to turn, let the sorrow and sufferings of Christ move you to repentance.

While all bowed in silent prayer, Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan sang "Why not?" During the singing several arose for prayer, then Mr. Whittle offered prayer and the meeting closed with singing, after which a large enquiry meeting was held.

—Prof. Gunning has been lecturing in the West on the glacial epoch. He says that in a million years the glaciers will be at work again in New England, but that, after 250,000 years possession by the ice, she will come out again as good as new.

—A gratifying rumor has recently gained circulation that the inventor of the telephone is at work upon a new instrument. It is a contrivance which can be applied to street organs, hurdygurdies, German bands, and pianos out of tune. It will collect the sounds and convey them noiselessly away to commons and other waste places, or out to sea, and there the objectionable music will disperse harmlessly. This is a better idea than the telephone, and as soon as the inventor can get it to work he ought to secure a large sale.

—An interesting and suggestive conversation is reported to have taken place the other evening between Governor Tilden and Rev. Dr. Bellows. The two are old acquaintances, and of about the same age. The Governor asked Dr. Bellows how many children he had. "Four," was the cheerful reply. "How old are they?" An expression of bland surprise at such minute interest in the subject, on on the part of a venerable bachelor, flitted across the aimable face of Dr. Bellows, but he did not withhold the desired information. "The oldest is thirty-two," he said; "the second, twenty-nine; the third, two years and five days; and the fourth, at this very moment" (looking at his watch), "is precisely twenty-four hours old." Governor Tilden asked no further question; he seemed to be absorbed in thought.

—On the road from the Mount of Olives to Bethany the remains of a Crusader's church have recently been discovered on the spot to which tradition has long pointed as the place where the Saviour mounted the ass for his triumphal entry into Jerusalem. In the chapel, which dates from the twelfth or thirteenth century, there is an almost square block of masonry covered with paintings, which are well executed but badly disfigured. On the south side is represented the raising of Lazarus; on the north are the disciples fetching the ass; on the west there is a niche covered by an arch which was probably supported by two small columns; below the niche is a portion of an inscription still remaining. This square block is supposed to be either an altar a shrine, or a portion of the rock cut out and ornamented.

—It is astonishing what an immense interest the tramps of this country have in the repeal or non-repeal of the resumption act. Mr. Kelley thinks that repeal is a big thing for the tramps—the very making of them. "Repeal that act, restore confidence," said he in his speech in the House recently, "allow the tramps and millions of workingmen and women who are now living in despair, to go to work on your raw material and supply each other's wants." That will do very well so far as the workingmen and women are concerned, but talk to the tramps about "going to work on your raw material," or supplying anybody's wants but their own, or supplying their own by "working on your raw material," and they'll take to the woods. The loftiest pinnacle of the Alps, "tempest-scarred and thunder-splintered," or the mountain cataract, "clothed in rainbows and in foam," is not more sublime than is the tramp's contempt for "your raw material." He wants *his* material cooked; and—if there happen to be no man about the house—he'll be dashed if you're to be all day about it, either. Mr. Kelley is said to have made a fortune out of pig-iron. He must have done it by putting tramps to work on his raw material. —*Courier-Journal.*

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MARRIAGES.

BUTTER—BOWER. In this city, Nov. 24th, by Rev. James Noyes, Thomas Butter and Mary Ann Bower, both of Portsmouth.

AUSTIN—GARVIN. At North Wakefield, Nov. 26th, by Rev. Wm. H. Alden, D. D., of this city, Mr. James B. Austin of Fitchburg, Mass., and Miss Mamie L. Garvin, daughter of the late John W. Garvin, Esq., of New York city.

DEATHS.

HAM. At the Faith Home in this city, Nov 19th, Elizabeth Ham, aged 74 years. At the same place, Nov. 24th, Lucy Ham, aged 82 years. These old ladies were sisters, and belonged in Dover, where their bodies were conveyed for burial.

SNOW. In this city, Nov. 25th, Harry W. Snow, only son of William and Ellen Snow, aged 1 year and 2 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Ship Triumphant came out of Hunter's Point dry dock, San Francisco, Nov 16, caulked and coppered. She was taken to Cousin's dry dock, where she will complete repairs. She will have the finest set of spars that ever went out of that port, the entire lot being new.

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The report of the Directors will then be presented.

Per order of the Directors.

EDWARD C. PERKINS, Clerk.

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In accordance with regulations fixed by the Trustees the Voting Register will be closed on the thirtieth day of November, between which time and the Annual Meeting on the second Wednesday of December no registration will be made.

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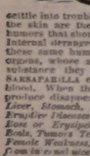

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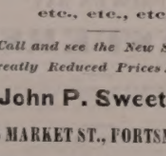

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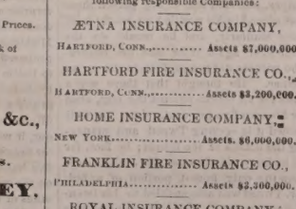

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Daily Chronicle.

The Mule of Sumter

When Dahlgren's iron-clads began operations in Charleston harbor the 10th Army Corps made a sudden dash and drove in the thin lines of pickets which the rebels had posted on the eastern end of Morris Island. When daylight came every gun which Beauregard could bring to bear upon the new work began to rain shot and shell, and from daylight till noon there were lively times in and about Charleston Bay. Shortly after noon Fort Sumter opened furiously, and it was feared that an attempt was about to be made by the enemy to advance. There were enough men there, it was thought, to hold it, but there was a deficiency of ammunition, and so a mule-driver volunteered to deliver the ammunition. The only road was the smooth and sandy beach along the bay, and the distance between the two points about a mile and a half. Half that distance was within easy range of Fort Sumter, and Battery Wagner's guns covered all the way to the sand hills, behind which was the Federal camp.

I am describing this incident as it appeared from the shipping in the bay, and what called attention to it was the sudden waking-up of every gun on the southeast angle of Sumter. Looking to see the cause of the furious cannonading, everybody was surprised to see a mule team tearing up the beach in the direction of the new work. The driver was laying the lash on, and that mule had its ears laid straight back and was making its legs go. Occasionally a shell would touch the beach, bound up, and explode, and the mule would then hesitate and try to turn back. But the driver would lay the cowhide on with renewed vigor; then the mule put on another spurt, until at last it became entirely demoralized by the explosion of a ten-inch shell almost under his belly. Every glass in the squadron was levelled at the spectacle. The driver got off his seat, took the animal by the head, whirled it around once or twice and started it up the beach once more. Fort Sumter flashed and flamed, Battery Wagner belched and thundered, and still that daring driver urged his mule along, though the way was swept by at least thirty guns.

At last he reached his destination, but he could not stay there, and in a moment he was turned around and exhorting that animal to do its level best. The mule did not need to be told to step out, for in its rear there was roar and racket, and about its ears were flying sand and scraps iron, which seemed to stimulate its fleetness. Down that hard beach flew the mule, the light cart bobbing and swaying, and the driver's arm rising and falling as he dealt out lash after lash. At last they near the friendly shelter of the sand hills. In another minute they will be safe, but just as they near the place to turn aside a shell came screaming from Sumter. Everybody could see the huge mass of iron as it roared through the air. It struck the beach directly in the rear of the mule, and with a bound it overtook it and exploded with terrific violence. A general exclamation is heard from Dahlgren's flagship, where the Admiral and his staff are earnestly gazing at the adventurous mule and his daring driver. Fort Sumter's ramparts are black with men, they, too, willing witnesses of Yankee pluck. Along the swell of Morris Island, and covering every elevation, can be seen the Union soldiers, who stand with bated breath, anxious and full of suspense, and every eye intently taking in the scene. When the shell exploded the circle of smoke hid the mule for a moment, but when the smoke cleared Mr. Mule had his ears laid back, and, with head down and legs lashing wildly out, he was making kindling wood of the cart, which had been hardly demoralized by a fragment of the shell. Presently the driver is seen jumping to the mule; in a second the mule is free from the cart, and, with the driver on his back, and in a flash of white of his tail, disappears behind the curve of the hills.

The thousands of boys in blue cheer in a long and hearty hurrah; the sailors wave their hats and shout themselves hoarse, and, hark! the rebels have caught the infection, and are cheering, too.—*Hartford Times.*

To Protect Trees from Mice.

It often happens that during a winter of deep snow young fruit and other trees are injured by mice, and especially when they stand near grass land, or near a wall along which rubbish accumulates. In some cases great loss accrues in consequence of these little rascals, which might easily be avoided with a little pains and care. Years ago we adopted the plan of using birch bark, allowing it to curl around the small trees two or three times. This answered a very good

purpose. We also used tin for this purpose, bending it round the tree for a foot up from the ground. Some used tarred paper for the same purpose. Another way and perhaps an easier one, is to make a cone of earth up around the tree a foot high or more; the field mice usually work near the ground. Still another way to prevent their ravages, but one often neglected, is to tread down the snow about the young trees so hard that the mice will not find it easy to get at the same. Where there is danger, some one of these methods should be adopted —*Congregationalist.*

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1877.

Congress.

On Tuesday, the House did but little business, the attention of members being directed to the contest in the Senate over the admission of Massacre C. Butler, the Ku-Klux-conciliation candidate. Mr. Shelley of Alabama asked leave to offer a resolution setting forth that it was believed that the loss of the United States steamer Huron was attributable to her unseaworthiness, that other vessels were in the same condition, and directing the Secretary of the Navy to stop all repairs on vessels upon which repairs were ordered since March last until after an examination has been made by a competent board of naval officers, which board is to visit the several navy yards and examine all the naval vessels and report the results of their examination. Mr. Hale of Maine objected, saying the matter could be safely left with the department.

Among bills introduced under the call by States, were the following:

By Mr. Blair of New Hampshire, extending the thanks of Congress and the people of the United States to Henry M. Stanley, for his valuable explorations in Africa; also a bill relating to African explorations.

By Mr. Shelley, authorizing the appointment of a board of naval officers of high grade, to examine the vessels now undergoing repairs at navy yards and to submit the result of the examination to the House.

By Mr. Robertson of Louisiana, a bill to refund the cotton tax and provide a mode for refunding the same.

By Mr. Riddle of Tennessee, a bill to restore to the pension rolls the names of persons stricken therefrom for disloyalty; also a bill to repeal the revised statutes which prohibits payments to claimants of the United States who were charged with disloyalty.

The House at an early hour adjourned until Friday, on account of Thanksgiving Day.

In the Senate, Wednesday, as soon as the journal was read, Mr. Wadleigh moved that the Senate proceed to the consideration of the resolution declaring Kellogg entitled to a seat. Mr. Thurman objected; the chair ruled the question one of the highest privilege; Thurman appealed, and the chair was sustained by a vote of 29 to 28, Conover voting with the republicans and Patterson with the democrats.

The question was then on taking up Kellogg's case, and the vote was 29 to 29, Conover and Patterson dividing; the Vice President gave the casting vote in favor of the motion.

Thurman moved to substitute Butler's name for Kellogg's; negatived, 30 to 30, Conover and Patterson dividing and the chair giving the casting vote.

Mr. Thurman raised a question if the Vice President had a right to vote on a question affecting the right of a person to a seat in the Senate, and there was a long wrangle over the question whether the committee on elections has been dilatory in considering the Eustis case.

The Eastern War.

Mukhtar Pasha reports to his government that the Russians in Armenia are going into winter quarters.

The Turks on Monday, Nov. 25th, attacked the Russian positions at Tirstenek, Polomarko and Kazelero, but were repulsed at all points, losing very heavily at Tirstenek.

The Wreck of the "Huron."

Captain Marchant of the brig Mississippi, which arrived at Baltimore on Monday, Nov. 26th, reports that on Friday evening, just before dusk, he met and passed the United States ship Huron, sixteen miles south-southeast of Cape Henry, heading south, under full sail with the exception of mizzen gaff-topsail, with steam on, and apparently using it. The Mississippi passed to leeward of the Huron, so close that Captain Marchant says he could have thrown his cap on board her. He describes the officer of the deck and gives details of the steamer's appearance at the time of passing; wind east-southeast with a velocity of fifteen miles per hour. The Huron was close-hauled, heading two points west of the line of the coast—that is, in exact direction of and not thirty miles from the place where she struck. She was pitching heavily and going through the water slowly when passed by the Mississippi. She was six and a quarter miles off False Cape, in eight fathoms of water. There was nobody in the chains heaving lead at the time, and Marchant, who is an experienced shipmaster and intimately acquainted with the coast, was astonished to see the Huron running in the direction she was. He says she could have sailed back to Cape Henry with the wind abaft her beam at any time during the night. He was probably the last person who saw the vessel before her loss.

The bodies of J. J. Guthrie, captain of the surf-boat which was swamped at Kitty Hawk, and two colored men drifted ashore at life-saving station No. 6, and Lieut. Simons and twelve others near Station No. 5, on Tuesday, Nov. 27th. Twenty-one dead bodies, lashed to the main and mizzen rigging of the Huron, could not be got at on account of the surf.

Republican Conventions.

At a meeting of the Republican State Committee, held at the Eagle Hotel, Concord, on the evening of Tuesday, Nov. 27th, the times and places for holding the several conventions were appointed as follows:

STATE CONVENTION.

At Concord, on Wednesday, January 9, at 11 o'clock A. M.

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Dist. No. 1, at Dover, January 11;
No. 2, at Concord, Jan. 16;
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Dist. No. 1, at Portsmouth, Jan. 16;
No. 2, at Exeter, Jan. 13;
No. 3, at Manchester, Jan. 16;
No. 4, at Concord, Jan. 23;
No. 5, at Dover, Jan. 11;
No. 6, at Alton, Jan. 17;
No. 7, at Nashua, Jan. 17;
No. 8, at Hillsboro' Bridge, Jan. 10;
No. 9, at Keene, Jan. 16;
No. 10, at Claremont, Jan. 16.
No. 11, at Grafton, Jan. 17;
No. 12, at Woodsville, Jan. 16.

COUNTY CONVENTIONS.

Rockingham, at Exeter, Jan. 23;
Strafford, at Rochester, Jan. 23;
Belknap, at Laconia, Jan. 15;
Carroll, at Tamworth, Jan. 17;
Merrimac, at Concord, Jan. 23;
Hillsboro', Nashua, Jan. 17;
Cheshire, Keene, Jan. 16;
Sullivan, Claremont, Jan. 16;
Grafton, Woodsville, Jan. 16;
Coos, Lancaster, Jan. 10.

An Ingenuous Thief.

Elbert A. Woodward, one of Boss Tweed's men, was examined by the Tweed Investigating Committee on Tuesday. His testimony was substantially that he had settled with the city of New York, and cannot be called upon to testify as to what money he had before he was Clerk of the Board of Supervisors. He thought that the compromise was for $150,000; he couldn't say what his income was before he went into the Comptroller's office. His percentages did not amount to $500,000; he can't remember what they amounted to; it was about $150,000; the proposition to settle for $150,000 was not made by him, but he was always in favor of settling with the city in cash since he went away; he did not believe he got more than $200,000 from the city, and he paid back $150,000; he thought it best to keep the balance, and it was not his intention to return anything. The witness never saw an honest politician in his life; he met them of all stripes, and said that if any person there was placed in his position he would have done similarly, and he would do the same over again if he had the chance. The witness did not profess to be a reformer. He thought that there was a basis for all claims against the city, even for his own five per cent., since he well earned it in serving Tweed and managing the details of the frauds; in fact, for all he knew, his five per cent. might have been the only honest portion of a bill. Mr. Tweed was also entitled to his twenty-five per cent. Since the legislatures in those days were republican, it was necessary to buy them, and Tweed had to have money with which to do it; whatever Connolly, Sweeny, Watson and Hall received he regarded as money dishonestly gained!

New Hampshire Items.

At the ecclesiastical council convened in Milton, Nov. 22d, to ordain and install Rev. J. N. Lowell as pastor of the Congregational church in that place, Rev. G. B. Spalding of Dover was chosen Moderator, and Rev. J. O. Jenness of Wakefield, Scribe. The following Order of Exercises was observed; Introductory prayer by Rev. A. J. Quick of Rochester; reading of scripture by Rev. E. Owen of Portsmouth; sermon, from St. John 20:7, by Rev. John Pike, D. D., of Rowley, Mass.; ordaining prayer and charge to the pastor by Rev. G. B. Spalding of Dover; right hand of fellowship by Rev. D. E. Scott of Milton Mills; charge to the people by Rev. Frank Haley of Seabrook; closing prayer by Rev. Benj. Dodge of Lebanon, Me.; benediction by the pastor.

A meeting of the democratic State Committee to appoint the conventions has been appointed for Thursday, Dec. 6th, in Concord.

The catalogue of the Pembroke Academy shows an attendance of 100 persons, divided into 12 in the classical department, 88 in the English department, and 9 in the preparatory department. There are 49 ladies in the school and 60 gentlemen.

A man named Crawford opened an extensive produce establishment in Manchester a month ago, under the firm name of R. N. Miller & Co., and has since victimized large numbers of farmers and others in Vermont, New Hampshire, northern New York and Massachusetts, who consigned produce to him and failed to get their money. Crawford has vanished and the establishment is seized.

Political.

"I have 300 tons of silver bricks waiting for the passage of the silver bill," telegraphs Sharon. "Senate may go to ——." This is the first instance where Senatorial honors have been so frankly rated according to weight. When placed in the scales against 300 tons of silver they don't amount to much—with Sharon. —*N. Y. Sun.*

Here's treason in the camp of the reformers. The Boston *Globe* says: "Mr. McCormick's successor in the Treasury Department will be an Ohio man. If this thing goes on the republican party in Ohio will have to be dissolved for want of a quorum."

On Tuesday, at the city election in Providence, R. I., Mayor Doyle, the republican candidate, had a plurality of about 60 over Barnaby, the democratic candidate, but the scattering vote defeated a choice. Last year Doyle's majority was 1336; but last spring the democrats carried the city by 886 majority. Barnaby, and a disgruntled republican named Clark, have put out immense sums of money to defeat Doyle, and the purchase of voters is said by the Providence *Journal* to have been extensive and openly carried on in Barnaby's interest. Another election will have to be held. The Councils are republican.

News and Notes.

A three-mile single-scull race between George H. Hosmer of Boston and M. F. Davis of Portland was pulled on Charles river on Tuesday. Davis was given the race by the referee.

At the annual meeting of the Old Colony Railroad, Nov. 27th, Hon. Onslow Stearns resigned the position of President, held by him during the past eleven years. He was elected a Director.

Among the unfortunate crew of the Huron was George W. Price, who held the position of ship's writer. It is supposed that Mr. Price was the same person who was employed as ticket agent at the Brooklyn Theatre when it was destroyed by fire on the 5th of December, 1876.

An attempt was made by the students to blow up Mills Seminary at South Williamstown, Mass., on Saturday. A keg of gunpowder had been buried in the cellar, but was discovered and removed. They threw a barrel of hot coals into the cellar for the purpose of setting fire to the building, but without success. Two students, supposed to be the ringleaders, have been sent home under escort of the principal.

Robert L. Case, President of the insolvent Security Life Insurance Co., of New York, has been sent to State Prison for five years.

Michigan is proposing a ship canal enterprise across the lower part of the State, connecting the upper waters of lake Michigan with the Detroit river. It is proposed to utilize the Kalamazoo river to Battle Creek, thence strike eastward by Eaton rapids to the Detroit river—a distance not far from one hundred and fifty miles. Could this project be carried out, it would shorten the distance by water between Chicago and Detroit nearly five hundred miles, saving to each vessel on the round trip nearly one thousand miles of travel, besides avoiding the perils of lake navigation for that distance. The advantages claimed for this enterprise in the way of a saving of time and distance and expense and freedom from risks, would seem to far outweigh its first cost. A convention is soon to be held at Allegan, Mich., to consider the matter.

A man named Roper, alias McGhee, who attempted to outrage Miss Betty Templeton near Columbia, Tenn., some days ago, was taken from jail in Columbia on the morning of Tuesday, Nov. 27th, by a mob, who, after several unsuccessful attempts to lynch him, allowed a committee of twenty to take him into the presence of the lady, and she positively identified him. He was then hung from the third story of the Court House in the presence of 2000 persons.

One man and probably two were killed on the Worcester Railroad, near Lonsdale, R. I., Tuesday evening, while walking on the track. One is believed to have been knocked into the river. One whose body was mangled by a train on each track is believed to be James Costello of Manville.

Steamer Westover, on Tuesday, Nov. 27th, picked up three men who were clinging to the bottom of a boat, at sea, and put them on board a steamer bound for Baltimore. How they came in such a situation is not known.

At Buchanan, Va., twenty colored people were drowned by the great flood during the late storm.

Isaac B. Sawtelle, Jr., of Boston, was recently convicted of a criminal assault on a little girl. His counsel took exceptions to the verdict, but the exceptions have been over-ruled and a new trial will not be granted.

Thomas H. Davis, of Boston, better known as "Propeller," a well known printer, dropped dead in that city on the afternoon of the 27th, of heart disease.

Only one person was killed and six wounded by the fall of the bridge and train into Falling Creek in South Carolina on Nov. 23d, before reported.

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Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	81
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PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES FOR NAVY YARD, KITTERY, MAINE, Requisition No. 5, Bureau of Steam Engineering.

NAVY YARD, KITTERY, ME., November 26th, 1877.

Proposals sealed and endorsed "Bid for Supplies advertised," will be received at the Paymaster's Office until 12½ o'clock, Saturday, December 22d, for furnishing

Coal, White Lead, Stationery, &c., &c.

The articles are to be of the best quality and are to be delivered free of expense at this Navy Yard subject to the usual inspection.

Regular dealers, upon application to this office, will be furnished with lists of articles in their line of business.

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EDWIN PUTNAM,
nov29dec6-13-20 Paymaster U. S. Navy.

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Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East [ern and Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:50 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Thanksgiving Day to-day. No CHRONICLE to-morrow.

Post-office hours to-day: general delivery open from 8 to 11 o'clock A. M. and from 5 to 6 P. M.; box office open all day.

Hartz gives a matinee performance in Franklin Hall this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. He also performs in the evening. See advertisement.

A meeting of the Board of Trade is called for next Tuesday evening, Dec. 4th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Common Council room. PER ORDER.

U. S. S. Enterprise, Commander George C. Remey, arrived at Port Royal, S. C., on Monday, Nov. 26th, at noon, from Hampton Roads, Va.

Mr. Loyne reports the theft of $150 from a drawer at Faith Home, by a colored man named Charles Green, who has been employed there for a short time past. The thief is about twenty-five years old, and asthmatic.

Two schooners with cargoes of coal for Dover arrived at this port on Wednesday, and four more are on the way, or soon will be. All these vessels will go to Dover to discharge their cargoes, so it seems the clearing out of the Cocheco river does really amount to something.

Contrary to general expectation, the long continued and heavy storm of wind and rain that extended all along the Atlantic coast from Nov. 23d to the 25th, inclusive, instead of "clearing off cold" died out into weather unusually warm for the season. Tuesday and Wednesday were more like the first of October than the last of November, and overcoats generally were left at home.

The Boston *Globe* says: "The year 1874 is often referred to as the 'curious' year in the city of Cambridge's financial history, and as being compared with the present which, under Mayor Allen, has been a year of rigid economy. In 1874 the city paid $6000 for cigars, paper, pens and inkstands, $4500 for carriages for city officials, and $8000 is alleged to have been embezzled by the Water Registrar. This year only $500 has been paid for stationery, $150 for carriage hire, and it is hoped the Water Registrar has been honest." The Mayor Allen under whose administration such a favorable change has taken place, is Frank Allen, formerly of this city.

Poultry was abundant in this city on Wednesday, and prices ran very low for the day before Thanksgiving,—or any other day. Very fair turkeys sold in the forenoon at fifteen cents a pound, and extra large and fat ones at twenty cents; chickens brought from twelve to seventeen cents a pound, according to quality; geese went at fourteen cents a pound and ducks at eighteen. The trade was brisk during the forenoon, and the loads in the farmers' wagon were largely reduced before noon, many of their wagons being emptied before that time. The low prices ruling were largely due to the remarkably warm weather. Prices varied greatly, there being nothing like a settled rate for any kind or quality of poultry.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The attendance at the gospel meeting on Wednesday evening, was large, the North church being well filled.

The usual praise service preceded the regular exercises, consisting of "What a friend we have in Jesus," "Rejoice and be glad," "The half was never told," "O, sing of his mighty love," and "Only a step to Jesus."

The congregation united in singing "The great Physician," Mr. Goss led in prayer, Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan sang "In the presence of the king," and Mr. Whittle announced that the exercises on Thanksgiving day would be a praise service, and preaching by Mr. Hubbell, at eleven o'clock A. M., and the usual gospel meeting in the evening, and then Mr. McGranahan sang "Yet there is room," the choir joining in the chorus.

Mr. Whittle then preached from Luke 14:7—12. This man was bidden to the feast, but came there in an improper attire. Every one of us needs a change before we can get to heaven, before we come before God. We may be fitted for society, we may have culture, and yet not be prepared for the kingdom of heaven. This man came in from the street, and could not prepare a robe. We cannot be justified by our good works, we cannot get to heaven by any righteousness of our own. The king had provided a robe for this invited guest, and he was condemned because he did not receive it; so Christ has prepared a robe of righteousness for every one that believeth and confesseth him. We cannot be righteous according to the law unless we perfectly keep the law. Jesus met the penalty of our transgressions, and his righteousness is perfect, and we are accepted when we receive him. This man insulted the king by coming into his presence without proper apparel; he took advantage of the generosity of the king and abused his love. Men, now, abuse the love of God by refusing to obey him, by refusing to call upon him, because they feel that they are too great sinners. Some are unwilling to have it known that they desire to be Christians; pride keeps them from doing what they know to be right. If we have made up our minds to be Christians, let us take no half way measures, let us accept him wholly, and acknowledge him everywhere; let us accept him and make the morrow the happiest Thanksgiving we have ever seen.

After singing "Rejoice and be glad," the usual enquiry meeting was held, a large number remaining.

SERVICES TO-DAY.

There will be services at the Unitarian church to-day at the usual hour for morning worship. Sermon by the pastor, upon the subject "Thanksgiving for Human Nature."

Mass praise meeting at the North church this forenoon; preaching in the evening at same place, by Mr. Whittle.

The usual Thanksgiving services will be held in St. John's church at half-past ten o'clock A. M.; the offering will be for the benefit of the Children's Home.

Thanksgiving services will be held in the Universalist church, at the usual hour, this forenoon.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Nov. 28; *Batchelder J.*

William Roberts, drunk, fine and costs $9.90.

Frank Hendrick, vagrant, same sentence; jail in default of payment.

THE VICINITY.

An agent of a large shoe manufactory in the eastern part of Maine, employing one hundred men and two hundred girls, has been looking around Kittery, with a view of removing the factory to that town provided sufficient inducements will be offered. The agent examined the building familiarly known as the "Tabernacle," owned by the Hayes heirs, and expressed himself much pleased with it. The firm, who do a large shipping business, want to get nearer and cheaper railroad facilities.

"Harry" the Rye correspondent of the *Times*, writes that paper as follows: "The Portsmouth Dramatic Club played 'Bombastes Furioso,' 'Turn Him Out,' and 'The House Dog,' to a good audience on Friday evening. In the first piece the numerous local 'gags,' brought down the house with repeated shouts of laughter, and in the 'House Dog' Bryant's funny acting caused intense merriment. In Turn Him Out' it turned out that the prompter had the toughest *role* of the evening,—that worthy functionary having all he could attend to to get the play through. A little more rehearsal was what was need. As a whole, the performance was very good indeed, and the most of the audience heeded the injunction to 'laugh and grow fat.'"

The Cause and Cure of the Snore.

The snorer is a common pest. He or she is found in nearly every household. Unfortunately he is generally a sound and good sleeper, and falls into the oblivion of sleep and the business of snoring long before others are able to reach the happy unconsciousness which, by his horrible performances, he is able to monopolize. The habit of snoring is peculiar to no class. This demon of the night may be the most amiable and refined of human beings.

The above remarks have been made because a contributor of the *Popular Science Monthly* prints an article telling us how snoring may be cured. He first tells us about the cause. The air reaches the lungs through two channels, the nose and the mouth. The two currents meet in the throat below the soft of the palate, the end of which hangs loose and swings backward and forward, producing the snoring. If the air reaches the lungs through the nose, as it should, no noise will be made. If it reaches the same through the mouth the palate will make more noise, since it is not the natural channel. But when it rushes in through both these channels, then it is that the sound sleeper banishes rest from the pillows of his companions by his hideous noises.

The remedy for snoring is to keep the mouth closed, and for this purpose Dr. Wyeth, the writer of the article referred to, has invented an apparatus so simple that any one can make it and no snorer should be without it. It consists of a simple cap fitting the head snugly and a piece of soft material fitting the chin. These are connected by pieces of elastic webbing, which are connected with the head cap near the ears. The contrivance prevents the jaw from dropping down, and thereby renders snoring impossible.

The greatest trouble will be to get people to adopt this invention, since the most honest and upright of men and women will rarely ever confess that they snore, and will be very indignant if accused of it. As a further inducement to the introduction of this contrivance of Dr. Wyeth, it may be added that breathing through the mouth is very detrimental to the health, and that many diseases of the throat and lungs are contracted or aggravated thereby.

—It does not follow that a person is musically inclined because he has a great many crotchets in his head.

—The New York *Times* says that the idea of teaching every girl to thump a piano and every boy to be a book-keeper, will make potatoes worth $4 per bushel in twenty years from now.

MARRIAGES.

TRAPTON—NORTON. In this city, Nov. 28th, by Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D., Mr. Wilber I. Trafton of this city, and Miss Sophia W. Norton of Cape Neddick, Me.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

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The announcement that the grand distribution to be made by the Louisiana State Lottery Company will take place at New Orleans, on December 11th, under the entire personal supervision of Generals P. T. Beauregard, of La., and Jubal A. Early, of Va., has created much excitement throughout the entire country. The prizes include six capitals, $100,000, $50,000, $25,000, as well as the other attractions of fortune, and are such as will invite any one desirous of investing to address M. A. Dauphin, P. O. Box 692, New Orleans, La., for information or advice. The entire scheme of distribution will be found in our advertising columns. 11d&w

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EASTERN RAILROAD CO.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of this Company of the holders of its Certificates of Indebtedness for the choice of Directors, six by the Certificate-holders and three by the Stockholders, will be held at the Mansion, 76 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass., on the twelfth day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

The Report of the Directors will then be presented.

Per order of the Directors,

EDWARD C. PERKINS, Clerk.

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EASTERN RAILROAD CO.

To the Holders of Certificates of Indebtedness:

THE VOTING REGISTER of Certificate Holders is now making up at the Office of the Trustees, No. 75 State Street, Boston, Mass. The name of parties to whom certificates were originally delivered have been placed in the Register. Any subsequent purchaser or holder desiring to register may do so on presenting at said office to Mr. JOSHUA CRANE a written statement of his name, address, and the denomination and number of each certificate held by him or a written order from the last registered holder.

In accordance with regulations fixed by the Trustees the Voting Register will be closed on the thirtieth day of November, between which time and the Annual Meeting on the second Wednesday of December no registration will be made.

Per Order of the Directors,

EDWARD C. PERKINS, Clerk.

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Notice to Pensioners.

JOHN B. COOPER would inform Pensioners that he may be found at the office of W. H. Rollins, Esq., entrance corner of Market Street and Market Square, where he will attend to executing and forwarding Vouchers to their respective agencies.

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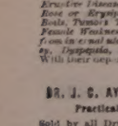

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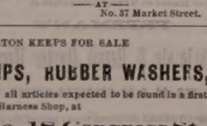

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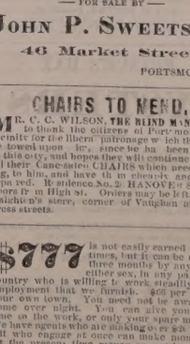

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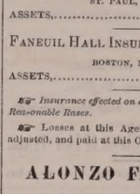

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Daily Chronicle.

Justice to Howard.

Xenophon's account of the Retreat of the Ten Thousand is as nearly immortal as any Greek prose classic is likely to be. Sherman's march to the sea, as a campaign crushing all before it, is and will remain one of the most notable on record. And Howard's march of two thousand miles across and up and down the Rocky Mountains in hot pursuit of the Indian chief Joseph, with his desperate band of Nez Perces, considering the natural, one might almost say the preternatural, difficulties in the way, is a feat or achievement of personal, heroic hardihood, persistence, pluck and ready resource never before surpassed. But the truth compels one to add there probably never was a campaign which, at the time of it, was more misunderstood or more misrepresented and egregiously lied about than this.

The long agony of the march, with its repeated and fierce battles, is over. General Howard was in this city a few hours yesterday, looking in rugged health, yet showing abundant signs of the terrible wear and tear necessarily incident to such an experience. He is now on his way to the Pacific coast again. We learn that both he and his men feel somewhat keenly the gross and, as it seemed to them under the circumstances, the infinitely unkind misrepresentations with which a large part of the daily press for a time followed them. And it must be acknowledge that for a while a kind of epidemic of remorseless disparagement, and of wit, grown bold chiefly by its ignorance and safe distance from the scenes of action, prevailed, which did not show off the American character or the American press to its best advantage. It should be said, however, in truth as in charity, that much of this was the result of mere ignorance rather than of malice or downright meanness. Before the matter passes out of mind it seems proper to correct certain popular misapprehensions and current misstatements.

It is said that General Howard failed to overtake Joseph because he would insist on having his men keep Sunday in camp. The fact is, however, they never stopped for this purpose; that during the march of 2,000 miles, occupying nearly five months, they stopped to rest, all told, only four days. And that was done at the imperative command of the army surgeon. For the whole time of the march the daily average of the distance was nineteen miles. As to the story that he peddled out Bibles to the soldiers, he might have been glad enough to have had Bibles to give them; but there was not one in the force, the General himself only having a "Daily Food" selection of Bible texts, which he carried in his vest pocket.

Again, it was said that he was delayed by his wagon trains. He started out without any wagons at all, using only pack mules. In course of the march in Montana, whenever he could, he impressed teams into his service to carry provisions to the wounded and sick, and at the earliest moment, when they were either not absolutely needed or else could not be used to advantage, dropped them and pushed on. The Indians had the advantage of him in an abundant supply of fresh ponies and mules, and yet never got any further ahead of their pursuers than they were at the start.

As to General Gibbon, the facts are that, in spite of the most desperate fighting he was finally surrounded, and had not General Howard arrived as he did there would have been less of him and of his command just so much as was left of Custer and his brave troops. And as to General Sturgis, his subsequent management of his forces, right on the march and in battle, deserve the receive the highest praise. And no one was more willing that he should share with General Howard himself, to whose command General Sturgis, with his cavalry, had been attached. Indeed, it was due to Howard's characteristic, and many will regard excessive, generosity, that the whole credit of the thing was given to Sturgis.

But perhaps the grossest misrepresentations current have relation to the surrender. It has been generally reported that General Howard did not arrive at General Miles' camp until several hours after Joseph's surrender; it is even stated that Joseph contemptuously refused to surrender to Howard, while willing to give his arms to Miles. The facts are these: General Howard was met by a courier from Musselshell Creek to General Miles, then near the mouth of Tongue River, telling him just where and when (within six miles) Joseph would be ready to cross the Missouri, and directing Miles to intercept him at that point. General Miles sent back word asking for nine days to get ready and in position, and requesting

General Howard to "slow up" accordingly, so as to keep the Indians back. This was done. The battle was fought in the Bear Paw Mountain. General Howard, with thirteen of his men, arrived at the scene of action twenty-four hours before the surrender. Joseph stubbornly refused to surrender, and afterward declared that he had no idea of surrendering to General Miles until he heard Howard had come up. And he did not decide to surrender until General Howard's interpreters went over to Joseph's camp and, in General Howard's name, demanded the surrender. And when the conquered chief with his men came into camp he first offered his arms to General Howard, who, with very extraordinary generosity not often witnessed among rival army officers—and in spite of the fact that Howard was the ranking officer, and Miles had only done what Howard suggested, and, after a 2,000 miles' pursuit, enabled him to do—declined to receive them, at the same time waving him to General Miles. The jealousies of army officers are well known; in striking contrast this instance of extreme disinterestedness and generosity is deserving of recognition. Probably very few would have done as General Howard did; we are not sure that it was quite the wisest thing to do, but he may be allowed to be his own judge on that point.

The facts are as here stated. We give them only in the interests of truth and justice. Generals Howard, Miles, Sturgis and Gibbon have each done well. Absolute bravery, conjoined with heroic endurance, was never more signally illustrated. That an army, shamefully left by their country to go for nine months without pay, should have served their country with such sublime devotion, is a wonder and a cause for the highest admiration. Heartily to acknowledge it is now the least we can do.—*Chicago Inter-Ocean.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 1, 1877.

Congress.

The Senate on Thursday continued the battle over Butler and Kellogg. Butler was sharply lashed by Conkling, and Wadleigh cornered Ben. Hill on the Spofford case; Gordon defended Butler, and made the hero of Hamburg out to be an epitome of everything noble and pure. No vote was reached. The House was not in session.

The Senate on Friday passed the Paris Exposition bill, appropriating $150,000. The Butler-Kellogg discussion occupied the rest of the day, but both parties seemed worn out, and nobody listened to the speeches. No vote had been reached at three o'clock.

New Hampshire Items.

Mrs. Sarah W. French of Chester, widow of Hon. Daniel French, who was once Attorney-General of the State, is ninety-five years old, but retains her faculties and physical powers in a large degree. Her eyesight is quite good, and she reads a newspaper easily. Mrs. French is the oldest lady in Chester. She was the mother of the late Hon. B. B. French.

Samuel Thayer, the New Ipswich forger, who recently surrendered himself to the authorities, has been sentenced to seven years in the State Prison at Charlestown, Mass., and was placed in confinement last week.

Daniel J. Blake and Mrs. Mary A. Hill of Ellsworth, arrested last spring for concealing the death of an illegitimate child, were convicted at Plymouth and sentenced, the former to two years and the latter to one year and one day in the State prison. Exceptions were taken and the case will be taken to the full bench.

The contracts for the Manchester Soldiers' Monument have been awarded, and the total expense of the work will be $16,418. It is not yet decided where to locate it.

Oliver Pearl and J. P. Battles of Lawrence, Mass., have brought a bill in equity, in the Circuit Court of the United States, against the Jackson Company at Nashua, complaining that they are infringing upon a patent invention of Pearl for an improvement in bobbin spindles for spinning machines, claiming said patent has been confirmed in cases of Pearl and Battles against the Ocean Mills and Somerset and Dwight Manufacturing Companies. Defendants controvert this. A hearing is to be had upon a motion for an injunction in Boston at some time. A like motion in the suit against the Lowell Machine Shop is to be heard before Judge Shepley on the 20th of December. D. Hall Rice of Boston and Benjamin F. Thurston of Providence represent the plaintiffs, and Charles Levi Woodbury is counsel for the companies.

The large wooden building known as Floral Hall, on the Sullivan County Driving Park at Claremont, was consumed by fire on the morning of Nov. 28th, burning several carriages, sleds mowing machines belonging to private individuals, deposited there for the winter. The fire was the work of an incendiary. Fully insured.

The dry-house of George F. Lane & Son, at East Swanzey, was burned Nov. 28th. Loss $500; no insurance.

News and Notes.

Edward Moore, a switchman on the Boston & Providence Railroad, was run over and killed recently. He had been thirty-five years in the road's employ. He was run over and lost an arm six years ago.

Matthew Davenport, an Englishman, aged about fifty years, attempted to murder his wife, from whom he has been separated for some time, and a man named Pratt, (whom Davenport says is his wife's paramour,) at Northampton, Mass., on the morning of Thanksgiving day. The murderer hid all night in the cellar of Mrs. Davenport's house, armed with a knife and base ball bat, and when his wife came down to kindle a fire knocked her down and stabbed her. Her screams brought Pratt to the scene, when he too was stabbed. Davenport was arrested, and pretends he was insane when he committed the deed. The wounded parties positively deny any improper intimacy. Pratt will probably die, but Mrs. Davenport may recover. Davenport is a drunken, worthless fellow, and this is his third wife.

David Stillman and wife, an invalid couple about 70 years of age, were found murdered with an axe, in their house at Sheffield, Mass., Friday morning. John Feneyck, a colored man who went to the house to buy butter, was arrested on suspicion, and held to await action of the coroner's jury.

A Vermonter denies emphatically that Ezra P. Smith, who is accused of poisoning his wife, was ever a deacon of the Baptist church in Vergennes, or, indeed, of any church in the State.

An Incident of the Wreck.

We extract the following from the New York *Tribune's* account of the loss of the Huron. Capt. E. M. Stoddard is well known in this city.

About two o'clock Captain E. M. Stoddard, with a crew of six men and two passengers, were seen to man a surf-boat and leave the wrecking steamer B. & J. Baker and pull for the shore. On board were Captain E. M. Stoddard; Captain J. G. Guthrie, Paymaster of Life-Saving Stations between Capes Henry and Hatteras; Henry L. Brooke, local reporter of the *Virginian*; and a crew consisting of James Saxton, Stephen Bell, Dennis McCoy, Willis Walker and James T. King. The boat came shoreward gallantly until she reached the surf breaking over the outer bar, about 200 yards from the shore, and just about 100 yards south of the Huron. She passed the first breaker and shot ahead with lightning rapidity. The next lift of the sea seemed immediate, and in a twinkling twisted the surf-boat broadside on, and, catching it on the crest of the waves, threw it bottom upward into the air about ten feet. All in the boat were literally spilled into the surf just as one would empty a box of matches. Captain Stoddard, Mr. Brooke and one of the crew got on the bottom of the boat. All of the others were thrown into the sea; and after struggling a while in the surf, all, with the exception of a negro, named Wilson, disappeared and were seen no more, being swept up the coast with the swift current. The boat drifted slowly to the shore, rolling so violently that the men could scarcely hold on. The boat finally got near enough for the men to be drawn in by the crowd, very much exhausted. The negro Wilson swam like a bluefish, and came to the shore apparently little weakened. Mr. Brooke lost his hold on the boat at one time, but secured an oar which materially assisted him in swimming.

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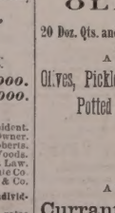

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:25	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5
Portland,	9:35	4:35 6:30
East [leav. at Portland],	9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:25
Concord Way,		4:25
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:25
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:25

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:33 10:03	5:50
Boston Way,	10:55	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Hon. Marcellus Eldredge presented each employe at his brewery with a Thanksgiving turkey.

Friday was St. Andrew's day, and was observed with the proper religious services at the Episcopal church.

The Hussey house, on Islington street, has been purchased by Mr. Stephen W. Clarke, Principal of the High School.

The Hutchings Association advertise their third entertainment. An entertaining but not a lengthy programme will be presented.

Paymaster C. F. Guild was detached from this navy yard as Inspector of Provisions and Clothing, on Friday, and ordered to settle his accounts.

The new ship Paul Jones, Capt. B. F. Jacobs, which left this port a short time ago for Baltimore, where she was chartered to load, is, on account of some hitch, to go to New York after freight.

At the Hartz matinee, this afternoon, the magician will make a lot of candy "out of pure air," and distribute it to the children present. Admission—adults 25 cents, children 15 cents,—everybody to get a present.

Mr. D. Hamilton, proprietor of the new meat market on Vaughan street, has engaged in the wood business at the Rogers yard on Vaughan street. He proposes to bring wood from Maine and sell it at moderate prices.

Some one attempted to effect an entrance into Mr. Chas. H. Joy's store, Thanksgiving night, by breaking in the glass and sash of a cellar window; but finding a stout joist across the inside of the window as a bar, which could not be removed by anything short of an axe, the attempt to enter was given up.

Sheriff Kent brought to this city from Manchester, Wednesday night, and committed to jail, Charles E. Witham, who was indicted for assault. He is an old offender, and has already served several sentences. He was brought before judge Stanley on Friday, pleaded guilty, and was sentenced to thirty days in jail.

On Thanksgiving eve a man from one of the surburban towns took a dozen pairs of stockings which were suspended from the awning frame in front of C. Dwight Hanscom's auction store. The clerk was engaged in the back part of the store at the time, but fortunately saw the act, and the man had hardly got beyond the store when he was overhauled and the stockings recovered.

Nathaniel Green, one of the democratic leaders of a former day, and Postmaster of Boston from 1829 to 1841, under Jackson and Van Buren, died in Boston on Thanksgiving day, aged eighty years. He was born in Boscawen in this State; learned the printer's trade with Isaac Hill, in the *Patriot* office; at the age of fifteen edited the Concord *Gazette*; and previous to his removal to Boston resided in this city for some months, having charge of the NEW HAMPSHIRE GAZETTE during that time. He was a man of vast energy, a poet, and an able and pleasing writer.

The *Times* of Friday says: "Affliction has been brought to a home in this city consequent on the wreck of the United States steamer Huron, in the announcement of the drowning of Captain E. M. Stoddard, son-in-law of Hon. William H. Y. Hackett, whose life was heroically sacrificed while making volunteer efforts to render assistance to the ill-fated vessel. * * Capt. Stoddard was about forty years of age, and married Miss Ellen Hackett. At last accounts his body had not been recovered," We are happy to be able to say that Capt. Stoddard did not lose his life, as will be seen by an article from the *Tribune*, in another column.

Hartz, the great magician, gives his last entertainments in this city this afternoon and evening, the afternoon performance commencing at half-past two o'clock. A large number of valuable and useful presents will be distributed among the audience at each entertainment, by the same fair and impartial method heretofore employed in making the awards. The sleight-of-hand tricks of the magician are most confusing to the ordinary understanding, and the presents each and all worth getting. The leading present on Friday evening, a gold watch, was drawn by Mrs. A. Carroll, of No. 41 Fleet street. The leading present this evening is a complete set of chamber furniture bough at Fletcher & Tanton's; and every buyer of a 50 cent ticket will receive a present. Seats secured at Preston's.

The colored thief, Charles Green, whom we have recently chronicled as having stolen $150 from the Old Ladies' Home in this city and run away, was tracked by Sheriff Kent from this city to Manchester. In the latter place Green got drunk, was arrested as a tramp, locked up in the Manchester police station over night and set at liberty on the following morning. He gave his name there as George Washington; and the police, regarding him as a drunken tramp, did not search him. From Manchester he went to Boston, as Sheriff Kent on Friday received a despatch from City Marshal Kenniston of Manchester that Green left on the noon train of Wednesday. He has doubtless ere this left for the South.

DROWNED.

At 8:30 o'clock, Friday morning, Mr. Sullivan, mate of the brig Clara J. Adams, saw a man in the water at the head of Adams and Broughton's lumber wharf, clinging to a chain. The police were notified and took the body to the station house, where it was resognized as that of Jeremiah Mack, of Epsom, who came to this city to spend Thanksgiving with his brother-in-law, Jere. Dwyer, who lives on Court street. He left Dwyer's house at about four o'clock Thursday afternoon, and his watch stopped at twenty minutes past six. He had on his person when found one hundred dollars, and a watch and chain. He was fifty-seven years old. His remains were taken in charge by his wife, and removed to Epsom for burial. As there were no indications of foul play no inquest was held.

SUPREME COURT.

Friday, Nov. 30th; *Stanley, J.*

The Court came in and the call of undisposed of cases on the docket proceeded.

In case 91, Crowley vs. Hayes, tried before the Court, an action for wages for labor, defence payment of part and a tender of the balance, the verdict was for the plaintiff in the sum of $36.00. Hatch for plaintiff; William H. Hackett for defendant.

John Getchell vs. Lewis T. Sanborn. Verdict for plaintiff for the three last items, not barred by statute. Lamprey for plaintiff; Wood for defendant.

In Lyman vs. Boston & Maine Railroad, a case will be reserved upon law questions; action continued.

Patrick Kiely vs. William Patterson: action for services as stevedore in discharging a cargo of coal from schooher Jefferson Borden in Portsmouth; defence that part of the coal taken was the property of Patterson, the defendant, who was master of the schooner. The Court rendered a verdict for the full amount claimed. William H. Hackett for plaintiff; Page for defendant.

Ordway vs. Sanders: a case reserved and continued on law questions arising upon the trial to await the decision of the full bench.

Chas. E. Witham, of Northwood, was arraigned on an indictment charging him with an assault upon William P. Jenness at Brentwood on the 25th day of June last. Respondent pleaded guilty and stated to the Court the circumstances of the affair. He was sentenced to imprisonment in the jail in Portsmouth for thirty days.

A further hearing was had in the case of Twombly vs. Lewis, on the new docket, which was partially heard last week. Decision reserved. Hatch for plaintiff; W. H. Y. Hackett for deft.

In case Messer and others vs. Smith: action on new docket, a plea in abatement was filed. Plaintiff moved to reject the plea, because the summons enrolled was not filed. The Court held that such filing was requisite, and that the plea was bad. Question reserved for the Law Court. Small and Hatch for plff.; Hariman and S. C. Eastman for defts.

In case Jane S. Janvrin vs. George Janvrin, judgment was ordered on the report denying the divorce. Question as to referee's fees to be passed upon by the full court in conference. Stickney, Marston and Small for libellant; Hatch and Leavitt for Mr. Janvrin.

The Court was constantly engaged during the entire day, from half-past ten in the morning until a few minutes before four o'clock in the afternoon. Every case on the continued, new, equity and sessions docket was called and disposed of,—when Judge Stanley ordered the Sheriff to make the "previous proclamation." The High Sheriff then proclaimed: "Hear ye! All persons having any further business before this Supreme Court, held here, this day, within and for the County of Rockingham, may at this time draw near and declare it, for this Court stands on its adjournment." A number of lawyers drew near the bench to have final disposition made in their cases, and Judge Stanley shortly after ordered the adjournment of the Court without day. The out-of-town lawyers hastened to the Concord Railroad station, the venerable messenger assisted the functionary who has charge of the records to hasten his departure, and the end of the October term was reached at the close of the last day in November. The Court has been in session forty days, and a diligent work has been accomplished; hardly one evening has passed, when Judge Stanley was in town, that he was not engaged in some hearing in chambers, and the number of trials and cases disposed of shows his untiring energy and unflagging industry, while every suitor who desired to try his cause has been able to have his day in court.

The law term of the Court begins at Concord on Tuesday, the 4th inst.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, Nov. 30th; *Batchelder, J.*

John L. Stanfield, for drunkenness, was assessed the frequent $9.90.

HOWARD BENEVOLENT SOC'Y.

At the forty-eighth annual meeting, on Saturday evening, Nov. 24, the following officers were chosen for the ensuing year:

President, Hon. Ichabod Goodwin.
Secretary, Lewis W. Brewster.
Treasurer, John Stavers.
Directors, Wm. Day, Benjamin Cheever, Samuel S. Green, Benjamin Carter, John H. Broughton, Lyman D. Spalding, J. Chaplin Carr, Wm. D. Fernald, John S. Hand, T. E. O. Marvin, George Annable, Wm. A. Vaughan Jr.

The disbursing committees are as follows:
For Dec., Messrs. Goodwin, Day, Annable.
For Jan., Messrs. Green, Cheever, Vaughan.
For Feb., Messrs. Stavers, Carter, Carr.
For M'ch, Messrs. Broughton, Spalding, Marvin.
Apr. to Dec., Messrs Fernald, Brewster, Hand.

The Treasurer's report shows an outlay for:

Provisions,	$1268.14
Coal,	102.32
Wood,	49.40
Total	$1419.86

Nearly a thousand orders have been filled by Mr. J. W. P. Carter for groceries to pensioners during the year ending at the annual meeting. The funds of the treasury have been drawn upon very extensively, and are consequently quite low for the opening of a winter with such prospects as the coming one. Last year there was a generous response to the call of the Society's collector, and it is hoped that a like generosity will be shown this season.—*Journal.*

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. Dr. W. H. Alden.

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. Preaching by Rev. James W. Hubbell.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. John A. Goss, at 10:30 A. M.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M., by Rev. James Noyes, the pastor.

The regular afternoon services are omitted at the Baptist, Christian, Methodist and Congregational churches.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder J. W. Litbbey, of Portland, will preach.

At the Unitarian church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; vesper service at 7:30. Preaching to-morrow by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

ANOTHER HITCH.

The Eastern Railroad Company has issued the following circular:

To the holders of the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Bonds: The Directors of the Eastern Railroad Company are advised that the special statute and mortgage, under which they are now acting, in effect prohibits their paying interest on the Conway Bonds. To settle the question finally, suit has been brought in the Supreme Judicial Court, which will be pushed to the speediest possible conclusion, and will be decided, it is believed, within three months. Meanwhile, as security for the bondholders, the Directors have set aside a fund equal to the interest accruing December 1st, which is appropriated solely to paying that interest, should the Court decide in favor of the right of the Company to pay it.

Whether the bondholders will be content to abide by a decision of the courts of Massachusetts, or will wish to try the remedy in the State where the property is situate, remains to be seen. We should suppose that if the conditions of lease to the Eastern Railroad of the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway is broken by the nonpayment of the interest, that the road will probably be taken possession of by its stockholders and run separately; but as the majority of the stock is held by the Eastern Railroad, the bondholders would probably have relief only after a protracted litigation.

THE REVIVAL MEETINGS.

The Thanksgiving and praise service at the North church, Thursday morning, was as fully attended as could be expected in such stormy weather. At the praise service were sung "Coronation," "That heavenly land," "Revive us again," "Are your windows open towards Jerusalem?" After invocation by Mr. Noyes, the congregation united in singing "O, think of the home over there," and then Rev. Mr. Goss led in prayer. Rev. Mr. Hubbell announced that the public revival services would close on Sunday, and that the meetings on Monday would be devoted to inquirers and converts. Remarks were made as to the expenses of the meetings, and voluntary contributions were desired. Mr. Hubbell then preached from Eph. 5:20.

The gospel meeting on Thursday evening was largely attended, considering the unfavorable weather. The usual praise service preceded the regular exercises, and the following hymns were sung by request: "What shall the harvest be?" "Almost persuaded," and "Oh where are the reapers?" The services opened with prayer by Rev. Mr. Noyes, Mr. McGranahan sang "Grandfather's Bible," Mr. Whittle read as a scripture lesson Luke 15, then Mr. McGranahan sang "The ninety and nine," and "Memories of childhood." After invoking the divine blessing on the songs sung and on the service of the evening, Mr. Whittle took for the subject of his remarks 2d Sam. 9:1—13, as illustrating the scripture, "by grace are ye saved."

A large attendance at the North church Friday evening, showed the undiminished interest in the meetings. The praise service was rendered with spirit, the selections being, "I need Thee every hour," "Where are the nine," "Trusting Jesus, that is all," "Salvation," and "White as snow."

Mr. McGranahan sang "Tell me more about Jesus," the choir joining in the chorus, prayer was offered by Dr. Alden, the congregation sang "Arise, my soul, arise," Mr. Whittle announced that on Monday, from 10 to 12 o'clock A. M., and from 2 to 4 o'clock, afternoon, there would be an enquiry meeting at the Baptist church on Middle street, and then Mr. McGranahan sang "Eternity."

After invoking God's blessing, Mr. Whittle took as the foundation of his discourse Eph. 1:6. There are three things found in this passage: first, by whom we have redemption "through his blood;" second, what we have, "forgiveness of sin;" and third, how we have it, "according to the riches of his grace." If men are really sinners they ought to know it, if they are living for self they ought to understand it. According to the scriptures all men are sinners, they are aliens from the kingdom of God, being "dead in trespasses and sins." There is not one promise in the Bible that any man can claim unless he has received Christ. It is vain to suppose that any man can get to heaven by his good works, for no one ever perfectly kept God's law, and therefore, under it all are in condemnation. Redemption comes to us through the grace of God, and not because of any good in us. "Not by works of righteousness which we have done but according to his mercy he saved us." We have come under the penalty of the law, and Jesus has redeemed us from that penalty, and on the cross bore our sins. Jesus is a true Redeemer for he has purchased our salvation. How is this redemption to be received? We must believe in that redemption and we must receive it. We are utterly helpless to redeem ourselves, Christ alone can save us. God forgives sinners according to his own knowledge of them, and not according to the feeble knowedge they have of themselves. The more one sees of this gospel the more holy life he lives, the more he desires to be like Jesus. Jesus has paid all the price, and all we can do is to receive him. This gospel is free as air, this salvation is free to all, but we must accept it, or it will not avail us anything.

Mr. McGranahan, assisted by a quartette of male voices, sang "My Redeemer." Mr. Whittle offered prayer, a hymn was sung, and then the usual enquiry meeting was held.

A meeting of the Board of Trade is called for next Tuesday evening, Dec. 4th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Common Council room. PER ORDER.

MARRIAGES.

WOODBURY—SMART. In this city, Nov. 28th, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. Clifford Woodbury, of Gloucester, Mass., and Miss Malvina Smart of Portsmouth.

NORTON—SNOW. In this city, Nov. 28th, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. Herbert J. Norton of Greenland, N. H., and Miss Louisa M. Snow of Wyterport, Maine.

DENNETT—LOCKE. In this city, Nov. 29th, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. George H. Dennett and Miss Flora A. Locke, both of Portsmouth.

BARNEY—ELLIOTT.—In this city, on Thanksgiving Day, by Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D., Mr. Herman Barney and Miss Edith Elliott, both of Portsmouth.

PRIME—TOPPAN. In Dover, Nov. 28th, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. Mr. Spaulding, Mr. Charles H. Prime, formerly of this city, and Miss Edna L. Toppan, youngest daughter of the late Stephen Toppan, Esq., of Dover.

LANGDON—MARSTON, In Salem, Mass., Nov. 21, by Rev. Hugh Elder, Samuel Langdon, Jr., and Miss Florence E. Marston, both of this city.

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Portsmouth Chronicle

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In March last, while the ill-fated United States steamer Huron was lying in the harbor of Port Royal, S. C., Lieutenant Arthur H. Fletcher, her executive officer, left the vessel on a twenty-four hours' leave of absence, and, failing to return at the expiration of that time, the ship sailed for another port without him. A few days after Mr. Fletcher returned to Port Royal, reported to Commodore J. H. B. Clitz, "senior naval officer present," and stated to him that for some time past he had a presentiment that if he went to sea in the Huron for the purpose of finishing the cruise (two years) he would be wrecked. This feeling took complete possession of his mind, and he used every means to get detached, but the Navy Department refused to order it without a better reason. When he found that all his efforts had failed he left the Huron in the manger stated, with the intention not to return. For this he was placed under arrest and tried by court-martial at the Washington Navy-Yard in August last. In defense he made a statement in substance as above, and called Com. Clitz, Commander George P. Ryan, of the Huron, and other officers, to prove that before leaving the ship he had told them of the dread—in fact horror—he had of finishing the cruise in the vessel. This is a matter of record, on file in the Navy Department, and, though such a line of defense was laughed at when made, the fate of the Huron will cause many superstitious people to think that Mr. Fletcher's premonition was fully proven to be a true one by the wreck off Kitty-hawk, N. C.—*N. Y. Sun.*

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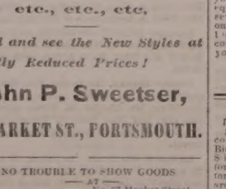

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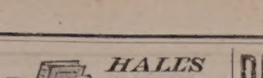

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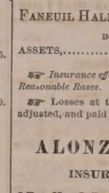

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Daily Chronicle.

Treasures Under the Sea.

An expedition is now preparing at New York for an errand of rare romance in this prosaic time. Its object is to search with all the appliances of modern science, for some of the "unsunned heaps" of jewels with which centuries of war and wreck are supposed to have strewed the bottom of the Spanish main.

One of the most gorgeous of the authentic tales of this enchanted region is that of the loss in 1815 of the Spanish treasureship San Pedro Alcantara with over $6,000,000 in gold, silver, and precious stones, off the Venezuelan shore. This vessel had been sent by King Ferdinand VII. to convoy some provision ships for the fleet engaged in subjugating to Spanish rule the States along the south shore of the Caribbean sea. There were 1300 men on board, and the chests contained $3,000,000 in silver.

On reaching Caracas, a revolution was found in progress, and the Spanish citizens hastened to put their property on board the San Pedro. The gold alone amounted to $1,000,000, and the jewels probably to as much again, and this vast treasure was increased by more than as much more by a descent on some of the revolted towns on the coast and the carrying away of all the wealth the insatiate mariners could lay their hands on.

The acquisition of these riches completely turned the heads of the Spaniards, and officers, soldiers and sailors prepared to celebrate their fortune by a grand debauch. In the midst of their revelry the cry of "fire" was heard. The drunken mob, fighting desperately for the life-boats, made no effort to save the treasure or to check the flames, which soon reached the powder-magazine, and the huge three-decker was almost instantly blown to fragments, almost all the lives destroyed, and the untold wealth of metals and jewels strewn over the bottom of the sea.

Since that day one of the favorite undertakings of marine adventurers has been to raise the lost treasures of the San Pedro Alcantara. These attempts have all failed from varieties of causes, chiefly the inadequacy of diving and dredging apparatus to work effectively at the depth of over 60 feet, in which the vessel lies. Perhaps $50,000 in all have been recovered, which is but a small proportion of the millions which undoubtedly repose there among the sands.

The present expedition, however, which will start during the coming month, has good assurance of success, as Capt. L. H. Folingsbee of San Francisco, the projector, has supplied himself with drags and dredges of the most improved pattern and which his experience has shown him are entirely adequate for the purpose. He believes that the chests of gold were tossed by the explosion to a greater distance from the vessel than the explorers have searched, and have sunk deeper in the sand than their instruments could penetrate. He has obtained permission of the Venezuelan government to search for the treasure for six years in consideration of the payment of five per cent on all sums recovered, and as he can examine minutely all the ground necessary in eight months, he starts out with the confident expectation of returning within a year, possessor of all the unvalued wealth of the ill-fated galleon.

—A Dumfriesshire (Scotland) gentleman protests against the ravages caused by botany classes. He says that the intense desire to obtain specimens will lead, by and by, to the actual extinction of many beautiful forms of British flora.

—On a railway line, recently, a passenger stopped the conductor, and asked, "Why does not the train run faster?" "It goes fast enough to suit us. If you don't like the rate of speed, get off and walk," was the rejoinder. "I would," replied the passenger, setting back in his seat, "but my friends wouldn't come for me until the train comes in, and I don't want to be waiting around the station two or three hours."

—Rev. T. Dewitt Talmage, was moved by the Vanderbilt controversy to say something on wills and will making, the other day, and this is the way he put it: First, let your wife have at least two-thirds, and your children share and share alike. If you have $100 to bequeath, don't give $95 of it to one boy and $5 to your wife and other children. That family is awfully askew when the son receives more than the wife. When a man takes a wife she should be made queen—first in every ambition, first in every provision—and when a man does not act in this way I conclude that he is cursed with a very poor wife, or that she is cursed with a very mean husband.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 3, 1877.

Congress.

The Senate session on Friday continued from its opening until 2:30 A. M. Saturday. During the day a shrewd trick was played in the absence from the chamber of Messrs. Edmunds and one or two other prominent republicans. Some one asked Conover to move an executive session. The democrats voted solidly with him, and the result was a brief session at which the nominations of Harlan, for the Supreme Judge, and Hilliard, for Minister to Brazil, were hurriedly confirmed. But the opponents of these gentlemen got wind of the game, and arrived in the chamber in time to move a reconsideration in each case, which was granted. There was the usual amount of speechifying on the Butler-Kellogg matters, but nothing of great interest occurred except that Patterson made a red-hot attack upon the President and Senators Conkling and Edwards. At two o'clock Saturday morning, by agreement, a vote was taken on both Kellogg's and Butler's cases, Kellogg was admitted, Conover and Patterson voting for him and Davis of Illinois against him. Butler was admitted by a vote of 29 to 28; Conover and Patterson voted for Butler; Davis did not vote. The new Senators were sworn in; and at half-past two o'clock the Senate adjourned.

The House was not in session, no quorum being present.

The Eastern War.

The Turks claim a great victory at Plevna, and that they have captured three Russian redoubts.

Servia is taking active measures for joining in the war against Turkey.

A despatch from Bucharest says that the Turks have evacuated Lom Palanka. A despatch from Constantinople says that Mehemet Ali has informed the Seraskurati that he cannot attempt the relief of Plevna unless he is strongly reinforced.

A rupture between Turkey and Italy, consequent on the seizure of two Italian vessels by the Turks, seems probable.

The British fleet at Besika bay, which had been ordered to Smyrna and Malta for the winter, will remain in Besika bay.

News and Notes.

The bodies of Commander Ryan, Lieut. Simons, Engineer Olsen, Ensign Danner and Cadet Engineer Loomis have been found; also the bodies of about forty of the crew of the Huron. The bodies were picked up scattered along the beach for a distance of fifteen miles or more from the wreck.

Gov. Van Zandt of Rhode Island sent an eighteen-pound Narragansett turkey with his compliments to President Hayes, and it was served at the White House, Thanksgiving day.

Mr. Samuel Bowles, of the Springfield *Republican*, was stricken with paralysis of the brain on Saturday, and cannot recover.

An ignorant colored girl at Norwich, Connecticut, was caught trying to cut off her hand with a large knife, because she had literally read the Scripture, "If thy hand or thy foot offend thee, cut it off."

A bright, educated young woman has within six months stolen jewelry worth eleven thousand dollars from Chicago families. The method was to engage as a servant, and by intelligence and good conduct to win the confidence of her employers. Having established a reputation as a "jewel of a girl," she improves the first chance to steal.

A small boy named Frank Thompson, while crossing Main street, Springfield, Wednesday evening, near the First Baptist Church, was run over by a horse car and almost instantly killed.

A daring attempt at murder was made at the residence of Christopher Purmont, near North Troy, Vt., early Wednesday night. Mrs. Purmont, who was sleeping in a room on the ground floor, was awakened, about ten o'clock, by the report of a gun and the crash of the window to her sleeping apartment. Hastily arising she summoned her husband, who sleeps in the second story, and an investigation was made which revealed that a shot had been fired from the outside of the house, at Mrs. Purmont, who was sleeping in the bed. The shot passed through the window, breaking two panes of glass, and struck in the bed without injury to the lady. The shot must have been fired close to the window, as the curtain was blackened by the powder and a piece of the wadding was found in the bed. The lateness of the hour and the darkness rendered an attempt to pursue the would-be assassin futile, and no arrests have been made.

Hon. G. V. Fox, in an open letter to the Mayor of Boston concerning the figures on the Battle Monument recently dedicated in that city, says: "There are four bas-reliefs of bronze on its respective faces, to which I desire to call your attention. Two are appropriated to the army, one to the Sanitary Commission of the army and the fourth to the navy. On these are some seventy or eighty human figures, *every one* of which, the sculptor informs me, is a portrait, but not *one*, even on the naval bas-relief, represents any regular or volunteer officer or sailor of the navy or of the marine corps."

An operative in one of the largest mills at Rockville, Connecticut, gave up his place recently because his mother-in-law had died, and the folks wanted him to come and take care of the old place. "Then, besides, she left me a little sum, about forty thousand dollars, which will need some looking after." And all that joy didn't kill the man.

Mr. Joseph Seligman, the banker, who has just returned from Europe, reports that after the lapse of twelve years since he saw them, he found his children and grandchildren abroad, numbering some sixty, all in perfect health.

The widowered King of Holland has determined upon contracting a morganatic marriage with a dramatic star of small magnitude, known on the boards as Mlle. Emilie d'Ambre, for whom the King has obtained from a neighboring serenity the title of Comtesse d'Ambroise. It is to enjoy a life of domestic happiness with his beautiful young wife that his Majesty has acquired a hotel in Paris, to which he is sending his art collections and other treasures. The marriage is expected to take place soon.—*London World.*

An Englishman in India has invented a solar battery consiting of 200 small mirrors, so arranged that they focused the sun's rays upon a small copper boiler, and generated steam in it in twenty minutes. He contends that he could by the same means generate heat enough to drive the largest spinning mill in Bombay.

The timber used in the Comstock mines, Nevada, costs $17,000 a day; the firewood, mostly consumed by the steam engines, $6000; candles burned in the mines $10,000; the quicksilver lost $2000; and the ice needed to cool the water for drinking in the hot lower levels, $1000 a day.

On Thursday morning, in Philadelphia, John H. Brown (colored) shot William Kelley, a son of Congressman Kelley, while riding in a street car. The ball entered Mr. Kelley's right cheek and lodged in the back of his neck, but the wound is probably not fatal. The assailant had been drinking and shot Mr. Kelley without provocation.

Mrs. Elizabeth Allen of Charlestown, R. I., has just died at the advanced age of one hundred and five years, six months and seven days.

A Litchfield, Conn., woman over seventy years old obtained a divorce recently from a husband who deserted her fifty-one years ago.

A son of Samuel Granger, of Hartford, died last week of hydrophobia from the bite of a fox-hound received seven weeks before. The boy was but three years old, so imagination could not have had much to do with the matter.

A cotton mill at Oldham, England, containing 50,000 spindles, was burned on Thursday; loss $1,000,000.

There is much suffering among the laboring classes in England, and the great employers in many branches of industry say they must reduce wages still further. A general strike of weavers is imminent.

It is reported that the President is going to the New England Society dinner in Boston, on December 22.

A majority of the creditors of Conrad Poppenheimer, the owner of the Long Island Railroad, recently adjudged bankrupt, held a meeting in Brooklyn and chose Herman H. Schwickhing assignee. Poppenheimer's liabilities are $8,000,000; assets, $7,000,000.

Senator Blaine has returned to Washington.

Several prominent citizens of Warren, Vt., have been convicted of arson in burning the house of a man who combatted them in the matter of school affairs in their district.

The Richmond, Va., *Enquirer*, one of most influential democratic papers in the country, has suspended publication.

Mr. A. Oakey Hall thinks that Mr. Samuel J. Tilden will contest the Senatorial seat of New York with Mr. Conkling, next year, and will contest it successfully, but it is not at all impossible that Mr. Hall may know nothing whatever about the matter.

[Communicated.]

Who Was Responsible?

The sad circumstances attending the loss of the U. S. S. Huron naturally call for an enquiry as to the causes and reason why a government vessel, so short a time at sea, with a good departure, should be lost less than one hundred miles from port. I would not reflect on Capt. Ryan's responsibility for the sad affair, but rather throw the mantle of charity over him, for there is and can be no doubt that he did all that could be done under the trying circumstances of the wreck; but why did he put to sea when the danger signal was flying? Any one acquainted with the official relations between the commanding and subordinate officers in the navy, is aware that although some orders are not made imperative, that are transmitted from one to the other, still they are couched in such language that the subordinate will construe them as meaning a request and will use all reasonable endeavors to carry them out. We think that the blame of the Huron's going to sea belongs to the commanding officer of the North Atlantic squadron, Admiral Trenchard; for he, as commanding officer, clothed with authority, should have ordered the Huron to remain at her anchorage while cautionary signals were displayed at the signal stations, for it certainly seems that some one was remiss in his duty in allowing the ship to leave port. The government at a large expense has organized a signal office with stations along the coast in charge of responsible officers, who display the storm signal as soon as ordered from the chief's office; but in face of these warning signals the government vessel left a safe anchorage and went to her doom. After being at sea everything was made snug; sails were set, which being reefed should not have blown away at that time, but did blow away, and no doubt that circumstance aided somewhat the unfortunate accident. The engines are reported to have been in perfect working order, and were used for some time after the ship struck, which speaks well for them. The statement of one of her officers was that they were steering S. S. E., with the wind E. S. E.; that course should have carried them clear of everything, had they made that course good. We think the current could not have been strong enough to have drifted her so far out of the course as to carry her on the beach, and the only cause there can be assigned for her going ashore so soon is that a local attraction disarranged her compasses, which must have made them steer a course two points to westward of the true course, and there should be a thorough examination on that point made, as that might relieve the commander from any blame which some persons might attach to him.

New Hampshire Items.

George Jones, an Englishman at Laconia, about fifty years old, a single man, with no relatives in this country, committed suicide Friday afternoon by hanging.

Conway Darling and his wife were arrested at Hanover Friday evening for robbing the store of George H. Keniston in North Craftsbury, Vt., Nov. 14th. Goods found in their possession were identified. Darling escaped from the officers.

Three inches of snow fell in Peterboro', and five inches in Dublin and Harrisville, on Thursday.

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In accordance with regulations fixed by the Trustees the Voting Register will be closed on the thirtieth day of November, between which time and the Annual Meeting on the second Wednesday of December no registration will be made.

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Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	-
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Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

A meeting of the Board of Trade is called for next Tuesday evening, Dec. 4th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Common Council room. PER ORDER.

The tenth anniversary of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry occurs Tuesday, Dec. 4th, and will be observed by Portsmouth Grange by a harvest supper at their hall on that evening.

Only $1.50 for the NEW HAMPSHIRE GAZETTE from now to the first of January, 1879. Delivered free of expense to each subscriber,—by carrier in the city, by mail anywhere within the United States.

Sunday was a pleasant winter day—the first real winter day we have had this season. The sky was clear and the sun bright, the air still, fresh and crisp, and the thermometer stood at ten degrees above zero in the morning.

The brig Clara J. Adams, now in the dry dock at the navy yard, is being repaired under the direction of the well known master ship builder, Mr. Wm. F. Fernald. The brig will receive nearly an entire new keel and new stern post, as well as considerable new planking.

The special revival services conducted by Major Whittle closed on Sunday evening, when that gentleman preached his last sermon here. There will be enquiry meetings to-day from ten o'clock to noon and from two to six P. M., and a prayer meeting for converts and enquirers only at 7:30,—all at the Middle street church.

On Saturday evening there was a collision on Pleasant street, near Mr. Thos. H. Odlon's house, between Mr. M. H. Wentworth's carriage and one of Jackson & Co's Express wagons, in which the carriage came off second best, having a wheel knocked off and being in other ways demoralized so that the occupants had to get out and walk, the horse being then taken out of the shafts and the wreck drawn off by hand.

Mr. Thomas S. Gay of Portsmouth, N. H., writes to the *Post* to say that Acting Master William H. Howartz, U. S. N., a Boston boy who formerly resided on Kneeland street, and who fought with Cushing and was present at the destruction of the rebel ram Albemarle, deserves credit as having an honorable naval record. Paymaster Swan and Mr. Gay are the only surviving officers who assisted in destroying the Albemarle.—*Boston Post.*

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, Dec. 1st; *Batchelder, J.*

Peter Hart, for drunkenness,—the evidence showed that Peter was very drunk indeed, Friday evening—was fined $3, costs $6.90.

Peter Hart, for brawl and tumult, consequent on his very drunken condition indeed, Friday evening, was fined $3, costs $8.04. The total, $20.94, added to what he paid for his grog, made this a very high priced drunk for Mr. Hart.

Samuel Flanigan, a young fellow who was brought up charged with having been drunk, refused to own the soft impeachment; furthermore, he promised that if he were let off he would "keep straight for a year," and as he is not one of the regular customers of the Police Court he was dismissed on probation.

MASONIC ELECTION.

On the evening of Nov. 30th (St. Andrew's Day) the annual election of officers took place in St. Andrew's Lodge, No. 56, the following brethren being chosen to serve for the ensuing year:

John Pender, Worshipful Master.
William A. Hodgdon, Senior Warden.
William A. Ashe, Junior Warden.
Wingate N. Disley, Treasurer.
Alfred F. Howard, Secretary.
S. C. Whittier, W. P. Walker, Standing Com.
Joseph Parry, Rep. to Grand Lodge.

[Communicated.]

THE JACKSON HILL STREET IMPROVEMENTS.

Having a curiosity to see for what Messrs. Frank Jones and others wished to expend $2000 of the city's money in these times of economy and high taxes, I recently visited the locality of the proposed Jackson Hill Street extension. The street seems to be, in the start, somewhat crooked, and the petitioners, some of whom are heavy taxpayers, ask for a new portion of the street to come out near the blacksmith shop on North street, making two avenues, where but one—now but little used—ought to answer. This seems reasonable if the property to be benefitted can be sufficiently increased in its taxable valuation to warrant the great outlay. The street leads to the residence of one of the aldermen and is not a thoroughfare; but few carriages or teams pass over it, and the accommodation is for a few individuals and not to any extent for the public convenience. On the entire street are six occupied estates. The taxed value of these is $7650. The cost of land damages, building the road, etc., would require an annual appropriation for interest of $120. The property in the first instance ought to be increased in its taxable valuation $6000, if our rate of taxes can be put down to two per cent. on the hundred dollars, to make the city whole in the expenditure. This is perhaps low, but it is allowing something for the general use of a road that is only used by the abuttors, some of whom are better accommodated by the road as at present located. Will the property bear this increased valuation? if not, the game is not worth the candle. We are hoping for better times, but even should the times improve, can we afford to expend money upon a street where a way now is found that certainly is far more convenient than several in other localities. Is it contended that any new taxable property will come into market, or that increased valuation of the few estates on this way will be even as much as shall yield in shape of taxes, the interest on the cost of the outlay? A prominent gentleman who signed the petition, to oblige some one, holds to the theory that the property owners on the street should be allowed their request, and then be made to pay for the cost of taxation. But will the assessors in the future look at it in that light, or is that a safe precedent to establish? The assessors must appraise the real estate there at its true value, and is there any pretence that the land or houses on this street will really be of any greater value after the outlay than they are to-day? Can they possibly become enhanced a hundred per cent.? It has been suggested that this is a dull season of the year, and the building of the extension would give some employment to many men and teams, and the land damages would probably be less than the Aldermen estimated them. It is not a question of expediency. The enquiry is, not will it pay, but is it a proper expenditure to saddle upon the city in these times,—when so many with difficulty can pay their taxes, and when the great shrinkage of property, both real and personal, makes the burthen of taxation so severe that nothing should be added to it, that possibly can be avoided?

ECONOMIST.

THE VICINITY.

A horse valued at $1200, belonging to Mr. W. Scott Kelley of Stratham, was found cast in his stall last week, and died from his injuries.

The recent heavy rains have done much damage in York county, Me. At York bench several buildings were injured, and half the cellars in Kittery were flooded.

A son of Mr. Addison Norton of Cape Neddick, Me., while playing in a stable recently, was kicked in the forehead by a horse and died next day. The boy was two years and a half old.

The new Town Hall in Stratham was dedicated on Wednesday evening with appropriate services. Hon. Joseph A. C. Wingate, a native of that town, delivered an address, after which were remarks by Hon. John J. Bell of Exeter and others.

Not over 2000 miles from Stratham lived a wood merchant, whose traffic was confined to the disposing of his fuel by the cord, at a neighboring village. Upon a late date he fell ill, and was obliged to abandon his calling. His son, a shrewd youth of fifteen summers, informed his father that he was anxious to assume control of his business, but the parent strongly hinted that he was no more calculated to sell wood than that warm abode of the wicked was suitable for a powder magazine; in fact, he did not understand the first rudiments of the business; or in plainer words, he did not know how many feet it required for a cord. The lad was very positive that he was thoroughly posted. His sire then put the question: "How many feet make a cord, my son?" The answer was promptly given—"Seven, father." The sick parent warmly grasped the hand of his promising young hopeful, and in a voice trembling with pleasing emotions, he said: "My son, my noble son, you will do!"—*Cor. News-Letter.*

A Monkey's Death Scene.

"I never saw such a thing in my life," said James Donohue, the night watchman of the Central Park museum, New York. "On Tuesday Zip, one of Barnum's monkeys, fell suddenly and dangerously ill. He was a great favorite with his companions—their leader in mischief. Superintendent Conklin examined him and said he would die. We got a bed of straw and cotton for him, and left warm milk by his side.

At 11 o'clock I went to the cage. Usually the monkeys at night sit huddled together, sound asleep; but this time they were all wide awake, sitting silent and moveless, watching Zip's dying agonies. Zip lay in a corner sobbing and moaning. Jack and Pete, the two trick monkeys, were at his side. Jack had Zip's head resting on his bosom, while Pete every now and then dipped his paw in the milk and wet Zip's lips.

But there's a stranger thing about it yet," Mr. Donohue continued; "at midnight Zip died. Then came what my partner Reilly, and Barnum's man, say they never saw the like of. As Zip's head fell limp in the arms of Jack, he gave a little low squeal, and Pete sprang to his side. Pete looked at Zip, lifted up one of his paws, tapped him gently on the breast, put his ear to his heart, raised his head, and then gave a shrill squeal. Jack in answer dropped Zip just as naturally as a human being would at the first intimation that the form he held was dead. Pete was the first to recover himself. Slowly he approached Zip, examined him closely, raised him in his arms, dropped him hard on the floor of the cage, and, as Zip did not move, sprang to the uppermost perch. Wasn't that strange?"

The reporter assented.

"Then, sir," continued Mr. Donohue, "came the most extraordinary thing ever witnessed in the park. The monkeys set up the most piercing screams. The baby monkeys pressed close to their mothers, and the females close to the males. All chattered and chattered, and pointed to poor Zip. Finally, Pete and Jack, followed by all the others, sprang to the bottom of the cage. They were all silent now, moving slow, and in the form of a circle they gradually came nearer and nearer. Then, hugging close, they stopped. All night long they remained watching the body, and I never saw a wake that could beat that one for earnestness and sympathy."—*N. Y. paper.*

—An unsatisfactory meal—A domestic broil.

—The spectacle of a cartman dumping seventy-eight bars of solid silver, averaging 150 pounds in weight, on the sidewalk before the New York stock exchange the other day, caused quite a crowd to collect. The whole lot was worth $140,000.

—Penn, the founder of Pennsylvania, abhorred smoking. His Quaker council one day observing his approach, laid down their pipes. "I am glad to see," said Penn, "you are ashamed of that vile habit." "Not at all," returned a principal Friend: "we only laid them down lest we should offend a weak brother."

—A few days ago a customer in a wholesale house remarked to the dealer that he noticed an unpleasant odor upon the premises. The latter did not perceive anything, and the customer added: "Well, I guess it is the cellar that smells." The other replied: "Not at all, I smell nothing. It seems to be the buyer who smells."

—Miss Eagan, the Fall River mill girl who so mysteriously lost her speech a few weeks ago after dreaming that she would lose it, recovered it in a way fully as singular. She felt a sudden shock and a choking sensation, causing an exclamation, and from that moment her voice has gained strength and distinctness. She felt considerable pain at first about her chest and lungs, but that is gradually wearing away.

—An attempt to break into the safe of a Middletown quarry company was made the other night, and the criminal was detected in a singular way. During his attempts a button was torn from his coat and picked up subsequently by a policeman, who paraded the streets next day until he found a man with a missing coat button, and, on arresting him, found that the button he held matched those still remaining.

—They tell an amusing musical story of a young lady in town, who drops in her lover's place of business daily, and leaning upon his shoulder gently perambulates his coat collar with her jeweled hand and sweetly warbles in his ear, "I Need Thee every Hour." The youth instantly suspends business, encircles her waist with one arm, presses fervently her disengaged hand, and responds in dulcet tenor strains, "Hold the Fort, for I am coming."

—It is related that Col. Ingersoll once gave an ingenious explanation, at a Parisian dinner party, of the American practice of carrying weapons. A French guest turning to Ingersoll exclaimed: "Will the Colonel explain this matter? Why, Messieurs, I can travel all over France armed with only a bodkin." The Colonel rose to his feet and replied: "The explanation is this: A Frenchman's rights are so few in number, and so insignificant in character, that they can be enforced with a bodkin, or for that matter with a tooth-pick. But in America a citizen's rights are so numerous and important that he needs a whole arsenal to defend them. Hence the practice of carrying weapons in America.'

—A dry joke—the toper's attempt to borrow ten cents.

—A neat swindle was perpetrated on Henry Ward Beecher at Brooklyn recently. A young man named James Collins, who was formerly employed by Mr. Arbuckle, one of Mr. Beecher's parishioners, called at his house with a note purporting to be signed by Mr. Arbuckle desiring the loan of Mr. Beecher's dictionary. Without stopping to consider the singularity of the request, he gave a $25 Webster's Unabridged to the messenger, who at once made off with it, and has thus far evaded arrest.

MARRIAGES.

BLAKE—O'NEIL. In East Boston, Nov. 28th, by the Rev. Warren H. Cudworth, Mr. Eri P. Blake of Hampton, N. H., and Miss Florence A. O'Neil of Boston.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Sch Catalina, Johnson, Boothbay.

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Nov 30—Schs Victory, Johnson, Boston for Bristol; Henry Adelbert, Venzie, New York for Bath, J M Eaton, Parsons, Boston for Wells.

Ship Grandee, Shillaber, for New York, at Calcutta, Oct 28.

Ship Paul Jones, Jacobs, cld from Baltimore for New York Nov 28.

Schs Union Flag, Frisbee, for this port from New York, and John Stroup, Hurst, for this port from Amboy, passed through Hell Gate Nov 28.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

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Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
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Lard per pound, 12 cents.
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Jasper bushels, 35 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $8; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9 @ 9½; Gr. 10¼; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ 75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

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U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties, coupon	108¼
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Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s 1890	103½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 8s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	115
Boston & Providence	122½
Boston & Albany	122½
Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	5½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	20
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
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—Gen. Longstreet has written to the Philadelphia *Weekly Times* an interesting and valuable description of the battle of Gettysburg. He advised Lee to decline attack at Gettysburg but to interpose his army between Meade and Washington and compel the Union forces to open the fight. But Lee had other plans and directed Longstreet to make the opening assault. His corps numbered 13,000 men. It charged up Cemetery Ridge with such bravery and audacity that Gen. Meade thought that Gen. Lee's whole army was at his heels. Reducing his right wing to one brigade, Meade harried the others to the support of his imperiled left, and forced Longstreet back. When night came, Longstreet found that he had lost 4529 men, or more than one-third of his corps. Longstreet charges the failure of his assault to Ewell's inactivity, declaring that if Ewell had attacked Meade's weakened right wing, it would surely have been overcome and the battle won. He also criticises Pickett's assault on the second day of the battle, and says that it was a great mistake in Gen. Lee to order it made.

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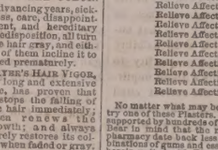
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Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1877.

Congress.

In the House, Saturday, a resolution instructing the committee on patents to report a bill to prevent the maintaining of suits against persons who ignorantly purchase patented articles which have been infringed upon was adopted—yeas 113, nays 43.

Mr. Knott of Kentucky introduced a bill for the relief of sufferers by the wreck of the United States steamer Huron. The bill proposes to give each surviving officer the sum of $1000, and each surviving seaman the sum of $100, to reimburse them for the loss sustained. It also provides that the heirs and representatives of those lost shall receive a sum equal to twelve months' sea pay, in addition to that due at the time of the disaster. An amendment was inserted to include the families of Captain Guthrie of the life-saving service and his crew, who went to the rescue of the Huron. Memrs. Hale of Maine, Garfield, Butler of Massachusetts, Goode of Virginia and others commended the object of the bill and hoped that it would pass. Mr. Butler took occasion to call attention to the importance of the Life-saving Service, and expressed the hope that when the subject properly came up a liberal appropriation would be made for that service. The bill was passed unanimously.

In the Senate, in executive session, Fitzsimmons was confirmed as Marshal of Georgia, Stanley Matthews, Conover and Patterson voting in favor.

The House bill for the relief of the Huron's men was sent to committee on naval affairs.

Senator Wadleigh, from the committee on elections, submitted a report in the case of James B. Eustis, claiming a seat in the Senate from Louisiana, accompanied by a resolution declaring Eustis entitled to a seat in the Senate as Senator from Louisiana, for the term ending March 3d, 1879. Placed on the calendar. If Eustis (democrat) is admitted the Senate will stand as follows: Republicans 36, not counting the Nevada silver mines; democrats 36, not counting Davis; Conover and Patterson left over, to hold the balance of power.

The extra session of Congress terminated at noon Monday, when the regular session began. The two houses were called together on the 15th of October, to provide for the pressing necessities of the army and navy, for deficiences in the appropriations, for some other branches of the public service, and for the representation of the United States at the Paris exhibition next year. They have been in session seven weeks, though all the business done might and should have been done in a fortnight.

Both branches of Congress adjourned at ten minutes before twelve o'clock, Monday, the Senate having held no open session. At twelve o'clock both bodies came to order in regular session, and notified the President, the Senate then taking a half-hour's recess. The President's message is a very long one, and strongly opposes any remonetization of silver that does not exempt the public debt from its influence. "The policy" is proclaimed an entire success, and the "peace and good will" that reign in the South glorified.

Report of the Secretary of War.

The following are the estimates of the War Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1879, as submitted to Congress with the Secretary's report Monday: Salaries, contingent expenses and postage, $1,193,884; military establishments, $31,597,270.68; public works, $7,953,077.86; miscellaneous, $2,571,210-80; total, $43,115,443.24. After alluding to the injurious effects of constally interfering with the army by legislation threatening reduction, the Secretary of War urges an elastic system of organization which will be capable of extension in case of necessity to aggregate a force of from 30,000 to 40,000 men. He thinks the condition of the country makes necessary a military force not less than that now authorized by statute, which should be capable of being raised to a standard necessary to meet any ordinary contingency by increasing the numerical strength of the companies. The Secretary's report, in speaking of the Indian service, favors the feeding of all Indian nations now provided with rations by the Government through the Commissary Department of the army. On the subject of the retirement of officers from active service the Secretary urges legislation which will remove the present limitation as to the number of officers who may be on the retired list at the same time. This number is now 300. The removal of this limitation will not materially increase the number, as a careful inquiry shows that with the proposed changes there will be only about forty officers to add to the list. The Secretary does not favor any change in that portion of the statutes which leaves the question of retirement to the discretion of the President. It has always been urged by younger officers of the army that it should be obligatory upon the President to retire officers at the age of sixty-two.

Report of the Secretary of the Navy.

The Secretary of the Navy, in his annual report, gives the number of vessels in the navy as follows: Sixty-seven steam and twenty-three sailing vessels, twenty-three iron-clads, two torpedo, one ferry and twenty-six tug boats. There are twelve iron-clads at convenient places in fresh water in readiness for active employment when needed. In the list of vessels in active service, in ordinary, undergoing repairs, etc., is mentioned the Colossus, on the stocks at New York, so decayed, having been built of white oak, that she is not worth completing. The Massachusetts is in the same condition at Kittery, and the Oregon at Boston. The wreck of the Huron is alluded to, and the Secretary of the Navy will make the report of the Board to investigate the cause of the unfortunate loss the subject of a special report to Congress. The Connecticut, Iowa and Pennsylvania at Boston, the Java and Susquehanna at New York, the Congress, Kansas and Sabine at Kittery, the Worcester and Shawmut at Norfolk, the Saco, Nyack and Cyane at Mare Island, the Frolic at Washington and the New Orleans at Sackett's Harbor also are mentioned as so much decayed that they are unfitted for repairs or completion. The Rio Brava was sent up the Rio Grande river more than a year ago, and is anchored at Brownsville, from which place she cannot proceed either up or down the stream in consequence of the shallowness of the water. She can, therefore, only render such assistance to that exposed frontier as could be afforded by local fortification with the same number of men and guns, or by transferring the men for military service on shore in case of necessity. The active list of the navy is composed of 828 officers of the line, 594 officers of staff and 249 warrant officers. The retired list is composed of 135 officers of line, 103 officers of staff, 27 warrant officers and four professors of mathematics. There were in service on the 24th of November, 1877, 7012 enlisted men and boys.

The "Superior Creature" Rebuked.

The New York *Nation*, the high-toned paper that for years has so ably championed free trade and the interests of British manufacturers, has recently stirred up a hornet's nest. The dignified *Evening Post* calls the *Nation* "a female Pope;" and the *Tribune*, having been assailed, hits back as follows:

"We know it is a species of leze-majesty to accuse this Superior Creature of the common failings of journalism, such as falsehood, malice, ignorance and that curiously defective sense of responsibility which manifests itself in a propensity to make injurious statements without inquiring into their truth; but the extract cited above seems to us a load of reckless abuse which ought not to be dumped by an ordinarily decent cartman at a man's door without eliciting a protest."

The *Tribune* goes on to show that the *Nation* is guilty either of deliberately lying or recklessly slandering,—and shows it, too; and then gives the following severe (because truthful) description of the "independent" paper in politics:

"The trouble is that the tea-caddy school of journalism has no idea of independence. As a mischievous old maid prides herself upon 'frankness' when she retails slander, and tears reputation to tatters, and vilifies her intimate acquaintances more outrageously than anybody else, so the Superior Creature makes it a point to believe all evil of his own side and to say nothing but good of the other, and he calls that impartiality. The one person who is the most certain of injustice at his hands is his next friend. The party against which he directs all his attacks, in time of political warfare, is the party with which he professes to be acting. He is not a dangerous adversary, but he is an exasperating ally. If we were going into battle along side of this person, we think we should feel safer if we killed him before the fighting began. In a charge upon the enemy he is worth nothing; but like the mule he is formidable behind."

A Storm in a Teapot.

Of all the bubbubs caused by the appearance of Col. Bob Ingersoll on the lecture platform in New York State, that at Albany takes precedence. The morning after the lecture the Albany papers came out loud in its praise, and the *Argus* declared that henceforth "no lecture course in Albany can be complete without Col. Ingersoll." This was followed in due time by a denunciatory protest signed by nearly thirty clergymen, headed by Bishop Doane of the Episcopal church, and to which Bishop McNierney appends a declaration on behalf of the Catholic clergy expressing approval of the paper, and calling the utterances of the lecturer "shocking." This protest sharply excoriates the Young Men's Association, and denounces the lecture as follows:

In itself illogical, inconsequent, irreverent; coarse without strength; destructive without suggestiveness, the lecture deserves no notice. The right of an individual to such thinking, if it be considered a right, and it it can be called thinking, may well be conceded to any one who counts such operations of the brain thoughts; and the right to utter such thoughts in their crudeness, which the law denies to the profane man in his oaths; to the libertine in his licentiousness; or to a traitor in his sedition, may perhaps better be tolerated for its general harmlessness, than be dignified with denial or repression.

The result of this was the adoption of a resolution by the executive committee of the Association disclaiming responsibility for Ingersoll's utterances and upbraiding him as having violated the amenities of the platform. Close upon this comes a published card from the chairman of the lecture committee, Mr. Barnes, assuming all the responsibility for the engagement of Ingersoll, and defending the latter against the attack of the committee upon the ground that the Association is not a "Christian board," and that it would exceed its province "to denounce a speaker because he attacks Christianity." The very natural outcome of all this "tempest in a teapot" is that Ingersoll, at the instance of an enterprising and acute speculator, has engaged to repeat his lecture on the 22d of December, receiving double price, naming $500. But the most amusing and characteristic incident of the whole affair is the changed position of the *Argus*, which first endorsed Ingersoll, as above noted, but has now withdrawn its endorsement of him, and insists that he is a "buffoon," and that the matter of his lecture is "balderdash," and its "raillery indecent and disgusting."

News and Notes.

During the trial at Auburn, N. Y., a week or so ago, of Cora Young, a beautiful but abandoned young woman who murdered a paramour, a vast deal of sickly-sentimental sympathy was created in her behalf, and she was acquitted. One of the jurymen on the case was Mortimer E. Durkee, a wealthy citizen of a neighboring town, whose wife was one of the most earnest friends of the murderess; and no sooner was the latter discharged than she showed her gratitude and her worth by eloping with old Durkee, leaving Mrs. Durkee half-crazy.

The Department of Justice recently sent an agent to Newport, R. I., to investigate the steamer Estelle, and, if possible, to ascertain her mission. This agent has returned to Washington and made a report to the Attorney-General, which establishes the fact that the vessel belongs to, or is chartered by, friends of "Free Cuba" for the purpose of visiting Cuba with assistance for the patriots. The report will be turned over to the Department of State. A revenue cutter will continue to watch the movements of the Estelle.

The barn of James Corrigan, in Newport, R. I., was partially burned Sunday. The fire was probably caused by Corrigan's four-year-old boy, whose dead body was found in the debris.

Captain Eads states that there is a twenty-two foot channel the whole length of the jetties. The narrowest channel (of twenty-one feet depth) is 180 feet.

The sale at auction at the Mare Island (Cal) navy yard, not long ago, of five hundred barrels of condemned beef, realizing $2,300 for what cost the government $9,500, led to a newspaper investigation of the transaction that unearthed a pretty complete system of government swindling on the following general plan: A parcel of beef is sold to the navy yard; after a little time it is examined by an inspector, one or two barrels of tainted meat being slyly pushed to the front for that officer's benefit. Upon the discovery of the taint in the sample of a report is made condemning the whole parcel, which is accordingly sold at public auction. A "ring" of speculators bid it in, separate the tainted meat and sell the rest to private ship-masters for use on their seagoing vessels. A barrel of good beef bought at $4.50 or $5, for example, is readily sold for $6.50, and the tainted barrelfuls are put through trying out processes for the fat they contain. No wonder people complain of hard times, when they are compelled to pay taxes into the pockets of swindlers at such a rate.

On Saturday morning, on the Pennsylvania Railroad, a brakeman got his foot fast in a frog, and the conductor attempted to rescue him when a freight train struck them, killing both.

Schooner C. & C. Brooke, at New York from Virginia, reports that November 28, 10 P. M., off Barnegat, she was run into by the torpedo boat Alarm, which struck her on the starboard bow, starting the stem, tore the mainsail, stove a boat, knocked off one davit, carried away sails and caused the vessel to leak badly. The Alarm took her in tow and held on for three hours when the hawser parted, and the Alarm returned and anchored off Staten Island to procure a boat, having lost one.

The remains of Henry H. Crossman of Clarendon, Vt., who has been missing since Oct. 17, were found Thursday afternoon in the woods by a boy who was hunting, and taken to Rutland, where an inquest showed that he had died from exposure while intoxicated. A three-gallon can, partly filled with rum, was found at his side. He was a pensioner of the Mexican war, having lost an arm there, and leaves a wife and seven children.

Antonio Nicrosi and Aurelia Sharp were found dead in a cemetery at Montgomery, Ala., on Saturday, with a bullet hole in each head. A note left by Nicrosi, intimates that he murdered the girl and then shot himself, they being "willing to die for each other." They were a pair of nincompoops.

A New York expressman on Saturday stole a trunk in transit, belonging to a Mrs. Pemberton, containing $15,000 and some costly silk dresses.

Sixty-one bodies from the Huron, most of them mutilated past recognition, had been buried by the crew of Life Saving Stations Four, Five and Eight, up to Saturday night.

Charles R. McGill, of Cleveland, Ohio, on Saturday murdered his mistress, Mary Kelley, in a house of ill-fame, shooting her eight times in the head and twice near the heart. The murderer has a wife and child living in Columbus.

Henry Blackman, of Beamingham, Mich., on Saturday murdered his mother and sister and then set fire to the farm buildings. The wretch was lodged in jail.

The public debt statement for November shows a decrease in the debt for the month, of $1,525,634.

New Hampshire Items.

Thomas Ingalls, a farmer of Nashua, was arrested at Lawrence Sunday on a complaint of bastardy preferred by Mrs. Clara Feltch. Ingalls is an old resident of Nashua and owns considerable property. It is believed to be a case of blackmail. The woman has been living at Lawrence lately with a married man named Woodward, who was sent to the House of Correction for one year for an assault on his wife.

While shooting ducks, Saturday, off Branford, Conn., shore, Arthur Samuel Thompson, of Nashua, a graduate of Dartmouth and a member of the Junior class in Yale Theological Seminary, was fatally shot by the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of Andrew Grannis, an East Haven farmer. He lived only two hours and a half, the charge having entered his back. He was twenty-four years old.

Political.

The Boston *Globe* of Monday had a column editorial headed "an alleged newspaper." It was intended as a withering sneer at the Concord *Monitor*, the sturdy republicanism of which paper seems to sorely trouble the policy-holding conciliationists of the *Globe*; but in the whole column of wisby-washy twaddle there is discernable but one idea, viz.: "great, and pure, and wise is the Boston *Globe*; let all country papers bow in humble adoration." The trouble is that the *Monitor* does not bow to any appreciable extent.

In awarding special credit for the successful contest in the United States Senate during the week, in which the republicans displayed the highest courage and skill, the names of Senators Edmunds, Hoar and Wadleigh appear conspicuous. As chairman of the committee on Privileges and Elections, it was Senator Wadleigh's first trial before the Senate in that position, and it is the universal verdict that he acquitted himself with great credit, and contributed largely to the ultimate republican success.—*Nashua Telegraph.*

It is now confidently asserted that the New Orleans grand jury will indict Senator Kellogg for malfeasance in office. This is a matter of course. The "conciliated" ex-rebels would indict the angel Gabriel were he admitted to the United States Senate as a republican.

Hamburg Butcher Butler's record, in the South Carolina investigating committee's report, shows him to have been a negro murderer and Ku-Klux leader, and quotations from his utterances are given to show the character of the man. In his testimony before a Congressional committee in 1872, under oath, he said: "I worship no God but the war," and went on to explain that he based his fortunes on the result of the rebellion, and being compelled to remain in the Union was a curse to him. To-day this same Massacre C. Butler is a Senator of the United States, put there by murder in South Carolina and corruption at Washington.

If it is contrary to the policy of reconciliation to stir up the things in the dead past against Butler—and how many dead there are in his past let the story of the Hamburg massacre tell—it must be equally flagitious for a jury out in Oregon to attempt to besmirch the title of Grover.—*Cinn. Times.*

Chronicle Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 30th.

All that has always been disagreeable in the House proceedings has been conspicuous in those of the Senate for the past week. Venerable Senators grown gray or bald in the public service, and trained to a serene command of themselves, have been as violent, as abusive, and as tricky as New York aldermen. They have turned the Senate into a boar garden, have kept their seats or their feet all day and all night, and behaved so badly in general that Representatives who wandered over to the Senate wing and looked and listened, blushed at seeing themselves outdone in their own line of business. All this comes, not on a question of legislation, but simply upon the admission of Senators from South Carolina and Louisiana. Yesterday, Thanksgiving Day, the Senate remained in session, each side trying to outwit the other. The prayer at the opening was all that reminded one of the fact that the day was set apart for religious purposes. At this time, Friday noon—it is impossible to tell whether or not any of the contestants will be seated during this session, though it is likely Butler of South Carolina, and Kellogg of Louisiana, will be.

The House was not in session yesterday, and will not meet to-day with the intention of transacting business, but merely as a matter of form. It is waiting for the Senate to act on various bills of public importance, already through the House. Among these is the Paris Exhibition bill, which has a decided majority in both Houses and would be approved by the President, and which seems to have steadily gained friends throughout the country since it was first proposed. The miserable squabble in the Senate may defeat it. Let me venture a prediction that extra sessions of Congress will not be frequent after this most extraordinary one is over.

Outside of the Senate the day was spent much as holidays usually are here. The churches were well filled; places of amusement were largely patronized; and places of business, except restaurants, were closed at mid-day. The population of Washington is very orderly, and there are few arrests necessary on such occasions.

Your readers may have seen a statement of the rate of deaths to the population of this District, which is being extensively circulated, and which, unexplained, will create an impression unfavorable to the healthfulness of the Capital. The ratio is indeed larger than in that of many other cities, but a full statement of the facts explains why this is so. Among whites only eighteen or nineteen die out of each thousand each year. Among negroes, however, the mortality is so excessive, being between forty-one and forty-two per thousand each year, that the general average is increased. There is no healthier city in America than Washington, and the mortality among negroes is no greater than in other large cities where they congregate. Our reports on this subject are also more complete, probably, than those of most other cities, which makes the rate of deaths to population comparatively larger than elsewhere. We are fearfully in debt—we don't deny that—but in all other respects we claim that we have the most attractive city in the Union.

Many of the officers of the Huron, wrecked one week ago to-day, had relatives and warm friends here. Aside from National regret at the loss of so many lives, there is therefore in many cases a feeling of personal sorrow. One much respected gentleman, a resident of the city, who a few years ago lost a son in a similar manner, looses another—and his last—by the death of Walter S. French, Master, who perished in the late disaster; Lieut. Palmer, also lost, had just applied for leave to witness the marriage of his sister here, to an attache of the English Legation. It is proposed to continue for a time the pay of the officers lost to their relatives, and also that of the men, for which there are said to be precedents.

With other correspondents I was pledged not to mention the Washington monument again till action looking to its completion could be noted. But there is another scandalous proposition to depart from the original plan and use the shaft to exhibit some thrifty artist's statue of Washington, Peace, Agriculture and what not; and I wish to protest against such desecration. KNOX.

—The Thanksgiving day which the Canadians celebrated last week was the first one in the history of the young dominion.

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Eastern R. R. 3½	56½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	50¼
Boston & Maine	115
Boston & Providence	122½
Boston & Albany	122¼
Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	54
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	63¼
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Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:52 10:55	5:50
Boston Way,	10:55	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

A meeting of the Board of Trade is called for this Tuesday evening, Dec. 4th, at 7:30 o'clock, in the Common Council room. PER ORDER.

A large fleet of coasters in the lower harbor went to sea on Saturday.

Hon. Frank Jones started for Washington on Monday. He was accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Josiah Morrison, who goes to Florida in search of health.

Mr. Charles H. Rowe sustained a very severe fracture of the left leg, Sunday evening, occasioned by his slipping and falling in jumping out of a carriage to hold a restive horse, the horse falling upon him.

The Boston *Globe* of Monday says that J. M. Edmunds, Postmaster of Washington, whose term of office expires in January next, will be succeeded by Hon. Thomas L. Tullock, at present Assistant Postmaster.

The Secretary of the Navy in his report says the iron-clad Massachusetts, on the stocks at this navy yard, is so rotten as not to be worth finishing, and that the Congress, Kansas and Sabine are not worth repairing.

The CHRONICLE and *Times* on Saturday sold the Hussey house on Islington street to Stephen W. Clark, Esq., and he didn't know he had bought the house until he saw it in the papers. There is nothing equals the press as a disseminator of intelligence. Now is the time to subscribe.

The revival meetings are to be continued here this week, as follows: Morning prayer meetings every day at the Baptist church, and preaching at the North church on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evening by the pastors of the city, the choir to be present at each of the latter exercises.

Mr. George Price, who, it will be remembered, was the snare drummer in the late Marine Band, was among the number who perished on the United States steamer Huron. He was ship's writer. According to an Associated Press dispatch his body was recovered and buried near by the scene of the disaster. —*Times.*

There was good skating on the North Millpond, Monday, and some fifty boys improved the opportunity. The ice we should think could be hardly thick enough for safety, though we are assured it is several inches in thickness. The South Millpond is skimmed over much more lightly, the larger quantity of fresh water running into the North pond probably accounting for the difference, as the fresh water keeps on the surface, and freezes more readily than that which is salt.

The Secretary of the Navy, in his annual report, says of the Kittery navy yard: "No new improvements have been made during the fiscal year. The appropriations for repairs and preservation were barely sufficient, with the practice of rigid economy, to make such repairs as were most urgent. The excellence of the machinery and workshops at this yard, the abundance of skilled labor in its immediate vicinity, the healthfulness of its climate which has caused it to be selected as the port to which vessels of war, suffering from the pernicious climate the West Indies and Mexico shall be ordered for sanitary purposes or for repairs, all combine to recommend it to the fostering care of Congress. The amount of appropriations asked for is small and is urgently needed."

THE VICINITY.

Henry Brown of Seabrook fell through the railroad bridge at Newburyport, Mass., on Wednesday night, Nov. 28th, and was drowned. He was intoxicated.

A tramp, giving several names, shot an estimable lady named Bennett at Newmarket Junction on Saturday, for refusing to give him money wherewith to purchase tobacco, the ball passing through her thigh, making a very bad wound. The lady, a widow, fully identified the man among a number of tramps who were speedily arrested as soon as the shooting became known. He denies the crime, but the evidence is very strong against him.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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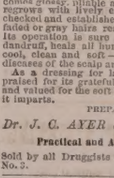

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Daily Chronicle.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

The full text of the President's message would take up much more room than we have to spare. The following is a synopsis of it:

After the customary introduction the President immediately enters upon the discusssion of the action of the administration with regard to the withdrawal of troops from the Southern State House, and the present administrative policy. The facts in the case of South Carolina and Louisiana are briefly recited. The President considers that the effect of his Southern policy has been beneficial. The Southern States are at peace, there have been no political murders, the material condition has improved, credit is better and manufacturing industries are developing.

The next subject treated in the message is the financial question. Upon this subject the President's position is very positive. He considers resumption of specie payments as of the first importance and as essential both to the development of our internal trade and the extension of our foreign commerce. The President, after thorough research and careful study, declares that he is fully confirmed in the opinion expressed in his letter of acceptance and inaugural that the resumption policy must be maintained, and that no legislation that would hinder it should be enacted. He thinks a contrary course, instead of relieving the country from embarrassment and distress, would aggravate existing distrust and result in serious disaster and national dishonor. He considers that while the injurious effects of opposition to speedy resumption would not be restricted to one class, it would most seriously affect the working masses. With regard to the remonetization of silver the President is equally positive. He pronounces himself for a double standard, and thinks that silver and gold should be utilized in the currency of the country, but he does not favor a remonetization of silver so that the silver dollar shall be a full legal tender. He considers that the national debt was contracted in gold, and that it should be paid, principal and interest in that coin. He does not approve of any legislation which would compel the creditors to accept payment in silver coin. The President believes in the policy of using both precious metals, but is opposed to making the silver dollar legal tender for public debt or imposts. He would not give that dollar any higher function than that now exercised by national bank currency. The President desires the remonetization of silver as subsidiary coin only with a legal tender somewhat larger than at present, but it appears very evident from his message that he could not approve a bill which would make the silver dollar an unlimited legal tender.

Upon the civil service question the President again states in substance the opinion of his inaugural address. In consideration of the fact that his views on this question are generally known he has evidently not thought it necessary to discuss the subject at length. No allusion is made directly to the differences which have existed between the Senate and the Executive with respect to appointments, nor is there anything in the message which shows the disposition on the part of the President to quarrel with the Senate or to encroach in any way upon the prerogative of that body. His message is very positive and explicit in the language used as to civil service, but it is possible that the extreme advocates of that policy will not find as much as they have expected.

Of foreign topics, questions relating to the Mexican border are given the most prominence. The condition of affairs on the Rio Grande, as shown by official reports, is briefly reviewed, and the reasons which caused the order to be issued to General Ord are stated. The President appears to appreciate the delicate position in which the government has been placed by issuing that order, and evidently is conscious that it possibly may lead to serious international difficulty, but he defends it on the ground that the lives and property of the border citizens could not be protected in any other way, and disavows any intention or desire to provoke hostilities with Mexico. From this portion of the message it will appear that the administration is determined upon a vigorous foreign policy, one which will not seek difficulties with other nations, but which will be ready to accept the consequence of any act necessary for the protection of the rights or property of American citizens.

Secretary Sherman, in his report, does not ask for any additional legislation to enable him execute the resumption act, and the President in his message agrees with the Secretary. If Congress were

disposed to favor resumption, some additional laws might be asked for, but under the circumstances the President and Secretary both think that none should be, and they will stand by the act of January 1st, 1879. The Secretary also maintains that the resumption act does not require the cancellation of three hundred millions of United States notes which remain after the greenback currency has been reduced to that maximum, and that it may be left in circulation, being always exchangeable at the sub-treasuries for gold coin.

The affairs of the War, Navy and Post-office departments receive brief mention. The recommendations of the chiefs of the departments are generally approved. In treating of the subjects which come under the Interior Department special prominence is given to the Indian question. The President insists that good faith should be preserved with the Indians. He is very emphatic upon this point. The first step toward civilizing the Indians recommended is the discouragement of hunting, by allowing them only a small supply of arms and ammunition, and persuading them to exchange ponies for cattle. This, the President thinks, will destroy or keep in check their warlike spirit. So fast as the Indians abandon hunting the President believes they should be collected upon a smaller number of reservations, and taught agriculture and herding. In teaching them peaceful pursuits their natural tastes should be considered, and those who preferred cattle raising to farming should be permitted to choose their occupation. It is recommended that the jurisdiction of the United States Courts be extended to protect the Indians, and that an Indian police, composed of Indians, be established.

Compulsory education is recommended for Indian children, the farms supported by the government to be used for the instruction of youth in the schools and the farmers to visit the farms themselves and give necessary advice on reservations. Indian labor is recommended. The President also refers to Secretary Schurz's Indian investigations, and speaks of their good results. Legislation is asked providing for more certain discovery and prevention of abuses in the Indian service.

The message contains a paragraph on the District of Columbia, the Agricultural Department, the Washington monument, (recommending its completion,) and on several other subjects of minor importance.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1877.

Report of the Secretary of the Treasury.

The ordinary revenues from all sources for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1877, were $269,000,586.62; the ordinary expenditures for the same period were $238,660,008.93; leaving a surplus revenue of $38,340,577.69, which was applied as follows: To the redemption of United States notes, etc., $10,071,617; redemption of fractional currency, $14,043,458.05; redemption of six per cent. bonds for the sinking fund, $447,500; to increase of cash balance in the Treasury, $5,778,002.64. The amount due the sinking fund for the year was $33,729,833.20, leaving a deficiency on this account of $3,389,255.51. The total revenues for the current year will amount to $265,500,000, and the expenditures to $232,430,643.72, which will leave a surplus revenue of $33,069,356.28; and as the amount required for the sinking fund is $35,424,804.80, there will be a deficit on this account of $2,355,448.52.

The receipts from customs for the year ended June 30, 1876, were $148,071,984.61, and at the corresponding date of 1877 they were $130,956,493.07—a decrease of $17,115,491.54. The receipts for the first quarter of the last fiscal year were $37,554,728.53, while for the corresponding period of this year they were $36,983,531.56—a decrease of $571,196.97.

The Register of the Treasury reports the total tonnage of vessels of the United States to be 4,242,600 tons, a decrease of 36,858 tons from that of the fiscal year ended June 30, 1876. The actual decrease is believed to be about 13,563 tons, this amount being the excess of the losses over the gains during the last fiscal year, the balance being accounted for by dropping canal boats, exempt under the act of Congress approved April 18, 1874. The tonnage of vessels built as given by the Register is 176,592 tons, being a decrease from that of the previous year of 26,994 tons, or over 15 per centum. The number of vessels built is 1029.

During the past year there have been inspected 4061 vessels, involving an aggregate tonnage of 1,014,912.36 tons, and licenses have been issued to 14,293 officers.

The estimates of appropriations required to carry on the government for the next fiscal year are as follows: Legislative establishment, $2,845,256.16; executive establishment, $132,288,462.25; judicial establishment, $391,000,000; foreign intercourse, $1,214,395.50; military establishment, $31,597,270,682.68; naval establishment, $1,633,234.40; Indian affairs, $5,415,951.20; pensions, $28,000,000; public service, $8,093,672.72; miscellaneous, $15,143,585.22; permanent annual appropriations, $142,581,147.59. Total, $280,688,796.38.

Some Fools.

Charles Robinson, aged sixteen, became infatuated with Ida Westervelt, aged fourteen, of Jersey City Heights, and, despite the remonstrances of her parents and the coolness displayed by Ida, persisted in calling at the house. On Saturday he called with a bookmark, intending to present it to the girl as a token of his love. She rejected the gift, and young Robinson hastily left the room and went into the yard, and hanged himself with the clothes line. He was cut down in time to save his life.

At Norfolk, Va., Sunday, a jealous youth named Benjamin Godfrey, aged nineteen, shot and instantly killed Miss Mollie E. Winlagder, aged seventeen, and then shot himself through the left breast, probably fatally.

Report of the Postmaster-General.

Postmaster-General Key says the total expenditures of his department were $33,486,322.14; receipts $27,331,585.26; excess of expenditures over receipts, $5,954,737.18.

In addition to the receipts shown above, there was realized on grants from the Treasury for various purposes, hereinafter detailed, the sum of $7,013,300.00, making the total amount received from all sources, $34,544,885.26, an excess over the expenditures of $1,058,562.82. Included in the above statement of expenditures is the sum of $1,163,818.20, paid on liabilities incurred in previous fiscal years, and not properly chargeable to the expenditures of the last fiscal year. Deducting this sum from the aggregate amount leaves $32,322,504.24, as the actual expenditures for the year.

In the receipts from money-order business is included the sum of $63,261.84, received from international money-orders for the year ended June 30, 1876, which, deducted from the total receipts in the above statement, leaves the sum of $109,148.01 as the actual receipts from that source, and reduces the amount of revenues for the year to $27,468,328.42. The expenditures and receipts of the department therefore, on account of and appertaining to the business of the last fiscal year (excluding expenditures and receipts on account of previous years), are as follows, viz.:

Expenditures	$32,322,504.24
Receipts, ordinary, from money-order business and from official stamps	27,468,328.42
Leaving an excess of expenditures over receipts of	4,854,180.82

The expenditures during the fiscal year were $222,834.86 more than those of the preceding year, and $3,333,483.55 less than the estimates therefor.

The sum of $1,024,719.16 was derived from newspaper publishers; 3,288,290 dead letters were received containing $40,062.41 in money and $1,301,780.49 in valuable papers; $4754 could not be restored to owners. There were forwarded 4,378,127 registered letters and $367,438.80 was collected in fees. There were at the close of the year 4098 offices supplied by mail-messengers, at an annual cost of $659,497. There was an increase over the preceding year in transportation of 11,083,543 miles; and in cost $183,755. Deducting the decrease in cost for railway post-office clerks, route, local, and other agents, $15,555, the total increase in cost was $168,190.

The amount of fines imposed upon contractors and deductions made from their pay for failures and other delinquencies for the last fiscal year ending June 30, 1877, was $89,755.46, and the amount remitted for the same period was $25,473.33, leaving the net amount of fines and deductions $64,282.14. The cost of repairing mail bags has been reduced 92 per cent. There were 543 arrests for offences against the postal laws. The percentage of losses is one in 5000 letters sent through the mails.

The cost of the United States transatlantic mail-steamship service for the year 1877 was $159,742.48, being a reduction of $12,600.61 from the cost of the same service for the year 1876.

The number of domestic money-orders issued during the year, was 4,925,931, amounting to $72,820,509.70, and the number paid was 4,769,673, amounting to $72,448,156.53. The domestic orders repaid amounted in value to $460,318.72, which sum is said to be added to the amount of the orders paid, making the total payments $72,908,475.25, and the excess of the payments over the issues $87,965.55. Fees amounting to $623,748.98 were received by postmasters for the issue of domestic orders. A decrease is shown by the foregoing statement of the year's transactions, when compared with that of the previous year, amounting to $4,215,463.08, or 5.48 per cent., in the orders issued; $4,184,414.92, or 5.46 per cent., in the orders paid; and $21,956.55, or 3.40 per cent., in the fees received. The chief cause of this notable decrease in the amount of the money-order business during the last year, was the continued financial depression, which has seriously affected the business of the country, and diminished the number of remittances for various purposes.

Gen. Key calls special attention to the matter of changing the salaries of postmasters at fourth-class offices. They now receive from 40 to 60 per cent. of the amount of stamps sold by them, and are thus antagonistic to the government, for, the larger their sales the smaller the department receives.

Postal matter of the first class, including letters and postal cards, pays, and more than pays its way through the mails; but matter of the second and third classes fails, by a large amount, to pay the cost of its transmission; while the quantity of official and Congressional mail matter, which, under recent legislation, goes free, costs the government for its transportation just as much as other matter. Under existing postal laws, deficiencies in this department must, for a long time to come, increase as business increases, and it is best that this fact be clearly understood.

South Carolina Conciliation.

Robert Smalls, of South Carolina, has been sentenced to three years in the Penitentiary. A private letter from Columbia, printed in the Chicago *Inter-Ocean*, gives us some idea of the manner in which his conviction was brought about. After speaking of the petitions for new trials filed by Smalls and Cardozo, ex-State Treasurer, the letter says:

"These petitions set forth in a full and formal manner the illegality of most of the evidence used against them, and which would have been ruled out in any fair court in any civilized country. But the prejudice here is so great and such a complete reign of terror exists here, that it would not have made a particle of difference what was the character of the testimony or the witnesses; conviction was a foregone conclusion. The court was specially organized to convict, and convict it did. The colored men on the jury that convicted Smalls and Cardozo stated that they were told in the jury-room by the white jurors that they would not be permitted to leave the town alive unless they brought in a verdict of guilty. A perfect reign of terror exists here; and no man, white or black, can successfully oppose it. There was an election here yesterday to fill the vacancy caused by the forced resignation of Hon. W. B. Nash, the former Senator from this county. You will perhaps remember that Mr. Nash was the Presidential Elector in this State whom the democrats offered $30,000 to vote for Tilden. The election was very quiet and peaceful indeed, the peace that reigns at Warsaw. There were no republican candidates or voters. The democratic candidate was elected unanimously, although the republicans have 2500 majority in this county."

News and Notes.

The number of troops in Western Texas is so small that the Indians rove and murder with impunity. Near Stockton, a few days since, the Indians captured a coach, killed the driver, cut up the mail bags and ran off the team.

The Biddeford *Daily Times* came out on Monday very much enlarged. It is a really good local paper, and if the citizens of Saco and Biddeford know what is for the interest of their city and themselves they will give it the liberal patronage it deserves, for at least one well conducted daily paper is a necessity in any place of the size of the sister cities on the Saco.

A Columbia, S. C., despatch says Congressman Smalls has been released on $10,000 bail to await the decision of the Supreme Court on his appeal; also that Attorney-General Conner has sent in his resignation.

Schooner Horace Moodie, Capt. Brewer, and schooner Nellie H. Benedict, Capt. Terrell, came in collision off Barnegat on Friday night, and both sank. All hands were saved by a pilot boat.

Capt. Wm. M. Jones, who was in command of the steamer Massachusetts when she went ashore on Long Island some weeks ago, has left the service of the Providence & Stonington Steamship Company, and taken a position under the Atlantic Insurance Co., of New York.

A correspondent of the *Nation* recites a story which aptly illustrates the manner in which people are deceived by paper money. Just before the war, an Irishman, who had saved $2,000 in gold, tried to buy a house in Philadelphia. The owner asked $2,200, and the trade fell through. The war came; paper money went down; the Irishman tried to buy the house again; the owner still asked $2,200. The Irishman went home, took $1000 from his board, sold the gold for $2,200 in greenbacks, bought the house, and had half his gold left. The seller had been deceived by the word dollar, and had sold his property for less than half price.

At Saybrook, Conn., Monday morning, William Bogue was shot and killed by a quarrelsome fellow named Mahoney, who was drunk. Bogue gave the murderer no provocation.

The Secretary of the Navy has received from Capt. E. M. Stoddard the following dispatch relative to the condition of the wrecked Huron: "Examined the Huron with divers aft; find the upper works gone; both decks have floated up nearly to the spar deck, so that the divers could not get in the ward-room; will examine forward this afternoon. The undertow and current are very bad. The spar deck is entirely submerged, the port side being eight feet under water; will be obliged to blow up the spar deck to see if there are bodies in the ward-room. The ship seems to be hogged. The pivot gun is in place."

Dr. Thomas A. Lambert, President of the American Popular Life Insurance Company, is on trial in New York, on a charge of swearing to a false return of the assets and liabilities of that institution. The trial will occupy the greater part of the week.

John Hickson of Cincinnati made up his mind that he did not wish to live to be more than eighty years old. As he approached his 80th birthday he found that he was not likely to die a natural death within the allotted time, for his health was good. So he prepared for suicide, settling up his business and making a will. On the day he was eighty years old he jumped into a river and was drowned.

New Hampshire Items.

A small dwelling-house in Peterboro', belonging to Mrs. Thomas Scott, was burned Monday morning. Loss $200; no insurance.

The New Hampshire Board of Agriculture meets at Lisbon the 17th instant and at Littleton the 18th.

The State Normal School at Plymouth, A. P. Kelsey Principal, closed its fall term the 28th ult.

The brick yards of Hooksett turn out from 12,000,000 to 15,000,000 bricks annually, requiring from 5000 to 6000 cords of wood.

Milford has had a baby show under the auspices of the Baptist society. About thirty babies were shown, from three weeks to four years of age.

A tramp who called for lodgings at the Nashua station, showed the following goods about his clothing on being subjected to the search usually made in such cases: One seven barreled revolver, loaded; one silver watch; one gold watch chain; two steel watch chains; one gold seal ring; a pocket nearly full of cartridges; two pocket books containing a small amount of money; three pocket knives; two pipes and a few other articles, all of which made quite a display for a man who was obliged to stop at the station house at the city's expense.

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WE were exposed last week to a pitiless storm, that wet our feet and stockings, and indeed our person all over. In fact we took a cracking cold, which brought sore throat and severe symptoms of fever. The good wife asserted her authority, plunged our feet in hot water, wrapped us in hot blankets, and sent our faithful son for a bottle of AYERS' CHERRY PECTORAL. It is a splendid medicine—pleasant to take, and did the job. We slept soundly through the night and awoke well the next morning. We know we owe our quick recovery to the Pectoral, and shall not hesitate to recommend it to all who need such a medicine.—*Tehuacana (Texas) Presbyterian.*

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Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
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Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 85c.
Meal, Ambr. per ton $5.00, Smflt's, per chal $8.50
Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Land Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 35 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9 @ 9½c; Gr. 10¼; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 65 to 75c.; Green, 60c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties cupon	108¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	106¼
Maine State 6s. 1889	112¼
N. H. State 6s 1890	108¼
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 3½	56¾
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60¼
Boston & Maine	115
Boston & Providence	110¼
Boston & Albany	121¼
Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	44
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	63¼
Northern N. H.	75
Old Colony & Newport	56
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	31
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65¼

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:35	
Concord Way,		4:35	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:35	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:35	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:35 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails (and no others) east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE CITY.

Secretary Thompson evidently thinks the Navy Yard across the river is of some account.

Schooner Sallie M. Evans, Capt. Willetts, from Philadelphia for Dover with 350 tons of coal, passed up the river on Tuesday forenoon.

In the estimates before the appropriations committee of the House the sum proposed to be expended on the improvement of this navy yard is $47,000.

At the late session of the Supreme court held in this city, Judge Stanley heard over one hundred cases, twenty-five of which were jury trials. There was but one disagreement, which was in a liquor case.

On Tuesday forenoon two lighters arrived at the navy yard from Boston, in tow of steam tug L. A. Belknap, each lighter having on board a boiler taken from the U. S. S. Iowa at Boston, and destined for the Ticonderoga, now undergoing repairs at this navy yard.

The Board of Trade came together at the Common Council room on Tuesday evening, but it being their first meeting for many months only preliminary work was done, the Board then adjourning to next Tuesday evening at eight o'clock. At the next meeting the harbor improvement and Portsmouth bridge questions will come up for consideration.

The President on Monday afternoon sent to the Senate the nomination of Alfred F. Howard, Esq., to be Collector of Customs for this District. The business of the District has never been more promptly and economically conducted than under Collector Howard's administration, and he will undoubtedly be confirmed by the Senate for another term.

We are indebted to Mr. B. P. Grover, a son of Portsmouth but now a resident of Holyoke, Mass., for a large and beautifully printed circular in pamphlet form, entitled "The City of Holyoke; its Water Power and its Industries." The pamphlet contains sixteen pages, twenty-two inches by seventeen, printed on tinted paper, and containing, besides a history of the city and its manufactories, over sixty large and very fine engravings of the different manufactories and public buildings, and also a large map of the city. It is the best specimen of an advertising circular we have seen.

N. H. S. P. C. A.

The annual meeting of the New Hampshire Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals was held in the Common Council room on Monday evening, President Thomas E. O. Marvin in the chair. The records of the last meeting were read and approved. The following is the tabulated statement of matters receiving the attention of the society during the year just closed, as presented by the Secretary:

Overdriven horses, three; working old, lame, sick, galled and worn-out horses, twenty-seven; neglected and starving animals, nine; maliciously mutilating, wounding and killing ducks, one; cock fighting, nine; various acts of cruelty to dogs, doves, etc., nine; horses exposed to cold and blanketed, twenty-six; total, eighty-four.

Each case, says the report, has been carefully inquired into, and wherever the facts have justified the complaints, steps have been taken to relieve the suffering of the animals and prevent a repetition of the offense. Several animals rendered unfit for further use by old age or disease have been mercifully killed, either at the request of the owner or when found abandoned by heartless persons and reported to the Secretary of the Society. A few of the complaints were found to be frivolous and unwarranted by the facts, but in every case where cruelty has been practised the offenders have been prosecuted, except in instances where the Secretary was satisfied that the cruelty was the result of thoughtlessness and that a repetition would not occur after attention had been called to it. It is now five years since this society was organized, and in that time it has accomplished an amount of good work that has materially changed or at least awakened the public feeling on the subject of cruelty to animals. It has received encouragement and support from the better class of citizens and has made its influence felt in every direction.

The treasurer reported the total amount of receipts for the year to be $642.48; expenses, $449.22; cash on hand, $93.26; the permanent fund is reported to be $396.27; amount paid for distribution of literature, $9.22. About 4000 copies of *Our Dumb Animals* were distributed during the year.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year;

President, Thomas E. O. Marvin.
Vice Presidents, Mrs. Stanton Parker, Mrs. Albert L. Jones, Mrs. Richabod Goodwin, Mrs. E. H. Winchester, Miss Annie F. Jenness, John S. H. Frink, Wm. F. Parrott, W. H. Y. Hackett, Frank Jones, Daniel Austin, Alfred O. Larkin.
Directors, Mrs. John J. Pickering, Mrs. Alfred W. Haven, Mrs. Eliza Rice, Miss E. H. Pearson, Mrs. H. C. Knight, Mrs. Frank W. Miller, Miss Mary A. Foster, Miss Susan E. Christie, Miss Carrie A. Morrison, Miss Mary R. Lyman, James R. May, Augustus W. Odiorne, Alonzo F. Craig, Charles W. Gardner.
Secretary, Charles E. Batchelder.
Treasurer, Mary A. Foster.

The thanks of the society were voted to the friends of the cause who supplied the cost of the recent children's festival in aid of the objects of the society, and to the retiring Secretary, A. F. Craig, Esq., for the prompt and efficient manner in which he has performed his duties during the past year. Mr. Craig has been secretary over two years.

THE VICINITY.

The tramp who shot Mrs. Charles A. Bennett at Newmarket Junction, Saturday morning, because after feeding him she refused to give him money to buy tobacco, gives the name of Richard Ryan, and says he belongs in Springfield, Mass. No pistol was found on him or either of the other tramps that were arrested, though each of them had a razor.

Mr. John Low, of York, Me., has taken a contract to build six double-tenement houses and three cottages on the neck leading to the Nubble, to be finished in readiness for occupancy in time for next summer's "rush." A number of other buildings it is said are contracted for by other parties, to be erected at Manchesterville, Concordville and the other summer-residence villages that have recently sprung up on the York coast.

Rev. Daniel Austin died at his home in Kittery on Tuesday morning. He played a game of chess the evening previous, when he seemed as well as usual; but some hours later he was found to be rapidly failing, and soon passed away. He was born Nov. 21st, 1703, and graduated at Dartmouth College in 1813; we believe he was the last surviving member of his class. He officiated for some years as a Unitarian minister, his longest pastorate, and we believe his last, being at Brighton, Mass. He was a courteous gentleman of the old school, and widely known. He was the first President of the Board of Trustees of the Rice Library of Kittery.

MARRIAGES.

PLUMER—ROBERTS. In this city, Dec. 1, by Rev. James Noyes, Daniel T. Plummer, M. D., of Newbury, Mass., and Mary J. Roberts of this city.

LANGILL—TRAFTON. In this city, Dec. 1st, by Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D., Mr. Albert Langill and Miss Annie E. Trafton, both of York, Me.

DEATHS.

AUSTIN. In Kittery, Me., Dec. 4th, Rev. Daniel Austin, aged 84 years and 13 days.

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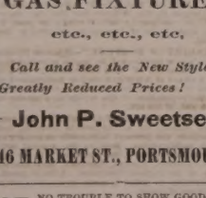

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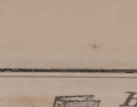

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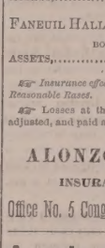

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Daily Chronicle.

Written for the Chronicle.

FAST LIVING AT OTHER PEOPLE'S EXPENSE.

In the days when Harrison Gray Otis was Mayor, and the beautiful Mrs. Barrett queen of the Boston stage, among the habitues of the Tremont theatre were a youthful couple who could almost nightly be seen in their accustomed position. No matter how crowded the house on the occasion of some extra attraction, such as the benefit of a popular favorite, or of the excellent stock company, no handsomer pair could be seen, or those to whom more glasses were directed. Photographed upon my memory they appear before me now as if it were but yesterday that I looked upon them last; the husband in the fashionable light overcoat of the time, that gave such grace to the wearer; the lady in a dress of white, her rich dark hair simply arranged yet with an artist's skill, and with few ornaments, proving that beauty is most when least adorned. No box had so many visitors as theirs when permitted by a not over-crowded audience, and when the house was full, surrounded by friends who had secured seats in the same locality, they formed but a single party, as could be seen by the sociality that prevailed among them when the curtain was down.

We will now change the scene to the elegant mansion of Mr. John Bradlee, one of the merchant princes of Boston in by-gone years, situated in the then fashionable quarter adjoining the Common. "Who was at the Tremont last night?" asked Miss Edith Bradlee of her sister as they met at the breakfast table, and receiving for reply: "The Smiths were there." "Of course they were," rejoined the other; you might as well have told me that the Barretts, or Kilner, or Finn were upon the stage. They must be very fond of attending places of public amusement, as I never go to one of the kind without finding them among the audience. Charles says they did not miss a night when the Woods were singing in opera at the Tremont, or the Saturday evening concerts of the company at the Masonic Temple, and made a prominent figure at the grand military ball, on Washington's birthday at the old Boston theatre. When not at some public resort he says they are either attending or receiving company. They must have a good income to permit such drafts upon it; their carriage-hire alone forming no trifle in the course of a year."

"Who are these 'gay and festive' people," asked the father of the young ladies, "that you have talked of while I have been reading the news, and trying to masticate the tough steak the butcher has sent us?"

"All we know of them," Miss Edith answered, "is that the husband holds some position in one of the State street banks and that they live in rather a genteel neighborhood in West Boston."

John Bradlee, Esq., having some idea of the cost of living to others from his own experience in a similar way, came to the conclusion that the Mr. Smith referred to required to be at least a bank president to make the figure in the world he had been given to understand he was doing at the time. He knew also that the salary of a more subordinate position would not permit its recipient to indulge in a very luxurious life; and that while two and six are eight, six *from* two leaves a deficiency to be supplied from some other source. With the merchant theatricals were among the things of the past, but seeing upon the bills of the Tremont an announcement of the appearance of the veteran Cooper, that he had seen in his prime, he concluded to take his family that night to the theatre, where the once famed actor was to appear in his popular character of Marc Antony. On taking their seats in the favorable position he had been able to secure, his eldest daughter said to him, "the lady in the white satin dress, nearly opposite to us, (the third box from the stage,) and the gentleman at her side, in a light overcoat, are the people we talked of this morning. They always occupy front seats in that box." Turning his eyes in the direction indicated, the merchant readily recognized in Mr. Samuel Smith the receiving teller of a bank in which he was largely concerned as a stockholder, and for the remainder of the evening was much more interested in the receiver of other people's money than in the mimic scene upon the stage, although an emanation from the genius of Shakespeare, and its theme, like the author, of undying interest, through all time. The morning following, while on the way to his business in India street, he had a glimpse of the same individual as he entered a door, and on reaching the locality, recognized it, by the placards in the window, as a

place for the sale of lottery tickets. A passing glance brought to his view, through the glass, the gentleman in question receiving from the vender of tickets what was known as "a package," and a minute later he saw him upon the opposite walk, journeying in the direction of State street. Putting together what he had gathered from others and that coming under his own observation, he became quite sure that there was "something rotten in Denmark" with the individual who had the handling of so much of property not his own, and at once set about in a quiet way to learn as much of his affairs as it was necessary for him to know with the object in view, and soon had reason to believe, from the agencies he employed, that a salary of fifteen hundred a year would go but little way to support the style of expenditure under which he was living. In searching out his earlier history, it appeared that he came from a family who had once known better days, and that he had been advanced to the position he then held after serving as a clerk in the same institution. His fine personal appearance and agreeable manners, as well as the respectable position he occupied, had given him entrance into a sphere of society something different from that in which he had been accustomed to move, and it was to enable him after his marriage to make a similar appearance in the world with his associates, that he was led by slow yet sure steps from imprudence in the use of his own means to the crime of supplying the demands upon his purse, to sustain his new mode of life, from that of others to which he had access from the trust that had been placed in him. When an investigation into his affairs, in his connection with the bank, came to be made, it appeared that he was a defaulter to the amount of more than forty thousand dollars; a great sum it was then regarded in such a connection, though but a trifle in comparison with the frauds perpetrated by others, in similar positions, in these later days, yet so skillfully had he managed to conceal his deficiencies amid the large resources of the institution, he might have gone on for years longer in a like way without detection, but for the intimation by the merchant of his suspicions to the bank authorities. No law then existed in Massachusetts prohibiting the traffic in lottery tickets, and to such means did he resort in the hope of winning back the sums he had embezzled; yet, while expending annually more than the amount of his salary, as usual in such cases realizing but a small return from such delusive investments.

The day of reckoning came at a moment when least expected by the delinquent official. While an examination of his accounts was in progress, and a large deficit had already been detected, the president of the bank in returning with his family from an evening meeting at the church they attended, found a street on their route nearly blockaded by a throng of carriages that he was told were conveying company to a party in the neighborhood; and on reaching the indicated locality, a glance at the door-plate afforded to his view the name of Samuel Smith, that he knew could be none other than the unfaithful employe of the institution in which he was so deeply interested. The dwelling presented from the basement to the attic a blaze of light, and seemed already overflowing with its numerous visitors, while music could be heard, and other sounds indicating that the festivities of the occasion had already commenced. Thinking it about time, with this added evidence, when the bank officials were made aware of it, that the squandering of the funds of the bank, through such an agency, was brought to a close, the next afternoon, when business for the day was over, Mr. Samuel Smith received an intimation that his presence was desired in the room of the directors. Though changing nearly to the hue of the spotless linen he wore, on being charged with his wrong-doing, and evidently surprised at the accurate knowledge possessed by his accusers of the extent of his defalcations, notwithstanding his skill in so long concealing them, he made no useless efforts of denial or exculpation, but threw himself entirely upon the mercy of the representatives of others as well as themselves that he had wronged; who, as a matter of course, whatever their sympathies for the offender might be, had no choice but to hand him over to the proper tribunals to receive the reward of his crime. On taking possession of his effects by the authorities of the bank, his residence was found to be furnished in a style such as was not often seen in those of the wealthiest citizens of Boston at that day; and in the search for any remnant that might exist of his ill-gotten gains, lottery tickets, that had drawn blanks, came to light in sufficient numbers to have papered the walls of the room where they were found. Every effort was made by able counsel, in defending him at his trial, to convert his crime into simply a breach of trust or misdemeanor, but without avail, although he escaped, instead of a term in the State prison, with a two-years' imprisonment in the county jail.

Boston was then just large enough for everybody and everything that transpired within its limits, to be known, and the subject afforded for the time an abundant theme of chat, especially among the theatre-going portion of the community, with whom the face of the defaulting bank-teller was as familiar as that of George Jones, now known as the Count Joannes, who was then a prominent member of the Tremont company. While little sympathy was felt for him, much existed for his young and beautiful companion, who, although sharing in his luxurious life since his marriage, was innocent of any knowledge as to the source from whence was derived most of the means by which it was sustained. What became of Mr. Samuel Smith—which, by the way, was not the name of the individual referred to—when his term of imprisonment expired, I never learned, but have always remembered his case as a remarkable instance of fast-living at other people's expense, such as was not wont often to be committed at a former day.

JOHN H. BOWLES.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1877.

City Elections in Massachusetts.

There were a number of city and town elections in Massachusetts on the 4th inst., resulting generally in republican triumphs.

In Cambridge, the tickets were the "Temple Hall" and "People's," the former winning by a decided majority. The "people" were the democrats.

In Somerville, George A. Bruce had 1334 votes to 18 for all others; the "citizens" and "independents" divided the council nearly equally between them.

In Haverhill there was but one "regular" ticket—that is what a nondescript ticket is called in Massachusetts—and Mayor Kimball was re-elected by 1750 votes to 84 scattering. The "citizens" also elected most of the aldermen. The "citizens" party was the rum party.

In Chelsea, Mayor Stebbins was re-elected by a vote of 1616 to 31, the "citizens" also running things in Chelsea, and electing most of their candidates for aldermen as well as the mayor.

In Newton the republican candidate for mayor was elected by about 175 majority.

In Lawrence the republicans made a clean sweep, electing their candidate for mayor by about 600 majority, all of the aldermen, and fourteen of eighteen councilmen. The democrats were confident of carrying the city on the morning of election day, and the republicans were afraid they would do it.

In Gloucester the republicans elected the mayor and exactly one-half the city councils.

In Fall River the republicans elected the mayor, and carried five wards out of six.

In Springfield the republicans elect the mayor and all but two of the councilmen.

At Holyoke a republican was elected mayor without opposition; the democrats elected the treasurer and clerk; the council stands eleven republicans to the ten democrats.

Taunton elected a republican mayor, and seven republican aldermen to one democrats.

News and Notes.

Robert Tyler, son of ex-President Tyler, was attacked with paralysis of the brain at Montgomery, Ala., Dec. 3d, and died next day.

Judge Humphreys declines to surrender Senator Patterson on the requisition of Gov. Hampton, of South Carolina, on the ground that he is not, within the meaning of the law, a fugitive from justice, but is daily occupying a seat in the United States Senate, representing the State which so calls him.

D. A. Baldwin, late President of the West Wisconsin Railway, was found dead, Monday, in a barn at New Durham, N. J., where he had choked himself with a handkerchief. Recent financial troubles caused the suicide.

Schooner Two Sisters was wrecked near Galveston, Texas, Dec. 3d, and three men were drowned.

Hon. Edward Conigland, a prominent lawyer of North Carolina, was killed while walking on the track of the railroad near the town of Halifax. Conigland was very deaf and is supposed not to have heard the approaching train.

The estate of ex-Senator Francis Jewett, of Lowell, Mass., is attached for $5000 on a civil suit brought by the relatives of James Farley, who was accidentally shot by one of Jewett's men while killing a steer in his slaughter-house with a rifle, last summer.

Barque Utile, from Baltimore for Queenstown, was sunk by collision with steamer America on the night of Dec. 1st; the captain, mate and two seamen of the Utile were drowned; the steamer was badly damaged, and had to put back to Southampton, Eng. Ship Oasis, owned at Yarmouth, N. S., was sunk by steamship Pennsylvania on Dec. 3d, off the Irish coast; crew saved.

Schooner Ida May, of Dorchester, N. B., was wrecked on the Foul Ground in Courtenay Bay on the night of Dec. 3d. The crew are missing.

Much feeling has been shown by Peruvians against the British navy since the Huascar affair. It is reported the captain of British sloop-of-war Osprey was stoned in the streets of Callao by a mob. A meeting called in Lima, to request the government to prevent the crew of the Osprey from landing, was not allowed by the police.

Senator Sharon has parted with his control of the Ophir and Belcher mines to Flood & O'Brien. His struggle to retain control of these properties was the cause of his absence from the United States Senate during the late contest for the supremacy of the republican party.

A dispatch from Coquimilla, Chili, says the Pacific Steam Navigation Company's steamship Atacoma has been lost. The crew numbered forty and the passengers probably about fifty. Only eighteen passengers were saved.

A letter from Fort Walsh, Manitoba, says Col. Walsh has returned from escorting Sitting Bull to his new camp and states that Sitting Bull evidently did not fully understand the offer of the American Commissioners when they stated the terms upon which the Indians were to return to their reservations. They did not understand that they were to be reimbursed for their horses and cattle, and Sitting Bull says they did not refuse to return in the course of a year to their reservations. They had been informed by the Nez Perces that Gen. Terry had just been killing their people, and they did not want to treat with a man with blood on his hands.

It appears from a Blue Book just issued respecting the great cyclone and storm wave which visited certain districts of Bengal on the morning of the 1st of November, 1876, that the total number of persons drowned was 90,000, and that the outbreak of cholera which followed carried off 75,000, making a total mortality of 165,000.

Capt. Greene, United States military attache, has received the Russian order of St. Andrew for coolness in the battles of Schipka Pass and Plevna.

The government has reopened the recruiting offices for the United States army, so as to fill up the ranks to the standard of 25,000 men.

Consul Badeau, at London, warns American mechanics against coming to England for work, as they invariably reach the American Consul's office in different cities and are indignant because there is no fund to send them home. Their condition is pitiable.

A young man at a rifle match in Portland, Oregon, when his turn came at the target, shot a bystander through the heart. The killing may have been accidental, but the two men were bitter enemies, and there is doubt on the subject.

The seamen on frigate Minnesota have subscribed $160 for the widows and orphans of the sailors of the Huron.

The Richmond (Va.) *State* says that Gen. N. B. Forrest, at his own request, was buried in his Confederate uniform.

An amusing old gentleman at Fitchburg walked into a wheelwright's shop, called for his sharpest chisel and a block of wood, placed his bare foot on the bench and cut off his big toe.

A Portland, Oregon, dispatch says Gen. Howard has approved the findings of the Court of Inquiry in the case of Capt. David Perry, charged by citizens of Idaho with neglecting to succor a band of volunteers when pressed by Indians at the Cottonwood fight. The findings exonerate him from having made improper delay under the circumstances, being nearly surrounded himself by hostile Indians.

On Saturday Judson Wheeler and his son, living four miles north of Malone, N. Y., went hunting at a place called Plumb's Grove. They got out of the buggy and as the father was hitching the horse, the son took the gun out of the buggy with the muzzle toward him. The result was the hammer caught on some portion of the buggy, and he received the full charge of buckshot in his side, completely riddling his liver and bowels. He lived about two hours.

Reports of Indian depredations in Dakota continue, and several miners have arrived who report abandoning their camps on account of attacks by the savages. Gen. Crook has been authorized by Gen. Sheridan to afford relief to freighters and settlements in the hills.

Five hundred dollars in counterfeit tens on the Ontario Bank have been detected at Montreal within the past few days.

On the morning of the 16th ult., a shock of earthquake was felt throughout the islands of Bermuda, but there was no damage.

Steamer Lotus was burned on the Mississippi, opposite Waterloo, La., Monday, with 1700 bales of cotton and 525 sacks of cotton seed. One woman and ten men were burned to death or drowned.

The signal service observer at Kitty Hawk on Monday reported: "Just received a report that a vessel was drifting, bottom upwards, some miles southeast of this station. A head board with the name 'Erra' has just been found on the beach." Another dispatch said: "Schooner Frank Jameson, from Rockland, floated past station No. 7. She was boarded by the station crew at 11 A. M., drifting south very fast, and has the appearance of having been run into. No person was aboard. The port side and part of the deck remain. The starboard side can be seen. The foremast is hanging and floating." [The Frank Jameson was wrecked on Smith's island a week ago, and the captain and seven men lost, a boy only escaping.]

The man who would lay a straw purposely and with malevolent intent in the way of complete and thorough reconciliation between the North and the South is, and should be treated as, an enemy to the best interest of the whole country. So the man who would patch up a temporary truce, avoiding the rugged facts of history and experience, putting sentiment in the place of philosophy, and ignoring a duty because it is easier to dodge it, is equally in the wrong with the other, though the motive may be more readily forgiven.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

Sulieman Pasha announces that he has captured Elena, with six guns and 5000 prisoners. He is bombarding Tirnova, and expects to take it.

Cable steamer Hibernia has been wrecked in Maranham Bay; crew saved.

New Hampshire Items.

An attempt was made on the morning of the 4th inst. to wreck a train on the Ashuelot Railroad, by placing ties upon the track near Sawyer's crossing.

Albert F. Penniman, of Cornish, committed suicide by cutting his throat a few days ago. Cause, temporary insanity.

Ingersoll on Alcohol.

In a recent letter to an Indiana paper, Col. Robert G. Ingersoll says that the only "Temperance Speech" he ever made was in what was known as the Munn trial in Chicago, when he made these few remarks on alcohol: "I believe, gentlemen, that alcohol, to a certain degree, demoralizes those who make it, those who sell it, and those who drink it. I believe that from the time it issues from the coiled and poisoned worm of the distillery until it empties into the hell of crime, dishonor and death it demoralizes everybody that touches it from its source to its end. I do not believe that anybody can contemplate the subject without becoming prejudiced against that liquid crime. All that we have to do, gentlemen, is to think of the wrecks upon either bank of this stream of death—of the suicides—of the insanity—of the poverty—of the ignorance—of the destitution—of the little children tugging at the faded dress of weeping and despairing wives, asking for bread—of the men of genius it has wrecked—of the millions struggling with imaginary serpents produced by this devilish thing; and when you think of the jails, of the alms-houses, of the asylums, of the prisons, and of scaffolds upon either hand, I do not wonder that every thoughtful man is prejudiced against that damned stuff called alcohol."

—The New York *Herald* suggests the probability that Rev. Joseph Cook's lectures will result in the organization of a new sect, and that, in deference to the good things which the preacher has uttered, his followers be known hereafter as "Cookies."

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of Sozodont, renders it the most agreeable article ever used as a tooth wash. It has none of the acrid properties of the astringent tooth powders, and instead of contracting the gums, it renders them firm and elastic.

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The articles are to be of the best quality and are to be delivered free of expense at this Navy Yard subject to the usual inspection.

Regular dealers, upon application to this office, will be furnished with lists of articles in their line of business.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids that may not be deemed advantageous to the Government.

EDWIN PUTNAM,
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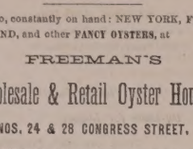

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Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5
Portland,	9:35	4:35 6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:08 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	6:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:20

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Ex-Sheriff Samuel Rowe, of this city, has been appointed on the Capital police at Washington.

Mr. Theodore D. Dennett, a Portsmouth boy, is one of the councilmen-elect of Somerville, Mass.

The Hutchings Association give their third entertainment in the vestry of the Universalist church this evening. A rich programme, not too long, is offered. See advertisement.

The result of the four weeks' revival in this city under Messrs. Whittle and McGranahan, is the conversion of about two hundred persons, a large majority being females. The expenses attending the revival are less than $400.

Some seventy Good Templars from Dover visited this city on Wednesday evening by invitation of the Lodge of this city. They were entertained at the Templar's Hall with a bountiful supper. They left for home at eleven o'clock.

Schooner Union, Mitchell, with coal for bureau of yards and docks; schooner E. M. Smith, Raymond, with gas oil for same bureau; schooner T. W. Haven, Hackett, and Three Sisters, Baker, with coal for bureau of construction and repair, have all arrived at the navy yard.

Mr. William Trefethen, of Newcastle, (whose son, it will be remembered, was during the war killed by a cannon shot fired during target practice from Fort Sullivan, on Seavey's island,) who was some time since discharged from his position as watchman on the navy yard, has been reinstated by order of the Secretary of the Navy.

We are requested by the police to appeal to persons who have cast-off boots or shoes lying around loose, to leave the same at the police station. The officers almost daily have cases come to their notice in which such old foot-wear as is shoved away in ash-holes and stair-closets to mould and rot would relieve absolute suffering, and they will gladly receive and carefully distribute whatever articles charity may furnish for the purpose.

BOARD OF INSTRUCTION.

Met at the Common Council room, Wednesday evening. Present the Mayor, presiding, Mrs. Wilson, and Messrs. Shannon, Pender, May, Vaughan, Hackett, Hutchinson, Gardner, Goodrich, Wendell.

Sundry bills were reported to be paid.

Mr. Hutchinson reported result of application to the Mayor and Aldermen for increased school accommodations in District No. 2, that the same was granted and the building in course of preparation.

Reports of monthly statistics of Districts No. 1 and 2 were read. A large number of cases of tardiness were reported caused by children being sent to attend mass; 176 of those were in District No. 1; and 211 in District No. 2.

Mr. Hackett, from the committee appointed to consider the expedency of holding one session in exceedingly stormy weather reported that the authority as to a single session be delegated to the chairmen of Districts No. 1, 2 and 3, and the Secretary of the Board, and no suspension of afternoon schools be allowed except by the permission of this committee.

If was voted that the teachers be paid the several salaries due Jan. 1, on the 22d inst.

After some discussion relative to the annual reports, the appointment of a committee upon the duties of janitors, etc. the meeting adjourned.

TEMPERANCE RELIEF ASSOC'N.

Among the various relief organizations in our midst, none appeal so justly to the patronage of those who wish to join such an institution, as that of the Portsmouth Temperance Mutual Relief Association. It encourages temperance, affords a meeting for general improvement, and furnishes an insurance similar to that of all relief associations. Stephen W. Clarke, Esq., is its President, and we are glad to learn that it is prospering very well, considering the dullness of the times. Its aims and purposes are best set forth in the following preamble to its Constitution: "We desire to render to our members such aid and assistance in times of sickness and affliction as will lighten life's heaviest burdens and bind us together by the strongest ties of brotherhood. Though our organization was originally intened for the protection and aid of reformed men, we shall welcome to our number all who are eligible and will subscribe to our pledge. We trust that many who have always led sober lives will assist and encourage us by becoming members. We also invite the friends of temperance in other towns and cities to form similar organizations, that we may in the near future be associated on terms of equality and thus acquire the advantage of a largely increased or multiplied membership. In the matter of Life Insurance this will be a very great advantage. We confidently expect to succeed, and to be the means of accomplishing much good."

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Dec. 6th; *Buford, J.*

William Jones, drunk, $9.90 fine and costs. Brentwood.

Thomas H. Philbrook, drunk, also $9.90, also Brentwood.

On Tuesday night Philip H. Kirby, a peddler, was arrested at his home in this city for breaking into a freight car on the Eastern railroad on November 2d, and stealing therefrom boxes of cream tartar and saleratus, a bag of nutmegs and other articles. Wednesday forenoon he was brought before Judge Bufford and held in the sum of $200 for his appearance at the April term of the Supreme Court.

[Communicated.]

THE PENHALLOW ST., WIDENING.

The proposed widening of Penhallow street at the intersection of Daniel street will, if carried into effect, result in a decided and long needed improvement of both streets and public convenience, as any one can readily perceive by attempting to drive a carriage from Daniel street into Penhallow street when there happens to be a team standing in the constricted passage through which he must pass in order to get to State street, especially in winter, where there is a bank of snow shoveled from the sidewalk on either side.

When two carriages are standing in front of the old Post office building, (now occupied by two stores,) other teams can pass only in single file. When two happen to meet there, one must yield the right of way, or there will be a collision. The widening of Penhallow street at this corner will remove an actual and dangerous incumbrance, give a clear and unobstructed passage from State street to Spring Hill, and make the street safe for passage day or night. The present obstruction to the street being on a corner adds greatly to the inconvenience and danger of the public travel.

The building which so nearly closes the street at this point can be moved a few feet to the westward at a very small cost compared to the great public advantage to be gained by having a fair and safe chance for teams to get around the corner which is now so difficult. It would take but a few days to move the old house ten to fifteen feet, now when the adjoining land is open and unoccupied. If this work is delayed until the land is built upon the cost of making this necessary improvement will be greatly increased.

With this obstruction removed the city will gain, as it were, a new street very near the heart of the town. Where so much is to be gained at so small a cost, it really seems that the authorities should not hesitate to make the improvement, especially when backed by such a strong petition from the citizens. OAK.

—"Pa," said Sammy the other day, "was Job an editor?" "Why, Sammy?" "Because the Bible says he had much trouble, and was a man of sorrow all the days of his life!"

MARRIAGES.

EATON—BERRY. In Kittery, Me., Nov. 28, by Rev. J. H. Rowell, Mr. Charles W. Eaton and Miss Martha A. Berry, all of Kittery.

CAVERLY—O'CONNOR. In Newmarket, Nov. 29, Mr. J. L. Caverly, principal of the Newmarket high school, and Miss Mary C. O'Connor, all of Newmarket.

DREW—JONES. In Newmarket, Nov. 29, Mr. William H. Drew of Concord, and Miss Mary L. Jones of Newmarket.

ROSS—WALTON. In Seabrook, Nov. 26, Mr. Joseph Ross of Salem, Mass., and Miss Helen A. Walton of Seabrook.

ORDWAY—ROBY. In Newburyport, Mass., Dec. 1 Mr. J. Horace Ordway of Newburyport, and Miss Nellie S. Roby of Stratham.

DEATHS.

GARLAND. In this city, Dec. 2, Julia A. Garland, widow of the late Mr. James Garland, aged 49 years, 1 month and 1 day.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Sch Union Flag, Frisbie, Hoboken, coal to C E Walker & Co.

Sch Elizabeth M Smith, Raymond, Boston.

Sch Louise Birdsall, Steelman, Philadelphia.

Sch War Eagle, Frisbee, from Boston, arr at Wiscasset Dec 3.

Sch Active, Coombs, from Philadelphia, arr at Portland Dec 3.

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New Hams and Breakfast Bacon.

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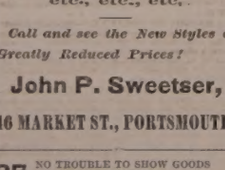

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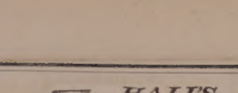

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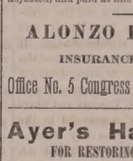

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Daily Chronicle.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 3d.

The votes finally reached at about two o'clock Saturday morning, with an interval of only a few minutes between, admitting Kellogg and Butler in the order named, were the joint results of exhaustion and a clear apprehension that the ultimate success of both claimants was, apparently, inevitable. It is generally accepted as a drawn battle, for it leaves the relative strength of the two sides the same as before the memorable struggle was inaugurated ten days ago, for the mastery. However, the democratic side will score again for one in due time, as the admission of Eustis is conceded.

As usual during the closing hours of a session, business was transacted with a rapidity that precluded all idea of a very close scrutiny of the measures voted on. The deficiency bill, with amendments, including one appropriating $45,000 for repairing partially destroyed models, was passed. Knott's bill, passed by the House, for the relief of the Huron sufferers, appropriates for each surviving officer $1,000 and $100 for each man; also twelve months sea pay to the heirs of those lost. The feeling outside Congressional circles is that while the officers have been generously treated, the men might have received a little larger gratuity without endangering the financial stability of the government.

The efforts to make Robeson, Ex-Secretary of the Navy, responsible for the loss of the Huron, have been generally abandoned by the democrats, as it is agreed that the navigating officer was immediately responsible for the disaster; and he has explated his blunder, as far as one life can atone for one hundred, sacrificed to ignorance or carelessness, or both. There resides in this city a father and mother whose eldest son was instantly killed a few years since, by the premature discharge of gunpowder used in blasting. The second, a naval officer, was lost at sea two years ago; and the third and only remaining one, also an officer, perished in the Huron disaster. The gentleman to whom the only daughter was betrothed was killed by a railroad disaster while on his way to fulfill the contract. Such a case of successive bereavements is, happily, rare.

In connection with this sad catastrophe, the case of Lieut. Fletcher, late executive officer of the Huron, which has recently came to light, has awakened a good deal of interest in all cultured circles. While at Port Royal last summer, he became impressed with the belief that should he attempt to finish his cruise (two years) on the Huron she would be wrecked and he lost. The feeling grew until it took full possession of his mind, and he applied to the department for a transfer, honestly stating his reasons. Of course such cause for official action could not be entertained, and he was refused. The dread meanwhile of again venturing to sea in the unfortunate vessel had grown to such proportions that he preferred the stigma of desertion. He obtained a twenty-four hours' leave from the ship, and not returning, it sailed without him. He soon reported to the senior officer at Port Royal and was subsequently tried for his offence by court martial, when Commodore Clitz and Commander Ryan (lost) were summoned for the defense, and stated that Lieut. Fletcher had repeatedly told them of his presentiment and of his horror of continuing on the Huron. This is all a matter of record, and those about the department and brother naval officers elsewhere, familiar with the matter and disposed to ridicule "Fletcher's superstitions" prior to the disaster, now admit they don't understand it.

KNOX.

Wraps.

Every one must remark that a favorite article of winter clothing for children is a comforter swathed around the neck. This is a great error; the feet and the wrists are the proper members to keep warm, the face and throat will harden into healthy indifference to cold; but that muffler, exchanged for an extra pair of thick socks and knitted gloves, would preserve a boy or girl really warm and well. Bronchitis and sore throat have declined fifty per cent. since the absurd use of high collars and twice round neckerchiefs went out of fashion; and if the poor would take better care of their children's feet half the infantile mortality would disappear. It only costs a trifle to put a piece of thick felt or cork into the bottom of a boot or shoe, but the difference is often considerable between that and a doctor's bill, with perhaps, the undertaker's beside.

—It is the custom now to buy two wedding rings, instead of one. The groom wears one now, as well as the bride.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1877.

Congress.

In the House, Wednesday, a bill prohibiting the Commissioner of Patents from hearing petitions for the reissue and extension of patents issued prior to 1861 was passed.

Mr. Springer made an attempt to get a resolution through, calling on the President for information regarding the recent order of the Spanish commander in Cuba to slaughter all insurgents taken, but objection was made and the subject went over.

A bill was introduced by Mr. Harrison, of Illinois, to provide for an income tax which he proposes to levy upon incomes of all United States citizens, which may be over $1000.

The caucus of the republican Senators met in the afternoon to hear the report on the revision of the Senate committees, and agreed to give the democrats an additional member on each of the more important ones, excepting that of privileges and elections, which they insist shall retain its present organization.

On Thursday, in the Senate, the committees were announced. Mr. Blaine is chairman of the committee on rules, in place of Mr. Ferry, who retains his place as chairman of the committee on postal affairs. The silver bill was made a special order for Tuesday, Dec. 11th. The President re-nominated Roosevelt for collector, Merritt for surveyor and Prince for naval officer of New York. George P. Sanger was nominated for Marshal of Massachusetts.

Last winter the Vice-President and Speaker of the House were not able to agree as to the authority of the joint rules of the two Houses. They have now agreed that so far as the sale of liquors in the Capitol is concerned they will practically consider the joint rule relating to it as in force. Meanwhile, the restaurant keepers challenge the authority of the Speaker to forbid the sale of liquors under a joint rule, pleading that there are no joint rules. The result of a brief discussion of the subject in the House, however, was to expose the unmanly and cowardly practice to which Representatives resort in calling for whiskey and getting it under the name of "cold tea." The truth is, liquor has almost always been sold of late years in the Capitol in a stealthy manner, and without an internal revenue license. The Vice-President and the Speaker say this must cease.

Fatal Accident.

Hon. John H. Burleigh, of South Berwick, Me., ex-Member of Congress from the First District of Maine and President of the South Berwick National Bank, was discovered about seven o'clock Thursday morning on the Maine side of the Salmon Falls river, dead, with his carriage a total wreck and his horse on the New Hampshire side, alive. The last seen of Mr. Burleigh was about eight o'clock Wednesday evening at Salmon Falls, when he started for home, it being a very dark night, and it appears that when on the bridge, from some unknown cause his horse sheered and went through the railing of the bridge, precipitating the team and driver a distance of twenty-five feet, probably killing him instantly. He leaves a wife and five children. Mr. Burleigh was born in South Berwick on the 9th of Oct. 1822, and received a common school education, after which he followed the sea for fifteen years, commanding a ship on foreign voyages during seven years of that time. He next engaged in business as a manufacturer. In 1862, 1864, 1866 and 1872 he was a member of the Maine House of Representatives; was a delegate to the Baltimore National Republican Convention in 1864, and was a member of the Forty-third and Forty-fourth Congresses.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Suleiman Pasha confirms the capture of Elena, with eleven guns, twenty ammunition wagons and 300 prisoners. The Russian loss is estimated at 3000 killed and wounded. A despatch from Adrianople says that the victory at Elena removes all danger of attack on the Harm Bogbaz Pass by the Russians, and consequently enables the ten Turkish batteries which have hitherto been guarding it to join Suleiman Pasha's army.

The Turks on the 5th inst. made a desperate attempt to revictual Plevna, but were repulsed.

The Russians have 280 guns in position before Erzeroum.

His Reward.

The *Traveller's* Washington correspondent, under date Dec. 5th, says:

"Senator Patterson is very confident that his course in the Senate favoring the admission of Gen. M. C. Butler to a seat in that body will result in relieving him from any further prosecution for his alleged offences in South Carolina. He received a despatch Wednesday from Columbia, saying that the democratic members of the legislature all favor a suspension of proceedings against him, and that their influence would be used in this direction. Patterson says that the feeling against him in South Carolina has greatly moderated since his stand in the Senate in favor of Gen. Butler, and that the local democratic papers all commend his course and think he is entitled to much praise. Mr. Patterson is very proud of his speech in the Senate assailing President Hayes and says it has touched the public heart in the North, which has been waiting anxiously for some man in high place to make a fight on the administration. Within three days he has received, he says, over four hundred letters from republicans in the North commending his course and asking for a copy of his full speech."

It was supposed that Patterson's reward for voting in the Senate for the supremacy of the rifle clubs over the ballot would be immunity from prosecution by the South Carolina "reformers;" and it appears that understanding was correct.

Chronicle Correspondence.

CAPE NEDDICK, ME., Dec. 6th.

Twelve or fifteen years ago there were some fifteen coasting schooners owned here, but their number is now reduced to four, and the entire "fleet" is now in Cape Neddick harbor. These vessels are the Nellie, Capt. Weare; the Major, Capt. Dunnell; the Annabella, Capt. Dunnell; and the Sharon. The Major and Nellie are loaded with wood, fish, baskets and farm produce, for Boston; the Annabella is bound for Dover, after a load of bricks; and the Sharon has had her sails unbent and is laid up for the winter.

There are three "country stores" in Cape Neddick, in which, if you cannot literally find "anything from a needle to an anchor," you can procure almost anything required on a farm or in a farmhouse. Two of the three storekeepers, Messrs. Joseph Weare and Asahel Goodwin, have been in business here as general traders for well nigh half a century; the third, Mr. George Currier, is comparatively young at the business. Mr. Weare is a staunch republican, and has been postmaster for sixteen years; Mr. Goodwin is a staunch democrat; but both have done well and won deserved popularity by minding their own business. Mr. Weare has recently been very ill with lung fever, but is now convalescent.

Rev. H. Stetson, the Baptist minister, was called upon Monday evening by a large number of the members of his church and congregation, and when the party retired after several hours spent in pleasant social intercourse, the clerical larder was left well filled.

The boats that during the summer are used for pleasure boats by the summer visitors, (whose number, by the way, increases every year,) are now to a great extent engaged in fishing; they have generally been quite successful, and some of them have taken very large quantities of fish.

The diphtheria, which has been very prevalent here for some time past, has abated much of its virulence, and the schools are all open. Mr. Wm. Tulpey has opened a singing school on Tuesday and Thursday evenings, which is well attended.

The Cape Neddick House, formerly so famous for excellent country fare, scrupulous cleanliness, delicious biscuit and moderate prices, under Ma'am Freeman, is now kept by Mr. Stephen E. Grant, formerly a resident of Portsmouth; and as he is blessed with a wife who is "an help meet" for the keeper of a country hotel—a lady of energy and a thorough housekeeper—the "Cape Neddick" is now as popular as ever with those who have once had occasion to patronize it.

OCCASIONAL.

RYE, Dec. 5th.

The schools in the East and South districts commenced Monday, Dec. 3d inst., the former having the experienced services of our well-known townsman, Mr. G. Harrison Jenness, as teacher, and the latter in charge of Mr. Yeaton of Portsmouth.

Mr. W. S. Hadley occupied the pulpit of the Congregational church last Sunday, and he preached so acceptably to his hearers that an effort is being made to engage his services for a year.

Rev. Mr. Goss, of the Christian church in Portsmouth, is to deliver the next lecture in the course given by the Christian society here, for the benefit of their Sunday School.

The new road from near John O. Foss' to E. W. Lang's is nearly completed, and will soon be opened for travel.

The arrangements for the Festival on the 19th and 20th insts. are progressing satisfactorily, and a good time is confidently expected. The Rye Band will be in attendance both evenings, and as it will be their first appearance in several months before the public, a choice selection of music may be expected from them, they having had the services of Mr. Harlow as instructor in the meantime, and in fact for some time previous.

There does not appear to be any fear of a drought at present.

Notwithstanding the fact that such immense quantities of seaweed have washed ashore, during and after the frequent storms which have visited our coast this fall, not a solitary kelp of which has been allowed to rot on the beach, there is yet an occasional spot in town which still remains a stranger to its fertilizing properties, and a further supply,—the more abundant the better,—would not lack for customers, and would immediately be placed where it would do the most good.

NAT.

New Hampshire Items.

The temperature on the summit of Mount Washington last month was higher than during any previous November since the establishment of the signal station. The greatest velocity of wind was 132 miles per hour on the 12th.

The annual meeting of the Baptist Sunday-school Association was held at Nashua, Wednesday, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year; Superintendent, J. D. Chandler; Assistant Superintendent, N. O. Prescott; Secretary, H. P. Armington; Librarian, H. Davis.

Wolfboro' is evidently an unfavorable place for savings banks, for the recent disaster to the Carroll County Bank has just been followed by a similar catastrophe to the Wolfboro' Bank, the only other institution of the kind in the town. Exactly what the difficulty is has not been stated, but a deficiency has been found between the face of the assets and the liabilities. The integrity of the Treasurer, Joseph L. Avery, is undoubted, and, as he is able to make good any deficiency, the depositors will have to lose only the shrinkage of securities, which it is hoped will not be more than fifteen per cent. The deposits in the Wolfboro' Bank are less than $100,000, and its funds are three-fourths invested in the State.

Political.

While the oppressors had the bayonet over us they were their negroes, and when the bayonet was withdrawn they were ours again, thank God.—*Bob Toombs.*

The New York *Post* quotes the *Times'* charge that United States Marshal Smythe, of Georgia, was removed at the instance of Senator Gordon and the whiskey thieves of Georgia last March, and says: "This is a very serious charge. It affects not only Mr. Hayes, but also the Department of Justice, Attorney-General Devens, the Treasury Department and Secretary Sherman. If Devens and Sherman were not directly concerned in the removal of Marshal Smythe they deserve to be dismissed themselves for not denouncing his removal at the instance of the whiskey thieves. This is a more important matter than the question whether Senator Gordon has too much to say about appointments. If it is true that the Administration is controlled by illicit distillers the scandalous fact ought to be known. If it is not true, the assertion itself is a great scandal."

News and Notes.

The remains of the late Commander Ryan, U. S. N., were buried in Boston on Thursday, with imposing ceremonies.

The sentence of Joy, the Rockport, Mass., murderer, has been commuted to imprisonment for life.

Another dissolution of the French Chamber of Deputies is expected from MacMahon, who seems entirely under the influence of the clerical reactionists. It is evident that if MacMahon does not attempt a "coup d'etat" it will be only his fears that will restrain him.

Dr. J. H. McWhorter was shot by his brother William at Albany, Ohio, a few days since. Several years since two brothers of these men had a quarrel and one of them shot the other through the heart. A third brother was killed by a neighbor three years ago.

Ship Quintero, Capt. Manning, was run down and sunk by a steamer off Cape St. Roque, Dec. 2d. One man was lost. The vessel and freight were insured to the amount of $81,600. The Quintero, though under the flag of Guatemala, was owned by Hemingway & Browne of Boston.

The roaming leopard that has terrified residents in the vicinity of Marion, Ohio, for the past month, was killed on Saturday, the 1st inst., six miles west of that place. Mr. Burnison, an engineer on the Bee Line Railroad while hunting, discovered the leopard in a tree, and gave the alarm. Samuel Johnson and Edw. Kessler started with guns, and the leopard made for Johnson, threw him down, and bit his arm and face. Kessler broke his gun over him and killed him. The animal is said to be a fine specimen, seven feet long, powerful and beautiful.

The annual report of the Commissioners of Southern Claims says that during the year they made allowances in 714 cases and disallowed 945. The amount claimed was $5,761,006. The amount allowed was $434,638. About 2000 claims await action, and no proofs are filed in 7600 cases, or fully one-third of those presented under the act of 1871.

Steamship City of Berlin, from New York for Liverpool Nov. 24th, has not arrived out, and much anxiety is felt for her safety. She had a valuable cargo, and forty-eight cabin passengers.

Fred. Frost, of Northfield, Me., last week attempted to perform a trick which he had successfully practiced a number of times, of cocking his gun and striking the hammer on the cap without exploding it. Feeling sure of success, on this occasion, he placed the muzzle in his mouth, and cocking the gun with his foot, snapped the hammer. The gun was discharged and and the contents passed through his head, killing him instantly. He fell from the fence on which he was sitting, breaking his neck. His age was about seventeen years.

Lieutenant-Commander Green, at the wreck of the Huron, reports that he has buried eight officers and sixty-three men, and is writing instructions in regard to the disposition of the bodies.

The Court of Inquiry appointed by the Secretary of the Navy, and consisting of Vice-Admiral Rowan, Rear Admiral Rodgers, Commodore H. H. Wyman and Naval Solicitor J. A. Bowles, Judge Advocate, to investigate the cause of the disaster to the Huron, met Wednesday and organized to proceed to business. The witnesses were Rear Admiral Trenchard, Commodore Wyman and Master Conway of the Huron, but the testimony was merely corroborative of the newspaper accounts of the disaster.

Edward A. Manice, a wealthy New York lawyer, shot himself in his office Wednesday noon. Cause, ill health.

A burglar entered the residence of Hon. Lot M. Morrill at Augusta, Me., on the night of the 4th inst. A private watchman in the house had a hard struggle with him, receiving a stab in the breast and other wounds. The burglar finally escaped, leaving his dirk knife, an iron billy, hat, and bag brought to carry away the booty in.

Gen. Longstreet received severe injuries in a fire which nearly destroyed his house at Gainesville, Ga., the other day. He was hurt in fighting the flames.

A very large sized scandal is going the rounds about Mrs. Ralston, the California millionaire, and one J. A. Chandor, a married man of much "tone" but no worth, and fully ten years Mrs. Ralston's junior.

There is no secret, we believe, certainly no reason why there should be any, about the compensation paid to the Evangelists who labored in Vermont last month. Messrs. Moody and Sankey asked nothing for their services here. The Christian people of Burlington, feeling that Mr. Moody's visit here had been a great public blessing, made up a fund by subscription, and handed Mr. Moody $500 for himself and Mr. Sankey. This was less than $5 apiece for each of the sermons and public meetings held by them here, but it was all that Mr. Moody would accept. In Rutland, Major Whittle and Mr. and Mrs. McGranahan were paid $500 together, and in Bennington Messrs. Needham and Cato received together about $275.—*Bennington (Vt.,) Free Press.*

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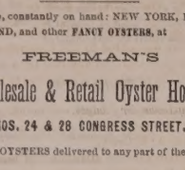

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Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

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Dover,	10:20	5:50

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THE CITY.

Two daughters of Hon. John H. Burleigh of South Berwick, killed at Salmon Falls bridge Wednesday night, have been attending Miss Morgan's Seminary in this city.

C. E. Myers & Co. have received *one piece* black Matelasse cloaking for ladies' wear, which they will sell at $4 per yard. An early call will be necessary to secure a share of it, as such a bargain is not offered elsewhere in the city.

Funeral services [of the late Rev. Daniel Austin] were held in this city at the Unitarian Church Thursday morning, by Rev. Dr. Peabody and Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, after which the body was taken to Boston for further services at King's Chapel by Rev. Dr. Hill of Portland, and buried—all according to careful directions long ago written out in detail by deceased, including a metallic casket painted white, and that Messrs. J. H. Foster, Preston and Thacher were to superintend the funeral here.—*Weekly.*

MASONIC ELECTION.

At the annual communication of St. John's Lodge, No. 1, of this city, held Wednesday evening, Dec. 5th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

Thomas J. Mitchell, W. M.;
John S. Whidden, S. W.;
Thomas R. Martin, J. W.;
Isaac Dow, Treasurer;
John H. Cheever, Secretary;
Samuel S. Fletcher, Oliver J. Fernald, Standing Committee;
Thomas E. O. Marvin, Representative to Grand Lodge.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, there was a hearing on a petition of the Eastern Railroad for the use of the crossing at the end of Vaughan street for shifting freight cars. Albert R. Hatch, Esq., appeared for the road, and read the statute on which the petition was based. He gave an account of an accident which happened to him some years ago on the highway near the crossing, and suggested that to prevent accidents a new highway be laid out from Vaughan street, through Short street and the Raynes shipyard, to Elm street.

Mr. Barrett, station agent, appeared in behalf of the railroad, and made statements in regard to those who would be benefited by the granting of the petition, and the amount of time gained for the road by daylight; he thought that two hours per day—one hour in the morning and one at night—would be sufficient, and that teams and pedestrians would not be delayed more than two minutes at any one time.

Ald. Hadley said all the city demanded was that a limit of time be given and adhered to by the railroad authorities.

Voted, that the matter be referred to a special committee of the Board, to confer with the railroad authorities and report at the next meeting.

The Mayor appointed Aldermen Hadley, Yeaton and Perkins such committee.

Wm. P. Israel, road surveyor, appeared before the Board on his own behalf in regard to a bill for gravel which the committee on claims had reported adversely on, as the gravel was taken from his own premises, and not from the city's. Referred to City Solicitor, to report whether Mr. Israel has any legal claim against the city.

Adjourned hearing on the widening of Penhallow street came up. Voted, that a committee be appointed to confer with Mr. Gerrish in regard to damages, etc., in the case. Aldermen Hoyt, Sides and Coffin were appointed a committee.

Hearing on Jackson Hill street extension was ordered for Monday, Dec. 17th, at the Common Council room. Voted, that the Mayor see that the city is represented at the hearing.

Commitee on claims reported that Dr. F. E. Potter has a legal claim against the city for injury to horse and sleigh on Church street on March 18th, 1877; damages claimed, $28.62. Referred to same committee, with power to settle.

Monthly bills were ordered paid.

Ald. Hadley, to whom the difference of opinion between James Moses, city Collector, and F. W. Miller, regarding discount of six per cent. on latter's tax for 1877, was referred, reported, recommending that the discount be allowed. Report accepted.

Report of repairs needed on several school houses were referred to committee on school houses, with power.

Resolutions regarding Green street and Creek street railroad crossings, which were referred to the committee on printing, were reported on, and it was recommended that the crossings be guarded by gates. The portion relating to Green street crossing was referred to special committee on Vaughan street crossing. The rules were then suspended, and the bill requiring a gate at Creek street crossing was read a second time and passed.

The committee on printing, to whom was referred the subject of the city printing, reported a new ordinance, which was passed under suspension of the rules.

Ald. Norton of Ward Two, to whom was referred the petition of C. W. Bailey and others regarding the piggery of J. Stokell & Co., reported by giving the opinion of Mr. Hatch. Ald. Norton of Ward Four was added to the committee, and the report was recommitted for a report as to the proper legal measures to be taken.

Committee on city lands and buildings reported it inexpedient to grant the request of S. A. Spinney.

The Mayor said his attention had been called to bay windows overhanging the sidewalks of the city, and that they made walking dangerous by reason of water dropping from them and freezing upon the walks, which might render the city liable in case of accident. Referred to the Mayor to report what steps should be taken.

Adjourned for two weeks.

REV. DANIEL AUSTIN.

We take from the Boston *Journal* the following sketch of the life of the late Rev. Daniel Austin, whose sudden death at Willow Bank, Kittery Lower Foreside, has already been announced:

Rev. Daniel Austin, A. M., was born in Boston, Mass., Nov. 21, 1793. He was a son of Daniel and Mary (Penhallow) Austin. His father was a merchant in Boston till 1808, when he removed to Portsmouth, N. H., where he died in December 1818. His mother died some years ago at the advanced age of 87. The son fitted for college under Deacon Amos Tappan, and entering Dartmouth as a Sophomore, he graduated in 1813. Of the forty-two members of his class only four, and perhaps not as many as that, survive. Among his classmates were Rev. Rufus W. Bailey, D. D., President of the Austin College, Texas; Rev. Austin Dickinson, a religious writer; Hon. James Dinsmore of Kentucky; Hon. Thomas M. Edwards of this State; Prof. Benjamin F. Farnsworth, D. D.; Rev. Joseph B. Felt. D. D., the historian; Benjamin Greenleaf, A. M., the methematician; Jonathan Kittredge, LL. D., of Concord, N. H., and Hon. Charles Woodman, formerly Speaker of the New Hampshire House of Representatives. After graduation, Mr. Austin followed the bent of a high classical taste and attended to general literature. He also studied law with Jeremiah Mason, but abandoned the idea of that profession. When quite young he declined the appointment to become a major, as an aid to Gen. Storer. On July 4, 1814, he delivered the republican oration in Portsmouth. After teaching a number of years, he entered Divinity Hall, Cambridge, and graduated in 1827. He was settled over the First Parish in Brighton, Mass., June 4, 1828, and remained there till November, 1837, when he resigned, to the regret and sorrow of the people of his charge. He represented Brighton in the Legislature in 1832 and declined a reelection. He was married to Miss Hannah, the eldest daughter of Benjamin Joy of Boston, November 21, 1833. From Brighton he went to Boston, where for two years he was reader and assistant to his friend, Dr. F. W. P. Greenwood, at the King's Chapel. About that time he declined the Masonic appointment of Chaplain of the Grand Lodge of Massachusetts. In 1842 he removed to Cambridge, where he was active in the cause of education, and was an assistant to the Professor of Pulpit Eloquence in the University. He then founded and endowed a course of lectures relating to the Evidences of Christianity. In 1850 he returned to Portsmouth and purchased "Sherburne Place," and also bought a seaside residence at Kittery, which he called "Willow Bank." The deceased was fond of quiet observation and retirement. He was social, reverential, tasteful and public spirited. One of his most prominent characteristics was his great benevolence. He will be remembered as a gentleman of varied accomplishments and high attainments, and who steadily endeavored to make the world better for having lived in it.

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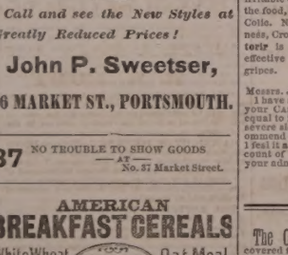
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Daily Chronicle.

ONE EXCHANGE FIEND FOILED.

T'other evening we were lying
In our sanctum, vainly trying
To invent some local items for our valuable sheet,
When a fiend, who thought us sleeping,
To our desk came softly creeping,
Picked up some late exchanges and then started for the street.

Then the air grew denser, thicker,
As our old "Bogardus Kicker"
Raised the grim, audacious stranger through the window with a crash;
Just lifted him so neatly
That he disappeared completely,
With his shoulders ornamented with a shattered window sash.

And the stranger still is hiking
Through the atmosphere a-flying,
With a "flag of truce" protruding through the hole "Bogardus" tore;
And the soothing thought comes o'er us
That he never more will bore us—
Never come to steal exchanges from our sanctum any more.

—*Printers' Circular.*

The Champion Rascal.

Major Kopesky, the champion rascal of the New World, has just received his quietus at the hands of the Guatemalan Government. The design of the plotters in the recent local conspiracy was to assassinate the President, and then, by means of forged orders, the Ministers were to be called together and killed. Kopesky, the chief villain, was an officer of Maximilian, in Mexico, and sold out a fortified post for a cash price. Next, while in the expedition of Palacios, on the "General Sherman," in Central America, he betrayed his party to the Government of Honduras, causing the seizure and execution of a squad of men with a flag of truce. Given a command at the seaport of Omoa, he committed such fiendish outrages that the British Government was forced to interfere, and the place was bombarded. He was finally adopted by President Barrios, of Guatemala, and he attempted to repay his debt of gratitude by killing his benefactor. Kopesky was a Hungarian Jew, and had lost a leg and arm in his somewhat checkered career. He was a Major in the Guatemalan service, and in company with sixteen other conspirators, was shot a week or two since, in the City of Guatemala. Central America has been the favorite field of many scamps and adventurers, but the biography of Kopesky is certainly the most remarkable of any of those known to the world at large.—*N. Y. Times.*

A New Fire Escape.

T. L. Bennett of East Templeton has just patented an improved fire escape, which for fitness and adaptation to its purpose, surpasses anything yet invented. It consists of a four-wheeled truck on which swings a hollow tube of iron made in sections. This tube is so arranged that by means of an endless screw, turned by a crank, it is raised to any desired angle. At the extremity of the tube a nozzle can be attached so as to throw water over the roof or upper part of a building. The escape part consists of a large bucket made to clasp around the tube and raised or lowered by wire ropes worked by a windlass. In case of fire the machine is set in the middle of the street, the tube raised to any window from which people desire to escape, the bucket run up, into which they get, and then they are conveyed to the ground, not vertically, but diagonally, away from the falling debris.—*Gardner News.*

Turkish Trials.

To a Turk a court of justice, in the American acceptation of the term, is a thing unknown. They never finish a cause at the first hearing, nor do they render an immediate decision; but after all the testimony has been offered, the kadi (judge) adjourns the further trial of the action until some future time, for the known purpose of affording the litigants an opportunity of making him presents. These he accepts from both parties, and in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred the decision is in favor of the person whose gift is the most valuable. There used to be a judge named Kaimil Pasha who did not go through the formality of listening to the evidence. He was therefore regarded by the common people as the most learned kadi that ever lived, for, said they, he understood the Koran so thoroughly that he could render a decision before a particle of testimony had been presented by either party.

—A stranger entered a pump and block maker's shop a few days since, and as the proprietor was turning a piece of wood in his lathe the visitor asked what would turn the quickest and easiest. "Milk!" was the reply. The stranger gave a look at the turner, whose countenance was as grave as the wood he was turning, and then quietly left.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1877.

Congress.

The silver men won a victory in the Senate, Thursday, it being decided by a vote of 41 ayes against 19 nays to take up the bill on Tuesday. As this is a two-thirds vote, it virtually sets aside the rules of the Senate. The Senate also discussed Senator Chaffee's resolution concerning the Union Pacific Railroad and its branches, which was passed.

The elections committee reported the Colorado case to the House, there being three reports, one to seat the republican, one to seat the democrat and one for a new election. The House after passing the general Post Route bill, adjourned, with the agreement that adjournment should be had on Saturday until Monday.

In the Senate, Friday, Mr. Sargent, from the committee on naval affairs, reported with amendments the House bill for the relief of sufferers by the wreck of the Huron. The amendment provides for the payment to the heirs of those lost a sum equal to twelve months pay; to the heirs of Capt. Guthrie of the Life Saving service a sum equal to his compensation for one year, and to the heirs of those belonging to wrecking steamer Baker, who were lost in attempting to save those on board the Huron, $100 each. The amendment was agreed to and the bill passed.

The Next Platform.

The Concord correspondent of the Boston *Globe*, writing of the political prospects in this State, thus discourseth concerning the timber of which the next republican platform is to be constructed:

On national affairs—the President's policy and civil service reform—the party is hopelessly divided, and the platform, to party managers, is an object of great solicitude. It is argued by the anti-Hayes element that the policy of wisdom will be to accept the difference of feeling in regard to the Administration and to agree to say nothing. On the other hand, the Hayes republicans say that if the platform says nothing about the President the inevitable inference will be that the party does not accept or approve his course; that such procedure would be a loud proclamation that a pacific policy in the Southern States and a reform in the civil service were "not measures of the republican party, but whims of the President;" that the policy of silence under existing circumstances would be unmanly and ungenerous. They believe that the platform should declare for the President in the most unqualified manner, not merely profess faith in his "honesty" and "sincerity"—which may be said of any well-meaning fool—but affirm unfaltering confidence in him as a statesman, and cordially approve and support his action in the Southern States and in the reformation of the civil service. By doing this, the Convention would absolutely identify the republican party of New Hampshire with the President and his course.

The Springfield *Republican* argues that the republicans of New Hampshire should unqualifiedly "endorse" all that President Hayes has done, and says:

Victory was gained in Massachusetts by a reform departure which commanded it.

It is hardly probable that the republicans of New Hampshire, who have been accustomed to win victories over the hard fighting democracy of this State by very carefully *not* taking the advice of the assistant democratic papers of Massachusetts, are going to follow their lead now. It is a fact that a large proportion of New Hampshire republicans, even of those not disposed to find fault with Mr. Hayes for the removal of the troops from the South, do not approve his steady "conciliation" of the Bourbon-secession element at the expense of republican Union men; and thousands who earnestly desire reform in the civil service are decidedly of opinion that it is not to be attained by infringing on the personal and political rights of men in office or out of it. We do not believe the only hope of a republican victory lies in the State convention "endorsing in the most unqualified manner" everything that President Hayes has ever done or may do.

Democratic Conventions.

The Democratic State Committee held a meeting at Concord, Thursday evening, and appointed the times and places of holding the several conventions, as follows:

State Convention—Concord, Wednesday, January 16, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Councillor Conventions—District No. 1, Epping, January 17; District No. 2, Concord, January 16; District No. 3, Nashua, January 18; District No. 4, Claremont, January 22; District No. 5, Woodsville, January 17.

Senatorial Conventions—District No. 1, Hampton, January 18; District No. 2, Epping, January 17; District No. 3, Manchester, January 18; District No. 4, Concord, January 24; District No. 5, Dover, January 17; District No. 6, Wolfeboro', January 23; District No. 7, Nashua, January 17; District No. 8, not appointed; District No. 9, Keene, January 18; District No. 10, Claremont, January 19; District No. 11, Andover, January 22; District No. 12, Woodsville, January 17.

County Conventions—Rockingham, Epping, January 23; Strafford, Rochester, January 23; Belknap, Laconia, January 15; Carroll, West Ossipee, January 22; Hillsborough, Greenfield, January 24; Cheshire, Keene, January 18; Sullivan, Claremont, January 19; Grafton, Haverhill, January 18; Coos, Lancaster, January 18.

The general impression of the committee was that Hon. Frank McKean, of Nashua, would be the next democratic candidate for governor.

Chronicle Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5th.

The critics agree generally, I believe, in the verdict that President Hayes' first annual message argues his views with a clearness and force that court comparison with the average of those of his predecessors. But it is no exaggeration to say that the supporters of the Bland and Ewing bills are mad all through; and the heavy and shocking drafts made on their reserve supplies of profanity since its contents became known, more than ever convince the pious in our midst that Moody and Sankey acted unadvisedly in declining the invitation given to labor here this winter with unregenerate Congressmen and others specially needing their admonitions. Their (the silver men's) success was assured in both Houses of Congress, and the early adoption of their financial views was a foregone conclusion, provided that the President was agreeable. They jumped at conclusions when he authorized a denial of the report telegraphed hence that he had expressed his intention to veto the two bills should they ever reach him; and now that his opposition to the general scope and purpose of the enactments is known, inflation schemes have collapsed like a "busted" balloon, and they have no hope of making head against the joint influence of the White House and the Treasury Department.

The feeling that has permeated every circle here to the effect that the President and his party representatives in Congress have sensibly drifted further asunder every day of the extra session, has not been lessened by the vigorous criticisms heard on every hand of those portions of the message devoted to Southern affairs. The circumstances attending the nomination of Fitzsimmons in Georgia and Northup in South Carolina to important federal positions in those States, are offences not likely to be condoned or overlooked; and the utterances of the message are not regarded as inviting a truce with a view to more amicable relations.

Mexican matters are once more in the ascendent. Gen. Ord and other officers summoned from the Rio Grande are here, some of them having already given their views to the House military committee, to the President, Gen. Sherman and the Secretary of War, and the others will be at once called. It is understood that there is a substantial agreement of all those who have been heard, touching the immediate necessity of reinforcements on the Indian and Mexican borders in Texas, and they are being hurried forward. Some of the incidents related by Ord as coming under his observation as commander of our forces in that department are well calculated to discredit Diaz's professions of friendship and a desire to do away with the chronic grievances that have brought us to the verge of war with our Southern neighbor. He is reported to have said that the present authorities will observe their obligations toward us just so far as appears compatible with their own individual interests—not farther; and that if a war with us should appear the readiest means of consolidating their power, its proclamation would not be delayed twenty-four hours.

Among the better informed officials about the War Office and at the Department of Indian Affairs, the stampede of many of the Sioux *en route* under military escort from their reservations to the camp designated for the winter's occupation on the Missouri, is regarded as very ominous of another war with the redskins. They are already reported to have inaugurated it by murder and minor depredations in the Black Hills country. The reinforcement of our Texas army embarrasses the Administration to find troops for this new emergency. One thing is said to have been determined on, viz., the rigid enforcement of the starvation policy against every rebellious Indian and against all declining to go to the depot designated for their supplies.

Fifteen thousand dollars is asked by the Interior Department to protect the Government from the depredations of the timber thieves. This system of plundering appears to have extended everywhere there was Government land bearing valuable timber, and has mounted in the aggregate to many millions. Whole communities are found implicated, including federal, State and municipal officers.

The opening of Congress didn't excite the usual attention. The long struggle over the contested seats crowded the Senate galleries day and night; and at its close the exhaustion was almost as marked among the habitues of the galleries as with the direct participants.

The gay season opens very quietly, with comparatively few strangers here, and with the ghastly remembrances of the Huron disaster still so vivid as to impose something of a restraint. The theatres have been only moderately patronized since their opening for the season, and the managers, hotel and boarding house keepers are all awaiting the influx usual after the holiday season. KNOX.

The Eastern War.

A Turkish division has crossed the Lom and taken Popkol, and is now marching in the direction of Verboca.

A Constantinople despatch says a Turkish division from Osman Bazar, under Saleh Pasha, occupied Kesirova, after some cannonading. Six battalions of Russians, fearing insolation, retreated thence to Tirnova. Suleiman Pasha's headquarters are still at Elena.

Russian official despatches admit the loss of Elena.

News and Notes.

An attempt was made on Thursday, at Barrington, Mass., to lynch Ten Eyck, the suspected negro murderer of the Stillmans at Sheffield. The people of Barrington, to which place he was taken to be lodged in jail, attempted to hang him, but the sheriff and his deputies kept the mob back with their revolvers.

Steamship European, from Cape of Good Hope for England, struck a rock off the coast of France and sunk in ten minutes. All hands escaped in the boats.

A building in course of erection at St. John, N. B., on Prince William street, fell Thursday, and eight men are supposed to have been crushed to death.

James Williams, of New London, Conn., a venerable old gentleman of sixteen years, was desperately in love. His gal jilted him, and he went to New York on Thursday, got drunk, and then took a cup of "cold pizen." He was taken to the hospital and bailed out with a stomach pump, and will recover.

The young American painter, Henry Leland, was accidentally killed in Paris, Tuesday, while playing with a pistol he thought not loaded.

A Tucson, Arizona, dispatch states that the States of Guerrero and Michoacan, with General Alvarez at the head of 6000 soldiers, have declared for Lerdo. This was considered important as indicating a change of opinion in the southern provinces of Mexico, which, until the present time, have been considered safe for Diaz.

MacMahon of France has formed a cabinet that is satisfactory to the republicans.

There has been a wholesale raid on the liquor dealers of New York city, and 351 of them arrested.

Commodore E. K. Collins, founder of the once famous Collins line of steamers, is in abject poverty. Contributions for his benefit, in the form of the subscription purchase of his portrait, to be hung in the Maritime Exchange of New York, are being solicited. It was generally supposed by all the merchants with whom he was associated that he had saved enough to support himself. His property consisted of unremunerative real estate, and that had to be sold at an unfortunate time to meet his urgent wants. For a number of years he lived very modestly in the neighborhood of New Rochelle.

James W. Westcott, of the Ocean House at Newburyport, reported by Detective Blood for liquor selling, cowhided the latter at the Merrimac House, Thursday, cutting his hands and face badly and injuring one eye.

A skiff containing seven negroes, who were attempting to cross the Mississippi at Myrtle Grove plantation, below New Orleans, tumbled to pieces, and five of them were drowned.

President Gowen, of the Philadelphia & Reading railroad, notifies miners that the average price of coal for December will require a reduction of wages thirty-one to thirty-two per cent. below the basis, but that they will be paid not less than thirty per cent. thereunder. Tolls and freights for November, he says, were but $1.25 per ton. The men are, however, promised that, for every twenty-five cents advance in tolls and freights next year, the minimum rate of wages will be increased ten per cent., and when the old rate of $2.00 per ton is reached, that basis will be the minimum. It is believed that this will give general satisfaction.

John Bell, boatswain's mate of the frigate Powhatan, a man of great practical experience, attributes the loss of the Huron to "local deviation of the compass," which is greater on an iron ship during a heavy storm than at other times, as storms are charged with electricity at sea as well as on shore.

The Executive Committee of the National Board of Steam Navigation, representing steamship and steamboat owners throughout the United States, held a meeting on Thursday in New York, to take measures in urging favorable action by Congress upon the pending measure commonly known as the steamboat bill. It is substantially a copy of the bill which passed the House in the Forty-fourth Congress, but which failed to receive final action in the Senate.

Prince Bismarck likes to find everything in his study in disorder and general topsy-turviness, just as he left it—bottles, mugs, cigars and cigar boxes, odd gloves, books, pamphlets, papers, letters, spurs, stray antiques, swords, hand mirrors, pistols, fiddle-strings, flutes—these are all articles he wants to put his hand on at short notice, and see lying around on the tables, floor and sofas. Whenever he discovers any signs that his wife or the servants have been trying to set things to rights a terrible row is raised.

The National Base ball League, at Cleveland, Ohio, Dec. 4th, gave the championship of the United States to the Boston club, and decided to throw out of the record all games played by the Cincinnati club during the season, because it was not properly a member of the League. The Board confirmed the expulsion by the Louisville club of Hall, Craver, Devlin and Nichols, for speculating in games. A resolution declaring the Indianapolis club a member of the League, was adopted. The expulsion of Oscar Walker by the St. Paul club, and of Burchell by the Louisville club were confirmed. At an adjourned meeting of the League, Dec. 5th, the Cincinnati, Milwaukee and Indianapolis clubs were voted in. The resignation of the St. Louis club was accepted. New articles to the constitution were adopted providing for a league alliance, the principal feature of which will be to give clubs under it a championship to be competed for by all.

The Spanish minister at Washington recently telegraphed to Captain General Jovellar, asking him to inquire as to the truth or falsity of a report that a secret order has been issued by General Martinez Campos, commanding all military chiefs to cause all prisoners of war to be shot, and then reported as having been killed on the field of battle. The Captain General, under date Havana, Dec. 4, telegraphs as follow: "Although I do not consider it necessary to deny falsehoods, publicly known to be such, I inform your excellency in order that you may make use of the information, in such manner as you may deem proper, that the report of the alleged secret circular about the shooting of prisoners said by Cuban insurgent papers to have been issued by the General-in-Chief is utterly without foundation and an unscrupulous forgery."

Political.

Providence held her second Mayoralty election on Thursday, and Thomas A. Doyle, republican, was elected for the twelfth time, by 4793 votes against 3577 for A. J. Barnaby, democrat, (who was supported, also, by disaffected republicans,) and 107 scattering votes. Mayor Doyle received 1145 more votes than ever before.

Remarking on the visit to South Carolina made by Senator Hamburg Massacre Butler, and the subsequent announcement that all indictments against Patterson were quashed, the Worcester *Gazette* says "quick sales and short credits" was Patterson's motto.

Nobody is so disgusted with the President's Message as Bonanza Jones of Nevada. He says Hayes wants a silver dollar as large as a cart wheel. Transparent Jones! What Jones wants is a silver dollar the size of a five cent piece. If Jones can get all his silver bullion coined into such dollars as these without paying anything to the mint for the expense of coinage, he thinks it would be a great thing for the poor working man. And the aforesaid poor working man thinks it would be a great thing for Jones.—*Worcester Gazette.*

New Hampshire Items.

There is to be a musical convention in Exeter on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week.

The women crusaders at Nashua, accompanied by their attorney, Col. Pierce, were on the war-path again Thursday. Several new complaints have been entered against liquor sellers, and some have been brought up for second offences.

—Newspaper man to applicant: "Have you ever had any experience as an editor?" Aspirant: "Well, no, not exactly. But I've been cowhided a number of times, have been married quite a while, have worn borrowed clothes for three years, and never had a penny for two days together, so I thought I might work in." He was engaged.

MARRIAGES.

COLE—TOMLINSON. In New York, Nov. 29th, Mr. Edwin O. Cole of New York, and Miss Emily E. Tomlinson, daughter of the late Charles J. Tomlinson of this city.

DEATHS.

PRAY. In Aiken, S. C., Dec. 3, Mrs. Rosalina A. Pray, wife of Capt. John S. Pray of this city.

LORD. In South Berwick, Me., at the advanced age of 91 years and 11 months, John Perkins Lord, Esq., last surviving brother of the late Samuel Lord, Esq., of this city.

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.	P. M.	
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5	*8:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:03 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE CITY.

Rev. Mr. Knapp, who lectures upon Art at the South Parish Chapel, has one of the largest collections in this country of illustrations upon sculpture, and the lectures promise to be of real value and interest.

Inspector General D. J. Vaughan commenced his first inspection of the State militia Thursday evening, with the Portsmouth Light Artillery. He will keep on until every company in the State has been inspected.

Schooner Sunlight, Capt. Hodgdon, from Philadelphia with six hundred and fifty tons of coal, arrived at this port on Friday. One hundred tons will be unloaded at Concord Railroad wharf for transportation up the road, and the remainder goes to the navy yard for the government.

It was reported in the Boston papers of Friday morning that the British steamer Ambassador, which accompanied the Faraday in laying the Direct Cable, was off Newburyport bar all day Thursday. What she was there for was not stated, nor could we find out anything about her on Friday by the fishermen. We don't believe she was there at all.

A free evening school is to be opened at the Common Council room under the management of the directors of the Young People's Union; applicants to be over fourteen years of age, and to show cause why they cannot attend the public schools. Those who wish to attend can report themselves at that place this evening between the hours of seven and nine o'clock.

The entertainment given by the Hutchings Association, Thursday evening, drew an audience that filled the Universalist vestry quite full enough for comfort; and the good programme was gone through with in good style, to the manifest gratification of all present. All the entertainments given by the Association this season have been good, the only fault that could be found being that the programme of the second one was a trifle too long—a fault that was guarded against at the last one. They are to give two more, and propose to make them fully equal to any of the previous ones.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant. Also, lecture in the evening on "God: His unity, nature, and character."

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Unitarian church, preaching at 10:30 A. M.; vesper service at 7:30. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. Mr. Knapp, of Bangor.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder Geo. W. Sederquest will preach.

At the Freewill Baptist church, on Pearl street, preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by Rev. E. Owen. Sabbath school at 11:30 A. M.

Mr. C. P. Mills will address the Spiritualists at Mechanics' Hall, at 3 and 7:30 P. M. All are invited.

Mission services; William A. Loyne, Volunteer Missionary. Residence at Faith Home, 16 Deer street. At home daily from 8 to 10 A. M. and 12 to 2 P. M. Services every Sabbath at the Alms House at 10:30; at the County Jail at 12:30. Consecration Meeting every Monday evening at the Home. Bow Mission service suspended.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D.

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M. Preaching by Rev. James W. Hubbell, the pastor.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. John A. Goss, at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M. by Rev. James Noyes, the pastor.

[Communicated.]

MR. KNAPP'S LECTURES.

Editor Chronicle: I wish to say a word or two in relation to the two illustrated lectures by Rev. Mr. Knapp, to be given at the Unitarian chapel in Court street, this (Saturday) and Monday evenings.

We often hear complaints that those who live in the larger cities have so many more opportunities for intellectual and artistic cultivation, than we have. But if we do not improve those which come in our way, how should we be any better for having three times as many? In the larger cities, with all their superior advantages, these lectures have been thronged; here, they have been attended by a mere handful. These few have enjoyed them highly and need no urging to complete the course. But to the many who have not as yet attended we would say, "It is too late to regret the past, but make the most of what yet remains within your reach."

The two remaining lectures will probably be the most interesting of the course, as Art and Sculpture are more generally attractive than Architecture. M.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, Dec. 7th; *Batchelder, J.*

Charles Johnson, drunk, fine and costs $9.90; had no money, so he was sent to Brentwood.

George Hein,—same offence, same sentence, same condition of treasury, same disposition of the offender.

THE VICINITY.

A few days since Mr. John Haven of North Hampton fell in his barn and broke one of his legs in two places.

The town of York, Me., is a "great" one in territory, if in nothing else; some of its citizens have to go nine miles to vote.

The Kittery reform club has elected the following officers for the ensuing term: President, Samuel Watson; Vice Presidents, A. M. Graves, Ira Dunbar; Treasurer, B. P. Lewis; Chaplain, James R. Philbrick; Sergent-at-arms, Charles Chickering.

District No. Seven, of Eliot, Me., (Eliot Neck,) contains but one hundred and twenty-one acres of land, but there are owned and kept within its limits 4206 hens, the hen-census having recently been taken. The largest flock in the district numbers 2000 fowls; the smallest one, eight.

The holder of a mortgage of $3100 on the Freewill Baptist church at Kittery Point has notified the society that he shall foreclose the same unless about one-half is paid and new securities given for the rest. It is not thought the conditions can be complied with in the time specified, if at all, and an early sale of the church is probable.

During the past season the Common at Hampton Falls on which formerly stood the Rockingham Academy, has been graded and put back to its proper condition. It was given to the town for a parade ground and was said to contain four acres. Afterward it was torn up and the earth carted away to repair the highways, until its appearance was anything but an ornament to the town. The oldest inhabitant never knew it in as good condition as at present.

The biggest sailing vessel that ever saw Dover or that Dover ever saw in our river, came up to-day laden with 276 tons of coal for C. H. Trickey & Co., direct from Philadelphia, where she is owned. It is the three-masted schooner "Sallie M. Evans," and a very handsome and staunch one she is. Her length of keel is 104 feet and 112 feet over all. She draws about nine feet of water. In the arrival of a vessel of this size here, we see plainly the benefit of clearing out and deepening the channel of the river. Before this was done vessels had to discharge cargo at Portsmouth, which had to be re-shipped on gondolas and such like fossil concerns in order to reach here. It made freights come higher, and we had wharfage to pay at Portsmouth besides. Now a vessel can be loaded at Philadelphia or Baltimore or New York, or wherever a cargo is to be shipped from, and come direct to the wharves here without any delay or extra expense. Of course our people in buying their coal, etc., save in the course of the year a very large sum. This arrival to-day is the fourth one which has brought a cargo of coal and been discharged for Trickey & Co. since Thanksgiving day, which shows that they are doing an extensive business in supplying our people with fuel for the winter.—*Dover Democrat*, 5th.

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A correspondent of the *Medical Record* observes, on perusing an account of a discussion on the removal of a button from the nose, that he finds no mention of a very simple procedure which has often succeeded after instruments have failed. It is merely to blow the patient's nose for him by closing the empty nostril with the finger, and then blowing suddenly and strongly into the mouth. The glottis closes spasmodically, and the whole force of the breath goes to expel the button or bean, which commonly flies out at the first effort. This plan has the great advantage of exciting no terror in the child, and of being capable of being at once employed by the parent before delay has given rise to swellings and impaction.

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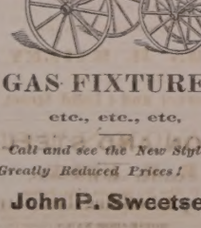
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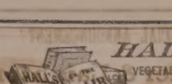
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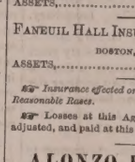

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Daily Chronicle.

WHAT I WOULD DO.

A learned crow, of very high degree,
Sat grim and solemn in a forest tree,
Conversing with his sons, who by him sat,
And saying learned things of this and that.
He talked of art, crowology, and laws,
And proper rendering of certain caws,
And might have kept on talking to this day,
But for the sound of wolves not far away,
Howling and snarling as they onward came
In fierce pursuit of some unlucky game.
A red deer, wounded sore, soon came in sight,
With hanging tongue and eyeballs wild with fright;
Reeling, exhausted, weak from loss of blood,
Right beneath the tree at bay she stood.
On came the wolves, a fierce, bloodthirsty crew,
Eager for blood, for well its taste they knew;
And soon the helpless creature was o'erpowered,
Torn limb from limb, and eagerly devoured.
When all was ended and the feast was done,
His crowship, with preliminary caws,
Looked wise, then grieved, then made a solemn pause;
Turned to his son and said, "You see below
A case of ignorance the cause of woe!"
Now, if I were a deer in such a place,
I would escape the wolves and leave no trace.
The proper course is very plain to see:
The silly creature should have climbed a tree."

MORAL.

You say, no doubt, "Why, what a fool is he
Who could expect a deer to climb a tree!"
Not one whit wiser than this crow of mine
Are some who wear the human form divine—
Who give advice unasked, and criticise,
And nod, and wink, and whisper, and look wise,
And spread opinions with a lavish hand
On men and things they do not understand.

Remarkable Surgical Case.

A curious case, unparalleled in the annals of surgery, in progress at Jamestown, New York, is attracting the attention of medical men all over the country. Mrs. Hay, a mill employe, in some manner was caught by the hair in a revolving shaft, and the scalp was torn off from the neck to the eyebrows—leaving the skull entirely bare, and making a wound fifty-nine square inches in extent. She walked to her home, about 500 feet distant, and gave orders about sending for a surgeon before she became unconscious. At first an attempt was made to replace the scalp, and it was patched up and sewed on, but soon began to slough off, and the physicians were at a loss as to the course they hit upon the experiment of grafting, and published a card in the daily papers explaining the case, and asking contributions from young and healthy people to replace the scalp. The young people responded in goodly numbers to the call, and the doctors took from each of their arms a very small piece of skin, which was transferred to the head of the unfortunate woman. At first the experiment seemed doubtful, but at last the grafts began to adhere, and the patient is now in a fair way of recovery. Two hundred and forty-one "plants" have been applied, which cover about half the scalp, and the remainder will be placed in position as soon as possible. Mrs. Hay has been unconscious for days, but the enthusiastic physicians who have the case in hand are very sanguine that she will ultimately recover.

A Contrast.

If we were to be asked to say in one word the quality that more than anything else marks English towns and all public places as compared with our own, we should have to say *neatness*. English streets are well paved and clean; English roads are well kept; English railway stations are in perfect order; English fields are trim and neat; English gardens, hedges, fences, lawns, all exhibit care and oversight. English smoke and fog blacken and stain all the buildings, but English care more than compensates for this unavoidable evil. We are not so particular here. We have a clear atmosphere and brilliant skies, but we are all, so far as public places are concerned, sons and daughters of Shabbyville. This is the more strange, because in our households no such reproach is true. There are no neater and better-kept homes, nor are any people cleanlier or neater in their habits. It is wholly in public matters that this shabbiness we complain of exists; and this arises, of course, first, from the neglect of the official persons we endow with handsome salaries for leaving undone the things they should do; and next, from a strange indifference on everybody's part to everything of a public nature, to everything that is not within his own private administration.—*Appleton's Journal.*

How a Horse Kept Warm.

One cold morning last week Dr. Wilson drove up to a house on Crown street, and left his horse without hitching it. The horse waited a few minutes, and his master not returning, he began to dance a double shuffle, presumably to get his feet warm; finding this rather monotonous he started up toward Oliver street, keeping up a kind of Kentucky breakdown. When he had gone several rods, he cramped the buggy, backed and

turned round, as neatly as though guided by a skillful driver, and pranced back to the hitching-post. Here he waited about five minutes, and then started toward Main street, going through several kinds of paces. Near the corner he stopped and turned round as skillfully as before, and frightened a boy, who had tried to stop him, almost out of his wits, by pursuing said boy with open mouth and bent-back ears, as though his usual habit was to eat every small boy that he came across. He then continued his antics until he had reached the house where he had been left, and when Dr. Wilson came out he was standing at the hitching-post as demurely as though he had never thought of leaving it.—*Meriden Republican.*

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 10, 1877.

The Life-Saving Service.

The bill introduced in the House by Mr. Cox of New York to organize a life-saving service provides that the Secretary of the Treasury be authorized to establish additional life-saving and life-boat stations as follows: Thirteen complete stations on the coast of Virginia and North Carolina; two complete and one life-boat stations on the coast of Lake Michigan; four life-boat stations on the coast of Texas; two life-boat stations on the coast of Lake Huron, and one life-boat station in Bolinas bay, California, in place of that authorized at Point Reges by the act of June 20, 1874. The bill further provides that, hereafter, life-saving stations upon the Atlantic coast at which crews are employed, shall be manned and the stations opened for active service on the 1st of September of each year and so continue until the first of May succeeding, and the crews shall reside at the stations during said period; that the President of the United States may appoint a suitable person who shall be familiar with the use and operations of life-boats, surf-boats, etc., for the saving of life and property from shipwrecked vessels as General Superintendent of the Life-Saving Service, who shall, under the immediate direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, have general charge of the service, and whose compensation shall be $4000 per annum, and the Secretary of the Treasury shall appoint an assistant to the General Superintendent, at a salary of $2500; that the compensation of the keepers of life-saving and life-boat stations hereafter be $500 per annum, and they shall be appointed by the Secretary of the Treasury, but receive no additional compensation for duties performed as such. It is understood that the bill was prepared by the Chief of the Revenue Marine Division.

A Political Almanac of the Senate.

The Albany *Journal* thus foots up the United States Senate:

Now that the struggle for the political control of the Senate is concluded for the present, it is time to make up the official returns and see how the Senate stands. The republicans have gained Kellogg, the democrats Butler, and Eustis is still knocking at the door. Counting Conover and Patterson, the republicans have 39 Senators, and the democrats, including Davis of Illinois, 36. But one of the republicans, Sharon, is habitually absent without a pair, so that the republican side is practically reduced to 38. It is probable, also, that Eustis will soon be admitted, increasing the democratic side to 37. Or, to put the whole in tabular form:

Republicans with Sharon,	39
Republicans without Sharon,	38
Democrats with Davis and without Eustis,	36
Democrats when Eustis gets in and Davis stays in,	37
Democrats when Eustis gets in and Davis gets out,	36
Republican majority (without Sharon) when Davis is a democrat	1
Republican majority when Davis is a republican	3
Republican majority when Davis is an independent and artful dodger,	2
Democratic majority, if Patterson should do so again, with Davis as a democrat,	1
Republican majority, if Patterson should do so again, with Davis a republican,	1
Republican majority, if Patterson should do so again, with Davis as an independent dodger, making a tie, to be decided by the Vice-President's casting vote,	1
Democratic majority, if Patterson and Conover should both do so again, with Davis as a democrat, but his position in that case not changing the result no matter what he might do,	3

Congress.

The republicans in the Senate are trying to oust Sergeant-at-Arms French because he has appointed democrats to office in preference to republicans. Col. N. G. Ordway of this State is a candidate for the place.

There is considerable dissatisfaction among the eastern democrats over the selection of Senator Voorhees by the democratic caucus as the member of the finance committee. They claim that it is a virtual endorsement of the most extreme inflation ideas, and everything that is unsound in regard to greenbacks and silver.

Walter H. French of Massachusetts, Tally Clerk of the House of Representatives, was removed on Friday and Gen. Albert Lamar of Georgia appointed in his place. The New England democratic members are indignant at the act of Clerk Adams, and claim that it is unjust.

A bill was introduced by Mr. Stephens of Georgia, amendatory of the Texas Pacific Railroad act, proposing to issue to that company bonds of the United States to an amount not exceeding $38,750,000, payable, principal and interest, in gold, and to run fifty years. A motion instructing the committee to report back the resolution in five days was defeated by a large majority.

Mr. Shelley of Alabama introduced a bill to regulate Chinese immigration. It proposes to levy, per capita, a tax of $250 upon every subject of China immediately upon entering the United States, either from China or any other country, after January 1, 1879, excepting officers or duly accredited agents of the Chinese Government, and their families or servants coming to the United States in some official capacity. Every Chinese subject violating this provision will be punished on conviction by imprisonment at hard labor for not less than five years. The bill was referred to the committee on education and labor.

Belva Lockwood, Mrs. Van Cott and Mrs. Ricketts of New Hampshire were accorded a hearing by the judiciary committee of the House, Friday morning, in support of a bill authorizing women to practice before the United States Supreme Court. Mrs. Lockwood explained how she had been denied this privilege. Gen. Butler was authorized by the committee immediately to report a bill favoring this application.

The Eastern War.

The Russian bridge across the Danube at Nicopolis has been broken and badly damaged.

Turkish despatches represent the Russians at Erzeroum as in a critical position. Other despatches report a determined and probably successful Russian attack on Batoum as probable.

Suleiman Pasha reports that he has again defeated the Russians at Tirnova, with heavy loss. Osman Pasha claims to have made nine successful sorties from Plevna in November, and that he has an abundance of ammunition and provisions.

News and Notes.

MacMahon is obstinate again, and the compromise ministry is a failure.

A fishing schooner, which recently arrived at Gloucester from the Banks, brought a curious fish, a little over four feet long, somewhat resembling a shark, but which was unknown to fishermen. It was caught in a trawl, and preserved as a curiosity. The fish was sent to the Smithsonian Institution, with a pair of its entirely new species, not before described.

The army officers are reported as attaching grave importance to the order that the companies of artillery ordered to the Mexican frontier are not permitted to take any of their wives or families. Gen. Ord is said to have stated, Thursday, that they would have enough heavy work to do without being encumbered with women. He also stated that Gen. Miles is ordered to remain in Washington till the arrival of Gen. Sheridan, for consultation as to needed movements against the fresh Sioux outbreak. Several officers believe that Lieutenants Bullis and Young, who have been absent on a raid into Mexico for three weeks, have been captured and sent to the city of Mexico as prisoners.

United States steamer Pensacola, at San Francisco Nov. 29, was to sail in a day or two for Honolulu. She would be absent from San Francisco for six months.

Among the grand jurors who originally found the indictment against President Case for perjury in the returns of the Security Life Insurance Company was Wm. C. Gilman, the insurance scrip forger, now in Sing Sing prison.

The naval officers at Norfolk have all signed a petition to Congress for a pension for the wife and children of Captain Guthrie, Superintendent of the Life Saving Station, recently drowned at the wreck of the Huron.

A family named Finney, at Mansfield, Ohio, were attacked in their house on the night of the 6th inst., by an unknown person. The family consisted of father and son, and their wives. The old man was killed and the old lady fatally beaten. The son and his wife, who slept up stairs, heard the noise and came down, when the assassin attacked them, fatally wounding them both. A colored man named Webb has been arrested for the crime, and the evidence is strong against him. A gun, used as a club, was the weapon employed, and it was wrested from the murderer by young Mr. Finney, the assailant then making his escape from the house.

Political.

The speeches of Senators Thurman and Voorhees, in the executive session of the Senate, Friday, were regarded as indicating that the democrats as a body intend to stand by the President's nominations and to treat the tenure of office act as unconstitutional. Senator Voorhees says the act originated in anger and fear—anger at Andy Johnson for betraying the republican party, and fear as to the consequences of that betrayal. Being regarded as unconstitutional, the democrats of the Senate intend to act as though it was not on the statute book.—*Cor. Prov. Journal.*

The last issue of the Charleston *News and Courier* has an editorial warning the colored republicans of Charleston not to support at the coming city election an independent ticket, composed of colored republicans and independent white democrats. The article says: "Upon the colored people of Charleston will rest the responsibility for the defeat of the democratic ticket, or attempt to defeat it. The defeat of the democratic ticket by the colored people will rekindle angry feelings that are fast dying out. The old color line will be re-established. The whites will be pitted squarely against the blacks. Does any colored man doubt the result of such a contest, the State government, in every department, being controlled by democrats?"

The opposition to Gov. Prescott dates from his appointment of Judge Smith to the supreme bench, and is explained by the fact that Judge Smith two years ago was a party to the decision that the court had no authority to interfere in the matter known as the "Senate steal,"—the outrage perpetrated by Returning Board Weston and his pals. The Governor has turned the tables by publishing a part of the letters recommending the re-appointment of Judge Smith. Among the writers are Hon. E. H. Rollins, Daniel Hall, chairman of the Republican State Committee, and the leading members of the bar all over the State.

New Hampshire Items.

A two-story frame house, near Wolfeboro', owned and occupied by Benjamin C. Perkins, was burned Friday morning. Loss $2000; insured $1500. Incendiary.

Gilmanton has a lady farmer, Mrs. J. D. Piper, who, though over sixty years of age, owns and manages a farm of seventy-five acres. The past summer she has herself done all her fencing, planting, hoeing, harvesting and other farm work, with the exception of haying.

A barn with contents, belonging to Joseph Herbert of Bethlehem, was burned Thursday afternoon. Loss $600; insured $200; cause unknown.

A Perfect Woman.

A wife-seeking, methodical youth, who has occasionally escorted a young lady home on Sunday evenings, and gone in for supper, after performing both services last Sunday night, suddenly said to her—"Do you talk in your sleep?" "Why—no," she answered, in surprise. "Do you walk in your sleep?" he next inquired. "No, sir." He moved his chair an inch closer, and with increased interest asked—"Do you snore?" "No," she hastily replied, looking earnestly at him. At this reply his eyes fairly sparkled. His lips eagerly parted, and as he gave his chair another hitch, he briskly inquired—"Do you throw the combings of your hair in the basin?" "What?" she asked, with a blank face. He repeated the question, although with increased nervousness. "No, I don't," she answered in some haste. Again his chair went forward, while his agitation grew so intense that he could scarcely maintain his place upon it as he asked—"Do you clean the comb when you have done?" "Of course I do," she said, staring at him with all her might. In an instant he was on his knees, before her with his hand outstretched. "I love you," he passionately cried. "I give my whole heart to you. Love me and I will be your slave. Love me as I love you, and I will do everything on earth for you. Oh, will you take me to be your lover, your husband, your protector, your everything?" It was a critical moment for a young lady of her years, but she was equal to the emergency, as a woman generally is, and accepted him.—*Once-a-Week.*

An Eventful Career.

In the State Prison at Charlestown there is a man named Duhnahin who was there before the war, serving out a sentence of thirty years. While the war was in progress he expressed a desire to enlist, and he was conditionally pardoned that he might do so. His character was unknown to his comrades, and he gained the good will of his officers by showing that he was a brave man. After the battle of Fredericksburg he acted as a spy for the Union army, and from information obtained by him in this manner the Northern troops were saved from destruction. He was afterward captured, sent to Libby Prison, and paroled. He broke his parole, re-enlisted, deserted, committed a burglary, and he now has twelve years to serve the State. He is usually cheerful, but his long confinement has worn upon him, and he is not much more than the wreck of a man.

Bad Gunpowder.

A hotel in Middletown, Conn., having for some time been infested with skunks, one night the employees, armed with guns, laid in wait for the pests, and succeeded in despatching two of them. In the morning an English guest, who had been sojourning at the hotel for a day or two, approached the clerk and remarked: "I rather like this place—sort of rustic, you know. But you have such shocking noises at night—guns and pistols, and all that sort of thing. The most peculiar thing of all, is that the powder of those guns has the most infernal odor, you know."

—It was at a charity ball; the girl was pretty and exquisitely dressed. She said: "Now, Mr. ——, don't you put my name in the paper, nor tell what I had on. I have worn this dress once before, and it's horribly old. I was going to have a French dress from Worth's, but it didn't get here so I had to wear this. Now mind, don't put my name in the paper, but, if you do, send me six."

—The latest performance in London, and one which draws a salary of $500 per week, is the terrific feat of Zagel, a young girl who dives through the air and strikes in a net 90 feet below. She drops head first, but gently and gracefully swerves in her flight until at last, striking on her back in the net, she arises unharmed. Should she miscalculate and fall on her head some day she would infallibly break her neck.

—The American fishermen on the Detroit river have been playing a trick which their brethren on the Canadian side despise, and which the Dominion government is taking measures to prevent in future. The Yankees have anchored hundreds of small pieces of boards below the surface of the water on the Canadian side, and the current disturbing them the fish are frightened over to the American shore. This has seriously interfered with the season's catch by the Canadians.

—A Vernon county (Mo) man had a faithful dog who accompanied him in all his travels. While driving through the woods, a few days ago, the dog sprang at the horse and held on to the bridle rein, and, though often driven off, persisted in this conduct. Concluding him mad, the man drew a pistol and shot the animal, which then ran back on the road. In a few minutes the man missed his overcoat, which had been tied to his saddle, and, going back, found it in the road with the dog lying dead upon it.

—English college-boys are even more impertinent than Americans. The boys at Cambridge played a very impertinent joke on Darwin on the recent conferring of the degree of D. C. L. upon him. As the distinguished recipient of university honors marched upon the platform, clad in the scarlet robes of the doctor, the effigy of a monkey was slowly lowered into the middle of the hall, from the most prominent point in the gallery. It was robed in the undergraduate gown, and emblazoned upon it, in staring letters, was the legend, "The Missing Link."

—A celebrated doctor—celebrated almost as much for his love of good living as for his professional skill—called upon a certain eccentric nobleman, whom he found sitting alone at a very nice dinner. After some time, the doctor, receiving no invitation to partake of it, said: "My dear lord, if I were in your lordship's place, I should ask my visitor to do as I was myself doing." "A thousand pardons for the omission," replied his lordship. "Pray, then, my dear doctor, do as I am doing—go home and eat your dinner!"

—As two young ladies belonging in Albion, Me., were on their way home from Houlton, on the railroad, a man entered the car in which they were seated, who had evidently been drinking. He soon took a bottle from his pocket and proceeded to pass it round; no one, however, accepted his proffered hospitality until he came to the Albion ladies, one of whom politely took the bottle from his hand, and instead of placing the disgusting thing to her dainty lips, very coolly threw it out of the open window, creating quite a sensation among the passengers. The man decamped in rather a crestfallen mood.

—Mrs. Gen. Sherman has written another letter against dancing. She says that she has noted "the wail of the wounded and the guilty" dancers since her first denunciation of the amusement. "It is not to be expected," she continues, "that young girls, who are unconscious of evil in the beginning, should reflect long enough to summon the moral courage to resist the allurements of the dance, unless with encouragement and support of their parents. To the honor of pure maidenhood be it said, however, that there are young girls who decline from instinctive delicacy, even when their parents would have them join the throng who dance down the broad road of worldly pleasure."

—Some time ago a Cincinnati donkey immortalized himself by killing a lioness in a fair fight. And now the *Gazette* thinks another humble animal of the same sort in that city is worthy of honorable mention. The latter was attached to a car, filled with passengers, which was descending a hill. At a critical moment the brake-chain broke, and the car rushed down the hill, struck a switch, went off on the wrong track, and was about to dash into another full car, when this donkey, now of honorable fame, heroically threw himself into the breach (unintentionally, perhaps) and by his kicking, prevented a bad smash. The *Gazette* adds: "The mule was not badly hurt, and those who ought to know say that a horse in the same position would have been killed at the first shock."

—"It it proper to say, 'I see the sun rising,' or 'I see the sun rise?" asks Balto. Sir, the proper thing is to get home before it rises.

—When the owner of a little house in Cleveland went to collect the rent, he found that the tenant had put it on wheels and moved it away.

—A young lady who is studying French lately wrote to her parents that she was "invited out to a 'dejuner' the day before, and was going to a 'fote champetre' the next day." The professor of the college was surprised to receive a dispatch from the "old man" a day or two after saying: "If you can't keep my girl away from these blarsted monageries and side-shows, I will come down and see what ails her."

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Great Falls,	9:35	4:35
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
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THE CITY.

Bible reading in the chapel at Faith Home this (Monday) evening at 7:30; friends invited.

Mr. Knapp's closing lecture in the course on Architecture and Sculpture will be given this evening, in the Unitarian vestry, on Court street.

The very handsome presents to be distributed at the Knights of Pythias Fair attract much attention as they are displayed in the window of Rundlet's drug store.

Among the estimates of appropriations recommended by the War Department is an item of $60,000 for the batteries at the entrance to this harbor. For the improvement of the Cocheco river, an appropriation of $11,000 is recommended.

A beautiful sight was presented, Saturday evening, by a brilliant planet close to the young moon,—almost between its horns. We would tell what planet it was if we knew, but we don't; all we know is that it was beautiful to look at. We believe it was Venus, but if anybody has another name for it we shall not quarrel about the matter.

We are informed that the statement made by one of the city papers a few days ago, to the effect that the ship's writer of the Huron, who lost his life in the wreck of that ill-fated craft, was Mr. George Price, formerly snare drummer of Harlow's Marine Band, is incorrect, our informant having received a postal card stating that the George Price referred to is alive and well, and never was attached to the Huron.

A letter received in this city last week, from San Francisco, reports a serious accident as having recently happened to Gunner Thomas H. Fortune, U. S. N., of this city, now stationed at the Mare Island navy yard. He was running to catch the ferry boat, which was just starting from the yard for Vallejo, when he slipped and fell from the brow, having five ribs broken and being badly bruised. He was taken to the yard hospital, and at last accounts was doing well.

Nothing more has been heard of the cable steamer Ambassador, reported as laying off Newburyport bar all day Thursday, watching for a chance to mend the shore end of the Direct Cable at Rye beach. If there was any steamer there at all it was probably only a steam collier waiting for the tide, as there is nothing reported wrong with the cable; the Ambassador is probably thousands of miles away,—and if she were really on the coast to mend the cable she would not be likely to lay off Newburyport bar looking for it, when she could so easily make a safe anchorage in Portsmouth lower harbor, and be nearer her work, besides.

Major David Urch, of this city, delivered a lecture in South Eliot last week—his first appearance on the lecture platform. The *Times'* report says "his lecture was replete with information, showing deep thought and careful study of his theme. His gestures were graceful, easy and natural, his delivery clear, impressive and without mannerism, and his sentences crisp, well-rounded and convincing. He spoke for an hour and ten minutes, and not a person left the church or manifested the slightest weariness. He closed amid great applause, and was immediately surrounded by his friends who offered their congratulations on his success."

MR. KNAPP'S LECTURES.

On Saturday evening Rev. Mr. Knapp gave the third lecture in the course on Architecture and Art, the subject of this one being Sculpture. The audience, though representing the best culture of the city, was not nearly what it should have been in point of numbers, the absorbed attention paid to the lecturer being an involuntary testimony to the extremely interesting manner in which he treats a most interesting subject,—the sculpture of all known ages and peoples, from the rude and often hideous caricature of the barbarian to the wonderful productions of the Greek masters. The lecturer began with a few illustrations of Egyptian sculpture, among which was a rare and curious wooden statue nearly 6000 years old,—exhibiting a degree of life and imitation of nature very surprising at that early age, and in marked contrast to the rigid conventionalism shown in the productions of a later time. Then passing to the sculpture of Greece, its growth was traced from the early rude symbols, showing the gradual appearance of the signs of life and freedom, until in the time of Phidias art reached its culmination in the sculptures of the Parthenon. Following this, the grand age, came the so-called age of the beautiful, in which Praxiteles was the chief master. A large number of his works were shown, the stereopticon giving almost absolutely perfect reproductions of the originals.

This (Monday) evening the subject will be continued, with examples of the later sculptures of Greece, presenting some fifty or more illustrations of the most famous art treasures of the world, besides many rare and curious sculptures.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, Dec. 8th; *Batchelder, J.*

Wm. Devine, for drunkenness, was sent to Brentwood long enough to board out $9.90.

Michael Boyle, for drunkenness, was fined $3, costs $6.90; he was able to produce the required sum, so he will not have to visit Pollard's temperance retreat on this occasion.

Horace L. Colcord, a young man charged with having hired a horse to go to a certain place, and then driven him a much longer distance, incorrectly reporting the distance driven on his return, had his case continued to Monday.

Henry S. Thompson, charged with breaking and entering the store of J. L. Parker, in Candia, on the 31st of July last, was bound over in the sum of $300 to appear to answer at the April term of the Supreme Court at Exeter.

THE WEATHER SIGNALS.

Mr. C. Dwight Rundlet having signified his readiness to gratuitously attend to the display of the storm signals from his store on Market square, a petition signed by many of our leading citizens has been sent to Hon. Frank Jones, our Representative in Congress, urging him to make an effort to have the proposed arrangement consummated at the War Department. The importance of this signal service to the fishermen that rendezvous here will, we trust, be appreciated, and the desired arrangement carried out.

THE VICINITY.

The new schoolhouse at South Seabrook is finished outside, and painted; the plastering of the upper room was finished last week, and the end of this week will see both rooms completed. The old schoolhouse which so long disgraced the district is nearly ready for occupancy as a grocery store, in its new location.

Two tramps stole a valuable young setter dog from the premises of Moses Mann, Esq., at Greenland, a few nights since, and shortly after had the cheek to apply at the town farm for lodgings. The keeper of the farm took the dog from them, though they protested with tears in their eyes that they had owned him for years, and valued him very highly.

Temperance Meeting at Raymond.

On Thursday evening, of last week, the town hall was well filled to listen to an address by Col. J. Horace Kent of Portsmouth. After the preliminary exercises, Rev. J. Fullonton read the following, prepared for the occasion, as a welcome to the speaker:

A thousand welcomes to the field,
We heroes need who will not yield;
The war is long, and fierce the fight
For God, for souls, for truth, for right.
The foes are numerous, they seem strong,
But what's the power induced by rum?
One man endowed by Heaven's might,
Will put ten thousand such to flight.
King Alcohol leads on his train
Of staggering, reeling, drunken men;
Apollyon yells to cause alarm,
But those for God will find no harm.
Young David fought with sling and stone,
And stretched Goliath on the plain;
When Israel's daughters joined in song,
High praises to our God belong.
We shall succeed, of this no doubt,
Satan's dark host will have a rout;
We shall succeed, God's word won't fail,
Truth mighty is, and will prevail.
Heaven sends us teachers of the truth,
The old to cheer, and guide the youth;
With gratitude for all thus sent,
We welcome now High Sheriff Kent.

The address was a calm, clear and forcible discussion of the woes of intemperance; and the remedy, total abstinence, urged in the most convincing manner. Others followed in short speeches, some of whom had been sufferers by intemperance. The Club has an organ in the hall. The singing was good and the whole exercises interesting. F.

MARRIAGES.

FOX—WYMAN. In Hillsboro' Bridge, Dec. 4th, at the residence of the bride's father (Mr. Charles Wyman), by Rev. Harry Brickett, Roswell S. Fox of Dracut, Mass., and Miss Nellie M. Wyman.

DEATHS.

WINKLEY. In Boston, Dec. 6th, Mrs. Jane S. Winkley, formerly of this city.

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The Report of the Directors will then be presented.

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Portsmouth Chronicle

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Can any one tell why men who cannot pay small bills, can always find money to buy liquor, and treat when among their friends?

Can any one tell why young men who dodge their washerwomen, and are always behind with their landlords, can play billiards night and day, and are always ready at a game of cards?

Can any one tell how men live and support their families who have no income and do no work, while others who are industrious and constantly employed are half starved?

Can any one tell how it is that some mothers are so ready to sew for the distant heathen, when their children at home are ragged and dirty?

Can any one tell why four-fifths of young women prefer a brainless fop under a plug hat, with tight pants and short-tailed coat, to a man with some brains?

—When a New Haven man gets thirsty he walks until he meets a friend, to whom he says, "Let's go in and pair off," and they take their cloves plain.

—Rhetoric, in places, is a big thing. A writer recently went into a newspaper office and said, "I've got an article on Mahomet for some paper that spells it that way." He was immediately kicked down stairs, for he had gone into a Mohamet office. Then he climbed the stairs into a Mohammed office, and was let out on the fire escape gently, but positively. Next he struck a magazine where the proof-readers were partisans of the old school of Muhammed, and he went sadly away. One man, whom he met on the stairs of a religious but practical journal, informed him that Mehemet was the style there. An hour after he was seen to be let down the coal hole of a Mohammed establishment. Parents should always teach their children how to spell.

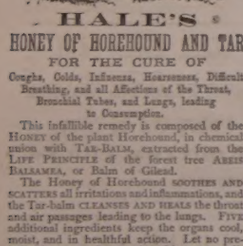
Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 80c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50
Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 4 @ 5c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., ft. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 35 to 36 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 35c.
Pork per bbl., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, Fump $8; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 60c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9 @ 9½c; Gr. 10; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s 1892	109½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	128
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 5s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	115
Boston & Providence	136½
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	79
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	80
Fitchburg	136
Manchester & Lawrence	134
Michigan Central	63½
Northern N. H.	73
Old Colony & Newport	96
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65½



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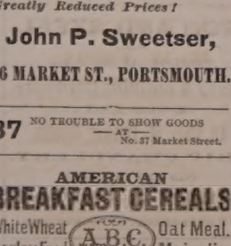
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This elegant preparation may be relied on to change the color of the beard from gray or any other undesirable shade, to brown or black, at discretion. It is easily applied, being one preparation, and quickly and effectually produces a permanent color which will neither rub nor wash off.
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Daily Chronicle.

Sumpter Silenced.

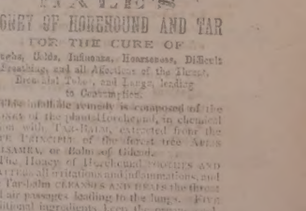
It is pertinent for me, professionally, to remark that, had the Federal naval attack on Fort Sumpter of the 6th of April, 1863, been made at night, while the fleet could easily approach near enough to see the fort—a large, lofty object covering several acres—the monitors, which were relatively so small and low on the water, could not have been seen from the fort. It would have been impossible, therefore, for the latter to have returned with any accuracy the fire of the fleet, and this plan of attack could have been repeated every night until the walls of the fort should have crumbled under the enormous missiles which made holes two and a half feet deep in the walls and shattered the latter in a very alarming manner. I could not have then repaired during the day the damages of the night, and I am confident now, as I was then, that Fort Sumpter, if thus attacked, must have been disabled and silenced in a few days. Such a result at this time would have been necessarily followed by the evacuation of Morris and Sullivan's Islands, and, soon after, of Charleston itself, for I had not yet had time to complete and arm the system of works, including James Island and the inner harbor, which enabled us six months later to bid defiance to Admiral Dahlgren's powerful fleet and Gilmore's strong land forces.—*Gen. Beauregard.*

—A distressed mother writes to a newspaper for advice, which she gets in the following: "The only way to cure your son of staying out late nights is to break his legs, or get the girl he runs after to do your house-work."

—A boarding club at Wisconsin University, the members of which were about equally divided in politics, wagered their pie and cake for two weeks on the result of the recent State election. The democrats of that club have been observing a pastry Lent, while the republicans luxuriated on two pieces per day.

—"You have often," said the clergyman, "heard the brethren say 'Amen! amen!' while some one was praying. What do they mean?" If any knows let him hold up his hand." Up jumped a little fellow, so eager to answer as not to wait for recognition. "I know!" he called out. "It means hurry up and get through." There was an audible smile.

—"Whoa, Emma!" is the English slang at present. The other night, in Manchester, when Adelaide Neilson was about to take her poison as "Juliet," a gallery god unexpectedly shouted out to her, "Whoa, Emma!" and she had to whoa in the midst of her woe, for the audience roared with laughter. And a few nights ago, when Gilbert Grant of Emma mine celebrity, the friend of Schenck, happened to be in court giving evidence concerning some of his operations, a hollow voice from a man present, whose tattered garb seemed to indicate that he had reached hard pan, cried out metallically, "Whoa, Emma!"



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Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1877.

Chronicle Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 7th.

A residence of only a few months here convinces the average visitor having the *entree* of "respectable" circles, of our sore need of a temperance revival—of a searching work that will reach down into the hundreds, perhaps thousands, of vile groggeries that infest the disreputable haunts of the "division," "murder bay," "hell's bottom," and others of equally euphonious designation, where filth, squalor, famine and drunkenness are the normal conditions of life, and up into the abodes of the aristocratic neighborhoods where the analogue of the whisker-guzzler of the first-named precint is found in the wine bibber of the latter, and where dissipation is restricted to the more genteel forms of vice and immorality. Between the two come the hotel-bars and the gilded saloons, with their thousands of patrons from the intermediate classes, clerks, tradesmen, poor professional men, well-to-do mechanics, lobbyists, small contractors, etc. From the testimony of those most familiar with life about the Capitol during sessions of Congress, the spectacle of drunken men reeling along the corridors of that noble structure and staggering through the cloak-rooms adjoining the halls of legislation is rapidly on the increase. Drunken or partially intoxicated members of Congress have been comparatively rare for the past fifteen years; but it is alleged on apparently good authority that the chambers at both ends of the Capitol have not infrequently been disgraced by the presence of men so far gone in their cups as to be maudlin and next door to helpless during the past two winters, and that the evil is steadily widening the circle of its victims. From very shame a movement has been inaugurated to enforce the prohibition against liquor selling on the premises, which have, until now, been a dead letter. The resolution unanimously passed by the House makes it a crime, punishable by fine and imprisonment, to sell or give away intoxicating liquors in the building; and we shall not lack opportunities to test the sincerity of members on this vote.

As stated in my last, that portion of the President's message relating to national finances was not relished by a majority of those, in and out of Congress, who supported the Bland and Ewing bills, although it is obvious that a portion of the Congressional delegation giving them a nominal support, secretly rejoice that the President has shown himself willing to assume a responsibility that they shrunk from taking, though convinced that their votes in favor of both measures and prompted by the popular sentiments of their districts demanding their enactment, were adverse to our best interests. But from the latest developments it must be admitted that their number is not large; and the joint opposition of the President and Mr. Sherman as indicated by their latest utterances here, have reacted as a stimulant upon the inflation leaders. Already there are indications of an organized attempt to force Mr. Hayes to accept silver remonetization as a condition precedent to voting him the annual appropriations; in other words the scheme to tack the silver bill to the appropriation bills has scores of advocates in the House, and the defeat of Morrill's motion in the Senate, to defer consideration of the silver bill until January 11th by the decisive vote of 40 to 18, is regarded as a test of the popularity of the measure in the upper House. Those hoping and believing three days ago that the opposition announced through the message and the Secretary's report would give both measures named their quietus, have become alarmed at the disposition manifested to resort to extreme measures on the part of their advocates.

Dr. Mary Walker has gained a victory after a long contest with the Treasury Department. It seems that in 1873 she was recommended for appointment in that Department. It is understood that she passed a creditable examination, was sworn into service, ordered to report for duty, did so report, was instructed in her duties and only failed to go to work from failure of the authorities to make out her commission. It is understood that she was told if she would discard her hermaphrodite dress and assume that suitable to her sex she could have her commission. She refused, but reported at the office from day to day for duty for an indefinite time; and Solicitor Rayner, basing his opinion on the above facts and allegations and many others contained in the papers, has adjudged her entitled to a year's salary—$900. His decision is generally approved. In this connection I may say that the women suffragists confidently count on the President's influence in their fight for the ballot from what he is believed to have conceded to Mrs. Spencer and Sargent in a recent interview held with him at the White House.

KNOX.

News and Notes.

Steamship City of Berlin passed Queenstown on Monday in tow of steamship City of New York, on her way to Liverpool. Her detention was owing to her having broken her shaft when two day's steaming from Queenstown.

The wholesale arrests of unlicensed liquor dealers, hundreds of whom were arraigned in the Police Court and released on bail, has caused great excitement in New York city. Of the 8000 bar-rooms in that city not more than 1000 were open Saturday.

The ambassador from Samoa, now at Washington, has made an appeal to the United States for a protectorate, and says that if no treaty is negotiated the result will be the same as in the case of Fiji a few years ago, namely, English annexation.

A cargo of sugar valued at $30,000, on the brig Morning Light, has been seized in New York by the government. It is claimed by treasury experts and chemists to be Demerara centrifugal sugar, and to be subject to forfeiture under the recent treasury order in regard to the importation of sugar artificially colored to escape the legitimate duties to the government. The Demerara sugar importers say that the coloring is a part of the process of manufacture. The duty on the Morning Light's cargo is $13,000.

The wife of Wm. H. Devlin, of Lowell, was found dead on Monday, having evidently been beaten to death. An infant was found dead in bed, having been strangled. It is believed both were murdered by Devlin.

A man named Spiegel, who formed one of a party of six attacked by the Indians a short time since, rode up to Meyer's Ranche, six miles from Crook City, Dakota, Wednesday, with an Indian corpse dragging at the end of a lariat, the other end of which was fastened to the pommel of his saddle. He reports that he engaged in a running fight with three Indians, two of whom he wounded, and the third accompanied him as above stated.

Six able-bodied tramps who slept at the police station in Quincy, Mass., a few nights ago, were offered in the morning by a granite contractor a good breakfast, and then work in the quarry for a month, with the additional promise that the best two should have work all winter. They all declined and continued their tramps.

Shortly after midnight, Saturday, Herbert Finn, of Lawrence, Mass., who had excited the anger and jealousy of Robert McElroy at a dance in the evening, was set upon by McElroy and his two brothers and beaten so his life is despaired of.

The inquiry concerning the loss of the Huron tends, thus far, to show that the navigator was misled as to the real position of the ship.

During its mother's temporary absence a little child of Thomas Bodger, of North Adams, Mass., climbed up and sat down on a red-hot stove; so that when the mother returned, it was actually roasted alive. The child still lives but is likely to die.

Patrick Ward, of New York, tried to kill his married daughter by placing in her coal supply thirty black canvas bags sewed up tight, resembling coal. Each bag contained a large quantity of gunpowder mixed with shot, gravel and nails. The woman was badly injured by the explosion in her kitchen stove, and her babe will probably die.

Congress.

There was no business of importance done in the House on Monday.

The Senate, by a vote of forty-nine to eight declared Eustis entitled to a seat as Senator from Louisiana. Mr. Eustis was then sworn in. The eight votes cast against Eustis were given by Messrs. Hamlin, Howe, Allison, Cameron of Wisconsin, McMillan, Morrell, Ingalls and Saunders.

New Hampshire Items.

The bull at the Merrimack county farm got on a rampage the other day, and attacked one of a pair of oxen. The other came to the rescue and the two beat the bull. Later the bull on going to the barn discovered the oxen tied up and attacked them again and was with difficulty driven away into the yard. Here he set upon a boar and a third time came off second best. His head was severely cut by the tusks of the boar.

The dwelling-house and barn of Joseph Welch of Franklin, with nearly all their contents, were totally consumed by fire Friday afternoon. The fire originated in the barn. Loss about $800; insured $700.

Edward Mooney, a lad fifteen years old, broke through the ice while skating on Badger pond at Belmont Saturday morning and was drowned.

Political.

Ex-Gov. Pinchback has addressed an open letter to Gov. Nicholls of Louisiana resigning his place as the United States Senator from that State.

The vital difficulty with the democratic party is that when it once gets into power it doesn't know how to conduct itself. Its new doorkeeper of the House has got into trouble almost as bad as Fitzhugh, who was "a bigger man than ole Grant." In the Thirty-Fifth Congress, a doorkeeper of the House was expelled for making five appointments in excess of the number authorized; but Polk, it is alleged, has made forty such. The eastern democrats have been forced to move an investigation, on the ground that he is making the office ridiculous.

The boundless capacity of the Solid South for absorbing the spoils has at last hit the northern democrats. By a late order the last employe of the Clerk of the House from a New England State has been removed, to give place to a clerk of the Confederate Congress. The New England democrats are so unreasonable as to complain about it. They should read the history of the former domination of the South, and learn obedience and submission to their ex-Confederate masters, or the republican doughfaces will get ahead of them.—*Traveller.*

The true theory of Stanley Matthews' relations with the Administration seems to be that he shall make a furious defence of its mistakes, and vote unflinchingly against all its wise measures.—*Tribune.*

Speaking of the murderers of her husband, Mrs. Chisolm says that they were all old residents, and what seemed most strange, all religions were represented. "There were," she says, "Catholics, Presbyterian Elders, and, most of all, I noticed two Methodist class-leaders that were very active all through the matter. One of these men was a great exhorter, and had often labored with us for the good of our souls. At the last camp meeting I attended, this man got so 'happy' he shouted at a great rate, and came up to Mr. Chisolm, and took him around the neck and begged him to go forward, and said, 'It is all you lack, Judge, to be a first-rate man—all you lack is religion.' And that man helped kill my husband."

—A hackman at the depot, describing to a fellow howler the appearance of a passenger, who had a border of fiery red hair growing round his jaw, said he "had a gilt-edged mug."

MARRIAGES.

SPOTTISWOOD—FERNALD. In this city, Dec. 5, by Rev. John A. Goss, Mr. Thomas E. Spottiswood and Miss Laura M. Fernald, both of Portsmouth.

DEATHS.

SHERBURNE. In this city, Dec. 10, Mr. John C. Sherburne, aged 70 years.

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A Large Assortment of

Olives, Pickles, Potted Ham and Tongue, Anchovy Paste and Yarmouth Bloaters.

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Nearly opposite Post Office, - - - - Portsmouth.

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FINE ENGLISH BREAKFAST, FORMOSA OOLONG, and JAPAN **TEAS,**

FRIEDRICHSHALL BITTER WATER

$2.75 per Dozen.

DEVOE'S BRILLIANT OIL!

1st. Is absolutely *safe.*
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Preserved Ginger and Chow Chow in Pots,

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FLOUR FLOUR

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Than can be obtained from the same quantity of choice St. Louis Flour, and of a much better quality! It being *Whiter, More Spongy and More Palatable* and will hold its moisture longer than Bread made from any other grade of Flour!

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Matelasse Cloaking

FOR LADIES' WEAR,

Which we will sell at $4.00 per yard.

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A GRAND

KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS

FAIR

Will be held at Franklin Hall, Portsmouth,

DEC. 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st,

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday EVENINGS,

At which time there will be offered for competition the richest and most unique display of articles ever exhibited in this city.

The principal feature of the Fair will be the arrangement of Season Tickets, which will be placed at the low price of Fifty Cents each, admitting the holder to the Hall for the four nights.

There will be distributed to the Season Ticket holders

250 VALUABLE PRESENTS,

Among which are the following:

ONE BEAUTIFUL SILVER TEA SERVICE, consisting of nine pieces, and numerous other pieces of Silver; Sets of Seal Furs; Objects of Art, and numerous other presents, which the want of space forbids mentioning, varying in value from $100 down.

These articles have been selected after the most careful scrutiny, with a view to quality and real value, without regard to cost. How well the Committee have accomplished their purpose we leave to the public to judge.

☞ These beautiful gifts are on exhibition in the spacious windows of Rundlett's Drug Store, corner of Market and Daniel Streets.

Valuable articles will be provided for competition.

— THERE WILL BE —

Dramatic and Musical Entertainments,

with change of programme each evening.

Fancy goods of all descriptions, neatly arranged on tables, will be offered for sale. An abundant supply of refreshments will be provided during the Fair.

CHILDREN'S MATINEE WEDNESDAY afternoon at 3 o'clock, among whom 50 nice presents will be distributed. *Free Suppers every evening.*

Prices of Admission: Season Tickets, 50 cents. Evening tickets, 15 cents. Matinee, Children 10 cents; Adults, 15 cents.

☞ Tickets for sale at Mercer Goodrich's Bookstore, at the Drug Stores of J. Dwight Rundlett, W. R. Preston, and Dr. Kimball & Co., at Peyser & Kennedy's Clothing Store, and at the Door.

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HOUSE No. 9 LADD STREET. Apply at PORTSMOUTH SAVINGS BANK.

To Let.

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To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

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HOUSE of ten rooms, No. 2 Melcher St., near Pleasant St.; water in house; rent very low to a good tenant,—or will rent to two tenants, with six or four rooms. Apply at No. 31 PLEASANT STREET.

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THE BRICK HOUSE in State street, in good repair, with a fine new furnace, gas and all other conveniences usually found in a genteel dwelling house. A new barn and fine garden full of fruit trees and grape vines of the best varieties—all in bearing. Also half of the House No. 16 State street, six rooms; four of them on the first floor. Very convenient for a small family.
Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

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THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq. Also, a piece of land on Newcastle's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.
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THE subscriber offers for sale the DWELLING HOUSE owned and occupied by him, situated on Water Street near the South Hill Bridge and numbered 77. Said House is in thorough repair, contains nine rooms and a good attic, and is well furnished with gas and fixtures. To any one who desires a comfortable residence in a pleasant portion of the city, the above offers rare inducements, as the price will be made low to a cash purchaser. Possession given early in the Spring.
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A FEW MORE OF THOSE

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS

Cut Low in the Neck, at

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Tuning AND Repairing.

THE UNDERSIGNED will receive orders for Tuning and Repairing PIANOS, CHURCH and REED ORGANS. Mr. Tilton is a practical Church Organ Builder, having commenced an apprenticeship 28 years since, in the machine room of W. A. D. Simmons & Co., of Boston, and having for several years the sole charge of the Voicing, Tuning and erection of the instruments of that distinguished house. Reference furnished if desired.

EDWIN A. TILTON,
39 Congress St., - - - Chambers 4 and 5

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

		A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	S	10:35	5 *6:30
Boston Way,		10:35	5
Portland,		9:35	4:35 6:30
East (beyond Portland),		9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9:35	4:55
Great Falls,		9:35	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9:35	
Concord and North,		7:40	4:55
Concord Way,			4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.		7:40	4:55
Dover,		7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:08 10:05	5:30
Boston Way,	10:05	5:30
Portland and East,	11:20	5:30
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:30

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

See advertisement of assignee's sale of real estate at noon to-day.

Mr. T. W. Fowler, agent for Ruger & Stone's beautiful "Bird's Eye View of Portsmouth," is now in the city, delivering the picture to subscribers.

The Direct Cable Company say that the steamer Ambassador is not now in their service. So the yarn about her laying off Newburyport bar waiting a chance to mend the cable was *but* a yarn, as we supposed.

The store No. 62 Market street, formerly occupied by Spalding & Parrott, is receiving a thorough overhauling and renovation. A handsome iron front has been put in, and the appearance of the building is very much improved.

It is said that Eastern Railroad certificates were in lively demand on Monday; a dollar and a quarter was the price paid for the loan of certificates for the trip to Boston, while borrowers who did not wish to pay anything were plenty.

The *Times* says that "at the conclusion of Rev. E. Owen's labor with the Pearl street church, on Sunday, a unanimous vote was taken, requesting him to settle with them as a pastor of the church. It is not known certainly whether he will or not."

Paymaster May of the United States Navy, who relieved Paymaster Charles F. Guild last week in the duty of Inspector of Provisions and Clothing at the Navy Yard, was appointed from Massachusetts in 1861. Mr. May has taken the house of John N. Handy, Esq., on State street, recently vacated by Paymaster Guild.

On Monday afternoon a young horse belonging to Mr. Jefferson Buchanan took fright and ran on Brown's Hill, south end, upsetting the cart to which he was attached, and laid on his back some little time, his feet in the meantime cutting graceful figures in the air. He was released from the cart, and then he and Jefferson had an obstinate battle; the animal not willing to be again harnessed to the cart. Jefferson, by the strategem of throwing his coat over the colt's head, and with the assistance of eleven able-bodied boys, won the fight. It was fun for the youths, but not for Jeff.

THE K. OF P. FAIR.

If the Knights of Pythias do not make their coming Fair a success, it will not be for lack of hard work and judicious management on the part of their executive committee, who are not only arranging for a "big thing," but are taking every useful means of letting the public know what they are doing and propose to do. First and foremost, they are liberally using printer's ink—an outlay which always returns a grand percentage of profit to every one who has anything worth advertising—setting forth the attractions which will be presented at the Fair; then they have procured a large number of really beautiful and useful gifts to be distributed among the holders of season tickets, and having placed a few of them where they can be easily seen by the public—in the window of Mr. C. Dwight Rundlet's drug store—they further call the people's attention to them through the medium of the papers; they have limited the number of season tickets (which are placed at the low price of fifty cents each) to 1000, fixed the price of evening tickets at a figure to suit the times, and put them on sale at a number of places. For further information of what they have done or intend to do, see the advertisement in another column.

HARBOR AND BRIDGE.

At the meeting of the Board of Trade, last week, it was mentioned that two subjects would come up for consideration at the next meeting, viz: the securing of action by Congress looking to the removal from this harbor of certain dangerous obstructions to navigation, and the Portsmouth bridge question.

The subject of harbor improvement has been repeatedly referred to in these columns, and a communication on the subject will be found in another place; the Board of Trade will probably discuss—not the need of something being done in the premises, which is admitted, but the best means of getting Congress to take the first steps.

The "Portsmouth bridge question" refers to the rates of toll, which it is claimed by some are unreasonably high; also, that it is the duty of the judges of the Supreme Court to revise the tariff of tolls, according to the following joint resolution of the Legislature, passed at the late session:

"*Whereas*, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and nineteen, Edward Cutts, Jeremiah Mason, John Langdon, Nathaniel A. Haven, James Sheafe, John F. Parrott, Thomas Haven, William Rice, Henry Ladd, and others, were incorporated by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of New Hampshire in General Court convened, under the name of the Proprietors of Portsmouth Bridge, and whereas, by the fifth section of the act of incorporation aforesaid it was further enacted that when said Portsmouth Bridge was made passable for travellers the said proprietors should exhibit to the justices of the superior court of judicature an account of the sums expended for the same, upon the exhibition of which the said justices of the superior court were authorized and required to establish the rates of toll to be received by said proprietors for the use of said bridge, which rates of toll the said justices might alter at such times as they may deem expedient, and by the sixth section of said act of incorporation said proprietors were authorized to demand and receive from each and every person who should pass over the bridge above named such toll as should be established by said justices of the superior court of judicature; and whereas, the said proprietors have negligently omitted to exhibit said account, and in violation of said act of incorporation have themselves, without legal authority, established excessive and unreasonable rates of toll to be received by said proprietors, therefore,

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

That the justices of the supreme court are hereby instructed to revise the rates of toll now collected by said proprietors of Portsmouth Bridge, and to establish the same at reasonable rates.

[Approved July 14, 1877.]"

It is stated that a petition to the Board of Mayor and Aldermen is in circulation, requesting them to appoint some person to appear before the Supreme Court judges in the interests of the city, and urge action on the foregoing resolution. Whether it is the Board of Trade that has stirred up the petitioners, or the action of the petitioners that has stirred up the Board of Trade to move in the matter, we cannot say; either way, the meetings of the Board are likely to be of interest if not of value, for some time to come, both to the men who own the bridge and those who regularly pass over it.

NO CORRECTION.

We received on Saturday the following correspondence from Rye, in reference to a letter from "Nat," published in the CHRONICLE of Friday:

RYE, Dec. 7th.

Mr. Editor: In my letter printed in today's CHRONICLE there is a mistake, which, if the letter appears in the GAZETTE, I would be obliged if you would correct. Instead of the teacher of the South school being Mr. G. H. Jenness, it is Miss Elzada M. Goss, who is an experienced teacher and a "townswoman," instead of a "townsman."

Yours truly, NAT.

RYE BEACH, Dec. 7th.

Mr. Editor: Your paper beats the world as a disseminator of *news*. Here I am at home quietly shovelling gravel, building wall and digging ditches—or, at least, *I think* I am; but the CHRONICLE of this morning locates me as teacher of the South school—a fact that had escaped my notice until I saw it in print. I think the excellent teacher at the "South" will be puzzled to know when I assumed command of that young-idea-shooting establishment, but if you say I have done so I suppose the burden of (dis) proof rests upon me. In the meantime continue to illumine our pathway with the latest *news*.

Yours, G. H. J.

We will tell a little story, for the especial benefit of "G. H. J." In one of the numerous desperate fights between British and French war ships, during Nelson's time, the carnage on board a British ship was terrible and the wounded were borne to the cockpit and the dead thrown overboard as fast as they fell, to keep the gun-decks clear for fighting. A quarter-gunner, hit by a huge splinter and knocked half-way across the ship, was picked up by a boatswain's mate and another man and taken below, where the surgeon, glancing at the senseless form, remarked "He's dead—overboard," and the unlucky fellow was taken to the gun-deck again to be thrown out through a port-hole. Reviving from his swoon he anxiously asked the boatswain's mate, "What are you going to do with me?" "Pitch you overboard," was the answer. "But I'm not dead," said the poor sailor eagerly. "Why, you impudent rascal," retorted the boatswain's mate, "do you think you know better'n the doctor?" and out through the porthole went the unlucky quarter-gunner.

If "Buggins" will carefully search out the moral of the foregoing true story, and then indulge in a brief season of prayerful self-examination, he will fully understand why we positively refuse to make the correction asked. It is possible that he is not engaged in teaching school—an occupation for which he is eminently well fitted by his interest in educational affairs, his varied information and his ability to impart the same, and his even temper—but if so he ought to be ashamed of himself. It is possible he may be engaged in the festive occupation of shovelling gravel—which is hard work, for which he is eminently unfitted and which he mortally hates to do—but we don't believe it. Anyway, as an old newspaper correspondent he knows that the first duty of such an individual is to get the *news*,—and if the news and the facts do not agree, so much the worse for the facts.

[Communicated.]

THE HARBOR IMPROVEMENTS.

I am pleased to notice that the Board of Trade are to discuss the very important subject of harbor improvements, as there can be no doubt of the project being carried to a successful issue if the citizens will but take hold of it, as it will cost much less to make our river more safely navigable than has been expended on many places having little if any ocean trade. There is not only a very swift current in our river, but it sets directly upon the various points and ledges.

From Portsmouth bridge the ebb tide sweeps toward Church-hill point; from there directly to the ledges in the middle of the river, and thence to the eastern point of the narrows. Below the narrows, meeting a strong eddy, it runs in a narrow space to Full-and-be-damned point, and thence to Clark's island in such fashion as to make it very difficult for a vessel going down with a light southerly wind to get by Fernald's head without striking, as a number of vessels have done, others having just saved themselves by dropping their anchors.

In working up the river with a head wind the point with the improper name is a dangerous place. Sometimes a vessel, mis-staying, will drift down toward Newcastle bridge; and even when she comes around all right there is a risk of her being swept on the far-jutting point. After she passes the narrows the tide sets her toward Peirce's island, and from there directly upon the beacon ledges, which it is difficult for her to clear without a good working breeze. I have referred only to the general set of the tide; but it often changes its direction in an instant, and with the best calculation a vessel will sometimes find the ledges in her way. Badger's island point is another dangerous place; very often, to make the tacks come out right to make a good landing, it is necessary for a vessel to stand well over to the eastern shore, with the result that if she happens to lose her wind and thereby become unmanagable she will most likely go on the ledge. Ham's ledge has been so specially noticed that I need not speak of it now; but there is still another that is very much in the way indeed, and that is the one between the head of Rollins' (or Commercial) wharf and Pier wharf, which is directly in the way of the fishing vessels that rendezvous at those wharves in the winter.

I might call attention to the large number of vessels that have been ashore on the places named, but as people generally are acquainted with these facts it is not necessary; I explain the set of the tides, for the reason that this subject may not be so well understood. And now that the ball seems to be fairly set in motion, I hope it will be kept moving until some good and permanent result has been attained. HAND-LEAD.

THE VICINITY.

Mr. Lewis Knowles, of Seabrook, picked up on the beach after a recent storm, a sturgeon eight feet and a half long.

Mr. Albin D. Tuttle, a young man employed at the Cape Neddick House, in Cape Neddick, Me., undoubtedly "knows beans," for he recently got two quarts of beans from a store and spent two hours and five minutes in counting them; he found the quart of gray beans to number 1650, while the quart of pea beans numbered 1905.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Joy, of Kittery Foreside, were surprised on Thursday evening of last week, on returning home from the Rebecca Lodge, to find their house in possession of about forty of their friends, and the tables loaded for a feast. The surprise was complete, not a hint of the proposed irruption having reached the victims. After the supper was despatched fun and frolic were in order, and "forfeits," blind-man's-buff, Copenhagen and such like games brought midnight long before it was desired, when the pleasant assembly dissolved.

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In all the DESIRABLE SHAPES and COLORS.

Our goods will be offered at

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New Stock of Ladies' Gauntlets!

GLOVES GLOVES

J. E. Ham & Co., 27 Market St.,

Have just received fresh from the manufacturers an assortment of

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A Nice Article at Low Prices.

Also, a Full Line of

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Plymouth Hand-Made BUCK GLOVES,
KID, CLOTH and WOOLEN GLOVES.

Youths' and Children's Mitts,
Full Line of Kid Mitts,
Fancy Mufflers,
Silk Handkerchiefs.

Also, Peice Buck Gloves at Low Prices.

☞ LADIES' OVERCOATS made to order, cut and trimmed.

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OYSTERS!

20 cts. per Quart, liquid.
25 " " " solid.

LARGE PROVIDENCE RIVERS,
At 50 cts. per Quart, solid.

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OILS AND VARNISHES.

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EASTERN RAILROAD CO.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Stockholders of this Company and of the holders of its Certificates of Indebtedness for the choice of Directors, six by the Certificate-holders and three by the Stockholders, will be held at the Melonaon, 28 Tremont Street, Boston, Mass., on the twelfth day of December, 1877, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

The Report of the Directors will then be presented.

Per order of the Directors.

EDWARD C. PERKINS, Clerk.

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A LARGE ASSORTMENT.

CUFF PINS,

OF THE LATEST STYLES.

Prices Low.—7 Congress St.

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FINE WATCH REPAIRING AND ENGRAVING
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Colored Glasses and Spectacles
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— AND —

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Of Every Description!

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ASSIGNEE'S SALE

In Bankruptcy.

UNDER an order of the District Court of the United States, in the matter of BENJAMIN CHEEVER, adjudged a Bankrupt, will be sold

AT PUBLIC AUCTION

ON THE PREMISES,

On Tuesday, Dec. 11th,

At 12 o'clock, Noon,

The interest, right and title of Benjamin Cheever in and to the

BRICK BLOCK OF STORES

On the west side of Market Street in this city, heretofore owned in common with David Kimball, with all rights and incidents thereto pertaining. This interest is to be free from mortgage incumbrances, and all others save dower. A statement of condition of the property can be seen on application to the undersigned.

A. F. HOWARD, Assignee.

Portsmouth, Nov. 23, 1877.

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2d Hand, very cheap.

The Best Russia Iron STOVE PIPE, *to order*, 20 cents per lb.; galvanized iron stove pipe, 15 cts. per lb.; common stove pipe, 16 cts. per lb.

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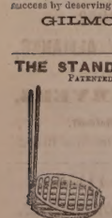

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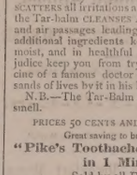

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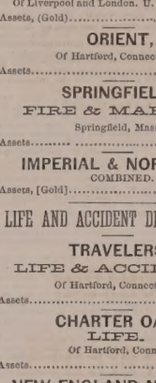

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Daily Chronicle.

AUNT HEPSY'S DOWNFALL.

In the little village of Anywhere, Aunt Hepsy Wiggins was an acknowledged and a shining light in her own particular sphere. She led often and long and loud in prayer at the weekly meetings. Almost every choice bit of scandal owed its start to her indefatigable energy in that special department. In fact she felt herself aggrieved that any one should attempt to rival her in that social duty, and generally distanced all her competitors. She was a sort of nurse in general—doctored all the children with "yarbs," showed all young married women how to make soft soap, and when they had "bad luck," and the soap did not come, made the dwellers in the house sit cross-legged until the "luck" turned. Being so important an individual, Aunt Hepsy, of course, was always busy. One bright, sunshiny afternoon, as she was speeding past Squire Pepper's office, she was about to pass on, when he stopped her with—

"What's the hurry, Aunt Hepsy, on this hot afternoon?"

"I declare, squire, but you take a start out of me!" Aunt Hepsy stopped short.

"Where are you going? On some good work, I'll warrant!" said the squire, who well knew that Aunt Hepsy's works were seldom good.

"Well, I was jist on my way to Deacon Smullet's; his wife's down with the rheumatism; doctor says she's goin' to have a hard time to pull through."

"Is she so bad as that?" said the squire, who knowing Aunt Hepsy's power of exaggeration, was not nearly so much alarmed as he seemed. "It would be a great loss to the deacon if his wife should be called away, and I think it is kind of you to take so much care of her." Hepsy had been giving a graphic account of her activity in taking care of Sister Smullet. "But if anything should happen, you know, Aunt Hepsy, the deacon would need another helpmate; and who knows what may come to pass?"

"Pshaw! now, squire, how can you talk so! I declare, I oughtn't to listen to you!" looking virtuously indignant.

"But now, squire, she continued, "I often think if you would only leave off your worldly ways, and be converted to the Lord, and be a regular church member, what a power of good you might do! You might be a power in church and State," warming with her subject.

"Oh, I don't know," said the squire. "God loves a cheerful heart, and I believe I am about as good as some of your church members. You remember when I went to Boston last fall?"

"Yes, and I mind who went with you—Susie Putters, and your wife, and—"

"Well, never mind who went with me. In fact, Aunt Hepsy, I don't know what makes me say this to you, but I hope you'll forget that I ever said anything to you about it. I would not for the world have what I was about to say be known."

"Now, Squire Peppers, you've knowed me all your life, and if there's anything on your mind you may jist tell me, and I'll take my davy I won't tell no mortal cretur." the

"Will you take a Bible oath," said squire, solemnly, "that you will never breathe a word of what I tell you, nor get me into any trouble any way?"

"I will," said Hepsy, with grim determination.

They entered the office, the oath was duly administered, and the squire said, in an impressive whisper:

"Well, on my way to Boston, I kissed one of the likeliest of your lady church members."

Aunt Hepsy's eyes dilated with horror; for some minutes she was speechless; then she said, wrathfully:

"The trollop! I didn't like so many curls about her head when she made her profession."

"Mind," cautioned the squire, "I mentioned no names."

"No, squire, and for gracious sakes don't! If that was known generally, the congregation would be scattered like sheep without a shepherd. Oh, dear! the wickedness and deceit of this world is jist disheartenin'! To be sure, I seen through her—I never liked her. But, as you say, squire, we'll mention no names, and we need fear no laws. How she ever had the face to show herself!"

Aunt Hepsy leaned back in the chair into which she had sunk, and fanned herself with her bonnet; and after again warning the squire to be guarded in his speech, she departed, when Squire Pepper, leaning back in his chair, gave forth peal after peal of laughter, until the tears stood in his eyes.

In about ten days or two weeks afterward, the squire received a note from Parson Goodwin, requesting his presence at a church meeting, and telling

him it might be as well not to mention it to Mrs. Pepper. The squire took the hint, and telling his wife there was a church meeting that afternoon at three o'clock—to be ready and he'd call for her—he prepared to attend. When the worthy couple arrived at the church, they found almost the whole congregation assembled, besides many outsiders. Aunt Hepsy was there, looking triumphantly at Susy Putters, who looked as if she had been crying for a week. Parson Goodwin, after a few scathing words upon the evils of slander, hoped that Squire Pepper could explain the meaning of some remarks he had made to Aunt Hepsy reflecting upon the character of a young lady belonging to the church. Squire Pepper replied that anything he had told Aunt Hepsy had been under the seal of a Bible oath. Aunt Hepsy was called upon to answer the charge of breaking a Bible oath. She, in turn, said that she had sworn Roger Toothaker's sister, who in her turn had sworn Deacon Tuttle's wife, and she had sworn Dr. Adderly's wife, and so it had gone round the congregation, and at length round the village. Mrs. Pepper looked from the squire to Susy in perplexity, and the eyes of the whole audience were upon the squire as he rose and said:

"I told Aunt Hepsy that on my way to Boston I kissed a lady whom I considered one of the likeliest of your church members, inasmuch as she neither hears nor retails slander—the member I referred to being my own lawful wife."

The squire, as usual, burst into a hearty laugh, in which he was joined by Mrs. Pepper, Susy Putters, and indeed, the whole audience. Aunt Hepsy drew her head under her bonnet as a turtle draws its head into its shell, and marched into a back pew with much the air of a sheep-thief dog; and, the oddest of all, every one was ready to declare that they "never believed one word of it, and wondered why people would tell such stories."

Parson Goodwin, however, was heard to declare afterward that Squire Pepper had given a greater death blow to scandal in the village of Anywhere, than all the preaching of the parson had ever been able to do.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1877.

BOSTON CITY ELECTION.

[By Western Union Telegraph.]

BOSTON, Dec. 11, 6:35 P. M.

Henry L. Pierce, citizens' candidate, is elected Mayor by 2000 majority, in the largest vote ever thrown.

The Eastern War.

A despatch from Bucharest, Monday, says: "After a severe engagement yesterday before Plevna, Osman Pasha, who was wounded, surrendered unconditionally. The Turks in Plevna were dying of hunger and cold. There is great joy here. Bucharest is covered with flags." Another despatch says: "Osman Pasha attempted to break through in the direction of Widdin. He was attacked in front and rear and compelled to lay down his arms after a glorious struggle, in which he was seriously wounded. All with one voice praise his conduct."

A despatch from Bogot, Monday night, says the sortie was made at 7:30 that morning, the fighting lasting four hours; the Turks lost 10,000 killed and wounded, and 40,000 prisoners, with 400 guns.

It is feared Osman Pasha's wounds are fatal; after the surrender the Czar placed his carriage and escort at Osman's disposal.

Russian securities took an upward jump in London on receipt of the news.

News and Notes.

William H. Devlin, of Lowell, whose wife and child were found dead in his house on Monday, was arrested at Bellows Falls, Vt., on Monday evening, and confessed the double murder. He killed his wife Saturday night by jumping on her, and smothered the infant on Sunday. He is said to be a savage brute, drunk or sober, so the sentimental criminal-worshippers of Massachusetts will have another excellent chance to gush.

It has been allowed to pass unquestioned that what caused the loss of the Huron was that she sailed on Friday, and it is hard to have to doubt now so very frequent a cause of disaster. Still it seems necessary. It is demonstrable from official record that in the past ten years the country has lost the Huron, Idaho, Saginaw and Saranac, each of which was named after an Indian tribe. From this it is too sadly evident that the North American Indian is at the root of our naval troubles, and to him the superstitious must hereafter turn their attention. The new theory and the old can only be reconciled on the supposition that the original Friday was an American Indian.—*Hartford Courant.*

Master Conway, who, to save himself, threw away his clothes in order to swim ashore from the wreck of the Huron, and who has been unable by reason of lack of money to buy a new uniform, has been reprimanded by an officer of the Naval Court, now investigating the loss of the Huron, for appearing before that dignified body without his regular uniform.

A flustrated citizen of New Bedford deposited a $2 bill in the ballot-box election day.

Robins have been singing at Newburyport for a few mornings as blithely as if it were Spring time.

The old copper cent of our fathers, it is decided at Washington, is not a legal tendor. Its monetization ought to be agitated by the silver men. Why not pay the national debt with it?—*New York Herald.*

"Answer a fool according to his folly." But, after all, the old copper cent of our fathers is honest money as far as it goes. It is not adulterated as is the silver coin now minted and palmed off upon the public as money.—*National Republican.*

Schooner Joshua Grindle, from St. Jago, which arrived at New York on the 8th inst., reports that the captain, W. A. Freethy, and Lincoln Morrill are the only persons remaining of the original crew, the others having died of yellow fever. The mate, G. G. Gapper, and Maurice Olman, seaman, died at St. Jago, and were buried there. November 13th, four days from port, William Twergg, seaman, died; on the 14th the steward, A. P. Carter, and on the 15th Augustus Twergg, who were buried at sea. On the 17th the schooner was spoken by brig Romance, Captain Craig, from Navasso for Baltimore, who gave them four negro sailors to get her into port.

Hon. Elihu Burritt of New Britian, Conn., had a severe hemorrhage of the lungs on Friday, and is considered by his physicians to be in a very critical condition. He has been in feeble health for some months, and at his age, 67 years, it is hardly likely that he will again be restored to full health, after an attack so severe.

Political.

From the time the democratic Senators from the South marched out in 1861, in pursuance of the democratic plan to destroy the Union that slavery might continue to reign supreme, the Senate was never complete until Monday, when Eustis of Louisiana was seated. It seems odd that the first full Congress after the inauguration of the democratic rebellion should find the men who started that rebellion again dominant in National affairs, and the men who saved the Union crowded to the rear as traitors.

A despatch from Standford, Ky., says serious trouble is expected at any moment in Lincoln county over the capture there, last week, of several outlaws. Kentucky, being the banner democratic State, does not propose to allow any crime to be punished except the voting of the republican ticket.

The new Senator, M. C. Butler, of South Carolina, is said to be a nephew of General Pierce M. Butler, who fell at Cherubusco, and a nephew, through his mother, of Commodore Perry; he is also a relative, and apparently a worthy one, of Preston S. Brooks, the ruffian who made the cowardly and brutal assault on Senator Sumner.

Official returns from all but two counties in Mississippi give J. M. Stone, democrat, for Governor, 96,454 votes, and 1168 scattering votes against him. This shows that Gov. Stone knew what he was talking about when he said "it wouldn't do to stir up the matter" of the Chisolm murders by attempting to bring to justice the prominent democrats who committed the murders.

New Hampshire Items.

The arrangement of trial terms of the Supreme Court for the Spring circuit is as follows: Manchester, Jan. 1, Allen, J.; Exeter, Jan. 15, Bingham, J.; Newport, Jan. 22, Clark, J.; Colebrook, Feb. 5, Doe, C. J.; Dover, Feb. 12, Smith, J.; Haverhill, March 26, Stanley, J.; Laconia, March 26, Bingham, J.; Concord, April 2, Foster, J.; Keene, April 2, Doe, C. J.; Exeter, April 9, Smith, J.; Ossipee, April 16, Stanley, J.; Lancaster, April 2, Clark, J.; Plymouth, May 7, Foster, J.; Amherst, May 7, Allen, J.

Edward L. Jordan, of Dover, absconded last Saturday afternoon, selling his personal property, all of which was mortgaged, and raising $1700 on his wife's property; she signing the deed with the idea that it was a building contract.

Rev. George F. Pentecost of Boston has closed his revival meetings at Manchester, but his success has been so remarkable that an effort is being made to induce him to remain another week.

Emery J. Randall, paymaster of the Great Falls Manufacturing Company, and his family, narrowly escaped death by suffocation by coal gas from a furnace Sunday night. All have been prostrated in consequence, but they will recover. Mr. Randall was awakened about four A. M., by his child falling from the bed. With great exertion he staggered to a window, secured fresh air and saved their lives.

Mrs. Charles A. Bennett, who was shot by a tramp, informs the correspondent of the *News-Letter*, that several weeks ago a tramp called at her house and asked for food. She offered him some cake and pie, or something of that sort, which he refused, and called for cold meat. She told him that she had none for him, when he pushed her aside from the door, entered the house and opened a cupboard door, where he found some meat. He informed her with an oath that she had plenty of meat, and that he should help himself, whereupon she drew a revolver from a drawer in the kitchen, and drove him out doors and away from the house. The supposition is that the tramp who shot her was the same chap.

Harry Mainjoy, a native African, died in Exeter, on the 28th ult., in the 81st year of his age. He was stolen from his home in Africa by slave hunters, when ten years of age, while at play with other boys near the hut of his parents, and hurried to Senegal, where he was bought by Capt. Emery, a native and resident of Exeter, for the sum of $25. Capt. Emery brought him to Exeter, where he was sent to school and learned to read and write, and forgot his native tongue. He has always been a sober, industrious, useful man, and brought up respectably a family of children, who survive him. He was probably the only native-born African in New Hampshire, and possibly the only one in New England.

Mrs. Sarah Woods, a widow, aged 98 years, two months, died suddenly at Belford on Friday. She was midwife at the birth of Horace Greeley, and was visited by a large number of tourists during the Greeley campaign.

Amending the Constitution.

An old subscriber in Maine writes, under date of Nov. 24th, to ask us—

What was the vote in New Hampshire last year on the religious test question?

Did the legislature take any vote in the matter?

Can the Constitution of New Hampshire be changed in that respect or any other without a direct vote of the people?

Was a direct vote taken on the religious test question one year ago last June?

The Constitution of New Hampshire provides that every seventh year there shall be inserted in the warrants for town meetings a clause "to take the sense of the qualified voters on the subject of a revision of the Constitution." After such vote has been taken, if a *majority* of the qualified voters voting on the question decide that such revision is necessary, "it shall be the duty of the General Court to call a convention for that purpose;" but the amendments proposed by the convention have still to be approved by *two-thirds* of the popular vote, before they are finally adopted, the General Court being then "fully authorized and directed to fix the time when the alterations and amendments shall take effect."

The "sense of the qualified voters" was taken in March, 1876, on the question of calling a Convention to propose amendments to the Constitution, the vote standing 28,840 for it, and 10,726 against it—majority in favor, 18,114.

The legislature of that year, as directed by the Constitution, provided for the calling of the Convention, which met Dec. 16, 1876, at Concord, and proposed thirteen amendments to be voted on by the people, the first amendment being to strike the word "Protestant" from the Bill of Rights, and the seventh to "abolish the religious test as a qualification for office."

The proposed amendments were submitted to the popular vote in March, 1877; the first amendment was rejected by a vote of 27,665 yeas to 15,907 nays—not two-thirds voting to adopt it; but the seventh (abolishing the religious test) was *adopted* by a vote of 28,475 yeas to 14,231 nays—*four* votes more than the requisite two-thirds.

The legislature of 1877 in July passed an act that the amendment abolishing the religious test should take effect on the first of August following, and on that day the amending of the Constitution was completed, so far as the abolition of the religious test was concerned.

Southern Pacification.

Editor Chronicle: If the South is pacificated, and everything there is in so lovely a condition as is represented in the President's annual message, I do not understand how it is that the colored republicans are threatened with the displeasure of the "solid South," by the Charleston *News and Courier*, if they support the independent ticket, (which is composed of colored republicans and independent white democrats,) for the reason that it may "defeat the democratic ticket." By a right given to them in the constitution, they are at liberty to vote for whom they please, without any but themselves deciding who it shall be for whom they vote. If such is the pacification over which the President is so happy, we could have had it at any time from the commencement to the final caving in of the rebellion. It reminds me of the "old cove" of whom *Punch* discoursed in rhyme during the war, who, while "throwing sticks and stones" himself, "only wanted to be *let alone*." Such "pacification" undoubtedly suits the "old cove" to whom *Punch* referred who got up the infamous rebellion, but it does not suit the "other old cove" who opposed it and put it down at such a cost of blood and treasure, or the kindred of those who so nobly gave their lives for their country. B.

—Fair time has come, with Rebecca at the well presiding over a barrel of water, with one lemon cut up and floating around on the top.

—Gen. Grant has not yet mastered the vernacular sufficiently to hold a polite conversation in French, but he smokes fluently in that language.

—A Boston medium promised one evening last week to show a visitor the spirit of his little girl who had recently died. The gas was turned down, and sure enough, the spirit appeared, resembling in stature at least his little girl. In the excess of his joy he seized her, in his arms. Just then a companion turned up the gas, and he found himself embracing a plump specimen of young womanhood, weighing about 160 pounds, who had walked in on her knees.

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East [beyond Portland],	9:35	6:20
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
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THE CITY.

A dispatch from President Rockwell, in answer to an enquiry, says: "Stockholders of the Eastern Railroad of Massachusetts, and registered owners of indebtedness, only, will be passed to and from the meeting on Wednesday."

The annual election of officers of the Mechanics' Fire Society was held on Friday evening, the following being the choice: President, John S. Treat; Secretary, Edmund M. Brown; Wardens, Elisha Tripp, Samuel S. Fletcher, Benjamin F. Webster.

An extra passenger train will be run over the Eastern Railroad this morning, leaving this city at seven o'clock and keeping fifteen minutes ahead of the regular train to Boston, to accommodate the holders of certificates of indebtedness and stock of the Eastern Railroad in Massachusetts.

The title of "Bentley's Book-Buyer" will be changed with the first number for 1878, to "Robinson's Epitome of Literature." The reasons for the change are "that Mr. Bentley, whose name the journal has heretofore borne, has had no connection whatever with it since the issue of the second number, and that the other portion of the title is and has been in use for some years by one of our largest American publishing houses." The present proprietor is Mr. Frank W. Robinson, formerly of this city, who will continue the publication at 1420 Chestnut street, Philadelphia; price, $1 per year.

SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

The sale of one-half of the Cheever & Kimball block on Market street, Tuesday noon, resulted in its purchase by Dr. David Kimball, the owner of the other half of the property. The sale was made subject to Mrs. Cheever's right of dower, above the mortgages, and also to payment of the tax of $184.50 the current year. The price at which it rose from the first bid of $8009, was $8025.

BOARD OF TRADE.

The meeting of the Board of Trade at the city rooms on Tuesday evening resulted in the appointing of William H. Sise, Samuel Adams, Thomas H. Odion and Alfred F. Howard as a committee to draw up a memorial to be circulated among the citizens for an appropriation for harbor improvements.

The committee in charge of the petition for a revision by the courts of the rates of toll over Portsmouth bridge, reported that the petition has been signed by most of the merchants and the heaviest tax-payers of the city.

STOPPED THIEVES.

On Tuesday afternoon the police were notified that some tramps had stolen mats and other articles from the door of the store of Mr. Dennis J. Lynch, on Market street. Marshal Entwistle and Asst. Marshal Gray arrested three of the suspected tramps, and found part of the stolen property in their possession. Later, four others applied at the station house for lodging, and on being searched a lot of clothing which had been lately washed was found distributed among them. If any persons in the city or vicinity have had clothes-lines robbed, they are requested to call at the police station, identify their property and lend a hand toward sending to prison these peripatetic thieves.

MR. KNAPP'S LECTURES.

The fourth and last lecture, by Rev. Mr. Knapp, was a continuation of the Saturday evening subject. From Praxiteles, who excelled in the grace and softness of his statuary, he took up the style of Lysippus, whose genius was shown in the proportions of figures, and blending into them an extreme lightness and slenderness, and in the free play of the muscles, as admirably displayed in the representation of the wrestlers. Among the many statues exhibited by the stereopticon were those of Bacchus, a colossal figure of the Apollo Belvidere, which is considered the finest specimen of perfect manly beauty, Ariadne, Minerva, Diana, Mercury, Hercules, and the Laocoon. Among those famous in history were Augustus and Brutus; and in miscellaneous works of art was the Dying Gladiator. The lecture was replete with fine descriptions, and those who have attended the course have a resource and study which will give recreation to many hours.

Written for the Chronicle.

AN OLD LADY'S MEMORIES OF PORTSMOUTH

IN HER EARLY DAYS.

Very pleasant it was to draw from "Aunt Mary," a venerable lady who furnished Mr. Brewster much valuable information for his "Rambles," her recollections of Portsmouth as it was in her morning of life. When asked if it was true, as tradition reported, that so many little shops and stores were scattered about town in the last, and far into the present century, her answer was that they were so numerous in reality, one acquainted with the facts would have little inducement to misrepresent their number. Counting upon her fingers, she recalled twenty-one that could once be found from the corner of State and Washington streets to the termination of the latter, and yet they extended onward on the left hand to Tattle point, and on the right as far as any dwellings existed on South street; besides scores of others all over town. To the inquiry as to the purpose of so many of these little places of trade, she replied that they were originally constructed, she had been told, before Market street and its neighborhood became the centre of business in a retail way, and having among their stocks groceries and minor articles of dry goods, pins, needles, etc., were a great convenience to people living at a distance from that quarter, often saving them a long walk at inconvenient seasons for leaving home. A widow, she said, whose home had been destroyed by the great fire of 1802, was able, by an addition to a dwelling she owned in Washington street, to open there a business like that of a country store, such as her husband had kept in Daniel street at the time of his death a year two before. Her money drawer having been robbed twice, she devised a plan for catching the thief by setting in it a small steel trap, and hearing next day, from a room adjoining, a noise in the store, on going to learn the cause, found a girl with one arm across the counter, and her hand held fast in the trap, which was secured to the bottom of the drawer. Belonging to parents who had set her a bad example in dishonesty, she was let off with a reprimand, accompanied by much of good advice, by the widow, who took the precaution afterwards to have a bell attached to her door, so that such light-fingered gentry could not enter without announcing their presence. I don't think, she continued to say, that people, on the whole, were any better then than they are now, if we do hear of "the good old times," when everybody was honest and virtuous; and as another instance of youthful depravity, in the "good old times," in the dusk of an evening, the widow saw, through a window, a youngster in his teens steal through the yard in the twilight into the rear of the store, and then make his way to the cellar beneath, for the purpose, she had no doubt, of robbing the store in the night. Without saying a word of her discovery to any of her family, she at once bolted the door of the cellar entrance, and then managed to roll a barrel of flour, that lay near by, upon a trap-door that also led to the cellar, and on which there was no fastening, thus holding fast for the night her prisoner, whom she knew as the one black sheep of a poor but respectable family. The next morning, when her boy had opened the store, and rolled the barrel from the trap-door, she lifted it up, and called by name the would-be thief to make his appearance, and when he did so, but very sheepishly, with many promises, if allowed to go clear, "never to do so again," while letting him off, as she said, for the sake of the worthy people to whom he belonged, she told him he "ought to be sent to bridewell,"—a place, if the truth is told about it, even less attractive than the underground portion of our present jail, that is very apt to remind one of what they have read of the cells of the French Bastile or of the Spanish Inquisition, in "the good old times." "Aunt Mary" had to tell of the widow that she was one of the best of good women; that in her days of prosperity, "before the great fire," and as much as she could afterwards, she went about among the sick and the destitute, administering to their wants, temporally, medicinally and spiritually, and that though her old home had been much changed, the odor of her roots and herbs, in which she had great faith, remained in the attic, a fragrant offering to her memory, when she had gone to rest half a century. Very good company was "Aunt Mary" to one who took an interest in her recollections of the past. Especially did she love to tell of the time when she "went to Mr. Buckminster's meetin'," who were there and where they sat, not one of whom but herself remaining in the land of the living. J. H. D.

THE VICINITY.

A family feud of long standing between two brothers named Drake, of North Hampton, has culminated in a quarrel which is likely to result fatally to one of the parties engaged. Freeman Drake and Joshua P. Drake are brothers, living on farms adjoining, and well-to-do and respected. Tuesday evening of last week Freeman stopped at Joshua's house on his way from work to tell Joshua that a pickaxe had been found which he had accused Freeman of stealing. Words ensued, Joshua struck Freeman, and was himself struck in return. A struggle followed, and Freeman being the more powerful, was fast getting the advantage, when two sons of Joshua, Justin and Elmer by name, came to the rescue, one armed with an ox goad, the other with a club. Freeman then retreated into the road, pursued by all three, when he was finally knocked down and badly beaten about the head and body. After lying some time in the road, he was dragged to one side and left under a wall. Here he was discovered by his family and taken to his home. After many hours hours of insensibility he finally became conscious, but has been gradually failing ever since, and upon the doctor's declaration, Sunday night, that he would probably die, a Justice of the Peace was sent for, who took his ante-mortem statement. The affair has caused much excitement, owing to the respectability of all the parties.

The ladies of the Congregational society of Rye will have a Festival in Rye Town Hall on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, Dec. 19th and 20th, when numerous attractions will be presented. If the weather is bad on the 19th, the opening will be deferred until the first fair evening thereafter.

We hear it hinted that there is shortly to come off in Dover or Portsmouth a glove contest between Jo Goss, a noted master of the manly art and the hero of scores of battles in England, and our own handy delineator, James Fogerty. —*Foster's Democrat.*

DEATHS.

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Colored vs. Bald Heads.

Years ago the theo well known firm of Weld & Co., Boston, agents for a popular line of Australian packet ships, received a letter of inquiry from Cincinnati. Correspondence followed, and second cabin passages were engaged for Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hatfield, their son Joseph, jr., and Miss Blanche, who were politely urged to put in an appearance in Boston on or before May 5th, as "the good ship Daniel Sharpe, whereof Joseph D. Cushing is master for this present voyage," would sail on the day following, weather permitting. On the morning designated a young darkey exquisite, sporting a tall hat and ivory headed cane, sauntered into the elegantly appointed office and demanded:

"Is dis yer de office of Weld & Co?"

"Yes, it is," growled the senior Weld from behind his desk, frowning over his gold-bowed spectacles at the intruder.

"Well, sah, me and my folks are gwine out to Melbourne in your ship Daniel Sharpe, and I—"

"Not if I know it—you are not going to do any such thing."

"How so, sah? Didn't I correspond wid you from Cincinnati, and engage passage for my father and mudder and Miss Blanche?"

"What! is your name Hatfield?" roared the dismayed agent.

"Yes, sah, my name's Hatfield, and—"

"Why in the devil didn't you notify me that you were colored?"

"Why in de debbil didn't you notify me dat you was bald-headed!"

The pertinent rejoinder silenced old Weld, and although two or three passengers who preferred to have the color line drawn outside of a ship's cabin gave up their berths and were restored their passage money, the Hatfields sailed comfortably in the Sharpe.—*Rochester Democrat.*

Evil of Knowing Too Much.

The Washington correspondent of the Hartford *Post* gives the following for the benefit of those who have upon their minds the idea of a place in the civil service of the Government:

A gentleman acting as private secretary of a Cabinet minister took exception to some heavy wording of a letter he was writing from dictation, saying he knew the party to whom it was addressed, and that the language used would be misconstrued. He was however ordered to write as directed, and the letter was sent. As feared, its language was misunderstood and a reply decidedly sharp and saucy came back. He took it to his chief, calling attention to the fact that he had suggested a different wording from that which occasioned such a reply. He was immediately asked for his resignation, prefaced with the remark, "You know too d—d much for me!" Soon after he succeeded in obtaining employment in a subordinate capacity, as book-keeper in another department. While at his desk a gentleman stopped at the door opening into the hall near him, and the following colloquy occurred:

"Where is the Secretary's office?"

"I don't know, sir."

"In what direction is the White House?"

"I don't know."

"Where is the Capitol?"

"I don't know."

"What do you know?"

"I was turned out of office last week for knowing too much. Now I am in again I know nothing outside of the books you see here—not if I know myself."

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Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
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Lard per pound, 12 cents.
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Molasses per gal., fr. Cuba 30 @ 80c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 35 to 40 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 35c.
Pork per bll., $18 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
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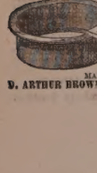

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Mr. Conkling, chairman of the committee on commerce, opened the debate with a brief statement of the reason why, in the opinion of the majority of that committee, the two first-named nominations should not be confirmed. These were in brief that no charges either of corruption or inefficiency had been made against the present incumbents, but that on the contrary they were conceded to be faithful, honest, experienced and able officers.

Mr. Bayard followed in an extended argument, maintaining the right of the executive to make changes, which, in his opinion, would be for the benefit of the public service, he being responsible for the execution of the laws, and entitled to select his agents subject to confirmation of the Senate, but without being obliged to furnish to the Senate a statement of his reasons.

Mr. Kernan then delivered a speech of considerable length on the same side of the question, defending the action of the President. His remarks were mostly read from manuscript.

Mr. Gordon was the next speaker. He warmly commended the civil service policy of President Hayes, and in regard to the pending nominations, asserted, emphatically, that the removals which they contemplated were demanded by a proper regard for the purity of the service. He charged that Cornell and Arthur had disgracefully made use of the power and patronage of their offices for merely partisan and selfish purposes, and he intimated that it was time for the one-man power in New York State to be broken.

The debate then became quite general. Mr. Hoar and Mr. Matthews spoke in favor of sustaining the action of the President in the exercise of his constitutional power, and of what they argued was his sound public policy in removing the civil service from the domain of partisan control.

Mr. Tellers and others spoke briefly in reply, arguing that in these instances at least, the President had departed from the principles of civil service which he himself had announced, namely, that faithful and efficient services should protect officers from removal, etc.

Mr. Conkling closed the debate in a speech of considerable length, and great vigor and earnestness. He replied in detail to the various arguments advanced by the supporters of the nominations, and replied with the utmost emphasis to the charges that had been made against the official character and conduct of the officers whom the President proposed to remove. He insisted that they had been faithful, honest and efficient in every particular, and challenged proof that a single charge had ever been made against them, either by a mercantile community or by the Secretary of the Treasury, or the President himself. He also defied any one to show or to assert that his (Conkling's) action in this whole matter has been otherwise than fair, open, courteous and above board. In conclusion he claimed that the Senate would be alike unjust to faithful officers, careless of its own prerogatives and duties, and unmindful of the dictates of true civil service policy, if it failed to vote that these nominations should be rejected.

A vote by yeas and nays was then taken upon the nomination of Roosevelt and it was rejected by a majority of seven, the yeas being 25 and nays 32.

The nomination of Prince was rejected upon another roll call by the same vote.

In each case, Senators Eaton, Dennis, Whyte and Maxey, democrats, united with the great body of the republicans against the confirmations, and Senators Burnside, Christiancy, Conover, Dawes, Hoar, and Matthews, republicans, sided with the mass of the democrats in favor.

The negatives were cast by Messrs. Allison, Anthony, Blaine, Booth, Bruce, Cameron of Pennsylvania, Cameron of Wisconsin, Chaffee, Conkling, Dawes of Illinois, Dorsey, Eaton, Edmunds, Ferry, Hamlin, Howe, Ingalls, Jones of Nevada, Kellogg, Kirkwood, McMillan, Mitchell, Morrill, Oglesby, Paddock, Patterson, Plumb, Rollins, Sargent, Saunders, Spencer and Teller—32.

It is said that the majority against the confirmation of Roosevelt and Prince would have been two or three greater, but for the absence of an equal number of Senators known to be opposed to the nomination, who had temporarily left the capital without pairs, in the belief that the vote would not be reached until a later hour. With the exception of these two or three Senators and Mr. Sharon, who is still absent from Wasington, the full number of Senators were present, or had made their votes effective by means of pairs in favor of confirmation. The nomination of Merritt was confirmed without a division.

Our New York Fashion Letter.

NEW YORK, Dec. 12.

It is one thing to have a new bonnet; it is another thing to know how to wear it. A fashionable milliner said to me, "Wear your hair higher, and then put your bonnet away up on the top." She gave my braids a friendly push, and triumphantly placing a high ascending specimen of her art upon the summit, remarked with a satisfied air, "Now you look stylish." With an exceedingly dissatisfied feeling, I undid her work, and remarked sensibly that I thought I looked foolish. "Oh, never mind," was the answer, "it's stylish." To my regret I find that she was right. Extremists do just what she would have had me do. They wear their hair in lofty fortifications far away at the back of their heads, and like a turret on a battlement the bonnet is perched above. Fortunately, however, they are in the minority, and such absurdity is not a necessity. Shapes are "nothing in particular." That is to say, there is no one feature, or features, which stand prominently forth. Crowns are neither high nor low, nor are brims either wide or narrow. Nevertheless, we have both hard and soft crowns, and as to brims, they speak a dozen different languages. We have saucy brims, tender brims, severe brims, coquettish brims, brims turning up and brims going down, etc., etc., to say nothing of dignified brims, poetical brims, very youthful brims, full fledged young lady brims, matronly brims, and elderly brims. But the last mentioned are few and far between, for, as a rule, New York ladies do not grow old. This does not mean that they are a short-lived race. Far from it. Youth here extends almost, if not fully, as far as the days allotted to man's entire pilgrimage upon this planet, nor do silvered locks oppose any obstacle to young lady brims filled in with all the colors of the rainbow. For just now all the colors of the rainbow are in favor, not only in millinery, but in dress goods. Not in plain material, however, for here without exception the colors are dark, but in the bourette fabrics (which, combined with plain goods, are the rage) we find the brightest and most varied hues mixed up in the most indiscriminate and hap hazard way. For a black costume, ladies now prefer the Trillard silks above all others, since, while unequalled for beauty of finish and durability, they are full twenty-four inches wide, this being a gain of from three to four inches on every yard. Made of pure silk only, they are free from changing and are warranted not to turn greasy with wear.

CHILDREN'S FASHIONS.

Bourette goods are as popular for school-girls as for ladies, but are hardly adapted for young children. For misses, a favorite selection is dark bourette goods piped with bright red, and coquettishly finished here and there with a bright red bow to match, while for small children, plain dark materials are chosen, and these in like manner are brightened by gay additions. Pipings of blue or yellow are also seen, but are not in as great favor as red. In consequence of such preferences, we find that Scotch plaids are seldom worn, but in lieu thereof are small shepherd's checks, finished with bright pipings, and sometimes combined with black velvet sleeves. In this case, wide bands of black velvet afford a pleasing harmony in the way of ornamentation. For girls between the ages of four and twelve, the Breton dress, or the robe Princesse afford charming models. The Rita is likewise extremely pretty, being especially adapted to combination suits, while the Mildred, always very stylish, is usually selected for costumes of check with velvet.

THE WOMAN'S HOTEL.

Ladies will be interested in the announcement that about New Year, Stewart's hotel for the accommodation of women will be opened. Although designed more especially for self-supporting women, who, as a class, are condemned to live upon scanty incomes, the appointments in every respect are equal to first-class hotels, while the prices will be less than those charged in third-class boarding-houses. The cooking department will be under the superintendence of an accomplished *chef de cuisine*, and the best fare will be furnished not only to the inmates, but to outside parties. While every material want is thus cared for, provision is made for improvement and entertainment, since in addition to many well chosen pictures and engravings there will be a large library, and handsome pianos in the parlors. Persons outside the city can hardly realize the cruel hardships undergone by hundreds of self-supporting women here. As a rule, they drag out lives of weary martyrdom, and to provide a way of comfortable living within their means is to accomplish a work of the noblest philanthropy. Whiting of pianos reminds me of the upright piano made by Haines Bro., Fifth Avenue and Twenty First st., which is extremely popular. All the instruments manufactured by this old, established firm are of the best material, put together with the most refined skill, and in consequence of their beauty of finish, durability and superior tone, are found not only in the *salons* of the fashionable but in the parlors of persons who in purchasing the best article obtain thereby the cheapest. The upright piano is a specialty with them, and for fine finish, sweetness and richness of tone is unsurpassed. I am led to these observations from the fact that the holidays are at hand, at which time a piano is often chosen as a present. Among other advantages the upright, while effective and elegant, is compact, and takes up, therefore, but little room. Everywhere now, the city begins to put on its holiday dress. Novelties in style are always inaugurated by the New Year receptions and festivities, and of these an idea will be given by LUCY CARTER.

The Eastern War.

The London *News* special gives the following account of the fall of Plevna: For three days the Russians knew that Osman Pasha's provisions were exhausted, and that a sortie was preparing. They received the news Sunday that he would concentrate his whole army near the bridge over the river Vid. This news was confirmed during the night by General Skobeleff, who discovered that the Turks had silently evacuated the Krishing redoubt, and all their positions on Green Hill. Skobeleff occupied these at seven o'clock in the morning. Osman crossed the Vid by two bridges and attacked the Russian positions with such fury that the Turks captured eight cannon, and in a few minutes almost annihilated the Sibirsky Grenadier Regiment. The Turks then found themselves under fire of a hundred cannon of the Russian second line, and were attacked by the Grenadiers, who were resolved to recapture their guns. The Turks were driven back after fifteen minutes of bayonet fighting, but continued the fire from the sheltering banks of the Vid, until 12:30 P. M., when the firing ceased on both sides, and a quarter of an hour afterwards Osman Pasha sent an envoy to treat for surrender. This correspondent says Osman's wound in the leg is not serious.

The Czar of Russia has returned to St. Petersburg. Previous to his departure from Plevna he visited Osman Pasha, and returned his sword as a recognition of his bravery.

Political.

The democrats in the Senate threaten to vote against the confirmation of Collector Simmons of Boston, should he be proposed by the President for reappointment, on the ground that he worked against the democratic party in the recent municipal election in Boston.

The election for State Senator in Beaufort county, S. C., which includes several sea islands containing a large negro population, took place Monday. Notwithstanding a vigorous democratic canvass, J. W. Bollius, the republican candidate was elected by 1500 majority. This is the first election in that State this year which has been carried by the republicans.

Senator Butler is, or has been, in South Carolina, engaged in a missionary effort to placate the incorrigibles, who are persecuting leading republicans, and, if possible, to inaugurate an era more in keeping with reconciliation and pacification. This a part of the arrangement by which he secured his seat in the Senate.—*Boston Herald.*

It is said that Senator Patterson proposes to return to South Carolina in January and make arrangements for his trial and admission to bail. He says he believes that there is a change in public sentiment there, which will insure him a fair trial.

The Postmaster General has received a letter from one of his old Confederate soldiers, who identifies himself as the man who rode the spotted horse at the siege of Vicksburg, and wants to be a route agent. He argues that his politics will not stand in the way of his appointment, since he is "six of one and half a dozen of the other;" and clinches this part of his argument by innocently remarking that, from what he hears, he reckons his old Colonel is of the same political opinions as himself.

That is rather a remarkable story they are telling in Washington, to the effect that one Huff, a moderate democrat, who was a candidate for appointment as United States Marshal of Georgia, in opposition to Fitzsimmons, was compelled to deny that he was a republican in order to get his claims considered, and was at last defeated by Wade Hampton's relative on suspicion that he had some Republican proclivities. — *Illinois State Journal.*

Apt remark of the Portland *Press*: "Of the witnesses summoned for the prosecution in the Kemper county massacre, all but two have either been murdered or driven from the State. The trial has been postponed to January in order to give time to kill these two."

New Hampshire Items.

Joseph Hills, the oldest man in Merrimack, recently died, aged 90 years.

A number of Dartmouth College students, mostly freshmen, have been recently dropped for deficient scholarship.

A young man by the name of Daniel Butler, residing in Sandwich, attempted to cross Bearcamp pond on Tuesday, broke through the ice, but managed with his arms to keep from going under, and cried for help. Some neighbors hearing thought it was boys playing and paid no attention, but the cries continuing at last started for the pond, and just before they arrived there he became so chilled and exhausted that he could keep up no longer and went under, and when found was dead.

In the law term of the Supreme Court at Plymouth, Wednesday, the motion for a rehearing of the Francestown Church case is being argued. It is understood that no decision will be reached this term on the Buzzell murder case. Buzzell was once tried for the murder of Miss Hanson of Brookfield and acquitted. Another party was subsequently arrested for arson, and confessed to having committed the murder at the instigation of Buzzell. The question of the right to try Buzzell as accessory before the fact was submitted to the full bench and argued.

Fourteen bushels of chestnuts have been sent from Henniker to Mr. N. H. Webster, of Helena, Montana, this season. They were all sent in small packages through the mail. The postage upon the whole amount was $102.37.

News and Notes.

Judge E. G. Loring, of the U. S. Court of Claims, has resigned his seat on the bench after a service of twenty years, he being seventy-six years old; he resigned under the retiring act, and will receive full pay during the remainder of his life; he was appointed from Massachusetts, and was the only democrat on the bench. The President nominated J. C. Bancroft Davis to fill the vacancy.

As a matter of interest in connection with the recent loss of the Huron it is stated that the captains of steamships in the Southern trade have lately experienced an unusually strong westerly current. Within the past few years many merchant steamers, whose masters had great experience in the navigation of our coast, have been wrecked on and in the vicinity of Body Island, near the point where the Huron was wrecked. Among the number, the steamer Vera Cruz, side-wheeler, Capt. Mussey, from New York to Vera Cruz, was totally wrecked on Body Island in 1868; the steamer Eagle, side-wheeler, Capt. Green, from New York to Havana, was lost on Body Island. The Ariadne, from New York to Galveston, Capt. Duane, was also lost within about two miles of Body Island light. About three years ago the steamer Gen. Sherman, from New York, was also wrecked there. The commanders of these vessels are among the most experienced navigators of our coast.

A despatch from Chester, Pa., says the schooner Oliver Crosby from Jamaica reports that at 2 o'clock, A. M. on the 7th inst., forty-five miles northeast by north off Cape Hatteras, saw a large vessel, apparently a ship, on fire. There is no doubt she had been burning some time, and the cargo apparently petroleum. No one was seen on or about the burning ship.

By direction of the President a board to consist of Major General Hancock, Colonel D. S. Stanley, Twenty-second infantry, and Colonel W. D. Whipple, aide-de-camp, will assemble in New York city the 8th of January next, or as soon thereafter as possible, to determine the following questions: First, what should be considered as being a battle within the spirit of the regulations? Second, what portion of a regiment must be engaged in the battle to entitle the regiment to have inscribed upon its colors and on the Army Register the name of the battle? Third, what record should be made in the cases of regiments consolidated as in 1815 and 1869?

Senator Chaffee, of Colorado, has prepared a resolution which he will offer in the Senate as a substitute for that of Senator Matthews. It proposes to declare that all bonds of the United States now issued or authorized to be issued under the several acts of Congress, for that purpose, are payable, principal and interest, in coin of gold or silver, at the option of the Government, at the standard value of such coin when the bonds were issued, and to restore to its coinage such silver coin as a legal tender co-equal with gold coin, and that this is not in violation of the public faith nor in derogation of the rights of the public creditor.

Senator Daws has replied to the charge that the Act of 1873 demonetizing silver was passed surreptitiously. He showed from the record, that the bill was pending for nearly three years, that it was twelve times printed, and that demonetization of the silver dollar of 412 1-2 grains was recommended by the comptroller of the currrency in a public report, and was explained and defended in debate by Mr. Hooper, Mr. Kelley and others, (who are now rampant for the remonetization of the depreciated metal,) for the reason that it was then worth three cents more than the standard gold dollar.

KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS

FAIR.

Announcement

EXTRAORDINARY!

A special meeting of the Executive Committee was held on Tuesday evening, in accordance with the following telegrams:

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 11, 1877.

To Henry Peyser, Young's Hotel, Boston: Public pressure will, I think, compel us to issue one thousand more season tickets on the same basis of presents as first. DR. S. C. WHITTIER.

BOSTON, MASS., Dec. 11, 1877.

To Dr. S. C. Whittier: Cause a meeting of the executive committee to be held at your office at eight o'clock. Will be there. HENRY PEYSER.

After mature deliberation concerning the above it was decided not to issue any more season tickets, but in order to comply with the public demand as far as in our power, it was unanimously decided to add

Another New Feature

to the Grand Fair, not with a view to make money, but that the public may have the benefit of this new feature. It was voted to present to the holders of One Thousand Certificates,

250 RICH GIFTS,

and that the value of the Presents to be distributed among Certificate holders be

One Hundred Dollars Greater

than the value of Ticket holders' Presents. Also that the Treasurer be authorized to immediately issue one thousand certificates in the distribution of these magnificent gifts, entitling the holders to admission to the Fair on *Saturday evening*, Dec. 22d. These are

Entirely separate and distinct

from the distributions of the gifts awarded the Season Ticket holders. We enumerate a few of the gifts:

The leading prize will be an Exact Duplicate of the elegant SILVER SERVICE of nine pieces now on exhibition in Rundlett's window; one CASE OF SILVER (42 pieces) and numerous other cases; Coleridge's Ancient Mariner, illustrated by Dore; objects of Art and utility.—In fact every prize will be of real value.

☞ In order to dispose of these certificates at once and satisfy the demand of a generous public, we make this, the most liberal inducement ever offered at an affair of this kind.

It was also decided to hold the Fair five (5) evenings instead of four (4), as was first intended, and that Season Ticket holders be admitted without extra charge on the additional evening.

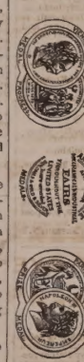
These certificates can now be obtained at the bookstore of Mercer Goodrich, at the drug stores of J. Dwight Dundlet, W. R. Preston and David Kimball & Co., at the clothing store of Peyser & Kennedy.

S. G. WHITTIER, M. D., W. O. SIDES, HENRY PEYSER, H. FISHER ELDREDGE, Executive Committee.

Portsmouth, N. H. Dec. 13, 1877.

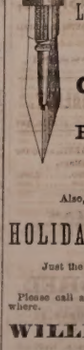
CHRISTMAS.

1877.



PEN AND PENCIL CASES.

LEROY W. FAIRCHILD & CO'S GOLD PENS



Christmas Cards,
Pictures,
Frames,
Bibles,
Prayer Books,
Pocket Books,
Poems,
Standard Works,
Juveniles,
Toys,
Games,
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The Best in the Market.

Also, a large lot of Elegant

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Just the thing for the parlor table.

Please call and examine before buying elsewhere.

WILLIS G. MYERS,

No. 1 Congress Block.

A GRAND

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

FAIR

Will be held at Franklin Hall, Portsmouth,

DEC. 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st,

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday EVENINGS,

At which time there will be offered for competition the richest and most unique display of articles ever exhibited in this city.

The principal feature of the Fair will be the arrangement of Season Tickets, which will be placed at the low price of Fifty Cents each, admitting the holder to the Hall for the four nights.

There will be distributed to the Season Ticket holders

250 VALUABLE PRESENTS,

Among which are the following:

ONE BEAUTIFUL SILVER TEA SERVICE, consisting of nine pieces, and numerous other pieces of Silver; Sets of Seal Furs; Objects of Art, and numerous other presents, which the want of space forbids mentioning, varying in value from $100 down.

These articles have been selected after the most careful scrutiny, with a view to quality and real value, without regard to cost. How well the Committee have accomplished their purpose we leave to the public to judge.

☞ These beautiful gifts are on exhibition in the spacious windows of Rundlett's Drug Store, corner of Market and Daniel Streets.

Valuable articles will be provided for competition.

— THERE WILL BE —

Dramatic and Musical Entertainments,

with change of programme each evening.

Fancy goods of all descriptions, neatly arranged on tables, will be offered for sale. An abundant supply of refreshments will be provided during the Fair.

CHILDREN'S MATINEE WEDNESDAY afternoon at 3 o'clock, among whom 50 nice presents will be distributed. *Free Suppers every evening.*

Prices of Admission: Season Tickets, 50 cents. Evening tickets, 15 cents. Matinee, Children 10 cents; Adults, 15 cents.

☞ Tickets for sale at Mercer Goodrich's Bookstore, at the Drug Stores of J. Dwight Rundlett, W. R. Preston, and David Kimball & Co., at Peyser & Kennedy's Clothing Store, and at the Door.

S. C. Whittier, M. D., Henry Peyser, W. O. Sides and H. Fisher Eldredge, Executive Committee.

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 9 LADD STREET. Apply at PORTSMOUTH SAVINGS BANK.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET. Apply at 5 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 31, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

A TENEMENT of 8 rooms, either furnished or unfurnished; the former preferred. Inquire at No. 3 Market St.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 39 CONGRESS STREET, formerly occupied by John Durgin. GEORGE E. HODGDON.

To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street. For particulars apply to WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square, or HENRY A. TEATON, at Brook & Co's, Market Street.

For Rent.

HOUSE of ten rooms, No. 2 Melcher St., near Pleasant St.; water in house; rent very low to a good tenant,—or will rent to two tenants, with six or four rooms. Apply at No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

To Let.

THE BRICK HOUSE 18 State street, in good repair, with a fine new furnace, gas and all other conveniences usually found in a genteel dwelling house. A new barn and fine garden full of fruit trees and grape vines of the best varieties—all in bearing. Also half of the house No. 16 State street, six rooms; four of them on the first floor. Very convenient for a small family. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

Lots of Land for Sale.

THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel H. DeMerritt, Esq. Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.

WILLIAM R. HACKETT.

DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale the DWELLING HOUSE owned and occupied by him, situated on Water Street, near the Spring Mill Bridge, and numbered 77. Said House is in thorough repair, contains nine rooms and a good attic, and is well furnished with gas and hydrants. To any one who desires a comfortable residence in a pleasant portion of the city, the above offer are inducements, as the price will be made low to a cash purchaser. Possession given early in the Spring.

CHARLES W. GARDNER.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS.

A FEW MORE OF THOSE

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS

Cut Low in the Neck, at

William P. Walker's,

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LEAVITT'S ALMANAC,

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ORGAN AND PIANO

Tuning AND Repairing.

THE UNDERSIGNED will receive orders for Tuning and Repairing PIANOS, CHURCH and REED ORGANS. Mr. Tilton is a practical Church Organ Builder, having commenced an apprenticeship 28 years since, in the "metal room" of W. B. D. Simmons & Co., of Boston, and having for several years the sole charge of the Voicing, Tuning and erection of the instruments of that distinguished house. Reference furnished if desired.

EDWIN A. TILTON,

39 Congress St., - - - Chambers 4 and 5.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10 35	5 *6 30
Boston Way,	10 35	5
Portland,	9 35	4 35 6 30
East [beyond Portland],	9 35	6 30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9 35	4 55
Great Falls,	9 35	4 55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9 35	
Concord and North,	7 40	4 35
Concord Way,		4 55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7 40	4 55
Dover,	7 40 9 45	4 55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4 38 10 05	5 50
Boston Way,	10 05	5 50
Portland and East,	11 20	5 50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11 20	
Concord and North.	10 20	6 30
Dover,	10 20	5 50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

THE FAIR.

Another announcement in connection with the Knights of Pythias Fair will be found in our advertising columns. The remarkable sale of the season tickets, one thousand in number, nearly a week before the time of opening the Fair, and the call for more tickets, has decided the management to continue the Fair for *five* nights instead of four, and to issue one thousand "certificates," admitting the holders to the Fair on the *last* evening; and to compensate the certificate holders for not being admitted during the rest of the Fair, the two hundred and fifty presents to be distributed among them will exceed in value the same number of presents to be distributed among the "season-ticket" holders, by one hundred dollars. Season-ticket holders will also be admitted to the Fair on the last evening—but only certificate holders will participate in the distribution of the second lot of presents.

A HINT.

A couple of foolish young fellows on Wednesday night succeeded in raising an alarm of fire, by bleating aloud as they ran down Pleasant street from near the city building, and then through State and Penhallow streets to Daniel street. The alarm was abortive, so far as the turning out of the Fire Department was concerned,—hence a gentleman who was within twenty feet of them when they set up their first yawp, and who recognized them both, has not as yet thought proper to give their names to the police. However, he advises them, the next time they attempt such a silly performance, to make sure there is no person in any contiguous door-way.

SOME BEEF.

In the Boston *Advertiser's* report of the Brighton cattle market, Thursday, we find the following:

"We would like, right here, to call attention to a pair of six-year-old oxen that landed at the new yards, weighing 6000 lbs. It we should say they looked like elephants, would it be very definite? but 6000 lbs is no small scratch for two cattle to weigh, and they were very fat and good proportioned cattle; slaughtered by H. Bird & Co.; raised and fatted by Hon. Frank Jones of Portsmouth, N. H., who has been feeding these cattle, with a number of others, for the pleasure derived therefrom. He had them at Portland at the New England State Fair, with five other pair. We were told that the six pair there represented by Mr. Jones weighed more pounds than any other twelve cattle ever put together in this country."

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, Dec. 15th; *Batchelder, J.*

Robert Foster, Gideon Carter and George Smith, drunks, fined $3 each, costs $6.90 each, all "went up."

Horace L. Colcord, (continued case,) driving a hired horse farther than was specified in contract when team was hired. Defendant engaged a team of Woodbury Locke to go to Stratham, and drove it to Merrimacport, Mass., Kingston, Nottingham and Manchester; the horse when recovered was badly used up, showing hard driving and poor care. Colcord was adjudged guilty, and sentenced to jail for twenty days; to pay the costs of prosecution; and to pay to Locke fifty cents per mile for each mile the horse was driven over and above the distance specified at the time the contract was made.

Ida Gordon, for using lewd, obscene and profane language, was ordered to pay a fine of $5, and costs taxed at $6.90. She gave notice of appeal, and bonds were set at $50; failing the appearance of some "friend" to go bonds for her, she must either pay up or go up.

THE VICINITY.

Dr. Jonathan Dearborn, of Seabrook, dropped dead on the 12th inst. at the door of his store as he was leaving it to take the cars for Boston.

Joshua P. Drake, of North Hampton, and his sons Joshua P. and Elmer, were arrested on Thursday on a charge of assaulting, with intent to kill, Freeman Drake.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 85c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50
Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 13 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., it. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 55 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $8; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Hr. 9 @ 9½c; Gr. 10½; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
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THE OLD MAN GOES TO THE FAIR.

BY JOHN H. YATES.

I'm very dusty and tired, wife! I've just come home from the fair;
So give me my pipe and tobacco, and I'll smoke in my easy chair;
Its' tiresome work a playin' for feeble old men like me;
It's tiresome work a seein' where every one wishes to see.

Our faire are runnin' down; they are not like the fairs of old,
Where you took the prize for bread, and butter as yellow as gold;
There were hundreds of useful things, that were well worth seein' then;
Few, dozens of racin' horses and hundreds of beastly men.

What all this sportin' will lead to is more than I can tell;
But, sonnow, it seems to me like the downward road to h—well,
I may be a little harsh, but I'm speakin' the simple truth,
For bettin', racin' and drinkin' are the foes of our noble youth.

We shall come to a nation of gamblers, if matters keep in this way;
Why, what do you think? a youngster accused me of bettin' to-day!
When I laid my hand on his head—that hasn't been ten years yet—
And called him a fine little fellow—he answered me back, "You bet!"

"Tut! tut! little man," said I, "that thing I never have done;
Come stand by grandpa's knee! let me reason with you, my son."
He straightened up in his clothes, and said, with a look so queer,
"I didn't come here for preachin', old man, walk off on your ear!"

We never heard talk like that when you and I were young;
My father and mother—bless 'em—put a bridle upon my tongue,
I'm old, and I'm gettin' blind, but a difference I can see
'Twixt the boys of eighteen hundred and eighteen seventy-three.

How is it about the girls? They, too, from the path have strayed;
I didn't see one a showin' the butter her hands had made;
They stood in their pony phaetons, with woman's ease and grace,
And shouted as loud as any when a favorite won a race.

All eyes were watchin' the track; the race was every man's theme;
And I said to myself, "Is this a fair, or is it only a dream?"
I saw 'bout a dozen *boys* lookin' 'round at the sheep and swine,
And the frosts of seventy winters had silvered their heads like mine.

Why en airth don't they change the name, when the wrong name it has got?—
No longer call it a fair, but an agricultural trot;
Then men won't be taking things for sensible folks to see,
With nobody there to see 'em but crippled old men like me.

There, take my pipe and tobacco! I'll sleep in my easy chair;
It's tiresome work a lazin' about a fair;
You needn't disturb me, wife, till the bells of the evening chime,
For I may go back in my dreams to the faire of olden time.

Political.

The man who got the highest vote at Boston Tuesday was a woman, Lucia M. Peabody receiving 46,874, or within about a thousand of the total for both tickets on which she ran. She will be the only woman on the new school board, Lucretia P. Hale, the other female candidate, who was on the Pierce ticket, running enough behind to lose her election.

Concerning Conkling's victory the New York *Herald* says that the President now has an opportunity to profit by his experiences. He can begin the civil service reform anew, with more sincerity, less bumptiousness, and by practical methods. It advises him to change his Cabinet, as he can blame only himself and his counsellors for this defeat.

The Richmond *Whig*, (dem.,) grandiloquently declares that Virginia is opposed to repudiation in any form,—but adds that the Mother of Presidents, the grand central reservoir of honor and native nobility, doesn't propose to pay her honest debts. Tennessee, another democratic (and always democratic) State, scorns to "repudiate" her obligations, but half her people insist on a "readjustment" by which the State's creditors will be swindled of half their dues; the other half of Tennessee's honest men object to paying any of the debt at all. None of these democratic Southern States propose to "repudiate" their debts; they simply declare that they won't pay anything, and that there is no way of making them.

The idea of passing a bill making ninety cents' worth of silver a legal-tender for one hundred cents, or of a ten per cent repudiation, is not a wholesome one to contemplate. Such a possible contingency ought to stir up the people to insist upon the preservation of the public faith. If we mean repudiation let us say so frankly, and not attempt to add to its dishonor an attempt to accomplish it by indirection.—*Boston Post.*

—There's a man in Glen Cove, who can now sing "A charge to keep I have." It's a charge of No. 10 shot; he was in a neighbor's hen-roost.

—Emma Bailey and Emma Colby are billed to run a foot race in Virginia City on Christmas Day. This will be what the printers call a two-em dash.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 15, 1877.

Chronicle Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 12th.

All testimony so far elicited before the Naval Court of Inquiry goes to confirm the now very general opinion that the immediate responsibility of the Huron's loss and the shocking sacrifice of over a hundred lives, must rest upon the officer or officers charged with navigating her away from a stretch of coast perilously beset with bars, shoals, spits, currents, counter-currents and miles upon miles of breakers, dangerous even in mild weather of mid-summer. But they shared the fate of the vessel whose safety was committed to their charge, and are gone beyond the reach of censure or praise. Congress, that failed to man the nearest life-saving station, and Commodore Trenchard, who signaled permission for her to push out into the treacherous waste of water lashed to fury by a November gale, against the warnings of the Weather Bureau, will be held not wholly blameless by the popular verdict. The only reason that appears to have operated against laying her course farther eastward until a sufficient offing had been made to clear the dangers concealed under the shoal water along shore, was the apprehension that the northward current of the Gulf Stream, driven farther in shore than usual by the gale, might be encountered, thus retarding to a slight extent, their progress down the coast. There appears to have beena series of blunders committed from the sailing of the vessel to the time the last life sacrificed was yielded up in the fatal undertow, say one of which, if avoided, would have much abbreviated the long list of casualities. All that is possible to learn from survivors and others more indirectly concerned, will likely be brought out by the rigid method of the Court.

A great many here and elsewhere who believe Dowling, the Toledo Postmaster, to have been removed to make way for Reed because the latter earned Stanley Matthews' gratitude, during his contest to succeed Senator Sherman, are gratified at the rather humiliating necessity imposed on the authorities of re-installing the former in office. A more flagrant disregard of the reform programme for filling Federal positions could hardly be pointed out among the instances alleged against the Administration; and if Mr. Reed's chickens have come home thus early to roost, there will be found few to commiserate his forlorn and wretched condition consequent upon the miscarriage of the joint scheme for his reward.

It is rare for a retiring official of any grade to go out of office carrying more of the good will of those with whom he came in official contact, than will follow Mr. McCormick, late Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, into private life.

The annual report of the Commissioner of Agriculture, just issued and ready for distribution, contains many things of interest to the general reader. The volume is unusually compact and well arranged, and there are several new subjects treated. In looking through the book I notice an article concerning "A Successful Insect Destroyer," accompanied with a drawing or cut of the invention. It is a new thing, patented during the year, and promises to be a great benefit to the farming and fruit growing community. The annual destruction of crops of fruit, cotton, corn, tobacco and vegetables by the curculio, cotton-ball, army, cut and tobacco worms, amounts to millions of dollars. Of all the numerous remedies tried none have so far proved successful. The "Little Turk," as the curculio is called, has almost driven plum culture from the country, while the ravages of the other species named are immense. The worms are all hatched from eggs laid by miller and beetle insects that fly at night, and are easily caught by a properly arranged light. It is estimated that these insects deposit from 10,000 to 1,000,000 eggs each, according to the species, in the seventeen days of their average life. If, therefore, the insects can be destroyed before appearing in the worm stage of existence, this will prove the most successful point of attack. The device referred to by the Commissioner was patented by a firm in Russellville, Arkansas,—Patton & Duke, I believe—and consists of a peculiarly constructed lamp which is to be lighted and set on a pan filled with water, the bottom of which receives a stick or other support, so as to raise the light to the desired height for the crop or tree to be protected. Everybody knows the proneness of insects to "go for" a light. It is one of the curious facts connected with insect life that their eggs are always deposited at night. The miller species never fly by day. On a warm, dark night, when there is no rain or wind, they are, in season, almost numberless and can readily be destroyed by this device. The Commissioner says: "The moths being attracted by the light, dart against it and fall into the pan, and are destroyed before depositing their eggs upon the tender leaves of the growing plants." The patentees, I learn, on inquiry, have just started a factory at Russellville and are manufacturing the lamp, etc., in great quantities, and selling rights of territory. KNOX.

Congress.

In the Senate, Friday, most of the time was occupied in the discussion of the resolution declaring the right of theGovernment to pay bonds in silver. Mr. Bayard spoke in opposition thereto, and made a powerful and logical argument. Senator Allison took the floor when Senator Bayard had concluded, but yielded to Senator Hill, who spoke briefly, yet effectively, in favor of the gold standard. Senator Allison then commenced an argument in favor of remonetizing silver and of having a double standard of value, and was followed by Messrs. Dawes and Beck. Beck is opposed to resumption, paying the bonds in gold, or anything else that is honest if it is and has been supported by the republican party; still and Bayard, just as good democrats as Beck, and evidently much more sensible ones, are urgent that the nation shall be spared the shame of wholesale swindling. No vote was reached.

The House settled the Colorado contested election case by the seating of Mr. Patterson, democrat, by a vote of 116 to 116. The proposition that the case be remitted to the people came within one of being adopted, the vote standing 116 to 117. Why the democrats should have seated Patterson is hard to understand, as there is no pretence that he was elected and the democratic majority in the House is large enough for all partisan purposes; but the outrage confirms Colorado as a republican State at the next election.

[Communicated.]

The Huron Disaster.

In one of the metropolitan papers a well-known former shipmaster and able maritime writer discusses the causes, in his judgment, of the loss of the Huron, in an able and impartial manner; and we can but agree with him as to the possibility of there having been a disarrangement of her compasses. True, before leaving Hampton Roads all due precaution might have been taken, and the compasses properly adjusted by bearings or other methods; but we have several times known of a metal substance being placed near enough to the binnacle to have affected the compasses, which may have been the case at this time; or as some have suggested, electricity might have been the cause; but it is fair to believe that some local attraction was the cause of the disaster. The writer spoken of above thinks that no blame should be attached to the commanding officer of the fleet. We ask if orders are generally issued that are discretionary with the subordinate? We think not. With the provisions that government has made to notify all vessels ready for sea of the proximity of a storm, the Huron was allowed to proceed to sea while storm signals were displayed from their proper places, and the Huron within signal distance of the flag-ship. The writer says the ship was staunch in every respect. Should the jib-stay, (a very important part of her rigging,) or the sails, have blown away at that time, with no more wind and the ship so short a time from a navy yard? Either there was neglect, or a parsimonious economy used which is not asked for by government in their sea-going ships. Now a man-of-war is as liable to be wrecked, or meet with accident, as the merchant ship is. We speak in no disparagement of the officers of the navy when we say that they are not so skillful seamen or navigators as those in the merchant service; they have not the *practice*,—and practice makes perfect, and certainly makes the merchant sailor more efficient. It has often been remarked that during the rebellion very few causalities happened to government ships that were in the blockade and cruising along the coast. We admit it, as all of the ships had watch-officers who were *from the Merchant Service*, who had experience. We know of two sloops-of-war that got ashore on the Florida coast a short distance from each other and both within two weeks time, (in both cases in fair weather,) one of which had to discharge every-thing movable, even to running out the water tanks and taking them out, before she could be get off, and then had to be hove over the reef on the inside. The accident would not have happened if the commanding and navigating officers would have listened to the suggestions of some of subordinates. Both were fortunately got off, and took an important part in the capture of New Orleans. We suppose the Court of Enquiry will place the blame of the Huron's accident on some one. ***

The Eastern War.

Servia has declared war against Turkey.

England's attitude toward Russia is regarded as menacing.

An insurrection has broken out in Crete against the Turks.

News and Notes.

During the last few weeks there has lingered along the coast a school of codfish of unusual size and excellent quality. It is quite a remarkable event for such an abundant supply of fish to come to the shore at this season of the year, to stay so long, and, withal, for the weather to be so favorable at this season for catching them. It is quite a providence for the fishermen, so long unlucky, now to go out of a morning and come in at sunset with $10 to $15 worth of fish. Mr. William B. Parsons of Rockport, Mass., brought in one evening 1600 pounds of codfish in his dory, making a day's work of $24. During the last two months $30,000 have been paid out at Rockport and at Pigeon Cove for fresh fish from this school.

The big steamer "Massachusetts" left New York for Providence at 4:30 o'clock, Thursday afternoon, on her first special trip since her misfortune near Greenport. She arrived at Providence Friday morning. She is now a better, stronger and in every way a more seaworthy boat than when she was wrecked in October last.

A San Francisco mob assaulted a party of one hundred and fifty Chinamen, Wednesday night, robbed them and seriously injured not less than fifty of them, the police meanwhile interposing no protection. The Chinese Six-Companies have laid the matter before President Hayes, urging their helplessness without federal aid.

A procession of several thousand working men called Friday night upon the President, who spoke a few words in acknowledgment of the compliment. They then proceeded to Ford's Opera House, where a mass meeting took place. After the passage of resolutions in support of the labor movement, a committee was appointed to wait upon the President and urge him to enforce the eight hour law in the mechanical department of the government.

Barney Donahue, leader of the Erie railway strikers last summer, was arraigned in the county court at Bath, Steuben county, N. Y., Friday, and pleaded guilty to the count in the indictment against him charging him with conspiracy against trade and commerce, and was sentenced to the county jail for three months.

The brick dye-house of the York Mills in Saco, Me., was nearly destroyed by fire Wednesday night, involving a loss of $25,000. As the York Mills manufacture only colored goods, the greater portion of the work must shut down until the damage can be repaired.

The crew of barkentine John J. Marsh, Patterson, from Port Johnson, of and for Portland, which arrived at Vineyard Haven Wednesday, mutinied shortly after her arrival. At sunset the revenue steamer Gallatin, Capt. Gabrielson, arrived, assistance was rendered from her and the crew were put in irons. The Gallatin hauled schooner E. Stanley, of and for Camden, Me., off Succannessett Shoal, on the afternoon of the 12th. The schooner was not damaged and proceeded on her voyage.

The Continental Telegraph Co., capital $10,000,000, has been chartered by the State of New York. Alfred Nelson, late treasurer of the defunct Atlantic & Pacific, is president of the new line.

McMahon has come down from his high horse, and all fear of another French revolution is past.

Herr Driesback, the lion-tamer, for many years well-known for his performances in connection with Van Amburg's menagerie, died recently in the west.

At the New York hospital last week a remarkable surgical operation was performed, consisting of joining an ununited fracture of the ulna and radius of the arm. Holes were drilled through the ends of the joints, and the bones joined together by silver wires. The patient was a young lady.

The New York Board of Health has decided not to prosecute the German chemist who cremated his infant, and that it has no objection to this form of disposing of the dead under proper forms and restrictions. The President of the Board even has under consideration the regulations which are in force in the Duchy of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha in Germany, and it may be that Mr. Kircher has been an humble instrument in introducing into the metropolis this new or rather revived old form of bestowing the last offices upon the dead. We certainly believe that cremation of the dead would operate in the interests of the health of the living.—*Post.*

Says the Newburyport *Herald*: "A couple were married in this city a few days since, and not having the wherewith to set up housekeeping, accepted a home in the cabin of a fishing schooner which is hauled up for the winter. The individual who made this offer is a fisherman and makes his home on board. The bridegroom is also a fisherman and attends to his duties daily, and the trio live like turtle doves. No cards."

Scarcely a youth of seventeen is to be found among the Samoanites who is not elaborately tattoed. Candlenut ashes and water are used for coloring matter. That part of the body from the waist to the knee is covered with a variegated pattern that at a short distance resembles lacework. The operation consumes two or three months, and the operator is very exacting about his pay. When he gets half through he demands his recompense, and if it is not forthcoming he refuses to finish the work. A young man is in deep disgrace if he goes about half tattoed. The girls laugh at him, and the men scorn him. The process is very painful, and the victims are dieted while undergoing it. Some become mere skeletons before they are completed, but it is the fashion, and they are repaid by the admiring glances of the women. The gentler sex are rarely tattoed. Sometimes a delicate garter is seen twining around the leg, sometimes an armlet, or a strawberry design in the middle of the back, but such instances are rare.

The trade of Canada is taking on a better look both in imports and exports. It has perhaps suffered greater depression in proportion than our own country, and this activity is doubly welcome. The goods exported and entered for consumption during the four months ending the 31st of October, 1877, exceed by over $30,000,000 the goods exported and consumed in the same time in 1876. In imports for those months there is an increase in value of $2,215,918 over the imports for the same period last year.

A New Orleans paper tells us that a Puritanical wave has lately passed over Louisiana, some half a dozen towns in the State having refused to allow a drop of liquor to be sold; and a dozen or more parishes have ranged themselves under the Sunday-law banner and prohibit work of any kind upon the Sabbath. It is quite natural that New Orleans should be as much shocked as any part of the country by the threat of Sabbatarian influences, but it is likewise probable that a few restraints would not make society any worse in the Crescent City.—*Post.*

Scribner for January is to have a paper on "Dr. Schliemann at Mycenæ," illustrated by cuts of some of the most interesting objects found by the explorer, including the crown of gold, the second tomb-stone, the cow's head of silve;r the writer acknowledges the unequalled archæological value of the discoveries, but differs with Mr. Gladstone in refusing to accept some of the most important of the Doctor's theories.

Henry Ward Beecher's paper, the *Christian Union*, says of "St. Nicholas," *a propos* of its being "interesting without being vicious, good without being stupid, and refined without being priggish:" "the question, 'Will live, irrepressible children read such a periodical?' is answered in the affirmative every month by at least a quarter of a million of girls and boys, whose saintliness is not all times apparent. There is, therefore, reason to believe that there are at least five million more little Americans into whose hands this excellent periodical should find its way."

New Hampshire Items.

The New Hampshire State Grange holds its annual meeting at Manchester on the 18th, at which the election of officers for the next two years will take place.

James McArdle of Dover, while walking on the Boston and Maine track between Great Falls and Rollinsford, was killed Thursday evening.

Detective Moses Sargent of Boston and Sheriff Rice of New Hampshire passed through Washington, D. C., Thursday evening, with George Hamilton, the alleged murderer of A. C. Foster of Keene in 1876.

George W. Nesmith of Franklin, Trustee of Dartmouth College, has resigned the Presidency of the State Agricultural College. He has been settling old accounts and transacting other business respecting the Agricultural College, which will be made public soon. There is a strong feeling for a removal.

The Bank Commissioners have completed their investigation of the Wolfeboro' Savings Bank, and the loss to the depositors will reach nearly, if not quite, twenty per cent. The deficiency between the face of the assets and the liabilities is nearly $2000, which amount the Treasurer, Joseph L. Avery, will personally make up. The loss to depositors is larger than was expected.

Edward L. Jordan, the very fast young man of Dover who has fulfilled the predictions of the wiseacres by running out his fortune and absconding to escape his creditors, married a young woman with a snug little property (over ten thousand dollars in cash) about a year ago, and at once began to play the part of a rich young man. He bought a hotel at Saco, Me., but was obliged to leave the State for violating the liquor law. He then returned to Dover, built an expensive house, bought horses and carriages, and was beginning to live in style, when his wife's money gave out, and he fled from the wrath to come. It has since transpired that he is a forger, so it is possible that he may find his way into the State prison, where he belongs. He has probably gone to Nevada, where his father is living. His wife is left penniless.

The various military organizations of Manchester will be inspected by Inspector-General D. J. Vaughan as follows: Head Guards, Dec. 17; Straw Rifles, Dec. 18; Sheridan Guards, Dec 26; War Veterans, Dec. 27; Battery, Dec. 28; Amoskeag Veterans, Jan. 16.

—When a girl begins to take an interest in a young man's cravat, it is a sign she does not love him as a sister.

—It never was in good taste, and is now quite unfashionable, to publish a list of the presents, and the parties making them, at a wedding.

KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS

FAIR.

Announcement

EXTRAORDINARY!

A special meeting of the Executive Committee was held on Tuesday evening, in accordance with the following telegrams:

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 11, 1877.

To Henry Peyser, Young's Hotel, Boston: Public pressure will, I think, compel us to issue one thousand more season tickets on the same basis of presents as first. DR. S. C. WHITTIER.

BOSTON, MASS., Dec. 11, 1877.

To Dr. S. G. Whittier: Cause a meeting of the executive committee to be held at your office at eight o'clock. Will be there. HENRY PEYSER.

After mature deliberation concerning the above it was decided not to issue any more season tickets, but in order to comply with the public demand as far as in our power, it was unanimously decided to add

Another New Feature

to the Grand Fair, not with a view to make money, but that the public may have the benefit of this new feature. It was voted to present to the holders of One Thousand Certificates,

250 RICH GIFTS,

and that the value of the Presents to be distributed among Certificate holders be

One Hundred Dollars Greater

than the value of Ticket holders' Presents. Also that the Treasurer be authorized to immediately issue one thousand certificates in the distribution of these magnificent gifts, entitling the holders to admission to the Fair on *Saturday evening*, Dec. 22d. These are

Entirely separate and distinct

from the distributions of the gifts awarded the Season Ticket holders. We enumerate a few of the gifts:

The leading prize will be an Exact Duplicate of the elegant SILVER SERVICE of nine pieces now on exhibition in Rundlett's window; one CASE OF SILVER (42 pieces) and numerous other cases; Coleridge's Ancient Mariner, illustrated by Dore; objects of Art and utility,—in fact every prize will be of real value.

☞ In order to dispose of these certificates at once and satisfy the demand of a generous public, we make this, the most liberal inducement ever offered at an affair of this kind.

It was also decided to hold the Fair five (5) evenings instead of four (4), as was first intended, and that Season Ticket holders be admitted with out extra charge on the additional evening.

These certificates can now be obtained at the bookstore of Mercer Goodrich, at the drug stores of J. Dwight Dunclit, W. E. Preston and David Kimball & Co., at the clothing store of Peyser & Kennedy.

S. G. WHITTIER, M. D., HENRY PEYSER,
W. O. SIDES, H. FISHER ELDREDGE,
Executive Committee.

Portsmouth, N. H. Dec. 13, 1877.

CHRISTMAS.

1877:

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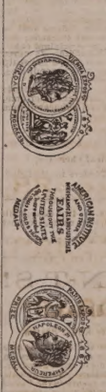

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KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS

FAIR

Will be held at Franklin Hall, Portsmouth,

DEC. 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st,

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday

EVENINGS,

At which time there will be offered for competition the richest and most unique display of articles ever exhibited in this city.

The principal feature of the Fair will be the arrangement of Season Tickets, which will be placed at the low price of Fifty Cents each, admitting the holder to the Hall for the four nights.

There will be distributed to the Season Ticket holders

250 VALUABLE PRESENTS,

Among which are the following:

ONE BEAUTIFUL SILVER TEA SERVICE, consisting of nine pieces, and numerous other pieces of Silver; Sets of Seal Furs; Objects of Art, and numerous other presents, which the want of space forbids mentioning, ranging in value from $100 down.

These articles have been selected after the most careful study, with a view to quality and real value, without regard to cost. How well the Committee have accomplished their purpose we leave to the public to judge.

☞ These beautiful gifts are on exhibition in the spacious windows of Rundlett's Drug Store, corner of Market and Daniel Streets.

Valuable articles will be provided for competition.

— THERE WILL BE —

Dramatic and Musical Entertainments,

with change of programme each evening.

Fancy goods of all descriptions, neatly arranged on tables, will be offered for sale. An abundant supply of refreshments will be provided during the Fair.

CHILDREN'S MATINEE WEDNESDAY afternoon at 2 o'clock, among whom 50 nice presents will be distributed. *Free Suppers every evening.*

Prices of Admission: Season Tickets, 50 cents. Evening tickets, 15 cents. Matinee, Children 10 cents; Adults, 15 cents.

☞ Tickets for sale at Mercer Goodrich's Bookstore, at the Drug Stores of J. Dwight Rundlett, W. E. Preston, and David Kimball & Co., at Peyser & Kennedy's Clothing Store, and at the Door.

S. C. Whittier, M. D., Henry Peyser, W. O. Sides and H. Fisher Eldredge, Executive Committee.

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 9 LADD STREET. Apply at PORTSMOUTH SAVINGS BANK.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET. Apply at 5 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

A TENEMENT of 8 rooms, either furnished or unfurnished; the former preferred. Inquire at No. 3 Market St.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 39 CONGRESS STREET, formerly occupied by John Durgin.
GEORGE E. HODGDON.

To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street. For particulars apply to WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square. or HENRY A. YEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market Street.

For Rent.

HOUSE of ten rooms, No. 2 Melcher St., near Pleasant St.; water in house; rent very low to a good tenant,—or will rent to two tenants, with six or four rooms. Apply at No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

To Let.

THE BRICK HOUSE 18 State street, in good repair, with a fine new furnace, gas and all other conveniences usually found in a genteel dwelling house. A new barn and fine garden full of fruit trees and grape vines of the best varieties—all in bearing. Also half of the house No. 16 State street, six rooms; four of them on the first floor. Very convenient for a small family. Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

Lots of Land for Sale.

THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq., also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.
WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale the DWELLING HOUSE owned and occupied by him, situated on Water Street near the South Mill Bridge and numbered 77. Said House is in thorough repair, contains nine rooms and a good attic, and is well furnished with gas and fixtures. To any one who desires a comfortable residence in a pleasant portion of the city, the above offers rare inducements, as the price will be made low to a cash purchaser. Possession given early in the Spring.
CHARLES W. GARDNER.

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39 Congress St., - - - Chambers 4 and 5.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	3	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:00 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, Jr., P. M.

THE CITY.

Collector Howard was called away to Marlow on Friday, by a telegram announcing the death of his father.

The Festival of the Sunday school of St. John's church will be held in Franklin Hall on the evening of St. John's Day, Thursday, Dec. 27th.

Rev. Mr. Hubbell will commence a series of lectures, at the North church, Sunday evening, upon "Bunyon's Pilgrim's Progress." All are cordially invited.

Gentlemen wishing to attend a school to learn fancy and other dances will please send their address to P. O. Box 1553. Please apply within a week, as the number is to be limited.

Mr. Channing Folsom, formerly principal of the Haven school, and latterly principal of the Belknap school in Dover, also School Superintendent of the south district in that city, has resigned to accept a position as teacher in the Elliot School, Boston.

Miss Amanda Pickering, of Newington, who has taught school in this city and later in Dover, and some weeks ago passed an excellent examination for a position as teacher of a Portsmouth school again, which she declined to accept after winning, has secured a good position as teacher in a Boston school.

Harper's Magazine for January is published, and ready for delivery at Myers' and Moses Brother'r bookstores. This number is fully up to the average of this periodical in merit—praise enough for any magazine—containing one hundred and five illustrations, with stories, history, poetry, science, art, and the ever popular "editor's drawer,"—variety and quality to suit all tastes except depraved ones, which must go somewhere else to be catered for.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, Dec. 14th; *Batchelder, J.*

George Williams, a tramp, (one of *twenty-four* who occupied the police station Thursday night,) was sent to jail for thirty days and ordered to pay $6.90 costs, for stealing a pair of rubbers from the store of Joseph Pettigrew.

Ida Griswold withdrew her appeal from the sentence imposed Thursday, and contributed $11.90 to the treasury.

WHAT ABOUT THE RINK?

To thoughtful and indulgent parents and guardians of children, and ladies and gentlemen generally:—

Now that the season for drowning by breaking through the ice is set in—the papers having mentioned three or more fatal accidents during the past week—the question is often asked "What about the Rink?" The answer is this: By dint of the personal efforts of one individual the Rink has been put in perfect repair and much improved during the summer, promising a complete success till the spring. The house is cosy and comfortable, and everything is most attractive; a faithful man is ready to take daily care of it, keep the ice smooth and cleared of snow, the house warm and the lamps lighted in the short winter afternoons. The pleasure, health and exhilaration accruing from the exercise of skating are too well known to need comment. If there are fifty applicants for tickets the Rink will invite its patrons to enjoy fine skating as soon as the weather permits. Tickets $3 each; for two tickets in the same family, $5. Those wishing tickets will apply at once at Mr. Myers' book store, Congress Block.

RAILROAD DAY.

Not a few of the excursionists to Boston, "railroad day," found their stock not good for a free ride, they having stock of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire instead of in the Massachusetts corporation; there was some embarrassment and some growling,—some paid the fare demanded and some didn't,—but nobody was turned off the train, so far as we have heard, on account of their stock not being of the right stamp. As usual, a large number of the impromptu "stockholders" stopped over a night in Boston, returning next day; but—not as usual, heretofore—they were all obliged to pay full fare home, the conductors being inexorable. "Orders are orders." In vain was stock of the most orthodox brand stuck under the conductors' noses; they wouldn't look at it, but demanded $1.70 from each unlucky passenger. A goodly sum was handed over, but not a few of the "stockholders" had spent all their money in Boston and were obliged to promise to pay up after reaching home, on receiving which promise the persecuting conductor would pass to the next victim. There will be less stock in the New Hampshire corporation produced, next year, and probably no stop-over passengers at all.

On railroad day curiosity led a gentleman of this city to visit Jordan, Marsh & Co.'s store, in Boston, and while looking around the first floor he counted one hundred and eleven persons from this city intent on making purchases. Immediately repairing to R. H. White & Co.'s, the same party counted sixty-eight Portsmouth folks "buying things." In this connection we may add that a lady from this city carried two good-sized empty trunks to Boston on that day, wherein to pack her purchases. Comment on this is unnecessary.—*Times.*

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant. Also, lecture in the evening on "God: His unity, nature, and character."

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder Geo. W. Brown of Eliot will preach.

Mr. C. P. Mills will address the Spiritualists at Mechanics' Hall, at 3 and 7:30 P. M. All are invited.

Mission services; William A. Loyne, Volunteer Missionary. Residence at Faith Home, 16 Deer street. At home daily from 8 to 10 A. M. and 12 to 2 P. M. Services every Sabbath at the Alms House at 10:30; at the County Jail at 12:30. Consecration Meeting every Monday evening at the Home. Bow Mission service suspended.

At the Freewill Baptist church, on Pearl street, preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by Rev. E. Tuttle. Sabbath school at 11:30 A. M.

At the South Parish, Rev. James DeNormandie will preach in the morning upon "Everlasting Punishment," and in the evening upon "The Scripture Teaching in regard to a Hell." Morning services at 10:30 and vespers at 7:30 P. M. Sunday school at 2:45 P. M.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D.

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M. Preaching by Rev. James W. Hubbell, the pastor.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. John A. Goss, at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M. Praise services at 6:30 P. M., for an hour; prayer meeting at 7:30. All are welcome.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M. by Rev. James Noyes, the pastor.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS FAIR.

PORTSMOUTH, Dec. 14th.

To the Executive Committee of Knights of Pythias Fair:—Gentlemen:

The unusually rapid sale of your limited number of season tickets for your Fair has left many of our friends unsupplied; they are buying "certificates" in your separate distribution of gifts, entitling them to admittance on the 5th or extra night of the Fair, only.

As you have tendered free admission to season ticket holders for that extra evening of the Fair, we should like for you to extend your liberality to certificate holders, and admit them during the Fair. As the distribution of prizes of season ticket holders and of certificate holders are to be entirely distinct, we do not think it will conflict either with your interests or the interest of season ticket holders in the Fair, to comply with our wish to accord certificate holders full admission. Respectfully, etc.,

Jerome C. Butler, A. T. Pickering, Elbridge Prior, John Laighton, Thomas Kennedy, Jr., Wm. P. Walker, J. D. Rundlett, C. H. Sides, J. K. Simpson, J. H. Emery, J. A. Stevens, and thirty-seven other season ticket holders.

PORTSMOUTH, Dec. 14th.

In reference to the above communication from the season ticket holders, the executive committee of K. of P. Fair decided not to be behind the season ticket holders in liberality, and heartily comply with their request. Therefore certificate holders will be admitted to the Fair during its continuance, without extra charge.

S. C. Whittier, M. D., Henry Poyser, William O. Sides, H. Fisher Eldredge, Executive Committee.

THE VICINITY.

The examination of Joshua P. Drake and sons, of North Hampton, for assault on Freeman Drake, with intent to kill, has been postponed to Jan. 4th. The injured man is improving.

The triangular fight at Dover for the postmastership between the present incumbent, Geo. W. Colbath, Major Wm. H. Trickey and Mr. Joshua R. Varney, was ended on Thursday by President Hayes sending the latter's appointment to the Senate. Had all Mr. Hayes' appointments been equally judicious there would have been less growling.

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OLIVE OIL,

20 Doz. Qts. and Pts. Barton & Guestier Olive Oil.

A Large Assortment of

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Fresh Invoice of

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—Brigham Young's grave is watched constantly by Mormons living for the purpose in tents near the spot. Their vesper song is "We're tenting to-night on the old scamp ground."

—One day last week the Buffalo poormaster published a card asking for a home by adoption of a bright little girl of eight years, who had been deserted by her parents in that city. There were fifty-three applications for the waif and she was placed in a comfortable home. Subsequently it transpired that the child's grandfather, a physician named Ayer, lived in Detroit, and on being communicated with, expressed the greatest joy at hearing of the little one's whereabouts. He had lost track of her mother, his daughter, whose second husband, the child's step-father, had thus earned the little girl on the world. She will be at once returned to her grandfather's home.

—Bishop Clark of Rhode Island always will have his joke, and it's always worth having, too. Once upon a time his brother was visiting him, and the good bishop showed him to his bed-room, in due course. "Good night! I'll put my boots outside the door," said his brother. "All right, Sam," replied the bishop; "nobody'll touch 'em." By the way, that same brother of Bishop Clark was one of the wittiest men alive. It runs in the family. He once went to see one of his parishioners, a lady with a prodigious family, which had recently been increased. As he rose to leave, the lady stopped him with: "But you haven't seen my last baby." "No," he quickly replied, "and I never expect to!" Then he fled.

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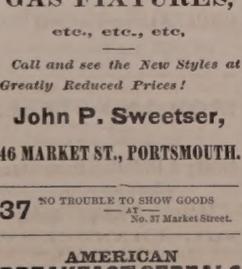

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A Boy's Composition.

Ma is my mother; I am her son. Ma's name is Mrs. Shrimp, and Mr. Shrimp is her husband. Pa is my father. My name is George Washington Shrimp. Therefore pa's name is Shrimp; so is ma's. My ma has a ma. She is my grandma. She is mother-in-law to pa. My pa says mother-in-laws ought to be voted. I like grandma better than pa does. She brings me ten-cent stamps and bolivars. She don't bring any to pa. Maybe that's why he don't like her. Aunt Jerusha is my aunt. When pa was a little boy, she was his sister. I like little sisters. Dicky Mopps has a little sister. Her name is Rose. I take her out riding on my sled. Aunt Jerusha don't like her. She calls her that Mopps girl. I think Aunt Jerusha ought to be ashamed of herself. Aunt Jerusha lives with us. Sometimes I think ma would rather have her live with somebody else. I asked Aunt Jerusha once why she didn't marry somebody and set up for herself. She said that many a man wanted to marry her, but that while poor Susan Jane was in such a state of health, she couldn't think of leaving. "Besides," she said, "what would become of your papa?" Aunt Jerusha has a state of health, too. On washing day she has a headache, and does her head up in brown paper and vinegar; and I have to make toast at the kitchen fire. I make some for myself, too. Aunt Jerusha says that nobody knows what she has done for that boy. That boy's me again. I told pa what she said. Pa said it was just so. Nobody did know. Ma said Aunt Jerusha means well, and that she is pa's dear sister. I don't see why that's any reason she should always scold me when I eat cabbage with a knife.

High Heeled Shoes.

In descending stairs or steep declivities while wearing high-heeled shoes, which throws the weight of the body upon the front part of the foot, the extra effort made for the purpose of retaining the body within the centre of gravity produces a direct strain upon these tendons, causing rupture or stretching of the annular ligaments sufficient to allow them to be displaced. It is no wonder, then, that fashionable women waddle in a most ungraceful manner when they attempt to walk. They destroy their comfort to follow a ridiculous fashion, and acquire an ambling and undignified movement. People do things to follow fashion that their good sense would cause them to be ashamed of under any other circumstances. Ladies wearing such shoes are often obliged, for safety, to go down stairs backward; and they can be seen every day descending the stoops of our fashionable residences in this manner, making pretense of talking to some imaginary person in the front door as an excuse to hide their awkward movements.—*Dr. Carbally.*

All Alike.

There is a picture in a recent *Punch*, in which a stout lady is indignantly observing to a person in front of her at a railway station waiting-room: "Are you aware, sir, that this room is for ladies?" The party addressed, turning around, revealed a pretty young girl, but dressed in an ulster and felt hat of the kind worn by gentlemen. The mistake was quite natural, as was also one made this morning. A young lady, similarly attired, was passing down George street, on her way to Dartmouth, when she dropped a gauntlet, and an urchin who just came along shouted after her: "Here, mister, yer lost yer glove." The surprise of the youth when the fair owner turned to get her property, was ludicrous.—*Halifax Recorder.*

—Theatre parties are the rage with some of the New Yorkers. Whole "blocks" of seats are taken for a certain number of persons acquainted with each other, and they make themselves very much at home. But there is some complaint that they make themselves too much at home, and annoy others in the audience by their exceeding freedom.

—It is related that one evening when Miss Cushman was playing in Washington, President and Mrs. Grant entered the theatre during the second act, just when the actress had started to "come on," and the orchestra, at that moment, began to play "Hail to the Chief." "Duffield, Duffield," she cried, "what is that noise about? The orchestra is composed of fools, I verily believe." "It is the President," said poor Mr. Duffield. "And suppose it is!" said she angrily. "Mr. Ford has given orders that the orchestra play 'Hail to the Chief.'" "Hail to the mischief. *I* would not stop a performance for the best man living."

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 17, 1877.

Lively Times.

The Senate, in executive session, Friday, finished much more work than has been usual of late. The session was the scene of a passage between Conkling and Gordon, which caused a sensation among the Senators. Mr. Gordon was bitterly opposing the confirmation of Wade, a republican, as Collector of the Third District of Georgia. Mr. Thurman interrupted to say that if the relations of the North to the South were to be passed in review at length on every confirmation, business could not be expedited; at this Mr. Conkling and several others spoke out, as is usual in a session where business is pressing, "Go on with the calendar." At this Mr. Gordon exclaimed in a very offensive manner: "The Senator from New York is issuing orders to the Chair." Mr. Conkling, after asking Mr. Gordon to repeat his exclamation, replied: "If the Senator from Georgia means to say that I issue orders to the chair, he says what is not true, and lest the Senator should not understand me, I repeat that if he means to intimate that I issue orders to the chair, he says what is not true." This was spoken with great emphasis by Mr. Conkling. Mr. Gordon retorted, "This is a matter that can be settled outside of this chamber." Mr. Conkling replied, "Yes, or we can settle it now," and he then again repeated his first remark to Gordon, and the latter only said it was a matter to settle outside the Senate chamber. Messrs. Thurman and Hamlin and other Senators undertook to smooth the matter over and effect an immediate reconciliation, saying that Mr. Conkling's exclamation, "Go on with the calendar," was a usual one, and there was no cause for Gordon's feeling. But both Gordon and Conkling sat still under these attempts to smooth the matter over and said nothing. There are wild rumors as to a hostile meeting, but friends of neither party seem to have any clear idea of what is to be the sequel of the row. Blaine and Ben Hill also had a lively passage. Mr. Hill protested against the Senator's interfering where those from the State interested were agreed. Mr. Blaine desired to know of him if he helped the Senator from New York when he was needing help of the same kind Mr. Hill now claimed. The controversy was brief but pointed, and noteworthy from this being the third opportunity Blaine has taken to help Conkling in executive session.

The Eastern War.

The Turks have made another tremendous effort to retrieve their falling fortunes. They attacked Metchka six times, but were repulsed with great loss, and withdrew to their original positions after a seven hours' fight. Three thousand Russians were killed.

Turkey has sent a circular note to the treaty powers of 1871, asking their good offices with Russia in the interests of peace.

News and Notes.

Fred. Blaisdell, son of Hiram Blaisdell, of Orland Ridge, Me., on Wednesday, while fooling with a revolver in the house, accidentally discharged it, the ball entering the side of his little sister, aged seven years. She died in a few minutes.

An unknown lady was taken ill in the waiting room at the Northern depot in Lowell, Mass., Friday evening, and died in twenty minutes. She was well dressed, and wore a diamond ring.

About two thousand live geese, chickens and ducks were captured Friday in New York, by the police, in cellars, basements, bed-rooms, stores and yards and areas in the thickly settled part of the city, all owned by Irish people.

The Brazilian Government has agreed to subsidize a line of steamers belonging to John Roach between New York and Rio Janeiro, and the service will commence in March.

An Havana letter mentions the capture, on the 25th ult., of a valuable Spanish military train, composed of 106 ox carts, 800 men being in charge. The Spaniards were completely demoralized and became panic-stricken, their commanding officer having fallen pierced by bullets early in the battle. Overwhelmed by numbers, after fighting desperately, the Spaniards who fled were made prisoners, and the whole train captured by the enemy. The attacking force was under the leadership of Gen. Gomez. The capture is one of the most important made at a single blow since the war commenced.

Maryland is to have a convention in Baltimore on the 20th and 21st inst., to consider the tramp nuisance, especially as an annoyance to farmers. Hon. Montgomery Blair will preside.

The new opposition telegraph company legally organized and chartered under the name of the Continental Telegraph Company has a capital of $10,000,000. Five wires are to be built to Philadelphia from New York this winter, and as subscriptions for stock are received lines will be extended in all directions. Alfred Nelson, formerly Treasurer of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Company, is president of this new company, and James G. Smith is superintendent.

The letter mail brought by the steamer Andes, which arrived at New York Thursday from Kingston, Jamaica, was found, on examination at the post office, to have been badly damaged on the voyage by rats, a large number of the letters having been gnawed by the destructive rodents to such an extent as to render them almost unreadable.

Joseph King, of Lawrenceville, Ind., was shot Thursday night by his son, who is fourteen years old and was hired by his mother to do the shooting. The wounded man lay dying in the road beside his house all night, begging for water, his wife and son taking no notice of his appeals. The pair have been arrested.

Hon. Richard McCormick is to be Commissioner General of the United States at the Paris Exposition.

Ann Carey, of Lynn, Mass., was arrested Friday afternoon for inhumanly beating a little orphan girl named Day, who had been given in her charge by the Sisters of Charity of Boston. The little girl's nose had been broken, her hair pulled out by the roots, and her back, neck and ears shockingly burned with a red hot iron. The child has been taken charge of by the police, and is receiving medical attendance.

The Governor of Texas has called on the President for troops to quell a Mexican raid and insurrection at El Paso.

Congress adjourned on Saturday, over the holidays.

New Hampshire Items.

Locomotive Engineer Note of the Nashua & Rochester railroad recently met with a somewhat singular accident. He runs the freight train that leaves Rochester before daylight, and when near Lee, and running his engine at a good rate of speed, he was suddenly struck by some object which knocked him back upon his seat rest. His face was badly cut and bled profusely. Investigation of the singular affair revealed that a partridge had been frightened at the train or attracted by the head light, and had flown through the double-plate glass window, cutting the partridge directly in two parts, one of which, with pieces of glass, struck Mr. Note in the face.

The wind of Friday took from the Catholic Church of Newmarket a portion of its roof and carried it some thirty rods, striking the Baptist Church with such force as to break two large holes in the side wall.

Political.

Since the Cincinnati Convention, all sorts of anecdotes bring Mr. Blaine and Don Cameron across each other's social paths. The last quotes a remark from the young Senator to Mr. Blaine, that Postmaster Fairman, of Philadelphia, was turned out "not because he voted for you, but because he lied to us." "Hamlin says," said Mr. Blaine, that if all the men from Pennsylvania who lied at Cincinnati were turned out of office there'd be d——d few left." "Did Hamlin dare to allude to me?" was Senator Cameron's hasty reply. "He didn't allude to you—by name," said Mr. Blaine, and the remark seemed to bring the conversation to a full stop.—*Wash. Cor. Utica Herald.*

Senator Butler has gone to South Carolina, and seems to be working to have proceedings against Patterson dropped, but Governor Hampton is outspoken against any such compounding with felony, and declares that he won't have anything to do with it.

Referring to the vote on the confirmation of the New York custom house appointments, the New York *World* says: "The republican Senators for the most part voted squarely against their own Administration, a few only possessing the courage to be loyal to the President whom they moved heaven and earth—to say nothing of the other place—to put into office a year ago. To be candid, the democracy does not present a more imposing spectacle. On a question involving the supremacy of one of two republican factions they were without a plan. In a matter involving the partial divorce of Federal office from personal and partisan politics in this State, they were without a principle. In a matter involving intricate considerations of party stratagem they were without a scheme."

—A young lady in Clinton, Iowa, sent twenty-five cents and a postage stamp in reply to an advertisement of "How to make an impression," and received for an answer, "Sit down on a pan of dough."

—A conductor on the Winona and St. Peter Railroad recently missed a brakeman from his train, and believing he had fallen from the train and been killed, telegraphed to headquarters. He was ordered to back his train to the next station, and look for the body. He did so without success; but on the return trip, passing through a passenger car, he discovered the missing man stretched across two seats and fast asleep.

—"Come, pa," said a youngster just home from school, "how many peas are there in a pint?" "How can anybody tell that, you foolish boy?" "I can, every time. If you don't believe it, try me." "Well, how many are there, then?" Just one p in every pint, pa."

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s 1880	108½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	115
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 4s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	115
Boston & Providence	119½
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	103
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	82½
Northern N. H.	75
Old Colony & Newport	96
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

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Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 85c.
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Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, $ @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod $ @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.]
Molasses per gal., Ik. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 35 to 38 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9 @ 9½; Gr. 10¼; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

By the Judge of Probate for said County.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of WILLIAM REMICK late of Rye, in said County, deceased, intestate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting.

You are hereby notified that MARY P. MORAN, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, will present her account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of January next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for examination and allowance. At the same Court the Report of the Commissioner of Insolvency on said estate will be taken into consideration for acceptance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have, and notice is hereby required to be given by publication this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

Dated December 15, 1877.

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WOODBURY M. DURGIN,
17-24-31 Register of Probate.

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FAIR.

Announcement

EXTRAORDINARY!

A special meeting of the Executive Committee was held on Tuesday evening, in accordance with the following telegrams:

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 11, 1877.

To Henry Peyser, Young's Hotel, Boston: Public pressure will, I think, compel us to issue one thousand more season tickets on the same basis of presents as first. DR. S. C. WHITTIER.

BOSTON, MASS., Dec. 11, 1877.

To Dr. S. C. Whittier: Cause a meeting of the executive committee to be held at your office at eight o'clock. Will be there. HENRY PEYSER.

After mature deliberation concerning the above it was decided not to issue any more season tickets, but in order to comply with the public demand as far as in our power, it was unanimously decided to add

Another New Feature

to the Grand Fair, not with a view to make money, but that the public may have the benefit of this new feature. It was voted to present to the holders of One Thousand Certificates,

250 RICH GIFTS,

and that the value of the Presents to be distributed among Certificate holders be

One Hundred Dollars Greater

than the value of Ticket holders' Presents. Also that the Treasurer be authorized to immediately issue one thousand certificates in the distribution of these magnificent gifts, entitling the holders to admission to the Fair on *Saturday evening*, Dec. 22d. These are

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from the distributions of the gifts awarded the Season Ticket holders. We enumerate a few of the gifts:

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S. G. WHITTIER, M. D., HENRY PEYSER,
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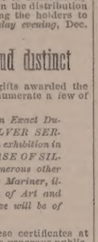

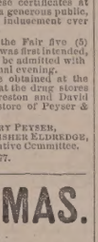

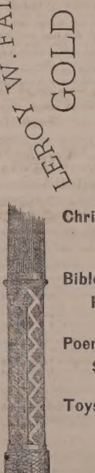

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To Let.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:30	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5
Portland,	9:35	4:35 6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:30	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4 8 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

The United States Senate on Friday confirmed Alfred F. Howard, Esq., as Collector of this District for another term. That's proper.

Rev. James Thurston, of Dover, formerly pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church in this city, will preach at Faith Home this (Monday) evening at half-past seven o'clock.

The free evening school opens in the State street ward-room Tuesday evening at seven o'clock. Sessions will be held each Tuesday and Friday evening; pupils must be over fourteen years old, and in circumstances which prohibit their attending the public schools.

There will be a hearing before the County Commissioners at eleven o'clock this forenoon, upon the appeal from the decision of the Mayor and Aldermen concerning the laying out of the proposed extension of Jackson Hill street to North street. The hearing will take place at the Common Council room.

The writer of the notice of the skating Rink in Saturday's issue made an error in the scale of price for tickets. The prices are $3, single tickets; $4 for two tickets, $5 for three tickets, and so on, diminishing the price of tickets in proportion to the number bought, provided they are bought by one family,—Miss Morgan's boarding scholars considered as her family.

CHRISTMAS!

WHERE TO BUY THE BEST ARTICLES.

Now that Christmas, with its merry festivals and social and family reunions is close at hand, we have appointed a committee of one to see what preparation has been made in this city for carrying out the will of his beneficent majesty, Santa Claus. We would gladly appoint a committee "with power" to accompany Santa on his rounds, see that he goes down every chimney and fills every stocking, and make sure that everybody has a suitable Christmas dinner, and that everybody gives everybody else a present; but as this is a little beyond our jurisdiction, we must be content to let our energetic committee's duty stop at telling the people where they can get the best of everything, whether to eat, wear or give away, at the lowest prices. As the observance of Christmas includes an extra good dinner, and a large proportion of the people of this city live almost wholly upon victuals and drink, our committee begins with the grocers, as follows:

We will commence with Charles E. Laighton & Son, No. 5 Exchange building. Mr. Laighton, senior, is one of the veteran merchants of this city now in business. At the age of fifteen he entered the grocery store of Ebenezer Wentworth, where the Rockingham Bank now is; was afterward with Joshua Hall, who was also a grocer; then with Thomas J. Penhallow, who dealt in hardware. In 1822 Mr. Laighton commenced business for himself on the corner of State and Washington streets, and in 1835 sold out to John Harratt and went into the wholesale West India goods trade with J. H. & T. Hall, under the firm of Hall & Laighton. In 1840 he withdrew from the wholesale business, and bought out the stock of William Goodrich, with the stand and business, where he is now located. His upright dealing and strict attention to business have placed him high on the list of the respected merchants of Portsmouth, and his customers of years ago are among his customers of to-day. At this store can be found all of the best quality of articles required for family use. The firm keep on hand all of the varieties of fancy groceries, such as canned goods in meats, vegetables and preserves, also the favorite sauces, pickles, and salad oils; he also has the superior brands of wines, and in fact everything that is necessary to help make up the Christmas dinner, in the grocery line.

Butler & Laighton, No. 1 Market square, are worthy successors to William Simes & Co. and William A. Peirce, who formerly carried on the grocery business in this building. They have placed themselves on the list with those who are acknowledged as the first-class dealers. Their assortment of family groceries is large and of the superior qualities. They make specialties of Mediterranean productions, and freshly packed canned goods,—such as corn, peaches, plums, pears, etc.; olive oil for the table, and especially essential for salads; potted ham and tongue, anchovy paste, and all the various condiments necessary for family use. Superior brands of wine for the well, sick, or convalescent, and any or all of the articles connected with a grocery store can be found there.

Henry F. Gerrish, Nos. 14 and 14 1-2 Market square, has been in the grocery trade for thirty-eight years. He commenced as clerk in the store of Hon. William Simes in 1839, and was taken in as partner in 1844. In April, 1859, he started in business at his present stand, which was formerly occupied by Mr. Stephen Pearse. Purchasers at this store can rely on getting first-class goods at a fair price; but Mr. Gerrish has never dealt in goods which are "cheap" only because they are of poor quality or adulterated, and such goods must be sought elsewhere. He keeps constantly on hand a large stock of the standard groceries and an excellent assortment of canned goods, in which are classed meats, fruits of the various kinds, olive-oil, chowchow, pickles etc., both of foreign and American preparation, imported and native wines of the approved brands, and everything in this line essential for family use.

J. W. P. Carter, Nos. 10 and 12 Daniel street, has been in the grocery business several years, and won a good name for upright dealing and attention to his customers. He keeps on hand a well selected stock of groceries, and besides his grocery business does a lively trade in glass and crockery ware, and also the various articles used in housekeeping, of which he has a very great variety. Mr. Carter is always pleased to see his friends, and will insure them as good bargains as can be obtained elsewhere.

Having notified the people of the best places in the city to *get just what is paid for* in the grocery line, our committee has turned his attention to their outward adornment and comfort, and notifies them where they can most profitably trade for clothing, as follows:

William P. Walker, No. 8 Market square, bought out Alonzo Brown (who was then keeping in the Gray block, on Congress street,) in September, 1848, and in March, 1849, moved to his present place of business. Mr. Walker is one out of (we believe) only three or four in that vicinity whose sign has stood uninterruptedly for the past twenty-five or thirty years. His stock of woollen goods of both foreign and American manufacture, is well selected and adapted to custom trade, which he strictly adheres to. His assortment of the various articles of furnishing goods for gentlemen's wear includes all of the most desirable styles, and those wishing to make a present to themselves or their friends will find here just what is wanted. He makes a specialty of army and navy regulation uniforms, and warrants satisfaction in all cases.

Charles E. Myers & Co.'s, No. 3 Bow street, stands on the list as being one of the oldest tailoring establishments in the city. Mr. Myers having been in business thirty-five years. He learned his trade with Mr. Benjamin Cheever; afterward kept the well known institution, "The Sailors' Home," and in connection with that, "The Sailors' Clothing Rooms;" in later years he has had associated with him Mr. Charles E. Simpson. In connection with their custom work and an assortment of woollens suitable for that trade, they keep on hand an immense stock of ready-made clothing, including everything needed for the sailor's outfit. In what are called furnishing goods they have a great variety, and persons wanting coats, pants, vests, gloves, hosiery, underwear, cardigan jackets, etc., can purchase them there at the lowest prices.

John E. Ham & Co., No. 27 Market street, started in business in this city in 1852, in the old Congress block, where they remained a few years and then moved into Market street; not having there sufficient accommodations for their increased trade they again returned to Congress street, to the Gray block, and remained there a number of years. Within a short time they have again returned to Market street, where they have all of the necessary facilities. They carry an extensive stock of woollens from the best manufacturers, and also have a large assortment of gloves, hosiery, neckties, etc. They can furnish at the lowest price all that is needful for gentlemen's wear, from an elegant coat to a neat-fitting pair of kid gloves.

John Malsbenden, under Franklin Hall on Fleet street, keeps on hand a first-rate assortment of woollen goods for the custom trade. He has succeeded in establishing himself as one of the tailors of Portsmouth, takes pride in giving good fits, and those who patronize him will be sure to be well pleased with his work. He also alters, cleans and repairs garments, in good style and at reasonable rates.

Cynical people may consider it incongruous to mention ladies' bonnets and hats as "clothing," but we don't know where else to put them. John M. Tebbetts, No. 14 Market street, has a most desirable line of millinery goods. It requires artistic skill and taste to combine with effect the great variety of materials and colors that are requisite for the make up of the different styles of hats and bonnets, and it is curious to see what beautiful patterns are produced at this establishment from a little heap of silk and flowers. We advise all who intend giving Christmas presents in this line to give Mr. Tebbets a call.

Assuming that after a man is well filled with a good dinner, and warmly clad in a neat fitting suit of clothes, he will feel inclined to show his good will toward others by presenting generous tokens of regard to his friends, our committee briefly mentions the best places to purchase such tokens, commencing with the jewelry stores:

C. E. & J. E. Dixon, No. 7 Congress street, are celebrating the holidays by an exhibition of useful and ornamental articles that are a feast to the eye.—there is always a charm in gold or silver, whether in the shape of coin or worked into the innumerable fancies that decorate the table or form a part of the costume of a lady or gentleman,—silver tea sets, dishes for fruit and cake, dessert spoons, gold lined goblets, watches in gold and silver, jewelry in sets, chains and lockets; and in rings one seldom sees so fine an assortment. A present selected from their stock will be an inducement for a happy return of the absent one. This store can claim to be the oldest stand in the city used for one special branch of business. In the early part of the present century it was occupied by Mr. Robert Gray, who included in his stock of silver ware and jewelry a line of military goods; Mr. Gray was succeeded by Mr. Alfred Bennett, who sold out to Mr. Gershom F. Melcher; and after his decease the business and stock were purchased by the present occupants, the Messrs. Dixon.

Hutchinson & Connell, No. 10 Market square, have one of the best selected stocks of jewelry and silver ware ever exhibited in this city. There are few finer displays than that produced by a well selected assortment of gold, silver and plated goods, and it is a pleasure to visit this store and examine the many elegant designs, and the superior workmanship of the numerous articles which they offer to the Christmas trade, silver tea sets, cake dishes, water pitchers, card receivers, spoons of every kind, knives and forks, mugs, gold and silver watches. Sets of jewelry, rings, etc., are temptingly displayed and will not fail to find admirers. The store occupied by this firm has for many years been used for the sale of jewelry. The name of "John Abbott, Jr., Gold and Silver Smith, 10 Congress street," is in the first Directory, published in 1821. The successors of Mr. Abbott (in rotation) were Mr. Charles T. Emery, Hutchinson & Rowell, John H. Hutchinson, and the present firm, Hutchinson & Connell.

[To be continued.]

NAVAL MATTERS.

Boatswain Isaac T. Choate is ordered to the receiving ship Franklin, at Norfolk, Virginia.

The U. S. S. Enterprise arrived at New Orleans on Sunday, Dec. 9th; all well.

A despatch from Rear-Admiral Alexander Murray, dated at San Francisco, Nov. 30th, announced that the Pensacola would sail for the Sandwich Islands on the 1st of December.

P., G. F. & C. R. R. BONDS.

AN IMPORTANT SUIT.

A bill in equity has been brought in the Supreme Court for this County in the name of Joseph H. Converse of Cambridge, in the County of Middlesex and State of Massachusetts, the Somersworth Savings Bank, at Great Falls, James W. Emery of Portsmouth, in his individual capacity and as administrator *de bonis non* with the will annexed of Albert L. Jones, deceased, Nathaniel Wells and William R. Burleigh of Great Falls, against the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad, the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, and the Eastern Railroad Company, claiming that the plaintiffs are holders and owners, as purchasers for a valuable consideration, of the bonds or obligations of the Portsmouth, Great Falls & Conway Railroad, issued by it and delivered to the Eastern Railroad Company, the latter having guaranteed the payment of said bonds and coupons, then put in the market and sold them, and received the proceeds to its own use. The suit is brought in behalf of above complainants and all other holders and owners of such bonds purchased as before stated who may choose to become parties to the suit and participate in the expense incident thereto.

The bill sets forth at some length that the Eastern Railroad claims that the P., G. F. & C. R. R. were indebted to their Company in the sum of $1,000,000, and these bonds were issued to pay that indebtedness. Of this $514,000 (which the complainants are informed or say they believe is much more than the amount that was owed the Eastern Railroad Co.) were issued, and the E. R. R. Co. now holds $486,000 of these bonds without having paid any consideration therefor, and the complainants ask to have them cancelled. The complainants say that of the $514,000 they own more than $90,000. They also contend that under the lease of the Conway Railroad the E. R. R. Co., who are the assignees for the E. R. R. in N. H., are bound to apply the income of the P., G. F. & C. R. R. to the payment of the interest on these bonds, and that a proper sum should be set apart for the purpose. The bill prays for the appointment of receivers, and that the E. R. R. Co. shall be decreed to pay the interest now due, and set apart sufficient sums to meet accruing interest and for general relief.

The question as to the liability of the Eastern Railroad in N. H., under the Conway lease, will now be determined. If the E. R. R. in N. H. can obtain a legal decision as to just where it stands, whether it is bound as principal, or simply acted as the agent of the E. R. R. Co., in making the lease of the Conway and the Portsmouth & Dover Railroads, its value can be determined. If its lease with the E. R. R. Co. is held to have become invalid, and it can hold the other leases, it may by the continuation of a few miles of road turn all its business upon the Boston & Maine line. The Eastern road, with its fifteen millions of debt, instead of having a length of main line (as the report states) of 179 miles, would then have 41 miles of main line and 80 miles of branches upon which to pay over a half million of dollars annual interest.

The Conway bondholders, like the Eastern in New Hampshire stockholders, say to the E. R. R. Co., "if you wish to use our property you must pay us a rental," and they have confidence that the Courts will order this to be done; and the bondholders of the Eastern road will be far more sure of their future interest by hastening a solution of this question than by any of the law's delays which postpone but do not avert a result.

The result of this last suit will be looked forward to with much interest. There is a large number of these bonds, purchased in good faith by many banks and individuals in New Hampshire, and in the belief that it was a sound local investment. That the property can be made to pay the interest there can be no doubt, and the hope is an early solution of the present difficulties, and that the investment may be placed on a sound basis.

MARRIAGES.

HOBBS—HILL. In Eliot, Nov. 29, Mr. Homer Hobbs of South Berwick, and Miss Ella B. Hill, daughter of Wm. Hill of Eliot.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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Portsmouth Chronicle

What Does It Mean?

The Bland Silver Bill provides that any man possessing ninety-two cents worth of silver may take it to the U. S. Mint, and receive for it a silver coin which shall be legal tender for one dollar. What does this mean? It means:

That Senator Jones can compel the people of the United States to pay him for the silver from his silver mines eight cents on the dollar more than any one else will give him for it.

That every man who owes $100 may pay $92, and demand a receipt in full.

That every working man who has $100 in a savings bank must be content to take $92 for it.

That every woman whose husband is insured for $1,000 must submit to a reduction of the policy to $920.

That every workingman who receives one dollar a day shall only receive ninety-two cents.

It injures the banker; it injures the merchant; but it injures the working man most of all. For:

Congress has power to require Americans to take ninety-two cents for a dollar. It has no power to require an Englishman to do so. The working man will give a dollar's worth of work and only receive ninety-two cents; but he will not get a dollar's worth of tea from China or of coffee from the West Indies for ninety-two cents. Moreover:

The merchant can easily raise his prices; he has only to mark them up; the men that work for wages cannot raise their prices by any so simple process. The laborer will only get ninety-two cents' worth of silver for his day's work, for which he used to get one dollar. But the grocer will not sell him a dollar's worth of groceries for the ninety-two cent; nor the dry goods merchant a dollar's worth of calicoes; nor the farmer a dollar's worth of grain; nor the miller a dollar's worth of flour. All commodities will rise in price; labor will not.

This is what the owners of the Nevada silver mines want Congress to do "for the benefit of the laboring man!"—*Christian Union.*

Financial.

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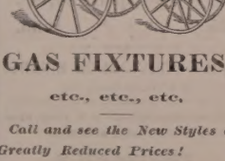

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From Wolfeboro', 8.21 A. M.; 3.04 P. M.

From Great Falls, 7.34, 10, A. M.; 4.42 P. M.

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From Newington, 7.04, 10.46 A. M.; 5.11 P. M.

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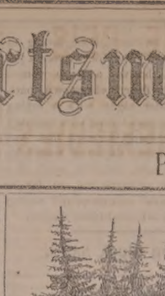

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Daily Chronicle.

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English Swindlers in America.

Sharp as Americans think themselves the recent examination of the London Inspectors of Detectives for complicity with swindlers developed the fact that they have not all cut their eye-teeth yet. Perhaps some Americans will learn for the first time, from the evidence of Edwin Murray, one of the convicts, how they lost their money. Murray, and a man named Walters fled to America, forfeiting bail for participation in an enormous swindle, and to improve their time here Walters set up as an Englishman who wished to loan money on landed property. When people called upon him he referred them to his surveyor, Murray, who would survey the land, and, when he thought he had found fair game, propose to "beat" the Englishman by sending in a glowing report of a poor lot of land. Most of his customers jumped at this proposal, and gave considerations to Murray for his report. But as Walters never loaned any money he never lost anything, but received half the money paid to the "surveyor." When the reports were handed in, Walters would express his satisfaction, but demand that the would-be borrowers should insure their lives as collateral security, and send them back to Surveyor Murray, who was a life-insurer as well. The two rascals lived in clover while the game lasted, making about $400 a day, and as the victims were always "beaten" while trying to "beat," they dared not apply to the courts. The operators were finally arrested on a charge of smuggling, but it fell through, and as Murray said on the witness stand with fine humor, they "left the court without a stain upon their characters."—*Ex.*

—Arnold, the ink man, lives in a white house and drives white horses.

Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 18, 1877.

The Eastern War.

The Turks burned and evacuated Elena on Friday and the Russians have occupied it.

The Servians have crossed the Turkish frontier and occupied, with artillery, the heights of Topalintza and Secanika, commanding Fort Wramor, near Nisch.

It was reported from Vienna, Monday, that Osman Pasha killed himself while on the way to Bucharest.

Germany replies to the Turkish appeal for mediation that Germany's participation depends on Russia's consent to parley. The Russian minister of finance has notified the loan contractors that he has determined not to receive the second installment of the war loan, amounting to fifteen million marks, the option of refusing which he had reserved.

News and Notes.

Lucy Ann Mink, who shot Charles Ricker at Lowell last August, was on Saturday sentenced to the house of correction for nine years.

J. W. Westcott, son of the landlord of the Ocean House at Newburyport, was on Monday fined $30 and costs and bound over in $200 to keep the peace, for assaulting Mr. Ivory M. Blood, the detective.

The governor of Texas on Monday telegraphed that the State troops at El Paso were surrounded, and would be massacred unless promptly relieved. Five Texans were killed on Sunday.

The difficulty between Senators Gordon and Conkling has been amicably settled, a document signed by Senators Hamlin, Ransom, Howe and McDonald, mutual friends of the parties, having been unanimously put on record by the Senate that the offensive words spoken on both sides were the result of a mutual misunderstanding, and as such were mutually withdrawn and considered as having never been spoken.

Gen. Sherman says that the whole trouble on the Mexican border is a fight for some salt wells which Americans and Mexicans have used indiscriminately and freely for years, and which Texas men have recently fenced in. No serious consequences are apprehended.

William C. Gilman, the New York forger, by his careful attention to the prison rules in Auburn, has gained the confidence of the warden and keeper, and has recently been placed in the hospital, where his duties are not severe. His health has improved while in Auburn. So far as he is concerned, the rumors that an application will be made for his pardon are untrue. He does not desire it, and is willing to serve out his full term, believing that his punishment is just.

When the executive session of the Senate terminated, Friday afternoon, and spectators were again admitted to the galleries, Senators Blaine and Conkling were seen sitting together and having an amicable conversation. This is the first time, it is said, that the Senators have spoken since their memorable row in the House in 1867. Blaine made the advance to-day in speaking to Mr. Conkling, as he has done in seeking the reconciliation, but of course Mr. Conkling was at last not averse to "making up."

A soldier named Schaffer, belonging to Co. A, Third U. S. Cavalry, bound to Black Hills, on Friday shot John A. Van Mott, the orderly sergeant. The men were greatly excited, as Van Mott was much respected by them, and that night the guard over Schaffer was overpowered and the murderer hung to the ridge-pole of the guard tent.

Capt. Brown's official survey of the South Pass Jetty channel, on Saturday, shows a depth of twenty-two feet and a width of two hundred feet, entitling Capt. Eads, the contractor, to the second payment of half a million.

Schooner Gazelle, Capt. Johnson, of Gloucester, Mass., arrived at Eastport, Me., on Saturday, with the captain terribly wounded, so much so that it is feared he cannot live. The captain and a man named Jones, with whom the captain had some words Friday night, were left alone on the schooner while the rest of the men went off in their dories to haul their trawls, and on returning to the vessel the captain was found prostrate and Jones throwing water on him. Jones was arrested by the crew.

A notorious outlaw named Schamme was taken from jail by a mob and hanged, at Georgetown, Col., Friday evening. A mob broke up the court at Hot Sulphur Springs, Middle Park, and drove the judge out of the district, on Friday; State troops will be sent there to enforce the laws.

One of the latest patents is a system of aerial signals, an improvement upon the night signals now in use. The latter consist of a combination of colored fires displayed from a fixed location, and serving to telegraph orders with unmistakable certainty. The latest patent connects with these signals a contrivance for burning them in the air. They can be seen from a great distance, and when sent off do not reveal the locality from which they are transmitted.

Secretary Schurz, in a letter submitted to the Senate, calls attention to the law relating to the rates authorized to be paid to newspapers for government advertising, and to the fact that many newspapers have refused to publish advertisements at these rates. He suggests that the law be modified, and that he be authorized to readjust bills against the government.

New Hampshire Items.

The dwelling house of Mr. David Sawyer at Belmont, says the Laconia *Democrat*, was entered by thieves on Sept. 17th, and notes, bank securities, bonds and money, amounting to about $30,000, stolen. Mr. Sawyer has not until recently given publicity to the robbery, hoping that some clue might be gained whereby his stolen property could be recovered and the robbers brought to justice. Some four years ago he had $600 stolen and since then $200 more, all taken from the same room.

Three business blocks in Laconia, owned by A. J. Farrar, W. L. Swain and J. G. Gilbert, occupied by Ladd & Keaser and C. K. Sanborn & Co., grocers, and J. Gilbert, undertaker, were burned Sunday morning. Loss about $10,000; insured for $7500. The cause of the fire is unknown.

George Hamilton, the suspected murderer of Alvan C. Foster, arrived in Keene Saturday afternoon.

Isaiah Rollins of Wolfeboro died Saturday morning from the effects of poison administered by himself early Friday evening. He was under bonds for appearance in the Court for being connected with other parties in store-breaking at Cotton Valley in November. He was about 30 years old, and leaves a wife and one child.

A Good Idea.

The Secretary of the Navy has commenced the issuing of quarterly circulars, giving the percentage of seamen punished on each ship of the navy in active service. The first one, which we take from the *Army and Navy Journal*, is as follows:

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, Oct. 18, 1877.

Sir: The Department herewith encloses for your consideration, the order of merit of the various ships in commission in the Navy, as exhibited by the "Conduct Report" submitted to the Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting for the quarter ending June 30, 1877.

The Department is of the opinion that in most cases the efficiency of a ship is due to that kind of discipline which inspires harmony and content, and which is not usually obtained by excessive punishment of the crew. Reward for duty faithfully performed is deemed more efficacious than punishment for its neglect.

The commanding officer is alone responsible for the infliction of punishment, and the Department will look to him for the endeavor to maintain the discipline of his command without any excessive use of the power which the law has placed in his hands. The exercise of this power is his highest prerogative, and the abuse of it is discreditable alike to himself and to the Navy.

The Department is gratified to find that on board of many ships, known to be efficient, but little or no punishment has been necessary, and hopes that the number will be increased by the appreciation on the part of officers and men of the Department's desire to maintain the discipline of the fleet, without undue resort to the rigor of military law. Very respectfully,

R. W. THOMPSON,
Secretary of the Navy.

NAVY DEPARTMENT,
BUREAU OF EQUIPMENT & RECRUITING,
WASHINGTON, October 11, 1877.

Statement showing vessels of the Navy in commission in their order of merit, as exhibited by the Conduct Reports for the quarter ending June 30, 1877.

CRUISING VESSELS.

Punishments 2 per cent. of the number of enlisted men on board.

Monocacy, Lackawanna, Rangar, Ashuelot, Alert.

Punishments 10 per cent. of the number of enlisted men on board.

Hartford, Ossipee, Powhatan, Palos, Tennessee, Frolic, Richmond.

Punishments 15 per cent. of the number of enlisted men on board.

Adams, Vandalia, Enterprise, Canonicus.

Punishments 25 per cent. of the number of enlisted men on board.

Omaha, Swatara, Rio Bravo, Despatch, Marion.

Punishments 40 per cent. of the number of enlisted men on board.

Plymouth, Essex, Gettysburg.

Not Yet Vindicated.

In April last a murderous and brutal mob in Kemper county, Mississippi, attacked Judge Chisolm and Mr. Gilmer. The mob was composed entirely of democrats, included the democratic county officials, and was led by the most prominent democratic politicians; the attacked parties, though native Mississippians, and secessionists all through the war, were republicans at the time of the assault, and the leaders of the Kemper county republican party. Chisolm and Gilmer, after being lodged in jail and disarmed, were butchered in cold blood by the mob; Chisolm's son, a mere boy, was shot dead by his side; and his daughter Corlia was shot, and afterward knocked down and had her eyes blackened and her face bruised and disfigured by the chivalrous democracy—who further showed their nobility of soul by refusing to allow the poor girl (who was only sixteen years old) medical attendance, for want of which she died. The Kemper county democracy—those of them who could read—were astounded at the indignation expressed throughout the North at this little diversion of theirs, and loudly proclaimed that Chisolm and his family were murdered because Chisolm had previously hired a negro named Walter Riley to murder John W. Gully, a leading democrat, whose family were foremost in the mob. True, there was not a particle of evidence to implicate Chisolm; and the negro, who was under arrest and confessed the murder, flatly denied that Chisolm had anything to do with it. But Chisolm was a powerful political antagonist and must be put out of the way; and ever since then the Kemper county democracy have been waiting for Riley's dying confession to "vindicate" their murderous deeds. Riley has been hanged. As the fatal day approached, Kemper county pricked up its ears and waited for him to confess that he was hired to murder John W. Gully, by Judge Chisolm and Mr. Gilmer; the friends of the Gully family pleaded with him in prison to make a clean breast of it, and boasted that his confession would implicate the Judge. But he could not say the word they were so anxious to hear. Even when he was led to the scaffold, on his last day on earth, and the rabble cried out, "Take down every word he says—he'll confess who put him up to it," he could only accuse himself. It is a strange scene which a correspondent of the Cincinnati *Gazette* describes:

The guards, with double-barrelled shot-guns; 400 men and boys gathered to see the show; the upright beams, with cross-piece and noose, and a rude platform underneath; the pine coffin in the cart close by; the mulatto bowing gracefully to the crowd, and telling in a quiet voice how he had murdered Gully and Dobbs, without aid or counsel from any man. Kemper county was disappointed, and in no humor to give up the game. A dozen men began to cross-examine this man, who stood before them, a self-confessed murderer, ready and anxious for death. "Let Dr. Fox talk," said the Sheriff, and question and answer followed fast. "Tell us who got you to do it!" shouted several hoarse voices, and an old man begged him not to go into the presence of God with a lie in his mouth. Then Dr. Fox questioned him again, and for an hour and a half did this sickening business go on, the poor tortured man replying with gentleness and dignity that he had told the truth, and the crowd contradicting him and teasing him to implicate Judge Chisolm. At last he took a hymn-book, and sang in a clear voice, "And must this feeble body fall?" His brothers and his old master shook hands with him, and the black cap was drawn over his head. "I want to speak last to Dr. Fox," he said. "Now he'll tell who hired him," shouted the mob. But as the Doctor bent down to listen, all that he heard was: "One minute and I shall stand before God. All I have said is true." Then he was hanged.

Kemper county still waits for a vindication.

First Time a Message Was Telegraphed.

The telegraphing of President Hayes' message, consisting of 13,000 words, all over the country the same day when it was presented to Congress was so commonplace a feat as to attract no special attention. But in the early days of Morse's invention, such an achievement would have been deemed preposterous. The first complete President's message sent over the telegraph wires was in 1846, when Hugh L. Hastings, now editor of the New York *Commercial Advertiser*, was conducting the Albany *Knickerbocker*. At that period it was the custom to run the message by a locomotive from Washington to New York—leaving the Capital at noon on the delivery of the message to Congress, and reaching New York at nine o'clock. On this occasion Andrew White and H. H. Vandyck, representatives of the Albany *Journal* and *Argus* respectively, went to New York and chartered a steamer, refusing to admit Mr. Hastings into the arrangement, to carry the message to Albany immediately on its arrival at the metropolis. At the suggestion of Mr. Beach, of the New York *Sun*, Hastings arranged to have the entire message telegraphed over the wires though there were great doubts whether they would stand such a test. When Hastings reached Albany by boat next morning at five o'clock the entire message was already in type, and when the *Journal* and *Argus* steamer reached the dock about eight o'clock, White and Vandyck were astounded to hear newsboys on the dock crying out loud and long, "Extra *Knickerbocker!* President's message received by exclusive and extraordinary express." Says Hastings, in a description of the event, "There was weeping and wailing in the offices of two of the leading journals in Albany that day." The morning train westward bore copies of the *Knickerbocker*, which express messengers furnished to all the newspapers, hotels, etc., from Albany to Buffalo. In this case, as in many others, where the wit of man has discovered striking means of accomplishing desired results, the stimulating force was keen and remorseless rivalry. The next year the President's message doubtless went to New York without the aid of a locomotive, and the Albany *Journal* and *Argus* were on time with their neighbor, the *Knickerbocker*, in printing it.

Books, Magazines, Etc.

We have received from W. S. Crown & Co., of No. 2 Bromfield street, Boston, "The Rise and Fall of the Mustache, and other Hawkeyetems," by Robert J. Burdette, the humorist of the Burlington (Iowa) *Hawkeye*, appropriately illustrated, and published by the Burlington Publishing Company. Mr. Burdette is one of the (if not *the*) best of the newspaper humorists of the day; his fun is genial and rollicking but never vulgar or profane, and never appears strained; he "wears" well, and is more quoted by the scissors editors of the day than any other man in the country. The book mentioned above is well printed and handsomely bound, and contains about 250 pages of mirth-provoking yet often pathetic sketches. Sold only by subscription, at $2 per volume. Send to W. S. Crown & Co., for agency.

With the January number the *Eclectic* enters upon a new volume and a new year (the 24th,) making this a favorable time to subscribe. The magazine will be very strong in 1878, and the January number is rich in valuable articles, including "Science and Man," Tyndall's famous Birmingham lecture; Archibald Forbes' article on "Russians, Turks, and Bulgarians at the Theatre of War" (the best contribution yet made to the literature of the Russo-Turkish war;) "The Murder of Thomas Becket," by J. A. Froude; "The Science of Electricity as Applied in Peace and War;" a "Study of Thoreau," by Tom Hughes; and a sketch of Rev. Joseph Cook, with a steel engraved portrait. Subscription price, $5 per year; single number, 45 cents. E. R. Pelton, publisher, 25 Bond street, New York.

We have received No. 1, Vol. 1, of the Haverhill (Mass.) *Daily Gazette*, published by F. J. Stevens & Co.; the semi-weekly edition will hereafter be merged in a weekly. The new daily is a twenty-eight column paper, well edited and printed, and we hope it will succeed; the first number promises to merit success, at any rate, and Haverhill ought to be able to support at least one good daily paper.

CHRISTMAS

PRESENTS

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NO. 1 MARKET SQUARE, PORTSMOUTH.

Lost.

ON Friday last, Dec. 14, a FUR BOA. It was dropped from a carriage going out Middle Street, around the Plains, and to the Navy Yard. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving it at the Rockingham House, Portsmouth.

—Feminine critics are beginning to observe, of Miss Von Hillern's recent pedestrian feats, that the average woman who "walks the floor" of her own apartment night after night with a crying child, and then goes through her ordinary active house-keeping the next day, and doing this for many days and weeks together, is, perhaps, quite as much of a heroine as the pedestrienne, so far as courage, physical endurance and energy are concerned.—*Philadelphia Ledger.*

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties cupon	108¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	106½
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s 1890	103½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 3½	56½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	115
Boston & Providence	110½
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	76
Concord	74
Eastern	4½
Eastern RaRroad in N. H.	80
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	83½
Northern N. H.	75
Old Colony & Newport	20
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	3½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per lb	25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon	20c.
Corn per bushel, Western	75c; Northern 85c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton	$5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50
Eggs per dozen	28c.
Flour, Fancy	8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per lb by the qtl.	Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton	$17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon	20
Lard per pound	12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl.	90c.
Molasses per gal., lt. Cuba	50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushel	55 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel	55c.
Pork per bll.	$16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump	$6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel	80c
Soap per lb, No. 1	7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per lb, Br.	9 @ 9½; Gr. 10¼; Crushed 11c.
Tea per lb, Black	50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard	$7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES FOR NAVY YARD, KITTERY, MAINE, Requisition No. 5, Bureau of Steam Engineering.

NAVY YARD, KITTERY, ME., November 29th, 1877.

Proposals sealed and endorsed "Bid for Supplies advertised," will be received at the Paymaster's Office until 12½ o'clock, Saturday, December 22d, for furnishing

Coal, White Lead, Stationery, &c., &c.

The articles are to be of the best quality and are to be delivered free of expense at this Navy Yard subject to the usual inspection.

Regular dealers, upon application to this office, will be furnished with lists of articles in their line of business.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids that may not be deemed advantageous to the Government.

EDWIN PUTNAM,
Paymaster U. S. Navy.

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KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS

FAIR.

Announcement

EXTRAORDINARY!

A special meeting of the Executive Committee was held on Tuesday evening, in accordance with the following telegrams:

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 11, 1877.

To Henry Peyser, Young's Hotel, Boston: Public pressure will, I think, compel us to issue one thousand more season tickets on the same basis of presents as first. DR. S. C. WHITTIER.

BOSTON, MASS., Dec. 11, 1877.

To Dr. S. G. Whittier: Cause a meeting of the executive committee to be held at your office at eight o'clock. Will be there. HENRY PEYSER.

After mature deliberation concerning the above it was decided not to issue any more season tickets, but in order to comply with the public demand as far as in our power, it was unanimously decided to add

Another New Feature

to the Grand Fair, not with a view to make money, but that the public may have the benefit of this new feature. It was voted to present to the holders of One Thousand Certificates,

250 RICH GIFTS,

and that the value of the Presents to be distributed among Certificate holders be

One Hundred Dollars Greater

than the value of Ticket holders' Presents. Also that the Treasurer be authorized to immediately issue one thousand certificates in the distribution of these magnificent gifts, entitling the holders to admission to the Fair on *Saturday evening*, Dec. 22d. These are

Entirely separate and distinct

from the distributions of the gifts awarded the Season Ticket holders. We ennumerate a few of the gifts:

The leading prize will be an Exact Duplicate of the elegant SILVER SERVICE of nine pieces now on exhibition in Rundlet's window; one CASE OF SILVER (42 pieces) and numerous other cases; Coleridge's Ancient Mariner, illustrated by Dore; objects of Art and utility.—in fact every prize will be of real value.

In order to dispose of these certificates at once and satisfy the demand of a generous public, we make this, the most liberal inducement ever offered at an affair of this kind.

It was also decided to hold the Fair five (5) evenings instead of four (4), as was first intended, and that Season Ticket holders be admitted with out extra charge on the additional evening.

These certificates can now be obtained at the bookstore of Moses Goodrich, at the drug stores of J. Dwight Dundlet, W. R. Preston and David Kimball & Co., at the clothing store of Peyser & Kennedy.

S. G. WHITTIER, M. D., HENRY PEYSER,
W. O. SIDES, H. FISHER ELDREDGE,
Executive Committee.

Portsmouth, N. H. Dec. 13, 1877.

CHRISTMAS.

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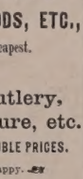

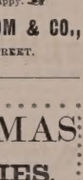

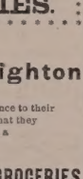

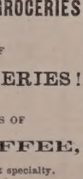

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:35	
Concord Way,		4:35	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:35	
Dover,	7:40	9:45	4:35

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4 8 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:50
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Lieut. Charles Seymour is ordered to duty at this navy yard.

The Hutchings Association of the Universalist church will not give any entertainment this week, not being able to get ready in time. It will be given next week.

Hon. Frank Jones returned home on Saturday evening, from Washington. The Congressional recess will allow members a rest from public duties till the 10th of January.

The Episcopal, Unitarian and Universalist churches are to be decorated for the Christmas season. On account of the work, the Unitarian service next Sunday is to be held in the chapel on Court street; the ladies of the parish commence their labors on Thursday morning.

That the skating community may fully appreciate the advantages of the Rink,—smooth ice, warm house, courteous attendant, etc.,—there will be a free day Wednesday, for all who choose to partake of the pleasure of skating; all are invited—the more the merrier. If the weather is unfavorable Wednesday, the invitation holds good for Saturday.

The County Commissioners' hearing in the Jackson Hill street case, at the Common Council room, Monday, was largely attended, both advocates and opponents of the proposed new street being numerous. The Commissioners viewed the premises in the forenoon. John S. H. Frink, Esq., appeared on behalf of the petitioners for the street, and City Solicitor William H. Hackett for the city.

The grand Fair of the Knights of Pythias opens this evening in Franklin Hall. An immense number of tickets has been sold and big preparations made to entertain the crowd, and the Fair promises to be the most successful one of any held in this city for a long time past. For particulars see the advertisements—always remembering that "season tickets" and "certificates" alike admit to the Fair *every* evening of its continuance.

TEMPLARS' ELECTION.

At the annual conclave of De Witt Clinton Commandry of Knights Templar, held at their Asylum on Monday evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

W. Freeman, E. C.;
Wm. P. Walker, G.;
John Christie, P.;
Charles W. Gardner, S. W.;
John H. Cheever, J. W.;
Wingate N. Ilsley, Treasurer;
James H. Jenness, Recorder.

POLICE COURT.

Monday, Dec. 17th; *Batchelder, J.*

Frank Collerans, Peter Keary, Frank J. Rogers, Robert Williams, John Jeffers, James Atkins, Harry Howard,—all drunk and all tramps, were each assessed $9.90, and in default of payment all were sent to jail. These seven tramps have been in the police station three times each this season, and four of them were sent out of town by the Marshal on Saturday, an officer accompanying them to see that they actually left town,—but they were back again Saturday evening, all drunk. Each of the seven had on his person small articles which he acknowledged to have been stolen, though none of them would confess where.

CHRISTMAS!

WHERE TO BUY THE BEST ARTICLES.

Willis G. Myers, No. 1 Congress block, though he has but lately introduced himself as one of the business young men of Portsmouth, is yet well known as having been clerk to Mr. Joseph H. Foster, whom he succeeds in the stationery and fancy goods department of trade. Mr. Myers continues the circulating library, and is constantly adding all of the works of the best authors. He has largely increased his general assortment of stationery, etc., among which can be found a large lot of elegant gift books, all the standard works in prose and poetry, and a fine selection of miscellaneous articles, including Christmas cards, pictures and frames, Bibles, games and toys, and gold pens (of Leroy W. Fairchild & Co's make—one of the favorites, and giving the best satisfaction;) in the various styles of pocket-books, in Russia leather, etc., he has one of the best assortments in the city. He invites former patrons of the store and everybody else to give him a Christmas call.

William B. Lowd, No. 6 Exchange building, has been in business in Portsmouth for thirty-eight years. He has the only book bindery in the city, and in this department he is not surpassed, as the work which comes from his hands is not only ornamental but substantial. He has also a fine lot of miscellaneous books, stationery and fancy articles, which he will be happy to dispose of to those who give him a call.

C. Dwight Hanscom (C. Dwight Hanscom & Co., No. 16 Congress st.,) is never more happy than when he has a store full of bidders to whom he is knocking down goods at low prices at auction, or is serving them at private sale with some of those elegant China or stone ware breakfast, dinner and supper setts, from his well loaded shelves. His stock embraces a great variety of articles, including crockery, glass, cutlery, new and second hand furniture, stationery, plated ware and gents' furnishing goods. The upholstering work done there, either in new or repairing, is first-class. Persons going housekeeping, or those fitting up hotels or boarding-houses, will find it to their advantage to give him a call.

Fletcher & Tanton, No. 58 Market street, are constantly securing and selling the most elegant designs of black walnut parlor and chamber sets. They have all styles of chairs, including the student's, smoking, invalid's, and folding patterns; marble top tables and stands, black walnut towel racks, slipper wall baskets, and a large variety of other articles that will grace the chamber, hall or parlor on Christmas or any other day. They invite all to call and examine their goods, before purchasing elsewhere.

James M. Carr, No. 34 Market street, was an apprentice to Elisha C. Crane in 1824, with whom he served in that capacity for five years and as foreman for six years. In 1835, in connection with Mr. Aaron H. Hill, he purchased the stock of Mr. Crane and commenced the manufacturing of boots and shoes, which they continued until 1876, when the firm dissolved, Mr. Carr continuing to carry on the business. It is proverbial that at this store one gets a good fit and the very best quality of goods; satisfaction is warranted in all cases.

For a gentleman, a neat Christmas present is a handsome whip or carriage robe, or both. John S. Tilton, No. 18 Congress street, has a complete variety of "nacker's" goods. His harness work is not to be excelled, either in that light and silver mounted, for the carriage, or that needed for heavy draught. He has a large stock of very handsome double plush and buffalo robes, carriage mats, whips, travelling bags and trunks, etc. He is also doing a good business in neat's foot, sperm, vacuum and castor oils, and in everything sells the best quality of articles at the lowest living prices.

Freeman's Wholesale and retail Oyster House, Nos. 24 & 28 Congress street, is the place to visit if you want the most delicious bivalves either by the measure or cooked to order in any of the various styles. He is selling the Norfolks at greatly reduced prices, and those who want the larger sizes have them in the Providence River, New York, Fire Island, etc., fresh from the water and fresh from the shell. His saloons for both ladies and gentlemen are fitted up in modern style, and all citizens of Portsmouth are aware that nothing to offend the eye or ear of a lady is ever allowed in this establishment. He sends oysters to any part of the city, and if you want a feast for an epicure don't fail to put some of them into the turkey stuffing or into the gravies.

[To be continued.]

THE VICINITY.

The school at Hampton Falls is to be taught this winter by Charles H. Salsman of Waterville College, Maine.

The Christian society and congregation at Kittery Point had a two days' Fair last week, in aid of the church, which is somewhat embarrassed financially. The Fair was quite successful. A pleasing incident, during its continuance, was the presentation of a handsome cloak to the pastor's wife.

MARRIAGES.

TOBEY—PEIRCE. In this city, Dec. 15, by William C. Ham, Esq., Mr. George F. Tobey and Miss Mary A. Peirce, both of Kittery, Maine.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

SAILED, Dec 16.

Sch Sunlight, Hodgdon, Philadelphia.
Sch Elizabeth M Smith, Raymond, Boston.

ARRIVED, Dec 17.

Sch Wingaersheek, Donnell, Newburyport.

Ship Triumphant, Libbey, at San Francisco, has been withdrawn from the Liverpool berth, and goes to Callao, to load guano.

Lace and Sash Pins,
A LARGE ASSORTMENT.
CUFF PINS,
OF THE LATEST STYLES.
Prices Low.—7 Congress St.

FINE WATCH REPAIRING AND ENGRAVING
7 Congress Street.
AT LOW PRICES.
Colored Glasses and Spectacles
OF ALL KINDS

[ESTABLISHED 1823.]
C. E. Laighton & Son
No. 5 EXCHANGE BUILDING,
Nearly opposite Post Office, - - - - Portsmouth.
HAVE FOR SALE
FINE ENGLISH BREAKFAST, FORMOSA OOLONG, and JAPAN **TEAS,**
FRIEDRICHSHALL BITTER WATER
$2.75 per Dozen.
DEVOE'S BRILLIANT OIL!
1st. Is absolutely *safe.*
2d. Gives a powerful brilliant white *light.*
3d. Does *not smoke,* nor *smell,* nor *crust* the wick.
4th. Is the most *economical* oil, because it gives the most *light* in proportion to its *price.*

THE CEREALS MANUFACTUTING COMPANY'S
STEAM COOKED
White Wheat, Oat Meal, and Barley Food.
CHYLOONG'S
Preserved Ginger and Chow Chow in Pots,
With a General Assortment of Fancy and Staple Groceries.
C. E. LAIGHTON & SON, . . PORTSMOUTH.

MINNEAPOLIS
PAT. PROCESS
196
H. F. GERRISH.

JUST RECEIVED, direct from the Mills in Minnesota,
100 BARRELS
OF THE CELEBRATED
NEW PATENT PROCESS
FLOUR FLOUR
It is made by reliable and experienced Millers, from the best selected Wheat grown in Minnesota.
IT WILL MAKE
20 PER CENT. MORE BREAD
Than can be obtained from the same quantity of choice St. Louis Flour, and of a much better quality!
It being
Whiter, More Spongy and More Palatable
and will hold its moisture longer than Bread made from any other grade of Flour!
HENRY F. GERRISH.

GLOVES.
New Stock of Ladies' Gauntlets!
GLOVES GLOVES
J. E. Ham & Co., 27 Market St.,
Have just received fresh from the manufacturers an assortment of
LADIES' KID GAUNTLETS,
A Nice Article at Low Prices.
Also, a Full Line of
Gentlemen's Gloves:
Plymouth Hand-Made BUCK GLOVES,
KID, CLOTH and WOOLEN GLOVES.
Youths' and Children's Mitts,
Full Line of Kid Mitts,
Fancy Mufflers,
Silk Handkerchiefs.
Also, Peice Buck Gloves at Low Prices.
☞ LADIES' OVERCOATS made to order, cut and trimmed.
J. E. HAM & CO.

JUST RECEIVED.
ONE PIECE BLACK
Matelasse Cloaking
FOR LADIES' WEAR,
Which we will sell at $4.00 per yard.
C. E. MYERS & CO.

A GRAND
KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS
FAIR
Will be held at Franklin Hall, Portsmouth,
DEC. 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st,
Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday EVENINGS,
At which time there will be offered for competition the richest and most unique display of articles ever exhibited in this city.
The principal feature of the Fair will be the arrangement of Season Tickets, which will be placed at the low price of Fifty Cents each, admitting the holder to the Hall for the four nights.
There will be distributed to the Season Ticket holders
250 VALUABLE PRESENTS,
Among which are the following:
ONE BEAUTIFUL SILVER TEA SERVICE, consisting of nine pieces, and numerous other pieces of Silver; sets of Seal Furs; Objects of Art, and numerous other presents, which the want of space forbids mentioning, varying in value from $100 down.
These articles have been selected after the most careful scrutiny, with a view to quality and real value, without regard to cost. How well the Committee have accomplished their purpose we leave to the public to judge.
☞ These beautiful gifts are on exhibition in the spacious windows of Rundlett's Drug Store, corner of Market and Daniel streets.
Valuable articles will be provided for competition.
— THERE WILL BE —
Dramatic and Musical Entertainments,
with change of programme each evening.
Fancy goods of all descriptions, neatly arranged on tables, will be offered for sale. An abundant supply of refreshments will be provided during the Fair.
CHILDREN'S MATINEE WEDNESDAY afternoon at 3 o'clock, among whom 50 nice presents will be distributed. *Free suppers every evening.*
Prices of Admission: Season Tickets, 50 cents. Evening tickets, 15 cents. Matinee, Children 10 cents; Adults, 15 cents.
☞ Tickets for sale at Mercer Goodrich's Bookstore, at the Drug Stores of J. Dwight Rundlett, W. R. Preston, and David Kimball & Co., at Peyser & Kennedy's Clothing Store, and at the Door.
S. C. Whittier, M. D., Henry Peyser, W. O. Sides and H. Fisher Eldredge, Executive Committee.

Real Estate.

To Let.
HOUSE No. 9 LADD STREET. Apply at PORTSMOUTH SAVINGS BANK.

To Let.
HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET. Apply at 5 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.
THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant streets. Apply to March 21, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.
A TENEMENT of 8 rooms, either furnished or unfurnished; the former preferred. Inquire at No. 3 Market St.

To Let.
HOUSE No. 39 CONGRESS STREET, formerly occupied by John Durgin.
GEORGE E. HODGDON.

To Let.
THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street. For particulars apply to WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square, or HENRY A. YEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market Street.

For Rent.
HOUSE of ten rooms, No. 2 Melcher St., near Pleasant St.; water in house; rent very low to a good tenant,—or will rent to two tenants, with six or four rooms. Apply at No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

To Let.
THE BRICK HOUSE 18 State street, in good repair, with a fine new furnace, gas and all other conveniences usually found in a genteel dwelling house. A new barn and fine garden full of fruit trees and grape vines of the best varieties—all in bearing. Also half of the house No. 16 State street, six rooms; four of them on the first floor. Very convenient for a small family.
Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

Lots of Land for Sale.
THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq. Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Frank.
Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.
WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE.
THE subscriber offers for sale the DWELLING HOUSE owned and occupied by him, situated on Water Street near the south Mill Bridge and numbered 77. Said House is in thorough repair, contains nine rooms and a good attic, and is well furnished with gas and fixtures. To any one who desires a comfortable residence in a pleasant portion of the city, the above offers rare inducements, as the price will be made low to a cash purchaser. Possession given early in the Spring.
CHARLES W. GARDNER.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS.
A FEW MORE OF THOSE
CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS
Cut Low in the Neck, at
William P. Walker's,
198 No. 8 Market Square.

LEAVITT'S ALMANAC,
THOMAS' ALMANAC,
— FOR SALE BY —
WILLIS G. MYERS,
Bookseller and Stationer,
1 CONGRESS BLOCK.

ORGAN AND PIANO
Tuning AND Repairing.
THE UNDERSIGNED will receive orders for Tuning and Repairing PIANOS, CHURCH and REED ORGANS. Mr. Tilton is a practical Church Organ Builder, having commenced an apprenticeship 28 years since, in the "metal room" of W. H. D. Simmons & Co., of Boston, and having for several years the sole charge of the Voicing, Tuning and erection of the Instruments of that distinguished house. Reference furnished if desired.
EDWIN A. TILTON,
39 Congress St., - - - Chambers 4 and 5.

WE ALL KNOW
THESE ARE HARD TIMES,
AND THAT IS THE REASON WE ARE SELLING
READY-MADE CLOTHING
So Remarkably Cheap!
WE HAVE THE FINEST LOT OF
Overcoats and Business Suits
Ever put upon our counters.
— ALSO —
ULSTERS FOR THE MEN.
ULSTERS FOR THE BOYS.
We have also a good line of ELYSIAN BEAVERS, which we will make up into Overcoats, or sell by the yard, for
LADIES' CLOAKS.
— IN —
SHIRTS, DRAWERS,
CARDIGAN JACKETS,
SOCKS, MITTENS, etc.,
OUR ASSORTMENT IS COMPLETE.
☞ Please call and be convinced that the place to get the full value for your money is at the
Old Stand, 3 Bow St.
C. E. MYERS & CO.

HORSE BLANKETS
— AND —
CARRIAGE ROBES.
JUST RECEIVED, a Complete Assortment of HORSE BLANKETS, LAP ROBES, etc.
ON HAND AT ALL TIMES,
Neats-Foot, Castor and Sperm Oils.
These Goods are FIRST QUALITY, and at
Lower Prices than ever.
AT THE NACKER'S,
NO. 18 CONGRESS STREET, PORTSMOUTH.

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IF YOU WANT A NICE
SILVER-MOUNTED HARNESS
made in the best manner, call on
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NEW AND EXTENSIVE STOCK
— OF —
FALL & WINTER
GOODS
— AT —
WM. P. WALKER'S,
No. 8 Market Square.
HAVING RECEIVED A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
CLOTHS, CASSIMERES, ETC.,
I am prepared to make them up into GARMENTS of the latest style, or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and
Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed!
THE STOCK OF GOODS SUITABLE FOR
SUITINGS
IS UNEQUALLED.
☞ Particular attention paid to the making of
ARMY and NAVY
REGULATION UNIFORMS.
A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods!
Constantly on hand, consisting of
Bosoms, Gloves,
Suspenders, Collars,
Linen Goods, Drawers,
Handkerchiefs, Shirts,
Of Every Description!

LOST!! LOST!!
$5000
BY THE HOUSEKEEPERS of PORTSMOUTH every year, by paying high prices for stoves, tin and wooden ware, furniture, &c.
J. L. O. COLEMAN
Will sell, for sixty days, the following goods at reduced prices:
THE EATON COOK STOVE,
Price reduced from $40 to $30.
Unsurpassed for its working qualities and economy of fuel. Warranted as represented, or the money refunded.
Parlor Stoves,
With ovens, the best in the market, $14, $15, $16.
Also, One Hundred Cook and Parlor
Coal and Wood Stoves,
2d Hand, very cheap.
The Best Russia Iron STOVE PIPE, *to order,* 20 cents per lb.; galvanized iron stove pipe, 15 cts. per lb.; common stove pipe, 10 cts. per lb.
IRON, TIN, AND WOODEN WARE,
At extremely low prices. Wash-Boilers, copper-bottomed, $3.75. Coal-hods, galvanized iron, 75 cts. to $1.00. Large three-hooped Wash-tubs, 75 cts. Customs made 10 quart Milk-pans, with feet, 25 cents; 6-qt. do, 22 cts. Chamber-sets, $15, $20, up to $30.
☞ Please call, before purchasing elsewhere, at
96, 111 & 113 MARKET ST.
☞ Cash paid for Junk, Wool and Wool-Skins.

HARDWARE, PAINT, OIL, &c.
SALEM WARRANTED PURE WHITE LEAD.
BOSTON " " "
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On hand and for sale at Manufacturers' Prices.
Also, a large and well-selected Stock of
Hardware, Paints, Oils, Glass, &c., &c.,
ETC., ETC., ETC.,
At Lowest Rates.
JOHN H. BAILEY,
RICE BLOCK,
16 Market and 1 Ladd Street,

FALL OF 1877.
GRAND
CLOSING-OUT
SALE
— OF —
ROOM PAPERS
Borders, Window Curtains, Cords, Tassels, Curtain Fixtures, Etc., Etc., Etc.
— AT —
Lower Prices than ever before sold in this city!
☞ Remember they are all NEW GOODS and not remnants.
Cloth Curtains from 35 cts. to $2.00 each.
Room Papers from 6 cts. to $1.50 per roll.
— AT THE —
New Room Paper and Curtain Store,
37 MARKET STREET,
PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

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F All Kinds
— AT —
HUTCHINSON and CONNELL'S.
REASONABLE PRICES.
REAL PEBBLES at Low Prices.
☞ Call in and get a fit.

MAVERICK NATIONAL BANK,
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BOSTON, MASS.
Incorporated as a State Bank in 1854.
Organized as a National Bank in 1865.
CAPITAL - - $400,000.
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Accounts of Banks, Institutions and Individuals solicited.
Interest on Time Deposits allowed at rates agreed upon.
Business paper discounted.
Careful attention given to the collection of notes, drafts, or coupons (or banks or others); and the purchase, sale or exchange of United States Bonds.
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25 ELEGANT CARDS, No two alike. With name 10c. Post paid. Husted & Co., *Nassau,* N. Y.

Portsmouth Chronicle

—An Elko Chinaman went home drunk, and was met at the door by his wife, who clubbed him unmercifully. A passer-by remarked: "John, your wife heap fight." "Yes," he replied, "she too muchee sabee. She live 'long side Melican woman tree month."—*Elko (Nev.) Post.*

—Turkish beggars—sufferers of the present war in the East—have put in an appearance. One of these mendicants presented himself at the door of an uptown residence a few mornings since, with his hat extended in a supplicatory manner, and muttering "Allah Bishmallah ababoes rustachuk," or something that way. When a cross dog came up and seized a mouthful of his baggy breeches he exclaimed: "Git out o' that, ye dirty brute, or I'll knock off the head o' ye!" He knew the dog wouldn't understand the Turkish language.—*Norristown Herald.*

— Jimmy Todd, one of Lee's favorite scouts in the West Virginia campaign, was killed last week in a dispute with a hunter on the mountain near Staunton. He was the most remarkable hunter in the valley of Virginia, having killed over 2700 deer up to 1860 with one old muzzle-loading rifle, which he had bored so often that you could get your thumb in it. He was a dead shot, and could perform the feat of putting a bullet through a hat on the opposite side of a tree by placing an axe-blade for the ball to glance upon.

— The St. Louis *Journal* says: "All women play cards alike. Watch a woman at a game of whist and you'll get a pretty good idea how all women play whist. 'La, me, Henry, is it my play? Let me see—second hand low—that's the first time round of that suit, ain't it? Well, I'll play—no, I hardly think I will—now you stop looking at my hand—did you see anything? Of course I'm going to play, but I must have time to think—what's trumps—spades—I thought 'twas clubs—well, I'll—no—yes—well, there!" Then she will clap an ace on her partner's king, and insist on keeping the trick for fear she will be cheated out of it in the final count."

Financial.

Parties desiring to invest large or small sums of money where they will receive a larger rate of interest than is usually to be obtained, and at the same time have their funds absolutely secure against loss, and readily accessible if required, are invited to communicate with the Banking House of ALEX. FROTHINGHAM & Co., 12 Wall Street, New York. dec3-1m17

Avoid Danger.

Don't put an enemy in your mouth to steal your teeth. Avoid deleterious dentifrices. Rely on Sozodont. Nothing can be purer or more certain to prevent the teeth from becoming diseased. After each brushing they glitter like pearls, and the gums grow rosy red.

The strongest attachments are formed with Spalding's Glue.

Health is an inestimable jewel. The cough that deprives you of it may take your life too. One bottle of *Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar* will avert the evil, and save you from consumption. Will you weigh Life against a half-dollar? Sold by all Druggists.

Tiffany's Toothache Drops cure in 1 minute. 13

FROM *The Christian Union*, Aug. 22, 1877:

"A valuable horse of the writer's was kicked on the hock. Swelling and lameness caused, rendering the animal pretty worthless. We were advised to try Giles' Liniment, and are gratified to say it acted like a charm. About two inches of bone came away, the sore healed up, and the lameness and swelling are fast disappearing.

HENRY WARD BEECHER,
LYMAN ABBOTT, } Editors.

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JOHN R. SLATER, Agent.
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A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the REV. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod4t sep15 18

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Have you seen that nice CHOCAGUEN?
At 37 Market Street.

L. S. L.

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To Win a Fortune.

First Grand Distribution, 1878,

At New Orleans, Tuesday, Jan. 8.

Louisiana State Lottery Company.

This Institution was regularly incorporated by the Legislature of the State for Educational and Charitable purposes, in 1868, with a Capital of $1,000,000, to which it has since added a reserved fund of $350,000. Its Grand Single Number Drawings will take place monthly. *It never scales or postpones.* Look at the following scheme:

CAPITAL PRIZE, $20,000.
100,000 TICKETS AT TWO DOLLARS EACH.
HALF-TICKETS, ONE DOLLAR.

LIST OF PRIZES.

1	CAPITAL PRIZE		$20,000
1	do. do.		10,000
1	do. do.		5,000
2	PRIZES of $2,500		5,000
5	do.	1,000	5,000
20	do.	500	10,000
100	do.	100	10,000
200	do.	50	10,000
500	do.	20	10,000
1000	do.	10	10,000

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

9	Approximation Prizes of $200		2,700
9	do. do.	300	1,800
9	do. do.	100	900
1857	Prizes, amounting to		$120,400

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Tuesday, February 12th, 1878.

Capital Prize $30,000. Tickets $2 each. Halves $1. Scheme of distribution same as above.

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EXCHANGE BUILDING,
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Blank Books manufactured to order, and Book-Binding promptly attended to.

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DEALER IN
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No. 34 Market Street,
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Where a Large Stock of Good Boots and Shoes, Leather and Findings may be found *at the Lowest Prices.*

☞ All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

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Merchant Tailors
GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS,
Waite & Dodge's Celebrated Shirts, Underwear, Gloves, etc.

☞ CLOTHS and CASSIMERES for sale by the Yard.
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Sign, Ornamental and Fresco
PAINTER.
Graining, Gilding, Paper Hanging,
And all branches of the Painting Business rendered in first-class order.
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JOHN MALSBENDEN,
MERCHANT TAILOR,
Keeps on hand a good assortment of seasonable goods for Gentlemen's wear, which will be made up in the latest style, or as may be ordered.
Clothes Altered, Cleansed and Repaired
SATISFACTORILY!
Don't Forget the Place!
UNDER FRANKLIN HALL, FLEET STREET.

STEPHEN D. SCRIGGINS,
HAS REMOVED His
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FROM No. 15 FLEET ST., to No. 9 VAUGHAN STREET, opposite the Commercial House, and having larger and better accommodation for
CARRIAGE WORK,
Would solicit a continuance of public patronage.

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OPPOSITE POST OFFICE,
ARE SOLE AGENTS FOR THE
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☞ Do not spoil your eyes by using an inferior glass, but *try* a pair of these. We know you will be pleased.

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Caskets, Coffins and Robes
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In the various branches.—PIANO, ORGAN, VOCALIZATION, HARMONY, etc. Office in
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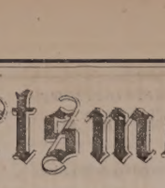

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Daily Chronicle.

Trashy Literature.

In the windows of shops where newspapers and periodicals are sold is constantly displayed a class of literature for boys which deserves the reprobation of every person of taste and of all parents who are concerned for the moral and mental well being of their children. That so much of this unmitigated trash is published and sold is not at all creditable to the training which the youth of the country is receiving, and is far from reassuring to those who are hoping for an improvement in the character of the rising generation. We cannot better characterize this pernicious stuff than by taking up the current numbers of several publications especially intended for boys, and showing what they contain.

Conspicuous in the windows just now is seen an illustrated weekly paper with the title *Our Boys*. Its first page is nearly covered with a hideous picture representing a frightened youth bound to the outside of a huge bell, which a supernaturally ugly dwarf is vigorously ringing. Below it in staring letters is the title of the story it illustrates—"Nero, the Hunchback; or, The Bellringer of Trinity Church." It is of the abominable, blood-curdling style of romance so fascinating to the minds of undisciplined youth and so demoralizing in its effects. There are instalments of other stories full of slang and crime, in which rowdyism and vulgarity are glorified and nature and simplicity outraged. Here are some of the savory titles: "Free and Easy Ned;"—"Tipton Blue, or the Jockey's Mission;" "Corkey, or the Tricks and Travels of a Supe;" "Bob Short, or One of Our Boys;" "Detective Dan, or the Irish Ferret;" and "That Boy of Ours, or Tom on His Muscle." Sandwiched between these are delicacies in prose and verse: "The Chemist's Murderer;" "The suspicious Wife," and "A Terrible Secret." A worse mess of unwholesome or worthless reading for either young or old could not be concocted, and its viciousness is unrelieved by anything instructive, witty or to a healthy mind entertaining.

The Boys of New York is another publication of the same class, garnished with pictures of hags, highwaymen and cutthroats. Its opening story is "Black Diamond Bill, or the Young Hero of the Coal Mines," in which a bowie knife combat forms an exciting incident. Then we meet with such taking titles as "Emerald Jim, the Irish Boy Detective;" "Tim Tippin, or the Terror of the Swimming Gang;" "American Vidocq, or Life and Adventures of a Famous Thief Taker;" "Young Will Watch, the smuggler King," and "The Danite's Revenge, or the Mountain Meadow Massacre." Murder, theft, vengeance, brutality and ghastliness make up the stock of the material of this edifying sheet. There are bits of song sprinkled in the corners of the pages, and the following chorus of one of them will show their general character:

"'Twas on one pleasant summer night,
But never mind how late,
I vowed to kiss the charming miss
When parting at the gate."

There is another of those illustrated abominations called the *New York Boys' Weekly* containing such stories as "One of the Boys;" "The Idiot Witness;" "Dashing Dick, the King of the Highway;" "Chip and Chin Chin, the Two Orphans;" "Bound to be an Actor;" "Tom Trump, the Boy Pilot;" "A Lightning Flash, or the Mystery of a Minute." The publishers of this atrocity, not content with a weekly dose of this mental poison, have appended a monthly supplement, which for the time being is given away with the *Weekly*. It gives an interesting account of "Jack Rushton, or Alone with the Pirates;" relates the adventure of "The Monte Christo, or Back from Death;" and contains a silly burlesque of "Romeo and Juliet," besides a lot of shallow songs and anecdotes.

These are by no means all the publications of this class to which we have alluded, but they will serve. They show what is provided and sold cheap for the delectation of our youth. A healthy public sentiment should make the publication or sale of this whole class of periodicals for the young disreputable for any one engaged in it, and the reading of it should be no more allowed in families than indulgence of any other vice.—*Boston Globe.*

—Columbus, O., has a wonder. A lock of hair cut from the head of Dr. S. Halsey's eighteen-months-old boy, which was two inches long at the time of the cutting is now over six inches long, with every sign of life. For fourteen years it has laid in the family Bible, carefully folded and marked, and it retains its natural color, though the boy's hair has materially changed.

Daily Chronicle.

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1877.

United States District Court.

The regular term of this Court was to have been held at Exeter on Tuesday. Judge Clark was confined to his home by sickness, and unable to be present.

The jurors in attendance were: Amos H. Noyes, Washington B. Warren, Atkinson; Richard B. Bartlett, Enoch B. Bartlett, Kingston; Jos. F. Kimball, Alban W. Burley, East Kingston; John H. Johnson, Henry J. Perkins, Hampton; George O. Paul, Henry T. Tapley, South Newmarket; Horace Adams, Thomas M. Arnold, Hampstead; J. C. A. Wingate, C. W. Scott, Stratham; Thos. C. Folsom, John Wiggin, Epping.

Certain suits brought by Hiram C. Abbott, as assignee in bankruptcy, which were expected to be tried, were settled.

The case Woodman, assignee of A. B. Lane, vs. Gardner Towle, was postponed until the first Monday of February, to which time the Court took a recess.

Gen. Howard's Campaign.

After reading the mass of sneers and cheap wit aimed at Gen. Howard (by newspaper scribblers who love to fight Indians in comfortable parlors, with pipes and hot punches close at hand,) while he was conducting the long campaign which resulted in the capture of Chief Joseph and his band, the following from the *Army and Navy Journal* sounds quite oddly:

We take pleasure in acknowledging the receipt from Gen. Howard of a file of his special field orders, while on the march after the Nez Perces, ranging from Nos. 62 to 76 inclusive, and closing October 16th. They show from their neatness of typography no trace of the tremendous strain brought on the command by the long march, and are therein striking instances of the power of modern civilization to overcome material obstacles. One or two we quote from the mass, which is generally composed of routine orders now of no special interest. No. 69 shows how resolute in the pursuit Gen. Howard was, with horses broken down and men exhausted, at the time when his only a valiable means were the 7th Cavalry. He says: "Col. S. D. Sturgis, 7th Cavalry, after turning over the command to the senior officer present with his regiment, will proceed with his headquarters, by steamer, to his proper post, there to make arrangements for the present and prospective needs of his regiment. To insure against the escape of the Nez Perce prisoners and prevent their recapture by the hostile Sioux under Sitting Bull, the senior officer present with the 7th Cavalry is hereby directed to report with that regiment for duty with Col. Nelson A. Miles, 5th Infantry." Had it not been for this order Miles might never have struck Joseph with the success he did. The next order shows how prompt Howard was to support Miles without jealousy of his success. Miles' command was in a helpless state for want of surgeons and medical supplies. Howard says in No. 74: "Surgeon Charles T. Alexander, U. S. A., is hereby relieved from duty as chief medical officer of the expedition against hostile Nez Perce Indians, and will report to Col. Nelson A. Miles, 5th Infantry, to take charge of the wounded with his command. After accompanying the wounded to Fort Buford, D. T., or if necessary, to Bismarck, D. T., Surgeon Alexander will join his proper station at Portland, Oregon, via St. Paul, Minnesota, and report to his department commander." The last order is interesting as showing the possible approach of scurvy to the troops. No. 76 runs thus: "Upon the recommendation of the medical officer in charge, the troops of this command will receive, in addition to their regular ration, one pound of potatoes to each ration, until the arrival of the troops at Omaha. The acting commissary of subsistence is hereby authorized to purchase a sufficient quantity of potatoes to make this issue." The main interest of all these orders now is in showing how methodical, systematic and complete was Gen. Howard's pursuit, and how ready he was to support others, so long as the end in view was attained.

News and Notes.

Senator Jones has had six silver dollars of 412 1-2 grains struck off at the Philadelphia Mint, and has sent two of them to the President. They are said to present an engaging appearance.

The Treasurer of the United States has signed checks for payment of moneys due the survivors of the wrecked steamer Huron.

The Naval Court of Inquiry into the Huron disaster has completed its work, reported to the Secretary, and dissolved. There is no reason to suppose the Secretary will delay the promulgation of the finding and opinion of the Court.

A despatch from Deadwood, on the 17th inst., says: "A bottle of petroleum was brought into this city to-day, from an oil well discovered a few weeks ago eight miles from Jenny's stockade, and one hundred miles south of Deadwood. The petroleum is pronounced by experts superior to that of West Virginia. No Indian depredations have been committed in this vicinity or any of the routes leading to the Hills for some time."

Concerning the trial trip of the steamer Massachusetts, wrecked on Long Island last October, and since repaired, the New York *Times* says: "The steamer behaved admirably on both the eastward and return trip through the Sound. It was proved that the additions made to her hull have rendered her much more buoyant, stiffer, and better able to keep up against a gale. During the repairs to the steamboat, not only was a great part of her original hull replanked, but a thick outside hull was built for 240 feet of her total length along the water-line, which is 353 feet. In parts, the bottom of the Massachusetts is now 80 inches thick."

The story of the abduction and outrage of Fannie Burt, which has been making such a stir in Westport, Conn., and vicinity, has taken another phase. She confesses that she was in Westport all the time of her disappearance, a prisoner in the barn of Amos Barnes, a neighbor with whom Mr. Burt (the girl's father) has been on ill terms; and that, when released, Barnes threatened that he would burn her father's house down if she told where she had been.

Three pairs of twins have been borne by Mrs. Jeremiah Cooney of Staffordville, Conn., within four years, and now she has just given birth to a fifteen-pound boy.

Michael and Richard Kelly, twins, 11 years old, were drowned while skating in Templeton, Mass., last Saturday.

The War Department has ordered all the troops within reach of the scene of the trouble to El Paso, Texas. No regular or recognized Mexican forces have any part in this matter, and affairs are still regarded as nothing more serious than a local riot. A very significant feature of the action taken is that while ever effort has been made to hurry to El Paso, strict orders have been issued by the Secetary of War, under the direction of the President, forbidding the troops to cross into Mexico under any circumstances.

A suspender buckle saved the life of the watchman in Hon. Lot M. Morrill's house in Augusta, Me., when he was stabbed by a burglar last week. And a few days ago a suspender buckle stopped the ball from a pistol which a young man fired at a dog in St. Louis, but which struck Samuel Bland, a bystander, in the right breast.

New Hampshire Items.

Adolph Walter, a weaver of Manchester, disappeared on Sunday, 9th inst., and nothing was learned of his whereabouts until the following Wednesday evening, when he returned and astonished his friends by informing them that the Lord had directed him to walk sixteen days for Him in the fields and woods, and that he had been obeying the command. He seems to be religiously insane, his conversation indicating that his mind has been temporarily dethroned by religious excitement. Still it is not known that he has been an interested attendant at the recent meetings, and he makes no mention of them in his talk. He is a foreigner of considerable culture, being able to speak French, English and German, and is well spoken of by his acquaintances.

The New Hampshire State Grange on Tuesday commenced a two day's session at Manchester, with fifty granges from various parts of the State represented. Dudley L. Chase of Claremont, master, delivered the annual address.

On Saturday evening a little daughter of James Bressenhan of Wolfeboro', about a year old, was fatally scalded by falling into a boiler filled with hot brine. The mother was near at hand and instantly took the child out, but she lived only about an hour. Mrs. Bressenhan is severely scalded about the hands and arms.

George Hamilton, the negro arrested in Louisiana on suspicion of being the murderer of A. C. Foster at Keene in May, 1876, arrived on Saturday in charge of detectives and was lodged in jail. The evidence against him, so far as the public know is confined to the seemingly trivial circumstance of the finding upon his person of a pin of the lodge of Odd Fellows to which Mr. Foster beloaged. It is not yet proved that the pin is the identical one owned by Mr. Foster, and there are many ways in which it might have come into the negro's possession. Hamilton is recognized as a man who came to Keene in search of work in 1876, but some who know him say that he did not appear until several weeks after the Foster murder. He used then to display a badge similar to the one found upon him, and often proclaimed himself an Odd Fellow. But there is probably other evidence than that which appears on the surface, which would warrant his transportation 2000 miles to stand a trial for murder.

Books, Magazines, Etc.

"The drunkard's diseased appetite,—what is it? If curable, how? By miraculous agency or physical means,—which?" is the title of an able paper by Rev. J. Willett, superintendent of the Inebriate's Home at Fort Hamilton, N. Y., showing the fallacy of expecting the saving of drunkards by miraculous means. Another temperance tract by the same author is entitled "The dogma of human responsibility, more especially as it relates to inebriety."

The New York *Tribune* is issuing a series of popular novels in a cheap form—only ten cents a number, each number containing one standard novel, unabridged and well printed. This "dime literature" is the opposite of the vile trash that has done so much to debauch the youth of to-day, being carefully selected, and if not of decidedly moral tendency, certainly not immoral; and the *Tribune* is engaged in a good work in thus putting wholesome reading within the reach of all, at as cheap a rate as the veriest trash has hitherto been offered. The new novel, "Cherry Ripe," just issued as No 14 of the *Tribune's* cheap popular series, is from the pen of Helen B. Mathers, whose charming story "Comin' Thro' the Rye" won such a quick success. It is a tale of English life and love, full of delicate descriptions and fascinating interest, and we have little doubt that it will be one of the favorite numbers in this marvellously cheap library of the best fiction. It can be had of almost any news agent, or by addressing the *Tribune*, New York, with ten cents inclosed in the letter.

Political.

The Conkling and anti-Conkling fight in the Union League Club on Thursday night was chiefly in the imagination of the reporters. When it is solemnly reported that the Conkling ticket is headed by E. D. Morgan, who has never been a Conkling man, and the anti-Conkling ticket by Benjamin K. Phelps, who has never been anything but a Conkling man, the members may be excused for considering the printed stories of their great commotions a close approach to moonstruck idiocy.—*Tribune.*

The democrats of the California legislature have nominated, for United States Senator, J. T. Farley, who will of course be elected. Farley was nominated on the seventh ballot.

The seat in the United States Senate now occupied by Senator Eustis is one of the most expensive and luxurious in the chamber. He gets about $20,000 in a lump as back salary, with some $3,000 mileage, while it has realized some $15,000 to Pinchback since it became vacant. It is a sort of bonanza.

Senator Blaine's illness is reported to have left him materially unchanged in voice, manner and nervous action. There is nothing listless about him, and he sits in the Senate in the old crouching attitude, an arm across the desk, ready for the spring and toss with which he handles argument and opponent.

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FRESH CHRISTMAS GROCERIES

ALL KINDS OF

FANCY GROCERIES!

EXTRA QUALITIES OF

TEA and COFFEE.

Of which we make a great specialty.

ALSO, A LARGE STOCK OF

Family Flour

THE BEST AT LOWEST PRICES!

Bona Fide Bargains given on Flour!

All Grades of Flour retailing at wholesale prices!

Florida Oranges,
Sicily Lemons,
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NUTS OF ALL KINDS,
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NO. 1 MARKET SQUARE, PORTSMOUTH.

WOOD-WOOD-WOOD

Hard and Soft.

From the country and Nova Scotia. Machine-sawed and cut to order.

C. E. WALKER & CO.,
137 MARKET ST. 4 WATER ST.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties cupon	108¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 cupon	106¼
Maine State 6s. 1889	112¼
N. H. State 6s 1880	103¼
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	105
Eastern R. R. 5s	103¾
Ports. Gt. Fall. & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	115
Boston & Providence	110½
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	44½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	68½
Northern N. H.	75
Old Colony & Newport	90
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 85c.
Cod, Ankhr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50
Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 5 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, 90c; per bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 35 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9 @ 9½; Gr. 10¼; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

FESTIVAL AT RYE

The Ladies of the Congregational Society will hold a FESTIVAL

At the Town Hall, Rye,

— ON —

WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY EVENINGS,

Dec. 19th and 20th.

Numerous Attractions will be presented.

☞ Admission 30 cts.; Children under 12, 10c.

If Stormy, the first fair evening following.

Lost.

ON Friday last, Dec. 14, a FUR BOA. It was dropped from a carriage going out Middle Street, around the Plains, and to the Navy Yard. The finder will be suitably rewarded on leaving it at the Rockingham House, Portsmouth.

NORFOLK

OYSTERS!

20 cts. per Quart, liquid.
25 " " " solid.

LARGE PROVIDENCE RIVERS,

At 50 cts. per Quart, solid.

Also, constantly on hand: NEW YORK, FIRE ISLAND, and other FANCY OYSTERS, at

FREEMAN'S

Wholesale & Retail Oyster House,

NOS. 24 & 28 CONGRESS STREET.

☞ OYSTERS delivered to any part of the city.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES.

PROPOSALS FOR SUPPLIES FOR NAVY YARD, KITTERY, MAINE, Requisition No. 5, Bureau of Steam Engineering.

NAVY YARD, KITTERY, ME., November 29th, 1877.

Proposals sealed and endorsed "Bid for Supplies advertised," will be received at the Paymaster's Office until 12½ o'clock, Saturday, December 22d, for furnishing

Coal, White Lead, Stationery, &c., &c.

The articles are to be of the best quality and are to be delivered free of expense at this Navy Yard subject to the usual inspection.

Regular dealers, upon application to this office, will be furnished with lists of articles in their line of business.

The right is reserved to reject any or all bids that may not be deemed advantageous to the Government.

EDWIN PUTNAM,
nov29dcc6-13-20 Paymaster U. S. Navy.

COAL - COAL - COAL.

The Best Quality in all Sizes, Well Screened.—Lowest Prices.

C. E. WALKER & CO.,
137 MARKET ST. 4 WATER ST.

☞ ORDERS left at N. K. Walker & Son's Hat and Fur Store promptly filled.

A GREAT OFFER FOR HOLIDAYS.

We will during these HARD TIMES and the HOLIDAYS dispose of 100 NEW PIANOS and ORGANS, of first-class makers at lower prices for cash, or installments, than ever before offered. WATERS' PIANOS & ORGANS are the BEST MADE, warranted for 5 years, ill. Catalogues mailed. Great inducements to the trade. PIANOS, 7-octave, $140; 7 1-2-octave, $150. ORGANS, 2 stops, $48; 4 stops, $53; 7 stops, $65; 8 stops, $70; 10 stops, $85; 12 stops, $90; in perfect order, and used a year. Sheet Music at half price. HORACE WATERS & SONS, Manufacturers and Dealers, 40 East 14th Street, New York. 1jan6

SALEM LEAD COMPANY,

WARRANTED PURE WHITE LEAD.—Well known throughout New England as the WHITEST, FINEST and BEST.

LEAD TAPE, ½ in. wide, on reels for Curtain Sticks.

LEAD RIBBON, from 2½ to 8 inches wide, on reels for Builders.

LEAD PIPE, of any size or thickness.

At lowest market prices for goods of equa quality.

FRANCIS BROWN, Treasurer, Salem, Mass. w&s2feb676

KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS

FAIR.

Announcement

EXTRAORDINARY!

A special meeting of the Executive Committee was held on Tuesday evening, in accordance with the following telegrams:

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 11, 1877.

To Henry Peyser, Young's Hotel, Boston: Public pressure will, I think, compel us to issue one thousand more season tickets on the same basis of presents as first. DR. S. C. WHITTIER.

BOSTON, MASS., Dec. 11, 1877.

To Dr. S. C. Whittier: Cause a meeting of the executive committee to be held at your office at eight o'clock. Will be there. HENRY PEYSER.

After mature deliberation concerning the above it was decided not to issue any more season tickets, but in order to comply with the public demand as far as in our power, it was unanimously decided to add

Another New Feature

to the Grand Fair, not with a view to make money, but that the public may have the benefit of this new feature. It was voted to present to the holders of One Thousand Certificates,

250 RICH GIFTS,

and that the value of the Presents to be distributed among Certificate holders be

One Hundred Dollars Greater

than the value of Ticket holders' Presents. Also that the Treasurer be authorized to immediately issue one thousand certificates in the distribution of these magnificent gifts, entitling the holders to admission to the Fair on *Saturday evening*, Dec. 22d. These are

Entirely separate and distinct

from the distributions of the gifts awarded the Season Ticket holders. We enumerate a few of the gifts:

The leading prize will be an Exact Duplicate of the elegant SILVER SERVICE of nine pieces now on exhibition in Rundlett's window; one CASE OF SILVER (42 pieces) and numerous other cases; Coleridge's Ancient Mariner, illustrated by Dore; objects of Art and utility,—in fact every prize will be of real value.

☞ In order to dispose of these certificates at once and satisfy the demand of a generous public, we make this, the most liberal inducement ever offered at an affair of this kind.

It was also decided to hold the Fair five (5) evenings instead of four (4), as was first intended, and that Season Ticket holders be admitted without extra charge on the additional evening.

These certificates can now be obtained at the bookstore of Mercer Goodrich, at the drug stores of J. Dwight Dunclee, W. R. Preston and David Kimball & Co., at the clothing store of Peyser & Kennedy.

S. C. WHITTIER, M. D., HENRY PEYSER,
W. O. SIDES, H. FISHER ELDREDGE,
Executive Committee.

Portsmouth, N. H. Dec. 13, 1877.

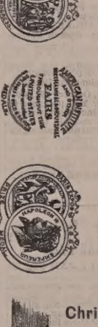
CHRISTMAS.

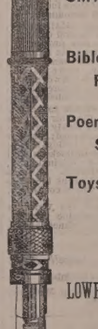
1877.

LEROY W. FAIRCHILD & CO'S

GOLD PENS

PEN AND PENCIL CASES.





Christmas Cards,
Pictures,
Frames,
Bibles,
Prayer Books,
Pocket Books,
Poems,
Standard Works,
Juveniles,
Toys,
Games,
Nick-Nacks,

OFFERED AT

LOWER PRICES THAN EVER.

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COLD PENS

AND

PENCIL CASES,

The Best in the Market.

Also, a large lot of Elegant

HOLIDAY GIFT BOOKS

Just the thing for the parlor table.

Please call and examine before buying elsewhere.

WILLIS G. MYERS,

No. 1 Congress Block.

J. W. P. CARTER,

GROCERIES AND VARIETIES,

10 and 12 Daniel St.,

PORTSMOUTH, N. H.

A GRAND

KNIGHTS of PYTHIAS

FAIR

Will be held at Franklin Hall, Portsmouth,

DEC. 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st,

Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday

EVENINGS,

At which time there will be offered for competition the richest and most unique display of articles ever exhibited in this city.

The principal feature of the Fair will be the arrangement of season tickets, which will be placed at the low price of fifty Cents each, admitting the holder to the Hall for the four nights.

There will be distributed to the Season Ticket holders

250 VALUABLE PRESENTS,

Among which are the following:

ONE BEAUTIFUL SILVER TEA SERVICE, consisting of nine pieces, and numerous other pieces of Silver; Sets of Opal Ware; Objects of Art, and numerous other presents, which the want of space forbids mentioning, varying in invalue from $100 down.

These articles have been selected after the most careful study, with a view to quality and real value, without regard to cost. How well the Committee have accomplished their purpose we leave to the public to judge.

☞ These beautiful gifts are on exhibition in the spacious windows of Rundlett's Drug Store, corner of Market and Daniel Streets.

Valuable articles will be provided for competition.

— THERE WILL BE —

Dramatic and Musical Entertainments,

with change of programme each evening.

Fancy goods of all descriptions, neatly arranged on tables, will be offered for sale. An abundant supply of refreshments will be provided during the Fair.

CHILDREN'S MATINEE WEDNESDAY afternoon at 2 o'clock, among whom 50 nice presents will be distributed. *Free suppers every evening.*

Prices of Admission: Season Tickets, 50 cents. Evening tickets, 15 cents. Matinee, Children 10 cents; Adults, 15 cents.

☞ Tickets for sale at Mercer Goodrich's Bookstore, at the Drug Stores of J. Dwight Rundlett, W. R. Preston, and David Kimball & Co., at Peyser & Kennedy's Clothing Store, and at the Door.

S. C. Whittier, M. D., Henry Peyser, W. O. Sides and H. Fisher Eldredge, Executive Committee.

Real Estate.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 9 LADD STREET. Apply at PORTSMOUTH SAVINGS BANK.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 1 DENNETT STREET. Apply at 5 CHAPEL STREET.

To Let.

THREE OFFICES over the 99 Cent Store, corner of State and Pleasant Streets. Apply to March 31, 1877. GEORGE L. TREADWELL.

To Let.

A TENEMENT of 8 rooms, either furnished or unfurnished; the former preferred. Inquire at No. 3 Market St.

To Let.

HOUSE No. 32 CONGRESS STREET, formerly occupied by John Durgin.
GEORGE E. HODGDON.

To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street. For particulars apply to WM. P. WALKER, No. 8 Market Square, or HENRY A. YEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market street.

For Rent.

HOUSE of ten rooms, No. 3 Melcher St., near Pleasant St.; water in house; rent very low to a good tenant,—or will rent to two tenants, with six or four rooms. Apply at No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

To Let.

THE BRICK HOUSE 18 State street, in good repair, with a fine new furnace, gas and all other conveniences usually found in a genteel dwelling house. A new barn and fine garden full of fruit trees and grape vines of the best varieties—all to bearing. Also half of the house No. 16 State street, six rooms; four of them on the first floor. Very convenient for a small family.
Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

Lots of Land for Sale.

THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq. Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Furnald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.
WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale the DWELLING HOUSE owned and occupied by him, situated on Water Street near the South Mill Bridge and numbered 71. Said House is in thorough repair, contains nine rooms, is good size, and is well furnished with gas and fixtures. To any one who desires a comfortable residence in a pleasant portion of the city, at a above offers rare inducements, as the price will be made low to a cash purchaser. Possession given early in the Spring.
CHARLES W. GARDNER.

HATHAWAY SHIRTS.

A FEW MORE OF THOSE

CELEBRATED HATHAWAY SHIRTS

Cut Low in the Neck, at

William P. Walker's,

173 No. 8 Market Square.

LEAVITT'S ALMANAC,

THOMAS' ALMANAC,

— FOR SALE BY —

WILLIS G. MYERS,

Bookseller and Stationer,

1 CONGRESS BLOCK.

ORGAN AND PIANO

Tuning AND Repairing.

THE UNDERSIGNED will receive orders for Tuning and Repairing PIANOS, CHURCH and REED ORGANS. Mr. Tilton is a practical Church Organ Builder, having commenced an apprenticeship 28 years since, in the shop of Mr. J. W. B. Simmons & Co., of Boston, and having for several years the sole charge of the Voicing, Tuning and Erection of the instruments of that distinguished house. Reference furnished if desired.

EDWIN A. TILTON,
39 Congress St., - - - Chambers 4 and 5.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	6 10:35	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5
Portland,	9:35	4:35 6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55
Great Falls,	9:05	4:05
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:33 10:05	5:30
Boston Way,	10:05	5:30
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:30

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Mr. Jno. O. Hanscom, formerly of this city, has assumed full control of the *Golden Era*, an eight-page weekly paper published in San Francisco.

The Hutchings Association *will* give their entertainment on Thursday evening after all, in the Universalist vestry, when the drama "The Chimney Corner" will be presented.

Francis M. Hatch, Esq., the youngest son of Hon. Albert R. Hatch, started on Tuesday for Honolulu, Sandwich Islands, where he intends to open a law office. Hon. C. Coffin Harris, who is Chief Justice of the Hawaiian Kingdom, is an uncle to Mr. Hatch.

There was good skating on the North pond, Tuesday, the ice being smooth and firm—firm enough to bear all the skaters who appeared, at any rate, for none of them were drowned, so far as we have heard. The South pond was at the same time clear of ice, except a small patch near its western end, where the brook empties into it.

An alarm of fire was occasioned at the navy yard during the noon hour on Tuesday, by the igniting of the woodwork near the chimney of the lodge. The yard fire department turned out but their services were not required, a man with an axe having knocked down and dragged out the burning lathing before the engines arrived. The damage done was trifling, and would not have been very heavy had the fire got under full headway, the lodge being a brick structure, with very little wood in its composition. The fire caught from the chimney, which has been used for years and never acted so before.

POLICE COURT.

Tuesday, Dec. 18th; *Batchelder, J.*

Harvey Runnion, a war veteran from the Soldiers' Home at Togus, Me., was arraigned for assaulting an officer while the latter was engaged in the execution of his duty. It seems the old soldier had been engaged in a battle with King Alcohol, (in which of course he was worsted, though he did not at once find it out,) and was vociferously rejoicing over a supposed victory when Assistant Marshal Gray appeared, only to receive a blow on the head from a bottle in the hands of the "inspired" warrior. The old fellow seemed very penitent when brought before the Court, and got off with a sentence of twenty days in jail, without costs.

CHRISTMAS!

WHERE TO BUY THE BEST ARTICLES.

H. B. Buzzell & Son, No. 12 Exchange building, make their usual fine Christmas display. Here we find an extensive lot of goods, including toys of every description and all grades of cost, juvenile story and toy books, fancy boxes, games, albums, escritoire papetoire, fine porcelain ware, and a general collection of articles adapted for the young and old. There is no danger of passing them by, as their store is so attractive that the viewer is pretty sure to go in, and once in is sure to purchase something.

Mercer Goodrich, under the City Rooms, has a large stock of goods suited for the holiday trade, including books, stationery of all kinds, hellotypes, albums, quaintly ornamented table ware, games, stereoscopic views, fancy boxes, and other articles in great variety. The store is neatly and attractively arranged, and the would-be purchaser must be hard to please if he cannot find in it something to suit.

George H. Tripp, No. 37 Market street, keeps on hand as fine a collection of room papers and decorations as can be found in the city, direct from the best importers and manufacturers. His window curtains are well selected, and their fixtures of the latest patents. One in want of aught in this line cannot fail to get suited at his store.

John P. Sweetser, No. 46 Market street, is one of the largest stove dealers in the city. The oil stoves which he sells are said to be a success for parties camping out and fishing boats, as well as for use in the house. Nearly anything required in the housekeeping line can be found at this store. He keeps on hand an extensive assortment of lamps, (including the "Library" pattern, which is universally recommended,) and a fine assortment of gas fixtures, in chandeliers, etc.; children's carriages of the newest styles he has always on hand in large numbers, and is selling them at the extreme low prices.

John H. Bailey, No. 16 Market street and No. 1 Ladd street, has been connected with the hardware trade for thirty-five years. He was first clerk to Mr. Thomas D. Bailey, who kept on Congress street and was a well known and respected merchant at that date. The building occupied by Mr. Bailey has been used for the hardware business for many years. The sign of Richard Jenness will be well remembered, as also Mr. Edwin Bennett, who was a clerk for a number of years with Mr. Jenness and succeeded him in business. The extensive business of this establishment necessitates a large stock. Scarcely an article of hardware for use in the various branches of trade but can be found here; also a good assortment of cutlery and skates, which are selling at prices to suit the times.

Rider & Cotton, No. 69 Market street, are among the enterprising men of Portsmouth. Their stock embraces the great variety of articles included under the head of "ship chandlery," a general assortment of hardware, carriage and tire bolts, and all kinds of supplies used by painters. They have lately added iron and steel, which they intend to make a prominent feature of their business.

J. L. O. Coleman, Nos. 96, 111 and 113 Market street, has in connection with second hand and antique furniture, some fresh patterns direct from the manufacturers. His store rooms are filled with almost everything required in the household. The "Eaton cook stove," a specialty of his trade, is claimed to have no superior, and those who call and examine his stock will find that he is selling at the lowest market prices.

THE R. OF P. FAIR

The Fair at Franklin Hall under the direction of the Knights of Pythias opened on Tuesday evening. The managers have done all in their power to make it a great success, and the prospect is good. The attendance on the opening night was very large, the room being full to overflowing.

The hall is very handsomely and tastefully dressed, with bunting mainly, though some evergreen is to be seen. From the centre of the ceiling six festoons descend to the sides, but in such a way as not to interfere with the view of persons in the gallery. The front of the gallery is also trimmed; the different colors of the bunting being judiciously blended, and in the strong light of the gas adding wonderfully to the appearance of the hall. The decorating was done by Mr. James H. Dow, assisted by Mr. Elbridge T. Philbrook.

There are ten tables for the sale of such articles as are usually offered on such occasions, presided over by ladies; and a kitchen department where a turkey supper is served free to all who pay twenty-five cents for a seat.

The presents (of which there are 500,—250 in each class) were displayed on tables, and attracted a great deal of attention, having been selected for use as well as beauty. Among them are silver epergnes, tea sets of nine pieces, and cases of silver, all made to order by first-class houses in Boston; Coleridge's "Ancient Mariner," illustrated by Dore; a music-box playing twelve tunes and which cost $125; and many other articles. In addition to the presents to be distributed to the holders of season tickets and certificates, there are handsome articles to be voted for, viz.: a silver epergne, to the most popular manufacturer; Goethe's "Faust," (one of an edition of five copies, and the only copy for sale in New England,) to the most popular teacher or professional man; carving set to the most popular hotel keeper; toilet set to the most popular barber; and hunter's cup to the most popular sportsman.

During the evening the comedy "Turn him out" was performed, the well known members of the Portsmouth Dramatic Club, Messrs. Kennedy, Bryant and Archibald, and Misses Kennedy and Peterson, taking part. The play was finely rendered and received with frequent applause.

This (Wednesday) evening a burlesque will be given, and also tableaux; and Professor Arts will make his first appearance here in his wonderful magic tricks.

On Thursday evening there will be singing and instrumental music; and it is proposed on that evening to award the gifts to the season ticket holders. The Fair will be open every night this week, including Saturday night.

FAIR PLAY REQUESTED.

RYE, Dec. 17th.

Mr. Editor: Near the close of the boarding season there appeared an article in your paper * and copied by several others, concerning the boarding place of W. F. Groves, who was lately burned to death at Straw's Point, Rye Beach, which does great injustice to the subscriber and shows a malicious intent of the writer, as it was utterly false in every important particular, and but for the severe illness of the subscriber from the time of its publication would have been promptly corrected. It stated that I charged board for Mr. Groves two days after his decease. The truth is this.

The party that engaged the room and board for Mr. Groves was very solicitious for us to take him below our usual price, which we at last consented to do, charging him but one dollar per day. His death occurred on Saturday. His apparel and valuables remaining in the room we felt responsible for the same. Subsequently a friend of his came to my house and with a member of my family entered the room; on leaving it, it was locked, and their friend not only requested but demanded the key, which I very reluctantly delivered to him, and it was not returned until the following Monday, when the room was vacated. My charge was made to this time, and *no longer*. Every travelling man well knows this to be customary. If it had been intimated that aid to Mr. Groves was desirable none would have rendered it sooner than I, as I found him a very pleasant gentleman. During this time some of my boarders were sleeping on lounges, and I had to refuse applications for want of room.

The article further stated that the rest of my boarders left on learning "the fact." This was utterly false, as none of them left previous to the close of their engagement, and some remained longer.

Since partially recovering from my sickness my friends have been urgent for me to make a statement correcting such an unjust insinuation against me personally, and against the whole neighborhood; I therefore in justice ask you to publish this, and request all papers that copied the original article to give this an insertion. Respectfully,

JOHN H. FOSS.

**Note.* Mr. Foss is mistaken in saying the article he complains of appeared in this paper and was copied by others; it first appeared in (we think) the Manchester *Union*, and though copied by a number of other papers it was *not* copied or in any manner referred to by us, so far as our memory goes.—*The Editor.*

Aunt 'Liza Wins the Good Fight.

"Doctor, is I got to go?"

"Aunt 'Liza, there is no hope for you."

"Bress de Great Master for his goodness. Ise ready."

The doctor gave a few directions to the colored women that sat around 'Liza's bed, and started to leave, when he was recalled by the old woman, who was drifting out with the tide.

"Marse John, stay wid me till it's ober. I wants to talk ob de old times. I knowed you when a boy, long 'fore you went and been a doctor. I called you Marse John den; I call you de same now. Take yo' ole mammy's hand, honey, and hold it. Ise lived a long, long time. Ole marster and ole missus hab gone before, and de chillun from de ole place is scattered ober de world. I'd like to see 'em 'fore I starts on de journey to-night. My ole man's gone, and all de chillun I nussed at dis breast has gone too. Dey's waitin' for dere mudder on de golden shore. I bress de Lord, Marse John, for takin' me to meet 'em dar. Ise fought de good fight, and Ise not afraid to meet de Savior. No mo' wo'k for poor old mammy, no mo' trials and tribulations—hold my hand tighter, Marse John—fadder, mudder—marster—missus—chillun—Ise going home."

The soul, while pluming its wings for its flight to the Great Beyond, rested on the dusky face of the sleeper, and the watchers, with bowed heads, wept silently. She was dead.—*Missouri Brunswicker.*

MARRIAGES.

VARNEY—MANSON. In Kittery, Me., Dec. 16th, Mr. David Varney and Mrs. Delly Manson, both of Kittery.

DEATHS.

PRESCOTT. In Kingston, Dec. 15, of consumption, George W. Prescott, M. D., aged 24. Though he suffered long, he endured patiently and was sustained in death by the Christian hope.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, Dec 18.

Sch Sallie B, Bateman, Philadelphia, coal to C E Walker & Co.

SAILED, Dec 18.

Sch Thomas W Haven, Rackett, Orient, L I.

Sch Lamartine, Howard, for this port from Perth Amboy, arr at Newport Dec 15.

CHRISTMAS

PRESENTS

We shall sell an endless variety of

VASES, FANCY GOODS, ETC.,

Cheaper than the Cheapest.

Plated Ware,
Crockery, Cutlery,
Furniture, etc.

ALL AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

☞ Come, buy, and be happy. ☜

C. DWIGHT HANSCOM & CO.,

No. 16 CONGRESS STREET.

Lace and Sash Pins,

A LARGE ASSORTMENT.

CUFF PINS,

OF THE LATEST STYLES.

Prices Low.—7 Congress St.

NORTHEY'S

7 Congress Street.

FINE WATCH REPAIRING AND ENGRAVING

AT LOW PRICES.

Colored Glasses and Spectacles

OF ALL KINDS

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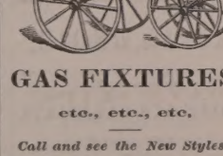

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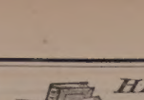

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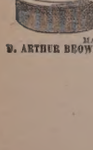

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Daily Chronicle.

Unbelief in High Places.

In continuation of what I wrote last week respecting the revolution in religious belief now in progress in this country, I may say that on last Sunday, in no less a place than Westminister Abbey, and by no less a personage than one of the canons of that church, the old orthodox doctrines of a material hell and eternal punishment were openly disavowed and ridiculed. For a boldness of opinion far less than this, only a few years ago, Mr. Maurice was driven from King's College. After his expulsion, clergymen were careful what they said on such subjects, whatever they may have thought, and the next man to give utterance to such sentiments was the author of the celebrated political skit "Dame Europa's School." He publicly declared that neither he nor the majority of the clergy really believed these doctrines, although they preached them. But he was only a young country curate, and what he said made little impression upon the public mind. Somewhat later—in fact, only last year—the incumbent of one of the Oxford churches—indeed, of the Corporation Church—a ripe scholar and a man much esteemed in the community, not only repudiated these doctrines from his pulpit, but engaged in a controversy in the Oxford newspapers, and maintained his position until his antagonists were silenced. The marvelous thing was that in neither of these instances were the offenders brought to book by their respective superiors. On the contrary, the former was appointed by the Government Chaplain to the late Arctic Expedition, and the latter still holds his position as rector of Carfax church, at Oxford. And now, in the most venerable of all the religious establishments in England, Canon Farrar, the author of the "Life of Christ," whose name only need be mentioned to insure his identification (for his reputation is world wide,) boldly declares his disbelief in what he described as the vulgar notions of a material and general and eternal hell, for which he says that St. Augustine was chiefly responsible, and which he asserted were really disproved by the isolated Scripture texts on which a belief in them had been founded. Canon Farrar even went so far as to say that the present revisers of the Bible will utterly fail in their duty if they allow such words as "damnation," "hell" and "eternal" to appear at all in the new version. You will naturally expect that this discourse must have created an intense excitement, and that all the vengeance of the religious community would ere this have been poured out upon the head of Canon Farrar, and upon the Dean of Westminster and his colleagues for permitting such heterodox sentiments to be sent forth from the old Abbey. Not a bit of it. Except an occasional expression of surprise in the newspapers, no public notice has been taken of the matter, and the fair presumption is that Canon Ferrar merely enunciated opinions that are really entertained by the great body of the community. But of what a revolution is this only the commencement! And where will disbelief stop?—*Lon. Cor. Chicago Journal.*

Woman's Head Gear.

Joseph Addison says of woman's headgear, "I would desire the fair sex to consider how impossible it is for them to add anything that can be ornamental to what is already the masterpiece of nature. The head has the most beautiful appearance as well as the highest station in the human figure. Nature has laid out all her art in beautifying the face; she has touched it with vermilion, planted in it a double row of ivory, made it the seat of smiles and blushes, lightened it up and enlivened it with the brightness of the eyes, hung it on each side with curious organs of sense, given it airs and graces that cannot be described, and surrounded it with such a flowing shade of hair as sets all its beauties in the most agreeable light. In short she seems to have designed the head as the cupola to the most glorious of her works, and when we load it with a pile of supernumerary ornaments, we destroy the symmetry of the human figure, and foolishly contrive to call off the eye from real beauties to childish gewgaws, ribbons and bone lace."

—Snoring is now politely described as indulging in sheet music.

—How to make a catfish—Leave her alone in a room with an aquarium.

—A method has been discovered for making more than the usual quantity of tea from any given quantity of leaf. The whole secret consists in steaming the leaf before steeping. By this process, it is said fourteen pints of good quality may be brewed from one ounce of tea.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1877.

The Loss of the Huron.

The opicion of the Naval Court of Inquiry into the Huron disaster has been promulgated by the Secretary of the Navy. The officers composing the court give a synopsis of all the testimony taken in the course of the inquiry, and refer frequently to it in their findings. Their conclusions are that Commander Ryan is primarily responsible for the loss of that vessel, and that Lieut. Palmer, the navigating officer, made errors in navigation; also that the deck officers, on the night of her loss, might have been at fault in not ascertaining the accuracy of the perpendicular soundings reported to them from time to time. The ship is reported to have been in every respect well found, staunch and seaworthy, and she was in that condition up to the time that she struck. They find that no one of the survivors from the wreck has any cause of complaint to make against any officer or man upon the vessel for want of hearty co-operation or loyal assistance in the midst of the perils that surrounded them, and find that every man was cool, ready, willing and brave up to the last moment.

News and Notes.

The Galveston (Texas) *News* of the 18th published what purports to be a despatch from the Sheriff of El Paso county to the Governor of Texas, stating that the State troops surrendered to the Mexican mob on the previous day, and that Howard, Atkinson and McBride, the owners of the salt lakes, were immediately shot in cold blood by the Mexicans. The War Department had received no such advices up to the morning of the 19th, but it was feared the statement would prove true. Howard was the slayer of Lewis Cardis, the Italian leader of the Mexican mob, some months ago, when the El Paso troubles commenced.

A team containing three men and a boy, returning to Groversdale, Mass., from a drunken carousal in Dudley, ran into obstructions by the roadside, Sunday afternoon, the result of reckless driving. The wagon was smashed and Henry Nickerson instantly killed. A young man named Haffie was seriously and probably fatally injured. A third man had all his ribs broken, but may survive, and the boy was badly bruised.

There is a serious strike of laborers on the Lachine canal, at Montreal, Canada. The men have been getting from eighty cents to ninety cents per day, and were paid very irregularly; they struck for regular payments and one dollar a day. Low as their pay was, others were found to take their places, and on Tuesday, the 18th inst., an attack was made on the latter by a mob of the strikers; the assailants were beaten off by a fusilade which killed one man and wounded several others.

There was almost a riot in New London, Conn., one evening recently. The principal show hall in that town, Lawrence Hall, had been hired by a travelling combination, and paid for in advance; but the janitor of the hall claimed the right to pass in, free, as many of his friends as he wished, asserting that the proprietor of the hall had given him that permission. This preposterous claim the manager of the show refused to submit to, and the janitor refused to open the hall; and it was not until the Mayor of the city authorized the showmen to chop down the door, and the waiting crowd threatened to hang the cheeky janitor, that the latter yielded and opened the doors. Frank Mayo and other theatrical managers have had similar trouble with the same fellow.

An exchange says: "The verdict of nine years imprisonment against Lucy Ann Mank, for causing the death of Charles Ricker in Lowell, was an important one from the fact that the shooting of Ricker was accidental, occurring while he was trying to prevent Miss Mank from shooting herself. The court ruled that, while suicide is felony, homicide resulting from it is manslaughter." It is more likely the jury considered the shooting of Ricker a premeditated murder, notwithstanding the woman's story and the ingenious defence of the counsel, and that the murder of another one of her paramoors in Maine a few years ago, had something to do with the verdict in this case.

About 300 of the employes of the cartridge factory, in Bridgeport, Conn., were temporarily dismissed from work, on the 15th, on account of a partial suspension of operations in the company's Turkish orders. The suspension is caused by the tardiness of the Turkish government in making payments.

A shrewd, keen-eyed Scotchman is employed to do nothing else than board, outside the New York Central Depot in New York, all incoming passenger trains, and go through the cars immediately after the passengers have left them, looking for lost articles. No train men or other employes are permitted to precede him, and if one may judge from his findings, his search must be very thorough. Scarcely a train comes in from which he does not gather up something. Overcoats, shawls, rubber shoes, satchels, umbrellas, canes, packages, silk hats, pocket books and jewelry are turned in by him in a steady stream, that has, notwithstanding the constant out-go to claimants, made up an accumulation that fills a huge closet and the greater part of a storeroom besides. Some things have been on hand for five years.

Charles E. Cutler of Massachusetts, who with Potter of Portland, Me., had building contracts amounting to $50,000 at St. John, N. B., absconded with $4,000. He has been arrested at Calais, Me., but it is doubtful if, under the reciprocity treaty, he can be taken back.

On Wednesday, the 16th of January, Senator Cockrell will submit in the Senate resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Senator Bogy, upon which there will be eulogistic remarks by six or eight Senators; and on Thursday, the next day, Senator McDonald will submit resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Senator Morton, upon which a number of Senators will speak.

Rear Admiral Henry Walker, a retired officer, was robbed by a stranger in the Seaman's bank in New York of $1,100 he had just drawn from the sub-treasury, and was about to deposit in the bank.

It is given out that Col. McClure, of the Philadelphia *Times*, is about to take the editorship of the New York *Tribune*, vice Mr. Whitelaw Reid.

An expedition under the auspices of the French government is to be sent to San Francisco to observe the transit of Mercury, which occurs on May 6, 1878.

As 150 girls and boys were leaving Krebs & Speis' cigar factory at Forty-fourth street and Second avenue, New York, they were attacked by fifty strikers. The girls were the special objects of attack. Their hair was pulled down and their clothing torn. The faces of many of them were covered with blood. The boys defended them as well as they could, but were easily overcome by the superior strength of the men. The strikers avoided the police.

A vote of the New Haven Board of Education at its last meeting to exclude the Bible from the public schools, and that no religious exercises whatever be allowed, has caused considerable excitement, and Postmaster Sperry, in an address delivered on Sunday night, took strong ground against it.

Two sailing ships and a steamer will be ready to sail in February and March, under direction of the Secretary of the Navy, with goods for the French International Exposition. The Commissioner of Agriculture will prepare an extensive display of cotton, tobacco, wool, Indian corn, sugar, rice and other products of this country. He also intends to exhibit a choice collection of the different kinds of wood of this country.

The railroads leading out of Boston run special trains to take persons to see the "Exiles" at the Boston Theatre.

A former conductor on the Metropolitan horse railroad of Boston has fallen heir to thirty thousand dollars. Honesty is the best policy.

The National Reform Convention at Rochester, N. Y., to advocate the express acknowledgment of God in the Constitution, met there Tuesday. Resolutions were adopted, the drift of which is that the duty of all good citizens is to favor express acknowledgment in the Constitution of the authority of God and Jesus Christ.

Mark Twain made a speech at the *Atlantic* dinner, recently, which was in bad taste. We refer to it, because Mark's sense of propriety needs development, and it is not his first offence. He told a story in which Messrs. Longfellow, Emerson and Holmes were represented as crowding their society upon a California miner, guzzling his whiskey and cheating him at cards. It was, of course, meant to be a piece of incongruous absurdity, and although the idea was not at all original, it might have seemed funny in some circles, when told with Mark's drawl, but men who have attained the years and fame of Longfellow and Emerson are entitled to some degree of respect amongst a company of their friends. The offence is easier to feel than describe, but it is one which if repeated would cost Mark Twain his place among the contributors to the *Atlantic Monthly*, where indeed his appearance was in the beginning considered an innovation. —*Worcester Gazette.*

Political.

If ever there was in this country a more disgusting exhibition of the prostitution of the machinery of justice for partisan purposes than was exhibited at the late execution in Kemper county, Miss., of the negro murderer Walter Riley, no record of it has been kept. When the doomed man took his place on the scaffold he was allowed to be questioned for more than an hour by some of the democratic spectators, in the hope that he would implicate Judge Chisolm in the murder of the democratic leader, Gully, whose assassination was the pretext for the brutal butchery of Judge Chisolm and his son and sixteen-years-old daughter; but he failed to do so, saying, "I can't go before God with a lie in my mouth. If any white man had anything to do with the murder I don't know it." This last exhibition of Kemper county decency but intensifies the popular contempt for its brutal population.

The President's special message on the civil service will be ready soon after the re-assembling of Congress. It will set forth at length the President's views in regard to patronage, and will take the position that Congress, as well as the President, has been instructed by the national conventions and by nearly every State convention on this subject, and that he is simply attempting to carry out the letter of these instructions, given him in advance by those who elected him. The constitutional right of the President to originate nominations will be insisted upon, and in that the message will be a notice to the country and to Congress that, in the pending contest with the Senate, the President has not thought of surrendering.

Senator Gordon has gone home to Georgia. The democrats opposed to him says that his failure to send Conkling a challenge will weaken him very much in Georgia, and injure his prospects for re-election, from which it appears that the fire-eating democrats of the South hope to yet re-establish the plantation whip in the position it once held as the sceptre of power in the National Congress. It cannot be done; the supreme rule of the plantation bully was ended some time ago.

James T. Farley, just elected United States Senator by the Legislature of California, declared recently to a representative of the San Francisco *Bulletin* that he is opposed to the government's paying a subsidy to the Texas Pacific or any other railroad; that he believes a silver dollar should be a dollar in fact as well as in name; that he agrees with Tilden on the financial and resumption questions; that he is emphatically opposed to Chinese immigration; and that he believes the present protective tariff should be reduced until we have reached free, open trade with the world for our market.

New Hampshire Items.

Webb Cross was drowned in the millpond at Goff's Falls, Wednesday, while skating.

Ex-Gov. Dix of New York has sent a large donation of books to the public library in Rumney.

Dr. O. Goss has been chosen President of the Lake Village Savings Bank, in place of Hon. B. J. Cole, resigned.

The remains of Rev. Dr. J. H. Eames, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church of Concord, who died at Bermuda on the 10th, arrived there and were taken to the church. The funeral occurred on Wednesday, the 19th, Bishop Niles officiating.

The estate of the late Betsey Whitehouse of Pembroke, concerning which there is some litigation, has been inventoried at $268,000, being one of the largest properties ever left in the State. It is largely invested in stock and securities of New Hampshire railroads.

Prof. F. L. Bartlett has recently made a discovery of nickel ore at Milan. This mineral is very valuable and scarce, there being but three other mines known in the United States.

"The "Mountain District," so called, lies mostly in the town of Rindge, but in it meet the corners of three towns, Ashburnham, New Ipswich and Rindge, situated respectively in the counties of Worcester, (Mass.,) Hillsboro' and Cheshire. The schoolhouse stands on the centering lines and rapid transportation can be made from one town to the other. The scholars sit in Rindge while the teacher stands on the floor in New Ipswich, and recreation is taken in Ashburnham, from which place come seven of the pupils.

The Eastern War.

Adlie has been evacuated by the Turks and occupied by the Servians.

A despatch from Vienna reports a general forward movement of the Russian armies around Plevna. Bucharest advices say Russia has ordered the mobilization o f 60,000 more troops, and that the indications are that they will attack the Shipka Pass. [What the Russians want to attack Shipka Pass, for when they have been in possession of it for months, is not stated.]

English papers say the ministry will ask Parliament to increase the army; also that contracts for the prompt furnishing of 300,000 boots and shoes are asked for.

—Two plans for preventing collisions at sea have just been perfected. One is by an English inventor, and consists of a system of lights on the bow moving automatically with the helm, so as to inform any approaching vessel of the exact way the vessel they are on is steering. The other, by Marshal Waldron of Tennessee, consists in a series of buoys to be anchored in deep water, say five miles from a dangerous coast, each furnished with an electic candle, to be lit every ten minutes by an operator at some convenient point on shore.

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Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	6	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	2:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:35	
Concord Way,		4:35	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:35	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:35	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:35 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:30
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

"The Chimney Corner," this (Thursday) evening.

There are thirty prisoners now confined in Portsmouth jail—the largest number ever there at any one time.

See H. B. Buzzell & Son's advertisement of goods for the Christmas and New Year's trade, in another column.

There is to be a business meeting of the Reform Club this evening at half-past seven o'clock, in Mechanics' Hall; a full attendance is requested.

Schooner Utica, Martin, from Boston for Calais, while trying to beat into Portland for a harbor Dec. 17th, broke her foreboom and tore sails so that the captain was compelled to put her before the wind and run for Portsmouth harbor, where she arrived on the 18th; she will repair before proceeding.

The house of Mr. Robert Bickford at South Deerfield, together with the barn and outbuildings, were destroyed by fire on the 15th inst. Some of the furniture was saved. Insured $2000. Mr. Bickford, who married a Portsmouth lady a few weeks since, was absent at the time of the fire, which caught from a defective chimney; he formerly kept a store on Christian Shore.

A committee of Lincoln Hook and Ladder Company, of Dover, visited this city on the 15th inst. to make arrangements for the 47th annual supper of the organization, to be served at the Kearsarge House this (Thursday) evening. They extended invitations to Chief Engineer Fletcher and the foremen of the Portsmouth engine companies, and to all the officers of the Portsmouth hook and ladder company, to be present. The Dover company and their guests will number about sixty persons.

Franklin Hall was crowded again on Wednesday evening, and all seemed to enjoy themselves. The evening's entertainment consisted of music by the Harlow brothers, singing by the Casey brothers, comic songs by Thomas Faulkner, and a burlesque sleight-of-hand performance by "Prof. Arts," all of which were entertaining and well received. The hall was more attractive than on the opening night, the tables being filled with fancy articles and the gifts more prominently displayed. The presents will be allotted to the holders of season tickets this evening.

The Boston papers of Wednesday contained the following: "The store of John Haber of Portsmouth was broken into Monday night by tramps, and robbed of liquors and other articles. The money drawer was also tapped and over $200 taken therefrom." On enquiring of the police respecting the truth of the statement quoted, we were informed that Haber's "store" is a one-horse liquor saloon, and that though it was broken into Monday night, as stated, the police regard the $200 part of the story as a poetical license indulged in by the reporter.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Dec. 19th; *Batchelder, J.*

Poor day for business; only one customer. Joseph Faben, for brawl and tumult, was assessed $9.90, fine and costs.

THE VICINITY.

The late W. F. Groves, who lost his life at the fire at Straw's Point, Rye Beach, had a life insurance of $2000, the avails of which have been sent to his mother in England.

The large two-story house and ell owned by E. C. Moody and Eliza E. Moody, at York, was burned about one o'clock, Wednesday morning. A part of the furniture owned by I. P. Moody, Esq., of Boston, was saved. It was one of the best built houses in town, and was partially insured. Loss about $2500.

—It is buckwheat that, crushed to earth, will rise again.

—Not long ago (remarks the New York *Mail*) girls of the period used to see how much of their skirt could drag over the pavement, but now the effort is made to carry as much in your hand as possible.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 162.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

Concord was settled about 1725, and incorporated in 1733. The first houses and its first meeting house were of logs. The meeting house was toward the north end of Main street where the large church edifice long occupied by the oldest Congregational Society stood. In this last, on what was called "Election Day," the Legislature used to assemble, with the Governor, Council and others, in great numbers to hear the Election Sermon. The building finally was occupied by the Methodist Biblical Institute, and a few years ago was consumed by fire.

The account I have, which I suppose is correct, is that the first house in town built of timber and boards is still standing. It is north of the State House several rods and on the same side of Main street. A street leads off to the west, called Montgomery street. Near the corner of this and Main street, this house stood, but it has been moved some, to make room for a good dwelling, that now stands there. The old house is now used in part for a stable and in part for a woodshed.

How old this house is I do not know. Several in the lower parts of the State are older. It is not large and probably had but two rooms.

When I stood within this dwelling, about six months ago, my reflections were on the period when it stood in the forest, with a small opening, and a few rude cottages, mostly further north. The inhabitants at times were in terrible fear of the Indians, and this house was a garrison, with probably a log defence around it. The Indians, without doubt, saw it, and their warwhoop was heard in places not far away.

Correction.—In No. 161 of the Old Time Chronicles, recently published, the name "Ralph," frequently occurring, should have been printed "Rolfe."

The Romance of a Sleeping Car.

It was in the Cedar Rapids sleeper. Outside it was dark as the inside of an ink-bottle. In the sleeping-car people slept.

Or tried it.

Some of them slept like Christian men and women, peacefully and sweetly and quietly.

Others slept like demons, malignantly, hideously, fiendishly, as though it was their mission to keep everybody else awake.

Of these the man in the lower number three was the "boss." When it came to a square snore with variations, you wanted to count "lower three" in. With a full hand and a pocket full of rocks.

We never heard anything snore like him. It was the most systematic snoring that was ever done, even on one of those tournaments of snoring, a sleeping-car. He didn't begin as soon as the lamps were turned down and everybody was in bed. Oh no. There was more cold-blooded diabolism in his system than that. He waited until everybody had had a little taste of sleep, just to see how good and pleasant it was, and then he broke in on their slumbers like a winged, breathing demon, and they never knew what peace was again that night.

He started out with a terrific

"Gn-r-r-r-t!"

That opened every eye in the car. We all hoped it was an accident, however, and trusting he wouldn't do it again, we all forgave him. Then he blasted our hopes and curdled the sweet serenity of our forgiveness by a long drawn

"Gw-a-h-h-hah!"

That sounded too much like business to be accidental. Then every head in that sleepless sleeper was held off the pillow for a minute, waiting in breathless suspense to hear the worst, and the sleeper in "lower three" went on in long-drawn, regular cadences that indicated good staying qualities.

"Gwn-a-ah! Gwa-a-a-ah! Gahwahwah! Gahwahwah! Gahwah-a-aah!"

Evidently it was going to last all night, and the weary heads dropped back on the sleepless pillows, and the swearing began. It mumbled along in low, muttering tones, like the distant echoes of a profane thunderstorm. Pretty soon the "lower three" gave us a little variation. He shot off a spiteful

"Gwook!"

Which sounded as though his nose had got mad at him and was going to strike. Then there was a pause, and we began to hope he had either awakened from sleep or strangled to death, nobody cared very particularly which. But he disappointed everybody with a gutteral

"Gurooch!"

Then he paused again for breath, and when he had accumulated enough for his purpose he resumed business with a stentorious

"Kowpf!"

That nearly shot the roof off the car. Then he went on playing such queer tricks with his nose, and breathing things that would make the immortal gods weep if they did but hear him. It seemed a matter incredible, it seemed an utter, preposterous impossibility that any human being could make the monstrous, hideous noises with its breathing machine that the fellow in "lower three" was making with his. He ran through all the ranges of the nasal gamut, he went up and down a very chromatic scale of snores, he ran through intricate and fearful variations until it seemed that his nose must be out of joint in a thousand places. All the night through he told his story.

"Gawoh! gurrah? gu-r-r! Kowpff! Gawawah? gawah-hah! gwock gwarrt! gwah-h-h-ll whoof!"

Just as the other passengers had consulted together how they might slay him, morning dawned, and "lower number three" awoke. Everybody watched the curtain to see what manner of man it was that had made that beautiful sleeping-car a pandemonium. Presently the toilet was completed, the curtains parted, and "lower number three" stood revealed.

Great heavens!

It was a fair young girl, with golden hair, and timid pleading eyes, like a hunted fawn's!—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—A good lesson—Less'n cost.

—A sweet thing in combs—Honey.

—The benefits of advertising were never better illustrated than at Hartford the other day. A man went into a newspaper office to advertise for a missing cuff and cuff-button, and in explaining to the sympathizing clerk the theory of how the loss occurred, he found that he had buttoned both his cuffs upon one wristband.

MARRIAGES.

FRENCH—CHASE. In Hampton Falls, Dec. 1, by Rev. I. J. Burgess, Mr. Francis T. French of East Kingston, and Miss Emily S. Chase of Seabrook.

GILES—WADLEIGH. In Kingston, Dec. 2, Mr. Charles W. Giles of East Kingston, and Miss Isabel C. Wadleigh of Kensington.

MARSTON—GOVE. In Raymond, Nov. 29, by Rev. C. E. Sumner, Mr. John D. Marston of Rye, and Miss Sarah J. Gove, daughter of Samuel B. Gove, Esq.

DEATHS.

HERSEY. In Saco, Me., Dec. 16, Capt. Abel Hersey, aged 86 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED in lower harbor Dec. 19.

sch Jesse Williamson Jr, Sawyer, from St George, Me, for New York.

Sch William McGee, Watt, for this port from Richmond, Va, arr at New York, Dec 17.

Sch War Eagle, Frisbee, sld from Wiscasset, Me, for Boston Dec 16.

Health is an inestimable jewel. The cough that deprives you of it may take your life too. One bottle of *Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar* will avert the evil, and save you from consumption. Will you weigh Life against a half-dollar? Sold by all Druggists.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 minute. tj5

There is an advertisement in our columns to which we take much pleasure in referring our readers, because we believe in it and can conscientiously and heartily recommend it. We refer to Hall's Hair Renewer. We remember many cases in our midst of old and middle aged people who formerly wore grey hair, or whose locks were thin and faded, but who now have presentable head pieces, and with no little pride announce to their friends that they have't a grey hair in their heads. It is a pardonable pride, and the world would be better off, if there was more of it, for when the aged make themselves attractive to others they are more certain to win and retain the esteem and respect to which a burthen of well spent years entitles them. Try Hall's Hair Renewer if age or disease has thinned or whitened your locks and you will thank us for our advice.—*Pan Handle News, Wellsburg, W. Va.*

On the 8th of January, 1815, the Mississippi River was forever freed by the victory of General Jackson, with his little army of backwoodsmen over colums of veterans, fresh from the Napoleonic battlefields. It will be celebrated at New Orleans this year with a grand demonstration, the principal feature of which will be the distribution of over $110,000 in cash, by the Louisiana State Lottery Company, with tickets at only two dollars each. The plan is published in another column, and a letter addressed to M. A. Dauphin, P. O. Box 692, New Orleans, will receive immediate attention. The memory of the illustrious Andrew Jackson is as popular to-day in New Orleans as Generals Beauregard and Jubal A. Early, the commissioners of the Lottery.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¾
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¾
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	109½
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s 1880	103½
Massachusetts State 5s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	105
Eastern R. R. 5s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	95
Boston & Providence	130½
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	61½
Northern N. H.	75
Old Colony & Newport	97
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 85c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00 @ Smiths', per chal $8.50
Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 5 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., it. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 55 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9 @ 9½; Gr. 10½; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Lace and Sash Pins,
A LARGE ASSORTMENT.
CUFF PINS,
OF THE LATEST STYLES.
Prices Low.—7 Congress St.

FINE WATCH REPAIRING ENGRAVING
AT LOW PRICES.
OF ALL KINDS
Colored Glasses and Spectacles
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No. 5 EXCHANGE BUILDING,
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HAVE FOR SALE
FINE ENGLISH BREAKFAST, FORMOSA OOLONG, and JAPAN **TEAS,**
FRIEDRICHSHALL BITTER WATER
$2.75 per Dozen.

DEVOE'S BRILLIANT OIL!
1st. Is absolutely *safe.*
2d. Gives a powerful brilliant white *light.*
3d. Does *not smoke,* nor *smell,* nor *crust* the wick.
4th. Is the most *economical* oil, because it gives the most *light* in proportion to its *price.*

THE CEREALS MANUFACTUTING COMPANY'S
STEAM COOKED
White Wheat, Oat Meal, and Barley Food.
CHYLOONG'S
Preserved Ginger and Chow Chow in Pots,
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PAT. PROCESS
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JUST RECEIVED, direct from the Mills in Minnesota,
100 BARRELS
OF THE CELEBRATED
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FLOUR FLOUR
It is made by reliable and experienced Millers, from the best selected Wheat grown in Minnesota.
IT WILL MAKE
20 PER CENT. MORE BREAD
Than can be obtained from the same quantity of choice St. Louis Flour, and of a much better quality!
It being
Whiter, More Spongy and More Palatable
and will hold its moisture longer than Bread made from any other grade of Flour!
HENRY F. GERRISH.

GLOVES.
New Stock of Ladies' Gauntlets!
GLOVES GLOVES
J. E. Ham & Co., 27 Market St.,
Have just received fresh from the manufacturers an assortment of
LADIES' KID GAUNTLETS,
A Nice Article at Low Prices.
Also, a Full Line of
Gentlemen's Gloves:
Plymouth Hand-Made BUCK GLOVES,
KID, CLOTH and WOOLEN GLOVES.
Youths' and Children's Mitts,
Full Line of Kid Mitts,
Fancy Mufflers,
Silk Handkerchiefs.
Also, Peice Buck Gloves at Low Prices.
☞ LADIES' OVERCOATS made to order, cut and trimmed.
J. E. HAM & CO.

JUST RECEIVED.
ONE PIECE BLACK
Matelasse Cloaking
FOR LADIES' WEAR,
Which we will sell at $4.00 per yard.
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WE ALL KNOW
THESE ARE HARD TIMES,
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READY-MADE CLOTHING
So Remarkably Cheap!
WE HAVE THE FINEST LOT OF
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— ALSO —
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JUST RECEIVED, a Complete Assortment of HORSE BLANKETS, LAP ROBES, etc.
ON HAND AT ALL TIMES,
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AT THE NACKER'S,
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GOODS
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HAVING RECEIVED A FULL ASSORTMENT OF FOREIGN AND DOMESTIC
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I am prepared to make them up into GARMENTS of the latest style, or according to the fancy of the purchaser, and
Perfect Satisfaction Guaranteed!
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Will sell, for sixty days, the following goods at reduced prices:
THE EATON COOK STOVE,
Price reduced from $40 to $30.
Unsurpassed for its working qualities and economy of fuel. Warranted as represented, or the money refunded.
Parlor Stoves,
With ovens, the best in the market, $14, $15, $16.
Also, One Hundred Cook and Parlor
Coal and Wood Stoves,
2d Hand, very cheap.
The Best Russia Iron STOVE PIPE, *to order,* 20 cents per lb.; galvanized iron stove pipe, 15 cts. per lb.; common stove pipe, 10 cts. per lb.
IRON, TIN, AND WOODEN WARE,
At extremely low prices. Wash-Boilers, copper-bottomed, $1.75. Coal-hode, galvanized iron, 75 cts. to $1.00. Large three-hooped Wash-tubs, 75 cts. Custom made 10 quart Milk-pans, with feet, 25 cents; 6-qt. do, 22 cts. Chamber-sets, $15, $20, up to $35.
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Lower Prices than ever before sold in this city!
☞ Remember they are all NEW GOODS and not remnants.
Cloth Curtains from 35 cts. to $2.00 each.
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Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 20, 1877.

The Loss of the Huron.

The opinion of the Naval Court of Inquiry into the Huron disaster has been promulgated by the Secretary of the Navy. The officers composing the court give a synopsis of all the testimony taken in the course of the inquiry, and refer frequently to it in their findings. Their conclusions are that Commander Ryan is primarily responsible for the loss of that vessel, and that Lieut. Palmer, the navigating officer, made errors in navigation; also that the deck officers, on the night of her loss, might have been at fault in not ascertaining the accuracy of the perpendicular soundings reported to them from time to time. The ship is reported to have been in every respect well found, staunch and seaworthy, and she was in that condition up to the time that she struck. They find that no one of the survivors from the wreck has any cause of complaint to make against any officer or man upon the vessel for want of hearty co-operation or loyal assistance in the midst of the perils that surrounded them, and find that every man was cool, ready, willing and brave up to the last moment.

News and Notes.

The Galveston (Texas) *News* of the 18th published what purports to be a despatch from the Sheriff of El Paso county to the Governor of Texas, stating that the State troops surrendered to the Mexican mob on the previous day, and that Howard, Atkinson and McBride, the owners of the salt lakes, were immediately shot in cold blood by the Mexicans. The War Department had received no such advices up to the morning of the 19th, but it was feared the statement would prove true. Howard was the slayer of Lewis Cardis, the Italian leader of the Mexican mob, some months ago, when the El Paso troubles commenced.

A team containing three men and a boy, returning to Groversdale, Mass., from a drunken carousal in Dudley, ran into obstructions by the roadside, Sunday afternoon, the result of reckless driving. The wagon was smashed and Henry Nickerson instantly killed. A young man named Haffie was seriously and probably fatally injured. A third man had all his ribs broken, but may survive, and the boy was badly bruised.

There is a serious strike of laborers on the Lachine canal, at Montreal, Canada. The men have been getting from eighty cents to ninety cents per day, and were paid very irregularly; they struck for regular payments and one dollar a day. Low as their pay was, others were found to take their places, and on Tuesday, the 18th inst., an attack was made on the latter by a mob of the strikers; the assailants were beaten off by a fusilade which killed one man and wounded several others.

There was almost a riot in New London, Conn., one evening recently. The principal show hall in that town, Lawrence Hall, had been hired by a travelling combination, and paid for in advance; but the janitor of the hall claimed the right to pass in, free, as many of his friends as he wished, asserting that the proprietor of the hall had given him that permission. This preposterous claim the manager of the show refused to submit to, and the janitor refused to open the hall; and it was not until the Mayor of the city authorized the showmen to chop down the door, and the waiting crowd threatened to hang the cheeky janitor, that the latter yielded and opened the doors. Frank Mayo and other theatrical managers have had similar trouble with the same fellow.

An exchange says: "The verdict of nine years imprisonment against Lucy Ann Mank, for causing the death of Charles Ricker in Lowell, was an important one from the fact that the shooting of Ricker was accidental, occurring while he was trying to prevent Miss Mank from shooting herself. The court ruled that, while suicide is felony, homicide resulting from it is manslaughter." It is more likely the jury considered the shooting of Ricker a premeditated murder, notwithstanding the woman's story and the ingenious defence of the counsel, and that the murder of another one of her paramours in Maine a few years ago, had something to do with the verdict in this case.

About 300 of the employes of the cartridge factory, in Bridgeport, Conn., were temporarily dismissed from work, on the 15th, on account of a partial suspension of operations in the company's Turkish orders. The suspension is caused by the tardiness of the Turkish government in making payments.

A shrewd, keen-eyed Scotchman is employed to do nothing else than board, outside the New York Central Depot in New York, all incoming passenger trains, and go through the cars immediately after the passengers have left them, looking for lost articles. No train men or other employes are permitted to precede him, and if one may judge from his findings, his search must be very thorough. Scarcely a train comes in from which he does not gather up something. Overcoats, shawls, rubber shoes, satchels, umbrellas, canes, packages, silk hats, pocket books and jewelry are turned in by him in a steady stream, that has, notwithstanding the constant out-go to claimants, made up an accumulation that fills a huge closet and the greater part of a storeroom besides. Some things have been on hand for five years.

Charles E. Cutler of Massachusetts, who with Potter of Portland, Me., had building contracts amounting to $50,000 at St. John, N. B., absconded with $4,000. He has been arrested at Calais, Me., but it is doubtful if, under the reciprocity treaty, he can be taken back.

On Wednesday, the 16th of January, Senator Cockrell will submit in the Senate resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Senator Bogy, upon which there will be eulogistic remarks by six or eight Senators; and on Thursday, the next day, Senator McDonald will submit resolutions of respect to the memory of the late Senator Morton, upon which a number of Senators will speak.

Rear Admiral Henry Walker, a retired officer, was robbed by a stranger in the Seaman's bank in New York of $1,100 he had just drawn from the sub-treasury, and was about to deposit in the bank.

It is given out that Col. McClure, of the Philadelphia *Times*, is about to take the editorship of the New York *Tribune*, vice Mr. Whitelaw Reid.

An expedition under the auspices of the French government is to be sent to San Francisco to observe the transit of Mercury, which occurs on May 6, 1878.

As 150 girls and boys were leaving Krebs & Speis' cigar factory at Forty-fourth street and Second avenue, New York, they were attacked by fifty strikers. The girls were the special objects of attack. Their hair was pulled down and their clothing torn. The faces of many of them were covered with blood. The boys defended them as well as they could, but were easily overcome by the superior strength of the men. The strikers avoided the police.

A vote of the New Haven Board of Education at its last meeting to exclude the Bible from the public schools, and that no religious exercises whatever be allowed, has caused considerable excitement, and Postmaster Sperry, in an address delivered on Sunday night, took strong ground against it.

Two sailing ships and a steamer will be ready to sail in February and March, under direction of the Secretary of the Navy, with goods for the French International Exposition. The Commissioner of Agriculture will prepare an extensive display of cotton, tobacco, wool, Indian corn, sugar, rice and other products of this country. He also intends to exhibit a choice collection of the different kinds of wood of this country.

The railroads leading out of Boston run special trains to take persons to see the "Exiles" at the Boston Theatre.

A former conductor on the Metropolitan horse railroad of Boston has fallen heir to thirty thousand dollars. Honesty is the best policy.

The National Reform Convention at Rochester, N. Y., to advocate the express acknowledgment of God in the Constitution, met there Tuesday. Resolutions were adopted, the drift of which is that the duty of all good citizens is to favor express acknowledgment in the Constitution of the authority of God and Jesus Christ.

Mark Twain made a speech at the *Atlantic* dinner, recently, which was in bad taste. We refer to it, because Mark's sense of propriety needs development, and it is not his first offence. He told a story in which Messrs. Longfellow, Emerson and Holmes were represented as crowding their society upon a California miner, guzzling his whiskey and cheating him at cards. It was, of course, meant to be a piece of incongruous absurdity, and although the idea was not at all original, it might have seemed funny in some circles, when told with Mark's drawl, but men who have attained the years and fame of Longfellow and Emerson are entitled to some degree of respect amongst a company of their friends. The offence is easier to feel than describe, but it is one which if repeated would cost Mark Twain his place among the contributors to the *Atlantic Monthly*, where indeed his appearance was in the beginning considered an innovation. —*Worcester Gazette.*

Political.

If ever there was in this country a more disgusting exhibition of the prostitution of the machinery of justice for partisan purposes than was exhibited at the late execution in Kemper county, Miss., of the negro murderer Walter Riley, no record of it has been kept. When the doomed man took his place on the scaffold he was allowed to be questioned for more than an hour by some of the democratic spectators, in the hope that he would implicate Judge Chisolm in the murder of the democratic leader, Gully, whose assassination was the pretext for the brutal butchery of Judge Chisolm and his son and sixteen-years-old daughter; but he failed to do so, saying, "I can't go before God with a lie in my mouth. If any white man had anything to do with the murder I don't know it." This last exhibition of Kemper county decency but intensifies the popular contempt for its brutal population.

The President's special message on the civil service will be ready soon after the re-assembling of Congress. It will set forth at length the President's views in regard to patronage, and will take the position that Congress, as well as the President, has been instructed by the national conventions and by nearly every State convention on this subject, and that he is simply attempting to carry out the letter of these instructions, given him in advance by those who elected him. The constitutional right of the President to originate nominations will be insisted upon, and in that the message will be a notice to the country and to Congress that, in the pending contest with the Senate, the President has not thought of surrendering.

Senator Gordon has gone home to Georgia. The democrats opposed to him says that his failure to send Conkling a challenge will weaken him very much in Georgia, and injure his prospects for re-election, from which it appears that the fire-eating democrats of the South hope to yet re-establish the plantation whip in the position it once held as the sceptre of power in the National Congress. It cannot be done; the supreme rule of the plantation bully was ended some time ago.

James T. Farley, just elected United States Senator by the Legislature of California, declared recently to a representative of the San Francisco *Bulletin* that he is opposed to the government's paying a subsidy to the Texas Pacific or any other railroad; that he believes a silver dollar should be a dollar in fact as well as in name; that he agrees with Tilden on the financial and resumption questions; that he is emphatically opposed to Chinese immigration; and that he believes the present protective tariff should be reduced until we have reached free, open trade with the world for our market.

New Hampshire Items.

Webb Cross was drowned in the millpond at Goff's Falls, Wednesday, while skating.

Ex-Gov. Dix of New York has sent a large donation of books to the public library in Rumney.

Dr. O. Goss has been chosen President of the Lake Village Savings Bank, in place of Hon. B. J. Cole, resigned.

The remains of Rev. Dr. J. H. Eames, rector of St. Paul's Episcopal church of Concord, who died at Bermuda on the 10th, arrived there and were taken to the church. The funeral occurred on Wednesday, the 19th, Bishop Niles officiating.

The estate of the late Betsey Whitehouse of Pembroke, concerning which there is some litigation, has been inventoried at $268,000, being one of the largest properties ever left in the State. It is largely invested in stock and securities of New Hampshire railroads.

Prof. F. L. Bartlett has recently made a discovery of nickel ore at Milan. This mineral is very valuable and scarce, there being but three other mines known in the United States.

"The "Mountain District," so called, lies mostly in the town of Rindge, but in it meet the corners of three towns, Ashburnham, New Ipswich and Rindge, situated respectively in the counties of Worcester, (Mass.,) Hillsboro' and Cheshire. The schoolhouse stands on the centering lines and rapid transportation can be made from one town to the other. The scholars sit in Rindge while the teacher stands on the floor in New Ipswich, and recreation is taken in Ashburnham, from which place come seven of the pupils.

The Eastern War.

Adlie has been evacuated by the Turks and occupied by the Servians.

A despatch from Vienna reports a general forward movement of the Russian armies around Plevna. Bucharest advices say Russia has ordered the mobilization of 60,000 more troops, and that the indications are that they will attack the Shipka Pass. [What the Russians want to attack Shipka Pass, for when they have been in possession of it for months, is not stated.]

English papers say the ministry will ask Parliament to increase the army; also that contracts for the prompt furnishing of 300,000 boots and shoes are asked for.

—Two plans for preventing collisions at sea have just been perfected. One is by an English inventor, and consists of a system of lights on the bow moving automatically with the helm, so as to inform any approaching vessel of the exact way the vessel they are on is steering. The other, by Marshal Waldron of Tennessee, consists in a series of buoys to be anchored in deep water, say five miles from a dangerous coast, each furnished with an electic candle, to be lit every ten minutes by an operator at some convenient point on shore.

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To Let.

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To Let.

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A TENEMENT of 8 rooms, either furnished or unfurnished; the former preferred. Inquire at No. 3 Market St.

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HOUSE No. 39 CONGRESS STREET, formerly occupied by John Durgin.

GEORGE E. HODGDON.

To Let.

THE WALKER HOUSE, No. 1 Elm Street. For particulars apply to WM. P. WALKER, No. 3 Market Square, or HENRY A. YEATON, at Brooks & Co's, Market Street.

For Rent.

HOUSE of ten rooms, No. 2 Melcher St., near Pleasant St.; water in house; rent very low to a good tenant,—or will rent to two tenants, with six or four rooms. Apply at No. 51 PLEASANT STREET.

To Let.

THE BRICK HOUSE 18 State street, in good repair, with a fine new furnace, gas and all other conveniences usually found in a genteel dwelling house. A new barn and fine garden full of fruit trees and grape vines of the best varieties —all in bearing. Also half of the house No. 16 State street, six rooms; four of them on the first floor. Very convenient for a small family.

Apply to HENRY F. GERRISH.

Lots of Land for Sale.

THE LOT OF LAND on North Street on Jones' Hill, near the estate of Samuel M. DeMeritt, Esq. Also, a piece of Land on Freeman's Point, adjoining the premises of W. F. Fernald.

Also, the Dwelling House and Land of John Mathews, on Main Street in Kittery, a short distance east from Navy Yard Bridge.

WILLIAM H. HACKETT.

DWELLING HOUSE FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale the DWELLING HOUSE owned and occupied by him, situated on Water Street near the south Mill Bridge and numbered 77. Said House is in thorough repair, contains nine rooms and a good attic, and is well furnished with gas and fixtures. To any one who desires a comfortable residence in a pleasant portion of the city, the above offers rare inducements, as the price will be made low to a cash purchaser. Possession given early in the Spring.

CHARLES W. GARDNER.

Lost.

ON Friday last, Dec. 14, a FUR BOA. It was dropped from a carriage going out Middle Street, around the Plains, and to the Navy Yard. The finder will be suitably rewarded on having it at the Rockingham House, Portsmouth.

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EDWIN A. TILTON,
39 Congress St., - - - Chambers 4 and 5.

Local Matters.

POST-OFFICE RULES.

MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5
Portland,	9:35	4:35 6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:35
Concord Way,		4:35
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:35
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:35

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4 *9 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

"The Chimney Corner," this (Thursday) evening.

There are thirty prisoners now confined in Portsmouth jail—the largest number ever there at any one time.

See H. B. Buzzell & Son's advertisement of goods for the Christmas and New Year's trade, in another column.

There is to be a business meeting of the Reform Club this evening at half-past seven o'clock, in Mechanics' Hall; a full attendance is requested.

Schooner Utica, Marsin, from Boston for Calais, while trying to beat into Portland for a harbor Dec. 17th, broke her foreboom and tore sails so that the captain was compelled to put her before the wind and run for Portsmouth harbor, where she arrived on the 18th; she will repair before proceeding.

The house of Mr. Robert Bickford at South Deerfield, together with the barn and outbuildings, were destroyed by fire on the 15th inst. Some of the furniture was saved. Insured $2000. Mr. Bickford, who married a Portsmouth lady a few weeks since, was absent at the time of the fire, which caught from a defective chimney; he formerly kept a store on Christian Shore.

A committee of Lincoln Hook and Ladder Company, of Dover, visited this city on the 15th inst. to make arrangements for the 47th annual supper of the organization, to be served at the Kearsarge House this (Thursday) evening. They extended invitations to Chief Engineer Fletcher and the foremen of the Portsmouth engine companies, and to all the officers of the Portsmouth hook and ladder company, to be present. The Dover company and their guests will number about sixty persons.

Franklin Hall was crowded again on Wednesday evening, and all seemed to enjoy themselves. The evening's entertainment consisted of music by the Harlow brothers, singing by the Casey brothers, comic songs by Thomas Faulkner, and a burlesque sleight-of-hand performance by "Prof. Arts," all of which were entertaining and well received. The hall was more attractive than on the opening night, the tables being filled with fancy articles and the gifts more prominently displayed. The presents will be allotted to the holders of season tickets this evening.

The Boston papers of Wednesday contained the following: "The store of John Haher of Portsmouth was broken into Monday night by tramps, and robbed of liquors and other articles. The money drawer was also tapped and over $200 taken therefrom." On enquiring of the police respecting the truth of the statement quoted, we were informed that Haher's "store" is a one-horse liquor saloon, and that though it was broken into Monday night, as stated, the police regard the $200 part of the story as a poetical license indulged in by the reporter.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Dec. 19th; *Batchelder, J.*

Poor day for business; only one customer. Joseph Faben, for brawl and tumult, was assessed $9.90, fine and costs.

THE VICINITY.

The late W. F. Groves, who lost his life at the fire at Straw's Point, Rye Beach, had a life insurance of $2000, the avails of which have been sent to his mother in England.

The large two-story house and ell owned by E. C. Moody and Eliza E. Moody, at York, was burned about one o'clock, Wednesday morning. A part of the furniture owned by I. P. Moody, Esq., of Boston, was saved. It was one of the best built houses in town, and was partially insured. Loss about $2500.

—It is buckwheat that, crushed to earth, will rise again.

—Not long ago (remarks the New York *Mail*) girls of the period used to see how much of their skirt could drag over the pavement, but now the effort is made to carry as much in your hand as possible.

Old Time Chronicles, No. 162.

BY UNCLE JOSEPH.

Concord was settled about 1725, and incorporated in 1733. The first houses and its first meeting house were of logs. The meeting house was toward the north end of Main street where the large church edifice long occupied by the oldest Congregational Society stood. In this last, on what was called "Election Day," the Legislature used to assemble, with the Governor, Council and others, in great numbers to hear the Election Sermon. The building finally was occupied by the Methodist Biblical Institute, and a few years ago was consumed by fire.

The account I have, which I suppose is correct, is that the first house in town built of timber and boards is still standing. It is north of the State House several rods and on the same side of Main street. A street leads off to the west, called Montgomery street. Near the corner of this and Main street, this house stood, but it has been moved some, to make room for a good dwelling, that now stands there. The old house is now used in part for a stable and in part for a woodshed.

How old this house is I do not know. Several in the lower parts of the State are older. It is not large and probably had but two rooms.

When I stood within this dwelling, about six months ago, my reflections were on the period when it stood in the forest, with a small opening, and a few rude cottages, mostly further north. The inhabitants at times were in terrible fear of the Indians, and this house was a garrison, with probably a log defence around it. The Indians, without doubt, saw it, and their warwhoop was heard in places not far away.

Correction.—In No. 161 of the Old Time Chronicles, recently published, the name "Ralph," frequently occurring, should have been printed "Rolfe."

The Romance of a Sleeping Car.

It was in the Cedar Rapids sleeper. Outside it was dark as the inside of an ink-bottle. In the sleeping-car people slept.

Or tried it.

Some of them slept like Christian men and women, peacefully and sweetly and quietly.

Others slept like demons, malignantly, hideously, fiendishly, as though it was their mission to keep everybody else awake.

Of these the man in the lower number three was the "boss." When it came to a square snore with variations, you wanted to count "lower three" in. With a full hand and a pocket full of rocks.

We never heard anything snore like him. It was the most systematic snoring that was ever done, even on one of those tournaments of snoring, a sleeping-car. He didn't begin as soon as the lamps were turned down and everybody was in bed. Oh no. There was more cold-blooded diabolism in his system than that. He waited until everybody had had a little taste of sleep, just to see how good and pleasant it was, and then he broke in on their slumbers like a winged, breathing demon, and they never knew what peace was again that night.

He started out with a terrific

"Gn-r-r-r-t!"

That opened every eye in the car. We all hoped it was an accident, however, and trusting he wouldn't do it again, we all forgave him. Then he blasted our hopes and curdled the sweet serenity of our forgiveness by a long drawn

"Gw-a-h-h-hah!"

That sounded too much like business to be accidental. Then every head in that sleepless sleeper was held off the pillow for a minute, waiting in breathless suspense to hear the worst, and the sleeper in "lower three" went on in long-drawn, regular cadences that indicated good staying qualities.

"Gwn-a-ah! Gwa-a-a-ah! Gahwahwah! Gabwahwah! Gahwah-a-aah!"

Evidently it was going to last all night, and the weary heads dropped back on the sleepless pillows, and the swearing began. It mumbled along in low, muttering tones, like the distant echoes of a profane thunderstorm. Pretty soon the "lower three" gave us a little variation. He shot off a spiteful

"Gwook!"

Which sounded as though his nose had got mad at him and was going to strike. Then there was a pause, and we began to hope he had either awakened from sleep or strangled to death, nobody cared very particularly which. But he disappointed everybody with a gutteral

"Gurooch!"

Then he paused again for breath, and when he had accumulated enough for his purpose he resumed business with a stentorious

"Kowpf!"

That nearly shot the roof off the car. Then he went on playing such queer tricks with his nose, and breathing things that would make the immortal gods weep if they did but hear him. It seemed a matter incredible, it seemed an utter, preposterous impossibility that any human being could make the monstrous, hideous noises with its breathing machine that the fellow in "lower three" was making with his. He ran through all the ranges of the nasal gamut, he went up and down a very chromatic scale of snores, he ran through intricate and fearful variations until it seemed that his nose must be out of joint in a thousand places. All the night through he told his story.

"Gawoh! gurrah? gu-r-r! Kowpf! Gawawah? gawah-hah! gwock gwarrt! gwah-h-h-ll whoof!"

Just as the other passengers had consulted together how they might slay him, morning dawned, and "lower number three" awoke. Everybody watched the curtain to see what manner of man it was that had made that beautiful sleeping-car a pandemonium. Presently the toilet was completed, the curtains parted, and "lower number three" stood revealed.

Great heavens!

It was a fair young girl, with golden hair, and timid pleading eyes, like a hunted fawn's!—*Burlington Hawkeye.*

—A good lesson—Less'n cost.

—A sweet thing in combs—Honey.

—The benefits of advertising were never better illustrated than at Hartford the other day. A man went into a newspaper office to advertise for a missing cuff and cuff-button, and in explaining to the sympathizing clerk the theory of how the loss occurred, he found that he had buttoned both his cuffs upon one wristband.

MARRIAGES.

FRENCH—CHASE. In Hampton Falls, Dec. 1, by Rev. I. J. Burgess, Mr. Francis T. French of East Kingston, and Miss Emily S. Chase of Seabrook.

GILES—WADLEIGH. In Kingston, Dec. 2, Mr. Charles W. Giles of East Kingston, and Miss Isabel C. Wadleigh of Kensington.

MARSTON—GOVE. In Raymond, Nov. 29, by Rev. C. E. Sumner, Mr. John D. Marston of Rye, and Miss Sarah J. Gove, daughter of Samuel B. Gove, Esq.

DEATHS.

HERSEY. In Saco, Me., Dec. 16, Capt. Abel Hersey, aged 86 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED in lower harbor Dec. 19.

sch Jesse Williamson Jr, Sawyer, from St George, Me, for New York.

Sch William McGee, Watt, for this port from Richmond, Va, arr at New York, Dec 17.

Sch War Eagle, Frisbee, sid from Wiscasset, Me, for Boston Dec 16.

Health is an inestimable jewel. The cough that deprives you of it may take your life too. One bottle of *Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar* will avert the evil, and save you from consumption. Will you weigh Life against a half-dollar? Sold by all Druggists.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 minute. tj3

There is an advertisement in our columns to which we take much pleasure in referring our readers, because we believe in it and can conscientiously and heartily recommend it. We refer to Hall's Hair Renewer. We remember many cases in our midst of old and middle aged people who formerly wore grey hair, or whose locks were thin and faded, but who now have presentable head pieces, and with no little pride announce to their friends that they haven't a grey hair in their heads. It is a pardonable pride, and the world would be better off, if there was more of it, for when the aged make themselves attractive to others they are more certain to win and retain the esteem and respect to which a burthen of well spent years entitles them. Try Hall's Hair Renewer if age or disease has thinned or whitened your locks and you will thank us for our advice.—*Pen Handle News, Wellsburg, W. Va.*

On the 8th of January, 1815, the Mississippi River was forever freed by the victory of General Jackson, with his little army of backwoodsmen over columns of veterans, fresh from the Napoleonic battlefields. It will be celebrated at New Orleans this year with a grand demonstration, the principal feature of which will be the distribution of over $110,000 in cash, by the Louisiana State Lottery Company, with tickets at only two dollars each. The plan is published in another column, and a letter addressed to M. A. Dauphin, P. O. Box 692, New Orleans, will receive immediate attention. The memory of the illustrious Andrew Jackson is as popular to-day in New Orleans as Generals Beauregard and Jubal A. Early, the commissioners of the Lottery.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102¼
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110¼
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108¼
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106¼
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s 1890	103½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	106
Eastern R. R. 8½	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	*95
Boston & Providence	116½
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	4½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	61½
Northern N. H.	75
Old Colony & Newport	97
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	3½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
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Coal, Anthr, per ton $5.50 @ Smiths', per chal $8.50
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Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
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Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per ℔., $18 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
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GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., Nov. 3, 1876.

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Tackling His Wife's Mother.

They had been having pancakes since the 1st of February. He was an economical man, and thought fifty-cent molasses was good enough. She was a trifle more refined in her taste, and yearned for syrup; but, being a patient and meek woman, she gave up the struggle for the desire of her heart, and quietly submitted to his decision. Last Friday her mother made them her first visit. She is a woman of large bone, quick of thought, and amply adapted to tussle with the problems of life. She didn't take to the cheap adornment of the pancakes, and asked her daughter why she didn't have syrup.

"These cakes are too good to be smeared with such stuff," she asserted in a tone of disgust.

The wife made a feeble reply, while the husband smiled grimly to himself.

"Can't you get syrup in Danbury?" she asked him.

"I s'pose so."

"Then I shall expect some for my breakfast to-morrow morning," she said, looking straight at him.

Next morning the pitcher of molasses was on the table. She picked it up, and smelled of the contents.

"Faugh!" she exclaimed, lifting her nose: "where's that syrup?"

"I didn't get it!" said he, without looking up.

"Did you forget it?" she asked, opening her lips as little as possible to say the words.

"No."

"Why didn't you get it, then?"

"Because it cost more than I want to pay."

"Oh!"

There was a moment's pause after this ejaculation, during which he raised his eyes to leer at her, but dropped them again, and moved uneasily in his chair.

"You don't seem to think of the cost when you want a cigar or a glass of liquor, or to go off to a place of amusement," she said, looking straight into his depressed face; "but when anything better than tar is wanted at home for pancakes, cost is a matter of some importance. If you had a stomach that was half human, you couldn't eat it."

"It's good enough for me; and what's good enough for me must be good enough for others," he doggedly growled.

There was a jump, the sound of an overturning chair and crockery; and she was standing up, with one hand convulsively grasped in his hair and the other clutching the pitcher of offence. His face was pressed against the table.

"Lemme up!" he yelled.

"It's good enough for you, is it?" she cried. "Well, you shall have the whole of it."

And she turned the contents over his head, and worked it in his hair, and down his neck, and in his ears, while he sputtered and screamed and whined and struggled with all his might to release himself; but he was a baby in the hands of a giant. When she got through she coolly proceeded to the sink, and deliberately washed her hands, while he sat there, quivering all over, and staring at her with an expression in his eyes that tallied admirably with the erect condition of his hair. He was two full hours in getting that stuff out of his hair; but it was not wasted time. A gallon of the best syrup was up to the house within an hour after he went down; and when she returned home, four days later, he hired a carriage expressly to take her to the cars. When she came, she had to walk from the depot.—*Danbury News.*

—Very large buttons are all the rage. They cover ladies' cloaks and dresses, and when arranged in two parallel rows make their wearers look like walking games of dominoes. Fashion will next impress into its service Japanese and Majolica saucers for dress decoration. On the masculine Ulster huge horn buttons are also prominent.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102½
U. S. 5bses 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s 1880	106½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 8s	107
Ports. Gl. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	40½
Boston & Maine	125
Boston & Providence	110½
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	42
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	105
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	61½
Northern N. H.	75
Old Colony & Newport	19
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	34
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	95

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1877.

News and Notes.

An entire family in Randolph, Mass., consisting of Mrs. Catharine Ryan, her three sons and a daughter, and a niece, were suffocated by gas from a coal stove on Wednesday night. In Newburg, N. Y., Thomas Rooney's house was burned, Wednesday, and the bodies of his two children, three and five years of age, were found in the ruins locked in each other's arms.

Henry Hickey, eleven years old, was playing with a ten-years-old girl named Cronin, and her little brother, aged three years, in South Boston on Wednesday. Hickey got angry with the Cronin boy, drew a pistol, and as the little fellow was running away shot him in the head, killing him. The young ruffian bears a bad character, and had but recently been released from the Reform School. This will afford an excellent chance for some more Pomeroy gush.

The surrender of the Texan State troops to the mob at El Paso, and the after butchery of Howard, Atkinson and McBride, are confirmed.

The woman who recently died suddenly in a railroad depot at Lowell, has been identified as a Miss Sarah Roberts of Franklin, Mass.

The story of the abduction of the Burt girl in Westport, Conn., grows more and more shady, and the people of that vicinity now discredit it in toto. The girl has run away from home several times before, and on account of her last escapade previous to the one which caused so much excitement, her father took away her clothes. Thus when she again ran away she was obliged to don masculine attire. The fact that her father and mother attended to their usual employments and made no announcement that she was missing seems to strengthen this conclusion.

A citizen of Norwich, Conn., is being prosecuted for cruelty to a cat. He wounded it by a pistol shot in his cellar and then carried it up stairs and threw it into the kitchen fire.

A Treasury official who has been eighteen months in London representing the United States Treasury in connection with the Syndicate, and has just returned, recites a gloomy state of affairs. The Syndicate is disheartened, the Treasury clerks have been sent home, and all parties in the Syndicate interest agree that funding operations must stop. They attribute it all to the agitation of the silver question in Congress. He says the Syndicate people are of the unanimous opinion that no more four per cent. United States bonds can be sold in Europe. He had been to Naples during his leave from London without pay, and reports that some wealthy English investors he met are greatly excited about the probabilities that United States bonds, from which they derive their income, will be repudiated.

Postmaster-General Key and Third Assistant Hazen are in New York to inspect the manufacture of postal cards under the recent contract, the execution of which is not satisfactory. An inspection of the manufacture of postage stamps will also be made.

Dr. Lemuel Draper, Surgeon of the Navy, was captured at a rebel ball in Baltimore during the war, and his commission cancelled. After many ineffectual attempts to get back into the Navy, he was on Tuesday, 18th inst., reinstated as Assistant Surgeon, with pay for fourteen years and ten months.

Recently a hardware store in Nashville, Tenn., was on fire. When it was extinguished it was found to contain 119 pounds of powder in three different parts of the house. One hundred and ninety-six bales of cotton, saturated with coal-oil, were scattered over the house. Seventy-three pounds of powder, in one bulk, were within three feet of where the fire was hot enough to melt a metallic spoon. Had either one of the packages exploded it might have killed the entire Fire Department. The men working in the rear and front were in very close proximity to the fire. The house had been ignited in four places.

The Supreme Court of Massachusetts has rendered an important decision denying the authority of the Boston city council to make the East Boston ferries free of tolls.

The request of the House military committee that the War Department will order Col. Shafter, who commanded the first expedition under the President's order into Mexico, and several of his officers, to Washington, is because some of the latter claim that Shafter did not follow the fresh trail, as was alone contemplated by the order, but went over without that excuse.

A general order issued from the War Department announces that a board will assemble at the National Armory, Springfield, Mass., the 3d of April, 1878, to consider and recommend a magazine gun, should one be found suitable for military service, the Secretary of War being authorized to expend not more than $20,000 in its manufacture. Lieut. Col. J. G. Benton, Major F. H. Parker and Capt. J. H. Rollins, of the Ordnance Department, have been detailed as members of the board. All persons interested in magazine guns are invited to submit a sample, and appear in person. The arms submitted must be calibre forty-five, and use United States service cartridge.

Mr. Boutwell has reported his Revision of the Statutes to the State Department. The complete work is now regarded as in excellent shape.

Archibald McClure Bush, formerly captain of the Harvard base ball club, died recently in Liverpool. He was married in September last, and was on a wedding tour at the time of his death. He served in the Union army all through the war, rising to be captain and brevet major, and entered Harvard college afterward, graduating in the class of '71. He was at one time considered the best base ball player in the country.

The President has signed a pardon for John A. Joyce, convicted of conspiracy to defraud the United States of taxes on distilled spirits. The pardon is full and unconditional. Joyce it will be remembered was sentenced to $2000 fine in addition to his imprisonment. He had served his term and was unable to pay his fine.

The United States steamer Lackawanna leaves San Francisco this week for the Mexican coast, for the purpose of surveying Tartan Shoal, upon which the Pacific mail steamship City of San Francisco was wrecked a few months ago. It is thought that rocks have been upheaved by an earthquake at several points where the charts indicate a good depth of water.

The Postmaster General has begun a series of investigations as to the number and character of the working force in the post offices of the large cities. He proposes to make the examination thorough with a few ot ascertaining the fitness of those in charge of their places.

A few days ago a man named Samuel A. Wilts, while digging a post hole near Somerville, N. J., dug up an earthen crock which contained $2,700 in gold and silver Spanish coins, all of ancient date. The treasure was found about two feet below the surface.

A Belfast, Maine, teacher and scholar recently had a tussle, in which the latter got the best of it. Then the teacher sued him, and the court decided that a teacher has the same right over his pupils, in school, that a parent has over his children, and can use ordinary means to enforce his legitimate authority. The pupil was fined $5 and costs, amounting to $16, which he paid.

Peanuts yield a large percentage of oil that is as good for all purposes as olive oil. It is more palatable than olive oil, and is used extensively for culinary purposes, finding a ready market.

The Boston *Post*, commenting on the expression by many persons of a fear that democratic ascendency in the National councils would mean the pensioning of the ex-rebel soldiers, quotes the Constitutional prohibition of any such performance, and says: "And it should be remembered that it is not the democratic party that is inclined to evade or tamper with the Constitution." This is amusing when we consider that the Congressional representatives of the democratic party within a few weeks have been engaged in an endeavor to take away from the President, by a mere resolution, his Constitutional prerogative as commander-in-chief of the army. The democrats are great sticklers for the Constitution, so long as its provisions do not stand in the way of their partisan schemes—and no longer.

New Hampshire Items.

Charles Fitch of Greenfield, a man about 60 years of age, committed suicide by hanging himself to a tree early Wednesday morning. He had been sick and was in charge of a nurse, but managed to get away unobserved about one o'clock, and without being dressed went to a tree some distance from his house, and was found dead a few hours afterwards with his neck between two branches of the tree. He was a graduate of Dartmouth College, a man of property, and leaves a family.

A complaint of considerable interest for malicious mischief has been on trial for two days before the Police Court in Manchester, in which B. F. Merrill, Fred. H. Merrill, and Nathan Case of Bedford are charged with destroying 1823 young pine trees, covering a ten-acre lot in Bedford. Nearly the whole town of Bedford is interested, either as witnesses or spectators.

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From Oliver Ditson & Co. we have an acceptable budget of new music, including a romance by Rubinstein, (whose portrait appears on the title); an elegant mazurka called "Frauenlob," and an easy and pretty transcription of "Sweet by-and-by," by Warren. There is also Gounod's song, "The white dove," the German folks-song called "The little bird," with German and English words, and lastly "Come and cheer me, little treasure," song and chorus. "Ditson & Co's Musical Monthy, No. 8, or the Christmas Number" is at hand, with a good variety of Christmas music, covering twelve of its twenty musical pages. There is a fine Christmas Song, three bright Christmas Carols, and a Christmas March and Christmas Waltz, besides other music and pieces, making eight pieces of music for twenty-five cents.

We have received from Lockwood, Brooks & Co., Boston, a copy of the *Marginal Indexed Diary*, which contains, besides a a combination index of the month and days of the month, tables for computing interest, rates of domestic and foreign postage, tables of weights and measure, statistics of the last U. S. census, value of foreign coins, and much other general information, making one of the most complete and perfect diaries we have ever seen. For sale by all stationers and booksellers.

—Tommy came home from school, and handed to his father the teacher's report on his progress during the month. "This is very unsatisfactory, Tom; you've a very small number of good marks. I'm not at all pleased with it." "I told the teacher you wouldn't be, but he wouldn't alter it."

—He had stayed till the clock hands hung together at eleven, and that valuable recorder of time was menacing a strike. She had yawned till her mouth felt large enough for a horse collar, and yet the young man evinced no symptoms of speedy departure. "I've been working on a motto to-day," she finally said, as she held her eyes open with her fingers; "don't you waut to see it?" He said he did. She brought out the article and passed it to him for inspection. He held it up to the light and read the cheerful sentence, "There's no place like home." The young man guessed he'd be going.

—Several children were feeding a pet bear with corn at Austin, Texas. An ear was dropped out of the reach of the bear, and a little girl handed it to him. The bear sportively pulled her to him, when a house dog, believing the child in danger, sprang upon the bear. Bruin then carried the child to the further part of the hogshead in which he slept and returned to fight the dog, under the impression that the dog would hurt the child. A party of darkies tried to protect the child from her other protectors, but the little one did not escape until her mother had killed both bear and dog with a musket.

—A story is told at the expense of a well-known Westfield church member who had an earnest brother Christian visiting him one day. The latter is not so demonstrative in his religious fervor as his host, and also is lame, so he cannot kneel. The first morning of his visit he was asked to lead the family devotions, and seated in his chair began an earnest appeal to the throne of grace while the family kneeled around. The host's son, a lad of five years, fidgeted around on his knees for a minute or two, and finally shouted: "Stop him, mother, stop him. He don't know nothing how to pray. Let father show him."

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Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
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Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
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Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9 @ 9½; Gr. 10¼; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 65c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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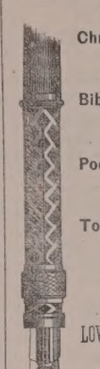

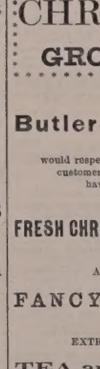

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	A. M.		P. M.	
Boston, South and West,	8	10:35	5	*6:30
Boston Way,		10:35	5	
Portland,		9:35	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],		9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way		9:35	4:55	
Great Falls,		9:35	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.		9:35		
Concord and North,		7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,			4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.		7:40	4:55	
Dover,		7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:03 10:55	5:50
Boston Way,	10:55	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

A despatch from New York, Thursday, says: "Antonio Capernio, of Portsmouth, N. H., was arrested here for stealing." Never heard of Antonio before.

The Woman's Temperance League has made arrangements for a course of six entertainments this winter, at $1 for the course; evening tickets, twenty cents each.

Mr. J. Dwight Rundlet has received a letter from the signal office at Washington, intimating that this city is to be made a station for the display of the government storm signals.

The Fair was more largely attended on the third night than on either of the preceding ones. There were presented some tableaux, and there was singing by a quartette; but the principal interest centred on the allotment of the gifts among the holders of the season tickets, the drawing being done by two young ladies from the floor, under the supervision of a committee consisting of Col. Frank W. Hilton, John M. Hussey, Henry Harlow and Dr. Whittier. The principal prizes were drawn by the following persons: Mrs. Jere. Towle, 1st prize, nine pieces of silver; John H. Bright, case of silver, twenty-four pieces; Stephen Pearson, silver pickle dish; Catharine Skillings, case silver nut-picks. Persons holding numbers that drew prizes can get them on applying at the hall at any time after noon to-day.

William R. Preston, No. 2 Congress block, has one of the most attractive stores in the city; he has lately made some extensive improvements by extending the store thirteen feet back, with an addition of twenty-eight feet for laboratory and office. Dr. Preston came to this city in 1840 and opened a store directly in front of the Unitarian church. In 1841 he removed to the corner of State and Pleasant streets, and in 1845 became one of the first occupants of Congress block,—which was built in 1845, burned in 1865, and rebuilt in 1867. Dr. Preston has always on hand a large stock of the best quality of drugs, and all the well established patent medicines; and his show-cases are filled with choice fancy articles for the toilet,—soaps, perfumery, brushes, and all the et ceteras of a well selected stock; and his cologne, as we know, is not excelled by any, imported or other. The searcher after a holiday gift will find many nice things at this store.

FIRE.

At about nine o'clock, Thursday forenoon, fire was discovered in the National House and the alarm promptly given. The Fire Department was quickly on hand,—under the circumstances, for the only horses at hand were those assigned to Steamer Two, and they had to haul both Two and Three to the Market square reservoir. The fire caught in the cellar, it was currently reported from the igniting of a barrel of kerosene, though the landlord of the hotel it is said is of opinion that it caught in kindlings stored under the kitchen. Wherever it caught, it mounted through the house with great rapidity, driving everybody out in a hurry, and sending forth dense volumes of smoke. But little could be saved, the servants and boarders being glad to get out with their lives, and leaving all their effects behind them. The clerk of the house made his way through the smoke to the office drawer and grasped the key, but let go of it mighty quick, the iron being so hot as to blister his hand clear across; but he managed to open the drawer with the heel of his boot, and saved about thirty dollars in money and most of the valuable papers that were there. The huge dog belonging to the hotel, and two others, were suffocated,—and it was well it was not worse, for had the fire started during the night more than one human life would have been lost.

The construction of the house rendered the fire a very bad one to handle, the numerous partitions furnishing good shelter for the flames; in addition, there were two roofs to the building, a modern one having been put on over an old one some years ago; so all the firemen could do was to saturate the outside rooms of the building with water, until the fire had burned out through the roof in the centre of the house; the direction of the streams of water had to be constantly changed from one room to another, and it was not until after four hours of hard work that the fire was put out. The firemen worked like beavers and against great odds, and showed themselves worthy the trust reposed in them.

The hotel is owned by Hon. Frank Jones, who had insurance of $2500 on it. It was occupied by Mr. John York, whose furniture was insured for $2000; very little of the furniture was saved, and he estimates his loss at $2500.

The house adjoining the hotel, on Fleet street, owned and occupied by Mr. Woodbury Locke, was badly damaged by water; his furniture was mostly gotten out, but was also much injured by water and smoke. Mr. Locke had $1000 insurance on the furniture, but none on the house.

The reservoir on Market square was exhausted long before the fire was, and the two engines stationed there had to be transferred to other positions. As things were at the time this was no very serious matter; but if the building had been well in flames and a brisk breeze blowing it might have been disastrous. There is plenty of water in the aqueduct mains, and some measures should be taken to turn more of it into this reservoir in case of need.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

In Board of Mayor and Aldermen, Thursday evening, a petition was presented asking the city government to appoint suitable persons to confer with the judges of the Supreme Court in regard to rates of toll at Portsmouth bridge. Referred to the Mayor, with power to employ suitable counsel.

The petitioners for a new highway from Richards avenue, from a point near Rockland street, along the northerly side of the South millpond to the foot of Edwards street, were heard. Thomas H. Odion and Wm. H. Sise spoke in favor of the petition.

Voted that the Board visit the premises on Friday afternoon at three o'clock.

City Solicitor reported that a road surveyor has no legal right to purchase gravel for the city's use, of himself.

Committee on claims reported on claim of John H. Grant against the city, for $500, that he has no legal claim. Report accepted and adopted.

Same committee reported recommending that bill of Jacob H. Haddock, for use of building for ward-room in ward four, be paid.

Petition for plank sidewalk from corner of Middle street and Miller avenue to Lincoln avenue, petitioners to pay one-half the cost, was referred to committee on streets.

Petition of Butler & Laighton for a license to sell kerosene, was referred to the committee on printing.

Committee on gas lights reported that the gas light corner Court and Atkinson streets has been located.

Frank W. Miller made a request that the naphtha light on Lincoln Hill be accepted and maintained by the city. Referred to committee on gas lights,—committee made immediate report, adversely.

The committee on gas lights were instructed to place six naphtha lights on Richards avenue, from Richard Yeaton's house to South street.

Committee on fire department were instructed to enquire into the cause of the fire at the National Hotel, and report to the Board.

Committee on printing were instructed to procure suitable stationery for use of the Board.

A hearing on the Puddle Dock piggery nuisance question was set for January 17th.

Adjourned for two weeks.

JACKSON HILL STREET.

The adjourned hearing on the petition of Frank Jones and others for the extension of Jackson Hill street through John Downs' premises to North street, was had on Thursday before Messrs. Frank Cram and S. D. Tilton, Commissioners, and Chas. G. Conner, substituted for Commissioner Newton Johnston, a resident of this city and disqualified for that reason. Considerable testimony was offered by both sides; several tax payers gave their opinion that the expenditure was not warranted. The hearing occupied the entire day. Frink for petitioners; City Solicitor Hackett for the city.

[Communicated.]

OUR SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS.

Sir Charles Reed, President of the Board of Education of the city of London, and late Chairman of Judges upon Education and Science at the Centennial, in speaking of the schools of the cities of the United States says that those of Cleveland are not surpassed by any,—Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati, Manchester, N. H., New Haven and St. Louis following closely after Cleveland in merit, in the order in which they are named. After reading the foregoing, and other items I have from time to time seen in relation to Boston, Manchester, Dover, etc., I am led to ask: Do not the citizens of Portsmouth require too high a standard for our public schools? By this I do not mean to intimate that there is any danger of our schools becoming *too good*; but it seems as if something must be wrong, for we find in Manchester two teachers, formerly of this city, laboring successfully to do their part toward placing Manchester fifth on the list of cities in common school matters. We also find a teacher, formerly of this city, called to a position in the Elliott school in Boston from Dover, in which latter city his reputation as an instructor has stood high. We can also call to mind a former teacher of this city who successfully competed with nearly four-score applicants for an important position in a city near Boston, and is thought very highly of in the city of his adoption, after a term of service sufficiently long to let the citizens see his abilities. Yet none of the teachers mentioned were considered worthy of especial commendation here,—at least, they never received any especial commendation, that I ever heard of. There are other teachers of whom I remember, who taught here for a season but were refused re-engagements by our committee, who have since won high esteem as teachers in other cities, some of them at twice the salary offered them here.

Another thing occurs to me, in this connection; a young lady who was successful in the recent competitive examination for the Franklin school, in this city, has accepted a situation as teacher in one of the Boston schools. This lady at one time taught school here; and later, in Dover, where her qualifications were so highly regarded that the annual examination which is usual in the case of teachers in that city was waived in her case; yet although she was successful in the examination here, her competitors all followed her very closely in their order of merit, though they were (I believe) all graduates of Portsmouth schools, and some of them had had hardly any experience as teachers.

I would also remind those citizens who are disposed to grumble at and disparage our public schools, of the large number who were once pupils in them who are teachers abroad,—Pfeiffer, Larrabee, Simpson, Shannon, Gardiner, and a score of others. Our schools may not be all it is possible to make them; but perfection is not easily attained in anything, and considering the many capable teachers turned out by (and turned out *of*, too,) our public schools, it really seems to me that the grumbling we sometimes hear about the schools is due rather to the high standard set up than to actual deficiencies in the schools themselves. And I do not believe a little judicious commendation, if merited, mixed in with the grumbling, would have a tendency to depreciate our schools or make the teachers any the less anxious to do their level best.

INKBOTTLE.

HOME, SWEET HOME.

Some time since a family who reside well up Middle street, gave to friends in State street a young Maltese cat, but Tommy, though most kindly used, did not take to his new place of residence, and after hiding himself for much of the time, except when coming forth for rations, he finally disappeared. When he had been gone four months, and had grown to twice his former size, his original owners were surprised at hearing his familiar cry at their door, asking to be admitted; thus giving them the idea that he preferred his green-embowered cottage home for one more spacious down-town.

BIRTHS.

MARVIN. In this city, Dec. 17, to Hon. Thomas E. O. Marvin, a son.

MARDEN. In this city, Dec. 20th, to Mr. Lewis B. Marden, a son.

NEALLEY. In Kittery, at the Navy Yard, Dec. 16, to Mr. E. C. Nealley, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

DURRELL—DAVIS. In Newmarket, Dec. 10, Mr. William F. Durrell, of Newmarket, and Miss Abbie Davis of Lee.

JOY—BUNKER. In Dover, Dec. 6, Mr. Charles E. Joy, of South Berwick, Maine, and Miss Effie B. Bunker of Rollinsford.

BUTLER—LEIGHTON. In Dover, Dec. 6, Mr. Ezra Butler and Mrs. Alice O. Leighton, both of Berwick, Maine.

HIGHT—CURRIER. In Saco, Maine, Dec. 11, Mr. William E. Hight and Miss Lucy E. Currier.

DAME—SMITH. In Saco, Me., Dec. 18, Hon. Natman Dame, of Alfred, late State Treasurer, and Mrs. Charlotte F. Smith, widow of the late Daniel Smith, Jr., of Saco.

TOWLE—MITCHELL. In Deering, (Woodford's Corner), Me., Dec. 12, by Rev. George W. Bicknell, Horace H. Towle of Epping, N. H., and Miss Lillie Mitchell, daughter of Capt. Wm. Mitchell of Deering.

DEATHS.

MARTIN. In this city, Dec. 8th, Mrs. Fannie S. Martin, aged 20 years and 8 months, wife of Charles W. Martin.

CORNELL. In this city, Dec. 20, M. Reta Cornell, daughter of Mr. Nathaniel B. Cornell, aged 10 years and 9 months.

RAND. In South Newmarket, Dec. 12, Mr. Frundy Rand, aged 77 years and 6 months.

WEBB. In Epping, Dec. 14, Mr. Joshua S. Webb, aged 73 years.

FOGG. In Raymond, Dec. 16, Mrs. Lydia P. Fogg, aged 81 years.

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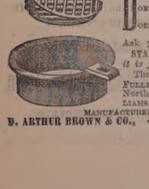

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The clerk ascertained that she had no backing, but that in her simplicity of mind had come here thinking that no such thing was necessary. He therefore decided upon a line of action, infamous in design and disastrous in consequences. Still carrying out the idea that he was the Secretary he ascertained her stopping place, and agreed to consider her application and call that evening to inform her of the result. He also cautioned her, on some specious pretext, against talking with others on the subject of her business. He called at the time appointed, and, telling her that there were no vacancies at present, advised her to take lodgings somewhere and wait, promising her the first place when a vacancy occurred. She took his advice, and the result can be easily imagined. It was the old, old story. Of course she never got the situation promised, but was put off from day to day and month to month on various pretexts, until finally, by a change of administration, he lost his own situation.

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Filled with grief at his sudden departure, and filled with a foreboding of impending evil, she wended her way to the department on her first visit of reconnoissance. She saw the notices, and, overcome with despondency, she, for the first time, ventured to disobey the instructions she had received. Entering the office where she first met her deceiver, months before, she inquired for the Secretary of the Interior. She was shown to his room, and there the whole secret came out.

The scene in that office when the kind-hearted Secretary revealed the truth can never be described. Suffice it to say she was conducted at last from that room utterly broken in mind and health. The Secretary provided for her immediate necessities, and called the attention of some charitable ladies to her case. For weeks she lay hovering on the brink of the grave with a brain fever, and when she arose her mind was gone and her hair was gray. Her betrayer was traced out and forced to contribute to her support, but for the sake of his family the whole matter was kept from publicity. When she was able to go about an attempt was

made to change her abode and surroundings, but she resisted the attempt with terrible energy, believing, as she did, that her lover would one day return. She clung to this hallucination to the last, and every day at the hour of noon she visited the department and read the notice, and finding 'no vacancies' turned away with a sigh and returned to her room. Once the notices were taken down, but she became so demonstrative in her joyful anticipation of obtaining the promised place that they were immediately replaced. As I said before, the history of the case was kept a profound secret, and but two or three who from day to day saw the pale, wan face appear with the regularity of the sun, knew or could fathom the sad history of that blighted life; and of the thousands who carelessly read the words of that notice, few are aware that it had its origin in the perfidy and treachery of man—that its letters are written in the heart's blood of a confiding and betrayed woman."

Here the old man blew his nose, bade me good-bye, and was about turning away when I detained him with:

"One moment before you go—what became of the girl?"

"She faded away—that is all. Her visits toward the last became less frequent and finally ceased altogether. In a few days those entrusted with her secret were notified, and we followed her to her grave. I tell you," continued the old man, "I have attended many funerals in my time, but I never attended one so sad as this. Her betrayer still lives—and it is to be hoped for the credit of humanity, is a prey to remorse for the part he took in blighting the life of as pretty a girl as ever lived. There; that is all. I never told this story before and you are welcome to it. You are a literary man, and by adding a little to it you could make quite a story out of it."

But I am not ambitious in that line and prefer to give the plain story in the simple language used by the departmental relic.—*Washington letter.*

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1877.

Another Horror.

An appalling disaster occurred in New York city, Friday afternoon about five o'clock. The boiler under the immense candy manufactory of Greenfield & Sons, No. 63 Barclay street, burst, tearing away the entire front and scattering the wreck in all directions. It is not known how many persons were in the building, the number being estimated from 100 to 150. The loss of life may reach 100. Most of the victims were young girls. Owing to the approach of the holidays a double force was employed, one half working during the day and the other at night. The force is changed at five o'clock, and the fact of the explosion occurring at five minutes past that hour renders it still more difficult to know how many or who are the victims. A large number of the saved are terribly injured. At least fifty bodies are buried in the ruins.

Chronicle Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 19th.

Members of the Court of Inquiry designated to enquire into the circumstances attending the loss of the Huron and its terrible sacrifice of life, with a view of placing the responsibility where it justly belonged and to avoid similar disasters hereafter, appear to have made an honest and exhaustive investigation without bias and with no apparent disposition to whitewash those to any degree culpable. The report will have the effect to discredit the statements of those who sought to throw the odium on Gen. Grant's Administration, the members of the Court unanimously agreeing that all the evidence elicited showed the vessel to have been thoroughly seaworthy and her machinery exceptionally serviceable. It appears to relieve Admiral Trenchard of any responsibility for the disaster, unless it be a negative one for having allowed the vessel to leave port during a storm at the solicitation of her commanding officer; also all her officers, save those specially charged with the vessel's navigation on the fatal night, except a possible dereliction of duty in the matter of soundings or in taking the vessel's bearings by the lights passed and in sight during the night. To Commander Ryan, then, primarily, and those in charge of the deck and the vessel's navigation under him, secondarily, the loss of the vessel and over a hundred brave men, who are found to have stood heroically at their posts, must be attributed; but they are gone with their comrades beyond the jurisdiction of human courts, before one whose Judge is omniscient and loves mercy, and there appears a general disposition to forget their culpability and to remember only their generous qualities, and their noble bearing in the presence of death by a method that must have appeared peculiarly appalling to the stoutest heart among them.

Ex-Ass't Secretary of the Treasury McCormick, who was confirmed Commissioner General under the Paris Exposition bill without opposition, is beset by the chronic office seeker, for a position under him. It is said that hundreds of applications have been already filed for the few subordinate places provided by the bill, and he finds the disagreeable duty of having to refuse many a worthy and needy applicant for place, inseparable from holding any high position unless absolutely prohibited from entertaining them from any and all comers. It is said that this portion of his duties as Mr. Sherman's assistant became so repugnant as to have finally determined him to resign, and thus rid himself of the performance of an imperative duty which had become intolerable. He was one of those departmental officials so rarely met as to suggest that the type has become nearly extinct, who is always remembered with kindly emotions even by those refused, because his sympathy was always so apparent and his adverse decisions couched in such gentlemanly terms as to take away their sting.

The sub-committee of the House committee on Foreign Affairs, Scleicher chairman, is busy with the preliminaries of the investigation with which it is charged relative to the present situation on our Mexican border. Mr. Conkling's special committee, charged with similar duty by the Senate, has also got to work. The latest advices from El Paso only confirms the general belief relative to the critical situation there. Soldiers are being pushed forward, and there is an impression that a slight indiscretion by commanding officers on either side of the Rio Grande will precipitate the war the Mexican lobby has so persistently sought to promote, but which is deprecated by the intelligence of the country. This feeling has induced the Secretary of War to relieve Gen. Vincent from his duties in the Adjutant General's Office here, and send him on a special mission to the border. The view appears entertained at the White House, War Office and in all other official circles, that we can most certainly avert war by being thoroughly prepared for its occurrence. The long holiday recess affords members of Congress an opportunity to eat their Christmas turkey at home, meet their constituents, and slily ascertain the most discreet course to be taken on pending issues with a view to future elections; and a goodly number have left the city.

No such December weather has been experienced for ten years as that vouchsafed us this season. Not a spit of snow up to date; indeed, the ground has hardly yet been frozen; flowers in sheltered places are still seen, apparently hardy and rejoicing in their long life-lease.

Joe Jefferson is having crowded houses at the National Theatre, as he always does, regardless of the money market stringency. He can move a Washington audience to laughter or tears as no other actor now living can do. I verily believe Rip Van Winkle would run through a whole season without any diminution of the intense interest always aroused by Jefferson's presentation of that amiable, vagabond character. KNOX.

News and Notes.

Heister Clymer, Chairman of the sub-committee of the House Committee on Appropriations, having in charge the Naval Appropriation bill, had a consultation with the Secretary of the Navy Thursday upon the general appropriations of the bill. Messrs. Clymer and Stevens, the only members of the sub-committee who are in Washington are working hard, hoping to be able to report a bill to the full committee for their consideration soon after the reassembling of Congress.

Six members of a family named Knox, in Philadelphia, died on Wednesday from the effects of tea in which was accidentally mixed a quantity of stramonium seeds.

The steamer Huntsville, from Savanah Dec. 16th, for New York, was burned at sea on the 19th. No lives were lost. The crew were picked up and taken to New York.

In a recent battle in Cuba the Spaniards defeated the patriots, killing fifty-nine and capturing 121. The Spanish loss is reported as twelve killed. This is the Spanish account; the other side will undoubtedly tell a very different story.

The captain and crew of the schooner Marcus L. Ward, of Newark, N. J., were placed in durance vile in Bridgeport, Conn., on the 20th, the property taken in three burglaries committed in that city on the previous Tuesday night, being found on board the vessel, which was boarded by the police at Black Rock. A tug boat took the schooner back to Bridgeport harbor.

A Texas militia officer telegraphs that 150 of the mob which fought him at San Elizario and killed three of his men and three citizens, and to whom he was forced to surrender, were Mexican citizens from Mexico, and it is also stated that the mob were drilled by a regular Mexican officer.

Quantities of clothing, a howitzer, provisions, carbines and revolvers have been washed ashore from the Huron and sent to Norfolk.

People who have been swindled by fraudulent life insurance companies will be glad to hear that in the case of T. S. Lambert, Chairman of the American Popular Life insurance Company, for swearing to a false report of the company's affairs, the jury brought in a verdict of guilty.

Johanna Donovan, the Irish virago who, dressed as a man, headed the New York mob which hanged negroes and gutted houses in 1863, has been arrested for splitting her husband's head with an axe.

The fair in aid of the Old South Church of Boston has closed, having realized $36,000. It is thought that the disposal of the unsold articles will increase the amount to $40,000.

A street railroad superintendent in New York city has been indicted for forcing, by threats of dismissal from the employ of his railroad, the drivers, conductors and laborers on that road to vote the tickets furnished by him at the last election.

The Virginia (Nev.) *Enterprise* says: "In the Consolidated Virginia office yesterday we saw $500,000 worth of silver bricks, and outside sat a beggar. Both were types of Nevada—the latter the more common type."

The U. S. Treasury has received from Vicksourg, Miss., an old box which was buried in the ground a number of years and lately exhumed, containing $20,000 in first issues of government greenbacks and National bank notes. The money had become rusted by contact with the box and affected by mildew and in great danger of dropping to pieces. The exchange for good money has been made.

—Fifty persons were dismissed from a colored Baptist church at Alexandria, Va., for attending a circus. They don't dismiss them for stealing chickens, but they must draw a line somewhere, and they draw it at circuses.

MARRIAGES.

SHOREY—CLARK. In South Berwick, Maine, Dec. 8, Mr. Charles R. Shorey, of Dover, and Miss Mabel Clark, of Great Falls.

DEATHS.

JOHNSON. In this city, Dec. 20, of diphtheria, Frank Brackett Johnson, son of Mr. John W. and Margaret P. Johnson, aged 7 years and 6 months.

☞ Funeral this (Saturday) afternoon at two o'clock. Friends are invited.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

ARRIVED, Dec 21.

Sch Western Light, Blaisdell, Campobello, with frozen herring for C Sullivan & Co.

SAILED, Dec 21.

Sch Mary Brewer, Tolman, Rockland.

Ship Triumphant has just completed extensive repairs at San Francisco. On her arrival from Liverpool she was found to be considerably strained and damaged. A survey was held, and it was decided to put the ship in thorough order. The underwriters took her in hand, and gave the job to Coombs & Taylor, who, at an expense of $33,000, have made her A1. The tremendous seas off Cape Horn had pressed her decks down and got them all out of shape, and they had to be pumped up by hydraulic power three inches in the centre, and oak caps put on top of the stanchions. New and heavy bilge stanchions were also put in, and in the lower 'tween decks a great number of extra stanchions were inserted. Forty broken knees were taken out, and new 13 inch knees put in in their place. She has had 12,000 new treenails put in, and her skin has been rewedged fore and aft. Every seam has been recanked in bottom, sides and decks, and she has a complete new suit of metal. Thirteen tons of new iron fastenings were used in the new work. In addition to this work she has had new fore and main masts, new fore and main topmasts, topgallantmasts, and all new yards on the fore and main, new bowsprit and jibboom. The lower masts are both magnificent spars, grown at Port Madison. They are single sticks 28 inches in diameter at the partners, and 96 feet long. The new main yard is 90 feet long, and 24 inches in the slings.

Portsmouth Wholesale Prices.

Reported by BUTLER & LAIGHTON, Grocers.

Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 85c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50
Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, 6 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., ℔. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Nuts per ℔. Filberts, 35 to 50 cents,
Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9 @ 9½c; Gr. 10¼; Crushed 11c.
Tea per ℔, Black, 35 to 75c.; Green, 55c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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FROM *The Christian Union*, Aug. 22, 1877:

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HENRY WARD BEECHER, } Editors.
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Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 minute. 6|8

New Hampshire Items.

Rev. Samuel C. Beane, for many years pastor of the East church in Salem, has accepted a recent call to become the pastor of the Unitarian church in Concord.

The house of William Fiertag, in Salem, was burned on Wednesday. Loss about $2000; insured.

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MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	3	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:33 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:30	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:30	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

It was Mr. H. A. Richards, a former boarder at the National House, and not the clerk of the house as first stated, who groped his way through the smoke at the recent fire, and saved the money and papers.

The *Journal* says: "No less than thirteen clothes lines have been stripped within a week in this city." Many more than that, and some of them more than once. One line was stripped three times by the same person, to our certain knowledge.

There will be a grand Christmas Assembly at Mechanics' Hall Tuesday evening, Dec. 25th, under the management of Jos. R. Curtis. The Hall will be perfectly free from dust and in splendid condition for this occasion, and a good time is guaranteed to all by the efficient manager. Music by Harlow's Orchestra; tickets fifty cents.

"Butler & Laighton" seems to be a popular firm name; we have one such in this city, and there is another one in Berwick, Me; the partners in the last named are Mr. Ezra Butler and Mrs. Alice O. Leighton, and the articles of copartnership were signed in Dover some two weeks ago, in presence of a clergyman. We hope the Berwick firm may prove as successful in business as our Portsmouth one has been and deserved to be.

The Hutchings Association entertainment, given in the Universalist vestry on Thursday evening, was an excellent one; the drama (The Chimney Corner) was presented in a manner to please the large audience and reflect credit on the members of the Association taking part in it. We are pleased to record the entire success of this course of entertainments, so far; and there is no doubt the next one—which is to be the last, unless the arrangements are altered—will be as worthy of patronage as any of the preceding ones. The Association intend to make it the best of the course.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

Mission services; William A. Loyne, Volunteer Missionary. Residence at Faith Home, 16 Deer street. At home daily from 8 to 10 A. M. and 12 to 2 P. M. Services every Sabbath at the Alms House at 10:30; at the County Jail at 12:30. Consecration Meeting every Monday evening at the Home. Bow Mission service suspended.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. John A. Goss, at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M. Praise services at 6:30 P. M., for an hour; prayer meeting at 7:30. All are welcome.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M. by Rev. James Noyes, the pastor.

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M. Preaching by Rev. James W. Hubbell, the pastor. Subject of afternoon discourse, "Christian in the Slough of Despond, and at the Wicket Gate."

At the South Parish, morning service at 10:30, vespers at 7:30. Sunday school at 2:45 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie.

At the Freewill Baptist church, on Pearl street, preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M., by Rev. E. Owen. Sabbath school at 11:30 A. M.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Rev. Mr. Goodrich, of Boston, will preach.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant, on "The childhood of Jesus." Sermon in the evening on "The holy spirit of grace."

Mr. Mills will address the Reform Club at Mechanics' Hall at 7:30 P. M. A half-hour's praise service will precede the lecture. Five cents admission will be charged to defray expenses.

A GOOD THING.

A public trial of T. C. Rice's patent fire escape was made on Thursday from the roof of Butler & Laighton's store on Market square, the descents of several persons being witnessed by a large number of spectators, who were unanimous in the opinion that the escape is an excellent invention. The contrivance is simple in the extreme, which adds greatly to its value, there being nothing about it to get out of order, or to be learned by the person using it. It consists of a composition block with a rope running through it; on one end of the rope is a hook to affix to a window sill, spout, or any projection, the other end to be held by any person on the ground, out clear from the building and the fire; a stout belt, attached to the lower end of the block, is buckled around beneath the arms of the person descending, and the speed of the descent is controlled by a cam and lever. Several trips from the roof of Butler & Laighton's store to the ground were made by the gentleman exhibiting the escape, and residents of this city; and afterward a similar exhibition was given from the top of the hose-tower on Court street.

OLD AND WORN OUT.

A week or more ago a feeble old man applied at a store on Christian Shore for aid, stating that he had been at work some in North Hampton during the summer, but was now out of a job, had nowhere to go, and was very hungry, his entire stock of provisions for the winter—indeed his entire worldly wealth—consisting of a raw onion he had in his pocket. As it was evident the poor old creature needed food, shelter and kindly care more than he did a job of work, the store-keeper relieved his immediate necessities, and advised him to apply at the station house for further aid, which he did; he was lodged there for the night, and next day taken to the Almshouse for proper treatment, but soon after died. His name was Jeremiah Edwards, and he was born in Ireland on the 15th of August, 1798, making him over eighty years old at the time of his death. Even the most determined enemy of the average tramp can see something pitiful in the case of a worn-out old man wandering about, homeless, hungry, cold and disheartened, at the close of his fourscore years of life, seeking shelter and food when he was no longer able to pay for them in labor and had no one whom he could legally call on for assistance.

BRILLIANT FOOT-RACE.

Shortly before three o'clock, Friday, persons on Daniel street were treated to one of the most brilliant displays in the shape of a foot-race seen on our streets for many a day, the contestants being one Charles Wright, who has but recently returned from Brentwood, and City Marshal Entwistle; the race was won in good shape by the Marshal, who ran Waight down first, and then "ran him in" to the station house. The race, which was a "scratch" affair, grew out of the removal by Wright of a dozen pairs of stockings from the door of a Market street store. This action was noticed by a merchant on the other side of the street, who notified Marshal Entwistle, and the latter instantly started in pursuit. Wright, seeing that he was chased, ran down Daniel street, followed by the officer, who, though apparently not built with a special view to rapid running, made such excellent time as to call forth the enthusiastic encomiums of small boys on the street and ladies in store doors. At Penhallow street the stocking speculator turned to the left, no doubt hoping the Marshal's momentum would carry him by the corner—possibly into the river; but he not only made a graceful turn at the corner but continued to gain on the chase, and the latter, seeing that he was sure to be overhauled, threw his plunder on a pile of sheepskins in front of a butcher's shop door, and immediately after gave up the race, and was conducted to the lockup by the victor. Spectators of the race are unanimously of the opinion that though the Marshal will need an awful pair of wings to fly with, when he becomes an angel, he can run first-rate now, when he isn't an angel—not any. Wright says he stole the stockings so as to get sent back to Brentwood for the winter; but he may not get there after all.

[Communicated.]

OUR SCHOOLS AND TEACHERS.

Ed. Chronicle:—I have just read "Inkbottle's" communication under the above title, and it strikes me, if I may be allowed to say so without offence, as showing a remarkable lack of logic.

His argument runs somewhat in this wise. Portsmouth is not mentioned in the honorable list of cities having the best public schools; why? Because she has always set too high a standard! What reason have we for thinking that she has always set too high a standard? Because several teachers who have formerly taught here, are now teaching acceptably in cities that have attained the honorable mention aforesaid. Why did these teachers leave Portsmouth? Because the standard there was too high. Is not this a good specimen of reasoning in a circle?

How is it that, if Portsmouth were dissatisfied with these teachers, she failed to obtain better ones, and to bring herself up even higher in the roll of honor than either Boston or Manchester? Why has she remained satified with those who are unable to do this? "Inkbottle" lets out at least a part of the truth, "unbeknown to himself." He says, these teachers "have since won high esteem in other cities, *some of them at twice the salary offered them here*." Aye, there's the rub. There is a homely proverb, "Fair words butter no parsnips." Let Portsmouth offer salaries which shall make it worth the while of her best teachers to remain among us; then let her see that those teachers have the necessary opportunity to make the best that they can of their schools, and we will warrant the "high standard" which we are glad to learn has always been maintained here, will neither frighten away good teachers, nor lower our position educationally among the other cities of the Union.

STEEL PEN.

THE VICINITY.

The National Granite State Bank at Exeter pays a dividend of five per cent., Jan 1st.

Ephraim C. Spinney, Esq., of Kittery, has a Yorkshire hog one year old, that weighs 700 pounds, alive.

Mr. E. L. Senter, of Greenland, recently brought seventy-five fine turkeys from Canada, but contrary to the usual custom, brought them alive. They are for Butler & Laighton's Christmas trade.

Gen. Nathaniel Burleigh, of Greenland, recently killed a last spring's pig of the White Mountain breed, eight months and seven days old, which weighed 380 pounds, dressed. It was one of a litter of seven pigs from the stock of Mr. Edward Hughes, each one of the seven weighing over 300 lbs. Gen. Burleigh was formerly noted for the skill with which he drilled the militia and managed the irrepressible small boy on muster days, and is now locally as famous in the arts of peace, being particularly successful in raising fine porkers.

YORK LETTER.

YORK, Me., Dec. 18th.

As there is nothing going on here of especial interest to the general public, I am compelled to make a York "local."

The brick-yard here, owned by Norton & Leavitt, of Lewiston, Me., has this season been successfully managed by the brothers Messrs. S. W. & C. H. Junkins, natives and enterprising young merchants of York. [S. W. Norton is Postmaster at York Corner, and is also at present engaged in teaching school in District No. 1,—where he has taught for several seasons, giving perfect satisfaction to the entire district, both pupils and parents.] The result of their management of the brick-yard, with an average of ten men at work during the summer, is one million nice bricks, with splendid burns on both kilns. The engine was run by Mr. Edward Baston, of York, who is a first-class engineer and machinist; the latter position he now occupies at Kittery navy yard, not an account of his politics but for his valuable knowledge and services in that capacity.

Messrs. Norton & Leavitt have purchased the "Barrell mill-pond," which now fills and empties with salt tide from York river. They intend to dam it, (and I wouldn't wonder if they *did* d— it) for the purpose of cutting large quantities of ice. Preparations are now on foot for the necessary work, buildings, etc.

The erection of cottages at York beach is still on the increase. Mr. John M. Lowe has contracted to erect twenty (more or less) to be ready for occupancy by June 10th, 1878.

Mr. Wm. H. Woodward is preparing to erect a fine saw-mill on the spot where, one year ago, he was surprised one morning by finding no mill by the dam site, fire having done its work. Mr. Woodward is a very worthy, enterprising young man, a faithful and industrious worker, and is deserving abundant success.

Mr. John H. Plaisted is just now erecting a new building at "Cider Hill," to be occupied by him as a store to supply the citizens of that vicinity with groceries, etc. We have already too many stores, "But then (as Lucinda said) everybody has a right to build—and in fact *every family* ought to have a store of their own."

Capt. Frank Goodwin, of South Berwick, a few days since killed a hog eighteen months old, weighing 751 pounds. His brother Ben killed one same day from same litter, weighing 631 pounds.

Messrs. J. Chase & Son, the well and favorably known woollen manufacturers, (P. O. address Cape Neddick, York, Me.,) have nearly completed an addition to their mill, making it now double its former size; and with increased and improved machinery they expect to more than double their heretofore annual production. The whole, I learn, is to be heated by a new Magee furnace; and possibly a new engine may be used as power at the dry period, when the pond may fail.

F.

—It is asserted of a Philadelphian that he died "worn out by too severe mental effort in the study of how to live without work."

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GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., Nov. 3, 1876.

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Daily Chronicle.

CONG LING AND GOR DING.

San Cong Ling he was a Chince;
Sen Gor Ding he was a Hindoo;
They quarrelled and could not agree,
And they looked at each other askew
In the councils of Sam the Yang Kee.

Now Gor Ding was jerking chin chin,
When Cong Ling remarked "Hire a hall!
Dry up! Let the business begin!"
The request was both modest and small,
For to yawp all the while is a sin.

Cried Gor Ding, "You want to be boss!"
And he pounded his desk with a rap;
"O, I'm a hyena and a hoss—
And a brass-mounted, terrible chap
For a stranger to happen across!"

"O, you are a lyre, I believe,"
Remarked the brave Brahmin Cong Ling;
"You're played, it is true, and I grieve."
"A lyre?" Why it seemed to Gor Ding
He was charged with attempts to deceive.

"I'll settle this insult with you,"
Cried Gor Ding, "outside of this hall!"
In a voice which the doh kee pah knew
Meant Bia den bug, powder and ball,
And tea and revolvers for two!

Oh, did they not welter in gore?
Not a welter, but quite the reverse;
They shook hands and smiled as before,
And said, "Brother, good men are scurse—
And we cannot be spared from the floor."

Then Thur Man and Ham Lin said, "We
And Tim How have settled it slick,
No enemies Ling and Ding be,
But they spake in the tongue of Pick Wick,
In the councils of Sam, the Yang Kee."

—*W. A. Croffut in the Graphic.*

Wrestling With Bears.

Athletic Hall, 102 Prince street, was crowded to its utmost limits, the attraction being a wrestling match by Wilhelm Heygster and the two trained bears belonging to the London Circus.

Prior to the event of the evening there was a wrestling match. Then Emil Reignier showed his strength by putting up weights, lifting men, and catching cannon balls weighing fifty-six pounds that were thrown to him from a distance of seven or eight feet.

While the cannon balls were rolling and the heavy weights crashing on the stage, the arrival of the bears was announced. The stage of Athletic Hall is small, and the entrance from the rear is strictly proportioned to it. Thus, when some one called out in French, "Open the door for the bears," there was no little commotion among the employes. Before the bears could be admitted it was necessary to tear down some of the side scenery. But both bears were muzzled.

The bears are a brown and gray, the former being the stronger and heavier. As they reached the stage the band struck up a lively waltz and the brown bear began a clumsy dance. The gray sat quietly on his haunches and licked his chops. Both were muzzled. After a short time Heygster, whose sporting title is "The Oak of the Rhine," jumped upon the stage in full wrestling costume. He is a large, heavy man, with arms as big as an ordinary man's leg.

He was booked to wrestle the brown bear but the latter seemed rather inclined to dance than to wrestle, and kept the house in a roar with his antics. Finally, however, he stood upon his hind legs and cautiously guarded against the efforts of Heygster to get an under hold. Heygster got his arms around Bruin's neck, but the latter, with one paw over the man's shoulder, and the other passed around his waist, had by far the best of the grip. As Heygster exerted his immense strength in the effort to gain a fall, bruin warily braced himself on his hind legs, watching every movement intently, and thus for two or three minutes the wrestlers moved about the stage. Heygster tried to change his grip, but as he did so the bear got both paws around him and gave him a hug such as none but a strong man could have endured. At length Heygster released himself and retired to the other side of the stage, puffing and blowing like a porpoise. The bear was perfectly cool and collected.

After this he clinched the bear a second and third time, narrowly escaping a fall on each occasion; but when time was called for a fourth round he declined to toe the mark. He was a little scratched, but not otherwise injured.

Reignier, the strong man, then clinched with the gray bear, the brown bear meantime dancing a clumsy war dance in the corner. The first bout between Reignier and the bear was a simple clinch, in which neither got the advantage, but in the second the bear threw his antagonist heavily, and in a matter-of-fact way that was ludicrous in the highest degree. As he placed his big paw on the breast of the prostrate man he looked toward the audience for approval.

Nothing daunted, Reignier clinched again, and was again thrown, although he gave bruin a very good handful. At length, amid cries of "Don't try it again!" he went in for the sixth trial. This time he got an inside grip, but this bruin easily threw off. Then Reignier,

who was down on his knees, seized the bear's paw and held it firmly. This mode of wrestling was evidently novel to the bear, who tugged and pulled in vain to release himself. In the wildness of his strainings he lost his habitual caution, and Reignier, seizing him behind, actually threw him head over heels and fell upon him. This is the first time the bear has been floored. When he rose to his feet he was fresh and anxious for another bout, but Reignier had retired.—*N. Y. Sun.*

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1877.

The Candy Manufactory Disaster in New York.

Additional details of the destruction of Greenfield's candy manufactory in New York, Thursday evening, only add to the horror of the story. The cause of the explosion is still a mystery, but it is certain that the boilers did not burst, as at first reported; both boilers were found in good order, and the sidewalk under which the boilers were situated was not torn up or destroyed; one boiler was found half full of water and the other nearly full. It is now believed that one of the large tanks, filled with material for making candy, must have exploded and shattered the building, causing a large portion of it to fall and bury the inmates and those who were passing by on the street, the ruins almost instantly taking fire and destroying those who had survived the tremendous force of the explosion. All lamps in the building were lighted with kerosene, and these added much to the rapidity with which the flames spread. The number of the victims is still unknown, but is estimated from fifty to seventy-five. The pecuniary losses are given at $428,000 and insurance $334,000. Very many buildings in the vicinity were badly damaged by the explosion, and several were burned. Most of those lost were young girls. The ruins were burning all day Friday, and the work of digging out the dead bodies progressed slowly.

The Eastern War.

Turkey is to have a fresh levy of 300,000 men. The Russian concentration for an attack upon Erzeroum on the north has failed and the attack is now improbable. In the Balkans and the Danube Valley the winter snows have almost suspended military operations.

The Servians claim to have destroyed the Sketchina bridge after a stubborn engagement, thereby severing Turkish communication between Nisch and Loskovatz.

Gen. Todleben has been appointed commander-in-chief of the Russian forces before Rustchuk, which looks as if that place was to be at once beseiged.

A coup d'etat is feared at Constantinople, Suleiman Pasha having arrived there with 10,000 men. This is taken also to indicate that the fortresses of the quadrilateral are to be left to their garrisons for defence, in which case they must fall before regular seige operations.

The organ of the Czar announces that Russia is not anxious about the schemes England may have in view, and defiantly asserts that British intrigues will in no way hinder the triumph of Russia.

News and Notes.

Aaron McKenny of Saco was 100 years old Friday. The old gentleman received hundreds of callers. There was a family reunion.

The singular spectacle of six children, the eldest not eleven years old, accused of murder, was presented last week, in a Columbia (S. C.) court. While picking cotton one of them was struck by a lad of sixteen years, whom they unitedly attacked, inflicting wounds which resulted in his death. The case is perhaps without a parallel.

Senator Patterson of South Carolina is very dangerously ill from a severe attack of congestion of the brain, and grave fears are entertained that he will not recover.

John Currier, Jr., of Newburyport, has just laid the keel of a ship to be of 1600 tons burthen.

The town of Coventry, Conn., has brought a suit against the town of Manchester, Conn., for the support of an alleged pauper named Pattis Pamelia Anthony. The case is decidedly mixed, inasmuch as she has married and lived with seven husbands, and the question is what town shall pay the bill. Six of her reported dead husbands, one of whom was hanged as a pirate, turn out to be alive; and are involved in the case.

The extensive shoe factory of P. & N. Copeland, in Campello, (Brockton) Mass., was destroyed by fire on Thursday evening, involving a loss of between $50,000 and $60,000, and throwing one hundred and fifty workmen out of employment.

Captain Shaw, head of the London fire department, says no wall supported on iron can be relied on to stand, when any considerable heat is applied to it. At a temperature of 600 to 700 degrees Fahrenheit, which can easily be created by the combustion of a small quantity of furniture, such a wall, and the whole building depending on it, must inevitably fall.

California is preparing to make a splendid display at the Paris exposition. The aggregate space asked for is over 30,000 square feet, and the estimated weight of the exhibit is five hundred tons. The exhibition of minerals will be the finest the world has ever seen. A pyramid, twenty feet square at the base, and nearly seventy feet high, will represent the seven millions of cubic inches of gold which have been produced on the Pacific coast. This mass would be equivalent to a sold block of gold as large as a room sixteen feet in height. Around this pyramid fifty plate-glass show-cases will be arranged in which the mineral wealth of the country will be shown. "Life under ground" on the Comstock lode will be exhibited by diagrams, and the Sutro tunnel will be fully represented.

The Grand Jury of the United States District Court at Baltimore found an indictment Friday against Michael Kelley for the murder of Capt. Thos. G. Whitney of the American ship Marianna Nottebahm on the high seas.

New Hampshire Items.

Judge Stanley of the Supreme Court has appointed George W. Burleigh of Great Falls Commissioner to examine and allow such claims as may be proved against the Carroll County Savings Bank, which is now in possession of receivers.

E. H. Colby of Claremont, an agent for the Davis Sewing Machine Company, while driving home from Windsor Thursday evening, was stopped by two men who asked for a match. Colby unbuttoned his overcoat as if to comply with their request, but pulled a revolver. Shots were exchanged, three of the shots of the men penetrating his two coats, and being warded off by a package of letters in his inside coat pocket. The men fled and no clue of them has yet been found. A team supposed to be theirs was found hitched to a fence a short distance from where Colby was stopped.

The Tax Commission authorized by the last Legislature to examine into the sources of the State's revenue, to consider its equality and suggest new sources of revenue, will, in furtherance of the objects, hold public hearings at the State House in Concord on the subjects and dates named below; Taxation of express companies, Thursday, Dec. 27; taxation of insurance companies, Thursday, Jan. 10; taxation of railroad companies, Thursday, Jan. 17; taxation of telegraph companies, Thursday, Jan. 24; taxation of savings banks, Thursday, Jan. 31; exemption of mortgages, Thursday, Feb. 7.

[Communicated.]

Pernicious Literature for Boys.

Editor Chronicle: I was much gratified in noticing in the CHRONICLE on Wednesday, an article from one of your exchanges condemning the pernicious trash, for the reading of boys, of which the New York press has so long been prolific. The very titles of the stories put forth in these publications are alone enough to disgust any one possessing the least refinement in taste for reading, and the wood cuts with which they are illustrated, representing either a murder or something approaching it, are simply revolting. If a father or mother has a desire to educate a boy for the gallows, nothing could be more effectual, as an initiatory step, than permitting him to read these weekly sheets circulated by unprincipled publishers, whose only object is to make money, regardless of the consequences of thus corrupting the minds of the young and inexperienced. There is also a class of the "dime novels" equally pernicious in their tendency, as can anywhere be seen at depots where cheap literature is to be had, among others, it may be added, that if not very elevating, are less objectionable. No truer indication, often, of what he will become in his maturity can be found than what a boy has an inclination for reading in his early years, especially among the throng of a great city like New York, where so many different classes and grades of society, numbered by scores, exist. As a single instance of the evil influence of such literature, if it is worthy of the name, as is referred to, upon a boy, the following will suffice. When the New York Custom House was the building now occupied as the Sub-Treasury, the night watchman, in making his rounds, found a boy concealed in the apartment where the safes were kept that contained millions of treasure, and who had made his way there before the close of business for the day. On searching his pockets, besides a candle, matches and gun-powder, with which latter he purposed, as he confessed, blowing open the mammoth safe where untold wealth was to be found, the lives in cheap form appeared of Jack Sheppard and Dick Turpin, the reading of which and weekly papers no better, had incited him to make a hero of himself in the way he attempted. In consequence of his youth, having reached scarcely the age of seventeen, and his father being a worthy man among the custom-house inspectors, he was let off with a reprimand, and advice to aspire to some higher fame than that of a burglar or a highwayman. Half a dozen years went by, and then, at the age of twenty-two, (retaining the same propensity to make himself famous for something exciting,) on meeting in the streets of Brooklyn, on a Sabbath afternoon, a young lady, who after inquiring into his habits had declined his company, he asked her to marry him, when, on her refusing, he inflicted upon her a wound with a pistol, from which she recovered, and another upon himself which proved fatal.

In years gone by, a class of most objectionable novels were in circulation, such as "Eliza Wharton," "The Gamesters," "The Monk" by M. G. Lewis, and others, that judicious parents were wont, it is said, when they found them in their homes, to throw them into the fire; and the parents of the present day can do equally well by consigning to the flames all such literary garbage as is furnished for their sons in sheets like "Our Boys," "The Boys of New York" "The Boys' New York Weekly" and others that are issued in New York and elsewhere on the Sabbath, that desecrate to such an extent the day of rest. It was gratifying to notice on a Sunday morning, when Moody and Sankey were in Brooklyn, that among the thousands on their way home from the great gathering place where the services had been held, *not one* purchased the papers published mainly for those who never attend divine services and whose loose-principled and not seldom irreverent contents are their only reading on the Sabbath. J. H. B.

A Christmas Present.

Old Moneybags has a neat way of making Christmas presents, which in hard times has its advantages. The liberal old fellow suggested to Mrs. M. and the little Moneybags, that as presents of different articles had been so generally made in former seasons, at this Christmas money should be given, and that each member of the family should make and receive a present. The plan suggested by the fertile genius of Moneybags was, that he should present the partner of his joys and each of his three children, with five dollars, and that then his loving wife and darling offspring should in turn each make him a present of like amount. The result of the operation may be stated in a mercantile form as following: Dr., Presents to wife and children, at five dollars each, twenty dollars; Cr., presents received from wife and children, at five dollars each, twenty dollars. Result, everybody happy, having made and received a generous present, and the capital of the family remaining unimpaired.

Ploughing the Bed of the Ocean.

During the past summer we witnessed deep-sea ploughing in the harbor of Belfast, Maine. The bottom of the bay is covered with a tenacious, clayey deposit, into which the steam shovel penetrates with difficulty; and to loosen it a huge Michigan plough was set at work, drawn by steam power on the shore, using a wire rope to form connections. The water at high tide was about twenty feet deep when the plough was working. The man that held it was encased in the diver's armor, and supplied with air by a flexible tube connecting with an air-pump on board of a vessel floating above. He came up at our request, and after removing his air-tight helmet and conversing a few moments, was again put in connection with the pump, and disappearing under water, went on with the ploughing. This to us was a novel proceeding, and so far as we can learn, it was the first experiment of the kind ever made.—*Journal of Chemistry.*

Wifely Obedience.

The late Chief Justice Chase's mother once bore her part in a little comedy which was almost Shakespearian. With her husband she was visiting two of his brothers who were also married. The three gentlemen, sitting and talking together, made some playful wagers on the subject of the temper of their wives, and agreed to test them. So, walking into the room where the three ladies were sitting by the fireside making caps, which at that time was very fashionable, the trial began. The first brother, after some slighting remarks concerning caps in general and his wife's handiwork in particular, commanded her to throw it into the fire. Naturally the indignant lady paid small attention to the order. The next brother's attempt met with similar success. But no sooner did the chief justice's father command his wife to toss her cap into the fire than the cap went into the flames, and that in the most prompt, sweet and serene manner.

What is "The Balsa."

That was, no doubt, a question in the minds of many who read Ensign Lucien Young's graphic description of the wreck of the Huron and of his own escape on "the balsa." The latter is a raft or float, and on the Pacific coast of South America, whence the name is derived, it is made of whole hides of bullocks sewed into air-tight bags, two of which are fastened together at the smaller end, and form a float, upon which a board is laid crossways. On this board the occupant of the balsa sits with legs dangling in the water, and, by means of a paddle, guides the buoyant raft through the surf. The balsa is used by Peruvian women, who go out to vessels at anchor off shore to sell provisions, fruits and whiskey to the sailors. As they sit on the cross board, with the inflated bags spread out like two wings from their point of junction, near which the board is placed, one end of the balsa is elevated high above the water, and it is only necessary to turn this end to shore as the balsa approaches the breakers to ensure a safe passage through them. The balsa of the Huron was probably an air-filled India-rubber float, sufficiently like its South American prototype to bear the family name. It saved the lives of two men, and under more favorable circumstances might have carried a line ashore and been instrumental in saving the lives of others.—*Philadelphia Ledger.*

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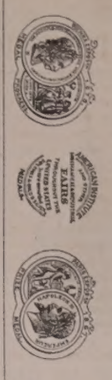

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MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5 *6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5
Portland,	9:35	4:55 6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:55
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55
Concord Way,		4:55
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55
Dover,	7:40 9:35	4:55

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:58 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

Chief Engineer Macomb, U. S. N., is home on a short Christmas furlough.

Schooner N. W. Magee, from this port for Baltimore, arrived at the lower harbor in Boston, Friday.

Christmas is a legal holiday, and note payers should make a note of the fact, before it is too late.

Hon. Daniel Marcy and family start soon after New Year's for a winter's sojourn in New Orleans.

Dr. John W. Parsons of this city has been elected a member of the Strafford District Medical Society.

If you wish to know where you can purchase a Christmas present to the best advantage, consult our advertising columns this morning.

Dr. William R. Preston has on exhibition and for sale, at his store, a beautiful white wax cross, made by a daughter of Mr. Stephen Weeks of Greenland. It will make a nice Christmas present.

John P. Sweetser, No. 46 Market street, advertises for sale the genuine "Astral" oil. This is claimed to be the best oil in the market,—and whether the best or not, is certainly a safe and brilliant oil.

Schooner A. K. Woodward, bound to this port from Port Johnson, coal laden, went ashore on the rocks east of Dutch Island at high water Friday morning. The captain proceeded to Newport for assistance.

The Christmas turkey notes the handbill indicating a raffle for Christmas eve, and shakes the tassel on the top of his beak with the regretful remark, "this is different from the way the dollar of our fathers was expended."

A boy skating on the North millpond, Saturday forenoon, was too heavy or the ice was too thin, for he broke through and got well soaked. Better keep off the pond, boys, until we have had some decent winter weather,—not that the weather for weeks past hasn't been decent enough, but it has not been winter weather at all.

Persons interested will take notice that the starting time of the afternoon train on the Concord & Portsmouth railroad has been changed; instead of leaving at a quarter past five o'clock, as formerly, it now leaves at ten minutes past five. The change we understand is made in order to afford more running time between this city and Newmarket Junction.

The new ship building near the railroad track in Newburyport, at the yard of Atkinson & Fillmore, has been sold to Capt. John S. Pray and others. She will be commanded by Capt. Samuel Pray, of this city, and managed by M. F. Pickering & Co., of Boston. The ship is 1100 tons burthen, and will be launched the latter part of March. She is pronounced a fine vessel.

On Friday, as Mr. Jere. Towle, who drives a bread-cart for Vaughan Brothers, bakers, was going his rounds, on passing the house No. 1 MacDonough street, occupied by Mr. Thomas E. Rand, he saw through the window a bright flame. Jumping from the team he knocked at the door, but meeting no response he burst the door in, and found that a pan of fat that had been left on the stove had boiled over and the fat taken fire, the blaze reaching to the ceiling. Catching the blazing pan in his bare hand he threw it out of doors, burning his hand very badly in doing it,—and by his prompt and energetic action in breaking in the door and removing the pan undoubtedly prevented another job for the fire department.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, Dec. 22d; *Batchelder, J.*

William Dunbrack and Badger Hanscom, of Greenland, were arraigned on a charge of breaking into a freight car of the Eastern railroad at Greenland, and stealing therefrom a quantity of tobacco. Dunbrack was bound over in the sum of $400 for his appearance at the April term of the Supreme Court. Hanscom was discharged, but was immediately rearrested for receiving a quantity of stolen tobacco, knowing the same to have been stolen, and was held in $400 to appear at the April term of court.

Charles Wright, for stealing eight pairs of stockings from a store door, was sent to jail for thirty days, and ordered to pay costs taxed at $8.41.

THE HIGH SCHOOL.

At the High School, Saturday morning, the upper room (in which the whole school assembled) was handsomely decorated. Festoons of evergreen extended from the centre-piece to the four corners, and the motto "Merry Christmas," beautifully wrought in autumn leaves, extended nearly across the end of the room. Then there were circles and stars of evergreen, all giving the room the finest of holiday dress and appearance. This feature of the occasion was a complete surprise to the teachers and the pupils of the lower classes, the highest class having been at work on it some two or three weeks, and actually keeping it a profound secret. During the day a picture of the room, a stereoscopic view, was taken by Davis Brothers.

The teachers were the recipients of elegant and well-selected presents, among which was a beautiful bouquet for each. Mr. Clarke received an elegant silver cake basket, Miss Bailey a pair of vases of most beautiful design, Miss Hooper a large and very elegant photograph album, and Miss Magraw a beautiful silver vase and card receiver combined in one. These were handsomely presented, in a few well timed remarks by a member of the highest class. The teachers responded happily, and spoke briefly of the pleasant relations and feelings now existing between them and the pupils, stating that they had never felt more satisfaction in the school than now. After a further exchange of holiday greetings and wishes, the school was dismissed for a vacation of two weeks.

At the Hanover street school the principal, Mr. Charles H. Buzzell, was presented with an elegant silver butter dish; Miss Drake received a silver cake basket and choice bouquet, Miss Bodge a silver butter dish and napkin ring, and Miss Young a bouquet-holder and card-receiver.

CONCORD & PORTSMOUTH R. R.

The usual semi-annual dividend of three and a half per cent. will be paid at the office of William H. Hackett on Saturday, the 29th inst.; after that, at Manchester.

[Communicated.]

OUR SCHOOLS.

Those interested in our public schools may well be pleased with the improvement and progress of those pupils who come within the limits of their home circle, in whose welfare they are personally interested. The practical branches are well observed; and our grammar school course, when complete, will fit any scholar of fair natural ability to fill creditably a responsible position in the business world; for we all consider arithmetic, spelling and writing as essentials, (while history, geography and physiology, though important, must give the first-named branches the pre-eminence,) and the pupil whose school education is based upon a thorough knowledge of these studies has laid the foundation for a good business education, which will give him success in future years. The young man who is a ready accountant and who can write a good hand, is reasonably sure to obtain positions of worth and trust, and this proficiency is worth much to one who must depend wholly upon his own exertions, as a good education is oftimes the only inheritance a poor man can leave to his children.

Among these practical branches we are constantly noting the value of a good, plain style of writing, and we who have children cannot fail to see that our schools are not deficient in this important branch of practical education; and many of the parents will be pleased to learn that the public schools of Portsmouth were given the *highest awards* at the Centennial Exposition for the best specimens of penmanship. This is encouraging to parents, and the pupils may be justly proud of their record, while we will not forget the credit which is due the teacher under whose careful and proficient instruction this acme has been reached, and I am certain he has and will continue to have the heartfelt thanks of his many friends and pupils. OBSERVER.

THE VICINITY.

The Congregational church at Rye has extended a unanimous call to Rev. Willis A. Hadley, who for the past nine months has preached at Newington.

We are requested to state that Mr. David Varney and Mrs. Dolly Manson, of Kittery, were *not* united in the holy bonds of matrimony on the 16th inst., as has been published.

The Boston & Maine railroad is putting in a new side track at Newmarket Junction for the use of the passenger trains, and it is said that they will extend the track through to South Newmarket station, in the spring, making a double track from the Junction to South Newmarket, and make other very much needed improvements.

—The novelty in ladies' boots is to have the tops of bouretto cloth to match the dress.

—Two gentlemen at the Boston Theatre, Wednesday evening, were curious to learn how much time would be consumed in dismissing the crowded audience present to witness "The Exiles." Both held watches, and they jointly reported that in two minutes and fifteen seconds after the fall of the curtain the auditorium was cleared and the lights extinguished; and five minutes and forty seconds after the curtain went down they were seated in a Metropolitan car on Washington street, and saw the gates at the main entrance closed by the watchman.

BIRTHS.

DUNYON. In this city, Dec. 20, to Mr. Howard N. Dunyon, a daughter.

MARRIAGES.

GRANT—TIRRELL. In this city, Dec. 20, by Rev. James Noyes, Mr. Jasper Grant and Miss Jennie Tirrell.

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Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 10.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., H. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 35 to 50 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 55c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 9 @ 9½; Gr. 10½; Crushed 11c.
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Eyes bright as diamonds should be supplemented by teeth white as pearls, and this latter element of beauty can be secured by using Sozodont. If brushed in night and morning, this fragrant vegetable preparation is guaranteed to preserve the soundness of the teeth, and prevent their turning yellow.

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To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod&eteopt15 78

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

ROCKINGHAM, SS.

By the Judge of Probate for said County.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of WILLIAM REMICK late of Rye, in said County, deceased, intestate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting.

You are hereby notified that MARY P. MORAN, administratrix of the estate of said deceased, will present her account of administering said estate as a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of January next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for examination and allowance. At the same Court the Report of the Commissioner of Insolvency on said estate will be taken into consideration for acceptance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have, and notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication whereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

Dated December 15, 1877.

By order of the Judge,
WOODBURY M. DURGIN,
17-24-31 Register of Probate.

[ESTABLISHED 1822.]

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Mirth, pleasure, and instruction. The W. T. L. has made arrangements for six entertainments to be given this winter, as follows:
1st. Musical, Miss Alice I. Carl, assisted by a male quartette.
2d. Mr. J. L. Lord, of Providence, in his amusing character delineations.
3d. The wonder of the 19th century,—a full exhibition of the Telephone.
4th. Not announced.
5th. Select readings.
6th. Mr. Stuart Rogers in his varied characters and readings.
SEASON TICKETS.....$1.00
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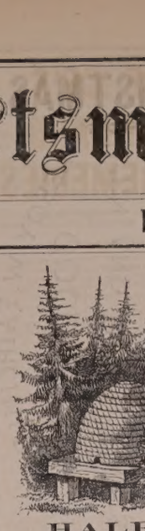

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He awaited his last hour,
Gazing still, while life was waning,
Prayerful, on the warning flower
Hung up on the sacred wood,
As once Eve whose gracious blood
From His pierced heart flows forever,
Love's divine, unfailing river.

Once, alas! the Rose of Warning
Chose a youth. 'Twas hard to die
When upon the world life's morning
Had just opened her young eyes.
Hastily and stealthily,
Ere the others enter, he
Laid the flower to warn another—
An old, weary, waiting brother.

But upon the early morrow
O'er the lowly cloister wall
Rose a long, loud wail of sorrow:
There were two for burial!
The old man, in happy rest,
With his hands upon his breast;
But the youth, all pale, distorted—
Who could guess how he departed?

And the rose upon its bosom
Wore a fearful stain of blood!
Nevermore the snow-white blossom
Warned the sorrowing brotherhood.
Vainly they, at midnight bell,
Watched for that and miracle;
For with blood was it polluted,
And for service pure unsullied.

And the brothers, broken-hearted,
Died in sorrow, one by one;
And the cloister stood deserted
And decaying; till the ocean
Could not find it. There, they say,
Grow white roses to this day;
But a stain of blood waves through them,
For the murder-curse clings to them.

—*S. S. Conant*—*Harper's Magazine.*

—We have about fifty different treaties with Mexico, and what's the use of making any more. What those halibut-painted gents need is a good drubbing at the hands of this nation, and then they'd settle down to highway robbery and become good fellows.—*Detroit Free Press.*

—A deputy sheriff recently set out to arrest two brothers, who had farms a few miles from Waco, Texas. He found them at work in their fields picking cotton. He told them what his errand was. They stared at him, winked at each other, gently but firmly disarmed him, and ordered him to go to work in the field; and there he remained, picking cotton for dear life, until the officials in his own frontier county heard of the incident and rescued him.

—In 1810 Secretary of State Pickering wrote to the British minister: "Mr. and Mrs. Pickering have received the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Liston to dine with them next Monday; which would be accepted with pleasure, but that Congress do not allow persons holding executive offices under the United States (unless they possess private fortunes) to have any convivial intercourse with foreign ministers, and scarcely admit of it with the most intimate of their fellow citizens. It is deemed honor enough for executive officers to toil without interruption for their country, and indulgence enough to live on mutton, mush and cold water."

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Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 8½ @ 9c; Gr. 10; Crushed 10½c.
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Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

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Daily Chronicle.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 21st.

Clark Mills, the sculptor, publicly charges, according to the *Star*, that hundreds of thousands—perhaps millions—of dollars have been contributed to the building of the Washington monument, and that paper unites with him in a call upon the Association to account for it. More than twenty-five years ago the building of the monument began. Some, I dare say, may have the fact recalled that many years ago they were solicited to send a dollar in aid of the project, by reading this. Foreign Governments contributed blocks of marble, and the indignity with which that sent by the Pope was treated when the Know Nothings gained temporary control of the Association is still remembered. In many, if not all, the Departments here, boxes were placed twenty years ago, more or less, soliciting alms of every visitor for the Washington monument; there is also one at the Capitol, and for aught I know similar contrivances, appealing to the patriotism of every passer-by, are in the public buildings throughout the country. The aggregate collected by these insatiable little iron receptacles must amount to something handsome; and it is pertinent to inquire what has become of it? Spasmodic fits of zeal have occasionally seized the members of the Association,—and at such times efforts have been made to stimulate contributions by circulars and otherwise. During one of these, a year or two since, secret societies, Masons, Odd Fellows, etc., were appealed to all over the country, and their response in many instances is understood to have been generous. Where is it all? The Association ought to be able to show, and be glad of an opportunity to convince a gain-saying world that they have been faithful to their trust. A little investigation undertaken a few years since by a well-known lady Washington correspondent, into the affairs of the Mt. Vernon Association, resulted in revelations so unsavory of its management by the boss or resident regent, as to have begotten a wide-spread aversion to promiscuous alms-giving of this sort, even to nominally responsible parties; and which not even the pretense that it was to go to perpetuate the name and fame of General Washington sufficed to wholly overcome.

One of the real charities of the Capital city is the lodging-house established for the purpose of giving to such seemingly respectable strangers as found themselves in this city without money or friends, a night's shelter, with an abundant supper and breakfast of bread and coffee to such of them as could not procure better. It occupies the old central station house, and is supported wholly by voluntary contributions. If known, no one under the influence of liquor is harbored, and every guest is required to take a bath on entering, and go into the clean sheets in a similar condition approximating godliness. Since opened this season it has supplied above four hundred wanderers with a bed and bread and coffee night and morning. The appearance and manners of the three first applicants for a night's entertainment are noted somewhat in this wise by a reporter for the *Republican*. The first, a man above sixty, still erect, hair whitened, but of refined appearance and conversation. He timidly requests lodging and food, says he has walked from Baltimore since morning (forty miles;) asked for food at the Relay House, and was so disconcerted by the rough refusal that he made no further appeals. He stated that he was a chum of Senator —— at Yale, and came to this city to see him, but learned he had gone to his home for the recess. He reflected somewhat bitterly, but patiently withal, upon the relative success attained by each in life's battle. After cheerfully complying with the conditions precedent to retiring, and eating and drinking his fill, he was shown a good bed and was soon on a level with the Senatorial friend of his youth. No. two is a typical tramp—dirty, ragged, and with the unmistakable air in every movement of the ruffian vagabond. His first salutation was, "I want a bed—a better one than I had last time." He was informed to the effect that no drunken bullies were entertained a second time, and that he must find accommodations elsewhere. He went out, and directly a brick came crashing in through the door; but he eluded pursuit. The third was a female—tired, hungry and wretched—just such material as fills many a suicide's grave in the potter's field. Her story was briefly, that she had been deluded into coming here by a false husband, from a happy home; that at the first pinch of poverty he deserted her, and that she was now seeking to regain her home.

One of our other institutions—the Labor Bureau—devised to find employment for the hundreds of enforced idlers in our midst, though an experiment and laboring under the joint drawbacks of lack of funds and experience, has been conducted with energy and good judgment; and out of the three or four thousand who have solicited its good offices, work for several hundred has been found.

Many members of Congress have gone to spend the recess with their families left at home,—and their constituents.

Reports from El Paso are contradictory as to the participation of Mexican citizens in the late outbreak there. Government dispatches indicating that there were none and those from Texas officials affirming that Mexicans from the south side of the Rio Grande instigated the disturbances and took a lead in them. All agree, however, in the belief that our relations with Mexico are in an extremely critical state, and liable to eventuate in war at any time. KNOX.

Consolidation of Magazines.

It seems that Messrs. H. O. Houghton & Co. have bought out the *Galaxy*, heretofore published by Sheldon & Co. of New York, and the magazine will hereafter be combined with the *Atlantic Monthly*. The January number of the *Galaxy* is its last. It was established by the Messrs. Church, in New York, in 1866. The *Atlantic*, as a New England periodical, will have the competition of *Scribner's*, *Harper's*, *Lippincott's*, *Appleton's* and other magazines, but it is to be hoped for the credit of New England that it will not only maintain its high repute but be remunerative to its proprietors. Messrs. Houghton & Co. are usually successful when they undertake a publication.

News and Notes.

The Inman steamer City of Berlin, disabled on the voyage from New York to Liverpool some weeks ago, has been taken into the graving dock, and it was found that the screw shaft was not broken, as was supposed, but that the key of the propeller had given way and that the propeller became loose on the shaft. No wonder she wouldn't sail with such a drag after her.

The Comptroller of the Currency will issue no more notes of five dollars to the First National bank of Hanover, Pa., nor the First National bank of Tamaqua, Pa., as dangerous counterfeits of said notes have recently been put in circulation; all persons should refuse five dollar notes of these banks, and holders should forward such notes to the redemption agency of the Treasury Department.

An effort will be made to have inserted in any mail steamship subsidy bill which may pass Congress this session, a clause compelling the company to have vessels manned by American seamen. The Pacific Mail Steamship Company, it is said, now has its vessels almost entirely manned by Chinamen.

Cornelius Tobin, of South Boston, on Sunday afternoon threw a lighted kerosene lamp at Mrs. John Mahegan, who occupied the same house with Tobin. The lamp broke and the kerosene took fire, and Mrs. Mahegan was burned to death. Tobin was arrested—and the man who sold the kerosene ought to be, for good kerosene would not take fire under such circumstances.

Hon. A G. Wakefield has presented to the city of Bangor, Me., $10,000, asking that the income be expended annually for the relief of the deserving poor.

Stephen A. Haviland, known among printers as a remarkably correct type setter, died in New York, Dec. 7th, aged sixty-six. He learned the trade when a boy, in the employ of William E. Dean, at New and Wall streets, New York city. He has been known to set twelve book pages of type, mixed Greek, Latin and English, without an error; and the remarkable feat of setting a concordance to the Bible in diamond type without an error, is attributed to him. He was for twenty-five years a proof reader for the Methodist Book Concern.

Five horse thieves were taken from jail in Bakersfield, Cal., on Friday, and hanged by a mob.

Burglars entered the house of Mr. Benjamin S. Noyes at Boston Highlands on Sunday morning, gagged and bound the servant, and gathered up the valuables throughout the house. They finally became frightened and left their booty behind them.

The famous trotting mare Flora Temple, the "Queen of the Turf" for many years, died in Philadelphia on Friday at the age of thirty-three years. As a remarkable illustration of the increase in speed of trotting horses, it may be mentioned that Flora Temple's best time was a mile in 2:24, and that she was withdrawn from the turf in 1861, no horses being found to trot against her; while Goldsmith Maid, the present mistress of the race-track, has a record of 2:14, and a score or more of racers have a record a long way under Flora Temple's best time.

Mrs. A. T. Stewart, of New York, fell Saturday and broke her arm.

Three brokers were arrested in New York, Saturday night, who are said to be members of the largest, most powerful and best organized gang of bond counterfeiters ever unearthed in this country, and that their operations have extended throughout the principal cities of the Union. The amount of the bonds already put on the market is stated at $150,000.

The spread of fever in Ireland has lately been directly traced to attending wakes, and the medical papers in England are asking the Roman Catholic clergy to use their influence against them. The clergy have long tried to abolish wakes, but hitherto with little success either in Ireland or America. The wake is not a "Catholic" institution at all, as many Protestants suppose, but is purely Irish,—a relic of ancient customs which not even the clergy's influence has been sufficient to banish.

By a two-thirds vote, the legislature of South Carolina has ratified the tax of two mills on all the taxable property of the state for the support of free schools.

The subject of educating boys in practical seamanship, to fit them for service in the navy, having been thoroughly treated and found of great advantage, will be presented to Congress at this session by the naval authorities, with a view of having such changes made in the law as shall result in having the navy manned entirely by educated seamen. Commodore Shufeldt, chief of the bureau of equipment and recruiting, will explain the advantages to the committee on naval affairs of the Senate and House, and recommend the passage of a law authorizing the enlistment of 750 boys annually, which will be ten per cent. of the actual number of seamen now allowed to the navy, as it has been ascertained by experience, in England and elsewhere, that such a percentage of new material will keep up the force to a perfect state. It appears that during the trouble between this country and Spain, on account of the Virginius affair, when three thousand additional men were enlisted, over twenty-five per cent. were incapacitated for service within a few weeks.

Messrs. Martin and Harding, Englishmen, American Consul Griffin, the marshal and the deputy marshal who were embroiled in the late troubles in the island of Samoa, and were put in irons by order of the English consul, have sued the consul in the Supreme Court of Fiji and recovered the damages, with costs, for false imprisonment. Besides these damages, they claim each $20,000 damages from England.

Thirteen vacancies in the medical corps of the army are to be filled on recommendation of the examining board now holding sessions in New York.

An investigation in the case of three ships of different classes of the navy show the accommodations of the seamen utterly insufficient, the crowded quarters causing much sickness. A remedy will be applied as soon as possible.

United States ships Supply, at New York, and Constitution, at Philadelphia, and steamer Wyoming, at Washington, will be ready to receive goods for the Paris Exposition on the 20th of February. The Wyoming takes the government exhibit.

Crime in the National Capital appears to cover a wide range of humanity. There were 12,983 arrests made by the police during the year ending on the 30th of September last, including one member of Congress, nine editors, thirty-one reporters, nine preachers and sixty-seven lawyers, one hundred and eighty-five printers and five hundred and eight clerks.

Captain Wiggins, an Englishman, just arrived in London from the Jenesei and Obi rivers, in Siberia, reports that the route is practicable to the north pole with an open sea all the way. He also reports an immense commerce into Siberia from China. Capt. Wiggins, with a schooner of forty tons, sailed from the capital of Siberia to St. Petersburg. Steps are to be taken to organize a line of trading steamers and open to the world the timber, grain and mineral resources of Siberia. Seven tons of gold were taken from one mine this year. The wheat, equal to that of California, is sold at $15 a ton. Beef is one cent a pound. Capt. Wiggins' story sounds very much like some of those of the celebrated traveller, Baron Munchausen.

Advices from London state that the Dutch steamer Friesland, from Java to Rotterdam, has been lost with all hands off Cape Finisterre. She passed Gibraltar December 5th. Wreckage has been sighted which there is little doubt came from the Friesland. Her crew numbered about fifty. There were no passengers. It was first reported there were 362 passengers aboard, but these were Malay pilgrims, and landed at Jeddah.

A new counterfeit $5 note on the First National Bank of Hanover, Pa., has made its appearance. The paper is thin and color dark. Bank number 187, date Feb. 20, 1864, and bearing signatures of F. E. Spinner and L. E. Chittenden. It is printed from same plate as the First National Bank of Tamaqua, Pa., which made its appearance about Sept. 20, 1877.

Senator Anthony of Rhode Island sent to Senator Eaton of Connecticut a thirty pound turkey for Christmas.

It is stated that Evarts has given assurance to the Spanish Minister that the steamer Estelle will not be allowed to go to sea until more satisfactory explanations of her intentions are given.

New Hampshire Items.

Hon. Charles H. Bell of Exeter has been selected to preside at the Republican State Convention which is to be holden in Concord the second week in January.

A new religious organization has been formed in the "Pine Plains" district of Concord, to be known as the Memorial Union Church. It was instituted by a council representing six of the evangelical churches of Concord. A handsome communion service was presented by W. B. Durgin, ex-Mayor Kimball and Mrs. C. D. Berry.

The fourteenth annual session of the New Hampshire State Musical Festival will be held in Concord, commencing Jan. 29, and continuing four days.

Dr. Henry G. Staples, dentist, of Hanover, attempted suicide with a pistol Saturday. While rational he expresses regret and wants to recover. It is impossible to extract the ball, owing to its contact with the brain. Various causes are assigned for the act. His recovery is considered impossible.

Samuel Greenleaf, the oldest citizen of Exeter, died on Monday, aged 92 years and six months. He was a veteran of the war of 1812.

Robert P. Parrott, inventor of the gun which bears his name, died at Cold Spring, N. Y., on Monday. He was born in Lee, in this State, and was 73 years old at the time of his death.

DEATHS.

DEANE. In Kittery, Dec. 23d, Mrs. Addie M. Deane, wife of Mr. Daniel H. Deane, and only daughter of Samuel and Harriet Buxton of Kittery.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

Arr in Lower Harbor, Dec 21: Schs Golden Eagle, Hinkley, from Addison for Boston; Nahant, Daily, Camden for Boston; Susan Frances, Smith, Lamoine for Boston; Frank Maria, Alley, Ellsworth for Boston; War Eagle, Frisbie, Wiscasset for Boston; Sultana, Eastman, Harpswell for Gloucester.

Ship Triumphant, Libby, cld from San Francisco for Callao and Guano Islands Dec 15.

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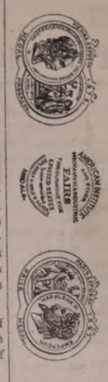

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	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East [beyond Portland],	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:35	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:02 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

To-day being Christmas Day, no paper will be issued from this office to-morrow.

The Kearsarge Mills shut down from Monday to Wednesday, to straighten the piston rod of the large engine.

Our friend J. W. P. Carter suggests that "to-day will settle Turkey's attitude on the *piece question* for this winter."

At the Christmas assembly at Mechanics' Hall to night, elegant presents are to be given to the best two dancers—lady and gentleman. Grand march at 8:30 o'clock.

There was good skating on the North millpond again on Monday. The ice was hardly thick enough to be safe for a big crowd to stand still on, but nobody broke through it.

Schooner A. K. Woodward, before reported as having run ashore on Dutch island Friday morning, while on the passage from Port Johnson to this port with coal, was hauled off at high water on Saturday, and continued her voyage.

Lieut. Chas. Seymour, U. S. N., recently ordered to the navy yard, will have a very pleasant duty on Wednesday, when he is to lead to the altar the daughter of Commodore John Guest, the Commandant at the navy yard. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Eugene M. O'Callaghan, pastor of St. Mary's church.

Monday was a pretty good day for the fishing schooners out of this port. The Celia brought in 7,000 lbs., the Mary S. Hontvet 12,000 lbs., the Comet 7,000 lbs., the Grace Choate 5,000 lbs., the Ella M. Johnson 6,000 lbs., and the George Linwood 3,000 lbs., of cod and haddock. About 4,000 lbs. additional was brought in by the small boats.

On Saturday forenoon R. Hamilton Perkins, principal of the Haven school, was presented with a handsome dressing-case; Misses Shackford and Marshal received fancy boxes, Miss Dodge a pair of Bohemian glass vases, and the teachers of the remaining grades handsome specimens of straw work and other articles. At the Cabot street school there were some pleasant remembrances from the pupils.—*Times.*

On Saturday the fishing schooner Silkworm, (one of the old-fashioned "pinkies,") of Gloucester, Capt. Downs, was lying alongside the pier on the up-river side of the draw of Portsmouth bridge. She was loaded with fish, salt and fresh, and bound on a trading voyage up the Piscataqua; and while waiting for wind and tide drove quite a brisk trade on the bridge, supplying a large number of State of Maine farmers, who were homeward bound from this city, with "Marblehead turkeys."

Hartford, Conn., is boasting over a grasshopper caught on a grass plat in one of its squares last week; and the editor of a Massachusetts paper (published in a "license" town) says he heard robins singing one morning recently—whether just after he got up or just before he went to bed he does not tell us. In the woods near this city, on Sunday, arbutus buds almost in bloom were gathered; and in several gardens in the city having a sunny aspect and sheltered from the winds, lilac bushes are budding out.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

There was a Christmas service at the Middle street church on Sunday.

The Methodists had their Christmas tree on Monday evening, in the church.

Sixteen stockings were hung up, and filled with presents, at the Children's Home, Monday evening.

There will be Christmas services at the South Parish to-day, at the usual hour of morning service.

The Mission School festival at the Creek will be held at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

The Unitarian festival and Christmas tree will be at Franklin Hall at 6:30 this evening.

North church festival at the vestry, at 7 o'clock this evening.

At the Court Street Christian church the annual Christmas entertainment will occur this evening, with a pleasing programme to accompany this yearly jubilee.

The Universalist Christmas tree will be set up in the church, and the festival will be held this evening at seven o'clock.

The Christmas festival of the Episcopal church will be held in Franklin Hall on Thursday evening at 5:30 o'clock, when the Christmas tree will be cleared of its motley fruit.

DIVIDENDS.

The Rockingham National Bank pays a dividend of four per cent., on New Year's day. At the same time, the New Hampshire National Bank pays a dividend of three per cent.

THE TRAMP NUISANCE.

We take the following from the Dover *Democrat* of the 18th inst.:

Last night, just about dark, a stranger came along the sidewalk at Winslow's store, near Central street bridge, deliberately took a pair of shoes hanging up by the door and marched off. He was soon overhauled and refused to give his name, but the substance of it was he did not want the shoes to wear, but he wanted to be sent to jail to get a winter's board and lodgings at the city or county expense. He is now in the station, and the authorities are determined not to accommodate him with a winter home, but propose to get him off out of town if possible. He probably will not go unless he is carried by force. There are a good many similar cases all about and rather on the increase. What is the best method in regard to this sort of people. Can anybody tell?

We have had a number of just such tramps as this Dover genius in this city, and shall probably have plenty more of them before winter is over; and the *Democrat's* question, "What is the best method in regard to this sort of people?" is an important one, and whoever can answer it satisfactorily will be a public benefactor. There are tramps now in Portsmouth jail who came here and broke the law on purpose to get sent to the jail or to Brentwood,—they didn't care much which, for during the winter there is no work worth mentioning to do at either place. A year ago a tramp stole a pair of boots from a store door on Congress street, was caught (as he acknowledged he intended to be) and sent to jail for the winter. He was discharged in the spring, and kept out of the city all summer, but not many days ago he returned, bringing a lot of mates with him; four of them stole things from a store door, and three others, who had been sent out of town one morning, were back on the streets, drunk and disorderly, on the evening of the same day; and all seven were sent to jail, where they wanted to go to be fed and sheltered for the winter. The County Commissioners have requested our city officials to send no more tramps to Brentwood, as they cannot be accommodated there without incommoding the paupers; and the jail now has a much larger number of inmates than ever before. This state of affairs moves us to ask, in the language of one of the great men of modern times, "What are you going to do about it?" Are vagabonds, simply because they *are* vagabonds, to be allowed to steal, or get drunk and brawl in the streets at pleasure, and go unpunished therefor, while the citizen who commits either of these offences (though he may be ordinarily a *good* citizen) is punished? If they are, then the worthless, criminal vagrants are to be privileged above men who are worth something to the community. On the other hand, if every vagabond who steals a chicken or pair of boots from a store door, before the eyes of a police officer, or robs a clothes-line, or gets drunk and yells about the street, is dealt with as the law says he *shall* be dealt with, then our own respectable and worthy citizens will be defrauded of the modicum of jail or house of correction which is justly their due when *they* get drunk and kick up a row, or steal things,—for the county houses of detention are already filled to their utmost capacity. It is of no use to say "Let the police drive the tramps out of the town," for as a general thing they won't *go* out, and if they are escorted out they come right back again and commit some petty theft with the avowed purpose of getting "sent up" for the winter. And the few who can be driven away are merely sent somewhere else to steal,—to rob hen roosts and corn bins and stores in the country, and burn barns either for sport or through carelessness. What is wanted is not something that will suffice to make a tramp move on out of one town into the next one, but a plan that will do away with vagabondism all around; and no such plan has yet been devised, for vagrancy is yearly on the increase all over the Union, and the hordes of worthless bummers in many sections have established something very like a reign of terror among the inhabitants of thinly settled districts. In Pennsylvania they have had pitched battles with sheriff's posses; and in Maryland a State convention, presided over by Hon. Montgomery Blair, has been in session to consider the best method of ridding the State of the tramp nuisance, with especial reference to the protection of farmers. One thing is certain; our jails and houses of correction are no restraint whatever upon vagrancy, as the tramps can easily keep clear of them in the summer, when there is work (at least on the county farm) to do, and in the winter the jails and county houses are cosy houses of refuge for them.

RYE LETTER.

RYE, Dec. 24th.

The Festival held by the ladies of the Congregational society on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday evenings of last week, was the most successful ever given by them, the total receipts being $426.55; $100 will probably cover the expenses, leaving over $300 as the net proceeds. There was a large crowd present on the second evening, and as the "entertainment part" was not over until a late hour, and every one present seemed desirous of seeing that, the sale of fancy articles had not been sufficient to clear the tables, so it was determined to continue the Festival another evening, which was done at a reduced rate of admission and was attended by about two hundred persons; and after a short entertainment, the auctioneer, G. H. Jenness, Esq., mounted the platform and soon disposed of the remaining articles at fair prices. But it was evident each evening, that the great majority of those present came to see and hear, and were not in want of many goods, either useful or ornamental. An elegant chair and a sofa cushion were put up the first evening to be voted for, the first to a gentleman, and the second to a lady, and the polls were kept open until 11 o'clock the last evening, when the vote was declared; Mr. W. S. Kusel, having the largest number of votes, was presented with the chair; and Miss Clara Emma Jenness had the most on the cushion, which was presented to her. Seventy-seven dollars was realized on the chair, and thirty dollars on the cushion. Two ring cakes brought twelve dollars; and Mr. John Frasier was the lucky individual who got the slice which had the ring, in the first, Miss Minnie Brown securing the second one. A guess cake which weighed 8 lbs., 7 1-2 oz., was captured by Mr. Gilman Garland.

The entertainment given was quite a feature, and consisted of tableaux, charades, speaking by Mr. Ed. Foss and Miss Lizzie Trefethern, readings by Miss Estella Goss and Mrs. J. J. Rand, singing by Miss Estella Delany, Mr. and Mrs. Adams Drake and others, solos on the flute and harmonica, and the farce of "Box and Cox." The whole was well presented, and the audience gave their undivided attention while the curtain was up. Among the features, which may be alluded to as pleasing the audience most, was the singing of Miss Estella Delany, who gave a different song each evening, and was deservedly encored. Also flute solos by Mrs. C. O. Philbrick, songs by Mr. W. S. Kusel, harmonica solos by Mr. Joseph J. Rand, duets by Miss Leona P. Brown, two "Jubilee songs" (entitled "Turn back Pharoah's army," and "Been a listening") by a select chorus, and a pretty representation of the seasons, by four little girls, each reciting an appropriate verse. The farce of Box and Cox made some merriment, and was repeated the second evening by request. Our Cornet Band were present every evening, and did their part faithfully and well. They have improved wonderfully of late, and while all their selections were good, the "Fireman's Polka," played by request the first night and repeated by special request the second, was what "brought down the house."

The Hall was tastefully decorated with evergreen and bunting, under the superintendence of Mr. Wm. B. Rand.

Mr. W. S. Hadley, who has for some time past been supplying the pulpit of the church in Newington, has accepted an invitation to preach for the Congregational society here for one year, and will commence his labors the first Sunday in January.

The Christian society will give an entertainment at the Town Hall on Thursday evening, Dec. 27th, for which they have been making preparations for some weeks past. NAT.

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Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 4½s	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	90½
Boston & Maine	95
Boston & Providence	116½
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Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	4½
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	105
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A Curious Lawsuit.

The verdict in the Rhode Island Hospital suit for $15,000, instituted by John Galvin against that corporation, and which was given in favor of the defendants, excites much sympathy for the plaintiff. Galvin had one of his hands lacerated by a circular saw. He was sent to the hospital, where the fingers of the hand were amputated. The operation was very unskilfully done, and a severe hemorrhage ensued. A tourniquet was applied to the arm, and kept there seventeen hours. The result was that mortification of the arm took place, and, to save his life, amputation had to be made at the shoulder. The case was tried in a lower court and damages awarded amounting to $10,000. The case then went to the Supreme Court, where the Judge charged the jury that, as the hospital was a charitable institution, they could not be held liable for damages occurring in such cases as this. The jury accordingly returned a verdict for the corporation. The case will be carried to a higher courtion exceptions, and when the facts as above related are made known there is little doubt but what the plaintiff will win his suit.

Mysterious Disappearance.

A case of mysterious disappearance comes from the southern seas. The account is given by a Chilian newspaper: About 150 miles from the Straits of Magellen, the Danish ship Lutterfield, J. O. Lugineers master, saw, during the night, a rock or island apparently about one hundred feet high. He lay to till daylight, not finding any rock or island laid down in the charts. At 5:40 A. M. what in the night appeared a large rock or island, had diminished to one-half of its former dimensions. Captain Lugineers, with the mate and four hands went on shore. The island had the figure of a cone with an extension of 100 to 150 square yards; the ground was so hot that the men could not remain on it, but returned immediately into the boat. No smoke was seen, but the sea around was in a state of ebulition. At 8 A. M. of the same day, the island had entirely disappeared, and the Lutterfield sailed over the site thereof.

Norfolk and Baltimore Oyster Trade.

Fully 700,000 gallons of oysters will be shipped from Norfolk the present season. In Baltimore there are 25 packing houses, employing each from 50 to 450 hands, and handling 3,000,000 bushels of raw and 15,000,000 of canned oysters each season. Besides there are 50 steaming houses, where 25,000,000 cans are prepared each season by 7000 men. Nearly 2000 men are engaged in making cans. Oyster shuckers make on an average $1.25 per day, but some experts make as much as $5. A bushel of oysters in the shell will make 10 cans, and one firm have shucked and canned as many as 7500 bushels in a day.

—"Moody and Sankey," says the Paris *Gaulois,* "are the founders of a new religion which enjoys a certain vogue in the United States. Moody tells stories by way of sermon and his partner sings songs. In the United States that is called a religion. In Paris we should simply call it a concert saloon."

—The coldest storm wave of the season was experienced by a young man from Syracuse, who escorted an East Rome girl home Sunday night, and was detected by her father just as he was putting his moustache where it would do the most good.—*Rome Sentinel.*

—A story is told of a Hartford insurance man, who some years ago, soon after his marriage, went to a country town in Maine with another adjuster, to settle a loss. Arriving at the tavern at a late hour at night, they were given a room with a forty-pound feather bed therein, which, from its temperature, had evidently been recently under the influence of some human warming pan; in fact, as it appeared, the room had been occupied up to the midnight arrival of the adjusters by the landlord's daughter, who, in her hurried departure to make room for these distinguished arrivals, left her chemise hanging upon the bedpost. The newly-married Hartford underwriter, in unpacking his valise after his return home, in the presence of his affectionate bride, turned out among its other contents, to the astonished eyes of himself and bride, the aforesaid chemise, which had been carefully packed away therein by his diabolical companion. It is gratifying to be able to record that, as the honeymoon was yet young, this explanation, with all its lameness, was accepted, and the scalp of the groom saved for future use.

Daily Chronicle.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1877.

The Eastern War.

The Russian lines have been pushed forward and Erzeroum is almost invested. The bombardment of the town and consequent interruption of telegraphic service are imminent.

The Servians on Monday, after eight hours' severe fighting, captured Okpalarka, with three Krupp guns and a large quantity of ammunition and provisions. The Turks lost many in killed and some prisoners.

The Russian General Skobeloff, with a division of infantry, two regiments of cavalry and half a brigade of artillery has occupied the town of Trojan, near Trojan Pass.

Turkey having sent several thousand black troops of the Egyptian contingent to Crete, to overawe the insurgents in that island, Greece is becoming very uneasy and a declaration of war against Turkey is considered probable.

News and Notes.

A Mrs. Hatfield, a son and daughter aged ten years, and a daughter aged six, were all drowned near Yarmouth, N. S., on Sunday, by the breaking of ice on which they were skating.

Hannah J. Slade, a married woman, shot Michael Doran at Methuen, Mass., Christmas evening, in a drunken row, killing him instantly.

In Brooklyn, Christmas morning, while several boys were shooting at a mark, one of them, named David Sweeney, fourteen years old, playfully pointed an unloaded gun at a companion of the same age, named Thomas Rourke, snapped it, and blew away the greater part of Rourke's head and neck. "Didn't know it was loaded."

The most daring outrage by tramps recently reported occurred in Durham, Conn., Dec. 23d. During the absence of Mr. Henry I. Nettleton and family at church, their house was ransacked, and savings bank books, mortgages, deeds, notes, a watch, a shawl and other things were appropriated. The burglars spread the table and apparently enjoyed at leisure a good dinner. John Hall, a neighbor, returning home in the evening, was assaulted by three tramps, but escaped from them. They were probably the burglars.

The cause of the disastrous explosion in the candy factory in New York is still a mystery, and no theory that has been brought to a test was found plausible, although, if starch will explode, (as has been stated) there was enough of the material to blow up fifty buildings. Starch seems to enter largely into the composition of sugar candy.

After fifteen years of litigation, Cyrus H. McCormick, the reaper man, has secured a judgment against the Pennsylvania Railroad Company for $7193 damages and $7934 interest, for loss of personal baggage. The baggage was carried off from Philadelphia in violation of the Company's rule and without the plaintiff's consent, and was burned in a car at Chicago.

Two duels have recently been fought in France, in which one man was killed and three wounded.

Dean Stanley, in a recent sermon at Westminster, said: "All goodness belongs to Christ, regardless of creed or Church. It belongs to no sect, and the true Church knows no Turkey, no Russia." This bold avowal, coming right on the heels of Canon Farrar's public repudiation of the doctrine of eternal punishment, has created great interest in the Church of England.

New Hampshire Items.

Four barns of Shepard H. Cutting, at Newport, together with forty tons of hay and ten cattle, were burned Monday night, Dec. 24th. Loss $1800; insured $1200.

S. W. Wheeler, a man of about sixty-five years, dropped dead from heart disease, in Peterboro', on the morning of Dec. 21st. He was chopping in the woods, and the young man with him heard a groan, looked up, and Wheeler was on his back and unconscious. He leaves a wife and three daughters.

The Norway Plains Savings Bank at Rochester has voted to reduce the rate of interest to depositors to four per cent.

Mrs. Walter Dolber, who is teaching one of the schools in Candia, has four daughters who are also teaching, two in this State and two at the West.

A young man named Daniel Thurston, eighteen years old, living in the family of Charles Whitten in the easterly part of Wolfeboro', was drowned on Saturday night by breaking through the ice in Smith's pond. His body was recovered on Sunday.

Jonas Brooks, a well-to-do farmer of Claremont, left home very mysteriously quite early Sunday morning. No alarm was made for him until night, as he had been in the habit of going off for a day frequently, always returning at night. Vigilant search was made for him Monday, but without effect. It is feared he has committed suicide.

The detectives say that they have evidence which will surely convict George Hamilton, the negro arrested recently in Louisiana for the murder of A. C. Foster at Keene last year, but they will not particularize. It is known, however, that a man who is said to have shared the money taken from the murdered man's person is coming from Louisiana to testify against Hamilton.

The commission appointed by the Governor to revise the militia law have issued a circular and forwarded a copy of it to each commissioned officer in the State, asking for any suggestions or information relative to any desired change, amendments or alterations in the statutes now governing the military that appear to them desirable to be made.

A barn owned by H. B. Atherton, at Nashua, was totally destroyed by fire Christmas evening, together with its contents, including hay and farming tools. Loss about $1000; partially insured. Incendiary.

Political.

Mr. Tilden has one constant friend. His name is Lipscomb, and he has introduced in the South Carolina Senate a concurrent resolution declaring that Mr. Tilden was fairly elected President, and that the effort of Mr. Hayes to dismember the solid democracy of the South is "a gross insult to the members of that great and growing party."

Owen Murphy, one of the most prominent members of the Tammany Hall General Committee, and Treasurer of the New York Board of Excise Commissioners, has absconded with a large sum of the city's money. The amount of this Tammany reformer's stealings is placed at from $30,000 to $150,000. The civil service of the United States will never be thoroughly reformed until Tammany gets full control of it.

This is the objectionable manner in which "Perley" talks: "Jones of Portsmouth and Morse of Boston will explain to the democrats of New England why their only representative among the officers of the House, Walter M. French, was unceremoniously bounced to make a place for Gen. Lamar, sir! of Georgia, sir! An ex-Confederate, sir!"

The reason why the South is solid in favor of any bill leaning toward the repudiation of the national debt, crops out in the Senate debates. Senator Morgan of Alabama, in discussing the Matthews resolution, said of the people of Alabama that the "blood of their sons has been coined into the dollars that are represented into the billions of our national debt." Senator Beck of Kentucky also remarked that the democratic side of the Senate had been filled for the very purpose of repealing the infamous legislation of the last few years, and that nothing can prevent a clean sweep of all the reconstruction measures from the statute book.

If reports do not do him injustice, the new democratic Senator from California will enter the Senate as the attorney of a railroad first, and the representative of the people second. The money and influence of the Central Pacific Railroad elected him; hence he is opposed to the Texas Pacific subsidy because the Central Pacific wants to cover the same ground. He is a free trader, opposed to Chinese immigration, and a hard money man after the Tilden stamp. By profession he is said to be a lawyer with a single client—the railroad aforesaid. He is a Virginian by birth, and has been in California since 1850.—*Nashua Telegraph.*

Colorado is not inclined to be calm under her share of the Pattersonian infliction. Her newspapers rise up in wrath at the swindle which the "reformers" of the House have perpetrated upon the State, and remark in the terse vocabulary of anger that Patterson is a "wretched shyster," a "political sneak-thief," and a "holder of informal elections." This is ugly language, but the most unabridged of dictionaries does not furnish epithets which better fit the case.

On to Washington! is the cry of the Southern office-seeker of the Bourbon stripe now, and "still they come." Senator Gordon has just secured the appointment of a brother-in-law named Hugh Haralson to an office in the War Department. The "boys in blue" can take back seats.

When we hear in Congress so much about carrying out the obligations of the government, and protecting the public creditors, we are reminded that from every officer who served in the army during the late war between certain periods of time at every pay day from $5 to $20 was kept back, that was clearly his due according to statute law, and which has never since been paid. Justice should come before generosity. How would the howlers about the sanctity of the public credit vote on a bill to pay these just claims?—*Milwaukee Commercial Times.*

—Of the sixty-nine words which make up the Lord's prayer, only five are not Saxon.

—The latest style in hats is the "Ulster," which flops around a man's ears something as the cost of the same name does around his heels.

—It took fifteen years' time and $1500 to decide the ownership of a yoke of oxen in Oregon, and when the case was settled the contending parties found the oxen had been used for barbecues the first time Grant was elected.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE.

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WARD 4 REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

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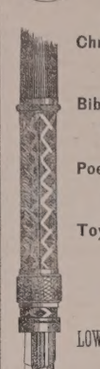

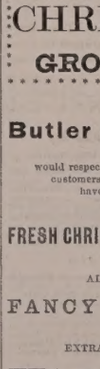

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MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.	P. M.	
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:30	4:55	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:55	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:55		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Portland & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:03 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE CITY.

There was almost a fire at the "Cafe de Carter" on Vaughan street, Christmas day, but it was extinguished without an alarm being given.

Schooner Annie H. Mason brought in 6000 lbs. of fish on Monday, 24th inst., in addition to the fares already reported, making fully 50,000 lbs. of fish landed here that day.

The dance at Mechanics' Hall, Christmas night, was well attended. Prizes for the best dancing were awarded to Miss Belle Holbrook and Mr. John E. Griffin. Another dance will be held at New Year's, when those who exercise on the "light fantastic" will again have a chance to contest for prizes.

At the Hanover street school Saturday, the principal, Mr. Charles E. Buzzell, was presented with an elegant silver butter dish, and a beautiful bouquet and vase; Miss Drake received a silver cake basket and choice bouquet, Miss Foye a silver butter dish and napkin ring, and Miss Young a bouquet-holder and card-receiver.

Kearsarge S. F. E. Co., No. 3, of this city, were the recipients of a very handsome Christmas present from H. D. Smith and C. F. Poor, of Engine Co. No. 22, of the Boston Fire Dept. It is a large card bearing the photographs of the Fire Commissioners, Chief and Assistant Engineers, steamers, chemical engines, hook and ladder trucks and hose carriages, with their permanent companies; also the fire-boat "Flanders." It is handsomely framed in gilt, and will be well appreciated by the boys; It will be on exhibition at the store of Mercer Goodrich.

On Wednesday Miss Annie J. Guest, daughter of Commodore John Guest, commandant at this naval station, and Lieutenant Charles Seymour, were united in marriage, Rev. Eugene M. O'Callahan, pastor of St. Mary's Church, performing the ceremony. After the nuptials, an elegant reception took place at the residence of the bride's father, at the Navy Yard, which was attended by a very large and distinguished party. The house was superbly decorated, while the display of gifts was large and magnificent. Harlow's orchestra furnished music. The wedded couple left in the afternoon for an extended wedding trip.

The managers of the Portsmouth Reform Club are endeavoring to rally the temperance interest in this city by such means as may suggest itself from time to time, and to this end they have engaged Mr. David Urch to speak on Sunday evening next, in Franklin Hall. Mr. Urch's success in Eliot a few evenings since, together with the fact of his prominence among us as a military man, lead the officers of the Club to the belief that the extra expense of Franklin Hall over that of the usual place of meeting, (Mechanics' Hall) will be warranted. Mr. Urch has many friends among the young men of this city, and no doubt his efforts in the temperance movement will be productive of good.

CHRISTMAS.

On Christmas day religious services were held in the Episcopal, Roman Catholic and Unitarian churches, and there were a number of festivals and Christmas trees during the afternoon and evening, in various places. We give a brief description of the decorations of and services at the three churches named:

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

The Episcopal church was decorated in a style corresponding to the services of that church. The pillars supporting the galleries and roof were entwined and capped with evergreen. The panels of the side galleries were covered with a green fabric, on which were emblems in red letters of the twelfth century English Gothic style: "Everlasting Father," "Prince of Peace," "The Wonderful, the Counsellor," "Mighty God;" the first letters of each word being capitalized, on a gilt background. The front of the choir gallery was also covered with green cloth, with neat monograms. In the centre and over the door of the main aisle were hung wreaths of spruce. Heavy festoons of spruce were extended from the roof to the caps of the pillars supporting the roof, and light ones of evergreen extended from pillar to pillar around the sides and front part of the church. The principal feature was the decorations around the seats of the children's choir, and the chancel. Fronting these were five arches trimmed with spruce, extending across the church to and even with the top of the galleries; over these were placed the following emblems, on a red background, with gilt letters from the British museum of date 1475: "Incarnate by the Holy Ghost," "Born of the Virgin Mary." On the top and in the centre was a cross of spruce. From the roof and in front of the recess were festoons of evergreens extending out to and connected with the top of the arches. The recess was heavily bordered with spruce, and the tablets which are placed in the centre and back of it were covered with crimson and gilt damask paper, bordered with dark blue cloth with diagonal braids of grain, with an outer bordering of green. The arch extending over the centre tablet had corresponding trimmings, and within it the word "Emmanuel." Under the tablets and over the communion table, on which were placed two elegant bouquets of calla lilies, was a decoration of gilt and black, on which was inscribed "Holy, holy, holy." A star of spruce was placed in the eastern corner of the church, and the effect of the whole was appropriate and attractive.

The following was the order of morning service, the children's choir being assisted by Mrs. Bennett, Miss Seeley, Miss Swasey, Misses Lowd, and Messrs. Ilsley, Butler and Wilmot:

Processional; "Hark, the Herald Angels Sing;" Howard.
Venite; Turner, in F.
Te Deum; Smart, in F.
Benedictus; Ouseley, in D.
Anthem; "St. John's Carol;" words by Harriet McEwen Kimball, music by E. A. Tilton.
Hymn; 31st hymn.
Kyrie; Smart, in F.
Gloria Tibi; Tilton.
Hymn; Hark, what mean those holy voices?"
Offertory.
Sanctus; Beethoven.
Hymn; "O, come, all ye faithful."
Gloria in Excelsis; Smart, in E.
Sentence; Nunc Dimittis; Barnby.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.

The decoration at the Unitarian church, though not as voluminous in quantities of spruce as in former years was in equally good taste, and very effective. The windows were latticed with evergreen, with wreaths of spruce suspended from the tops or bows. The gas fixtures were dressed with green in festoons and wreaths, as was also the front of the gallery; at the caps at the corners of the recess in the gallery were garlands of spruce; the pillars supporting the gallery were entwined with evergreen, and capped with wreaths of the same. The Communion table, altar and font were gracefully trimmed with green, intermingled with the red fruit of the Celastrus Scandens. On the table were crosses and other designs, of green and immortelles, and on the font was a superb calla lily. Between these and the organ, and extending to either side of the chancel, was a triple arch, on which were the following emblems: "Jesus, a man approved of God;" "Never man spake as this man;" "Leaving us an example." From the centre arch (which was raised above the others) was suspended a bell made of spruce. The tablets were bordered with green, and the caps of the doors underneath were festooned and wreathed. On the front of the dais were placed designs of crosses, etc.; and the star in the east was one of the features. The services at the South Parish were as follows:

Invocation.
Anthem; "And there were shepherds abiding in the field."
Scripture Lessons.
Prayer.
Hymn; "Calm on the listening ear of night."
Sermon; Texts,—Acts II., 33, and John XV., 8;—Subject—"The Influence of Greek Mythology upon the True Idea of the Life of Jesus."
Prayer.
Hymn; "Watchman, tell us of the night."
Benediction.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

The Christmas decoration of the Catholic church was confined almost exclusively to the sanctuary and altar. The evergreen which was entwined and festooned among the many niches, ornaments and figures of the altar appeared to the eye on entering the church like lace work of variegated colors. Monograms, crosses, triangles and plants were freely interspersed and added materially to the general effect. In the sanctuary and on either side of the high altar were trees represented as in bloom with flowers. A very interesting feature was the representation of the birth of Christ. On the east side of the sanctuary and in the place of the altar of the Virgin Mary was the stable. In the interior was seen the infant boy in a bed of straw, with the figures of Joseph and Mary on the sides; and in the background were the faces (in life size) of the ass and ox. The entrance was guarded by figures of angels, and over the entrance in jets of gas was the star of Bethlehem. On the altar was also the name of Jesus, in gas jets; and this, together with the one hundred and fifty candles which were burning in close proximity, presented a very beautiful effect as heralding the birth of the Saviour. The services began with mass at 6:30 A. M., with instruction in the Church tenets; at 7:30 was held the sacrament service. At 10:30 high mass was performed, at which was sung for the first time in this city Payne's mass in D.; this mass has merit, and was satisfactorily rendered by the choir. The sermon by the pastor, Rev. Mr. O'Callaghan, was on the nature and mission of Christ, and was attentively listened to by his numerous congregation.

At the old ladies' home, on Deer street, services were held at 7:30 P. M., at which short addresses were given by friends of the home. There are at present ten inmates, nine of whom hung their stockings up on Christmas eve, and all found them filled next morning. The evening's entertainment consisted of a Christmas tree, on which were presents for the old ladies, and the children who assisted by giving recitations, and the singing of Christmas carols. The affair was a source of enjoyment, and a novelty, to the old ladies, some of whom never had been present at a Christmas festival before.

At the Mission school at the Creek, in the afternoon, there were recitations and singing, and a Christmas tree. The number of scholars in this school is forty.

The Christmas festival of the Unitarian Sunday school, at Franklin Hall, in the evening, was largely attended, and greatly enjoyed by all present. The services consisted of a prayer by the pastor of the church, singing by the choir, and a short address to the children by Rev. Mr. DeNormandie, giving them an idea of Christmas in the olden time in England and Scotland. The solo in the Christmas piece, by Mr. Chase, was very finely sung. Then came the dance around the May-pole by a dozen beautiful young children,—a most enjoyable feature; afterwards charades; and then the representation of the Christmas gambol, by six young ladies of the parish, who rendered their parts very accurately and shew an adaptation to the characters represented. Indeed, the piece throughout was admirably given, two of the young ladies having the benefit of the experience derived from former appearances, while the debutantes acquitted themselves to the great satisfaction of the audience. The lighting up the Christmas tree and the distribution of gifts, the hearty appreciation of the refreshments by the children and the pleasant, sociable way in which the evening was passed, were remarked by every one. Many were in attendance from other parishes. The whole affair was a pronounced success.

The Christmas festival of the North church, which was held at the vestry, was a very happy affair. Recitations by the children of the Sunday school, and singing by the choir (which was very fine), with the final end of an oyster supper, was an entertainment which will be remembered by those who participated. There were two large Christmas trees filled with presents, which were distributed to the children. The scholars at this Sunday school number one hundred and ninety-seven.

At the Universalist church there were three Christmas trees, handsomely decorated and loaded with presents for the children. There were some recitations and some very good singing, and the evening was pleasantly passed by those present. The number of scholars in this Sunday school is one hundred and fifty. Rev. E. M. Grant, the pastor, and his wife, were generously remembered by the society.

The Court street Christian Sunday School held their annual Christmas festival at the Chapel on Court streett Christmas night. There were two trees finely decorated and well loaded with a great variety of beautiful presents; and besides these, twice as many more which could not well be arranged on the trees were handsomely displayed on tables, so that the whole array was one of great variety and beauty. The exercises were singing by the school, followed by prayer and singing, then a recitation by Master W. Irving Laighton, entitled "Annie and Willie's Prayer." Soon after this, "Santa Claus" made his appearance and after a few words to the audience began to distribute the numerous gifts. During the evening a second recitation was given by Master Charles Magraw; followed by a liberal collection for the benefit of the school, after which the remainder of the presents were handed out by Santa. Many of the presents were very fine. All were satisfied that they had passed a very pleasant evening. This school is in a very prosperous condition, numbering about 220, with Charles E. Buzzell, Superintendent.

POLICE COURT.

Wednesday, Dec. 26th; *Batchelder, J.*

Jeremiah Murphy, having a desire to "celebrate," got drunk and made his drunkenness manifest to the public. For this he was fined $3, costs $6.90; in default of payment he will be squeezed into Brentwood.

MASONIC ELECTION.

At the annual convocation of Washington Chapter, No. 3, R. A. Masons, held at Masonic Hall on Tuesday evening, Dec. 25th, the following were elected officers for the ensuing year:

Benj. F. Webster, H. P.;
A. F. Howard, K.;
Chas. W. Norton, S.;
John Nutter, Treas.;
Oliver Fernald, Sec.;
John Dame, C. of H.;
John R. Holbrook, P. S.;
Charles C. Akerman, R. A. C.;
Thos. E. O. Marvin, M. of 3d V.;
Thos. R. Martin, M. of 2d V.;
A. J. Hill, M. of 1st V.;
John R. Holbrook, O. G. Fernald, Standing Committee.

[Communicated.]

A SINGLE-HANDED "DUET."

RYE, Dec. 25th.

Mr. Editor: In the Rye letter printed in to-day's CHRONICLE there appears this impossible transaction: "Duets by Miss Leona P. Brown." Impossible is the word, sure, for in the first place there is no record to warrant anybody in asserting that any one lady ever did sing a "duet" alone; and in the next place, no such person as Leona P. Brown lives in this town. What was intended to appear was this: "Duets by Miss Leona Drake and Miss Abbie P. Brown"—but either through the poor manuscript or the fault of the compositor, it seems to have got slightly mixed up.

Yours truly, NAT.

THE VICINITY.

Col. John Parry Simes, a prominent resident of Stratham, formerly of New York, and a brother of ex-Mayor William Simes of this city, died Monday morning after a lingering illness, at the age of seventy-eight. He was widely known as one of the oldest residents of Stratham.

Members of the Board of Agriculture will hold a meeting at the town hall, Hampton Falls, on Friday, Jan. 4, commencing at ten o'clock A. M., and continuing through the day and evening. The subjects for discussion will be live stock, manures, grass, corn, etc., according to the wishes of the audience.

MARRIAGES.

SHUFFLEBIRD—BOOTHBY. In this city, Dec. 5th, by Rev. James Noyes, James Shuffelebirg and Etta k. Boothby, both of Kennebunkport, Me.

GARLAND—WHIDDEN. In Rye, Dec. 19th, by Rev. S. B. Bowdish, Mr. Irving W. Garland, of Rye, and Miss Annie A. Whidden of this city.

DEATHS.

SANBORN. In this city, Dec. 25th, Walter F. Sanborn, aged 2 years and 7-months, youngest child of Freeman F. and Lydia M. Sanborn of this city.

ELLIS. At Friendville, Nebraska, Dec. 18th, of typhoid pneumonia, Lucius A. Ellis, aged 48 years, son-in-law of the late Hon. Samuel Cushman, of this city.

PARROTT. At Cold Spring, Putnam County, N. Y., Dec. 24th, Robert Parker Parrott, oldest son of the late Hon. John F. Parrott, of this city.

GARLAND. In Rye, Dec. 25, Reuel W. Garland, son of Mr. J. Garland, aged 14 days.

SIMES. In Stratham, Dec. 24, Col. John Parry Simes, aged 77 years and 10 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

PORT OF PORTSMOUTH.

Arr in lower harbor, Dec 24, schs Traveller, Young, from Boston for Eastport; Nigor, Alley, Boston for Wiscasset; Bloomer, Richardson, Boston for Mt Desert; Adrianna, Snowman, Lynn for Bath; Lizzie Brewster, Flynn, Weymouth for Machias; Sabas, Palmer, for Machias; Josephine B Knowles, Wass, for Addison, and remained 25th with sch War Eagle (arr 24st). Frisble, from Wiscasset for Boston.

Sch Sallie B, Bateman, arr at New York Dec 24, from this port.

Sch Harriet Fuller, Hodgdon, from Elizabethport for this port passed through Hell Gate Dec 24.

Sch Lizzie M Stewart, Kimball, from Bangor, arr at Boston Dec 25.

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—A school teacher in Lafayette, Ind., punishes saucy children by placing her fingers in the corners of their mouths and stretching them until they howl with pain. She will get hold of a redheaded boy, some of these days, with double-jointed teeth, and then the school will howl with applause while she executes a lightning jig on one foot.

—A three-year old lad in Orange, N. J., has been listening to stories from the Comic History of Rome, and thumbing John Leech's charming illustration of grim Cornelia, her fashionable guest, and the two promising boys with drum, slate and nurse-girl. The story left an impress on the boy's mind, for the other morning he ran into the breakfast room with his little black kitten held at arm's length, and exclaimed; "This is my jewel, you naugety, dirty old lady, with rings on!" His mamma, who has a big diamond, was taken aback.

—At a fire in the convent at Limoges, France, on Nov. 19th, 1838, it was suddenly discovered that one of the children of the girls' school there had not been rescued. She was in a distant room, and doubts were expressed of the ability to save her. A young lady said, "I will try," and rushed between the flames on each side of the entrance. She was regarded as lost, but finally appeared with the child in her arms. King Louis Philippe sent her a gold medal, and a young captain in the army, who witnessed her act, married her. The captain is now president of the French republic, and the lady is Mme. MacMahon.

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Lard per pound, 12 cents.
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Oats per bushels, 35 to 36 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
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Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Sc; Gr. 10; Crushed 10½c.
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Gold	102½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	108½
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s 1880	106½
Massachusetts State 6s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 3½	50½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	60½
Boston & Maine	95
Boston & Providence	110½
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	135
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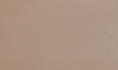

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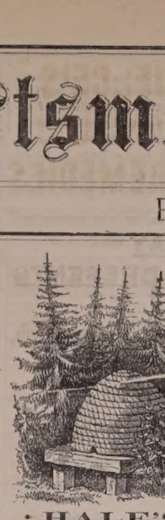

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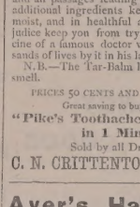

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Daily Chronicle.

Forty Years Ago.

Mr. W. E. Gould, cashier of the First National bank, recently obtained a copy of a rare placard, printed in Boston, without date, as follows:

THOMPSON, THE ABOLITIONIST.

That infamous foreign scoundrel, THOMPSON, will hold forth *this afternoon* at the *Liberator* office, No. 48 Washington street. The present is a fair opportunity for the friends of the Union to *snake Thompson out!* It will be a contest between the abolitionists and the friends of the Union. A purse of $100 has been raised by a number of patriotic citizens to reward the individual who shall first lay violent hands on Thompson, so that he may be brought to the tar-kettle before dark. Friends of the Union be vigilant.

BOSTON, Wednesday, 12 o'clock.

Mr. Gould sent a copy of this document to Mr. Garrison, enquiring about its history, and received the following reply:

BOSTON, Dec. 8, 1877.

On the 21st of October, 1835, the Boston Female Anti-Slavery Society attempted to hold its annual meeting. At that time, George Thompson, the eloquent and successful advocate of British West India Emancipation, was laboring here with the abolitionists, and by their invitation, to effect a similar deliverance for the Southern slave population. To intensify the popular pro-slavery spirit against him, he was falsely and maliciously branded by the press as a British emissary who had been sent here by the British Government, with his pockets lined with British gold, "for the purpose of overthrowing our glorious Union," etc., etc. It was deemed prudent by the ladies, for his own personal safety, that he should not attend the meeting aforesaid. Nevertheless, it was rumored that he was to be present, and this led to the issuing of the mob-exciting placard which you have copied in your letter, and about which you express a wish to be further informed. That placard was written by James L. Homer, editor of the Boston *Gazette*, and printed in his office, and distributed throughout the city. The result was the gathering of a mob of five thousand persons, the breaking up of the ladies' meeting, my ruffianly seizure, and being dragged through the streets, finally rescued by the city constabulary, and my incarceration in Leverett street jail, to save my life.

Yours truly,

WM. LLOYD GARRISON.

The placard and the letter have been mounted and framed, and are now displayed at the bank, where they attract much notice. It is difficult to realize that this extraordinary document was published in the capital city of New England within the memory of men now living.—*Portland Advertiser.*

Wants of the Ages.

It is a man's destiny still to long for something, and the gratification of one set of wishes but prepares the unsatisfied soul for the conception of another.

The child of a year wants little but food and sleep, and no sooner is he supplied with a sufficient allowance of either of those excellent things, than he be, gins whimpering, or yelling it may be, for the other. At three, the young urchin becomes enamored of sugar-plums, apple pies and confectionery. At six his imagination runs upon kites, marbles and play-time. At ten the boy wants to leave school and go bird-nesting and blackberry hunting. At fifteen he wants a beard, a watch, and a pair of Wellington boots. At twenty he wishes to cut a figure and ride horses; sometimes his thirst for display breaks out in dandyism, and sometimes in poetry; he wants sadly to be in love and takes it for granted all the ladies are dying for him.

The young man at twenty-five wants a wife. At thirty he longs to be a single man again. From thirty to forty he wants to be rich and thinks more of making money than of spending it. At fifty he wants excellent dinners and capital wine, and a nap in the afternoon.

The respectable old gentleman of sixty wants to retire from business with a snug independence of three or four hundred thousand, to marry his three daughters, set up his sons, and live in the country; and then for the rest of his life he wants to be young again.—*Portfolio.*

Steamer Panther, at Newburyport from Philadelphia, reports on Saturday, Dec. 22d, off Abscecom, picked up ten bales of partially burned cotton; also a ship's topmast.

—Four English girls, sisters, who live in Detroit, have illustrated what woman can do if she has a chance. They came to this country about seven years ago and went to work in different families. They attended strictly to business, saved money, kept at home nights, knew nothing of beaux or fineries in dress, and, a few weeks ago, "pooled" their earnings, bought a lot and had a house built upon it, and now live together in comfort, going out to work on week days and returning to their own house to spend their evenings and Sabbaths.

Daily Chronicle.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1877.

Washington Correspondence.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 24th.

Veni, vidi vici, exclaimed Joe Jefferson as he was whirled away from the Capital, yesterday; at least, if he didn't, he could quite as appropriately have made the remark relative to his engagement at the National Theatre during the past week, as old Cæsar is reputed to have said concerning one of his away back beyond mediæval time, Jefferson appearing in comedy, the other in tragedy. No living actor can probably "draw" such audiences of Washington theatre goers as can this same Jefferson. Whether the times are "hard" or otherwise, and no matter what the other attractions, he never fails of a house crammed from pit to dome. Last Monday he came here for the first time in several years. "Rip Van Winkle" ran from Monday to Thursday night, inclusive. Friday evening he appeared in his other specialty, Bob Acres, in "The Rivals;" at the matinee Saturday as Rip again, closing the week's engagement Saturday night with another appearance as Bob Acres. The constancy with which the same parties return night after night to witness the same play is remarkable. Many among the staid old residents of Washington who regard attendance at the theatre as inconsistent with their religious convictions and professions, and have renounced such amusements, hurry out to greet Jefferson with the same enthusiasm as is manifested by the younger or less scrupulous patrons of the drama; and the announcement "standing room only" was posted almost every night of the engagement a half-hour after the doors were opened.

L. J. Draper, of Washington, was commissioned as Assistant Surgeon to the Navy during the war. While on the "Princeton" at Philadelphia in Dec., 1864, he secured a forty-eight hours' leave of absence with permission to take with him one Menenzies, a prisoner confined on the "Princeton," and becoming responsible for his return. Menenzies was a blockade runner, had been an officer in the Confederate Navy, and was, presumably, a personal friend of Draper. They went direct to Baltimore, where an ovation was tendered Menenzies at his sister's house by secession sympathizers, Draper participating. The jollification was alleged to have been exceedingly boisterous, and so offensive to Unionists as to have nearly provoked a riot. The whole party was arrested, including Draper, who was informed, Feb. 2, 1865, by Secretary Welles, that his commission was revoked. Draper wrote requesting that he be allowed to resign; his wishes were complied with, his letter being treated as a formal resignation, and the Secretary informing him that it had been accepted. Draper tried to get reinstated, but Secretary Robeson declined to interfere; but he has been more successful with the present Secretary, who decides that he has never been legally out of the service, and, it is reported, has ordered his name restored to the Navy Register. As this decision carries with it pay and allowances—about $25,000—for the thirteen years that he has been practicing medicine here, rendering no service whatever to the Government, the case is exciting a good deal of adverse criticism in naval and political circles.

The case of the Union Pacific R. R., has come to strike many reflecting people as very remarkable,—that a creature of Congress can go on year after year defying the power that called it into existence, in open violation of its charter, and in virtually refusing compliance with its promises as to the repayment to the Government of the money loaned it to aid its construction. Away back in the extra session the President was requested by both Houses to inform them what impediments existed to enforcing the original contract with the road. The Attorney General appears a long while in framing an answer. The interests of the Kansas Pacific and other roads, as branches, are indirectly involved, as are also the relations of the Government, to a greater or less extent, to the great railway system of the country; and notwithstanding the fact that every influence is being brought to bear likely to aid these gigantic monopolies in defeating the Government's efforts to establish its supremacy in the premises and to force them to a rigid accountability in all time to come, in no previous Congress has there been manifested such a general hostility to their designs and such a determined spirit to establish the metes and bounds beyond which they may not go hereafter. Every blandishment, every temporizing expedient will undoubtedly be resorted to by the formidable array of lawyers here working to defer the blow, which, when given, will render them thereafter always amenable to law. The proposition that the Government accept some million acres of worthless land at a valuation that would be ridiculous even were the land of average worth, to satisfy the Government claims, will be cunningly and persistently urged; but forbearance has apparently been stretched to its utmost limit in behalf of these swindles, and the day of reckoning hastens apace. EXON.

Political.

Says the Boston *Post*: "Advices from abroad hint that the effect of the agitation of the silver question, even if the bill is defeated, is likely to affect future investments in United States securities, because showing the tendency of Congress to financial heresies and bad faith. This is only what must be expected, When it is seriously proposed by such as Gen. Butler to scale down the bonds eight per cent. on their face value, there is no security against a scaling of double that amount the next time, or even a total repudiation. Under such circumstances there can be no immediate hunger for United States four per cents. abroad." The *Post*, like the New York *World*, is manfully fighting the battle of national honesty against the great mass of its party friends and the overwhelming majority of its party leaders; and so long as it stands up squarely for the right we suppose its rap at Gen. Butler—as though he was alone in advocating a national swindle, instead of being in unison with nine-tenths of the prominent democrats—is hardly worth mentioning.

The *New Era* says that "all contracts payable in coin previous to 1873 were payable in silver," the fact being that our silver dollars were then worth three per cent. more than gold, and had not been in circulation for twenty years. The bonds were sold for gold. The customs duties were paid in gold. The standard of values was gold, and there was no other known in practice. Nobody even thought of silver, and nobody would have thought of silver, if that metal had not since declined to ten per cent. below par. All the tall writing in the world will not disguise the fact, that borrowing gold and paying silver worth ten per cent. less is a swindle, like an attempt to pay in clipped coin, which would send a private debtor to the penitentiary.

The democrats are becoming much exercised at the prospect of the thorough investigation of South Carolina matters in the Senate and the transactions at home bearing upon those matters. Senator Patterson expects to leave for Pennsylvania for a long absence as soon as he can travel, and if the republicans show signs of pursuing him, by investigation, his friends say he will refuse to pair and so leave the republicans in the minority, provided Conover sticks by Butler, as it is expected he will. All the indications now show that this question will become a very exciting one before the Senate settles it.

Congressman Brentano of Chicago has the bitterness of soul to say that the only difference between ancient and modern civil service methods is that while formerly the patronage was bestowed upon the friends of the President and of the Senators and Representatives, now it is all bestowed upon the friends of the President alone.—*Tribune.*

A candid democratic member of Congress says there will never be anything accomplished in the present House, as the democrats have no leader. Every man thinks he is the smartest fellow in creation, and all want to lead.

Some South Carolina democrats say frankly that if Senator Patterson desires the prosecution against him stopped, and the alleged offences condoned, he must resign his seat in the Senate so that a democrat can be returned in his place. If he will do this, the legislature and State authorities will relieve him from any further anxiety on account of the pending charges and indictments.

A New York democrat, after passing an evening at the White House, remarked: "If Mrs. Hayes was President this would be the most popular administration of modern times; but I am afraid her husband, by his obstinate course, will make trouble."

Raymond.

Pine Grove Cemetry, near the village, has now a large number of graves, and the number of lots, well fitted up and adorned with flowers, is considerable. Monuments seemed next in order, and a good commencement has been made. John Healey, Esq., had the first erected. It is of Kennebunk granite, which was brought to town and worked by Mr. George A. Towle of Portsmouth. It is fifteen feet high, and its different parts are well proportioned; it stands in a lot sufficiently retired from the street, among pines of natural growth, and makes an appearance well suited to its object, the marking of the hallowed place where loved ones repose in their last sleep amidst the beauties and sublimities of nature. F. J.

The Eastern War.

The condition of the wounded Turks in Plevna, when the Russians captured that place, is sickening in its horror, and for the sake of humanity it is to be hoped the accounts are false. Dead and dying were heaped together, uncared for, the wounded dying of gangrene, hunger and thirst, and the famished dogs of the city devouring the dead. The Russian prisoners taken during the early part of the seige were mercifully butchered, but those captured after the fall of the city became a certainty were spared,—how they were treated is thus stated: "Eighteen hundred prisoners were huddled together on the banks of the Vid, and the horrors of their position equalled those of the plague. Living and dead were piled together promiscuously in heaps like wood, and carried away. There were only three carts available for this work, and the confusion was indescribable. Osman's bravery is stained and blackened by his treatment of the Russian wounded that fell into his hands. His gallant defence of Plevna for a moment blinded the victors and Europe to the fact that prisoners were butchered by troops under Osman's command."

The Servians have occupied Leskovats and Kurshumlje and captured a quantity of cattle and provisions. A despatch from Alexinatz reports that 30,000 Servians, with 120 guns, are investing Nisch. The Servians, by their dash and success thus far since they declared war, have done much to redeem their reputation for bravery, which suffered so severely in their last war with Turkey.

A Russian official despatch, dated Bogot, states that the Turkish prisoners from Plevna are dying of cold, and that it is impossible to afford them any relief.

New Hampshire Items.

The condition of Mrs. Charles A. Bennett, shot at Newmarket Junction by the tramp, Richard Ryan, some three weeks since, is by no means settled, as erysipelas, with its attendant inflammation, having set in, renders her condition more precarious. At a recent interview with Ryan at the jail at Exeter, he declared his innocence and denied all complicity with the affair. He maintains the same stolid indifference as when arrested, conducts himself in a most exemplary manner, spends most of his time in reading and anxiously awaits his trial, when he expects to prove his innocence. He is confined in the cell formerly occupied by Evans, the Northwood murderer, and is continually watched by Jailer Odlin.

At a meeting of amateur authors, editors, publishers and printers of the State, held at Nashua, Wednesday, an association was formed, to be known as the Granite State Amateur Press Association. A monthly paper is to be published by them and edited by C. S. Campbell.

The Congregational Society at Boscawen Plain recently held a festival that was brought about in a most singular way. A few weeks since Geo. Knowles discovered a swarm of bees inside the finish under the eaves of the church. The construction of the building at that point was such that the bees were enabled to form a box hive about four feet long and eight or ten inches square, and which was nearly filled with honeycomb. Sixty-nine pounds of honey were found, and the Society decided to make it a source of profit though a festival which, for a moderate admittance fee, gave all who attended a nice supper and plenty of honey. It is unnecessary to add that a levee prompted by such a singular circumstance called out a large attendance and very generous receipts. At the formal exercises Gen. E. G. Wood presided, and an address was made by ex-Mayor Kimball of Concord. Mr. Knowles thinks that the bees were from his apiary, as he lost a swarm a while ago, which flew in the direction of the church.

The Trustees of the State Normal School at Plymouth have just completed a substantial brick addition to their main school building, the lower story to be devoted to library and dressing-rooms, and the upper story for the extensive cabinet of minerals donated to the institution by the State, although the legislature made no specific appropriation for this object. Very little, if any, debt will reach to the State by its necessary erection, as the Board of Trustees have, by judicious management, saved almost its entire cost from the general appropriation for running expenses of the institution during the past two or three years. Col. Charles W. Pickering of Greenland is Chairman of the Finance and Building Committee of the Board of Trustees.

News and Notes.

Mayor Borden of New Bedford was married in Washington on Christmas Day to Miss May Kent of that city, a niece of Gov. Kent of Maine.

Mrs. Gen. Custer is living in New York on the small pension she receives from the Government and her salary as Secretary of the Ladies' Art Association. Mrs. Chisolm, widow of Judge Chisolm, who was murdered in Mississippi, has been appointed to a clerkship in the Treasury Department. Miss Kate Field is now a regular contributor to the London *Times*.

Ida Bliss, twenty-three years old, and her sister Nellie, aged seventeen, have been missing from their home in Fairlee, Vt., since nine o'clock on the evening of Dec. 21st, when they went out, ostensibly for a few moments, wearing no extra clothing except their hats. A note in their bedroom bade their mother good-bye; and from other circumstances it is believed the two young fools committed a "sentimental" suicide by drowning themselves in the Connecticut river, which runs near their home.

A queer story comes from Europe, to the effect that Germany has gained complete control over the king and army of Belgium, and that instead of being under the domination of England it is in reality not much more than a German province. If this is true it will be more likely to draw England into a continental war than all the Russian victories on the Danube.

James Gordon Bennett is reported to be engaged to a handsome young French countess residing in Paris.

Charges against Colonel Blunt, United States Army Engineer, were made some weeks ago in connection with the works he is conducting at Buffalo harbor and other places along Lake Erie. Blunt has a number of friends in the service. He is one of the oldest officers in the corps, and every effort has been made to save him. Strenuous attempts were made to shift the blame for the questionable transactions discovered on one of his subordinates. A friendly officer was sent to make examination, but he found matters past cure and the proof overwhelming, and reported accordingly. One more effort in Blunt's favor was made by sending a board of inquiry. Its report was received Monday, and is so damaging that McCrary has ordered a court martial, and placed Blunt under arrest.

Edward Trickett, of Sydney, Australia, has accepted Courtney's challenge to row a single scull race of three straight miles for $10,000 and the championship of the world, on any neutral water. When Courtney puts up £250 forfeit with the New York *Clipper*, Trickett will leave immediately for the United States to row the match.

Captain A. H. Bogardus will try to break 5,000 glass balls in 500 consecutive minutes, in Gilmore's Garden, New York, on the third of January.

Rear Admiral Worden has completely recovered his sight, which was badly damaged in the fight between the little Monitor and the Merrimac, in 1862.

The Ohio Supreme Court has just rendered a decision which affects an act of President Hayes when Governor. A murderess was sentenced to be hanged, but he commuted the sentence to imprisonment for life. She objected, and said that she preferred hanging. The day of execution went by, and strong petitions were put in for her pardon on the ground that she had never accepted the commutation, and that, the day appointed having gone by, the power of the Governor to order her execution had expired. The case was taken to the Supreme Court, which has decided that the consent of the criminal is not a necessary requisite for commutation.

Rev. Dr. Justin Fulton, whilom minister at Tremont Temple, has found out the cause of the tramp nuisance. It is because there are women clerks behind counters, women in our shops, in our offices and factories. "These women are keeping the men out of their places." Poor men! Now we know why the tramp is such an enemy to women. It is not because he is strong and they are weak that he insults, maltreats and murders them more frequently than men; it is because they are keeping him out of his place. By all means discharge the young ladies who are supporting themselves and perhaps widowed mothers and younger brothers and sisters, and put the tramps in their places; but perhaps in future it would be better to make a sure thing of it by strangling a percentage of female infants at birth, after the old Chinese custom.—*Boston Post.*

An advance copy of the army register, which will be issued January 1, 1878, gives the total number of officers of all grades at 2286, which, according to General Sherman's recent statement before the house military committee, would give one officer to about every eight enlisted men. The pay of the officers aggregates more than that of the men. During the past year sixteen officers resigned, thirty-two died, of whom twelve were killed by Indians, twelve were dismissed, one was cashiered, and one dropped for desertion.

By an incendiary fire in Central City, Col., Dec. 26th, a Mrs. Terrill and two sons, and Robert Jaffrey, were burned to death. At Rondout, N. J., on the same day, a Mrs. Brophy and her daughter were burned in a tenement house, the conflagration being caused by the explosion of a lamp filled with cheap kerosene. At Leeds, Me., on the same day, Harriet Foss, an insane woman, was burned in the house of Eben Stenchfield.

—A gentleman reprimanding his little son, was surprised to hear the youngster observe: "Father, remarks are unnecessary."

New Rochelle, N. Y., presents the anomaly of a Roman Catholic clergyman who protests against the abolition of religious exercises from the public schools, and even goes so far as to ask for the retention of the Protestant Bible, to the exclusion of the Catholic version, rather than the banishing of the sacred volume altogether.

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Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:25	
Dover,	7:40 9:40	4:35	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4 10 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

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THE CITY.

See notice of auction sale of damaged furniture at National House to-day, by H. F. Wendell.

Mr. Charles H. Rowe of this city, whose leg was so badly broken recently by the falling of a rearing horse upon it, is doing well.

On Wednesday evening Mr. John W. Caswell, of the firm of Randall and Caswell, in receiving fish from a vessel slipped and fell from the wharf into the water. Messrs. Edward Watkins and Ira E. Randall assisted Mr. Caswell in his wrestling to reach *terra firma*, and he scrabbled out with no other harm than a very cold bath.

Grand Chancellor William O. Sides, of the Order of the Knights of Pythias, together with officers of the Grand Lodge of this State, on Wednesday evening dedicated the new Pythian Hall of Prospect Lodge, No. 13, of Great Falls. After the dedicatory services there were speeches made, toasts drank, sentiments responded to, and a pleasant interchange of social feeling, at a grand banquet provided by the Lodge alluded to.

The following are the officers for the ensuing year, of Portsmouth Grange: Master, F. W. Miller; Overseer, F. G. Sherburne; Lecturer, Mrs. A. Pearson; Steward, Geo. A. Murray; Asst. Steward, John A. Hodgdon; Chaplain, Mrs. A. A. Fernald; Treasurer, Amos Pearson; Secretary, C. B. Mason; Ceres, Anna S. Cushing; Pomona, Mrs. W. L. Philbrick; Flora, Eliza W. Garrett; Lady Asst. Steward, Mrs. D. H. Spinney; Gatekeeper, John A. Cate. Installation of officers, with harvest feast for members and their families, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 9th, at seven o'clock.

There was an alarm of fire on Thursday evening, but it did not amount to much, nor can we find out just how it started. First there were two or more long blasts of a steam whistle, seemingly on the river; then some one shouted "Fire;" then the bells rang; then the Fire Department turned out; then the Fire Department went back again. That ended it.

P. S. A later report is to the effect that the alarm was occasioned by an explosion of gas at the navy yard. Still another account is that the alarm was due to the fall of a chandelier in the Commandant's quarters, no damage worth mentioning resulting.

LEATHER DEALER CORNERED.

At a few minutes before twelve o'clock, Thursday night, Officers Pray and Beslelievre noticed a man standing in the door-way of Wm. B. Hussey's store on Congress street. Wondering what he was doing there, they proceeded to investigate matters, and found that the man (a young fellow named Robert Horrocks) had been investing heavily in leather when the owner was not around. He had managed to open the shutters of the show window, smashed in a pane of glass, and helped himself to seven pairs of shoes and a pair of boots; and when the officers came upon him he had the lot concealed in the door-way behind him, ready to carry off. The thief and his booty were carefully stowed away in the lockup.

POLICE COURT.

Thursday, Dec. 27th; *Batchelder, J.*

Florence Hurley and his wife Mary, and Peter Collins, for brawl and tumult (a Christmas eve row) were each fined $2, the costs, taxed at $8.87, being impartially divided among the trio.

Samuel Wilson and his wife Annie, adjudged probably guilty on a complaint of keeping a disorderly house, were bound over $100 each to appear to answer at the April term of the Supreme Court at Exeter.

Samuel Wilson was further charged with stealing a small sum of money from one of the patrons of his establishment. That somebody stole the money was positively sworn to, and Mrs. Wilson thought it so likely that Sam was the thief that she handed over the amount to the victim, or to the police to be given him; but there was nothing more than a case of strong suspicion to warrant holding the accused on this charge, so he was allowed to go.

Olive Austin, who was in some way mixed up with the troubles at the hotel de Wilson, was assessed $9.90—familiar sum—for drunkenness.

AN OLD DOCUMENT.

We were on Thursday shown an interesting document,—the "Town & County Tax List for ye year 1752," as it was delivered to "Mr. Jonathan Hammond, Constable of Kittery," for collection, by Nathl. Remick, John Dennett, Noah Emery, Elihu Gunnison, Wm. Wentworth and Richd. Cutt, Jr., the Selectmen and Assessors of Kittery, Constable Hammond being enjoined "in his Majesties name" to collect from the tax-payers of the town, one hundred and eighteen in number, "the sum of seventeen pounds, seven shillings and eight pence lawfull money," and pay the same over to "Mr. Tobias Fernald, Treasurer of the Town of Kittery." The poll tax that year was one shilling; on real and personal estate three half-pence on the pound; and there was also a tax on "Faculty," whatever that may have been,—we believe it was professional ability. The family names in the book are all to be found in Kittery, Eliot and this city to-day, with the exception of "Devaughn," which is possibly our present "Vaughan." The heaviest tax-payers were: Madame Martha Shapligh, 17*s.* 1*d.*; Capt. John Shapligh, 15*s.* 1*d.*; William Leighton, 8*s.* 6*d.*; John Leighton, 7*s.* 3*d.*; James Fogg, 7*s.* 6*d.*; Solomon Libbey, 6*s.* 6*d.* The ruling of the book was done with pen and ink; the lettering and figuring is very clear and distinct, and the ink as fresh as if written with but a few months ago instead of one hundred and twenty-five years.

[Communicated.]

THE LYCEUM COURSE.

We are glad to learn that the Woman's Temperance League is to give a series of entertainments,—partly home and partly outside talent, — which most certainly commends itself to patronage. The League do this in order to gain something for helping the families of reformed men, and encouraging those who are in destitute circumstances to take heart and hope for better things. The League is doing a good work. Let us help it by all means. INCHES.

HOTEL CHANGES.

It is stated in the current news of the day that "Messrs. Oscar and Cedric Laighton, owners of Appledore island, the well-known summer resort, have, in conjunction with Christopher E. Rymes of Charlestown, Mass., effected the purchase, within a few days, for the sum of $75,000, of Star island adjoining, owned by John R. Poor of Somerville, Mass. The island was formerly better known as Gosport, whose record extends back to 1731, and is about three-quarters of a mile long and half a mile wide. It is the intention of the new owners to run the Oceanic, on Star island, in connection with the Appledore House, Mr. Rymes probably having the supervision of the latter. The purchase includes all the buildings on the island, together with the historic stone church, built in 1800." We hardly think the genial and popular Kings of Appledore will abdicate their throne to set up a new one on Star island or anywhere else; but, anyway, they will make the Oceanic *pay*, which is what it is said not to have done under any administration since it was first built. The "Laighton Boys" know exactly how to keep a hotel, and Mr. Poor exactly doesn't know. A western man who some years ago stopped at the Oceanic (the first one, which was burned) for several weeks, and then transferred himself to the Appledore, remarked to us: "All the time I was on the other island I felt that I was there only by sufferance, and that it was only as a great favor that I was allowed to remain there at all; but I badn't been at this house (the Appledore) a day before I felt that the whole concern belonged to me, and that it was only by my courtesy the Laightons were allowed to remain on the island!" And that is about as concise an explanation as can be given why the Appledore has always been crowded before the Oceanic fairly began to receive guests.

The famous hotel-keepers, Job Jenness & Son, well known at Rye Beach and all over the country, have leased the Wentworth House, so finely located at Newcastle, and will conduct the same next season in their usual satisfactory manner, as first-class, having no longer any connection with the Cape Arundel House at Kennebunkport, Me., or other hotel.—*Weekly.*

MARRIAGES.

MOULTON—PLAISTED. In this city, Dec. 22, by Rev. E. M. Grant, Mr. George E. Moulton and Miss Sarah S. Plaisted, both of York, Me.

DUDLEY—LIBBEY. In Kittery, at the residence of R. C. Goodwin, Esq., by Rev. N. Brooks of Manchester, Mr. W. J. Dudley of Candia, and Miss Emily G. Libbey, daughter of the late Rev. C. O. Libbey of Dover.

DEATHS.

RAND. In this city, Dec. 26, Freddie Oscar Rand, son of Reuben and Maria Rand, aged 7 years and 9 months.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

Sch Tennessee, Pillsbury, for this port from New York, arr at Edgartown Dec 24.

Sch Jesse Williamson Jr, Sawyer, from St George, Me, arr at New York Dec 25.

Republican Caucuses.

WARD ONE.

THE Republicans of Ward One will meet FRIDAY evening, Dec. 28th, at the Ward room on Elm street at half-past 7 o'clock, for the choice of delegates to the several Conventions.

WARD 4 REPUBLICAN CAUCUS.

A CAUCUS of the Republicans of Ward Four for the choice of Delegates to the various Conventions, will be held at the South Ward Room on FRIDAY EVENING, Dec. 28, 1877, at half-past seven o'clock, Per Order.

[ESTABLISHED 1822.]

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Nearly opposite Post Office, - - - - Portsmouth.

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FINE ENGLISH BREAKFAST, FORMOSA OOLONG, and JAPAN **TEAS,**

FRIEDRICHSHALL BITTER WATER

$2.75 per Dozen.

DEVOE'S BRILLIANT OIL!

1st. Is absolutely *safe.*

2d. Gives a powerful brilliant white *light.*

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THE CEREALS MANUFACTUTING COMPANY'S STEAM COOKED

White Wheat, Oat Meal, and Barley Food.

CHYLOONG'S

Preserved Ginger and Chow Chow in Pots.

With a General Assortment of Fancy and Staple Groceries.

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ALL KINDS OF

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EXTRA QUALITIES OF

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Of which we make a great specialty.

ALSO, A LARGE STOCK OF

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THE BEST AT LOWEST PRICES!

Bona Fide Bargains given in Flour!

All Grades of Flour retailing at wholesale prices!

Florida Oranges, Sicily Lemons, Malaga Grapes,

NUTS OF ALL KINDS,

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IT WILL MAKE

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Than can be obtained from the same quantity of choice St. Louis Flour, and of a much better quality! It being

Whiter, More Spongy and More Palatable

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HENRY F. GERRISH.

AUCTION!

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AT THE

NATIONAL HOUSE.

WILL BE SOLD at Public Auction at the NATIONAL HOUSE,

On Friday, Dec. 28,

At 10 o'clock, A. M., all articles of HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., now in and about said House as they now are, (damaged by fire) consisting of

Chamber Sets, Feather Beds, Mattresses, Stoves, Lounges, Sofas, Bureaus, &c.

Terms Cash. H. F. WENDELL, Auct.

ALSO, ON SATURDAY, DEC. 29,

AT THE AUCTION STORE OF

H. F. Wendell, 58 State St.,

Will be sold at PUBLIC AUCTION at 10 o'clock, A. M., all the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., which was recovered from the National House Fire, in a damaged condition, consisting of

CHAMBER SETS, BED SPRINGS, CHAIRS, TABLES, DRY SINKS, STOVES, FEATHER BEDS, MATTRESSES, PILLOWS, SHEETS, BLANKETS, SOFAS, CARPETS, B. W. EXTENSION TABLES,

Also, one B. W. PARLOR SET, OFFICE DESKS, etc., etc., etc.

N. B. Should the day of the last mentioned sale be stormy, the sale will be on first fair day.

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SHIRTS, DRAWERS, CARDIGAN JACKETS, SOCKS, MITTENS, etc.,

OUR ASSORTMENT IS COMPLETE.

Please call and be convinced that the place to get the full value for your money is at the

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HORSE BLANKETS

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JUST RECEIVED, a Complete Assortment of HORSE BLANKETS, LAP ROBES, etc.

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Parlor Stoves,

With ovens, the best in the market, $14, $15, $16.

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At extremely low prices. Wash-Boilers, copper-bottomed, $1.75. Coal-hods, galvanized iron, 75 cts. to $1.00. Large three-hooped Wash-tubs, 75 cts. Custom made 10 quart Milk-pans, with feet, 25 cents; 8-qt. do, 22 cts. Chamber-sets, $15, $20, up to $30.

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—You had better find out one of your own weaknesses than ten of your neighbor's.

—Chicago has a professional bailer, who has the assurance to advertise his calling, telling victims of the law where he may be found day and night.

—A huge safe which was on exhibition at the Philadelphia Exposition is being placed in the old hall at the Capitol. It contains the Centennial collection of historical autographs, and is not to be opened until 1976.

—Two gentlemen at the Boston Theatre, Wednesday evening, were curious to learn how much time would be consumed in dismissing the crowded audience present to witness "The Exiles." Both held watches, and they jointly reported that in two minutes and fifteen seconds after the fall of the curtain the auditorium was cleared and the lights extinguished; and five minutes and forty seconds after the curtain went down they were seated in a Metropolitan car on Washington street, and saw the gates at the main entrance closed by the watchman.

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Butter, per ℔ 25 @ 35c.
Burning Fluid, per gallon, 20c.
Corn per bushel, Western 75c; Northern 85c.
Coal, Anthr. per ton $5.00, Smiths', per chal $8.50
Eggs per dozen, 28c.
Flour, Fancy, 8 @ 9; Ex. 16.
Fish per ℔ by the qtl. Cod 6 @ 8c; Pollock 3.
Hay per ton, $17 @ $18.
Kerosene Oil per gallon, 20
Lard per pound, 12 cents.
Lard Oil per gallon, by the bbl. 90c.
Molasses per gal., R. Cuba 50 @ 60c; N. O. 75.
Oats per bushels, 35 to 36 cents.
Potatoes per bushel, 50c.
Pork per bll., $16 @ $18.
Plaster per ton, lump $6; ground $10.
Rye, Northern, per bushel, 80c
Soap per ℔, No. 1, 7 @ 8 cents.
Sugar per ℔, Br. 8½ @ 9c; Gr. 10; Crushed 10½.
Tea per ℔, Black, 50 @ 75c.; Green, 60c. @ $75.
Wood per cord, Hard, $7 @ $8; Pine $4.

Boston Stock Sales.

Gold	102½
U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties	109½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine State 6s. 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s 1880	103½
Massachusetts State 6s. Gold	113
Portsmouth City 6s, 1893	105
Eastern R. R. 8½	30½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	45
Boston & Lowell R. R.	66½
Boston & Maine	95
Boston & Providence	110½
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	70
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	30
Fitchburg	103
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	61½
Northern N. H.	75
Old Colony & Newport	97
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	24
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65

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The distributions of the Louisiana State Lottery Company occur as regular as clockwork, and the December drawing, under the sole management and supervision of Gens. G. T. Beauregard of La., and Jubal A. Early of Va., as commissioners, was an event that attracted universal attention. The next distribution is on January 8th, an eventful day in New Orleans, and the lucky individual who shall draw the capital prize will think himself as big a man as General Jackson. It only takes two dollars for a share in this glory. See particulars in another column.

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All its ingredients are botanic. It whitens the teeth, keeps them undiscolored, and free from blemish, and improves the condition of the gums.

Nothing but a broken beak is unmendable by Spalding's Glue.

Health is an inestimable jewel. The cough that deprives you of it may take your life too. One bottle of *Hale's Honey of Horehound and Tar* will avert the evil, and save you from consumption. Will you weigh life against a half-dollar? Sold by all Druggists.

Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 minute. (15

A CARD.

To all who are suffering from the errors and indiscretions of youth, nervous weakness, early decay, loss of manhood, &c., I will send a receipt that will cure you FREE OF CHARGE. This great remedy was discovered by a missionary in South America. Send a self-addressed envelope to the Rev. JOSEPH T. INMAN, *Station D, Bible House, New York City.* eod&6tsep15 78

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☞ All kinds of Boots or Shoes made to measure, and Repairing done as usual.

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Graining, Gilding, Paper Hanging,
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Clothes Altered, Cleansed and Repaired
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Daily Chronicle.

Turn About is Fair Play.

He was the manager of a church fair, and one morning he walked into the newspaper office and said—

"Want an item this morning?"

"Yes, of course," replied the editor Whereupon the visitor laid the following note upon the table:

"The ladies of the'— Street Church will give a festival at their vestry hall next Friday evening. Literary and musical entertainments will be provided and a supper will be served to all who desire. The ladies in charge of the affair have much experience in such matters and are sure to provide a good time. The admission will be only fifteen cents, and it is certain that no one can spend that amount to a better advantage. Be sure to go and take your friends."

When the editor had read it, he said—

"Oh, I see; an advertisement."

"No; not an advertisement. We prefer to have it go in the local column," replied the manager. And seeing that the editor looked sceptical, he then continued—

"It will interest a great many of your readers, and help a good cause; besides, we have spent so much money getting up our entertainment that we can't afford to advertise it without increasing the price o the tickets. In such a matter as this we ought to be willing to help each other."

"Well," said the editor, "if it goes into the locals, I suppose you would reciprocate by reading a little notice in your church next Sunday."

The visiting brother asked what notice, and the editor wrote and handed him the following:

"The *Weekly Chronicle*, for the coming year, will be the best and cheapest family paper in Maine. Its proprietor has had much experience, and has all the helps which a large outlay of money can procure. His paper has a larger circulation than any other published in the county, and is to be furnished at only $2. It is certain that no one can spend that amount to a better advantage. Be sure to take the *Chronicle*, and subscribe for your friends."

The manager hemmed and hesitated, and then said, solemnly, that he doubted whether it would be judicious to read such a notice, but suggested that if it was printed copies of it might be distributed at the door of the vestry on the evening of the entertainment.

"Yes," said the editor, "but it would attract more attention in the middle of a sermon. It will interest a large number of your congregation and help a good cause; and besides, so much money is spent upon the *Chronicle* that I don't see how the owner can afford to print handbills to advertise it without ingreasing the subscription price. In such a matter as this we ought to be willing to help each other."

Then the gentleman saw the situation.
—*Fairfield (Me.) Chronicle.*

A Valedictory.

Mr. Robert L. Smiley, for the past two years editor of the Claremont *Eagle*, has retired from that position, (which he ably filled,) and in announcing the fact talks as follows to the Claremonters:

"When the *Eagle* came into our hands, its subscription list numbered about seven hundred names; it now numbers fifteen hundred and sixty; and the foreign advertising and general business of the office have increased in a like proportion. These have been gratifying results. But we failed in the one point most essential to the best pecuniary success of a local newspaper. We have been unable to gain, to any considerable extent, the patronage of our home business men; and the party support which is usually accorded to a political journal has been wholly denied to us. When we took possession of the paper most of our business men who were then advertising in its columns withdrew their advertisements, and but very few have ever renewed them. Among all the business men in Claremont we have been able to count upon only one regular advertiser, and upon only three or four occasional ones. We have had to seek our advertising patronage in the neighboring towns and at distant points, entailing an expense that left but little profit. * * * In these particulars, therefore, we have failed to secure that support that was necessary to the larger success for which we hoped. If a local political paper is of any use to a community or to a party it must be paid for by the cordial support of the community and party, or it can not prosper and continue its usefulness. Almost every thing in this world costs what it is worth, and a newspaper is no exception."

—A shooting scrape—Rubbing the rust from an old musket.

Daily Chronicle.

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1877.

A Drunken City.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 26th.

During a residence of some years in this city I never personally observed a fractional part of the drunkenness that was prevalent here yesterday. The small boys had been armed and equipped by their elders with toy cannon, guns, pistols, the omnipresent toot-horn, the inevitable fire-cracker, drums, and other regulation instruments for the proper observance of the anniversary day of the Saviour's birth, besides recent inventions in this line, all of them perfect successes in their way. At the risk of being charged with making invidious comparisons where each answered so well the purpose of its construction, I think I may say that the toot-horn continues to hold its high place in the esteem of the boys, against all the newer candidates for popular favor. It appears capable of a greater number of superlatively atrocious sounds than any of the later products of the mechanical ingenuity of this and other countries; hence the relatively high rank accorded it in the programme for the appropriate celebration of such occasions as Christmas, New Year's, Washington's birthday, Decoration Day, Fourth of July, and Thanksgiving. Virtually there is no restriction as to the extent or manner of the use of any or all of those enumerated, on public occasions, and the preliminary formalities were inaugurated about sunset, Monday night, by a grand medley which only ceased with the utter exhaustion of the performers. A few sporadic cases had occurred during the previous week; but the police prohibition operated against any general outbreak until Monday evening, when juvenile enthusiasm could be no longer restrained. The whiskey guzzlers took up the celebration where the boys dropped it. All night long the sounds of drunken revelry went up from hundreds of low groggeries, all over the city; others, nominally doing business as drug stores, each had their circle of patrons, and the more pretentious establishments were crowded the night through. At an early hour in the morning drunken men were plenty, and inebriated women were picked up out of the gutters; boys of sixteen staggered through the streets, under the influence of the liquid poison dealt out to all of every age and sex indiscriminately, so that they had the blood-money wherewithal to pay for their potations. All day long the carts, wagons and wheelbarrows were drawn or pushed through the streets, depositing their loads of men, women and youths at the several station houses, in every state of helplessness, from the slightly inebriated and very hilarious or very quarrelsome, to those who had lost all power of voluntary movement and were in a semi-comatose or wholly unconscious condition. How many attended the special services undertaken by the churches in commemoration of the day, partially under the influence of the egg-nogg or other "genteel" drink furnished by professing Christian householders, to guests on their way to the sanctuary, there is no means of knowing; but that such a shocking profanation is exceedingly liable to occur in a community where a large minority, if not an actual majority, hold that a tender of alcohol in some its forms (where the devil lurking in every drop is rendered "respectable" by the usages of the "best society") is the highest mark of hospitality, no observer of social life here will cease to dispute. No more inviting field for temperance efforts exists in the country than here, by those sincerely believing in prohibition, and that the unrestricted sale of alcoholic stimulants is a giant evil corrupting and contaminating everybody coming within the circle of its malign influence; and how it can be doubted in view of the sickness, suffering, poverty and abject wretchedness, the aimless, hopeless lives of its victims seen here, the broken hearts of those connected by the most sacred ties, and in the light of the knowledge of some of the tenants occupying graves in the Potter's field of this one city, passes comprehension. Oh! for a Maine law or some other competent enactment that would make its sale a crime to be adequately punished, and for a public sentiment that would make its giving away a social misdemeanor of such gravity as to insure us against a repetition of yesterday's scenes to the end of time.

KNOX.

The Huron's Wreck.

Lieut. Walter, Assistant Inspector of the Life Saving Service on the North Carolina coast, makes a report, showing that Evan O'Neill, a fisherman of Nag's Head, saw the Huron at 1:30 A. M., the day of the disaster, on the reef or coming ashore. He heard shouts and screams; saw rockets and signals of distress; watched her; saw the boats gotten out and the vessel finally strike the bar and lay broadside to the sea. An hour after saw the foremast go over and, the boat was lost to sight with the men in her. The shouting and screaming continued, and then all was darkness. Then he went home. After breakfast he proceeded to notify others of the disaster, and returned to the wreck after sunrise. He knew where the keeper of Life Station No. 7 was, two-and-a-half miles away; had a good boat and a free wind to go and return inside of Roanoke Island, and yet for three hours remained silent and indifferent. Lieut. Walter also says of the ninety one bodies found, about twelve of whom were officers, not a single trinket, such as would be deemed a relic by relatives of the dead, was found on the bodies. Watches and chains, money, and even finger rings, had been stripped off by those who first found the bodies as they washed up. Good evidence is found in the case of Lieut. Simons, whose third and fourth fingers of the left hand had been scratched and bruised by the body robbers in their haste to secure their ill-gotten booty.

The Eastern War.

Th bridge across the Danube at Nicopolis has been totally destoyed by ice. The destruction of the bridge at Sistova must follow, unless it is immediately removed. The weather seems to have arrested the Russian onward movement.

The Montenegrins on Wednesday defeated a body of Turks, occupying entrenched positions between the river Bojana and the town of Dulcigns. The Turks lost many in prisoners, three flags and a quantity of provisions.

The Servians cannonaded Novibazar and Pierot, but were repulsed.

News and Notes.

Rev. Edward Abbott, lately one of the editors of the *Congregationalist*, is said to be about to unite with the Protestant Episcopal Church.

There is excitement in Newbury and West Newbury, Mass., caused by a mad dog. Two children were bitten in Newbury, and W. P. Bailey, stage driver at West Newbury, was badly bitten in the hand. The dog was killed, but not till other dogs were bitten.

James O'Neil, an engineer on the Chicago & Alton Railroad, was shot dead in the street in Bloomington, Ill., at three o'clock Thursday morning, while on his way home after having been out with his engine. The murderer escaped.

All harbors on the Nova Scotian coast are still open. Vessels are arriving and departing.

Col. Wm. R. Berkeley, a prominent lawyer of Farmville, Va., was shot dead in his office on Thursday by Capt. Wm. H. Kennedy, who immediately after shot himself in the head, inflicting a fatal wound.

John Goddard, twenty years old, shot Michael Mackey, thirty years old, and then brained him with an axe, at North Stonington, Conn., on Thursday.

The Secretary of the Navy has organized a Commission of bureau officers, consisting of Rear Admiral Howell, President; Rear Admiral Ammen, Commodore Shufeldt, Eng.-in-Chief Shock, Capt. Jeffers and Constructor Easby, to investigate and report upon the class of vessels best adapted for service of the navy of the United States, the dimensions, tonnage and battery of each particular class; the number of each class required; and material of which they are to be built. The Commission will examine and discuss the classification of ships of other navies, their batteries, steam power, etc. In connection with the above classification of ships-of-war, the subject of steam rams and torpedoes will be thoroughly investigated. The first meeting of the Commission will be held January 3d.

Gen. Geo. W. McCook is dangerously sick in New York. His recovery is very doubtful.

Col. E. W. C. Greene, late publisher of the Philadelphia *Transcript*, died Thursday afternoon, aged forty-nine years. Greene was pension agent at Philadelphia during President Johnson's administration.

A three-master, the Ritchie, is now loading at New Orleans for Boston. She attracts much attention by reason of the beauty of her lines. Well she may, for she is the old revenue cutter, Harriet Lane, that had, nearly twenty years ago, the Prince of Wales on board as a guest, that in 1862 was captured by the Confederates at Galveston, then became a blockade runner, and, finally, being given up by the Spanish authorities in Hanava, was sold and converted into a merchant vessel.—*N. Y. World.*

The record of the Gloucester fisheries for 1877, shows that seven vessels have been lost during the year, (only one with all her crew,) and the total loss of life has been thirty-seven men. The seven vessels lost aggregated 384.93 tons, of a value of $22,936, on which there was insurance amounting to $19.000. This is the smallest loss in number of vessels since 1868, the smallest in value of property since 1869, and the smallest in number of lives sacrificed since 1866.

In the Superior Court at Northampton, Mass., Thursday, Judge Rockwell rendered a decision refusing to grant the Northampton bank robbers a new trial. Undoubtedly they will be sentenced for life.

Charles E. Johnson, of New York, a young scion of a "first family," is under arrest for attempting to murder his wife by shooting her. Mrs. Johnson had been obliged to leave her husband and with her child returned to her father's house, on account of the husband's cruelty. Mrs. Johnson's sister is a daughter-in-law of Henry Ward Beecher.

A heavy snow storm is reported at Cheyenne, coming eastward. The weather throughout the north west is cooler, threatening snow.

Alexander H. Stephens' committee on weights and measures is going to report a bill making the metric system obligatory in all governmental transactions. Mr. Stephens is positive that the system is going to be adopted, sooner or later, by all civilized nations, and thinks that the United States ought to take it up promptly.

Frank Moulton appeared in a drunk and boisterous condition, at the Dairymen's Convention, at Chicago, last week. He attempted to make a speech, but was obliged to stop. He explained afterward that he had taken too much cholagogue and brandy for a congestive chill. Can this be our mutual friend?

It seems probable that a resolution will be introduced into the House to investigate the restoration of Major Runkle to the army after he had been out of it many years on a severe sentence. If this is established as a precedent which includes back pay, it is admitted that a large number will come forward to be reinstated. The Secretary of War and Judge Advocate-General were against Runkle's restoration, but the President overruled both.

New Hampshire Items.

Eben Batchelder's daughter, twenty years old, set out to commit suicide at Sunapee on the night of Dec. 23d, by drowning in the Sugar river, but her father overtook and seized her before she could take the leap.

Warning is given that a vigorous assault will be made on the Keene rumsellers as soon as the new city government is inaugurated.

Wm. Melcher, for twenty-five years a paper maker and cotton manufacturer of Springfield, Mass., received a paralytic shock, Thursday, while at Laconia. There is but little hope of recovery.

Mrs. Mary Crockett, the oldest person in Laconia, died suddenly on Wednesday, Dec. 26th, aged ninety-seven years.

The first National Bank of Nashua has declared a semi-annual dividend of three per cent.

Political.

The sensation of the day is the publication by Hon. W. E. Chandler, the New Hampshire member of the Republican National Committee, of an open letter to the republicans of New Hampshire, in which he makes a number of statements concerning alleged bargains made during the electoral count, and their alleged fulfillment by the adoption and pursuance of the President's "Southern policy." Mr. Chandler closes by saying that if the republican party "now disgraces its record and endorses or fails to repudiate the Hayes surrender, its voters will leave it by thousands; its days numbered, it will die a deserved and unhonored death."

The Indiana Republican State Committee has decided to hold a convention June 5th, 1878.

Time's Changes in the Senate

After an interregnum of seventeen years the Senate is now full. There have been great changes since the Senate met in December, 1860. The Government runs on and on, while the grave takes the Governors. To the man familiar with the Senate of that day, the changes death has made in the body that itself never dies, have a melancholy interest. Of those who were then Senators but two are Senators to-day—Hannibal Hamlin of Maine, and Henry B. Anthony of Rhode Island. Notwithstanding the long term of the Senator, who serves for six years, and the tendency to re-elect, of the seventy-six Senators to-day but two were Senators less than three times six years ago. Pitt Fessenden was in the Senate then, grim, keen, commanding, but misanthropic, seeming to have a spite against mankind because of the bitter love accident of his birth that sprang from the nature of mankind. Fessenden is dead. John P. Hale was there, brave, eloquent, witty, able to state his case with unsurpassed force and clearness. Hale is dead. Henry Wilson was there, politic, tireless, ambitious, making more of his native talents than almost any man in our history; and Wilson is dead. Sumner was there, the student of the Senate, the man who alone in the Senate was able to summon all history and all literature to prove his point. Massive in his vanity, isolated in his tastes and life; and Sumner is dead. William Henry Seward was there, who had been for ten years the idol of a great following, and was the statesman of his party in 1860. Seward is dead. Stephen A. Douglas was there, his democracy pure and simple, and running through the warp and woof of his nature, his loyalty to the Union so deep-seated that not even disappointed ambition, always a destroyer of the best things in men, could shake it. "I am ready to act with any individual of any party, who will come to this question with an eye single to the preservation of the constitution and the Union," said Douglas in those trying hours. Douglas is dead. Andrew Johnson was there, his voice of the bravest, and Andrew Johnson is gone. George E. Pugh was there, fresh from the laurels of Charleston, that shrill tenor tone ringing like a silvery bell through the Senate chamber, clinging to the Union and to peace with tenacity, but to his belief with defiance; and that brilliant man sleeps. Jefferson Davis was there, saying, "If I could see any means by which I could avert the catastrophe of a struggle between the sections of the Union, my past life, I hope, gives evidence of the readiness with which I would make the effort. If, in the opinion of others, it be possible for me to do anything for the public good, the last moment while I stand here is at the command of the Senate; I will serve on the committee, if the Senate choose." There were thirty-three States then. There were other shining names in the list of Senators. There were names less lustrous that take places in our history. R. M. T. Hunter, Mason of Virginia, Robert Toombs, John J. Crittenden, Jesse D. Bright, Ben Wade, Lyman Trumbull, Yulee of Florida, Wigfall of Texas, Benjamin and Slidell, and others, were then Senators. The graves have opened, and events have shifted the leaders. Five States have been added to the Union since that time. Ten Senators have been added to the Senate of those ante-bellum days. The Senate never dies; but how changed is it!—*Cincinnati Enquirer.*

—Samuel Stickney, of Iowa, clapsed his best girl in an embrace so close that his revolver was discharged, and a boy standing near was seriously wounded. The lesson of this sad occurrence is that boys shouldn't stand around at such supreme moments.

—A monument is now being erected over the grave of Andrew Johnson at Greenville, Tenn., by his children, the cost of which will be about $8,000. The general design is an arch spanning the graves of the late ex-President and his wife, surmounted by a shaft. The height will be about twenty-eight feet, and the weight about twenty-seven tons.

—Two Arizona miners, Kellogg and Carter, recently quarrelled, and Kellogg fired at Carter. But Carter carried a Bible in his bosom which turned the bullet and gave him opportunity to lay Kellogg out with his bowie knife. The moral was spoiled by the fact that Carter, fleeing to escape arrest, was drowned while swimming a river in spite of his Bible.

—Mr. Darwin must look to his laurels. A Japan correspondent says that he saw wrought in inlaid wood on a door in the great Temple of Ligmoto, a scene showing first a monkey, then an ape, then a gorilla, and so on up by gradual development, until the final one of the series was a perfect man surrounded by elephants and curious birds. The door was several hundred years old.

—Canada is doing an immense business in shipping lobsters to England. Last week one ship from Halifax took $80,000 worth, in cans, for London, which represents something like 655,000 lobsters, and a few days before a $72,000 shipment was made. Frank Buckland is warning the Canadians against thus destroying a fishery that in future years will be even more valuable than now.

—The milky way—from the cowshed to the pump.

—"Ah, my dear," said he to his wife, "it's all right, and I'm sure I'm much obliged to you, you know, but if you had not given me that box of elegant cigars, I was thinking of swearing off on New Year's Day."

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Local Matters.

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MAILS CLOSE.

	A. M.		P. M.
Boston, South and West,	8 10:35	5	*6:30
Boston Way,	10:35	5	
Portland,	9:35	4:35	6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:35		6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35	
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35		
Concord and North,	7:40	4:55	
Concord Way,		4:55	
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:55	
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:55	

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:30 10:35	5:50
Boston Way,	10:35	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:20
Dover,	10:20	5:50

Letters for the night mails [and no others] east or west may be deposited in the box at the Eastern depot, every day except Sundays.

E. G. PIERCE, JR., P. M.

THE CITY.

See notice of auction sale of damaged goods at the auction store of H. F. Wendell, to-day.

An odd phenomenon appeared on our streets on Friday—a load of ice! It was cut for present use, and was some four or five inches in thickness.

There will be another Prize Assembly at Mechanics Hall, New Year's eve, Dec. 31. Presents to the best two dancers—lady and gentleman. Music by Harlow's Orchestra; tickets 50 cts.

The German ship Pauline, (late the American ship Kate Prince, built at this port,) was wrecked near Harlingen a few days ago; crew saved. She was a homely old box—one of the few clumsy-looking vessels ever built on the Piscataqua.

The Woman's Temperance League entertainments will be given on the following dates: Jan. 2d, 16th and 30th, Feb. 13th and 27th, and March 13th. Tickets ($1 for the course) can be procured at Kimball's drug store, or of members of the League.

We are informed that a large delegation from Eliot, where Maj. Urch delivered his first public lecture on temperance, will be in attendance at the Reform Club meeting in Franklin Hall, Sunday evening, when and where the lecture is to be repeated.

A little boy on Thursday evening presented himself at the entrance to Franklin Hall, where the Sunday school festival of St. John's church was in progress, and anxiously enquired, "Is this where Mr. St. John has his festival this evening?" He was passed in at once.

Randall & Caswell are doing a big business in fish; they received on Friday some 30,000 pounds, mostly large cod. The school of big fish that struck in on the coast some weeks ago has not yet gone off into deep water, and probably will not so long as the warm weather holds on.

Gen. Natt Head of Hooksett has been again re-elected president of the State Agricultural Society, and Aaron Young, Esq., of this city, treasurer. Hon. Warren Brown, of Hampton Falls, and Mr. Moses D. Page, of Dover, are among the vice presidents; and Col. Andrew H. Young, of Dover, and G. Byron Chandler, of Manchester, are the auditors.

We are informed that a "greenback club" (no half-and-half concern, but a genuine inflation, repudiation affair,) has been organized in this city, Mr. Gardner J. Greenleaf being the prime mover, and that the club on Friday "hired a hall"—and will at once proceed to make war on the national credit and honor, after the manner of other greenback clubs. Better go in for silver, boys; a dollar greenback is now worth almost as much as a gold dollar, whereas a silver "dollar of the fathers" is worth but about ninety cents; and if the laboring man is going to be benefited by the depreciation of the currency in which he must accept payment for his day's work, then of course the greater the depreciation the greater the benefit,—and when he has to take pay in some medium absolutely worthless, then he will be on a par with the millionaire. Silver is the stuff to go for, now.

POLICE COURT.

Friday, Dec. 28th; *Batchelder, J.*

Ellen Harrington was adjudged guilty on a charge of drunkenness; fine and costs, $9.90. John Griffin, a marine, and Hannah Griffin, his wife, do., do. Mr. and Mrs. Griffin paid up.

John F. Horrocks, for breaking and entering Hussey's store and stealing therefrom sundry boots and shoes, was held in $800 to answer at the April term of the Supreme Court.

ST. JOHN'S FESTIVAL.

The grand closing up of the Christmas festivities was given by the Episcopal church on Friday evening at Franklin Hall. The entertainment began with singing by the choir of children followed by tableaux vivant, selected and arranged by Chief Engineer Thom Williamson, U. S. N.,—the "guardian angel," scene from "the sorrows of Werter," two school scenes, "cause and effect," and "Mother Goose's shoe." They were admirably produced, and received merited encores. The next feature was the presentation of Madam Jarley's waxwork figures; comprising illustrations from Mother Goose's melodies. Capt. J. H. Higbee, U. S. M. C., as Madam Jarley, and Chief Engineer David B. Macomb as Tom, who wound up the figures, assisted by Paymaster May and Lieut. Parker, entered into the sport of the fun in real earnestness, and caused much merriment. Master Harry Carpenter was "Santa Claus." The representations of the figures were by the children of the Sunday School, who performed their characters to perfection; we did not see a failure in a single case. The Christmas tree, which was on the stage, was then shown, and the hundreds of Christmas presents were distributed; after which the children marched around the hall to the supper tables, which were bountifully filled with all the et ceteras for a good feast. After the supper, the children performed the grand march; then the floor was given to the dancers, Harlow's quadrille band furnishing the music. The festival was from 6:30 to 11:30, and was a continual scene of mirth. Every church in the city was represented among the spectators, and all were unanimous in the expression of having passed a happy evening. The number of children connected with the school is three hundred and eight. During the evening Rev. Mr. Holbrook, the rector, was presented with a very handsome bouquet by the children of the choir.

LAID UP.

The following named vessels belonging to Mr. Valentine Doane, Jr., are laid up for the winter at this port: schooners Daniel Marcy, Gov. Goodwin, Anna M. Nash, Velocipede, Light of Home, and Charlie. The Mayor Jones was sent to Gloucester, Mass., for repairs, and will remain there until spring; the Henry M. Clark is in the fruit trade, and the W. H. Y. Hackett is market fishing.

The following named coasting vessels are laid up here for the winter: schooners Free Wind, T. J. Trafton, Active, Unison, Hattie Lewis, Union Flag and G. W. Raitt of this port; steamer Mystic of Dover; schooners Triton, Mystery, H. B. Gibson and Loella of Kittery, and schooner Wingaersheek of Ogunquit, Maine.

[Communicated.]

THE TRAMP NUISANCE.

Ed. Chronicle: What is to be done with the tramps? This question is constantly being asked and discussed through the papers, and our poor-houses, prisons and work-houses are being filled to overflowing, and the people are paying heavy taxes in consequence. Last year a resolution was offered in our City Government to order the authorities to employ the tramps in removing the filth from the mill-ponds. It was read, and no further notice taken of it; but it does seem as if this would be an effectual means of disgusting the tramps, and rid our section from their raids. Why is it not adopted? Let all the tramps of the county be set at work at such disagreeable work, and *they* will find a way of saving this county the expense of boarding them. This appears to me to mean business, and I have no doubt but the tramps will see it in the same light. The laws give us a perfect right to so employ them, and in this way it will not take half as long to rid the county of the tramp nuisance as it will to clean out the ponds. We may discuss the subject until worse places than mill-ponds freeze over, and still pay board bills for tramps; but this method appears feasible,—and at worst it will cost but little to try it. REVILO.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

At St. Mary's (Catholic) church, Children's Mass at 8:30, Solemn Mass at 10:30 A. M.; Sunday School at three o'clock, P. M.

At St. John's (Episcopal) church services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. every Sunday,—except the first Sunday in each month, when the Children's Choral Service and public cathechising, commencing at four o'clock, is substituted for the usual one at 7:30; seats free at this service.

Mission services; William A. Loyne, Volunteer Missionary. Residence at Faith Home, 16 Deer street. At home daily from 8 to 10 A. M. and 12 to 2 P. M. Services every Sabbath at the Alms House at 10:30; at the County Jail at 12:30. Consecration Meeting every Monday evening at the Home. Bow Mission service suspended.

At the Middle street (Baptist) church, services at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. W. H. Alden, D. D.

At the Court street (Christian) church, preaching by the pastor, Rev. John A. Goss, at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M. Praise services at 6:30 P. M., for an hour; prayer meeting at 7:30. All are welcome.

At the Methodist church, preaching at 10:15 A. M. and 2:45 P. M. by Rev. James Noyes, the pastor.

At the South Parish, morning service at 10:30, vespers at 7:30. Sunday school at 2:45 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. James DeNormandie.

At the Congregational church, service at 10:30 A. M. and 3 P. M. Preaching by Rev. James W. Hubbell, the pastor. In the morning a sermon appropriate to the close of the year will be preached; in the afternoon the third lecture upon "Pilgrim's Progress" will be given.

At the Universalist church, preaching at 10:30 A. M., by Rev. E. M. Grant.

At the Advent church, services at 10:15 A. M., 2:45 and 7:30 P. M. Elder Wm. Mitchell, of Biddeford, will preach.

At the Freewill Baptist church, on Pearl street, services at 10:30 A. M. and 2:45 P. M.; Sabbath school at 11:30 A. M. Preaching to-morrow by Rev. Samuel Hoyt, of Newington.

Mr. C. P. Mills will address the Spiritualists at Mechanics' Hall, at 3 and 7:30 P. M. All are invited.

The Reform Club meeting will be held in Franklin Hall; Major David Urch will deliver an address on "Intemperance, and the stepping stones leading thereto." An admission fee of five cents will be charged, to defray the hall expenses. The lecture will commence at eight o'clock, previous to which there will be a praise service for half an hour, conducted by Dr. Goodall. Those who have Moody and Sankey hymn books are requested to bring them.

THE VICINITY.

We regret to learn that Rev. William A. Rand, pastor of the Congregational church at South Seabrook, is seriously ill.

A. H. Bowden's barn, on the Nubble road, at York, was burned Thursday, with four tons of hay, a plough and some other farm utensils. Loss about $300; no insurance.

A house belong to Mr. Caleb S. Spinney, of Kittery, was burned on Thursday. Loss $500; insurance $200. The house was unoccupied, and is supposed to have been fired by tramps.

MARRIAGES.

DEARBORN—McDONALD. In Epping, Dec. 25, by Rev. J. H. Stearns, Mr. George W. Dearborn of Epping, and Miss Elsie M. McDonald of Jamaica Plain, Mass.

BERRY—COLLINS. In York, Dec. 25, by G. W. S. Putnam, Esq., Mr. Edgar W. Berry of York, and Miss Nellie J. Collins of Kittery.

TOBI—YOUNG. In York, Dec. 25, by Rev. Hezekiah Short, at the residence of the bride's father, Mr. George A. Todd of Cape Neddick, and Miss Caroline M. Young, daughter of Moses C. Young, Esq., of York.

DEATHS.

STOKELL. In this city, Dec. 28, Mr. John Stokell, aged 63 years.

☞ Funeral on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from his late residence on Islington street. Friends and relatives are invited to attend without further notice.

SIMPSON. At Cape Neddick, Dec. 8, Mr. William Simpson, aged 81 years and 6 months.

NORTON. At Cape Neddick, Dec. 9, at the residence of her grandfather, Mr. George W. Norton, Miss Eva Norton, daughter of Mr. Freeman Norton, of Boston, aged 16 years.

MARINE CHRONICLE.

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NOTICE! Desiring to square up ALL ACCOUNTS, I request all such against me to be presented for payment, and all due me to be settled, within ten days; debtors promptly coming forward will be liberally considered, according to their circumstances. WM. A. PLAISTED.

Portsmouth, Dec. 29, 1877.

FUNERAL NOTICE—I. O. O. F.

THE MEMBERS OF NEW HAMPSHIRE LODGE, No. 11, I. O. O. F., are hereby notified to meet at Odd Fellows' Hall on SUNDAY at 1 o'clock P. M., to attend the funeral of our late bro. JOHN STOKELL.

An invitation is extended to members of sister Lodges. THORNTON BETTON, R. S.

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WILL BE CLEANED promptly by the City Farm Teams on application to the City Clerk's Office, or to

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Daily Chronicle.

Beauty-Patches.

Not many fashions have equalled the absurdity of patches. It is true that nothing could better set off the color of a lovely cheek or the ivory of a snowy brow than these same patches; and in their day wherever there was a lovely cheek or an ivory forehead to set off, the patch was used, and sometimes where there was not. Was there a beautiful line of the eye-lid, a beautiful curve of the nostril, the patch was applied just near enough to draw the on-looker's eye; was there a sweet corner to the mouth, the patch pointed it out; a nestling dimple near, a patch lay just beside it. It was a curious fashion. Perhaps some high and mighty dame with an eruptive skin or an unsightly mole or mark first brought it into use; but there were none of the splendid beauties of the reigns of the Charleses in England, and of Louis XIV and XV in France, who did not know how to use it to advantage in gliding refined gold. Nor was it by any means original with these beauties; they had borrowed it from the use of the dandies of a yet earlier reign, the fops of Queen Elizabeth's day, who honored it equally with their love-locks. It was considered then a part of the accoutrements of a lover, and not for a hundred years later do we hear of its use by the opposite party. Nor was this patch a little thing calculated to escape observation. A bit of black taffeta gummed, or of gold-beater's skin suitably prepared, it was singularly fantastic and prominent. Sometimes it was a square, sometimes a lozenge, again it would be a star, a crescent marking the blue vein on the temple or the soft shadows beneath the eye; and a very favorite and striking patch indeed was a tiny coach and four, whip, driver, courier, and postillion, over the eyebrow. One would hardly imagine that the charm of beauty could be enhanced by such an obvious absurdity. But what everybody does ceases to be absurd; and as people were in that day not at all acquainted with the habits of the Feejeeans and their neighbors, it could not, of course, have occurred to them that a fine lady's face presented but a counterpart to the full dress tattoo of a Polynesian—so near, in such respect at least, was the greatest height of civilization reached two hundred years ago to the lowest depth of barbarism now.

He Did It.

Three score and ten is not a very green old age, if, as astronomers assert, the period of time in which the earth will be inhabited is as a minute to eternity of its actual existence. And yet some people will really forget that they were ever young. There she stood, the apple of their eyes, trembling with suppressed weeps. Their frowns deepened as the mother wiped her glasses preparatory to reading a letter found in the girl's pocket. It began "Angel of existence."

"What!" howled the male parent. "You don't mean to say it begins like that? Oh! that a child of mine should correspond with—But pray proceed, my dear."

"Hem! existence spelled with 'a,' too?" proceeded the *mater*.

"Why, the lunatic can't spell?" broke in the old man.

"It is impossible for me to describe the joy with which your presence has filled me."

"Then why does he attempt it, the ass? But pray don't let me interrupt you. Go on, go on; let joy be unconfined."

"I have spent the whole night in thinking of you"—that's picturesque, any way, "and bitterly deriding the obstinate besotted old whelp who will not consent to our union."

"Oh, let me get at him. 'Whelp.' Is thy servant a toad, that he should be thus spoken of?"

"But Theodorus, my dear," interrupted his other half.

"Yes, one moment; I was about to observe that the hand that could pen such words would not hesitate to scalp his most cherished relative."

"Theodorus, I didn't see this over the leaf."

"Eh! let me see, hum: 'Yours, with all the love of my heart—Theodorus, May 10th, 1835.' Why bless my eyes, it's one of *my letters!*" (Sensation.)

"Yes, papa," chimed in the little 'Olive Branch,' "I found it in the closet yesterday morning, only you wouldn't let me speak!"

"You may go to the park, my child. Hem! we've made a nice mess of it."

"Yes, love. Next time we will look at the date first."

Locomotives for Russia.

A recent announcement from Philadelphia says: One of the proprietors of the Baldwin Locomotive Works started for

Russia last month, in response to a cable dispatch from the Russian government, inquiring about the terms, etc., for the building of a large number of locomotive engines. Recently the firm received from Mr. Parry directions to immediately proceed with the construction of fifty large-sized, first-class freight engines of five feet gauge, to be completed during February and March, 1878. It is stated in a letter received from Mr. Parry a few days ago that the Russian government has absorbed nearly all the railway plant for war purposes, and that it is being rapidly used up and destroyed in that ruinous service. Meanwhile the largest crop of wheat ever raised in Southern Russia and Bulgaria is rotting in the bins for need of transportation. This wheat, which usually finds an outlet from the Black Sea ports, will have to be transported by rail to the Baltic ports, and about three hundred new engines will be required at once. A large proportion of these will, however, be built in Europe. The engines to be built at the Baldwin Locomotive Works will cost upward of $800,000, and in their construction employment will be given to eight hundred men, in addition to the force of 1,100 men employed at the works.

Daily Chronicle.

MONDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1877.

The Eastern War.

The Sultan of Turkey has deposed Prince Milan from his position as ruler of Servia. Much Prince Milan will care about that.

A Russian official dispatch states that the steamer Russland, commanded by Adjutant Baranoff, who commanded the steamer Vesta in the affair with the Turkish iron clad Fithe Baulend, has returned to Sebastapool from a cruise in the Bosphorus, bringing as a prize the Turkish transport steamer Messina with 700 Turkish troops on board as prisoners.

News and Notes.

A Mr. Wright of New York bought at auction for $1,000 all right and title to Beecher's "Life of Christ," including the contract made by Beecher to write it, for which contract Beecher received $10,000. Wright now sues Beecher for the $10,000 paid him and $100,000 additional for damages for non-fulfillment of contract. Judge Fullerton is Wright's attorney.

It will be recollected that about a year ago a widow named Oliver brought suit against Hon. Simon Cameron for breach of marriage promise. Nothing has been publicly known concerning this suit till now, when it appears, by a statement of the Washington *Star*, that it was abandoned in January or February last, the widow having waived further proceedings in consideration of $1000.

Experiments have recently been made by the German artillery with a new rocket, which is intended to temporarily illuminate the siege or other works of an enemy. The head of the new rocket contains fifty-seven large and seventy-two smaller magnesium stars, which burn for fourteen seconds. The range of the rocket is 2,000 metres, but it can be fitted to explode at any desired distance from its point of departure.

U. S. Grant, Jr., has been appointed Assistant United States Attorney by Gen. Woodford, to attend specially to old and delayed customs cases. The appointment was made by Secretary Sherman.

The Golden Gate Mining Company, of Deadwood, have consummated a sale of their mines, the Father de Smet, Golden Gate, Justice and Belcher, to California capitalists, for the handsome sum of $400,000. This is the heaviest mining transaction that has occurred in the Black Hills.

Naval Affairs.

The U. S. S. Marion arrived at Nice, Dec. 9th. It is thought that, in the interests of economy, the Marion will be docked, either at Toulon or Marseilles, as she has been about four years in the water, and her hull is so coated with incrustations as to considerably reduce her speed. After the vessel is docked, and slight repairs executed to the machinery, the Marion will probably return to the East. This vessel reflects great credit on her personnel for the efficiency which has been maintained, during her constant cruising, whilst she was the only vessel of the Mediterranean fleet.—*Army and Navy Journal.*

Captain O. C. Badger is ordered to hold himself in readiness to take command of the Constitution.

New Hampshire Items.

Thomas B. Dustin, of Suncook, a great grandson of Mrs. Hannah Dustin, of Haverhill, Mass., who was taken captive by the Indians, died on Christmas day, aged sixty-eight.

Inspector General D. J. Vaughan on Friday evening inspected the Manchester War Veterans. The *Mirror* says: "Col. Vaughan addressed the company, the members of which appeared in uniform, speaking a few encouraging words and telling them of the necessity of having a well organized company. The inspection occupied about an hour and seemed to give Col. Vaughan perfect satisfaction."

The Bank Commissioners have cut down the deposits of the Derry Savings Bank twenty-five per cent. This shrinkage was made necessary by bad paper and poor investments. It is stated that the bank will pay only four per cent. interest on remaining assets.

The State Tax Commissioners were in session at Concord, Thursday, for the purpose of giving a hearing to persons interested in the subject of taxing express companies. All the express companies in the State were represented, Hon. John Minot appearing as counsel. He had permission granted him to present his views at greater length in a brief. Previous to the hearing ex-Judges Fowler and Nesmith appeared before the Commissioners to give their views as to what is meant by "capital" in a railroad corporation according to the laws in this State. From their statements it appeared that there had always been a diversity of opinion in Court on the question whether bonds should be treated as stock. Both gentlemen agreed in their views that they should be so treated in assessing taxes upon a railroad. The hearings before the Commissioners seem likely to develop some interesting questions for consideration.

The death of Oliver Holt, of Alstead, occurred a short time since, and on Saturday morning, Dec. 22d, Mrs. Holt passed away at the age seventy-eight years. After a married life of nearly fifty-five years, they were not long separated by death.

Political.

When Senator David Davis wakes up in the morning he calls out to his private secretary: "John, on which side did I vote yesterday?" "Democratic," says John. "Ah! then this is the republicans' day. John, put a cannon ball in each coat-tail pocket!"—*Chicago Post.*

The House committee, having charge of the revision of the laws regarding the counting of the electoral votes for President and Vice President, will hold its first meeting on the 10th of January.

It has been expected ever since Congress met that General Butler would move for an investigation in the methods by which the Louisiana commission accomplished the work it was dispatched to do, and the charges now made by Mr. Chandler will without doubt be used as a sufficient reason for moving such an inquiry. It is said that Hayes' alleged bargain with southern democrats can't be proved.

American Inventions.

American Inventive Genius, conspicuous for years past, was never more fertile than at present. True, no decided triumphs like our reapers, sewing machines, telegraphs and duplex telegraphs occur every year,—but in the general line of useful inventions, the United States lead the world. With higher wages for labor, our improved machinery now enables us to compete successfully in all the principal markets of the world in the sale of many of our manufactured goods. England even buys largely of our domestics: our agricultural implements harrow up the soil of the whole world; the melody of the American organs and pianos is heard wherever civilization has extended; our grain, our beef, our canned goods, feed untold myriads in Europe and elsewhere. The bulk of this great success, for a nation but a century old, is due to the inventive capacity of its people in planning machinery to produce, methods to preserve, and means for safe transportation for long distances. With all this, many most meritorious inventors are debarred from any personal benefit from their contributions to public welfare by an ignorance of the multifarious intricacies of the Patent Office. To such we would commend Mr. R. H. Eddy, 76 State street, Boston, as a leading solicitor of patents; one who has not only had a very long and successful practice in his business, but from his familiarity with the laws and technicalities in this and foreign countries, is most competent to advise inventors in regard to American and European patents, trade-marks, designs, reissues, etc.

Reported Remedy for Diphtheria.

A few years ago, when diphtheria was raging in England, a gentleman accompanied the celebrated Dr. Field on his rounds to witness the so-called "wonderful cures" which he performed, while the patients of others were dropping on all sides. The remedy, to be so rapid, must be simple. All he took with him was powder of sulphur and a quill, and with these he cured *every* patient without exception. He put a teaspoonful of flour of brimstone into a wineglass of water, and stirred it with his finger, instead of a spoon, as the sulphur does not readily amalgamate with water. When the sulphur was well mixed, he gave it as a gargle, and in ten minutes the patient was out of danger. Brimstone kills every species of fungus in a man, beast and plant in a few minutes. Instead of spitting out the gargle, he recommended the swallowing of it.

In extreme cases, in which he had been called just in the nick of time, when the fungus was too nearly closing to allow the gargling, he blew the sulphur through a quill into the throat, and after the fungus had shrunk to allow it, then the gargling. He never lost a patient from diphtheria. If a patient cannot gargle, take a live coal, put it it on a shovel and sprinkle a spoonful or two of flour of brimstone at a time upon it, let the sufferer inhale it, holding the head over it, and the fungus will die. If plentifully used, the whole room may be filled almost to suffocation; the patient can walk about in it, inhaling the fumes, with doors and windows shut. The mode of fumigating a room with sulphur has often cured most violent attacks of cold in the head, chest, etc., at any time, and is recommended in cases of consumption and asthma.

—The authorities of Memphis, Tenn., thought the number of marriages was falling off, and reduced the charge for a license to fifty cents. A local paper says that the inducement has been sufficient and the number of marriages has largely increased under the reduced fee.

—Mr. and Mrs. Forrester of the Opera House, Denver, received an ovation—in the shape of rotten eggs—recently. It was the first night of Boucicault's "Shaughraun." All went well until the beginning of the "wake scene" when some persons in the gallery began to express disapproval of the play, by throwing eggs.

Books, Magazines, Etc.

MESSRS. H. O. HOUGHTON & COMPANY, of Boston, publishers of the *Atlantic Monthly*, have just issued a fine, life-size portrait of John Greenleaf Whittier, the beloved and honored Quaker poet, whose name is a household word in tens of thousands of homes, and wherever the English language is spoken. The fact that Mr. Whittier has just completed his 70th year makes the publication of his portrait at this time peculiarly appropriate, and we are sure that there are many of our readers who will be glad to avail themselves of this opportunity to procure it. The price of the portrait to all subscribers or purchasers of the *Atlantic Monthly* is but One Dollar, and the picture, which is of unusual excellence and finish, is the work of Mr. J. E. Baker, one of the best crayon artists in the country. The *Atlantic* itself presents a most attractive programme for the coming year, —serial stories by W. D. Howells, Henry James, Jr., and W. A. Bishop; short stories by T. B. Aldrich, Rose Terry Cooke, Constance F. Woolson, J. W. De Forest, and others; frequent sketches and essays by Mark Twain and Charles Dudley Warner, two of the best American humorists; descriptions of foreign life and travel by the sculptor Story, T. B. Aldrich and C. E. Norton; poetry by Whittier, Longfellow, and Holmes; and, not least, a thorough and impartial treatment of questions of public interest, such as Finance, Government Reform, etc.,—all for $4.00 a year. The publishers will moreover send the November and December numbers for the present year free to all new subscribers who ask for them. Beautiful life-size portraits of Longfellow and Bryant, similar to that of Whittier, can be also obtained by subscribers or purchasers, if desired, for One Dollar each, additional. The *Galaxy*, which has for the past eleven years been prominent and popular to a rare degree among American magazines, has just been consolidated with the *Atlantic*, thus widening the field and strengthening the hold of the latter upon public favor and esteem.

The new year of *Littell's Living Age* opens with the number for the week ending January 5th. Owing to the recent establishment of important periodicals abroad—notably *The Nineteenth Century* in England,—and to the simultaneous improvement of others, a fresh impetus has been given to foreign periodical literature; the ablest living thinkers and writers being enlisted in its service to an extent heretofore probably unequalled. *The Living Age* presents with satisfactory completeness what is most valuable in this literature. In the department of fiction the best foreign authors will be represented in serial and short stories. The publication of a new story by William Black is to be begun in January, from advance sheets, and other attractions will follow. The beginning of a new volume is a favorable time for new subscriptions, and the publishers still present to new subscribers for 1878 the last seven numbers of 1877, which contain the first instalments of a fine new German serial, translated for *The Living Age*; also a serial story by Miss Thackeray, and the usual large amount of other valuable matter. For fifty-two numbers of sixty-four large pages each (or more than three thousand pages a year) the subscription price ($8) is low; while for $10.50 the publishers offer to send any one of the American $4 monthlies or week lies with *The Living Age* for a year, both postpaid. LITTELL & GAY, Boston, are the publishers.

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Portland,	9:35	4:35 6:30
East (beyond Portland),	9:35	6:30
Biddeford, Saco and Way	9:35	4:35
Great Falls,	9:35	4:35
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	9:35	
Concord and North,	7:40	4:35
Concord Way,		4:35
Boston & Maine R. R.	7:40	4:35
Dover,	7:40 9:45	4:35

*Arrives in Boston next morning.

MAILS ARRIVE.

	A. M.	P. M.
Boston, South and West,	4:08 10:05	5:50
Boston Way,	10:05	5:50
Portland and East,	11:20	5:50
Great Falls & Conway R. R.	11:20	
Concord and North,	10:20	6:30
Dover,	10:20	5:50

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THE CITY.

We learn that Capt. Edwin Gerrish is to command the new ship Paul Jones.

A chance to dance the Old Year out and the New Year in at Mechanics' Hall to-night. Grand march at 8:30.

Brig Clara J. Adams came out of the dry dock at the navy yard on Saturday, having completed her repairs. U. S. S. Speedwell was taken into the dock in the afternoon.

Residents on Vaughan street were somewhat startled at an early hour Sunday morning, by loud cries of "murder," made by an insane man who was being taken to the cars by the police, to be sent away.

The funeral services of the late Mr. John Stokell, Sunday, were attended by the Knights Templar, Freemasons and Odd Fellows, of which orders he was a respected member. The Dover Cornet Band was employed.

Mr. A. P. Caswell, who is in the employ of Messrs. Randall & Caswell, on Friday, between the hours of eight o'clock A. M. and 5:30 P. M., split 28,000 pounds of fish. This is hard to beat.—if it was really done, as reported, which seems hardly credible.

The W. T. L. Committee have arranged a rare treat for the music-loving portion of our community; those who have listened to the sweet, rich tones of Miss Carl's voice will gladly avail themselves of this opportunity of repeating the pleasure, and those that have not heard her can do so now. Secure your tickets immediately, as there but a few left.

On Saturday afternoon two teams (one belonging to Mr. Robert Marden and the other to Mr. William Sladen) had a collision near the junction of Congress and Middle streets. Both men were thrown from their teams, Mr. Marden striking the ground very heavily, while Mr. Sladen escaped any serious injury. Mr. Sladen's horse disengaged himself from the wagon and ran down Congress street, but was stopped before going far or doing any damage, Mr. Marden was taken home in an unconscious condition, and Dr. Whittier sent for.

One of the neatest souvenirs we have lately seen is a book with the record of the proceedings at the first gathering of the descendants of John Shillaber, at Peabody, Mass., Oct. 4th, 1877. It contains the genealogy of the family, the formation of the society, the address of welcome and the speech of the orator of the day, a poem by Mr. B. P. Shillaber, (Mrs. Partington,) names of the family representatives present, reminiscences of those connected with the family, and their places of residence and the branches of business they are engaged in.

Mr. James Douglas, one of our public spirited adopted citizens, still clings to the old Scotch custom of giving a New Year's supper, which he has done for many years. All his friends (and they are many) are invited, and the occasion is one always enjoyed by all who participate. On Saturday evening a large number sat down to this annual supper; the festivities were enlivened by the singing of a number of Scotch songs by a select quartette, and other amusements, which were kept up to a late hour. Mr. Douglas has lately bought the buildings on the corner of Deer and Vaughan streets, and made extensive repairs on them, which add much to the appearance of that neighborhood.

MAN OVERBOARD.

On Sunday morning, about two o'clock, Asst. Marshal Gray and Officers Moore and Abbott were attracted to the vicinity of the Spring Market by the cries of some person in distress; for some time they were unable to trace whence the sounds proceeded, but finally located the spot under one of the wharves near the market. It was very dark at the time, and the officers had great difficulty in finding a boat with which to go to the rescue, and in the end could only get one of the large, heavy ones owned by the navy yard workmen; and as all the oars in it were chained and locked, they had to draw the boat along from pile to pile with their hands until they reached the wharf where the man was, and even then it was a work of much difficulty to get him, owing to the intense darkness under the wharf, and the inconvenient size of the boat. The man in the water turned out to be Henry Spinney, of Eliot, who while starting for home (being under the influence of liquor at the time) had fallen out of his boat near Fernald's boat-landing, and drifted down with the tide to the place where he was found, where he clung to a pile with his head just above water until the officers reached him. After taking Spinney from his perilous and uncomfortable position, the officers picked up his boat and secured it.

POLICE COURT.

Saturday, Dec. 29th; *Batchelder, J.*

Michael Curtis, Lewis Ayers and John Foley, were before the court nearly all day, under examination on a charge of breaking and entering the liquor saloon of John Haber on Brewster street, on the night of Dec. 17th, and stealing therefrom $206. Ayers and Foley were discharged, the evidence being insufficient to hold them. Curtis was bound over in $300 to answer at the April term of the Supreme Court.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES:

The republicans of Wards One and Four held their caucuses on Friday evening, to elect delegates to the several conventions. In Ward One the following named gentlemen were chosen:

State—George W. Pendexter, William E. Hadley, William C. Ham, Joseph H. Emery, Leonidas F. Rand, Edmond Whailey.

Councillor—James A. Waterhouse, Ira Brock, Oliver M. Knight, Walter S. Gray, Samuel Taylor, Geo. Stott.

Senatorial—William Critchley, Michael Long, C. Dwight Hanscom, Albert L. Payne, Edwin B. Prime, Thomas J. Mitchell.

County—Charles W. Shannon, Enoch J. Connor, Thomas Entwistle, Frank G. Thurston, William Conn, Charles H. Bessolievre.

The republicans of Ward Four chose delegates as follows:

State—William H. Rollins, E. H. Winchester, Gardner M. Goodrich, David Urch.

Senatorial—Joseph E. Fernald, Albert R. Junkins, William P. Israel, Chandler M. Hayford.

Councillor—Oliver H. Locke, Charles W. Drown, James P. Winchester, Charles W. Bailey.

County—Alonzo Wise, Job Woodsum, John Sullivan Rand, George M. Ayers.

THE WEATHER SIGNALS.

The signal station to be established by the government at this port will soon be in operation, an agent from the War Department being expected daily with the necessary apparatus for it. Arrangements have been made with the Western Union Telegraph Co., for a night operator, who will remain in the office until two o'clock A. M.; Mr. George Nutter will have this position. John J. Pickering, Esq., who has taken a great deal of interest in this matter, will erect on the building on the corner of Market and Daniel streets such a flag-staff as will be suitable for the displaying of the signals, and will make any other arrangements needed. Mr. J. Dwight Rundlett, who has been in correspondence with the signal service bureau on this subject, has (in company with Capt. Albert Rand) been on the river to see what place would be most suitable for the showing of the signals, and they agree that the place named is the best, as flags displayed from a very moderate elevation at that point can be seen from the lower harbor, over a depression in the intervening land, when the custom house flag is entirely hidden.

[Communicated.]

THE DUELS AT SEABROOK.

More than sixty years since, we learn by tradition, there were at least three different duels in Seabrook; but we cannot learn the names of the parties, nor the causes of the quarrels. Seabrook being over the State line, the contestants, doubtless, chose its woods to escape the officers of Massachusetts.

In 1809, a carriage and two mounted men, early in the morning, went to a piece of woods near the present station of the Eastern Railroad, measured the ground, and fought with pistols. On their return they inquired for a surgeon, as one of the party was wounded. A man by the name of Rowe concealed himself in the bushes and saw the duel. A woman who died within a month said she heard the pistol shots. A man still living said he saw a chip on the ground stained with blood.

Another duel was fought a little below the line of the Railroad, and a surgical instrument was found afterwards on the ground; but of this affair I can learn but little.

Another party went to Folly-mill woods, and fought near the ground where the road to Amesbury crossed the brook; and from this encounter one of the combatants returned wounded.

It is said that two young men, who both sought the hand of a lady, met; and one of them showed a rose that she had given him. The other replied, "It smells of disdain," and then challenged him; and that they fought in Seabrook. It is said that one of the duellists was a graduate of Harvard College, and a general in the army.

Should anyone see this communication, who has any knowledge of these duels or feels any interest in the subject, I hope we shall learn something more. The files of the New Hampshire GAZETTE, the Newburyport *Herald* or the *Columbian Centinel*, may perhaps give some reports, which may be interesting to our students of local history. We may imagine how the strangers came to Newburyport, spent the night at the hotel with the sign of Gen. Wolf, left early in the morning to satisfy their sense of honor or revenge in the woods of Seabrook, and how they returned to their friends; but we know but little of the history of these affairs of honor.

G. O.

THE VICINITY.

Mr. Ephraim Downing, of Newington, was knocked down and trampled on by a yoke of oxen a few days ago, receiving severe injuries about the head.

Uri Lamprey, Esq., of Hampton, while trimming a tree recently, fell to the ground and was severely hurt, having a rib broken and his shoulder wrenched.

Rev. James DeNormandie, of this city, who preaches monthly in the Congregational church at Eliot, is highly appreciated by the people of that district,—orthodox and all.

Hon. Joseph A. C. Wingate, of Stratham, has sold to Mr. Charles E. Gear between three and four hundred cords of standing wood. It is to be worked up at fifty cents per cord.

Some weeks ago the store of Abbott Norris, at North Hampton, was burglarized and a quantity of goods taken therefrom. Some of the stolen goods were last week discovered, it is reported, in a barn near Concord.

York river has been entirely free of ice to the head of tide water this season, until Saturday morning, when it was slightly skimmed over for a short distance just where tide water ends. Residents near by say they never knew the river open so late in the season before.

On Christmas eve the Methodist church at Spruce Creek, Kittery, was the scene of a pleasant festival; a stage was fitted up, and on it was a Christmas tree, bearing presents for the children; and tableaux, dialogues, declamation and singing served to wear away a very pleasant evening. At Mr. Strout's church, (Methodist,) in Eliot, there was a festival, with Christmas tree, etc., on Christmas day; and similar entertainments for the little folks were gotten up at Kittery Point and the Foreside.

MARRIAGES.

WILSON—CRAWFORD. In Newmarket, Dec. 24, Mr. John Wilson and Miss Mary Crawford, both of Newmarket.

DEATHS.

BECKMAN. In Seabrook, Dec. 18, Mr. Samuel Beckman, aged 49 years, 1 month.

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—Dragon, moss, olive, lizard, myrtle, seafoam, Nile, salad, bottle, bronze and hunter's green are the various shades of this one color, now the favorite of fashion. The pea green and apple green, known to the last generation, are never mentioned.

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Boston Stock Sales.

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U. S. Sixes 1881, coupon	110½
United States Ten-Forties coupon	108½
United States Five-Twenties, 1865 coupon	106½
Maine State 6s, 1889	112½
N. H. State 6s 1890	103½
Massachusetts State 5s, Gold	112
Portsmouth City 6s, 1895	105
Eastern R. R. 5s	56½
Ports. Gt. Falls & Conway 7s	48
Boston & Lowell R. R.	69½
Boston & Maine	95
Boston & Providence	116½
Boston & Albany	121½
Nashua & Lowell	75
Concord	74
Eastern	41
Eastern Railroad in N. H.	50
Fitchburg	103
Manchester & Lawrence	124
Michigan Central	61½
Northern N. H.	75
Old Colony & Newport	97
Ports. Great Falls and Conway	8½
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth	65

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE,

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By the Judge of Probate for said County.

TO the heirs at law and creditors to the estate of WILLIAM REMICK late of Rye, in said County, deceased, Intestate, and all persons interested in said estate, Greeting:

You are hereby notified that MARY P. MORAN, Administrator of the estate of said deceased, will present her account of administering said estate at a Court of Probate to be holden at Portsmouth, in and for said County, on the second Tuesday of January next, at 10 o'clock, A. M., for examination and allowance. At the same Court the Report of the Commissioners of Insolvency on said estate will be taken into consideration for acceptance.

You are therefore hereby cited to appear at said Court to be heard thereon, and to make such objections as you may then have, and notice is hereby required to be given by causing this citation to be published three weeks successively in the Daily Chronicle, a newspaper printed at Portsmouth in said County, the last publication thereof to be at least one week prior to said Court.

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1000	do.	10	10,000

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